

312 - CORRESPONDENCE

"H" CO, 2ND BN, 14TH INF.

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7 Jan 44*

**HEADQUARTERS
"H" Company, 14th Inf.**

**In the Field
4 Jan. 44**

**Subject: MAP, submission of
To : The Battalion Commander
2nd Bn., 14th Inf.**

1. This Command is submitting a map covering our area, location of relay stations and location of our CP.
2. Further reference can be found on the Legend.

Benjamin S. Cololla
BENJAMIN S. COLLOLA
 2nd Lieut., 14th Inf. Res.
 Commanding

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A.H.-I-Lab.

(98)

In the field
44

---- Male pig is always ready to breed
 ---- Male is always excited sexually every minute
 thus it loses its weight.
 Male pig not castrated has a boar odor.

1- - - - - This operation should be performed for 24 hours so as to decrease its resistance, to reduce blood pressure, and to avoid hemorrhage. Further reference can be found on the legend.

2- - - - - Preparation of the area preparation by washing it with iodine or dry it.

3- - - - - Hang the animal upside down if you are only one, belly facing you.
 Make an incision about 1 1/2 inches in front of the anterior border of symphysis pelvis away from the bone; between the last teats (so so)

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HEADQUARTERS
"H" Company, 14th Inf.

In the Field
29 Dec. 44

Subject: S-2 Report
To : The Battalion Commander

1. This Hqrs. has received a report from Pvt. Fox, A., of this command, that there are around 3,000 Japs in Bayombong. That they came by hiking.

(Sdg.) CORNELIO R. MILO
(Typed) CORNELIO R. MILO
Junior Officer

A TRUE COPY:

[Signature]
CRESCENCIO J. PAREDES
2nd Lieutenant, 14th Inf.
S-2, 2nd Bn.

File # 1
1st Ind.

Hq., 2ND BN., 14TH INF. 31 Dec. 44 TO: CO, "H" COMPANY

1. Returned for further verification stating time, of arrival, origin of these troops, and appropriate classification as to whether infantry, artillery, cavalry, or signal corps.

2. It is desired that in future, fragmentary and periodic S-2 reports submitted by you must be comprehensive and explicit in accordance with requirements set forth in G. O. No. 12, USAFIP, NL furnished you as fundamental basis of your intelligence network.

3. Be guided accordingly.

[Signature]
ZOSIMO J. PAREDES
Capt., 14th Inf.
CO, 2nd Bn.

RECEIVED THE ORIGINAL:

[Signature]
BENJAMIN COLOMA
2nd Lieutenant, 14th Inf.
CO, "H" Company

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File 14

UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES
HEADQUARTERS, "H" COMPANY
14th Infantry

25 January 45

Subject: Compliance to Rush Message.
To : CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.

1. We are sending to that Hqrs. by special rush messenger the following articles in compliance with rush message.

- American safety fuse---- 7 ft. - 3 1/2
- Australian safety fuse--30 ft.
- TNT-----140 - 8 taken
- Detonators No. 6..... 10
- Detonators No. 8..... 8

2. REGARDS AND GOOD LUCK.

Juan Ma. Sabalbuero
JUAN MA SABALBURO
Captain, Infantry
Commanding

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File
UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN NORTH LUZON
HEADQUARTERS, "H" COMPANY
14th Infantry

29 January 45

Subject: Information.
To : CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.

1. The undersigned request the Battalion Commander whether I will resume my rank as Private First Class or any other status in the present organization where I am.
2. I have found out when we made the Company Organization based on the Roster of Troops that my name did not appear for January.
3. Request that I be informed officially re my status in the Company.

(SGD) MARCELO FERNANDEZ
Private First Class
"H" Co.

1st Indorsement
HQ, "H" Co., 14th Inf. 29 January 45 To: CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.

1. Inviting attention to the basic communication for appropriate action.
2. Per my investigation of his case, I found out the following:
 - a. On Oct. 3, 1945, Fernandez reported to Lt. Ramirez, and was inducted into the "H" Co.
 - b. When the Battalion Commander and Lt. Vadil inspected this Camp last Jan. 13, 1945, the latter found out that he (Fernandez) was here. Same was investigated by Lt. Vadil as he (Fernandez) was formerly connected with the MP in Solano, hence, the former CO of this Company has to strike him out in the Roster of Troops, pending issuance of appropriate orders from that HQ.
 - c. The former CO, this Company strongly recommends that Fernandez be given a chance to make up, as per his observation he (Fernandez) has been doing splendid service ever since he was with this organization.
3. I am strongly recommending therefore that Fernandez be given a chance to be with this unit and fight our common enemy- the barbarous invaders.


REGARDS AND GOOD LUCK.

(SGD) JUAN MA. SABALBURO
Capt., 14th Inf. (PA)
Commanding

2nd Indorsement
HQ 2nd Bn. 14th Inf. 10 February 45 To: CO, "H" Co. 2nd Bn.,

1. Respectfully returned to the CO, "H" Co. with the information that if special order re the dropping of Pfc. Marcelo Fernandez from the Roster have not been received, his name should be included in the Roster of Troops for January pending final decision of the Battalion Commander who is at present in a conference mission.

2. Best regards and good luck.


RAFAEL V. PALUERO
Captain, Infantry
Actg. Executive Officer
For the Battalion Commander

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File 27

United States Armed Forces in North Luzon
HEADQUARTERS, "H" COMPANY
14th Infantry

30 January 45

Subject: Acknowledgement of Receipt
To : CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.

1. I acknowledge to have received two (2) 1-1/2 yds. of thick khaki and three (3) two meters of thin khaki one of which measures only four (4) feet and nine (9) cms. with a discrepancy of around 71 cms.

2. Request that any future allotment be received exactly as specified.

REGARDS AND GOOD LUCK.

Juan Ma. Sabalburu
JUAN MA. SABALBURO
Capt., 14th Inf. (PA)
Commanding

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File No. 61

2nd Indorsement

Hq. 2nd Bn., 14th Inf. In the Field 1 March 45 To: E.O., 2nd Bn, 14th Inf.

1. By verbal order of the CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf, I am staying temporarily at the CP of "H" Company, this Bn, to perform S-5 duties. In this connection, request that all communications from higher Hq and from lower units re S-5 work be forwarded to me for proper action.

2. Regards and good luck.

Angel I. Covita
ANGEL I. COVITA
Act'g Officer - (S-5)
2nd Bn., 14th Infantry
c/o CO "H" Co., 14th Inf.

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Handwritten notes in blue ink on the left margin, including "14th Inf" and other illegible scribbles.

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Thyria Eugenia
certified

Thyria
correct

W. S. ...
Chairman

Stam
...

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Rec'd
3/17/45
2 noon

UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES, NL
Hq "H" Co., 14th Infantry

10 March 45

Subject : Sketch of Jap Position at Tuao North, Southeast Pugonsino
TO : CO, 14th Infantry (S-2)

1. Submitting herewith a sketch of Jap Position at
Tuao North, Southeast Pugonsino.

Juan Ma. Sabalbuero
JUAN MA. SABALBURO
1st Lieut. 14th Inf. (PA)
Executive Officer
For the Commanding Officer

Incl: Sketch

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CO, 2nd Bn., (S-2)

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CO, 2nd Bn.

UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES
HQ. "H" Co., 14th Inf.

17 March 45

Subject: Enemy Documents.
To : COMCHURFILPH No. 3
To : CO USAFIP
(Thru CO, 14th Inf.)

1. In envelop herewith attached find the following:
 - a. One (1) troop flag.
 - b. One (1) Jap instructional pamphlet.
 - c. One (1) Jap mission pamphlet.
 - d. Diary book and records.
 - e. Four (4) Jap patches.
 - f. Three (3) Jap stamps.
 - g. One (1) Jap tag.
 - h. One (1) Philippine map.
2. Time and date of recovery: 9:00 AM 15 March 45.
3. Place where taken: 800 yds east of "H" CP at Bango.
4. Unit making recovery: Company "H" 14th Inf.
5. Circumstances of how taken: Taken after an engagement with the Japs when they left their positions.
6. Taken from dead bodies of enemy.
7. Other information of value: None.

Juan M. Sabalbur
JUAN M. SABALBUR
1st Lieut., 14th Inf. (PA)
Commanding

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file no 126

UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES, NL
Hq. "H" Co., 14th Inf.

Received
8-19-45
8:00 AM

17 March 45

Subject: Enemy Arms and Equipments.
BATCH NO. "H" - No. 10.

To : CO, USAFIP, NL.
(Thru CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.)

1. Sending herewith the following enemy arms and equipments:
 - a. Jap rifles: 86924, 28014, 26665, 57574, 1980877, 88674.
 - b. Jap bayonets - 9.
 - c. Sabers ----- 2.
 - d. Gas Masks----- 4.
 - e. Steel Helmets- 5.
 - f. Pick----- 1.
 - g. Shovels----- 3.
 - h. Ammunitions, Cal.25# 160rds.
Cal.31- 180rds.
2. Time and date of recovery: 9:00 AM, 15 March 45.
3. Place where taken: 800 yds east of "H" CP, Bongol.
4. Unit making recovery: Company "H", 14th Inf.
5. Circumstances of how taken: Recovered after an engagement when Japs left their positions.
6. Taken from dead bodies of enemy.
7. Other information of value: None.

Wilfred Piedad
WILFRID PIEDAD
Sergeant
Company Clerk
For and in the abs. of CO. &
Ex. Off.

3-21-45
10:01 AM

UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES' NL
Hq "H" Co. 14th Infantry

20 March 45

Subject: Field operation Reports' Submission of
TO : CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.

1. Japs estimated to be from 60 to 80 infiltrated in the ~~in the~~ forest of Dalaget and begun entrenching themselves on 17 March 45, sending 4 scouts to spot our men. Upon seeing this 4 Japs, our men fired and chased them up to 200 yds near center of forest. The Japs entrenched along the lower end of forest towards Dize retaliated the fire. This was at 15:00 o'clock, 17 March 45. The firing continued and our boys were pinned to the ground for 2 hours. At 17:00 PM, I sent 5 armed men to engaged the left flank of the enemy and 5 armed men to reinforce the men making the frontal attack, also armed men to attack the right flank waiting their way at a point 300 yds east of CP towards the south. At 19:00 o'clock, both the force sent out to make the envelopments get in contact with the enemy. The exchange of firing continued up to 23:30. The Japs used 2 MG plus rifles while our boys used their M1G, Garand & Springfield. At 24:00, the enemy stopped firing as did our boys but I ordered them to stand by and not to advance.

2. verification the following morning 18 March 45, revealed the following: Our boys approached to as near as 50 yds from Japs foxholes; Japs casualty estimated ranging from 30 to 40 killed and several wounded. It is believed the Japs retreated towards Tapa-a as the cogen grasses showed traces of blood and pathway made by the dead bodies pulled by their companions. Casualty on our side none.

Juan Ma. Sabaluro
JUAN MA. SABALURO
1st Lieut. 14th Inf. (PA)
Act'g. C. O.

COPY FURNISHED:

CO, 14th Infantry

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UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES NL
Hq. "H" Co., 14th Inf.

23 March 45

Subject: Propaganda Leaflets.
To : CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.

1. Submitting herewith a propaganda leaflet picked up by civilians in Balote after having been dropped by our planes, 22 March 45.

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JUAN MA. SABALBURO
1st Lieut., 14th Inf. (PA)
Actg. C.O.

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リガンエ沖灣に於ける米軍の大船團

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日本海軍

米軍がルソン島に上陸を敢行する四日前日本は既に米軍の尨大なる船團の北上を發見したが日本海軍は殆んどこれに反撃を加へ様としなかつた爲米軍はたやすく「リンガエン灣」上陸に成功した。

これは日本の海軍が全く頼りのないものになつた事を示すものでその爲補給路は完全に遮斷され増援の道もなく諸君が苦戦に陥らなければならぬ結果となつた。

諸君がかゝる未曾有の苦境に直面してゐる時東京ラジオは大東亞戦争開始以來八拾名以上の日本海軍將官が死亡したと放送した。

この事實は果して何を意味するものたらうか。

UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES
Hq "H" Co., 14th Infantry

25 March 45

Subject: Narrative Report re Ambush Lead
by Lt. A. Butas, 13 March 45
To : CO, 2nd Bn, 14th Inf.

1. At 14:00 O'clock 13 March 45 I sent msg to Lt. A. Butas to prepare 17 armed men from Dize and Careza ready to move at 18:00 O'clock as ambush along National Highway No. 5; preferably at Tapava. At 16:00 O'clock, information arrived at my Hq to the effect that 3000 Japs were at Kincaan and Tapava with 3 high ranking Officers believe to be Generals. The information further stated that at night, the Japs were wearing white shirts. Immediately upon hearing of this information, I sent a msg to Lt. A. Butas furnishing him the above information and advising him to provide a strong security on the march and to instruct his point to be on the alert always and to maintain the march formation.

2. At 23:00 O'clock, they were ready ⁱⁿ with their fox holes near the national road at Tapava. Very soon 4 trucks loaded with Jap soldiers, heading North came into view. When the 1st truck arrived at point marked (1) our men (4 of them - 2 TSMG, 2 Garand) open fire. At this time the 2nd, 3rd and 4th truck stopped at points (2), (3) and (4) putting out their light. At this time our men at (5), (7) and (8) armed with 2 TSMG and 2 Garand at each post opened fire. The firing lasted for 30 minutes with light retaliation ^{of fire} from the enemy. After 30 minutes of firing our men were forced to withdraw as 7 truck loads of Jap Southbound arrived at the scene of ambush.

Result of Ambush: 70-80 Japs definitely killed. 4 trucks placed out of commission. Casualty on our side none.

Juan Ma. Sabalburd

JUAN MA SABALBURO
1st Lieut. 14th Infantry (PA)
Actg. C. O.

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CO, 14th Inf.

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12:00 PM

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UNITED ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES, INC.
HQ "H" Co., 14th Infantry

26 March 45

Subject: Enemy Arms and Equipments
BATCH NO "H" NO. 13
TO : CO, USAFIP, NWL
(Thru CO, 2nd BN., 14th Inf.)

1. Sending herewith the following:
 - (a) Volt and Ampere Meter Instrument in box w/ battery & coils.
 - (b) 1 Bayonet w/ scabbard
 - (c) 15 rds. amm. cal. 25.
2. Time and date of recovery - 9:00 A.M. 25 Mar. 45
3. Place where taken - Tuae, Bagabag, Nueva Vizcaya.
4. Unit making recovery - Co. "H" 14 Inf.
5. Circumstances of how taken: Picked by our boys while passing Tuae when Japanese ran for cover because friendly planes passed by.
6. Other information of value - None.

Juan Ma. Sabalboro

JUAN MA SABALBORO
1st Lieut. 14th Inf. (PA)

Executive Officer
For the Commanding Officer

Rec'd 10:30 AM

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UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES

Hq "H" Co., 14th Infantry

26 March 45

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3/26/45
4:50 P.M. AV.*

Subject: Rough Sketches of Balite, Diadi, Bugnay, & Buaya
showing enemy positions and installations.

TO N CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.

1. Submitting herewith attached rough sketches of
Balite, Diadi, Bugnay & Buaya showing enemy positions
and installations for your information.

Juan Ma Sabalbuero
JUAN MA SABALBURO

1st Lieut. 14th Infantry (DA)
For the Commanding Off.

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UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES, NL
Hq "H" Co., 14th Infantry

27 March 45

Subject: Enemy Insignia within an envelop
TO : CO, USAFIP, NL.
(Thru CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf.)

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1. Sending herewith an enemy insignia ~~in~~ in an envelop.
2. Time and date of recovery: 9:30 AM 26 March 45
3. Place where taken--800 yds East of "H" CP, Bongol
4. Unit making recovery: Company "H", 14th Inf.
5. Circumstances of how taken: Pick by our boys while examining the place of the previous encounter.
6. Other information of value: None

Juan Ma. Sabalburc

JUAN MA. SABALBURC
1st Lieut. 14th Infantry (PA)
Executive Officer
For the Commanding Officer

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UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES, NL
Hq "H" Co., 14th Infantry

27 March 45

Subject: Ambush and Raid Led by Lt. B. Paras
TO : CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf

1. Herewith are data re Ambush and raid of Lt. B. Paras,
26 March 45:

- a. Date-----26 March 45
- b. Time-----22:30 to 23:00 o'clock
- c. Places -----Raid at Unaon where Japs are staying at night and ambush at National Highway, Bagabag-Kiangan.
- d. Leader and No. of armed men & Lt. B. Paras w/20 armed men and 3 bolomen as ammunition carriers.
- e. Casualty on enemy---40 definitely killed in raid
50 " " in ambush
and several wounded.
2 trucks made unserviceable
- f. On our side--None

2. Narrative report follows.

Juan Ma. Sabalbuero
JUAN MA. SABALBURO

1st Lieut. 14th Inf., (PA)
Executive Officer
For the Commanding Officer

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UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES, NL
Hq. "H" Co., 14th Infantry

24 February 45

Subject: Explanation, Re Submission of S-2 Reports, Explanation of
TO : CO, 2nd Bn., 14th Inf


1. In compliance to par 2, Rush Memorandum, dated 19 February 45, re submission of Periodic S-2 reports, the following explanations are submitted for your information and consideration:

a. That ever since Nov. 1944, when this Hq was already submitting the Close Road Census in tabulated form furnished by RHQ, covering the period from 1st, -15 and 16 to the end of the month, this Hq was no longer complying with orders re column II under DATA.

b. That since that time on, this Hq receiving no reminder, believed that the submission of said Periodic S-2 report was no longer needed.

2. However, this Hq is rushing up said reports from the S-2 Agents, so that compliance could be made.

Regards and good luck.


BENJAMIN S. COLOMA
2nd Lieut. Inf., (PA)
Actg. C. O.

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II Location of farm: The farm is located within the College of Agriculture vicinity. It is in the east of the college campus.

III Transportation facilities:

1. Distance to shipping station is about 2 kms.
2. Distance to trading center (Colomba) 15 kms, and about 20 kms from San Pablo, and about 67 kms from Manila
3. Condition of roads is gravelly; in rainy season is seldom improved or not at all; during dry season is fairly good condition altho. not well fixed. This road however traverse the farm through.

IV Personal consideration

1. Distance to neighbor is just on the other side of the creeks that bounded it in the western part and in the eastern part. No less than $\frac{1}{2}$ km.
2. Character of neighbors, good and honest
3. Distance to school, about $\frac{1}{2}$ km; to church about $\frac{1}{2}$ km
4. Is telephone available? Not available but there possibility for its installation because telephone wires run by it. RFD is about 1 km away.

242.5 - Hqs. Staff Judge Advocate, 6d Inf. CT.

Nov. 24, 1944

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