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FROM QMCMT REURLET FILE ROGER ROGER ROGER TWO NINE THREE RESOLUTION  
OF UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS DATED ONE FIVE DECEMBER FOUR EIGHT

UNKNOWN XRAY FOUR SIX XRAY FOUR SEVEN XRAY FOUR EIGHT XRAY FIVE SEVEN  
XRAY SIX TWO XRAY SIX THREE XRAY SIX SEVEN XRAY SEVEN ZERO XRAY EIGHT FOUR  
XRAY EIGHT FIVE XRAY NINE TWO XRAY ONE ONE THREE XRAY ONE ONE FOUR XRAY ONE  
ONE FOUR ABLE CMA BAKER AND CHARLIE XRAY ONE ONE FIVE XRAY ONE SEVEN SIX  
XRAY ONE SEVEN EIGHT XRAY ONE SEVEN NINE XRAY TWO TWO ONE XRAY TWO TWO SEVEN  
XRAY TWO TWO EIGHT XRAY TWO THREE ZERO XRAY TWO THREE XRAY TWO THREE THREE  
XRAY TWO THREE NINE XRAY TWO FOUR ZERO XRAY TWO FOUR EIGHT XRAY TWO FIVE SIX  
XRAY TWO FIVE SEVEN XRAY TWO EIGHT ZERO ABLE AND BAKER XRAY TWO NINE TWO ABLE  
AND BAKER XRAY TWO NINE FOUR AND XRAY THREE ZERO THREE CMA ALL OF GUADALCANAL  
PD THIS OFFICE CONCURS IN THE CLASSIFICATION OF ALL UNKNOWN AS UNIDENTIFIABLE

UNCLASSIFIED

QMCMT 293  
GCS PACIFIC

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J. G. HOLLOWAY, LT COL, GSC  
MEMORIAL DIVISION

AIR MAIL

HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
(PACIFIC ZONE)  
APO 958

RRREC 293

DEC 15 1948

SUBJECT: Resolution of Unidentified Remains

TO: The Quartermaster General  
Department of the Army  
Washington 25, D. C.

1. Transmitted herewith QMC Form 1044 for thirty-seven (37) unidentified remains, stamped and signed in accordance with letter, DA OQMG QMGMD 293 GRS (Pacific Zone), Subj: Resolution of Cases of Unidentified Deceased dated 22 September 1948.

2. The majority of these unknowns have no dental anatomy or clues that might lead to identification, other than location and in some instances, date of death. All such clues have been investigated, with negative results.

3. The remainder that have dental anatomy could possibly compare with many persons missing, thereby precluding any individual identification.

4. Acknowledgment of receipt is requested.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

37 Incls: (All Guadalcanal)

1. QMC Form 1044-1044b  
Bone List-Chemical  
Laboratory Findings-X-46
2. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-  
Bone List-Unknown X-47
3. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-  
Bone List-Unknown X-48
4. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b  
Bone List-Fluoroscopical  
Findings for Identification  
Unknown X-57

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Captain, QMC  
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5. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-62
6. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-63
7. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Major Discrepancy X-67
8. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-70
9. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-84
10. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-85
11. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-92
12. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-113
13. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unidentified X-114
14. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-114A
15. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-X-114B
16. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unidentified X-114C
17. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Unidentified X-115
18. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-176
19. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List- Unknown X-178
20. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-179
21. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unknown X-221
22. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-227
23. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-X-228
24. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-230
25. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-X-252
26. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-253
27. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-259
28. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unknown X-240
29. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unknown X-248
30. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-256
31. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-257
32. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-280 "A"
33. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-X-280 "B"
34. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-292-"A"
35. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-292 "B"
36. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-294
37. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unknown X-303

*One* GWA  
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NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY  
OF THE PACIFIC

Interred 7 February 1949 **DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE**

B 1207

Cemetery Superintendent

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*Alvan C Baker*

SECTION A —  
NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED  
ALVAN C. BAKER

DIRECTIVE NUMBER  
8730 00000

DATE  
26 09 47  
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME  
UNKNOWN

SERIAL NUMBER  
X-000062

RANK

ARM  
8  
DATE OF DEATH

CEMETERY  
GUADALCANAL

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS  
0492 64  
CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT  
A

ROW  
39  
GRAVE  
10  
COUNTRY  
SOLOMON ISLANDS

CAUSE OF DEATH  
6

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE  
HONOLULU NATIONAL CEMETERY  
TERRITORY OF HAWAII  
  
(BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME  
UNKNOWN X-62

SERIAL NUMBER  
UNK

RANK  
UNK

DATE OF DEATH  
JAN 43

DATE DISTINTERRED  
8 Dec. '47

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON  
 REMAINS  
 MARKER

ORGANIZATION  
UNK

RELIGION  
UNK

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY  
Lloyd G. Ormes  
Emb.  
NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL  
CASKET

CONDITION OF REMAINS  
SKELETON

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION  
EMBOSSSED TAG READS **FILE UNKNOWN X-62 GUAD.**  
18 MAY 1949

MINOR DISCREPANCIES /  
NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET  
DATE 2 July 1948

BY N.R. JOYNES, EMBALMER

CASKET SEALED BY  
E. E. BRAYBOY

EMBALMER (Signature)  
*N. R. Joynes*  
N. R. JOYNES

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED  
DATE 2 July 48 BY E. E. BRAYBOY

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY  
A. D. MACFIE

I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

LLOYD G. ORMES

*Lloyd G. Ormes*  
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

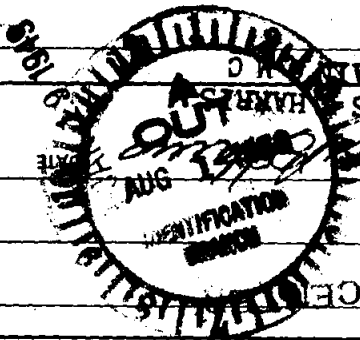
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

FROM		U S ARMY MAUS NO 3		TRUCK		SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER JOHN L. MURPHY		DATE 2 JUL 1949		NAME OF CONVOYER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER		DATE	
FROM		WILSON CAMP OMC		SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		DATE		NAME OF CONVOYER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER		DATE		KIND OF CONVEYANCE	
FROM		2. SHIPPED		NAME OF CONVOYER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER		DATE		KIND OF CONVEYANCE		SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		DATE	
FROM		3. SHIPPED		NAME OF CONVOYER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER		DATE		KIND OF CONVEYANCE		SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		DATE	
FROM		4. SHIPPED		NAME OF CONVOYER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER		DATE		KIND OF CONVEYANCE		SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		DATE	
FROM		5. SHIPPED		NAME OF CONVOYER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER		DATE		KIND OF CONVEYANCE		SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		DATE	
FROM		6. SHIPPED		NAME OF CONVOYER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER		DATE		KIND OF CONVEYANCE		SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		DATE	
FROM		7. SHIPPED		NAME OF CONVOYER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER		DATE		KIND OF CONVEYANCE		SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		DATE	



# IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN <b>Unknown X-62      Guadalcanal</b>				2. DATE OF REPORT <b>23 March 1948</b>		
3. NAME OF CEMETERY <b>U. S. Army Mausoleum #1 Formerly of Guadalcanal</b>		4. PLOT <b>A</b>	5. ROW <b>39</b>	6. GRAVE <b>20 10</b>	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT <b>23 Mar '48</b>	REINTERMENT <b>23 Mar '48</b>

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION <b>Age 24 to 26 years.</b>			
8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT <b>150 lbs.</b>	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT <b>70.06 - 5' 10"</b>	10. COLOR OF HAIR <b>U. T. D.</b>	11. RACE <b>White</b>

12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS  
**Two (2) embossed metal plates reading: Unknown X-000062, Guadalcanal Cemetery D.D., 873000000.**  
**One (1) embossed metal grave marker reading: Unknown X-62, Jan 1943, Plot-A, Row-39 Grave-10.**

13. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF TATTOOS OR SCARS ON BODY AND/OR SUCH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES  
**None**  
**REASON OF LACK OF IDENTIFYING DATA**  
**1st Lt. W. O. 1187395 *April B. Disney* 14 Dec 1948**

14. WAS BODY BURNED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	TO WHAT EXTENT?
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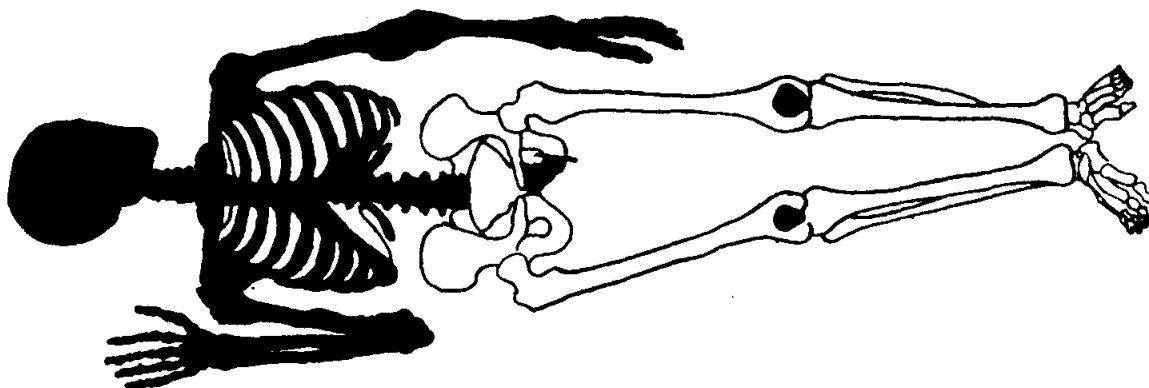
15. WAS BODY MANGLED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	TO WHAT EXTENT?
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16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS  
**None**

17. LIST EVERY ITEM OF CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND, SHOWING THE TYPE, COLOR, SIZE, MARKINGS, SERVICE, ETC. (If laundry marks are indistinct such notation should be made and specimen forwarded through channels for examination when facilities are not available in the area)  
**One (1) right shoe, 10-C Army field Type.**  
**One (1) left shoe, 10-C Army field type.**

*Incl. 5*

19. BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECORDED



20. MASS BURIAL CERTIFICATE (IF APPLICABLE)  
(Wherein segregation in whole or parts is impossible)

I CERTIFY THAT THE GROUP REMAINS CONSIST OF PARTS OF \_\_\_\_\_ DECEDENTS BASED ON THE PRESENCE OF ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING ANATOMICAL PARTS: NUMBER

No extra parts.

Paul L. Gravenor SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER Lab Supervisor

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Picture a rather tall muscular individual of approximately 24 to 26 years of age. As noted in blackout and bone chart, the skeletal parts consist of only the lower extremities, further description is impossible.

Fluoroscopic examination unnecessary. No teeth present.

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE PERSONALLY VIEWED THE REMAINS OF DECEASED AND THAT ALL RESULTING INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECORDED TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

TYPED NAME, GRADE, ARM OR SERVICE, AND ORGANIZATION

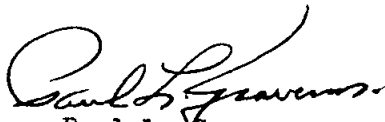
SIGNATURE

O. W. GREENWOOD, CAPT., QMC  
CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY  
AND MAUSOLEUM, APO 957

**CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY & MUSEUM  
BONE LIST**

NAME	SIDE	NO	BONE LENGTHS IN CM	REMARKS (IF MISSING OR FRACTURED, LIST PARTS AND LOCATION)
SKULL		0		Missing.
VERTEBRAE	CERVICAL	0		"
	THORACIC	0		"
	LUMBAR	0		"
SACRUM		1		
INNOMINATES	RIGHT	1	BI-ILIAC DIAM 26.5	Fractured, pubis missing.
	LEFT	1		
RIBS		0		Missing.
STERNUM		0		"
CLAVICLES	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
SCAPULAE	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
HUMERI	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
RADII	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
ULNAE	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
HANDS	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
FEMORA	RIGHT	1	47.9	
	LEFT	1	48.0	
PATELLAE	RIGHT	0		Missing.
	LEFT	0		"
TIBIAE	RIGHT	1	39.0	
	LEFT	1	39.0	
FIBULAE	RIGHT	1	38.4	
	LEFT	1	38.4	
FEET	RIGHT	1		Few terminal phalanges missing.
	LEFT	1		" " " "

HUMERO-CLAVICULAR RATIO	U. T. D.		APPROXIMATE	
ESTIMATED HEIGHT	<sup>70.06</sup> 5' 10"	AGE	24 to 26	YEARS
ESTIMATED WEIGHT	150 lbs.		LEG-HIP BR RATIO	48.0

  
 Paul L. Gravenor  
 Lab Supervisor  
 ANTHROPOLOGIST

ENCLOSURE TO: Unknown X-62 Guadalcanal



QMC Form  
 No. 1-GRS.

REPORT OF INTERMENT

CATEGORY III CASE  
 NO CLUES  
 IDENTIFICATION IMPOSSIBLE  
 AT PRESENT TIME

(To be submitted through channels to the Quartermaster  
 (Par. 21d - TM 10-630))

Unidentified Body #62

(Last Name) (First) (Middle) (Serial No.) (Rank) (Orgn.)

Guadalcanal, S.I.

January, 1943

Unknown

(Place of Death)

(Date of Death)

(Cause of Death)

(reburial)

March 16, 1943

Guadalcanal Army-Navy-Marine Cemetery

(Time & Date of Burial)

(Place of Burial - Name & No. of Cemetery)

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Standard

With Body:  
 On Marker:

(Grave No.) (Row No.) (Plot No.) (Kind of Grave Marker) (Identification Tags)

Flesh decomposed-impossible to take fingerprints or tooth chart-  
 no identifying marks

GRS Form #1 inclosed within bottle buried in grave

Other pertinent data to enable grave to be located.  
 (Where necessary sketch to locate grave should be furnished)

(Name and address of Emergency Addressee) (Name and address of legal next of  
 Kin)

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Fingerprints (Right Hand) If right hand missing furnish prints of left hand  
 (Required when positive identity cannot otherwise be established)  
 (Par. 25e (2) TM 10-630)

Place X mark  
 below when  
 prints are of  
 left hand




(Name, rank, serial #, orgn., grave No.'s of bodies buried on either side:)

On right:

On left: William R. Galloway, Pfc., USA-E-24 INF ROW 39 GRAVE 9  
 (37092026)

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial.  
 Verified by Army G.R.S. Officer.

*John Stark*

*Chester E. Goodwin*  
 CHESTER E. GOODWIN  
 LTJG, MC

Prepare in quadruplicate.  
 Send four (4) copies to Army G.R.S. Officer.