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6 MAY 1931

Guardia patrol returned to Jinotega (CA) from El Horno.

Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol cleared Jinotega for Halfway patrol to Matagalpa.

Colonel Smith, Captain Rosecrans and guardia arrived Jinotega (CA) from Matagalpa.

Lieut Alexander and La Concordia (CA) guardia patrol cleared La Concordia for and arrived San Rafael. Cleared San Rafael and returned to La Concordia.

Captain Fricke and Yali (CA) guardia patrol cleared San Rafael for and arrived Yali.

Lieut Martin and guardia patrol arrived Matagalpa (CA) from Buena Vista.

Dario (CA) guardia patrol cleared Dario for Espangual on police mission.

Dario (CA) guardia patrol cleared Dario for and arrived Terrabona.

Lieut Navarette and guardia patrol cleared Esquipulas (CA) for and arrived San Dionisio. Cleared San Dionisio and returned to Esquipulas.

Lieut Elliott and guardia patrol cleared Matagalpa (CA) for and arrived San Isidro.

Lieut McGhee and Corinto Finca (CA) guardia patrol cleared Corinto Finca on patrol to the Coyolar Area.

7 MAY 1931

Lieut Stanko and Pataste (NA) guardia patrol returned from border with one prisoner and one shot-gun.

Lieut Coffman and Pataste (NA) guardia patrol cleared Pataste and arrived Somoto with one prisoner.

Lieut Hamas, Lieut Truesdale and Condega (NA) guardia patrol cleared to investigate report of bandit camp near Plazuela.

Lieut Brauer and Palacaguina (NA) guardia patrol cleared Palacaguina for Plazuela.

Lieut Satterfield and San Juan de Telpaneca (NA) guardia patrol arrived Apali from San Juan.

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Lieut Johnson and Jalapa (NA) guardia patrol cleared Jalapa to investigate burning of Hacienda Jauli and robbing of houses in Los Encinoos; bandits were members of group from Honduras, Jefe unknown; patrol followed trail to Murra; arrived Apali.

Captain Sims and Quilali (NA) guardia patrol cleared Jicaro and arrived Apali.

Captain Holdahl and Somoto (NA) guardia patrol cleared Somoto for vicinity of Cacao and returned.

Lieut McGorkle and Somoto (NA) guardia patrol cleared Somoto for vicinity of Cacao and returned.

Lieut Broderick and Macuelizo (NA) guardia patrol cleared Macuelizo for vicinity of Cacao and arrived Somoto.

Lieut Klein and Yalaguina (NA) guardia patrol arrived Somoto from Cacao.

Captain Good and Ocotal (NA) guardia patrol, with 3 prisoners, arrived Ocotal from Cacao.

Lieut Welsz and Santa Maria (NA) guardia patrol returned to Santa Maria from Ocotal.

Lieut Trosper and Totogalpa (NA) guardia patrol cleared Totogalpa for Cacao. Returned with two prisoners.

Captain McQueen and Somotillo (NA) guardia patrol cleared Somotillo for Villa Nueva.

Somotego (CA) guardia patrol returned to Jinotega from halfway patrol to Matagalpa.

Somotillo (NA) guardia patrol cleared Somotillo for area northwest.

Lieut Prieb and guardia patrol cleared Jinotega (CA) for La Fundadora and vicinity.

Lieut Gale and Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol cleared Jinotega on combat mission.

Lieut Gutierrez and Corinto Finca (CA) guardia patrol cleared on police mission to Cuyali area. Returned with 1 prisoner.

Lieut Flippo and guardia patrol cleared Muy Muy (CA) for La Pineda; returned to Muy Muy.

Lieut Martin cleared Matagalpa (CA) for Juigalpa (Chontales).

Guardia patrol returned to Dario (CA) from Espangual.

8 MAY 1931

Lieut Alexander and La Concordia (CA) guardia patrol returned to La Concordia. Patrolled areas of Yapali, Zapote, Namanji, Cerro Colorado, Buena Vista and Coyolito. Picked up trail of a group in Namanji and followed it to Coyolito where trail was completely lost.

Guardia patrol returned to Chinandega from Traponia, Santa Rosa and El Realijo. Nothing to report.

Chinandega guardia patrol cleared for La Garcia finca and vicinity. Returned with two captured krag rifles.

Captain E. A. Craig, Department Commander, cleared Chinandega for Corinto on temporary duty.

Leon guardia cleared Leon on patrol near Telica area. Returned with 1 civil prisoner.

Guardia patrol cleared Leon for Quezalque area. Returned with one civil prisoner.

Lieut Coffman and pataste (NA) guardia patrol cleared Somoto for Pataste.

Lieut Broderick and Macuelizo (NA) guardia patrol cleared Somoto for Macuelizo.

Lieut Munoz and Telpaneca (NA) guardia patrol cleared Ocotal for Telpaneca.

Lieut Johnson and Jalapa (NA) guardia patrol cleared Apali for Jalapa.

Lieut Brauer and Palacaguina (NA) guardia patrol returned to Palacaguina from Zapote, Plazuela and La Majada. Joined Condega patrol and destroyed bandit camp of five houses in La Majada.

Lieut Jackson and guardia patrol cleared Jalapa (NA) for and arrived Apali.

Captain Sims and Quilali (NA) guardia patrol cleared Apali for and arrived Jicaro.

Lieut Bilbrey and Pueblo Nuevo (NA) guardia patrol cleared Pueblo Nuevo for vicinity of Hatillo and returned with five prisoners.

Villa Nueva (NA) guardia patrol cleared Villa Nueva for Zazation to investigate report of Honduran rebels in that vicinity.

Captain McQueen and Somotillo (NA) guardia patrol cleared Villa Nueva for Somotillo.

Lieut Klein and Yalaguina (NA) guardia patrol cleared Somoto for and arrived Yalaguina with 1 prisoner captured at Cerro Grande and wanted on charge of murder.

Lieut Hamaa, Lieut Truesdale and Condega (NA) guardia patrol returned to Condega from Plazuela, Calcuna and San Diego area. Joined Palacaguina patrol and destroyed and abandoned bandit camp near La Majada.

Captain Rosecrans and Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol cleared Jinotega for aviation field. Returned to Jinotega.

Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol cleared Jinotega for halfway to Corinto Finca. Lieut Gutierrez and Corinto Finca (CA) guardia patrol cleared for halfway to Jinotega. Patrols met and each returned to home stations.

Lieut Gale and Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol returned to Jinotega. Nothing to report.

Lieut Ashbrook and Sajonia (CA) guardia patrol arrived Corinto Finca from Sajonia. Cleared for Sajonia.

Lieut McGhee and Corinto Finca (CA) guardia patrol returned to Corinto Finca from combat patrol. Patrolled the areas Quebrada, Borda del Tuma, Zapotal, San Ramon and San Geronimo. Reported the area quiet.

Having received information that a group of bandits were in the Colon Valley, Lieut Alexander and La Concordia (CA) guardia patrol cleared La Concordia to investigate.

San Ramon (CA) guardia patrol cleared San Ramon for and arrived Matagalpa. Cleared Matagalpa and returned to San Ramon.

Guardia patrol cleared Matagalpa (CA) for Navarro.

9 May, 1931.

Lieut Schuler and guardia cleared Chinandega to patrol all roads leading to Chinandega. Returned with two captured cutting weapons.

Lieut Spart and guardia cleared Leon for Rota. Returned to Leon.

Captain Sims and Quilali (NA) guardia patrol cleared Jicaro for Quilali.

Lieut Satterfield, Lieut Gedney and San Juan de Telpaneca (NA) guardia patrol cleared Ocotal for San Juan.

Lieut Kipp and Totogalpa (NA) guardia patrol cleared Totogalpa for and arrived Ocotal.

Santa Maria (NA) guardia patrol cleared Santa Maria for Ococona and returned to Santa Maria.

Lieut Barueffy and Dipilto (NA) guardia patrol cleared Dipilto for and arrived Ocotal.

Lieut Griffith and guardia patrol, with 1 civil prisoner, cleared Apali (NA) for and arrived Ocotal.

Lieut Prieb and Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol returned to Jinotega from Fundadora and vicinity.

La Concordia (CA) guardia patrol cleared La Concordia for and arrived San Rafael. Cleared San Rafael and returned to La Concordia.

Guardia patrol cleared Matagalpa for and arrived Darion.

Lieut Ragsdale and La Pineda (CA) guardia patrol arrived Muy Muy from La Pineda.

May 10

Captain Fricke and Yali (CA) guardia cleared Yali at 10.10 AM on information that a small group were operating two miles northeast of Yali. At 11.15 AM had contact, lasting 15 minutes, with a group of bandits located on a hill and who used rifles and bombs. The bandits fled and the Guardia pursued and regained contact. The bandits fled and scattered in all directions. No guardia casualties. Bandit casualties two known wounded.

Captain Sims and Quilali (NA) guardia patrol returned to Quilali from Jicaro.

Lieut Martinez and Daraili (NA) guardia patrol cleared Daraili to investigate firing heard in direction of Yali. Two bombs heard and about five minutes of automatic rifle fire. (Probably Captain Fricke's contact).

Guardia patrol cleared El Sauce (NA) for Santa Rosa to investigate report of bandits in that vicinity.

Lieut Stanko and Pataste (NA) guardia patrol arrived Limay from Pataste.

Lieut Berueffy and Dipilto (NA) guardia patrol cleared Ocotal for and arrived Dipilto.

Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol cleared Jinotega for halfway to Matagalpa. Matagalpa guardia patrol cleared for halfway to Jinotega. Patrols met and returned to regular stations.

At 3.55 A.M. one shot fired just north of Yali (CA). At 4.00 A.M. one bomb fired on the north outskirts; opened with bursts of Browning machine gun, other BMG opened on sight of flashlight to the south. Lieut Matamoras and Yali guardia patrol cleared at 5.00 A.M. to the north to investigate. Returned at 6.00 A.M., found place where bomb was exploded. At 6.50 A.M. same patrol cleared on combat patrol to the west.

Lieut Martinez and Daraili (NA) guardia patrol arrived Yali (CA) from Daraili.

Lieut Schmierer and guardia patrol arrived Matagalpa (CA) from Managua.

Lieut Ragsdale and guardia cleared Muy Muy (C.) from Matagalpa and arrived.

Guardia cleared Matagalpa (CA) for Navarro.

Lieut Pulver and guardia patrol cleared Matagalpa (CA) for Las Lajas, Algovia and Navarro.

Captain Puller, Lieut Lee and Central Area roving patrol had contact at 10.00 A.M., one league from junction Gusanera and Cua rivers with group of 4 armed men coming up the river in canoes. No guardia casualties. Bandit casualties two killed; captured 2 shotguns, 5 shells, 2 cutchas and other small articles. These men were on foraging expedition; patrol hit main camp about two hours later, occupied by about 15 men who deserted it upon arrival of patrol.

11 MAY 1931

Guardia patrol from Chontales with hacienda inspector discovered two armed bandits near Acoyapa on main trail. Guardia captured 2 horses, 19 rounds of Krag ammunition and one rifle. Bandits did not return fire of the guardia.

Guardia Patrol arrived Chinandega from El Viejo with one prisoner.

Chinandega guardia patrol cleared Chinandega for Santa Teresa to make an arrest. Patrol returned to Chinandega.

Lieut Spart and Leon guardia patrol cleared Leon on combat patrol to Santa Rosa.

Lieut Spencer cleared Leon for Managua.

Leon guardia patrol cleared Leon with 13 prisoners for Mateare on request of Minister de Gobernacion and order of the Criminal Judge of Mateare.

Lieut Ross and Quilali (NA) guardia patrol cleared Quilali for Los Cruces. Returned to Quilali, nothing to report.

Lieut Hamas and Condega (NA) guardia patrol cleared Condega and arrived Pueblo Nuevo.

El Sauce (NA) guardia patrol returned to El Sauce from Santa Rosa with 1 prisoner.

Lieut Munoz and Telpaneca (NA) guardia patrol cleared Telpaneca for San Juan de Telpaneca.

Guardia patrol cleared Ocotal (NA) for Macuelizo.

Captain Good and Ocotal (NA) guardia patrol cleared Ocotal, with District Judge, for Mosonte and returned to Ocotal.

Lieut Griffith, Lieut Kipp and Totogalpa (NA) guardia cleared Ocotal and arrived Totogalpa.

Captain Davies, Lieut Hamas and guardia patrol cleared Pueblo Nuevo (NA) and arrived Ocotal.

Lieut Stanko and Pataste (NA) guardia patrol cleared Limay for Pataste and arrived.

Captain Arnett, Lieut Fox and Esteli (NA) guardia patrol cleared Esteli for El Sauce.

Guardia patrol cleared Jincaro (NA) for and arrived Apali.

Lieut Hancock and Telpaneca (NA) guardia patrol cleared Telpaneca for Achiote and returned to Telpaneca. Nothing to report.

Lieut German and Matagalpa (CA) guardia cleared for half-way to Jinotega. Jinotega guardia patrol cleared for halfway to Matagalpa. Patrols met. Lieut German joined Jinotega patrol and with it cleared for Jinotega. Matagalpa patrol returned to home station.

Lieut Prieb and Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol cleared for aviation fields. Returned to Jinotega.

Lieut Gale and Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol cleared Jinotega on combat mission to the north.

Captain Power, Lieut Gutierrez and Corinto finca (CA) guardia patrol cleared Corinto Finca on combat mission.

Lieut Matamoras and Yali (CA) guardia patrol cleared Yali on combat patrol to La Pavona area.

Lieut Martinez and Darailil (NA) guardia patrol cleared Yali (CA) in the direction of Las Nubes and Daraili.

Lieut Elliott and San Isidro (CA) guardia patrol cleared San Isidro on combat mission.

Lieut Ledbetter and guardia patrol cleared Consuelo (CA) for Buena Vista.

Captain McAfee cleared Dario (CA) for Matagalpa. Cleared Matagalpa for and arrived Dario.

Esquipulas (CA) guardia patrol cleared Esquipulas for Palo Colorado on police mission.

12 MAY 1931

Lieut Krebs and guardia patrol arrived Comalapa (Chontales) and cleared for and arrived Boaco.

Lieut Morse cleared Juigalpa for Puerto Diaz and San Carlos.

Chinandega guardia patrol cleared Chinandega for El Viejo and vicinity; returned with one captured pistol.

Chinandega guardia patrol cleared Chinandega for San Jarenimo to make an arrest. Returned with one prisoner.

Jicaro (NA) guardia patrol cleared Apali and arrived Jicaro.

Lieut Munoz and Telpaneca (NA) guardia patrol cleared San Juan de Telpaneca and returned to Telpaneca.

Lieut Brown and Yalaguina (NA) guardia patrol cleared Yalaguina for a point north of Moncada's ranch.

Captain Arnett, Lieut Fox and Esteli (NA) guardia patrol cleared El Sauce for Villa Nueva.

Limay (NA) guardia patrol cleared Limay for Regadillo.

Captain Rosocrans and Jinotega (CA) guardia patrol cleared Jinotega for aviation field. Returned to Jinotega.

Lieut Ragsdale and guardia patrol cleared Matagalpa (CA) for Navarro.

San Ramon (CA) guardia patrol cleared San Ramon for and arrived Matagalpa. Returned to San Ramon.

Guardia patrol arrived Matagalpa (CA) from Navarro.

Lieut Elliott and San Isidro (CA) guardia patrol returned to San Isidro from combat patrol to the Colonel Valley. Reports that area very quiet.

Lieut Atha arrived Matagalpa (CA) from Managua.

Lieut Martin arrived Matagalpa from Chontales.

13 MAY 1931

Lieut Brown and Yalaguina (NA) guardia patrol returned to Yalaguina. Nothing to report.

Lieut Klein and Yalaguina (NA) guardia patrol cleared Yalaguina and arrived Totogalpa.

Lieut Rodriguez and Palacaguina (NA) guardia patrol cleared Palacaguina and arrived Totogalpa.

Lieut Stanko and Pataste (NA) guardia patrol cleared Pataste for and arrived Somoto.

Lieut Klein, Lieut Rodriguez and guardia patrol cleared Totogalpa and arrived Ocotal (NA).

Lieut Berueffy and Dipilto (NA) guardia patrol cleared Dipilto and arrived Ocotal.

Lieut Vogel and Jalapa (NA) guardia patrol cleared Jalapa for and arrived Apali.

Captain Davies, Lieut Hamas, Lieut Titsworth and guardia patrol cleared Ocotal (NA) and arrived Pueblo Nuevo.

Limay (NA) guardia patrol returned to Limay from Regadillo. Nothing to report.

La Trinidad (NA) guardia patrol cleared La Trinidad for and arrived Esteli.

Lieut Cobb and La Trinidad (NA) guardia patrol cleared La Trinidad for Santa Cruz and returned to La Trinidad.

Lieut Smith and Esteli (NA) guardia patrol cleared Esteli for La Gartillo.

Lieut Bell and Limay (NA) guardia patrol cleared Limay for La Gartillo.

Captain McQueen and Somotillo (NA) guardia patrol cleared Somotillo for La Gartillo.



Leon guardia patrol cleared Leon on patrol, accompanying a Nicaraguan property owner to Hato Grande and El Convento Areas. Patrol returned to Leon. No incidents to report.

Chinandega guardia patrol cleared Chinandega for Valle El Espabelar and vicinity. Returned with one prisoner, 1 captured pistol and 1 cutacha.

Captain Maynard, Licut Bryson, Licut Barillas and San Rafael del Norte (CA) guardia returned to San Rafael from Combat patrol.

Licut Matamoras and Yali (CA) guardia patrol returned to Yali. Patrol covered the areas Tamagas, Ocotalio, Coyolar, Quebrada Grande, La Pavona, Los Bañaderos, La Garita, Los Culumpias, Los Pacalayes and El Garrion. Patrol lost trail of bandits in mountains beyond La Pavona.

Guardia patrol cleared San Dionisio (CA) for and arrived Matagalpa.

La Pineda (CA) guardia patrol cleared La Pineda for and arrived Matagalpa.

Guardia patrol cleared Consuelo for Navarro.

Consuelo (CA) guardia patrol cleared Consuelo for Navarro.

Captain McAfee and guardia patrol arrived Darion (CA) from Terrabona.

Navarro (CA) guardia patrol arrived Matagalpa from Navarro.

Muy Muy (CA) guardia patrol cleared Muy Muy for Mal Paso on police mission.

Licut Bell and Limay (NA) guardia patrol had contact with a group of bandits at La Gartillo driving bandits out of camp. No other details yet.

Licut Hutchcroft and San Francisco (NA) guardia patrol had contact with bandit group under Jose Leon Diaz near El Salto four leagues northeast of Jocotal. Bandit group estimated as 80 men and had three machine guns. Guardia drove the bandits out, pursued them and gained contact with them again near Jocotillo north east of Jocotal. Bandit casualties; six known killed. One guardia received a slight wound in face.

Captain McQueen and Somotillo (NA) guardia heard firing of the second Hutchcroft contact and headed in that direction. On arrival Jocotillo bandits opened fire from a house, shouting "Viva Sandino, Ortez and Diaz". The guardia patrol drove the bandits from their position. Bandit casualties: three known killed. One guardia shot through the right knee.

14 MAY 1931

Chinandega guardia patrol cleared Chinandega for Las Merceries and vicinity.

15 MAY 1931

A group, estimated as 100, under Ortez and Blas Gonzales, attacked the town and guardia post of Palacaguina at 1.55 A.M. Fight lasted until 4.15 A.M. Bandits employed machine guns, rifle grenades, hand grenades, rifles and pistols. Dressed in guardia clothing with red and black emblems. Several houses damaged by bombs and rifle fire. Quarters slightly damaged by grenades. Bandit casualties several killed and wounded. No guardia casualties. Palacaguina guardia patrols patrolled each side of town after attack was repulsed. The bandit group split, one part going towards Cusmaje and the other towards Rio Grande. Guardia patrols took up the pursuit.

Lieut Kipp and Lieut Brown with combined guardia patrol from Palacaguina and yalaguina had contact with a group under Chavarria at Rio Grande at 6.30 A.M. One bandit killed. No guardia casualties. The guardia captured 1 krag rifle, six rounds of ammunition, 2 bombs, 1 mule and recovered about \$250.00 worth of goods stolen from the merchants of Palacaguina. Bandits scattered and contact could not be regained.

The following report covers a patrol made by Captain W. Elmore, G.N., and Apali (NA) guardia patrol:

Apali, 4 May 1931.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE AREA COMMANDER:

In re patrol in Zapotillal (previously reported by radio)

1. Left Jicaro afternoon of Tuesday, April 28th, and camped that night at El Golfo on Almorzadero River. Cleared next morning, going up the Almorzadero for a league. Crossed Camino Real 1 league from Jicarito and proceeded to Jicaro River. After a rest patrolled for 4 hours through Guapinol, and camped that night on Jicaro River. Camped night of Thursday on Jicaro River about 1.1/2 leagues above mouth of Murra River, having patrolled well in from the right bank of the Jicaro during the day. Camped Friday night on Jicaro River two leagues from Jicarito, having patrolled during that day a narrow strip on both sides of the river from mouth of Murra River to camp site. Returned to Jicaro Saturday, having patrolled further the sides of the river.

2. My plan with Capt Kelly was to patrol the rectangle bounded by the Santa Clara river-Jicaro River-Zapotillal-Las Cruces Trail- and Las Cruces-Jicaro Trail. I did not arrive in this area until 1100 Wednesday, and after becoming aware of the scarcity of water in that section I stayed conveniently near to the Jicaro River, although at times getting farther away from it than I suspected. In general, that part of the rectangle along the Las Cruces-Jicaro trail, which was my section, was neglected. I operated near Capt Kelly's route on Wednesday, and followed his trail for two hours on Thursday.

3. There was plenty of evidence of people living in the entire section patrolled by me - trapiches - occupied houses, remains of butchered cattle, hide curing racks, occupied houses, lavanderias in the river bottom, etc. The whole area was burned off and cleared in many places, corn fields from which all corn was gathered were numerous. There were 4 fires burning on Santa Ana Ridge, and what appeared to be 2 fires on the west slope of Chipote, although the view was not good. One trapiche found near Zapotillal was apparently in daily use.

4. Two men were seen in one house, apparently watching the trail over which I approached, as they saw at once, although I had approached over a badly overgrown trail. All valuables had already been hidden in the bushes near the house. The only other people seen were six armed men on Friday (the following day), who were going down the Jicaro river with great caution. One man was the point, and the group halted at each bend and carefully observed the front. Evidently the presence of the patrols in the area had upset them and I presume that they were getting out temporarily. A lot of promiscuous firing was done with no result, the group firing three or four shots in return, probably the one charged in their shotguns, one of which was discharged in flight. No signs of any professional bandits were seen. Such a group could maintain themselves in this area almost indefinitely, if not too large, and I believe without the information trickling out to the Guardia. This is the worst area I have encountered yet for patrolling, due to the lack of guides with a knowledge of the terrain, the scarcity of water (at the present time), and the natural

obstacles of the terrain. There are no occasional easy stretches to rest up on. If it is ever desirable to clean it out I believe the best idea would be to keep one patrol in there for a month, having four patrols operate for a week at a time, and starting off on successive weeks at the four corners after a few more rains. The patrols could not stay in their corners without better guides than we had, but I believe the gente would clear out. Kelly's idea is that 4 patrols operating at the same time would be better. The Jicaro River is apparently constantly used as a route to some place, probably Santa Ana or Chipote, but by not more than two or three persons at a time. This is an easy route to Chipote for a barefoot man and there is nothing to indicate that any more people are now on Chipote than usual. My guess is 20 of all ages and sexes and all harmless.

Respectfully,

/s/ Willett Elmore,  
Capt. G.N.

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#### M I S C E L L A N E O U S

All Marines have now been withdrawn from the Northern and Central Areas, all posts having been taken over by the Guardia.

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#### P E R S O N N E L

Captain S. B. O'Neill, commanding the Department of Granddad and Masaya, arrived Managua May 9, 1931 from Granddad.

Captain F. M. Howard, Commanding the Department of Chontaloz arrived Managua from Juigalpa on May 10, 1931.

Captain E. L. Burwell cleared Managua by plane on May 11, 1931 for Ocotal for duty in the Northern Area.

Captain R. Skinner arrived Managua from Jinotega on May 13, 1931.

Major H. L. Boone cleared Managua for Corinto on May 13, 1931 en route to U. S. on leave.

Captain J. P. Schwerin cleared Managua for Corinto on May 13, 1931 en route to U. S. on leave.

Captain L. E. Rea arrived Managua on May 14, 1931 by plane from Corinto, having arrived from the U. S. for duty in the guardia.

Captain J. A. Nixon arrived Managua on May 14, 1931 by plane from Corinto, having arrived from the U. S. for duty in the guardia.

Lieut Klein arrived Managua from Ocotal by plane on May 13, 1931.

Lieut O. M. McCoown (MC) arrived Managua from Jinotega for duty on 15 May, 1931.

: THE END :