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#### The Seeds of Truth

and grew into

sour roselle

leaves.

After the shooting I moved from house to house - friends of my father's youth - along the invisible borders - sheltered by tribes I'd always thought barbarians they shared their measly rice full of broken grains and unhusked shells with me nothing but fish sauce smelling to high heaven - chillies and boiled vines off the trees on that long trek always only momentarily safe the seeds - clung to the edges - of my black and purple striped Kachin longyi now I am finally free these seeds finally disengaged themselves

TIBET CHINA Mandala (Alyab) THAILAND · Preparis Island . Coch libral Gulf of Thailand "Dacoit" is the term in Burma for a bandit or gangster.

by Kyi May Kaung, from "Pelted with Petals: The Burmese Poems" Intertext 1996

#### Introduction

Recently, the author of the new historical work, <u>Hitler's Willing Executioners</u>, commented on the Nazis' use of Jews and other persecuted peoples for forced labor. They weren't used in really efficient ways, he said, they were just worked to death, relentlessly, sadisticly. This comes to mind while reading the hundredth or two hundredth account of army porters in Burma being denied a mere drink of water from a stream. If the point of capturing civilians is to use them to carry your heavy gear, why weaken them from thirst when water costs nothing? The aim of the army in Burma seems also to be to use people up, to kill them off one way or another. It seems that civilian slaves are Burma's ultimate "renewable resource" — there are always more available to fuel whatever development projects or military campaigns the State Law and Order Restoration Council — SLORC — wants to set in motion.

Year after year, the SLORC's horror becomes more complete, the military regime a profitable corporation built on the labor and death of millions. We can read Art Spiegelman's Maus books, or view Schindler's List and feel that Auschwitz is somehow remote in time — yet it exists again in Burma. From an Amnesty International report of September 1995, a source not included in this report, come these bare statistics about a few labor camps in Burma: Kabaw Valley — "reported 300 died from first group of 500; a reported 200 died from second group"; Ywangan-Hanmyinmo Road — "400 prisoners reportedly died within one month"; Taungzun/Mopalin Quarry — "a reported 30% of prisoners have died"; Shwenyaung-Namsan Road — "400 prisoners died in four months."

Buddhists or Baptists may have a vision of a Hell after death, in some other dimension, but a casual skim over the pages which follow will show how Hell exists now in a place called Pa'an. And in many another district of Burma. And it is presided over by the armed forces of the SLORC, with the business partnership of our own countries. Pa'an is not remote. It is as near as our Unocal or Nippon gas station, as near as our Mitsui or Daewoo office, as near as our travel agency or Pepsi distributor. As long as international funds flow to the SLORC, we will live with the SLORC, and the people of Burma will die with it.

This report is the sequel to a February 1994 report by Project Maje,
"A Swamp Full of Lilies: Human Rights Violations Committed by Units/Personnel
of Burma's Army, 1992-1993". It continues the methodology and format of that
report, in listing incidents summarized from a range of documentation where the
units and/or personnel committing human rights violations were cited. One change
from the 1994 report is the amount of incidents. They have more than doubled in
number. This is partly due to more detailed documentation, but it also indicates
that the SLORC is riding roughshod over more of Burma than before. Some abuse
takes place in the context of large military campaigns; much of it happens in
areas of complete SLORC control where the population is exploited to death for
the economic gain of the military regime.

The Kachin State, well documented in the 1994 report, is missing from this report. While the Kachin Independence Organization and related groups have continued to collect documentation of SLORC abuses in their state, they have not been releasing their reports to the outside world, presumably constrained from doing so by their shaky but prevailing ceasefire arrangement with the SLORC. Eventually that body of documentation will become available to present the whole picture of events in northern Burma during 1994-95. Conspicuous by the amount and viciousness of incidents in which they were involved in this report's time period, are the various battalions stationed in the region of Total/Unocal's gas pipeline project, the Tenasserim (Tavoy, Ye Pyu area). This particular onslaught against the indigenous civilian population has been (and continues to be) instigated at the behest of SLORC's foreign corporate partners for the purpose of securing the route for a pipeline scheme designed to line SLORC's khaki pockets with billions in hard cash.

The courage of the sources of this documentation must be praised. They alone ensure that a death on a mountainside, a teenager's humilitation by uniformed rapists, a village disappearing off the map, will not take place unknown, un-noticed. They make sure that SLORC, Unocal, Total, will never be able to plead ignorance of events in some final accounting. The witnesses and survivors, the roving monitors and recorders, have put themselves in danger by speaking out to us, and they are also the SLORC's ultimate enemy. Groups like the exemplary Karen Human Rights Group do humanity a service in shedding light on SLORC actions, and deserve the utmost respect and assistance.

Respect is especially due the victims of the SLORC's crimes listed here. Many are nameless for their own safety. Those civilians named in this report are dead. Their deaths, while invariably brutal, were not meaningless. Those who watched, or listened, escaping, surviving, and told us about it, gave the killings a meaning that SLORC can never evade. That the SLORC feels the need to kill off Burma's people shows that those people continue to defy SLORC's rule, and always will. One day the survivors, the escapees, the refugees, will hold SLORC accountable, and the names, ranks, units, will be available for that process.

As with the earlier report, this report serves as a data base for future accountability procedures against the SLORC's armed forces, and as a method to reveal overall patterns of human rights abuse in Burma. Committing human rights violations for economic gains continues to be a defining characteristic of SLORC military rule. Whether in massive road and railway slave-labor projects, or using captives to maintain an officer's private golf course and plantations, SLORC's military has helped itself to the fruits of an unpaid and abused workforce; while continuing widespread extortion and outright theft. Sooner or later, the army's own ragged rank and file may mutiny in force, or the slaves themselves rise up with hoes in hand as weapons, or sit down defying death in Gandhian mass strikes. Until then we must use documentation, information, be witnesses, monitors, advocates, and — especially — separate SLORC from its foreign money.

After looking over this report, take the time to write to your government representatives (again) and urge them to withdraw investment from SLORC. Write (again) to the gas pipeline investors and tell them to stop the scheme: Mr. Roger Beach, CEO, Unocal Corp., 2141 Rosecrans Blvd., El Segundo CA 90245, USA; and Mr. Serge Tchuruk, CEO, Total, 24 Cours Michelet, 92800 Putueaux, France. For more information on economic campaigns against SLORC, contact the Free Burma Coalition, e-mail: zni@students.wisc.edu.

The incidents of abuse cited in this report were compiled by hand, on multicolored index cards, without a computer. The information contained here is scientific documentation, dispassionate, the cold instrument of eventual accountability. The process was a form of art, a writing meditation, a meticulous tribute to those abused who survived to tell us their suffering, and to those who did not.

#### The SLORC's Armed Forces 1994-1995

Burma's armed forces continued the striking increase in troops and firepower commenced by the SLORC post-1988. The total troop strength under the SLORC has been estimated at between 280,000 and 400,000. Offensives launched during '94-'95 included major campaigns against the Karen National Union (resulting in the loss of KNU general headquarters at Manerplaw as well as Wangkha), Mong Tai Army in the Shan State, security for the gas pipeline in the Tenasserim, and off-and-on fighting with Karenni forces and in areas of western Burma.

Large-scale conscription appeared to have been put in effect to expand the ranks. There were significant reports of abuse of lower-ranking soldiers by officers, and withholding of soldiers' pay, factors leading to a steady flow of desertions (mainly of lower ranks), and some small-scale instances of mutiny.

The SLORC continued to depend on China for most of its arms supply, with some reports of junta members shopping for weaponry in Russia and elsewhere. An article from the <a href="Far Eastern Economic Review">Far Eastern Economic Review</a> detailing the economic dealings of the SLORC's armed forces, is included in this report.

Burma's army presently has a dozen regional commands: Northern, North-East, Eastern, South-East, South-West, Western, North-West, Central, Southern, Yangon (Rangoon), Shan State - East, and Thanintharyi (Tenasserim Division, the gas pipeline area). According to <a href="The Military Balance 1995-1996">The Military Balance 1995-1996</a>, a publication of The International Institute for Strategic Studies in London, the SLORC's Army has ten light infantry divisions. It provides a summary of combat units: 245 infantry battalions, 7 artillery battalions, three armored battalions, and one anti-aircraft artillery battalion. Other armed forces include the Navy (with one naval infantry battalion), Air Force, and paramilitary groups including People's Militia, People's Police Force, and People's Pearl and Fishery Ministery (with patrol boats).

In addition to these battalions, other SLORC forces continue occupation and activities in various areas of Burma. These include the Na Sa Ka (a "Border Administrative Body"), Military Intelligence Service (pervasive throughout Burma, SLORC strongman Khin Nyunt's primary surveillance/enforcement apparatus), and the Anti-Insurgent Group. Additionally, the SLORC has proven adept at using some ethnic forces for its own ends. While most ethnic rebel armies with ceasefire arrangements with SLORC have retained their autonomy, a few have apparently been manipulated or pressured into augmenting SLORC operations. Notably, the Democratic Kayin Buddhist Army, a faction which broke away from the Karen National Union, has been used extensively to assist SLORC campaigns against the KNU, and has been implicated in abuse of Karen civilians and invasions of Karen refugee camps on the Thai side of the border.

The Military Balance reports, "Myanmar [Burma] added kyat 2.8 billion (about \$108 million at market exchange rate) of supplementary funds for the 1994 military budget, while the defence budget for 1995 (kyat 15.5 billion or nearly \$600 million) has increased by 40% over 1994." As the budget, both official and unofficial, continues to expand, military presence in all areas of Burma has become ever more ubiquitous and entrenched. Direct military control is now maintained in more areas of Burma than ever before, with other areas quieted by ceasefires. This control has been won with a combination of large-scale Army campaigns and constant harassment of civilians in ethnic regions. SLORC actions against civilians include the many human rights violations listed in this report, and actions against rebel armies has included violations of the Geneva Convention, and use of chemical weapons (particulary in the siege of Wangkha). Enjoying this extreme degree of military superiority, the SLORC has been finding ways to use large segments of the population for its economic benefit, as regional Army commands set up profit-making enterprises and use slave labor to produce trade linked garment manufacturers, goods. International investors, from Defense Ministry to PepsiCo's agricultural barter trade, to the gas pipeline scheme with its huge security force, have been intimately involved in this process of strengthening and enriching the SLORC.

#### Method and Scope

The information in this report was compiled from sources documenting instances of human rights abuse in Burma during 1994 and 1995. Hundreds of individual documents were searched for specific references to units or personnel of the SLORC's armed forces involved in incidents of abuse. Each of these specific references was summarized on an index card, and then the cards were collated according to unit and/or personnel. The cards were cross-referenced by date and location of incident in order to, as much as possible, avoid duplicate listings.

The documentation from which this report is drawn comes from a variety of sources, including international human rights groups, Burma monitoring organizations, and political groups (both armed and unarmed). The groups all have conducted their own investigations in Burma, using objective interviewing techniques. All the documentation used was in English. The documentation in this report covered, at least in part, most areas of Burma's frontiers where troops are stationed (the Kachin State being a significant omission), as well as some central Burma regions where there are active troops. As this report is limited to specific unit/personnel references, it represents a very small percentage of the body of documentation on human rights abuse in Burma during 1994-1995 (which is just a two year period out of decades of such abuse).

For security reasons, names of victims are deleted in this report, unless they are deceased; and village names are deleted unless they have been destroyed. Spelling of names of people and places has been left as in the original documents. "Regiment" and "battalion" are often used interchangeably in translation of Burmese; in this report, the term used in the original document is used, and where only the number was recorded, "battalion" is used. In some cases, the documentation may have mis-identified a division as a battalion, or vice versa. This report aims to adhere as closely as possible to the information contained in the original documents.

Each <u>Incident</u> entry uses the same format: the date when the incident originally occured; the reported ethnicity of the victim(s) [if not reported, the abbreviation "ue" for "unspecified ethnicity" is used]; the reported location of the incident; the source [organization/document] and date of source. If names of personnel were reported, they are listed in bold type ("names"). Incidents are listed in order of battalion/regiment or division number; other military forces follow; then listings in which only personnel were specified.

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AIG: Anti-Insurgent Group, part of Burma government army.

KNLA: Karen National Liberation Army, military force of Karen National Union.

MLA: Mon Liberation Army, military force of New Mon State Party.

MTA: Muang Tai Army, military force of warlord Khun Sa (surrendered, 1996).

NSK: Na Sa Ka, border security force of Burma government, active in Arakan.

SNLD: Shan National League for Democracy: Shan State political party.

SLORC: State Law and Order Restoration Council, Burma's military government.

DKBA: Democratic Kayin Buddhist Army, SLORC-affiliated Karen faction.

# INCIDENTS, 1994-1995

#### Infantry Battalion 1

Feb 19 '94; Karens; Thai/Burma border, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Shot and killed Pa Wah Mu (35), Kalay Tay (40); shot at two other refugees.

Feb 28 '94; Karens; Thai/Burma border, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Shot and wounded four refugees. (+ one listing in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 2

April 94+; Burman, others; Pa'an area

KHRG: "Refugees at Klay Muh Hta" June 24 '94 p7-8

names "a commander named Tin Hla, soldiers Kyaw Htay, Tin Way, Aye Myint,

Sgt. Kyaw Win Htay
Used porters. Beat them. Kicked one to death; kicked one, Aung Than Oo, down
a mountainside. Used forced labor for army camp construction.

Feb'Mar '95; ue; Thaton to Thingan Nyi Naung KHRG: "Porters: SLORC's 6th Brigade Offensive" Mar 22 '95, p 1-3 Porters used, beaten, killed.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# <u>Light Infantry Battalion 3</u> (44 LI Division)

May '94; Karens; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River
KHRG: "SLORCShoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95
names Cp1(?) Sia Win Sein
Detained refugees. Beat detainee, Cp1.(?) Sia Win Sein tortured him,
menaced him with guns.

May 4 '94; ue; Thai/Burma border (Moei River) KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Shot and wounded a refugee.

June 5 '94; Karen; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River
KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95
Shot at refugees, wounded one and left him for dead. Captured, interrogated and detained another.

June 18 '94; ue; Htantabin twp., Pegu Div.
"under command of Southern Command"
ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 13
Extorted money.

July '94; ue; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River
KHRG: "SLORC ShockArrest Refugees" Jan 14 '94
Arrested two refugees; detained one and interrogated, beat and tortured him.

July 3 '94; ue; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Two refugees captured/disappeared.

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Aug 20 '94; ue; Noe Pa Doe area ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 26 Shot and killed two refugees, Par Nott (35) and Par Noe (25).

#### Battalion 4 (Div. 33)

'95; Burman +?; Papun area KHRG: "Porters: SLORC's Salween Offensive" Apr 8 '95, p 5-6 Used porters, threatened them, beat them.

8th Regiment (one listing in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 9 (44 Div.)

Aug 20-21, 94; ue; Thai/Burma border area (Moei River) KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Shot at refugees. Pa No Ter (36), Pa Noh Kee (36), both shot and killed. Shot at other refugees, one of whom, Po Tha Htoo (19) drowned.

Sept. 2 '94; ue; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Saw Eh Say (27), refugee, drowned fleeing LIB 9 soldiers.

Sept 3 '94; ue; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Refugees shot at, one wounded; another wounded, captured, interrogated, tortured and killed: Kwe Tha (39). Burned and looted a hut.

Sept 19 '94 +4 days; ue; Thai/Burma border, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 names "Bu Paw" or "Eh Paw" Detained a refugee; four soldiers -- including one named "Bu Paw" or "Eh Paw"-beat him; tortured him.

Oct 27 '94; Karen; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95

Naw Koh Mit (19) a female refugee, shot at and drowned.

Oct 29 '94; ue; Thai/Burma border area KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Shot at refugees; killed Day Wah (27), killed Ah Toe (18); captured and robbed one, captured and kept two others (disappeared).

Oct 30 '94; ue; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Captured two refugees, shot and killed one of them, Pleh Ghaw (35).

#### (LIB 9)

Nov '94; Burmese-Indian + others; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Used porters, beat them. Used forced labor for fence building.

Nov 9 '94, Nov 26 '94; ue; Thai/Burma border area, Moei River KHRG: "SLORC Shoot/Arrest Refugees" Jan 14 '95 Captured villagers, extorted goods from them.

Dec '94 + two months; Burman, other; Thaton, Wan Kha KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw & Kawmoora Areas" Feb 25 '95; p 1 names Operation Commander Tin Thein, Cpl Thein Zan, Pvt. Khin Maung Thein Captured porters, beat them, beat some to death. "Pvt. Khin Maung Thein beat me on my head, body and hands."

Mar 25 '95; Karen; Moei River area
KHRG: "Murder of a Refugee by SLORC", May 24 '95, p 2
names "commanded by" Company Commander Khine Zaw Lin
Opened fire on refugees who had crossed back to Burma side from Thailand to
gather wood for charcoal; shot and killed Than Pc, about 40 years old.

#### 11th Division

Early '95; Mon/Burman, others; Mudon + Karen/Thai border area KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw & Kawmoora Areas" Feb 25 '95, p 11-12 Captured, used porters. Used forced labor to cut bamboo.

#### 11 Light Infantry Regiment

March '94; ue; Tike Kyee twp. (north of Rangoon)
SHRF; Dec 15 '94
Forced thousands of people to dig a canal from Ta-Boo-wa of Tike Kyee twp. to
Hmaw Bee twp. north of Rangoon; "nearly 600 people were dead because of
snake bite, fever and lack of medicine."

Light Infantry Battalion 12 (one listing in multiple citations).

# Infantry Battalion 17 (LIB)

Jan 10 '94; ue; Palaw twp ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 11 Commander of No.2 column demanded rice/cash from villagers.

Dec 28 '94; ue; Tanintharyi twp
KNU M-T Dis: "The Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95, p 10
Captured a villager and burned all of his harvested paddy, for avoiding forced labor.

Mar 2 '95; ue; Palaw twp, Mergui Dis KNU M-T Dis: "Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95 p 9 names 4 company led by Lt. Naing Naing Fired on village with small arms & mortars, killing 4 civilians: U Nga Pok (40), U Naing Kyi (54), U Han Kyi (54), Ma Aye Pu (female, 15). Wounded 3 others; destroyed village property.

#### (IB 17)

June 26 '95; ue; Tenasserim twp.
KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 4
Took money/property from two villagers. Forbade villagers from going to their fields. Burned field huts.

July 7 '95; ue; Mergui-Tavoy area KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 5 names **Warrant Officer Aung Bo** Detained, attempted to execute a villager.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

Infantry Battalion 18 (two listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 19

Feb 10 '95; ue; Papun Dis KHRG: "Field Reports: Papun & Nyaun. Dis" May 25 '95, p 2 names **Bo Chit Aung "officer responsible, company commander"** Shot a villager, tortured him and stabbed him to death. Captured another villager, tortured him and used him as a porter.

Mar 5 '95; ue; Papun Dis KHRG: "Field Reports: Papun & Nyaung. Dis" May 25 '95, p 2 names **Ta Su Mu, "officer responsible"** Shot and wounded a villager and then stabbed him to death.

Mar 21 '95; ue; Papun Dis KHRG: "Field Reports: Papun & Nyaung. Dis" May 25 '95, p 2 Two villagers captured and beaten.

("Regiment 19") July 15 '95; Karen; Butho twp., Papun Dis AI: "Myanmar - Kayin St." Apr '96, p 6-7
Arrested Too Pho (26), demanded food ransom and accepted it, but killed him.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

#### Battalion 20

(Western Command) '94-'95; "Rakhines, Muslims, Hindus, Christians"; Sittwe KHRG: "Situation in Northwestern Burma" Jan 30 '96, p 4
Forced labor building "Buddha Museum"; beatings; money extorted.

(LIB, of LIDivision 77)
Sept 21 '95; Karens; Baw Naw Kloh River, Thaton Dis.
KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 22 '96, p 12
names **2nd in Command Win Myint & Lance Cpl. Kyi Shwe**Killed log workers: Saw Nyunt Win, Saw Kyaw Min, Saw Kyaw Htoo.

(+ five listings in multiple citations)

#### 22 Division

May 6 '95; Karens; Kawkareik twp. KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Activities in K. twp." July 10 '95, p 11 Beat people travelling between villages.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### 22 Infantry Battalion (IB)

May 23 '94; Shan; Hsipaw twp. SHRF, undated; & ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug 94, p 7 Arrested villager Tsai Aung Murng (25), interrogated and tortured him, beat him to death.

#### 23 Light Infantry Regiment

Nov 7 '94 - Dec 10 '94; ue; Hsen Wi twp. SHRF, undated

Confiscated livestock; took a villager as porter and shot him in the leg when he couldn't carry the load.

#### 23 Infantry Battalion

1994; Karens; Pa'an twp., Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p17, 18

names Maj. Kyaw Kyaw Htay (aka Kyi Myint)

Demands "porter fees".

Jan 15 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 8

Looted rice, livestock.

Jan 27 '94; ue; Thaton twp., Mon St.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug 95, p 13

(under command of Tactical Operation Command 331 of 33 LIDiv)

names Company Commander Soe Win

Soe Win captured and raped two women.

Jan 27 '94; ue; Thaton twp., Mon St.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 5

(under command of Tactical Operation Command 331 of 33 LIDiv)

Company 2 commander, shot and wounded a villager.

Feb 20 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

Kaw Thoo Lei Info Center: "Info Release" Mar 8 '94, p 1

and ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 12

Arrested four men and a woman, accused them of being rebels, beat them and held them for ransom. Extorted money from villagers.

#### (23 IB)

Mar 19 '94; Karen; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 5

names Battalion commander Maj. Kyaw Htay (aka Kyi Myint), second in command Myint Kyeh [possibly same person?]

Myint Kyeh detained, interrogated, beat two villagers, used one as a porter.

Sept 7 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 9-94" Sept 23 '94, p 5

Company 4. Ordered two villagers to deliver a letter, shot and killed one of them, Saw Pa Kwee (57) on arrival.

Infantry Battalion 24 (under command of Tactical Operation command 331 of 33LID)

Jan 9 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 8

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

names Commanded by Maj. Thaung Win Burned down houses, confiscated livestock.

# Infantry Battalion 25 (LIB)

1995; ue; Tavoy twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: M-T Dis" July 29 '95, p 8

Uses forced labor, porters, extorts money.

1995; ue; Tenasserim gas pipeline area

KHRG: "Conditions in the Gas Pipeline Area" Aug 1 '95, p 12

Used porters, beat them.

1995; Karen; Hlaing Bwe twp.

KHRG: "Refugees from Pa'an Dis." Mar 18 '96, p 2

Arrested a villager, beat and tortured him.

Jan 20 '94; ue; Kanyin Chaung village, Mergui-Tavoy area

KNU: "Development and the Cry of the People" Dec '94, p 24

names Capt. San Lin

Forced relocation of Kanyin Chaung village.

Jan 1-8 '95; ue; Tavoy Dis.

Joint Info Group: "Joint Info News Letter" Mar 3 '95, p 4

Took porters; detained 3,000 from four townships; took "porter fees".

Jan 21 '95; Karens; Tenasserim River, west bank

KNU M-T Dis: "Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95, p 21 and Joint Info Group:

"Joint Info News Letter" Mar 3 '95, p 5

Looted houses and burned them. Captured a woman (disappeared), shot and

wounded her husband.

June 23 '95; ue; Thet Byu Chaung village, Tavoy twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 4

Looted and burned down Thet Byu Chaung village. Shot and killed ten porters.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 26

Jan 21 '94; ue; Mone twp, Pegu Div.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 16

Demanded forced labor.

Jan 24 '94; ue; Karen area

ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 11

names Column Commander Win Myint

Demanded porters and "porter fees" from six villages; extorted money, rice.

Feb 25 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug 194, p 5

Beat a villager.

October '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 4

names Brig. Gen. Kyi Aung of Southern Command (sent IB 26)

Battalion deployed "with orders to destroy villages and food supplies."

Oct 16 '95; Karen; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 5

names Column 1 led by Battalion Commander Lt. Col. Myint Aung

Executed villager Saw Kee Lu.

Oct 18 '95; Karen +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 5

names Battalion Commander Lt. Col. Myint Aung

Opened fire in village, killed 1 woman and 7 men harvesting rice, injured 5; looted, burned field huts and fields, killed livestock.

Oct 18 '95; Karens; Taungoo

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 5

names Column 1 led by Lt. Col. Myint Aung

Troops shot village women: killed Naw Mu Mu, wounded her 12 year old daughter.

Oct 19 '95; Karens; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 5

names Column 2 led by Battalion 2nd in command Maj. Aye Kyaw

Arrested and executed Saw Sah Lu, and his son, Saw Joseph (15).

Oct21 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 5

names led by Battalion 2nd in command Maj. Aye Kyaw

Killed Pi Heh Lay (female). Burned rice supplies.

Oct 22 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 5

names Led by Battalion 2nd in command Maj. Aye Kyaw

Killed village elder Zaw Zaw. "Captured two village girls", destroyed field huts and fields, looted.

#### (IB 26)

Oct 27 '95; Karens +?; Ta Aye Kee village, Taungoo Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Villages" Feb 29 '96, p 5 Killed Saw Heh Tha Blay in his field. Burned Ta Aye Kee village, Catholic church, fields; shot all livestock.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

# 27 Battalion of 33 LIDiv

Sept 11 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Recent Incidents in Thaton Dis" Sept 30 '94, p 1

names Company 1 commander Capt. Win Tint, Battalion commander Chit Thaung, 2nd in command Zaw Myint

Company 1 opened fire on a village. Wounded a villager, killed another, Maung Than Oo (21). Captured and executed three: Moo Ko (21), tortured; Ko Naing (23), tortured and mutilated; Thein Win (18), tortured. Looted property, food. Headman beaten up.

#### 28 Battalion

Early 1994; Karens; Hlaing Bwe twp, Pa'an Dis.

KHRG: "Refugees at Klay Muh Hta" June 24 '94, p 2

Used forced labor. Woman working at camp raped by a soldier. [soldier punished by commander, carried a log "around the camp just once."]

(+ five listings in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 30

Feb 2 '94; ue; Shwe Kyin twp, Pegu Div. ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 8 names **Column 1 led by Maj. Yee Aye** Burned ten farms.

#### 31 Light Infantry Regiment

Apr '94; ue; Murng Yai twp, Northern Shan St. SHRF, Oct 15 '94 names **led by Capt. Heing Kyaw (aka Ho Phra)** Shot and wounded a porter as he tried to escape.

May '94; ue; Murng Yai twp
SHRF, Oct 15 '94 and SHRF "Annual Report" 1994
names Led by Capt. Heing Kyaw (aka Bo Phra)
Shot and killed a villager, Ai Teo, who was hiding from being taken as porter.
Beat and tortured six villagers, used them as porters for 12 days. Killed another, Wanna, in his field hut.

#### (LIR 31)

July '94; Shan; Murng Yai twp

SHRF, Oct 15 '94

names Led by Capt. Heing Kyaw (aka Bo Phra)

Captured a villager, interrogated, tortured and beat him; held him for ransom; used him as a porter.

Aug '94; ue; Murng Yai twp

SHRF, Oct 15 '94

names Led by Capt. Heing Kyaw (aka Bo Phra)

Beat two young villagers, held them in wooden stocks, demanded ransom.

#### 31 Infantry Battalion

Aug-Nov '94; ue; Karen St.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95E" July 2 '95, p 3-8

Company 1: Extortion, threat of arrest & "village will be damaged", timber confiscation, hostages held.

Nov '94; Karens +?; Karen St.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95E" July 2 '95, p 2

Column 1: Extortion, arrest of village headman, threats.

(+ one listing in multiple citation)

# 32 Infantry Battalion (LIB)

Feb 21 '94; Karen; location unspecified

KYO: "News Bulletin" Oct '94 names **Company 5, Col. 2 led by Than Htit Tun** Detained and tortured a villager.

Feb 21 '94; ue; Kya In Seik Gyi twp, Dooplaya Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports: 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 2

names 5th company led by Capt. Myo Lwin Thet Lwin

Burned houses of four villagers, destroyed paddy and other crops.

Mar '94; ue; Kya In Seik Gyi twp

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Karen Villages 94D" p 2, 6

Involved in extortion of money. Used forced labor for road/bridge construction.

Aug 15 '95, Aug 23 '95, Nov 14 '95, Dec 7 '95; ue; Karen St.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Karen Villages 96A" Feb 20 '96, p 5,6,8

Demanded forced labor (Aug 15). Demanded bullock carts, labor fees (Aug 23).

Demanded construction materials (Nov 14). Demanded firewood (Dec 7).

Sept-Nov '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95A" Jan 5 '95, p 8

Company 3: Extorted money, food from a village; used villagers for forced labor sentry duty, threatened villagers.

Oct '94; ue; Kya In Seik Gyi twp

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95A" Jan 5 '95, p 6

Money extorted from village in compensation for sabotaged bridge.

#### (IB 32)

Nov 6 '95, Dec 3 '95; ue; Karen St.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 96A" Feb 20 '96, p 9

names Battalion commander U Myo Htint, Column 2 - 2nd company: (Operations officer) Bo San Win & (Company commander) Aye Min Maung

Involved in forced labor (Nov 6). Demanded bullock carts (Dec 3).

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### 33 Light Infantry Division

1994; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "More SLORC Abuses: T & P Dis" Apr 23 '94, p 10

names Commander Maj. Soe Win

Shelled villages, killed livestock. Demolished village fences and houses.

Feb '95; Karens; Papun Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC's Northern Karen Offensive" Mar 29 '95, p 27

names "of Bo Kyi Aung"

Captured and beat a villager. Killed livestock.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### 33 Light Infantry Regiment

Feb 5 '94; Shans; Taang Yaan twp

SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 2

names soldier Tin Lwin

Tin Lwin robbed jewelry from two women at gunpoint, raped one of them.

May 27 '94; ue; Tarnk Yarn twp (Northern Shan St.)

SHRF, Nov 20 '94

names led by Capt. Win Aung

Arrested and interrogated two villagers, "cut the back of their knees, necks and mouths" before release.

#### <u>Infantry Battalion 34 (LIB)</u>

June 8 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 1

names Company 4 led by Aung Tun

Confiscated livestock, beat a villager and grazed his son with a gunshot.

Nov 2 '95; Karen; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 6

Killed villager Saw Ye Lwin.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 35

May '94; Burmans + others; Nyaunglebin area

KHRG: "SLORC Victims in Nyaung. Dis." Sept 1 '94, p 7-8

names Column commander Maj. Soe Win, Maj. Win Ko

Used porters. Used forced labor for construction. Used porters to carry goods for army shop. Beat a porter several times, Maj. Win Ko punched him in mouth, knocked a tooth out. Beat other porters, tortured them with knives, kicked three older men down mountainside.

Sept 17 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 4

Killed Naw Way Htoo (female), Injured four other villagers, burned houses.

Sept 23 '95; Karens; Papun two

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 10

names Led by Lt. Col. Min Toe

Arrested and killed Naw K'Lih Htoo (female), Naw Nat Gay Meh (female).

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 36 (of 33 Division)

1994; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Continuing SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 11

names Company 5 commander Capt. Their Zar

Confiscated palm sugar and sold it back to villagers.

Early 1994; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" May 11 '94, p 12

Column 1: Demanded construction materials for army camp; threatened village chairman.

Apr '94; Karens +?; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Continued SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 3

Looted property, livestock. Demanded construction materials, ox-carts. Threatened forced relocation.

Apr '94; Burmese/Indian; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Continuing SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 1-2

Captured a trader, interrogated, beat and tortured him; beat and tortured a woman who had vouched for him.

Apr 13 '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Continued SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 3

Shot at villagers, wounded one.

Apr 20 '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Continued SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 2-3

names 2nd in command of Company 4 Than Htut

Than Htut beat and threatened a Buddhist monk. Troops confiscate valuable fruit from monastery.

#### (IB 36)

Apr 21 '94; ue; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.
KHRG: "Continued SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 18-19
names Battalion commander Thein Zaw, 2nd in command Kyaw Htoo
Detained, interrogated a farmer, threatened him, menaced him with a knife.

May '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 7-8

names Company 2 - Maj. Tum Yi

looted, destroyed rice supplies of villagers, burned a house.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 4-5
names Company 2, commanded by Maj. Tun Yi
Looted property, livestock, food. Captured a farmer, Maung Tun Ngwe (30) in
a field hut, tortured him, shot and killed him trying to escape. Burned
houses of four villagers.

June 23 '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.
KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 6
names Company 2 led by Maj. Tum Yi
Captured two villagers, interrogated, beat and tortured them.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

June 19-20 '94; Karens +?; Pa'an twp

#### Infantry Battalion 37

Mar 17 '94; ue; Nyaunglebin Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 7

names Column commander Ah Tin and Company commander Myat Soe

Opened fire on villagers, wounded four, killed one.

#### Infantry Battalion 38

Nov 15 '94; ue; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 8 Shot at villagers, wounded one. Looted/destroyed property/food/paddy. Burned five houses.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 39 (LIB 39)

clear land, cut forest.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

Jan 21 '94; ue; Taungoo twp ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 8 Stole property from a villager, burned his house. Jan 23 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis. ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 8 Robbed a trader of property/gold and burned his house. Jan 24 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis. (near Kyauktagah) ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 6 names Led by Capt. Mya Shwe (Myint Swe) Opened fire on cattle traders, killed one. Confiscated livestock. Jan 24 '94; ue; Kyauktagah twp, Pegu Div. ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 2 names Led by Company commander Myint Swe (Mya Shwe) Opened fire on cattle traders, killed one; confiscated livestock. Feb 9, 12 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis. Kaw Thoo Lei Info Center: "Info Release" Mar 8 '94, p 1 names Led by Sgt. Mo Hlaing Group of soldiers: Confiscated rice, beat villagers (Feb 9); confiscated 100 bullock carts, beat woodcutter owners and held them for ransom (Feb 12). Feb 23 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis. Kaw Thoo Lei Info Center: "Info Release" mar 8 ' 94, p 1 Arrested one man and three women; beat them and they were "left to die." Feb 24 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis. ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 12 Extorted money; confiscated betel nut crop, cash. Mar 2 '94; ue; Taungoo villages Kaw Thoo Lei Info Center: "Info Release" Mar 8 '94, p 1 names Maj. Win Maunq Maj. Win Maung demanded "porter fees", confiscated bullock carts, property. May 31 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis. KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 1-2 Column 2: Captured villagers, extorted money, tortured one of them. 1995; ue; Kyauk Kyi twp. "Burma Issues" Oct '95, p 2 names Commander Lt. Col. Khin Maung Nyunt, commander of Column 2 Capt. Saw Hla Myint Lt. Col. Khin Maung Nyunt and Capt. Saw Hla Myint used forced labor to

# Infantry Battalion 42 (under 99 LIDiv.)

Jan 30 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" May 11' 94, p 1

Column 1: Threatened villages with burning/relocation.

Feb 19 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 12

names Led by Battalion commander Maj. Kyaw Win, and Maung Maung Kyaw Looted property.

July 7 '94; Karens; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 3-4

names Commanded by Maj. Khin Zaw and Capt. Win Oo

Shot a farmer, Pa Tin Poe (23) and "sliced him in the mouth, in the left arm and in his side"; he died from his wounds. Maj. Khin Zaw fined Pa Tin Poe's parents, looted their house.

Battalion 43 (two listings in multiple citations)

44 Light Infantry Division (two listings in multiple citations)

44 Battalion (two listings in multiple citations)

#### 48 Infantry Battalion

Jan 1 '94+; ue; West bank of Kabaung Chaung in Taungoo Dis. KYO: "News Bulletin" Oct '94

Demanded half of harvest and cut bamboo, from every village.

June, July '95; ue; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 96B" Feb 23 '96, p 3,4

Auxiliary Artillery Company: Demanded forced laborers.

Sept 4-9 '95; Karens+?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Districts" Feb 29 '96, p 3

Took porters, including Saw Bee Ta Chaung, who was wounded by a landmine; treatment was denied him and money extorted; he died.

Sept 16 '95; Karens; Bu Sah Kee village, Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 4

Village looted, burned.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 50

Dec '94; Chins +?; Tamu twp

ABSL: "Fist News Bulletin" Apr 30 '95, p 7

names Maj. Win Kyi

Forced labor on Tamu - Hae Sin Road construction; forced labor cutting wood. Money extorted as "fines". Forced labor for prison construction.

Jan 24 '95; Kukis(Chin); Tamu twp, Sagaing Div.

KHRG: "Situation in NW Burma" Jan 30 '96, p 21

names Lt. Col. Win Kyi

Forced labor and use of villagers' carts.

Jan 29 '95; Chins; Kabaw Valley

ABSL: "Fist News Bulletin" Apr 30 '95, p 7

names Maj. Win Kyi

Forced labor for army camp; Christians must work on Sunday.

June '95; Chins; Matupi district

Dr. Vum Son: "Persecution of the Chin..." 1995

Village bombarded with mortar fire; four villagers wounded.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 51

1994; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 9-10

names commander Maj. Tay Aung, company 1 led by Nay Lin

Shot at villagers, demanded/confiscated money and livestock.

1994; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis. KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 17

names Battalion commander Maj. Tay Aung, 2nd in command Myint Aung

Use porters, forced labor for road security, oxcart transport. Beat villagers, captured villagers. Use forced labor for road construction, fences.

Demand food from villagers, extort money.

1994; Karens; Thaton twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC act. in Karen St." May 26 1994, p 16

names Ah Ka Kyaw

Ah Ka Kyaw's "group": Demands goods; Ah Ka Kyaw demanded livestock, chickens, alcohol from village headman and beat him.

Feb 10 '94; Karen; Thaton twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 16

names 2nd in command Ah Ka Kyaw (aka Mo Myint Kyaw)

Beat a villager, shot him with slingshot.

Mar 29 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Villages" May 11 '94, p 7

Used/demanded forced porters/couriers at army camp.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

Battalion 52 (one listing in multiple citations)

#### <u>Infantry Regiment 53</u>

Jan 15 '94; Shans; Hsipaw twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 1 Looted a village.

Jan 15 '94; Shans; Hsipaw twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 4 Looted animals, property from a villager.

Jan 15 '94; Shans; Hsipaw twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 5 Looted a villager's house (money, chickens, crops, other property).

Jan 15 '94; Shans; Hsipaw twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 28 Looted a house (food, property).

# Infantry Battalion 53

Dec 17 '95; Karens +?; Papun Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 10 Looted paddy/rice, livestock and other property.

#### Infantry Battalion 54

Sept 25 '95; Karens +?; Papun Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 10

names Column commander Aung Myint

Burned down eleven houses, "looted all the belongings of twelve families."

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### 55 Division

Feb 1 '94; ue; Thandaug twp. KYO: "News Bulletin" Oct '94

names Operation commander Aung Myint

Cut down and destroyed all of village's betel nut and fruit trees. Demanded porters, "porter fees".

May 12 '94; Palaungs; Murng Nai twp. SHRF, undated

Looted village's livestock. Killed two villagers: Por Sala and Por Ni-Ong.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

#### 55 Infantry Regiment

Jan 8 '94; Shan; Hsipaw twp. SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 27 Looted sawmill owner's property, equipment, food.

#### Infantry Battalion 55

Feb 10 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 12 names Commander of column 2 Khin Maung Win

Confiscated rice.

Feb 10 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 2 names **Commander of column 2 Maj. Thaung Sein** Detained villagers, took them as porters.

Mar 2 '94; ue' Taungoo Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94

names Col. Sein Tun of column 2

Used villagers as porters.

Oct 12 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 6

names Led by Lt. Col. Khin Maung Win

Forced relocation of villages, extortion, prevention of villagers' return home.

Oct 21 '95; ue; Minbra twp, Arakan

Rakhine Info Center: "The Arakan Forum" Nov '95, p 3-4

Three soldiers, one a corporal from Battalion 55, tortured, then shot and killed U Fa Oo (68), a farmer. Threatened villagers.

[note: this may be 55 IR or 55 LIDiv, as 55 IB was stationed around Taungoo in eastern Burma, rather than Arakan in western Burma, at the time; or it may be a mistake in attribution.]

Nov 11 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo and Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 6 Took porters.

Dec '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 7

"Under command from Western Command's Strategic Command HQ": Two villages ordered to relocate; shoot on sight order as of Dec 18 '95.

Dec '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 7

names Commander Lt. Col. Khin Maung Win

Seven villages: Ta Pa Kee, Mwee Loh, Plaw Baw Der, Keh Po Loh, Kheh Der, Ler Kla Der, Hu Mu Der, ordered to relocate; shoot on sight order after Dec 30 '95.

Dec 12 '95; Karens; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 7

names Western Command's Lt. Col. Khin Maung Win

Villagers captured; two tortured and disappeared.

Dec 26 '95; Karen +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 6

names Battalion commander Lt. Col. Khin Maung

Ordered six villages to relocate, or face executions.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 56

January +, '95; Burman +?; Kyauk Kyi area KHRG: "Field Reports: "Papun & Nyaung. Dis." May 25 '95, p 7 Used porters.

#### Infantry Battalion 57

Jan 5 '94; ue; Nyaunglebin Dis. ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 6 Executed two villagers.

July '94; ue; Sittang River area, Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Reports from Nyaunglebin Dis." Jan 31 '95, p 2-3

names Maj. Thura Sein Win

Maj. Thura Sein Win beat/interrogated a villager, who was arrested,

tortured, beaten more. Arrested 18 others, who were tortured and beaten.

forced village to relocate.

July '94; Karen; Shwegyn twp, Nyaunglebin Dis. KHRG: "Reports from Nyaung. Dis." Jan 31 '95, p 3-4 names **2nd in command Lt. Aung Toe Lay** Arrested a villager, beat and tortured him.

Dec 9 '94; ue; Shwe Kyin twp, Pegu Div. ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15 "Arrested the local people".

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 59

Mar 3, 10, 18, '94; Karens; Lu Thaw twp, Papun Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 8/94" Aug 10 '94 and Aug 29 '94

names Column 2 led by column commander Maj. Aung San Oo

Mutilated and killed Saw Gay (35), a civilian villager, for having a brother in Karen Army (March 3). Held 19 villagers hostage (2 men, 7 women, and 10 children), kept a 75 year old woman "tied naked to a tree", looted livestock, food (March 3+). Shot a villager, Saw Soe Ghay Htoo and mutilated the corpse (March 10). Shot a villager, Saw Ko Pa Moo and mutilated the corpse (March 18).

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 60 (LIB 60)

1994; ue; Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 9/94" Sept 23 '94, p 5-6

names Company 2 company commander Capt. Than Win

Used porters, beat them, beat and abandoned an older man, shot escapees.

1994; Karens; Kyauk Kyi twp

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 2

names Capt. Khin Maung Oo

Arrested and held for ransom, with execution threat, seven men and three women. Confiscated livestock.

early 1994; Karens, others; Nyaunglebin Dis., Pegu Div KHRG: "SLORC Victims in Nyaung. Dis" Sept 1 '94, p 3-6

names Battalion commander Maj. Nyo Aye; Tay Aye, Soe Moe Khine, Aung Thu, Maj. Myo Tint, Maj. Ye Soe

Detained wife of a Karen Army soldier, beat her, tortured her, looted her property/livestock; took her and her son with them, interrogated her. Arrested another wife of a Karen Army (KNLA) soldier from a different village, hit her baby in the head, beat a man there. Kept the women, with children, jailed. Killed other prisoners accused of being spies. Used the women for forced labor along with others. Beat them. Mutilated, beat a male prisoner. Extorted money for the women's release, ordered them to leave their villages afterwards.

early 1994+; Burman, others; Kyauk Kyi twp, Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Reports from Nyaung. Dis." Jan 31 '95, p 5

names Camp commander Capt. Nyi Lwin, Capt. Nyi Soe, Cpl. Myint Ohn

Used forced labor, demanded construction materials and food, extorted money.

Jan 7, 14, '94; ue; Kyauk Kyi twp

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 3-4

names Battalion commander Myat Soe

Captured two village headmen.

Feb 2 '94; ue; Kyauk Kyi twp

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 2

names Commanded by Capt. Nyi Soe

Arrested a villager, beat him and held him (imprisoned) for ransom.

Sept 25 '95; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 4

"Beheaded three village women."

(+ six listings in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 61

Feb 26 '94; ue; Ye twp, Mon St.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 9 Columns 1 and 2: Looted property, gold, cash.

Summer 1994; Mon, Indian, others; Mon State

KHRG: "SLORC's Attack on Halockhani Refugee Camp" Aug 30 '94, p 12-13 Used porters, beat them.

Jan '95; Mon; Ye Byu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 8

Demanded food, liquor, money from a villager, beat him, threated him with death.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 62 (LIB 62)

Sept 17 '94; Mons; Kyaikmaraw twp, Mon St.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 27

names Led by Battalion Deputy Commander Ohn Myint

Arrested village secretary and his wife, took/destroyed their property and tortured them. Tortured people from four other villages.

Sept 17 '94; Mon; Kawkareit twp, Karen St.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" Jan '95, p 6

names Led by Maj. Ohn Myint

Captured and forcibly disrobed a Mon Buddhist monk, alleging insurgent links (disappeared).

Oct '94; ue; Kyaikmaraw twp

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15

names Led by Deputy Battalion commander Than Win, Capt. Aung Lwin, and Company commander Capt. Aye Min

"Arrested local people" from three villages.

Oct 28 '94; ue; Kyaikmaraw twp

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 32

names Led by Deputy Battalion Commander Than Win, Capt. Aung Lwin, and company commander Capt. Aye Min

Fired mortars on escaping porters, wounding three, aged 56, 14, and 13.

Nov 28 '94; Mons; Kawkareik twp, Karen St.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 29

names Led by Deputy Battalion Commander Maj. Ohn Myint

Arrested twelve civilians from four villages, interrogated and tortured them.

#### (62 IB)

July 21 '94; Mons; Halockhani refugee camp area (Mon/Thai border)
KHRG: "SLORC's Attack on Halockhani Refugee Camp" Aug 30 '94, p 1, 3-11, 13-16;
HR Watch Asia: "Burma/Thailand - The Mon..." Dec '94, p 12;
AI: "Human Rights Still Denied" Nov '94, p 20-21;
MNRC: "Mon Refugees: Hunger for Protection" Feb '95, p 6-9
names Led by 2nd in command It. Col. Ohn Myint
Beat and tortured refugee men. Used 50 refugees as human shields.
Captured six men, used them as porters; used ten others as porters,
along with 100 to 200 porters brought with them; beat and tortured their captives/porters. Looted and burned houses in refugee camp. Threatened refugees. Targeted "Mon health workers, school teachers and headmen" at refugee camp for capture.

last two month of 1994 and beginning of 1995; Mons +?; Kawkareit twp. CPPSM: "Newsletter" Jan '95, p 5-6 names Led by Maj. Ohn Myint Captured, beat and tortured 16 village headmen.

1995; Mons +?; Thaton Dis.
MNRC: "Monthly Report" May '95
names **Led by Col. Chn Myint**Established free-fire zone.

Feb 21 '95; ue; Kya In twp, Kya In Seik Gyi area KHRG: "Field Reports: 6th Brigade Area" May 31 '95, p 1-2 names **Led by Maj. Ohn Myint**Burned part of village. Captured a farmer, fleeing. Tortured and beat him. Arrested his wife and tortured her. Demanded ransom.

Mar 23 '95; ue; Mon St. UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar" Oct '95, p 15 Arrested five villagers, tortured them, released them on ransom payment.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 63 (LIB 63)

Sept 9-13 '94; Karens; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 1-2 Arrested, beat two villagers; gave orders to kill them, one escaped (was shot at), fate of other unknown.

Sept. 13 '94; Karens; Thaton Dis. KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 9/94" Sept 23. '94, p 5 Captured three villagers, beat and tortured them.

Dec 29 '95; Karens +?; Papun Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 11 Looted five villages, killed villager Saw Pah Der.

#### Battalion 64

Feb 4, 5 '94; ue; Tse See twp, Southern Shan St.

SHRF, undated

names Led by Capt. Myint Kyaw

"Fired five rounds of heavy weapon" into village, injured/killed livestock.

Beat, interrogated "old men, women and children who were left in village."

Apr 9 '94; ue; Tse See twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Capt. Hla Shwe

Forced five villagers to sell grain to army at less than 10% of its worth.

Apr 28 '94; ue; Murng Norng twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Shwe Aye

Confiscated food, livestock, property from villagers.

May 20 '94; ue; Tse See twp -- Worn It village

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Myint Oo

Arrested five villagers, interrogated and beat them; commanded all villagers to leave; property, money looted.

July 27 '94; ue; Murng Norng twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Tin Thun

Confiscated livestock, property from six villagers.

July 28 '94; Chinese; Murng Soo, Southern Shan St.

SHRF, Oct 15 '94

Shot and killed a woman, Aye Nang; wounded a girl.

Aug 1 '94+; ue; Murng Koong twp, Southern Shan St.

SHRF, undated

Forced villagers to build their army base.

Aug 20 '94; ue; Murng Norng twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Shwe Aye

Looted property from three villagers.

Oct 5 '94; ue; Tse See twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Capt. Maung Thwe

Beat, interrogated, detained a 65 year old man; looted houses of 20 villagers.

Oct 11 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp

SHRF, undated

Killed a villager's livestock.

Oct 15 '94; ue; Murng Koong twp

SHRF, undated

Captured nine people, held them for ransom.

#### (64 Battalion)

Dec '94; ue; Murng Koong twp

SHRF, undated

Demanded food monthly. Forced people to sell paddy grain at 4 the actual price.

Jan 9 '95; ue; Laii Kha twp

SHRF, undated

Forced villagers to sell rice at one fifth the actual price.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

# 66 Battalion (LIB 66)

Feb 17 '94; ue; Tse see twp

SHRF, undated

names Column 2 led by Capt. Thay Win

Fired guns while villagers were attending funeral ceremony; looted property, money, livestock.

[note: rank may be inaccurate]

Apr 13 '94; ue; Tse See twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Thay Win

Forced labor. Captured a village circle headman and a village headman, beat them because the villagers weren't "on time".

[note: rank may be inaccurate]

1995; ue; Pegu Div.

UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar" October 95, p 17 Captured porters.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# 68 Light Infantry Regiment

Jan 12, 17, '95; ue; Lashio area

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Win Nine

Looted two villages of money, property, medicines (Jan 12). Looted a house (took cash, property, destroyed property) (Jan 17).

#### 69 Infantry Battalion

Jan 15-24 '94; Shans; Hsen Wi twp

SHRF, undated

names Number 5 company led by Maj. Myint Kyi

Captured village headman, beat and tortured him; tortured a villager (Jan 15). Tortured a villager; Maj. Myint Kyi and four of his soldiers gang raped four women (Jan 16th). Opened fire on a village, looted it (Jan 20). Took livestock (Jan 23). Arrested and beat ten women (Jan 24).

#### (69 IB)

Jan 18 '94; Shans; Shan St.

SHRF, undated

names 5Company commanded by Maj. Myint Kyi

Confiscated livestock; looted a village (food, money, property); raped and beat two village women; raped another woman; beat two village men and an elderly woman; and beat all members of one household.

Jan 20 '94; ue; Shan St.; ABSDF: "Human Righta Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 8 names Company 5 led by Maj. Myint Kyi Opened fire on, then looted a village.

#### Light Infantry Battalion 72

late 1994; ue; Pa Laung twp, Loi Kaw twp.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Nov/Dec 195, p 23

names Capt. Htay Win, Capt. Wai Zin Htun, Capt. Nyan Htun, Capt. Myint Lwin Confiscated money and timber from each house in four villages, and sold the timber.

#### Infantry Battalion 73 (LIB 73)

1994; ue; Htantabin twp, Pegu Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15

names Company 4 led by Win Zaw

Forced villagers "to build a rice store and fill it with their own rice for use by the army."

Jan 1994+; ue; Mone twp, Nyaunglebin Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 15

Used forced labor for digging an irrigation canal and road construction.

[names Led by Capt. Ha Shin and company commanders Lt. Aung Nai & Tun Tun Oo]

Jan 23 '94; ue; Nyaunglebin Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 8

Burned village houses in two villages; did not allow villagers to harvest their rice crops.

Mar 17 '94; ue; Nyaunglebin Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 5

names Company commander Aung Myat Kyaw

Aung Myat Kyaw tortured 18 villagers.

Feb 21 '94; ue; Toungoo Dis.

Kaw Thoo Lei Info Center: "Info Release" Mar 8 '94, p 1 Extorts "porter fees".

June 23 '94; ue; Mone twp, Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 1

Demanded conscripts or money payments from villagers.

#### (IB 73)

July 3 '94; ue; Mone twp, Nyaunglebin Dis. KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports: 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 1 Arrested and beat two villagers.

Dec 29 '94; ue; Htantabin twp, Pegu Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 29

Troops threw a grenade into a religious ceremony crowd, wounding 24 and killing 10.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

#### 76 Light Infantry Battalion

May 10 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.
KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports: 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 1
Arrested and killed two villagers: Kyaw Soe Pyu (32) and Saw Ganoo (35).

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### 77 Division

July 9 '94; ue; Tse See twp
SHRF, undated
names Led by Maj. Soe Moe
Eight villagers (including three over 70) beaten; money, property, food looted.
(+ two listings in multiple citations)

#### <u>Infantry Battalion 79</u>

Feb 28 '94, Mar 3 '94; ue; Ter Raw Mai village and Kyet Chay Kat village, Thaton Dis.

Kaw Thoo Lei Info Center: "Info Release" Mar 8 '94, p 2 names Lt. Sein Win

Lt. Sein Win ordered villagers to vacate their village and destroyed all the houses: Feb 28 - Ter Raw Mai, Mar 3 - Kyet Chay Kat.

#### Regiment 83

Sept '95+; Burman/Mon, others; Central Karen St. AI: "Myanmar - Kayin St.: Killings Continue" Apr '96, p 14 Used porters, beat them; beat/punished recaptured escapees.

#### 84 Infantry Battalion (of 99 LIDiv)

1994; Karens +?; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 4,14 names **Nyo Soe Min** Nyo Soe Min extorted money from villagers.

#### (84 IB)

1994; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" May 11 '94, p 11 #2 Company: Demanded forced labor, threatened village chairman;

1994; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Continued SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 12

names Company commanded by Nyo Soe Min

Extorts money. Uses forced labor for road security and minesweeping. Threatened villagers. Arrested a villager (disappeared).

1994; Karens; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 12-13

names commander of 2 company Capt. Mahn Zaw

Extorted money.

Jan 1 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" May 11 '94, p 8

#2 Company: Demanded forced labor.

Jan 2 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" May 11' 94, p 3

Company 2: Use of forced labor for sentry duty, brush clearing. Threats, extortion.

Jan 24 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan'Aug '94, p 11 names Led by Battalion Commander Aung Kyaw Moe

Confiscated rice, food.

Jan 28 '94; ue; Thaton twp

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 11

Confiscated livestock, food crop.

Feb 2 '95; ue; Thaton Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 11

names Commanded by Lt. Col. Aung Kyaw Min & Maj. Nyo Min Thu Demanded palm sugar/cash from villagers; restricted travel.

Feb 3 '95; ue; Thaton twp

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 5

names Lt. Man Son

Villager beaten by Lt. Man Son. Five villagers arrested and beaten by troops.

Feb 5 '94; Karens; Karen St.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 5-6

names Company 1 commander Nyo Soe Min, company 3 Thet Naing Oo

Killed two villagers, Htun Bwah (25) and Maung Than Chay (46) of seven arrested; took money from corpse of Htun Bwah. Beat and tortured the

captives. Demanded ransom for release, and used surviving five as porters.

#### (84 IB)

Feb 6 '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 7-8, 12-14

names Commanded by Nyo Soe Min, company 1

Arrested eight men at funeral, beat and tortured them. Used them as porters. Demanded ransom. Threatened villagers.

Feb 7 '94; ue; Thaton twp

ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 12

names Company 3 led by company commander Myat Than Lay and Maj. Than Htay Looted money, property, food; extorted money.

Feb 9 '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 9 Extorted money.

Feb 10 '94; ue; Pa'an twp, Karen St.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 12 names Commanded by Lt. Col. Aung Kyaw Min

Extorted money from eight villages.

Feb 13 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

Kaw Thoo Lei Info Center: "Info Release" Mar 8 '94, p 2

names Lt. Col. Yin Soe Min and Capt. Soe Naing

Summarily executed Maung Ther (40) and Saw Ti Pwah (29); stole money from Saw Ti Pwah's corpse.

Feb 19 '94; ue; Thaton Dsi.

Kaw Thoo Lei Info Center: "Info Release" Mar 8 '94, p 1

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 9

names led by company commander Capt. Soe Maung (aka Nyo Soe Moe)

Set fire to a villager's house and sugarcane grinding .machine; took livestock.

Feb 22 '94; Karen; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 3

names Platoon commander from company 4 Myint Way Oo

Myint Way Oo arrested a farmer, had him beaten by troops. Myint Way Oo tortured, mutilated, burned him, left him for dead.

Mar '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" May 11 '94, p 13

Company 5: Used/demanded porters, demanded food.

Mar 19 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" May 11 '94, p 7

names Sgt. Than Htay

Demanded forced labor for sentry duty.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# Battalion 87 (one listing in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Division 88

1994-1995; ue; Kawkareik area

KHRG: "Myawaddy - Kawkareik Update" Aug 6 '95, p 4

Forced labor building army camps, roads.

# 89 Light Infantry Division

Dec '94+; ue; Tamu twp

WRWAB: "Report on Status of Burmese Women" Jan 4 '96

Arrested a villager, killed him in custody, looted and destroyed his home. Arrested his wife, beat and tortured her.

Regiment 89 (one listing in multiple citations)

Battalion 89 (one listing in multiple citations)

### <u>Infantry Battalion 93</u>

1994; ue; Myaung Mya twp, Irrawaddy Delta

KHRG: "Conditions in the Irrawaddy Delta" Aug 4 '95, p 2

Demanded that villagers furnish them with "a boat with an engine", which IB 93 then used and sold.

1995; ue; Bilin twp

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act., N. Karen Dis." July 18 '95, p20

Used forced labor at camp, demanded construction materials.

#### Infantry Battalion 96

Apr 28 '94; ue; Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 1

Shot and wounded a villager; shot and killed another, Pa Kloh (26).

Dec '94; ue; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis" Jan 25 '95, p 8

names Column commander Col. Tin Hlaing

Looted a village (first week of Dec). Looted another village and burned down 18 houses (Dec 9).

Dec 8 '94; ue; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 8

names Camp commander Bo Kyo Win & Sgt. Hla Tun

Bo Kyo Win and Sgt. Hla Tun beat Saw Cheh Paw (64) to death.

1995; Karens; Thaton twp

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act.: N. Karen Dis." July 18 '95, p 20

names Lt. Aung Nai & Maj. Thein Zan

Lt. Aung Nai and Maj. Thein Zan extorted money from relatives of KNLA soldiers.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

### Infantry Battalion 97

Mar 3 '94; ue; Kawkareik twp, Karen St.

ABSDF: "Human Rights report" Jan-Aug '94, p 12

names Led by Thein Dan and Cpl. Tun Aung

Killed livestock (Cpl. Tun Aung).

Nov 25 '94; ue; Kawkareik area

KHRG: "Myawaddy - Kawkareik Area Report" Jan 15 '95, p 12

names Warrant Officer Kya Ma Naw

Demanded compensation from a village for a soldier killed nearby.

1995; ue; Karen St.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages: 96A" Feb 20 '96, p 7

No. 2 Column HQ: Demanded food and timber.

June 30 '95; ue; Karen St.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages: 96A" Feb 20 '96, p 4

issued order establishing a free fire zone around several villages.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

## 99 Division

March '94; Karens; Karen St.

AI: "Human Rights Still Denied" Nov '94, p 15-16

Captured three girls and a 25 year old farmer, a young man, and a boy of 13 or 14. The males were tortured and killed, their money from grinding sugarcane stolen.

Mar 10 '95; ue; Bwa Der area, Papun Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Papun & Nyaung. Dis." May 25 '95, p 2

Villager shot dead while threshing paddy.

#### <u>Infantry Battalion 99</u>

Mar 7 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" jan-Aug '94, p 2

Column 2: Arrested 24 traders, confiscated livestock.

Oct 27 '94; ue; Tse See twp

SHRF, undated [possibly 99 LIR]

names Company 3 led by Maj. Shwe Ko & Capt. Maung Maung

Raped a village woman; shot and wounded a man in another village.

#### Light Infantry Regiment 99

Aug 15 '94+; ue; Larng Khur [Laii Kha] twp, Southern Shan St.

SHRF, undated

Demanded food from villages twice monthly; extorted money from other villages twice monthly.

#### (LIR 99)

Nov 28 '94 - Dec 3 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp

SHRF, undated

Arrested, beat and fined headman of a village "for delaying to report that the teacher in his village had held a meeting."

Dec 3 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp

SHRF, undated

Captured and interrogated five villagers "in a brutal ways"; one of whom they claimed "had aided the wounded MTA" was not released.

Dec 21 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp SHRF, undated Looted livestock, food.

# Infantry Battalion 101

Jan '95; ue; Tanintharyi twp

KNU M-T Dis.: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 24

names Lt. Thet Oo

Lt. Thet Oo demanded porters, threatened villagers.

Jan 5 '95; ue; Tanintharyi twp

KNU M'T Dis.: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 10

names Led by Maj. Tin Maung Nyunt (column)

A soldier in the column raped a 25 year old woman, hit and choked her.

Feb 3 '94; ue; Tenasserim twp, Tenasserim Div.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 16

names Led by Maj. Kyaw Kyaw

Destroyed buildings, fields, used forced labor for highway construction. Punished laborers with fines, porter duty, destruction of houses.

Mar 24 '94; ue; Palaw twp, Tenasserim Div.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 9

names Capt. Tin Maung Nyunt

Two houses destroyed, including rice, cash and other property. A young woman arrested and held for ransom.

June 15 '95; ue; Mergui-Tavoy dist.

KHRG: "Field Reports: M-T Dis." July 29 '95, p 4

Looted property from a village.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

## Battalion 102

1994; ue; Deemawso twp, south of Loikaw, Karenni St.

KHRG: "Human Rights in N. Karenni St." Apr 10 '94, p 3

Confiscated 300 acres of land, forced villagers to farm it for 102 Battalion, made villagers destroy their own crops.

## Infantry Battalion 103

Dec 22 '94; ue; Palaw twp KNU M-T Dis.: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 9 Demanded construction materials, extorted money from a village. 1995; ue; Merqui-Tavoy Dis. "Burma Issues" Nov '95, p 4 names Sgt. Maj. Aung Gyi Confiscated 30 buffalo from a villager and demanded ransom for them. Apr 12 '95; ue; Tavoy area KHRG: "Field Reports: Merqui-Tavoy Dis." July 29 '95, p 3 Extorted money from a village. May 9 '95+; ue; Palaw twp KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 3 Demanded construction materials for army camp; used forced labor. June '94; ue; Tenasserim twp KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Area Update" Jan 5 '96, p 4 Forced labor for road building. June 9 '95; ue; Palaw twp KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis." July 29 '95, p 4 Extorted money/food from village. June 11 '95; ue; Merqui-Tavoy area KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis." July 29 '95, p 4 names Led by Lt. Myint Aung Confiscated food, livestock from a village. Oct 28 '95; ue; Palaw twp, Tenasserim Div. ABSDF: "Dawn" Nov-Dec '95, p 24 names Warrant Officer Aung Gyi Warrant Officer Aung Gyi detained, raped and beat a village woman. (+ three listings in multiple citations) Feb '94; Mon; Ye twp AI: "Human Rights After 7 Years" Oct '94, p 21 ["Unit 104"] Arrested a villager (disappeared). 1995; ue; Laung Lone twp. KHRG: "Field Reports: M-T Dis" July 29 '95, p 9

### Infantry Battalion 104

Demanded construction materials.

1995; Mons +?; Ye Pyu area KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 6 Captured, used porters. Looted livestock, food; beat villagers. Beat porters.

#### (IB 104)

1995: Burman +?; Ye-Tavoy area

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 15 -16

names Column 2 commander Maj. Aung Kyaw Oo, Battalion commander Lt. Col. Zaw Win Myint

Used porters, used forced labor for camp construction.

early 1995; Mons +?; Ye Byu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 12

HRF of Monland: "Human Rights Int. 1/95" Mar '95, p 7

Confiscated rice; captured and beat farmers and families; used them as porters and human shields (including children); burned/destroyed field huts.

Feb-Mar '95; ue; Thanbyuzayat to Moulmein to Palu/Thingan Nyi Naung KHRG: "Porters: SLORC's 6th Brig. Offensive" Mar 22 '95, p 1-2 Captured, used, beat porters.

Mar 1995; ue; Ye twp

AI: "Human Rights After 7 years" Oct '95, p 24 ["104 Company"] Used a farmer as porter, beat him.

March/April '95; ue; Mon St.

UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar" Oct '95, p 8 Two porters beaten to death for requesting water.

Dec 18 '95; Karens +?; Ye Byu tpw, Tenasserim Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Jan-Feb '96, p 27

names Battalion led by Maj. Htaung Zar Lian, soldiers in incident led by Capt. Myint Kyaw

Arrested 21 men and women. Beat one of the men. Tortured the men arrested; tortured and sexually abused the women. Capt. Myint Kyaw interrogated a woman, threatened and beat her. One of the detainees died from wounds

incurred while escaping from the army camp.

(+ five listings in multiple citations)

Battalion 105 (two listings in multiple citations)

# 106 Light Infantry Battalion

Apr '94; Mon; Ye Byu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 8-9

names Led by Lt. Maung Latt

Arrested a farmer; interrogated and beat, tortured him, extorted money for his release.

Nov '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95E" July 2 '95, p 3

3 Company: Demands for porters, extortion.

#### (106 LIB)

Nov '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95E" July 2 '95, p 8

3 Company: Extortion, threats.

1995; Mons +?; Ye North twp

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Area Update" Jan 5 '96, p 8

Forced labor growing vegetables on confiscated fields.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

### 108 Battalion

early 1994; Mons + others; Ye twp

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 11

Forced labor to build Klay Aung army camp.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

109 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

110 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

### Light Infantry Battalion 111

Sept 11 '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 2

names Sgt. Tun Win, camp commander Sgt. Maung Pyi

Sgt. Tun Win questioned, beat, killed Saw Noh Noh (40) whom he found grazing

cattle. [Sgt. Tun Win and four soldiers he was with were transferred]

Sgt. Maung Pyi threatened witnesses.

#### Light Infantry Battalion 116

Jan 4 '94; ue; Thaton twp, Mon St.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 11

Confiscated rice, cane sugar, other foods, from villagers.

# 118 Battalion (of 44 LIDiv)

Dec '94 - Jan '95; Burman, Rakhine +?; Thaton & Myawaddy to Kawmoora area

KHRG: "Escaped Porters: Kawmoora Battle" Feb 4 '95, p 1-5

names Sqt. Win Tin

Used, beat porters, shot at escapees. Used forced labor to dig/build defenses.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 119 (of 33 LIDiv)

Jan 27 '94; ue; Thaton twp

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 11

names Led by Battalion Commander Aye Myint

Confiscated paddy crops.

#### (LIB 119)

Feb 24 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" p 4-5 names Lt. Min Than - intelligence officer, column 1 Demanded seven porters.

Mar 5 '94; ue; Thaton Dis

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 12

names Led by Aye Myint Looted food, property.

Mar 22-27 '94; Karens; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis. KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 10 names company commanders Win Tay (comp. 1), Min Than (comp 2) Captured villagers. Interrogated, beat them, used as porters.

April 1 or 2, '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "More SLORC Abuses: Thaton & Pa'an Dis." Apr 23 '94, p 1

Captured four, killed their cow, accused them of being Karen rebel soldiers, shot them dead: Maw Na, Maw Toe Aung, Pa Boe, Maw Lay. Fired shells at village.

Dec 31 '94; ue; Thaton twp, Mon St. ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 29 -30 Saw Lar Noe (20), villager, shot & killed.

# Light Infantry Battalion 120 (of 33 Div)

Jan 6 '94; ue; Thaton

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 11 Columns 1 & 2: Demanded rice from villagers.

Jan 15 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More Orders to Karen Villages" May 11 '94, p 2

Column 2 HQ: Demanded couriers; threatened to bomb village.

Jan 22 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 16 names Column 2 led by Maj. Thu Soe & Maj. Soe Win Used forced labor and porters.

Total 1004: Variance Danish tem

July 1994; Karens; Papun twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 4

names Column led by Maj. Kyaw Kyaw Htun

Captured villagers. Used one as a guide, another, Saw Pit (35) beaten, tortured, then found shot dead.

# Infantry Battalion 151

Nov 17 '94; ue; Kyauk Kyi twp ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15 names **Led by Lt. Col. Kyaw Kyaw** "Conscripted about 90 men and women." Battalion 203 (two listings in multiple citations)

<u>Battalion 204</u> (one listing in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 205

Jan 10 '95; ue; Manerplaw

UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar" Oct '95, p 15-16

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 16; KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw" Feb 25 '95, p3 names Sgt. Toe Toe

Sgt. Toe Toe beat and cut a porter who was trying to protect his friend, Ko Lu Maw (18) whom he then bayonetted to death.

Jan 25 '95+; Burmese Muslim + others; Kawkareik to Thai border area KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw & Kawmoora Areas" Feb 25 '95, p 3-4 Captured, used, beat porters, including children and elderly.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

Battalion 206 (two listings in multiple citations)

# Battalion 207 (of 22 Div.)

early 1995; Pa-O + others; Kawkareik to Thai border area KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw & Kawmoora Areas" Feb 2 5 '95, p 5-7 Captured, used, beat porters; used forced labor to cut bamboo.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

Battalion 208 (three listings in multiple citations)

<u>Battalion 209</u> (three listings in multiple citations)

Battalion 210 (one listing in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 216 (of Div. 33)

1995; Burman +?; Thaton area +

KHRG: "Porters: SLORC's Salween Offensive" Apr 8 '95, p 2

Used porters, beat them, threatened them.

<u>Battalion 221</u> (one listing in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 222

Dec 20 '94; ue; Lae Shi twp, Sagaing Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 33

Detained a Christian pastor, and at gunpoint, tried to force him to convert to Buddhism.

Battalion 224 (one listing in multiple citations)

## Light Infantry Battalion 228

May '95+; ue; Min Kin twp, Sagaing Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Mar '96, p 22

Use forced labor on embankment and road construction projects. Demand replacement fees; beat and torture local people.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

## Battalion 229

Feb 7 '95+; Nagas; Leshi twp in Sagaing Div.

ABSL: "Fist News Bulletin" [quotes "Naga Human Rights Organization of Burma] June 30 '95

names Number 2 company led by Lt. Mya Kyaw

Villagers used as forced labor for camp construction; beaten by Lt. Mya Kyaw, who threatened villagers. Food demanded as "fines".

## Light Infantry Battalion 230

1994; ue; Myawaddy - Kawkareik area

KHRG: "Myawaddy-Kawkareik Area Report" jan 15 '95, p 12

Extorted "porter fees", other payments.

July 17 '94; ue; Kawkareik twp, Karen St.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 13

names Maj. Tun Aung

Threatened villages.

Dec '94 - Jan '95; ue; Zaw Heh village, Myaw-Kaw area

KHRG: "Myawaddy-Kawkareik Area report" Jan 15 '95, p 12

names Capt. Kyaw Moe (led patrol)

Arrested village head, U Ba Eh, executed him; forced relocation of village.

1995; Karens +? Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act. in Kawkareik Twp." July 10 '95, p 5

Sexually harassed a woman. Uses forced labor, extorted food/money.

May 3' 95; ue; Karen St.

UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar" Oct '95, p 8

names Led by Kyaw Myint Taun

Villager arrested and executed.

June 22 '95; Karen +?; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "Myawaddy-Kawkareik Area Update" Aug 6 '95, p 1-2

names Column 2, led by Maj. Aye Than Maung

Tortured, mutilated, killed Pa Er (30), beat another man, tortured a woman.

Nov 21-25 '95; Karens +?; Dooplaya Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 14

names Battalion Commander Thet Oo

Looted six houses, shot livestock, burned two houses; killed a villager, in one village. In another village, looted.

(+ six listings in multiple citations)

### 231 Infantry Battalion

May 6 '94, Sept '94, Feb 14 '95, Mar '95; ue; Karen area KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 96A" Feb 20 '96, p 5-6, 18, 19, 20 No. 2 Company: Demanded food (May 6 '94). Demanded forced labor (Sept. '94 and Mar '95). Demanded video machines (Feb 14 '95).

Dec 8 '94; Karens; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: 6th Brigade Area" May 31 '95, p 2-4

names commander Bo aung Khaing, company 3 led by Zaw Ko Ko,

Cpl. Myint Zaw & Cpl. Thein Win

Arrested a woman and her children. Tortured her and her daughter. Threatened her, and beat her and her children. Shot and killed her daughter, Aye Myint (23). Bullets/shrapnel wounded her sister; another sister wounded by a bullet. When the women were in hospital, Bo Aung Khaing allegedly "asked the doctor to kill [them] with medicine."

Apr '95; ue; Kawkareik area

KHRG: "SLORC in Kya-In & Kawkareik Twps" Feb 10 '96, p 11-15

names Battalion commander Aung Khine, column commander Zaw Ko Ko, camp commander Sgt. Shwe Saing

Captured five villagers; threatened and interrogated buffalo herder Pa Khaw (30+), tortured and killed him. Imprisoned them in pits and tortured the other four. Zaw Ko Ko demanded ransom for them.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

### 232 Infantry Battalion

Apr 10 '95; ue; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 96B" Feb 23 '96, p 2

Column 2: Demanded forced laborers.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### Infantry Battalion 233

Sept 1 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 3

names Led by Lt. Col. Soe Win Tin

Relocated villages: Ka Sa Pa Doh, Tee Loh, Beh Taw Day, Sah Zee Bone, Yin Hlaing, Zee Pyu Gone, Taungoo Village.

Sept 11 '95; Karens; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 4

names Lt. Col. Soe Win Tin & Column 1

Killed farmers Saw Ker Doh (42), Saw Ee See (32), and Saw Sein Win.

Sept 15 '95; Karen +?; Taungoo Dis

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis " Feb 29 '96, p 4 Killed two villagers; killed Saw ka Doh Swe (25) in field.

Oct 22 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 5

names Column 1 led by Lt. Col. Soe Win Tint

Killed villager Saw Ba Blut (27); destroyed fields/rice supplies.

#### (IB 233)

Oct 23 '95 +; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 5

Captured one hundred male and female villagers, used them as porters, and human minesweepers.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry battalion 234

1995; ue; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages: Set 96B" Feb 23 '96, p 6 Column 2: Involved with use of porters/forced labor, extortion.

1995+; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 2 Demands porters, extorts "porter fees".

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

### Infantry Battalion 240

Jan 20 '94; Shans; Hsenwi twp SHRF, undated Company 3: Burned the paddy harvest of a village and took a buffalo. Looted another village; arrested headman — tortured and beat him; arrested a youth leader and beat him.

Battalion 244 (one listing in multiple citations)

Battalion 245 (one listing in multiple citations)

# 246 Light Infantry Regiment/Light Infantry Battalion

Jan 12 '94; Shan; Koon Hing twp SHRF, undated [246 LIR] Killed Tsai Seng Harn (24).

Apr 6, Apr 13 '94; Shans; Southern Shan St. SHRF, undated [246 IB] Looted two villages of money, property.

Aug 18 '94; ue; between Laikha and Kunhing ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 26 [LIB 246] Executed farmer Sai H1a Htay, who was being used as a porter; beat another porter caught trying to escape.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

# 247 Light Infantry Regiment/Battalion

Jan 29 '94; Shans; Nam Tsaang twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 23 [247 Battalion] names No. 3 company led by Maj. Myint Aung, Capt. Aung Ko Ko, Capt. Mya Maung Looted village (food).

July 12 '94; ue; Nam Tsarng twp SHRF, undated [247 LIR] Looted property, crops, livestock, food, from ten villagers.

late Nov '94+; ue; Shan St. SHRF, undated [247 LIR] Arrested students, interrogated them, used them as porters.

(+ six listings in multiple citations)

# 248 Light Infantry Regiment

May 12 '94; Murng Nai twp; ue SHRF, undated Looted a village.

June 6 '94; ue; Koon Hing twp, southern Shan St. SHRF, Oct 15 '94 Looted two villages of food, property.

July 17 '94; ue; Murng Naii twp, southern Shan St. SHRF, Nov 10 '94 names **Led by maj. Aung Than Oo & Maj. Ne Lin** Looted a village of food, money, property.

Dec '94+; ue; Shan St. SHRF, undated Captured people to serve as porters.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

# 249 Light Infantry Regiment

June 9 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp SHRF, undated Confiscated food; opened fire on villagers and wounded a 3 year old child.

June 10 '94; ue; Tse See twp SHRF, undated Confiscated livestock.

June 12 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp SHRF, undated names **Led by Capt. Kala** Looted rice supply, chickens.

#### (249 LIR)

Oct 14 '94; ue; Tse see twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Aung Thaw

Beat six villagers; confiscated their property, food, livestock.

Nov 25 '94; ue; Nam Tsarng twp

SHRF, undated

Confiscated food, property, seeds.

Dec 30 '94; ue; Nam Tsarng twp

SHRF, undated

Confiscated food, property, from two villages.

Battalion 250 (one listing in multiple citations)

# 258 Infantry Battalion

Sept 10 '94; ue; Murng Nai twp

SHRF, undated, p 2

names Led by Capt. Myo Kyaw Lwin & Capt. Thein Win

Opened fire in village, killed Lung Aung and his wife Pa Mart; caught villager Su Nan Da, beat him and burned him to death; gang raped and further abused two young women (ages 17 and 20).

Oct 16 '94; ue; Murng Nai twp

SHRF, undated, p 1

names Led by Capt. Myo Kyaw Lwin

Battalion 261 (one listing in multiple citations)

# 262 Burma Regiment

Oct 25 '94; Rohingya; Buthidaung area

RSO: "Newsletter" Dec 1 '94, p 3

Beat a young man unconscious.

# Infantry Battalion 263

June 26 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis.

ABSDF: "Dawn" May-June 94, p 44

[under command of Tactical Operations Command 1 of Western Command]

names Led by Maj. Htay Aung

Arrested traders, took their cash and used them as porters.

July 1 '95; ue; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 96B" Feb 23 '96, p 2

Order to relocate villages; threat of village/fields being burned & "attack with guns".

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

# 264 Light Infantry Battalion

May '94; Burman, Karen; Kyauk Kyi twp, Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Reports from Nyaung. Dis" Jan 31 '95, p 1

names Led by Capt. Hla Win

Arrested, interrogated, tortured, two villagers; shot at one as he escaped.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# Battalion 265

Dec '94; ue; four townships of Mergui Dis.

KNU M-T Dis.: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 22

Used forced labor for army base construction; extorted money.

# Battalion 267

Feb '95+; ue; near Tavoy airport

Joint Info Group: "Joint Info News Letter 1" Mar 3 '95, p 8

Demanded forced labor to build army camp.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

# 269 Battalion

1994-1995; Chins; Tiddim area

CHRO: "Statements of Army Deserters" Jan '96

names Northwest command - Commander Col. Maung Thein, section commander Lt./Cpl. Aung Kyaw Win

Used porters. Forced conversion, marriage of Chin women. Property, food looted from villagers. Lt./Cpl. Aung Kyaw Win ordered extortion of money and rice for his own business.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

# 273 Infantry Battalion

1995; Mons +?; Island in Heinze Basin, Ye Pyu twp

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Area Update" Jan 5 '96, p 6

Collects paddy quotas.

Sept '95; ue; Ye-Tavoy area

Mon Info Service: "Forced Labour/Ye-Tavoy Railway" 1995, p 12

names Second Warrant Officer Myint Oo

Demanded forced labor for railway construction.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

Battalion 300 (one listing in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 302

Mar 15 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "More SLORC Orders to Karen Villages" May 11 '94, p 4

Column 1: Extorted money from village.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 308

Aug 7 '94; ue; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field reports: Thaton Dis" jan 25 '95, p 2-3

names Capt. Kyaw Min of Company 4

Capt. Kyaw Min, with a civilian "SLORC collaborator", captured and beat Aung Than, a villager; shot and killed Maung Kyaw, village head; and shot and killed a 47 year old woman, Naw Tin Mo; and the collaborator killed Aung Than (50).

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

# 310 Light Infantry Battalion

1995; Karens +?; Kya In twp

KHRG: "SLORC in Kya In & Kaw. Twp" Feb 10 '96, p 3, 9, 12, 13, 15

Steal food, property. Use porters, charge "porter fees". Use forced labor to farm land for army. Use forced labor for construction. Beat villagers.

1995; various; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "SLORC in Kya-In & Kaw. twp" p 8-9

names Maj. Than Tun & camp commander Than Tun (two different officers)

["previously #2 Kachin Rifles]

Used forced labor to cut planks for shipment. Used porters, charged "porter fees". Use forced labor for messengers, errands. Demand/steal food. Arrest, beat villagers.

Oct '95, Dec '95; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 96A" Feb 20 '96, p 10, 12

Column 2: Involved in use of porters (Oct '95). Detained and interrogated two village women (Dec '95).

Dec '95; Karens; Kya In twp

KHRG: "SLORC in Kya In & Kaw. Twp." Feb 10 '96, p 4-5

names Company 2 company commander Than Tun

Arrested a fleeing farmer, Saw Tha Lu (37), interrogated, beat him to death. Threatened headman. Demanded food.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

#### 311 Light Infantry

Dec 1, 16 '94; ue; Murng Peing twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Khin Maung Yee

Two men interrogated, beaten, tortured (Dec 1). Confiscated a villager's livestock and other property and burned his house (Dec 16).

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

# 316 Light Infantry Regiment

Feb 7 '94+; ue; Ta Lur area

SHRF, undated

names Led by Capt. Soe Lin, Capt. Thaung Thiet Soe

Captured seven villagers, starved them, tortured/interrogated them. One who is deaf was beaten unconscious; one was beaten unconscious, thought dead and escaped; two imprisoned (two year sentences), money extorted for release of others.

Jan 20 '95; ue; Tachilek twp

SHRF, undated

names Capt. Thoung Thike Soe & Sgt. Khin Maung Thun

Arrested three villagers; interrogators Capt. Thoung Thike Soe and Sgt. Khin Maung Thun; beat one of the captives, tortured the two others; sentenced them on "false evidences" for being MTA supporters, to 2 - 4 years imprisonment.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# 317 Artillery Battalion

late Feb 1995; Karens +?; Kawmoora area

KHRG: "Chemical Shells at Kawmoora: Supplementary" Mar 20 '95, p2

names Capt. Mo Myint Khaing

Use of chemical shells in offensive against KNLA.

# 324 Light Infantry Regiment

Nov 10 - 20 '94; ue; Nam Tu twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Tint Lwin, Maj. ko Win & Maj. Yarn Aung

311 households forced to relocate; and 405 other households forced to relocate.

Battalion 330 (one listing in multiple citations)

#### Battalion 331

March - April 1995; ue; Tachilek area UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar" p 11

Detaining seven villagers.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

# 332 Infantry Regiment

Apr 23 '25 '94; Shans; Mauk Mai twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Myint Thein

Ransacked villages, confiscated livestock, arrested a Buddhist novice.

334 Battalion (two listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 336

Feb 13 '94; ue; Hpe Khon twp

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 6

names Led by Deputy Battalion Commander Chit Than

Arrested, beat and tortured two villagers, Sai Be (30) and Maung Pa Loke (25), then beat them to death.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

### 338 Battalion

1994; Karen; Hlaing Bwe twp, Pa'an Dis

KHRG: "Refugees at Klay Muh Hta" June 24 '94, p 4-5

names Soe Soe

338 Battalion soldier Soe Soe raped a woman at forced labor camp; forced her to marry him, beat and abused her, threatened her and her family and villagers.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

## 339 Regiment

Mar '94; Karens; Karen area

AI: "Human Rights Still Denied" Nov '94, p 16

Captured two men, killed one. Shot at the other as he escaped.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

#### Light Infantry Battalion 341

Mar 2 '94; ue; Papun twp, Karen St.

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 14

names Pvt. Soe Moe Naing from Column 1 led by Warrant Officer Ngwe Maung, Company commander Capt. Tu Lun

Pvt. Soe Moe Naing attempted rape of Ma Mi Nge (16), then shot and killed her. Capt. Tu Lun covered up incident, threatened parents/villagers with death.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 343

Mar '94; ue; Taungbaw village, Ye twp

KYO: "News Bulletin" Oct '94

names No. 2 Column commander Maj. Nyunt Tin

Ordered village to relocate; forced villagers to dismantle their houses, burned ten houses.

Nov '94; ue; Mon area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95C" May 2 '95, p 14

Company commander of No. 3 company extorted "servants' fees".

1995; Mons +?; Ye twp

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 13

Forced labor on railway construction.

### (343 LIB)

Jan '95; ue; Mon area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95C" May 2 '95, p 14 names No. 1 Company, company commander Lt. Min Zaw Extortion of "servants' fees".

Jan '95; ue; Mon area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95C" May 2 '95, p 16

Demand for food; threats.

Feb '95; Mon; Tavoy area

GN32: "Info Rec'd from CPPSM" June 19 '95, p9-10

names Capt. Nyi Nyi Win

Nai San Nyein, a captured MLA soldier, tortured, mutilated and killed by Capt. Nyi Nyi Win [who was subsequently killed in battle.]

Apr 21 '95; Mon; Ye twp

AI: "Human Rights After 7 Years" Oct '95, p 23 ["Unit 343"] Shot and killed Mi Noy, a 17 year old girl. [paid 50,000 kyats compensation to family.]

Oct 94+; Mon; Ye area

AI: "Human Rights After 7 Years" Oct '95, p 21

Arrested a village headman.

(+ five listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 345

Oct 13 '95; Rakhines; Buthidaung area, Arakan

Rakhine Info Center: "The Arakan Forum" Nov '95, p 2-3

names Led by Capt. Saw Lwin

Demanded food and money from villagers. Made all villagers stand in sun all day, beat them. Damaged a villager's hearing by immersing him in river. Raped village girls in view of village. "One of the villagers trying to save a minor girl from being raped was shot with a pistol and killed by Capt. Saw Lwin."

#### Infantry Battalion 349

Nov 12 '94; ue; Shwe Kyin twp and Waw twp, Pegu Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15

"Arrested civilians" from 9 villages.

late '94+; ue; Shwe Gyin twp, Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Reports from Nyaung. Dis" Jan 31 '95 Use porters, demand porter fees, demand food, beat villagers.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# Infantry Battalion 350

Nov 11 '94; ue; Karen area ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15

names Company 3 led by Company commander Capt. Htein Lin

Captured four villagers, forced them to work in field.

Nov 17 '94; ue; Kyauk Kyi, Kyauktaga, Shwe Kyin twp.s in Pegu Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15

names Led by Column Commander Maj. Tin Oo Lwin

Arrested 60 villagers.

Nov 19 '94; ue; Shwe Kyin twp ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15 names Led by Lt. Col. Khin Maung Kyi Arrested villagers.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 351

1994; Karens +?; Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Papun & Nyaung. Dis" May 25 '95, p 4

names Maj. Kyaw Kyaw

Collecting "porter fees", taking porters.

Nov 20 -21 '94; Karens; Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Papun & Nyaung. Dis" May 25 '95, p3

names Battalion commander Maj. Kyaw Kyaw, patrolling column officer Capt. Hla Myint

Captured Saw Bee, a 59 year old farmer, beat him and killed him. Confiscated food, threatened villagers.

Dec 18 '94; ue; Shwe Kyin twp, Pegu Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 29

Opened fire on villagers, killed Ko Mha Myint (35), stole his money, property.

Dec 22 '94; ue; Shwe Kyin area

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 29

Shot six villagers, of whom Maung Zaw Naing Oo was found dead afterwards.

1995; ue; Kyauk Kyi area

"Burma Issues" Sept '95

Destroyed crops; confiscated land and used forced labor to farm it for army.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

# 354 Battalion

Sept 15 '95; ue; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 96B" Feb 23 '96, p 6

names No. 1 company, Ba Kyaw Oo, company commander

Demanded forced labor.

### (354 Battalion)

Nov 24 '95; ue; Kyauktaw twp, Arakan St.

Rakhine Info Center: "The Arakan Forum" Nov '95, p 8

Company 3: Accused two villagers of rebel contact, tortured and killed them.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 355

Sept. 27 '94; ue; Myawaddy twp

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 32

Interrogated and beat two villagers; threatened village. Beat two women.

(+ six listings in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 356

Sept 19 '94; Karens; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "Myawaddy-Kawkareik Area Reports" Jan 15 '95, p 10-11

names Led by Capt. Ne Win

Captured two villagers, interrogated them. Capt. Ne Win and four soldiers beat and tortured them.

(+ five listings in multiple citations)

# Light Infantry Battalion 357

Sept '94; ue; 1ocation unspecified

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 32

Four villagers beaten.

Oct '94; Karens +?; Kawkareik area

KHRG: "Myawaddy-Kawkareik Area Reports", Jan 15 '95, p 4-5, 8

names Company commander Capt. Myint Yi, Lt. San Myint

Captured, interrogated, tortured and beat villagers, held villagers (women and children) hostage, looted, threatened. Shot at village. Lt. San Myint beat a captive in the face; Capt. Myint Yi beat captives.

Oct 2-5 '94; ue; location unspecified

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 28

Arrested, interrogated and tortured two villagers.

(+ three listings in multiple citations)

# 358 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

#### 359 Light Infantry

Dec 16 '94; ue; Murng Peing twp (eastern Shan St.)

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Khin Maung Kyee

Looted Buddhist monastery and burned it.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

360 Battalion (( one listing in multiple citations)

375 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

## 376 Battalion/Regiment

Nov 11 '94+; Rakhines; Kalak Choung area, Paletwa twp Arakanese Students Congress: "Report on Human Rights Violations in Arakan" Mar 13 '95, p 14-15 Forced 300 villagers to bring supplies by raft/boat to army camp, and by land. Beat raft-pullers, porters.

Dec '94?; Chins; Paletwa twp, Chin St KHRG: "SLORC Abuses in Chin St" Mar 15 '95, p 1 Company 1: Forced labor building fence, beatings, bribes for release.

Dec '94 - Jan '95; Bru (Mroon) Chin; Longgado village, Paletwa twp, Chin St CNF: "Refugee Report" 1995, p 1
KHRG: "SLORC Abuses in Chin St" Mar 15 '95, p 2
Committee for Arakanese Refugees: "Report on Influx...Mizoram" Aug 13 '95, p 3
names Lt. Tun Wei (Lt. Htun Wei) company commander
Arrested headman of Longgado village, Mr. Rammado (Ramdaw) (48), accused him of rebel contact, interrogated, beat, tortured him, executed him without a trial. Looted and burned, forcibly relocated the village.

1995; ue; Paletwa twp
ASC/ABYMU/ALD: "Joint Statement on Killing.." Aug 13 '95
names Company 2 led by Capt. Tun Wei & Lt. Tun Myint
Killed villager Mejir (33) and U Maung Fru (46) from another village.

Apr 11 '95; ue; Paletwa twp
Committee for Arakanese Refugees: "Report on Influx...Mizoram" Aug 13 '95, p 4-5
names Capt. Tun Myint & Lt. Tun Wei
Arrested village headman U Nga Mae Che (46), and U Oung Zan Oo (54),
Maung Shwe Doot (25). Accused them of rebel contact; beat, tortured,
mutilated, killed them.

Apr 15-16 '95; ue; Paletwa twp Committee for Arakanese Refugees: "Report on Influx...Mizoram" Aug 13 '95, p 5 names Company 2 led by Capt. Tun Myint Arrested headman U Tha Maung (55), beat, tortured, mutilated him, killed him. Beat and tortured Hla Han (28), who died the next day.

Battalion 391 (one listing in multiple citations)

# 401 Light Infantry Battalion

Oct. '94, Karen; Ye Byu twp, Tenasserim Div. CPPSM: "Newsletter" Jan '95, p 8
Killed U Su Aye (50) in front of his house.

'94-'95; ue; Tavoy to Ye Pyu town railway area GN32: "Info Rec'd from CPPSM" June 19 '95, p 8 Administered five forced labor camps for Ye-Tavoy railway construction.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# 402 Light Infantry Battalion

1995; ue; Tavoy twp KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 9 Demands porters, extorts "porter fees".

Sept '95; ue; Ye-Tavoy area KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Area Update" Jan 5 '96, p4 Confiscated land from two villages and occupied it.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# 403 Light Infantry Battalion

early '94; Karens, others; Taungoo Dis.

KYO: "News Bulletin" Oct '94

names Camp 1 regional commander Capt. Winn Bo Demanded forced labor for railway construction.

Oct 22' 94; Karen; Ye Byu twp (Yebone village) KNU, M-T Dis: "Development & the Cry of the People" Dec '94, p 15 CPPSM: "Newsletter" Jan 1 '95, p 7

Shot and killed U Si Aye (63); shot and wounded a 16 year old boy. Captured a villager -- disappeared. Burned all houses in Yebone village.

1995; Burman +?; Ye-Tavoy area KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 15 Forced labor on railway construction.

1995; ue; Thayet Chaung twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 7

ABSDF: "Dawn" Nov-Dec '94, p 24

Uses forced labor, extorts fees. Demands construction materials.

Jan 10 '95; Karens; Ye Byu twp KNU M-T Dis: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 14-15 Arrested, wounded a villager.

Apr 8 '95; Karens; southern Karen area UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar" p 7 Shot and killed four villagers on suspicion of being KNLA soldiers.

(+ eight listings in multiple citations)

# 404 Light Infantry Battalion

Dec '94; Karens +?; Tenasserim Div. KNU M-T Dis: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 3 names Lt. Thet Oo, column commander Nyi Nyi San

Lt. Thet Oo demanded construction materials for army camp, threatened villagers. Col. Commander Nyi Nyi San demanded forced labor for army camp, threatened villagers.

Dec 17 '94; Karens +?; Tavoy twp, Tenasserim Div.

KNU M-T Dis: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 4-5

Joint Info Group: "Joint Info News Letter 1" Mar 3 '95, p 4

Shot at a river passenger boat. Killed owner and two passengers: Saw Bro

[Saw Ba Yo] (40), Saw Wah Koh (39), and Saw Po Lo (38); another wounded; confiscated "part of the boat and the engine", cargo.

1995; Mons +others; Ye Pyu twp KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 6 Forced labor cutting timber. Extorted money.

Jan '95; ue; Tavoy twp Joint Info Group: "Joint Info News Letter 1" Mar 3 '95, p 5 names **Column led by Maj. Nyi Nyi San** Looted food, property, money.

June '95; ue; Thayet Chaung twp KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 5 Used porters, beat them.

June 8 '95; Karen; Thayet Chaung twp CPPSM: "Forced Portering Labour" Aug 15 '95 names **Capt. Myint Maung Win** Capt. Myint Maung Win attempted to rape a Karen woman.

June 8 '95; Karens; Thayet Chaung twp
CPPSM: "Forced Portering Labour" Aug 15 '95

names Battalion commander Lt. Col. Zaw Weit, company commander Capt. Thant Zin, Cpl. Naing Tun

Beat and gang-raped wife of village chairman, and took the chairman as a porter.

(+ eight listings in multiple citations)

# 405 Light Infantry Battalion

1994; Karens; Mergui-Tavoy area
KNU M-T Dis: "Development & the Cry of the People" Dec '94, p 23
names Capt. Saw Than Ivaing of Phangdaw Electricity Unit
Threatened life of a pastor, and another villager.

early 1994; Karens + others; Three Pagodas Pass area KHRG: "The Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 7 Forced labor, beatings, rapes.

### (405 LIB)

Nov 28 '94; ue; Thayetchaung twp, Tavoy Dis.
KNU M-T Dis: "Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95, p 13-14
names Maj. Nay Win
Demanded construction materials for army outpost, extorted money,

Demanded construction materials for army outpost, extorted money, threatened forced relocation; nine villages relocated.

(+ eight listings in multiple citations)

# 406 Light Infantry Battalion

Oct - Nov '94; Mons +?; Mon area KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95C" May 2 '95, p 3, 19 Demands for forced laborers, threats.

Dec '94; ue; Kyauk Hta Yan and Dhani Kyar villages, Ye Phyu twp ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring ;95, p 38 Villages forced to relocate; extorted money from villagers.

Dec '94; Mon +?; Ye Byu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 12

Captured villager and family members, beat and threatened him, demanded bullock carts. Looted rice, livestock, property in village, burned/destroyed all field huts; used farmers and families as porters and human sheilds.

Dec '94; Mons; Ye Byu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 9-10

HRF Monland: "Human Rights Interviews 1/95" Mar '95, p 3

Arrested and beat a farmer, confiscated food, livestock, property; used him as a porter/guide. Used porters as human sheilds.

Dec 21 '94; Mons +?; Ye Byu twp CPPSM: "Newsletter" Jan '95, p 11 names **Led by Capt. Aung Naing** Beat male villagers, raped female villagers. Looted property and livestock.

1995; Mons +?; Heinze Basin island, Ye Pyu twp KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Area Update" Jan 5 '95 p 11 Forced labor, extorting "porters fees", collecting paddy quotas.

1995; Burman +?; Ye Pyu twp KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 11-12 Demand forced laborers, extort money.

1995; Mons +?; Ye Pyu twp CPPSM: "Forced Portering Labour" Aug 15 '95 Demanded porters, "porter fees". Extorted money. used forced labor to cut

1995; Mons + others; Ye-Tavoy area ABSDF: "Dawn" Jan/Feb '96, p 21 Used forced labor on railway, beat recaptured escapees.

trees and saw boards for 406 commanders who sold them.

#### (406 LIB)

Jan '95; Mons; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div. CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 13 Used porters. Confiscated rice.

Jan '95; Mon; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM; "Newsletter" May '95, p 14

names Lt. San Way

Detained and beat a villager, tortured him, extorted money and rice for release.

Jan '95; Mons; Tenasserim Div.

HRF of Monland: "Human Rights Interviews 1/95" Mar '95, p 5

Took two men away as porters, leaving a three year old abandoned in a hut. Extorted porter fees.

Feb '95; Mons; Ye Pyu twp

CPPSM; "Newsletter" May '95, p 3

Forced evacuation of village delayed by bribe. Roofs of houses destroyed.

May 25 '95; ue; Ye twp

GN32: "Info Rec'd from CPPSM" June 19 '95, p 6

names Column led by Col. Win Aung

Captured 74 women, used them as porters.

June-Oct '95; ue; Ye-Tavoy area ABSDF: "Dawn" Nov-Dec '95, p 25

Five people, at least, were shot and killed trying to escape from forced labor camp.

(+ five listings in multiple citations)

# 407 Light Infantry Battalion

'93 - Feb '94; ue; Zimba Chaung area

CPPSM: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Construction" Apr '94, p 3

Used forced labor to clear foliage for railway; for construction of barracks, and for a helicopter-port.

1994; Mons +?; Ye Pyu twp

Mon Info Service: "Forced Labour...Ye-Tavoy Railway" 1995, p 4

CPPSM: "Forced Portering Labour" Aug 15 '95

names Commander Maj. Soe Nwe

Used forced labor for railway construction. Maj. Soe Nwe used forced labor "on his private economic businesses," providing vegetables, firewood, thatch.

1994; Karen; Mergui-Tavoy area

KNU: "Development & the Cry of the People" Dec '94, p 30

names Company 4 - 2nd Lt. Soe Thein

2nd Lt. Soe Their raped an 18 year old girl "working in the forced labor camp."

1995; ue; Ye Pyu twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis." July 29 '95, p 7

Uses forced labor, extorts money, uses porters.

### (407 LIB)

Aug 24 '95; ue; Ye-Tavoy railway area KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Area Update" Jan 5 '96, p 4 Forced labor in heavy rainfall; beatings.

(+ five listings in multiple citations)

#### 408 Light Infantry Battalion

1994; Karens +?; Mergui-Tavoy area
KNU M-T Dis: "A Cry Left Unheard" Apr '95, p 13-14
KNU M-T Dis: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 16
Extorted "porter fees", captured porters.

Aug 22 ' 94; ue; Ye Pyu twp ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring "95, p 26 Arrested U Shay (56), a civilian, mutilated and tortured him to death.

Dec '94; ue; Ye-Tavoy area
KHRG: "SLORC Order to Villages 95D" May 22' 95, p 3
Extortion of labor fees, demand for laborers (forced).

Dec '94; Mon; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div. CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 9 Arrested a farmer, beat him, tortured him, confiscated his rice/livestock, extorted money for release.

Dec '94; Mons; Ye Pyu twp CPPSM: "Newsletter" Jan '95, p 9 Took three villagers hostage, looted their possessions and money. Gang-raped and killed one of them, Mi Khin Hla, a 19 year old girl.

Mar '95; ue; Tavoy area GN32: "Info Rec'd from CPPSM" June 19 '95, p 1-3 Villagers forced to make helicopter landing area, build fences, other forced labor. Took porters. Looted food. Threatened villagers. Burned houses. Extorted money.

Mar '95; ue; Ye Pyu twp CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 5. names **Led by Warrant Officer Kyaw Win** Extorted "porter fees" from 21 captured villagers of three villages.

Mar 3 '95; ue; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div. CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 5 Extorted money, food from village.

Mar 18 '95; ue; Tenasserim area GN32: "Greenwind" Sept 1 '95, p 3 names **Commander Lt. Col. Han Tin** Extorted money from sixtwillages on threat of relocation.

#### (408 LIB)

Mar 22-25 '95; Mon/Tavoy; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 3 names Led by Capt. Tun Way

Captured porters, looted livestock and rice, burned a house; detained and tortured a woman, threatened villagers (Mar 22). Forced evacuation of another village, took three women captive, destroyed a rice mill, burned a farmhouse (Mar 25).

Apr '95+; Mons: Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div.

AI: "Human Rights After 7 Years..." Oct '95, p 24 ["408 Unit"] Used porters.

Apr 23 '95; ue; Tavoy area

GN32: "Info Rec'd from CPPSM" June 19 '95, p 6

Eight people captured. One, Nai Aung Shein (42), died in custody (signs of torture).

May 9 '95; ue; Tavoy area

GN32: "Info Rec'd from CPPSM" June 19 '95, p 10

names Capt. Than Kyaw's group

Captured porters; one, Nai Pye (25) died "as a result of exhaustion from carrying an excessively heavy load."

(+ eight listings in multiple citations)

# 409 Light Infantry Battalion

early '94; Karens + others; Ye Twp

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 3

names With Lt. Htun Myint & Lt. Myo Thant

Forced labor on railway, beatings; 26 people killed for stealing food, two women raped and killed, "porter fees" extorted.

early '94; Karens +?; Ye twp

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 7

Forced labor on railway; beatings; over ten people killed by beating; extortion.

early '94; ue; Ye twp

KHRG: "The Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 3

names Lt. Col. Thaun Myint

Lt. Col. Thaun Myint raped a 21 year old woman, Ma Thein Myint, then she was killed in custody.

Feb '94; Karens, others; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Jan-Feb '96, p 26

Used porters.

June-Oct '94; ue; Ye Pyu area

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: update" July 31 '95, p 7

Captured and used porters, beat them. Captured forced laborers for Ye-Tavoy railway construction, beat villagers.

### (409 LIB)

Nov '94; Tavoyans; Tenasserim Div.

AI: "Human Rights After 7 Years..." oct '95, p 23-24 ["Unit 409"]

A lieutenant of LIB 409 raped the daughter of U Maung Lwin; then next day took U Maung Lwin as a porter and killed him. Kept his cousin as a porter.

1995; Burman +?; Ye-Tavoy area

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy railway Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 15 Used porters, beat them.

1995 - "harvest time"; Burman, Karen +?; Ye Pyu twp KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 3 Beat ten villagers.

March '95; ue; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div. AI: "Human Rights After 7 Years..." Oct '95, p 23 ["Unit 409"] Killed a porter, U Than Mein (50s)

Dec 1 '95; ue; Ye Pyu twp

ABSDF: "Dawn" Jan-Feb '96, p 38-39

names Maj. Htaung Zar Lian

Threatened villagers with death. Ordered ethnic cleansing of Christians.

(+ ten listings in multiple citations)

#### 410 Light Infantry Battalion

early '94; Mons +others; Ye twp

KHRG: "The Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 4-5

Forced labor on railway, beatings, extortion, child labor on railway, looting.

Nov '94; ue; Mon area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95A" Jan 5 '95, p 4

Column 1: Restrictions on villagers, threats.

Nov. 25 '94; ue; location unspecified

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 32

Arrested villagers, threatened women. Three village officials tortured and beaten. Used forced labor for barracks construction.

Nov 26 '94; ue; location unspecified

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 33

names Led by Capt. Than Wai

Tortured 30 village women.

Nov 26 '94; ue; Ye twp

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring 195, p 29

names Led by Capt. Min Nyo & Company commander Capt. Than Wai

Arrested villagers, looted property.

Nov '94 - Jan '95; Mons +?; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 6-7

names Lt. Yan Naing Aung

Captured porters, beat them. Used forced labor for army camp construction (administered by Lt. Yan Naing Aung).

#### (410 LIB)

1995; Mons + others; Ye-Tavoy area

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: Update" July 31 '95, p 5

Forced labor on railway, beatings. Used porters, beat them. Arrested a villager, extorted money for his release.

Jan 1 '95; Mons; Ye Pyu twp

CPPSM; "Newsletter" Jan '95, p 10-11

names Led by Lt. Col. Ye Myint, Capt. San Wei & Lt. Min Nyo

Used 12 girls/women (ages 12-38) as human sheilds; kept seven of them and gang-raped/sexually abused them.

Sept '95; Mon + others; Ye Pyu twp

JRS: "Burma Update 36" Jan '95

Used porters; beat those who didn't speak Burmese "because they do not understand orders."

Sept 22 '95; ue; Hein Zel forced labor camp, Ye-Tavoy area

ABSDF: "Dawn" Nov-Dec '95, p 25

Punished three laborers in a forced labor camp by making them swim a stream; two of them drowned.

Oct '95+; Tavoyans, others; Nat-Kyi-Zin labor camp, Tenasserim Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Jan-Feb '96, p 23

Used forced labor in large construction camp (2 weeks out of each month).

(+ seven listings in multiple citations)

421 Battalion (two listings in multiple citations)

422 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

#### 424 Battalion/Light Infantry Regiment

Apr 3 '94; ue; See Seng twp

SHRF, Dec 17 '94 [Battalion]

names Led by Maj. Win Myint

Looted property, food; beat villagers; took five men as porters for one month, demanded chickens for their release.

June 15 - July '94; ue; See Seng twp

SHRF, undated [Battalion]

names Led by Maj. Win Myint

Arrested sixteen villagers, beat them and used them as porters. Looted chickens.

June-July '94; ue; See Seng twp

SHRF, Dec 17 '94 [Battalion]

names Led by company commander Capt. Tin Aung

Arrested a village headman and six other villagers; they were "dragged from village to village and were beaten in front of villagers for five days", used as porters for 20 days. Confiscated chickens and a gold ring.

### (424 Batt/LIR)

Dec 12 '94; ue; Nam Tsarng twp SHRF, undated [LIR] Confiscated property, food.

Dec 20 '94; ue; Nam Tsarng twp SHRF, undated [LIR] Confiscated livestock, food, seeds.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

### 425 Light Infantry Regiment

Apr 14 '94; ue; Si Seng twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Kyaw Oo

Fired into festival crowd, killed Loong Pya, his wife Pa Soi; and killed a horse.

Apr 24 '94; ue; Si Seng twp

names Led by Maj. Kyaw Oo SHRF, undated

Looted villages, took villagers as human mine-sweepers.

July 4 '94; ue; Thung Pong (southern Shan St.)

SHRF, Oct 15 '94

Killed villager Loong Khin and burned his house. Captured, interrogated and tortured another villager and destroyed his house.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

426 Battalion (three listings in multiple citations)

432 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

# 433 Light Infantry Battalion

Jan 17 '95; ue; Palaw twp

KNU M-T Dis: "Rape of Rural Poor" July '95, p 9

names Column commander Maj. Aung Moe

Maj. Aung Moe beat sixteen villagers; ordered troops to take livestock/poultry.

Apr 16 '95; ue; Mergui area

KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 3

Fired at a passenger boat, killed passengers U Kyaw Win and Ma Aye Kyaing (f).

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

### 434 Battalion

June 6 '94; ue; Dwe Loh twp, Mudraw (Papun) Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 9/94" Sept 23 '94, p 3-4

Arrested a village elder, interrogated him about deserters from 434 Battalion, tortured him.

# 436 Regiment

1994; ue; Ye Da Shi twp, Toungoo Dis.
KHRG: "SLORC Act. in Toungoo Dis" Feb 23 '94, p2
names Lt. Khin Maung Win
Lt. Khin Maung Win humiliates and beats villagers.

#### 439 Light Infantry Battalion

Dec 23 '95; Karens +?; Yeh Mu Plaw village, Papun Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 10 Shelled village, killed two women, Naw Blut and Naw Law Plih.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

# 440 Light Infantry Battalion

Oct 4 '95; Karen +?; Taungoo Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 4 names Battalion commander Maj. Aung Kyi Shein Captured porters.

Nov. 5 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo KHRG: "Field reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 6 Took men, women and children from five villages as porters and used them for forced labor on army camp construction.

Nov 13 '95+; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 26 '96, p 6 Forced labor "clearing bush and building roads."

Dec 14 '95; Karen; Taungoo Dis. KHRG: "Field reports, taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p 6 Killed villager Saw Ler Mu, mutilated his corpse.

442 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

450 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

# 452 Burma Regiment

Dec 22 '94+; Rohingya; Buthidaung twp RSO: "Newsletter" Jan 15 '95, p 3 Dil Mohammed detained, tortured, died from injuries.

# 453 Light Infantry Battalion

after July '95; Mons +?; Ye Pyu twp CPPSM: "Forced Portering Labour" Aug 15 '95 Charged "porter fees".

# 506 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

# 508 Light Infantry Regiment

July '94; ue; Ho Pong twp (southern Shan St)

SHRF, Oct 15 '94

names led by commander Maj. Thein Soe & his officers Maj. Cho Win Thwe & Maj. Kyaw Myo Oo

Burned houses/grain of two villagers (July 20). Burned house/grain of a village headman. Burned house of another villager. Burned four houses in Wanmai and drove out all villagers.

July 28 '94; ue; Ho Pong twp SHRF, Oct 15 '96

names intelligence officer Maj. Kyaw Mya Oo

Burned houses of three villagers; evicted 45 households from village; beat headman Loong Or to death and burned his house.

# 513 Light Infantry Regiment

Dec 8 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp

SHRF, undated

names led by Maj. Kyaw Lwin

Looted property, livestock, merchandise from villagers/trader.

Dec 10 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp

SHRF, undated

Confiscated/destroyed wedding reception food & property; and confiscated food crops from a villager.

Dec 16 '94; ue; Nam Tsarng twp

SHRF, undated

Beat a villager, accusing him of avoiding porter duty.

Dec 30 '94 - Jan 2 '95; ue; Laii Kha twp

SHRF, undated

Looted items in four villages.

Jan 14 '95; ue; Nam Tsarng twp

SHRF, undated

Confiscated food.

(+ two listings in multiple citations)

# 514 Light Infantry Regiment/Battalion

Apr '94; ue; Murng Koong (southern Shan St.)

SHRF, Oct 15 '94

Demanded paddy grain quota; some villagers held hostage until their families could sell livestock to buy grain or otherwise fulfill quota.

July 7 '94; ue; Murng Koong twp

SHRF, Oct 15 '94

names led by Maj. San Nine

Forced villagers to build army camp, demanded bamboo and thatch without compensation. Demand food, water, firewood. Forced labor at camp. Threatened villagers.

July-Aug '94; ue; Murng Koong twp (southern Shan St)

SHRF, Oct 15 '94

names led by Capt. Aung Three

Confiscated Buddha images from monasteries. Forced labor to build army camp, demanded bamboo and thatch.

Oct 5 '94; ue; Murng Koong twp

names Led by Maj. Khin Maung Thwe SHRF, undated

Looted food crops and property from villagers.

Nov '94; ue; Murng Koong twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Khin Maung Thwe

Forced villagers to sell paddy grain at less than a quarter of real price (Nov 3). Beat a villager and held him in stocks for three days for possession of a Shan national flag and seal of Shan National League for Democracy (Nov 20).

Nov 30 - Dec 2 '94; ue; Murng Koong twp

SHRF, undated

names Commander, Capt. Khin Maung Thwe

Captured, interrogated and beat five villagers.

Dec 3 '94; ue; Murng Koong twp

SHRF, undated

Looted/destroyed property and food in a village.

Dec '94; ue; Murng Koong twp

SHRF, undated

names Led by Maj. Khin Maung Three

Beat villagers and confiscated property, livestock (Dec 11). Beat six villagers (Dec 12).

Feb 3 '95; ue; Si Seng twp: Pang Lem and Kong Yao villages

SHRF, undated, p 1

names Led by Maj. Myint Han

Ordered Pang Lem and Kong Yao villages to relocate, burned them "before the people could finish packing their belongings."

### 515 Battalion

July 28 '94; ue; Murng Soo (southern Shan St) SHRF, Oct 15 '94 Three soldiers robbed gold shop.

(+ five listings in multiple citations)

# 516 Light Infantry Regiment/Battalion

Feb 1 '94; Shans; Nam Tsaang twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 21 [LIR]

Forced villagers to bring large quantities of bamboo and thatch; "bought" paddy grain at approximately \( \frac{1}{4} \) the real price.

May 13 '94; Shans; Nam Tsang twp

SHRF, undated [Battalion]

Kung Mong village burned down (12 houses + a hydro-powered rice mill destroyed).

Jan 1 '95; ue; Nam Tsarng twp

SHRF, undated [LIR]

Confiscated livestock.

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

### 517 Light Infantry Regiment

Sept 26 '94; ue; Loi Lem twp (southern Shan St.) SHRF, Nov 10 '94 names **Second commander Ye Thun** 

# 518 Light Infantry Regiment/Battalion

Feb 24 '94; Shans; Koon Hing twp

SHRF, undated [LIR]

names Company 2 led by Capt. Ye Myint

Confiscated livestock.

Sept 21-25 '94; ue; Murng Naii twp (southern Shan St.)

SHRF, Nov 10 '94 [LIR]

names Led by second commander Maj. Maung Ngwe

(Sept 21) Looted property from villagers. Killed a villager, Sunanda Surng (40) in a field hut. Raped three teenaged girls and one woman; one of the girls disappeared. (Sept 25) Confiscated food from villagers.

Oct 1 '94; ue; Murng Nai twp

SHRF, undated, p 1 [LIB]

names Led by Col. Ye Aung

Looted livestock, crops, property.

# (518 LIR/LIB) Oct 10 '94; ue; Murng Nai town SHRF, undated, p 1 [LIB] names Led by Capt. Myo Zaw Aung Seized 30 people for porters, took video equipment and other property. Dec 3, 6 '94; ue; Lang Khur twp SHRF, undated p 1-2 [LIB] names Led by Capt. Maung Ngwe Looted village of livestock, food and property (Dec 3). Robbed and beat an 80 year old man (Dec 6). Jan 29 '95; ue; Murng Nai town SHRF, undated, p 1 [LIB] names Led by Capt. Ae Kyi Maung Took three men as porters (disappeared). (+ two listings in multiple citations) 520 Light Infantry Regiment/Battalion Apr 12, 16 '94; Shans; Mauk Mai twp SHRF, undated [LIR] names Led by Capt. Kyaw Thein Confiscated livestock, extorted money. Aug 19 '94; ue; Koon Hing twp SHRF, Dec 15 '94 [LIR] names Led by Capt. Myo Myint Demanded fence materials and camp construction (forced labor). Sept '94; ue; Koon Hing twp SHRF, Dec 15 '94 [LIR] names Company 3 led by Capt. Tin Myo Kyaw Demanded rice, paid less than $\frac{1}{2}$ real price. Demanded chickens. Three soldiers robbed items from villagers. Ordered forced labor at army camp. Sept 3-4 '94; ue; Koon Hing twp SHRF, Dec 15 '94 [LIR] names Led by Capt. Myo Myint (Sept 3) Ordered forced labor. (Sept 4) Demanded meat, paid less than 1/3 real price. Oct 2 '94; ue; Tseing Torng (camped at)

Interrogated and beat headman, confiscated his food, property. Demanded

SHRF, Dec 15 '94 [Battalion]

food from villagers. Beat villagers.

names Capt. Myo Myint

#### 524 Light Infantry Regiment

Oct-Nov '94; ue; Nam Tsarng

SHRF, undated

Confiscated food from village (Oct 25). Confiscated food, livestock from another village (Oct 28). Confiscated livestock from another village (Nov 14).

Oct 8 '94; ue; Tachilek twp

SHRF, undated

Captured five young men and a village headman; beat and interrogated the headman.

Nov 18 '94; ue; Nam Tsarng twp

SHRF, undated

Looted money, property, food from villagers; confiscated 20 chickens from a village, and rice/paddy grain from another village.

#### 525 Battalion

June 6 '94; ue; Loilem Dis., Shan St.

SHRF: "Annual Report" '94,p 7-8

names 2nd company led by Capt. Bo Kala

A lieutenant raped a woman at knifepoint.

Aug. 18 '94; ue; Loilem Dis.

SHRF: "Annual Reprt" '94, p 8.

names Led by Capt. Yin Kyi

Destroyed six houses.

#### 525 Light Infantry Regiment

Dec 2 '94; ue; Larng Khur twp, southern Shan St.

SHRF, undated

Captured sixteen villagers at a festival and used them as porters for 15 days.

#### 525 Burma Regiment

Oct 31 '94; Rohingyas; Buthidaung area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Dec 1 '94, p 3

Four soldiers attempted rape of nursing mother, injured her and her baby; beat to death Jalaj Ahmed (12 year old boy); tortured and killed Mohammed Hussain (60) at his farm.

# 526 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

# 529 Light Infantry [Regiment]

Dec 23, 24 '94; ue; Tachilek twp

SHRF, undated

Arrested village headman, four others (Dec 23). Gathered people from five villages and beat the arrested headman in front of them and beat the headman's wife (Dec 24).

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535 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)
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545 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

546 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

739 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

907 Battalion (one listing in multiple citations)

#### 928 Battalion/Strategic Command

1994; Indian + others; Dawna Mountains area - Byuha camp HR Watch: :Burma: Abuses Linked to Fall of Manerplaw" Mar '95, p 7 [Battalion] Used forced labor for camp construction, camp tasks, ground clearing for Lt. Col.'s golf games.

1994; Karens, others; Hlaing Bwe twp, Pa'an Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Abuses in Hlaing Bwe Area" Mar 16 '94, p 1 [Strat. Comm.]

Using forced labor for road building, beating road workers.

962 <u>Battalion</u> (one listing in multiple citations)

#### 2344 Battalion [Battalion number may be an error]

Feb 12 '94; Rohingyas; Buthidaung area, Arakan St.

RSO: "Newsletter" Mar 1 '94, p 3

Military demanded that villagers cut firewood for them; then rounded up fifteen villagers coming back from forest, demanded money, beat them.

#### Anti-Insurgent Group

May 2 '94; Karens; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis" Jan 25 '95, p 5

names Commander Maj. Kyi Shwe

Maj. Kyi Shwe shot and killed a villager, Saw Klo (28) as he ran away from troops; another was wounded.

Aug. 1, 15, 17 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 9/94" Sept 23 '94, p 4

names soldiers Saw Hta Ghay, Saw Cha Htoo

(Aug 1) AIG extorted money, threatened villagers with relocation, killing.

(Aug 15) AIG soldier Saw Hta Ghay extorted money from a villager.

(Aug 17) AIG soldier Saw Cha Htoo shot and killed villager Saw Koo Rah (40), shot and wounded another.

(+ four listings in multiple citations)

# Democratic Kayin Buddhist Army

Dec '94 - Jan '95; Karens; Bu Tho twp, Papun Dis. KHRG: "SLORC's Northern Karen Offensive" Mar 29 '95, p23

names Kyaw Kyaw

Threatened villagers, looted property. killed a Buddhist monk, Saw Ghay Say.

1995; Karens; Hlaing Bwe twp KHRG: "Refugees from Pa'an Dis." Mar 18 '96, p 3-7 [with SLORC troops] names Kyaw Tha Dah, Kyaw Nu Poh, Pa Bu Lah Beat villager Peh Koh pa (about 60) to death. Demand porters, "porter fees". Forced relocation of houses in village, separation of Buddhists and Christians. Stole/destroyed food, livestock, property. Demanded construction materials. Captured villagers, extort money, beat them, threaten them. Confiscated crops. Kyaw Tha Dah and Kyaw Nu Poh extort money, demand food. Pa Bu Lah repeatedly held a retired KNLA soldier hostage for ransom.

1995; Karens; Pa'an Dis. KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Activities" Jan 14 '96, p 3 Shot at civilians, stole meat and rice crops.

1995; Karens; Kawkareik twp KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act. in Kawkareik twp" July 10 '95, p 7 names Pa Tha Da Captured three sisters, tortured two of them.

1995; Karens +?; Kawkareik twp KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act. in Kawkareik twp" July 10 '95, p 12 Confiscated rice fields, livestock.

Jan '95; Karens; Thai-Burma border area KHRG: "SLORC's Northern Karen Offensive" Mar 29 '95, p22 Looted rice, threatened refugees; tortured, shot at refugees.

early '95; Muslim and (Karen) Christian; Hlaing Bwe twp KHRG: "Abuses in Tee Sah Rah Area" Apr 1 '96, p 6 names Led by Saw Nyunt Tin and Ye Nan Geh Arrested six villagers, beat and executed one of them, Saw Ni.

Feb '95; ue; northern Karen area, Thai border KHRG: "SLORC's N. Karen Offensive" Mar 29 '95, p 11 ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 17-18 Looted rice, livestock; burned houses. Looted rice supplies from refugees.

#### (DKBA)

Feb 10 '95; ue; Ka Law Htar village, Papun twp
ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 18 [with SLORC troops]
names Led by Chit Aung
Burned Ka Law Htar village, killed Ha Po-O and his son-in-law.

Feb 12 '95; Karens; Thai-Burma border area KHRG: "SLORC's N. Karen Offensive" Mar 29 '95, p 30 Abducted five refugee families.

Feb 28 '95; Karens; Thai/Burma border area
KHRG: "SLORC's N. Karen Offensive" Mar 29 '95,p 12
ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 18
names Led by Maung Soe
Invaded a refugee camp. Threatened refugees, shot and wounded two.
Abducted two refugee KNU officials.

Feb-Mar '95; Karens +?; Thaton Dis. names soldiers Pa Mer Ler & Saw Po Kee KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act.: N. Karen Dis" July 18 '95, p 19 [with SLORC troops] Looted rice at a village (Feb). With SLORC troops, shot dead Saw Mya Po (20) in Bilin twp. on Mar 20. Shot and killed two women in Bilin twp (March), shot at villagers.

Mar 2 '95; Karens; Thai/Karen border area KHRG: "SLORC's N. Karen Offensive" Mar 29 '95, p 12 Abducted a 60 year old Karen refugee camp leader, beat him (disappeared). Threatened refugees.

Apr '95; Karen; Hlaingbwe twp AI: "Myanmar - Kayin (Karen) St." Apr '96, p 8 Arrested and beat to death villager Sunny Poe (40).

Apr 11, 16 '95; ue; Pa'an twp
KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act., N. Karen Dis" July 18 '95, p 20
names **Thaw Mena, Saw Tha Gwih**(April 11) Thaw Mena confiscated livestock, Saw Tha Gwih extorted money.
(April 16) Thaw Mena confiscated livestock.

Apr 25 '95; Karens +?; Thai/Burma border area: Kamaw Lay Ko camp (Thailand) KHRG: "New attacks on Karen Refugee Camps" May 5 '95, p 5 [with SLORC troops] Looted a shop in refugee camp; shelled/fired into the camp, burned camp houses (over 300 houses destroyed). One refugee wounded. Threatened refugees.

Apr 25 '95; Karens +?; Mae Ra Mu Klo (mae Ra Ma Luang) refugee camp, Thai/Burma border area (Thailand)
KHRG: "New Attacks on Karen Refugee Camps" May 5 '95, p 7
names Led by Maung Shwe Lone
Burned houses, looted, in refugee camps. Used refugees as human sheilds.
Took refugees as porters. Two refugees wounded by shrapnel.

#### (DKBA)

Apr 28 '95; Karens, Muslims; Thai/Burma border area, Baw Noh (Meh Tha Waw) refugee camp (Thailand)

KHRG: "New Attacks on Karen Refugee Camps" May 5 '95, p 4-5. [with SLORC troops] Shelled refugee camp, looted it and burned houses; a refugee girl, Naw Geh Moo Paw (18) whose family was sought by the DKBA/SLORC troops, was burned to death. 700 houses were burned, including school and camp hospital. Five refugees wounded/burned. Threatened/detained refugees.

May 5 '95; Karens +?; Bwa der village, Papun twp
KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act.: N. Karen Dis" July 1 '95, p 4, 16, 17
DKBA burned church, five houses, all rice barns in central part of village; ordered village to move; captured and beat five men, tortured one of them.

May 7 '95; Karens; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act. in Kawkareik twp" July 10 '95, p 14

names Capt. Pa Tha Da

Captured a village woman. Looted rice, property. Captured and beat a village man. Confiscated village rice supplies. Threatened a villager, confiscated his property.

May 10-14 '95; Karens +?; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act. in Kawkareik twp" July 10 '95, p 8

names Capt. Pa Tha Da

Confiscated rice, livestock, property; threatened villagers.

May 15 '95; Mons; Pa'an twp

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act. - N. Karen Dis" July 18 '95, p 20

names Saw Tha Gwih

Saw Tha Gwih extorted money from boat traders.

May 21 '95; ue; Mudraw (Papun) Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC/DLBA Act. - N. Karen Dis" July 18 '95, p 20 [with SLORC troops] Burned two houses; destroyed paddy, food, property. Looted gold jewelry.

July '95+; Karens; Thai/Burma border area, Pa'an Dis.

KHRG: "Inside the DKBA" Mar 31 '96, p 16, 18

names Battalion commander Bo Mi Taw of DKBA's Battalion 1 of 999 Brigade, 555, 333 & 777 Brigades, soldiers Nuh Po and Kyaw Tha Da

Confiscate livestock, houses. DKBA's Nuh po and Kyaw Tha Da assaulted people and made false reports to SLORC who executed those they accused. Relocated people from a village. Captured villagers. Used forced labor, porters.

Oct 23 '95; Karen; Pa'an Dis

KHRG: "Inside DKBA" Mar 31 '96, p 11 [with SLORC troops]

Beat a schoolteacher.

Dec '95; Karens; north of Myawaddy

KHRG: "Conditions North of Myawaddy" Jan 10 '96, p 2

names Maung Chit

Demanded forced laborers to clear land; demanded that villagers supply cut logs; threatened villagers.

#### (DKBA)

Dec '95+; Karens; Thai/Burma border area

KHRG: "Inside DKBA" Mar 31 '96, p 14

A refugee and "KNU Officer M\_\_\_\_" crossed border to talk to DKBA, who interrogated and beat them; killed and mutilated "M\_\_\_\_"; used refugee for forced labor.

(+ sixteen listings in multiple citations)

#### Lahu militia group (two listings in multiple citations)

#### Military Intelligence

MI: May '94; Rohingya; Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" May 15 '94, p 4 An NLD official "hospitalized due to severe torture" while in MI custody.

MI5 (Sittwe): Aug '95+; Rakhines; Sittwe (Akyab) Arakan St. Rakhine Info Cent.: "The Arakan Forum" Sept '95, p 5 Fifty villagers, including four schoolteachers, arrested and tortured, "accused of showing moral support to the guerrilla organization."

MI5 (Moulmein HQ): Aug-Sept '94; Mons; Mudon twp AI: "Human Rights After 7 Years..." Oct '95, p 22 Schoolteacher arrested (Aug.). Schoolteacher and village headman arrested, "held for over one year without charge or trial."

MI (10 mile office on Maungdaw-Buthidaung Rd.): mid-June '94; Rohingya; Maungdaw-Buthidaung Road, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" July 1 '94, p 4 The son of a UNHCR employee was arrested and tortured.

MI 18: May-June; 94; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area RSO: "Newsletter" July 15 '94; p 3-4 (July 6) Arrested six people; have arrested "hundreds of Muslim youths, religious leaders and local influentials"; few released, since May '94.

MI 18 (Buthidaung): Oct 18 '95+; Rohingyas; Buthidaung area, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Nov '95, p 3
Five young men arrested, tortured, "shot dead behind the hill west of the MI office": Abu Siddique, Mohammed Shafi, Nazir Hussain, Anwar, Abdur Rahim.

(+ seven listings in multiple citations)

# Militia group led by Pa Lu Kyaw and Pa Noe (Karen area)

1994; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 18

names Led by Pa Lu Kyaw, Mu Yah Gone

Group demanded ten people for forced labor on road construction;

Mu Yah Gone beat and cut a village headman when no laborers were provided. Militia extorts money and rice.

Jan 15 '94; Karen; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 17

names leader Pa Lu Kyaw, 2nd in command Pa Noe, Mu Ya Gone

Militia soldier Mu Ya Gone beat a villager, extorted money.

Jan 16 '94; Karen; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 16

names Led by Pa Noe under Pa Lu Kyaw

Beat a village headwoman.

March 16 '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 18

names Led by Pa Lu Kyaw & Pa Noe, Pa Mo Roe

Pa Mo Roe beat village headman. Militia demands rice, money, construction material.

Apr 3, 15 '94; Karens; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 15

names Leader Pa Lu Kyaw, 2nd leader Pa Noe, 3rd leader Pa Mo Roe

Interrogated a villager; Pa Mo Roe beat him (Apr 3). Killed livestock (Apr 15).

(+ seven listings in multiple citations)

# <u>Na Sa Ka</u>

1994-1995; Rakhine, others; Maungdaw, Arakan

KHRG: "Situation in NW Burma" Jan 30 '96,p11

Groups 1,2,3,4,5: Forced labor, confiscation of boats and vehicles, extortion of money, child labor (temple boys used), confiscation of land.

Mar 18-30 '94; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" May 1 '94,p 3

NSK at Balukhali: Shamau and Yasin arrested, released, arrested again, found dead.

Jan 12-13 '95; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Feb 15 '95, p 3

NSK from Balukhali outpost: Opened fire on fleeing villagers, wounded one and arrested him; arrested six others the next day.

#### (Na Sa Ka)

Feb '94; Rohingyas; Mayu River area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Feb 15 '94; p 4

NSK of Buthidaung twp: 10,000 forced laborers demanded for road construction, embankments and logging ("ordered to work continuously for ten days and cut 6,000 trees").

Sept 15 '95+, Sept 18 '95+; Rohingyas; northern Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Oct '95, p 4

NSK of Daungkhali outpost: Villager arrested without charges, tortured (Sept 15+). Another man arrested on suspicion of RSO membership, beaten (Sept 18+).

Sept 20 '95+; Rohingyas; northern Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Oct '95, p 4

NSK of Fadaungsa outpost: Two villagers arrested and tortured.

Apr '94; Rohingyas; northern Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" May 1 '94, p 3

NSK of Kawarbil HQ: Abul Bashar and another person were arrested, interrogated, found dead.

Sept 14 '95+; Rohingya; northern Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Oct '95, p 4

NSK of Kayankhali outpost: A civilian arrested and chained on accusation of "anti-SLORC activities."

Jan 21, 22 '95; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Feb 15 '95, p 3

NSK of Kayinchaung outpost: Elias, 20 year old passenger boat operator, tortured and killed (Jan 21). Three persons in boat arrested, money taken, two killed: Mohammed Ali, Dil Mohammed (Jan 22).

Jan 23 '95; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Feb 15 '95, p 3

NSK of No. 6 area [Kayin Chaung]: Two villagers arrested and tortured.

May '95; Rohingya; Maungdaw area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" June 1 '95, p 4

NSK of No. 6 area, Kayin Chaung: 40 year old man arrested, threatened, sentenced to three months' imprisonment "for alleged defamatory remarks against some Na Sa Ka", tortured.

Sept 10 '95; Rohingya; Buthidaung area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Oct '95, p 4

NSK of Khandaung: Killed Shah Alam when he reported a robbery.

early 1994; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Feb 15 '94, p 3

NSK of Maungdaw twp: Forced labor for construction of radar station; abuse of laborers; and abuse of villagers who pleaded for reduction in number of laborers demanded.

# (Na Sa Ka)

May '95; Rohingyas; Maungdaw and Buthidaung, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" June 1 '95, p 4
NSK of base at 10 mile road, Maungdaw
Extorting agricultural products.

Apr 29 '95; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" June 1 '95, p 3

names Maj. Soe Myint Aunq

NSK of area 5, Ngakhura area: Troops came to arrest two brothers who had thwarted attempt to confiscate a prayer-ground; as they were not there, they took the son of one of them, and another relative -- Rafiq and Kaloo -- and the Commander ordered them killed.

July-Aug '95; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Aug '95, p 3 NSK of Ngakhura: "As many as 50" people detained and tortured during supposed search for robbers.

Jan 27 '94+; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Feb 1 '94, p 4 NSK of Pranpru outpost: Confiscated land from villagers.

March 24-31 '94; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan

RSO: "Newsletter" Apr 1 '94, p 3
NSK stationed at command area #6, Roingadaung: Attempted to extort money
from fishermen on river, captured them, tortured/interrogated them,
on order of in-charge executed all eight: Roostum Ali, Mohammed Shafi,
Zafar Ahmed, Abu Jamil, Rahimullah, Rashid Ahmed, Abu Taher, Mohammed Rafi.

Jan 5 '95+; Rohingya; Maungdaw town, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Jan 15 '95, p 3 A civilian arrested, interrogated, disappeared.

Jan 24 '95+; Rohingya; Maungdaw area, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Feb 15 '95, p 3-4 Man detained, tortured.

Jan 26 '94+; Rohingyas; northern Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Feb 1 '94, p 3 Arrested three men, tortured them, demanded money for their release.

Apr 22 '95+; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" June 1 '95, p 3-4

A repatriated refugee arrested, tortured, gave names of religious leaders. Four religious leaders arrested, tortured. Three given two years imprisonment, other awaiting trial.

Apr-May '94; Rohingyas; northern Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" May 15 '94, p 4 64 women and children detained, interrogated, maltreated for about two weeks.

#### (Na Sa Ka)

from May 18 '94; Rohingyas; Maungdaw and Buthidaung areas, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" June 15 '94, p 4 Ordered villages to provide more forced laborers; using villagers as "human barricade" along motor road.

May 27 '94; Rohingyas; Maungdaw area, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" June 15 '94, p 3 Arrested ten civilians, reportedly tortured two to death.

July '95; Rohingyas; northern Arakan
RSO: "Newsletter" Aug '95, p 4
Land confiscation orders: "about 550 acres of farm land"; reportedly for resettlement of Rakhines.

Aug '94; Rohingyas; Maungdaw twp, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Sept 15 '94, p 3 2,000 forced laborers demanded to guard VHF tower.

Sept 21 '95; Rohingya; northern Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Nov '95, p 3 Bayonetted to death Mohammed Haroon, an ill passenger on a boat.

Sept 22 '95+; Rohingyas; northern Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Nov '95, p 4 Attempted rape; four relatives of victim's husband arrested and tortured.

Sept 29 '95; Rohingyas; estuary of Naf River, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Nov '95, p 3 Killed four people in fishing boat, including Sayed Akbar.

Oct '95; Rohingyas; Buthidaung Dis., Arakan RSO:"Newsletter" Nov '95, p 4 50 acres of land confiscated for a Na Sa Ka camp.

Oct 25 '95; Rohingyas; northern Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Nov '95, p 3-4 Two women repeatedly raped; arrested and put in Maungdaw jail.

Oct 26 '95; Rohingya; Maungdaw twp, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Nov '95, p 4 Woman raped, money extorted for her release.

late 1994: Rohingyas; Maungdaw twp, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" Dec 15 '94, p 4 Tabliq Markez Mosque closed, to be used for "business complex".

(+ one listing in multiple citations)

People's Army Militia (one listing in multiple citations)

Pa-O National Organization [former rebels operating as SLORC militia] (two listings in multiple citations)

Shan State Army [former rebels operating as SLORC militia] (one listing in multiple citations)

#### Stategic Commands

end of June '94; Rohingyas; villages south of Buthidaung, Arakan RSO: "Newsletter" July 15 '94, p 4
Strat. Comm. based in Buthidaung: Forced labor. "Some local youths" including Shafi Rahman and Mohammed Ayas, arrested and killed, "buried in a mass grave."

Apr 10 '95; Karens; Bilin twp KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Act., N. Karen Dis." July 18 '95, p 20 Strat. Comm. 1: Shot and killed Saw Bu Ghay (23), Saw Win Thein (23), Maung Myint Yi (20), from two villages.

June '95+; ue; Thayet Chaung, Laung Lone, Tavoy and Ye Pyu twps KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 4 Strat. Comm. 1: Captured "at least 1,000 villagers" to use as porters.

1994; ue; Thandaung twp, Taungoo Dis.
Govt of Kaw Thoo Lei, Info Committee: "Info Release" Feb 16 '94
names Led by Operation Commander Lt. Col. Win Maung
Strat. Comm. 2: Demanding monthly "porter fees" from numerous area villages.
Extorting money. Forced labor for road construction.

1995; Karens +?; Bawgali, Taungoo Dis.
KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis" Feb 29 '96, p2
names Lt. Col. Aung Naing Htun
#2 Strat. Comm of West Comm.: Forced labor building Strat. Comm. office;
extortion of funds from villages.

late '95; Karen +?; Taungoo Dis.
KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 4
names Commander Lt. Col. Aung Naing Htun
West Comm.'s Strat. Comm. 2: Porter fees ordered from each household
in twelve villages.

Oct 4 '95+; Karens; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 4

names Lt. Col. Aung Naing Htun

West Comm. - Strat. Comm. 2: Arrested and executed village elder

Saw Tha Ba Per; exiled his family from village, destroyed his house.

Oct 25 '95; Karens +?; Thandaung twp, Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo and Other Dis." p 5
names Brig. Gen. Kyi Aung of Southern Command and Lt. Col. Aung Naing Htun

of Western Command - Strategic Division 2

South Comm./West. Comm. - Strat. Div. 2: Forced relocation of Thandaung's villagers.

(Strat. Comm.)

Nov 11-12 '95; Karen; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 6

names Lt. Col. Aung Naing Htun

West. Comm., Strat. Comm. 2: Arrested and executed Saw Tun San, "village head and traditional medical doctor."

Dec 13 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo and Other Dis."

names Commander Myo Hla

West. Comm.: Villages cut off from travel to/from town for supplies, threatened with "harsher measures."

Dec 16 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other dis." Feb 29 '96, p 6

names Commander Myo Hla

West Comm.: Shoot to kill orders, forced labor orders, village access restriction orders, issued.

(+ seven listings in multiple citations)



Karen refugee child Photo, KHRG

#### [Multiple Citations]

#### IB 39, IB 48, IB 351, IB 264, IB 60

1994; ue; Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Act. in Nyaunglebin Dis." Feb 22 '94, p3

Collecting "porter fees", "road building tax"; arrest families, "accuse them of having connections with the Karen resistance" and demand money for their release.

#### IB 338, IB 39, IB 28 - of 928 Operations

1994; Karens, Burmans; Hlaing Bwe twp, Pa'an Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Abuses in Hlaing Bwe Area" Mar 16 '94, p 2

names Lt. Kyaw Kyaw

Confiscate livestock, loot villagers' property. Capture porters.

#### Battalion 421, Batt. 336, Batt. 422

1994; ue; northern Karenni St.

KHRG: "Human Rights in northern Karenni St." Apr 10 '94, p 3

Battalions "have each confiscated 1,000 acres of land from the local

villagers; using the villagers for forced labor farming the land for it.

#### 343 Battalion, 406 Battalion

1994; Burman +others; Ye-Tavoy railway

KHRG: "Life as a Criminal Prisoner" Aug 2 '95, p 3

names Capt. Nyi Nyi of 406 Batt.

Used forced labor on railway. Capt. Nyi Nyi raped "girls aged 12, 13, 16 and 18."

#### 28 Battalion and 44 Division

1994; Karens; Hlaing Bwe twp, Pa'an Dis.

KHRG: "More SLORC Abuses: T & P Dis." Apr 23 '94, p 3-5

Use forced labor, cut all trees in village, use porters, confiscate food and livestock, extort money.

#### 84 Battalion, 302 Batt.

1994; Karens; Pa'an, Thaton Dis

KHRG: "More SLORC Abuses: T & P Dis." Apr 23 '94, p 9

names Capt. Nyo Soe Min

Demanded money, threatened village with burning (Capt. Nyo Soe Min), with killing all villagers (officer from 302).

#### 84 Battalion of 99 Division, 51 Battalion

1994; Karens +.; Pa'an twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Cont. SLORC Act. in Karen St." May 26 '94, p 7-8

names Commander Tay Aung (51 Batt.), 2nd Commander Aung Myint (51 Batt.)

Demand porters, road security. Extort money. Confiscate rice.

#### 338 IB, 339 IB

1994; Karens +?; Hlaing Bwe twp, Pa'an Dis.

KHRG: "Refugees at Klay Muh Hta" June 24 '94, p 2-3

Used forced labor for road construction and tree planting. Beat laborers. Dee Si Po, laborer, beaten until he died. Two sick men abandoned, died. Other laborers died of illness. Took "substitute labor fees". Used forced labor for sentry duty on road. Confiscated livestock.

#### 33 Division and 44 Division

1994; Karens; Hlaing Bwe twp, Pa'an Dis.

KHRG: "Refugees at Kyah Muh Hta" June 24 '94, p 12-13

Used porters, beat them. Made amputees climb along with porters. Tortured porters who tried to escape.

#### IB 331, IB 339

Karens +?; Hlaing Bwe twp, Pa'an Dis.

KHRG: "Refugees at Klay Muh Hta" June 24 '94, p 10-11

names (IB 331) Capt. Than Shwe, Capt. Than Win; (IB 339) Capt. Soe Teh Used porters, extorted money.

#### 8th, 9th, 28th Regiments

1994; ue; Hlaingbwe area

AI: "Human Rights Still Denied" Nov '94, p 17

Used forced labor for road and barracks construction. Kicked laborers.

#### <u>Light Infantry Battalions 403, 405</u>

1994; ue; Merqui-Tavoy Dis.

KNU M-T Dis.: "A Cry Left Unheard" Apr 95, p 17

Used forced labor at bases, extort money from villagers.

#### LIB 343, LIB 407, LIB 408, LIB 409, LIB 410, IB 104, IB 61

1994; ue; Ye-Tavoy area

CPPSM: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Construction" Apr '94, p 1

Conscripting forced labor for railway construction; controlling laborers.

#### "Unit" 409, MI 5

1994; Mon; Ye Pyu twp, Tenasserim Div.

AI: "Human Rights After 7 Years..." Oct '95, p 23

Captured and beat to death farmer Nai Win (18).

# LIBs 343, 402, 403, 407, 410

1994; ue; southern Burma

ABSDF: "Human Rights Report" Jan-Aug '94, p 20

Set up four large forced labor camps.

#### 73 IB, 351 IB

early 1994+; ue; Kyauk Kyi twp area KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports #1" Apr 29 '94, p 2 Detaining and raping young women/girls.

#### 409 Battalion, 410 Battalion

early '94; Karens & others; Ye twp KHRG: "The Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 8 Forced labor on railway, beatings.

#### 104 Battalion, 108 Battalion

early '94; Mons & others; Ye twp KHRG: "The Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 11 Forced labor on railway, beatings.

#### 108 Battalion, 109 Battalion, 110 Battalion

early '94; Ye twp; Mons, others KHRG: "The Ye-Tavoy Railway" Apr 13 '94, p 12 Demanding "porter fees".

#### IB 739, IB 234

Jan 11 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis. ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 8 Looted property.

#### 60 IB, MI office at Kyauk Kyi

Jan 12+, '94; Karens; Kyauk Kyi twp, Nyaunglebin Dis.
KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports: 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 3
names officer Bo Win Oo of 60 IB
Captured and interrogated a woman and her father (MI + 60IB); demanded money/rice for her release. Detained 30 other villagers at 60IB camp.

#### 506 IR and Shan State Army

Jan 16 '94; Shans; Hsipaw twp SHRF, undated

names Company led by Hla Tun (506 IR), SSA led by Tsai Norng, soldier Ai Thun Arrested, interrogated village headman Tsai Su, tortured him, Ai Thun of SSA killed him; his house looted (money and property taken/destroyed).

# Battalion 247, Battalion 246, and Pa-O National Organization soldiers

Jan 26 '94; Shans; Nam Tsaang twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 17 Looted village of property, animals, money.

# Battalion 247, Battalion 248, and soldiers of Pa-O National Organization

Jan 28 '94; Shans; Nam Tsaang twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 24 Looted village, burned down a house.

#### 516 IR, Battalion 247; Division 66

Feb 19 '94; Nam Tsaang twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 20 names Div. 66 led by Capt. Win Hlaing & Capt. Myint Thu Looted a village of food, property.

#### 247 Battalion, 66 Division and 55 Division

Feb 19 '94; Shans; Nam **T**saang twp SHRF, Mar 27 '94, p 22 names **55 Div. led by Capt. San Myint Aung** Looted village of food, money, etc.

#### IB 35, IB 59

Mar 3 '94; ue; Karen area ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 12 Looted fourteen houses.

#### Battalions 61; 401, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410

Apr '94; Mons and Karens, others; Ye Byu twp Karen National Union, Mergui-Tavoy Dis.: "Development & the Cry of the People", Dec '94, p 7, 19 Captured porters. Used forced labor for forest clearing on pipeline route. Control of forced laborers in railway area.

#### LIB 106, Battalion 406, LIB 408

Apr '94, Dec '94; Mon; Ye Byu twp
HR Foundation of Monland: "Human Rights Interviews 1/95", Mar '95, p 2
names LTB 106 led by Lt. Maung Latt
106 (April) arrested and interrogated a villager, beat him, took money for
release. Then 406 arrested and beat him, confiscated property, food, livestock,
beat him and extorted more money for release. In Dec., 408 arrested, beat
and tortured him, extorted more money.

#### 513 LIR, 515 LIR, 246 LIR

Apr 6 '94; Shans; Parng Long twp, southern Shan St. SHRF, undated
Burned Saam San village, looted its livestock, property.

Apr 9, 11, 15 '94; Shans; Parng Long twp, southern Shan St. SHRF, undated Confiscated goods, money, in three villages.

#### Battalions 425, 426

Apr 21 '94; Shans; Nong Morn twp SHRF, undated Arrested three villagers, interrogated, beat and tortured them.

#### 425 IR, 426 IR

Apr 25 '94; Shans; Hsi Seng twp SHRF, undated Looted village, captured a villagers and robbed, beat, tortured him.

#### Division 55 with 247 LIR, 248 LIR, 518 LIR

May 12 '94; Shans; Murng Nai twp SHRF, undated Looted a village.

#### 55 Division with 518 LIR, 246 LIR, 247 LIR, 248 LIR

May 13, 16, 18 '94; Shans; Murng Naii twp SHRF, undated May 13, looted three villages, burned ten houses in one village. May 16, looted two villages. May 18, looted one village.

#### 64 Battalion, 515 LIR & 77 LIR

May 21 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp SHRF, undated Looted food, livestock, property.

#### 316 LIB, 331 LIB, 221 LIB, 334 LIB, 526 LIB

May 28 '94; Akhas; near Tachilek twp SHRF, undated Arrested village headman, held him for ransom. Akha woman, Ar-way Am, burned alive. Village woman raped and her two children beheaded.

# Southeastern Military Command; LIB 401, LIB 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410

late 1994; ue; Ye-Tavoy region
CPPSM: "Newsletter" Jan '95, p 7
Issued decree restricting civilian movement; established free fire zone,
food confiscation, forced sentry duty, threatened villagers.

#### IB 32, under command of 33 LID, IB 36

June 20 '94; ue; Pa-Paun area
ABSDF: "Dawn" May-June '94, p 43
names IB 32 led by Maj. Tun Yee, IB 36 led by column commander Thein Zaw
Destroyed a house; shot and killed three villagers: Than Aung, Phoe Htaw, and Saw Win.

# LID 44, troops from LIB 355, LIB 356 and LIB 375 (may be LIB 357; see Sept-Nov '94 citation)

June-Sept '94; ue; No Phone village, Kawkareik twp

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 37-38 names Tactical commander Tint Lwin from LID 44, LIB 355 led by Battalion Commander Myo Kyin, LIB 375 led by Bttn. Commander Than Soe

Tactical commander Tint Lwin ordered 200 households from a village to relocate, villagers threatened. (Sept 10 ) Fired mortar shells into the village.

#### Strategic Command 1, Southeastern Command, and 408 LIB

July '94; ue; Mon area
KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages, 95-C" May 2 '95, p 6
Forced laborers to build Navy camp at Hein Zeh/Bote Island.

#### 62 IB, MI5

July '94; Mons +?; Ye area (from Halockhani)
KHRG: "Story of a Mon Political Prisoner" Jan 9 '96, p 2
Took civilian captives (political prisoners); burned three villages:
Plat Hon Pai, Ka Mon, Klay Taing. Used as porters, beat them; beat political prisoners (IB 62); beat prisoners during interrogation (MI5).

#### 73 LIB, 26 LIB

July 5 '94; ue; Mone twp, Nyaunglebin Dis. KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports: 8/94" Aug 10 '94, p 1 Looted and burned a farm hut.

#### Column 1 of IB 60; 350 LIB, Col. 1; 349 LIB troops

July 13-21 '94; ue; Nyaunglebin Dis., Pecu Div.

KHRG: "SLORC Victims in Nyaunglebin Dis." Sept 1 '94, p 1-2

names Column commander Maj. Tin Aye (IB 60), Col. commander Maj. Hla Myint

(350 LIB), Capt. Hla Nyunt (350), 349 LIB troops led by Capt. Than Zin

Detained three villagers; interrogated and beat one, forcing a false implication of other villagers as illegal traders. Arrested five more men and two women. Confiscated livestock. Beat and tortured man, Bee Li (45) and killed him. Used two as guides and killed them: Maung Way (36) and Soe Myint (37).

# Strategic Command 1, Southwest Command, LIB 308, Frontline Engineers Battalion 907, 33 LI Division

July 21 '94; ue; Thaton Dis

KHRG: "Recent Incidents in Thaton Dis." Sept 30 '94, p 2-3

names Strat Com 1: Maj. Tin Aung, commander; Strat Com 1 Administration/Supply, Capt. Kyaw Win, commanding officer. Batt 907, Lt. Kyi Maung, engineering officer. LIB 308, Lt. Myat Min Seik, camp commander.

Involved in use of forced labor for bridge construction.

#### 48 IB, IB2 of No. 2 Strategic Command, Western Command HQ

Aug '95; ue; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages: Set 96B" Feb 23 '96, p 5 Demanded forced laborers from several villages.

# Anti-Insurgent Group & 96 IB troops

Aug 5 '94; Karen; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 9-94" Sept. 23 '94, p 4

Interrogated a villager, demanded money, demanded that he find guns, executed him: Saw Ko Myint (37).

#### Anti-Insurgent Group soldiers and 24 IB troops

Aug 22 '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 9'94" Sept 23 '94, p 4-5

names AIG soldiers Maung Lay, Maung Kyi Win, Aung Moe

Confiscated ducks and goat, extorted money from two village headmen and another villager.

#### 404 LIB, 405 LIB

Sept '94; ue; Thayetchaung twp

KNU, Mergui-Tavoy Dis.: "Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95, p 17-18

(404) Beat a porter and left him unconscious; (405) found him and shot him dead.

#### Na Sa Ka; MI unit 10

early Sept '94; Rohingya; Maungdaw twp

RSO: "Newsletter" Oct 1 '94, p 4

names MI unit 10 officer Thet Naign

Villager detained, beaten, killed: Noor Mohammed.

# members of joint column of LIB 206 and LIB 208

Sept 25 '94; ue; Karen St.

UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar" Oct '95, p 21

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 32

names column commanded by Nyi Nyi Aung

Sexually abused/harassed female village leader. Beat, choked two village headmen, threatened villagers.

# Battalions 355, 356, 357 (see earlier June-Sept '94 citation)

Sept-Nov '94; ue; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "Myawaddy-Kawkareik Area Reports" Jan 15 '95, p 3-4

names Commanded by Capt. Myint Yi; commander of Strat Com 3, 2nd Lt. Col. Than Zaw Shelled Noh Po village (order given by 2nd Lt. Col. Than Zaw); martial law and free fire zone declared in it and another village, order to relocate.

#### 424 Battalion and 432 Battalion

Oct 5 '94; ue; See Seng twp

SHRF, Dec 17 '94

names 424 commanded by Maj. Win Myint, 432 commanded by Maj. Thaung Shwe Demanding fees in lieu of forced labor on railroad construction.

#### Battalions 343, 61, 106

Nov '94; ue; Ye Township area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages: Set 95A" Jan 5 '95, p 2-3

Involvement in forced labor by 37 villages on Ye-Tavoy railway construction.

#### 359 LI, 311 LI, 43 Battalion, Lahu militia, Pang Sang ex-communist militia

Nov 2 '94; Shans +?; Murng Pieng twp, eastern Shan St.

SHRF, undated

names Field commander Maj. Nyo Win; (359) Maj. Khin Maung Kyi in command; (311) Maj. Soe Myint Aung in command; (43) Maj. Soe Hlaine in command; (Lahu) led by Yaw Pa, Ca-ha, Aye Soe, Ar Tee & Yoe-tse; (Pang Sang) led by Oo Por Lu.

Looted, took livestock, used villagers as porters, beat villagers, burned houses, burned/desecrated Buddhist monasteries.

#### IB 62 and IB 31

Nov 3 '94; ue; Mon St.

UN: "Situation of Human Rights in Myanmar", Oct '95, p 8 Shot a man while he fled troops collecting porters.

#### 64 Battalion, 515 LIR

Nov 5 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp SHRF, undated Confiscated food, livestock.

#### 96 IB, 38 IB

Nov 12 '94; ue; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 8 names **Commanded by Than Htay and Tin Tun** Burned and looted four houses.

#### IBs 57, 59, 349, 350

Nov 15 '94; ue; Karen area ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 15 Captured, detained, and used porters.

# 316 LIR, 43 LIR, 360 LIR, 331 LIR, 359 LIR, Lahu militia

Nov 19 '94; ue; Murng Poo Long

SHRF, Dec 15 '94

names Kyaw Win, strategic commander of Keng Tung (316); Maj. Myint Shwe commander of 43; 360 company 4 led by Thein Oo; Lahu militia leaders Yor-pa, Aye Soe, Artee, Ca-ha.

Village leaders arrested, property confiscated; women forced to harvest/grind paddy; livestock confiscated; villagers evicted - village looted. Money extorted from Buddhist monastery, property looted from monastery. More than nine captives kept. Two women raped. House and rice mill destroyed.

#### 38 IB, 51 IB, No. 3 Strat. Command, Southwest Command HQ

Dec '94; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages 95A" Jan 5 '95, p 5 Involvement in demand for compensation for army truck destroyed by landmine, from 19 villages in the area; threats.

# IB 96 and 33 Division's LIB 12

Dec 11 '94; ue; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 8 names **Column commander Lt. Col. Tun Yi of Col. 2, LIB 12** Looted a village.

# Infantry 17 and No. 9 Intelligence Unit

Dec 26 '94; ue; Palaw twp KNU, Mergui-Tavoy Dis.: "The Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95, p 9 Forced villagers to collect wild orchids for military to sell to Thailand.

#### 64 Battalion, 515 LIR

Dec 28 '94; ue; Laii Kha twp SHRF, undated Confiscated food, livestock.

Nov '94 - Jan '95; Mon & others; Ye Byu twp

#### LIB 410, LIB 61

HRF of Monland: "Human Rights Interviews 1/95" Mar '95, p 3-4 names Lt. Yan Naing Aung (410)

Dec-Jan: Confiscated a villager's property, food; used him as porter. Beat a sick porter (410). Used forced labor on railway -- Lt. Yan Naing Aung administered forced labor on army camp construction (410). In Jan., LIB 61 arrested and beat villager mentioned above.

# IB 73, IB 351, Battalion 35, Batt. 26

(Dec '93) - Jan '94; ue; Kyauk Kyi twp, Nyaunglebin Dis. KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports #1" Apr 29 '94, p 2 Confiscated rice from each farmer.

# Battalions 104, 108, 409

94-95; Tavoyan +?; Ye-Tavoy area KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: An Update" July 31 '95; p 18-19 Used porters.

#### Battalions 355, 356

94'95; ue; Kawkareik area KHRG: "Myawaddy - Kawkareik Update" Aug 6 '95, p 4 Confiscated fields, used forced labor to grow crops on them.

# 230 LIB, Anti-Insurgent Group ("Tha Ka Sa Pa"), "People's Army" militia

'94 - '95; ue; Kawkareik twp area KHRG: "Myawaddy - Kawkareik Update" Aug 6 '95, p 3 Extorted money and rice from villagers.

#### Battalions 87, 88, 89; MI

'94-'95; Chins +?; Kalemyo town, Sagaing Div. KHRG: "Situation in Northwestern Burma" Jan 30 '96, p 9 Junior officers confiscate bicycles, vehicles; forced labor.

# Battalions 263, 264

'94-'95; Rakhine, others; Sittwe

KHRG: "Situation in Northwestern Burma" Jan 30 '96, p 6

Forced labor building army camps, and taking care of army livestock; paddy fields confiscated by army and forced labor working on those fields.

# Battalions 403, 404, 405

1995; ue; Thayet Chaung twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis" July 29 '95, p 9

ABSDF: "Dawn" Nov-Dec '95, p 24

Used porters. Used forced labor for army base construction.

# 267 Battalion, 269 Battalion

1995; ue; Tavoy twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis." July 29 '95, p 2-3

Using forced labor for army base construction, extorting money. Forcing villagers to cut down their own orchards for construction materials.

# Battalion 228, IB 52

1995; Chins; Lashee and Lahae twps, Sagaing Div.

ABSL: "Fist News Bulletin" Apr 30 '95, p 7

names Maj. Khin Soe, company 1 (228); Capt. Thaung Myint, company 4 (52) Forced conversion of Christians to Buddhism.

# Battalions 408, 409

1995; ue; Ye Pyu twp

KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis." July 29 '95, p 7

Uses forced labor, extorts money. Confiscates food, livestock.

#### Battalions 409, 403

1995+; Burman, Karen +?; Ye Byu twp

KHRG: "Ye-Tavoy Railway Area: An Update" July 31 '95, p 3-4

Using porters.

# LIB 405, LIB 273

1995; ue; Tenasserim area

GN32: "Greenwind" Sept 1 '95, p 3

"Building new army quarters by using forced labor." Confiscated "farms, houses and forests."

### Battalion 330 (?), Battalion 230

1995; Karens +?; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "SLORC in Kya-In and Kawkareik Twp" Feb 10 '96, p 2

Used forced labor for construction, logging, messenger and sentry duty. Took "labor fees". Demanded liquor, food, rice, stole fowl. Fired at villagers.

Confiscated livestock and farmland, used villagers to work on it. Extorted money.

# 22 Division and 44 Division; 28 IB; DKBA

1995; Karens +?; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Activities in Kawkareik Twp" July 10 '95, p 2-3

Looted villagers' property, food; threatened villagers; using forced labor, extorting money.

#### 341 Battalion and DKBA

1995; Karens +?; Bu Tho twp, Papun Dis.

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Activities: N. Karen Dis." July 18 '95, p 13-14

Looted property, destroyed/looted rice. Captured a villager and forced him to guide them. Vandalized rice barns.

# Infantry Divisions 17, 101, 103, 224 and LIB 433, 442, 358, 343

1995; ue; Mergui area, Tenasserim Div.

ABSDF: "Dawn" Nov-Dec '95, p 24

Using forced labor for road construction projects.

#### 406 LIB, 408 LIB

early '95; ue; Ye Byu twp, Tenasserim Div.

CPPSM: "Newsletter" May '95, p 4

Conscription for forced labor on railway construction and portering. Use of children as porters. Extorting money.

#### Battalions 104, 118, 1, 2

early '95; Mon/Indian others; Maw Kee, south of Myawaddy

KHRG: "Field Reports: 6th Brigade Area" May 31 '95, p 5-6 Captured/used porters, beat them; denied water to four dying porters.

# Division 22: Battalion 209, Battalion 203

Early 1995; Burmese Muslim, others; Kawkareik to Manerplaw area

KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw & Kawmoora Areas" Feb 25 '94, p 10

Captured, used, beat porters; used forced labor to cut bamboo.

#### Battalions 104, 97

Early 1995; Burman, others; Kawkareik area, Karen St./Moulmein area, Mon State

KHRG: "Field Reports: 6th Brigade Area" May 31 '95, p 6-8

Took/used porters; used them for forced labor on army base construction, beat them. Beat two porters to death, abandoned others.

#### Battalions 97 and 207, of 22 Division

Early 1995; Pa-O +?; Kawkareik to Karen/Thai border area KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw & Kawmoora Areas" Feb 25 '95, p 13-14 Captured, used, beat porters. Used forced labor to cut bamboo.

# Battalions 230 and 231 of 22 Division; and Battalions 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209

Early 1995; Burmese Muslim +?; Kawkareik to Karen/Thai border area KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw and Kawmoora Areas" Feb 25 '95, p 12-13 Captured, used, beat porters.

#### IB 25, LIB 404

Jan-Feb '95; ue; Banchaung (Paw Klo) region, Tavoy Dis.
KNU Mergui-Tavoy Dis.: "Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95, p 4-5, 20
Joint Info Group: "Joint Info News Letter 1" Mar 3 '95, p 5
Captured, used porters, beat them, shot at escapees. Confiscated crops, looted property and food, burned houses.

# Southern Command - Stategic Commands 1, 2, 3: IB 20, IB 26, IB34, IB 48, IB55, IB232, IB233, IB234, IB263, LIB354, LIB439, LIB535. Strategic Commands 1, 2 from West. Command names So. Comm. under Brig. Gen. Kyi Aung

Began Jan '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo and Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 2 Launched "Operation Aung Tha Pyay": forced relocations of villages.

# 207 Battalion of 22 Division; Battalion 962; 99 Division

Jan '95; Burman, others; Kyaikto to Manerplaw area KHRG: "Porters: Manerplaw & Kawmoora Areas" Feb 25 '95, p 3 Captured, used porters, beat them.

# 44 Division, 334 "Brigade", 338 "Brigade", "Brigades" 207, 208, 209, 210

Jan '95+; ue; Manerplaw region
HRW Asia: "Burma: Abuses Linked to the Fall of Manerplaw" Mar '95, p 8-11
Captured porters (334, 338, 44). Used porters, beat/abandoned them, pushed one off mountainside (207, 208, 209, 210).

# Southern Regional Command's Tactical Command No. 3; IB 60, LI 351

Jan '95+; ue; Kyauk Kyi twp Burma Issues, Aug '95, p 4 names **Tac Comm 3 led by Lt. Col. Nyi Soe** Used forced labor, including children, for dam construction.

#### 404 LIB, 25 IB

Jan '95; ue; Tavoy Dis. Joint Info Group: "Joint Info News Letter 1" Mar 3 '95, p 6 Took porters, beat them, extorted porter fees, looted livestock. Used forced labor to pound confiscated paddy.

#### IB 59, 60 Battalion

Jan-Feb '95; Burman +?; Nyaunglebin Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Papun & Nyaunglebin Dis." May 25 '95, p 6
names Capt. Ba Thein (IB 59)

Captured and used porters, beat them (including elderly men), took money from porter (Capt. Ba Thein).

#### Battalion 60, Battalion 48, 264 Heavy Artillery

Feb '95; Burman +?; Baw Ser Ko (Karen area)
KHRG: "Field Reports: Papun & Nyaunglebin" May 25 '95, p 4-5
Used porters, tortured and beat escapees, beat porters.

#### 101 IB, 17 IB

Feb '95; ue; Mergui -- four townships
Joint Info Group: "Joint Info Group News Letter 1" Mar 3 '95, p 6
names Lt. Tin Htum (IB 101)
Captured porters. Confiscated fuel for boat, threatened villagers.

Feb '95; ue; Mergui Dis. - Tanintharyi twp
KNU Mergui-Tavoy Dis.: "Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95, p 22
Captured porters from more than nine villages.

#### Battalions 405, 410

Feb '95; Burmans +?; Thayet Chaung twp -- pipeline route to Nat Ein Taung KHRG: "Conditions in the Gas Pipeline Area" Aug 1 '95, p 11 Used porters, beat them. Killed porter, Ko Thein Myint (about 30), two others.

#### 25 IB, 406/407 Battalion, 403/408 Battalion, 408/409 LIB

Feb '95; ue; Tavoy -- four townships Joint Info Group: "Joint Info News Letter 1" Mar 3 '95, p 6 Took 4,000+ porters; took "porter fees".

#### IB 25, LIB 404

Feb 16 '95; ue; Mergui Dis. Joint Info Group: "Joint Info News Letter 1" Mar 3 '95, p 7-8

#### Regiments 89 & 50\_

Apr 17 '95; Lai tribe (Chin); Hlamphei village, Thantlang twp, Chin St. CNF: "Refugee Report" 1995, p 2 names led by Maj. San Yu & Maj. Maung Win Forcibly relocated Hlamphei village, threatened villagers; looted village and burned it; shot at villagers. Shot Hnem Iang and she died from wound on April 19, her month-old baby died two days later.

#### Battalion 230 and DKBA

early May '95; Karens +?; Kawkareik twp

KHRG: "SLORC, DKBA Activities in Kawkareik Twp" July 10 '95, p 7, 8, 15 names Capt Pa Tha Da (DKBA)

Captured villagers, interrogated, beat them, accused them of being Karen soldiers' families, threatened them, used them as porters. Tortured the headwoman. Captured women, beat them. Extorted money. DKBA told SLORC troops to execute three villagers: Saw Ket Doh (beaten and killed), Boh Nee (aka Pati Po Mah, beaten and tortured to death), Manein Kyi Bah.

#### DKBA and two soldiers from 28 Battalion

May 11 '95; Karen; Hlaing Bwe twp.

KHRG: "Refugees from Pa'an Dis." March 18 '96, p 8

names Pa Tha Dah, Pa Nwee of DKBA

Threatened mother of KNLA soldiers; Pa Tha Dah beat her, destroyed property. Extorted money.

#### 76 LIB, 77 Division, DKBA

May 19-22 '95; Karens +?; Papun area - Thay Ko Der village KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Activities: N. Karen Dis." July 18 '95, p 4-5, p 10-11 Looted property, livestock, belongings; captured and tortured villagers; burned 12 of 15 houses, looted/destroyed rice; used eight villagers "as guides, porters and human minesweepers." Burned houses in another village. Forced villages to relocate.

#### Battalions 356 and 357 of Division 44

May 19 '95; Karens +?; Kawkareik

KHRG: "SLORC/DKBA Activities in Kawkareik Twp" July 10 '95, p 12 Took 45 people from a village as porters; demanded food, alcohol.

#### LIBs 403, 404, 405

June '95; Karen & Tavoyan +?; Tenasserim area

CPPSM: "Forced Portering Labour" Aug 15 '95

names Led by Tactical Commander Col. Than Sein

Captured, used civilians as porters, human sheilds and human mine-sweepers. Looted/destroyed livestock, crops, property; burned villages. Executed six Tavoyan men. Beaten to death: Ko Win Aung, Ko Soe Hla, Ko Soe Than, U Hla Khin. Shot trying to escape: Ko Htay Oo, Ko Hlaing Myint.

#### IB 101, IB 103

June 1, 15 '95; ue; Mergui-Tavoy area

KHRG: "Field Reports: Mergui-Tavoy Dis." July 29 '95, p 3-4

names Column commander Maj. Hla Kyi

Demanded food, money from a village (June 1). Looted another village (June 15).

#### 97 IB, DKBA

June 30 '95; ue; Karen St.

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villages: Set 96A" Feb 20 '96, p 5

Demanded forced labor and rice.

# LIBs 103, 403, 404, 405, 409

June 23 - July '95; ue; Paw Klo River, Mergui-Tavoy Dis. KNU Mergui-Tavoy Dis.: "Rape of the Rural Poor" July '95, p 38-40 Used porters, beat them; desecrated Buddhist monastery and Christian church, burned houses, confiscated livestock, looted property and money.

# IB 18, Anti-Insurgent Group

July 9 '94; Karens +?; Bilin twp, Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Thaton Dis." Jan 25 '95, p 6-7

names Company 1, led by Lt. Thet Oo

Captured a man, his wife and sister-in-law (18); Anti-Insurgent Group threatened them. Destroyed much of farms belonging to them and several other villagers.

# LIB 250, LIBs 336, 54, 261, 421, 450, 426

June-Aug '95; Kayan (Padaung), Burman, Karen, others; Kayah (Karenni) St.

GN32: "Greenwind" Sept 1 '95, p 6-10

Captured/used porters; beat them, tortured them. Used children as porters and young girls as "guides". (426) Looted a village.

#### IB 35, DKBA

Aug '95+; Karens +?; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 12

names Led by Maj. Kyi Soe (IB 35)

Looting villages, beating villagers, forced relocation.

# LIB 20 of Light Infantry Division 77, DKBA

Sept 1 '95; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports: Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 12 names troops of company 1 (LIB 20) commanded by Capt. Thein Tun Burned a villager's house.

Oct 21 '95; Karens; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 12

names (LIB 20) commanded by Capt. Thein Tun

Burned down houses of four village women.

Oct 24 '95; Karens; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 12

names DKBA soldiers Mo Kyo, Maw Ler and Ber Kha

Stole livestock.

Oct 28 '95; ue; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 12

names (LIB 20) Commanded by Battalion Commander Han Tint

Burned down houses of three villagers.

#### LIB 88 (possibly Division), DKBA

Oct '95+; Karens; T'Nay Hsah Dis.

KHRG: "Conditions North of Myawaddy" Jan 10 '96, p 5

Used forced labor for road construction, charged "labor substitution fees". Threatened villagers.

# Western Command and IB 233

Oct '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 6

names (West. Com.) Strategic commander Aung Naing Htun, and IB 233 commander Lt. Col. Soe Win Tin

Villages ordered to relocate: Hu Mu Der, Ler Kla Der, Kleh Der, Keh Po Loh, Ta Pa Kee, Plaw Baw Der. Population totaling 817.

#### LIB 354, IB 34

Oct 16 '95; Karens +?; Kaw Hoh Der village, Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 4

names led by Battalion 2nd in command Khin Soe (LIB 354); (IB 34) led by Battalion 2nd in command Kyaw Shwe

Surrounded and opened fire on village ("no Karen soldiers in the village"). Saw Po Htoo, Naw Muh (female, age 12), Saw Klo Doh (male, age 10), killed; many others wounded.

# DKBA + two SLORC soldiers; 88 Light Infantry Division; MI at Thingan Nyi Naung

Nov '95; Karens; Thai/Burma border area

KHRG: "Inside the DKBA" Mar 31 '96, p 11-12

Captured two refugees (ex KNLA soldiers), on Thai side of border, held them for interrogation.

#### LIB 355, LIB 300

Nov 7 '95; Karens +?; Kawkareik twp.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 14

names (LIB 355) commanded by Maj. Hla Maung; (LIB 300) commanded by Maj. Myint Win Captured villagers; burned houses and paddy barns; looted; destroyed rice supplies.

#### IB 230, IB 231

Nov 8-9 '95; Karens +?; Dooplaya Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 14

Held villagers in holes in ground; beat them.

#### LIB 545, LIB 546, IB 230, LIB 310, DKBA

Nov 19 '95; Karens +?; Dooplaya Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 13

names (LIBs 545, 546) under Battalion commander Thura Bo Ni; (IB 230) under company commander Tun Myint; (LIB 310) under Than Tun

Looted property, livestock; tortured a villager and burned his house.

# Light Infantry Battalion (possibly Division) 88; DKBA

Dec 8 -13 '95; Karens; Day Law Pya area KHRG: "Conditions North of Myawaddy" Jan 10 '96, p 6 Shot at villagers, wounded one; killed livestock (Dec 8). Captured villagers, used them as porters (Dec 10-13).

#### LIB 105, DKBA

Dec 23 '95; Karens +?; Papun Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 10 In village, burned some houses, all rice barns, looted livestock and other property. Killed villager Saw Pah Kyay Waw.

# LIB 391, LIB 105 (under 77 Light Infantry Division)

Dec 25-29 '95; Karens +?; Maw Lo Kloh valley, Papun Dis. KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 11 names (LIB 105) led by Lt. Col. Tin Yu Killed villager Pa Kay Waw; burned houses and rice crops.

# 3rd Tactical Command, IB 355, IB 356, IB 357

undated; ue; Win Yaw twp and Thanbyuzayat
ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 38
Forced villages to relocate -- Win Yaw twp: Sakhan Gyi, Wae Htaw;
Thanbyuzayat: Payaw Hae, Wel Htaw, Kyon Khani.

#### Strategic Command 1; Column 2 of IB 18

Aug 13 '94; Karens; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Incoming Field Reports 9/94" Sept 23 '94, p 4

names (IB 18) Column commander Maj. Saw Win; (Strat. Com. 1) Col. Ne Win Oo

Col. Ne Win Oo ordered Column 2 of IB 18 to cut/destroy paddy in fields of two villagers.



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#### "SLORC Commander" Hla Myint

Feb 10 '95; ue; Thai/Burma border area

ABSDF: "Dawn" Spring '95, p 17-18

Commander Hla Myint ordered DKBA to kill Christians, including refugees; his troops looted rice, chickens, pigs from refugee camp.

#### Sgt. Hla Oo

May 19 '94; ue; Karen area

KHRG: "SLORC Orders to Villagers 95A" Jan 5 '95, p 13 Demanded camp construction material from a village.

#### Capt. Myint Oo and troops

Oct 1 '94; ue; Turng Hoong (camped at)

SHRF: "Dec 15 '94

Interrogated and beat a village headman and vice-headman.

#### Column commander Tin Aye, troops led by

Nov 21 '95; Karens +?; Papun Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 10 Looted and destroyed property in four villages.

#### Col. Win Maung, tactical commander of Central Command

Feb 10 '94, Mar 2 '94; ue; Than Daung twp ABSDF: "Human Rights Reports" Jan-Aug '94, p 16 Used villagers as porters.

#### "Troop No. 2" led by Capt. Win Maung, Capt. Thaung Sein

Feb 10 '94; ue; Taungoo Dis., Pegu Div.

Indigenous Women's Development Center, untitled report, undated, p 3 Captured villagers, used them as porters. Charged "porter fees". Used forced labor for construction and road building. Extorted money.

#### Battalion Commander Han Tint and Company #1 Commander Thein Tun

Oct 31 '95 - Nov 2 '95; Karens +?; Thaton Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 12

Burned houses, paddy field; looted livestock. Tortured a villager.

#### Strategic Commander Myo Hla and Intelligence Officer Tin Myo

Dec 27 '95; Karens +?; Taungoo Dis.

KHRG: "Field Reports, Taungoo & Other Dis." Feb 29 '96, p 7 500 Porters demanded from ten villages; two trucks demanded.

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