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NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY

OF THE PACIFIC

Interred 14 March 1949

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

923

Cemetery Superintendent

ADVANCE C. DATED

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER 4996 00000

DATE 15 12 47 DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME 293 UNKNOWN X-000076

SERIAL NUMBER X-000076

RANK

ARM 8 DATE OF DEATH

CEMETERY KALAIKUNDA

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 0492 64 CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT 6 ROW K GRAVE 1030 COUNTRY INDIA

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-76 SERIAL NUMBER Unk RANK Unk DATE OF DEATH Unk DATE DISTINTERRED 16 October 47

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON REMAINS MARKER

ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN

RELIGION Unk

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY Richard A. Warren, 1st Lt., ORD, NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL Temporary Casket

CONDITION OF REMAINS Skeletal

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION Grave Marker and Cemetery Record

MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1 None

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET DATE 2 July 48 BY William J. Willis, Embalmer

CASKET SEALED BY William J. Willis

EMBALMER (Signature) William J. Willis

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED DATE 7 Feb 49 BY William J. Willis

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY C. J. SURINE, CWO, USA

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

C. J. SURINE, CWO, USA SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

15 JUL 1948 REPAIRATION BRANCH MEMPHIS

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

"Inspected for identification only per paragraph 2, 1st I: OCMG, file QMCMO 293 (Pacific), dated 5 May 1948."

Handwritten signature

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM U. S. ARMY MAUSOLEUM NO. 3		TO Chief, Hawaii D C	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER JOHN L. MURPHY Capt., OMC 01585944 <i>John L. Murphy</i>	DATE 24 FEB 1949	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>James B. ...</i>	DATE FEB 24 1949

2. SHIPPED

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

PREPARED BY: ...
 RECORDS BRANCH
 9 8 54 AM '49
 CAPTAIN ...
 DIVISION

3. SHIPPED

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

4. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>UNKNOWN</i>	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

5. SHIPPED

FROM (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER REPUBLIC OF HAWAII HONOLOULU NATIONAL CEMETERY	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

6. SHIPPED

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

7. SHIPPED

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

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FILE UNDER NO. 293 Unk. India (X-76) (Kalaikunda)

I N D E X S H E E T
S Y N O P S I S .

23 May 1947.

LETTER.

FROM: OCM G.
TO: Organization Records Br., Records Admin Center, AGO,
St. Louis, Mo.

SUBJ: Identification of Unk. Deceased.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293 Unk. India (Misc.) (Kalaiuada).
X-48 thru X-81.

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FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Unknown India X- 76 (Balaikunda)

I N D E X S H E E T

SYNOPSIS

1st Ind.

8 May 1947

FROM: OQMG
TO: CO, Amer. QRS, India-Burma Zone, APO 465, c/o PM, New York

RE: Identification of Unknown Deceased


DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293 - Unknown India Misc (Balaikunda) (X-48 thru X-81)

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

DUE, HOUR AND DATE _____

1 No.	2 FROM-	3 TO-	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE												
	Final Deter Sec Id Br Mem Div	Ident Sec Ident Br	8 July 1948	<p>REF: N/R Case # 1746</p> <p>1. Reference is made to attached findings AGRS (India-Burma Area) dated 16 Feb 48 declaring the remains of the following decedents to be non-recoverable.</p> <table data-bbox="637 588 1367 723"> <tr> <td>BURLING, Phillip R.</td> <td>Capt.</td> <td>0-404088</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Carson, Robert S.</td> <td>1/Lt.</td> <td>0-794466</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Lautzenhiser, Melvin R.</td> <td>Pvt.</td> <td>14139534</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Schofield, Fred J.</td> <td>Cpl.</td> <td>33285630</td> </tr> </table> <p>2. Your attention is invited to the "Findings" paragraph "D" stating that remains were interred in Kalaikunda Cemetary as Unknowns X-76 and X-77.</p> <p>3. Action by this office to process Findings of non-recoverability for subject decedents will be suspended pending receipt of your advice as to the results of your investigation.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">  BARRY 73472 </p> <p>Incls. 6: Incls. 1/4 - 298 files for above Incls. 5/6 - AGO Info & Bd Findings</p>	BURLING, Phillip R.	Capt.	0-404088	Carson, Robert S.	1/Lt.	0-794466	Lautzenhiser, Melvin R.	Pvt.	14139534	Schofield, Fred J.	Cpl.	33285630
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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
INDIA-BURMA ZONE
APO 465

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Calcutta, India
13 January 1947

314.6 (13 Jan 47)


SUBJECT: Examination of human remains.

TO : The Commanding Officer,
American Graves Registration Service, India-Burma Zone,
APO 465.

1. The remains of grave No. 6 - K - 1030 of Unknown X-76 of U.S. Military Cemetery, Kalaikunda, India, were examined on 5th December 1946 and the following were identified:

Cranium without face.
Mandible
Right and left clavicle
Right and left scapula
Left 1st rib
20 Other ribs
Body of sternum
1st and 2nd Vertebrae
20 Other vertebrae
Right and left humerus
Right and left radius
Right and left ulna
Sacrum
Right and left Os innominatum
Right and left femur
Right and left tibia
Right and left fibula
Left talus

2. Dental identification chart was accomplished for the mandible.
3. There is no evidence of remains of more than one individual.


W. C. HILDERMAN,
Captain, M.C.
Surgeon.

AC Historical files reveal the following:

ATC Station #4

Stationed Jorhat and killed on 28 April 1944, Capt. Phillip R. Burling, O-404088, Plane Number C-87-597 with 4 men aboard crashed on that day.

AGO Casualty files reveal the following:

BURLING, PHILLIP R., Captain, O-404088(Pilot) KNB--28 Apr. 44
ATC Station #4

Lost in a flight on 28 April 1944 between Jorhat, India and Kunming, China flying in C-87 #43-30597. On a cargo mission.

Crew:

Co-Pilot	Carson, Robert S., 1st Lt., O-794466	KNB--28 Apr. 44
R.O.	Schofield, Fred J., Cpl., 33285630	"
Engr.	Lautzenhider, Melvin R., Pvt., 14139534	"

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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
(PACIFIC ZONE)
APO 958

In reply refer to:
RRREC 293

Jan 17 1949

SUBJECT: Resolution of Unidentified Remains

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

1. Inclosed herewith 42 QMC Forms 1044 for Kalaikunda and Barrackpore, stamped and signed in accordance with letter, DA OQIG, QMGRU 293 GES (Pacific Zone) Subject: Resolution of Cases of Unidentified Deceased dated 22 September 1948.

2. These Unknowns originated in the Myitkyina area and have been compared with OQIG Forms 371 for all unaccounted-for persons believed to have been killed in this area, with negative results. It is believed that some of these unknowns could be identified if more detailed dental charts were available, since many of these unknowns exhibit unusual dental conditions. However, from the data available to this Headquarters, no identification can be established.

3. Acknowledgment of receipt is requested.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

42 Incls

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Bone List X-48-Kalaikunda | Captain, MC
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21. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-105 Kalaikunda
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X-520-Barrackpore
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X-521-Barrackpore
32. QMC Form 1044-10442-1044b-Bone List-
X-524-Barrackpore
33. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-
X-526-Barrackpore
34. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-
X-530-Barrackpore
35. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-
X-531-Barrackpore
36. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-
X-533-Barrackpore
37. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-
X-535-Barrackpore
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REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF OFFICERS

Post, Station, or Organization: AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, INDIA-BURMA ZONE, AFO 465.

Place : CALCUTTA, INDIA.

PROCEEDINGS of a board of Officers which convened at Calcutta, India, pursuant to Par.1, Special Order No.15, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, India-Burma Zone, AFO 465, dated 27 January 1948, an extract copy of which is attached as Exhibit "A".

The Board met pursuant to the foregoing order at 0900 hours on 16 February 1948.

MEMBERS PRESENT.

Captain	WELDON O. HUTSON	0-1597140	AGD	President
1st Lt.	RICHARD A. WARRLEN	0-1556969	ORD	Member
1st Lt.	BRUCE R. KNOWLTON	0-439391	FA	Recorder

PURPOSE:

(a) To review and determine if further search is warranted in the case of certain missing and deceased personnel for which little or no likelihood of the success of such searching appears, and to submit a report of findings to the Commanding Officer for his approval.

(b) If approved, these cases will be removed from the Agenda of the Plan for Search and Recovery Operations and no attempt will be made to further investigate these cases unless additional information is forthcoming or orders are received from the OQMG to the contrary.

The following case was brought before the Board:

Personnel aboard a C-87 type aircraft, AAF Serial Number 43-30597, which was reported missing in flight on 28 April, 1944 enroute from Jorhat, India to Kunming, China with a cargo of meteorological equipment and ammunition. According to the available records in this headquarters the following personnel were aboard the ill-fated aircraft at the time of take-off:

BURLING, Phillip R.	Captain	0-404088
CARSON, Robert S.	1st Lt.	0-794466
LAUTZENHISER, Melvin R.	Pvt.	14139534
SCHOFIELD, Fred J.	Cpl.	33285630

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(Report of Proceedings of Board of Officers on Personnel aboard a C-87 type aircraft, AAF Serial Number 43-30597, Continued.)

FINDINGS

The Board having carefully considered the evidence presented finds that:

(a) The above listed personnel met death on 28 April 1944 while flying as crew members aboard C-87 type aircraft, AAF Serial Number 43-30597, which crashed at approximately 26° 47' N - 96° 50' E. Personnel from RA-42, and air net warning station approximately four (4) miles North of the crash attempted to reach the scene but were unsuccessful in locating the crash due to density of the jungle. (Exhibit "B")

(b) Flares and smoke from the crash site were reported by the air warning station and two (2) emergency packs were dropped at the scene. (Exhibit "C") When the crash scene was reached later by the Air Warning Station ground party the above mentioned chutes lead to the belief that two of the crew of this plane had parachuted. (Exhibit "C")

(c) According to correspondence, (Exhibit "D") in the crash file on this aircraft, "the crew members of our plane C-87 #43-30597 were buried at the scene of the crash."

(d) The scene of this crash was visited during January 1946 by a Search and Recovery Team from the 24th Ordnance Company. Two remains were later interred in the U.S. Military Cemetery at Kalai-kunda as Unknowns X-76 and X-77.

(e) An AGRS-IBZ Search and Recovery Team composed of the Operations Officer and one Enlisted man attempted to reach the scene of this crash during March 1947 but were unsuccessful. (Exhibit "F")

It is the opinion of this Board that any further attempts for the recovery of their remains would prove unsuccessful for the following reason:

Considering all of the above information and that contained in the exhibits, it is the opinion of this Board that further remains can never be located or recovered, and that the records of all four (4) crew members should be marked non-recoverable until such time as the two unknown remains referred to above may be identified as some of the subject decedents.

RECOMMENDATIONS

In view of the findings the Board recommends that no further attempts towards recovery of subject decedents be made and that these remains be declared non-recoverable in accordance with provisions of Letter, The Adjutant General's Office, File AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47) D-M subject "Establishment of Boards of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead Overseas", dated 9 April 1947.

(Report of Proceedings of Board of Officers on Personnel aboard
a C-87 type aircraft, AAF Serial Number 43-30597, Continued.)

The Board adjourned at 1630 hours on 16 February 1948.

MEMBER:

Richard A. Warren

RICHARD A. WARREN
1st Lt. ORD

PRESIDENT:

W. O. Hutson

W. O. HUTSON
Captain. AGD

RECORDER:

Bruce R. Knowlton

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1st Lt. FA

ACTION BY COMMANDING AUTHORITY

APPROVED:

Stanford Blunden

E. F. STANFORD-BLUNDEN
Lt. Colonel. QMC
Commanding.

EXTRACT
HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
INDIA-PURMA ZONE
APO 405
c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Calcutta, India.
27 January 1948.

SPECIAL ORDER)

NUMBER 15)

E X T R A C T

1: Under the Prov of AR 420-5 dated 20 May 40, the fol named O, this Hq, are aptd as members of a bd to meet at the call of the President thereof, for the purpose as indicated below:

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BY ORDER OF LT. COLONEL E. F. STANFORD-BLUNDEN:

W. O. HUTSON,
Capt. AGD,
Adjutant.

OFFICIAL:

W. O. Hutson
W. O. HUTSON
Capt. AGD
Adjutant.

EXHIBIT 'A'

MSG NR

URGENT RESTRICTED FILED MAY 02/ 1040


TO : COMMANDING OFFICER, A T C, STATION SIX
FROM : 679TH NCS KANJIKOAH

RESCUE PARTY FROM ROGER ABLE FOUR TWO UNABLE TO REACH CRASHED PLANE
BECAUSE OF DENSE JUNGLE PRD IF YOU CAN FURNISH PYROTECHNIC PISTOL
AND FLARES WE WILL PROVIDE RECON RADIO AND RATIONS FOR FURTHER
SEARCH PAREN ABLE DASH TWO ATC STATION TWO FROM HAURY FIVE THREE
ONE TWO SIGNAL A W NB PAREN STATION REPORTS FLARES AND SMOKE FROM
SITE OF CRASH NEED IMMEDIATE ANSWER

R NR 5 VIA STATION TWO MAY 2/ 0436Z RTB AR K

COPY TO COLONEL BAKER
MAJOR HEDRICK

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY



BRUCE R. KNOWLTON
1st Lt. : FA

EXHIBIT "B"
C-87, #43-30527

SEARCH AND RESCUE

C-87 #43-30597
28 April 1944

HOME STATION: Jorhat

Missing in Flight From Jorhat to Kunming

Departure Time: 0055 IST

CREW: Pilot, Phillip R. Burling	ASN	0-404088
CoPilot: 1st Lt. R. S. Carson		0-794466
R/O : Cpl Fred J. Schofield		33285630
C/O : Pvt. M. R. Lautzenhiser		14139534

Pass, None

Radio Contact:

April 28, 0200 Reported bailing out at 19000 ft. Cleared TE at 0125. 40 minutes enroute from TR.

Remarks: April 28, Wind aloft was 20 mph at 250° to 270°
Weather at 1st ridge at 15000 5/10s. Cover bases at 9000, instrument flying. Temp. 1° light rime ice, good radio, light Turb.

April 28, 0830, 436, Capt. Rankin-Lt. Foley on special search mission found burning wreckage of a plane. Parachute was hanging in the top of a tree 50 ft. from wreckage. No sigh of life. Do not have positive identification, that this is 597, but from position reports and last Radio contacts there is very strong possibility that this is 597. Last position report is 96° 50', 26° 47'.

May 2, Message from 679th NCS Kanjikoah: Rescue party from Roger Abel Four Two Unable to reach crashed plane because of dense jungle. If you can furnish Pyrotechnic pistol and flares we will provide Recon, Radio and Rations for further search. Paren Able Dash Two ATC station Two FROM HAURY FIVE THREE ONE TWO SIGNAL AW NB PAREN STATION REPORTS FLARES AND SMOKE FROM SITE OF CRASH NEED IMMEDIATE ANSWER.

May 15, Message from ground party, Meteorological equipment and ammunition on board. 3 dead probably four. Think 2 bailed out. One Capt. dead. Pistol 45 cal. #952016 found. Mike Fox George Eng. #81320. Able fox, #or Baker Uncle, No. AC 42-65413 prop Ser. No. Pd 7322 DWG No. 6477A-0
Gun and Engine, Correspond with Engine no 3 on 597 and crew members gun.

EXHIBIT 224
C-87 #43-30597

S E C R E T

HEADQUARTERS
STATION SIX, ICWATC
OFFICE OF THE AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS OFFICER

A.P.O. #629
18 May, 1944

SUBJECT: Comprehensive Report on C-87 #43-30597

TO : Commanding General, India China Wing, Air Transport
Command, APO 192.

1. C-87 #43-30597 departed Jorhat at 0055 IST, April 28, 1944. At 0200 they radioed they were bailing out at 19,000 ft. Rescue Unit received this information at 0615 and at 0830 had located the still burning wreckage of a plane at 26°47'N and 96°50'E. Parachute was lying horizontally across the top of a tree fifty (50) feet away. From its position, it is believed the chute had not been used, but possibly had been blown from the ship when it crashed. Smells arising from the wreckage indicated at least one of the crew members was in the crash. Although there was no sign of life, two emergency packs were dropped at the scene.

2. RA-42, an air net warning party stationed four (4) miles Northeast of the crash, was contacted; they agreed to investigate. On May 15, the following message was received from them: "C-46 or C-47. Meteorological equipment and ammunition on board. Three (3) dead. Probably four. Think two (2) bailed out. One (1) dead a Captain. Pistol .45 caliber found #952016. MFG engine #81320. AF or BU number AC-42-65413. Prop serial number FD #7322 DWG number #6477A-0".

3. Further check revealed that Capt. Burling, Pilot of #597 had been issued .45 #952016. Number three (3) engine of #597 corresponds with numbers listed in message, according to Jorhat engineering. Manifest of #597 listed cargo as "Aerology & Ammunition."

4. Reason for RA-42's believing this ship was a twin-engine is due to the fact that they found only one engine at wreckage, as panel indicated May 17, "We found one (1) motor at plane." It is the belief of this officer that the other three (3) engines were melted in the fire. Reason for RA-42's thinking that two (2) bailed out is probably due to their finding the emergency chutes the Rescue Unit dropped.

5. The above information, coupled with the fact that no other ships were listed as missing that date, is conclusive evidence that the ship in question is C-87 #597, and that at least three (3) and probably all four (4) of the crew are dead. Listed hereon is the crew: Pilot; F.R. Burling, Capt., O-404088; Co-Pilot R.S. Carson, 1st Lt., O-794466; R/O F.J. Schofield, Cpl., 33285830; C/C M.R. Lautzenhiser, Pvt., 14133053.

EXHIBIT "C"
C-87, #43-30597
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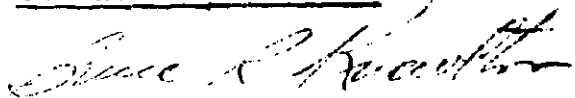
(Exhibit "C" on C-87, #43-30597, Continued.)

Comprehensive Report on C-87 #43-30597, Hq. Station #6, APO 629,
18 May, 44.

For the Commanding Officer:

/s/ John A. Leith
/t/ JOHN A. LEITH
Capt., Air Corps
Aircraft Operations O

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BRUCE R. KNOWLTON
1st Lt. FA

EXHIBIT "C"
C-87, #43-30597
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HEADQUARTERS
1330TH AAF BASE UNIT
AIR TRANSPORT COMMAND

B6/TD/afs

A.P.O. 466, N.Y.
26 December 1944

SUBJECT: Burial Locations.

TO : Intelligence Officer, 1333rd AAF BASE UNIT, APO 629.

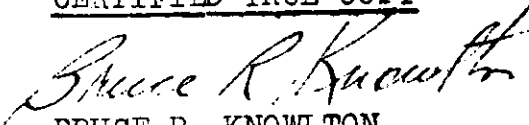
1. According to a wire received from Chabua dated 7 June 1944 the crew members of our plane C-87 #43-30597 were buried at the scene of the crash. This plane was first reported missing in flight on 28 April 1944 between Jorhat and Kunming.

2. If the bodies were buried by military personnel of the rescue squad it is requested that Grave Registration Forms #1 be filled out in accordance with AR 30-1815 dated 15 April 1943 and further request that an additional copy be forwarded to this headquarters; If burial was performed by natives request that a map location, if available, be forwarded to this headquarters plus any other information that would assist in locating these graves.

For the Commanding Officer:

/s/ Ornell C. Morris
/t/ ORNALL C. MORRIS;
Major, Air Corps,
Director of Personnel
and Administration.

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EXHIBIT "D"
C-87, #43-30597

STATEMENT "A"

PLANE: C-87 #43-30597

LOCATION: 26° 52' N - 96° 48' E, on side of Pumsin Bum.

PERSONNEL ABOARD:

Capt.	Phillip B. Burling.	0-404088
1st Lt.	R. S. Carson.	0794466
Cpl.	Fred J. Schofield.	33285630
Pvt.	M. R. Lautzenhiser.	14139534

SUMMARY OF MISSION:

A Search and Recovery party consisting of Sgt. Glenn Cox (team leader) T/5 Merrill E. Mobley, and Pfc. Steven H. Landon set out on foot in search of this plane on 10 January 1946. A guide and porters were furnished through the British Civil Affairs Officer. The party reached the plane on 17 January 1946. The plane had evidently blown up and the wreckage was strewn in a radius of 75 yards from the plane. The plane was identified only as a four engine type. Sets of remains were found near the cockpit, 10 feet apart. With one set (tagged "Group A") was found several teeth with fillings, and a .45 cal. pistol bullet. (Information sheet provided by Graves Registration stated existence of pilot's .45 pistol in the wreckage) In the other set (tagged "Group B"), was a piece of wire mounted in a piece of bone or tooth and an Elgin wrist watch, Type A-2, Spec. No. 94-27834, Serial No. AF 43-28354, MFR'S part No. 1783, Ordnance No. W535AC-34898. No positive identification of the bodies was made. The party returned to Shingbwyang on 22 January 1946.

NUMBER OF BODIES IDENTIFIED: None

NUMBER OF BODIES NOT IDENTIFIED: Two (2)

NUMBER OF BODIES NOT RECOVERED: Two (2)

EXHIBIT "E"
C-87, #43-30597

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1st Lt. FA

E X T R A C T

REPORT NO. 6 OF TEAM NO.

Major McCullar
Sgt. Kantor

REPORT NO. 1

PLANE NO. 597

CONCERNING
CASE NUMBER 113

PLANE TYPE C-37

LOCATION: 26° 47' 56" 50"

DISPOSITION OF CASE:

On investigation of this case we got as far as the old AACCS post top of SUMMUNG BUM. NB 113 is still a good two days journey along a very faint trail from this point. Due to lack of cooperation of native laborers, and also running short of rations for the same reason, this party was forced to cease investigation of NB-113 and could not proceed any further than the AACCS station at SUMMUNG BUM, and turned back to NDUP TUMSA. While at SUMMUNG BUM, Marip La led us to the trail that goes to NB-113. It takes off along a narrow ridge reaching south west from the AACCS post, then according to our headman, makes a large swing first to the north, then around west, then south east, placing the scene of the crash south west of the AACCS post. Between 100 and 150 yards from the OP, we cut a circle around a large tree; 18 inches on the right (north) side of the trail, and directly opposite this tree on the other side of the trail we blazed a smaller tree 9 inches. This may aid some future AGRS Search & Recovery team.

This case was investigated a year ago by India-Burma Theater Graves Registration Service Search & Recovery team, in view of this previous investigation and also reports received by this team from natives of this area, that remains were recovered from this wreck by the previous investigating party, and also the fact that another monsoon season will have passed before efforts to make investigation could be again undertaken, and trails and the wreck will be obliterated by dense jungle growth, this team is closing this case for further Search and Recovery investigation.

/s/ F. M. McCullar
/t/ F. M. McCULLAR
Major, Inf.
Chief of Operations.

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Bruce R. Knowlton
BRUCE R. KNOWLTON
1st Lt. FA

EXHIBIT
C-37, #13-20597

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN X-76 Kalaikunda, India				2. DATE OF REPORT 26 April 1948		
3. NAME OF CEMETERY US Army Mausoleum #2 Formerly of Kalaikunda, India		4. PLOT 6	5. ROW Box K	6. GRAVE 1255 103D	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT 26 Apr 48	REINTERMENT 26 Apr 48

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION Age: 23 - 25 years.

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT 165-175	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT 5' 10 3/4"	10. COLOR OF HAIR U.T.D.	11. RACE Probably white
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12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS

One (1) duplicate I.D. tag: "Unk-X-76."

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

UNIDENTIFIABLE
BY REASON OF LACK OF SUFFICIENT IDENTIFYING DATA

None

F. H. WATERS
Capt. Sp. S. 0-240088 *F.H. Waters* 11 Jan. 1949

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	TO WHAT EXTENT? Skull and sacrum fractured.
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16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS

Possible healed fracture of #2 metacarpal right hand.
Numerous wormian bones at lambda.

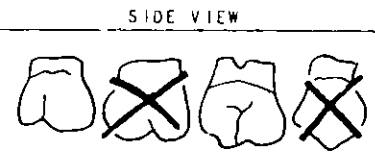
17. LIST EVERY ITEM OF CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND, SHOWING THE TYPE, COLOR, SIZE, MARKINGS, SERVICE, ETC. (If laundry marks are indistinct such notation should be made and specimen forwarded through channels for examination when facilities are not available in the area)

None

Incl 16

MISSING TEETH: ALL TEETH MISSING THROUGH EX-TRACTION (NOT THOSE FRACTURED OR DISPLACED BY RECENT WOUNDS) SHOULD BE "X" D OUT AND LABELED THUS:

X-76



CROWNED TEETH: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD, PORCELAIN, SILVER OR GOLD AND PORCE-LAIN), THUS:

KALAIKUNDA, INDIA



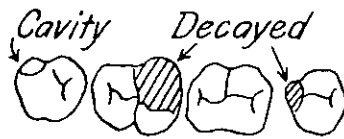
BRIDGE WORK: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD BRIDGE, GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE), THUS:



FILLINGS: DRAW FILLING ON TOOTH AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE (BLOCK IN AND LABEL GOLD, SILVER, CEMENT), THUS:



CARIES (Cavities): OUTLINE LOCATION AND SIZE OF CAVITY, SHADE IN THUS:



RIGHT								LEFT							
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
MAXILLA AND TEETH MISSING															
Side Views															
Top Views															
Side Views															
LOWER															
16	H DRIFT OLD →										DRIFT ←		H DRIFT O		H O
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16


DENTURES (Plates): DRAW DIAGRAM OF RELATIVE SIZE AND SHAPE OF PLATE, BLOCK IN TEETH ATTACHED AND INDICATE RETAIN-ING CLASPS ON NATURAL TEETH WITH THE WORD, "CLASP."

1. L-13 is in a slight torsion version.

**CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY & NAUSOLEUM
BONE LIST**

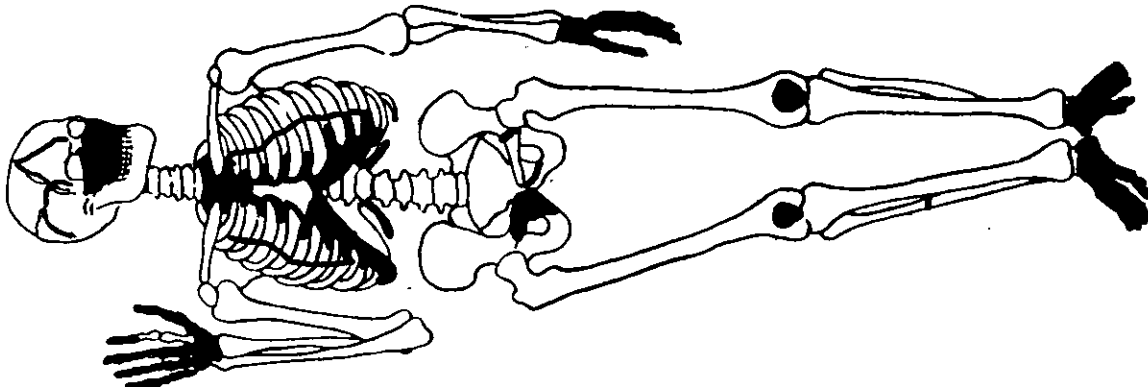
NAME	SIDE	NO	BONE LENGTHS IN CM	REMARKS (IF MISSING OR FRACTURED, LIST PARTS AND LOCATION)
SKULL		1	54.5	Maxillae & malar bones missing
VERTEBRAE	CERVICAL	7		
	THORACIC	12		
	LUMBAR	5		
SACRUM		1		
INNOMINATES	RIGHT	1	BI-ILIAC DIAM 25.7	Pubis arch missing
	LEFT	1		" " fractured
RIBS		22		Fractured, 2 missing
STERNUM		1		Manubrium missing
CLAVICLES	RIGHT	1	(15.0)	
	LEFT	1	(15.0)	
SCAPULAE	RIGHT	1		
	LEFT	1		
HUMERI	RIGHT	1	34.3	
	LEFT	1	34.3	
RADII	RIGHT	1	26.5	
	LEFT	1	26.0	
ULNAE	RIGHT	1	28.0	
	LEFT	1	27.6	
HANDS	RIGHT	1		#2 metacarpal present
	LEFT	0		Missing
FEMORA	RIGHT	1	47.4	
	LEFT	1	47.0	
PATELLAE	RIGHT	0		Missing
	LEFT	0		"
TIBIAE	RIGHT	1	40.3	
	LEFT	1	40.3	
FIBULAE	RIGHT	1	40.7	
	LEFT	1	40.5	
FEET	RIGHT	1		Talus present
	LEFT	0		Missing

HUMERO-CLAVICULAR RATIO	43.7		APPROXIMATE	
ESTIMATED HEIGHT	5' 10 3/4"	AGE	23-25	YEARS
ESTIMATED WEIGHT	165 - 175		LEG-HIP BR RATIO	54.8


PAUL L. CRAVENOR
 LAB SUPERVISOR
 ANTHROPOLOGIST

ENCLOSURE TO: Unknown X-76
Kalaikunda, India

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

PAUL L GRAVENOR, SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER LAB SUPERVISOR

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Picture a tall, well muscled young man in his early twenties. The skull was large in size and long-oval in shape, with prominent parietal bosses. The vault is average in height and has a slight backhead protrusion. The forehead is relatively average and fairly wide. The face appears to have been wide, short and rectangular in shape. The jaw angle is short and the lower border of the face was long. The chin is wide with outstanding gonial flare and the chin is very prominent, and presents a protruding bilateral eminence. Due to the absence of the maxilla and malar bones, this precludes further comment.

Fluoroscopic examination unnecessary.

Teeth charted.

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

O W GREENWOOD, CAPT, OMC
**CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY
 AND MAUSOLEUM, APO 957**

SIGNATURE

O W Greenwood

IDENTIFICATION DENTAL CHART

TO BE USED WITH QMC FORMS NOS. 1042 & 1044 IN PLACE OF CHART THEREON,
AND TO BE ATTACHED TO AND FORWARDED WITH THESE FORMS WHEN ACCOMPLISHED.

13 January 47
DATE

UNKNOWN X-76







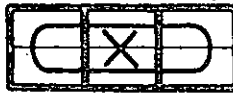








LAST NAME	FIRST	INITIAL	RANK	SERIAL NO.
UNIT		ORGANIZATION		
Myitkyina, Burma.	Kalaikunda, India	6	K	1030
PLACE OF DEATH	PLACE OF BURIAL	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE NO.

RIGHT								UPPER TEETH		LEFT							
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
TYPE														TYPE			
LOCATION														LOCATION			

INSIDE — LOOKING OUT

RIGHT								LOWER TEETH		LEFT							
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
TYPE	U		A	P									A	A	U		
LOCATION		mmk											o	o			

KEY OF SYMBOLS TO BE USED ON ABOVE CHART

SYMBOLS IN WHOLE BOX	TYPE OF FILLING IN UPPER HALF OF BOX	LOCATION OF FILLING IN LOWER HALF OF BOX
 EXTRACTED	 AMALGAM (SILVER)	 MESIAL (BETWEEN-TOWARD FRONT)
 CAVITY. INDICATE LOCATION	 GOLD	 OCCLUSAL (BITING SURFACE BACK TEETH)
 FIXED BRIDGE (INCL. ABUTMENTS)	 SILICATE OR PORCELAIN	 DISTAL (BETWEEN-TOWARD BACK)
 TEETH REPLACED BY DENTURE	 OXYPHOSPHATE (CEMENT)	 LINGUAL (TOWARD TONGUE)
 POSTHUMOUSLY MISSING (LOST AFTER DEATH)	 <i>unrupted</i>	 FACIAL (TOWARD CHEEK)

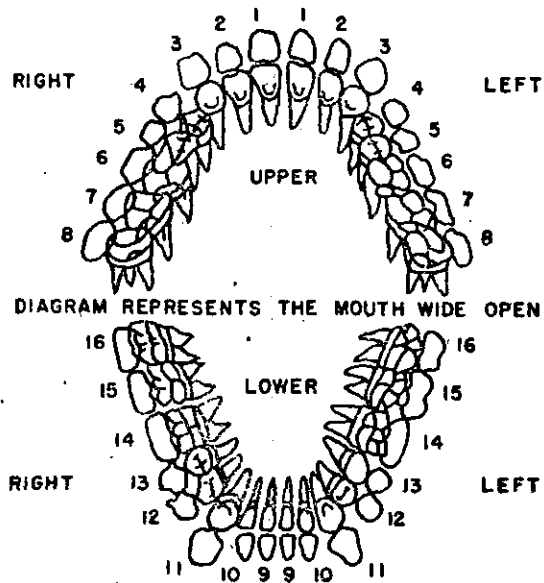
INSTRUCTIONS:

1. ACCURACY AND ATTENTION TO DETAIL IN THE PREPARATION OF THIS CHART ARE OF PARAMOUNT IMPORTANCE, IF SAME IS TO BE OF MAXIMUM VALUE.

2. NOTE CAREFULLY THAT: SYMBOLS INDICATING MISSING TEETH, CAVITIES AND BRIDGE-WORK ARE TO BE INSERTED IN WHOLE BOX; SYMBOLS INDICATING TYPE OF FILLING ARE TO BE INSERTED IN UPPER HALF OF BOX; AND SYMBOLS INDICATING LOCATION OF FILLING ARE TO BE INSERTED IN LOWER HALF OF BOX.

3. ANY ABNORMALITIES SUCH AS MALPOSED, MALFORMED OR DISCOLORED TEETH, ETC. SHOULD BE NOTED. DENTAL WORK NOT COVERED ABOVE WILL BE INDICATED, e.g., PORCELAIN CROWNS, GOLD CROWNS (FULL OR 3/4), 3/4 GOLD CROWN WITH SILICATE WINDOW.

4. FOR INFORMATION OF STANDARD NUMBERING OF TEETH, SEE DIAGRAM BELOW.



REMARKS:

W.C. Hilderman
SIGNATURE OF PERSON WHO PREPARED CHART
W.C. HILDERMAN, Capt. MC

NAME AND RANK TYPED OR PRINTED
Kalaikunda, India

PLACE OR HQ. WHERE THIS FORM ACCOMPLISHED

Harry L. Bowen
VERIFIED BY GRS OFFICER
HARRY L. BOWEN, Capt. AGD

NAME AND RANK TYPED OR PRINTED
13 Jan 47

DATE

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*Recd 17 Jan 45
X-31
Burma*

Graves Registration
Form No. 1
(Revised May 11, 1943)

REPORT OF INTERMENT
(TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815)

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Unknown X-31
 (Last name) (First) (Initial) (Serial number) (Rank) (Organization)

Myitkyina, Burma **KIA**
 (Place of death) (Date of death) (Cause of death)

Reinterred 18 Nov 44 **U.S. Military Cemetery** **Myitkyina, Burma**
 (Time and date of burial) (Name of cemetery) (Name or coordinates of location)

270 **E** **I** **Wooden Cross**
 (Grave number) (Row number) (Plot number) (Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)

Disposition of identification tags: Buried with body Yes No Attached to mark Yes No

(If no identification tags, what means of identification are buried with the body?)

(If no identification tags, but identity definitely established, give particulars)

Body buried on **RIGHT Donald J. Hogan** **O-1697934** **1st Lt.** **475th Inf Bn** **269-E**
 (Name) (Serial number) (Rank) (Organization) (Grave number)

Body buried on **LEFT Pathway**
 (Name) (Serial number) (Rank) (Organization) (Grave number)

(Name and address of **EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE**)

(Name and address of **LEGAL NEXT OF KIN**)

List only personal effects **FOUND ON BODY** and disposition of same:

*270 #2
X-31 Burma*

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IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

TAKE FINGERPRINTS OF BOTH HANDS (W.D. Cir. No. 79 ; 3/19/43). If unable to obtain a complete set of fingerprints, **TAKE THOSE YOU CAN**, and fill in as many of the following as you are able :

Height :	Apparent nationality :
Weight :	- Laundry marks :
Color of eyes :	Number of rifle :
Color of hair :	Wear glasses ?
Race :	Is tooth chart attached ?

(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart)

In space below, locate and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc. :

Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc. :

IF THIS IS AN ISOLATED BURIAL, ATTACH A SKETCH OF THE LOCATION, ORIENTED WITH PERMANENT LANDMARKS.

John D. Cobbe
.....
(Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)

JOHN D. COBBE

(Verified by *John L. McGee* Gr. Regis. Officer)

Gr. Regis. Officer.

LEFT HAND

RIGHT HAND

4
3
2
1
THUMB

3
2
1
THUMB

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(Supersedes GRS Form 1)

REPORT OF INTERMENT
(AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)

DATE OF REPORT
14 Jan 1946

Imprint Identification Tag, if Possible.
DO NOT TYPE

Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.

NAME (Last, first, middle initial) (Formerly Unknown X-31 of Myitkyina)		SERIAL No.
UNKNOWN X-76		
GRADE	ORGANIZATION	BRANCH OF SERVICE
RACE	RELIGION	IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD, GIVE NAME OF COUNTRY

PLACE OF DEATH Myitkyina, Burma	CAUSE OF DEATH	DATE OF DEATH
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EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address)
Not stated

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY (1, 2, or none) None	IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse)
WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?(Yes or no) Yes (X-76)	

LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME

MEMORIAL DIVISION
FEB 27 3 24 PM '47
RECORDS SECTION AND BRANCH

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

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY
U. S. Military Cemetery, Kelaikunda, India.

DATE OF BURIAL 13 Jan 1946	HOUR 1600	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other) Blanket	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER Cross	PLOT No. 6	ROW No. K	GRAVE No. 1030
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WAS THIS A REBURIAL? (Yes or no) Yes	IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE U.S. Military Cemetery, Myitkyina, Burma	PLOT No. 1	ROW No. E	GRAVE No. 270
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TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY	PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES	IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODY None
IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or no) No	IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no) Yes	

BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) Bielski, Steve V.	RANK Cpl.	SERIAL No. 20822717	ORGANIZATION 124 Cav	GRAVE No. 1031
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BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) Michel, Edgar W.	RANK T/5	SERIAL No. 39548916	ORGANIZATION 209 Engr	GRAVE No. 1029
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SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT T/4 Q. E. Barber	SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT Bill D. Reeve, 1st Lt., Sig C.
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DISTRIBUTION OF REPORT: Signed original for U. S. and allied dead, signed original and one copy for enemy dead, to the Quartermaster General through Headquarters GRS Officer. Copies for retention in theater as prescribed by theater commander.

by/ds Incl # 6

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Section 3.—UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS.

INSTRUCTIONS:


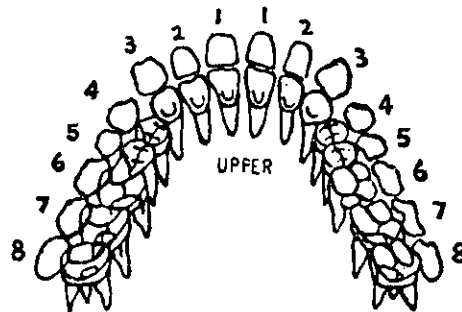




(a) Great care will be taken to record the most minute clues for the future identity of unidentified remains. Fill in anatomical characteristics below, and any other clues under "Other," such as shoe size, social security number; position of body found in airplanes, vehicles, and tanks; and serial numbers 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 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 diagram below. Tooth chart will not be accomplished if one or more fingerprints are secured.

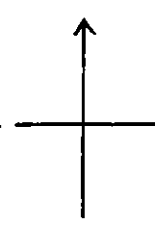
HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR OF EYES	COLOR OF HAIR	BIRTHMARKS, SCARS, OR TATTOOS

WEAPON AND SERIAL No.	LAUNDRY MARKS	WHERE BODY WAS BURIED OR FOUND

OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES

<p>FILLINGS</p>  <p>SILVER FILLING, GOLD FILLING</p>	 <p>UPPER</p> <p>DIAGRAM REPRESENTS THE MOUTH WIDE OPEN</p> <p>LOWER</p>
<p>CAVITIES</p>  <p>CAVITY DECAYED</p>	
<p>MISSING TEETH</p>  <p>TOOTH MISSING</p>	
<p>CROWNED TEETH</p>  <p>PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN</p>	
<p>BRIDGE WORK</p>  <p>GOLD BRIDGE</p>	

FURNISH SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE AND COORDINATES FOR BURIAL IN OTHER THAN ESTABLISHED CEMETERY



REMARKS:

LEFT
LITTLE FINGER

LEFT
RING FINGER

LEFT
MIDDLE FINGER

LEFT
INDEX FINGER

LEFT
THUMB

RIGHT
THUMB

RIGHT
INDEX FINGER

RIGHT
MIDDLE FINGER

RIGHT
RING FINGER

RIGHT
LITTLE FINGER

IDENTIFICATION SECTION
CORPORATION RECORDS BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION

CATEGORY III CASE

NO CLUES

IDENTIFICATION IMPOSSIBLE
AT PRESENT TIME

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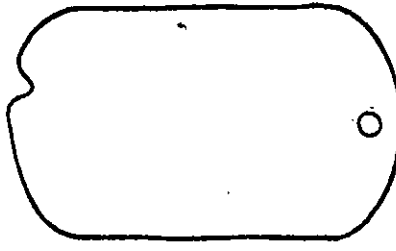
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REPORT OF INTERMENT
(AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)

Date of report
14 Jan 1946

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Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.

Name (Last, first, middle initial) **UNKNOWN X-76 (Formerly Unknown X-31 of Myitkyina)** Serial No. _____
 Grade _____ Organization _____ Branch of Service _____
 Race _____ Religion _____ If other than U.S. dead, give name of country _____

Place of death **Myitkyina, Burma** Cause of death **Not stated** Date of death **Not stated**

Emergency addressee (Name, relationship, and address)

Not stated

Identification tags found on body (1, 2, or none) **None** If no tags found on body, describe means of identification (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse) _____
 Were substitute tags provided? (Yes or no) **Yes (X-76)**

List personal effects found on body and disposition of same

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

Name, number, coordinates, and location of cemetery
U. S. Military Cemetery, Kalaikunda, India

Date of burial 13 Jan 1946	Hour 1600	Buried in (Shroud, blanket, or name of other) Blanket	Type of grave marker Cross	Plot No. 6	Row No. K	Grave No. 1030
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Was this a reburial? (Yes or no) Yes	If a reburial, indicate name, number, coordinates of previous cemetery, and location of grave. U. S. Mil. Cem., Myitkyina, Burma	Plot No. 1	Row No. E	Grave No. 270
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Type of religious ceremony	Person conducting burial rites	If identification tags not used, describe identification data and containers buried with body None
Identification tag buried with body (Yes or no) No	Identification tag attached to marker (Yes or no) Yes	

Body buried on deceased left, name (Last, first, middle initial) Bielski, Steve V.	Rank Cpl	Serial No. 20822717	Organization 124 Cav	Grave No. 1031
Body buried on deceased right, name (Last, first, middle initial) Michel, Edgar W.	Rank T/5	Serial No. 209AK 39548916	Organization 209 Engr	Grave No. 1029

Signature of person preparing report **T/4 Q. E. Barber** *Barber* Signature of GRS Officer verifying report **Bill D. Reeve, 1st Lt., Sig C.** *Bill D. Reeve*

DISTRIBUTION OF REPORT: Signed original for U. S. and allied dead, signed original and one copy for enemy dead, to the Quartermaster General through Headquarters GRS Officer. Copies for retention in theater as prescribed by theater commander.

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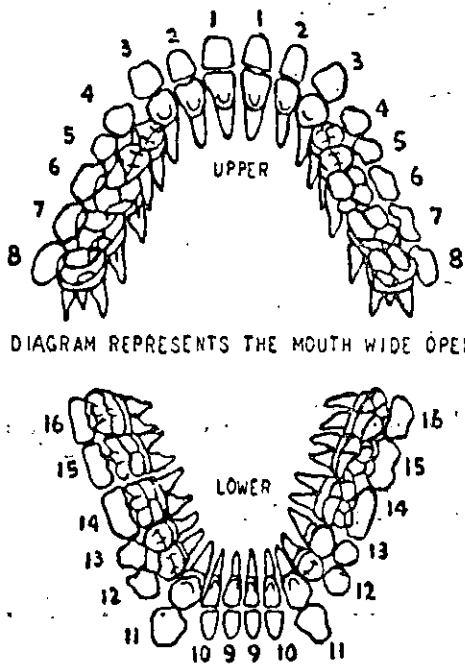




Section 3.—UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS.

INSTRUCTIONS:

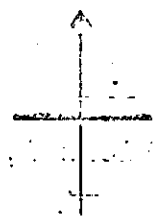
(a) Great care will be taken to record the most minute clues for the future identity of unidentified remains. Fill in anatomical characteristics below, and any other clues under "Other," such as shoe size, social security number, position of body found in airplanes, vehicles, and tanks; and serial numbers 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 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 diagram below. Tooth chart will not be accomplished if one or more fingerprints are secured.

Left Little Finger	Height	Weight	Color of eyes	Color of hair	Birthmarks, scars, or tattoos
Left Ring Finger	Weapon and serial no.		Laundry marks		Where body was buried or found
Left Middle Finger	Other identification clues				
Left Index Finger					

FILLINGS  SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING	 <p>DIAGRAM REPRESENTS THE MOUTH WIDE OPEN</p>
CAVITIES  CAVITY DECAYED	
MISSING TEETH  TOOTH MISSING	
CROWNED TEETH  PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN	
BRIDGE WORK  GOLD BRIDGE	
(Empty space for notes)	

FURNISH SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE AND COORDINATES FOR BURIAL IN OTHER THAN ESTABLISHED CEMETERY



REMARKS: