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***INDIVIDUAL DECEASED
PERSONNEL FILE***

Paxton, Harry

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USMC: Margraten
PLOT: C ROW: 13 GRAVE: 27
DATE OF BURIAL: 22 Dec 48
IDENTIFIED BY GRS OFFICER: *Maj J. Bradley*
BURIED ON RIGHT *Robert L. MASLIN*
35581282
DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE
LETT: WILBUR L. FAULK, 37684911

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER
4650 12280

DATE
15 06 48
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME
PAXTON HARRY M

SERIAL NUMBER
37736701

RANK
PVT

ARM
1
DATE OF DEATH
DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY
MARGRATEN - AACHEN

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS
1 4601 80
CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT ROW GRAVE COUNTRY
KKK 10 238 HOLLAND

CAUSE OF DEATH
1

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN *Flag sent ; 3 Jan 49*

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE
MARGRATEN, HOLLAND

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
PAUL D. PAXTON (FATHER)
MIDDLETON, IDAHO

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME SERIAL NUMBER RANK DATE OF DEATH DATE DISTINTERRED

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON
 REMAINS
 MARKER

ORGANIZATION
USAGF

RELIGION

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY
NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

CONDITION OF REMAINS

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE BY

EMBALMER (Signature)

CASKET SEALED BY

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY

DATE BY

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

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE APR 5 1949
NAME *Wheeler*
R & R

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

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SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME
HARRY M PAXTON

SERIAL NUMBER
37736701

RANK
PVT

DATE OF DEATH

DATE DISINTERRED
12 AUGUST 1948

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON
 REMAINS
 MARKER GRS

ORGANIZATION

RELIGION
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IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY
CLYDE B SPINKS CAPT FA
NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL
UNIFORM & MATTRESS COVER

CONDITION OF REMAINS
FACIAL BONES FRACTURED.
ADVANCED STAGE OF DECOMPOSITION.

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION
NONE.

MINOR DISCREPANCIES
NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET
DATE 25 AUGUST 1948

BY FERRARS D STEWART EMBALMER

CASKET SEALED BY
FERRARS D STEWART

EMBALMER (Signature)
FERRARS D STEWART

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED
DATE 25 AUG 48 BY JACK W BLEEKER CLERK RECORDER

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY
ALL TAGS PLATES & MARKERS VERIFIED BY
ROBERT W GANSEL 1/LT OMC.

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


for ROBERT W GANSEL 1/LT OMC.
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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RRR Form #43
20 Sep 48

Attached hereto correspondence and/or other identifying media of possible archival value, pertaining to:


PAXTON HARRY M PVT 37796701
(Last Name) (First Name) (Initial) (Rank) (ASN)

Subject remains have been permanently interred overseas in the United States Military Cemetery MARGARTEN

Incl #

FORM 101119

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R E S T R I C T E D
HEADQUARTERS

(Holland)

COMMUNICATIONS ZONE
EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
Office of the Chief Quartermaster
APO 887.

REGISTER NO. 646

RGD/CEB/lml
28 May 1945

Q-GRE 293.9

E X T R A C T

SUBJECT: Isolated Burials.

TO : Graves Registration Officer, Channel Base Section, APO 228,
US Army

1. The following information was received at this office concerning (military) personnel believed interred in your section.

PAXTON, Harry M. Pvt 37736701 23 Armd Inf. Bn DOW 8 Oct 44

a. In reference to Pvt Harry M. Paxton, he was buried 8 Oct 44 in the field, left of road from St-Anthonis to Boxmeer, at coordinates 726380, Holland. Deceased was identified by identification tag.

2. It is requested that bodies be removed to the nearest established US Military Cemetery and GR Forms #1 be attached to this correspondence and returned to this headquarters.

3. If bodies are not located or have been previously disinterred, request details be furnished this office under proper heading on reverse side of this letter.

s/
for H. W. BOBRINK
Colonel, QMC

ls: a/s Chief, Graves Registration & Effects Div.

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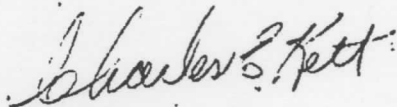
Q-GRE 293.9 1st Ind
HEADQUARTERS, 3060 QUARTERMASTER GRAVES REGISTRATION COMPANY,
APO 228, UNITED STATES ARMY, 13 July 1945.

TO : Commanding Officer, 603rd Quartermaster Graves Registration
Company, APO 228 United States Army.

1. Investigation and disinterment of isolated burials
Register No. 646, Pvt. Harry M. Paxton, 37736701, 23 Armd Inf.
Bn., completed in accordance with b/c.

2. Request further action by your headquarters with reference to
subject case on reburial and preparation of GR Form No. 1.

For the Commanding Officer:



Charles E Kett
1st Lt. QMC
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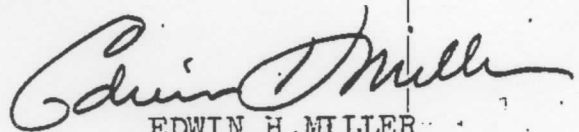
2nd Ind.

HEADQUARTERS 603rd QM GRAVES REGISTRATION COMPANY, APO 562
US ARMY, 18 July 1945

TO: Graves Registration Officer, Chanor Base Section, APO 562,
US Army (THRU: GR/E Q-183, APO 562 US ARMY)

Deceased referred to in first indorsement reinterred in
US Military Cemetery, Margraten, Holland. Reports of Burial
inclosed herewith.

For the Commanding Officer



EDWIN H MILLER
1st Lt., QMC

Incl: a/s (n/c).03
1 Report of Burial

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CH. I LIST FOR DISINTERMENTS

To accompany Report of Reburial

Only Part I should be completed if identification tags are available
Both Part I & Part II should be completely filled out if identification tags are not available.

If information is unavailable, so indicate.

PART I
(Positive Identification)

CASE NUMBER
646

1. Paxton, Harry M. Pvt. 37736701 23 Armd. Inf. Bn.
(Full name of deceased) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)
2. State if identification tags were checked to remains, how many, and where attached. One tag around neck.
3. Give exact location from which disinterred, furnishing coordinates and map series used. Sheet 12 NW. 728380 St. Anthonis

NOTE: ATTACH OVERLAY MAP TO EXACT LOCATION OF ISOLATED GRAVE
GIVING LOCATION IN WITH PERMANENT L. MARKS.

Full name of cemetery (if buried in an organized cemetery)

4. Approximate or established date of death (state which & give basis for date selected) 8-10-44 British Marker

5. Approximate or established date of burial (give basis for date established) 8-10-44 British marker

6. Manner in which graves was marked and all information contained on the marker British Marker. Name and A.S.N.

7. List personal effects found in possession of civilian or unauthorized military personnel, furnishing name and address of individuals concerned. No personal effects found in possession of civilians or unauthorized military personnel.

8. Names and addresses of all persons questioned concerning death or burial and information each furnished (contact local Mayor, priest, cemetery caretaker, those responsible for burial and any other possessing important information)

No information available as all civilians were evacuated.

3. Give as detailed description as possible of condition and amount of remains
4. Give probable cause of death, type & location of wounds (is there evidence that body was burned)
15. Give minute description of all effects, clothing & shoes, including clothes markings & sizes as well as shoe size. List each

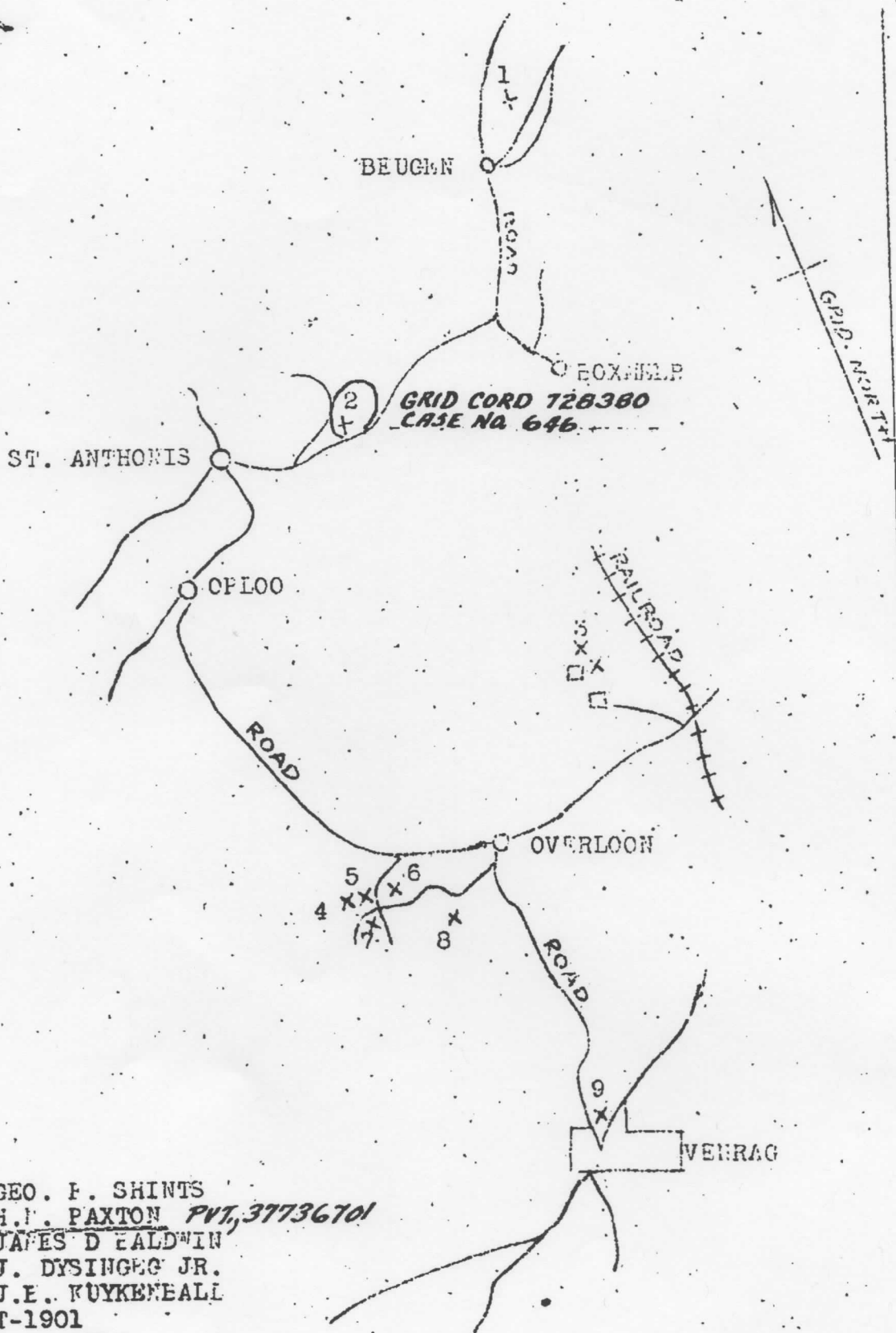
AMERICAN

Ref. No. *CF 172/44* Army Form W. 3314
(Pads of 100)

SERIAL No.	UNIT	RANK and ARMY NUMBER	NAME and INITIALS
1	U.S. Army	PIE 37736701	T. 44 PAXTON H. M. <i>646</i>
2			
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4			
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COUNTRY	CEMETERY	MAP REF. or LOCATION, DEPT.	SERIAL	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
Y	HOLLAND		1			
	In The Field		2			
		Left of road	3			
		19NW 726380 from St Anthony's	4			
		to B. Hall	5			
		to B. Hall	6			

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- 1 GEO. F. SHINTS
- ✓ 2 H.F. PAXTON PVT, 37736701
- 3 JAMES D WALDWIN
- 4 J. DYSINGER JR.
- 5 J.E. KUYKENEALL
- 6 T-1901
- 7 E.L. BURT
- 8 LT. W.R. GROUNDS
- 9 DOGALL

MAP REF. SHEET (5)
ST. ANTHONIS

~~Pvt Harry M. Paxton, 37 736 701~~
~~Plot HMK, Row 10, Grave 238,~~
United States Military Cemetery
Mairgraten, Holland

3 December 1947

Mr. Paul D. Paxton
Middleton, Idaho

Dear Mr. Paxton:

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

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

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QMIYG 293
Paxton, Harry M.
SN 37 736 701

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26 September 1946

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Mrs. Paul Paxton
Box 131
Middleton, Idaho

Dear Mrs. Paxton:

Your letter concerning your son, the late Private Harry M. Paxton, has been received in this office.

The official Report of Burial discloses that the remains of your son were interred in Plot KKK, Row 10, Grave 238, in the US Military Cemetery Margraten, Holland, located ten miles west of Aachen, Germany.

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

THOMAS F. LEWIN
Captain, QMG
Assistant

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QMG
HEADQUARTERS BRANCH

[Handwritten signature]

SEP 26 8 56 AM '46
MEMORIAL DIVISION
REGISTRATION AND
RECORDS BRANCH

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Middleton Idah.
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Dear Sirs

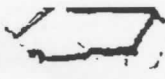
I am writing you in regards to
our son, who lost his life in this
war. we would just like to know
what Cemetery he was buried in.
The war department has given us
all the details available, but this
his name is ²⁹³ Harry M. Payton
serial no 37 736 701. He was in
Infantry & was wounded & died near
St. Anthony's Holland.
I hope this gives you the Inform-
-ation necessary. Sincerely,

Mrs Paul Payton
Middleton

Idaho.

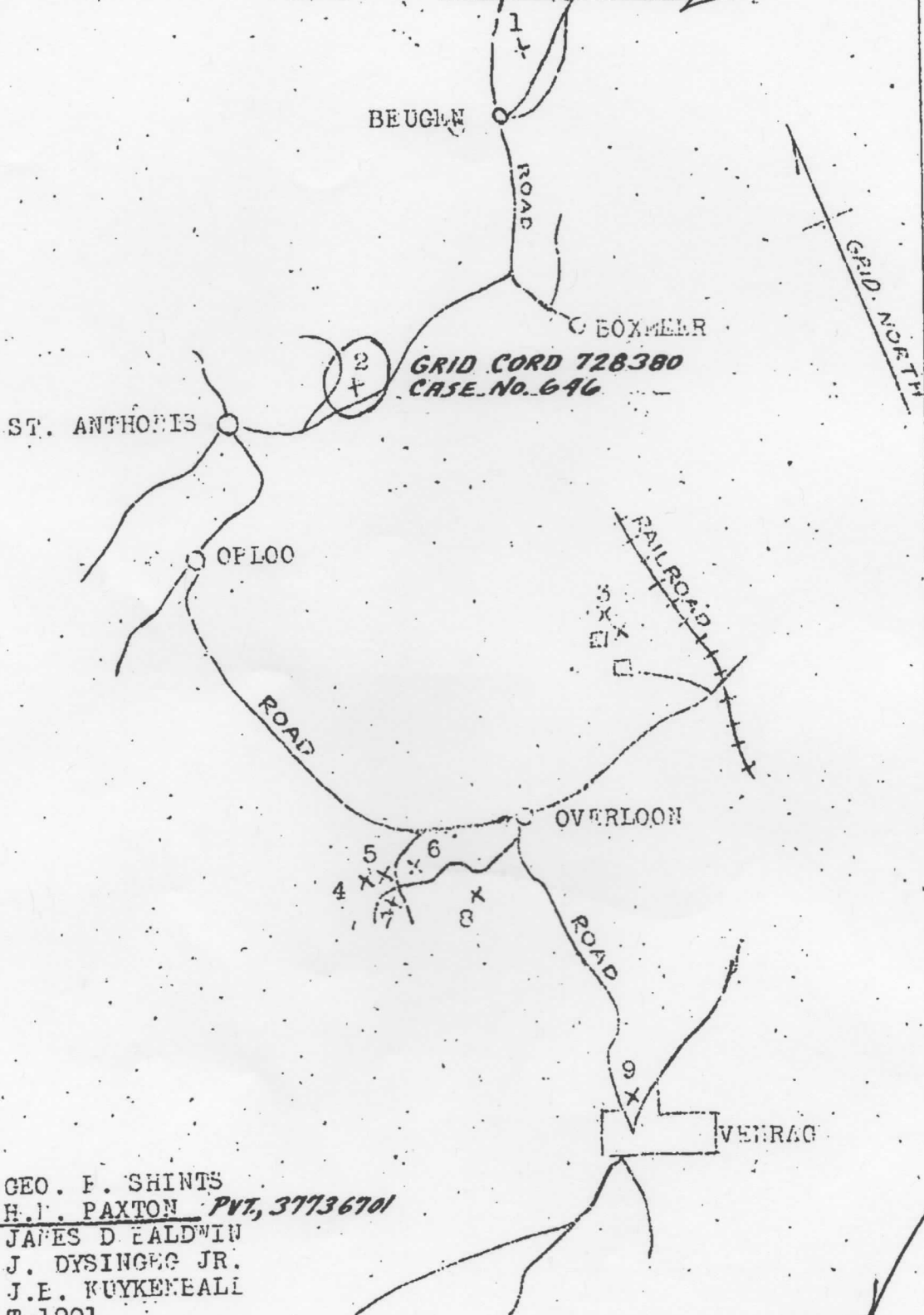
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CHECK LIST FOR DISINTERMENTS

To accompany Report of Burial

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PART I

(Positive Identification)

PAGE NUMBER

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1. ~~Porter, Harry H., Pvt. 37756701, 23 Armd. Inf. Div.~~
(Full name of deceased) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)
2. State if identification tags were attached to remains, how many, and where attached.
3. Give exact location from which disinterred, furnishing coordinates and map series used. ~~Sheet 12 NW, 720300, St. Anthony~~

NOTE: ATTACH OVERLAY SHOWING EXACT LOCATION OF ISOLATED GRAVE TYING LOCATION TO WITH PERMANENT MARKERS.

4. Full name of cemetery (if buried in an organized cemetery)
5. Approximate or established date of death (state which & give basis for date selected) ~~8-10-44~~ ~~British Harbor~~

6. Approximate or established date of burial (give basis for date established) ~~8-10-44~~ ~~British Harbor~~

7. Manner in which graves was marked. Information contained on the marker. ~~British Harbor. Name and A.S.N.~~

8. List personal effects found in possession of civilian or unauthorized military personnel, furnishing name and address of individuals concerned. ~~No personal effects found in possession of civilians or unauthorized military personnel.~~

Names and addresses of all persons questioned concerning death or burial and information each furnished (contact local mayor, priest cemetery caretaker, those responsible for burial and any other possessing important information)

~~No information available as all civilians were evacuated.~~

PART II

(Doubtful or Undetermined Identification)

1. Fill in any information available regarding name, rank, ASN, or organization (Check cemetery records and office)

1. (Est Height) (Est Weight) (Color of Hair) (Color of Eyes)
2. Give description of facial features and body characteristics if possible, including the presence of scars, moles, circumcision tattoos, length of hair, presence of mustache or beard, etc.

REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

28

14 July 1945

Date

Paxton, Harry M. et Pvt 37736701
Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.

23 Armd Inf. Bn., 7th Armd Div.
Unit Organization

Sh 12 NW - 728380 St. Anthonis 8 Oct 1944 Decomposed KIA
Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death

1600 14 July 1945 U.S. Mil. Cemetery, Margraten, Hol. VK 645482
Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location

238 10 KKK Cross
Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

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

If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

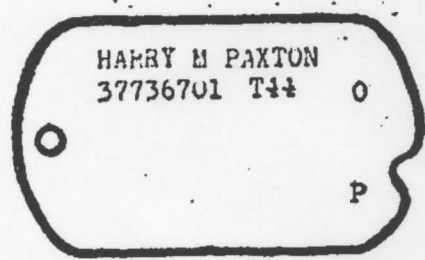
REBURIAL

What means of identification were buried with the body? Remains buried in isolated grave located at 728380, St. Anthonis

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

Who is buried on: Dysinger 237
Deceased's Right: Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.
Burt 239
Deceased's Left: Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

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



If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

Emergency Addressee Unknown Name

Address

Religion Prot.

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

Evacuated by 3060 Qm Gr. Reg. Co.

Case # 646 (Holland)

Edwin Miller
Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

EDWIN H. MILLER, 1st Lt., QMC
603rd QM Gr. Reg. Co.

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

Handwritten notes and signatures:
9/28/45
M. H. G.

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 2 November 1944
qlg/4632

FULL NAME <u>Paxton Harry H.</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <u>37 736 701</u>		GRADE <u>PVT</u>	
HOME ADDRESS <u>Middleton, Idaho</u>		ARM OR SERVICE <u>Infantry</u>		DATE OF BIRTH <u>14 Sep 24</u>	
PLACE OF DEATH <u>European Area</u>		CAUSE OF DEATH <u>Wounds received in action</u>		DATE OF DEATH <u>8 Oct 44</u>	
STATION OF DECEASED <u>European Area</u>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <u>13 Mar 44</u>		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Paul D. Paxton, mother, Middleton, Idaho</u>					
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Paul D. Paxton, mother, Same as above *</u> <u>Paul D. Paxton, father, Same as above</u>					
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
					X
OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW) YES NO					

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

*Records also show, Osa Ellen Paxton, Mother, Middleton, Idaho.

The individual named in this report is shown by the records of the War Department to have been absent in a missing in action status on 30 Sep 1944 and subsequently reported died of wounds received in action on 8 Oct 1944, such absence was terminated on 28 October 1944, on which date evidence of death was received by the Secretary of War from a Commander in the European Area.

9 NOV 1944

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

[Signature]

ADJUTANT GENERAL

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G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE	
		A. G. 201 FILE	

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 2 November 1944
Q18/4632

FULL NAME Paxton Harry M.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 37 736 701	GRADE PVT
HOME ADDRESS Middleton, Idaho		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry	DATE OF BIRTH 14 Sep 24
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Wounds received in action		DATE OF DEATH 8 Oct 44
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 13 Mar 44	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS
EMERGENCY ADDRESSES (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Paul D. Paxton, mother, Middleton, Idaho			
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Paul D. Paxton, mother, Same as above * Paul D. Paxton, father, Same as above			
INVESTIGATION MADE		IN LINE OF DUTY	OWN MISCONDUCT
YES	NO	YES	NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE	
YES	NO	YES	NO
IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES NO	
	X		



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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR
[Signature]
ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

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—BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME			SERIAL NUMBER			GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE
PAXTON HARRY M			37736701			PVT	INF	ETO
PLACE OF CASUALTY			DATE OF CASUALTY			FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER
HOLLAND 9			DAY	MONTH	YEAR		MIA	219
			30	SEP	44			

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING PERSON AS THE ONE TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND THE OFFICIAL TELEGRAPHIC AND LETTER NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE SENT TO THIS PERSON. THE RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, IS SHOWN BELOW. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT NECESSARILY THE NEXT-OF-KIN OR RELATIVE DESIGNATED TO BE PAID SIX MONTHS' PAY GRATUITY IN CASE OF DEATH

MR.-MRS.-MISS—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST NAME			RELATIONSHIP		DATE NOTIFIED
MRS PAUL D PAXTON			MOTHER		23 OCTOBER 1944
NO. AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE					
MIDDLETON IDAHO					

REMARKS:

CORRECTED COPY

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ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED FORM 43 AG 201 REQ

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED OR CHARGED TO DATE

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO YES (AS INDICATED BELOW):

FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	TYPE	DATE AND AREA	E. A. NOTIFIED

FORWARDED TO SPEC. 12EN. TELEGRAM WOUNDED LETTER CORRES. S. R. & D. CERTIF. M. & M. NON DEL.

REPORT NOT VERIFIED NO FORM 43 NO CAS. BR. FILE CHECKED BY REVIEWED BY

THIS SPACE FOR USE OF MACHINE RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.

ACCT. AREA	CASUALTY STATUS	ORIGINAL CAS. DATE			MESSAGE NO.	LATEST CAS. DATE			REFERENCE AREA	CREW POS.	RESIDENCE		COMP	RACE											
		DAY	MO.	YR.		DAY	MO.	YR.			STATE	COUNTY													
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Summary Court-Martial
ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
501 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

JRM:VJ:ib

Case No. 268101

Date 5 May 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of

Harry M. Paxton late a
(Name of deceased) 37736701 (Army Serial Number)

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

on the 8 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 Reg., KCCM 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 decedent's camp or quarters, effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none of which the sum of \$ none was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None", otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. _____.)

c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ none 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 3 May 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters KCCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of

Paul D. Paxton for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, Paul D. Paxton of
(Name of person found entitled)

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

Idaho is the father 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 R. MURPHY, Colonel, G.M.C.
(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL



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

JRM:VJ:ih
May 5, 1945

268404
IN REPLY REFER TO

Mr. Paul D. Paxton
Middleton, Idaho

Dear Mr. Paxton:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some property of your son, Private Harry M. Paxton.

This property, consisting of a few small items, is being sent you.

If, for some reason, it has not been received at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer may be instituted.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

P. L. KOOB
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Officer-in-Charge
SI Unit

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT.

SHIP TO:

Mr. Paul D. Paxton

Middleton, Idaho

Effects of: Pvt. Harry M. Paxton
Name 37736701
ASN 263404 D
Case No.
Rt.

DATE 5 May 1945
JRM:VJ:ih

McDonald Blain
FCR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check
 Acct. No. _____
 Amount _____
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

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

ROUTING:

Accounting Branch
1 Warehouse Division
2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

1 p/2-9

Fracked FRANKED MAY 10 1945
Est. Exp. Cigs. _____
Est. Frt. Cigs. _____
No. of packages 1

✓ AK
Shipping Clerk

DESCRIPTION	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
			MISSING	<input type="checkbox"/>
			P.O.W.	<input type="checkbox"/>
			ABANDONED	<input type="checkbox"/>
			TALLY NO.	7266
			INV. DATE	14 Apr 1945
			ORIG. NO. OF PKGS.	1
			BOX NO.	9
			SHEET OF SHEETS	1
			ORGANIZATION	23 Arm'd Inf. Bn.

NAME Harry M. Patton
 A.S.N. 37736701 RANK Pvt.

268,404^{PS}

BELT	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	WINGS
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	CLOTHING	BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	BRACELET IDENT.	BILFOLD, (NO MONEY) etc
COATS	BRUSHES	CASE
FOOTWEAR, PR.	CAMERAS	FOOTLOCKER
GLOVES, PR.	GLASSES	KIT, SEW, TLT, OR WRITING
HANDKERCHIEFS	KNIVES	BOOKS
HEADWEAR	LIGHTERS	BOOKS, ADDRESS
JACKETS	MISC. INSIGNIA	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
OVERCOATS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DUR)
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SOUVENIR MONEY
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

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REMARKS Home address
Mullinville, Kansas

ATTACHMENTS

FORM #54 Inventory
 FORM #100 Sub G R Label

C.A.T. <u>None</u>	WEIGHT	G.I. REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE <u>1493</u>	STORED BY <u>MK</u>	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
INVENTORIED BY <u>Brewer</u>	DATE SHIPPED <u>MAY 10 1945</u>	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
PACKED BY <u>Martian</u>	CHECKED BY <u>E</u>	DIARY REMOVED
		L'CKED STORAGE
		LAUNDRY REMOVED
		FILM REMOVED