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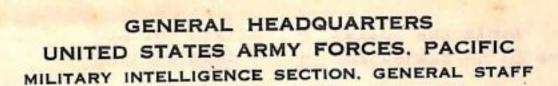
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CERTIFICATE

I, Charles M. Smith, hereby certify to the following facts which are known to me personally:

1. At the outbreak of the war, I was a Mining Engineer in the employ of the Masbate Construction Mining Co. on the Island of Masbate. On 9 Jan 1942, after the first enemy landing on Masbate, I went to Panay and reported to Brig. General Chenowyth, CG. 61st Division (PA). He informed me he needed engineers to build airfields on Panay and dynamite. I made four trips back to Masbate hauling dynamite and getting engineers. These engineers were employed by Major Thomas Powell as supervisors on the airfield construction at a rate of either P400.00 or P500.00 per month. The following is a list of the personnel from Masbate who went to work for the Army in Panay:

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Other civilians who were employed by the Army on a monthly basis are:

? Ming - Quartermaster (Port) (Killed)
H. Meider - Airfield (Plane Maintenance)
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? Davis - Manufacturing war goods.

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? Grump - Airfields (Plane Maintenance)

The above lists are far from being complete but represent those whom I can recall from memory.

2. On 8 Feb 1942, the enemy occupied Masbate in force. On 14 Feb 1942, I went to work for the U. S. Army in Panay as Engineer in charge of Underground Personnel Shelters and Magazines on all fields. Major Thomas Powell who was in charge of the construction gave me a copy of the orders which placed my salary at \$250.00 per month and assigned me to the Engineers under command of Major Powell. So far as I know, all monthly employees of the Army received like orders. My copy was lost later in Mindanao when the enemy bombed and set fire to our quarters while I was assigned to the 73rd Infantry Regt (PA) under Colonel Vesey. A. Y. Smith who later accompanied me to Australia still had a copy of his orders on our arrival there.

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3. Regulations covering employment with the U.S. Army were: The employee furnished his own quarters and food unless he was assigned to troops doing the work in which case he was quartered with, and ate with the officers in command of the troops. Employees would be entitled to rights as civil service employees when proper communications had been established with the authorities. The foregoing statement was made to me by Major Thomas Powell in February 1942.

4. The following airfields were under construction on Panay on 14 Feb 1942:

Pilar - near Pilar Sugar Central - Capiz Province.

Saralijuy - near Sara, Iloilo.

Dumarao - Dumarao, Capiz.

Santa Barbara - Cabautuan, Iloilo

Mandurriao - Jaro, Iloilo

San Jose - near San Jose, Antique

Dingle - near Potolan, Iloilo

On each of these airfields there were approximately 3,000 laborers working daily with the exception of the Dingle field which was a dummy field and only a few gangs were employed. This labor was supplied by the Bureau of Public

Works, through its district engineers. According to Major Powell the Bureau of Public Works agreed to supply all laborers needed and to take care of all administrative work. The Bureau submitted payrolls which had to be approved by the Army before payment could be made. Labor was paid Pl.00 per day in accordance with Army Regulations. This caused considerable trouble at first in getting sufficient men as the local population were mostly farm hands who had been accustomed to living on P.30 to P.50 a day. The result was, a man worked only two or three days a week. In all work with which I was connected the Cabo system was used, i.e., the Cabo or gang foreman took the responsibility of having his gang up to full strength daily. The Engineer in charge never knew who the men were and never cared as long as he had sufficient men. All labor was hired as casual daily labor and were paid either weekly or semimonthly. Major Claude E. Fertig relieved Major Powell in March 1942, and can testify as to when the men were last paid. These laborers were paid by the Bureau of Public Works while all civilians hired on a monthly basis were paid by the Finance Officer in the Office of Major Powell by check drawn on the Philippine National Bank in Iloilo City. Any laborer on the Airfields could be dismissed immediately by the Supervisor of the field by telling the Bureau

5. I am certain that it was not the intention of the command that these daily laborers should be considered as employees of the government for an indefinite period. They were hired as casual daily laborers only. It is no doubt true that many of them did not receive pay for the last period of work.

of Public Works representative on the field to discharge him.

- 6. After the fall of Cebu I asked Major Fertig what we should do on the invasion of Panay. He said the General (Christie) had told him for all American employees to either get out to Mindanao which would probably hold out or to report to his Headquarters which was being established in the mountains. Most of the Americans listed previously took one or the other of the alternatives and the majority of them did not surrender at all to the enemy.
- 7. Army personnel still living who were in charge of the airfield and other work on Panay are:

Brig. Gen. Chenowyth
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I, Lt. Col. Silvino Z Macaranes, being duly sworn according to law, depose and say that the following information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief:

I was Construction Engineer in charge of all cantonment construction in Panay located at Anilao, Dingle and Pototan. The construction on these camps started on or about 5 Sept 41. When war was declared work went on but later on was ordered suspended by Commanding General 61st Div. about middle of Dec 1941. I was then attachedto the 61st Engineers, later on taken by Lt. Powell Jr to be his assistant in charge of the construction of air fields in Panay. We decided on the locations of the air fields on the latter part of December situated on Mandarriao, Santa Barbara, Dinglex, and Sara in the province of Iloilo. The Dingley air field was a dummy field. Dumarao and Pilar in the province of Capiz and the field at San Jose in the province of Antique. Work started on theseair fields in the early part of January. Air fields at Santa Barbara at Mandarriao and San Jose were being used. Work on none of the fields was completed. We had an aggregate of 30,000 people on these air fields 24 hours a day (8 hours shifts). American Civilian Mining Engineers were construction supervisors. Laborers hired thru Bureau of Public Works and District Eng. supervised the personnel. All technical work in the field under the supervision of American civilians. All laborers hired on daily bais. The District Engineers and other Civilians who were Civil Service employees of the Commonwealth were retained under the same ratings held on appointment. The pay of the laborers was handled thru municipal and provincial pay Release of funds for payrolls of these airports had masters. to be approved by the Commanding General, 61st Div. 8. Genteral Christie and once approved payment effected by provincial and municipal paymasters. American civilians only on per annum or monthly basis paid thru the Finance Officer of the division. All Filipinos paid by provincial andmunicipal paymasters. Up to March 31 all payrolls were completed. Work abandoned on air fields due to invasion, 16 Apr 42. At several airports personnel were still working on day of invasion Aon underground work in Panay air fields, all was under supervision of Lt. Col. Chas. M. Smith who is at present on duty in office of Chief Engineer, GHQ. Information regarding drivers and other civi ians inducted into the Phil Army may be obtained from Lt. Col Lope Quial now Asst. Adj. Gen, Hq. Phil Army. Work started on Dumalag Hospital under supervision of Capt. Zosa, was work started latter part of Feb. or early March abandonded due to invasion.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Nov. 1945 at Hq, AFWESPAC, Rec. Pers. Div., T & C. Bldg.

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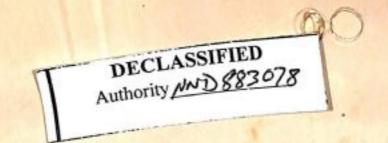
I, Gil R. Mallare, married, of legal age, Filipino and a resident of the City of Iloilo, Philippines, after being duly sworn in accordance with law, depose and say:

That on 19 December 1941, Lt. Tom Powell, Jr. (Later became Major Tom Powell, Jr.) accompanied by Lt. Macaranas (Later made Captain, and served as Powell's Executive Officer) came to my office and we talked of locating and constructing several landing fields pursuant to instructions from higher headquarters which had been received on the night of 18 December 1941. While still in my office we decided to visit the present site of Mandurriao Airfield after studying and looking over maps of the Iloilo Province. Proceeding directly to Mandurriao, we decided to begin construction of one field there immediately.

Lt. Powell informed me that I would be in charge of construction and supervision of the projects.

That same day we visited the site of the Military barracks at Miagao since I had previously levelled the ground at that location. After looking over the ground we decided that the ground offered insufficient length for a landing field. We parted agreeing to meet at 2:00 P. M. that same afternoon at Dingle. There we met as scheduled; however nothing was decided as to the Dingle Field/yet. From there we went to Lambunao where there was an emergency landing field that I had built in the past. There no decision was made, so we returned to Iloilo City.

In the meantime I had directed Francisco Fabros, Civil Engineer, to get technical assistants from our office and locate necessary personnel to start work on Mandurriao Airfield. I instructed him that he would supervise that project with work continuing day and night. Subsequently, on 16 January 1942 Fabros' work was supplemented by that of Martin Jalandoni, Civil Engineer, because of the illness of the former.



In a day or so we went out gain to locate landing field sites, and decided to construct another field at Tiring. Florentino Pontiveros, also Civil Engineer employed in my office went to Tiring with us. He was instructed to be incharge of construction of the field at Tiring, and likewise to secure necessary personnel. We went to work on Tiring on 22 December 1941.

About 10 December 1941, order came from the Director of Public Works discontinued most Public Works Projects with the exception of those roads and bridges essential to the functioning of USAFFE projects. This made more technical assistants available for use in construction of Airfields.

Later Lt. Powell returned to my office with a plan for the construction of a field between Sara and Ajuy. So I sent Gregorio Mercado, of long experience as a surveyor and construction engineer, with Lt. Powell. Work was stared at Sara - Ajuy under direct supervision of Lt. Powell who was assisted by Frank Jison, C. E. and manager of sugar central. I personally helped in making surveys, preparing plans, and staking roads.

Afterward it was decided to construct another air landing field and the site selected was the Dingle Cadre Reservation and Felicismo Ople, Civil Engineer, was assigned to supervise the work on the construction of same.

Pacifico G. Ongkingco, Assistant Civil Engineer, was assigned to supervise the construction of the water supply system at Anilao for the USAFFE.

Antonio Felizmena, Foreman, was assigned to take charge and supervise the construction of hangars, quarters, ammunition dumps, garages, barracks and hospitals at Tering and Mandurriao Air landing fields and the construction of barracks at Badiang, Anilao and the nipa buildings at Dingle.

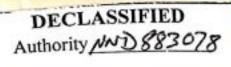
Francisco Serrantes, chief mechanic, was given a vehicle at my instance that had been commandered by USAFFE, and he was assigned to check on all mechanical equipment belonging to Iloilo Province that were being used in the Province of Iloilo and Capiz.

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Not only the above mentioned employees of the office of the District Engineer had worked on the construction of different landing fields and barracks, but since the order of the Director of Public Works, was received to discontinue public works activities, almost the entire office force of the District Engineer, from the Chief Clerk to the messenger were also working day and night for the USAFFE, such as preparing plans for landing fields, hangars, officers' quarters, garages, ammunition dumps, barracks, and hospitals, making military maps and blue printing same, preparing estimates, requisitions for materials, payrolls, vouchers and keeping accounts of same for payment. And since then we kept our office open for twenty-four (24) hours service a day for the USAFFE because then USAFFE officers were coming to the office any time of the day and night for informations, maps or plans.

Prior to their use in the construction of the USAFFE landing fields, the personnel from the District Engineer's Office were paid in the following manner:

- 1. Regular Assistant Engineers, Foreman and Office force - clerks, draftsman, etc. paid from B-7 Engineering Fund, of the Province obtained from surcharged on projects.
- 2. Technical asistants (such as instrument men, chainmen, etc.) - paid from funds appropriated to the projects on which they were employed. If they were use on 3 or more projects simultaneously, they drew pay from B-7 Engineering fund.

After these technical assistants were assigned to landing field projects their salaries were paid entirely from USAFFE funds appropriated for the project even though as far I as know no one was formally inducted into the USAFFE. Work on their respective projects consumed all of the time of these former employees of the Office of the District Engineer, and most of the time of the District Engineer, for he was in the landing fields construction even at midnight.

Instructions regarding air field construction operations came directly from Lt. Powell, U. S. Army

We were so pressed for workers that any man who could bring nineteen (19) workers would be employed as a Cabo. However, even some employed as Capataz (incharge of several Cabos) were hired and discharged simply on the basis of existing requirements for laborers. Some of thos emploed as Capatazes were considered as more or less regular workers due to the work they had done on previous projects of the Office of the District Engineer.

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All those workers above the grade of Capataz were technical employees from my office whose services had been requested by Lt. Powell.

Some few of the capataces and common laborers were also more or less permanent employees due to the fact that they had proved themselves particularly adopt at certain specialized tasks (such as handling men which require experience, driving a road roller) performed on earlier projects. However, the average common laborer was hired purely on a casual basis. Perhaps one day five thousand (5,000) workers would be needed; whereas the next day far less than xxxx this number would be required, and the surplus workers would be discharged.

2nd Lt. Sergio Jamila, F.S. P.A., drew money for payment of wages of air field employees from USAFFE funds through the Iloilo Branch of the Philippine National Bank, and distributed said funds to both Municipal and Provincial Treasurers, and their respective assistants for payment to said air field workers.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand in the City of Iloilo, Philippines, this 12th day of November, 1945.

District Engineer Offices in Iloilo City.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of November, 1945, at the City of Iloilo, Philippines, affiant with Res. Ceft. No. A-11475543, issued at Iloilo City on August 11, 1945.

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GUSTAVE C. BOESCH
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- I, SERGIO N. JAMILA 0-27612, single of age, Filipino, after being duly sworn in accordance with the law, despose and say:
- 1. That I am a commissioned Officer of the PA since 17 Sept.

 1941 and was called to active duty 13 Oct. 1941, inducted into

 USAFFE 21 Dec. 1941. That I serve in Bataan and on 22 Feb. 1942

 I left Bataan for Panay and arrived 24 Feb. 1942 in Capiz, Capiz.

 On March 1, 1942 I reported for duty to HQ 61st Div. and was assigned on duty with the Div. FO, Maj G. Francisco;
- 2. That on 5 Mar 42, Maj. Francisco verbally detailed me FO, airfield unit 61st Div. under Maj. Thomas Powell and his Asst. Capt. Macaranas who has already started payment of labor and materials to the seven Landing Field of Panay. When I reported, he told me to continue the system of giving the money to each paymaster of the seven Landing Field;
- 3. That I got authority to draw money from the CO, 61st Div. Brig-Gen. Cheynoweth then relieved by Brig-Gen. Christie, and I present the authority to Maj. Francisco and he in turn issues me a check to cover up payment of labor and materials. I draw the check in the PNB, Iloilo Branch all in Iloilo PNB emergency notes.
- 4. That with the money I deliver the cash by General Voucher duly signed by the Provincial Treasurer and Maj. Powell to the already designated paymasters of each Landing

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Field, so I don't know the contract entered into between the paymaster and the USAFFE thru Capt Macaranas;

5. That the following paymasters designated by Capt. Macaranas were as follows:

Mandurriao Landing Field ----- City Treasurer of Iloilo
Tiring Landing Field ----- Mr. Agustin Divinagracia
Municipal Treasurer of Cabatuan
Municipal Treasurer of Dingle
1942.

Sara-Ajuy Landing Field ----- Municipal Treasuer Ajuy, 1942
Mr. Evidente, Mun. Treas. of
Ajuy, 1942

Buenavista Landing Field ----- Mr. Panaquiton, Asst. Prov.
Treas. of Antique, 1942
Pilar Landing Field ------ Mr. Jose Olaveja, C/o Auditor's
Office, 1942 Capiz, Capiz
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Per instruction of Capt. Macaranas, each paymaster were made to employ all the treasurers' office force to be his sub-paymasters and several supervising teachers and teachers. I don't know their appointment as I was just ordered to continue the system previously installed;

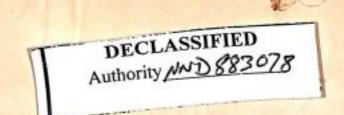
- 6. That the different sub-paymasters be required to liquidate their advances with the paymasters, and in turn the paymasters will liquidate then to the Prov. Treas. or any designated FO of the US Army.
- 7. That my rough estimate of status of the Landing Field regarding unpaid payroll were as follows:

Mar. 1942 were about completely paid. That the payroll were already signed by each respective foreman, time keeper incharge of Landing Field constructions and other officers of the civil government I can't remember. The payroll are duly

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Dingle Landing Field- The amount involved for payment of the laborers were not so big. Wages were paid except from 1-15 April 1942. I do not remember the amount delivered to the Treasurer to cover payment for 1-15 A pril 1942 payroll. Partial liquidation only.

Sara-Ajuy Landing Field- Sara Municipal Treasurer, of 1942. I cannot remember the amount I delivered but I believed Mr. Evidente has not fully paid the amount. His books will show, no liquidation made. Sara-Ajuy Landing Field-Ajuy Municipal Treas. of 1942. He has little amount unliquidated.

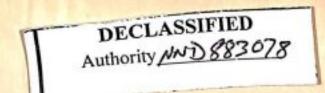
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has not made any liquidation. His books will show. Dist. Engineer, Maslog supervising engineer knows the status. I Haven't supervise payment nor visited this Landing Field due to lack of time, no transportation and due to presure of business.

Pilar and Dumarao Landing Fields - Paymaster of two Landing Fields, Mr. Jose Olaveja. I haven't visited this Landing Fields nor have supervised payment due to lack of time, transportation and presure of office works. These two landing fields were very behind in payment. Dumarao Landing Field amount to almost one hundred fifty thousand and pesos, I delivered big amount about March, 1942 but none for 1-16 April. I believed the big amount were not paid yet as payment were behind. He made no liquidation.

8. That I received verbal order from Maj. E. Fertig who succeeded Maj. Powell as CO, air field unit, that in case of invasion Gen. Christie desires to let me deliver all cash items to Col. Rafael Garcia, Co, Base QM 61st Div. on the morning of 16 April 42. I brought the one hundred fiftyfifty pesos - PNB, Iloilo emergency notes and I was escorted by Maj. E. Fertig to Passi, Iloilo, for delivery to Col. Garcia. Thru the order of Lt. Col. Jose Olivares Exoff - Base QM I delivered the one hundred fifty thousand to 1st Lt. Victor Alfonso Jr. FO, BQM. My books were duly audited by Army auditor Lt. Sison and certified by Lt. Col. Olivares as found to be correct.

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9. That on or about the middle of May 1942 the BQM were reorganized into Iloilo and Capiz Sectors. Lt. Col. J. Oli-vares as CO of Iloilo Sector and Col. Garcia for Capiz Sector. I was designated DO for Iloilo and was given little advances and at the time of disbandment I was duly audited by Lt. Sison and certified correct by Lt. Col. Olivares. Advances not more than two grand were given to procurement officers of Iloilo Sector. Lt. Col. Olivares knows his men.

disbanded BQM personnel and each officers receives three grands emergency notes for our expenses while in hiding and another officer gave me his P2,634.50 amount making a total of P5,634.50. This amount were duly returned to the Guerilla F0 thru verbal order of Lt. Col. Relunia, Co 61st Guerilla division on 1 Sept.1942 and a receipt issued and signed by Lt. Vicente Zaldariaga now on duty with 21FDS, PA, APO 715 for P4,500.00. The balance of P1,134.50 was signed by Lt. Federico Haresco. All receipts were presented to 6th MD, Guerilla F0 and was officially exchange with receipt of Dist. F0 Guerilla Maj. S. Mapa (attached true copy)

ll. That the time of disbandment all my cash books and paid vouchers were duly audited by Lt. Sison now in QM, HPA; and duly certified by Col. Olivares to have been correct and the papers were well kept-hidden in Abaca, Passi, together with the unpaid payroll of Dumarao and Pilar Landing Fields. On or about Sept. 1942, when after

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I had reported for duty to Lt. Col. Relunia I recovered all the papers and books intact in Abaca, Passi, Iloilo. I barught them to Sara at the HQ of the 61st Div. (Guerilla)

12. That on or about 15 Oct. 1942 I was ordered by the Lt. Col. L. R. Relunia to go on mission to Bohol via Negros. X I was ordered to deliver all cash books and paid vouchers and payrolls to Lt. Pendon on duty 61st Div. (guerilla) The books and paid vouchers were receited. I have it in Manila and will be available anytime. Since then I lost control of the books and vouchers for I was in the 8th MD (Cebu-Bohol) till Jan. 4, 1945. Lt. Pendon cannot be contacted. Request he be required to deliver the said books.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand in the City of Iloilo, Philippines, this 9th day of November, 1945.

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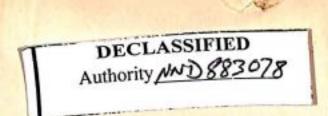
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of November, 1945, at the City of Iloilo, Philippines.

GUSTAVE C. BOESCH, Jr.

1st Lt., Inf.



June 5 1942 ·

To Whom it May Concern:

This is to certify that the books of Lt. Sergio Jamila have been examined and that he has no cash on hand except the authorized amount as advance for five thousand six hundred thirty four and 50/100 only.

/s/ Jose Olivares Lt. Col., CACA Sector OM, GO

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

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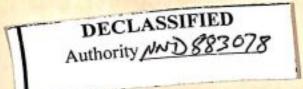
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SIXTH MILITARY DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS

1 March '45

MEMORANDUM RECEIPT

RECEIVED FROM CAPT. SERGIO JAMILA THIS 1st DAY OF MARCH '45 TWO (2) CASH RECEIPTS AS FOLLOWS:

- Cash receipt dated 17 October '42 covering transfer of fund in the amount of P4,500.00 from Lt. Sergio Jamila to Lt. Vicente Zaldarriaga.
- Cash receipt dated 23 October '42 covering transfer of fund from Lt. Sergio Jamila to Lt. Federico Haresco in the amount of Pl,134.50

THIS RECEIPTS ARE SURRENDERED TO THIS OFFICE BY NOW CAPTAIN SERGIO JAMILA FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRANSFERRING HIS ACCOUNTABILITY TO LT. FEDERICO HARESCO AND LT. VICENTE ZALDARRIAGA IN THE BOOKS OF THE DISTRICT FO.

/s/ H. A. Hardidin /t/ H. A. JARDIOLIN 2nd Lieut., FS ASST. Accounting Officer, FS

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

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PROVINCE OF THE PHILIPPINES
OFFICE OF THE TREASURER

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

- I, SIXTO B. ORTIZ, of age, Provincial Treasurer of Iloilo, after being duly sworn according to law, do hereby depose and say:
- 1. That I was Provincial Treasurer of Iloilo from July 16, 1941 and was performing the duties of my office on April . Y 16, 1942, when the invading Japanese forces occupied Iloilo Province:
- 2. That soon after the outbreak of the war on December 8, 1941, the USAFFE Forces stationed in Iloilo Province undertook the construction of landing fields in the "arrabal" of Mandurriao, Iloilo City; and in the Municipalities of Cabatuan, Sta. Barbara, and Sara, Province of Iloilo;
- 3. That at first the wages of laborers employed and the cost of materials furnished in the construction of these landing fields were paid by USAFFE disbursing officers;
- 4. That later, in pursuance of a verbal agreement entered into between the District Engineer of Iloilo Province, Mr. Gil Mallare, who was either supervising or assisting in the work in these landing fields and me, as Provincial Treasurer, the duty of paying laborers' wages and cost of materials was transferred from the USAFFE disbursing officers to the Provincial Treasurer and his deputies and employees;
- 5. That through his municipal treasurers at Cabatuan, Sta. Barbara and Sara and his traveling deputies in the central office, the Provincial Treasurer effected payments of practically all the expenses incurred in the construction of the above-named landing fields, except that of Mandurriao which was taken care of later by the City Treasurer, using for this purpose whatever fund the said Provincial Treasurer had in his possession and whatever amounts were ocassionally advanced to him by the USAFFE disbursing officers;
- 6. That the amounts paid out by the Provincial Treasurer and not covered by advances from the USAFFE were periodically billed against the USAFFE finance officers;
- 7. That the Municipal Treasurers of Cabatuan, Sta. Barbara and Sara at the time were Messrs. Agustin Divinagracia, Lucio Rodillado (now in Pototan) and Salvador Evidente (now in the Provincial Treasurer's Office); respectively;

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- 8. That upon the invasion of Iloilo Province by the Japanese forces there were accounts involving big sums remaining unpaid by the USAFFE the amounts of which I do not now remember;
- 9. That due to the total destruction of the records of the Provincial Treasurer and those of the Municipal Treasurers of Cabatuan, Sta. Barbara and Sara, it is now impossible to reconstruct the accounts and determine therefrom the exact sums disbursed by the Provincial Treasurer and his deputies and remaining unpaid by the USAFFE forces;
- 10. That during the months of March and April, 1942, and in pursuance of orders received from both the USAFFE High Command, represented by General Juan Quimbo, and the Commonwealth officials concerned, the Provincial Treasurer of Iloilo had disbursed big amounts in the payment of portions of the salaries of Filipino officers and enlisted men, members of the USAFFE forces throughout the Philippines, which portions were allotted to their respective wives, parents and descendants residing in Iloilo Province according as to whether those officers and enlisted men were married, single or widowers with dependents;
- 11. That all the funds disbursed for the latter purpose must have amounted to approximately \$\mathbb{P}200,000.00 no part of which was ever reimbursed by the USAFFE; and
- 12. That all the vouchers, and papers supporting them, under which these payments were made have been totally destroyed and, therefore, cannot now be produced.

In witness hereof, I sign this affidavit in the City of Iloilo this 9th day of November, 1945.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of November, 1945. Affiant exhibited his Residence Certificate No. 4-264608 issued at Tabaco, Albay on April 27, 1945.

SOLKONIO FLORES Register of Deeds Iloilo



18 July 1945

MEMORANDUM

TO

Recovered Personnel Division

1. Prior to the outbreak of the war there were approximately fifteen (15) regular employees of the U.S. Engineer Department working on airfield projects in Mindanao. These men were covered by regular civil service ratings. It is impossible to give the exact number from memory, but Major Merca, Finance Officer, 10th Military District, APO 159, can furnish a list of employees on duty at the Zamboanga airfield projects. The other employees were hired locally for temporary work.

2. Subsequent to the declaration of war I was told that 200 pesos monthly was the maximum salary offered to civilian employees. At least ten (10) American mining engineers and possibly fifty (50) capable Filipino men were hired, but I have no knowledge as to the assignment of civil service ratings or the conditions under which they were hired.

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TO : Lt. Thacker

Colonel Fertig left word that any information you desire concerning civilian employees during the war you should contact:

Colonel C.W. Hedges, Inf. C.O., 10th M.D. APO 159.

Also stated that Col. Hedges would probably have more information on this subject than he.

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APO 500. 1h May 1945.

SUBLECT: Military History, C. E. Fertig, Major, CE, 0-266889.

2 Commanding Officer, Recovered Persons Bureau, USAFFE, APO 501.

- 1. Pre War Status. Informed in March 1942 by Major Withers, Ex O, Dept. Engineer, Philippine Dept, that I would be called to active duty. Requested and received deferment until completion of correspondence work for promotion to 1st Lieut. In July 47, upon arrival on vacation in Manila, was ordered examined for active duty. Physical examination not passed because of a lung spot, informed of this in late Oct. 1947. Correspondence work was completed but promotion not yet received. Informed at this time that I would be advanced in grade and placed on the inactive list. Examined by competent civilian doctors (Dr. Visaya-Rio Guinobatan - Masbate, Dr. Reyes - Xray Specialist - Manila; Dr. Fletcher - Manila) all of whom declared me physically fit. Requested reexamination at Sternberg General Hospital, but outbreak of war prevented this. Subsequent examinations at Iloilo, Panay (20 Feb 42) and, 42nd General Hospital, APO 923 - 4 April 44 and Army Air Base, Fairfield, Galif, 15 March 45, found no ailments.
- 2. Masbate. At the outbreak of the war was serving as Asst. General Supt. of Capsay Mining Co, Rio Guinobatan, Masbate. Ordered to active duty as Actg. Major by Brig Gen. Chynoweth, Par 3, S.O. 16 - 20 Jan 42, Hq 61st Division USAFFE. Duties consisted of shipping supplies to (explosives, tractors, fuel oil, etc.) and establishing communications between Masbate and Panay. Supplies on this island consisted of bull-dozers, Tourn-a-pulls; carry alls, 23,000 cases dynamite, 12,000 tens of fuel oil, approximately 50 3 to 10 ton trucks, over \$2,000,000 in bodega stocks of mine and mill supplies. All but one small mine was looted by Filipines on 2 Jan 42, upon receipt of telegrams reporting landings. These reports were false. Work continued gathering and rehabilitating materials and equipment necessary to the Army. Interrupted by a commando landing 6 Jan 42. Work resumed on 8 Jan 42 after withdrawal of enemy. Supplies shipped to Panay consisted of dynamite, caps, blasting machines, 50 cal. machine guns, ammunition (salvaged from a crashed B 17). Enemy occupation troops landed 3 Feb 45 at which time, mine and mill equipment, tractors, 12 tons of truck spare parts, 200 rifles and 50 drums of aviation gasoline were destroyed. Communications to Panay failed and evacuation to Panay was made by sail-boat on the night of 4 Feb 42. The only armed forces on Masbate consisted of about 40 constabulary troops and 150 trainees, the constabulary deserted the night of 2 Jan 42 and the cadre disbanded by Governor Pecson. These troops had not been inducted into the USAFFE.
- 3. 61st Division Panay. Reported to CG, 61st Division USAFFE on 6 Feb 45. Requested troops for an attack on Masbate to hold the island until fuel oil and dynamite could be transferred to where they were urgently needed. Media, C. (25) Bracepart Salana

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All plans abandoned on 15 February because of lack of transportation.

Assigned to the office of Major Tom Powell Jr., 14th Engr, Airfield Officer, 61st Div. Construction of fields then under personnel of Bureau Public Works; progress extremely slow. Suggested the hiring of American mining engineers that had evacuated from Masbate as Field Supervisors. Suggestion followed and the following Americans were hired.

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Assumed full duties of airfield officer in late February upon transfer of Major Powell. Confirmation of rank of Major requested and recommended in early March 42 by General Chynoweth, Commanding General, Visayan Forces -Headquarters, Cebu. No action taken by USAFFE; possibly because of tense situation at this time.

Duties of airfield officer consisted of planning; specifications, supply from local sources; construction of seven airfields; maintenance of h pre-war fields and command of civilian service personnel maintaining supply planes operating to Bataan. 5 fighter fields and 1 bomber field (8000 feet) operational prior to 1 April 42. (3 lighted for night use).

Personnel

1 Major, CE - Airfield Officer

1 Capt, CE (PA) Supply Officer 1 Lieut, Fin. (PA) Finance Officer

2 Lieuts, QM (PA) Transport Officer

40 Enlisted Personnel (PA) Auditors, paymasters, mechanics

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17,000 (Approx) Filipino engineers, skilled and unskilled labor.

l April 42 - ordered to command and train troops for a commando raid on Masbate 13 April 42. Raid did not materialize as the P.T. boats were lost in Cebu 10 Apr 42.

Paney invaded 16 Apr 12. All supplies, equipment, and installations destroyed according to plan. American civilian engineers executed the plan and then served as demolition experts with Filipino Army engineer units. No airfield equipment fell into enemy hands. Finance Officer left behind lines to pay the civilian personnel payrolls in order to maintain friendliness of unpaid laborers. Withdrew and joined division staff at forward mountain command post. Detailed by General Christic as personal guide and to construct three secure headquarters areas and scatter food supplies among the native mountain tribes. Paney officially surrendered on 30 May 42.

- 23 May 42 detailed by verbal order to establish a camp for approx.
 60 U.S. Army Air Corps personnel en route from Mindoro and who were not included in the surrender order.
- 23 May 42 1 June 42 Transferred 300 cargodore loads of food to mountain hidsouts, transferred radio station to northern C.P. and attempted personal contact with the air corps men. Failed as men had proceded to Guyo Island. Contacted my wife and returned to northern G.P. 30 May 42 to find radio destroyed and finance officer missing. Enemy penetrated area on 1 June 42 and 10 July 42 resulting in looting of most of the food stocks.
- h. Panay Guerrillas. 1 June 42 30 Oct 42. Remained at northern C.P. contacted Col Feralta, Lt Col Relunia and Lt Col Chavez. Collected rifles in this area, distributed remaining 6,000 sacks of palay, and sent to lowlands 130 rounds of 2.95 in. ammo and 100 cases dynamite. Established law and order and protected the non-Christian tribes from the lotting bandit gangs posing as guerrillas.

30 Oct 42 to 7 Nov 42 - en route to headquarters of new 4th Corp Area.

7 Nov 42 - assigned as Corps Engineer, IV Corp Area (late 6th M.D.).

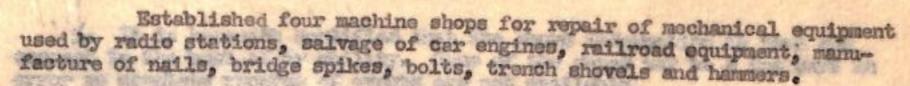
7 Nov 42 to 16 Dec 42 - organized engineers and made complete re-

16 Dec 42 - to 20 June 43 - special mission to establish rendervous area for submarines and set up coast watching and radio stations.

20 June 43 - rejoined district engineer headquarters and assumed command of air base squadron.

20 June 42 - 20 March 44. Established air base squadron to operate machine shop for repair of radios, construct stills for fuel alcohol, construct water wheels and repair generating equipment.

Established engineer officer school for division engineer officers. Graduated one class in demolition, one in bridge construction and one in mapping and sketching.



Originated a timber survey to establish supply of bridge and tie

Established blueprint reproduction unit to reproduce GHQ air craft and naval intelligence bulletins.

Established units to maintain drainage and camouflage on guerrilla airfields.

Established air-watching stations with air-base squadron personnel and U.S. Army airforce personnel.

Established map section to prepare 1:50,000 map of Panay. 13 sheets completed but destroyed by enemy action.

Personal contact with all division engineer units to instruct in construction of road blocks, bridge demolition, road indunation, and decommissioning railways, and construction of road mines.

Direct Accomplishments - (In Part)

Denied enemy use of thorough roads. Road used by enemy about 10%.

Denied enemy use of railroad. Enemy operated about 20% of road.

Removed machine shops from sugar mills and converted them for use in manufacture of grenades, rifle ammo and mortar shells.

Secured 6,000 sacks of sugar for use of guerrilla troops.

Secured 40,000 liters of 70 proof rum for conversion into grain alcohol.

Blasted 47 truck loads of enemy troops, with estimated 1,000 enemy casualties.

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Arrived Brisbane 2 April 1/4.

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Assigned Allied Geographic Section, 3 June 1/4.

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5. It is herewith certified that the above information is true and correct to the best of my ability. Some of the dates may be a few days in error as complete records of events are not available.

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I, CENON S. CERVANTES, of legal age, married, Filipino and residing at Iloilo City, Philippines, after being duly sworn, depose and say:

- 1. That I am the Manager of the Philippine National Bank Branch at Iloilo City since I arrived at this City in May, 1939 up to this time;
- 2. That in January, 1942, after the fall of Manila, a credit in current account, otherwise known as Overdraft Account, was established for the USAFFE (61st Division) of Panay. This was made necessary as the USAFFE found it impossible to transfer funds from Manila to Iloilo as communication had been cut off;
- 3. That up to April 15, 1942, the total amount withdrawn by the USAFFE against said Overdraft line with the Philippine National Bank, Iloilo Branch, amounted to P6,737,294.62;
- 4. That corresponding claim has already been filed with the proper authorities seeking reimbursement of the amount advanced by this Bank. Pertinent papers appurtenant thereto have been furnished the said authorities, certified copies of which are hereto attached and made an integral part hereof;
- 5. That before the Japanese invasion of Panay on April 16, 1942, it was customary for General Bradford G. Chynoweth, Commanding General, 61st Division, USAFFE, Panay, to call upon the undersigned for advice in money matters, especially the financing of the Army, and in such interviews, said General made known the fact to the undersigned that portion of the money obtained from the Bank was being used for the construction of airfields and for the payment of laborers' wages working on said airfields; and
- 6. That the same information contained in the preceding paragraph had been given also by Finance Officers of the USAFFE to the undersigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has signed these presents at Iloilo City, Philippines, on this 13th day of November, 1945.

CEON'S. CHIVANTES

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the City of Moilo, Philippines, on the 13th day of November, 1945, the affiant exhibiting his Residence Certificate No. A-1216541 issued at Moile City on

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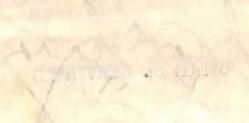
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TO Mr. D. Pekson, Executive Vice-President, September 17, 1945 Manila

FROM Mr. Cervantes, Iloilo

WHI E VINCE SUBJECT - UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE FAR EAST- 61ST DIVISION

This has reference to your letter of August 17, 1945 concerning the overdraft incurred by the USAFFE amounting to F6,737,294.62. Attached please find copy of the letter dated August 8, 1945 received from the Claims Service. also referring to the matter.

We wish to state briefly the facts which led to the overdraft. On January 2, 1942 Manila fell into the hands of the Japanese. Consequently, the Army did not have any source from which to get funds. General Bradford Chynoweth. commanding the 61st Division in Panay, called upon the undersigned asking for assistance. After a careful study the undersigned recommended the opening of an overdraft account. Shortly thereafter, or to be exact on February 14, 1942. the Commanding General received a telegram from President Quezon thru General MacArthur, copy of which is attached. Lt. Col. Thomas N. Powell, Liaison Officer, upon receipt of the copy of the telegram, immediately called upon the undersigned for consultation. The result was that a memorandum was prepared by Col. Powell in which he recommended the continuation of the overdraft for the Army. Carbon copy of his memorandum was furnished us, which we are also furnishing you copy herewith.

On February 22-23, 1942, President Quezon visited Iloilo on his way to the United States via Australia. At that time, of course, we did not know of his plans. Availing of his presence, General Chynoweth and the undersigned called the attention of the President to his telegram of February 14, 1942 explaining to him how cumbersome it was if we were to follow the instructions thereof. We told him what we had done and he was very much pleased about it and readily gave his approval to the change in procedure; i.e., the Army to deal directly with the Philippine National Bank, instead of thru the Provincial Treasurers. You will please note that the essence of the telegram is very clear - cash for the Army.

> Certified copies of the orders of the Commanding General are attached. We will send the originals thereof very shortly thru a trusted person, as well as the checks supporting the withdrawals.

We wish also to emphazise the fact that ever since the overdraft was incurred no interest has been collected. We leave it to your discretion to make arrangements with U. S. Army authorities as to what rate should be charged.

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(Sgd) CENON S. CERVANTES Manager

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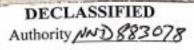
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Philippine National Bank Iloilo Branch Iloilo, Iloilo, P. I.

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to the claim of the Iloilo Branch of the Philippine National Bank based on an overdraft of USAFFE GHQ Finance.

This claim should be presented directly to the Fiscal Director, General Headquarters, Army Forces in the Pacific, APO 500, Attention: Lieutenant Colonel E. A. Mc Mahon. A statement of facts and all supporting documentary evidence should be submitted to that office with the claim.

Claims Service will take no further action on this matter.

Yours truly,

(Sgd) EMMETT L. WHITSETT, JR. Captain, J A G D Officer-in-Charge

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COMMENTS ON THE TELEGRAM SENT BY PRESIDENT QUEZON FOR TRANSHITTAL TO THE TREASURER OF EACH PROVINCE.

The instructions given in the telegram may be carried out but is considered not to be expeditious.

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Under the arrangement as instructed, each Provincial Treasurer would have to draw on the Philippine National bank the amount needed by the Finance Officers and the Treasurer in turn will have to get the cash from the said Philippine National Bank for delivery to the Finance Officers. The drawings to be thus made by the Treasurer could not be cleared by the Philippine National Bank as the latter could not get its reimbursement from the Treasurer of the Commonwealth, until communications shall have been restored between Manila and Iloilo.

The Philippine National Bank, Iloilo Branch, thru its Manager, Mr. Cenon S. Cervantes, is prepared and, as a matter of fact, has already extended every available facility to the Army and present arrangements already made with said Bank have been found to be very satisfactory and advantageous.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Cervantes, the Army has opened an over-draft line with the Phil. Nat. Bank and withdrawals thereunder are made by means of checks, duly signed by the Division Finance Officer and countersigned by the Division Auditor. The amount of cash needed by the Army to meet its payroll, etc., is embodied in the check and payments for bills made under the same procedure. It will be readily seen that in the majority of cases it would not be necessary to employ actual cash which is greatly lacking. As to the keeping of vouchers it would be well for the Army to keep them for the present, in view of present circumstances.

Therefore, it is recommended that the arrangement already made with the Philippine National Bank for an overdraft line in the amount to be determined by the Commanding General, be left as it is. At any rate, a careful analysis will reveal that it will be the Philippine National Bank that will advance the necessary funds and it would, therefore, be better to deal directly with the said Bank which would surely get its reimbursement when the proper time comes.

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For the Comanding General Visayan Force:

(Sed) ALBERT CHRISTIE BRIGADIER GENERAL, USArmy COMMANDING, 61ST DIVISION

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> (Sgd) BRADFORD G. CHYNOWETH Brig. General, U. S. Army Commanding

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February 16, 1942

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To : Mr. C. S. CERVANTES, MANAGER, Phil. National Bank, Iloilo Branch.

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UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE FAR EAST 61ST DIVISION HEADWURTERS

PHILIPPINE NATIONAL BANK Mr. CENON S. CERVANTES, MANAGER

- 1. Due to present circumstances, it is not possible to make any transfer of funds, either telegraphic or otherwise, thru any of the Manila banks
 and the USAFFE finds it necessary to require of Mr. Cenon S. Cervantes, Manager, Philippine National Bank, Iloilo, to find a way to accommodate the
 needs of the Army in this time of emergency.
- 2. Manager Cervantes has recommended the establishment of a credit in current account, otherwise known as Overdraft account to be withdrawn from time to time by means of checks according to what the Army may need and such amount as may have been advanced by the Philippine National Bank will be reimbursed by the UBAFFE as soon as transfer of funds could be effected from Manula to Iloilo.
- It is, therefore, ordered that the USAFFE in Panay be accommodated for the sum not exceeding 1800,000.00, this amount may be increased from time to time by order of the undersigned when the requirements of the Army so demands. Furthermore, it is hereby ordered that checks to be drawn against the accommodation to be thus established by the Philippine National Bank be signed by Capt. Gervasio Francisco and countersigned by Lt. Hulms.

(Sgd) BRADFORD CHYMOWETH BRIDAGIER GENERAL U. S. ARMY COMMANDING

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CERTIFICATE

I, Luis Villanueva, do hereby certify that the following named men were employed by Mr. William Gemperle, Supt. of all USAFFE projects, to work through the office of G-4, 61st Div USAFFE then under command of Brigadier General Chynoweth who was later relieved by Brigadier General Christie. Also that the men held the position indicated and were paid at the wage shown:

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I further certify that these men were not all hired on the same date; however I do not recall the dates on which each man was hired. Also that I was chief timekeeper and foreman having approximately one thousand laborers under me. I further certify that my records on these laborers have been lost and that I do not know the whereabouts of said records.

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LUIS VILLANUEVA Chief time Keeper and Foreman

G-4, 61st Div USAFFE

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I, Luis P. Delicana, Chief Warehouse Keeper of the Division Headquarters 61st Division USAFFE at Mt. Baloy, Lambunao, Iloilo, do hereby certify that the following statements are true and complete to the best of my know-ledge and belief:

That I had been employed by the Division Headquarters 61st Division USAFFE at Mt. Baloy, Lambunao, Iloilo, on 15th January, 1942 to 30th April 1942, by Lt. Col. Wm. F. Gemperle incharge of the hauling and storage of all army supplies and war equipments from Tampucao to Mt. Baloy, Lambunao, Iloilo;

That as Chief Warehouse Keeper, I received the salary of Pl.50 per day including Sundays and holidays. That I had the following persons working under my supervision serving for salary in the indicated position:

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That there were some more men working with me in the said Division Headquarters but that I cannot remember their names now nor I met since then. That the above named persons had worked in the Div. HQ on different dates, and that each one of them has received his pay up to the date they stop working, which I cannot remember.

From 1st May 1942 to 30th September 1942 have done nothing but evacuating from place to place.

From 1st October 1942 to 15th June 1945 I was a regular member of the Guerilla Organization in various capacities and had received about P800.00 more or less as partial payment of my salary. From 16th June 1945 and until then I was on temporary relief from active duty as per my request for revertion is granted.

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LUIS P. DELICANA

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of November, 1945, at the City of Iloilo, Philippines.

LUCIEN W. ROLLAND 2nd Lt., Inf. 11

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