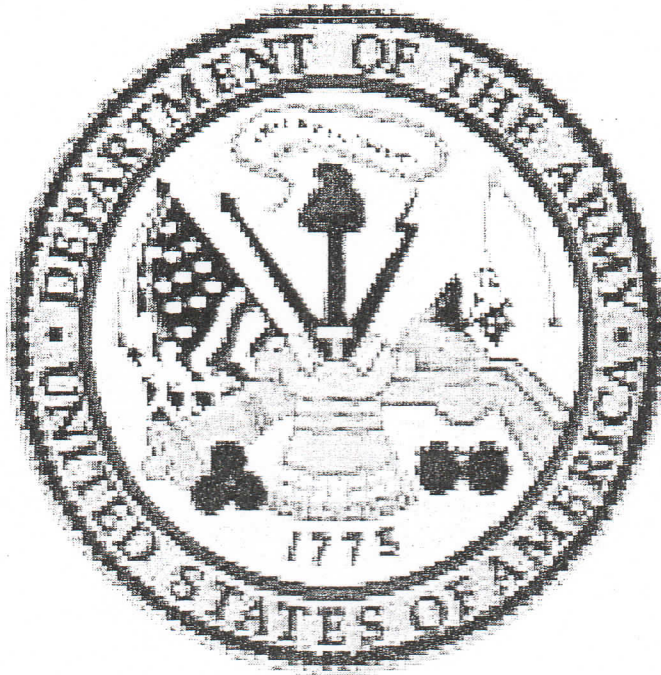


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PERSONNEL FILE*

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MEMORIALIZATION OF NON-RECOVERABLE
REMAINS OF WORLD WAR II

THIS FILE HAS BEEN AUDITED FOR NON-RECOVERABILITY

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

HARRISON, CLOY T

RANK

SSG

SERIAL NUMBER

34262016

ARM OF SERVICE

ARMY

DATE OF DEATH

30 OCT 45

AREA OF DEATH

HOLLAND

NAME OF AUDITOR

M. COX

DATE

11 APR 51

NAME OF REVIEWER

KINKEAD

DATE

11 APR 51

REMARKS

THIS FILE TO BE RETURNED

TO

MILITARY RECORDS SECTION

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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NON-RECOVERABLE REMAINS REEXAMINATION OF RECORDS •

AREA OF DEATH European, Vic of Meijel, Holland	CASE NUMBER 14921
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NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) <u>293</u> Harrison, Cloy T. <i>ec</i>	RANK S/Sgt	SERIAL NUMBER 34 262 016
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IN THE COURSE OF THIS REEXAMINATION IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF DEATH WERE SUCH THAT: (Check appropriate box)

THE REMAINS OF THE DECEDENT COULD NOT HAVE BEEN RECOVERED

THE REMAINS OF THE DECEDENT COULD HAVE BEEN RECOVERED. HOWEVER, AFTER REVIEW OF THE FOLLOWING IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT EVIDENCE DOES NOT EXIST TO CONTRADICT A FINDING OF NON-RECOVERABILITY:

	INITIALS OF ANALYST
1. 293 FILE OF DECEDENT	<i>E.M.</i>
2. GEOGRAPHICAL CLUE INDEX FILE OF UNKNOWNNS RECOVERED FROM APPROPRIATE AREA, COMPARED WITH DECEDENT	<i>E.M.</i>
3. OTHER DOCUMENTS OR SOURCES	

REMARKS

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JAN 25 1951
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RECOMMEND APPROVAL		APPROVED	DATE
NAME OF CASE ANALYST <i>E. Miller</i>	CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION	CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>M. Edwards</i> 1st Lt QMC	

**NON-RECOVERABLE CASE
RECORD OF REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

CASE NUMBER 14921 (1)

AREA OR ZONE(S)
European

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)
Harrison, Cloy T.

RANK
S/Sgt

SERIAL NUMBER
34 262 016

THE ATTACHED PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND THE FINDINGS OF NON-RECOVERABILITY OF THE REMAINS OF THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUAL(S) ARE APPROVED. (Corrections in name, rank, and/or serial number have been effected when appropriate.)

Individual Case

IN THE COURSE OF THIS REVIEW THE FOLLOWING SOURCES OF INFORMATION HAVE BEEN EXAMINED FOR ADDITIONAL CLUES. COPIES OF ANY DOCUMENTS BELIEVED MATERIAL TO THE CASE ARE ATTACHED FOLLOWING THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW.

	INITIALS OF ANALYST	(CROSS OUT THOSE NOT APPLICABLE)	INITIALS OF ANALYST
1. 293 FILE OF SUBJECT(S)	EM	2. a. RECOVERED b. FINDING OF DEATH c. STATUS REVIEW & DETERMINATION	EM
3. A - Z FILE OF KNOWN INTERMENTS IN U.S. MILITARY CEMETERIES, ISOLATED LOCATIONS, AND SEA BURIALS	EM	4. GEOGRAPHICAL CLUE INDEX FILE OF UNKNOWN RECOVERED FROM APPROPRIATE AREA	EM
5. ALPHABETICAL INDEX OF "BELIEVED TO BE" AND TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED UNKNOWN	EM	6. ALPHABETICAL FILE OF FORMER UNKNOWN NOW IDENTIFIED	EM
7. OTHER DOCUMENTS OR SOURCES After Action Reports			EM

THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES HAVE BEEN FOUND TO BE SUBSTANTIALLY AS PRESENTED IN THE ATTACHED PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW, WITH THE FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONS:

None

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File
JAN 25 1951

[Signature]
Identification Branch

NAME OF CASE ANALYST
E. Mulford
E. Mulford/cwt

CASE TO BE FORWARDED TO _____
FOR CONSIDERATION OF NOTIFICATION TO INTERESTED PARTIES.

CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION	RECOMMEND APPROVAL	CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION	APPROVED	DATE
<i>W. A. Wolf</i> W. A. WOLF		<i>C. C. Wasson</i> C. C. WASSON, Capt OMC	<i>Thomas E. Cox</i> THOMAS E. COX, Capt OMC	<i>25 Jan 51</i>

31 Oct 50

One Case

HEADQUARTERS
7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
OPERATIONS DIVISION
APO 757 (Liege) US ARMY

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Proceeding of a Board of Officers appointed in accordance with letter AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47) D-M, War Dept, TAGO, 9 April 1947.

The Board convened pursuant to par 2, SO 108, headquarters, 7887 Graves Registration Detachment, APO 757, US Army, 29 August 1950, at Liege, Belgium on 29 OCT 1950. The purpose of the Board was to determine the non-recoverability status of certain casualties now under jurisdiction of this command.

The Board reviewed report of investigation, statements of witness and other papers, contained in the files of 7887 Graves Registration Detachment, EA, pertaining to the case of the following named casualty/casualties, the remains of which have not been recovered. The case records and other data considered, are attached.

CASE No.	NAME	GRADE	ASN
	HARRISON, Clay T.	S/Sgt.	34 262 016

FINDINGS: The Board having carefully considered the evidence before it, finds the remains of said casualty/casualties are non-recoverable.

RECOMMENDATION: That the case concerning subject casualty/casualties be forwarded to the Office of The Quartermaster General for final approval.

ROBERT D. MILLER, Lt Col, O-41448 TC

James C. MacFarland
JAMES C. MacFARLAND, Maj. O-1576321 QMC

George Gunderman, Jr.
GEORGE GUNDERMAN, JR., Maj. O-1289071 QMC

Clyde W. Steinsiek
CLYDE W. STEINSIEK, Capt. O-1040311 QMC

HEADQUARTERS
7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
OPERATIONS DIVISION
APO 757 (Liege) US ARMY

GROP 293.9

SUBJECT: Non-recoverable remains

TO: Non-recoverable Board, AGRC

1. It is recommended that the Board take action on the following case:

NAME: HARRISON, Clay T. S/sgt 34 262 016

ORGANIZATION: Company "C" 48th Armored Infantry Bn.

DATE OF DEATH: 29 October 1944

PLACE OF DEATH: Vicinity of Meijel, Holland

SYNOPSIS: The above mentioned casualty was reported in the Casualty Clearance Plan report, dated 22 August 1945, submitted by his organization, as Missing in Action, on the date cited above. The company was engaged in an offensive mission to recapture Meijel, Holland from the enemy. The incident is further described from the report in the following paragraphs:

"The company was defending along the left side of the Asten-Meijel highway, two-half (2½) miles northwest of Meijel. The company position was overrun by enemy tanks and infantry and the personnel were forced to withdraw. At the first opportunity, a roll call was made and the subject casualty was not present."

"Company "C" meanwhile was staving off repeated efforts by the enemy to completely encircle the battalion, while the other companies escaped from their positions. In the new position the three companies were flank to flank and an overpowering breakthrough by heavy tanks overran the position and dispersed many of the men, such as remained formed still another defensive line about one mile in the rear of this second one and held on there until relieved by a full Scottish division.

GROP 293.9

SUBJECT: Non-recoverable remains

Since each withdrawal to a new line was accomplished under extremely difficult conditions, the dead and many of the wounded had to be left behind at each move. Thus accurate determination of the status of any who were left behind could not be made unless they were recovered and reported. Where Company "C" fought, the woods were thick and the underbrush dense. There were two peat bogs in the area and at least one swamp."

There are no eye-witness statements available and the circumstances of his loss are unknown. He was never reported a prisoner of war by any source official or unofficial. There is no additional information on file in this headquarters concerning the subject decedent.

Field Investigation conducted 21 August 1950, failed to locate the remains. It was revealed in statements of local residents that the remains of all American deceased in this area were removed by unknown American units, and that the wreckage of eleven (11) tanks in this area were removed by the American forces. All attempts to associate unknown deceased recovered from this area have met with negative results.

From the above recorded facts and the lack of evidence as to the exact place of death, it can only be concluded that S/Sgt Clay F. HARRISON was killed by the enemy and his remains disposed of in an unknown manner and location which precludes recovery or identification.

Reference is made to: OMBG Form 371; after action report 48th Armd Inf Bn; Casualty Clearance Plan dated 22 Aug 50; Status Review and Determination Report dated 30 Oct. 45; Missing Report dated 31 Oct 44; On file in the Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.

Reference is also made to: Narrative Report of Field Investigation dated 21 Aug 50; Attached.

2. All attached supporting documents are copied from records on file this headquarters.

3. It is recommended that the remains based upon the above information and research, be declared non-recoverable.

C. W. Steinbiek
C. W. STEINBIEK - ied
Captain, QMC

(Hollana 10509)

HEADQUARTERS
7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
REGISTRATION DIVISION
APO 757 (Liege) US ARMY

21 August 1950

NARRATIVE OF INVESTIGATION

I. AUTHORITY

In compliance with the information contained in Investigation Directives # 302, dated 26 May 1950, #348, dated 28 June 1950, # 381, dated 31 July 1950 and OI # 49, an investigation was conducted in the vicinity of ASTEN (3/E-61) and Meijel (3/E-70) Hollana for the possible recovery of the following casualties:

RICHARDS, Louis L.	36 313 695	Pvt	Bty "A"-440th AFA Bn 27 October 1944
HARRISON, Clay T.	34 262 016	S/Sgt	Co "C" 48th AI-Bn 29 October 1944
GOERS, Leo W.	37 173 737	T/4	Co "C" 17th Tank Bn 29 October 1944
ANDRAKO, William	32 227 000	Pfc	Co "F" 87th Cav Ren Sq 27 October 1944

II. FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES

These four cases are not related but due to the similarity of date, circumstances and place of death they have been grouped for the purpose of this investigation. Information contained in each of these cases indicates that these casualties were incurred during an attack by enemy tanks and a superior force of infantry troops during an attempt to capture Asten and Meijel, Hollana.

III. FINDINGS

The towns of Asten and Meijel were visited and records at the town halls in each place were examined with negative results. (See statements attached to individual cases). No record was found of any American remains recovered from this area. Information furnished by local officials indicates that remains of all American deceased in this area were removed by unknown American units late in 1944 and/or early in 1945. No information was ever furnished for the town records and they do

Narrative of Investigation

21 August 1950

not know where the remains were taken. The burgomaster at Asten remembers a tank (may be that indicated in ID # 381) which was knocked out on the highway just over the Asten Meijel town line. He also stated that he could recall three (3) graves by the roadside near the wrecked tank. There were about eleven (11) tanks destroyed in this area and all wreckage was removed by American units. Mr. Neussen, an employee of the town hall stated that two (2) American casualties were removed from a house (may be the one mentioned in ID # 302) and were buried nearby. He stated that one of these casualties was a Lt. These remains were also removed by the Americans.

IV. CONCLUSION

Records on file in the town halls at both Asten and Meijel were checked with negative results.

Statements of local residents indicate that the remains of all American deceased in this area were removed by American units. Statements also indicate that the wreckage of eleven (11) tanks in this area were removed by the American forces. There are no isolated graves reported and no remains interred in local cemeteries that may be associated with the subject casualties.

V. RECOMMENDATION

That a recheck of all remains still in an Unknown status which were recovered from this area be made in an effort to obtain an association with the subject casualties.

That if the results of this investigation are negative consideration be given for Non-recoverable action in the case of the subject accidents.

/s/ Harold E. WARNER
Da Civ, D-046899
Investigator

HEADQUARTERS
7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
APO 757 (LIEGE) US ARMY

SPECIAL ORDERS)

29 August 1950

NUMBER 108)

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2. PAC, Ltr WD-AGO-S 293.9, dtd 9 Apr 47, subj: "Establishment of Boards of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead Overseas", and par 118 b, SR 830-110-5, DA, 3 Mar 49, a Board of O's as follows is hereby apt. to meet at the call of the President thereof, for the purpose of reviewing case records pertaining to the Identification of Deceased, Determination of non-recoverability of Remains and for the purpose of reviewing Major Discrepancy Cases:

LT COL ROBERT D. MILLER,	TC.,	O 41 448,	President
MAJOR JAMES C. MAC FARLAND,	QMC.,	O 1 576 321	
MAJOR GEORGE GUNDERMAN, Jr.,	QMC.,	O 1 289 071	
CAPT CLYDE W. STEINSIEK,	QMC.,	O 1 040 311	
CWO HENRY F. MYERS,	USA,	W 2 104 778	

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BY ORDER OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL MULVANITY:

ROBERT K. COLE,
CWO USA,
Asst Adjutant.

OFFICIAL:

s/t/ ROBERT K. COLE,
CWO USA,
Asst Adjutant.

A TRUE COPY

Robert G. Lay
ROBERT G. LAY
Capt QMC
Memorial Division

AIRMAIL

[Handwritten signature]

QMGMS 293 1st Ind
Harrison, Clay T.
S/Sgt 34 262 015
SUBJECT: Request for Information

Dept. of the Army, OQIG, Washington 25, D. C., 16 June 1950

TO: Commanding Officer, 7897 Graves Registration Detachment, APO 757,
c/o Postmaster, New York, New York

Submitted herewith are copies of all available information
surrounding the death of S/Sgt Clay T. Harrison, 34 262 015.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

- 4 Incls
- 1. Cy AG Memo dtd 5 Apr 49
- 2. Cy After Action Report
- 3. Cy Missing Report
- 4. Cy BEAD #4533

THOMAS H. COX
Capt OIG
Memorial Division

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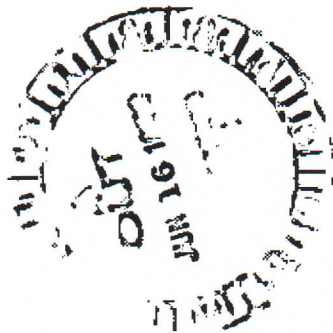
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cc: Adm Section



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(Holland 10509)

HEADQUARTERS
7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
REGISTRATION DIVISION
APO 757 (Liege) US ARMY

GRRE 293.9 (IB)

13 April 1950

SUBJECT: Request for Information

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

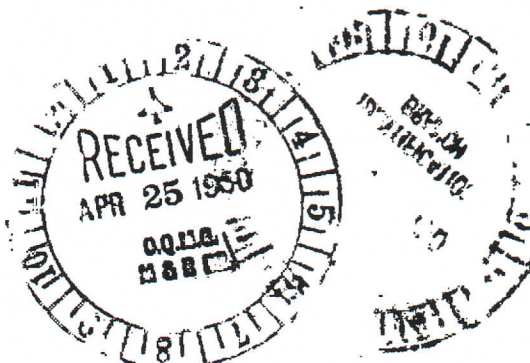
1. Reference is made to OQMG Form 371 pertaining to ²⁹³ S/Sgt Clay
T. Harrison, 34262016.

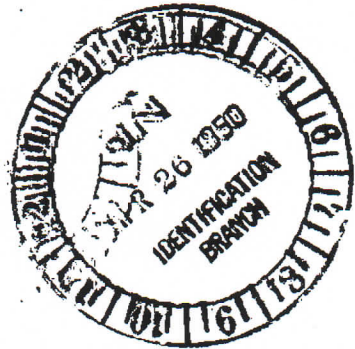
2. It is requested that all available data contained in records your office, including Status Review and Determination Report and After Action Report, be forwarded this headquarters as a possible aid in resolving this case.

3. Further action withheld pending receipt of additional information.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

JAMES G. MacFARLAND
Major, QMG
Registration Division





APR 26 1950
IDENTIFICATION BRANCH

TO: SAC, NEW YORK
FROM: SAC, PHOENIX
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

RE: [Illegible]

DATE: [Illegible]

AIR MAIL

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QMS 293
Harrison, Clay T.
SN 34262016

13 June 1960

SUBJECT: Request for Information

TO: Commanding Officer
7887 Graves Registration Detachment
APO 757, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. Reference is made to your letter dated 13 April 1960, file QMS 293.9 (1B), subject as above.
2. Requested information will be forwarded your headquarters approximately 3 July 1960.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

THOMAS E. COX
Capt., QMC
Memorial Division

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AIR MAIL



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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
1	Search Info Sec Ident Br Mem Div HOSPTEL	OQMG Liaison Pentagon Major Sekowski	1 May 1950	<p>Request all available information, including SR&D Report, surrounding the death of:</p> <p><i>293</i> Harrison, Clay T., S/Sgt., 34 262 016</p> <p>Ltr #637</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>H</i> HOSPTEL 72000</p>
2	QM- Pent Liaison Admin Br Mem Div	Search Info Sec Ident Br Mem Div	12 June 1950	<p>Inclosed herewith all the information available, which was obtained from DPFB 201 Files; AGO Casualty Files and Army Ground Forces Historical Files and SR&D No. 4523, pertaining to the death of Staff Sergeant Clay T. Harrison, 34,262,016, of Company "C", 48th Armored Infantry Battalion.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>B. J. S.</i> SEKOWSKI 6679</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>E. M. D.</i> DYER 73090</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>file K. Hospel Id Br 14 June 50</i></p>

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PENTAGON LIAISON

JOINT



NAME: Harrison, Cloy L. ASN: 34 262, 016 RANK: S Sgt

PHYSICAL AT TIME OF INDUCTION: DATE 27 February 1942

RACE: White

RELIGION: Protestant

Fractures and/or breaks:
none

BORN: 26 March 1917

PLACE: Guinnett Co., Ga.

Tattoos and/or birthmarks:
none

WEIGHT: 150 lbs

HEIGHT: 5 ft 7 inches

EYES: brown

HAIR: black

Form 79: none

COMPLEXION: ruddy

SHOE SIZE: 6 1/2 EE

DENTAL As of February 1942

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Org: Company C, 48th Armored Infantry Bn

MIA: 29 October 1944, near ^{Asten, *} Meijel, Holland.

SR + D # 4523

PENTAGON LIAISON
JUN 12 1950
MEM. DIV. COMG

AGPC-S 201 Harrison, Cloy T.
(30 Oct 45) 34,262,016

30 October 1945

Mrs. Dorothy A. Harrison
Route #3
Lawrenceville, Georgia

Dear Mrs. Harrison:

Since your husband, Staff Sergeant Cloy T. Harrison, 34,262,016, Infantry, was reported missing in action 29 October 1944, the War Department has entertained the hope that he survived and that information would be revealed dispelling the uncertainty surrounding his absence. However, as in many cases, the conditions of warfare deny us such information. The record concerning your husband shows that he was a member of the 48th Armored Infantry Battalion which attempted to recapture Meijel, Holland. Heavy enemy resistance in the form of tanks supported by infantry was encountered. During a series of German counterattacks your husband's company was in a defensive position near Meijel. When the company was reorganized after the battle, your husband could not be found. Meijel is located about eleven miles southwest of Venlo in Eastern Holland.

Full consideration has recently been given to all available information bearing on the absence of your husband, including all records, reports and circumstances. These have been carefully reviewed and considered. In view of the fact that twelve months have now expired without the receipt of evidence to support a continued presumption of survival, the War Department must terminate such absence by a presumptive finding of death. Accordingly, an official finding of death has been recorded under the provisions of Public Law 490, 77th Congress, approved March 7, 1942, as amended.

The finding does not establish an actual or probable date of death; however, as required by law, it includes a presumptive date of death for the termination of pay and allowances, settlement of accounts and payment of death gratuities. In the case of your husband this date has been set as 30 October 1945, the day following the expiration of twelve months' absence.

I regret the necessity for this message but trust that the ending of a long period of uncertainty may give at least some small measure of consolation. I hope you may find sustaining comfort in the thought that the uncertainty with which war has surrounded the absence of your husband has enhanced the honor of his service to his country and of his sacrifice.

Sincerely yours,
EDWARD F. WITSELL
Capt., A. G. P.

EDWARD F. WITSELL
Major General

Acting The Adjutant General of the Army

AG 201
Cas. Br.

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FILE CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
Status Review and
Determination Section

C O P Y

Harrison Cloy T.
PC-N ETO 241

23 June 1950

Mrs. Dorothy A. Harrison
Route #1
Lawrenceville, Georgia

Dear Mrs. Harrison:

It distresses me to inform you that no report of any change in status has been received since my last letter concerning your husband, Staff Sergeant Cloy T. Harrison 34,262,016, who was reported missing in action on 29 October 1944.

A report, however, regarding the circumstances surrounding his disappearance now available in the War Department discloses that your husband while with his company on a mission to recapture the town of Miel, Holland, encountered heavy enemy resistance and following the confusion of the battle your husband was found to be missing.

If a missing person has not been accounted for at the termination of twelve months' absence in a missing status, all available information concerning his disappearance is reviewed pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 490, 77th Congress, as amended. Following that review the War Department is authorized to continue the person's missing status or to make a finding of death if the missing person may no longer reasonably be presumed to be living. In the process of reviewing the case of missing persons the War Department gives careful consideration to all pertinent data or evidence which can be collected from any available source. Occasionally relatives and friends of missing persons receive communications containing pertinent and reliable information which has not been reported officially to the War Department. If you have received any such communications, it will be greatly appreciated if you will forward the communications or photostatic copies thereof to this office. After examination they will be returned to you if you so desire.

The War Department is mindful of the anguish you have so long endured and you may rest assured that, without any further request on your part, you will be advised promptly if any additional information concerning your loved one is received. Should it become necessary to establish his status in accordance with the provisions of the law cited, you will be notified of the findings shortly after the expiration of the twelve months' absence.

You have my heartfelt sympathy in your sorrow and it is my earnest hope that the fortitude which has sustained you in the past will continue through this distressing period of uncertainty.

Sincerely yours,

s/J.A. ULIO
Major General
The Adjutant General of the Army

C O P Y

201-Harrison, Cloy T. (Enl) 1st Ind.
Hq., 48th Armd Inf Bn., APO 257, U.S. Army, 17 January 1945.

TO: C. G. European Theatre of Operations, U.S. Army, APO 887
(Att: AG Casualty Division)

1. S/Sgt Harrison, Cloy T. 34,262,016, Company "C" was shown MIA
29 October 1944 on our BCR #73 this Headquarters dated 1 November 1944.

2. S/Sgt Harrison was among the missing after an engagement during
which the recapture of the town of Meijel, Holland was attempted. Heavy
resistance in the form of tanks with infantry support was encountered,
several enemy counter attacks followed and casualties to the unit were
numerous.

3. It is possible that soldier was captured.

For the Commanding Officer:

s/JOHN P. MOYLE
CWO USA
Asst. Adjutant.

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

4523

FINDING OF DEATH OF MISSING PERSON

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of the Act of 7 March 1942 (Public Law 490 77th Cong.) as amended, upon direction and delegation by The Secretary of War, The Chief, Casualty Branch, The Adjutant General's Office, finds Staff Sergeant Cloy T. Harrison, Army Serial Number 34,262,016, Infantry,

to be dead. He was officially reported as missing in action as of the 29th day of October 1944. For the purposes stated in said Act, death is presumed to have occurred on the 30th day of October, 1945.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

George F. Heahent

**ADJUTANT GENERAL
CHIEF, CASUALTY BRANCH**

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

AREA European	FLYING STATUS No	JUMP STATUS No	LINE OF DUTY Yes	OWN MIS-CONDUCT No	ON DUTY STATUS Yes	ABSENCE AUTH'D
PREVIOUS REVIEWS None						
DATE OF BIRTH 26 Mar 1917	HOME ADDRESS Lawrenceville, Georgia	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 27 Feb 1942	LENGTH OF SERVICE (AS OF PRESUMED DATE OF DEATH)			
			YEARS Over	MONTH three	DAYS years	

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

NAME Mrs. Dorothy A. Harrison	RELATIONSHIP Wife	ADDRESS Route #3 Lawrenceville, Georgia
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BENEFICIARIES

NAME Dorothy Reese Harrison	RELATIONSHIP Wife	ADDRESS Route #3 Lawrenceville, Georgia
NAME Bessie Hanev Harrison	RELATIONSHIP Mother	ADDRESS Route #3
NAME C. A. Harrison	RELATIONSHIP Father	ADDRESS Lawrenceville, Georgia

REMARKS

	Distribution <u>56</u>
Awarded Combat Infantryman Badge per authority GO #85, Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, dated 16 November 1944.	
Circumstances of disappearance: Soldier was a member of a company in defensive position during enemy counterattacks near Meijel, Holland	



MEM. DIV. COMB
JUN 12 1950
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MISSING REPORT*

To accompany WD AGO Forms 66-1 or 24 of Missing or Missing in Action Personnel (other than those covered by Missing Air Crew Report).

NAME Harrison, Cloy T. AS 34, 262, 016 GRADE S/Sgt Service Inf Arm or

ORG 48th Armd Inf Bn APO 257 Date 1 Nov 44 Reported MIA

MISSION To take Miel, Holland

POINT OF DEPARTURE 67-09 DATE 29 October 1944

INTENDED DESTINATION Miel, Holland

LAST KNOWN WHEREABOUTS 67-09 in defensive position during enemy attack by tanks and infantry

BRIEF RESUME OF CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING DISAPPEARANCE:

The 48th AIB had begun an attack to recapture Miel on the 27th Oct, 44. Heavy enemy resistance in the way of tanks, supported by foot infantry was encountered. In the many series of counter-attacks on our forces, many men were found to be missing following the confusion of the battle. It is possible he might have been captured.

STATEMENTS OF WITNESSES, IF ANY:

None

REMARKS: (Any information not covered above, including details and results of search, if any, conducted)

Date of Report 31 October 1944

s/ Herbert I. Bursen, Jr.,
(Signature of preparing Officer)
1st Lieutenant.

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AG 704 - Dead (30 Oct 45)
S. R. & D. No. 4523

30 October 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Casualty Branch

SUBJECT: Review and Determination of Status
Under the Missing Persons Act.

I.-FACTS

1. The following-named enlisted man of the 48th Armored Infantry Battalion has been carried on War Department records as missing in action in Holland since 29 October 1944 as reported by ETO Shipment Nos. 240 and 241:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>GRADE</u>
Harrison Cloy T.	34,262,016	Staff Sergeant

3. a. Missing Report, dated 31 October 1944, has been received regarding Harrison, of Company C, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion (Casualty Branch files). This report show that the subject enlisted man was on a mission to take Meijel, Holland. His last known whereabouts was in defensive position at a place designated as 67-09. His report contains the following resume of circumstances:

"The 48th AIB had begun an attack to recapture Meijel on the 27th Oct 44. Heavy enemy resistance in the way of tanks supported by foot infantry was encountered. In the many series of counter attacks on our forces, many men were found to be missing following the confusion of the battle. It is possible he might have been captured."

c. The Service Record of this man shows that that he was missing near Asten, Holland.

4. Meijel is eleven miles and Liesel fifteen miles west of venlo in Eastern Holland. Meijel is six miles southeast of Liesel and seven miles southeast of Asten.

5. According to the O.N.I. weekly, 1 November 1944, the Germans began counterattacking in this sector on 27 October 1944 and we were forced to withdraw from Meijel the next day. On 29 October 1944 Liesel was lost to the enemy, but was recaptured by the 31st.

6. An examination of the file of this person in Enlisted Branch and Casualty Branch, and the index in the Prisoner of War Information Bureau, PMGO, reveals no further information pertinent to this review.

S. R. & D. No. 4523

II.-CONCLUSIONS

1. On 29 October 1944 the Germans were counter-attacking in the Netherlands battle sector held by the 48th Armored Infantry Battalion.

2. S/Sgt Harrison of the 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, became missing in action during an attempt to retake Meijel, Holland. The Germans launched a series of counterattacks with tanks supported by infantry and this man was found to be missing after the battle.

3. In view of the foregoing and the lapse of twelve months since this person became missing in action, it appears that he may not reasonably be presumed to be living.

III.-RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that a finding of death be made, as of 30 October 1945, in the case of the person named in paragraph 1, Part I, hereof, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Missing Persons Act.

First Lieutenant, AGD

Investigator

CONCURRED IN:

s/JOHN T. BURNS
Lieutenant Colonel, AGD
Officer in Charge
Status Review and
Determination Section

APPROVED:

s/GEORGE F. HERBERT
Colonel, AGD
Chief, Casualty Branch

Staff Sergeant
Cloy T. Harrison
34,262,016, Infantry

AG 201 Harrison, Cloy T.
34262016 (5 Apr 49)

LHM/mmh/1B739/10822

5 April 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD:

SUBJECT: Review of Circumstances Surrounding the Disappearance
of Personnel Presumed Dead

1. Staff Sergeant Cloy T. Harrison, 34262016, Infantry, Company C, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, was reported missing in action in Holland on 29 October 1944 by ETO Shipment No. 241.

2. Under the provisions of Section 5, Public Law 490, 7 March 1942, as amended, a finding of death was made in the case of this soldier, which finding indicated that he was presumed dead as of 30 October 1945 (S. R. & D. No. 4523, file AG 704 - Dead 30 Oct 45). Missing report, dated 31 October 1944, and filed in the subject soldier's Casualty Branch file, states that Sergeant Harrison became missing in action during an attempt to retake Meijel, Holland. The Germans launched a series of counterattacks with tanks supported by infantry, and Sergeant Harrison, with several other members of his unit, were found to be missing. There are no eye-witness statements available and the circumstances of his loss are unknown.

3. No information has been received concerning Sergeant Harrison since he was first reported missing in action. He was never reported a prisoner of war, nor can any reference to him be found in captured German records. A search of the files of the office of The Quartermaster General reveals no information relative to him.

4. Inasmuch as it cannot be definitely determined whether this soldier was killed in action, or was captured by the Germans and died at a later date, it appears that a definite determination of his status is impossible without further information. Lacking the exact date and cause of death, it is concluded that it is not feasible, at the present time, to issue a report of death under the provisions of Section 9 of the Missing Persons Act.

L. H. MUNCASTER
Investigator

COPY FOR:
OQMG, Memorial Div.
AG 201 file

CONCUR:

T. J. COLLUM
Major, AGD
OIC, Determination Unit
Casualty Section
PA Branch, AGO

Ref. Harrison, Clay T. S/Sgt., 34,262,016, MIA 29 Oct 44
Co "C", 48th Armored Inf Bn

AFTER ACTION REPORT

48TH ARMORED INFANTRY BATTALION

On 27 Oct 44 German Panzer Div forces moved across the canal and recaptured Meijel, Holland, during the night and were moving aggressively west toward Asten, Holland.

29 October 44 enemy armor continued violent attacks on 48th Armored forces all day. At least ten enemy tanks were knocked out and an almost equal number of our own Tank Destroyers from the 814th and tanks from the 17th Tk Bn were lost. Our casualties were largely MIA cases caused from the confusion brought about by the enemy flank attacks. The 87th Rcn failed each time on its flank protecting mission and the tankers became disorganized when their 75 fire failed to stop the German Tiger Tanks. Despite the constant danger of annihilation the 48th stood its ground and bore the blunt of the three-day attack. Heavy losses in equipment and personnel were paid but the 48th's gallant stand was credited by all with saving Asten, Holland, prior to the arrival of adequate support.

AIRMAIL

FORM 293
GNS (European)

9 September 1949

SUBJECT: Additional Information

TO: Commanding General
American Graves Registration Command
European Area
APO 53, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. Reference is made to paragraph 3, 1st Indorsement this Office, file GNS 293, GNS (European), dated 12 August 1949, subject: Request for Identification Data.

2. Attached are photostat copies of twenty-seven (27) Forms 79 for the following individuals:

Ballantyne, John	16 151 730
Bernal, Deforino	30 560 357
Bunch, Leonard B.	30 377 610
Burns, Daniel L.	34 354 949
Cannata, Salvadore A.	31 312 255
Harrison, Cloy T.	34 262 016
Hantz, Henry G.	15 109 427
Perkins, Ralph F. Jr.	0 657 122
Phelps, George L.	01 011 445
Pollitto, Vincent L.	7 823
Tyer, Ivan D.	0 310 079
Ladd, Harry G.	35 449 024

3. There are no forms 79 available for the following:

Botello, Francis J.	30 497 305
Burrows, Webster T.	17 000 163
Bourens, Leon	34 514 200
Clenbaski, Stanley	34 100 241
Johnson, Carl	34 430 670
Pratt, George	34 981 423
Satterfield, Milton	34 649 555

FOR THE ADDRESS THE [unclear] [unclear]

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T. H. WETZ
Lt. Colonel, USA
Memorial Division

AIRMAIL

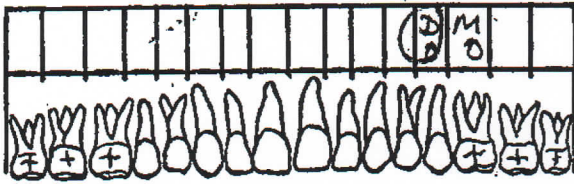
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DATE OF FOD					
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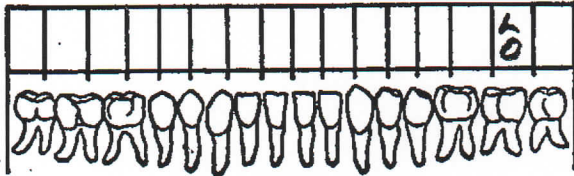
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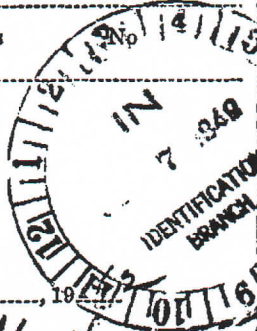
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Dental foci suspected: Yes

Other conditions



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Lt EA Winters, Dental Corps, U. S. A.

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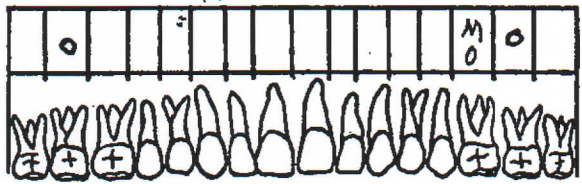


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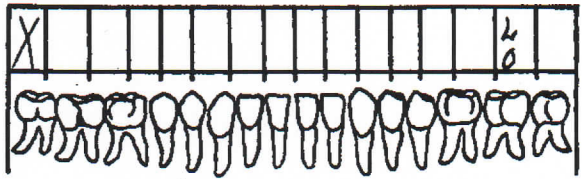
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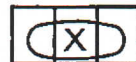
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Dental Corps, U. S. A.

**IDENTIFICATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION**

IDENTIFICATION DATA

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL <i>Harrison, Cloy T.</i>			ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <i>34262016</i>		GRADE <i>S/Sgt.</i>
HEIGHT <i>5' 7"</i>	WEIGHT <i>150</i>	COLOR EYES <i>Brown</i>	COLOR HAIR <i>Black</i>	SHOE SIZE <i>6 1/2 EE</i>	DATE OF DEATH <i>30 Oct 45</i>

LAST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (Give complete designation)

Co C, 48th Armd. Inf. Bn.

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA

MIA 29 Oct 44, presumed dead 30 Oct 45. Missing after battle near Meijel, Holland.

LIST ALL CAMPS IN WHICH STATIONED IN U.S. PRIOR TO SERVICE OVERSEAS, WITH INCLUSIVE DATES AT EACH.

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FROM: **WD, AGO CIVILIAN RECORDS BRANCH**

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FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS

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For disposition

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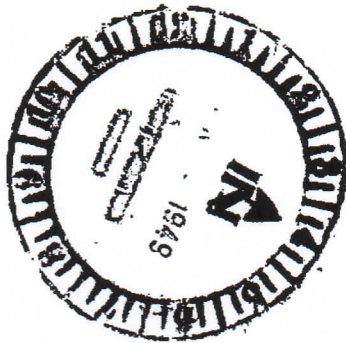
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IDENTIFICATION BRANCH

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MEMORANDUM



293 FILE

DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECORDED OR IDENTIFIED

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

HARRISON, CLOY T

GRADE

S/SGT.

PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER

34262

ORGANIZATION

CO, C, 48th AVIATION INF. BN

RACE

WHITE

CREED

PROTEST

FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)

DATE OF DEATH/MIA

21-OCT-44

CAUSE OF DEATH

FINDING OF DEATH

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NEAR MEITEL, HOLLAND

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

FINDING OF DEATH OF MISSING PERSON

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

George F. Hebert

**ADJUTANT GENERAL
CHIEF, CASUALTY BRANCH**

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

AREA	FLYING STATUS	JUMP STATUS	LINE OF DUTY	OWN DIS-CONDUCT	ON DUTY STATUS	ABSENCE AUTH'D
European	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
PREVIOUS REVIEWS						
None						
DATE OF BIRTH	HOME ADDRESS	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE	LENGTH OF SERVICE (AS OF PRESUMED DATE OF DEATH)			
26 Mar 1917	Lawrenceville, Georgia	27 Feb 1942	YEARS	MONTH	DAYS	
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EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

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REMARKS

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Circumstances of disappearance: Soldier was a member of a company in defensive position during enemy counterattacks near Meijel, Holland	
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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
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-BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME		SERIAL NUMBER		GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE
HARRISON CLOY T		34262016		S. SG	INF	ETO
PLACE OF CASUALTY		DATE OF CASUALTY		FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER
HOLLAND 9		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	U	MIA
		29	OCT	44		241

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 DOROTHY A HARRISON	WIFE	13 NOV 44
NO. AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE		
ROUTE NUMBER ONE LAWRENCEVILLE GEORGIA		

REMARKS:

CORRECTED COPY



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

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED _____ OR CHARGED TO _____ DATE _____

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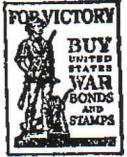
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KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

(S-11-2-45)
RTB:AC:mw
August 25, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 292603

Mrs. Dorothy A. Harrison
Route # 1
Lawrenceville, Georgia

file up

Dear Mrs. Harrison:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal property of your husband, Staff Sergeant Cloy T. Harrison.

These effects are being forwarded to you in one carton. Regrettably, a pair of shoes was damaged by mold prior to receipt at this Bureau. We have included this property, preferring not to delay the shipment, nor to remove any effects without your consent.

My action in transmitting the property does not vest title in you. It is forwarded only in order that you may safely keep it on behalf of the owner pending his return. In the event he later is reported a casualty, and I sincerely hope he never is, it will be necessary that the property be turned over to the person or persons legally entitled to receive it.

I shall appreciate your acknowledging delivery by signing one copy of this letter in the space provided and returning it to this Bureau. For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Yours-very truly,

P. L. KOOB
1st Lt., QMC
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Branch

1 Incl-
Envelope

Receipt acknowledged:

Mrs Dorothy A. Harrison
(Signature)

August 31, 1945
(Date)
292603

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Dorothy A. Harrison

SHIP TO:

Route # 1

S/Sgt. Cloy T. Harrison

Lawrenceville, Georgia

Effects of:
Name

34262016

ASN

292603 M

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 25 August 1945

RTB:AC:mw

AB Cowart

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

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

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

ROUTING:

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

REMARKS:

SHIP DAMAGED PROPERTY

Franked **AUG 29 1945**
Est. Exp. Chgs.
Est. Frt. Chgs.
No. of packages 1

mk

Shipping Clerk

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CROSS REFERENCE

CHECK	REC'D BY	NUMBER	BUREAU CHECK
MONEY ORDER			TRANSMIT ORIGINAL
BOND		SYMBOL	ORIG. REG. MAIL
TRAV. CHECK		AMOUNT	TO G. A. O.
FOREIGN CURRENCY		DATE	MUTILATED
U. S. CURRENCY			TO ISSUING AGENCY
		BANK OR PLACE OF ISSUE	
		PAYEE	
		REMITTER OR DRAWER	

TALLY NO. <i>9997</i>	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS. <i>1</i>	EXAMINING DATE <i>11 Aug 45</i>	BOX NO.	SHEET <i>1</i> OF <i>1</i> SHEETS
NAME <i>CLAY T HARRISON</i>		A. S. N. <i>34262016</i>		
ORGANIZATION <i>48th Armid Inf Bn 7th Armid Div</i>		RANK <i>S/SGT</i>		CASE NO. <i>292603</i>
WAREHOUSE SPACE <i>1070</i>	EXAMINED BY <i>M. Halls</i>	DIARY REMOVED		
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION <i># 1 ctn</i>	PACKED BY <i>King</i>	PHOTO FILM REMOVED		
WEIGHT	INSPECTED BY <i>B</i>	MOTION PICTURE FILM REMOVED		
	STORED BY <i>RC</i>	SHIPPED		
		DATE <i>AUG 29 1945</i>	BY WHOM <i>mc</i>	

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NAME HARRISON, CLAY T O S/SGT: 2016

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
18	18		9997
TYPE OF PKG.			INVENTORIED

PKG.

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RESTRICTED
INVENTORY FORM

10 JAN 45

Date

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of:

HARRISON

CLOY

T

S/SGT

34262016

(Last Name)

(First Name)

(MI)

(Rank)

(ASN)

TO: Effects Quartermaster, Communication Zone, APO _____ US Army

The above named individual of 45TH ARMED INF BN

7TH ARMORED DIVISION

(Unit)

(Organization)

was reported

MIA

about

29 OCTOBER

1944

• Status (KIA, MIA, Hosp. etc.)

(Date)

Designated Beneficiary if information readily accessible

NOT KNOWN

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

- 1 PAIR SHOES
- 1 BICYCLE GENERATOR WITH LIGHT AND REFLECTOR
- 2 SEWING KITS
- 1 HAT
- 1 SOAP CONTAINER
- 1 RUBBER STAMP AND PAD
- 2 HANDKERCHIEFS
- 1 CAN SHOE POLISH
- PERSONAL CARD
- 1 SHOE SHINE CLOTH
- 1 SOUVENIR MEDAL
- 1 BAR RIBBON AND TWO COLLAR INSIGNIAS
- 1 ARMY TANK CARBINE EXPERT MEDAL

Money in the amount of NONE has been turned into _____

(Name of Finance Office)

Form WDFD-38 enclosed.
and symbol number)

NOT KNOWN

Names and addresses of any Banks in which accounts may be carried:

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects, secured by me, of the above named individual and that they were forwarded to the Effects Depot

by TRUCK on 10 JAN 1945
(Rail, Truck, etc.)

Name

Sam B. Plyler

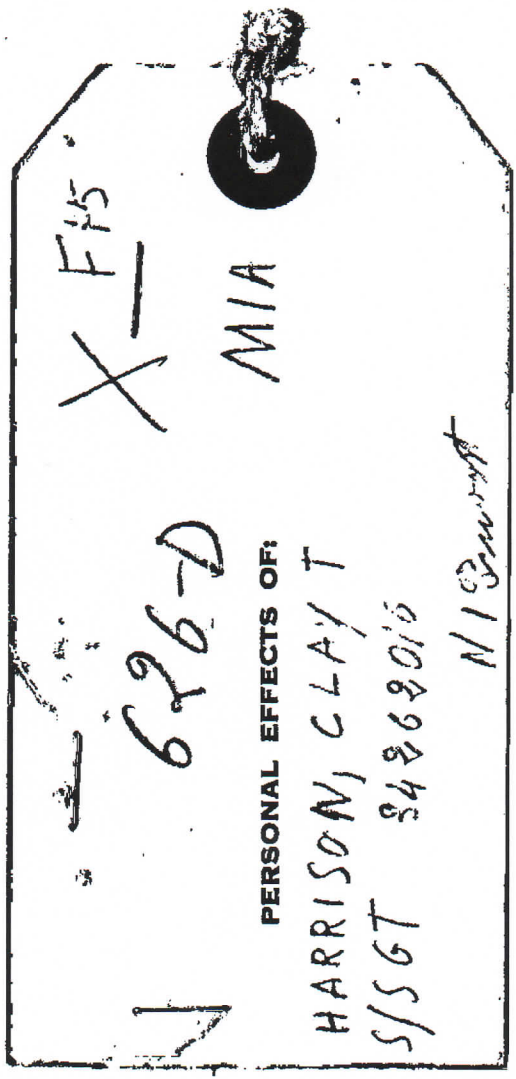
Rank & ASN

SAM B PLYLER
CAPT QHQ O-1016266

Organization

HEADQUARTERS 7th A.D.

Any additional pertinent information:



N

626-D

X- F15

MIA

PERSONAL EFFECTS OF:

HARRISON, CLAY T

S/SGT 84262010

N1 Burt

WAR DEPARTMENT
EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER CZ
APO 513, U. S. ARMY

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

**PENALTY FOR PRIVATE
USE TO AVOID PAYMENT
OF POSTAGE 300.00**

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PKG.		

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