

Bill Nolan**Purifying Water**

I'll tell you one time in the same area, the Arakan as you call it. I went out and said get some water. It was only a trickle coming through the *choung* because you get dry season and they had no water. And you'd go there. You'd put your bottle down and fill it up with water. We had tablets, purifying tablets. Two little boxes and one was white and one was blue. Put the white one in, purifies it, it's chlorine more or less. And there the ones that you tasted, takes the taste off. And the next thing that happened was "Philip", I said "you know what's out there"? "What do you mean". I said "do you know what's out there where we get the water from"? He said "What"? I said "It's dead bodies lying across it". "Oh", he said "dead bodies lying". "Oh", he said "that's alright put two tablets in".