

3006 Quartermaster 6th Division  
6th Inf. Div.

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ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NEW PHILIPPINE SCOUTS  
SIXTY-NINTH DIVISION (PIONEER INFANTRY)  
OFFICE OF THE BATTAL QUARTERSMASTER  
IN THE FIELD

11/10/43

MEMORANDUM :

To : Major OFFICERIA, Co., Comdr, 1st. - Inf. Reg't.

1. Daniel Sigan, Co. Tentante of Cabano, is the one in-charge of all large cattle owned by Mrs. Bechmala Sigan of Pavia, Iloilo and Mrs. Santiago Jerusalem de Ladrida, of Lantapan, Iloilo. This cattle are grazed at the latter's pasture land at Tagbasan, Lantapan.
2. He, (Daniel Sigan) came to this office to complain that on December 23, '42 a group of enlisted men under that command specifically under Lieut. Bechmala went to the said pasture land and started shooting any large cattle found in the said pasture land, no previous permission was being secured from the Laguna stationed there at, nor directly from him. Consequently they were able to shoot dead two (2) heads owned by Mrs. Santiago de Ladrida and wounded (2) two heads more owned by Mrs. Bechmala Sigan and one more carcass owned by the Laguna himself. The wounded could not be ascertained whether or not they are still alive or dead. Recently men under that command too, returned to the same grazing land and shoot shot, one dead mother cow and her calf two months old. The calf by now, must perhaps be dead according to the complainants.
3. Receipt for the two (2) heads of cows dead, dated Dec. 23, '42 and signed, for the Commanding Officer Novilla Perez by Lieutenant G. Bechmala is in the hands of the complainants, while the other one shoot dead, was not receipted yet.
4. That action of the men under that command re-shooting of large cattle at their own volition is not in accordance with the Administrative Order No. 1., dated Oct. 23 '42 and with the present standing regulation of re-courageing.
5. Requesting verification and report on this case, so that proper adjustment, can be later, obtained. I shall be looking to the still cooperation of our Division People.

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*[Signature]*  
MAJOR DANIEL S. SIGAN  
C.O. P. O. No. (b2)

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