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FOIA

EXPEDITE

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT
INQUIRY

THIS COVER SHEET WILL REMAIN ATTACHED TO
INQUIRY UNTIL COMPLETED ACTION IS -
PROCESSED

Suspense: 13 Mar 03

Date: 13 Feb 03

TAPC-PAO (25-55a)

MEMORANDUM FOR TAPC-PED-F

SUBJECT: FOIA Request/ Eckard Log # 2-79

1. Attached is a FOIA request for the IDPF information as indicated in enclosure 1.
2. Please complete attached DD Form 2086, Record of Freedom of Information (FOI) Processing Cost Sheet (encl 2), according to instructions on reverse of form, and return with your reply.
3. Request you provide documents/information upon which to base a reply to this office by suspense date indicated above.



THOMAS M. JONES
Freedom of Information
and Privacy Act Officer

2 Encls
as

22331-0482

TAPC-PER

Date 2/10/2003

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Freedom of Information Act Office

SUBJECT: Request for Information under the Freedom of Information Act

1. I request the Individual Deceased Personnel File pertaining to:

Soldiers Name PVT. ERNEST ECKARD
 Conflict WWII
 Service Number 33179797

2. Send information to the following address:

NAME RONALD ECKARD
 ADDRESS 808 BARNESWYCK DR.
 CITY FUQUAY VARIANA
 STATE NC
 ZIP 27526
 RELATIONSHIP NEPHEW

Name of requestor (Print) RONALD ECKARD

Signature of Requestor (Required) [Handwritten Signature]

Mail to:

The Total Army Personnel Command
 ATTN: TAPC-PAO (FOIA)
 2461 Eisenhower Avenue
 Alexandria, Virginia 22331-0482



I AM WILLING TO PAY THE FOIA FEE.

RECORD OF FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (FOI) PROCESSING COST

REPORT CONTROL SYMBOL

Please read instructions on back before completing form.

DD-PA(A)1365

1. REQUEST NUMBER		2. TYPE OF REQUEST (X one)		3. DATE COMPLETED (YYYYMMDD)		
		a. INITIAL	b. APPEAL			
4. CLERICAL HOURS (E-9/GS-8 and below)		TOTAL HOURS (1)	HOURLY RATE (2)	COST (3)		
a. SEARCH		1	X \$20.00	\$20.00		
b. REVIEW/EXCISING						
c. CORRESPONDENCE AND FORMS PREPARATION						
d. OTHER ACTIVITY						
5. PROFESSIONAL HOURS (O-1 - O-6/GS-9-GS-15)/CONTRACTOR		TOTAL HOURS (1)	HOURLY RATE (2)	COST (3)		
a. SEARCH		5	X \$44.00	\$22.00		
b. REVIEW/EXCISING						
c. COORDINATION/APPROVAL/DENIAL						
d. OTHER ACTIVITY						
6. EXECUTIVE HOURS (O-7 - GS-16/ES 1 and above)		TOTAL HOURS (1)	HOURLY RATE (2)	COST (3)		
a. SEARCH			X \$75.00			
b. REVIEW/EXCISING						
c. COORDINATION/APPROVAL/DENIAL						
7. COMPUTER SEARCH		TOTAL HOURS (1)	HOURLY RATE (2)	COST (3)		
a. MACHINE HOURS			X \$20.00 \$44.00			
b. PROGRAMMER/OPERATOR TIME						
(1) Clerical						
(2) Professional						
8. OFFICE COPY REPRODUCTION		NUMBER (1)	RATE (2)	COST (3)		
a. PAGES REPRODUCED		46	X .15	\$6.90		
9. MICROFICHE REPRODUCTION		NUMBER (1)	RATE (2)	COST (3)		
a. MICROFICHE REPRODUCED			X .25			
10. PRINTED RECORDS		TOTAL PAGES (1)	RATE (2)	COST (3)		
a. FORMS			X .02			
b. PUBLICATIONS						
c. REPORTS						
11. COMPUTER COPY		NUMBER (1)	ACTUAL COST (2)	COST (3)		
a. TAPE			X			
b. PRINTOUT						
12. AUDIOVISUAL MATERIALS		NUMBER (1)	ACTUAL COST (2)	COST (3)		
a. MATERIALS REPRODUCED			X			
13. FOR FOI OFFICE USE ONLY						
a. SEARCH FEES PAID		f. TOTAL COLLECTABLE COSTS				
b. REVIEW FEES PAID		g. TOTAL PROCESSING COSTS				
c. COPY FEES PAID		h. TOTAL CHARGED				
d. TOTAL PAID		i. FEES WAIVED/REDUCED (X one)		Yes	No	
e. DATE PAID (YYYYMMDD)		See Chapter 6, Fee Schedule, DoD 5-400.7-R, to determine appropriate assessment of fees.				

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING DD FORM 2086

This form is used to record costs associated with the processing of a Freedom of Information request.

1. **REQUEST NUMBER** - First two digits will express Calendar Year followed by dash (-) and Component's request number, i.e., 02-001.

2. **TYPE OF REQUEST** - Mark the appropriate block to indicate initial request or appeal of a denial.

3. **DATE COMPLETED** - Enter year, month and day, i.e., 20021001.

4. **CLERICAL HOURS** - For each applicable activity category, enter time expended to the nearest 15 minutes in the total hours column. The activity categories are:

Search - Time spent in locating from the files the requested information.

Review/Excising - Time spent in reviewing the document content and determining if the entire document must retain its classification or segments could be excised thereby permitting the remainder of the document to be declassified. In reviews for other than classification, FOI exemptions 2 through 9 should be considered.

Correspondence and Forms Preparation - Time spent in preparing the necessary correspondence and forms to answer the request.

Other Activity - Time spent in activity other than above, such as duplicating documents, hand carrying documents to other locations, restoring files, etc.

- Multiply the time in the total hours column of each category by the hourly rate and enter the cost figures for each category.

5. **PROFESSIONAL HOURS** - For each applicable activity category, enter time expended to the nearest 15 minutes in the total hours column. The activity categories are:

Search/Review/Excising, and Other Activity - See explanation above.

Coordination/Approval/Denial - Time spent coordinating the staff action with interested offices or agencies and obtaining the approval for the release or denial of the requested information.

- Multiply the time in the total hours column of each category by the hourly rate and enter the cost figures for each category.

6. **EXECUTIVE HOURS** - For each applicable activity category, enter the time expended to the nearest 15 minutes in the total hours column. The activity categories are:

Search/Review/Excising - See explanation above.

Coordination/Approval/Denial - See explanation above.

- Multiply the time in the total hours column of each category by the hourly rate and enter the cost figures for each category.

7. **COMPUTER SEARCH** - When the amount of government-owned (not leased) computer processing machine time required to complete a search is known, and accurate cost information for operation on an hourly basis is available, enter the time used and the hourly rate. Then, calculate the total cost which is fully chargeable to the requester.

- Programmer and operator costs are calculated using the same method as in Items 4 and 5. This cost is also fully chargeable to requesters as computer search time.

8. **OFFICE COPY REPRODUCTION** - Enter the number of pages reproduced.

- Multiply by the rate per copy and enter cost figures.

9. **MICROFICHE REPRODUCTION** - Enter the number of microfiche copies reproduced.

- Multiply by the rate per copy and enter cost figures.

10. **PRINTED RECORDS** - Enter total pages in each category. The categories are:

Forms (Include any type of printed forms)

Publications (Include any type of bound document, such as directives, regulations, studies, etc.)

Reports (Include any type of memorandum, staff action paper, etc.)

- Multiply the total number of pages in each category by the rate per page and enter cost figures.

11. **COMPUTER COPY** - Enter the total number of tapes and/or printouts.

- Multiply by the actual cost per tape or printout and enter cost figures.

12. **AUDIOVISUAL MATERIALS** - Duplication cost is the actual cost of reproducing the material, including the wages of the person doing the work.

13. **FOR FOI OFFICE USE ONLY** -

Search Fees Paid - Enter total search fees paid by the requester.

Review Fees Paid - Enter total review fees paid by the requester.

Copy Fees Paid - Enter the total of copy fees paid by the requester.

Total Paid - Add search fees paid and copy fees paid. Enter total in the total paid block.

Date Paid - Enter year, month, and day, i.e., 20021024, the fee payment was received.

Total Collectable Costs - Add the blocks in the cost column and enter total in the total collectable cost block. Apply the appropriate waiver for the category of requester prior to inserting the final figure. Further discussion of chargeable fees is contained in Chapter VI of DoD Regulation 5400.7-R.

Total Processing Costs - Add all blocks in the cost column and enter total in the total processing cost block. The total processing cost in most cases will exceed the total collectable cost.

Total Charged - Enter the total amount that the requester was charged, taking into account the fee waiver threshold and fee waiver policy.

Fees Waived/Reduced - Indicate if the cost of processing the request was waived or reduced by placing an "X" in the "Yes" block or the "No" block.

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GENERAL SERVICE ADMINISTRATION
RECORDS MANAGEMENT SERVICE

REQUEST FOR SERVICE

RETURN TO
MILITARY RECORDS SECTION
FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER
ARMY-AIR FORCE DEFENSE UNIT
GSA R3 FRC
219 North Lee St.
Arlington, Va.

TYPE OF SERVICE REQUESTED (Check one)

INFORMATION DOCUMENT RESEARCH

AGENCY

DDMU

ADDRESS

T13

INDIVIDUAL

Wansell

ROOM NUMBER

1421

EXTENSION

54033

RECORD GROUP NUMBER

92

DATE

9-26-58

SEARCHER'S INITIALS

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NO RECORD

MISSING FROM

TO

OCT 22 1958

CHARGED TO

McL. Whittingham

BUILDING AND ROOM NUMBER

Ship 1

DATE

DESCRIPTION

8-1 109

293 Beckard, Ernest
33179797

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REQUEST RECEIVED BY

DATE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER

REGION 3



MILITARY RECORDS BRANCH

MILITARY RECORDS SECTION
ARMY-AIR FORCE DEFENSE-UNIT
GSA R3 FRC
219 North Lee St.
Alexandria, Va.

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X DA

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL DEPARTMENT OF ARMY WASHINGTON DC

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UNCLAS In reply refer to QMGNE-D 533

Request names, ages, addresses and relationship of surviving relatives of following:

Abrams, Arthur A.	IC 3 604 608
Appel, Mayer	IC 3 465 420
Brown, Laurence E.	IC 3 930 077
Brown, Melvin P.	IC 3 738 261
Cardoso, Richard L.	IC 3 815 563
Dickerman, Paul	IC 3 708 466
<u>293/</u> Eckard, Ernest	IC 3 729 579
Edwards, John J.	IC 3 605 561
Eintrecht, Herman	IC 3 606 500
Colman, Edward Z.	IC 3 943 576
Goodman, Barnett H.	IC 3 276 779
Hedden, Jacob B.	IC 3 095 761
Sanders, Harry A.	IC 3 924 608

QMGNE-D 293 Disposition of Remains

F. J. Haddock, Chief, Operations Sec.

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Sep 58

FILE
 DISPOSITION BRANCH
 DONALD L. WARD MEMORIAL DIVISION
 Lt Colonel, QMG
 Chief, Disposition Branch
 Memorial Division

 Name

 Date

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL DEPARTMENT OF ARMY WASHINGTON DC

Savage, Horton E.

IC 3 880 432

Topson, Maurice K.

IC 3 494 386

Whittingham/mbb
54309

Kerscher
77756

Womack
56553

FORM-D 293 Disposition of
Records

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VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

DISTRICT OFFICE

P. O. BOX 8079

PHILADELPHIA 1, PENNSYLVANIA

October 6, 1958

YOUR FILE REFERENCE: QMGMB-D 533.

Quartermaster General
Department of the Army
Washington, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO:
2003-213A.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your telegram, dated September 29, 1958.

<u>XS Number</u>	<u>Veteran's Name</u>	<u>Name & Address of Surviving Relatives</u>	<u>Relationship & Age of Surviving Relatives</u>
3 465 420	APPEL, Meyer	Hannah Appel 514 E. Chestnut St. Louisville, Ky.	Mother - 61
3 943 576	GELMAN, Edward Z.	Bertha Gelman 94 Pleasant St. Brookline, Mass.	Mother - 60
3 738 261	BROWN, Malvin P.	Bessie Brown 3135 Johnson Ave. Riverdale, N. Y.	Mother - 56
		Morris Brown Export Packers 433 Washington St. New York, N.Y.	Father - 60
3 930 077	BROWN, Lawrence E.	Carrie E. Brown 3670 Mt. Laurel Rd. Cleveland Heights 21, Ohio	Mother - 65
3 768 466	DICKERMAN, Paul	Sophya Dickerman Apartment D-27 Barry Gardens Passaic, N. J.	Mother --70
3 924 406	SAUNDERS, Harry A.	Morton J. Saunders 100 Franklin St. Franklin Village Bldg. 7A3 Morristown, N.J.	Brother - 33

*Not
File
20 Oct 58
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An inquiry by or concerning an ex-service man or woman should, if possible, give veteran's name and his number, whether G. I. C. N. V. N. N. S. or loan number. If such number is unknown, service or postal number should be given.


<u>IC Number</u>	<u>Veteran's Name</u>	<u>Name & Address of Surviving Relatives</u>	<u>Relationship & Age of Surviving Relative</u>
3 606 500	EINTRACHT, Herman	Gertrude Proctor 7308 Brook Haven Rd. Philadelphia 31, Pa.	Remarried Widow - 37
		Rebecca Eintracht 1206 Angora Ave. Yeadon, Pa.	Mother - 75
3 605 561	EDWARDS, John J.	Mary L. Mills Route #1 Urichsville, Ohio	Mother - 62
3 815 563	CARDOZO, Richard L.	Alice R. Cardozo 206-18 109th Ave. Queens Village 9, N.Y.	Widow - 46
3 729 579	<u>ECKARD, Ernest</u>	Folder Shows No Surviving Relatives	
3 604 608	ABRAMS, Arthur A.	Sara Abrams 1619 Broadway, Room 609 New York 19, N.Y.	Sister - 57
3 860 432	SAVAGE, Merton R.	Hilda P. Savage 7 B. Weiner Latches Lane, Apt. #116 Merion, Pa.	Mother - 53
3 494 326	TOPSCH, Maurice K.	Rosa Topolsky 1000 S. Champion Ave. Columbus 6, Ohio	Mother - 76
3 095 761	WEDLER, Jacob B.	Sadie Hedine 138-A Stewart Ct. Syracuse, N.Y.	Father - 62

3 276 779

GOODMAN, Barnet H.
Eva Bellman
420 Islington St.
Toledo, Ohio

Aunt -66

Very truly yours,


PAUL E. HUSSEY
Director, Claims Service

MMM *PK*

USMC CAMBRIDGE
PLOT E ROW 6 GRAVE 79
DATE OF BURIAL 22 SEP 48
VERIFIED BY: *W.C. Entzinger*
DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A —
NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED **W.C. ENTZINGER**
DIRECTIVE NUMBER **1615 01438**
DATE **15 12 47**
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME **ECKARD ERNEST** SERIAL NUMBER **33179797** RANK **PVT** ARM **1** DATE OF DEATH
DAY MONTH YEAR
CEMETERY **CAMBRIDGE** DISPOSITION OF REMAINS
1 1601 80
CODE DIST. PT.
PLOT ROW GRAVE COUNTRY **0 8 12 BRITISH ISLES** CAUSE OF DEATH **1**

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN *FLAG SENT 19 JAN 49*

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE **CAMBRIDGE, ENGLAND**
NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN **MRS. SARA V. ECKARD (MOTHER)
221 SPRINGDALE STREET
CUMBERLAND, MARYLAND**

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME **ECKARD ERNEST** SERIAL NUMBER **33179797** RANK **PVT** DATE OF DEATH **1 OCT 44** DATE DISTINTERRED **22 APR 48**
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON REMAINS **GRS** ORGANIZATION **USAGF** RELIGION **P** IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY **DONALD S ATKINSON 1LT INF**
 MARKER **GRS** **540 QM SV CO** NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL **UNIFORM UK C ASKET** CONDITION OF REMAINS **FRACTURED SKULL THORACIC & ABDOMINAL
AUTOPSY REMAINS COMPLETE ADVANCED STAGE
DECOMPOSITION**
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION **NONE**
MINOR DISCREPANCIES **1**
NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET
DATE **30 APR 48** BY **JOHN T NICHOLSON**
CASKET SEALED BY **JOHN T NICHOLSON** EMBALMER (Signature) *John T. Nicholson*
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED **CLERK RECORDER** SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY **SIMON C VANGE 1LT CAC**
DATE **30 APR 48** BY **JOHN SARGENT**

I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.
SIMON C VANGE 1LT CAC
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR *S. Vange*

1. Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.
FILE
RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE **APR 12 1949**
NAME **L. A. Scott**
REPORT BR. MEM. DIV.
25 MAR 1949

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1948

1. SHIPPED

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

2. SHIPPED

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

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	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

5. SHIPPED

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

Handwritten notes: CAMBRIDGE, ENGLAND; CUMBERLAND, MARYLAND; DAVE STREET; MRS. SARAH A. ECKARD (MOTHER)

6. SHIPPED

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

Handwritten notes: 0 8 IS BRITISH ISLES

7. SHIPPED

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

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25 March 1949

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Pvt Ernest Eckard, ASN 33 179 797
Plot E, Row 6, Grave 79
Headstone: Cross
Cambridge (England) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mrs. Sara V. Eckard
221 Springdale Street
Cumberland, Maryland

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country. Customary military funeral services were conducted over the grave at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be transferred, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and supervision of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstone. The headstone will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating where appropriate, organization, State, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of headstone or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interments are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. You may rest assured that this final interment was conducted with fitting dignity and solemnity and that the grave-site will be carefully and conscientiously maintained in perpetuity by the United States Government.

Sincerely yours,

H. FELDMAN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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O. O. H. G.
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

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REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

Pvt. Ernest Eckard, 33 179 791
Plot O, Row 8, Grave 12,
United States Military Cemetery
Cambridge #1, England

28 August 1947

A		C	
B		D	

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

NOTE.—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.
If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

PART I

I, SARA V. ECKARD

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

- WIDOW WIDOWER SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER MOTHER BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS. Cambridge England
2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

3. BE RETURNED TO _____ THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
- (FOREIGN COUNTRY) (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
- (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)
- (Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)
- YES NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

DD processed 12/19/47. Davis
Coded
10 Oct 47
m/Baker

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PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)		

OR I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.	

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY

REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4.)*

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnessed by: Mrs. Mary E. Perdue
221 Springdale St.
Chumberland, Md.
 (STREET AND NUMBER) (CITY AND STATE)

X mark Mrs. Alta Lee Mowen
 (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

SARA V. ECKARD
 (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 19 day of Sept, 1949, at city (or town) of Chumberland, county of Queen Anne's, and State (or Territory or District) of Maryland

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.

Virginia Melvin
 (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public
 (OFFICIAL TITLE)

PART II - RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE _____, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED
(PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP)
NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.
THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

(DATE)

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

(STREET AND NUMBER)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

(CITY AND STATE)

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

(DATE)

(SIGNATURE)

(STREET AND NUMBER)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

(CITY AND STATE)

ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

All remarks and information entered here will be considered as part of the Notarial Attestation.

AS THE NEXT OF KIN OR THE DECEASED...
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY IS THE PERSONAL AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DECEASED...
I HAVE KNOWN THE DECEASED PERSON FOR YEARS AND HE HAS BEEN MARRIED TO THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY FOR YEARS...
I HAVE KNOWN THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY FOR YEARS AND HE HAS BEEN MARRIED TO THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY FOR YEARS...
I HAVE KNOWN THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY FOR YEARS AND HE HAS BEEN MARRIED TO THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY FOR YEARS...



STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF NEW YORK
CITY OF NEW YORK
I, M. D. DUNN, Notary Public for the State of New York, do hereby certify that the above named party is the personal and legal representative of the deceased...
I HAVE KNOWN THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY FOR YEARS AND HE HAS BEEN MARRIED TO THE ABOVE NAMED PARTY FOR YEARS...



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Pvt. Ernest Eckard, 33 179 797
Plot O, Row 8, Grave 12,
United States Military Cemetery
Cambridge #1, England

28 August 1947

Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard
221 Springdale Street
Cumberland, Maryland

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

Incls.

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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

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Pvt. Ernest Eckard, 33 179 797
Plot O, Row 8, Grave 12,
United States Military Cemetery
Cambridge, England

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20 May 1947

Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard
221 Springdale Street
Cumberland, Maryland

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

Reference is made to the "Letter of Inquiry - Disposition of Remains" sent to you about 45 days ago, requesting you to complete and mail the "Request for Disposition of Remains" form.

Since no reply has been received, you are again respectfully urged to return this completed form at the earliest possible date in order to avoid any unnecessary delay in the final disposition of the remains of your loved one.

Due to the tremendous amount of work involved in carrying out final burial arrangements for all of the deceased Americans of World War II, this program must proceed cemetery by cemetery in each area of the world.

The cemetery in which the remains of your loved one are buried is expected to be evacuated in the near future. In the absence of any reply from you by that time, the Government will assume that you have no objection to the final burial of the deceased in a permanent American Military Cemetery Overseas.

~~COPIES DESTROYED~~ Sincerely,

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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

G. A. HORRAN
Brigadier General, GMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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Pvt. Ernst Eckard, 33 179 797
Plot O, Row 8, Grave 12,
United States Military Cemetery
Cambridge, England

5 March 1947

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Cumberland, Maryland

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Major General
The Quartermaster General

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Eckard, Ernest

A.S.N. 33 179 797

5 February 1947

Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard
221 Springdale Street
Cumberland, Maryland

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery Cambridge, England, in which your son, the late Private Ernest Eckard, is buried.

It is my sincere hope that you may gain some solace from this view of the surroundings in which your loved one rests. As you can see, this is a place of simple dignity, neat and well cared for. Here, assured of continuous care, now rest the remains of a few of those heroic dead who fell together in the service of our country.

This cemetery will be maintained as a temporary resting place until, in accordance with the wishes of the next of kin, all remains are either placed in permanent American cemeteries overseas or returned to the Homeland for final burial.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

G. A. HOREAN
Brigadier General, QMG
Assistant

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SPQYG 293
Eckard, Ernest

29 January 1946

Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard
221 Springdale Street
Cumberland, Maryland

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished the burial location of your son, the late Private Ernest Eckard. A.S.N. 33 179 797.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the Cambridge American Military Cemetery, plot O, row 8, grave 12.

This cemetery is located approximately forty-two miles northeast of London, England, just outside the university town of Cambridge, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your son.

Sincerely yours,

C. L. CORBIN
Major General, QMC
Acting The Quartermaster General

GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION
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GRAVE REGISTRATION
FORM NO. 1
(Revised 1 Sept. 1943)

RESTRICTED REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

45822
1 Oct 1944
Date

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Eckard Ernest NMT Pvt 33179797
 Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.
17th Tank Bn Co. A 7th Division
 Unit Organization
98th General Hospital 1 Oct 1944 wall, severe.
 Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death
1500 hrs. 3 Oct. 1944. Cambridge American Military Cemetery
 Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location
12 8 0 Temp. Wooden Cross.
 Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes No Attached to Marker Yes No
 emerg. tag. emerg. tag.

If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

What means of identification were buried with the body? emerg.
One (1) Ident. tag.

Escorted by:

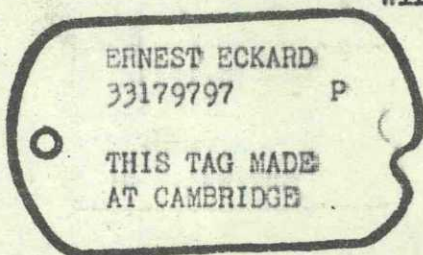
Collias A. Pvt. 98th Gen. Hosp.

To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on: 87 Cav.
 Deceased's Right: Czerebak, Edward 36712466, Pvt. Rcn. Sq. (M). 13
 Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.
 Deceased's Left: Caudill, Carl 35773790, Pfc. Co G, GS 350, Inf. 11
 Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Signature or Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.

WILBUR E ARNOLD, Capt, Med Adm Cj, Registrar
 If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:



Emergency Addressee Mother - Sarah V Eckard
Name

221 Springdale Street, Cumberland, Maryland
Address

Religion Prot. estant.

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same:

Identification tags were not on the body of Pvt Eckard; the following articles were used to identify the body:
 Pay Book Social Security Card
 Money Order Stub Purple Heart Special Order

*File
11/21/45
mg*

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

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IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

Take Fingerprints of Both Hands. If unable to obtain a complete set of Fingerprints, Take Those You Can, and fill in the following:

- Height:
- Weight:
- Color of Eyes:
- Color of Hair:
- Race:
- Laundry Marks:
- Number of Rifle:
- Wear Glasses?
- Is Tooth Chart Attached?

(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart, if no medical personnel present, fill in a tooth chart below.) In space below, locate, and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc.

Impossible to obtain.

Impossible to obtain.

Left Hand

Right Hand

2

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Thumb

Thumb

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

TOOTH CHART

If this is an Isolated Burial, make a Sketch of the Location, oriented with Permanent Landmarks. If more space needed attach separate sheet. Indicate North.

Decesed's Right	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Upper																	
Lower																	

Indicate: missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □; Bridges by C linking anchor teeth; replacements by artificial teeth X

Characteristics:

Other Data:

AG P BR HQ S05

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293 Eckard Ernest

CASUALTY BRANCH, A. G. O.

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE TRANSFER FORM

(Fill out completely and forward to proper file group, Record Section)

Casualty Branch file on:

Eckard, Ernest 33,179,797 P-5
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Serial number) (Grade)

Formerly charged to:

Notiz 3842
(Section) (Clerk's last name) (Group number) (Room number)

Has been transferred to:

(Clerk's surname)

NOTIFICATION SECTION

- Telegraphic Notification Subsection
- Letter Notification Subsection
- Nondelivery Subsection

WOUNDED STATUS AND MESSAGE OF CHEER SECTION

- A to EVANRZ Subsection
- EVANS to LAIRCZ Subsection
- LAIRD to RICHSZ Subsection
- RICHT to ZZ Subsection

RECORD SECTION

- Special Identification Subsection
- Notification Control Unit

CORRESPONDENCE SECTION

- General Correspondence Subsection
- Congressional Correspondence Subsection
- Special Correspondence Subsection
- Inquiry Subsection
- Staff and War Dept. Correspondence Subsection

STATUS REVIEW AND DETERMINATION SECTION

- Determination Subsection
- Special Determination Subsection

CERTIFICATION SECTION

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- Policy and Procedure Subsection
- Investigation Subsection
- Organization and Work Simplification Subsection

MAIL AND MESSAGE SECTION

- Message Clearing Subsection

EXECUTIVE SECTION

- Administrative Subsection
- Information Subsection

Transferred by:

Letter Sub Sec

Date

17 Oct

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see
12 Dec 44
J. K. [unclear]

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

293

DATE 20 Oct 44
jed 4627

FULL NAME Eckard, Ernest		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 33179797	GRADE Pvt.
HOME ADDRESS Cumberland, Md.		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry	DATE OF BIRTH 30 Mar 10
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Wounds received in action.		DATE OF DEATH 1 Oct 44
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 4 Apr 42	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)			

Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard, mother, 221 Springdale St., Cumberland, Md.

BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)

Sarah V. Eckard, mother, Same as above.
Mary V. Yankee, sister, Same as above.

INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
											X		

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

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S. G. O.	F. B. I.	F. O. U. S. A.
2. O. C. M. G.	C. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		A. G. 201 FILE

BATTLE
 NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

Final
NOV 10 1944
James Binkhart
ADJUTANT GENERAL

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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James Rinkhart
ADJUTANT GENERAL

Army Effect Bureau
Effect Bureau Eastern Mail
Kansas City Depot
Kansas City Mo.

266,053

MT8

INQUIRY CLERK

Dear Sirs.

I received word the other day
that Sarah V. Eckard has not
received P.V. T. Ernest Eckard's
personal belongings yet.

Her address is Mrs Sarah V.
Eckard, 221 ^{Springdale st.} Cumberland, Md.

Yours truly
Mrs Margaret Eckard
Rt 3 Ord. Nebr.

[Handwritten signature]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
KANSAS CITY, MO.
OCT 16 1945

266053

RTB:MB:mwb
August 30, 1945

Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard
221 Springdale Street
Cumberland, Maryland

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

Thank you for the information furnished the Army Effects Bureau in connection with the personal effects of your son, Private Ernest Eckard.

I am inclosing a check for \$54.00, representing funds which belonged to him. The remainder of the property is being sent to you in one package. In addition, a medal, which was awarded him, is being sent under separate cover by registered mail.

If, by any chance, the property has not reached you at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me and tracer will be instituted.

The action of this Bureau in transmitting personal effects does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient. Such property is forwarded for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

I wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Sincerely yours,

C. B. QUINN
2nd Lt., CMC
Chief, Files Branch

1 Incl--
Check

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ARMY MAIL SERVICE
APPLY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIP TO

SHIP TO: Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard
221 Springdale Street
Cumberland, Maryland

Effects of: Pvt. Ernest Eckard
Name
ASN 33179797
Case No. 266053 D
Wt.

File

Schubert

DATE 30 August 1945
RTB:AC:bh

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 62379
Amount \$54.00
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G.I.
Note discrepancy in _____
Files removed
Diary removed
Laundry removed

Warehouse property has already been shipped

ROUTING:

- 1 Accounting Branch *BW*
- 2 Warehouse Division
- 2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

134604 chm

REGISTERED

867-402

62379
266053

VALUABLES SHIPPED

DATE 9-17-45

Sarah V. Eckard

BY *[Signature]*

~~APR 1 1945~~ 45

54.00

Fifty-Four and No/100

REMARKS:

Franked SEP 8 1945
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Prt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages 1

E R

Shipping Clerk

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION <i># 1 pkg</i>	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY	DECEASED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	<i>266,053</i>	MISSING <input type="checkbox"/>
		P.O.W. <input type="checkbox"/>
		ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/>
		TALLY NO. <i>7435</i>
		INV. DATE <i>21 Apr 45</i>
		ORIG. NO. OF PKGS. <i>1</i>
		BOX NO.
		SHEET <i>1</i> OF <i>1</i> SHEETS
		ORGANIZATION <i>17 Tank Bn. 7th Div.</i>

NAME ERNEST ECKARD
 A.S.N. 33179797 RANK PVT

Belt	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	WINGS
BELT. MONEY (NO MONEY)	CLOTHING	BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL
Cloth, wash	BRACELET IDENT.	BILLFOLD. (NO MONEY)
Coats	Brushes	Case
Footwear, Pr.	CAMERAS	Footlocker
Gloves, Pr.	Glasses	KIT, SEW, TLT, OR WRITING
Handkerchiefs	Knives	BOOKS
Headwear	Lighters	Books, Address
Jackets	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MISC. INSIGNIA	Books, Pilot Log
Overcoats	Pen, Fountain	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DDR)
Scarfs	Pencil, Mechanical	FILMS
Shirts	Pipes	Letters
Socks, Pr.	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	Papers, Personal
Ties	RIBBONS, DECORATION	Photos
Towels	Rings	Shoe Shine Articles
Trousers, Pr.	Tobacco	SHORT SNORTER
Trunks, Pr.	Toilet Articles	SOUVENIRS
Underwear	WATCH	SOUVENIR MONEY
		Stationery
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

ERNEST ECKARD RC
 33179797 PVT. 21 APR. 45
 1 PURPLE HEART W/ RIBBON E.P.

VALUABLES SHIPPED
 DATE *9-17-45*
 BY *[Signature]*

REMARKS *Home address:
221 Springdale St.
Cumber Md.*

ATTACHMENTS *Inventory*

FORM #54

FORM #100

C.A.T. <i>None</i>	WEIGHT	G.I. REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE <i>713</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
INVENTORIED BY <i>Reynolds</i>	DATE SHIPPED	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
PACKED BY <i>E. Reynolds</i>	<i>SEP 6 1945</i>	DIARY REMOVED
CHECKED BY <i>[Signature]</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> #43 OR ADDITIONAL	LOCKED STORAGE
		LAUNDRY REMOVED
		FILM REMOVED

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

1 Lot miscellaneous addresses

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

U.S.M.O. #4820 AMT \$54.00

I certify that the above listed items were not in the containers inventoried by me:

Reynolds
INVENTORY CLERK

Blair
SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED

Deceased
Missing _____
A.W.O.L. _____
P.O.W. _____
Abandoned _____

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

Sheet 1 of 1 Sheets
Flat _____ Box _____

Shown on Tally In as _____

TALLY IN NO. _____ INVENTORY DATE 12-22-44 CASE NO. 266053

EFFECTS OF (NMI) Ernest Eckard RANK priv.

ARMY SERIAL NO. 33179797 ✓ ORG. _____

CONSIGNOR Q*114 U.K. APO 507

DELIVERING CARRIER Mail G B/L NO. _____ G B/L DATE _____

Package No.	Article Description	Remarks
1	\$54.00	Included in one
ENVELOPE	<i>QC # 62379 exp</i>	U. S. Treasurer's Check
		# <u>4064</u>
	<i>PAID-Check No. 134604 m.s.</i>	dated <u>11 Dec 44</u>
		Symbol <u>212-426</u>
		Amount <u>\$4930.84</u> Payable to
		<u>BQM</u>
		XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX Indorsed to Effects QM
		List 359 to section file
		File attached
	<i>file</i>	

Warehouse Space _____ Inventoried by Pauline Moore

Locked Storage Space Packed by _____

Eff. QM Form 11a

DEC 28 1944

*MMW
me*

LA RUE-KANSAS CITY 1-9-65-

NAME ECKARD, ERNEST I 22 9797

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
41	74	3	7435

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED
PKG		

Eff. QM Form 48

(3 Copies to Effects Q.M. ETOUSA, 1 copy in box with effects, 1 copy retained)

6 October 1944
Date



98th General Hospital, APO 205, U. S. Army
(Organization and A.P.O. Number)

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventory of Personal Effects.
U. K.
TO : Effects Quartermaster, ~~ETOWSA~~, Depot G-14, APO 507
U.S. ARMY

Transmitted herewith in accordance with Adm. Cir. #80, dated 25 Oct. 1943, Hq. SOS ETOUSA, is Inventory of Effects concerning subject named below

Eckard	Ernest	(NMI)	Pvt.	33179797	90883
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(MI)	(Rank)	(A.S.N.)	(Control No.)
					(For use of Effects QM ETOUSA.)

Organization 17th Tank Bn., 7th Div., (Att. Unasgd. Det. Pnts 4140 USA Hosp. Plant,
(UNIT - - - - Not Branch of Service) APO 205, U. S. Army)

*Status (Deceased, ~~Missing in Action, Prisoner of War~~) on the 1st
day of October 19 44

Designated Beneficiary (With Address)
Unknown

Cl. II Assets: Cash found in effects, less cost of money order inclosed herewith

U.S.M.O. # <u>4820</u>	Amt \$ <u>54.00</u>	U.S.M.O. # _____	Amt \$ _____
U.S.M.O. # _____	Amt \$ _____	U.S.M.O. # _____	Amt \$ _____

U.S. Official Check # None Amt _____ Bank _____
(Name and Branch)

#Bank Accounts Unknown

#Debtors Unknown

#Creditors Unknown

#Inclosed is None
(Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks, Describe fully)

REMARKS (if any)

1 total each

Date... OCT. 12. 1944...
 Receipt is acknowledged of Class II
 Assets as shown on basic communication.
 EFFECTS QM.
 (OVER)

*Strike out words not applicable
#Negative report where applicable

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS
(Attach extra sheets if necessary)

- 1 - Fountain Pen (Eversharp)
- 1 - Pencil (Eversharp)
- 2 - Pocket Knives
- 1 - Billfold, brown leather
- 1 - Lot Photos
- 1 - Receipt, Postal M/O #2654
- 1 - Lot Miscellaneous Addresses
- 1 - Social Security Card
- 1 - Nail Clip
- 1 - Cigarette Lighter
- 1 - Insignia, Arm or Service
- 1 - Badge, Tank Weapons
- 1 - Pocket Comb
- 1 - Shoulder Patch
- 1 - Purple Heart, And SO #20, Hq, 109 Evacuation Hosp, 28 Sep 44
- 5 - 6¢ Air Mail Stamps

DEC 21 1944
KANSAS CITY, MO.
BUREAU

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of subject's effects at this station and that effects were shipped to Effects Q.M. ETOUSA, A.P.O. 507, G-14, U.S. Army by delivering to APO 205 on 7 October 1944

 N. A. Owens
Signature - (In ink)

 N. A. OWENS,) (Block
CWO Name) Letters)
 USA,)
CO, Det of Patients)
 98th General Hospital)
Rank and Organization

Box

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6 October 1944
Date

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<u>Eckard</u>	<u>Ernest</u>	<u>(M)</u>	<u>Pvt.</u>	<u>32170000</u>	
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(MI)	(Rank)	(A.S.N.)	(Control No.)
					(For use of Effects QM ETOUSA.)

Organization 17th Tank Bn., 7th Div., (Att. Unasgd. Det. Pnts 4140 USA Hosp. Plant,
(UNIT - - - - Not Branch of Service) AP0 205, U. S. Army)

*Status (Deceased, ~~Missing in Action~~, Prisoner of War) on the 1st
day of October 19 44

Designated Beneficiary (With Address)
Unknown

Cl. II Assets: Cash found in effects, less cost of money order inclosed herewith

U.S.M.O. # <u>4820</u>	Amt \$ <u>54.00</u> ⁰	U.S.H.O. # _____	Amt \$ _____
U.S.M.O. # _____	Amt \$ _____	U.S.H.O. # _____	Amt \$ _____

U.S. Official Check # None Amt _____ Bank _____
(Name and Branch)

#Bank Accounts Unknown

#Debtors Unknown

#Creditors Unknown

#Inclosed is None
(Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks, Describe fully)

REMARKS (if any)

*Strike out words not applicable
#Negative report where applicable

(OVER)

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS
(Attach extra sheets if necessary)

- 1 - Fountain Pen (Eversharp) ✓
- 1 - Pencil (Eversharp) ✓
- 2 - Pocket Knives ✓
- 1 - Billfold, brown leather ✓
- 1 - Lot Photos ✓
- 1 - Receipt, Postal W/O #2654 ✓
- 1 - Lot Miscellaneous Addresser ① ✓
- 1 - Social Security Card ✓
- 1 - Nail Clip ✓
- 1 - Cigarette Lighter ✓
- 1 - Insignia, Arm or Service ✓
- 1 - Badge, Tank Weapons ✓
- 1 - Pocket Comb ✓
- 1 - Shoulder Patch ✓
- 1 - Purple Heart, and SO #20, Hq, 109 Evacuation Hosp, 28 Sep 44
- 5 - 6¢ Air Mail Stamps

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of subject's effects at this station and that effects were shipped to Effects Q.M. ETOUSA, A.P.O. 507, G-14, U.S. Army by delivering to AFG 205 on 7 October 1944

N. A. Owens

Signature - (In ink)

N. A. OWENS,)
Name)
CWO)
USA,)
CO, Det of Patients)
General Hospital)
Rank and Organization

(Block Letters)

Summary Court-Martial
ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

JRM:AG:bh

Case No. 266053
Date 14 August 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of

_____ late a
(Name of decedent) (Army Serial Number)

_____ who died
(Private Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)

on the 1 day of October, 1944, at European Area

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington 25, D.C.

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City Mo. Pursuant to S.O., 228 Hq., KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

- a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedents camp or quarters, effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.
- b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ _____, of which the sum of \$ _____ was collected. (If nothing was found due ~~none~~ collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. _____.)
- c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ _____ which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See inclosed receipt _____, Incl. _____)
- d. Disposition of decedent's effects (less money paid creditors, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the Quartermaster Corps, at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial FINDING below)

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on _____, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters 10 August 1945 KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of _____ Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the Henry Eckard Mrs. Margaret Eckard United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Wheroupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, _____ of _____ (Name of person found entitled)

_____ State of _____ (Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)

_____ is the _____ of the _____ (Relationship or Capacity)

above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

John P. Murphy, Colonel, G.M.C.
(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL

221 Springdale St.
Cumberland Md.
July 27, 1945-

P. J. Brown
St. Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief adm. Division

Refer. - no. 246053

SHIPMENT CLERK

Dear Mr Brown

In regards to my son pat. Ernest Eckard
he never was married and he supported me
and lived with me till the army took him away
his daddy has been deceased for over a period
of yrs.

If him not being married I think I
should be the one intitled to his personal
property as I am his mother, he never left
a will. I hope you give you all the information
you need if not let me know.

Sincerely yours
Mrs Sarah V. Eckard

file return

[Faint, illegible handwriting on lined paper]

ANNAPOLIS CITY, MD
JUL 30 1945

266053 ✓

RTB:LH:lec
July 20, 1945

Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard
221 Springdale Street
Cumberland, Maryland ✓

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal property of your son, Private Ernest Eckard.

To make proper disposition of this property, it is necessary that we have certain information regarding your son's family. I would like to know whether he was married and, if so, the name and address of his widow, also the name and address of his father, if he is living.

If your son left a Will which has been probated, please furnish the original or a certified copy of the Letters Testamentary. Any papers submitted will be returned to you as soon as possible.

Please mail your reply in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage, as this will accelerate delivery of the property.

Yours very truly,

R. T. BROWN
1st Lt., QMC
Chief, Adm. Division

1 Incl--
Envelope

File lec

266053 ✓

RTB:IH:lee
July 20, 1945

JJ

Mrs. Margaret Eckard ✓
Route 3 ✓
Ord, Nebraska ✓

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

This acknowledges your recent letter relative to the personal effects of your brother-in-law, Private Ernest Eckard. ✓

The Army Effects Bureau has received some property belonging to him. However, under the 112th Article of War which governs the disposal by this Bureau of the personal effects of deceased military personnel, a mother's right to receive property supersedes that of a sister-in-law. Therefore we have contacted Mrs. Sarah V. Eckard regarding Private Eckard's effects.

For your information, shipment by this Bureau does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient, as property is transmitted for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

I wish to express my sincere regret of the circumstances prompting this correspondence.

Yours very truly,

R. T. BROWN
1st Lt., QMC
Chief, Adm. Division

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Effect Quartermaster

Army Effect Bureau

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot

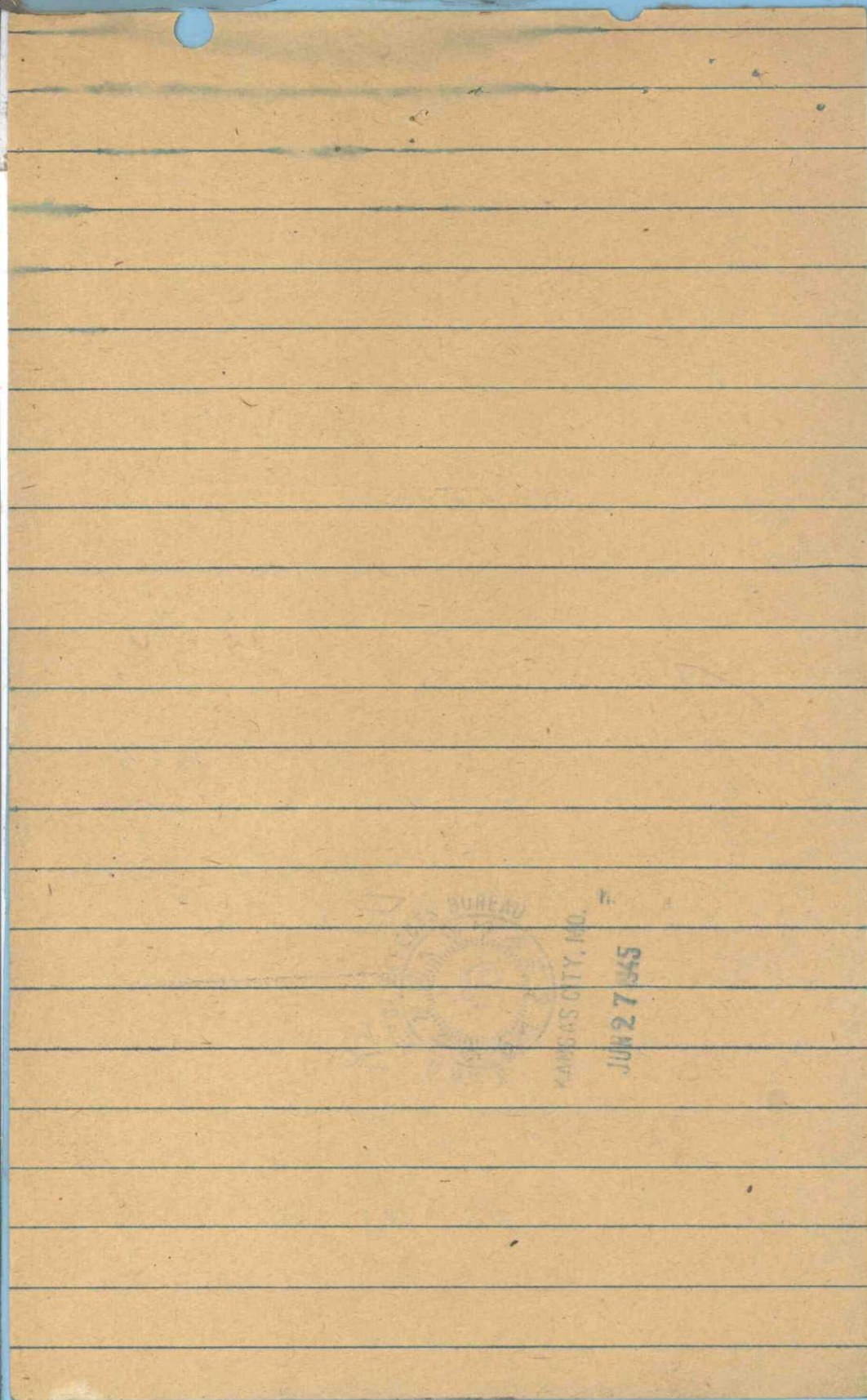
Kansas City Missouri.

Dear Sir.

I am writing about the funds that P.V.T. Ernest Eckard left.

My husband, ^{Henry Eckard} has been writing about it. But I believe P.V.T. Ernest Eckard left it in my name.

yours truly
Mrs Margaret Eckard
Route 3
Ord Neb



BUREAU
KANSAS CITY, MO.
JUN 27 1945

Mrs Margaret Eckard
Rt 3, Ord, Nebr.

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Effect Quartermaster
Army Effect Bureau
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Kansas City Missouri



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

(S-6-24-45)
GHC:HA:cms
May 24, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 266055

Dear Mrs. Eckard:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal property of your son, Private Ernest Eckard.

To make proper disposition of this property, it is necessary that we have certain information regarding your son's family. I would like to know whether he was married and, if so, the name and address of his widow; also the name and address of his father, if he is living.

If your son left a Will which has been probated, please furnish the original or a certified copy of the Letters Testamentary. Any papers submitted will be returned to you as soon as possible.

Please mail your reply in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage, as this will accelerate delivery of the property.

Sincerely yours,

HARRY NIEMIEC
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief, Correspondence Branch

1 Incl--
Envelope

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May 3, 1945

Army Effect Bureau
 Army Effect Quartermaster Depot
 681 Hardnest Ave

Kansas City Missouri

Dear Sir. file h D

In return of your letter that
 I recieved the second of April
 about the funds & personal
 belongings of my brother Private
Ernest Eckard

My brother did not leave no
 will but only what he told
 me when he was here last.

He wanted me to have his
 personal belongs & my children
 to have his funds if he did
 have any.

yours Truly
 Mr Henry Eckard
 Rt 3 Ord nebr.



KANSAS CITY, MO.

MAY - 5 1945



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

(S-5-2-45)
JRM:HA:lc
April 2, 1945

266053 ✓

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

Mr. Henry Eckard
Route #3
Ord, Nebraska ✓

Dear Mr. Eckard: ✓

This refers to your letter of March 17, inquiring about the personal effects of your brother, Private Ernest Eckard.

The Army Effects Bureau has received certain funds which belonged to him.

This is the only property of Private Eckard received here to date; however, money ordinarily is transmitted from overseas by mail, in advance of other effects.

To make proper disposal of these funds, it is necessary that we have certain information regarding your brother's family. If he was married, please advise the name and address of his widow. If his parents are living, we would also like to know their names and addresses. Please furnish the names, addresses and ages of Private Eckard's brothers and sisters.

In the event your brother left a Will which has been probated, please send the original or a certified copy of the Letters Testamentary. Any papers forwarded will be returned to you as soon as possible.

For your convenience in replying, there is inclosed an addressed return envelope which needs no postage.

Yours very truly,

HARRY NIEMIEC
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief, Correspondence Branch

1 Incl--Envelope

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IMMEDIATE ACTION MCB

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March 17, 1945

Effect Quartermaster

Army Effect Bureau

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot

Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Sirs

JK

I am writing in regards of my Brothers personal belongings of

P.V.T. Ernest Eckard A.S.N. 31 79797

C.O.A. 17th Tank Bn.

I wrote to the War Department and they said I would have to write to you about them.

He told me that He wanted me to have them if any thing happened to him.

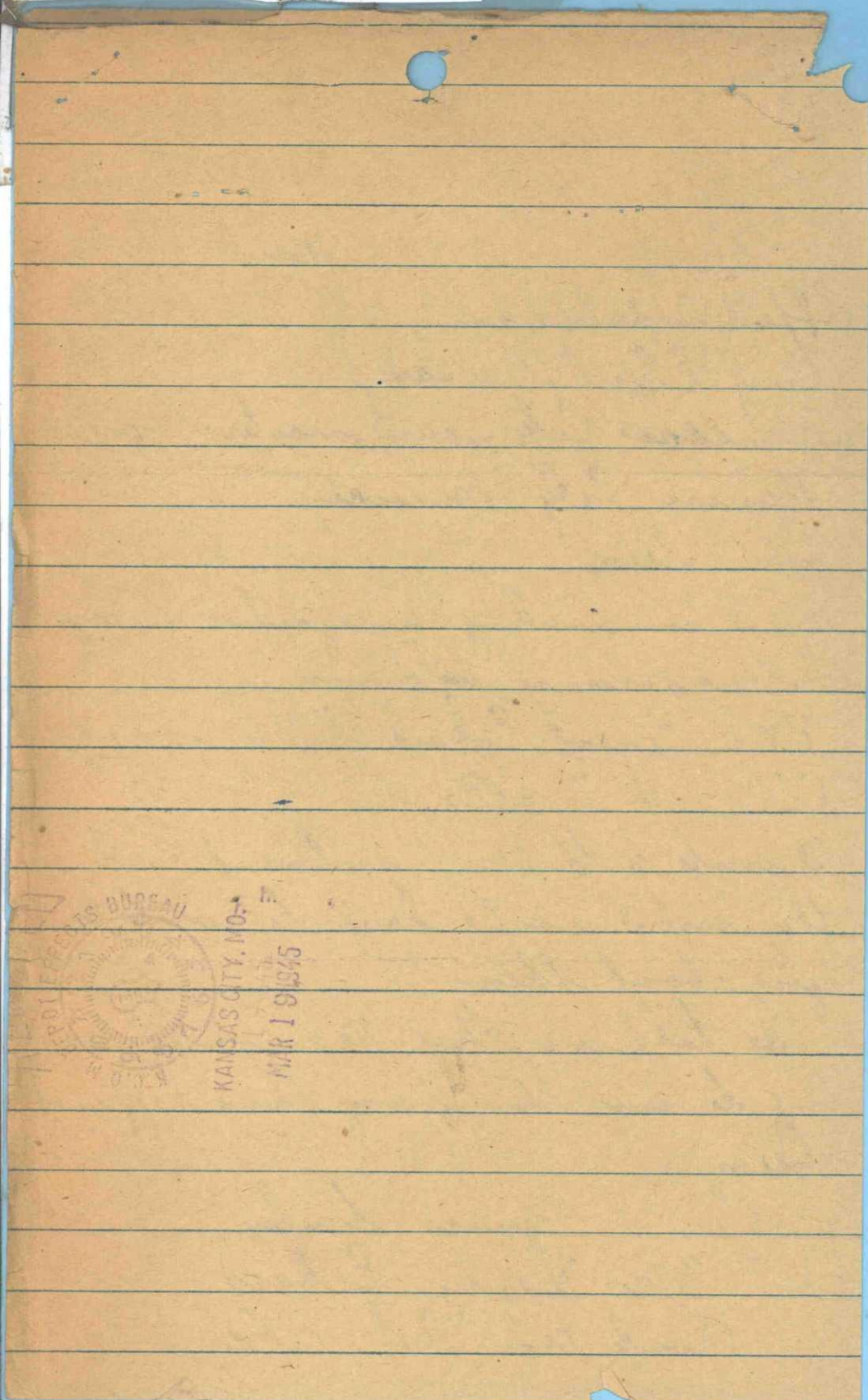
JK

yours truly

Mr Henry Eckard

Route no 3. Ord Nebr.

3-22-45



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
 KANSAS CITY, MO.
 MAR 19 1945