

FILE IDENTIFICATION TOPPER

FILE NUMBER

293 Unknown, Castelfiorentino, X-303

SUBJECT

APR 27 1949

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USMC FLORENCE

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Walter E. Thomas
WALTER E. THOMAS
Capt. CMP. Cemetery Superintendent

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED
DIRECTIVE NUMBER 5217 04758
DATE 15 10 48
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME SERIAL NUMBER GRADE ARM RACE RELIGION
UNKNOWN X-000303 0 0 6

CEMETERY CASTELFIORENTINO ITALY PLOT 2K ROW 85 GRAVE 4900 DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 5201 80
CODE DIST. CTR.

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE FLORENCE, ITALY
NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN (BY ADMINISTRATIVE DECISION)

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME SERIAL NUMBER GRADE DATE OF DEATH DATE DISTINTERRED

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON ORGANIZATION RELIGION IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY
 REMAINS UNKNOWN
 MARKER NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL SHROUD CONDITION OF REMAINS SKELETAL

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION BURIAL REPORT FILE MAY 1949

MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.) NONE REPARATION BRANCH

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 27 October 1948 BY EUGENE E. CASTELLARIN (EMBALMER)

CASKET SEALED BY EUGENE E. CASTELLARIN (EMBALMER) EMBALMER (Signature)

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED CLERK RECORDER DATE 27 Oct. 48 BY THOMAS COX SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY THOMAS P. PULLIAM, CAPT. QMC

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

MACK C. HOLT, 1ST LT QMC
SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR

REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

2. SHIPPED

FROM LEGHORN PORT MORGUE		TO USMC FLORENCE, ITALY	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE RAIL		NAME OF CONVOYER CPI ROBERT B. HUFF	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER KENNETH D. MC FEELY, 1ST LT TC	DATE 11 March 1949	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>[Signature]</i> H. CARNAL, 1ST LT QMC	DATE 11 March 1949

3. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

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FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

5. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

6. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

7. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

To be used only when disinterment is made prior to receipt of O'G Form 1194 (Disinterment Directive) Location (Remains Storage Point)

AGRS - MZ WORK SHEET DISINTERMENT

Date 18 August 1948 No.

SECTION A: Information obtained from Zone Hq Record

NAME: Unknown American X-303 SERIAL NO.: Unk. RANK: Unk. GRADE: Unk.

CITY: Castelfiorentino RACE:

PLOT: 2K ROW: 85 GRAVE: 4900 COUNTRY: Italy RELIGION:

*SECTION C: DISINTERMENT AND IDENT. (Info obtained from Remains &/or Grave marker)

NAME: UNKNOWN AMERICAN SERIAL NO.: X-303 RANK: UNK DATE DISINTERRED: 17 SEPT 48

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON: O'G FORM #1042 with Remains RELIGION: IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY:

Remains: Marker: YES (Yes or No) UNK J H CARNAL 1 LT O'G.

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Name & Title

SECTION D: PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR STORAGE

NATURE OF BURIAL: SHROUD CONDITION OF REMAINS: SKELETAL

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION: BURIAL REPORT

MINOR DISCREPANCIES: NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

Date: 27 OCTOBER 1948 By: EUGENE E. CASTELLARIN (E.BALMER)

CASKET SEALED BY: EUGENE E. CASTELLARIN (E.BALMER) EMBALMER (Signature): [Signature]

IDENTIFICATION PLATE PLACED ON CASKET CLERK RECORDER: Date: 27 OCTOBER 1948 Name: THOMAS COX Title:

REMARKS:

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

MACK C. HOLT 1ST LT O'G

[Signature] Signature of GRS Inspector Grade and Organization

*Section "B" Omitted

CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

FROM USMC CASTELFIORENTINO ITALY
CONVEYANCE

TO LEGHORN PORT MORGUE
CONVOYER
R D. BROOKS 2 LT QMC

SHIPPER *McKee*
N R HAZLEY 2 LT FA

TRUCK
DATE 22 Sept 48

REMOVED

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REMOVED TO FILE BY IT IS 22 SEPT. 48

REPATRIATION
RECORDS BRANCH
MAY 6 9 47 AM '49
MEMORIAL DIVISION

QM 293

1st Ind.

QMS Mediterranean

SUBJECT: Remains, U.S. Deceased, Unidentifiable

Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C. 28 February 1949

TO: Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Service,
Mediterranean Zone, APO 794, c/o Postmaster, New York, New York

1. Reference is made to basic communication.
2. Subject cases have been accepted by this Office and classified as unidentifiable.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL LARKIN:

3 Incls: w/d

T. H. METZ
Lt. Colonel, QMG
Memorial Division

cc--Administrative Section
V.M.Gier:lrc
McDermott
REB

REB

RJS

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
MEDITERRANEAN ZONE
9107 TSU - QMC
APO 794 US ARMY

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LVD/eo
3 February 1949

SUBJECT: Remains, U.S. Deceased, Unidentifiable

TO: The Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.
ATTN: Memorial Division

1. Inclosed herewith are CIP Reports containing Revised QMC Forms 1044, for Unknown American deceased interred in USMC Castel-florentino, Italy.

2. Inclosed Reports pertain to those remains for which group or individual identity is considered impossible as indicated thereon.

3. Subject Reports are forwarded for review and administrative approval by your office.

8 Inclosures

1 - X-303	2K- 85-4900
2 - X-306	2K- 85-4903
3 - X-307	2K- 85-4904
4 - X-308	2K- 85-4905
5 - X-309	2K- 85-4906
6 - X-310	2K- 85-4907
7 - X-311	2K- 85-4908
8 - X-312	2K- 86-4909

WHITFIELD W WATSON
Colonel QMC
Commanding



493 HQS Multinational

24 February 1949

Unk. American deceased interred in USMC Castelfiorentino, Italy,
The following have been accepted as Unidentifiable:

<u>Unk.</u>	<u>Plot</u>	<u>Row</u>	<u>Grave</u>
X-303	2K	85	4900
X-306	2K	85	4903
X-307	2K	85	4904
X-308	2K	85	4905
X-309	2K	85	4906
X-310	2K	85	4907
X-311	2K	85	4908
X-312	2K	86	4909

Burial Reports for X-304 and X-305 have been cancelled. Those remains, previously buried in Graves 4901 and 4902, were articulated with remains in other graves and Graves 4901 and 4902 are now empty.

V. Gier

Copy of report sent to Clarence -

18 February 1949

X-303 and X-306 thru X-312 were recovered from a mine field in the vicinity of Mt Altuzzo, Italy.

No clothing or personal effects were found. The following is from CIL & 1044s:

<u>Unk.</u>	<u>Grave No.</u>		<u>Clues</u>
X-303	4900	Skull missing-no T/C	Helmet - no marks
X-304)	4901)	Remains in these graves were articulated with other remains and graves are now empty.	
X-305)	4902)		
X-306	4903	Skull missing-no T/C	Steel helmet w/green triangle in front. A canteen with peculiar marking-large "C" with smaller mark or letter inside the C.
X-307	4904	Skull missing, but mandible present; partial T/C	Helmet liner with "CD" printed on side
X-308	4905	Skull present-mandible missing; T/C of maxilla	Helmet-no marks
X-309	4906	Partly present shattered skull; T/C of maxilla; mandible missing	Helmet liner with "CD" printed in red on side.
X-310	4907	Skull missing-no T/C	None
X-311	4908	Skull shattered-partial T/C	Helmet liner-no markings
X-312	4909	Skull shattered-T/C accomplished	Steel helmet with USA painted in white.

The estimated height is given for each of the above.

Report of Investigation states 91st Inf Division was in action in this area, but does not furnish names of those MIA.

Gier

RB 293

17 June 1948

SUBJECT: Reports of Burial.

TO : The Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D.C.
Attention: Memorial Division

Reports of Burial for U.S. deceased interred in plot 2-K, rows 85 and 86, graves 4900 thru 4909, U.S. Military Cemetery, Castelfiorentino, Italy, are transmitted herewith.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

10 Incls:
Reports of Burial.

K. W. DALTON
Lt Col QM
S-1



12 1/2 hrs. J. H. Dalton

HEADQUARTERS
9107 TSU-QMC DETACHMENT NO 2
AGRS-MZ
APO 794 US ARMY

28 May 1948

SUBJECT: Report of Investigation

TO : Commanding Officer,
9107 TSU-QMC,
AGRS-MZ,
APO 794, U.S. Army

1. Submitted herewith is report of investigation concerning the recovery of ten (10) Unknown American Soldiers, in the vicinity of Mt. Altuzzo, Comune of Scarperia, Italy, coordinates (Q-91.3-98.3) Sheet 98, Map of Italy, 1/100,000.

2. Following exhibits are attached:

- a. Exhibit "A" Statement and Translation by Italian Mine Sweeping Team.
- b. Exhibit "B" GRS Burial Form #1042 for all deceased concerned.
- c. Exhibit "C" C.I.P. Report for all deceased concerned.
- d. Exhibit "D" Map Overlay of area where remains were recovered.
- e. Exhibit "E" Statement by Mr. Serafino A. Cocucci, DAC.

3. Facts:

- a. That remains of ten (10) Unknown American Soldiers were recovered on the surface of the earth. This area had not been investigated prior to this date as the mine field had not been cleared.
- b. That according to Missing Casualty Reports of the 91st Infantry Division which was in action in this area still has many members unaccounted for.

4. Findings:

- a. On contacting the Italian Mine Sweeping Team our investigation team was led up to Mt. Altuzzo and remains were recovered as follows:
 1. Unknown American Soldier X-303, recovered at coordinates (Q-91-98) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000.

Only clue identifying these remains as American was helmet with no identifying data. *no skull.*

X-304 + 305 Cancelled
Remains were articulated w/ remains in other graves.

Graves 4901 + 4902

now empty -
Per Radio A-4395
dated 11/12/48.

MC in No. 54160

Case # 03471

2. Unknown American Soldier X-304, recovered at coordinates (Q 91-98) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000. These remains were recovered at a distance of approximately twenty five (25) feet from Unknown American Soldier X-303. Remnants of cartridge belt were found near these remains no identifying data noted.
3. Unknown American Soldier X-305, recovered at coordinates (Q 91-98) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000. These remains were recovered at a distance approximately 15 feet from Unknown American Soldier X-304. Remnants of cartridge belt recovered with these remains. No identifying data noted.
4. Unknown American Soldier X-306, recovered at coordinates (Q 98.0-97.8) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000. An almost complete body recovered. Remnants of cartridge belt and helmet liner found. Helmet liner bore the following marking "CD" on right side of helmet liner. Rear of helmet liner bore the following inscription "Lousstr" as best as could be distinguished by the naked eye. No other identifying data could be noted. *no skull*
5. Unknown American Soldier X-307, recovered at coordinates (Q 90.8-98.3) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000. An incomplete body was recovered. Remnants of camouflage net and helmet recovered, no identifying data noted.
6. Unknown American Soldier X-308, recovered at coordinates (Q 90.5-97.8) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000. Helmet liner with inscription "CD" recovered. One small pen knife recovered. No other identifying data noted.
7. Unknown American Soldier X-309, recovered at coordinates (Q 90.5-97.8) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000. These remains were recovered in the vicinity of Unknown American Soldier X-308.
8. Unknown American Soldier X-310, recovered at coordinates (Q 91.3-98.3) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000. Remnants of cartridge belt found, no identifying data noted.
9. Unknown American Soldier X-311, recovered at coordinates (Q 91.3-98.3) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000. Remains recovered in the vicinity of Unknown American Soldier X-310. Remnants of First Aid Pouch, cartridge belt and helmet liner recovered, no identifying data noted.

10. Unknown American Soldier X-312, recovered at coordinates (Q 91.3-98.3) Sh 98, Map of Italy 1/100,000, in the vicinity of Unknown American Soldier X-311. One steel helmet found, no identifying data noted.


5. Recommendations:

None.

6. Comments:

- a. The entire area in which the above listed Unknown American Soldiers were recovered was carefully searched for indentifying data but met with negative results. Our search was limited due to the fact that the complete area had not been cleared of mines.
- b. All remains recovered lacked clothing and all personal belongings indicating that the remains must have been found at an earlier date and were stripped of everything.
- c. Remains have been processed by CIP Team and have been interred United States Military Cemetery Castelfiorentino, Italy as indicated attached GRS Forms #1042 for each Unknown American Soldier.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:


EDWARD BAYER
1st Lt Inf
Operations Officer

Scarperia, Maggio 1948

Comando II Nucleo B.C.M., Firenze, Costa San Giorgio,

Sezione VI, 13^a Squadra.

La Sezione VI operante in Frazione Monte Altuzzo Comune di Scarperia, il giorno 17 Aprile 1948 durante lo sminamento di un appezzamento di terreno rinveniva alcuni resti scheletrici di soldati americani, accertati mediante materiale ferroso trovato sul luogo dei resti.

Fatta segnalazione al Comune di Scarperia che provvedeva a farne segnalazione ai rispettivi Uffici interessati, i quali il giorno 7 Maggio la Squadra Investigativa Americana di Livorno provvedeva alla rimozione ed esportazione dei suddetti resti che risultano di un complessivo di otto militari tutti sprovvisti di documenti di riconoscimento.

Da accertamenti alle case vicine non si e' potuto apprendere nessuna informazione a riguardo in quanto essendo stato terreno segnalato minato, nessuno ha osato entrare ed inoltre e' da far presente che nel periodo del decesso di tali militari, tutta la popolazione era sfollata in luoghi di sicurezza.

Non essendo ultimato il lavoro di sminamento si si fa presente che durante il lavoro troveremo ancora tali resti, sara' nostro dovere informare l' ufficio competente.

Il Capo Sezione
(A.T. Amerigo Baldi)

TRANSLATION

Scarperia, 7 May 1948

Comando II Nucleo B.C.M. Firenze, Costa San Giorgio,

Sezione VI, 13^a Squadra.

The VI Section operating in Frazione Monte Altuzzo, Comune of Scarperia, on 17 April 1948, during the mine clearing of a part of that zone, found remains of several bodies in skeletal condition which proved to have been American soldiers. from the steel pieces of material surrounding the above mentioned remains.

The Comune of Scarperia was immediately informed to contact the interested office and on the 7th of May the Investigating Section of the American Graves Registration Service from Leghorn took care of the disinterment and segregation of the bodies, which resulted to be the remains of eight American soldiers, none of them had any document of identification.

The investigation conducted in the vicinity gave no results because the deceased had been killed in a mine field and no one had dared to enter it, at the time the accident had happened almost all the population of the zone had already moved to safer place.

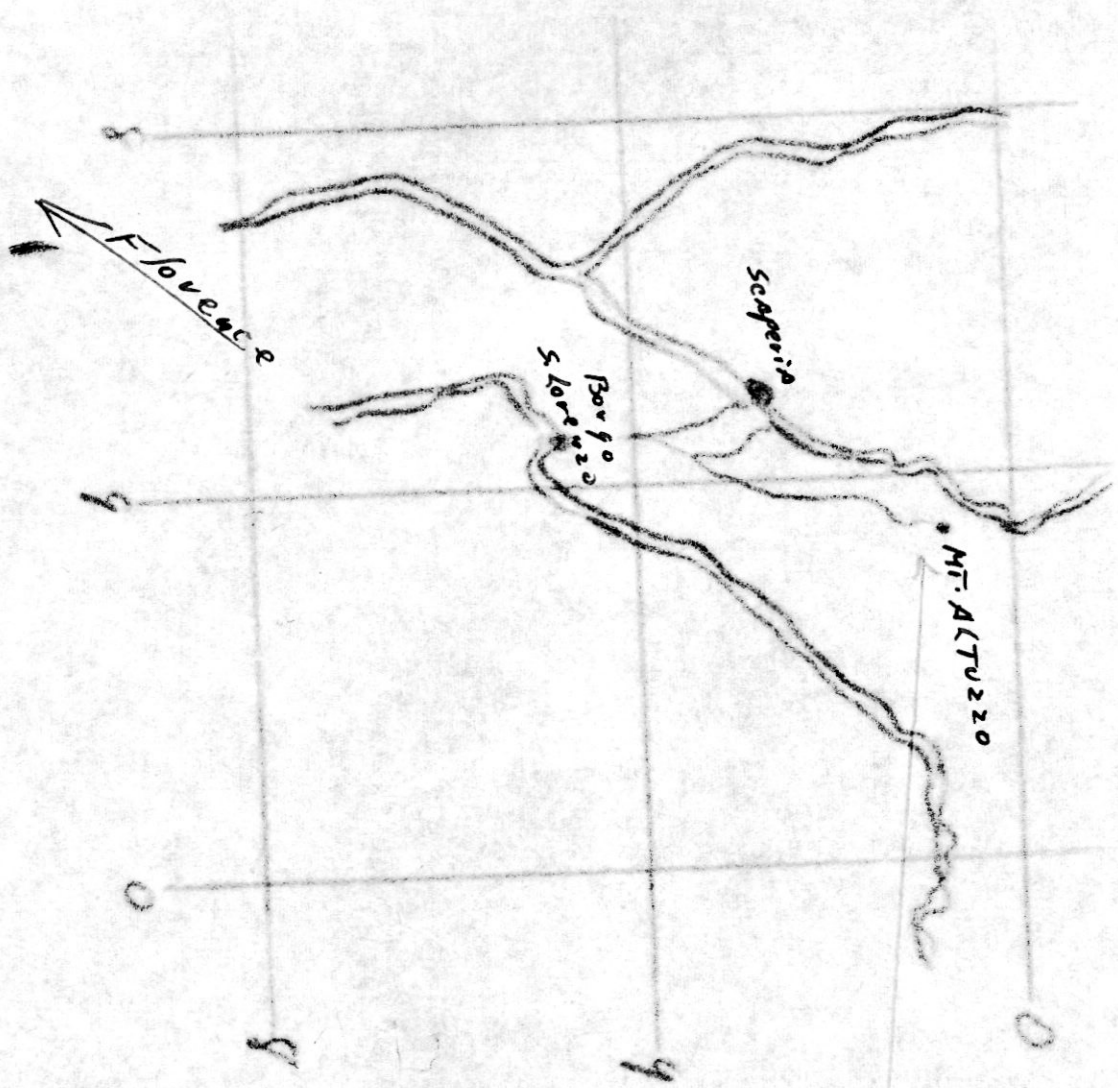
The mine sweeping of the zone is not finished as yet, so it is quite possible that there will be more remains of American Soldiers found, in the event that additional remains are found it will be our duty to inform the American Graves Registration Service in Leghorn.

signed: Il Capo Sezione
(A.T. Amerigo Baldi)

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MAP REF. 5411 1/200,000



where remains were recovered

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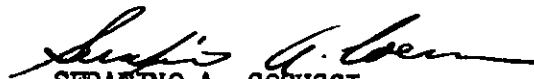


S T A T E M E N T

On arriving to Mt. Altuzzo, the Italian Mine Sweeping Team led us to the remains of ten (10) Unknown American Soldiers.

The entire area as far as could be searched was completely checked with no traces of identifying data being recovered.

It is the opinion of the undersigned that the remains of the ten (10) Unknown American Soldiers were stripped of their personal belongings prior to our arrival. No information could be obtained from the local inhabitants as the area was evacuated at that time.


SERAFINO A. COCUCCI
Department of Army Civilian

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN	: 2. DATE OF REPORT
X-303	19 October 1948
3. NAME OF CEMETERY	: 4. PLOT : 5. ROW : 6. GRAVE : 7. DATE OF
USMC Castelfiorentino, Italy	: 2K : 85 : 4900 : DISSE- REIN- : : : : TEMENT TEMENT

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT	: 9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT	: 10. COLOR OF HAIR	: 11. RACE
Unknown	: 5' 9 1/8"	: Unknown	: Unknown

12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS

Non-identifiable by reason of lack of sufficient identifying data

None

T.C. Anderson
T. C. ANDERSON, Major, OMC

13. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF TATTOOS OR SCARS ON BODY AND/OR SUCH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES.

None

14. WAS BODY BURIED? : TO WHAT EXTENT?

YES NO

15. WAS BODY MUTILATED? : TO WHAT EXTENT?

YES NO

16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE REFORMATIONS

None

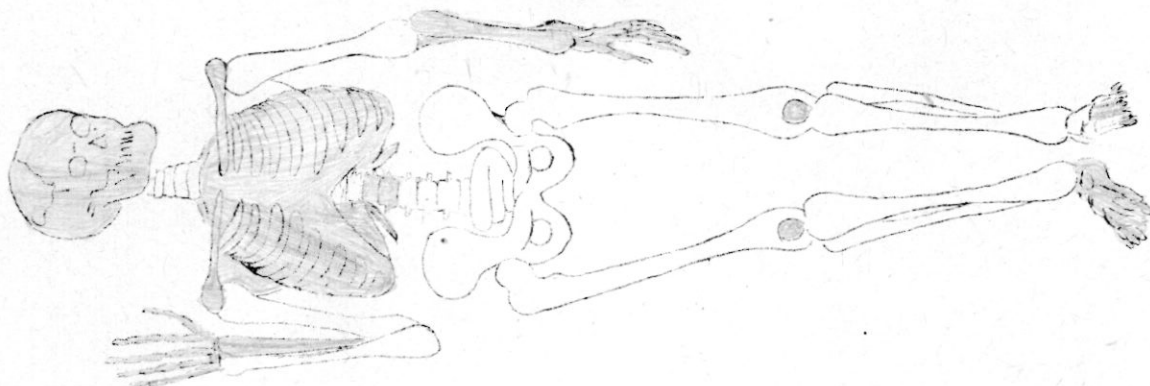
17. LIST EVERY ITEM OF CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND, SHOWING THE TYPE, COLOR, SIZE, MATERIALS, SEAMING, ETC. (If laundry marks are indistinct, such notation should be made and specimen forwarded through channels for examination when facilities are not available in the area).

One steel helmet.

Received 24 Feb 49 OQMG
Not identifiable from information presently available *Verna Gier*

T.L. 3 Feb 49, "Remains U.S. Deceased, Unid"

19. BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECOVERED



20.

MASS BURIAL CERTIFICATE (If applicable)
(Wherein segregation in whole or parts is impossible)

I certify that the Group remains consist of parts of _____
(Number)
decedents based on the presence of one or more of the following anatomical
parts.

(Signature of Medical Officer)

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

In the opinion of the undersigned, the representative parts of a human remains graphically represented in par 19 are those of one and the same individual.

Dr. ALEXANDER TARDY
M.D., DA. (Anthropology)
G.S.D., O.S.D.

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

Typed Name, Grade, Arm or Service and Organization

SIGNATURE

Mack C. Holt., 1st Lt., QMC
9107 TSU-QMC, AGRS/MZ

(signed)

HEADQUARTERS
9107 TSU - QMC
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
MEDITERRANEAN ZONE
APO 794 US ARMY

CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION POINT

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

Paragraphs 1-17 and 19-21, Identification Data QMC Form 1044 & 1044b
Paragraph 18 - Identification Dental Chart

C.I.P. Case No. L-500

Date of Investigation 19 Oct. 48

Unknown American X- 303

Am. Mil. Com. Castelfiorentino, Italy: Plot 2K Row No. 85 Grave 4900

Place of Death Mt. Altuzzo, Italy Date of Death Unknown

Map Reference Q-91.3098.3 Sheet 98 Map of Italy 1/100,000

Other American Dead Found in Same Area Unknown X-~~304~~, 305, 306, 307, 308,
309, 310, 311, and 312.

Cause of Death KIA

22. Description of Remains

Skeletal, sgate

(If the remains have not decomposed, attach to this form QMC
Form 1042 completely filled out to physical characteristics.)

23. Skeletal Data -

HEAD Missing

TOOTH CHEST Impossible

TRUNK Present are: L scapula, 5 cervical, 1 dorsal and 5 lumbar vertebrae; sacrum; and R and Left pelvic bones.

UPPER EXTREMITIES (Give measurement of long bones).

R Humerus 33.9 cm L Humerus 33.5 cm

R Ulna 27.2 cm L Ulna Missing

R Radius 27.2 cm L Radius Missing

Carpals, Metacarpals, Phalanges Missing

LOWER EXTREMITIES (Give measurements of long bones).

R Femur 45.5 cm L Femur 45.9 cm

R Tibia 39.7 cm L Tibia 39.6 cm

R Fibula 38.5 cm L Fibula Piece of shaft missing

Calcanea, Tarsals, Patallae, Metatarsals, Phalanges

R foot missing; L foot partly present and both patella missing.

24. AGE ESTIMATED AT Between 20 and 30 years

BASED ON Degree of closure of the epiphyses of the long bones of
and Pelvis.

25. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS:

Tooth chart - Impossible

Height estimate - 5' 9 1/8"

Age estimation - between 20 and 30 years.

26. RECOMMENDATIONS:

PROCESSED BY:

EVERT A. JOHNSON
Pfc 17173881
CIP Technician

(SIGNED)

(Signature of Officer)

MACK C. HOLT
1st Lt QMC
CIP OFFICER

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DR. ALEXANDER TARDY
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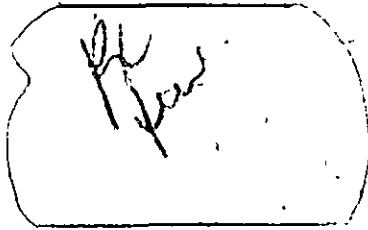
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DATE OF REPORT

18 May 1948

OMC Form 1042

REPORT OF INTERMENT
(AF 30-1810 and AF 30-1815)Fingerprint Identification
Tag if Possible

Section 1. IDENTIFICATION.

NAME (Last, first, middle initial)

SERIAL NO.

Unknown American Soldier X-303

Unk.

GRADE

ORGANIZATION

BRANCH OF SERVICE

Unk.

Unk.

Army

RACE

RELIGION

IF OTHER THAN U.S.
DEAD, GIVE NAME OF
COUNTRY USA

Unk.

Unk.

PLACE OF DEATH Mt. Altuzzo
Italy (991.3-98.3) Sh 98
Map of Italy 1/100,000

CAUSE OF DEATH

KIA

DATE OF DEATH

Unk.

EMERGENCY ADDRESS (Name, relationship, and address)

Unk.

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY
(1, 2, or none)

None

IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF
IDENTIFICATION. (If unidentified, fill in sec-
tion 5 on reverse)

No

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?
(Yes or no)

No

COMPLETED TOOTH CHART ON OMC FORM 1045
ATTACHED HERETO

YES

NO

LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME

None

Section 2. BURIAL. If other than established cemetery, furnish sketch and map
coordinates on reverse.

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

U.S. Military Cemetery Castelfiorentino, (2547-507) Italy

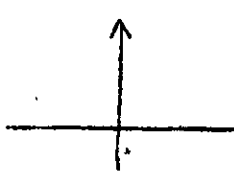
DATE OF BURIAL	HOUR	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other)	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER	PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
18 May 1948	1500	Wooden Casket	Wooden Cross	2K	85	4900
WAS THIS A REBURIAL? (Yes or no)	IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE			COORDINATES OF PLOT ROW GRAVE No. No. No.		
No	---			---		

TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY	PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES	IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODY.			
General	No	OMC Form 1042 sealed in glass container and buried with body OMC Form 1042 sealed in glass container and buried one foot below grave marker			
IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or No)	IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or No)	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE
No	No	S/ Sgt.	No 31207060	485 Bomb Group	No 4899
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial)	BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial)	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE
Bertelli, Alfred P.	Unknown American Soldier X-304	Unk	Unk	Unk	No 4901

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT
J. Serafino A. Cocucci, SACSIGNATURE OF OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT
EDWARD BAYER, 1st Lt, InfDISTRIBUTION OF REPORT: Signed original for U.S. and allied dead, signed original
and one copy for enemy dead, to the OMC through Hdq (RS) Officer. Copies for reten-
tion in theater as prescribed by theater commander.

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LEFT LITTLE FINGER	Section 3.- UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS.				
LEFT RING FINGER	INSTRUCTIONS: (a) Great care will be taken to record the most minute clues for the future identify of unidentified remains. Fill in anatomical characteristics below, and any other clues under "Other", such as shoe size, social security number; position of body found in airplanes, vehicles, and tanks; and serial numbers of airplanes, vehicles, and tanks. (b) A fingerprint, or prints, are the most valuable of all clues. Imprint all fingers and thumbs in the chart at left, or as many as as possible. If no fingerprint or prints can be secured, the condition of each and every tooth will be indicated on the tooth chart in accordance with the diagram below. Tooth chart will not be accomplished if one or more fingerprints are secured.				
LEFT MIDDLE FINGER	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR OF EYES	COLOR OF HAIR	BIRTHMARKS, SCARS, OR TATTOOS
LEFT INDEX FINGER	5'7 5/8"				
RIGHT THUMB	WEAPON AND SERIAL No.	LAUNDRY MARKS	WHERE BODY WAS BURIED OR FOUND		
RIGHT INDEX FINGER	OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES t. Alamo, 11.14 01, 20-3) 08 1/100,000				
RIGHT MIDDLE FINGER	FURNISH SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE AND COORDINATES FOR BURIAL IN OTHER THAN ESTABLISHED CEMETERY				
RIGHT RING FINGER					
RIGHT LITTLE FINGER	REMARKS:				

RESTRICTED

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
MEDITERRANEAN ZONE
APO 794 US ARMY

CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION POINT

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

Paragraphs 1-17 and 19-21, Identification Data QMC 1044 and 1044b
Paragraph 18 - Identification Dental Chart

C.I.P. Case No. _____

Date of Investigation 18 May 1948

Unknown American X- 303

Am. Mil. Cem. Castelfiorentino Italy: Plot 2K Row No. 85 Grave 1900

Place of Death Mt. Altuzzo Date of Death Unknown

Map Reference (Q 91.3-98.3) Sheet 98 Map of Italy 1/100,000

Other American Dead Found in Same Area Unks. X-~~304~~ - ~~305~~ - 306 - 307 - 308 -

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Cause of Death Unknown

22. Description of Remains

Skeletal State

(If the remains have not been decomposed, attach to this form QMC Form 1042,
completely filled out as to physical characteristics.)

23. Skeletal Data

HEAD Skull missing

TOOTH CHART Impossible

TRUNK L - Scapula, 3 cervical vertebrae, 2 Dorsal vertebrae, 5 Lumbar
Vertebrae, Sacrum, L-Pelvis.

UPPER EXTREMITIES. (Give measurements of long bones.)

R Humerus 33.9

L Humerus 33.5

R Ulna 27.4

L Ulna Missing

R Radius Missing

L Radius Missing

Carpals, Metacarpals, Phalanges Missing

LOWER EXTREMITIES. (Give measurements of long bones.)

R Femur 45.6

L Femur 45.7

R Tibia Missing

L Tibia Medial malleolus (39.7) missing

R Fibula Missing

L Fibula Portion of shaft missing

Calcanea, Tarsals, Patellae, Metatarsals, Phalanges

portion of calcanea, 4 tarsals, 2 metatarsals

24. AGE ESTIMATED AT Over 20

BASED ON Epiphysial lines on long bones are closed.

25. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS:

1. The remains were found to be in skeletal state.
2. The remains consist of the representative part of one (1) body only.
3. No personal effects were found.
4. A tooth chart was impossible.
5. The age was estimated at over 20 years, the height at 5 ft. 7 5/8 in.

26. RECOMMENDATIONS:


EDWARD BAYER 1st Lt INF.

(Signature of Officer)

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN X-303			2. DATE OF REPORT May, 18, 1948	
3. NAME OF CEMETERY CASTELFIORENTINO	4. PLOT 2K	5. ROW 85	6. GRAVE 4900	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT
				REINTERMENT

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT Unknown	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT 5 ft 7 5/8 in.	10. COLOR OF HAIR Unknown	11. RACE Unknown
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12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS

None

13. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF TATTOOS OR SCARS ON BODY AND/OR SUCH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES

None. Remains in skeletal state

14. WAS BODY BURNED? TO WHAT EXTENT?

YES NO

15. WAS BODY MANGLED? TO WHAT EXTENT?

YES NO

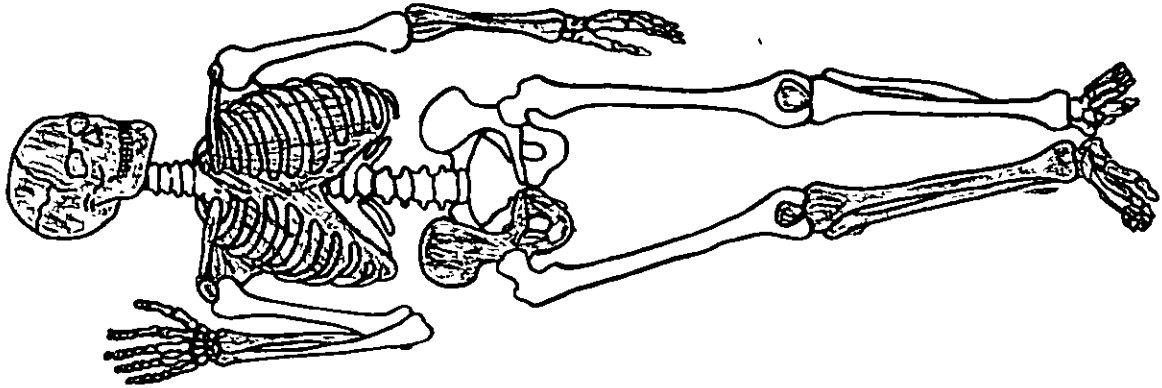
16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS

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)

1 Steel Helmet

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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

NOT APPLICABLE

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

NONE

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

ROBERT S. HUFF, Pfc 16216004

SIGNATURE