

EXHIBIT "A"

Partial List Of Victims, Municipality
Of Taal, Batangas, P. I.

U.S.A. vs Tomeyuki YAMASHITA

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RECORD OF DEATHS AND HOUSES BURNED BY
JAPANESE - PROVINCE OF BATANGAS

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Municipality of T A A L - Deaths

<u>NAMES</u>	<u>BARRIO</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>
1. Florentina Almandral	Balato	F		
2. Maria Galba	"	F		
3. Maria Barairo	"	F		
4. Arcadia Anciado	"	F		
5. Andres Tenorio	"	M		
6. Francisco Tenorio	"	M		
7. Maria de Ramos	"	F		
8. Lucrecia Barairo	"	F		
9. Gregoria Barairo	Bihis	F		
10. Isabelo Somana	"	M		
11. Angel Ramos	Bancoro	M	56	
12. Jose Barrion	"	M	50	
13. Olimpia Reyes	"	F	28	
14. Conchita Barrion	"	F	85	
15. Benedicto Barrion	"	M	45	
16. Crispina Agodera	"	F	75	
17. Natalia Caibigan	"	F		
18. Gregoria Mendoza	Bolbok	F		
19. Maria Atienza	"	F		
20. Gavino Atienza	"	M		
21. Asuncica Atienza	"	F		
22. Ricardo Atienza	"	M		
23. Benita Atienza	"	F		
24. Santiago Atienza	"	M		
25. Leonora Badillo	"	F		
26. Pedro Atienza	"	M		
27. Vicente Atienza	"	M		
28. Moises Almazan	"	M		
29. Marcelina Punzalan	"	F		
30. Roman Almazan	"	M		
31. Norberto Almazan	"	M		
32. Claro Almazan	"	M		
33. Engracia Atienza	"	F		
34. Vicente Atienza	"	M		
35. Carmen Atienza	"	F		
36. Virginia Cuevillas	"	F		
37. Epifania Atienza	"	F		
38. Elpidio Atienza	"	M		
39. Ricardo Atienza	"	M		
40. Galicano Atienza	"	M		
41. Melecia Almazan	"	F		
42. Felicidad Mendoza	"	F		
43. Clemencia Tenorio	"	F		
44. Saturnina Sandoval	"	F		
45. Feliciana Bathan	"	F		
46. Rosa Bathan	"	F		
47. Felisa Cuevillas	"	F		
48. Cornelio Atienza	"	M		
49. Josefa Casabuena	"	F		
50. Corazon Punzalan	"	F		
51. Rosita Atienza	"	F		
52. Armando Gonzales	"	M		
53. Honorata Atienza	"	F		
54. Martin Atienza	"	M		
55. Alberto Mertel	Butong	M	22	Farmer
56. Conchita Tamayo	"	F	17	
57. Josefina Billostas	"	F	18	
58. Benjamin Moreho	"	M	1	
59. Martin Maligaya	"	M	40	Rig Driver
60. Andrea Briones	"	F	35	Housekeeper

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<u>NAMES</u>	<u>BARRIO</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>
61. Pablo Marasignan	Butang	M	19	Farmer
62. Dalmacio de la Luna	"	M	25	Fisherman
63. Susana Banawa	Cultihan	F		
64. Estemiana Tenorio	"	F		
65. Herodes Tenorio	"	M		
66. Aurea Diemampo	"	F		
67. Crisestoma Tenorio	"	F		
68. Gregoria Punzalan	"	F		
69. Victoria Tenorio	"	F		
70. Donata Tenorio	"	F		
71. Andrea Endaya	"	F		
72. Rosario Africa	"	F		
73. Zoila Africa	"	F		
74. Arlinda Africa	"	F		
75. Comiteo Africa	"	M		
76. Escolastico Suarez	Luntal	M		
77. Ventura Alviz	"	M		
78. Constancia Bebehis	"	F		
79. Clemencia Banawa	"	F		
80. Ruperta Garcia	"	F		
81. Victoria Lascano	"	F		
82. Ruperta Lascano	"	F		
83. Lorenza Badillo	"	F		
84. Venencia Lascano	"	F		
85. Cecilia Lascano	"	F		
86. Paula Lascano	"	F		
87. Juliana Lascano	"	F		
88. Feliciano Banaag	"	M		
89. Simeon Banaag	"	M		
90. Nicomedes Banaag	"	M		
91. Conception Banaag	"	F		
92. Rosita Banaag	"	F		
93. Sotero Banaag	"	M		
94. Adoracion Banaag	"	F		
95. Irinea Bebihis	"	F		
96. Eustaquia Banawa	"	F		
97. Fortunata Aquino	"	F		
98. Concolacion Almazan	"	F		
99. Josefa Almazan	"	F		
100. Jovita Almazan	"	F		
101. Gloria Bebihis	"	F		
102. Aday Landicho	"	F		
103. Nicasio Bebihis	"	M		
104. Agueda Bebihis	"	F		
105. Pepito Almazan	"	M		
106. Mamerta Quino	"	F		
107. Jovita Banawa	"	F		
108. Miguel Mayuga	Maabud	M		
109. Sofia Mayuga	"	F		
110. Andrea de Sagun	"	F		
111. Victoria Barrion	"	F		
112. Ignacia Mayuga	"	F		
113. Eleuterio Mayuga	"	M		
114. Asuncion Mayuga	"	F		
115. Franscisco Mayuga	"	M		
116. Trinidad Mayuga	"	F		
117. Mariano Barrion	"	M		
118. Marta Barrion	"	F		
119. Felisa Barrion	"	F		
120. Nicanor Castillo	"	M		
121. Josefa Barrion	"	F		
122. Carmen Barrion	"	F		
123. Normando Castillo	"	M		
124. Alberto Castillo	"	M		
125. Silvia Castillo	"	F		
126. Bantriz Barrion	"	F		
127. Consuelo Tenorio	"	F		
128. Lolita Omandap	"	F		

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<u>NAMES</u>	<u>BARRIO</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>
129. Vicente Barrion	Maabud	M	53	Merchant
130. Catalina Perez	"	F	43	Housekeeper
131. Remedios Barrion	"	F	27	Teacher
132. Concordia Berrion	"	F	22	Student
133. Bienvenido Barrion	"	M	15	Student
134. Alicia Barrion	"	F	13	Student
135. Jaime Barrion	"	M	11	Student
136. Eduardo Barrion	"	M	9	Student
137. Enrico Barrion	"	M	7	Student
138. Bonifacio	"	M		Servant
139. Josefina	"	F		Servant
140. Ramon Atienza	"	M		
141. Corazon Omandas	"	F		
142. Losmeio Biscoche	"	M		
143. Victoria Biscoche	"	F		
144. Exilia Biscoche	"	F		
145. Macaria Biscoche	"	F		
146. Rosa Divino	"	F		
147. Vicenta Divino	"	F		
148. Natividad Divino	"	F		
149. Leonida Divino	"	F		
150. Melchor Bisciche	"	M		
151. Aquilina Biscoche	"	F		
152. Restitute Biscoche	"	M		
153. Amalin Biscoche	"	F		
154. Malquiadex Diemamao	"	M		
155. Agaeda Diemamao	"	F		
156. Murianite Diemamao	"	M		
157. Lina Diemamao	"	F		
158. Maria Balba	"	F		
159. Eleidio Omandas	"	M		
160. Nieves Omandas	"	F		
161. Fraetacia Omandas	"	F		
162. Gloria Omandas	"	F		
163. Aselenio Omandas	"	M		
164. Feliciano Omandas	"	M		
165. Osmundo Omandas	"	M		
166. Maxima Omandas	"	F		
167. Martina Memdeza	"	F		
168. Modesta Omandas	"	F		
169. Fugenia Almendral	"	F		
170. Isabel Almendral	"	F		
171. Briscio Biscoche	"	M		
172. Simplicio Tenorio	"	M	25	Farmer
173. Ewiliame Orlamaz	Munlawin	M	60	Farmer
174. Julian Alviz	"	M	95	
175. Inescencio Tenorio	"	M	85	
176. Candida de Maligalig	"	F	80	
177. Romulo Dimalig	Sinturisan	M	14	
178. Petronila Encarnacion	Talang	F	70	
179. Anaran	"	M	16	Laborer
180. Vicente Garduce	Taube	M		
181. Isidore Garduce	"	M		
182. Mercedes Bathan	"	F		
183. Rosalia Caraan	"	F		
184. Juan Bathan	"	M		
185. Tomasa Azar	"	F		
186. Segando Gonzales	"	M		
187. Anita Arriela	"	F		
188. Concepcion Cineto	"	F		
189. Segundo Banawa	"	M		
190. Florencia Ortiz	"	F		
191. Ignacio Alcantara	"	M		
192. Domingo Caruno	"	M		
193. Brigido Caruno	"	M		

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NAMES	'BARRIO	'SEX	'AGE	'OCCUPATION
194. Anastacia Banawa	Cultihan	F	22	Dressmaker
195. Leonardo Banawa	"	M	15	
196. Conrado Banawa	"	M	7	
197. Marciano Banawa	"	M	4	
198. Bonifacia Permen	"	F	80	
199. Rita Banawa	"	F	50	
200. Norma Alcaraz	"	F	2	
201. Margarita Lacerna	"	F	50	
202. Melecia Bancoro	"	F	18	
203. Estelita Bancoro	"	F	20	
204. Jacoba Bancoro	"	F	35	
205. Estrella Diomampo	"	F	8	
206. Rodolfo Diomampo	"	M	4	
207. Maria Landiche	"	F	22	
208. Alfredo Landiche	"	M	17	Tanner
209. Marcos Bancoro	"	M	55	Tanner
210. Alberto Marasignan	"	M	17	Tanner
211. Mariano Bancoro	"	M	80	Tanner
212. Maria Hernandez	"	F	30	Housekeeper
213. Lydia Bancoro	"	F	4	
214. Candida Marasignan	"	F	21	Housekeeper
215. Robihis de Roxas	"	F	85	Tanner
216. Andrea de Roxas	"	F	40	
217. Marcelo de Roxas	"	M	65	
218. Luis Hernandez	"	M	12	
219. Amado Hernandez	"	M	13	
220. Adoracion Hernandez	"	F	5	
221. Francisca Hernandez	"	F	4	
222. Lorenza de Roxas	"	F	28	Housekeeper
223. Lourdes de Roxas	"	F	2	
224. Dorotea Manalo	"	F	50	
225. Leonora Banawa	"	F	65	
226. Rosario Magsino	"	F	15	
227. Isabel Bancoro	"	F	7	
228. Alfredo Magsino	"	M	21	Tanner
229. Ofelia Magsino	"	F	5	
230. Felicita Alcantara	"	F	90	
231. Sinfonso de Roxas	"	M	85	Tanner
232. Geronima Maporos	"	F	80	
233. Antonia Banawa	"	F	85	Weaver
234. Segunda Amoros	"	F	25	
235. Prudencia Endava	"	F	95	
236. Evarista Alcantara	"	F	45	
237. Rosal Landicho	"	F	38	
238. Antonina Garcia	"	F	3	
239. Marcelino Garcia	"	M	5	
240. Crisanto de Poxas	"	M	4	
241. Casimiro de Roxas	"	M	5	
242. Martin Somana	"	M	95	
243. Emoteria Punzalan	"	F	85	
244. Maria Norma Punzalan	"	F	2	
245. Trinidad de Roxas	"	F	2	
246. Gregoria Landicho	"	F	20	

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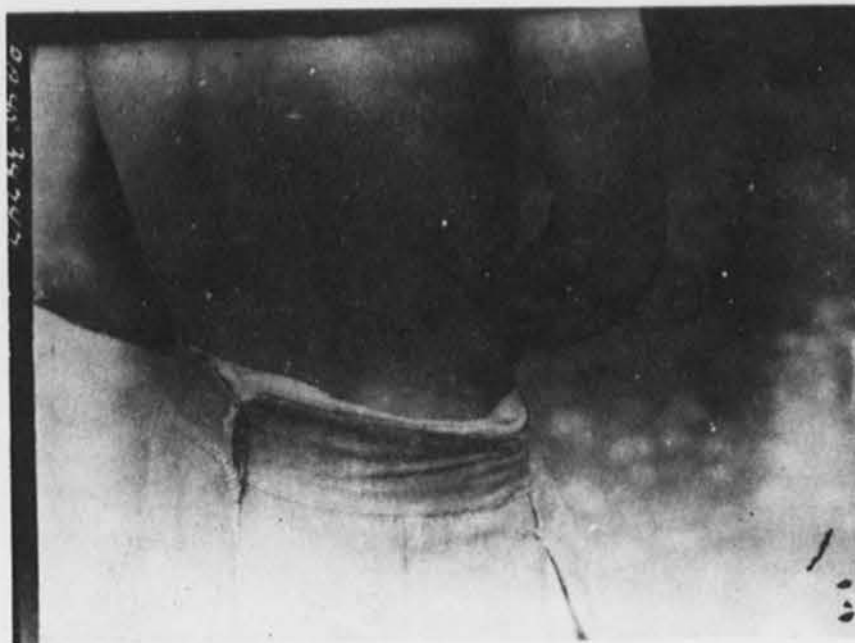


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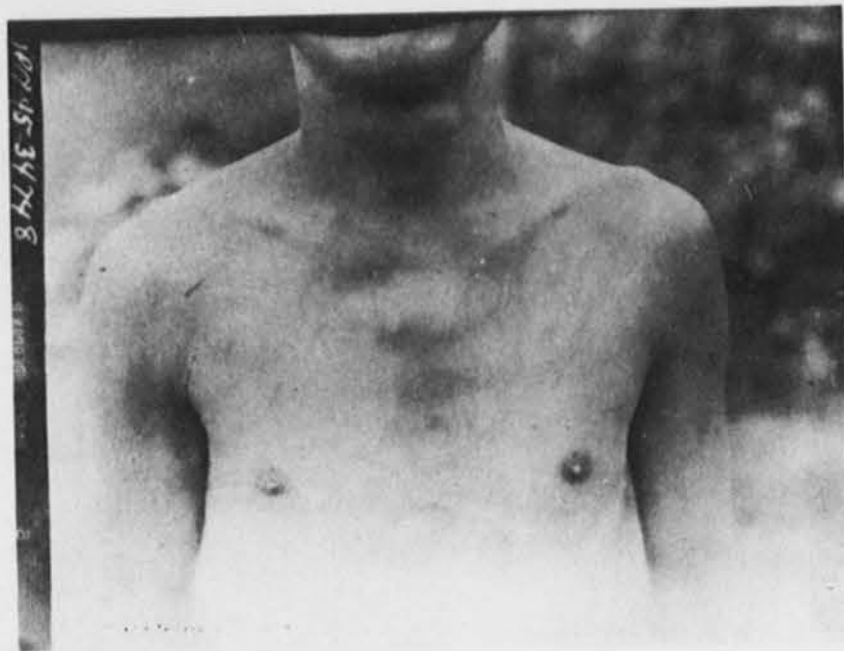


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Partial List Of Filipino Civilians Killed By The
Japanese - February and March, 1945 - Municipality of
Cuenca, Province of Batangas, P. I.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We certify that the following Exhibit is a true
list of victims killed by the Japanese in Cuenca, Batan-
gas, P. I., during February and March 1945; that this
list was obtained from the official list of victims pre-
pared by the Municipal Mayor of Cuenca.

Charles C. Thompson
CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

Allen H. Peoples
ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

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PARTIAL LIST OF FILIPINO CIVILIANS KILLED BY JAPANESE

FEBRUARY AND MARCH, 1945

MUNICIPALITY OF CUENCA, PROVINCE OF BATANGAS

	<u>NAME</u>	<u>STREET OR BARRIO</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>DATE</u>
1.	Manuela Jusay	S. Felipe	F	52	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
2.	Rosa Magpantay	"	F	17	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
3.	Petronila Cuevas	"	F	90	None	Mar. 19 '45
4.	Tomasa Lunar	"	F	40	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
5.	Victoria Chavez	"	F	17	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
6.	Dominga Chavez	"	F	13	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
7.	Santos Comia	"	M	28	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
8.	Tiburcio Magbuc	"	M	65	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
9.	Isidro Magbuc	"	M	26	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
10.	Felipe Magbuc	"	M	30	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
11.	Justino Cuevas	"	M	28	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
12.	Melchor Magbuc	"	M	5	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
13.	Nazario Magbuc	"	M	8	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
14.	Anacitas Macalintal	"	F	12	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
15.	Selvina Jaen	"	F	62	Housekeeper	
16.	Felicisimo Lunar	"	M	10	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
17.	Felisa Magpantay	"	F	55	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
18.	Francisco Lunar	"	M	37	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
19.	Juan Lunar	"	M	26	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
20.	Vicenta Lunar	"	F	24	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
21.	Pedro Lunar	"	M	68	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
22.	Felicidad Lunar	"	F	31	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
23.	Macario Robles	"	M	15	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
24.	Maria Robles	"	F	2	None	Feb. 18 '45
25.	Vicente Magpantay	"	M	82	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
26.	Hiladio Magpantay	"	M	45	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
27.	Elina Robles	"	F	43	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
28.	Maxina Magpantay	"	F	28	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
29.	Isaac Magpantay	"	M	25	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
30.	Isidro Pagdonsulan	"	M	35	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
31.	Felomina Magpantay	"	F	30	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
32.	Lauriana Pagdonsulan	"	F	6	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
33.	Marcelina Pagdonsulan	"	F	4	None	Feb. 18 '45
34.	Irenia Chavez	"	F	9	Housekeeper	Feb. 18 '45
35.	Primitivo Chavez	"	M	7	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
36.	Maria Chavez	"	F	4	None	Feb. 18 '45
37.	Irene Chavez	"	F	1	None	Feb. 18 '45
38.	Jose Villanueva	"	M	31	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
39.	Severino Santiago	"	M	43	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
40.	Mariano Pacing	"	M	75	Laborer	Feb. 18 '45
1.	Lucio Matibag	Labac	M	22	Laborer	Feb. -- '45
2.	Irineo Malabag	"	M	30	Laborer	Feb. -- '45
3.	Emilio Laraya	"	M	31	Laborer	Feb. -- '45
4.	Felipe Malabag	"	M	30	Laborer	Feb. -- '45
5.	Manuel Aguila	"	M	26	Laborer	Feb. -- '45
6.	Eugenio Caragan	"	M	32	Laborer	Feb. -- '45
7.	Bonifacio Visaya	"	M	25	Laborer	Feb. -- '45
8.	Domingo Robles	"	M	32	Laborer	Mar. 8 '45
9.	Juan Matibag	"	M	35	Laborer	Mar. 8 '45

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	<u>Name</u>	<u>Street or Barrio</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Date</u>
10.	Elesio Matibag	Labac	M	28	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
11.	Toribio Palma	"	M	35	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
12.	Emiliano Jopia	"	M	33	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
13.	Rufino Cuevas	"	M	35	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
14.	Pedro Cuevas	"	M	54	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
15.	Pedro Matibag	"	M	18	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
16.	Marciano Chavez	"	M	24	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
17.	Victor Marasigan	"	M	55	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
18.	Marciano Danao	"	M	45	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
19.	Proceso Magpantay	"	M	35	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
20.	Proceso Palma	"	M	40	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
21.	Antonio Robles	"	M	27	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
22.	Fermin Mapolon	"	M	75	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
23.	Benigno Loria	"	M	85	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
24.	Zusimo Malibiran	"	M	70	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
25.	Vicente Robles	"	M	23	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
26.	Emilio Jopia	"	M	55	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
27.	Maria Alejandre	"	F	35	Housekeeper	Mar. 10, 1945
28.	Romana Bayanin	"	F	35	Housekeeper	Mar. 10, 1945
29.	Victor Robles	"	M	24	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
30.	Alejandro	"	M	17	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
1.	Benito Marasigan	Bungahan	M	31	Laborer	Mar. 12, 1945
2.	Gregorio Castillo	"	M	52	Laborer	Mar. 12, 1945
3.	Juan Jardin	"	M	48	Laborer	Mar. 9, 1945
4.	Liborio Jordan	"	M	45	Laborer	Mar. 9, 1945
5.	Vicente Hernandez	"	M	50	Laborer	Mar. 9, 1945
6.	Miguel Jusay	"	M	50	Laborer	Mar. 9, 1945
7.	Irinio Garcia	"	M	24	Laborer	Mar. 9, 1945
8.	Leonardo Rin	"	M	45	Laborer	Mar. 9, 1945
1.	Andres Rosales	Enmanuel	M	22	Laborer	Mar. 18, 1945
2.	Alfonso Malabanan	"	M	24	Laborer	Mar. 14, 1945
1.	Paulino Gerao	Dalipit	M	64	Laborer	Mar. 7, 1945
2.	Maximo Jaen	"	M	40	Laborer	Mar. 7, 1945
3.	Leonardo Ren	"	M	45	Laborer	Mar. 7, 1945
4.	Alejandro Castillo	"	M	40	Laborer	Feb. 10, 1945
1.	Emilio La Rosa	Dita	M	57	Sanit. Insp.	Feb. 3, 1945
2.	Apolinario La Rosa	"	M	41	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
3.	Mariano La Rosa	"	M	31	Radio Mec.	Feb. 3, 1945
4.	Apolinario Jarina	"	M	41	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
5.	Manuel Jarina	"	M	43	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
6.	Andres Cadacio	"	M	34	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
7.	Arcadio Marasigan	"	M	19	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
8.	Gaudencio Torres	"	M	19	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
9.	Mariano Mendoza	"	M	49	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
10.	Arcadio Torres	"	M	43	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
11.	Toribio Remo	"	M	43	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
12.	Simfroso Robles	"	M	46	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
13.	Domingo Robles	"	M	23	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
14.	Santos Torres	"	M	37	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
15.	Marciano Lopez	"	M	55	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
16.	Potenciano Calingasan	"	M	53	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
17.	Agustin Olea	"	M	38	Teacher	Feb. 3, 1945
18.	Faustino La Rosa	"	M	24	Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
19.	Rufino Samonte	"	M	52	Laborer	Mar. 16, 1945
20.	Dionicio La Rosa	"	M	45	Ex-Navy Man	Mar. 23, 1945
21.	Quintin Cadacio	"	M	25	Laborer	Mar. 10, 1945
22.	Silvino Atienza	"	M	34	Laborer	Feb. 6, 1945
23.	Juan Atienza	"	F	34	Housekeeper	Feb. 6, 1945
24.	Pablo Mendoza	"	M	35	Laborer	Feb. 6, 1945
25.	Emiliana La Rosa	"	F	28	Housekeeper	Feb. 6, 1945

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	<u>Name</u>	<u>Street or Barrio</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Date</u>
26.	Mendoza	Dita				Feb. 6, 1945
27.	Mendoza	"				Feb. 6, 1945
28.	Mendoza	"				Feb. 6, 1945
29.	Mendoza	"				Feb. 6, 1945
30.	Mendoza	"				Feb. 6, 1945
31.	Lorenzo Torres	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 3, 1945
1.	Jose M. Laqui	Poblacion	M	36	Mun. Mayor	Feb. 15, 1945
2.	Leocadio Vasquez	"	M	42	Prop.	Feb. 15, 1945
3.	Marciano Laqui	"	M	41	C. P. A.	Feb. 15, 1945
4.	Adriano Vasquez	"	M	15	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
5.	Norberto Aspinili	"	M	17	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
6.	Alfredo Jardin	"	M	27	Organist	Feb. 15, 1945
7.	Pedro Alday	"	M	37	Principal	Feb. 15, 1945
8.	Federico C. Remo	"	M	31	Engr. Civil	Feb. 15, 1945
9.	Pedro Masilungan	"	M	24	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
10.	Salvador Cuevas	"	M	22	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
11.	Justo Javier	"	M	38	Bo. Cnclr.	Feb. 15, 1945
12.	Alfredo Laqui	"	M	35	Bo. Lt.	Feb. 15, 1945
13.	Fernando Cuevas	"	M	34	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
14.	Quintin Castro	"	M	20	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
15.	Aquilino Castro	"	M	16	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
16.	Teofesto Marasigan	"	M	19	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
17.	Epifanio Abraham	"	M	20	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
18.	Ricardo Royo	"	M	27	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
19.	Eugenio Chavez	"	M	38	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
20.	Esteban Magsombol	"	M	46	Mun. Pol, Sgt	Feb. 15, 1945
21.	Emiliano Limbo	"	M	57	Prop.	Feb. 15, 1945
22.	Jose Limbo	"	M	34	Atty at Law	Feb. 15, 1945
23.	Felix Limbo	"	M	26	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
24.	Sotero Palma	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
25.	Eugenio Palma	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
26.	Antonio Lunar	"	M	36	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
27.	Joaquin Lunar	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
28.	Atanacio Lunar	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
29.	Jose Flores	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
30.	Magdalena Magsombol	"	F	28	Housekeeper	Feb. 15, 1945
31.	Martina Magsombol	"	F	25	Housekeeper	Feb. 15, 1945
32.	Mariano Lopez	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
33.	Melecio Briones	"	M	50	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
34.	Pedro Briones	"	M	17	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
35.	Tomas Atienza	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
36.	Higino Jobli	"	M	41	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
37.	Catalino Chavez	"	M	75	Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
38.	Cerilo Magbuc	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
39.	Francisco Pasia	"	M		Laborer	Feb. 15, 1945
40.	Julian Robles	"	M	45	Laborer	Feb. 18, 1945
41.	Sotara Pini	"	F	42	Housekeeper	Feb. 18, 1945
42.	Vicente Robles	"	M	12	Helper	Feb. 18, 1945
43.	Doroteo Robles	"	M	10	Helper	Feb. 18, 1945
44.	Salud Robles	"	F	6	Helper	Feb. 18, 1945
45.	Emilia Lopez	"	F		Housekeeper	Mar. 3, 1945
46.	Savino Robles	"	M	3	None	Feb. 18, 1945
47.	Domingo Manintim	"	M	38	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
48.	Felix Laqui	"	M	35	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
49.	Eluterio Chavez	"	M	29	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
50.	Periana Felix	"	F	24	Housekeeper	Mar. 8, 1945
51.	Jose Dipasupil	"	M	37	Mun. Police	Mar. 8, 1945
52.	Francisco Cuevas	"	M	41	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945
53.	Moises Cuevas	"	M	16	Laborer	Mar. 8, 1945

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Name	'Street or Barrio	'Sex	'Age	'Occupation	' Date
54. Conrado Lorzeno	Poblacion	M	31	Mun. Clerk	Mar. 8 '45
55. Juan Javier	"	M	78	Laborer	Mar. 8 '45
56. Victoriano Meuleon	"	M	54	Laborer	Mar. 8 '45
57. Timotea Laqui	"	F	55	Housekeeper	Mar. 8 '45
58. Jose Sevilla	"	M	42	None	Mar. 9 '45
59. Santos Laqui	"	M	31	Mun. Sec.	Mar. 9 '45
60. Simplicio Vertucio	"	M	43	Laborer	Mar. 9 '45
61. Manuel Cuevas	"	M	45		Mar. 9 '45
62. Braulio Mercado	"	M	38	Laborer	Mar. 9 '45
63. Agapito Veray	"	M	45	Laborer	Mar. 9 '45
64. Sinfonso Jusay	"	M	56	Prop.	Mar. 10 '45
65. Honesto Jusay	"	M	33	Atty-at-Law	Mar. 10 '45
66. Mariano Masalunga	"	M	76	Laborer	Mar. 11 '45
67. Modesto Lunar	"	M		Laborer	Mar. 11 '45
68. Melecio Laet	"	M	75	Laborer	Mar. 12 '45
69. Alberto Hosena	"	M		Laborer	Mar. 12 '45
70. Jose Felix	"	M	46	Principal	Mar. 12 '45
71. Rodrigo Patag	"	M	24	Laborer	Mar. 13 '45
72. Nimecio Patag	"	M	29	Laborer	Mar. 13 '45
73. Isidro Macalintal	"	M	22	Laborer	Mar. 14 '45
74. Anenias Chavez	"	M	42	Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
75. Francisco Cortez	"	M	27	Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
76. Florentino Velena	"	M	18	Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
77. Bartolome Mangundsyao	"	M	57	Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
78. Jose Pasia	"	M	32	Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
79. Alejandro Cuevas	"	M		Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
80. Andres Aguila	"	M		Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
81. Pedro Aguila	"	M		Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
82. Tomasa Aguila	"	F			Mar. 19 '45
83. Aguila	"	M		Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
84. Calixto Remo	"	M	18	Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
85. Catalino Abunador	"	M	16	Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
86. Benito Abunador	"	M		Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
87. Peio Hosena	"	M	27	Laborer	Mar. 19 '45
88. Nicolas Jobli	"	M	40	Laborer	Mar. 21 '45
89. Norberto Lunar	"	M	32	Laborer	Mar. 21 '45
90. Jose Lopez	"	M	38	Laborer	Mar. 21 '45
91. Eduardo Reyes	"	M	20	Laborer	Mar. 21 '45
1. Gavino Castillo	Mambug	M	56	Laborer	Feb. 6 '45
2. Victoriana Remo	"	F	47	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 '45
3. Aurelio	"	M	33	Laborer	Feb. 6 '45
4. Lucia Castillo	"	F	30	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 '45
5. Dolores	"	F		Helper	Feb. 6 '45
6. Anarica	"	F			Feb. 6 '45
7. Rodolfo	"	M			Feb. 6 '45
8.	"	M			Feb. 6 '45
9. Emiliano Castillo	"	M	29	Laborer	Feb. 6 '45
10. Patrocina Lunar	"	F	28	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 '45
11. Narciso Castillo	"	M			Feb. 6 '45
12. Eligio Castillo	"	M			Feb. 6 '45
13. Conchita Castillo	"	F			Feb. 6 '45
14. Pascual Castillo	"	M	15	Laborer	Feb. 6 '45
15. Romana Castillo	"	F	27	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 '45
16. Sixta Castillo	"	F	8		Feb. 6 '45
17. Sixto Castillo	"	M	25	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 '45
18. Menolita Abistros	"	F	21	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 '45
19. Angelito Castillo	"	M	3		Feb. 6 '45
20. Eusebio Remo	"	M	80	Laborer	Feb. 6 '45
21. Segunda Mendocdoc	"	F	74	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 '45

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Name	Street or Barrio	Sex	Age	Occupation	Date
22. Maria Macalintal	Mambug	F	32	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
23. Antonina Garcia	"	F	11		Feb. 6 45
24. Rodelfe Garcia	"	M	7		Feb. 6 45
25. Norma Garcia	"	F	6 m		Feb. 6 45
26. Baltazar Macalintal	"	M	90	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
27. Lazaro Macalintal	"	M	45	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
28. Elfidio Macalintal	"	M	24	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
29. Juana Macalintal	"	F	18	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
30. Fructuosa Hosena	"	F	47	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
31. Jun Apuntar	"	M	26	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
32. Lucia Hosena	"	F	21	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
33. Isabel Apuntar	"	F	31	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
34. Melecio Lunar	"	M	6		Feb. 6 45
35. Elfidio Lunar	"	M	4		Feb. 6 45
36. Ponciano Lunar	"	M	2		Feb. 6 45
37. Paula Cuevas	"	F	82	None	Feb. 6 45
38. Luis Ateinza	"	M	13	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
39. Alfonse Apuntar	"	M	45	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
40. Felipa Calingasan	"	F	40	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
41. Cornelio Apuntar	"	M	25	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
42. Catalina Terres	"	F	18	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
43. Francisco Apuntar	"	M	18	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
44. Felisa Apuntar	"	F	3		Feb. 6 45
45. Rafael Apuntar	"	M	5		Feb. 6 45
46. Concepcion Apuntar	"	F	13	Helper	Feb. 6 45
47. Eulogia Castillo	"	F	50	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
48. Gregeria Calingasan	"	F	30	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
49. Presco Matibag	"	M	11		Feb. 6 45
50. Leonila Jarina	"	F	4		Feb. 6 45
51. Juana Macalintal	"	F	40	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
52. Ingnacia Castillo	"	F	40	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
53. Martia Marasigna	"	M	35	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
54. Petra Ajen	"	F	28	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
55. Benedicte Marasigan	"	M	3		Feb. 6 45
56. Severo Mina	"	M	50	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
57. Anacleto Ajen	"	F	45	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
58. Vivencie Mina	"	M	11	Helper	Feb. 6 45
59. Sulpicio Torres	"	M	80	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
60. Felipa Laqui	"	F	70	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
61. Maria Lunar	"	F	60	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
62. Isabelo Lunar	"	M	55	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
63. Matilde Lunar	"	F	23	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
64. Agustia Lunar	"	M	41	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
65. Pedro Lunar	"	M	4		Feb. 6 45
66. Virgilio Lunar	"	M	3 m		Feb. 6 45
67. Eugenia Apuntar	"	F	11		Feb. 6 45
68. Carlota Velena	"	F	75	None	Feb. 6 45
69. Damiana Cuevas	"	F	40	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
70. Ignacia Samaniego	"	F	25	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
71. Roman Morong	"	M	21	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
72. Epifania Atienza	"	F	40	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
73. Juana Samaniego	"	F	7		Feb. 6 45
74. Ricardo Chavez	"	M	49	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
75. Narcisa Chavez	"	F	14	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
76. Juliana Chavez	"	F	19	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
77. Felisa Marasigan	"	F	3		Feb. 6 45
78. Isabelo Remo	"	M	35	Laborer	Feb. 6 45
79. Elisa Laqui	"	F	32	Housekeeper	Feb. 6 45
80. Felix Magsombol	"	M	7		Feb. 6 45

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Name	'Street or Barrio	'Sex	'Age	'Occupation	' Date
81. David Remo	Mambug	M			' Feb. 6 '45
82. Margerito Remo	"	M			' Feb. 6 '45
83. Laureans Remo	"	F			' Feb. 6 '45
84. Remo	"	M			' Feb. 6 '45
85. Jose Jusay	"	M	37	Laborer	' Feb. 6 '45
86. Julia Magsombol	"	F	33	Housekeeper	' Feb. 6 '45
87. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
88. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
89. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
90. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
91. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
92. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
93. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
94. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
95. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
96. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
97. Moises Jusay	"	M	37	Laborer	' Feb. 6 '45
98. Agatona Laqui	"	F	33	Housekeeper	' Feb. 6 '45
99. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
100. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
101. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
102. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
103. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
104. Jusay	"				' Feb. 6 '45
105. Eugenia Torres	"	F	60	Housekeeper	' Feb. 6 '45
106. Felicidad Remo	"	F	23	Housekeeper	' Feb. 6 '45
107. Marcelina Remo	"	F	40	Housekeeper	' Feb. 6 '45
108. Donato Remo	"	M	7	Helper	' Feb. 6 '45
109. Ana Remo	"	F	20	Housekeeper	' Feb. 6 '45
110. Juana Torres	"	F	40		' Feb. 6 '45
111. Silvino Torres	"	M	45	Laborer	' Feb. 6 '45
112. Simeon Bayer	"	M	13	Laborer	' Feb. 6 '45
113. Pablo Mendoza	"	M	40	Laborer	' Feb. 6 '45
114. Emiliana La Rosa	"	F	32	Housekeeper	' Feb. 6 '45
115. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45
116. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45
117. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45
118. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45
119. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45
120. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45
121. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45
122. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45
123. Mendoza	"				' Feb. 6 '45

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RECORD OF DEATHS BY THE JAPANESE
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS

Municipality of Bauan

NAMES	ADDRESS	SEX	AGE	OCCUPATION
1. Enrique Martinez	Poblacion	M	45	Merchant
2. Maximino Brual	"	M	39	Physician
3. Eduardo Garcia	"	M	72	Municipal Clerk
4. Teofilo Catimbang	"	M	36	Policeman - Jap time
5. Severino Brual	"	M	29	Farmer
6. Cesar Contreras	"	M	26	College student
7. Jose Alvarez	"	M	75	Casket Maker
8. Flaviano Catala	"	M	40	Merchant
9. Sixto Guerra	"	M	41	School teacher
10. Prudencio Dimayuga	"	M	40	Municipal Clerk
11. Salvador Dimayuga	"	M	3	None
12. Pio Catimbang	"	M	36	Policeman - Jap time
13. Juanito Lim	"	M	29	Merchant
14. Clemente Alabastro	"	M	55	Goldsmith
15. Dionisio Alangilan	"	M	25	Policeman - Jap time
16. Moises Adalia	"	M	45	sexton
17. Rev. Cirilo Castillo	"	M	55	Priest
18. Rev. Segundo Isipin	"	M	40	Priest
19. Rev. Estanislao Gran	"	M	65	Priest
20. Tomas Masangcay	"	M	49	Musician
21. Jacobo Sarmiento	"	M	24	Policeman
22. Pablo Masangcay	"	M	16	Laborer
23. Francisco Amurao	"	M	29	Merchant
24. Alberto Montenegro	"	M	57	Merchant
25. Gerardo Alcantara	"	M	30	None
26. Jose Dimaculangan	"	M	55	Ex-mayor - Jap time
27. Federico Cordero	"	M	35	School teacher
28. Agapito Cordero	"	M	38	Merchant
29. Anselmo Cordero	"	M	45	Merchant
30. Maximo Cordero	"	M	25	None
31. Leopoldo Sandoval	"	M	40	Phar. clerk
32. Jovito Cordero	"	M	22	Laborer
33. Pedro Cordero	"	M	32	Merchant
34. Catalino Panganiban	"	M	33	Merchant
35. Santiago Panganiban	"	M	40	Merchant
36. Proceso Alcantara	"	M	38	Employee
37. Sotero Marquez	"	M	50	Chief of Police - 1941
38. Felix Madlangbayan Jr	"	M	14	Student
39. Braulio Arano	"	M	40	Goldsmith
40. Ciriaco Blay	"	M	36	Chauffeur
41. Elpidio Dimayuga	"	M	63	Municipal clerk
42. Edilberto Dimayuga	"	M	32	Municipal clerk - Jap time
43. Santiago Dolor	"	M	38	Merchant
44. Eladio Manonsong	"	M	38	Employee
45. Benjamin Orense	"	M	25	Merchant
46. Jose Aguila	"	M	45	Goldsmith
47. Pablo Panopio	"	M	45	None
48. Nemesio Gonzales	"	M	37	Merchant
49. Juan Aporong	"	M	50	Musician
50. Francisco Alix	"	M	65	Laborer
51. Gregorio Contreras	"	M	48	School teacher
52. Eusebio Castor	"	M	37	Lawyer
53. Jose Generoso	"	M	70	None
54. Pablo Ramos	"	M	32	Merchant
55. Neapolo Contreras	"	M	18	Municipal clerk

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	NAMES	ADDRESS	SEX	AGE	OCCUPATION
56.	Jorge Leynes	Poblacion	M	40	Cabaret Manager
57.	Severino Panganiban	"	M	65	Carindero
58.	Estanislao Manalo	"	M	45	U. S. Navy
59.	Eugenio Datinguinco	"	M	60	Blacksmith
60.	Alfredo Marquez	"	M	50	U. S. Navy
61.	Felipe Custi	"	M	42	Laborer
62.	Macario Mapa	"	M	50	Musician
63.	Tranquillino Panganiban	"	M	33	Merchant
64.	Felipe Conti	"	M	65	Baker
65.	Jorge Dimaculangan	"	M	37	Laborer
66.	Leonardo Alvar	"	M	32	Butcher
67.	Faustino Buenviaje	"	M	30	Merchant
68.	Tomas Caringal	"	M	32	Merchant
69.	Illuminado Aguilar	"	M	38	Fisherman
70.	Eulogio Contreras	"	M	31	Merchant
71.	Bienvenido Alvarez	"	M	23	None
72.	Efren Leynes	"	M	23	School Teacher
73.	Trinidad Leynes	"	M	17	Student
74.	Florencio Caponpon	"	M	22	Laborer
75.	Liberato Ito	"	M	50	Laborer
76.	Ernesto Montalbo	"	M	16	Laborer
77.	Nemesio Gonda	"	M	65	Merchant
78.	Ricardo Cordero	"	M	23	Phil. Cons.-Jap time
79.	Julio Rivera	"	M	22	None
80.	Manuel Rivera	"	M	33	None
81.	Lope Dolor	"	M	20	None
82.	Jose Dolor	"	M	35	None
83.	Isidro Dolor	"	M	59	Policeman
84.	Doroteo Beltran	"	M	35	Policeman - Jap time
85.	Cayetano Magsino	"	M	38	Phar. Clerk
86.	David Ventura	"	M	65	None
87.	Candido Garcia	"	M	28	None
88.	Atanacio Anyayahan	"	M	50	Musician
89.	Perfecto Arano	"	M	35	None
90.	Alfredo Garcia	"	M	34	Policeman-Jap time
91.	Celso Magboo	"	M	30	Policeman-Jap time
92.	Teofilo Dimaculangan	"	M	38	Dentist
93.	Arnaldo Macarandang	"	M	30	Blacksmith
94.	Pastor Arano	"	M	22	Goldsmith
95.	Eulogio Contreras	"	M	30	Blacksmith
96.	Andres Umali	"	M	40	Goldsmith
97.	Jose Umali	"	M	30	Employee
98.	Lorenzo Macarandang	"	M	60	Laborer
99.	Nestorio Mapa	"	M	26	Laborer
100.	Lasaro Dayanghirang	"	M	31	Laborer
101.	Angel Hernandez	"	M	22	Laborer
102.	Sixto Marquez	"	M	55	None
103.	Wenceslao Leynes	"	M	25	Merchant
104.	Policarpo Hernandez	"	M	60	Barber
105.	Pedro Cordero	"	M	28	Policeman-Jap time
106.	Francisco Dimaculangan	"	M	35	Laborer
107.	Andres Aguila	"	M	33	Musician
108.	Bartolome Alangilan	"	M	23	None
109.	Arsenio Banco	"	M	48	Mason

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NAMES	ADDRESS	SEX	AGE	OCCUPATION	
110.	Silvino Leynes	Poblacion	M	65	None
111.	Felimon Gonda	"	M	16	Laborer
112.	Bienvenido Caponpon	"	M	16	Laborer
113.	Florencio Caponpon	"	M	21	Laborer
114.	Gerardo Alcantara	"	M	28	Student
115.	Eugenio Romero	"	M	38	Merchant
116.	Macario Magnay	"	M	22	Cochero
117.	Guillermo Maquimot	"	M	21	Baker
118.	Fermin Maquimot	"	M	19	Houseboy
119.	Evarista Albastro	"	M	85	Church clerk
120.	Juanito Leynes	"	M	29	Laborer
21.	Zoila Adap	"	M	20	Laborer
122.	Julian Matuli	"	M	50	Laborer
123.	Alberto Rosales	"	M	37	None
124.	Marciano Buensuceso	"	M	66	Cochero
125.	Buenventura Resco	"	M	39	Laborer
126.	Esteban Manalo	"	M	70	None
127.	Julian Caray	"	M	17	Laborer
128.	Rafael Dador	"	M	56	Musician
129.	Filemon (Virata)	"	M	17	Musician
130.	Antonio Castillo	"	M	33	None
131.	Claudio Pinawin	"	M	35	None
132.	Venancio Caponpon	"	M	70	None
133.	Leoncio Contrebas	"	M	28	Laborer
134.	Eduardo Fernandez	"	M	35	None
135.	Felix Buenviaje	"	M	23	Merchant
136.	Leon Marasigan	"	M	68	None
137.	Teofilo Varia	"	M	39	Laborer
138.	Cenon Panopio	"	M	20	None
139.	Carlos Quiano	"	M	22	None
140.	Fermin Dimatula	"	M	30	Merchant
141.	Alejandro Briones	"	M	40	None
142.	Bernardo Albay	"	M	50	None
143.	Elizardo Albay	"	M	37	None
144.	Eusebio Abrenica	"	M	18	Laborer
145.	Pablo Cordova	"	M	65	Goldsmith
146.	Rosendo Briones	"	M	70	Farmer
147.	Isabelo Vriones	"	M	18	Carpenter
148.	Eusebio Arguelles	"	M	37	Laborer
149.	Feliciano Manibo	"	M	51	Laborer
150.	Severino Concepcion	"	M	40	Laborer
152.	Bernardo Panopio	"	M	20	Student
153.	Pablo Diente	"	M	16	Laborer
154.	Pampilo Jusi	"	M	30	Laborer
155.	Eugenio Romero	"	M	38	Vendor
156.	Francisco Montenegro	"	M	15	Student
157.	Felipe Sandoval	"	M	60	Laborer
158.	Reynaldo Sandoval	"	M	20	Laborer
159.	Agaton Arquillo	"	M	25	Laborer
160.	Antonio Maliwanag	"	M	21	Laborer
161.	Felix Evangelista	"	M	30	Merchant
162.	Apolinario Abarquez	"	M	25	Farmer
163.	Pascual Ada	"	M	20	Laborer
164.	Melencio Punzalan	"	M	17	Laborer

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	NAMES	ADDRESS	SEX	AGE	OCCUPATION
165.	Martin Macaraig	Poblacion	M	25	Musician
166.	Amancio Buenviaje	"	M	25	Laborer
167.	Santos Arano	"	M	23	Laborer
168.	Antonio Umali	"	M	22	None
169.	Luciano Durante	"	M	60	Laborer
170.	Simeon Desipedo	"	M	18	Blacksmith
171.	Roman Escalena	"	M	20	Laborer
172.	Modesto Chsi	"	M	66	None
173.	Gregorio Marquez	"	M	35	Chauffeur
174.	Antonio Hernandez	"	M	60	Laborer
175.	Enfronio Buendia	"	M	28	Policeman-Jap time
176.	Hermogenes Conti	"	M	20	Phil Cons-Jap time
177.	Adolfo Alvar	"	M	32	Laborer
178.	Ramon Banco	"	M	22	Merchant
179.	Benito Abu	"	M	19	Laundryman
180.	Felix Evangelista	"	M	27	Cochero
181.	Saturnino Ortega	"	M	60	Butcher
182.	Florencio Ortega	"	M	17	Laborer
183.	Simeon Castor	"	M	70	None
184.	Domingo del Mundo	"	M	26	Farmer
185.	Arsenio Magdaleno	"	M	43	Barber
186.	Sergio Asila	"	M	22	Musician
187.	Atanacio Caringal	"	M	22	Farmer
188.	Florencio Abrenica	"	M	24	Laborer
189.	Cesar Abrenica	"	M	16	Laborer
190.	Juan Obispo	"	M	37	Laborer
191.	Nicolas Garcia	"	M	35	Ice cream vendor
192.	Buenaventura Bulanhagu	"	M	19	Student
193.	Mateo Cabalfin	"	M	35	Merchant
194.	Jose Bayanin	"	M	37	None
195.	Simeon Cabalfin	"	M	17	Laborer
196.	Fusebio Faglinawan	"	M	47	Merchant
197.	Francisco Ito	"	M	25	Driver
198.	Braulio Conti	"	M	18	Laborer
199.	David Adap	"	M	17	Carpenter
200.	Francisco Datinguinac	"	M	28	Employee
201.	Angel Aguila	"	M	67	None
202.	Pablo Ramos	"	M	35	Merchant
203.	Andres Adap	"	M	27	Butcher (ex-Bataan)
204.	Bartolome Alangilan	"	M	35	Laborer

1. Out of around 328 there were around 70 survivors.
2. Others not reported as yet.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC
OFFICE OF THE THEATER JUDGE ADVOCATE
WAR CRIMES BRANCH

APO 500
17 October 1945

MEMORANDUM TO: Prosecution Section (Report #74)
THRU : Executive Officer, War Crimes Branch
SUBJECT : Murder of Thirty-nine Non-Combatant Filipino Civil-ians.

I. INVESTIGATIONS:

- a. Murder of thirty-nine non-combatant Filipino civil-ians on 13 March 1945.
- b. Place: Town of Rosario, Batangas, P.I.
- c. Method: Bayonet and rifle fire.
- d. Motive: Unknown
- e. Investigator: James P. REALEY, Jr. 1st Lt., JAGD
- f. Reviewer: Bert T. COMBS, Captain, JAGD

II. SUMMARY OF EVIDENCES:

Between seven and eight o'clock on the morning of 13 March 1945, approximately 15 Japanese soldiers appeared in the Town of Rosario, Batangas, P.I., and apparently without reason commenced shooting and bayonetting all of the people who could be found (RI, 3.5.7). No effort was made to distinguish between men, women and children, and due to the fact that many of the men were able to run away, most of the victims were women and children.

III. Victims:

- a. As a result of these acts the following thirty-nine (39) identified victims were killed:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
BANAAG, RUFINA	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
BAROMLOS, Saturina	30	F	Filipino	Barrio Bagong Poooc Rosario, Batangas	3
CAPILI, Virginia	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
GARANDANG, Lucio	Adult	M	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
CASALA, Maxima	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, B atangas	7

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
COREO, Demetrio	Adult	M	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
COREO, Iluminada	10	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
DALANGIN, Carmen	31	F	Filipino	Barrio, Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	5
DALANGIN, Iluminada	6-1/2	F	Filipino	Barrio Bagong Poo Rosario, Batangas	5
DALANGIN, Josefina	9mo.	F	Filipino	Barrio Bagong Poo Rosario, Batangas	5
DALANGIN, Norma	4	F	Filipino	Barrio, Bagong Poo Rosario, Batangas	5
DE CASTRO, Marieta	3	F	Filipino	Barrio, Bagong Poo Rosario, Batangas	3
DE CASTRO, Lolita	1	F	Filipino	Barrio Bagong Poo Rosario, Batangas	3
DIWA, Angel	10	M	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
DIWA, Donato	8	M	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
DIWA, Felix	12	M	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
DIWA, Laciara	5	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-es Rosario, Batangas	7
DIWA, Socorro	1mo.	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
GARCIA Ilias	Adult	M	Filipino	Namuko Barrio, Rosario, Batangas	1
ILAGAN, Crisante	Adult	F.	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario Batangas	7
JAVIER, Porferia	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
LAYLO, Placida	19	F	Filipino	Barrio Bagong Poo Rosario, Batangas	5
MANIENO, Blandina	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
MANIENO, Patricia	Adult	F.	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
MASILUNGAN, Lorenzo	Adult	M	Filipino	Namuko Barrio Rosario, Batangas	1

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
MENDOZA, Concepcion	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
MENDOZA, Domian	Adult	M	Filipino	Barrio, Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
MENDOZA, Dominga	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malasas Rosario, Batangas	7
MENDOZA, Miguela	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
RAMOS, Agapita	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
RAMOS, Felipa	10	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
RAMOS, Leonila	10	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
RAMOS, Leticia	3	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
RAVANO, Juana	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
SANDOVAL, Regina	Adult	F	Filipino	Barrio Malas-as Rosario, Batangas	7
TANAG -----	Adult	F	Filipino	Namuko, Rosario Batangas	1
TOLENTINO, Marcela	Adult	F	Filipino	Namuko, Rosario Batangas	1
TOLENTINO, Sakce	Adult	M	Filipino	Namuko, Rosario Batangas	1

b. It is probable that a number of other unidentified people were killed, and still others wounded, but there is nothing in the record upon which to base an estimate of the number of these victims.

IV. WITNESSES:

a. Statements were obtained from the following four (4) witnesses:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
BARCLOS, Desiderio	65	M	Barrio Bagon Poo Rosario, P. I.	3-4
DALANGIN, Pantaleon	37	M	Barrio Bagon Poo, Batangas, P. I.	5-6
MACALUITAL, Catalino	51	M	Barrio Malas-as, Rosario, Batangas, P. I.	7-8

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
SANDOMAL, Magno	35	M	Barrio Namuko, Rosario Batangas, P. I.	1-2

b. No one witness saw all of the massacre, and all four of them probably should be called as witnesses if the case is brought to trial.

c. The following seven (7) witnesses were interrogated by the Investigator-Examiner, and possess knowledge of this atrocity but statements were not obtained from them because their evidence would have been cumulative in nature:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>
BANAAG, Justino	45	Barrio Malas-as, Barrio Batangas, P. I.	Filipino
DE LEON, Nicasia	30	Barrio Malas-as, Rosario Batangas, P. I.	Filipino
DIWA, Jacinto	31	Barrio Melas-as, Rosario Batangas, P. I.	Filipino
MENDOZA, Felix	45	Barrio Malas-as, Rosario Batangas, P. I.	Filipino
RABANO, Fabiano	63	Barrio Malas-as, Rosario Batangas, P. I.	Filipino
RAMOS, Benigno	13	Barrio Malas-as, Rosario Batangas, P. I.	Filipino
RAMOS, Sison	40	Barrio Malas-as, Rosario Batangas, P. I.	Filipino

V. EXHIBITS:

None.

VI. ANALYSIS OF TESTIMONY:

a. The evidence is sufficient to establish the fact that at least thirty-nine (39) Filipino civilians, many of them women and children, were murdered by Japanese Soldiers.

b. There is no evidence to indicate that many of the victims were guerillas, or engaged in other illegal activities, and the fact that many of them were women and children would seem to preclude any such assumption.

VII. IDENTITY OF PERPETRATORS:

The perpetrators of this atrocity are not identified otherwise than as being Japanese soldiers.

VIII. RECOMMENDATIONS:

It is recommended that:

a. The perpetrators of this offense, if and when apprehended be tried for the murder of thirty-nine non-combatant Filipino civilians:

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b. The Imperial Japanese Government be held responsible.

/s/ Bert T. Combs.
/t/ BERT T. COMBS.
CAPTAIN, JAGD.
CHIEF OF REVIEW SECTIONS.

I concur:

/s/ Theodore F. Angell.
/t/ THEODORE F. ANGELL.

Major, F. A.,
Acting Chief, War Crimes
Investigation Section.

APPROVED:

Alva C. Caprenter

by:

/s/ John L. McCrohan
/t/ ALVA C. CARPENTER

Colonel, J.A.G.D.
Chief, War Crimes Branch

(Case No. G-96)

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

R E S T R I C T E D

MAGNO SANDOBAL, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building, Rosario, Batangas, P. I., on 26 September 1945, as follows:

- Q. What is your name, age, address and nationality?
A. Magno Sandobal, 35 years old, and I live at Barrio Namuko, Rosario, Batangas, P. I. I am Filipino.
- Q. What is your occupation?
A. Farmer.
- Q. If you move from your present address, where can you be reached?
A. I will not move.
- Q. Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese, on March 13, 1945?
A. No.
- Q. Did you witness any acts of mistreatment by the Japanese on March 13, 1945?
A. Yes. At about 8 O'clock in the morning of March 13, I was hiding in the bushes between Namuko Barrio, and Itlugan Barrio, which adjoin each other. There were about one thousand Filipino men, women, and children in the area between the two Barrios, and they were running in all directions to escape the Japanese. There were about 15 Japanese present, and I could see them shooting at the Filipinos. Practically all of the Filipinos managed to escape, but, after the Japs left, I saw 10 dead Filipinos. Some of the bodies that I saw were those of Lorenzo Masilungan; Sakeo Tolentino, his wife Marcela, and their children; one old woman named Tanang; and Ilias Garcia.
- Q. Did you know any of the Japanese that were present on this occasion?
A. I did not know any of them.
- Q. Did you know whether any of them were officers?
A. There were about 15 Japanese soldiers but I cannot describe them. I believe that they were from the Japanese Military Police stationed at Lipa.
- Q. Is there anything further that you can add to your statement?
A. No.

/s/ Magno Sandobal
/t/ MAGNO SANDOBAL

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) ss
TOWN OF ROSARIO)

I, MAGNO SANDOBAL, being of lawful age, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of one (1) page,

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are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Magno Sandobal
/t/ MAGNO SANDOBAL

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of September 1945.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr. 1st Lt. JAGD
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR. 1st.Lt. JAGD

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF ROSARIO)

I, JOSE B. ZUNO, residing at Rosario, Batangas, P. I., being of lawful age, being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness: that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/s/ Jose B. Zuno
/t/ JOSE B. ZUNO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of September, 1945.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr. 1st Lt., JAGD
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR. 1st.Lt., JAGD

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, JAMES P. HEALEY, Jr. 1st Lt., O-2052588, JAGD, certify that on the 26th day of September 1945, personally appeared before me MAGNO SANDOBAL and according to JOSE B. ZUNO gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after his testimony has been transcribed, the said MAGNO SANDOBAL had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in my presence.

Municipal Bldg. Rosario,
Batangas, P. I.
29 September 1945

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr., 1st Lt., JAGD
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR. 1 st. Lt. JAGD

The following witness having been interrogated by the Investigator-Examiner possesses knowledge of the facts set forth in the above statement:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Nationality</u>
Juana Garcia	20	Namuko Barrio, Rosario, Batangas, P. I.	Filipino

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

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DESIDERIO BARCELOS, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building, Rosario, Batangas, P. I. On 26 September 1945, as follows:

Q. Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A. Desiderio Barcelos, 65 years old, and I live at Barrio Bagong Poo, Rosario, Batangas, P. I. I am Filipino.

Q. What is your occupation?

A. I am a farmer.

Q. Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A. No.

Q. Did you observe any cases of mistreatment by the Japanese?

A. Yes. Between 7 and 8 o'clock in the morning of March 13, 1945, I heard that the Japanese were coming to our Barrio, and when I heard shots, I ran into the woods on the outskirts of the Barrio to hide. I could not see anything from my hiding place.

I left my hiding place late in the afternoon and went to the center of the Barrio. I saw 14 dead bodies lying on the ground near the houses in the Barrio. I saw the dead bodies of my daughter, Saturnina Barcelos, age, 30; and my two granddaughters, Marieta de Castro, age 8; and Lolita de Castro, age 1. The bodies all had been bayoneted and they had been burned.

Q. Did you see any Japanese present at the Barrio on the morning of March 13, 1945?

A. I saw two Japanese, but they were about 200 meters away from me and I only could get a glimpse of them. I could not describe them.

Q. Do you know any Filipinos who actually saw the Japanese bayonet any of the Filipinos, or who were present inside the Barrio at the time the Japanese entered the Barrio?

A. No. All of those that were inside the Barrio were killed by the Japanese.

Q. Is there anything further that you can add to this statement?

A. No.

/s/ Desiderio Barcelos
/t/ DESIDERIO BARCELOS

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF ROSARIO)

I, DESIDERIO BARCELOS, being of lawful age, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of one (1) page, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Desiderio Barcelos
/t/ DESIDERIO BARCELOS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of September 1945.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr.
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR.
1st Lt., JAGD

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PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF ROSARIO)

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/s/ Jose B. Zuno
/t/ JOSE B. ZUNO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of September, 1945.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr.
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, Jr.
1st Lt., J.A.G.D.

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, JAMES P. HEALEY, Jr., 1st Lt., O-2052588, JAGD, certify that on the 26th day of September 1945, personally appeared before me DESIDERIO BARCELOS and according to JOSE B. ZUNO gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after his testimony has been transcribed the said DESIDERIO BARCELOS had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in my presence.

Municipal Bldg, Rosario,
Batangas, P. I.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr.
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY JR.
1st Lt., J.A.G.D.

29 September 1945

The following witness having been interrogated by the Investigator- Examiner possesses knowledge of the facts set forth in the above statement:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Nationality</u>
Mariano de Castro	55	Barrio Itlugan, Rosario, Batangas, P. I.	Filipino

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

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PANTALEON DALANGIN, after having duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building, Rosario, Batangas, P. I., on 26 September 1945, as follows:

- Q. Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A. Pantaleon Dalangin, 37 years old. I live at Barrio Bagong Poooc, Rosario, Batangas, P. I. I am a Filipino.
- Q. What is your occupation?
A. I am a farmer.
- Q. If you move from your present address, where can you be reached?
A. If I move, I will be found at Rosario, Cavite Province.
- Q. Did you suffer any mistreatment by the Japanese?
A. No, but I witnessed mistreatment of others by the Japanese.
- Q. Will you describe fully what this mistreatment that you observed was?
A. On March 13, 1945, I was ill with typhoid fever. My family hid me in the woods about 100 meters from Barrio Bagong Poooc, because the Japanese were expected to come to the Barrio.

At about 7 o'clock in the morning of March 13, from my hiding place, I saw about 50 Filipinos running from the 8 different houses in the Barrio, and I saw 3 Japanese soldiers chasing them with fixed bayonets. I did not see the Japanese bayonet any of these people because they moved out of my line of vision.

At about 11 o'clock of the same morning, I left my hiding place and went to my house in the Barrio. About 20 meters from my house I saw the bodies of my wife, Carmen Laylo, age 31; and my three daughters, Iluminada, age 6½; Norma, age 4; and Josefina, age 2 months. I saw that my family were all dead, and I counted 47 bayonet wounds on my wife's body. Each of my children were bayoneted at least 4 times.

- Q. Did you see any other bodies in your Barrio?
A. I saw one other dead body, and I identified this body as that of Placida Laylo, age 19, my wife's niece. Because of my weakened condition, I was not able to look for any more bodies.
- Q. Do you know the names of any of the Filipinos that escaped from the Japanese at the Barrio?
A. Yes, All of the following managed to escape the Japanese: Venacio Mandigma, Julian Manigma, Roman Cabral, Pablo Mendoza, and Mariano de Castro.
- Q. Do you know where any of the Filipinos that you mentioned can be reached?
A. All of them, except Pablo Mendoza, still live in the Barrio.
- Q. Do you know the names of the Japanese present at your Barrio on March 13, 1945?
A. No.
- Q. Is there anything further that you can add to this statement?
A. No.

/s/ Pantaleon Dalangin
/t/ PANTALEON DALANGIN

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COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF ROSARIO)

I, PANTALEON DALANGIN, being of lawful age, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation contained therein, consisting of one (1) page, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Pantaleon Dalangin
/t/ PANTALEON DALANGIN

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of September, 1945.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr., 1st Lt.
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR., 1st Lt.
JAGD

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF ROSARIO)

I, JOSE B. ZUNO, residing at Rosario, Batangas, P.I., being of lawful age, being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/s/ Jose B. Zuno
/t/ JOSE B. ZUNO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of September 1945.

/s/ James P. Healey Jr., 1st Lt.
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY JR., 1st LT.
JAGD

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, JAMES P. HEALEY, JR., 1st Lt., O-2052588, JAGD, certify that on the 26th day of September, 1945, personally appeared before me Pantaleon Dalangin, and according to Jose B. Zuno, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth; that after his testimony has been transcribed, the said PANTALEON DALANGIN had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in my presence.

Municipal Bldg, Rosario,
Batangas, P. I.
29 September 1945

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr., 1st Lt.
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR., 1st LT.
JAGD

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

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CATALINO MACALINTAL, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Manicipal Building, Rosario, Batangas, P. I., on 26 September, 1945, as follows:

- Q. What is your full name, age, address and nationality?
A. Catalino Macalintal, 51 years old. I live at Malas-as Barrio, Rosario, Batangas, P. I. I am Filipino.
- Q. What is your occupation?
A. I am a farmer.
- Q. If you move from your present address, where can you be reached?
A. I will not move.
- Q. Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?
A. No.
- Q. Did you witness any acts of mistreatment by the Japanese on March 13, 1945?
A. Yes. At about 7 o'clock in the morning of March 13, there were about 40 of us Filipinos at Malas-as Barrio. We saw about 40 Japanese soldiers approaching the Barrio, so everyone in the Barrio started to run in various directions, trying to escape from the Japanese. I heard a great deal of shooting but did not actually see anybody fall. I managed to escape to the woods outside the Barrio.
- I returned to the Barrio at about 6 o'clock in the evening of the same day. I counted 26 dead Filipinos lying on the ground in the Barrio. From the marks on the bodies, I could see that they had also been bayoneted.
- I recognized all of the dead bodies. They were: Patricia Manieno--adult, Blandina Manieno--adult; Juana Ravano--adult; Maxima Casala--adult; Rufina Banaag--adult; Portferia Javier--adult; Felix Diwa--12 yrs old; Angel Diwa--10 years old; Donato Diwa--8 yrs old; Luciana Diwa--5 yrs old; Socorre Diwa--1 month old; Regina Sandoval--adult; Virginia Capili--adult; Damian Mendoza--adult; Miguela Mendoza--adult; Concepcion Mendoza--adult; Agapita Ramos--adult; Leonila Ramos--10 yrs old; Leticia Ramos--3 yrs old; Dominga Mendoza--adult; Felipe Ramos--10 yrs old; Leonardo Mendoza--adult; Crisanta Ilagan--adult; Demetrio Corec--adult; Lucio Carandang--adult; and Iluminada Corec--10 yrs old.
- Q. Did you recognize any of the Japanese that were present at the incident that you described?
A. No.
- Q. Do you know to what unit these Japanese belonged?
A. Yes, I think they were Military Police from Lipa.
- Q. Can you describe any of the Japanese?
A. No.
- Q. Is there anything further that you can add to this statement?
A. No.

/s/ C.M.

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/ / Catalino Macalintal
/ CATALINO MACALINTAL

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF ROSARIO)

I, CATALINO MACALINTAL, being of lawful age, being duly sworn of oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of one (1) page, are true to the best of knowledge and belief.

/s/ Catalino Macalintal
/t/ CATALINO MACALINTAL

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of September 1945.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr., 1st Lt., JAGD
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR., 1st LT., JAGD

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF ROSARIO)

I, JOSE B. ZUNO, residing at Rosario, Batangas, P. I., being of lawful age, being sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/s/ Jose B. Zuno
/t/ JOSE B. ZUNO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of September 1945.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr., 1st Lt., JAGD
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR., 1ST. LT., JAGD

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, JAMES P. HEALEY, Jr., 1st Lt., O-2052588, JAGD, certify that on the 26th day of September, 1945, personally appeared before me CATALINO MACALINTAL, and according to JOSE B. ZUNO, GAVE THE FOREGOING answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after his testimony has been transcribed, the

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said CATALINO MACALINTAL had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in my presence.

Municipal Bldg. Rosario,
Batangas, P. I;

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr., 1st Lt., JAGD
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR., 1st LT., JAGD

25 September 1945.

The following witnesses having been interrogated by the Investigator-Examiner possess knowledge of the facts set forth in the above statement:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>
Justino Banaag	45	Malas-as Barrio, Rosario, Batangas, P. I.	Filipino
Jacinto Diwa	31	"	"
Fabiano Babano	63	"	"
Benigno Ramos	13	"	"
Nicasia de Leon	30	"	"
Felix Mendoza	45	"	"
Simeon Ramos	40	"	"

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

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1 November 1945

MEMO: Re Investigation of Case G-97, San Jose, Batangas Province, Luzon, P.I.

I. INVESTIGATION:

This investigation was conducted during the period 4 October to 31 October 1945, by Captains Allen H. PEOPLES, CAC, and Charles C. THOMPSON, TC, pertaining to the following:

"Murder of 107 Filipino civilians, residents of the town of San Jose, Batangas Province, Luzon, P.I., and the burning of property by members of the Imperial Japanese Army, during the months of January, February and March 1945, in violation of Paragraph 299, Rules of Land Warfare, FM 27-10."

II. PROCEEDINGS:

1. The following named witnesses were duly sworn and testified as hereinafter appears:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
AGUILA, Josefa	37	F	Taysan, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.,	41
ATIENZA, Fausto	18	M	Taysan, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	32
BRIONES, Baltazar	55	M	Bigain II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	13
ILAO, Gregorio	54	M	Sabang, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	38
JAVIER, Amado	48	M	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	24
LORZANO, Saturnino	38	M	Banaybanay II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	53
MACALINAO, Tectimo	58	M	Lapulapu I, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	22
MACAPAGAL, Leovigilda	51	F	Lapulapu I, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	16
MAPALAD, Agapita	25	F	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	10
MARALIT, Dominica M.	44	F	Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	36
MENDOZA, Melchor	41	M	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	26
MERCADO, Jose	30	M	Banaybanay I, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	44
MOOG, Rosenda	20	F	Taysan, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	50
MOOG, Sofia	22	F	Taysan, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	47
PAEZ, Dionisio	64	M	Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	29
PALMES, Emedio	45	M	Banaybanay II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	55
REMO, Modesta Umali	41	F	Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	4

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
UMALI, Manuel	32	M	Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	1
UMALI, Maxima	49	F	Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	7
VALE, Catalina	64	F	Lapulapu I, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	19

2. Alfredo CUEVAS residing at 1433 Prudencio Street, Sampaloc, Manila and Guillermo MARIANO, residing at 96 Loreto Street, Sampaloc, Manila, P.I., were duly sworn and acted as stenographer-interpreters.

3. The following witnesses were interrogated and possess knowledge of the facts set forth in the statement of Agapita MAPALAD:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>
AGUILA, Tomasa	40	F	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	Filipino
CASTRO, Maria de	34	F	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	Filipino
DICAL, Matilde	25	F	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	Filipino

4. The following witness was interrogated and possesses knowledge of the facts set forth in the statement of Sofia MOOG:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>
AUSTRIA, Florencio	20	M	Taysan, San Jose, Batangas, P.I.	Filipino

5. The following identified document and photographs were considered:

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| a. List of dead of San Jose, Batangas, P.I. Identified by Municipal Secretary, Manuel UMALI. | EXHIBIT "A"
Record 1 |
| b. Photograph of ruins of Municipal Building, San Jose, Batangas, P.I. Identified by Municipal Secretary, Manuel UMALI. | EXHIBIT "B"
Record 2 |
| c. Photograph of ruins of home of Dr. Luna, former mayor of San Jose, Batangas, P.I. Identified by Municipal Secretary, Manuel UMALI. | EXHIBIT "C"
Record 2 |
| d. Photograph of Modesta Umali Remo, holding her baby, and her maid, standing besides the ruins of her home and drugstore, San Jose, Batangas, P.I. Identified by Modesta Umali Remo. | EXHIBIT "D"
Record 5 |
| e. Photograph of Sofia Moog, showing scar on left hip from bayonet wound. Identified by Sofia MOOG. | EXHIBIT "E"
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f. Photograph of Rosenda Moog, showing scars on back and right hip from bayonet wounds. Identified by Rosenda MOOG.

EXHIBIT "F"
Record 51

g. Photograph of Josefa Aguila, showing scar under left breast from bayonet wound. Identified by Josefa AGUILA.

EXHIBIT "G"
Record 48

III. Exhibit "A" lists 107 Filipino civilians who were killed by the Japanese. The following Filipino civilians, all residents of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., appear in the statements of the witnesses and likewise in Exhibit "A":

Killed

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
AGUILA, Rosario	50	F	Barrio Taysan	41,44
ALABASTRO, Anselmo	45	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	19
ALABASTRO, Eutiquio	20	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	19
ALABASTRO, Felipe	18	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	19
AQUINO, Diosdaño	34	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	16
ATIENZA, Concepcion	12	F	Barrio Taysan	47
ATIENZA, Conchita	14	F	Barrio Taysan	53
ATIENZA, Consolac'on	22	F	Barrio Taysan	53
ATIENZA, Dionisia	4	F	Barrio Taysan	33
ATIENZA, Eulogio	16	M	Barrio Taysan	33
ATIENZA, Leonarda	12	F	Barrio Taysan	29,33
ATIENZA, Lucita	27	F	Barrio Taysan	29,33
ATIENZA, Marcelino	8	M	Barrio Taysan	33
ATIENZA, Pedro	14	M	Barrio Taysan	33
ATIENZA, Sancho	50	M	Barrio Taysan	29,33
ATIENZA, Sixto	32	M	Barrio Taysan	29,33
BRIONES, Arcadio	30	M	Barrio Bigain II	13
BRIONES, Simeon	20	M	Barrio Bigain II	13
CUSTODIO, Genoveva	85	F	Barrio Banaybanay I	41,44
FRANDI, Vicente	55	M	Poblacion	1,4,7
GUCE, Adriano	55	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	26
GUCE, Antonio	14	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	27
HERNANDEZ, Francisco	65	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	26

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
HIDALGO, Agapita	45	F	Barrio Taysan	30,33
ILAGAN, Miguel	37	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	10
ILAGAN, Regalado	?	M	Barrio Sabang	38
ILAGAN, Teofilo	40	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	10
LORZANO, Nelia	6	F	Barrio Taysan	53
MACALINAO, Cirilino	26	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	22
MACALINAO, Teodoro	24	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	22
MAGRACIA, Hilarion	40	M	Barrio Sabang	38
MALATA, Valeriano	60	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	26
MARALIT, Lorenzo	48	M	Poblacion	36
MENDOZA, Jose	14	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	26
MERCADO, Arcadio	65	M	Barrio Taysan	41,44
MOOG, Dorotea de	45	F	Barrio Taysan	47,53
MOOG, Luis	50	M	Barrio Taysan	47,53
ONA, Delfin	32	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	19
ONA, Encarnacion	37	F	Barrio Taysan	47,53
ONA, Eufemia	37	F	Barrio Banaybanay II	47,53
ONA, Jose	28	M	Barrio Banaybanay II	47,53
ONA, Librada	7	F	Barrio Banaybanay II	47,53
ONA, Lucinda	50	F	Barrio Banaybanay II	53
ONA, Marceliano	24	M	Barrio Banaybanay II	55
ONA, Maria	30	F	Barrio Banaybanay II	47,53
ONA, Mariano	27	M	Barrio Banaybanay II	55
ONA, Nicomedes	60	M	Barrio Banaybanay II	47,53
ONA, Regina	50	F	Barrio Banaybanay II	53
ONA, Rogelio	5	M	Barrio Banaybanay II	47,53
PAEZ, Victorino	20	M	Poblacion	29
PASIA, Martin	43	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	10
PATRON, Melecio	32	M	Barrio Sabang	38
PERADA, Esteban	40	M	Barrio Sabang	38

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>SEX</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECORD</u>
REMO, Filomeno	27	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	26
REMO, Roman	3	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	27
REMO, Venancio	40	M	Poblacion	1,4,7
SILVA, Brigida	1½	F	Barrio Taysan	33
SILVA, Loreta de	7	F	Barrio Taysan	33
TALAG, Jose	28	M	Poblacion	1,4,7
UMALI, Florentino	17	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	16
UMALI, Roman	69	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	16
VALE, Trobio	57	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	19
VILLANUEVA, Felipe	31	M	Barrio Lapulapu I	10

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AGUILA, Josefa	37	F	Barrio Taysan	41,44, Ex "G"
JAVIER, Amado	48	M	Barrio Lapulapu II	24
MERCADO, Felicidad	14	F	Barrio Banaybanay I	41,44
MERCADO, Pacita	7	F	Barrio Banaybanay I	41,44
MOOG, Rosenda	20	F	Barrio Taysan	50,53, Ex "F"
MOOG, Sofia	22	F	Barrio Taysan	47,53, Ex "E"

IV. DISCUSSION:

The atrocities committed by the Imperial Japanese Army in January, February and March 1945 in the town and outlying barrios of San Jose are a repetition of the Rosario, Taal, Cuenca, and Bauan massacres. In each of these five towns, which adjoin each other, the Japanese murdered innocent civilians and destroyed the property of the residents.

The witnesses interviewed in the San Jose case were ignorant as to the identify of the perpetrators other than that they were members of the Military Police stationed at Lipa, R16, and that one of the Japanese was a civilian interpreter named Watanabe, R4. Watanabe is mentioned in the other cases stated above as are the Military Police from Lipa.

V. I believe that sufficient competent evidence now available has been perpetuated.

/s/ James P. Healey, Jr.
/t/ JAMES P. HEALEY, JR.
1st Lt., JAGD
Group Supervisor

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A Certified True Copy:

George L. Mound
Lt. USNR

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MANUEL UMALI, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 15 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A Manuel Umali, 32 years old, Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas, P. I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?
A Municipal secretary of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Will you please relate in your own words the events relating to the arrest of the mayor of this town, the parish priest, the chief of police and the clerk of court, in January 1945.
A On or about January 23, 1945, the bodega (warehouse) owned by Taiwan Takosoku (a Japanese cotton company) which was used by the Japanese Army as their bodega, was looted and burned by guerrillas and civilians.

On the 27th of January 1945, a group of Japanese soldiers, the exact number I do not remember, came and arrested men, women and children, herded them in the public plaza and questioned them regarding the burning and looting of the bodega. Unable to get from any of these people the necessary information, they arrested the town mayor, the parish priest, the chief of police and the clerk of court.

Since the time these four men were arrested, I never saw three of them again, and I presume they are now dead, the same being corroborated by the excavation of their bones by their close relatives and widows. These three are Venancio Remo, mayor; Vicente Frande, parish priest; and Jose Talag, clerk of court. The chief of police, Nicomedes Luna, age 50, Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas Province, was able to escape and is alive today.

Q I hand you these papers marked "Exhibit A" and ask you what they are.

A "Exhibit A" is an exact copy of the official list of Filipinos, all residents of the Municipality of San Jose, Batangas, P. I., who were killed by the Japanese in this Municipality during the months of January, February and March, 1945. The original official list of dead in this Municipality was prepared by myself at the direction of the Provincial Governor of Batangas, P. I., and I have checked this copy. "Exhibit A", with the official list and find it true and correct, and I have placed my initials on the lower right hand corner of each page of "Exhibit A".

Q At the time you were compiling this list of dead, did you make any survey of damage done to buildings and homes in your municipality?

A Yes, I did. I also compiled a list of homes and

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buildings that the Japanese destroyed by fire in San Jose. The official survey made by me lists some 58 homes and buildings, with contents, destroyed by fire, valued at an estimated 110,000 pesos, pre-war prices. I did not actually see the Japanese set fire to any of these homes, but during my survey, I naturally talked to many witnesses who did.

- Q I hand you "Exhibit B" and ask you what it is?
A It is a picture of the ruins of the Municipal Building in San Jose, Batangas, P. I., which was burned by the Japanese on March 5, 1945.
- Q I hand you "Exhibit C" and ask you what it is?
A It is a picture of the ruins of the home of Dr. Vitalliano Luna, on Taft Street, San Jose, Batangas, P. I. It was one of the first homes burned by the Japanese in San Jose. It was burned on January 27, 1945.
- Q Do you know the names or units of any of the Japanese who were in San Jose during the months of January, February and March, 1945?
A No, I do not, nor can I give you any satisfactory description of them.
- Q Have you anything further to add to your statement?
A Nothing that I can think of at this time.

/s/ Manuel Umali
/t/ MANUEL UMALI

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, MANUEL UMALI, being duly sworn on oath, state that I have read and understood the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Manuel Umali
/t/ MANUEL UMALI

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples,
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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/s/ M. U.

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CERTIFICATE

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on the 15th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us MANUEL UMALI, and gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said MANUEL UMALI read the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg, San Jose,
Batangas Province, P. I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

1st November, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Clay E. Mowbray
LT USNR.

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MODESTA UMALI REMO, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 14 October 1945, as follows:

- Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A Modesta Umali Remo, 41 years old, Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.
- Q What is your occupation?
A Pharmacist.
- Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your future whereabouts be ascertained?
A Yes, I intend to remain at my present address.
- Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?
A No, but my husband was killed by the Japanese.
- Q Will you please relate fully what happened with regard to the killing of your husband by the Japanese?
A On January 27, 1945, my husband, Venancio Remo, age 40; then the municipal secretary, Bienvenido Oblea, age 27; a policeman, Eliseo Villanueva, age 27; my servant, Teodoro Talag, age 12; our friend Avelino Lara, age 27; and I, were hiding in our shelter which was under our house. Avelino Lara sighted about 30 Japanese coming towards the municipality. He told this to my husband who went out of the shelter to meet the Japanese. I was looking at him through a hole in our shelter. I saw that two Japanese tied him while three others had fixed bayonets ready, pointed towards him. When I saw this, I ran out of the shelter and escaped. I never saw my husband again. After I escaped the Japanese burned our home and drug store.
- I was informed by one Gavino Guce that the bones of my husband were in the sitio of Ambonambon in the barrio of Pinagtungulan. My sister, Maxima Umali and the uncle of my husband, Esteban Remo, Eugenio Remo and Eliseo de Leon went to that place on May 30, 1945 and found three bodies. They recognized these bodies as the remains of our parish priest, Vicente Frandi, age 55; my husband, Venancio Remo, age 40; and the clerk of court, Jose Talag, age 27. The priest was identified because of his robe and false teeth and my husband because of his forehead. Pastora Talag recognized the third body as her brother.
- Q Do you know the names of any of these Japanese who took your husband?
A I know only one, Watanabe, an interpreter who was about five feet six inches tall, slender built, about 30 years old, smooth shaven, short-cropped hair, no glasses, dark complexion. He was the liaison officer between the Japanese military and the Filipino civilian.
- Q Can you describe any of these Japanese besides Watanabe?
A No.
- Q Can you describe their uniform?
A They wore khaki uniform.

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/s/ M. U. R.

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Q Can you describe any of these Japanese besides Watanabe?
A No.

Q Can you describe their uniform?
A They wore khaki uniform.

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/s/ M. U. R.

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C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on the 15th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us MANUEL UMALI, and gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said MANUEL UMALI read the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg, San Jose,
Batangas Province, P. I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

1st November, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

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LT USNR

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Q Can you describe their insignia?

A No.

Q Do you know what unit they belonged to?

A No.

Q I hand you Exhibit "D" and ask you what it is.

A It is a picture of me holding my baby, and my maid is standing beside me. We are standing in front of the ruins of our home and drug store in the Poblacion of San Jose, Batangas, P. I.

Q When was your home and drug store burned?

A In the month of February of this year when the Japanese were in San Jose, killing people and burning their homes. Our home and drug store was valued at ₱5,000, pre-war prices, and we lost everything we owned.

Q Have you anything else to add to your statement?

A No.

/s/ Modesta Umali Remo
/t/ MODESTA UMALI REMO

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, MODESTA UMALI REMO, being duly sworn on oath, state that I have read and understood the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Modesta Umali Remo
/t/ MODESTA UMALI REMO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples

/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on the 14th

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/s/ M. U. R.

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day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us MODESTA UMALI REMO, and gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth; that after her testimony had been transcribed, the said MODESTA UMALI REMO read the same and affixed her signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P.I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

31st October, 1945

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

George E. Mounsey
Lt. USAF

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MAXIMA UMALI, after having been duly sworn, testified at Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas Province on 29 October, 1945 as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Maxima Umali, 49 years old, single, Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas Province, Filipino.

Q Is this your permanent address?

A Yes sir.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A Yes, I intend to remain at my present address.

Q What is your occupation?

A Housekeeper.

Q Are you the sister of Modesta Umali Remo?

A Yes, I am her sister.

Q Were you with the searching party that found the remains of three persons on 30 May 1945 at the sitio of Ambonambon in the barrio of Pinagtungulan, Batangas Province?

A Yes, I was one of the searching party that found the remains of my brother in law, the parish priest and the clerk of the court, all of San Jose, Batangas Province.

My sister, Modesta Umali Remo, asked me to go along with four others - My uncle, Esteban Remo, my cousin, Eugenio Remo, Paz Talag, and Eliseo de Leon to a place in barrio Pinagtungulan where one Gavino Guce said that there were some remains of dead persons which he thought were the remains of my sister's husband, the parish priest, and the clerk of the court.

We five went to the sitio of Ambonambon in the barrio of Pinagtungulan on 30 May 1945 and at the place where we were directed by Gavino Guce we discovered the remains of three persons.

Q Did you recognize the remains as those of your sister's husband, the parish priest and the clerk of the court?

A Yes, we recognized the remains of the husband of my sister, Venancio REMO, by means of the large forehead which we were all familiar with and the familiar characteristics of the bridge of his nose. We recognized the remains of the parish priest, Vicente FRANDI, by means of his false teeth which his servant, Eliseo de Leon, a male about 23 years old, who was then with us confirmed as that of his masters. We recognized the remains of the clerk of the court, Jose TALAG, by his teeth which were over-lapping and protruding. We five returned the remains of all three back to my sister's house who buried the remains of all three in the cemetery in San Jose.

Q Do you know who killed these three persons?

A No.

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Q Do you know the names of any of the Japanese who were in San Jose at that time, or can you describe any of them?

A No.

Q Have you anything further to add to your statement?

A No, I have nothing further to add.

/s/ Maxima Umali
/t/ MAXIMA UMALI

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
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TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, MAXIMA UMALI, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Maxima Umali
/t/ MAXIMA UMALI

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, GUILLERMO F. MARIANO, residing at 96 Loreto, Sampaloc, Manila, being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing 2 pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed her signature thereto

/s/ Guillermo F. Mariano
/t/ GUILLERMO F. MARIANO

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of
November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC,
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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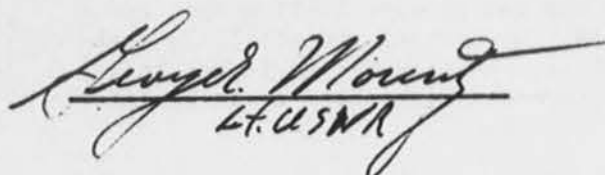
I, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., ASN 0249524, CAC, certify
that on 29 October, 1945, personally appeared before me
MAXIMA UMALI, and according to GUILLERMO F. MARIANO, gave
the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth
therein; that after her testimony had been transcribed, the
said GUILLERMO F. MARIANO had read to her by the said inter-
preter the same and affixed her signature thereto in my pre-
sence.

Poblacion, San Jose,
Batangas Province, Luzon,
P. I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC,
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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AGAPITA MAPALAD, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 4 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Agapita Mapalad, 25 years old, Barrio Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Housekeeper.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A No, but my husband was killed by the Japanese.

Q Please tell us what you know about the killing of your husband.

A On January 23, 1945, three o'clock in the morning, my husband went out of our house and told me he would help Dr. Ona evacuate his belongings to our barrio. I did not hear nor see him again alive. Victoriano Ilagan, age 26, and Urbano Ilagan, age 21, who were his companions told me that he was taken by the Japanese.

On June 25, 1945, I and three other women - Matilde Dical, age 25, Tomasa Aguila, age 40, and Maria de Castro, age 34, went to a place between the barrios of Masiit and Cumba, Lipa, where Dr. Ona directed us, in search of our husbands. We found four bodies there, my husband, Felipe Villanueva, age 31; Matilde's husband, Miguel Ilagan, age 37; Tomasa's husband, Teofilo Ilagan, age 40; and Maria's husband, Martin Pasia, age 43. We recognized that they were the men we were looking for, because of their clothes. My husband had still the scabbard of his bolo although the bolo was no longer in it. These four were tied together with their hands behind their backs.

Q Do you know the names of any of the Japanese responsible for this atrocity?

A No, I did not see them.

Q How did you know they were killed by the Japanese?

A Because the people around that place said they were. Besides, tying people together with their hands behind their backs and killing them is exclusively a Japanese style of mass murder.

Q Do you know of any Japanese unit stationed around the area?

A No.

Q Have you anything else to add to your statement?

A No.

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/s/ Agapita Mapalad
/t/ AGAPITA MAPALAD

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COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
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TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, AGAPITA MAPALAD, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of one (1) page, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Agapita Mapalad
/t/ AGAPITA MAPALAD

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC,
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
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I, ALFREDO CUEVAS, residing at 1433 Prudencio Street, Sampaloc, Manila, P.I., being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing one (1) page, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/s/ Alfredo Cuevas
/t/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt. CAC,
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us AGAPITA MAPALAD, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after her testimony had been transcribed, the said AGAPITA MAPALAD had read to her by the said interpreter the same and affixed her signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas, Province, P.I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

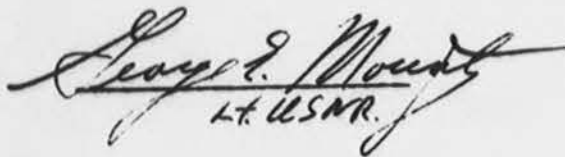
1st November, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

The following witnesses having been interrogated by the Investigator-Examiners possess knowledge of the facts set forth in the above statement:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>
Tomasa Aguila	40	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I.	Filipino
Maria de Castro	34	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I.	Filipino
Matilde Dical	25	Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I.	Filipino

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R E S T R I C T E D

BALTAZAR BRIONES, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 4 October 1945, as follows:

- Q Please state your full name, age, address, and nationality.
A Baltazar Briones, 55 years old, Barrio Bigain II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.
- Q What is your occupation?
A Farmer.
- Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
A I intend to remain at my present address.
- Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?
A No, but my two sons were murdered by the Japanese.
- Q Will you please relate fully how this happened.
A On February 4, 1945, at about 4 o'clock in the afternoon my sons, Simeon Briones, age 20; Arcadio Briones, age 30 and I went to the house of Melecio Patron in Pinagtungulan. They arrived at the house first. When I was about 12 meters south of the house, I saw my sons surrounded by five Japanese soldiers. The Japanese tied the two together with their hands behind their backs. Three of them bayoneted my sons while two stood guarding the place. I hid among the banana trees south of the house, then I crept slowly away to Bigain II.
- Next day, February 5, 1945, I returned to Pinagtungulan. It was 5 o'clock in the morning then. There were no Japanese. I found the bodies of my two sons. Simeon had four bayonet wounds, one on the chest, two on the right side and one on the back; Arcadio had three bayonet wounds, two on the breast and one on the back. I buried their bodies in the place where they were killed, near the house of Melecio Patron, in the Barrio of Pinagtungulan, San Jose, Batangas Province.
- Q Do you know the names of any of these five Japanese who murdered your sons?
A No.
- Q Can you describe any of them?
A I remember only their clothes, trousers of pale khaki color and denim, long-sleeved shirt. They wore native "balanggot" hats.
- Q Can you describe their insignia?
A No.
- Q Do you know to what unit they belonged?
A No.
- Q Do you know the names of any Japanese who were stationed in this area in January and February 1945?
A No.
- Q Do you know of any reason that might have caused these

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- A five Japanese to murder your sons?
A No, they were peaceful citizens.
- Q Have you anything further to add to this statement?
A No.

/s/ Baltazar Briones
/t/ BALTAZAR BRIONES

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, BALTAZAR BRIONES, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Baltazar Briones
/t/ BALTAZAR BRIONES

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES
Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer,
War Crimes Investigating
Detachment.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, ALFREDO CUEVAS, residing at 1433 Prudencio Street, Sampaloc, Manila, P.I., being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/s/ Alfredo Cuevas
/t/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES
Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer,
War Crimes Investigating
Detachment.

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C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt. 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us BALTAZAR BRIONES, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said BALTAZAR BRIONES had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P.I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES
Capt., CAC

31st October, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON
Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf

R E S T R I C T E D

LEOVIGILDA MACAPAGAL, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 4 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Leovigilda Macapagal, 51 years old, Lapulapu I, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Housekeeper.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you receive any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A Yes.

Q Please relate to us fully what happened.

A It was Wednesday, February 14, 1945. About 5:30 P.M., while I was preparing our supper, four Japanese soldiers came to our house. Then they went downstairs and guarded the place.

About 6 o'clock, half an hour later, eight more Japanese. They had MP armbands. These eight took my husband, Roman Umali, age 69; my son-in-law, Diosdado Aquino, age 34, and my son Florentino Umali, age 17. Two Japanese tied them together with their hands behind their back. I kneeled down so that they would be spared. Instead, one Japanese kicked me. Two other Japanese set our house on fire. I kneeled down again. The Japanese who kicked me then slapped my face when I tried to put out the fire. My husband and son-in-law were blindfolded but my son was not, and then the Japanese, 12 altogether, took them to a lot north of our place.

Next day, February 15, 1945, at 9 A.M., my son Estanislao Umali, age 27 and I went to that lot north of our house. There we found the three bodies. My husband had a bayonet wound on the left chest which went through the back; my son-in-law had a bayonet wound in a similar place and my son had three bayonet wounds, one on the left chest, one on the left shoulder and one on the right chest. We buried them in our shelter at the yard of Benito Oblea.

Q Do you know the names of any of these Japanese?

A No.

Q Can you describe any of them?

A There was one officer, I think he was an officer because he had a saber. He was about 5 feet 6 inches tall, medium build, about 25 years old, wore a cap so I did not see his hair, smooth shaven, I think he spoke English, because I heard him say "very old" when the other Japanese took my husband.

Q Can you describe their insignia?

A No.

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Q Do you know to what unit they belonged?

A I believe eight of them were MP'S.

Q Do you know what provoked the Japanese to commit this atrocity?

A No.

Q Have you anything more to say about this case?

A No.

/s/ Leovigilda Macapagal
/t/ LEOVIGILDA MACAPAGAL

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
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TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

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/s/ Leovigilda Macapagal
/t/ LEOVIGILDA MACAPAGAL

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES
Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer,
War Crimes Investigating
Detachment.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

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and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed her signature thereto.

/s/ Alfredo Cuevas
/t/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES
Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer,
War Crimes Investigating
Detachment.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on the 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us LEOVIGILDA MACAPAGAL, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after her testimony had been transcribed, the said LEOVIGILDA MACAPAGAL had read to her by the said interpreter the same and affixed her signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose
Batangas Province, P.I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES
Capt., CAC

29 October, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON
Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

George E. Mount
Lt. U.S.M.R.

R E S T R I C T E D

CATALINA VALE, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 4 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A Catalina Vale, 64 years old, Lapulapu I, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?
A Housekeeper.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Do you know of any atrocity committed by the Japanese in Lapulapu I sometime in February 1945?
A Yes.

Q Please relate in your own words what happened.
A On February 14, 1945, Wednesday afternoon, 3 o'clock, we saw 15 Japanese. Four of them went upstairs and found my brother-in-law Trobio Vale, age 57, sitting on the floor near the door of our house in Lapulapu I. One of the Japanese, who was carrying a long saber, apoke something which I did not understand. Then the others made signs to Trobio to stand. Hardly had he stood when two of the Japanese took hold of him by his clothes and dragged him to a place opposite ours with three Japanese standing on guard. When the two Japanese came out, no one was with them.

This time there were already many, the exact number I cannot remember, Japanese in the street. These Japanese dispersed. About ten of them went north and met three persons, Anselmo Alabastro, age 45; Eutiquio Alabastro, age 20 and Felipe Alabastro, age 18 and took them to the house of Herman Baliwag which was about 50 meters from our house. These three were then tied with their hands behind their backs to the posts of the house. Their feet, too, were tied. Then the house was burned and these three were burned alive. I could hear their screams while the house was burning.

Next day, about daybreak, I went to the house of my son, Delfin Ona, age 32, about 50 meters, too, north of our house. It was burned. I found the body of my son tied to a post near the door, his body was burned also with the head cut off.

Q Do you know the names of any of the Japanese responsible for the burning of these houses and killing of the people you mentioned?
A No.

Q Can you describe any of them?
A No, I was too frightened to pay close attention to their features.

Q Can you describe their uniform?
A All I know was that they had khaki uniforms and two of them had nets over their bodies which I was informed were used for camouflage.

Q Can you describe their insignia?
A No.

Q Do you know what unit they belonged to?
A No.

Q What do you think provoked those Japanese to burn the house and kill the people in Lapulapu I?

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A I do not know. We were all peaceful citizens.
Q Have you anything further to add to your statement?
A No.

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CATALINA X VALES
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We hereby certify that the above named witness, being unable to sign her name, did make the above "X" as her mark in our presence.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

/S/ Charles C. Thompson
/T/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
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I, CATALINA VALE, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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CATALINA X VALE
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

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/S/ Alfredo Cuevas
/T/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us CATALINA VALE, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after her testimony had been transcribed, the said CATALINA VALE had read to her by the said interpreter the same and affixed her mark thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P. I.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

29 October, 1945

/S/ Charles C. Thompson
/T/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Sligman
1st Lt. Inf.

R E S T R I C T E D

TEOTIMO MACALINAO, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 4 October, 1945, as follows:

- Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A Teotimo Macalinao, 58 years old, Barrio Lapulapu I, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.
- Q What is your occupation?
A Senior Plant Sanitation Inspector, Bureau of Plant Industry, Manila.
- Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
A I intend to remain at my present address.
- Q Do you know of any atrocity committed by the Japanese in Lapulapu I sometime in February 1945?
A Yes, there was burning of houses and killing of civilians.
- Q Will you relate in your own words the story of the occasion of the burning of houses and killing of civilians in the barrio of Lapulapu I and II on or about February 14, 1945.
A On February 14, 1945, at 9 P. M., I returned from Tikiwan, Rosario, Batangas Province, where I got unhusked rice. When I reached home I found out that my two sons were not there. My wife, Pomposa Umali Macalinao, said that she saw them riding in the truck of the Japanese.

At 6 A. M. February 15, 1945, I saw the body of my son, Teodoro, age 24, at the burned house of Benito Oblea. His hands were cut off at the wrist and his feet cut off at the ankle. I recognized him through his buckle, his gold tooth and the mole above his right eyebrow. On that same day about 9 o'clock we buried him at the air raid shelter under the burned house.

On February 18, 1945, I found my other son, Cirilino Macalinao, age 26, at the yard opposite our house. He had his right hand cut off and his right eyebrow bruised. He had bayonet wounds on the left breast which ran through the back. He was covered with dry corn husks. I recognized him through his "San Beda College" buckle with his name on. He, too, was buried in the same place my other son was.

- Q Do you know the names of the Japanese who killed your sons?
A No. Neither can I describe any of them inasmuch as I did not see them.
- Q Do you know of any Japanese unit stationed around this area at that time?
A No.
- Q Do you know what provoked the Japanese to kill your sons?
A No.
- Q Have you anything more to add to this statement?
A No.

/S/ Teotimo Macalinao
/T/ TEOTIMO MACALINAO

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/S/ T. M.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us CATALINA VALE, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after her testimony had been transcribed, the said CATALINA VALE had read to her by the said interpreter the same and affixed her mark thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P. I.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

29 October, 1945

/S/ Charles C. Thompson
/T/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Sligman
1st Lt. Inf.

R E S T R I C T E D

TEOTIMO MACALINAO, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 4 October, 1945, as follows:

- Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A Teotimo Macalino, 58 years old, Barrio Lapulapu I, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.
- Q What is your occupation?
A Senior Plant Sanitation Inspector, Bureau of Plant Industry, Manila.
- Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
A I intend to remain at my present address.
- Q Do you know of any atrocity committed by the Japanese in Lapulapu I sometime in February 1945?
A Yes, there was burning of houses and killing of civilians.
- Q Will you relate in your own words the story of the occasion of the burning of houses and killing of civilians in the barrio of Lapulapu I and II on or about February 14, 1945.
A On February 14, 1945, at 9 P. M., I returned from Tikiwan, Rosario, Batangas Province, where I got unhusked rice. When I reached home I found out that my two sons were not there. My wife, Pomposa Umali Macalino, said that she saw them riding in the truck of the Japanese.

At 6 A. M. February 15, 1945, I saw the body of my son, Teodoro, age 24, at the burned house of Benito Oblea. His hands were cut off at the wrist and his feet cut off at the ankle. I recognized him through his buckle, his gold tooth and the mole above his right eyebrow. On that same day about 9 o'clock we buried him at the air raid shelter under the burned house.

On February 18, 1945, I found my other son, Cirilino Macalino, age 26, at the yard opposite our house. He had his right hand cut off and his right eyebrow bruised. He had bayonet wounds on the left breast which ran through the back. He was covered with dry corn husks. I recognized him through his "San Beda College" buckle with his name on. He, too, was buried in the same place my other son was.

- Q Do you know the names of the Japanese who killed your sons?
A No. Neither can I describe any of them inasmuch as I did not see them.
- Q Do you know of any Japanese unit stationed around this area at that time?
A No.
- Q Do you know what provoked the Japanese to kill your sons?
A No.
- Q Have you anything more to add to this statement?
A No.

/s/ Teotimo Macalino
/T/ TEOTIMO MACALINAO

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/s/ T. M.

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 TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, TEOTIMO MACALINAO, being duly sworn on oath, state that I have read and understood the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/S/ Teotimo Macalino
 /T/ TEOTIMO MACALINAO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
 /T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
 Investigating Officer, War Crimes
 Investigating Detachment

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us TEOTIMO MACALINAO, and gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said TEOTIMO MACALINAO read the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal, Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P. I.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
 /T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

27 October, 1945

/S/ Charles C. Thompson
 /T/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
 1st Lt. Inf

R E S T R I C T E D

AMADO JAVIER, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 4 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Amado Javier, 48 years old, Barrio Lapu-lapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Ex-sailor, World War I Veteran.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A Yes.

Q Will you please tell us about this mistreatment?

A About 4:30 P. M., February 14, 1945, two Japanese came to our house in the barrio of Lapulapu II. They took me to a place about a half kilometer from our house and told me that they would shoot me near the bank of Vale River which is the boundary of Lapulapu I and Lapulapu II.

As we walked, I waited for a chance to catch one of the Japanese off-guard. It came, and I grabbed the rifle of one Japanese at a moment when he was relaxed. While we grappled for the rifle, the other Japanese retreated about five paces backward and shot me, the bullet passing through the base of my neck on the left side. The Japanese I was struggling with took advantage of this moment and, with a strong jerk, pulled the rifle from me. However, I ran and managed to escape.

Q Do you know the names of any of these two Japanese?

A No.

Q Can you describe them?

A Except for the fact that they were wearing civilian clothes, I cannot give any further description.

Q Do you know what unit they belonged to?

A They told me, when I requested them to refrain from burning the houses, that that could not be, because they were Military Police from Lipa.

Q Have you anything further to add to this statement?

A No.

/S/ Amado Javier
/T/ AMADO JAVIER

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TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, AMADO JAVIER, being duly sworn on oath, state that I have read and understood the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of one (1) page, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/S/ Amado Javier
/T/ AMADO JAVIER

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on the 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us AMADO JAVIER, and gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said AMADO JAVIER read the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg, San Jose, /S/ Allen H. Peoples
Batangas Province, P. I. /T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

27 October, 1945. /S/ Charles C. Thompson
/T/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

R E S T R I C T E D

MELCHOR MENDOZA, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 4 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A Melchor Mendoza, 41 years old, Barrio Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?
A Farmer, and barrio lieutenant of Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Were you also the barrio lieutenant of Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., in February 1945, when the Japanese burned the houses and killed the civilians of that barrio?
A No, but I was the auxiliary barrio lieutenant then.

Q Do you have knowledge of the burning of houses and killing of civilians by the Japanese military on or about February 14, 1945.
A Yes.

Q Will you relate in your own words the events that happened in the barrio of Lapulapu II at that time.
A On February 14, 1945, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon I and eight other men were gathering corn in my field in Barrio Lapulapu II, San Jose, Batangas Province. I saw four Japanese about 50 meters away. Two of them went southward, the other two came towards us. When one of them was about 20 meters from us, I found out that he had fixed bayonet and was ready to shoot us. The eight men ran away. When this Japanese was about five meters from where I was, I ran away too, to a place about $\frac{1}{2}$ kilometer northeast.

About 9 o'clock that evening, Fulgencio Guci, age 45, Marciano Manalo, age 15, my little son, Rufe Mendoza and I went to the house of Marciano, left him there, and then proceeded to my house. When we arrived at my house, a friend, Potenciano Bolanos, age 55, told me that many people in our barrio were dead. He told me also that my son Jose, age 14, was dead and that we bury him then. We went to my corn field in the northwestern part of Lapulapu II taking the body of my son, Jose, with us.

There we looked around for other people that were killed by the Japanese. We found the bodies of Adriano Guci, age 55; Paulino Villanueva, age 60; Francisco Hernandez, age 65 and Valeriano Malata, age 60; They had gun shot and bayonet wounds. We buried the bodies of my son, Jose and Adriano Guci in a place near my corn field. We then told the relatives of the three other men where their bodies could be located.

Next day, February 15, 1945, as we walked around my corn field I saw the body of Filomeno Remo, age 27. He had

/s/ M. M.

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bayonet wounds in the left chest and on both arms. Near him was his son, Roman Bemo, age 3, who, although wounded on the back near the left shoulder through the chest, was still alive. However, he died next day.

On February 16, 1945, we saw near my corn field the body of Antonio Guci, age 14. He had bayonet wounds. We buried him near the place where we buried my son, Jose and Adriano Guci.

Q Did the Japanese burn any houses in Lapulapu II?

A Yes, they burned the houses at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, February 14, 1945.

Q Do you know the names of any of these Japanese who were responsible for the burning of the houses and killing of civilians in your barrio?

A No.

Q Can you describe any of them?

A No. However, the two Japanese who came towards my corn field, on February 14, 1945, were both wearing khaki pants while one of them wore white, long-sleeved polo shirt instead of khaki shirt that the other one was wearing.

Q Do you know what their insignia looked like?

A No.

Q Can you tell what unit they belonged to?

A No.

Q Do you know what provoked the Japanese to kill the people you have mentioned and burn the houses in Lapulapu II?

A No. We were all peaceful citizens.

Q Have you anything more to say about this case?

A No.

/S/ Melchor Mendoza
/T/ MELCHOR MENDOZA

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, MELCHOR MENDOZA, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers con-

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tained therein, consisting of two (2) pages are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/S/ Melchor Mendoza
/T/ MELCHOR MENDOZA

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, ALFREDO CUEVAS, residing at 1433 Prudencio Street, Sampaloc, Manila, P. I., being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/S/ Alfredo Cuevas
/T/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us MELCHOR MENDOZA, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said MELCHOR MENDOZA had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P. I.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

27 October, 1945.

/S/ Charles C. Thompson
/T/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

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DIONISIO PAEZ, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Bantangas Province, P. I., on 4 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Dionisio Paez, 64 years old, Poblacion, San Jose, Bantangas Province, P. I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Carpenter.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A Yes.

Q Please tell us in detail what happened.

A On February 22, 1945, Thursday, 7:30 A. M., my grandson, Victorino Paez, age 20; my son, Jose Paez, age 20, and I saw two Japanese north of our house. We hurriedly left our house and went southward, my son and grandson going first.

Hardly had I gone 15 meters, when I saw that they were caught by six Japanese soldiers. One soldier aimed his rifle at me. I went to him and the six Japanese brought the three of us to a place where they kept four bags of unhusked rice, and one box of soap, about 100 meters south of our house.

Here, two Japanese were left to guard us. I told my son and grandson to follow me, if I tried to escape. Then, when the guards were not looking at us, I made signs to my son and grandson, and I dashed for freedom. I ran westward to the town, my son ran eastward. I did not see where my grandson went. I heard three rifle shots in my direction, and I saw four Japanese running after my son and shooting at him. However, I was not hit, and my son, I later learned, was not hit, either. That evening I learned that the Japanese left town.

The next morning at about 8 o'clock, I looked for the body of my grandson, presuming him to have been caught and killed since he had not joined us. I did not see him. About 7:30 A. M., Saturday, February 24, 1945, I saw his body among those of 11 men, women and children on the bank of Malaking Tubig River.

My grandson had a wound from a sharp instrument, perhaps a saber, on the left shoulder, and a big bayonet wound on the abdomen. Some of his intestines were protruding from the wound.

Among the bodies I recognized were: Sancho Atienza, age about 50; Sixto Atienza, age about 32; Eulogio Atienza, age 18; Lucita Atienza, age 27, who was pregnant; Leonardo Atienza, age 14; and five children, mostly suckling babies, whose names I do not know.

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/s/ D. P.

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The next day, February 25, 1945, about 20 meters from the bank of the river, where I saw the 11 men, women and children. I found the body of Agapita Hidalgo, age 45. She, too, had been bayoneted.

Q Where were the bodies buried?

A My grandson was buried in the town cemetery. The ten other bodies were buried in the dugout of the Atienza family in Barrio Taysan.

Q Do you know the names of any of the Japanese who were responsible for the massacre of these 11 people?

A No.

Q Can you describe any of them?

A I cannot describe any of them, but I meet the Japanese who captured my son, grandson, and I, I think I can recognize them.

Q Can you describe the uniform of these Japanese who captured you?

A They were moss-colored.

Q Can you describe their insignia?

A No. I did not notice them.

Q Do you know to what unit they belonged?

A No.

Q Have you anything else to add to your statement?

A No.

/S/ Dionisio Paez
/T/ DIONISIO PAEZ

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, DIONISIO PAEZ, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/S/ Dionisio Paez
/T/ DIONISIO PAEZ

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, ALFREDO CUEVAS, residing at 1369 Antipolo Street, Sampaloc, Manila, P. I., being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/S/ Alfredo Cuevas
/T/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachments

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C E R T I F I C A T E

We ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on the 4th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us DIONISIO PAEZ, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said DIONISIO PAEZ had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose, /S/ Allen H. Peoples
Batangas Province, P. I. /T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

27 October, 1945. /S/ Charles C. Thompson
/T/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton L. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

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COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

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/S/ Alfredo Cuevas
/T/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of October, 1945.

/S/ Allen H. Peoples
/T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachments

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Municipal Bldg., San Jose, /S/ Allen H. Peoples
Batangas Province, P. I. /T/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

27 October, 1945. /S/ Charles C. Thompson
/T/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton L. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

R E S T R I C T E D

FAUSTO ATIENZA, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 26 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Fausto Atienza, 18 years old, Barrio Taysan, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Farmer.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A Yes. The Japanese forced me to labor for them and they killed 11 members of my family.

Q Tell us all you know about it.

A On February 22, 1945, six Japanese came to our house in Barrio Taysan and took myself and three others - Jose Silva, age 25; Eulogio Atienza, age 16 and Emilio Atienza, age 19 - to work for them. They forced us to go from house to house with them. They took palay - unhusked rice - from the houses, and they forced us to carry the palay to the municipal building at San Jose. Only three of us worked all day, as the Japanese freed Eulogio at about 11 o'clock in the morning of the ~~same~~ day.

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At about six o'clock in the afternoon I was able to return home. I found only three members of my family there: Alejandria Atienza, age 24, my sister-in-law who is now in Lucena, Tayabas and her two children, Rodolfo, age 6 and Rosita, age 4. I asked Alejandria where the other members of the family were, and she told me that shortly after the four of us, whose names and ages are mentioned already, left with the Japs, four other Japs came to the house and ransacked it.

There they found a leaflet which an American plane had dropped, announcing the landing of General MacArthur and the United States forces on Leyte. The Japs took all the persons in the house, 14 in all, lined them up outside, and marched them to the school house in San Jose. The men were taken behind the school house, while the women and children were placed in the house of Leoncio Talag. They were questioned about the leaflet, but they knew only that the children found it in the yard after it was dropped by an airplane. Then the Japs told them that they were bad people, and began taking them one by one from the house of Leoncio Talag. About four o'clock that afternoon, after all had been taken out of the house except Alejandria and her two children, the Japs told her that she could take the children and go home.

When none of the other members of my family returned, we began looking for them about seven o'clock that evening. Since the Japanese were still in the area, we had to stay hidden from them while we searched, and it was two days

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after; February 24, 1945 when Jose Vergara, age 22; Dionisio Paez, age 50; Emilio Atienza, age 19 and I found the bodies of ten members of my family in the water in the river at the back of the school building. They were; my father, Sancho Atienza, age 40; my brother, Sixto Atienza, age 25; my sister, Lucia Atienza, age 23; my niece, Loreta de Silva, age 7; my niece, Brigida de Silva, age 1½; my brother, Eulogio Atienza, age 16; my sister, Leonarda Atienza, age 12; my brother, Pedro Atienza, age 14; my brother Marcelino Atienza, age 8 and my sister Dionisia Atienza, age 4.

All those missing were found except the body of my mother, Agapita Hidalgo, age 38. However, next day, February 25, 1945, we found her body near the place where the others were found: it was submerged in the water, and we missed it when we found the others.

Q What did you do with those bodies?

A We - Jose Vergara, age 22; Dionisio Paez, age 50; Emilio Atienza, age 19; Leonardo Mendoza, age 50; Jose Lopez, age 35; Alfredo Lopez, age 30; Florencio Lopez, age 21; Daniel Atienza, age 28; ten others, whose names I do not recall, and I - removed the bodies from the river and took them to a place near our house in Barrio Taysan, San Jose and buried them. The bodies bore wounds on the chest, shoulders, stomach and back from bayonets. Some heads were almost severed, and the intestines of some were sticking out. Several of the bodies were tied together.

Q Do you know any of the names of the Japanese who killed the 11 members of your family?

A No, neither can I describe them because I did not see them. I am positive, however, that they were Japanese because of what my sister-in-law, Alejandria, told me which was already mentioned here and because mass murder of men, women and children was a specialty of the Japs.

Q Do you know the name of any of the Japanese who forced you to carry palay?

A No. That was the first time I saw them. The only thing I remember about them is that they wore non-descript clothes.

Q Can you describe their insignia?

A No. I think they did not have any insignia on.

Q Do you know the unit or organization they belonged to?

A No.

Q Do you know what provoked the Japanese to murder the 11 members of your family?

A No. They were all peaceful residents of Barrio Taysan, San Jose, Batangas Province.

Q Have you anything further to add to your statement?

A No.

/s/ Fausto Atienza
/t/ FAUSTO ATIENZA

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COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
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I, FAUSTO ATIENZA, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Fausto Atienza
/t/ FAUSTO ATIENZA

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ** day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

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/s/ Alfredo Cuevas
/t/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 26th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us FAUSTO ATIENZA, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said FAUSTO ATIENZA had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose ^{/s/} Allen H. Peoples
Batangas Province, P.I. ^{/t/} ALLEN H. PEOPLES, CAPT., CAC

1st November, 1945 ^{/s/} Charles C. Thompson
^{/t/} CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

Gregory E. Mount
LT. USNR.

R E S T R I C T E D

DOMINICA M. MARALIT, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 4 October 1945, as follows:

- Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
- A Dominica M. Maralit, 44 years old, Poblacion, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.
- Q What is your occupation?
- A Elementary school teacher.
- Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
- A I intend to remain at my present address.
- Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?
- A No, but my husband, Dr. Lorenzo Maralit, D.M.M., was murdered by the Japanese.
- Q Will you please relate to us fully the incidents leading to his murder?
- A During the Japanese occupation, my husband, a physician, treated professionally the Japanese because he was a graduate of the Tokoyo Imperial University, and he could speak Japanese. Because of these, together with the fact that he was a paralytic, it was presumed that the Japanese would not molest him, so he did not evacuate to the barrio of Kalansayan with us.

On February 23, 1945, he visited us in Kalansayan, and that was the last time I saw him alive.

On February 28, 1945, our maid, Cresenciana, I forgot her family name, learned that there was a body of a man under the bridge between Poblacion and Taysan. She went to the bridge and discovered the body of my husband, half of his body in the water and a half on the ground. She went immediately to the barrio of Kalansayan to inform me about it.

I offered 28 cans of husked rice to Cirilo Japor and four other men whose names I do not know, to get the body of my husband and bury him in Kalansayan. They took the body from under the bridge and carried it to Kalansayan, which is about two kilometers south. I saw the body and recognized that it was his. He had a wound, possibly from a bayonet, on the back which went through the chest. Cirilo Japor and his companions who removed my husband's body from under the bridge, told me that it was bound with barbed wire to a bamboo pole. This I verified when I saw the body. However, I was too grieved to pay close attention to all the details.

- Q Do you happen to know any of the Japanese who killed your husband?
- A No.
- Q Do you know the names of any of the Japanese who used to be treated by your husband?
- A No.

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Gregory R. Mounsey
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Q Can you describe any of them?
 A Aside from the fact that they wore greenish-khaki uniforms, I cannot describe those Japanese. To me they all looked alike.

Q Do you know what unit they belonged to?
 A No.

Q Have you anything further to add to your statement?
 A No.

/s/ Dominica M. Maralit
 /t/ DOMINICA M. MARALIT

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
)
 PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
)
 TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, DOMINICA M. MARALIT, being duly sworn on oath, state that I have read and understood the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Dominica M. Maralit
 /t/ DOMINICA M. MARALIT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
 /t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
 Investigating Officer, War Crimes
 Investigating Detachment.

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Municipal Building, San Jose, P.I. /s/ Allen H. Peoples
 Batangas Province, P.I. /t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

29 October, 1945. /s/ Charles C. Thompson
CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

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 1st Lt. Inf.

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/t/ DOMINICA M. MARALIT

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
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PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
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TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

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/s/ Dominica M. Maralit

/t/ DOMINICA M. MARALIT

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/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
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Batangas Province, P.I. /t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

29 October, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

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Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

R E S T R I C T E D

GREGORIO ILAO, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I. on 4 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Gregorio Ila0, 54 years old, Barrio Sabang, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I. Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Farmer, and barrio lieutenant of Sabang, San Jose.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present Address.

Q Do you know of any atrocity committed by the Japanese in the barrio of Sabang, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on or about March 4, 1945?

A Yes.

Q Will you please tell us in detail what happened?

A On March 4, 1945, the Japanese left Sabang. Herminia Maquinto, age 27; Maria Morales, age 35; Felisa Morales, age 30; Emeteria Salud, age 40, and I went to the house of Herminia Maquinto at Sabang.

There we saw the bodies of Esteban Perada, age 40, husband of Maria Morales; Melecio Patron, age 32, husband of Herminia Maquinto; Hilarion Magracia, age 40, husband of Felisa Morales, and Regalado Ila0, son of Emeteria Salud. All had been bayoneted, with wounds on the back which went through the chest. All, except Regalado Ila0, were tied together with their hands behind their backs. We buried these four bodies in the dugout near the house of Herminia Maquinto in Sabang.

Q Do you know the names of any of the Japanese responsible for the Massacre of these four persons?

A I did not actually see who killed these four. However, I know the name of one of the Japanese who was in Sabang during the time of the massacre. He was called Capt. Paba. He was about 5 feet 4 inches tall, heavy build, about 150 pounds, 35 years old, short-cropped hair. I believe he had two gold teeth in front, smooth shaven, good looking, wore gold-rimmed glasses, slit eyes of brown color, fair complexion and always wore a saber. When I last saw him, he was with denim trousers and short-sleeved blue poplin shirt.

Q Can you describe any other Japanese who were in Sabang during the massacre of these four civilians?

A No.

Q Can you describe their insignia?

A No.

Q Do you know to what unit they belonged to?

A No.

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/s/ G.I.

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Q Have you anything further to add to this statement?
A No.

/s/ Gregorio Ilaos
/t/ GREGORIO ILAOS

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, GREGORIO ILAOS, Being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Gregorio Ilaos
/t/ GREGORIO ILAOS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
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TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, ALFREDO CUEVAS, residing at 1433 Prudencio Street, Sampaloc, Manila, P.I., being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/s/ Alfredo Cuevas
/t/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples,
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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Municipal Bldg, San Jose, /s/ Allen H. Peoples
Batangas Province, P.I. /t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

29 October, 1945. /s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

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1st Lt. Inf.

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R E S T R I C T E D

JOSEFA AGUILA, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 15 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Josefa Aguila, 37 years old, Barrio Taysan, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Housekeeper.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A Yes.

Q Please relate fully what happened.

A Sunday, March 18, 1945, at about six o'clock in the afternoon, we were in the house of my brother-in-law, Arcadio Mercado, age 65.

Three Japanese went upstairs, two stayed on the stairs and one came inside and said something in Japanese. I told him we had done nothing. He aimed the bayonet at me. I took hold of it to ward off the thrust. My sister, Rosario Aguila, age 50, grabbed me and pulled me away. Then the Japanese rushed at me and bayoneted me once below the left nipple and twice on the buttocks, once on each. I lost consciousness.

When I revived I found myself being carried by my nephew, Jose Mercado, age 30, to his house. However, I was still too dazed to know what was going around me.

Q Who were with you in the house of your brother-in-law?

A Genoveva Custodio, age 85; my sister, Rosario Aguila, age 50; my brother-in-law, Arcadio Mercado, age 65; my nieces, Felicidad Mercado, age 14 and Pacita Mercado, age 7. Genoveva Custodio, my sister and my brother-in-law died, all from bayonet wounds; my nieces both survived, each with a bayonet wound on the left knee.

Q Do you know the names of the three Japanese who went to your brother-in-law's house on March 18, 1945?

A No, that was the first time I saw them.

Q Can you describe any of them?

A I was too frightened to give a detailed personal description of any of them. I noticed, however, that they wore khaki uniforms and had their helmets camouflaged with leaves.

Q Can you describe their insignia?

A No.

Q Do you know to what unit they belonged?

A No.

/s/ J.A.

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Q I hand you Exhibit "G" and ask you what it is.

A It is a picture of me showing the scar from a bayonet wound under the left breast inflicted by the Japanese on March 18, 1945.

Q Have you anything else to add to this statement?

A No.

/s/ Josepf Aguila
/t/ JOSEFA AGUILA

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, JOSEFA AGUILA, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Josefa Aguila
/t/ JOSEFA AGUILA

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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Investigating Officer, War Crimes
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Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P.I.

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/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

1st November, 1945

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

R E S T R I C T E D

JOSE MORGADO, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 6 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Jose Mercado, 30 years old, Barrio Banaybanay I, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Merchant.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, where can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A The mayor of the municipality of San Jose, Batangas Province will always know my whereabouts. I will leave him my address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese on or about March 18, 1945?

A I was not mistreated myself, but three members of my family were killed and three others wounded by the Japanese at that time.

Q Will you relate fully the events that occurred in Banaybanay I on that date as you remember it, regarding the mistreatment of these six members of your family.

A One afternoon, about six o'clock on March 18, 1945, the front line Japanese soldiers passed on the street at the gate of my home in Banaybanay I. There were ten Japanese including an officer. These ten stopped near our gate and went into our yard. My grandmother, Genoveva Custodio, age 85, went downstairs to urinate.

The officer then ordered his men to go away which they all did except one who was left behind. My grandmother who had a poor sight called this Japanese to come to her, thinking perhaps that he was one of her grandchildren. The Japanese called his companions. My grandmother then realized her mistake. She ran upstairs and locked the door behind her.

Three Japanese soldiers went up the stairs and forced the door open. I heard my mother begged the Japanese not to kill them - my mother, Rosario Aguila, age 50; my father, Arcadio Mercado, age 65; my grandmother, Genoveva Custodio, age 85; my aunt Josefa Aguila, age 37; my sisters Felicidad and Pacita Mercado, age 14 and 7 respectively, - because they had done nothing.

Then I heard screams. I heard my father's scream first. It suddenly stopped. I surmised my father died immediately. I heard my mother's screams next. Then I could no longer distinguish the screams because there were many of them. Then everything became quiet. I think it was half an hour after the three Japanese went into the house. The Japanese left thinking all those six persons in the house were dead.

About eight o'clock same day, I went to my father's house. I found him, my mother and my grandmother all dead. My father who was dead had one bayonet wound below the left nipple; my mother had three bayonet wounds, one on the breast and two below the left nipple; my grandmother had one bayonet wound on the abdomen.

/s/ J.M.

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Prosecution

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R E S T R I C T E D

JOSE MERCADO, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 6 October 1945, as follows:

- Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A Jose Mercado, 30 years old, Barrio Banaybanay I, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.
- Q What is your occupation?
A Merchant.
- Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, where can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
A The mayor of the municipality of San Jose, Batangas Province will always know my whereabouts. I will leave him my address.
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A I was not mistreated myself, but three members of my family were killed and three others wounded by the Japanese at that time.
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A One afternoon, about six o'clock on March 18, 1945, the front line Japanese soldiers passed on the street at the gate of my home in Banaybanay I. There were ten Japanese including an officer. These ten stopped near our gate and went into our yard. My grandmother, Genoveva Custodio, age 85, went downstairs to urinate.

The officer then ordered his men to go away which they all did except one who was left behind. My grandmother who had a poor sight called this Japanese to come to her, thinking perhaps that he was one of her grandchildren. The Japanese called his companions. My grandmother then realized her mistake. She ran upstairs and locked the door behind her.

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/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

1st November, 1945

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

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JOSE MERCADO, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 6 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

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/s/ J.M.

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My aunt and my two sisters were all wounded but alive. My aunt had three bayonet wounds, one below the left nipple and two on the buttocks, one on each; my sisters had bayonet wounds, one each on the left knee. I took these three wounded to my house. These three were treated by the Americans in the market of San Jose, Batangas Province.

- Q What did you do with the three dead bodies?
A I had no one to help me bury them. It was about 15 days afterwards that I buried them in our backyard. I burned my father's house.
- Q Do you know the names of any of the ten Japanese you saw entered your father's yard on March 18, 1945?
A No.
- Q Can you describe any of them?
A I can describe only the officer. He wore a saber. He was about six feet tall, weighed about 165 pounds, wore a helmet so I cannot tell anything about his hair, wore no glasses, was fair complexioned, had high-bridged nose and wore a beard.
- Q How do you know that he was an officer?
A Because he wore a saber and seemed to be in charge of the group.
- Q Do you know to what unit or organization they belonged to?
A No.
- Q Can you describe their insignia?
A No.
- Q Do you know what provoked those Japanese to do this to the members of your family?
A No, we were all peaceful citizens.

/s/ Jose Mercado
/t/ JOSE MERCADO

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, JOSE MERCADO, being duly sworn on oath, state that I have read and understood the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Jose Mercado
/t/ JOSE MERCADO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment

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C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on the 6th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us JOSE MERCADO, and gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said JOSE MERCADO read the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose
Batangas Province, P.I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

27 October, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

RESTRICTED

SOFIA MOOG, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 15 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.
A Sofia Moog, 22 years old, Barrio Taysan, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?
A Housekeeper.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, where can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?
A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?
A Yes.

Q Will you please relate fully how it happened?
A On March 18, 1945, at about 8:30 o'clock in the morning, just after we had breakfasted at the house of Nicomedes Ona, I saw about 40 Japanese coming. We were 25 persons altogether. Six of us ran away when they saw the Japanese. They were, Florencio Austria, age 20, my brother-in-law; my two brothers, Antonio Moog, age 15, and Francisco Moog, age 5; my sister, Rosenda Moog, age 20; Pedro Atienza, age 18 and Benecio Lorzano, age 15.

Three Japanese came inside the gate, the rest were left outside guarding the premises. One of these Japanese caught Florencio Austria, while the two others began bayoneting the men. One man who was bayoneted, whose name I do not know, fell near Florencio Austria and the Japanese holding the latter, turned. Florencio then freed himself from the Japanese and escaped. Then the rest of the Japanese came into the yard and began bayoneting the people they found there. I saw my father, Luis Moog, age 50, and my mother, Dorotea de Moog, age 45, bayoneted. My mother received a bayonet wound on the left chest and died immediately. My father was bayoneted four times, once on the upper arm, once on the neck and twice on the abdomen. One Japanese bayoneted me and wounded me on the left hip. I ran away and managed to escape. There were already nine persons who were bayoneted when I escaped. These nine persons were, my father, Luis Moog, age 50; my mother, Dorotea de Moog, age 45; Nicomedes Ona, age 60; Maria Ona, age 30; Encarnacion Ona, age 37; Jose Ona, age 28; Rogelio Ona, age 5; Eufemia Ona, age 37 and Concepcion Atienza, age 12.

I did not go back to that house any more. I heard from Mr. Saturnino Lorzano that he buried the bodies of my father and mother in their dugout.

Q Do you know the names of any of these 40 Japanese that you saw?
A No, that was the first time I saw them.

Q Can you describe any of them?
A Three of the 40 Japanese were with sabers, the rest were with fixed

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/s/ S.M.
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SOFIA MOOG, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., on 15 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Sofia Moog, 22 years old, Barrio Taysan, San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Housekeeper.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, where can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A Yes.

Q Will you please relate fully how it happened?

A On March 18, 1945, at about 8:30 o'clock in the morning, just after we had breakfasted at the house of Nicomedes Ona, I saw about 40 Japanese coming. We were 25 persons altogether. Six of us ran away when they saw the Japanese. They were, Florencio Austria, age 20, my brother-in-law; my two brothers, Antonio Moog, age 15, and Francisco Moog, age 5; my sister, Rosenda Moog, age 20; Pedro Atienza, age 18 and Benecio Lorzano, age 15.

Three Japanese came inside the gate, the rest were left outside guarding the premises. One of these Japanese caught Florencio Austria, while the two others began bayoneting the men. One man who was bayoneted, whose name I do not know, fell near Florencio Austria and the Japanese holding the latter, turned. Florencio then freed himself from the Japanese and escaped. Then the rest of the Japanese came into the yard and began bayoneting the people they found there. I saw my father, Luis Moog, age 50, and my mother, Dorotea de Moog, age 45, bayoneted. My mother received a bayonet wound on the left chest and died immediately. My father was bayoneted four times, once on the upper arm, once on the neck and twice on the abdomen. One Japanese bayoneted me and wounded me on the left hip. I ran away and managed to escape. There were already nine persons who were bayoneted when I escaped. These nine persons were, my father, Luis Moog, age 50; my mother, Dorotea de Moog, age 45; Nicomedes Ona, age 60; Maria Ona, age 30; Encarnacion Ona, age 37; Jose Ona, age 28; Rogelio Ona, age 5; Eufemia Ona, age 37 and Concepcion Atienza, age 12.

I did not go back to that house any more. I heard from Mr. Saturnino Lorzano that he buried the bodies of my father and mother in their dugout.

Q Do you know the names of any of these 40 Japanese that you saw?

A No, that was the first time I saw them.

Q Can you describe any of them?

A Three of the 40 Japanese were with sabers, the rest were with fixed

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/s/ S.M.

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bayonets. These three used the sabers for thrusting at the victims. I think all the 40 Japanese had at least a week's growth of beard on their faces. They were camouflaged with branches and leaves. I cannot give detailed personal description of any of them, because I was too frightened to notice details.

Q What was the color of their uniforms?

A Moss-colored.

Q Can you describe their insignia?

A No, I said I was too frightened to notice such details.

Q Do you know to what unit or organization they belonged?

A No.

Q Do you know what provoked the Japanese to bayonet these people?

A No, we were all peaceful people.

Q I hand you Exhibit "E" and asked you what it is.

A It is a picture of me showing the scar on my left hip, from a bayonet wound inflicted by the Japanese on March 18, 1945, in San Jose, Batangas Province, P.I.

Q Have you anything more to add to your statement?

A No.

/s/ Sofia Moog
/t/ SOFIA MOOG

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
) SS
PROVINCE OF BATAANGAS)
)
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, SOFIA MOOG, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Sofia Moog
/t/ SOFIA MOOG

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

R E S T R I C T E D

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
)
 PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
)
 TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, ALFREDO CUEVAS, residing at 1433 Prudencio Street, Sampaloc, Manila, P.I., being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two (2) pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed her signature thereto.

/s/ Alfredo Cuevas
 /t/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
 /t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
 Investigating Officer, War Crimes
 Investigating Detachment.

Milton S. Seligman
 1st Lt. Inf.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALIEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 15th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us SOFIA MOOG, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after her testimony had been transcribed, the said SOFIA MOOG had read to her by the said interpreter the same and affixed her signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
 Batangas Province, P.I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
 /t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

1st November, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
 /t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

The following witness having been interrogated by the Investigator-Examiners possesses knowledge of the facts set forth in the above statement:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Nationality</u>
Florencio Austria	20	Taysan, San Jose Batangas Province, P.I.	Filipino

R E S T R I C T E D

ROSENDA MOOG, after having been duly sworn testified at San Jose, Batangas Province, Luzon, P. I., on 30 October, 1945 as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality?

A Rosenda Moog, 20 years old, Taysan, San Jose, Batangas Province, Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Housekeeper.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address?

A Yes, I do.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment in the hands of the Japanese? If so, please relate it.

A Yes. On March 18, 1945, at about 8:30 in the morning, just after we, 25 persons in all, had taken our breakfast at the house of Nicomedes Ona, I saw about 40 Japanese soldiers coming. The said 40 Japanese soldiers came directly to the house where we were staying and encircled the house. I was one of the six persons who ran away as soon as we saw the Japanese coming. I was bayoneted when I pass the encirclement of the Japanese soldiers, the bayonet passing through my right thigh to the back. I was carrying my two year old son in my arms when I was hit and since I was concerned of his safety I continued to run even after being hit by the Japanese. I ran straight to our house in Banay-banay II and upon reaching it, I told the rest of my family of what happened. We immediately packed the few belongings that we could carry and then went to Taal Volcano. We stayed there for 36 hours while my wound was tended by a doctor from our barrio who happened to be in the same place.

Q Were there no Japanese soldiers in Taal Volcano?

A No, there were no Japanese in Taal Volcano. We stayed there for 1½ days until the Americans who were already in Lemery, Batangas Province took us from Taal Volcano, and brought us to their lines.

Q Do you know the names of any of this 40 Japanese soldiers that you saw?

A No sir, that was the first time I saw them.

Q Can you describe any of them?

A They were attired in Japanese uniforms while some were in civilian clothes. I did not notice their uniforms very much as we ran as soon as we saw them coming.

Q Can you describe their insignia?

A No, as I said I was too frightened to notice it.

Q Do you know to what unit or organization they belonged?

A No, I do not know sir.

Q Do you have any idea what provoked the Japanese to bayonet you and the rest of the other people?

A No sir, I have no idea why they bayoneted us. We were peaceful people.

/s/ R. M.

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Q I hand you Exhibit F and ask you what it is.
A It is a photograph of myself showing a scar on my back and right hip from bayonet wounds inflicted by the Japanese on me on 18 March, 1945 in San Jose, Batangas Province.

Q Have you anything further to add to your statement?
A No sir, I have nothing more to add.

Q

/s/ Rosenda Moog
/t/ ROSENDA MOOG

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, ROSANDA MOOG, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Rosenda Moog
/t/ ROSENDA MOOG

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC,
Investigating Officer,
War Crimes Investigating
Detachment

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES.)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, GUILLERMO F. MARIANO, residing at 96 Loreto, Sampaloc, Manila, being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing two pages, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed her signature thereto.

/s/ Guillermo F. Mariano
/t/ GUILLERMO F. MARIANO

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R E S T R I C T E D

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC,
Investigating Officer,
War Crimes Investigating
Detachment

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC, ASN 0249524, Investigating Officer, War Crimes Investigating Detachment, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC, ASN 01000484, Investigating Officer, War Crimes Investigating Detachment, certify that on 30th day of October 1945, personally appeared before us ROSENDA MOOG, and according to GUILLERMO F. MARIANO, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after her testimony had been transcribed, the said ROSENDA MOOG had read to her by the said interpreter the same and affixed her signature thereto in our presence.

San Jose, Batangas
Province, Luzon, P. I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC,
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

1st November 1945

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC.
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

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SATURNINO LORZANO, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 6 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Saturnino Lorzano, 38 years old, Barrio Banaybanay II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Merchant.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A No, but I lost my wife, Encarnacion Ona, age 38 and one child, Nelia Lorzano, age 6.

Q Please tell us exactly what happened relating to the killing of your wife and child.

A About eight o'clock in the morning of March 18, 1945, I went from the house of my father-in-law, Nicomedes Ona, age 60, in Banaybanay II, San Jose, Batangas Province, to get some food for my family. At about nine o'clock that same morning, I met someone, whose name I do not now remember, who told me that the Japanese were killing my family. I decided to get a companion and go back to my father-in-law's house. I found one Perfecto Villafando, age 27. We, two, went to the house of my father-in-law which is about 1½ kilometers west of the National Road. I arrived at the house at about 9:30 o'clock same morning.

I saw 14 persons, nine in the house and five beneath the house. They were all bayoneted to death. The nine dead persons in the house were: my father, Luis Moog, age 50; my mother, Dorotea de Moog, age 45; Nicomedes Ona, age 60; Maria Ona, age 30; Encarnacion Ona, my wife, age 37; Consolacion Atienza, age 22; Jose Ona, age 28; Rogelio Ona, age 5 and Eufemia Ona, age 37. The five dead persons under the house were: Lucinda Ona, age 50; Conchita Atienza, age 14; Regina Ona, age 50; Nelia Lorzano, my six-year old daughter and Librada Ona, age 7.

About two o'clock in the afternoon of that same day, Perfecto Villafando and I buried nine bodies, whose names and ages are among those I already mentioned, in our dugout. The rest were buried by their relatives in their respective dugouts.

There are five survivors of this massacre. They are Sofia Moog, age 23; Rosenda Moog, age 20; Paciano Hernandez, age 5; Catalina Endaya, age 80 and Jaime Lorzano, age 1. They are all from Barrio Banaybanay I, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., and of Filipino nationality.

Q Do you know the names of any of the Japanese responsible for this massacre?

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/s/ S. L.

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- A No, I was not an actual witness to the massacre.
- Q Do you know the unit or organization they belonged to?
- A No, as I have already said, I was not an actual witness to the massacre.
- Q Do you know what provoked the Japanese to commit this atrocity?
- A No.
- Q Have you anything further to add to this statement?
- A No.

/s/ Saturnino Lorzano
/t/ SATURNINO LORZANO

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) S"
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, SATURNINO LORZANO, being duly sworn on oath, state that I have read and understood the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of two (2) pages, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Saturnino Lorzano
/t/ SATURNINO LORZANO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of November, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Cap., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., 01000484, TC, certify that on 6th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us SATURNINO LORZANO, and gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said SATURNINO LORZANO read the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P. I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt.,
CAC

1st November, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON,
Capt., TC

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

R E S T R I C T E D

EGMIDIO PALMES, after having been duly sworn, testified at the Municipal Building of San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., on 6 October 1945, as follows:

Q Please state your full name, age, address and nationality.

A Egidio Palmes, 45 years old, Barrio Banaybanay II, San Jose, Batangas Province, P. I., Filipino.

Q What is your occupation?

A Farmer.

Q Do you intend to remain at your present address, and if not, how can your whereabouts in the future be ascertained?

A I intend to remain at my present address.

Q Did you suffer any mistreatment at the hands of the Japanese?

A No. However, it was sheer luck that I was not killed by them.

Q Please relate fully what happened.

A It was on March 26, 1945, about three o'clock in the afternoon, when Marceliano Ona, age 24, Mariano Ona, age 27 and I, all from the barrio of Banaybanay II, San Jose, Batangas Province, went along the National Road to give some bananas to the Americans. However, we could not see any Americans around:

We three went to the house of Miguel Macalinga along the National Road in Barrio Banaybanay II, to rest and wait for the Americans there. We had barely entered the gate when we heard the door downstairs open, followed by some Japanese words which we did not understand but whose import we could not mistake.

We all turned and fled. I heard shots. I managed to escape unscathed. Next day, March 27, 1945, I found the body of Marceliano Ona about ten meters from the house. He was shot on the back which went through the chest. I found the body of Mariano Ona four days later about seven meters from the house.

Q Do you know the names of any of these Japanese who shot your two companions?

A No, I did not see them. When I heard the door open, I did not look at it anymore, I just ran as fast as my legs could carry me.

Q Do you know what unit or organization they belonged to?

A No. As I said before I did not see those Japanese. I am sure that they were Japanese because I heard Japanese words being spoken behind the door and the shots came from the direction of the door downstairs.

Q Have you anything else to add to your statement?

A No.

/s/ Egidio Palmes
/t/ EGMIDIO PALMES

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PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, EGMIDIO PALMES, being duly sworn on oath, state that I had read to me and understood the translation of the foregoing transcription of my interrogation and all answers contained therein, consisting of one (1) page, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Egmidio Palmes
/t/ EGMIDIO PALMES

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES)
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS) SS
TOWN OF SAN JOSE)

I, ALFREDO CUEVAS, residing at 1369 Antipolo Street, Sampaloc, Manila, P. I., being duly sworn on oath, state that I truly translated the questions and answers given from English to Tagalog and from Tagalog to English respectively, and that after being transcribed, I truly translated the foregoing deposition containing one (1) page, to the witness; that the witness thereupon in my presence affixed his signature thereto.

/s/ Alfredo Cuevas
/t/ ALFREDO CUEVAS

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of October, 1945.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt. CAC
Investigating Officer, War Crimes
Investigating Detachment.

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C E R T I F I C A T E

We, ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., 0249524, CAC, and CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt. 01000484, TC, certify that on 6th day of October, 1945, personally appeared before us EGMIDIO PALMES, and according to ALFREDO CUEVAS, gave the foregoing answers to the several questions set forth therein; that after his testimony had been transcribed, the said EGMIDIO PALMES had read to him by the said interpreter the same and affixed his signature thereto in our presence.

Municipal Bldg., San Jose,
Batangas Province, P.I.

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

31 October, 1945.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Milton S. Seligman
1st Lt. Inf.

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List of dead of Filipino Civilans killed by Japanese - January, February and March, 1945 - Municipality of San Jose, Province of Batangas, P. I.

C E R T I F I C A T E

We certify that the following Exhibit is a true list of victims, killed by the Japanese in San Jose, Batangas, P. I., during January, February and March, 1945; that this list was obtained from the official list of victims prepared by the Municipal Mayor of San Jose.

/s/ Charles C. Thompson
/t/ CHARLES C. THOMPSON, Capt., TC

/s/ Allen H. Peoples
/t/ ALLEN H. PEOPLES, Capt., CAC

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MUNICIPALITY OF SAN JOSE *
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JAPANESE ATROCITIES, SAN JOSE, BATANGAS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Date</u>
1. Venancio Remo	40	M	Poblacion	Atty&Mun Mayor	Jan. 27 '45
2. Vicente Frandi	55	M	Poblacion	Parish Priest	Jan. 27 '45
3. Jose Talag	28	M	Poblacion	Clk of Court	Jan. 27 '45
4. Lorenzo Maralit	48	M	Poblacion	Doctor	Feb. 28 '45
5. Victorino Paez	20	M	Poblacion	Laborer	Feb. 22, '45
1. Sancho Atienza	50	M	Taysan	Farmer	Feb. 22 '45
2. Agapita Hidalgo	45	F	Taysan	Housekeeper	
3. Sixto Atienza	32	M	Taysan	Laborer	
4. Lucita Atienza	27	F	Taysan	Housekeeper	
5. Eulogio Atienza	18	M	Taysan	Laborer	
6. Pedro Atienza	14	M	Taysan	None	
7. Leonarda Atienza	14	F	Taysan	Housekeeper	
8. Marcelino Atienza	11	M	Taysan	None	
9. Dionisia Atienza	4	F	Taysan	None	
10. Locita de Silva	8	F	Taysan	None	
11. Bregida de Silva	2	F	Taysan	None	
1. Roman Umali	69	M	Lapolapo I	Prop.	Feb. 14 '45
2. Florentino Umali	17	M	Lapolapo I	Student	
3. Diosdado Aquino	34	M	Lapolapo I	Draftsman	
4. Toribio Vale	57	M	Lapolapo I	Farmer	
5. Nicolas Laroza	30	M	Lapolapo I	Farmer	
6. Pascual Magnaye	60	M	Lapolapo I	Farmer	
7. Tomas Hernandez	80	M	Lapolapo I	Farmer	
8. Delfin Ona	37	M	Lapolapo I	Farmer	
9. Cerelino Macalinalao	26	M	Lapolapo I	Laborer	
10. Teodoro Macalinalao	24	M	Lapolapo I	Laborer	
11. Anselmo Alabastro	45	M	Lapolapo I	Merchant	
12. Eutequio Alabastro	20	M	Lapolapo I	Merchant	
13. Felipe Alabastro	18	M	Lapolapo I	Merchant	
1. Paulino Villanueva	60	M	Lapolapo II	Farmer	Feb. 14 '45
2. Valariano Malata	60	M	Lapolapo II	Farmer	
3. Teoderico Hernandez	65	M	Lapolapo II	Farmer	
4. Galicano Hocbo	30	M	Lapolapo II	Merchant	
5. Filomeno Remo	27	M	Lapolapo II	Farmer	
6. Roman Remo	3	M	Lapolapo II	None	
7. Lucio Quizon	30	M	Lapolapo II	Laborer	
8. Vicente Quizon	17	M	Lapolapo II	Laborer	
9. Gerado Limbo	23	M	Lapolapo II	Laborer	
10. Jose Mendoza	14	M	Lapolapo II	None	
11. Adriano Guce	55	M	Lapolapo II	Laborer	
12. Antonio Guce	14	M	Lapolapo II	None	
13. Filipe Villanueva	31	M	Lapolapo II	Farmer	Jan. 24 '45
14. Miguel Ilagan	37	M	Lapolapo II	Farmer	
15. Teofilo Ilagan	40	M	Lapolapo II	Farmer	
16. Martin Pasia	43	M	Lapolapo II	Farmer	
1. Alfredo Suarez			Anus		
1. Marciano Ona	27	M	Banaybanay I	Student	Mar. '45
2. Marcelino Ona	24	M	Banaybanay I	Farmer	
3. Leocadio Mercado	65	M	Banaybanay I	Farmer	
4. Rosario Aguila	50	F	Banaybanay I	Housekeeper	
5. Genoveva Custodio	85	F	Banaybanay I	Housekeeper	

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Date</u>
1. Nicomedes Ona	60	M	Banaybanay II	Prop.	Mar. 18 '45
2. Lucinda Ona	50	F	Banaybanay II	Housekeeper	
3. Encarnacion Ona	37	F	Banaybanay II	Housekeeper	
4. Maria Ona	30	F	Banaybanay II	Housekeeper	
5. Eufemia Ona	37	F	Banaybanay II	Merchant	
6. Jose Ona	28	M	Banaybanay II	None	
7. Librada Ona	7	F	Banaybanay II	None	
8. Rogelio Ona	5	M	Banaybanay II	None	
9. Helia Lursano	5	F	Banaybanay II	None	
10. Luis Moog	50	M	Banaybanay II	Farmer	
11. Dorotea de Moog	45	F	Banaybanay II	Housekeeper	
12. Megina Ona	50	F	Banaybanay II	Housekeeper	
13. Conchita Atienza	14	F	Banaybanay II	Housekeeper	
14. Jose Marasigan	80	M	Banaybanay II	None	
15. Concepcion Atienza	12	F	Banaybanay II	Housekeeper	
16. Amado Lasin	18	M	Banaybanay II	Farmer	
17. Wensislao Mayo	58	M	Banaybanay II	Farmer	
1. Genaro Rodriguez	38	M	Lunil	Farmer	
2. Francisco Rodriguez	30	M	Lunil	Farmer	
3. Angel Remo	38	M	Lunil	R.R. Engr	
4. Andres Pena	39	M	Lunil	Farmer	
5. Andres Matibag	37	M	Lunil	Farmer	
6. Fructoso Rodriguez	20	M	Lunil	Laborer	
7. Pedro Atienza	35	M	Lunil	Farmer	
1. Julian Luna	45	M	Balagtasin	Farmer	
2. Dionisio Atienza	20	M	Balagtasin	Farmer	Mar. 4 '45
3. Apolonio Carandang	65	M	Balagtasin	Farmer	
4. Anaceto Carandang	18	M	Balagtasin	Farmer	
5. Pedro Carandang	22	M	Balagtasin	Farmer	
1. Fructoso Guce	50	M	Piagtungulan	Farmer	
2. Leopoldo Mendoza	58	M	Piagtungulan	Farmer	
3. Inocensio Laroza	50	M	Piagtungulan	Farmer	
4. Victorio Ada	44	M	Piagtungulan	Farmer	
5. Crespin Macasaet	30	M	Piagtungulan	Farmer	
6. Estanislao Guce	30	M	Piagtungulan	Farmer	
7. Lauro Pentoy	52	M	Piagtungulan	Farmer	
8. Simeon Briones	20	M	Piagtungulan	Merchant	
9. Arcadio Briones	30	M	Piagtungulan	Merchant	Feb. 4 '45
1. Cerelino Sarmiento	48	M	Galamay-Amo	Farmer	
1. Esteban Perada	40	M	Sabang	Farmer	
2. Hilarion Magracia	40	M	Sabang	Farmer	Mar. 3 '45
3. Melicio Patron	32	M	Sabang	Farmer	
4. Regalado Ilao		M	Sabang	Laborer	
1. Ceriaco Minavedes	70	M	Taysan	None	
2. Ruby Minavedes	65	F	Taysan	None	Mar. 18 '45
3. Rufino Manalo	35	M	Taysan	Laborer	
1. Flora Gonzales	50	F	Calansayan	Housekeeper	Mar. 18 '45
2. Manuela Minas	60	F	Calansayan	Housekeeper	
3. Marcelo Caguimbal	25	M	Calansayan	Laborer	
1. Maria Morundan	45	F	Bigain I	Housekeeper	
1. Lino Mendoza	27	M	Bigain II	Farmer	
2. Aniano Morales	28	M	Bigain II	Farmer	
3. Moises Carandang	32	M	Bigain II	Farmer	
1. Vicente de Castro	27	M	Aya	Farmer	
2. Alfredo Flores	27	M	Aya	Farmer	
1. Miguel Dimaano	17	M	Salaban	Farmer	Jan. 20 '45

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