

293 LIDSKY, HERMAN H., PVT 36781425

#5572

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9/16; DO-H

RG-092



REQ309141512 WNR-01-09-028-1-024-01-005

ARR1-1259929391 **Transfer#:** W092-70A0001 **Box:** ~~19966~~ **CC:** 00

Asset#: AAC1-23791584 **Whole Container:** N

C/F: LIDSKY, HERMAN H.; SN# 36781425 **Created:** 09/11/2015

General Reference Temporary Loan of Records

Standard Customer Pick-up N/A

TO: ESTHER BERUMEN
310 WORCHESTER AVENUE BUILDING 45
JBPHH 96853

P: (808)448-1994 **F:**

CASE CHECKLIST

LIDSKY, Herman H.	Unknown	36781425	US ARMY
LAST NAME, FIRST, MI.	SSN	SN	SERVICE
10 Sep 44	None	Pvt	N/A
DOI	PFOD(PDD)	RANK/GRADE-DOI	RANK/GRADE-POSTHUMOUS
Dornot, France	Infantry Bridgehead	None listed	
INCIDENT LOCATION	TYPE	SECONDARY LOCATION	TYPE

STATUS: 293 FILE.

RECORDS REQ: 20 Sep 88	RECORDS REC'D: 3 Oct 88
SF 88 None ORIGINAL	
SF 89 None ORIGINAL	
OQMG FORM 371 (2)	PHOTOS (2)
WDMD FORM 79 None ORIGINAL	DENTAL X-RAYS None
WDAGO FORM 0353 None	
WDAGO FORM 52-1 1	
S&R REPORT Yes	

STATUS: DD898 PACKET.***

DD FM 898 draft	DA FM 5520 draft	BIODATA draft
CasInfoMemo final	SUMMARY draft	OVERLAY
HEALTH & DENTAL Repr yes	X-RAYS REPRO No	PHOTOS
PACKET TO CDR:	PACKET FINAL	PACKET FILED

ASSOCIATED CASES:

BURTON, WILLIAM R./PFC/1515898*	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
CLEMENT, ALFRED J./PFC/36227750	08SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
CRAWFORD, JAMES W./SSGT/34254893	08SEP44	23RD ARMD	- (NOT LISTED)
CULLISON, THOMAS J./1LT/0-1318765	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
DENEEN, JEROME C./PFC/36227925	08SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
DICKEY, GEORGE T./PFC/33587715	09SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
ERARDI, JOSEPH C./PVT/32254567	15SEP44	35TH TANK	9 (FRANCE)
ERICKSON, ERIC R./PFC/36103936	11SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
FISHER, WILLARD C./SGT/39339014	16SEP44	359TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
FOY, LLOYD/PVT/34253686	10SEP44	23RD ARMD	9 (FRANCE)
GEBHARDS, HARRY A./PFC/36052118	08SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
HALLORAN, WILLIAM F./PFC/32257356	09SEP44	23RD ARMD	9 (FRANCE)
HARRIS, RALPH/PVT/36024001	11SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
HILL, EDGAR W./PVT/31269360	11SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
HILLYARD, JOHNNY R./1LT/0-450246*	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
HUNT, ORVILLE/PFC/166006889	10SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
KIGER, EARL W./PFC/36228224	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
KNOTTS, HERBERT C./PVT/42082759	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
LALOPA, FRANK/PFC/32736269	09SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
LINER, JOHN A./PFC/34721923**	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
LOWRY, STEPHEN T./1LT/0-412545**	09SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)

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MATUSZAK, THADDEUS S./SGT/36214574	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
NASH, WILLIE G./PVT/34899335	09SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
PONSONE, JOHN/PFC/34192303	10SEP44	23RD ARMD	9 (FRANCE)
RISOLI, SAMUEL G./SSG/32112032**	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
RUFFOLO, BENNIE/PVT/36214242	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
SCHLAMP, RAYMOND U./PFC/36227835	12SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
SMITH, JAMES S./TSGT/6985951	12SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
SPEAR, HAROLD H./TSGT/361103576	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
STANDRIDGE, WENDALL F./PVT/35927044	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
SULLIVAN, JOHN P./PFC/32847571**	06SEP45	3RD CAV	9 (FRANCE)
TOMMASSONE, EDWARD E./PFC/36643937	08SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
UNDERWOOD, WILBURN T./PFC/3426379	10SEP44	23RD ARMD	9 (FRANCE)
WILLIAMS, JAMES L./PFC/36568028	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
WILLIAMS, GOMER/PVT/33113760	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
WIRTZ, MATTHEW/1LT/O-1287638	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
WRIGHT, JAMES E./1LT/O-402766	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
ZALAC, MICHAEL J. JR./SGT/36813035	10SEP44	204TH ENGR	9 (FRANCE)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- *Record Not Received
- **Resolved
- ***Packet to be reproduced after corrections



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND
ALEXANDRIA, VA
22331-0482



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

TAPC-PED-D

13 October 1994

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, United States Air Force Port of Entry
Mortuary, 721 Vandenberg Drive, Travis Air Force Base,
California, 94535-5486

SUBJECT: Disposition Instructions; Private Herman H. Lidsky

1. Request direct shipment of Private Herman H. Lidsky's remains
to Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia. The remains
will be interred on 28 October 1994.

2. Private Lidsky's awards are:

- Bronze Star Medal
- Purple Heart
- European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal
- World War II Victory Medal
- Combat Infantryman Badge

3. The point of contact for the disposition of Private Lidsky's
remains is Mr. Campbell; DSN 221-7576.

HW Campbell
Harold W. Campbell
Chief, Disposition Branch

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ZNR UUUUU

O P 262252Z OCT 94

FM 60SVS TRAVIS AFB CA//SVD//

TO RUEAHOF/CDRPERSCOM ALEXANDRIA VA//TAPC-PED-D//

RHWRAAA/HQ AFSVA RANDOLPH AFB TX//SVOMM//

INFO RHCUAAA/HQ AMC SCOTT AFB IL//SVX//

RUHVA AAA/CDRUSACILHI HICKAM AFB HI//TAPC-PED-H//

RUEAHOF/CJMAO ALEXANDRIA VA

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SUBJECT: SHIPMENT OF REPATRIATED REMAINS - HERMAN H. LIDSKY, PVT, 319-05-1528, CILHI 0179-88, USA. ESCORTED BY GLENN S. HARGETT, E6, 242-41-4564, USA.

1. REMAINS AND ESCORT WILL DEPART SFO 26 OCT AT 2200 HRS AND ARRIVE AT WASHINGTON/DULLES 27 OCT AT 0539 HRS ON UNITED FLT 48.
2. INTERMENT WILL BE IN ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY. SERVICES ARE SCHEDULED FOR 28 OCT AT 1000 HRS.
3. ARLINGTON WAS ADVISED OF THE FLT SCHEDULE. POC AT THE PORT MORTUARY IS MR JOHNNY JOHNSON, DSN 837-5252/5168.

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FM 60SVS TRAVIS AFB CA//SVD//
TO RHWRAAA/HQ AFSVA RANDOLPH AFB TX//SVPM//
~~INFO RHCUAAA/HQ AMC SCOTT AFB IL//SVX//~~
RUVHAAA/CDRUSACILHI HICKAM AFB HI//TAPC-PED-H//
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~~RUEAHOF/CDRPERSCOM ALEXANDRIA VA//TAPC-PED-F//~~
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SUBJECT: RECEIPT OF REPATRIATED REMAINS - HERMAN H. LIDSKY, PVT, 36781425, CILHI 0179-88, USA. EARL B. LATTIER, 2LT, 0-790013, CILHI 0066-87, USAAC.
1. REMAINS WERE RECEIVED AT THE TRAVIS PORT MORTUARY ON 9 JUL 94.
2. REMAINS WERE REPACKED INTO AN ANTHROPOLOGICAL STORAGE CONTAINER AND PLACED IN A STORAGE VAULT PENDING FINAL DISPOSITION.
3. POC AT THE TRAVIS PORT MORTUARY IS MS DIANE POORMAN, DSN 837-5252/5168.

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CILHI 0179-88		CERTIFICATE OF DEATH (OVERSEAS) Acte de décès (D'Outre-Mer)			
NAME OF DECEASED (Last, First, Middle) LIDSKY, Herman H.		GRADE Grade Pvt	BRANCH OF SERVICE US Army	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 319-05-1528 SN 36781425	
ORGANIZATION Organisation E Co 11th INF REGT		NATION (e.g., United States) United States	DATE OF BIRTH 15 Jun 10	SEX Sexe <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MALE Masculin <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE Féminin	
RACE Race		MARITAL STATUS État Civil		RELIGION Culte	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CAUCASOID Caucasique	<input type="checkbox"/> NEGROID Négroïde	<input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE Célibataire	<input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED Divorcé	<input type="checkbox"/> PROTESTANT Protestant	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) Autre (Spécifier)
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) Autre (Spécifier)	<input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED Veuf	<input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED Marié	<input type="checkbox"/> SEPARATED Séparé	<input type="checkbox"/> CATHOLIC Catholique	<input type="checkbox"/> JEWISH Juif
NAME OF NEXT OF KIN Nom du plus proche parent		RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED Parenté du décédé avec le susdit			
STREET ADDRESS Domicile à (Rue)		CITY OR TOWN AND STATE (Include ZIP Code) Ville (Code postal compris)			
MEDICAL STATEMENT Déclaration médicale					
CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line) Cause du décès (N'indiquer qu'une cause par ligne)				INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH Intervalle entre l'attaque et le décès	
DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH ¹ Maladie ou condition directement responsable de la mort. ¹		<p style="text-align: center;">REMOVAL AUTHORIZED</p> <p style="text-align: center;">STATE OF HAWAII - DEPT. OF HEALTH RESEARCH AND STATISTICS OFFICE</p> <p style="text-align: right;">JUN 30 1994</p> <p>By <u>Kelly E. Shaw</u> Local Registrar</p>			
ANTECEDENT CAUSES Symptômes précurseurs de la mort.	MORBID CONDITION, IF ANY, LEADING TO PRIMARY CAUSE Condition morbide, s'il y a lieu, menant à la cause primaire				
	UNDERLYING CAUSE, IF ANY, GIVING RISE TO PRIMARY CAUSE Raison fondamentale, s'il y a lieu, ayant suscité la cause primaire				
OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS ² Autres conditions significatives ²					
MODE OF DEATH Condition de décès	AUTOPSY PERFORMED Autopsie effectuée <input type="checkbox"/> YES Oui <input type="checkbox"/> NO Non	CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING DEATH DUE TO EXTERNAL CAUSES Circonstances de la mort suscitées par des causes extérieures			
<input type="checkbox"/> NATURAL Mort naturelle	MAJOR FINDINGS OF AUTOPSY Conclusions principales de l'autopsie				
<input type="checkbox"/> ACCIDENT Mort accidentelle					
<input type="checkbox"/> SUICIDE Suicide	NAME OF PATHOLOGIST Nom du pathologiste				
<input type="checkbox"/> HOMICIDE Homicide	SIGNATURE Signature	DATE Date	AVIATION ACCIDENT Accident à Avion <input type="checkbox"/> YES Oui <input type="checkbox"/> NO Non		
DATE OF DEATH (Hour, day, month, year) Date de décès (l'heure, le jour, le mois, l'année)	PLACE OF DEATH Lieu de décès				
10 September 1944	Vicinity of Dornot, France				
I HAVE VIEWED THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED AND DEATH OCCURRED AT THE TIME INDICATED AND FROM THE CAUSES AS STATED ABOVE. J'ai examiné les restes mortels du défunt et je conclus que le décès est survenu à l'heure indiquée et à la suite des causes énumérées ci-dessus					
NAME OF MEDICAL OFFICER Nom du médecin militaire ou du médecin sanitaire			TITLE OR DEGREE Titre ou diplôme		
David M. Posey			MD		
GRADE Grade	INSTALLATION OR ADDRESS Installation ou adresse				
LTC, MC	Tripler Army Medical Center, Honolulu, HI 96859-5000				
DATE Date	SIGNATURE Signature				
8 September 1989	<u>David M. Posey, M.D.</u>				
¹ State disease, injury or complication which caused death, but not mode of dying such as heart failure, etc. ² State conditions contributing to the death, but not related to the disease or condition causing death. ¹ Préciser la nature de la maladie, de la blessure ou de la complication qui a contribué à la mort, mais non la manière de mourir, telle qu'un arrêt du cœur, etc. ² Préciser la condition qui a contribué à la mort, mais n'ayant aucun rapport avec la maladie ou à la condition qui a provoqué la mort.					

(REMOVE, REVERSE AND RE-INSERT CARBONS BEFORE COMPLETING THIS SIDE)

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

NAME OF MORTICIAN PREPARING REMAINS H. Thorne Helgesen		GRADE GS-12	LICENSE NUMBER AND STATE 696 MN	OTHER 128 HI
INSTALLATION OR ADDRESS USA Central ID Laboratory, HI Hickam AFB, HI		DATE 30 Jun 94	SIGNATURE <i>H. Thorne Helgesen</i>	
NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Port Mortuary		LOCATION OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Travis AFB, CA		
TYPE OF DISPOSITION <input type="checkbox"/> BURIAL <input type="checkbox"/> CREMATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMOVAL (Specify)			DATE OF DISPOSITION 7 Jul 94	
REGISTRATION OF VITAL STATISTICS				
REGISTRY (Town and Country)		DATE REGISTERED	FILE NUMBER	
			STATE	OTHER
NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR		ADDRESS		
SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED INDIVIDUAL				

RECEIVED
 RESEARCH AND SERVICE OFFICE
 STATE OF MINNESOTA
 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
 2 JUL 1994

REGISTRY (Town and Country)		DATE REGISTERED	FILE NUMBER	
			STATE	OTHER
NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR		ADDRESS		
SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED INDIVIDUAL				

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SSN	Last Name	First Name	MI	SFX
319-05-1528	LIDSKY	HERMAN	H	

Case Manager: MUSGROVE, M.J.

Team Number: 1

Graves Registration Number:

Rank: PV1	Grade/Level: 1/E	BASD:	Component: R
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Unit on Date of Death: E, 2/11 INF, 5TH DIV

Sex: M	Race: C	Religion:	DOB: 1910/06/15	Marital Status: M
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Casualty Status: DEA	Type: A	Reporting CAC: COC
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Incident Date: 1941/09/10 Incident Place: DOMNOR, FR

Death Date: 1944/09/10 Death Place: DOMNOR, FR

----- AWARDS and REMARKS -----

AWARDS (PASSED TO POE MORTUARY):
BS; PH; MED-AFR-EVR; WWII VICTORY; CIB

AWARDS DATA READY FOR POE MORTUARY:

DATE AWARDS PASSED:

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----- REMAINS TRACKING - DATES AND TIMES -----

RECEIVE MTF:

RELEASE MTF:

RECEIVED AT OCONUS MORTUARY:

PREPARATION STARTED:

PREPARATION COMPLETED:

RELEASED FROM OCONUS MORTUARY:

RECEIVED AT CONUS MORTUARY:

----- MORTUARY RECORDS -----

RECORD TYPE

DATE REQUESTED

DATE RECEIVED

----- MORTUARY IDENTIFICATION -----

MORTUARY: H ID BY MORTUARY ON: 1988/11/28 REMAINS VIEWABLE: V

IDENTIFICATION METHOD: D Dental

REMARKS: SKELETAL

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----- DISPOSITION AUTHORITY -----

NOK TYPE: P DISPOSITION AUTHORITY? (Y/N): Y NOTIFIED: N

RELATIONSHIP: A

NAME: Leona E Lidsky

ADDRESS: 3550 North Lake Shore Drive

CITY: Chicago

STATE: IL COUNTRY:

ZIP: 60657

PHONE:

NEXT OF KIN REMARKS: Administrative Disposition -wife and daughter refused to provide disposition IAW 10USC 51482.

----- DISPOSITION AUTHORITY -----

NOK TYPE: P DISPOSITION AUTHORITY? (Y/N): NOTIFIED: N

RELATIONSHIP: B

NAME: Andrea L Lidsky

ADDRESS: 3550 North Lake Shore Drive

CITY: Chicago

STATE: IL COUNTRY:

ZIP: 60657

PHONE:

NEXT OF KIN REMARKS: Administrative Disposition-wife and daughter refused to provide disposition IAW 10USC51482

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----- CASUALTY ASSISTANCE OFFICER -----

CAO NAME:

UNIT:

RANK:

CAC:

DUTY PHONE:

OTHER PHONE:

CAO REMARKS:

CAC REPORT RECEIVED: 1999/01/01 CAC REPORT COMPLETED: 1999/01/01

----- CASUALTY ASSISTANCE OFFICER -----

CAO NAME:

UNIT:

RANK:

CAC:

DUTY PHONE:

OTHER PHONE:

CAO REMARKS:

CAC REPORT RECEIVED: 1999/01/01 CAC REPORT COMPLETED: 1999/01/01

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----- ESCORT -----

ESCORT TYPE: NAME:

RANK: SSN:

UNIT: PHONE:

DATE ESCORT REQUESTED:

DECISION DATE:

DECISION:

REQUESTED BY:

MACOM REQUEST DATE:

MACOM RECEIPT DATE:

STATUS: DATE LAST CHECKED:

ETA:

REMARKS: ESCORT FROM MDW.

----- DISPOSITION INSTRUCTIONS -----

PNOK REQUEST CREMATION OF REMAINS:

CREMATION BY POE MORTUARY:

URN TYPE (B/W):

IF CREMATION IS TO BE DONE BY A PRIVATE MORTUARY, IS METAL CASSET OK:

CREMATION REMARKS:

----- FUNERAL AND CEMETERY INFORMATION -----

DISPOSITION INSTRUCTIONS REQUESTED:

CAO SUSPENSE:

RECEIVED:

DISPOSITION INSTRUCTIONS READY FOR POE MORTUARY:

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FUNERAL CITY: STATE: DATE AND TIME:

FUNERAL HOME NAME:

ADDRESS:

CITY: STATE: COUNTRY: ZIP CODE:

PHONE:

CAC PROVIDING HONORS: MDW NUMBER OF FLAGS: 1 CASKET TYPE (M/H): M

MILITARY FUNERAL: Y NOK ATTENDING: N DIRECT SHIPMENT TO: N

TYPE OF CEMETERY: N

CEMETERY NAME: ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

ADDRESS:

CITY: ARLINGTON STATE: VA COUNTRY: ZIP CODE: 22211

PHONE: 703-697-2131

REMARKS:

----- SHIPPING INFORMATION -----

SHIPPING INFORMATION REQUESTED: MORTUARY SUSPENSE:

DATE RECEIVED: DATE PASSED TO CAO:

DEPARTURE DATE AND TIME:

DEPARTURE LOCATION:

DESTINATION DATE AND TIME: MODE:

DESTINATION LOCATION:

SHIPPING REMARKS (PASS TO CASUALTY ASSISTANCE OFFICER):

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----- SUMMARY COURT OFFICER INFORMATION -----

SCO NAME:

SCO CAC:

WORK PHONE:

HOME PHONE:

SCO INSTALLATION:

DATE SCO REPORT DUE:

TYPE SCO REPORT RECEIVED:

DATE SCO REPORT RECEIVED:

REMARKS: NEED CERTIFICATE OF DESTRUCTION

----- PERSONAL EFFECTS DISPOSITION -----

KIA INFORMATION PASSED TO PE DEPOT:

RECIPIENT OF INSTRUCTIONS READY TO BE PASSED TO PE DEPOT:

DATE RECIPIENT INSTRUCTIONS PASSED TO PE DEPOT:

----- PERSONAL EFFECTS AUTHORITY -----

NOK TYPE: P PERSONAL EFFECTS AUTHORITY? RELATIONSHIP: A

NAME: Leona E Lidsky

ADDRESS: 3550 North Lake Shore Drive

CITY: Chicago

STATE: IL COUNTRY:

ZIP CODE: 60657

PHONE:

IS THIS A 45 DAY ADDRESS:

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----- PERSONAL EFFECTS AUTHORITY -----

NOK TYPE: P PERSONAL EFFECTS AUTHORITY? RELATIONSHIP: B

NAME: Andrea L Lidsky

ADDRESS: 3550 North Lake Shore Drive

CITY: Chicago

STATE: IL COUNTRY:

ZIP CODE: 60657

PHONE:

IS THIS A 45 DAY ADDRESS:

----- FINAL DISPOSITION -----

DATE CASE CLOSED:

DATE AND TIME RECORD ADDED BY DISPOSITION BRANCH:

DATE AND TIME RECORD LAST EDITED BY DISPOSITION BRANCH: 1994/09/13 0919

DATE AND TIME RECORD LAST EDITED BY HONORS BRANCH:

Die 10 Sep 1944

TAB TAB

ESCORT REPORT

For use of this form, see AR 600-8-1; the proponent agency is MILPERCEN

PART I—TO BE COMPLETED BY MORTUARY OFFICER

1. MORTUARY OFFICER (Official Mailing Address)
 USAF PORT MORTUARY
 60 SVS/SVM
 TRAVIS AFB, CA 94535

2. COMMERCIAL PHONE NUMBER
 (707) 424-5259/5252/5168

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Last, First, Middle)
 LIDSKY, HERMAN H.

4. GRADE
 PVT

5. SSN
 319-05-1528

6. NAME OF PRIMARY NEXT OF KIN (First, MI, Last)

7. RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED

8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF RECEIVING FUNERAL HOME (Include ZIP Code)
 ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY
 ARLINGTON, VA 22211

PHONE NO.
 (703) 697-9486

PART II—TO BE COMPLETED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR

9. CONDITION OF REMAINS UPON ARRIVAL AT FUNERAL HOME
 Acceptable

10. DATE
 10/27/94

11. NAME AND TITLE
 Tom Davidson (FD)

12. SIGNATURE
 Tom Davidson

PART III—TO BE COMPLETED BY ESCORT

13. DATE AND TIME OF DEPARTURE FOR ESCORT DUTIES
 1800 hrs 26/00t/94

14. DATE AND TIME OF ARRIVAL AT DESTINATION
 0600hrs 27/00t/94

15. CONDITION OF CASKET
 NOT DAMAGED—ACCEPTABLE

16. DATE AND HOUR OF FUNERAL
 27/00t/94

17. DID YOU ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES
 YES NO

18. NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY (City and State)
 Arlington National Cemetery

19. NAME AND RELATIONSHIP OF PERSON(S) TO WHOM FLAG(S) WAS/WERE PRESENTED

20. MILITARY HONORS PROVIDED BY
 3rd US INF (TOG)

21. OPINION OF OVERALL PERFORMANCE OF HONORS
 SATISFACTORY, IF NOT, EXPLAIN IN REMARKS

22. STATUS OF DD FORM 1375 (Request for Payment of Funeral and/or Intermment Expenses)
 LEFT WITH NEXT OF KIN COMPLETED AND HANDCARRIED BACK TO SHIPPING ACTIVITY
 MAILED TO SHIPPING ACTIVITY LEFT WITH CAO

23. SPECIAL REQUESTS OF NEXT OF KIN AND ACTION TAKEN THEREON

24. REMARKS
 The entire operation was handled with the utmost respect to the deceased.

11/28/94 Glenn S. Hargett E6 SS5. *Glenn S. Hargett*

25. DATE 26. NAME AND GRADE OF ESCORT 27. SIGNATURE

28. DATE 29. REVIEWED BY MORTUARY OFFICER (Name and grade) 30. SIGNATURE

JOHNNY L. JOHNSON, GM-13 *Johnny L. Johnson*

ESCORT REPORT		DATE
10/28/94		
I. TO BE COMPLETED BY MORTUARY OFFICER		
INSTRUCTIONS: The Escort will complete Part II upon his return to home station and deliver or mail to the Mortuary Officer of shipping installation.		
1. TO: (Military Activity to which this report should be sent, Attn: Mortuary Officer) USAF PORT MORTUARY 60 SVS/SVD TRAVIS AFB, CA 94535-2415		
2. NAME OF DECEASED (Last - First - Middle)	3. GRADE	4. SSAN
LIDSKY, HERMAN H.	PVT	319-05-1528
5. RECEIVING FUNERAL DIRECTOR (Name & Address, Include Zip Code) ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY ARLINGTON, VA 22211		
6. NAME OF NEXT OF KIN	7. RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED	
N/A		
II. TO BE COMPLETED BY ESCORT		
8. REMARKS (Write narrative report including detailed information if any difficulties were experienced or any critical remarks made about the Air Force in connection with the shipment of remains, the funeral, Military Honors, or related matters. Continue on reverse, if necessary.)		
<p>I Ssg. Hargett departed Travis A. F. B. at approx. 1800 hrs. on 26/Oct/94. to San Francisco Airport. Land. the deceased arrived at the airport terminal at 20:30 hrs. He was received by United Air Freight. I then proceed to check in with the United counter myself. Shortly thereafter I went ramp side to insure the dignity of the deceased was preserved in his transfer from terminal to air craft. I then render the proper honors was rendered during his movement into the aircraft. The deceased was then properly secured and ready for flight.</p> <p>We arrived a Dulles airport at 0600 hrs. 27 Oct 94. I proceed to the flight line to observe the removal of the deceased from the aircraft to the funeral coach. I then render the hand salute to the deceased on the movement from aircraft to funeral coach. I and the deceased then proceed to Everly Colonial Funeral Home where we stopped for administrative reasons. We then proceed to A.N.C. for the interest of the deceased. The whole operation was handled very professional on both military and civilian side. The upmost respect and dignity was shown to the deceased during the entire operation.</p>		
9. DATE	TYPE NAME, GRADE & BASE OF ESCORT	SIGNATURE OF ESCORT
10/28/94	GLENN S. HARGETT, E6, FT MYER	<i>[Signature]</i>
10. DATE	SIGNATURE OF MORTUARY OFFICER	
	JOHNNY L. JOHNSON, GM-13	<i>[Signature]</i>

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CASUALTY STATUS REPORT

1994/09/13

PCN: ZL9-CR1

SSN: 319-05-1528 NAME: LIDSKY, HERMAN H

TRACKING INFORMATION:

REPORT DATE:	1994/09/13	REPORT TIME:	07:00
RECEIVED DATE:	1994/09/13 06:57	JSS DATE:	
OPS INTERIM DATE:		OPS CLOSED DATE:	
PROFS SENT DATE:		COC CLOSED DATE:	

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

SEX: M	RELIGION: -
RACE: C - White	ETHNIC GROUP: Y - None
DOB: 1910/06/15	POB:

MARITAL STATUS: M - Married	DIVORCE DECREE RECEIVED:
NUMBER OF PREVIOUS MARRIAGES:	NUMBER OF CHILDREN:
ARE SOLDIER'S PARENTS DIVORCED: A	DIVORCE DATE:
CUSTODY OF SOLDIER:	DIVORCE DECREE RECEIVED:

NOK SUMMARY INFORMATION:

NAME	SUC	DOB	REL	NOTIF DATE	MLGM REQ	MLGM SENT	45 DAY ADDRESS
LIDSKY, LEONA E 3550 North Lake Shore Drive Chicago, IL 60657	P		A		N		N
LIDSKY, ANDREA L 3550 North Lake Shore Drive Chicago, IL 60657	P		B		N		N

CAO INFORMATION:

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CASUALTY STATUS REPORT

1994/09/13

PCN: ZL9-CR1

SSN: 319-05-1528 NAME: LIDSKY, HERMAN H

CASUALTY INFORMATION:

REPORT NUMBER: 94-00001 CAC: COC CATEGORY: C -Mil Service Memb
TYPE OF CASUALTY: A-Hostile CAS STATUS: DEA TRAINING INCIDENT:
LOCATION: O

INCIDENT: DATE/TIME: 1941/09/10 PLACE: DOMNOR, FR
DEATH: DATE/TIME: 1944/09/10 PLACE: DOMNOR, FR

BODY RECOVERED: Y TYPE OF TREATMENT FACILITY: D

GENERAL CAUSE OF DEATH: B - Hostile Action
SUPPLEMENTAL CAUSE OF DEATH: 98 - Other

DOD CATEGORY: D DOD CAS CAT: DHK INFLECTING FORCE: E

VEHICULAR INVOLVMENT: Y - None VEHICLE TYPE: -
POSITION IN VEHICLE: - VEHICLE OWNERSHIP: -

DATE DD 93 PREPARED: REVIEW DATE:

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH (OVERSEAS) Acte de décès (D'Outre-Mer)			
NAME OF DECEASED (Last, First, Middle) Nom du décédé (Nom et prénoms) LIDSKY, Herman H.		GRADE Grade Pvt	BRANCH OF SERVICE Arme US Army
ORGANIZATION Organisation E Co 11th INF REGT		NATION (e.g., United States) Pays United States	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER Numéro de l'Assurance Sociale 319-05-1528 SN 36781425
RACE Race		MARITAL STATUS État Civil	RELIGION Culte
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CAUCASOID Caucásique	<input type="checkbox"/> NEGROID Négróide	<input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE Célibataire	<input type="checkbox"/> PROTESTANT Protestant
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) Autre (Spécifier)	<input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED Marié	<input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED Divorcé	<input type="checkbox"/> CATHOLIC Catholique
	<input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED Veuf	<input type="checkbox"/> SEPARATED Séparé	<input type="checkbox"/> JEWISH Juif
NAME OF NEXT OF KIN Nom du plus proche parent		RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED Parenté du décédé avec le susdit	
STREET ADDRESS Domicile à (Rue)		CITY OR TOWN AND STATE (Include ZIP Code) Ville (Code postal compris)	
MEDICAL STATEMENT Déclaration médicale			
CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line) Cause du décès (N'indiquer qu'une cause par ligne)			INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH Intervalle entre l'attaque et le décès
DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH ¹ Maladie ou condition directement responsable de la mort. ¹			
ANTECEDENT CAUSES Symptômes précurseurs de la mort.	MORBID CONDITION, IF ANY, LEADING TO PRIMARY CAUSE Condition morbide, s'il y a lieu, menant à la cause primaire	UNDERLYING CAUSE, IF ANY, GIVING RISE TO PRIMARY CAUSE Raison fondamentale, s'il y a lieu, ayant suscité la cause primaire	
OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS ² Autres conditions significatives ²			
MODE OF DEATH Condition de décès	AUTOPSY PERFORMED Autopsie effectuée <input type="checkbox"/> YES Oui <input type="checkbox"/> NO Non	CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING DEATH DUE TO EXTERNAL CAUSES Circonstances de la mort suscitées par des causes extérieures	
NATURAL Mort naturelle	MAJOR FINDINGS OF AUTOPSY Conclusions principales de l'autopsie		
ACCIDENT Mort accidentelle			
SUICIDE Suicide	NAME OF PATHOLOGIST Nom du pathologiste		
HOMICIDE Homicide	SIGNATURE Signature	DATE Date	AVIATION ACCIDENT Accident à Avion <input type="checkbox"/> YES Oui <input type="checkbox"/> NO Non
DATE OF DEATH (Hour, day, month, year) Date de décès (l'heure, le jour, le mois, l'année) 10 September 1944		PLACE OF DEATH Lieu de décès Vicinity of Dornot, France	
I HAVE VIEWED THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED AND DEATH OCCURRED AT THE TIME INDICATED AND FROM THE CAUSES AS STATED ABOVE. J'ai examiné les restes mortels du défunt et je conclus que le décès est survenu à l'heure indiquée et à la suite des causes énumérées ci-dessus.			
NAME OF MEDICAL OFFICER Nom du médecin militaire ou du médecin sanitaire David M. Posey		TITLE OR DEGREE Titre ou diplôme MD	
GRADE Grade LTC, MC	INSTALLATION OR ADDRESS Installation ou adresse Tripler Army Medical Center, Honolulu, HI 96859-5000		
DATE Date 8 September 1989	SIGNATURE Signature <i>David M. Posey, M.D.</i>		
¹ State disease, injury or complication which caused death, but not mode of dying such as heart failure, etc. ² State conditions contributing to the death, but not related to the disease or condition causing death. ¹ Préciser la nature de la maladie, de la blessure ou de la complication qui a contribué à la mort, mais non la manière de mourir, telle qu'un arrêt du coeur, etc. ² Préciser la condition qui a contribué à la mort, mais n'ayant aucun rapport avec la maladie ou à la condition qui a provoqué la mort.			

CILHI 0179-88												RECORD OF IDENTIFICATION PROCESSING DENTAL CHART				26 July 1989	
LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL (or unknown number)										GRADE		SERVICE NO./SOCIAL SECURITY ACCT NO.					
NAME OF CEMETERY, EVACUATION NUMBER, OR SEARCH AND RECOVERY NUMBER										PLOT		ROW		GRAVE			
MARKING ABBREVIATIONS:																	
F-Facial		O-Occlusal		D-Distal		A-Amalgam		-Fill-Filling		Porc-Porcelain		Back-Backing					
L-Lingual		M-Mesial		I-Incisal		CR-Crown		Plas-Plastic		Sil-Silicate		Fac-Facing					
CARIES	L-CAR		3 UNIT FIXED PARTIAL DENTURE										CANTILEVER FIXED PARTIAL DENTURE		CARIES		
	RESTORATIONS	O-AM	GOLD CROWN	RESIN AND GOLD PONTIC	GOLD 3/4 CROWN	GOLD DOF-INLAY		PORC CROWN	M-SIL	D-SIL	FI-SIL	MO-SIL	RESIN AND GOLD PONTIC	GOLD CROWN		O-AM	DOL-AM
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
UPPER RIGHT																UPPER LEFT	
LOWER RIGHT																LOWER LEFT	
	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	
RESTORATIONS	O-SIL			GOLD CROWN													
	F-SIL																
CARIES	MO-Rest Prep																

THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS WILL BE INDICATED IF PRESENT (Describe in detail in Remarks section)

MOTTLED ENAMEL	ROTATION	FRACTURED ENAMEL	IRREGULARITY OF ALIGNMENT
ENAMEL HYPOPLASIA	UNERUPTED TEETH	FRACTURES OF TEETH	X UNUSUAL RESTORATIONS
EROSION	MALOCCLUSION	RETAINED DECIDUOUS TEETH	UNUSUAL APPLIANCES
ABRASION	SUPERNUMERARY TEETH	ABNORMAL INTERDENTAL SPACES	MALPOSED TEETH

PREPARED BY (Typed Name and Signature) **BRION C. SMITH, MAJ, DE, USA**

VERIFIED BY (Typed Name and Signature) **N/A**

DENTURES (Plates): DESCRIBE DENTURES INCLUDING NATURAL TEETH REPLACED AND TEETH WHICH HAVE RETAINING CLASPS. (For example: Lower Acrylic Partial Denture with Lingual Bar, replacing Teeth nos. 17, 18, 19, 30, 31, 32. Clasp on natural teeth nos. 20 and 29) SHOW ANY NUMBERS OR LETTERS APPEARING ON DENTURE.

MANDIBULAR PARTIAL DENTURE WITH CAST GOLD LINGUAL BAR: Replaces teeth #18, #19, #20, #30, and #31. Natural teeth #21 and #29 are clasped and tooth #32 has an MO rest preparation.

REMARKS (If no abnormalities are found make notation to that effect)

UNUSUAL RESTORATIONS: Tooth #7 has undergone endodontic therapy and has been restored with a post and ceramic crown.

EXAMPLE METHOD OF PREPARATION

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
UPPER RIGHT																	UPPER LEFT
	1. O-AM	2. DOL-AM; F-AM	3. MOD GOLD FILL	4. F-GOLD FILL; ML-AM	5. MO-AM	6. ML-GOLD FILL	7. 3/4 GOLD CR	8. D-PORC FILL	9. PORC-CR	10. F-PORC FILL; L-AM	11. MF-PORC FILL	12. PX-POSTHUMOUSLY MISSING	13. GOLD-CR	14. MISSING	15. MO-AM; L-AM	16. MODL-AM	

26 July 1989

DENTAL COMPARISON CHART

REMAINS OF	:NAME
CILHI 0179-88	LIDSKY, Herman H. 36781425, PVT, USA
1 : O-AM, F-AM L-CAR	1 :
2 : GOLD CROWN RETAINER 3	2 : FIXED RETAINER 4
3 : RESIN/GOLD PONTIC UNIT	3 : PONTIC UNIT
4 : GOLD 3/4 CROWN RETAINER BRIDGE	4 : FIXED RETAINER BRIDGE
5 : GOLD DOF-INLAY	5 : FIXED RETAINER
6 :	6 :
7 : PORCELAIN CROWN	7 :
8 : PX	8 :
9 : M-SIL, D-SIL	9 :
10 : PX	10 :
11 : FI-SIL	11 :
12 : MO-SIL	12 :
13 : RESIN/GOLD PONTIC 2 UNIT	13 : PONTIC 2 UNIT
14 : GOLD CROWN BRIDGE	14 : FIXED RETAINER BRIDGE
15 : O-AM	15 :
16 : DOL-AM	16 :
17 : MISSING	17 :
18 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	18 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
19 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	19 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
20 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	20 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
21 : CLASPED BY RPD	21 : CLASPED or CARIOUS
22 :	22 :
23 :	23 :
24 :	24 :
25 : PX	25 :
26 :	26 :
27 :	27 :
28 :	28 :
29 : GOLD CROWN CLASPED BY RPD	29 : CLASPED or CARIOUS
30 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	30 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
31 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	31 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
32 : O-SIL, F-SIL MO-REST PREP	32 :
REMARKS	REMARKS
"RPD" indicates Removable Partial Denture	During antemortem examination, the gold DOF-INLAY may have appeared to be part of the 3 unit bridge (see Dental Photograph 6).
	Teeth #21 and #29 are charted as "clasped" by the RPD in one record, and as "carious" in the others.

26 July 1989

DENTAL SUMMARY: CILHI 0179-88

**FORENSIC ODONTOLOGY SECTION
U.S. ARMY CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY, HAWAII**

RECOVERY OF REMAINS: The remains of CILHI 0179-88 were received from the United States Army Memorial Affairs Activity, Europe on 12 September 1988.

POSTMORTEM EVIDENCE: The dental remains of CILHI 0179-88 consist of the fractured maxillae and intact mandible with a total of 21 teeth that match their appropriate alveolar sockets. Teeth #3, #13, #17, #18, #19, #20, #30, and #31 appear to have been missing prior to death, whereas teeth #8, #10, and #25 have been lost postmortem. The dental evidence includes extensive fixed prostheses, and a mandibular removable appliance. Refer to DD Form 891 dated 26 July 1989 and Dental Photographs 1 through 6 for a graphic representation of the dental evidence. All teeth were radiographed in duplicate with Size 2 and Size 3 dental film at 10 MA, 80 KVP, and 18/60 seconds. The results are the two bitewing radiographs and 14 periapical films dated 13 October 1988. Note that the bitewings were produced with the removable denture in place.

NAME ASSOCIATIONS: Historical research, as described in the Memorandum dated 28 November 1988, resulted in a list of 33 service members whose remains may have been represented by CILHI 0179-88. The dental records of these 33 individuals were reviewed and a positive association was established with the dental condition of LIDSKY, Herman H.

ANTEMORTEM EVIDENCE: Dental records: One OQMG FORM 371 labeled "LIDSKY, Herman H." with dental data from "20 Dec.'43". A second OQMG FORM 371 labeled "LIDSKY, HERMAN H." with dental data from "20 DEC 43". One AGRAC FORM 1-380 labeled "Lidsky, Herman H." with dental data from "20 Dec 43". A second AGRAC FORM 1-380 labeled "LIDSKY, Herman H." with dental data from "20 Dec 43". One DSS Form 221 labeled "Herman Henry Lidsky," and dated "20 DECEMBER 1943". One TWX labeled "HERMAN H LIDSKY" and stamped "14DEC48". **Dental radiographs:** None available

OPINION: I have compared the dental remains of CILHI 0179-88 with the dental records of PVT LIDSKY, and find all available evidence to be highly consistent. The number of missing teeth with extensive prosthetic replacement is dramatically reflected in both the antemortem and postmortem evidence, as illustrated by CIL Form 5520 dated 26 July 1989. This concordance is unique among the closed population established by the Casualty Data Analyst. It is my opinion that the dental remains of CILHI 0179-88 are those of LIDSKY, Herman H., 36781425, PVT, USA.

Brion C. Smith
BRION C. SMITH
MAJ, DE, USA



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND
ALEXANDRIA, VA
22331-0482



TAPC-PED-F

A Board of Officers appointed by Commander, PERSCOM (DF, TAPC-PED-F, 10 Mar 89, subject: Announcement of HQ Department of the Army Casualty and Memorial Affairs Board of Officers) (Enclosure 1), convened for the purpose of reviewing all relevant data (Enclosure 2) pertaining to the cases cited below and to consider the recommended identification of these remains made by the U.S. Army Central Identification Laboratory, Hawaii. The Board, after considering all data presented, and the absence of any contradictory evidence, duly approved the identification of these remains as indicated:

<u>PROC NO.</u>	<u>NAMES</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>SN</u>
CILHI 0179-88	LIDSKY, Herman H.	PVT	USA	36 781 425

Robert M. Long
ROBERT M. LONG
DAC, GS-12

William L. Roberts
WILLIAM L. ROBERTS
LTC, GS

James G. Cole
JAMES G. COLE
LTC, GS

APPROVED:

M. A. Hoherz
M. A. HOHERZ
Colonel, GS
Director, Casualty and
Memorial Affairs

Date: 27 SEP 1989

- 2 Encls
- 1. DF, TAPC-PED-F, 10 Mar 89
- 2. Memo, TAPC-PED-H, 11 Sep 89 w/encl



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
UNITED STATES ARMY CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY, HAWAII
FORT SHAFTER, HAWAII 96858-5480



TAPC-PED-H (600-8-1m)

11 September 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDER, U.S. TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND,
ATTN: TAPC-PED-F, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22331-0482

SUBJECT: Remains CILHI 0179-88

1. Forwarded for your review and evaluation are the processing charts, photographs, and associated documentation (Encl 1) to support the proposed identification of CILHI 0179-88 as the remains of Pvt Herman H. LIDSKY, SSN 319-05-1528, USA.
2. Upon completion of the appropriate board action on this recommendation, it is requested that this office be advised of the identification decision and disposition instructions.
3. Also enclosed are all original medical and dental records (Encl 2) of Pvt LIDSKY for appropriate disposition by the parent service.

Encls

John E. Webb, Jr.
 JOHNIE E. WEBB, JR.
 LTC, QM
 Commanding

R E C O M M E N D A T I O N

CILHI 0179-88

PROPOSED IDENTIFICATION: Pvt HERMAN H. LIDSKY
319-05-1528 USA

ACQUISITION

According to the records in this folder, these remains were received from Frankfurt Mortuary with records of recovery from Dornot, France.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

These are the remains of an adult male Caucasoid about 35-39 years of age and 70 inches tall.

MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

The dental remains have been identified as those of Pvt Lidsky based on matching dental records. The skeletal remains are consistent with this identification. See the Odontology and Anthropology Summaries.

RECOMMENDATION

Based on the findings of the Anthropologist and Odontologist, it is recommended that these remains be identified as those of

LIDSKY, HERMAN H.
319-05-1528
PVT USA

Date: 23 August 1989


Ellis R. Kerley, Ph.D., D.A.B.F.A.
Scientific Director

293 FILE		DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED		
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)		GRADE	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER	
LIDSKY, Herman H.		Pvt.	36781425	
ORGANIZATION		RACE	CREED	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)
Co."E" 11th Inf Regt. 5th. Inf Div.		White	Hebrew	
DATE OF DEATH/MIA	CAUSE OF DEATH		PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA	
10 Sept. '44	Killed in Action		European Area	
DATE OF FOD				
HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR EYES	COLOR HAIR	SHOE SIZE
68"	149	Brown	Black	11 B
DENTAL CHART 20 Dec. '43				
UPPER RIGHT			UPPER LEFT	
8 (7 ^X 6 5 4) 3 2 1			1 2 3 4 (^X 5 6) 7 8	
LOWER RIGHT			LOWER LEFT	
16 (^X 15 ^X 14) / 13 12 11 10 9			9 10 11 12 (^X 13 ^X 14 ^X 15) 16	
PARTIAL DENTURE REPLACES RT 14-15 LFT. 13,14,15.				
X=Extracted O=Carious 1=Carious Non-Restorable				
FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS			TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK	
NONE			SHOWN	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION				
AGE: 34 Yrs.				
KIA WHEN HIS UNIT WAS HOLDING A BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST BANK OF THE MOSELLE RIVER IN THE VICINITY OF SAINT CATHERINE FARM, IN FRANCE ABOUT 1/2 MILE FROM DORNOT.				
MAP LOCATION: GSGS 4416 MAP: CENTRAL EUROPE 1:100,000 SHEET # V-1				
COORDINATES OF TOWN: "DORNOT" (770510) Coord., FRANCE.				

293 FILE		DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED			
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) LIDSKY, HERMAN H.		GRADE PVT	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER 36781425		
ORGANIZATION CO "E" 11TH INF REGT 5TH INF DIV		RACE WHITE	CREED HEBREW	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)	
DATE OF DEATH 10 SEPT 44	CAUSE OF DEATH KILLED IN ACTION		PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA EUROPEAN AREA		
DATE OF FOD					
HEIGHT 68"	WEIGHT 149	COLOR EYES BROWN	COLOR HAIR BLACK	SHOE SIZE 11B	
DENTAL CHART 20 DEC 43					
UPPER RIGHT 8 (7 X 6 5 4) 3 2 1			UPPER LEFT 1 2 3 4 (5 6) 7 8		
LOWER RIGHT 16 (15 X 14) 13 12 11 10 9 PARTIAL DENTURE REPLACES RT 14-15 LFT. 13, 14, 15			LOWER LEFT 9 10 11 12 (13 X 14 X 15) 16		
X = Extracted		O = Carious		1 = Carious Non-Restorable	
FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS NONE SHOWN			TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK NONE SHOWN		
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IDENTIFICATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION

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IDENTIFICATION DATA

FIRST NAME - SURNAME INITIAL XXXXXXXXXX Herman H		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 36 781 475	GRADE Pvt
HEIGHT 68	WEIGHT 149	COLOR EYES Brown	DATE OF DEATH 10 Seph 44
		COLOR HAIR Black	SHOE SIZE 11 B

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

Co E 11th Inf 5th Inf Div

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA

KIA at Marcell River, 1/2 mile east of Carnot, France

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

STATION	DATES
Camp Wheeler, Ga	Jan 44
Camp Vandew, Miss	June 44
Ft. Les. S. Meade, Ind	July 44

FROM: WD, AGO CLINICAL RECORDS BRANCH
NO RECORDS ON FILE

Born 15 June 10

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS

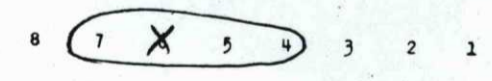
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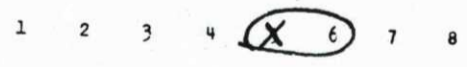
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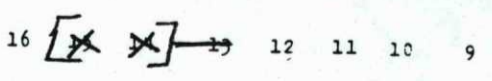
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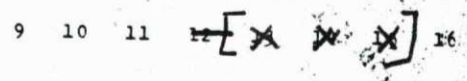
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UPPER LEFT



LOWER RIGHT



LOWER LEFT

X - EXTRACTED

O - CARIOUS

/ - CARIOUS NON-RESTORABLE

Miss Woreg-

FOR MAJ SEKOWSKI QM LN REURNR 41 13 DEC ON HERMAN H LIDSKY 36781425

DENTAL CH

RT AT INDCTN DTD 20 DEC 43 TEETH MISSING R 6 L 5 PARTIAL
DENTUR REPLACING R 14 15 L 13 14 15 RMKS ADMIN SHOW QUOTE
PROSTHTIC

PPLIACANCES ISSUED P L 28 FEB 44 CAMP WHEELER GA /NOT
MADE LOCALLY/ UNQUOTE FORMS 79 NOT FD -

CCCCC FOURTH LINE SCOND WD APPLIANCES
APPLICANCS RPT APPLICANCES

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Armed Forces' Original
D. S. Form 531
January 29, 1962

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136
5665 W. Madison St. Rm. 4 314
Chicago, Illinois

**REPORT OF
PHYSICAL EXAMINATION AND INDUCTION**

First examination Second examination Third examination Fourth examination
(To be filled in by local board clerk. Check number of examination made by local board)

Section I.—GENERAL (To be filled in by the local board clerk from the Selective Service Questionnaire, D. S. S. Form 40. Write "none" opposite the questions where no information is given. Do not leave any question blank.)

1. Name (page 1) <u>Herman Henry Lidsky,</u> <small>(First) (Middle) (Last)</small>		(To be filled in by Armed Forces) 3 6 7 8 1 4 2 5 (Armed Forces Serial No.)	Do Not Enter Anything in This Column
2. Address (page 1) <u>501 S. Central Ave., Chicago, Cook, Illinois.</u> <small>(Street or rural route) (Town or city) (County) (State)</small>			RESIDENCE
3. Social Security No. (Series I, line 5) <u>319-05-1528</u>	4. Registrant's order number (page 1) <u>455 a</u>	State	County
5. Physical or mental defects or diseases (Series II, line 1) <u>none</u>		Place Inducted	DATE INDUCTED
6. Treatment at an institution, sanitarium, or asylum (Series II, line 2) <u>no</u> <small>(Yes or no)</small>		Day	Month
7. Education completed (Series III): Elementary school <u>8</u> High school <u>1</u> Vocational school, college, or university <u>0</u>		Year	Source
8. Occupation: (a) Title of present job (Series IV, line 2 (a), or Series V, line 1) <u>Salesman & Director</u>		Nativity	Year of birth
(b) Duties (Series IV, line 2 (b)) <u>selling and directing of selling and executive work, etc.</u>		Race/citizenship	Education
(c) Title of last job, if unemployed (Series IV, line 3)		Occupation	Marital
9. Years experience in this work (Series IV, line 2 (c), or Series V, line 2) <u>16</u>		10. Income (Series IV, line 2 (d)): Average <u>annual</u> earnings <u>\$3,500.00 to 8,000.00</u> <small>(Weekly, monthly, annual)</small>	
11. Employment class (Series IV, line 2 (e)): Permanent employee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ; Temporary employee <input type="checkbox"/> ; Apprentice <input type="checkbox"/> ; Independent worker <input type="checkbox"/> ; Unpaid family worker <input type="checkbox"/> ; Employer <input type="checkbox"/> ; Student (Series IV, line 4 (a)) <input type="checkbox"/>			
12. Business of present employer (Series IV, line 2 (g)) <u>Direct rep. of Restaurant and hotel, chinaware, dinnerware, etc.</u>			
13. Marital status (Series VII, line 1): Single <input type="checkbox"/> ; Widower <input type="checkbox"/> ; Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> ; Married, not separated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ; Married, separated <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Number of dependents (Series VII, line 3 (a) fifth column except N. C.'s plus line 4 (a) fifth column) <u>2</u>			
15. Birthplace (Series IX, line 1) <u>Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.</u> <small>(Town or city) (State) (Country)</small>			
16. Birth date (Series IX, line 2) <u>June 15, 1910.</u> <small>(Month) (Day) (Year)</small>			
17. Race (Series IX, line 3): White <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ; Negro <input type="checkbox"/> ; Other (specify)			
18. Citizenship: United States citizen (Series IX, line 4) <u>yes</u> (Yes or no); Declarant alien (Series IX, line 7)			
19. Previous U. S. military service (Series XII): None <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ; Army <input type="checkbox"/> ; National Guard <input type="checkbox"/> ; Navy <input type="checkbox"/> ; Marine Corps <input type="checkbox"/> ; Coast Guard <input type="checkbox"/>			
20. Type of discharge (Series XII): Specify			
21. Date of registrant's affidavit (top of page 8) <u>3 Feb. 1941.</u> <small>(Day) (Month) (Year)</small>			

INSTRUCTIONS

1. An original and three copies of this form will be prepared for each registrant called up for physical examination. The original is designated as the Armed Forces' Original; the first carbon copy, the National Headquarters' Copy; the second carbon copy, the Surgeon General's (Army)—Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (Navy)—Commandant Marine Corps (M. C.) Copy; and the third carbon copy, the Local Board's Copy. Instructions are contained on each copy.
2. Forms of men rejected by the armed forces will be marked "Rejected by the Armed Forces" in large letters at the top of page 1.
3. If the registrant is not sent to the induction station of the armed forces, or is rejected by the induction station of the armed forces, this original will be filed, along with "Local Board's Copy" (3d copy), in the registrant's Cover Sheet (Form 53).
4. For registrants accepted by the induction station of the armed forces: If inducted by the ARMY, this original accompanied by F. B. I. Military Fingerprint Card will be forwarded from induction station to The Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.; if inducted by the NAVY or COAST GUARD, this original will be forwarded through the Main Recruiting Station to the Bureau of Navigation, Washington, D. C.; if inducted by the MARINE CORPS, this original will be sent to the Commandant, Headquarters, U. S. Marine Corps, Washington, D. C.
5. Fingerprints are required only on this original and only for registrants who are inducted. If inducted by ARMY, prepare F. B. I. Military Fingerprint Card.

SECTION II.—REPORT OF LOCAL BOARD EXAMINING PHYSICIAN AND LOCAL BOARD CLASSIFICATION.

22. If registrant's answer to Item 6 above is "yes," when and for what ailment(s) _____

23. Is registrant now or previously an enrollee in the Civilian Conservation Corps: No ; Yes

24. Serological test (syphilis): Date _____ Result neg
 Second serological test (syphilis): Date _____ Result _____

25. Examining physician's remarks _____

26. (a) Do you find that the above-named registrant has any of the defects set forth in Part I of the List of Defects (Form 220)?
 (If in doubt, answer "no," and give details.) no If answer is "yes," describe the defects, in order of significance
 (Answer yes or no)

(b) Do you find that the above-named registrant has any of the defects set forth in Part II of the List of Defects (Form 220)?
 (If in doubt, answer "no," and give details.) _____ If answer is "yes," describe the defects, in order of significance
 (Answer yes or no)

(c) I have examined the above-named registrant in accordance with Selective Service Regulations.

(d) Signature of examining physician [Signature]
 (Town or city) Chicago, Ill. (County) _____ (State) _____ (f) Date Nov 20 1943

27. (a) This Local Board has classified the above-named registrant in Class 1-F
 (b) Signature of Member of Local Board [Signature]
 (c) Place _____ (Town or city) _____ (County) _____ (State) _____ (d) Date Nov 20 1943

SECTION III.—NEAREST RELATIVE, PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARY (To be filled out at the induction station of the armed forces for only those registrants accepted for military service).

A. Nearest relative and person to be notified in case of emergency:

28. Nearest relative Rose Grossman Lidsky
 (Other than wife or minor child, Name in full)
Woodlawn Apt. Hotel
 29. Relationship Mother 30. Address 5238 South Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago Illinois
 (Number and street or rural route, if none, so state) (City, town, or post office) (State or country)

31. Person to be notified in case of emergency Leona Lipman Lidsky
 (Name in full)
 32. Relationship Wife 33. Address 501 South Central Avenue, Chicago Ill.
 (If friend, so state) (Number and street or rural route, if none, so state) (City, town, or post office) (State or country)

B. Designation of beneficiary:

34. The persons eligible to be my beneficiary are designated below:
 (1) Leona Lipman Lidsky (Wife) Same as above
 (Full name of wife, if no wife, or if she is deceased or divorced, so state) (Wife's full address)
 (2) Andrea Lee Lidsky (Daughter) Same as Wife's
 (Full name and address of each minor child and each dependent child over 21 years of age. If there are no children, so state. If the address is the same as the wife's, so state. Do not repeat address)

35. In the event of my leaving no widow or child, or their decease before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary the dependent relative whose name, relationship, and address are shown below:
 (3) Rose Grossman Lidsky (Mother) Same as above
 (If designation of beneficiary is declined, man must state in own handwriting: "I decline to designate any person as my beneficiary")

36. In the event of the death or disqualification of the last-named dependent relative before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary the dependent relative whose name, relationship, and address are shown below:
 (4) Samuel Lidsky (Father), Cele Lidsky Stoper (Sister), Humboldt Blvd, Chicago Ill.
 (If beneficiary is named in line 3 but naming of alternate is declined, man must state in own handwriting: "I decline to designate an alternate beneficiary")

37. Signature of registrant [Signature] [Signature] [Signature]
 (First name) (Middle name) (Last name)

38. Witnessed at Chicago Illinois on 20 December 1943
[Signature] L.A. ZUKERMAN 1st LT. A. U.S.
 (Signature of witness attesting) (Name of witness typed) (Grade and organization)
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Section IV.—PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RESULTS: (All Items Must Be Filled In. Indicate Normal or None Where Applicable. To Be Filled Out by the Medical Board at the Induction Station of the Armed Forces.)

39. Eye abnormalities none

40. Ear, nose, throat abnormalities (1) allergic rhinitis bilateral moderate

41. Mouth and gum abnormalities none

42. Teeth: (a) Indicate restorable carious teeth by circling; nonrestorable carious teeth by /; missing natural teeth by X.

Right					EXAMINEE'S					Left				
8	7	6	5	4	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2

(b) Remarks, including other defects none

(c) Prosthetic dental appliances Partial denture replaces right-14-15-left-13-14-15

(d) Remediable dental defects none

43. Skin normal

44. Varicose veins none

45. Hernia none

46. Hemorrhoids none

47. Genito-urinary (non-venereal) normal (see sp. 58)

48. Venereal diseases none

49. Feet normal

50. Musculokeletal defects none

51. Abdominal viscera normal

52. Cardiovascular system normal (see sp. 58)

53. Lungs normal

54. Chest X-ray negative

55. Mental normal

56. Nervous system normal

57. Endocrine system normal

58. Other defects and/or diseases or other remarks: History of Hay Fever mild (1) History of prostaticitis duration 2 years treated by Dr. L. Riba, Chicago, Ill. (2) Smear from prostate secretion reveals no pus cells, no organism (3) Prostate is normal to digital examination

59. Summary of defects in order of significance ACCEPTABLE UNDER MR I-9

Do Not Write in This Column

60. Vision, without correction:
 (a) Right eye 20/20
 (b) Left eye 20/20

61. Vision, with correction:
 (a) Right eye _____
 (b) Left eye _____

62. Color perception* _____

63. Hearing:
 (a) Right ear 15/15
 (b) Left ear 15/15

64. Height 68 inches.

65. Weight 149 pounds.

66. (a) Girth, at nipples; inspiration 37 inches.
 (b) Girth, at nipples; expiration 35 inches.
 (c) Girth, at umbilicus 33 inches.

67. Posture:
 Good Fair Poor

68. Frame:
 Heavy Med. Light

69. Color of hair black

70. Color of eyes brown

71. Complexion dark

72. Pulse, sitting 84

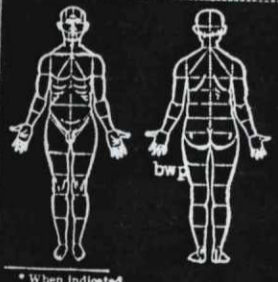
73. Pulse, after exercise* _____

74. Pulse, 2 minutes after exercise* _____

75. Blood pressure:
 (a) Systolic 120
 (b) Diastolic 78

76. Urinalysis:
 (a) Specific gravity 1.013
 (b) Albumin NEGATIVE
 (c) Sugar NEGATIVE
 (d) Microscopic* _____

77. Other data: _____



SECTION IV.—PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RESULTS—Continued.

78. I CERTIFY that the above-named registrant was carefully examined, that the results of the examination have been correctly recorded on this form and that to the best of my knowledge and belief—

(a) LIDSKY HERMAN H. is physically and mentally qualified for general military service.
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(b) _____ is physically and mentally qualified for general military service
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

after the satisfactory correction of the following remediable defects: _____

This registrant would have been accepted for general military service had the remediable defects herein specified been remedied at the time of this examination.

(c) _____ is physically qualified for limited military service only by reason of _____
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(d) _____ is physically qualified for limited military service after the satisfactory correction of the following remediable defects: _____
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

This registrant would have been acceptable for limited military service had the remediable defects herein specified been remedied at the time of this examination.

(e) _____ is physically and/or mentally disqualified for military service by reason of _____
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(f) _____ is disqualified for military service because of _____
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(g) Signature [Signature] (h) Title Medical Examiner

(i) Name typed or stamped H. KOREY, 1st LT. M. C.

79. (a) LIDSKY HERMAN H. was this date inducted for (general; limited) [strike out inapplicable word] military service into the (fill in appropriate Service, such as Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard) ARMY on 10, JAN. 1944 at FT. SHERIDAN, ILLINOIS
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(b) _____ was this date rejected for service in the (fill in appropriate service, such as Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard) _____ of the United States.
(c) Place CHICAGO, ILLINOIS (d) Signature [Signature]

(e) Date 20 DECEMBER 1943 (f) Name typed or stamped L.A. ZIMMERMAN, 1ST, LT. AUS
(Grade and organization)

SECTION V.—LOCAL BOARD CHANGE IN CLASSIFICATION AFTER EXAMINATION BY THE INDUCTION STATION OF THE ARMED FORCES.

80. (a) Based on the entries in (a), (c), (d), (e), or (f) of Item 78, above, the Local Board has changed the above-named registrant's classification to Class _____
(b) Based on the entries in (b) of Item 78, above, the Local Board has retained the above-named registrant in Class _____
(c) Place _____ (d) Date _____
(e) Signature of member of local board _____

FINGERPRINTS—RIGHT HAND



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Name: Herman H. Lidsky - Inf. CO. H. A.P.O. 15384

Serial Number: 36781425

Supposedly killed in action September 10, 1944, by shell fragments while serving with an advance element whose mission was to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River about one quarter mile east of Dornot, France.



NON-RECOVERABLE CASE RECORD OF REVIEW AND APPROVAL	CASE NUMBER 7963 (1)
AREA OR ZONE(S) European	

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) LIDSKY, HERMAN H.	RANK PVT	SERIAL NUMBER 36 781 425
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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.

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

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

NAME OF CASE ANALYST RUTH HUTSON/mec	CASE TO BE FORWARDED TO <u>Repatriation Branch, Correspondence Sec.</u> FOR CONSIDERATION OF NOTIFICATION TO INTERESTED PARTIES.
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RECOMMEND APPROVAL CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>B. Hale</i> B. HALE	CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>W.R. DeWeese</i> W.R. DeWEESE, 1st Lt QMC	APPROVED. CHIEF, IDENTIFICATION BRANCH <i>G.W. Rogers</i> by G.W. ROGERS, Capt QMC	DATE <i>7 July 1949</i>
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7963

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

13 MAY 1949

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

The board convened pursuant to par 4, SO No.33, Headquarters American Graves Registration Command, APO 58, U S Army, 22 March 1948, at the Astoria Hotel, Paris, France on 13 MAY 1949. The purpose of the board was to determine the non-recoverability status of certain casualties now under the jurisdiction of this command.

The board reviewed report of investigation, statements of witnesses and other papers contained in the files of American Graves Registration Command, 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. 11	NAME	ASN	GRADE
	LIDSKY Herman H.,	36781425	Pvt

as amended by para 1 50 43, Hq AGRC, dated 19 April 1949

FINDINGS: The board having carefully considered the evidence before it, find 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.

H. P. HENRY, Col, QMC

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JACK C. HAYES, Capt, QMC

Roger Berger

ROGER BERGER, Maj, Ord

EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr., Capt, QMC

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ERNEST J. OGLESBY, 1st Lt QMC

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EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

RAG 300.4

22 Mar 48

SPECIAL ORDERS

NUMBER 33

1. Under the provisions of AR 615-368, 14 May 47 and AR 420-5, the following Board of officers is appointed to meet at Liege, Belgium, or at such other place as the president may designate at the call of the president thereof, for the purpose of considering whether such EM as may be brought before it should be discharged prior to the expiration of their term of service. Proceedings of the Board will be in conformity with AR 420-5. Findings and recommendations will be forwarded to the Commanding General, and entered on ED AGO Form 37.

LT COL	PARK W. BAILEY	0242216	INF
MAJ	DAVID MINS, JR	0228758	FA
MAJ	JOHN W. LONG	0333779	INF
CAPT	THOMAS C. HAYDEN	01584337	QMC
LST LT	ALVIN C. BECK	01646841	INF
LST LT	ROBERT VANINA	01786119	MC

2. Par 3 and 4, SO 6, this hq, 14 Jan 48 pertaining to appointment of Board of Review for identification of Unknown Dead (European Area), are rescinded.

3. PAC ltr WD 9 Apr 47, subj "Establishment of Boards for identification of Unknown Dead", the fol off, this hq, are aptd a Board of Review for identification of Unknown Dead (European Area):

LT COL	PATRICK W. GUINEY	019066	QMC
MAJ	GEORGE M VER HULST	A0650035	USAF
MAJ	MARSHALL J. BLACKMON	0277013	INF
CAPT	JACK C. HAYES	01577297	QMC
LST LT	JOSEPH E McCLUSKEY	01338110	INF

4. PAC ltr WD 9 Apr 47, Subj: "Establishment of Boards for identification of Unknown Dead", the fol off, this hq, are aptd a Board of Review for non-recoverability of remains (European Area):

✓ LT COL	EDWARD D. MULVANTY	0359598	QMC
MAJ	GROSVENOR W. FISH	042932	QMC
MAJ	FRANCIS P SWEENEY	034485	INF
CAPT	OWEN F McCANN	01595680	INF
LST LT	GEORGE L. FREEMAN	0159551	QMC

5. VCOG 6 Jan 48 auth CAPT GORDON L. ALDERMAN 0479536 CHC to
tvl fr Second Zone, AGRC, APO 58, Carentan, France, to First Zone, AGRC,
APO 58, Liege, Belgium, by TPA are confirmed, the exigencies of the
service having been such as to prevent the issuance of orders in advance.

AUTH: Sec I, Cir 157, Hq USFET, 23 Oct 46 & Cir 28, Hq EUCOM, 9 May 47.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL PECKHAM:

CARL W. RAGUSE
Colonel, QMC
Chief of Staff

OFFICIAL:

/s/t/ FRANK FRANCIS
Major, - AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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SPECIAL ORDERS
NUMBER 16

3 February 1949

1. The fol named off having been asgd 7887 Hq Gp AGRC APO 58 Paris France per par 1 SO 14 7855 AGRC Zone #1 Hq APO 58 Liege Belgium are placed on dy w/Registration Division.

CAPT STANLEY C. TYRRELL 01304296 Inf
1ST LT EDWARD E. STOUT 01594512 CE
1ST LT ERNEST J. OGLESBY 0449004 Cav

2. The Board of Review for the Identification of Unknown Dead aptd per par 9 SO 6 this hq 14 Jan 48 is dissolved.

3. The Board of Review for cases of non-recoverability of remains (European Area) aptd per par 4 SO 33 this hq 22 Mar 48 as amended by par 1 SO 154 hq 3 Nov 48 and par 2 SO 165 this hq 7 Dec 48 is dissolved.

4. The Board of Review for Major Discrepancy Cases aptd per par 6 SO 146 this hq 22 Oct 48 is dissolved.

5. PAC ltr WD AGAO-S 293.9 9 Apr 47 Subj: Establishment of Boards of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead Overseas, the fol off this hq are aptd a Board of Review for the purpose of reviewing case records pertaining to the identification of deceased and determination of non-recoverability of remains (European Area):

CAPT JACK C. HAYES 01577297 QMC
CAPT STANLEY C. TYRRELL 01304296 Inf
CAPT EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr. 01588236 QMC
1ST LT EDWARD E. STOUT 01594512 CE
1ST LT ERNEST J. OGLESBY 0449004 Cav

6. The fol off this hq are aptd a Board of Review for Major Discrepancy Cases to function pursuant to par 3 Operations Instructions 84 this hq 29 July 47:

CAPT JACK C. HAYES 01577297 QMC
CAPT STANLEY C. TYRRELL 01304296 Inf
CAPT EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr. 01588236 QMC
1ST LT EDWARD E. STOUT 01594512 CE
1ST LT ERNEST J. OGLESBY 0449005 Cav

7. Par 5 SO 10 this hq 24 Jan 49 pertaining to an audit of the AGRC Officer Club (Paris Area) is amended to add "PAC Weekly Dir No. 34 Hq EUCOM 1948 as amended by Sec 14 Weekly Dir 46 Hq EUCOM 1948 this audit will also effect the change of custodian of the club."

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL PECKHAM:

OFFICIAL:

MARK AMEN
Lt. Col, QGD
Adjutant General

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SPECIAL ORDERS
NUMBER 6

14 January 1949

1. MAJ LEONARD R. LITMAN, O-306950, AGD is aptd Acting Transportation Officer for Third Zone AGRC, APO 58, Nancy, France for the purpose of issuing transportation warrants & procuring transportation PAC AR 55-105 vice CAPT WILLIAM T. DAILEY, O-1573146, QMC reld.
2. M/Sgt Harry W. Daughters, RA-12251281, Hq Third Zone, is aptd Transportation Agent to MAJ LEONARD R. LITMAN, O-306950, AGD, Acting Transportation Officer, Third Zone AGRC, APO 58, Nancy, France for the purpose of issuing documents for procuring transportation PAC Change 14, AR 55-105.
3. MAJ ROGER BERGER, O-251736, Ord, this hq, is designated to conduct inventory of all Signal equipment in this hq. MAJ BERGER will report to COL EDWARD F. FRENCH, O-8935, Sig C, Signal Officer, this hq for instructions.
4. 1ST LT ROBERT J. ANDRE, O-2011787, QMC, this hq, is aptd Mess Officer for the Hq AGRC French Civilian Mess, Hotel Astoria, Paris, France PAC AR 210-60 effective as of 8 Jan 49.
5. 1ST LT HARRY H. SHERIDAN, O-1797190, CMP, this hq, is aptd Mess officer for the Hq AGRC Enlisted Mess, 31 Rue Jean Giraudoux, Paris, France PAC AR 210-60 effective as of 8 Jan 49.
6. Par 3, SO 107, this hq, 2 Aug 48 pertaining to COL JAMES J. DEERY, O-16123, FA is revoked.
7. MAJ GEORGE E. SPRINGER, O-284512, FA is aptd a member of the Budget Advisory Committee established per par 5, SO 70, this hq, 3 June 48.
8. The Board of Review for the Identification of Unknown Dead aptd per par 2, SO 139, this hq, 8 Oct 48 is dissolved.
9. Under the provisions of letter file AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47) D-M, War Dept, TAGO, 9 April 47, subject: Establishment of Board of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead Overseas, the following named officers are aptd a Board of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead:

MAJ	ROGER	BERGER	O-251736	Ord
MAJ	ROBERT E.	DEPPE	O-386998	QMC
MAJ	JAMES F.	ADDISON	O-447553	QMC

MAJ	REED M.	TITUS	0-41879	TC
MAJ	JOHN R.	LYLE	0-32700	Inf
CAPT	JACK C	HAYES	0-1577297	CMC
CAPT	BURGE A.	WIEMEYER	0-492969	TC
CAPT	HAROLD H.	HAWKINS	0-1295874	SpS
CAPT	JOSEPH P.	FORBES	0-1589835	Ord
CAPT	EDWARD F.	PRICE Jr.	0-1588236	CMC
1ST LT	JOHN P.	PINZOLO	0-2055482	AGD
1ST LT	ANTHONY C.	SANTAGO	0-1333883	CMC

10. So much of par 2, SO #2, this hq, 6 Jan 49 pertaining to LT COL PATRICK W. GUINEY, JR. O-19066, CMC as reads "WP TPA TCNT TDN 21X1805 907-41 P 420-02 S 99-999 L 160", is amended to read "WP TPA TCNT TDN 21X1805 907-41 P 420-02-03-07 S 99-999 L 160."

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL PECKHAM:

OFFICIAL:

/s/ Mark Amen
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Lt Col, AGD
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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

PRE 293.9 (IB)

SUBJECT: Non-Recoverable Remains

TO: Non-Recoverable Board AGRC

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

NAME: LIDSKY, Herman H., Pvt. 36781425

ORGANIZATION: Co "E" 11th Inf Regt, 5th Inf Div.

PLACE OF DEATH: Vicinity of Dornot, Moselle, France.

DATE OF DEATH: 10 September 1944.

SYNOPSIS OF CASE: Only information available on the above deceased - OQMG Form 371 - indicates that he was killed in action when his unit was holding a bridgehead on the East bank of the Moselle River in the vicinity of Sainte-Catherine Farm, about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile from Dornot, Moselle, France. Thorough investigation of the area proved negative. A search of cemetery records in this headquarters also failed to give any clue which might lead to the identification of subject deceased. A statement by Mr. Henri Boda, Mayor of Dornot, emphasizes the fact that since 29 January 1947, date of the last investigation in Dornot by a field unit, no American graves have been located or reported in the area. In view of the fact that all clues have been exhausted on this case, it is believed that further action would prove futile.

Reference is made to OQMG Form 371; 1st Ind. Third Zone, 21 Feb 47; Ltr, Third Zone, 26 Feb 47; Diary; Statement, s/Boda; Ltr Third Zone, 31 Jan 47; Diary, 29 Jan 47; Diary (undated).

2. All attached supporting documents are copied from records in file headquarters American Graves Registration Command.

3. Every effort has been made to correlate this case with records in this headquarters pertaining to unknown deceased interred in US Military Cemeteries and reported isolated burials. The results are negative.

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

George L. Freeman
GEORGE L. FREEMAN
1st Lt QMC

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 4 OCT 1944
 sim 4632

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FULL NAME Lidsky, Herman H.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 36 781 425	GRADE Pvt.			
HOME ADDRESS Chicago, Illinois		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry	DATE OF BIRTH 15 June 1910			
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 10 Sept 1944			
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 20 Dec 43	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS			
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky, wife, 501 S. Central St., Chicago, Illinois						
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Leona E. Lidsky, wife, same as above Andrea L. Lidsky, daughter, same as above Rose G. Lidsky, mother, 5238 S. Woodlawn Ave., Chicago, Illinois*						
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

no BB B refid

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

***Bene. Con't Stoper**
Cele Lidsky, sister, 2100 North Humboldt Blvd, Chicago, Illinois

OCT 1944 FILE

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		A. G. 201 FILE

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:
J. A. Marshall
 J. A. Marshall
 ADJUTANT GENERAL

WAR DEPARTMENT
MEMO PUBLISHING SLIP

1	NAME OR TITLE LIDSKY, HERMAN H.	INITIALS H. L.	CIRCULATE
	ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION Co. E 11th INF REGT 5th INF DIV	DATE	COMMUNIC. REFERENCE
2	o/a		FILE
	10 SEPT 44 ✓		INFORMATION
3	LOCATION AT ABOVE DATE		NECESSARY ACTION
4	COORDINATES DESIRED IF AVAILABLE		NOTE AND RETURN
	LT Sullivan Room 1544-B		SEE ME
	REMARKS		SIGNATURE

FROM NAME OR TITLE	DATE
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION	TELEPHONE

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LIDSKY, HERMAN H. ASN 36 781 425

ORG. 11th Inf. Regt. 5th Inf. Div.

DATE OF DEATH: 10 Sept. 1944

LOCATION ON ABOVE DATE: -----Result of death:

Pvt. Lidsky was killed in action on the 10 Sept 1944 when serving with an advance element whose mission was to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River about one quarter (1/4) mile East of Dornot, France.

They were faced with heavy enemy fire when he was killed by shell shrapnel while defending the bridgehead.

MAP LOCATION:

GSGS 4416
Map: CENTRAL EUROPE 1:100,000
Sheet # V-1

COORDINATES OF TOWN:

"DORNOT" (770510) coord., FRANCE.

DISPOSITION FORM

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION (If any)

FILE NO. AGRS-DM 201 Lidsky,
Herman H. 36 781 425

SUBJECT
Morning Reports

TO
Chief, QM Liaison Office
Rm 1d684 Pentagon
Washington 25, D. C.
ATTN: Maj Renner

FROM
Demob Pers Records Br, AGO
Bldg 103
St. Louis 20, Mo

DATE
24 Nov 50

COMMENT NO. 1
td/2143

1. Reference is made to your message 38 dated 22 November 1950.
2. Inclosed is extract copy of morning report of Co E, 11th Inf Regt, St. Catherine Form U-7451 Nord De Guerre pertaining to Herman H. Lidsky, 36 781 425.
3. Morning Report Record of Events of the above organization for 10 Sep 1944 shows the following remark:

Held Bridge head E. Bank of Moselle river until 2100 hrs & withdrew to U-7451 under orders under Arty MG & tank fire
2 EM KIA 9 EM LWA 1 EM LIA

E. C. Hoge
E. C. HOGE, Lt Col, AGC
Chief, Demob Pers Records Br

1 Incl
Ex Cy M/R,
10 Sep 44 (in trip)



Serial # 4



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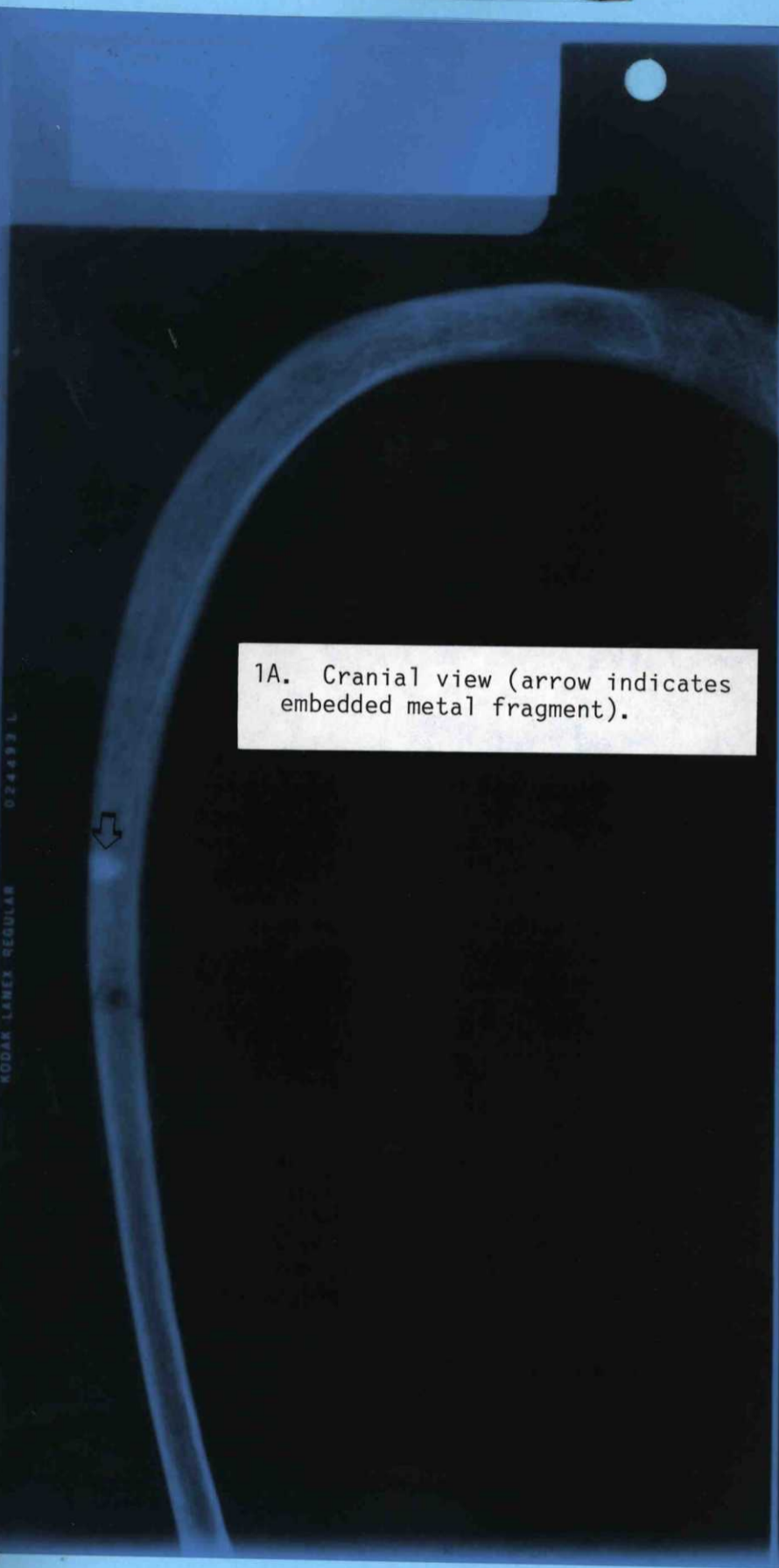


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1B. Antero-posterior view (arrow indicates embedded metal fragment).




1A. Cranial view (arrow indicates embedded metal fragment).



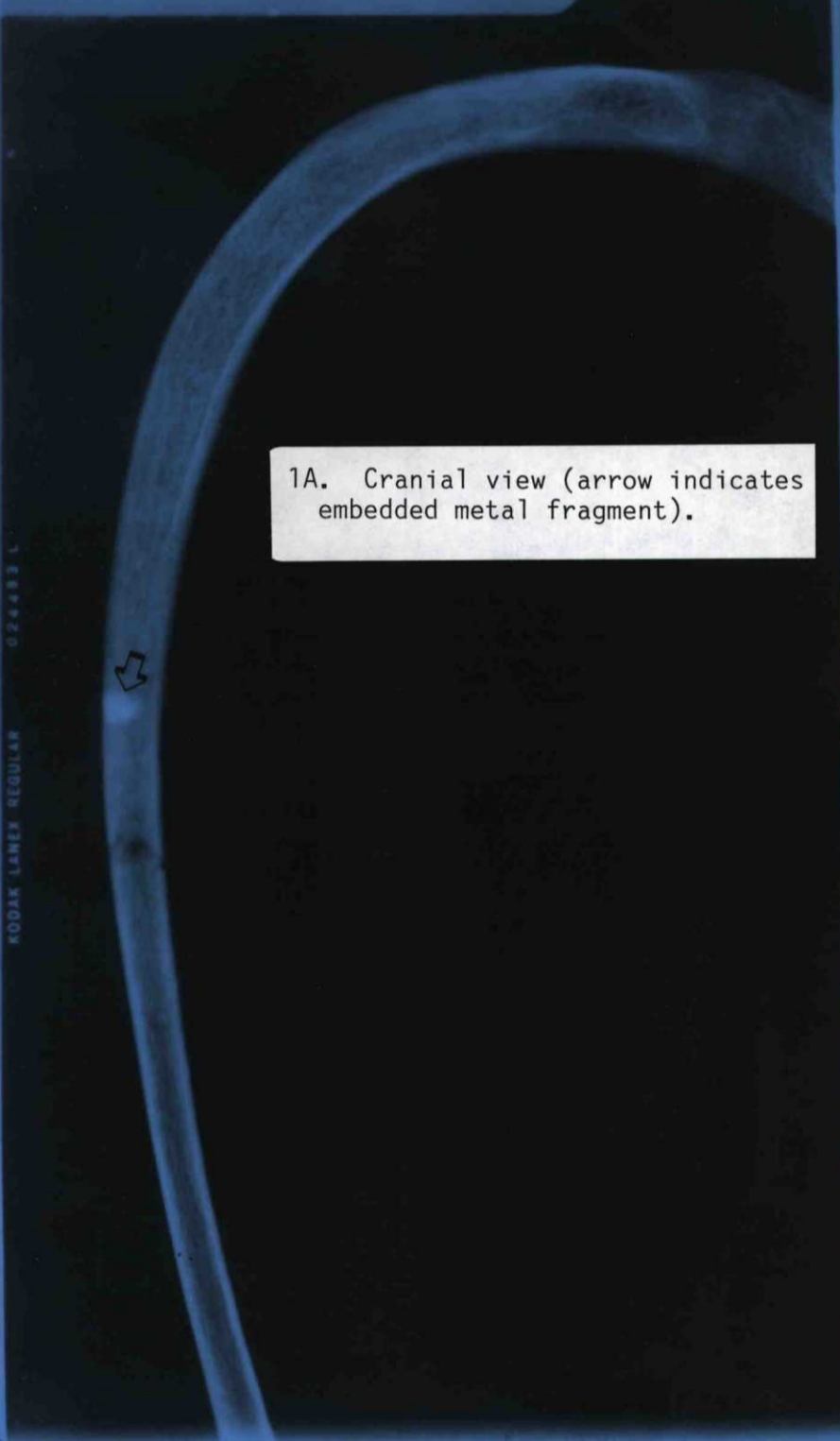
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CILHI 0179-88
RADIOGRAPHS 1A & B
(Left 7th rib)

1B. Antero-terior view (arrow indicates embedded metal fragment).

1A. Cranial view (arrow indicates embedded metal fragment).

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CILHI 0179-88
RADIOGRAPHS 1A & 1B
(Left 7th rib)

NAME _____

SERIAL NO. _____ RANK OR RATE _____

DATE _____



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GIAMI 0179-88
13 Oct 1988

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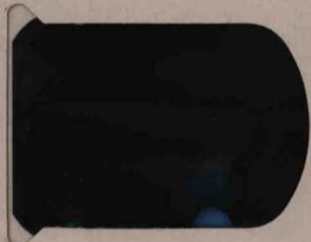
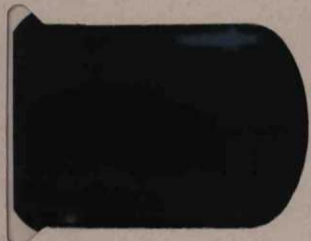
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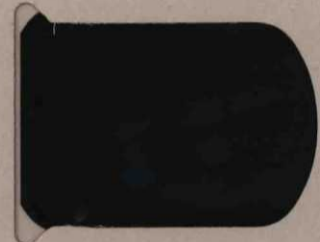
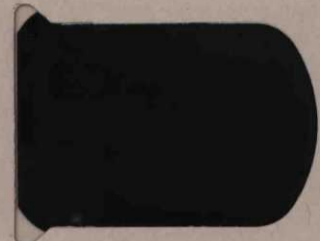
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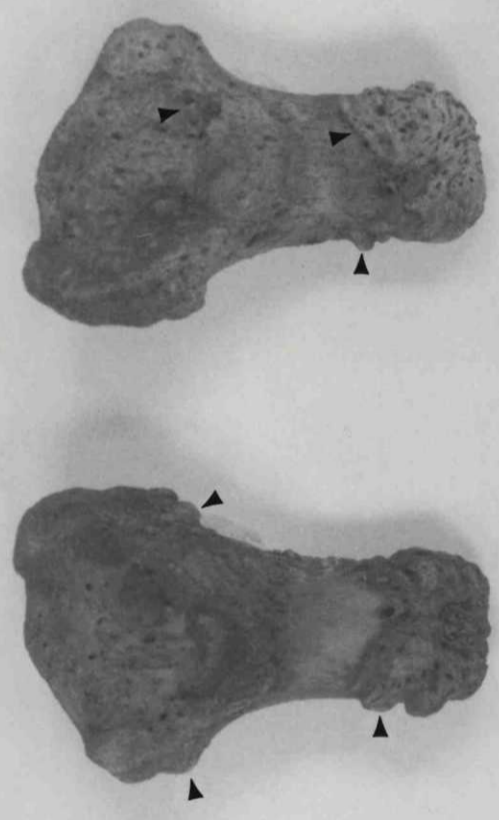
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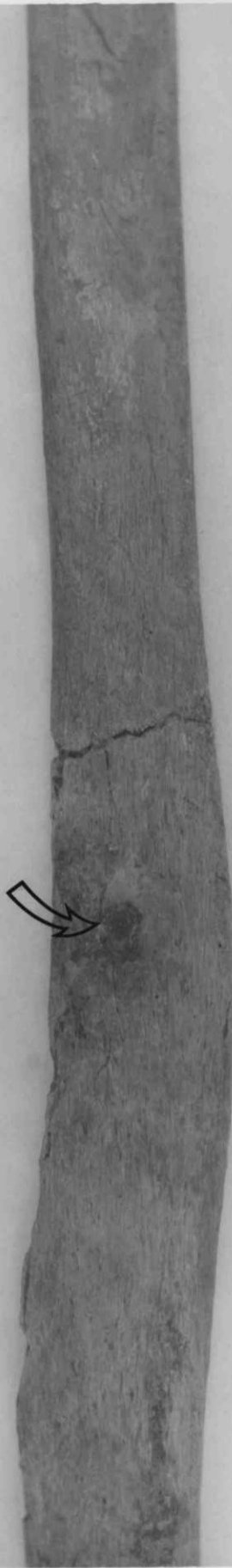
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CILHI 0179-88



4. Distal phalanges of right and left great toes, plantar surfaces. Arrows indicate osteophytic bony growth.

CILHI 0179-88



3. Midshaft of left 7th rib; arrow indicates embedded metal fragment.

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PATHOLOGIES

Some elements display osteophytosis of the muscle markings and attachments, or of the joint surfaces; these changes are probably due to degenerative osteoarthritis. Notably, the plantar surfaces of the distal phalanges of the right and left great toes show such changes (see Photograph 4). Also, the beginnings of what is probably intervertebral disc erosion are apparent on the superior and inferior surfaces of some vertebral centra.

ANOMALIES

The right and left 11th and 12th ribs are somewhat reduced in size.

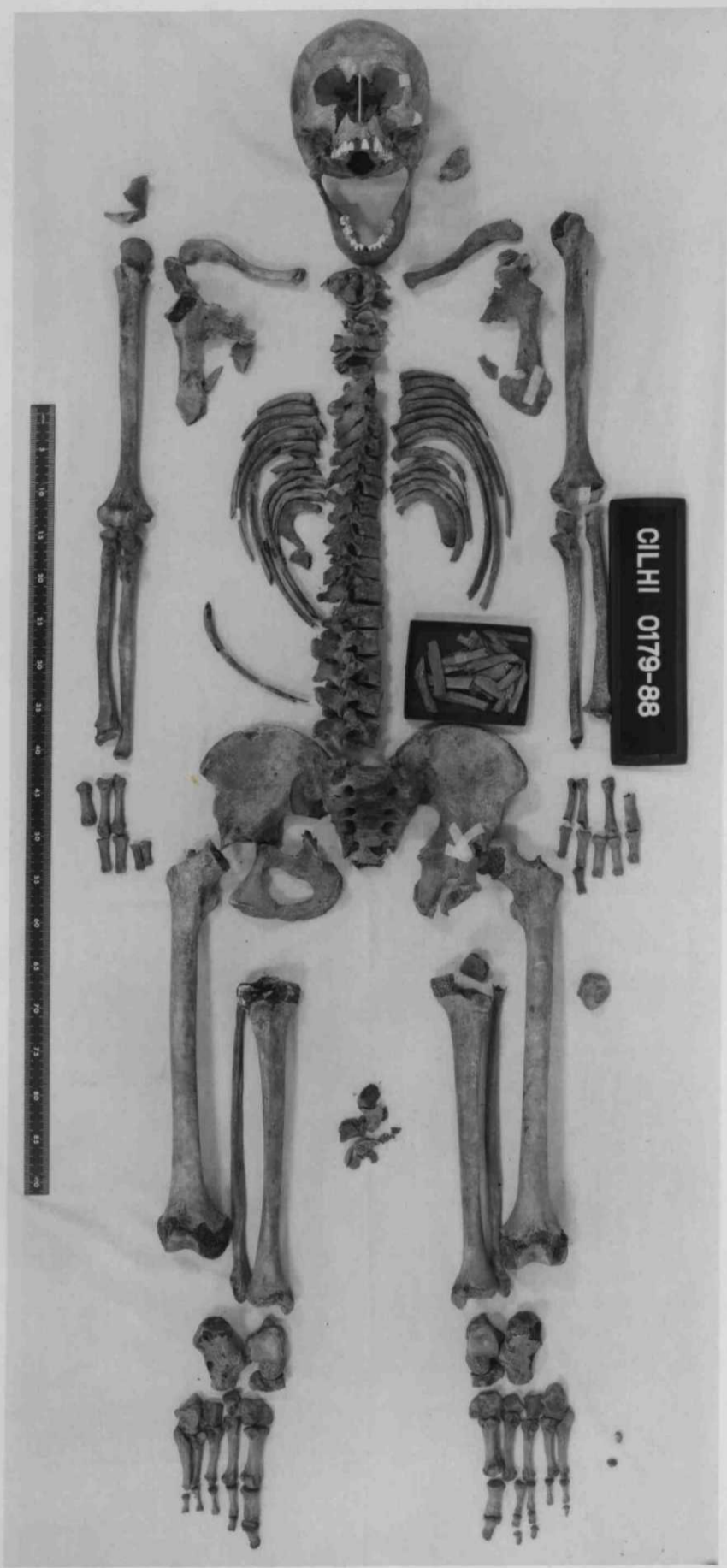
SUMMARY and CONCLUSIONS

The dental remains of CILHI 0179-88 have been identified as those of Herman H. LIDSKY, Pvt, USA, through comparison of antemortem dental records with the remains. At the time of his loss in combat, Pvt LIDSKY was listed in his official health records as being a 34 year old White male, 68" tall, weighing 149 pounds, and having no significant anomalies or pathologies. The anthropological findings made from the skeletal remains of CILHI 0179-88 are consistent with these antemortem physical data.

The last person to see Pvt LIDSKY alive was his platoon sergeant, who found Pvt LIDSKY in his foxhole after a German artillery barrage, fatally injured by shrapnel wounds to the chest and abdomen. The finding of an embedded metal fragment in the ventral surface of the left 7th rib correlates well to the platoon sergeant's account.

Sara J. Collins
Sara L. Collins, M.A.
Physical Anthropologist

22 August 1989
Date



1. Final Layout

CILHI 0179-88

CILHI 0179-88



2. Possible perimortem trauma on left parietal.

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**RECORD OF IDENTIFICATION PROCESSING
SKELETAL CHART**

CILHI 0179-88

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL (or unknown number)

GRADE: _____ SERVICE NUMBER /SSN: _____

NAME OF CEMETERY, EVACUATION NUMBER, OR SEARCH AND RECOVERY NUMBER
S & R #5160

PLOT: _____ ROW: _____ GRAVE: _____

ESTIMATED AGE (Years): mid to late 30's ESTIMATED HEIGHT (fem + tib): 69.3" (+/- 1.2")

SKELETAL MEASUREMENTS (Centimeters)

SKELETAL MEMBER	METHOD	SKELETAL MEASUREMENTS (Centimeters)	
		RIGHT	LEFT
SKULL			
NUMERUS		-	-
ULNA	Trotter & Gleser	-	27.3
RADIUS	Trotter & Gleser	24.9	-
FEMUR	Trotter & Gleser	-	49.0
TIBIA	Trotter & Gleser	37.8	-
FIBULA		-	-

REMARKS OR STATEMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGIST (Continue on reverse if more space is required)

CONDITION OF REMAINS: Largely complete and in fairly good condition.

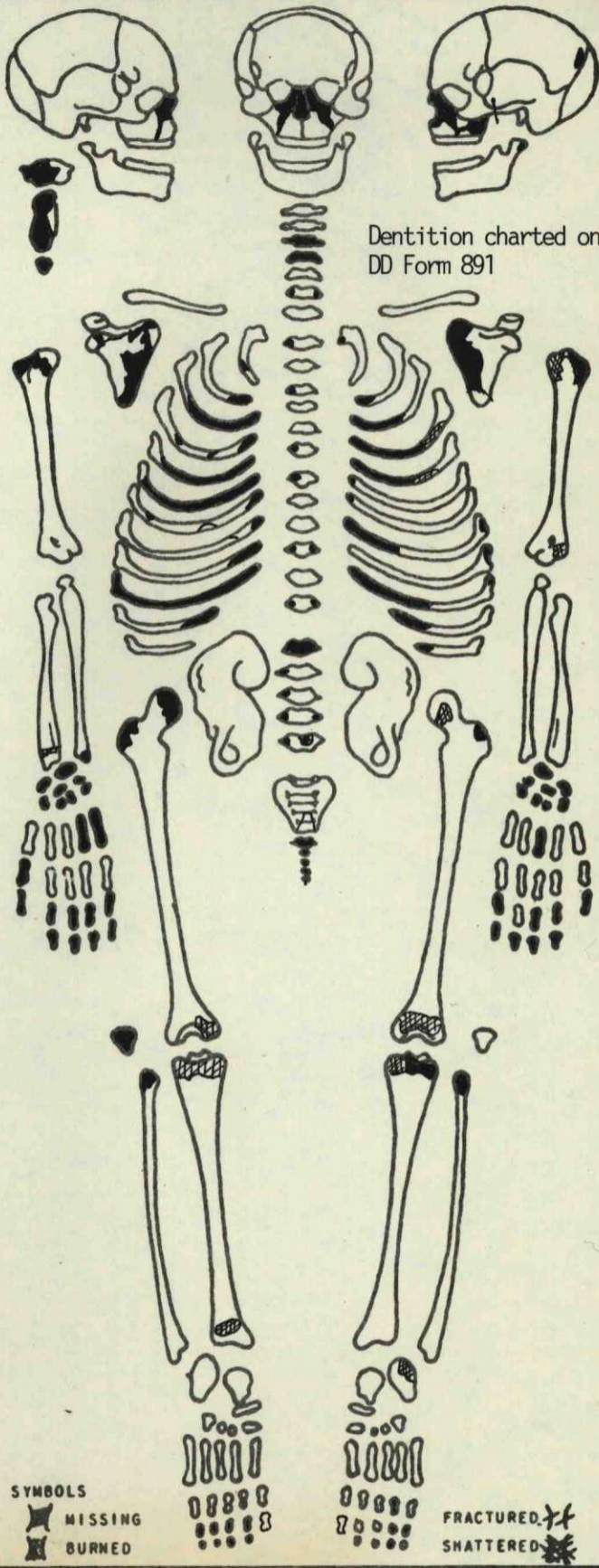
RACE: Caucasoid
SEX: Male
MUSCULARITY: Slight-average
HEALED FRACTURES: None observed
PATHOLOGIES: See Anthropology Report
ANOMALIES: Reduced size of Rt & Lt 11th & 12th ribs

THE PARTS PRESENT AS INDICATED ON THIS SKELETAL CHART REPRESENTS ONE AND THE SAME INDIVIDUAL

PHYSICAL ANTHROPOLOGIST (Name)
Sara L. Collins, M.A. 2 August 1989

SIGNATURE
Sara L. Collins

BLACK OUT PORTIONS NOT RECOVERED





REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND
ALEXANDRIA, VA
22331-0482



TAPC-PED-D

13 October 1994

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, United States Air Force Port of Entry
Mortuary, 721 Vandenberg Drive, Travis Air Force Base,
California, 94535-5486

SUBJECT: Disposition Instructions; Private Herman H. Lidsky

1. Request direct shipment of Private Herman H. Lidsky's remains
to Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia. The remains
will be interred on 28 October 1994.

2. Private Lidsky's awards are:

- Bronze Star Medal
- Purple Heart
- European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal
- World War II Victory Medal
- Combat Infantryman Badge

3. The point of contact for the disposition of Private Lidsky's
remains is Mr. Campbell; DSN 221-7576.

Harold W. Campbell
Harold W. Campbell
Chief, Disposition Branch



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND
ALEXANDRIA, VA
22331-0482



TAPC-PED-F

A Board of Officers appointed by Commander, PERSCOM (DF, TAPC-PED-F, 10 Mar 89, subject: Announcement of HQ Department of the Army Casualty and Memorial Affairs Board of Officers) (Enclosure 1), convened for the purpose of reviewing all relevant data (Enclosure 2) pertaining to the cases cited below and to consider the recommended identification of these remains made by the U.S. Army Central Identification Laboratory, Hawaii. The Board, after considering all data presented, and the absence of any contradictory evidence, duly approved the identification of these remains as indicated:

<u>PROC NO.</u>	<u>NAMES</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>SN</u>
CILHI 0179-88	LIDSKY, Herman H.	PVT	USA	36 781 425

Robert M. Long
ROBERT M. LONG
DAC, GS-12

William L. Roberts
WILLIAM L. ROBERTS
LTC, GS

James G. Cole
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LTC, GS

APPROVED:

M. A. Hoherz
M. A. HOHERZ
Colonel, GS
Director, Casualty and
Memorial Affairs

Date: 27 SEP 1989

2 Encls

1. DF, TAPC-PED-F, 10 Mar 89
2. Memo, TAPC-PED-H, 11 Sep 89 w/encl

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LIDSKY (3) 477-9474

WIDOW - LEONA E. LIDSKY (312) 477-9574
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~~501 S. CENTRAL ST. CHICAGO, ILL~~
APT 711

DAUGHTER - ANDREA L. LIDSKY (312) 929-2749
3550 NORTH LAKE SHORE DR
APT 1520

NO ANS
27 OCT
1000, 1320, 1530
1845

~~MOTHER - ROSE G. LIDSKY
5238 S. WOODLAND AVE. CHICAGO ILL~~

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PVT HERMAN H. LIDSKY 36 781 425
FRANCE

HER MY MOTHER IS NOT INTERESTED, OK
ME I FIND THAT HARD TO BELIEVE, I'D LIKE TO TALK TO HER.
HER I AM SORRY SIR, SHE DOESN'T WANT YOU TO CONTACT ME AND SHE DOESN'T WANT YOU TO CONTACT HER.

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DISPOSITION FORM

For use of this form, see AR 340-15; the proponent agency is TAGO.

REFERENCE OR OFFICE SYMBOL TAPC-PED-F (15)	SUBJECT Announcement of HQDA Casualty and Memorial Affairs Board of Officers
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TO/SEE DISTRIBUTION	FROM CDR, PERSCOM	DATE 10 Mar 89 Mr. Manning/ps/5-0944	CMT 1
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1. Effective 10 March 1989, the following board is appointed as the HQ Department of the Army Casualty and Memorial Affairs Board of Officers and is subject to the call of the Director, Casualty and Memorial Affairs Operations Center.

MEMBERS:	LONG, Robert M.	452-36-6899	GS-12
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	COLE, James G.	557-68-6859	LTC
ALTERNATE MEMBERS:	MASLOWSKI, Daniel F.	341-38-9496	LTC
	MANNING, John F.	101-28-4597	GM-14

2. Authority: CG, PERSCOM and AR 15-6.

3. Purpose: To assist the Director, Casualty and Memorial Affairs Operations Center in the resolution of special cases which involve the identification, or nonidentifiability or nonrecoverability of the remains of deceased persons (except for Vietnam Conflict related).

4. Period: Until officially relieved or released from appointment or assignment.

5. Special Instructions: Further instructions as to the responsibilities of the board will be furnished by the Director, Casualty and Memorial Affairs Operations Center.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

Ronald A. Sparacino
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 LTC, GS
 Deputy Chief of Staff,
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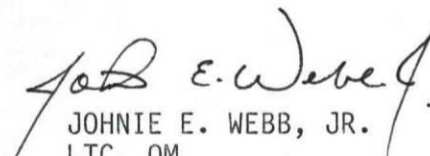
11 September 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDER, U.S. TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND,
ATTN: TAPC-PED-F, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22331-0482

SUBJECT: Remains CILHI 0179-88

1. Forwarded for your review and evaluation are the processing charts, photographs, and associated documentation (Encl 1) to support the proposed identification of CILHI 0179-88 as the remains of Pvt Herman H. LIDSKY, SSN 319-05-1528, USA.
2. Upon completion of the appropriate board action on this recommendation, it is requested that this office be advised of the identification decision and disposition instructions.
3. Also enclosed are all original medical and dental records (Encl 2) of Pvt LIDSKY for appropriate disposition by the parent service.

Encls


JOHNIE E. WEBB, JR.
LTC, QM
Commanding

R E C O M M E N D A T I O N

CILHI 0179-88

PROPOSED IDENTIFICATION: Pvt HERMAN H. LIDSKY
319-05-1528 USA

ACQUISITION

According to the records in this folder, these remains were received from Frankfurt Mortuary with records of recovery from Dornot, France.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

These are the remains of an adult male Caucasoid about 35-39 years of age and 70 inches tall.

MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

The dental remains have been identified as those of Pvt Lidsky based on matching dental records. The skeletal remains are consistent with this identification. See the Odontology and Anthropology Summaries.

RECOMMENDATION

Based on the findings of the Anthropologist and Odontologist, it is recommended that these remains be identified as those of

LIDSKY, HERMAN H.
319-05-1528
PVT USA

Date: 23 August 1989

Ellis R. Kerley
Ellis R. Kerley, Ph.D., D.A.B.F.A.
Scientific Director

CILHI 0179-88

ENCLOSURES

- 1) DD Form 890, Record of Identification Processing
Photographs of Personal Effects and Military Equipment (3)
- 2) DD Form 891, Dental Chart
- 3) CIL Form 5520, Dental Comparison Chart
- 4) Dental Summary
- 5) Postmortem Dental Radiographs & Dental Photographs (6)
- 6) Anthropology Summary
- 7) DD Form 892, Skeletal Chart
- 8) Skeletal Photographs (4)
- 9) Envelope Containing:
Skeletal Radiograph (1)
- 10) Search and Recovery Report (S & R #5160)
- 11) Memorandum for Commander USA-CILHI (2 encls)
- 12) Casualty Data Analysis Report
DD Form 898, Record Data (Deceased and Missing Personnel)
Biographic Data Sheet
Summary of Incident
- 13) DD Form 2064, Certificate of Death
- 14) 293 File (Orig) for LIDSKY, Herman H.

INVENTORY OF ARTIFACTS

CILHI NUMBER	DATE OF RECOVERY
CILHI 0179-88	14 July, 1988
S&R NUMBER	PLACE OF RECOVERY
S&R 5160 (X-9462)	France

INVENTORY OF ARTIFACTS

QUANTITY	ITEM DESCRIPTION
1 ea.	Helmet liner, "DORTHY" on front, pieces missing
1 ea.	Lighter, silver colored, embossed on side, "HLH"
1 pr.	combat boots, brown, weathered, size 11
2 ea.	Entrenching tool, rusted, no handle
1 ea.	Entrenching tool handle, 10 inches long
1 ea.	Canteen half, with top, corroded
1 ea.	Canteen, numerous punctures
1 ea.	Plastic tube with lid, brush and rod inside (cleaning kit)
4 ea.	Pieces of metal, rusted
1 ea.	Plastic disc with ring hole
1 ea.	Fork, corroded
1 ea.	Spoon, broken and corroded
1 ea.	Ammo box lid, rusted
1 ea.	1/2 Plastic box/case
2 ea.	Buttons, brown
	Misc. pieces of leather
	Misc. pieces of helmet liner
	Misc. pieces of cloth fragments, plastic coated

RECOVERED BY (NAME GRADE UNIT)	DD 567 ATTACHED YES (NO)
United States Army Memorial Affairs Activity, Europe (USAMAAE)	
INVENTORIED AT CILHI BY (NAME GRADE)	SIGNATURE/DATE
Jay S. Warner, SFC	<i>Jay Warner</i> 28 Feb 89
ANTHROPOLOGIST ASSIGNED (NAME GRADE DATE)	
Sara Collins, GS-12, 28 Feb 89	

ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES AS NECESSARY.

RECORD OF IDENTIFICATION PROCESSING DENTAL CHART												26 July 1989					
CILHI 0179-88												GRADE		SERVICE NO./SOCIAL SECURITY ACCT NO.			
LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL (or unknown number)												PLOT		ROW	GRAVE		
NAME OF CEMETERY, EVACUATION NUMBER, OR SEARCH AND RECOVERY NUMBER																	
MARKING ABBREVIATIONS:																	
F-Facial		O-Occlusal		D-Distal		A-Amalgam		-Fill-Filling		Porc-Porcelain		Back-Backing					
L-Lingual		M-Mesial		I-Incisal		CR-Crown		Plas-Plastic		Sil-Silicate		Fac-Facing					
CARIES	L-CAR 3 UNIT FIXED PARTIAL DENTURE												CANTILEVER FIXED PARTIAL DENTURE		CARIES		
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UPPER RIGHT																	UPPER LEFT
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CARIES	O-SIL	F-SIL	MO-Rest Prep	GOLD CROWN													
	THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS WILL BE INDICATED IF PRESENT (Describe in detail in Remarks section)																
MOTTLED ENAMEL				ROTATION				FRACTURED ENAMEL				IRREGULARITY OF ALIGNMENT					
ENAMEL HYPOPLASIA				UNERUPTED TEETH				FRACTURES OF TEETH				X UNUSUAL RESTORATIONS					
EROSION				MALOCCLUSION				RETAINED DECIDUOUS TEETH				UNUSUAL APPLIANCES					
ABRASION				SUPERNUMERARY TEETH				ABNORMAL INTERDENTAL SPACES				MALPOSED TEETH					
PREPARED BY (Typed Name and Signature)												VERIFIED BY (Typed Name and Signature)					
BRION C. SMITH, MAJ, DE, USA												N/A					

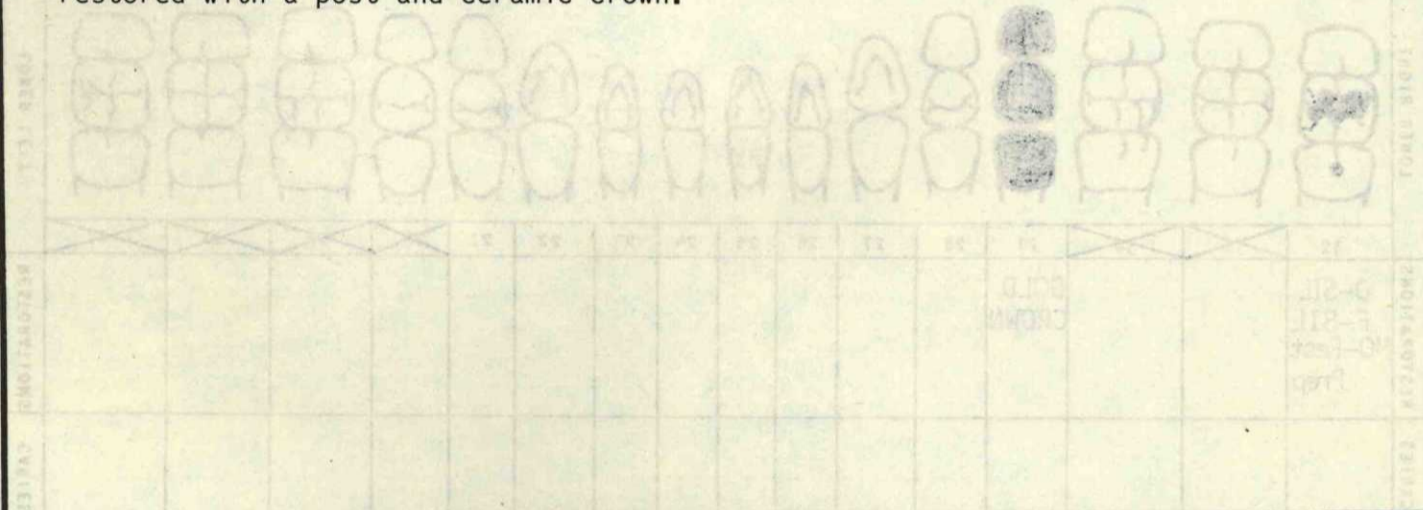
DENTURES (Platen): DESCRIBE DENTURES INCLUDING NATURAL TEETH REPLACED AND TEETH WHICH HAVE RETAINING CLASPS. (For example: Lower Acrylic Partial Denture with Lingual Bar, replacing Teeth nos. 17, 18, 19, 30, 31, 32. Clasp on natural teeth nos. 20 and 29) SHOW ANY NUMBERS OR LETTERS APPEARING ON DENTURE.

MANDIBULAR PARTIAL DENTURE WITH CAST GOLD LINGUAL BAR: Replaces teeth #18, #19, #20, #30, and #31. Natural teeth #21 and #29 are clasped and tooth #32 has an MO rest preparation.



REMARKS (If no abnormalities are found make notation to that effect)

UNUSUAL RESTORATIONS: Tooth #7 has undergone endodontic therapy and has been restored with a post and ceramic crown.



EXAMPLE METHOD OF PREPARATION

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
UPPER RIGHT																	UPPER LEFT
	1. O-AM	2. DOL-AM; F-AM	3. MOD GOLD FILL	4. F-GOLD FILL; ML-AM	5. MO-AM	6. ML-GOLD FILL	7. 3/4 GOLD CR	8. D-PORC FILL	9. PORC-CR	10. F-PORC FILL; L-AM	11. MF-PORC FILL	12. PX-POSTHUMOUSLY MISSING	13. GOLD-CR	14. MISSING	15. MO-AM; L-AM	16. MODL-AM	

26 July 1989

DENTAL COMPARISON CHART

REMAINS OF	:NAME
CILHI 0179-88	LIDSKY, Herman H. 36781425, PVT, USA
1 : O-AM, F-AM L-CAR	1 :
2 : GOLD CROWN RETAINER 3	2 : FIXED RETAINER 4
3 : RESIN/GOLD PONTIC UNIT	3 : PONTIC UNIT
4 : GOLD 3/4 CROWN RETAINER BRIDGE	4 : FIXED RETAINER BRIDGE
5 : GOLD DOF-INLAY	5 : FIXED RETAINER
6 :	6 :
7 : PORCELAIN CROWN	7 :
8 : PX	8 :
9 : M-SIL, D-SIL	9 :
10 : PX	10 :
11 : FI-SIL	11 :
12 : MO-SIL	12 :
13 : RESIN/GOLD PONTIC 2 UNIT	13 : PONTIC 2 UNIT
14 : GOLD CROWN BRIDGE	14 : FIXED RETAINER BRIDGE
15 : O-AM	15 :
16 : DOL-AM	16 :
17 : MISSING	17 :
18 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	18 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
19 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	19 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
20 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	20 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
21 : CLASPED BY RPD	21 : CLASPED or CARIOUS
22 :	22 :
23 :	23 :
24 :	24 :
25 : PX	25 :
26 :	26 :
27 :	27 :
28 :	28 :
29 : GOLD CROWN CLASPED BY RPD	29 : CLASPED or CARIOUS
30 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	30 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
31 : REMOVABLE PONTIC	31 : REMOVABLE PONTIC
32 : O-SIL, F-SIL MO-REST PREP	32 :
REMARKS	REMARKS
"RPD" indicates Removable Partial Denture	During antemortem examination, the gold DOF-INLAY may have appeared to be part of the 3 unit bridge (see Dental Photograph 6).
	Teeth #21 and #29 are charted as "clasped" by the RPD in one record, and as "cariou" in the others.

26 July 1989

DENTAL SUMMARY: CILHI 0179-88

**FORENSIC ODONTOLOGY SECTION
U.S. ARMY CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY, HAWAII**

RECOVERY OF REMAINS: The remains of CILHI 0179-88 were received from the United States Army Memorial Affairs Activity, Europe on 12 September 1988.

POSTMORTEM EVIDENCE: The dental remains of CILHI 0179-88 consist of the fractured maxillae and intact mandible with a total of 21 teeth that match their appropriate alveolar sockets. Teeth #3, #13, #17, #18, #19, #20, #30, and #31 appear to have been missing prior to death, whereas teeth #8, #10, and #25 have been lost postmortem. The dental evidence includes extensive fixed prostheses, and a mandibular removable appliance. Refer to DD Form 891 dated 26 July 1989 and Dental Photographs 1 through 6 for a graphic representation of the dental evidence. All teeth were radiographed in duplicate with Size 2 and Size 3 dental film at 10 MA, 80 KVP, and 18/60 seconds. The results are the two bitewing radiographs and 14 periapical films dated 13 October 1988. Note that the bitewings were produced with the removable denture in place.

NAME ASSOCIATIONS: Historical research, as described in the Memorandum dated 28 November 1988, resulted in a list of 33 service members whose remains may have been represented by CILHI 0179-88. The dental records of these 33 individuals were reviewed and a positive association was established with the dental condition of LIDSKY, Herman H.

ANTEMORTEM EVIDENCE: Dental records: One OQMG FORM 371 labeled "LIDSKY, Herman H." with dental data from "20 Dec. '43". A second OQMG FORM 371 labeled "LIDSKY, HERMAN H." with dental data from "20 DEC 43". One AGRAC FORM 1-380 labeled "Lidsky, Herman H." with dental data from "20 Dec 43". A second AGRAC FORM 1-380 labeled "LIDSKY, Herman H." with dental data from "20 Dec 43". One DSS Form 221 labeled "Herman Henry Lidsky," and dated "20 DECEMBER 1943". One TWX labeled "HERMAN H LIDSKY" and stamped "14DEC48". **Dental radiographs:** None available

OPINION: I have compared the dental remains of CILHI 0179-88 with the dental records of PVT LIDSKY, and find all available evidence to be highly consistent. The number of missing teeth with extensive prosthetic replacement is dramatically reflected in both the antemortem and postmortem evidence, as illustrated by CIL Form 5520 dated 26 July 1989. This concordance is unique among the closed population established by the Casualty Data Analyst. It is my opinion that the dental remains of CILHI 0179-88 are those of LIDSKY, Herman H., 36781425, PVT, USA.

Brion C. Smith

BRION C. SMITH
MAJ, DE, USA

ANTHROPOLOGY SUMMARY: CILHI 0179-88

These skeletal and dental remains are largely complete and in fairly good condition (see Photograph 1). Dirt and rootlets are visible on a number of elements. There has been some cortical and cancellous erosion. There is a puncture through the cranial vault, approximately 22 mm by 7 mm, on the left parietal just lateral to lambda (see Photograph 2); it may be perimortem in origin. The left 7th rib has a small piece of rusted metal adhering to it on the ventral surface about midway between the vertebral and costal ends; small fracture lines extend from the metal fragment in either direction (see Photograph 3). Radiographs of the bone show that the metal fragment is embedded into the bone (see Radiographs 1A and 1B). These facts indicate that the metal fragment probably became imbedded in the rib in the perimortem interval.

There is no evidence of commingling in either the dental or the skeletal remains of CILHI 0179-88; only one person is represented in these remains.

RACE

The morphology of the cranio-facial skeleton is clearly Caucasoid. The morphology of the femora and tibiae, and the flattened superior articular surface of the tali are supportive of this determination.

SEX

The morphology of the hipbone portions and the appearance of the cranium and mandible are clearly male.

AGE

The pubic symphyses are aged at Suchey-Brooks Stage IV (36.8 years, S.D. 9.6 years) and the auricular surfaces of the hipbones are aged at 35 - 39 years, using the method of Bedford *et. al.*, 1989. An overall age estimate of mid to late 30's seems appropriate.

STATURE and MUSCULARITY

Stature was estimated by using the total lengths of the right tibia and left femur in the appropriate Trotter and Gleser regression equation for White males. The resulting stature estimate is 69.3" +/- 1.2".

The muscle attachments and markings display signs of an average muscularity.

HEALED FRACTURES

None observed.

CILHI 0179-88		CERTIFICATE OF DEATH (OVERSEAS) Acte de décès (D'Outre-Mer)			
NAME OF DECEASED (Last, First, Middle) LIDSKY, Herman H.		GRADE Grade Pvt	BRANCH OF SERVICE US Army	SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 319-05-1528 SN 36781425	
ORGANIZATION Organisation E Co 11th INF REGT		NATION (e.g., United States) United States	DATE OF BIRTH 15 Jun 10	SEX Sexe <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MALE Masculin <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE Féminin	
RACE Race <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CAUCASOID Caucasique		MARITAL STATUS État Civil SINGLE Célibataire		RELIGION Culte PROTESTANT Protestant	
NEGROID Négroïde		MARRIED Marié		CATHOLIC Catholique	
OTHER (Specify) Autre (Spécifier)		WIDOWED Veuf		JEWISH Juif	
NAME OF NEXT OF KIN Nom du plus proche parent		RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED Parenté du décédé avec le susdit			
STREET ADDRESS Domicile à (Rue)		CITY OR TOWN AND STATE (Include ZIP Code) Ville (Code postal compris)			
MEDICAL STATEMENT Déclaration médicale					
CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line) Cause du décès (N'indiquer qu'une cause par ligne)					INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH Intervalle entre l'attaque et le décès
DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH ¹ Maladie ou condition directement responsable de la mort. ¹					
ANTECEDENT CAUSES Symptômes précurseurs de la mort.	MORBID CONDITION, IF ANY, LEADING TO PRIMARY CAUSE Condition morbide, s'il y a lieu, menant à la cause primaire				
	UNDERLYING CAUSE, IF ANY, GIVING RISE TO PRIMARY CAUSE Raison fondamentale, s'il y a lieu, ayant suscité la cause primaire				
OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS ² Autres conditions significatives ²					
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ACCIDENT Mort accidentelle					
SUICIDE Suicide	NAME OF PATHOLOGIST Nom du pathologiste				
HOMICIDE Homicide	SIGNATURE Signature	DATE Date	AVIATION ACCIDENT Accident à Avion <input type="checkbox"/> YES Oui <input type="checkbox"/> NO Non		
DATE OF DEATH (Hour, day, month, year) Date de décès (l'heure, le jour, le mois, l'année) 10 September 1944		PLACE OF DEATH Lieu de décès Vicinity of Dornot, France			
I HAVE VIEWED THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED AND DEATH OCCURRED AT THE TIME INDICATED AND FROM THE CAUSES AS STATED ABOVE. J'ai examiné les restes mortels du défunt et je conclus que le décès est survenu à l'heure indiquée et à la suite des causes énumérées ci-dessus.					
NAME OF MEDICAL OFFICER Nom du médecin militaire ou du médecin sanitaire David M. Posey			TITLE OR DEGREE Titre ou diplôme MD		
GRADE Grade LTC, MC	INSTALLATION OR ADDRESS Installation ou adresse Tripler Army Medical Center, Honolulu, HI 96859-5000				
DATE Date 8 September 1989	SIGNATURE Signature David M. Posey, M.D.				
¹ State disease, injury or complication which caused death, but not mode of dying such as heart failure, etc. ² State conditions contributing to the death, but not related to the disease or condition causing death. ¹ Préciser la nature de la maladie, de la blessure ou de la complication qui a contribué à la mort, mais non la manière de mourir, telle qu'un arrêt du coeur, etc. ² Préciser la condition qui a contribué à la mort, mais n'ayant aucun rapport avec la maladie ou à la condition qui a provoqué la mort.					

(REMOVE, REVERSE AND RE-INSERT CARBONS BEFORE COMPLETING THIS SIDE)

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS			
NAME OF MORTICIAN PREPARING REMAINS	GRADE	LICENSE NUMBER AND STATE	OTHER
INSTALLATION OR ADDRESS	DATE	SIGNATURE	
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REGISTRATION OF VITAL STATISTICS			
REGISTRY (Town and Country)	DATE REGISTERED	FILE NUMBER	
		STATE	OTHER
NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR	ADDRESS		
SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED INDIVIDUAL			

MEDICAL STATEMENT			
<p>1. Name of deceased: _____</p> <p>2. Date of death: _____</p> <p>3. Cause of death: _____</p> <p>4. Manner of death: _____</p> <p>5. Place of death: _____</p> <p>6. Name of physician: _____</p> <p>7. Signature of physician: _____</p> <p>8. Date of statement: _____</p>			
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CERTIFICATE OF DEATH



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
UNITED STATES ARMY MEMORIAL AFFAIRS ACTIVITY, EUROPE
APO NEW YORK 09757

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

09 Sep 1988

These are the remains of a W W 11 recovery being shipped for identification / processing. No name has been given due to unknown status.

This container only contains skeletal remains and processing media.

POC is Mr. Michael C. Tocchetti, Chief Frankfurt Mortuary phone 325-8323.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michael C. Tocchetti".

MICHAEL C. TOCCHETTI

GS-12 DAC

FRANKFURT MORTUARY

**RECORD OF IDENTIFICATION PROCESSING
DENTAL CHART**

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL (or unknown number)	GRADE	SERVICE NUMBER
X-9462	N/A	N/A
NAME OF CEMETERY, EVACUATION NUMBER, OR SEARCH AND RECOVERY NUMBER	PLOT	ROW GRAVE
SEARCH AND RECOVERY # 5160	N/A	N/A N/A

MARKING ABBREVIATIONS:
 F-Facial O-Occlusal D-Distal A'-Amalgam -Fill-Filling Porc-Porcelain Back-Backing
 L-Lingual M-Mesial I-Incisal CR-Crown Plas-Plastic Sil-Silicate Fac-Facing

	CARIES																
	RESTORATIONS																
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
	FIXED BRIDGE								FLYING BRIDGE								
	UPPER RIGHT																
	UPPER LEFT																
	LOWER RIGHT																
	LOWER LEFT																
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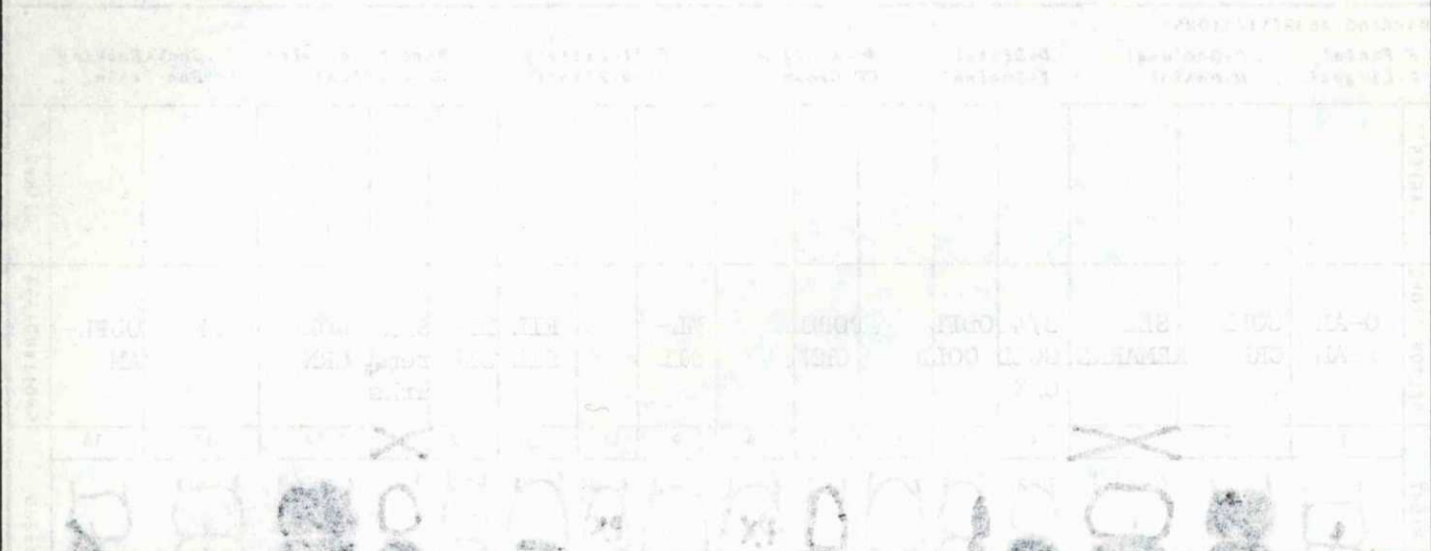
THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS WILL BE INDICATED IF PRESENT (Describe in detail in Remarks section)

MOTTLED ENAMEL	ROTATION	FRACTURED ENAMEL	IRREGULARITY OF ALIGNMENT
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EROSION	MALOCCLUSION	RETAINED DECIDUOUS TEETH	UNUSUAL APPLIANCES
ABRASION	SUPERNUMERARY TEETH	ABNORMAL INTERDENTAL SPACES	MALPOSED TEETH

PREPARED BY (Typed Name and Signature) *Richard J. Perko* VERIFIED BY (Typed Name and Signature) *Michael C. Tocchetti*
 Richard J. Perko Michael C. Tocchetti

DENTURES (Plates): DESCRIBE DENTURES INCLUDING NATURAL TEETH REPLACED AND TEETH WHICH HAVE RETAINING CLASPS. (For example: Lower Acrylic Partial Denture with Lingual Bar, replacing Teeth nos. 17, 18, 19, 30, 31, 32. Clasps on natural teeth nos. 20 and 29) SHOW ANY NUMBERS OR LETTERS APPEARING ON DENTURE.

Lower partial with artificial teeth numbers: 18, 19, 20 and 30 replacing natural teeth numbers: 18, 19, 20 and 30. Clasps on natural teeth numbers 21 and 29 with occlusal brace for tooth number 31. Artificial tooth number 30 is made using 2 bicuspid artificial teeth.



REMARKS (If no abnormalities are found, make notation to that effect)

Fixed bridge with gold crown on tooth number 2 and 3/4 gold crown on tooth number 4 with porcelain and gold pontic replacing tooth number 3.

Tooth number 14 gold crown with flying bridge pontic of porcelain and gold for tooth number 13.



EXAMPLE METHOD OF PREPARATION

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
UPPER RIGHT																	UPPER LEFT
	1. O-AM	2. DOL-AM; F-AM	3. MOD GOLD FILL	4. F-GOLD FILL; ML-AM	5. MO-AM	6. ML-GOLD FILL	7. 3/4 GOLD CR	8. D-PORC FILL	9. PORC-CR	10. F-PORC FILL; L-AM	11. MF-PORC FILL	12. PX-POSTHUMOUSLY MISSING	13. GOLD-CR	14. MISSING	15. MO-AM; L-AM	16. MODL-AM	

**RECORD OF IDENTIFICATION PROCESSING
FINGERPRINT CHART**

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X-9462		N/A	N/A	
NAME OF CEMETERY, EVACUATION NUMBER, OR SEARCH AND RECOVERY NUMBER		PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
Search and Recovery Number 5160		N/A	N/A	N/A

LEFT HAND		NOTE AMPUTATIONS, ABNORMALITIES, MISSING FINGERS, AND/OR DERMIS IN APPROPRIATE BLOCK The remains of X-9462 are skeletal and fingerprints are unobtainable.	RIGHT HAND	
10. LITTLE FINGER	X		<p align="center">IMPORTANT</p> <p>ATTACH DD FORM 2A (Identification Card) TO THIS FORM IF AVAILABLE</p> <p>IMPRESSIONS TAKEN BY (Name) Bendele, Sean A. SGT/E-5 US Army Mortuary Frankfurt FRG. <i>Sean A. Bendele</i></p>	5. LITTLE FINGER
9. RING FINGER	X	4. RING FINGER		X
8. MIDDLE FINGER	X	3. MIDDLE FINGER		X
7. INDEX FINGER	X	2. INDEX FINGER		X
6. THUMB	X	1. THUMB		X

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IDENTIFIED BY FINGERPRINT COMPARISON AS: LAST-NAME-FIRST NAME-MIDDLE INITIAL	SERVICE NUMBER
OFFICIAL APPROVING FINGERPRINT COMPARISON (Name)	DATE



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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APO NEW YORK 09757

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

06 SEP, 1988

To whom it may concern,

The following personal effects item was found with X-9462 on Search and Recovery number 5160. It was examined under a fluoroscopic light and microscope by Mr. Gordon Menzes at the US Army Central Investigation lab at Betts Kaserne, Frankfurt FRG. On 29 July, 1988.

1PR. Combat Boots

No Identification marks were found.

Michael C. Tocchetti

Michael C. Tocchetti
Chief Frankfurt Mortuary

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Légion de Lorraine
Groupement de la Moselle
Compagnie de METZ
Brigade d'ARS SUR MOSELLE
76, rue Clémenceau
57130 ARS SUR MOSELLE
TPH : 760.63.93

ARS SUR MOSELLE, le

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RECEPISSE DE DECLARATION

Je soussigné (Grade, nom, prénom) JAWORSKI, Jean-Michel, Gend
Officier de Police Judiciaire

atteste avoir reçu le 14.07.1988 de Mr, Mme, ou Melle
(nom, prénom, profession, domicile) CHUITES, Michael, militaire
U.S. à FRANCFORT (R.F.A.)

une déclaration relative à : La découverte d'ossements d'un
soldat U.S. disparu à JOUY AUX ARCHES (57) en 1944

Les opérations de dégagement de ces ossements ont été effectuées
ce jour. Le Parquet de METZ a été avisé?

Cette déclaration a été enregistrée par procès verbal n° 1013
en date du 08.07.1988

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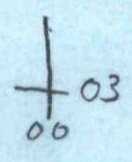
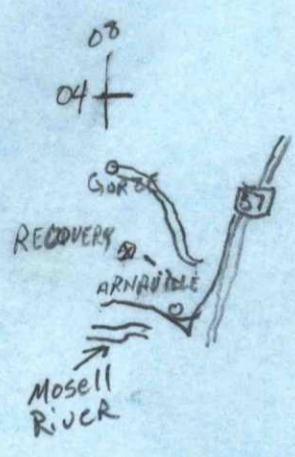
Le déclarant a été informé des dispositions de l'article 151 du
Code Pénal, punissant quiconque aura sciemment fait usage d'une
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A ARS SUR MOSELLE, le 14.07.1988

Le commandant de Brigade



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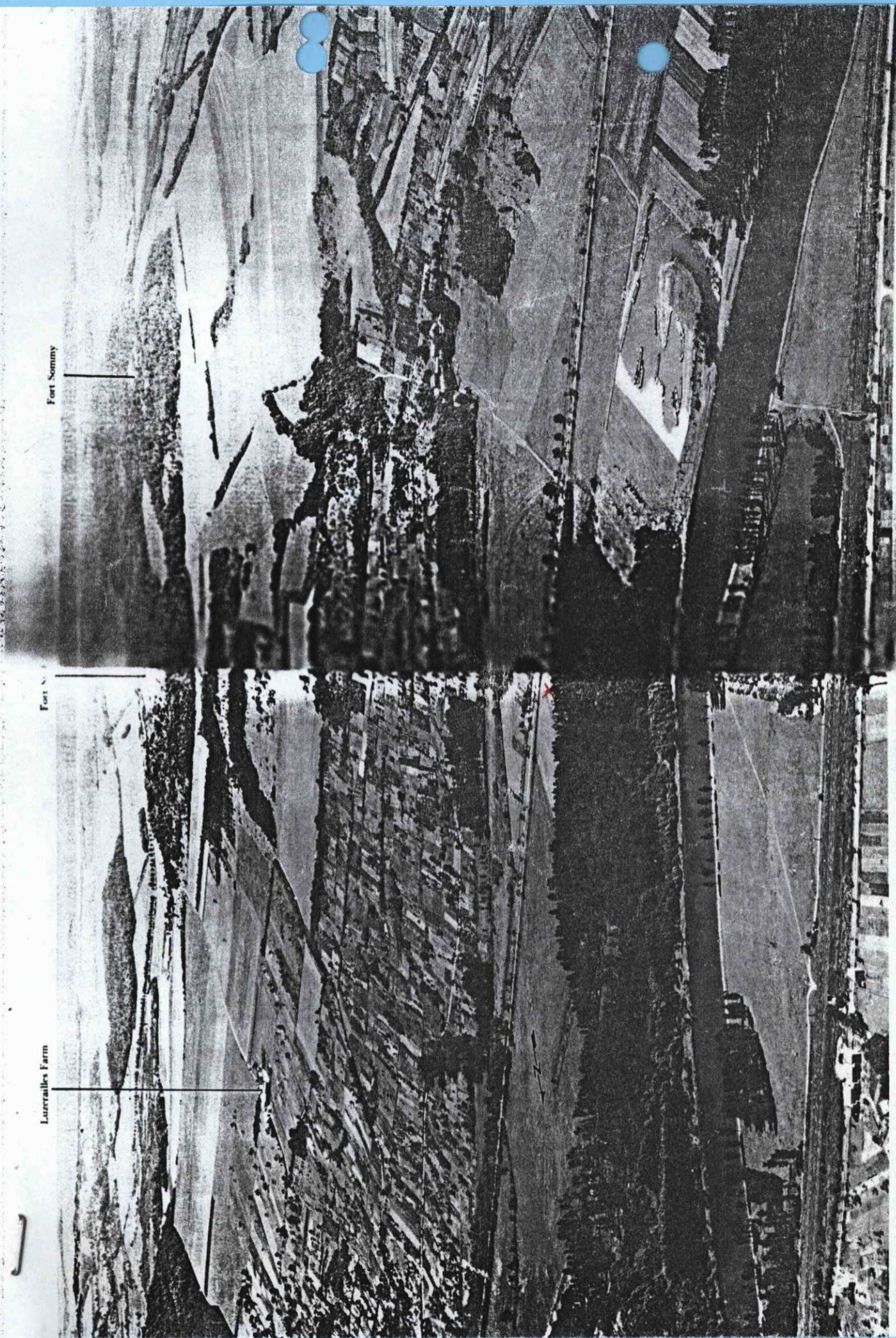


GRID COORDINATES
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S&R NO. 5160/104
X-9462

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MAP SHEET NUMBER
NM 32-7
NAME OF MAKER
KEVIN R. FRAGINS
ORGANIZATION OF MAKER
USAMEM AFF ACT, EUR





Luzeuilles Farm

Fort S...

Fort Sommy

DORNOT BRIDGEHEAD SITE ON THE MOSELLE. Road in foreground parallel to railroad track leads to Ars-sur-Moselle on left and to Novéant on right. Assault

part of the 5th Infantry Division crossed the Moselle River from top point of lagoon in center foreground.

ORD OF IDENTIFICATION PROCESS
SKELETAL CHART

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL (or unknown number)
X-9462

GRADE: N/A SERVICE NUMBER: N/A

NAME OF CEMETERY, EVACUATION NUMBER, OR SEARCH AND RECOVERY NUMBER
Search and Recovery Number 5160

PLOT: N/A ROW: N/A GRAVE: N/A

ESTIMATED AGE (Years): ESTIMATED HEIGHT (L FEM+R TIB)
69 INCHES

SKELETAL MEASUREMENTS (Centimeters)

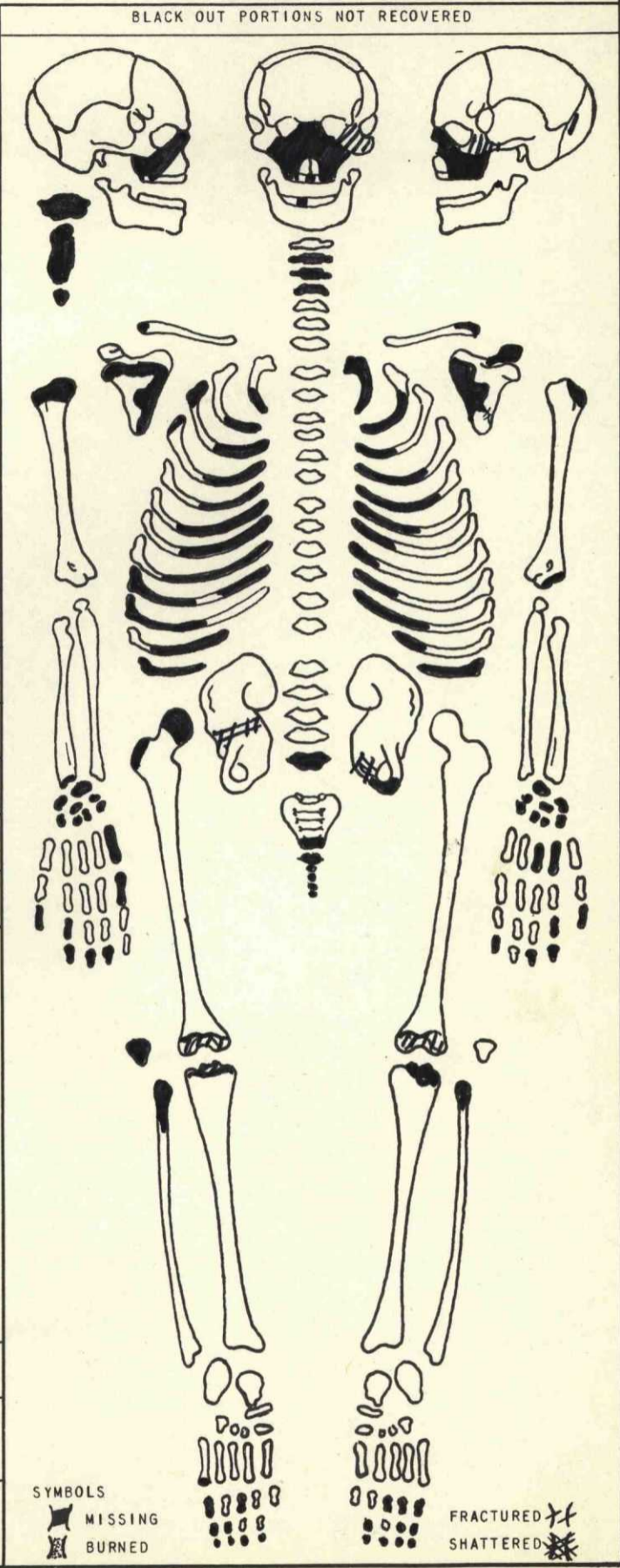
SKELETAL MEMBER	METHOD	RIGHT	LEFT
SKULL			
HUMERUS	Osteometric Board		33.7cm
ULNA	Osteometric Board	27.3cm	
RADIUS	Osteometric Board		24.3cm
FEMUR	Osteometric Board		49.2cm
TIBIA	Osteometric Board	38.4cm	
FIBULA			

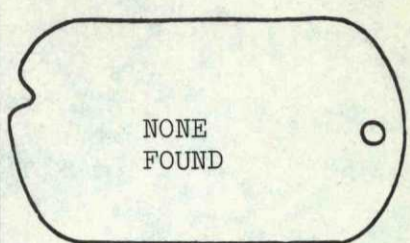
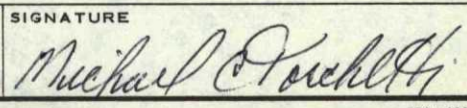
REMARKS OR STATEMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGIST (Continue on reverse if more space is required)

THE PARTS PRESENT AS INDICATED ON THIS SKELETAL CHART REPRESENTS ONE AND THE SAME INDIVIDUAL

PHYSICAL ANTHROPOLOGIST (Name)

SIGNATURE
Michael C. Forell



RECORD OF IDENTIFICATION PROCESSING <i>(Effects and Physical Data)</i>			TE
LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL (Or unknown number)		GRADE	SERVICE NUMBER
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Search and Recovery Number 5160		N/A	N/A
RECEIVED FROM		IMPRINT OF IDENTIFICATION TAG	
Near the Moselle River in Dornot Bridgehead France			
OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS (Include personal effects aiding identification)			
ITEMS OF CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT FOUND WITH REMAINS (Indicate type, color, size, markings, service, etc. If laundry marks are indistinct, follow procedures outlined in TM 10-286)			
lea. Ammo box lid-rusty 2ea. Intrenching tools-rusty 2ea. Canteens-one punctured and one corroded 1pr. Combat boots-rotted leather like material, size (BTB) 11 4ea. Buttons-dark in color (4 holes) lea. One-half bayonet cover-leather like material lea. Spoon-corroded lea. Fork-corroded lea. Weapons cleaning kit-with brushes Tent/Poncho like material lea. Helmet liner-with "DOROTHY" carved on the back			
FINGERPRINTS TAKEN		X-RAYS MADE	
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PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION			
ESTIMATED HEIGHT (L FEM+R TIB)	MUSCULARITY	COLOR OF HAIR	RACE OR NATIVITY
69 INCHES			
TATTOOS, SCARS OR MARKS ON BODY			
EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS			
WOUNDS OR INJURIES			
I HAVE PERSONALLY VIEWED THE REMAINS OF THIS DECEASED AND ALL RESULTING INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECORDED TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.			
NAME, GRADE, AND ORGANIZATION		SIGNATURE	
Bendele, Sean A. US Army Mortuary Frankfurt FRG			

S T A T E M E N T

These are the skeletal remains of a soldier recovered in the course of S&R mission 5160 conducted on 14 July 1988 in Dornot, France. This remain is labeled X-9462 from that mission. A French citizen discovered this remain and notified us thru Mr. Dillinger, Supt. of American Battle Monuments Commission Cemetery in St. Avolds, France. The S&R team exhumed the remains and found the following items with the remains:

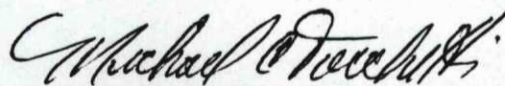
- a. 1 ea. Ammo Box lid (rusted)
- b. 2 ea. Intrenching tools (rusted)
- c. 2 ea. Canteens (one punctured, one corroded)
- d. 1 pr. Boots - (rotted leather like material (size BTB11))
- e. 4 Buttons - Dark in color (4 holes)
- f. One-half Bayonet Cover - Leather like material
- g. One spoon (corroded)
- h. One fork (corroded)
- i. One weapons cleaning kit - with brushes
- j. Poncho-tent - like material
- k. One helmet liner - with "Dorothy" carved on back
- l. One lighter - silver in color
- m. One plastic - cigarette case - white in color

The combat boots were examined for ID media by CID with a negative results.

See attached statement. The following paperwork is forwarded with this case:

- a. Record of Identification processing
 - 1. Effects & Physical Data - DD 891
 - 2. Dental Chart - DD 892
 - 3. Skeletal Chart - DD 892
 - 4. Fingerprint Chart - DD 894

These skeletal remains are consigned to your activity for identification and processing. Please inform this activity of your findings.



MICHAEL C. TOCCHETTI
DAC,
Chief, Frankfurt Mortuary

S T A T E M E N T

These are the skeletal remains of one of the two US soldiers recovered in the course of S&R 5159 conducted on 8 July 1988, in Dornot, France. This remain is labeled S&R 5159B. A French citizen discovered the remains and notified Mr. Dillinger, Supt. of the American Battle Monuments Commission Cemetery at St. Anolds, France. The S&R team exhumed the remains and found the following items in context with the remains:

1. 2 ea. ID tags with inscription (LLOYD, FOY 34253686 T43-42-0)
2. 1 ea. Pocket knife (rusted)
3. 1 ea. Small ID tag chain
4. 1 ea. Comb (black in color)
5. 3 ea. Buttons (green in color)
6. 1 ea leather strap
7. 1 ea. Belt buckle (rusted)
8. 1 pr. Boots (brown in color)
9. 1 ea. Intrenching tool (rusted)

The boots and leather strap were examined for ID media by CID with negative results. See attached statement. The following paperwork is forwarded with this case:

- a. Record of Identification Processing.
 1. Effects & Physical Data - DD 890
 2. Dental Chart - DD 891
 3. Skeletal Chart - DD 892
 4. Fingerprint Chart - DD 894
- b. Receipt Declaration from French.
- c. Copy of Map Overlay.
- d. Statement of Fluroscope.

The BTB name came from dog tag and missing register match. The skeletal remains are consigned to your activity for identification & processing. Please inform this activity of your findings.


MICHAEL C. TOCCHETTI
DAC,
Chief, Frankfurt Mortuary

S T A T E M E N T

These are the skeletal remains of one of the two US soldiers recovered in the course of S&R 5159 conducted on 8 July 1988 in Dornot, France. This remain is labeled S&R 5159 A., BTB UNDERWOOD, Wilburn T.. A French citizen discovered the remains and notified Mr. Dillinger, Supt. of American Battle Monuments Commission Cemetery in St. Avolds, France. The S&R team exhumed the remains and found the following items with the remains.

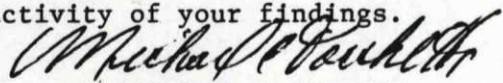
1. 1 ea. Dog tag (rusted) with partial inscription
(W URN T. UNDER 34269379 T 42 430)
2. 1 ea. rusted metal buckle
3. 1 ea. Button (tan in color)
4. 1 ea. 2"x $\frac{1}{2}$ " Leather Strap
5. 1 ea. Tan Belt type material w/securing clip
6. 1 pr. Brown in color combat boots (size 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ E)
7. 1 ea Ring (rusted) with heart shape on the front
8. 1 ea Mini bowling pin (white in color)
9. 1 ea. Black in color pocket knife (rusted)
10. 2 ea. Plastic photo folders (one with photo (decayed)
(one with four-leaf clover)

The ring, pocket knife, leather strap, photo holders & contents, and combat boots were examined for ID media by CID with negative results. See attached statement. The following paperwork is forwarded with this case:

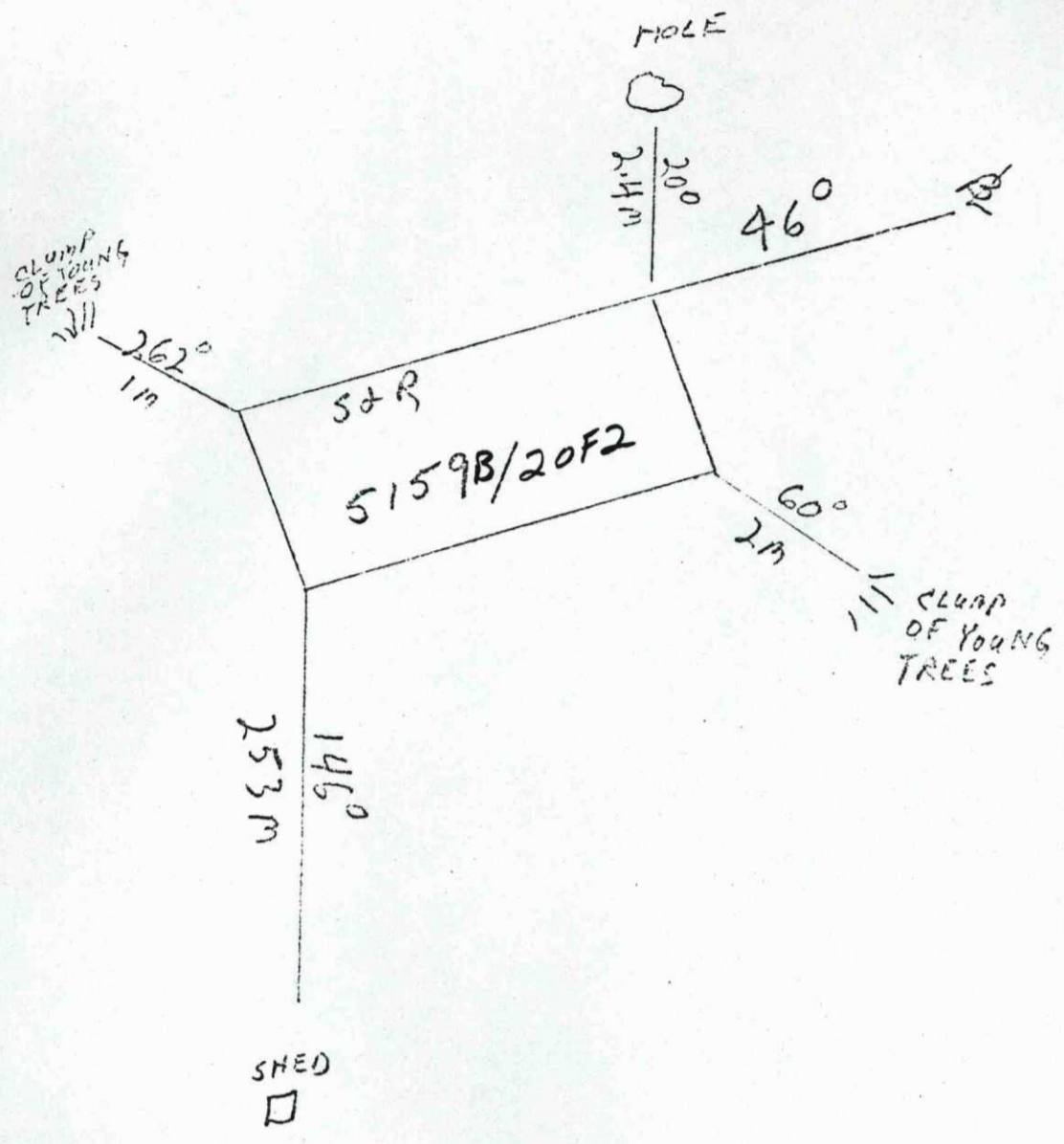
- a. Record of Identification Processing
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- b. Receipt Declaration from French
- c. Copy of map #57 Verdun
- d. Sketch Map - overlay
- e. Statement of Fluroscope

BTB name came from Dog tag and missing register match.

The skeletal remains are consigned to your activity for identification and processing. Please inform this activity of your findings.

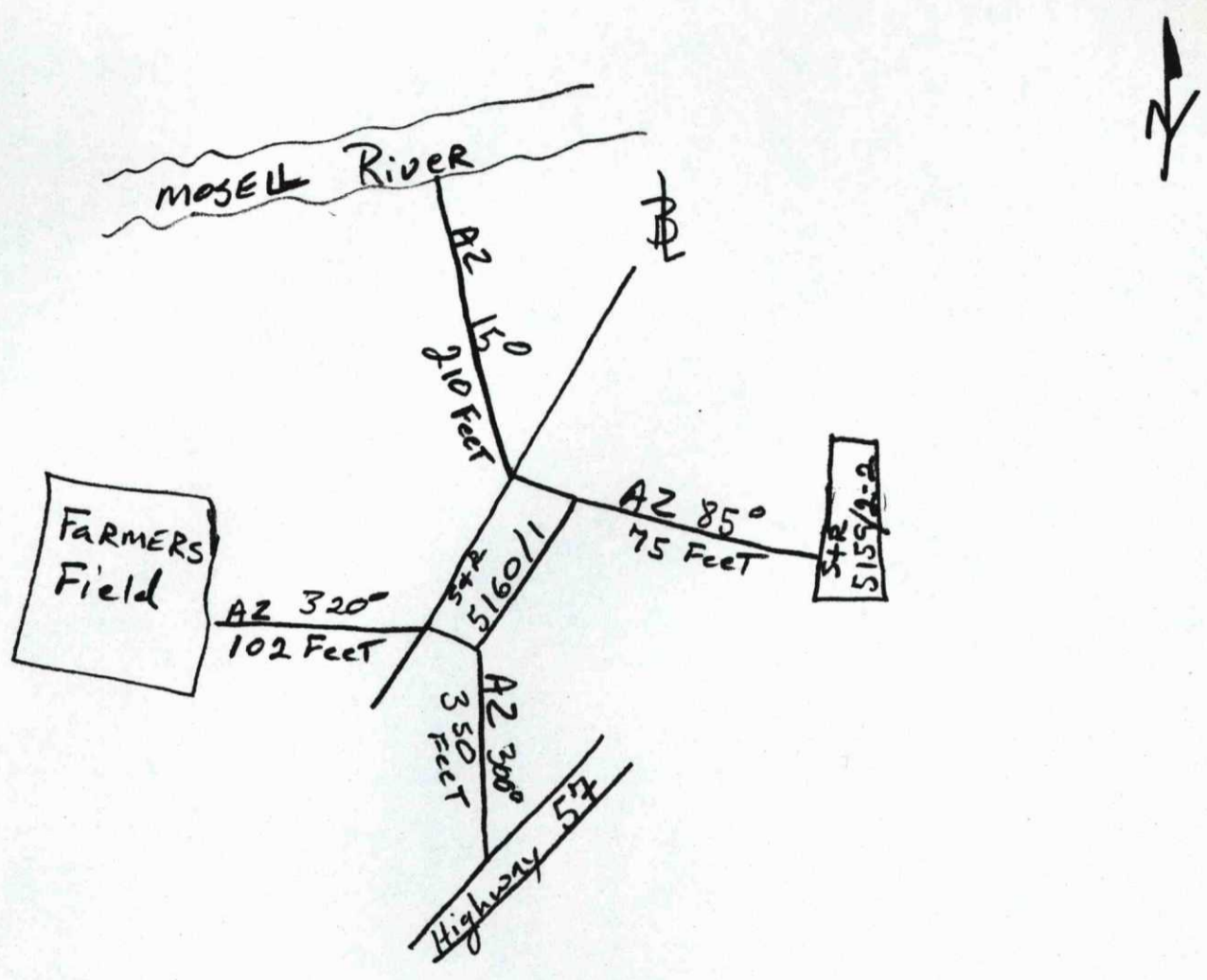

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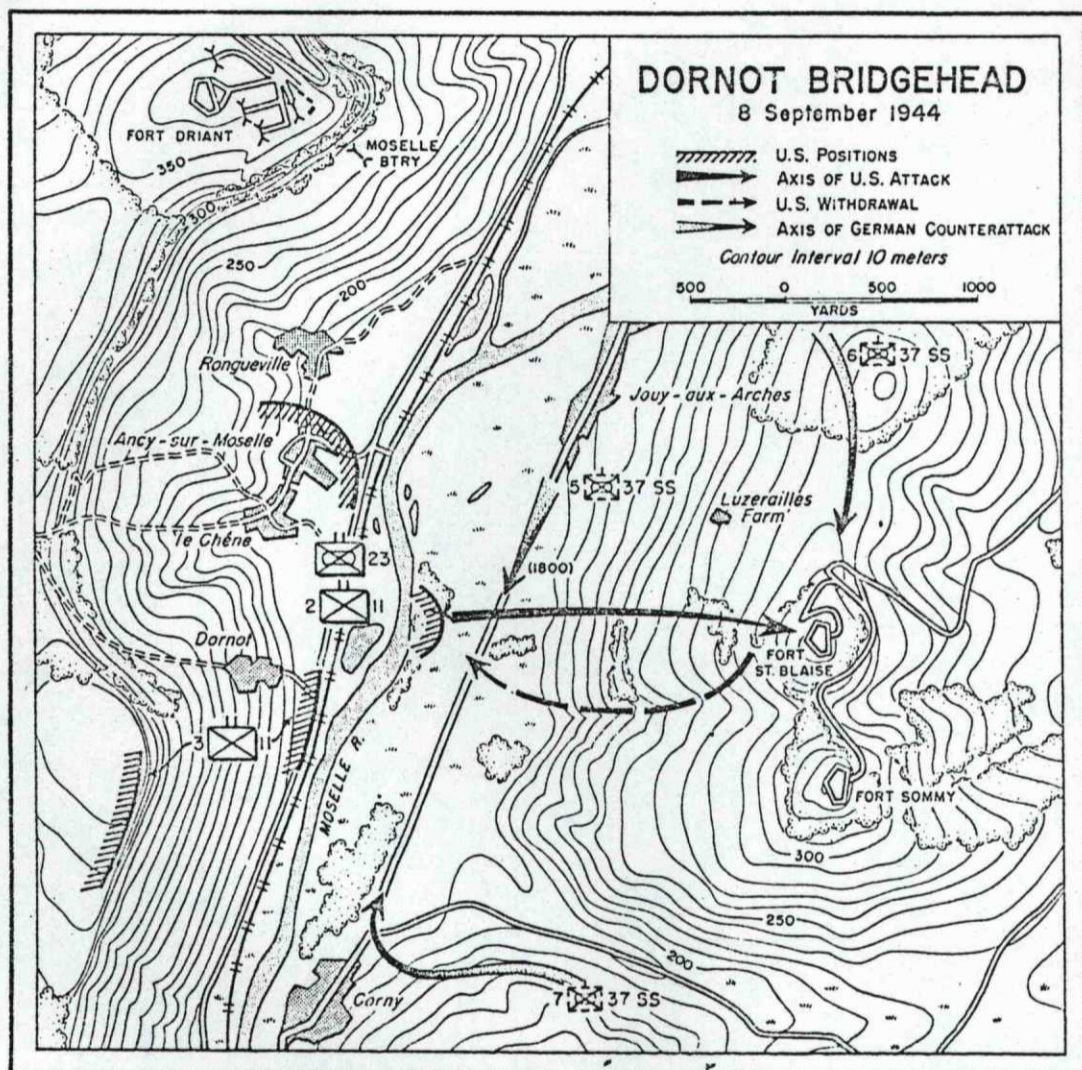
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NAME OF PLOTTER
KEVIN R. FERRELLS
ORGANIZATION OF PLOTTER



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NAME OF MAKER
ORGANIZATION OF MAKER
USA MEM AFF ACT, EWR
APO NY 09757



MAP 1

against an iron portcullis studded with curved iron hooks that prevented scaling. On the other side of the portcullis a dry moat about thirty feet wide and fifteen feet deep surrounded the fort. The fort itself was a huge domed structure of three large casemates constructed of concrete and covered by grassy earth which provided excellent camouflage and addi-

tional protection. Although the men of the 2d Battalion did not know it, Fort St. Blaise was manned at this time by only a weak security detachment of a replacement battalion which withdrew as the Americans approached.³²

³² MS # B-042 (Krause). Colonel Lemmon says, "Undefended or not, our people got fire from the fort and heard Germans inside." See Interv with Lemmon-Yuill.

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SUBJECT: SHIPMENT OF WWII SKELETAL REMAINS
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B. OLVR RHEIN MAIN AB GERMANI 09 SEP 88 AT 1300 HRS. ETA U/A.
C. FLT NR U/A.
D. WEIGHT: 162 LBS.
E. N/A.
F. CONSIGN TO: CILHI FORT SHAFTER HI.
G. CONTACT: CDR MILPERGEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED FROM MR. MANNING. SUBJECT REMAINS ARE CONSIGNED TO YOUR ACTIVITY FOR EVALUATION AND IDENTIFICATION PROCEDURES. PAPERWORK AND PE SENT WITH SKELETAL REMAINS. PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF SHIPMENT.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
UNITED STATES ARMY CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY, HAWAII
FORT SHAFTER, HAWAII 96858-5480



TAPC-PED-H (600-8-1m)

28 Nov 88

MEMORANDUM FOR: Commander, US Army Central Identification Laboratory,
Hawaii, Fort Shafter, HI 96858-5480

SUBJECT: World War II Recoveries (CILHI 177-88, 178-88, 179-88) Casualty
Information

1. Three skeletal World War II era remains were received from the United States Army Memorial Affairs Activity, Europe (USAMAAE) on 12 September 1988. These remains were originally designated as S&R 5159A, S&R 5159B and S&R 5160 by USAMAAE. The following CILHI processing numbers were assigned: CILHI 177-88, CILHI 178-88, and CILHI 179-88 respectively. All three cases were received with recovery statements, maps & map overlays, recovery sketches, identification processing paperwork and artifacts. The statements prepared by USAMAAE that accompanied 177-88 and 178-88 provided BTB (believed-to-be) name associations of UNDERWOOD, Wilburn T. and LLOYD, FOY (sic) respectively. The statement prepared by USAMAAE that accompanied CILHI 179-88 designated S&R 5160 as unknown number X-9642.

2. Three extremely corroded identification tags were received with CILHI 177-88 and 178-88. A careful reexamination of these ID Tags revealed embossed information which supplied the basis for initial casualty data research. The tag received with CILHI 177-88 had the following readable embossment:

W URN T UNDER
342_9379 T42-43 0

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The two tags received with CILHI 178-88 had the following legible embossments:

LLOYD FOY
_4253686 T42-43 0

LLOYD FOY
34253686 T4 _____

Underlining denotes that this portion of the ID tag was not legible due to extensive corrosion.

3. Included with the artifacts received with CILHI 179-88 was a broken helmet liner. The statement prepared by USAMAAE lists this as: "One helmet liner - with "Dorothy" carved on back". Upon examination by CILHI personnel, it was discovered that the name crudely scratched into the helmet liner could be read as either **DORCHI**, **DORCHY**, or **DORTHY**. All variations of this possible surname were checked against the microfiche REF. NO. 601-07 "Rosters WW-II Dead (All Services) World War II" with negative results.

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4. The "Listing of American Graves Registration Command Unresolved Casualties including PDD Cases" (AGRC Listings #1-#5) dated 15 Aug 1946, were searched by SFC Jay S. Warner, the WWII Casualty Data Analyst, using both the BTB names provided by USAMAAE and the partial names and serial numbers obtained from the ID Tags. This search produced positive results as both the names (AGRC Listing #1) and serial numbers (AGRC Listing #5) were found. These listings (Encls 1 & 2) provided the following common factors: Date of Casualty 10 Sep 1944; Unit 23 ARMD; and Place of Casualty 9 (France). In order to provide a comprehensive set of casualty records for comparison with the two BTB cases (CILHI 177-88 & 178-88) and CILHI 179-88 the factors common to the two BTB cases were used as the initial starting point for all casualty research by SFC Jay S. Warner.

5. The Chronological Listing (AGRC Listing #2) was examined for the period 5 Sep 1944 to 16 Sep 1944, five days prior and six days after the common incident date (10 Sep 1944). Also, the period 5 through 16 Sep 1945 was examined for the individuals who were determined to be dead under Public Law 490 and were assigned a PDD (Presumed Date of Death) of one year and one day after the initial date of Missing In Action status. The Chronological Listing (AGRC Listing #2) is an original source document and, as a result, is in poor condition with many pages missing, including some for the period being searched for these cases.

6. The Organizational Listing (AGRC listing #4) was searched for the common factor unit 23rd Armored Infantry Battalion and for the 11th Infantry Regiment, the most prevalent army ground unit in the area during September 1944 for casualties. Also, the Geographical Listing (AGRC listing #3) was searched for the common place of casualty: 9 (France). It was found that several other US Army units suffered light casualties in France during this time and they were, therefore, included for consideration.

7. Through this research, SFC Jay S. Warner, developed a list of thirty-nine personnel which met the criteria of having two or more of the common factors. They were to be considered the most comparable to the three cases (CILHI 177-88, 178-88, 179-88). The casualty files for the thirty-nine casualties were ordered from Casualty and Memorial Affairs Operations Center, TAPA. Of the total thirty-nine records ordered, thirty-seven files were received and reviewed, four were found to have been recovered and resolved, and the remaining thirty-three were determined by Board action to be non-recoverable and were made available for anthropological and odontological comparisons. The following lists the thirty-nine associated cases:


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<u>NAME/RANK/SERVICE NUMBER</u>	<u>DOI/PDD</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>AREA</u>
BURTON, WILLIAM R./PFC/1515898*	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
CLEMENT, ALFRED J./PFC/36227750	08SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
CRAWFORD, JAMES W./SSGT/34254893	08SEP44	23RD ARMD	- (NOT LISTED)
CULLISON, THOMAS J./1LT/0-1318765	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
DENEEN, JEROME C./PFC/36227925	08SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
DICKEY, GEORGE T./PFC/33587715	09SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
ERARDI, JOSEPH C./PVT/32254567	15SEP44	35TH TANK	9 (FRANCE)
ERICKSON, ERIC R./PFC/36103936	11SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
FISHER, WILLARD C./SGT/39339014	16SEP44	359TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
FOY, LLOYD/PVT/34253686	10SEP44	23RD ARMD	9 (FRANCE)
GEBHARDS, HARRY A./PFC/36052118	08SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
HALLORAN, WILLIAM F./PFC/32257356	09SEP44	23RD ARMD	9 (FRANCE)
HARRIS, RALPH/PVT/36024001	11SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
HILL, EDGAR W./PVT/31269360	11SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
HILLYARD, JOHNNY R./1LT/0-450246*	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
HUNT, ORVILLE/PFC/166006889	10SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
KIGER, EARL W./PFC/36228224	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
KNOTTS, HERBERT C./PVT/42082759	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
LALOPA, FRANK/PFC/32736269	09SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
LIDSKY, HERMAN H./PVT/36781425	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
LINER, JOHN A./PFC/34721923**	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
LOWRY, STEPHEN T./1LT/0-412545**	09SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
MATUSZAK, THADDEUS S./SGT/36214574	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
NASH, WILLIE G./PVT/34899335	09SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
PONSONE, JOHN/PFC/34192303	10SEP44	23RD ARMD	9 (FRANCE)
RISOLI, SAMUEL G./SSG/32112032**	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
RUFFOLO, BENNIE/PVT/36214242	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
SCHLAMP, RAYMOND U./PFC/36227835	12SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
SMITH, JAMES S./TSGT/6985951	12SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
SPEAR, HAROLD H./TSGT/361103576	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
STANDRIDGE, WENDALL F./PVT/35927044	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
SULLIVAN, JOHN P./PFC/32847571**	06SEP45	3RD CAV	9 (FRANCE)
TOMMASSONE, EDWARD E./PFC/36643937	08SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
UNDERWOOD, WILBURN T./PFC/3426379	10SEP44	23RD ARMD	9 (FRANCE)
WILLIAMS, JAMES L./PFC/36568028	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
WILLIAMS, GOMER/PVT/33113760	10SEP44	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
WIRTZ, MATTHEW/1LT/0-1287638	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
WRIGHT, JAMES E./1LT/0-402766	11SEP45	11TH INF	9 (FRANCE)
ZALAC, MICHAEL J. JR./SGT/36813035	10SEP44	204TH ENGR	9 (FRANCE)

*Record Not Received **Resolved

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 DAVID S. BASHFORD
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 Senior Casualty Data Analyst

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FOX RAYMOND F	T SG KIA	493 HOMB	SEP 14 4	20428159
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FRANCIS DAVID	S SG KIA	A 34 BOMB	JAN 14 5	34012903
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FRANCIS THOMAS P	2 LT PDD	A 384 BOMB	MAY 14 5	663711
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FRANK JACK S	2 LT PDD	A 489 HOMB	AUG 17 5	713161
FRANK JOSEPH H JR	PVT KIA	H 3206 OH	APR 28 4	32648429
FRANK MARSHALL V	PVT PDD	38 INF R	JAN 24 6	36983776
FRANK ELICK	S SG PDD	A 94 HOMB	JUL 16 5	33252184
FRANKEL ARTHUR	SGT KIA	100 BOMB	MAR 6 4	12191378
FRANKEL ARTHUR H	2 LT PDD	96 HOMB	DEC 17 4	676246
FRANKEL BERTON	CPL KIA	9 119 INF	JUN 26 4	39124515
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FRANZ GEORGE W JR	CPL PDD	3 449 BOMB	NOV 17 5	33709276
FRANZ HAROLD W	S SG KIA	A 357 INF	DEC 10 4	36167492
FRANZEN GEORGE W	FL O KIA	303 BOMB	APR 29 4	123210

TOZIO NICHOLAS V	PFC KIA A 748 TANK MAR 18 5	32642482
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TYRRELL WILSON G	SGT DOC 4 444 INF JAN 11 5	33186446
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UHRIK MICHAEL	S SG 20 O 38000800 A19 29 1	38459151
UHRYN JOSEPH A	S SG KIA 9 329 INF JUL 6 4	35516679
ULANDER CARL G JR	4 LT PDD 457 BOMB SEP 29 5	723476
ULERICK JAMES E	S SG KIA G 467 BOMB MAR 4 5	36147691
ULITCH WALTER G	S SG PDD A JUL 19 5	32726713
ULLRICH KURT	PFC PDD 9 67 ARND AUG 4 5	32384049
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ULRICH CARL L	1 LT KIA 303 BOMB NOV 21 4	678513
UMFRESS CECIL V	PFC KIA 9 232 INF MAR 7 5	34939908
UNDERWOOD ALLAN B	4 LT KIA 487 BOMB AUG 5 4	720041
UNDERWOOD COLUMBUS	PPFC KIA 9 315 INF JAN 16 5	38358148
UNDERWOOD EARL W	1 SG PDD 9 36 BOMB SEP 11 5	34201882
UNDERWOOD JAMES F	1 LT PDD 467 BOMB JUL 11 4	813090
UNDERWOOD WILBURN T	PFC KIA 9 23 ARND SEP 10 4	34269379
UNGER EDWARD J	TECS KIA B 478 ANPH APR 28 4	32011560
UNGER MERL R	TECS DOC 2 TANK B FEB 22 5	36615063
UNGERER HAYNARD M JR	LT NIA A 467 BOMB NOV 10 4	827088
UNION ALFRED M	1 SG 20 J 98000800 A19 29	34200318
UNISZKIEWICZ JOSEPH	4 LT PDD 384 BOMB MAY 9 5	688136
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UNREIN ELTON E	S SG KIA 389 BOMB JAN 29 5	37738234
UNRUH VICTOR L	4 LT KIA 371 PTR JUN 21 4	691599
UNSWORTH JOHN S JR	S SG KIA A 458 BOMB MAR 19 5	13800687
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UPSHAM CHARLES C	4 LT PDD 490 BOMB DEC 6 5	762839
UPTEROCROVE RUBBERT	SS SG KIA 8 41 ARND JUN 9 4	38040751

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SERIAL NUMBER

listing of

American Graves Registration Command

Unresolved Casualties

including PDD Cases

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OWENS WILLIE S	PFC	PDD	94	BOMB	34192492		
DAGGETT ROBERT F	PFC	KIA	A 150	ARMD	34193611		
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REASONS JOHN W	S	SG	PDD	44	BOMB	34194483	
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MASON EROS T	PVT	PDD	121	INF	34198114		
LAWLEY WOODROW	SGT	20	F 78000800		34198246		
BUKACEK JOSEPH S JR	SGT	PDD	306	BOMB	34198412		
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LEJEUNE EDWARD G	T	SG	20	O 28000800		34235964	
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LABBITER CLANTON	SGT	KIA	9 827	TD	B	34252104	
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CANNON HOYT A	PVT	PDD	86	CAV	R	34265655	
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RAY JOHN H JR	S	SG	PDD	A	389	BOMB	34274893
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HATHORNE CLYDE	T	SG	KIA	453	BOMB	34279645	
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COX WILLIAM H	T	SG	20	N	68000800	34280818	
GARDNER LESTER J	PVT	KIA	8	531	ENG	34282883	
MATHENS CLINTON B	T	SG	NIA	A	397	BOMB	34283310
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HAGGONER THEODORE L	PVT	KIA	4	550	ABNE	34283358	
BROWN CLIFFORD	CPL	KIA	A	32	ARND	34283488	
TERHILLIGER FLOYD D	PVT	KIA	9	32	ARND	34283940	
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MELTON HARRY L	PVT	DIE	H	439	SIG	34284398	
TOLLEY WILLIAM R	PVT	KIA	9	33	ARND	34284488	
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COUNCE JAMES D	S	SG	KIA	381	BOMB	34287358	
CIANCIOLA MICHAEL A	S	SG	KIA	44	BOMB	34288198	

RECORD DATA (DECEASED AND MISSING PERSONNEL)		CHECK ONE <input type="checkbox"/> DEAD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MISSING	DATE 7 Dec 88
STATUS			
LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL LIDSKY, Herman H.		GRADE Pvt	SERVICE NUMBER 36781425
ORGANIZATION E Co 11th Inf Regt		FORMER SERVICE NUMBERS SSN: 319-05-1528	
DATE OF DEATH - MISSING STATUS 10 September 1944	CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OF DEATH - OR LAST SEEN IF MISSING Dornot, France (Coord 770510) GSGS 4416 Map: Central Europe 1:100,000 Sheet # V-1	
DATE OF BIRTH 15 June 1910			
PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS			
RACE White	CREED Hebrew	HEIGHT 68"	WEIGHT 149 lb.
COLOR EYES Brown	COLOR HAIR Black	SHOE SIZE 11-B	BLOOD TYPE Unknown
FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS None listed*	TATTOOS AND SCARS None listed*		
RECORD INCLOSURES			
DENTAL DATA <input type="checkbox"/> NONE OF RECORD <input type="checkbox"/> INCLOSED (Itemize by Form Number and Date of Record)			
2 OQMG Form 371 dtd 9 Oct 47 & undtd 2 AGRAC Form 1-380, both undtd 1 TWX, Dental Chart, dtd 14 Dec 48 1 DSS Form 221, dtd 20 Dec 43 X-Rays: None			
CASUALTY DATA <input type="checkbox"/> CASUALTY REPORT <input type="checkbox"/> STATEMENTS OF WITNESSES <input type="checkbox"/> MISSING PERSONS SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT (AF Form 484)			
<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) 1 OQMG Form 1916, with attachments, dtd 7 Jul 49 1 WDAGO Form 52-1, dtd 4 Oct 44 1 WDAGO Form 895, undtd 1 DD Form 96, dtd 24 Nov 50 1 AGRAC Form 115, dtd 24 Nov 50			
ADDITIONAL DATA			
Service: US Army *DSS Form 221, page 3, anatomical diagram denotes "bwp" adjacent to left posterior thigh. This is an unknown medical abbreviation. 2 Photographs, black & white			

BIOGRAPHIC DATA SHEET

NAME: LIDSKY, Herman H.
GRADE: Pvt
SERVICE NO: 36781425
SSN: 319-05-1528
SERVICE: US Army
BIRTH DATE: 15 Jun 1910
DATE OF DEATH: 10 Sep 1944
RACE: White (Caucasian)
SEX: Male
HAIR: Black
HEIGHT: 68"
WEIGHT: 149 lb
BLOOD TYPE: Unknown
BUILD: Medium
ABNORMALITIES: None listed
MEDICAL RECORDS: Yes, DSS Form 221
MEDICAL X-RAYS: No
DENTAL RECORDS: Yes
DENTAL X-RAYS: No
PHOTOGRAPHS: Yes
CASUALTY REPORTS/INCIDENT REPORTS: Yes
WDAGO FORM 52-1: Yes
DATE OF MISSION: 10 Sep 44
TYPE OF MISSION: Infantry bridgehead
TYPE OF INCIDENT: Combat

CURRENT STATUS OF INDIVIDUAL: KIA/BNR
UNIT ASSIGNED TO: E Co 11th Infantry Regt

DUTY POSITION: Combat Infantryman

NUMBER OF ASSOCIATED MIA/KIA/BNR: 39

NAME OF POW CAMP: N/A

TYPE OF LOCATION OF SITE: Foxhole

INCIDENT LOCATION: Near Dornot, France (Coord 770510)

LAST KNOWN LOCATION: Near Dornot, France (Coord 770510)

COUNTRY: France

PROVINCE: Moselle

MILITARY REGION: European Theater

VEHICLE: N/A

YEAR OF VEHICLE: N/A

TAIL NO./SERIAL NO. OF VEHICLE: N/A

MISSION CODE NAME/NO: N/A

CALL SIGN: N/A

TYPE OF INDIVIDUAL WEAPON: None listed

INDIVIDUAL WEAPON SERIAL NO: None listed

REMARKS:

SUMMARY OF INCIDENT

Private Herman H. LIDSKY, serial No. 36781425, assigned to E Company, 2nd Battalion, 11th Infantry Regiment, 5th Infantry Division, was Killed in Action on 10 September 1944, while holding a bridgehead on the east bank of the Moselle River, in the vicinity of Sainte Catherine Farm, approximately one-half mile from Dornot, France.

The men of Company E had dug foxholes and established their positions when the German counterattack was launched. It was during a heavy artillery shelling of the bridgehead that Private Lidsky, who was alone in a foxhole in an advanced position, was fatally wounded. It was shortly after a letup in German artillery fire that a sergeant from the 2nd Platoon crawled forward to check on his men and found Pvt Lidsky alive in his foxhole but fatally wounded. Shell fragments were embedded in the lower chest and abdomen and Pvt Lidsky spoke a few words and lapsed into unconsciousness. The sergeant rendered whatever first aid that was possible and left to check on the other men in the forward positions. Later the order to abandon the bridgehead was given and the sergeant once again entered Pvt Lidsky's foxhole and discovered that he had been dead for several hours. As there was neither time nor facilities available to recover the dead, Pvt Lidsky and all others who were killed were left in the places where they died. The Germans took control of the area and it was not known what disposition they made of the remains.

DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED				
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) LIDSKY, Herman H.		GRADE Pvt.	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER 36781425	
ORGANIZATION Co. "E" 11th Inf Regt. 5th. Inf Div.		RACE White	CREED Hebrew	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)
DATE OF DEATH/MIA 10 Sept. '44	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in Action		PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA European Area	
DATE OF FOD				
HEIGHT 68"	WEIGHT 149	COLOR EYES Brown	COLOR HAIR Black	SHOE SIZE 11 B
DENTAL CHART 20 Dec. '43				
UPPER RIGHT 8 (7 ^X 6 5 4) 3 2 1		UPPER LEFT 1 2 3 4 (^X 5 6) 7 8		
LOWER RIGHT 16 (^X 15 ^X 14) / 13 12 11 10 9		LOWER LEFT 9 10 11 / 12 (^X 13 ^X 14 ^X 15) 16		
PARTIAL DENTURE REPLACES RT 14-15 LFT. 13,14,15.				
X = Extracted		O = Carious		1 = Carious Non-Restorable
FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS NONE		TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK SHOWN		
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AGE: 34 Yrs. KIA WHEN HIS UNIT WAS HOLDING A BRIDGEHEAD ON THE EAST BANK OF THE MOSELLE RIVER IN THE VICINITY OF SAINT CATHERINE FARM, IN FRANCE ABOUT 1/2 MILE FROM DORNOT. MAP LOCATION: GSGS 4416 MAP: CENTRAL EUROPE 1:100,000 SHEET # V-1 COORDINATES OF TOWN: "DORNOT" (770510) Coord., FRANCE.				

93 FILE		DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECORDED OR IDENTIFIED		
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) LIDSKY, HERMAN H.		GRADE PVT	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER 36781425	
ORGANIZATION CO "E" 11TH INF REGT 5TH INF DIV		RACE WHITE	CREED HEBREW	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)
DATE OF DEATH/MIA 10 SEPT 44	CAUSE OF DEATH KILLED IN ACTION		PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA EUROPEAN AREA	
DATE OF FOD				
HEIGHT 68"	WEIGHT 149	COLOR EYES BROWN	COLOR HAIR BLACK	SHOE SIZE 11B
DENTAL CHART 20 DEC 43				
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REQUEST FOR RECORDS

For use of this form, see AR 340-18-1; the proponent agency is TAGCEN.

DATE OF REQUEST

SEPTEMBER 20, 1988

TO BE COMPLETED BY CUSTODIAN
DATE RECORDS MUST BE RETURNED

1 OFFICE OF RECORD

2. CUSTODIAN AND ADDRESS
Washington National Records Center, Suitland, Maryland 20409

b. RECORDS REQUESTED (Give file classification, subject, date, and other identifying information. If records of personnel are requested, give name (LAST NAME FIRST) grade, Social Security Account Number, type of file requested, and purpose for which records are to be used.)

293 LIDSKY, HERMAN H. PVT
SN: 36781425

DOD: WORLD WAR II

RG: 092 ACC: 70 A 0001 LOC: 9/16;00-1-1

c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF DAYS RECORDS ARE NEEDED

2. REQUESTER

a. NAME, OFFICE ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON REQUESTING RECORDS.
HQDA, DAPC-PED-F/STATON/325-5300
2461 Eisenhower Avenue
Room 984 Hoffman Bldg I.
Alexandria, VA 22331-0482

ALL REQUESTS MUST BE SIGNED BY AN INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO WITHDRAW THE RECORDS REQUESTED.

b. SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED PERSON
Pat Staton

3. SEARCHER'S REPORT

a. RECORDS ATTACHED FOR DELIVERY TO ADDRESS IN ITEM 2
b. RECORDS CURRENTLY ON LOAN (See Item 3d)
c. UNABLE TO IDENTIFY RECORDS

d. IF ITEM 3b IS CHECKED, GIVE NAME OF PERSON TO WHOM RECORDS ARE LOANED, OFFICE ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NO., AND DATE LOANED

e. DATE SEARCHED
9/27

f. SIGNATURE OR INITIALS OF SEARCHER
AW

CAUTION

- A. THESE RECORDS WILL BE USED FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES ONLY.
- B. DO NOT REMOVE, PERMIT TO BE REMOVED, ADD TO, OR REVEAL THE CONTENTS TO UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS.
- C. THE PERSON SIGNING IN ITEM 2b ABOVE, IS RESPONSIBLE FOR RETURN OF THESE RECORDS INTACT TO THE OFFICE OF RECORD.

4. RETURN OF RECORDS TO ADDRESS IN ITEM 1

a. DATE RETURNED

b. SIGNATURE OR INITIALS OF INDIVIDUAL RETURNING RECORDS

PRODUCED AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE

HEALTH & DENTAL

CASUALTY FILE

Name: Herman H. Lidsky - Inf. CO. H. A.P.O. 15384

Serial Number: 36781425

Supposedly killed in action September 10, 1944, by shell fragments while serving with an advance element whose mission was to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River about one quarter mile east of Dornot, France.



Serial # 4



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Name: Herman H. Fiskay - Inf. Co. H. A. P. O. 15384

Serial Number: 38781425

Supposedly killed in action September 10, 1944, by shell fragments while serving with an advance element whose mission was to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River about one quarter mile east of Dornot, France.



IDENTIFICATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION

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IDENTIFICATION DATA

NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL LIDSKY Herman H.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 36 781 475	GRADE Pvt
HEIGHT 68	WEIGHT 149	COLOR EYES Brown	DATE OF DEATH 10 Sept 44
		COLOR HAIR Black	SHOE SIZE 11 B

LAST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (Give complete designation)
Co E 11th Inf 5th Inf Div

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA
KIA at Mareille River, 1/2 mile east of Bernot, France

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

STATION	DATES
Camp Wheeler, Ga	Jan 44
Camp Vandew, Miss	June 44
Hq. Co. 1st Inade, Ind	July 44

FROM: WD, AGO CLINICAL RECORDS BRANCH
NO RECORDS ON FILE

Born 15 June 10

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS none	TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTH MARKS none
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20 Dec 43

DENTAL CHART

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LOWER RIGHT								LOWER LEFT							

X - EXTRACTED O - CARIOUS / - CARIOUS NON-RESTORABLE

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FOR MAJ SEKOWSKI QM LN REURNR 41 13 DEC ON HERMAN H LIDSKY 36781425
DENTAL CH

RT AT INDCTN DTD 20 DEC 43 TEETH MISSING R 6 L 5 PARTIAL
DENTUR REPLACING R 14 15 L 13 14 15 RMKS ADMIN SHOW QUOTE
PROSTHTIC

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PPLIACANCES ISSUED P L 28 FEB 44 CAMP WHEELER GA /NOT
MADE LOCALLY/ UNQUOTE FORMS 79 NOT FD

CCCCC FOURTH LINE SCOND WD APPLIANCES EEEEEEE APPLIDEEEEEE
APPLICANCS RPT APPLICANCES

REC RR AGO SL MO 14DEC48

TELEPHONE CALL FROM VETERANS ADMINISTRATION	VA BRANCH NUMBER
	CLERK CALLING
	DATE OF CALL

IDENTIFYING INFORMATION FURNISHED BY THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION		
NAME	GRADE	ARMY SERIAL NUMBER
ORGANIZATION	VA CLAIM NUMBER	

THE VA WANTS INFORMATION OR VERIFICATION ON THE ITEMS CHECKED OR ADDED BELOW	
ARMY SERIAL NUMBER	VA CLAIM NUMBER
ORGANIZATION	
INSURANCE	
DATE OF ENLISTMENT OR INDUCTION	
DISCHARGE (Give date, reason, and character of)	
NATURE OF DISABILITY	
DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH
HAS FORM 3101 BEEN FURNISHED ?	DATE
OTHER ITEMS:	

REMARKS:

SURNAME OF CLERK HANDLING CASE IN THIS OFFICE:

THIS FORM IS TO BE FILED WITH THE PAPERS OF VETERAN IF IT FORMS THE BASIS OF A WRITTEN COMMUNICATION PREPARED IN THIS OFFICE.
 (Used by Hq. Personnel Records Section and Special Service Unit. See also Arc. D. Min. Nos. 42, 154, and 181.)

Armed Forces' Original
D. S. S. Form 221
January 30, 1942

INFANTRY RTC, CAMP WHEELER, GEORGIA
REPORT BUREAU NO. 23-1080
15 JAN Approval expires September 30, 1943

Local Board No. 136 61
Chicago City 731
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SECTION I.—GENERAL (To be filled in by the local board clerk from the Selective Service Questionnaire, D. S. S. Form 40. Write "none" opposite the questions where no information is given. Do not leave any question blank.)

1. Name (page 1) Herman Henry Lidsky, (To be filled in by Armed Forces) 3 6 7 8 1 4 2 5 (Armed Forces Serial No.)

2. Address (page 1) 501 S. Central Ave., Chicago, Cook, Illinois.
(Street or rural route) (Town or city) (County) (State)

3. Social Security No. (Series I, line 5) 319-05-1528 4. Registrant's order number (page 1) 455 a

5. Physical or mental defects or diseases (Series II, line 1) none

6. Treatment at an institution, sanitarium, or asylum (Series II, line 2) no (Yes or no)

7. Education completed (Series III): Elementary school 8 High school 1 Vocational school, college, or university 0

8. Occupation: (a) Title of present job (Series IV, line 2 (a), or Series V, line 1) Salesman & Director
(b) Duties (Series IV, line 2 (b)) selling and directing of selling and executive work, etc.
(c) Title of last job, if unemployed (Series IV, line 3)

9. Years experience in this work (Series IV, line 2 (c), or Series V, line 2) 16

10. Income (Series IV, line 2 (d)): Average annual earnings \$2,500.00 to 8,000.00
(Weekly, monthly, annual)

11. Employment class (Series IV, line 2 (e)): Permanent employee Temporary employee Apprentice Independent worker Unpaid family worker Employer Student (Series IV, line 4 (a))

12. Business of present employer (Series IV, line 2 (g)) Direct rep. of Restaurant and hotel, chinaware, dinnerware, etc.

13. Marital status (Series VII, line 1): Single Widower Divorced Married, not separated Married, separated

14. Number of dependents (Series VII, line 3 (a) fifth column except N. C.'s plus line 4 (a) fifth column) 2

15. Birthplace (Series IX, line 1) Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.
(Town or city) (State) (Country)

16. Birth date (Series IX, line 2) June 15, 1910.
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17. Race (Series IX, line 3): White Negro Other (specify)

18. Citizenship: United States citizen (Series IX, line 4) Yes (Yes or no); Declarant alien (Series IX, line 7) (Yes or no)

19. Previous U. S. military service (Series XII): None Army National Guard Marine Corps Coast Guard

20. Type of discharge (Series XII): Specify

21. Date of registrant's affidavit (top of page 8) 3 Feb. 1941.
(Day) (Month) (Year)

Do Not Enter Anything in This Column

RESIDENCE
State
County
Place inducted
DATE INDUCTED
Day
Month
Year
Source
Nativity
Year of birth
Race/citizenship
Education
Occupation
Marital

INSTRUCTIONS

1. An original and three copies of this form will be prepared for each registrant called up for physical examination. The original is designated as the Armed Forces' Original; the first carbon copy, the National Headquarters' Copy; the second carbon copy, the Surgeon General's (Army)—Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (Navy)—Commandant Marine Corps (M. C.) Copy; and the third carbon copy, the Local Board's Copy. Instructions are contained on each copy.

2. Forms of men rejected by the armed forces will be marked "Rejected by the Armed Forces" in large letters at the top of page 1.

3. If the registrant is not sent to the induction station of the armed forces, or is rejected by the induction station of the armed forces, this original will be filed, along with "Local Board's Copy" (3d copy), in the registrant's Cover Sheet (Form 53).

4. For registrants accepted by the induction station of the armed forces: If inducted by the Army, this original accompanied by F. B. I. Military Fingerprint Card will be forwarded from induction station to The Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.; if inducted by the NAVY or COAST GUARD, this original will be forwarded through the Main Recruiting Station to the Bureau of Navigation, Washington, D. C.; if inducted by the MARINE CORPS, this original will be sent to the Commandant, Headquarters, U. S. Marine Corps, Washington, D. C.

5. Fingerprints are required only on this original and only for registrants who are inducted. If inducted by ARMY, prepare F. B. I. Military Fingerprint Card.

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SECTION IV.—PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RESULTS: (All Items Must Be Filled In. Indicate Normal or None Where Applicable. To Be Filled Out by the Medical Board at the Induction Station of the Armed Forces.)

39. Eye abnormalities none

40. Ear, nose, throat abnormalities (1) Allergic rhinitis bilateral moderate

41. Mouth and gum abnormalities none

42. Teeth: (a) Indicate restorable carious teeth by circling; nonrestorable carious teeth by /; missing natural teeth by X.

EXAMINEE'S															
Right								Left							
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

(b) Remarks, including other defects none

(c) Prosthetic dental appliances Partial denture replaces right-14-15-left-13-14-15

(d) Remediable dental defects none

43. Skin normal

44. Varicose veins none

45. Hernia none

46. Hemorrhoids none

47. Genito-urinary (non-venereal) normal (see sp. 58)

48. Venereal diseases none

49. Feet normal

50. Musculoskeletal defects none

51. Abdominal viscera normal

52. Cardiovascular system normal

53. Lungs normal

54. Chest X-ray negative

55. Mental normal

56. Nervous system normal

57. Endocrine system normal

58. Other defects and/or diseases or other remarks History of Hay Fever mild (1) History of prostatitis duration 2 years treated by Dr. L. Ribe, Chicago, Ill. (2) Smear from prostate secretion reveals no pus cells, no organism (3) Prostate is normal to digital examination

59. Summary of defects in order of significance ACCEPTABLE UNDER MR 1-9

60. Vision, without correction:
 (a) Right eye 20/20
 (b) Left eye 20/20

61. Vision, with correction:
 (a) Right eye
 (b) Left eye

62. Color perception*

63. Hearing:
 (a) Right ear 15/15
 (b) Left ear 15/15

64. Height 68 inches.

65. Weight 149 pounds.

66. (a) Girth, at nipples; inspiration 37 inches.
 (b) Girth, at nipples; expiration 35 inches.
 (c) Girth, at umbilicus 33 inches.

67. Posture: Good Fair Poor

68. Frame: Heavy Med. Light

69. Color of hair black

70. Color of eyes brown

71. Complexion dark

72. Pulse, sitting 84

73. Pulse, after exercise*

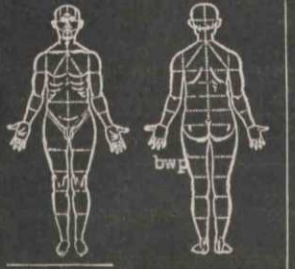
74. Pulse, 2 minutes after exercise*

75. Blood pressure:
 (a) Systolic 120
 (b) Diastolic 78

76. Urinalysis:
 (a) Specific gravity 1.013
 (b) Albumin NEGATIVE
 (c) Sugar NEGATIVE
 (d) Microscopic*

77. Other data:

Do Not Write in This Column



* When indicated.

SECTION IV.—PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RESULTS—Continued.

78. I CERTIFY that the above-named registrant was carefully examined, that the results of the examination have been correctly recorded on this form and that to the best of my knowledge and belief—

(a) LIDSKY HERMAN H. is physically and mentally qualified for general military service.
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(b) _____ is physically and mentally qualified for general military service
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

after the satisfactory correction of the following remediable defects: _____

This registrant would have been accepted for general military service had the remediable defects herein specified been remedied at the time of this examination.

(c) _____ is physically qualified for limited military service only by
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable) reason of _____

(d) _____ is physically qualified for limited military service after the
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable) satisfactory correction of the following remediable defects: _____

This registrant would have been acceptable for limited military service had the remediable defects herein specified been remedied at the time of this examination.

(e) _____ is physically and/or mentally disqualified for military service by reason of
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable) _____

(f) _____ is disqualified for military service because of
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable) _____

(g) Signature [Signature] (h) Title Medical Examiner

(i) Name typed or stamped H. KOREY, 1st LT. M. C.

79. (a) LIDSKY HERMAN H. was this date inducted for (general; limited) limited [strike out inapplicable word] military service into the (fill in appropriate Service, such as Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard) ARMY on 10 JAN 1944 at FT. SHERIDAN, ILLINOIS

(b) _____ was this date rejected for service in the (fill in appropriate service, such as Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard) _____ of the United States.

(c) Place CHICAGO, ILLINOIS (d) Signature [Signature]

(e) Date 20 DECEMBER 1943 (f) Name typed or stamped L.A. ZUKERMAN, 1ST, LT. AUS.
(Grade and organization)

SECTION V.—LOCAL BOARD CHANGE IN CLASSIFICATION AFTER EXAMINATION BY THE INDUCTION STATION OF THE ARMED FORCES.

80. (a) Based on the entries in (a), (c), (d), or (f) of Item 78, above, the Local Board has changed the above-named registrant's classification to Class _____

(b) Based on the entries in (b) of Item 78, above, the Local Board has retained the above-named registrant in Class _____

(c) Place _____ (d) Date _____

(e) Signature of member of local board _____

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SECTION II.—REPORT OF LOCAL BOARD EXAMINING PHYSICIAN AND LOCAL BOARD CLASSIFICATION.

22. If registrant's answer to Item 6 above is "yes," when and for what ailment(s) _____
23. Is registrant now or previously an enrollee in the Civilian Conservation Corps: No ; Yes
24. Serological test (syphilis): Date 11/24/43 Result neg
Second serological test (syphilis): Date _____ Result _____
25. Examining physician's remarks _____

26. (a) Do you find that the above-named registrant has any of the defects set forth in Part I of the List of Defects (Form 220)?
(If in doubt, answer "no," and give details.) no If answer is "yes," describe the defects, in order of significance
(Answer yes or no)
(b) Do you find that the above-named registrant has any of the defects set forth in Part II of the List of Defects (Form 220)?
(If in doubt, answer "no," and give details.) _____ If answer is "yes," describe the defects, in order of significance
(Answer yes or no)

(c) I have examined the above-named registrant in accordance with Selective Service Regulations.
(d) Signature of examining physician L. A. Zuckerman
(e) Place Chicago, Ill. (Town or city) _____ (County) _____ (State) _____
(f) Date NOV 24 1943
27. (a) This Local Board has classified the above-named registrant in Class 1-F
(b) Signature of Member of Local Board N. S. Marned
(c) Place Chicago, Ill. (Town or city) _____ (County) _____ (State) _____
(d) Date NOV 26 1943

SECTION III.—NEAREST RELATIVE, PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARY (To be filled out at the induction station of the armed forces for only those registrants accepted for military service.)

A. Nearest relative and person to be notified in case of emergency:
28. Nearest relative Rose Grossman Lidsky
(Other than wife or minor child. Name in full)
29. Relationship Mother 30. Address Woodlawn Apt. Hotel
5238 South Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago Illinois
(Number and street or rural route; if none, so state) (City, town, or post office) (State or country)

31. Person to be notified in case of emergency Leona Lipman Lidsky
(Name in full)
32. Relationship Wife 33. Address 501 South Central Avenue, Chicago Ill.
(If friend, so state) (Number and street or rural route; if none, so state) (City, town, or post office) (State or country)

B. Designation of beneficiary:
34. The persons eligible to be my beneficiary are designated below:
(1) Leona Lipman Lidsky (Wife) Same as above
(Full name of wife; if no wife, or if she is deceased or divorced, so state) (Wife's full address)
(2) Andrea Lee Lidsky (Daughter) Same as Wife's
(Full name and address of each minor child and each dependent child over 21 years of age. If there are no children, so state. If the address is the same as the wife's, so state. Do not repeat address)

35. In the event of my leaving no widow or child, or their decease before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary the dependent relative whose name, relationship, and address are shown below:
(3) Rose Grossman Lidsky (Mother) Same as above
(If designation of beneficiary is declined, man must state in own handwriting: "I decline to designate any person as my beneficiary")

36. In the event of the death or disqualification of the last-named dependent relative before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary the dependent relative whose name, relationship, and address are shown below: 2100 North
(4) Samuel Lidsky (Father) Lea Lidsky Stoper (Sister) Humboldt Blvd, Chicago Ill.
(If beneficiary is named in line 37 but naming of alternate is declined, man must state in own handwriting: "I decline to designate an alternate beneficiary")

37. Signature of registrant Lerman Henry Lidsky
(First name) (Middle name) (Last name)
38. Witnessed at Chicago Illinois on 20 December 1943

(Signature of witness attesting) L. A. Zuckerman L.A. ZUCKERMAN 1st LT. A.U.S.
(Name of witness typed) (Grade and organization)
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NON-RECOVERABLE CASE RECORD OF REVIEW AND APPROVAL	CASE NUMBER <div style="text-align: right; font-size: 1.2em;">7963 (1)</div>
AREA OR ZONE(S) <div style="text-align: right; font-size: 1.2em;">European</div>	

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) <div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">LIDSKY, HERMAN H.</div>	RANK <div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">PVT</div>	SERIAL NUMBER <div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">36 781 425</div>
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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.

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

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

NAME OF CASE ANALYST <div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">RUTH HUTSON/mec</div>	CASE TO BE FORWARDED TO <u>Repatriation Branch, Correspondence Sec.</u> FOR CONSIDERATION OF NOTIFICATION TO INTERESTED PARTIES.
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RECOMMEND APPROVAL CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">B. HALE</div>	CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">W.R. DeWEESE, 1st Lt QMC</div>	APPROVED CHIEF, IDENTIFICATION BRANCH <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">G.W. ROGERS, Capt QMC</div>	DATE <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">7 July 1949</div>
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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

13 MAY 1949

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

The board convened pursuant to par 4, SO No.33, Headquarters American Graves Registration Command, APO 58, U S Army, 22 March 1948, at the Astoria Hotel, Paris, France on 13 MAY 1949. The purpose of the board was to determine the non-recoverability status of certain casualties now under the jurisdiction of this command.

The board reviewed report of investigation, statements of witnesses and other papers contained in the files of American Graves Registration Command, 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	ASN	GRADE
11	LIDSKY Herman H.,	36781425	Pvt

as amended by para 1 50 43, Hq AGRC, dated 19 April 1949

FINDINGS: The board having carefully considered the evidence before it, find 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.

H. P. HENRY, Col, QMC

E. D. Mulvanity

E. D. MULVANITY, Lt Col, QMC

JACK C. HAYES, Capt, QMC

Roger Berger

ROGER BERGER, Maj, Ord

EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr., Capt, QMC

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EDWARD E. STOUT, 1st Lt, CE

ERNEST J. OGLESBY, 1st Lt QMC

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

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22 Mar 48

SPECIAL ORDERS

NUMBER 33

1. Under the provisions of AR 615-368, 14 May 47 and AR 420-5, the following Board of officers is appointed to meet at Liege, Belgium, or at such other place as the president may designate at the call of the president thereof, for the purpose of considering whether such EM as may be brought before it should be discharged prior to the expiration of their term of service. Proceedings of the Board will be in conformity with AR 420-5. Findings and recommendations will be forwarded to the Commanding General, and entered on ED AGO Form 37.

LT COL	PARK W. BAILEY	0242216	INF
MAJ	DAVID MINS, JR	0228758	FA
MAJ	JOHN W. LONG	0333779	INF
CAPT	THOMAS C. HAYDEN	01584337	QMC
1ST LT	ALVIN C. BECK	01646841	INF
1ST LT	ROBERT VANINA	01786119	MC

2. Par 3 and 4, SO 6, this hq, 14 Jan 48 pertaining to appointment of Board of Review for identification of Unknown Dead (European Area), are rescinded.

3. PAC ltr WD 9 Apr 47, subj "Establishment of Boards for identification of Unknown Dead", the fol off, this hq, are aptd a Board of Review for identification of Unknown Dead (European Area):

LT COL	PATRICK W. GUINEY	019066	QMC
MAJ	GEORGE M VER HULST	A0650035	USAF
MAJ	MARSHALL J. BLACKMON	0277013	INF
CAPT	JACK C. HAYES	01577297	QMC
1ST LT	JOSEPH E McCLUSKEY	01338110	INF

4. PAC ltr WD 9 Apr 47, Subj: "Establishment of Boards for identification of Unknown Dead", the fol off, this hq, are aptd a Board of Review for non-recoverability of remains (European Area):

✓ LT COL	EDWARD D. MULVANTY	0359598	QMC
MAJ	GROSVENOR W. FISH	042932	QMC
MAJ	FRANCIS P SWEENEY	034485	INF
CAPT	OWEN F McCANN	01595680	INF
1ST LT	GEORGE L. FREEMAN	0159551	QMC

5. VOCC 6 Jan 48 auth CAPT GORDON L. ALDERMAN 0479536 CHC to tvl fr Second Zone, AGRC, APO 58, Carentan, France, to First Zone, AGRC, APO 58, Liege, Belgium, by TPA are confirmed, the exigencies of the service having been such as to prevent the issuance of orders in advance.

AUTH: Sec I, Cir 157, Hq USFET, 23 Oct 46 & Cir 28, Hq EUCOM, 9 May 47.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL L. PECKHAM:

CARL W. RAGUSE
Colonel, QMC
Chief of Staff

OFFICIAL:

/s/t/ FRANK FRANCIS
Major, - AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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SPECIAL ORDERS
NUMBER 16

3 February 1949

1. The fol named off having been asgd 7887 Hq Gp AGRC APO 58 Paris France per par 1 SO 14 7855 AGRC Zone #1 Hq APO 58 Liege Belgium are placed on dy w/Registration Division.

CAPT STANLEY C. TYRRELL 01304296 Inf
1ST LT EDWARD E. STOUT 01594512 CE
1ST LT ERNEST J. OGLESBY 0449004 Cav

2. The Board of Review for the Identification of Unknown Dead aptd per par 9 SO 6 this hq 14 Jan 48 is dissolved.

3. The Board of Review for cases of non-recoverability of remains (European Area) aptd per par 4 SO 33 this hq 22 Mar 48 as amended by par 1 SO 154 hq 3 Nov 48 and par 2 SO 165 this hq 7 Dec 48 is dissolved.

4. The Board of Review for Major Discrepancy Cases aptd per par 6 SO 146 this hq 22 Oct 48 is dissolved.

5. PAC ltr WD AGAO-S 293.9 9 Apr 47 Subj: Establishment of Boards of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead Overseas, the fol off this hq are aptd a Board of Review for the purpose of reviewing case records pertaining to the identification of deceased and determination of non-recoverability of remains (European Area):

CAPT JACK C. HAYES 01577297 QMC
CAPT STANLEY C. TYRRELL 01304296 Inf
CAPT EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr. 01588236 QMC
1ST LT EDWARD E. STOUT 01594512 CE
1ST LT ERNEST J. OGLESBY 0449004 Cav

6. The fol off this hq are aptd a Board of Review for Major Discrepancy Cases to function pursuant to par 3 Operations Instructions 84 this hq 29 July 47:

CAPT JACK C. HAYES 01577297 QMC
CAPT STANLEY C. TYRRELL 01304296 Inf
CAPT EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr. 01588236 QMC
1ST LT EDWARD E. STOUT 01594512 CE
1ST LT ERNEST J. OGLESBY 0449005 Cav

7. Par 5 SO 10 this hq 24 Jan 49 pertaining to an audit of the AGRC Officer Club (Paris Area) is amended to add "PAC Weekly Dir No. 34 Hq EUCom 1948 as amended by Sec 14 Weekly Dir 46 Hq EUCom 1948 this audit will also effect the change of custodian of the club."

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL PECKHAM:

OFFICIAL:

MARK AMEN
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Adjutant General

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EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

SPECIAL ORDERS
NUMBER 6

14 January 1949

1. MAJ LEONARD R. LITMAN, O-306950, AGD is aptd Acting Transportation Officer for Third Zone AGRC, APO 58, Nancy, France for the purpose of issuing transportation warrants & procuring transportation PAC AR 55-105 vice CAPT WILLIAM T. DAILEY, O-1573146, QMC reld.

2. M/Sgt Harry W. Daughters, RA-12251281, Hq Third Zone, is aptd Transportation Agent to MAJ LEONARD R. LITMAN, O-306950, AGD, Acting Transportation Officer, Third Zone AGRC, APO 58, Nancy, France for the purpose of issuing documents for procuring transportation PAC Change 14, AR 55-105.

3. MAJ ROGER BERGER, O-251736, Ord, this hq, is designated to conduct inventory of all Signal equipment in this hq. MAJ BERGER will report to COL EDWARD F. FRENCH, O-8935, Sig C, Signal Officer, this hq for instructions.

4. 1ST LT ROBERT J. ANDRE, O-2011787, QMC, this hq, is aptd Mess Officer for the Hq AGRC French Civilian Mess, Hotel Astoria, Paris, France PAC AR 210-60 effective as of 8 Jan 49.

5. 1ST LT HARRY H. SHERIDAN, O-1797190, CMP, this hq, is aptd Mess officer for the Hq AGRC Enlisted Mess, 31 Rue Jean Giraudoux, Paris, France PAC AR 210-60 effective as of 8 Jan 49.

6. Par 3, SO 107, this hq, 2 Aug 48 pertaining to COL JAMES J. DEERY, O-16123, FA is revoked.

7. MAJ GEORGE E. SPRINGER, O-284512, FA is aptd a member of the Budget Advisory Committee established per par 5, SO 70, this hq, 3 June 48.

8. The Board of Review for the Identification of Unknown Dead aptd per par 2, SO 139, this hq, 8 Oct 48 is dissolved.

9. Under the provisions of letter file AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47) D-M, War Dept, TAGO, 9 April 47, subject: Establishment of Board of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead Overseas, the following named officers are aptd a Board of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead:

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|-----|-----------|---------|----------|-----|
| MAJ | ROGER | BERGER | O-251736 | Ord |
| MAJ | ROBERT E. | DEPPE | O-386998 | QMC |
| MAJ | JAMES F. | ADDISON | O-447553 | QMC |

MAJ	REED M.	TITUS	0-41879	TC
MAJ	JOHN R.	LYLE	0-32700	Inf
CAPT	JACK C	HAYES	0-1577297	QMC
CAPT	BURGE A.	WIEMEYER	0-492969	TC
CAPT	HAROLD H.	HAWKINS	0-1295874	SpS
CAPT	JOSEPH P.	FORBES	0-1589835	Ord
CAPT	EDWARD F.	PRICE Jr.	0-1588236	QMC
1ST LT	JOHN P.	PINZOLO	0-2055482	AGD
1ST LT	ANTHONY C.	SANTAGO	0-1333883	QMC

10. So much of par 2, SO #2, this hq, 6 Jan 49 pertaining to LT COL PATRICK W. GUINEY, JR. 0-19066, QMC as reads "WP TPA TCNT TDN 21X1805 907-41 P 420-02 S 99-999 L 160", is amended to read "WP TPA TCNT TDN 21X1805 907-41 P 420-02-03-07 S 99-999 L 160."

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL PECKHAM:

OFFICIAL:

/s/ Mark Amen
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Lt Col, AGD
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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

RRE 293.9 (IB)

SUBJECT: Non-Recoverable Remains

TO: Non-Recoverable Board AGRC

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

NAME: LIDSKY, Herman H., Pvt. 36781425

ORGANIZATION: Co "E" 11th Inf Regt, 5th Inf Div.

PLACE OF DEATH: Vicinity of Dornot, Moselle, France.

DATE OF DEATH: 10 September 1944.

SYNOPSIS OF CASE: Only information available on the above deceased - OQMG Form 371 - indicates that he was killed in action when his unit was holding a bridgehead on the East bank of the Moselle River in the vicinity of Sainte-Catherine Farm, about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile from Dornot, Moselle, France. Thorough investigation of the area proved negative. A search of cemetery records in this headquarters also failed to give any clue which might lead to the identification of subject deceased. A statement by Mr. Henri Boda, Mayor of Dornot, emphasizes the fact that since 29 January 1947, date of the last investigation in Dornot by a field unit, no American graves have been located or reported in the area. In view of the fact that all clues have been exhausted on this case, it is believed that further action would prove futile.

Reference is made to OQMG Form 371; 1st Ind. Third Zone, 21 Feb 47; Ltr, Third Zone, 26 Feb 47; Diary; Statement, s/Boda; Ltr Third Zone, 31 Jan 47; Diary, 29 Jan 47; Diary (undated).

2. All attached supporting documents are copied from records in file headquarters American Graves Registration Command.

3. Every effort has been made to correlate this case with records in this headquarters pertaining to unknown deceased interred in US Military Cemeteries and reported isolated burials. The results are negative.

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

George L. Freeman
GEORGE L. FREEMAN
1st Lt QMC

WAR DEPARTMENT
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1	NAME OR TITLE LIDSKY, HERMAN H. ✓ 30 781 425 ✓	INITIALS	CIRCULATE
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2	o/a 10 SEPT. '44 ✓		FILE
3	LOCATION AT ABOVE DATE		INFORMATION
	COORDINATES DESIRED IF AVAILABLE		NECESSARY ACTION
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LIDSKY, HERMAN H. ASN 36 781 425

ORG. 11th Inf. Regt. 5th Inf. Div.

DATE OF DEATH: 10 Sept. 1944

LOCATION ON ABOVE DATE: -----Result of death:

Pvt. Lidsky was Killed in action on the 10 Sept 1944 when serving with an advance element whose mission was to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River about one quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) mile East of Dornot, France.

They were faced with heavy enemy fire when he was Killed by shell shrapnel while defending the bridgehead.

MAP LOCATION:

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Map: CENTRAL EUROPE 1:100,000

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COORDINATES OF TOWN:

"DORNOT"(770510) coord., FRANCE.

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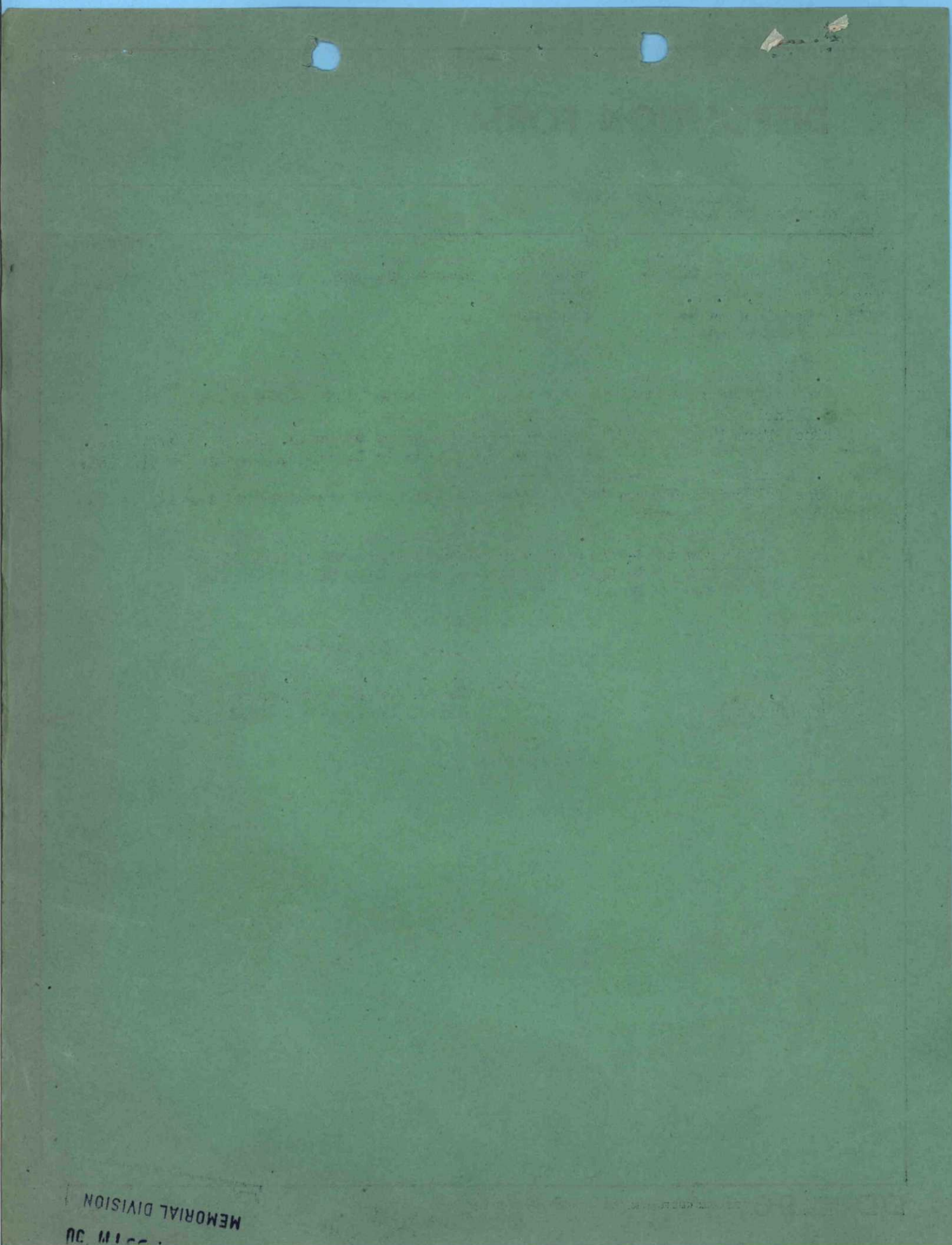
FILE NO. AGRS-DM 201 Lidsky, Herman H. 36 781 425		SUBJECT Morning Reports	
TO Chief, QM Liaison Office Rm 1d684 Pentagon Washington 25, D. C. ATTN: Maj Renner	FROM Demob Pers Records Br, AGO Bldg 103 St. Louis 20, Mo	DATE 24 Nov 50	COMMENT NO. 1 td/2143

1. Reference is made to your message 38 dated 22 November 1950.
2. Inclosed is extract copy of morning report of Co E, 11th Inf Regt, St. Catherine Form U-7451 Nord De Guerre pertaining to Herman H. Lidsky, 36 781 425.
3. Morning Report Record of Events of the above organization for 10 Sep 1944 shows the following remark:

Held Bridge head E. Bank of Moselle river until 2100 hrs & withdrew to U-7451 under orders under Arty MG & tank fire
2 EM KIA 9 EM LWA 1 EM LIA

E. C. Hoge
E. C. HOGE, Lt Col, AGC
Chief, Demob Pers Records Br

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10 Sep 44 (in trip)



MEMORIAL DIVISION
JUN 30 1955

EXTRACT COPY OF MORNING REPORT

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL: Lidsky Herman H. ARMY SERIAL NO.: 36 781 425 GRADE: Pvt

COMPANY, REGIMENT, AND ARM OR SERVICE: Co E, 11th Inf Regt

EXTRACT COPY OF MORNING REPORT OF-

COMPANY, TROOP, BATTERY, OR DETACHMENT: Co E REGIMENT OR OTHER ORGANIZATION: 11th Inf Regt

REMARKS

10 September 1944

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36 781 425 Lidsky, H. Dy 745 Pvt Above 2 EM dy to KIA & drpd fr records

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/s/ K. C. Doty Capt 11th Inf., Pers. O.

COMPLETE DESIGNATION OF COMMAND: Demobilized Personnel Records Br, AGO STATION: St. Louis 20, Mo DATE: 24 Nov 1950

I Certify that I am the official custodian of the morning reports of (Command) Co E, 11th Inf Regt original copies of which are presently maintained in storage by the Records Administration Center, AGO; that the foregoing is a true and complete copy (including any signature or initials appearing thereon) of that part of the report of said command submitted at (Station) St. Catherine Form U-7451 for the dates indicated in said copy which relates to the person referred to in extract copy. Nord De Guerre

TYPED NAME, GRADE, AND ARM OR SERVICE: JOHN P. KAYLOR, Capt, AGC SIGNATURE: John P Kaylor

QMCMF 293

Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

8 December 1950

S.
Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago 15, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

Reference is made to your letter dated 20 October 1950, addressed to the Honorable Scott W. Lucas, concerning your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky. Senator Lucas referred your letter to this Office with a request that we furnish you whatever information is available or obtainable relative to your son's death and the disposition of his remains.

Upon receipt of this letter, I directed that your son's case be carefully re-studied in order that all pertinent facts in relation to our search for Private Lidsky's remains may be given to you. In addition to a complete examination of the records, telephone inquiries were made with eleven (11) former members of Company E, 11th Infantry Regiment, for specific information as to how your son met his death and what disposition was made of the remains.

The records of the Department of the Army reveal that your son was transferred to the 11th Infantry Regiment in the latter part of August 1944 and that he reported for duty with the 2nd Platoon, Company E, on 28 August 1944. The 11th Infantry Regiment was assigned the task of establishing a bridgehead on the east bank of the Moselle River, approximately one-half mile from the town of Dornot, Moselle, France.

Company E of this Regiment and of which your son was a member, fought their way across the Moselle River and established a bridgehead on the east bank. On 10 September 1944, the Germans launched a heavy counter-attack in an attempt to drive off our troops holding this bridgehead. The men of Company E, including your son, had dug foxholes and established their positions when the German counter-attack was launched. It was during a heavy artillery shelling of the bridgehead that your son, who was alone in a foxhole in an advanced position, was fatally wounded.

X 201 Lucas, Scott W. (Hon.)

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Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

8 December 1950

The telephone conversation^s had with former members of your son's unit, revealed that a furious battle took place shortly after the bridgehead was established. The engagement became even more violent when the Germans launched their counter-attack to drive the Americans back across the Moselle River. Captain Ferris Church, who was Commander of Company E, stated that the area was continuously under fire from the time the bridgehead was established on 10 September 1944, until its evacuation the following morning. Company E lost a considerable number of men not only on the bridgehead but during the struggle to recross the Moselle River.

Sergeant George W. Fryrear, Sergeant of the 2nd Platoon and your son's immediate superior, gave our investigator substantially the following information: He stated that he remembers very well the events on the bridgehead which resulted in the death of Private Herman Lidsky and a considerable number of men of Company E. Sergeant Fryrear said that your son was alone in a foxhole, holding one of the forward positions on the bridgehead. It was about 9 o'clock in the evening when the Germans laid down a heavy artillery barrage which Sergeant Fryrear said resulted in either immediate death or fatal wounds to seven (7) members of his Platoon.

It was shortly after a letup in German artillery fire that Sergeant Fryrear crawled forward to check on his men and found Private Lidsky alive in his foxhole but fatally wounded. He said he examined the wounds and realized that there was little he could do since the shell fragments which struck your son were embedded in his lower chest and abdomen. Sergeant Fryrear said that your son spoke a few words to him and then lapsed into unconsciousness.

The Sergeant, after giving whatever first aid was possible, then left the foxhole to check on other men of his platoon who were also in forward positions; in the meantime, the Germans had increased their fire, making it necessary for Sergeant Fryrear to return to his own foxhole for shelter. As soon as the order was given for the bridgehead to be abandoned, Company E started to evacuate its men, the wounded being given preference. Before Sergeant Fryrear left the bridgehead, he again entered your son's foxhole to make certain of his condition and discovered that your son had been dead for several hours; however, since there was neither time nor facilities available to take the dead back across the Moselle River, the body of your son and all others who were killed on the bridgehead were left in the places where they died. The Germans took over the area as soon as all living Americans were evacuated and it is not known what disposition they made of Private Lidsky's remains.

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SN 36 781 425

8 December 1950

I wish to assure you that all German records on burials were carefully checked by this Office and our overseas Command. A thorough search of the entire bridgehead area as well as an examination of all unknowns recovered from the general scene of the battle, failed to establish the recovery and/or identification of Private Lidsky's remains. Therefore, the Department of the Army, only after a careful review of all circumstances of this case, determined that the remains of your son, Private Herman H. Lidsky, were not recoverable.

Sincerely yours,

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JAMES B. CLEARWATER
Colonel, OMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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Letter prepared by Capt Vogt. Approved by Col. Hinman. d.c.w.

Cy. being hand carried to AG by Capt. Renner.

*Cy furnished Mrs. Hazel H. Williams
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Wash D.C. - 6 Feb 51 on
request from her.
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24 November 1948

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LIDSKY, Herman H. Pvt. 36781425

Co. "E" 11th Infantry Regiment 5th Infantry Division

Killed in action: 10 September 1944

Attached is all the available information obtained from Casualty files, Casualty Branch - AGF Historical files, Operations Reports concerning the above Enlisted Man and the above Organization for the period of 10 September 1944.

There is no Casualty List given in the Operations Report of the 11th Infantry Regiment.

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(21 Nov 44) 36781425

5 June 1945

Mrs. Leona Lidsky
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

There has been forwarded to this office from overseas, your letter of inquiry concerning your husband.

Your distress since he was reported a casualty, and your desire to obtain further information regarding him is most understandable. A report now available in the War Department shows that Private Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, member of Company E, 11th Infantry, was killed in action 10 September 1944 when serving with an advance element whose mission was to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River about one quarter mile east of Dornot, France. They were faced with heavy enemy fire when your husband was killed by shell shrapnel while defending the bridgehead.

The Purple Heart is awarded posthumously by the War Department to members of the armed forces of the United States who are killed in action, or who die as a direct result of wounds received in action with an enemy. Your husband was therefore decorated with the Purple Heart because of his supreme sacrifice.

My sympathy continues to be with you in your bereavement.

Sincerely yours,

J. A. ULIO
Major General
The Adjutant General of The Army

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HEADQUARTERS 5TH INFANTRY DIVISION
Office of the Chaplain
A.P.O. #5, C/o Postmaster, New York, N.Y.

Somewhere in France
26 September 1944

Mrs. Leonal Lidsky
501 South Central Ave
Chicago, Illinois.

Re: Lidsky, Herman H., Pvt
36781425, Co E, 11th Inf

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

It is with deep regret on the part of all associated with your loved one that we write concerning your and our loss. As you know, Herman was killed in action on the 10th of September 1944. It may be of comfort to you to know that Chaplains accompany our troops into battle to provide spiritual ministrations and such other assistance as is possible. Worship services are held when opportune during which prayers are included for our fallen comrades. Information regarding place of burial is furnished by The Quartermaster General, ASF, Washington, 25, D. C., when security and censorship permits.

I saw Herman whenever he attended Jewish Services. Little did we realize then, that Herman would be one of those to serve his country by paying the supreme sacrifice.

What more can I say to you in this, your hour of bereavement. Words will never replace your loss, but as human beings believing in God, we must accept His decision. The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away. Blessed be the name of the Lord.

May the Almighty comfort you together with all the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

Sincerely yours,



HERMAN DICKER
Chaplain, U.S. Army

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HEADQUARTERS 8TH INFANTRY DIVISION
Office of the Chaplain
A.P.O. #2, c/o Postmaster, New York, N.Y.

Somewhere in France
28 September 1944

Re: Midsky, Herman H., Pvt
38781438, Co E, 11th Inf

Mrs. Leonal Midsky
801 South Central Ave
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Midsky:

It is with deep regret on the part of all associated with your loved one that we write concerning your and our loss. As you know, Herman was killed in action on the 10th of September 1944. It may be of comfort to you to know that Chaplain Scoggins accompanied our troops into battle to provide spiritual ministrations and such other assistance as is possible. Worship services are held when opportunity during which prayers are included for our fallen comrades. Information regarding place of burial is furnished by the Quartermaster General, ASST, Washington, 25, D. C., when security and censorship permits.

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Sincerely yours,

HERMAN DICHER
Chaplain, U.S. Army



HEADQUARTERS ELEVENTH INFANTRY

OWN OPERATIONS

08 Sept: 2d Bn, assisted by Co "C", 7th Engr and supported by 5th Inf Div Arty (-50 & 241 FA Bns) made assault crossing of MOSELLE RIVER in the vicinity of DORNOT (775512) beginning 1045B after 5 hour delay due to conflicting orders existing between elements of the 7th Armd Div and 5th Inf Div as to order of the crossing. Crossing was continued by assault boats throughout the day and hours of darkness in face of heavy enemy artillery, mortar and machine gun fire. Companies "E", "F", "G" and "K", and majority of "H" were crossed when heavy enemy counterattack at dusk compressed bridgehead and stopped crossing of additional elements of 3d Bn. 1st and 3d Bns continued to hold position on the W bank of the MOSELLE RIVER.

09 Sept: 2d Bn and Company "K", continued to hold the bridgehead against intense enemy fire and counterattacks. Enemy fire prevented further crossings. Evacuation and resupply of bridgehead forces conducted on night of 9-10 September.

10 Sept: 2d Bn and Co "K" continued to hold small bridgehead on E bank of the MOSELLE RIVER approximately 300 by 200 yards, despite high casualties during daylight. Orders received to evacuate bridgehead. Evacuation begun at 2115 hours and completed 2330 hours. 2d Bn moved into Div reserve in GORZE. 3d Bn (less Co's "I" and "K" and plus Co's "B" and "C", plus Co "I") moved into position to hold high ground west of DORNOT and protect left flank on the west bank.

11 Sept: 3d Bn (minus "I" and "K", plus "B" and "C" Co's) completed crossing all elements to east bank of the MOSELLE RIVER and secured positions on north flank of Division bridgehead against strong enemy resistance. 3d Bn attached to 10th Inf upon completion of crossing. 2d Bn in Division reserve, reorganizing. 1st Bn (minus "B" and "C" and plus Co "I") in position on high ground west of DORNOT protecting left flank.

There is no Casualty Report given by names to determine the men KIA or MIA on 10 Sept. 1944.

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HEADQUARTERS SEVENTH INFANTRY

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NAME Lidsky, Herman H.	GRADE Pvt	SERIAL NO. 36 781 425
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LIDSKY HERMAN H

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SERIAL NUMBER

36 781425

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DATE OF DEATH

10 SEP 44

AREA OF DEATH

FRANCE

NAME OF AUDITOR

DATE

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NAME OF REVIEWER

DATE

KATZ

5 FEB 51

REMARKS

SECTION 7

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QMGME 293
Lidicky, Norman H
S.N. 367 81425

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Dear Colonel Clearwater:

In your letter dated October 1950, to my Mother-in-law concerning my husband's remains you mentioned a Sergeant George W. Fryrear. I was wondering if it were at all possible to obtain his address.

Thanking you very much

I remain -

Sincerely

Mrs. Leona Lidicky
501 S. Central Ave.
Chicago 44 Illinois

SECTION 7

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QMGMF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

25 September 1951

Mrs. Leona Lidsky
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This is in response to your recent letter concerning your husband, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

According to the records in this Office, the latest address of Mr. George W. Fryear, is Maplehurst Trailer Court, 4903 West Washington, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Please feel free to call upon us at any time if you believe we can assist you further.

Sincerely yours,

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JAMES B. CLEARWATER
Colonel, QMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle)
Lidsky, Leona H.

PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
ADDRESSEE MR. Lidsky MISS Mrs. Leona Lidsky MRS.	ADDRESS (Street, City, State) 501 South Central Avenue Chicago 44, Illinois		
RELATIONSHIP Widow			

PARAGRAPHS (Sequence)	ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS
	<p>This is in response to your recent letter concerning your husband, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.</p> <p><i>Retest</i> <i>According to the</i> Information of records in this Office indicate that as of 1 December 1950, the address of Mr. George W. Fryear, was Maplehurst Trailer Court, 4903 West Washington, Indianapolis, Indiana.</p> <p>Please feel free to call upon us at any time if you believe we can assist you further.</p>

GRADE
Private

SERIAL NUMBER
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ANALYST INITIALS AND DATE H.L.W.	TYPIST INITIALS	REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE
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1 Liaison Office Mem Div M & R Br Adm Div 3 Jan 51 ~~OMGML-293, Lidsky, Herman H. (Private)~~

It is requested the attached letter be placed in the 080 American Gold Star Mothers, Inc. file, and cross-referenced to 293 file, Lidsky, Herman H., Private.

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AMERICAN GOLD STAR MOTHERS, INC.

National Headquarters
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December 19, 1950

Colonel, QMC
George W. Hinman, Jr.
Memorial Division
Department of the Army
Office the Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Colonel Hinman:

Your communication of December 12, 1950, received.

Thank you for the very fine work you have done in getting the details of Private Herman H. Lidsky, and notifying his mother. She has been in a very bad condition, feeling that her son was still alive.

I have received a recent letter from Mrs. Lidsky thanking me for the help, and I would say she is now satisfied.

I realize you have a great responsibility in the office you administer; however, I know you realize how important it is for these parents to have authentic information.

Again, let me personally thank you and extend the appreciation of the Organization.

Best wishes.

Most Sincerely,

Mrs. Walter H. Boyd
National President
American Gold Star Mothers, Inc.

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293 Lidsky, Herman H. (Private)

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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	Capt Vogl Repat Br Mem Div	For Record	15 Nov 50	<p>SUBJECT: Lidsky, Herman H. Pvt 36781425</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. Richard L. Marnell in Hamtramck, New York, in an endeavor to obtain information concerning the remains of Private Herman H. Lidsky. Mr. Marnell was a Platoon Sergeant with Co E, 11th Infantry Regiment.</p> <p>2. Mr. Marnell told me he did not recall the name of Lidsky but wished to know when and where he died. I told him that he was reported as killed in action, 10 September 1944, while attempting to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River. Mr. Marnell said that there were so many lives lost in that attempt and that most of the men drowned. He told me that he lost quite a number of men from his platoon, many of whose bodies were not recovered. He feels quite certain that if the unit did not list him as being buried that Lidsky was one of the soldiers who drowned and whose body was lost in the river.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">***</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. Stanley J. Kuwik at Hamtramck, concerning information in connection with the search for the remains of this decedent. Mr. Kuwik was a Sergeant attached to Co E, 11th Infantry Regiment, at the time of Lidsky's death. He said that he slightly knew Lidsky but could not offhand tell me what platoon he was in or who his platoon leader was, however, he has several friends in Detroit, one of whom he believes knew Lidsky and was with him on the bridgehead at the Moselle River. He will endeavor to communicate with him and have him phone me in Washington.</p> <p>2. Mr. Kuwik said that Lidsky undoubtedly was drowned when the Germans forced the evacuation of a bridgehead established by Co E. He said a number of the men started swimming across the river instead of waiting for the pontoon which was on its way over the Moselle River to bring the men back. The action took place in the night and all they could hear in the boat was the word "help". Mr. Kuwik said that quite a number of men drowned and their remains were not found.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">***</p> <p>20 Nov 50</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. Ralph W. Farthing in Sandoval, Illinois. Mr. Farthing was a Platoon Sergeant with Co E, 11th Infantry Regiment, at the time Private Lidsky was killed.</p> <p>2. Mr. Farthing said he knew Lidsky even though he was not in his platoon. He is of the opinion that Lidsky was probably lost by drowning when the company evacuated the bridgehead on the Moselle River. He confirmed what was previously told me by Sergeants Marnell and Kuwik, who stated that a number of men attempted to swim the river and not wait for the pontoon to pick them up. He could give me no information as to what happened to Private Lidsky.</p>

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1 contd	Capt Vogl Repat Br Mem Div	For Record	20 Nov 50	<p>SUBJECT: Lidsky, Herman H. Pvt 36781425</p> <p>***</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. Wayne O. Arthur and located him in Kalamazoo, Michigan. Mr. Arthur was a Platoon Sergeant with Co E, 11th Infantry Regiment.</p> <p>2. Mr. Arthur remembers Private Lidsky but does not know what happened to his remains. He said that a considerable number of men were lost during the evacuation of the bridgehead on the Moselle River and he presumes that since Lidsky's body has not been recovered that he evidently drowned while attempting to swim the river and his body washed away.</p> <p>3. He suggested that I communicate with Captain Ferris Church who was the Company Commander. He said that Captain Church can be located in Bellevue, Michigan.</p> <p>***</p> <p>1. Phoned Captain Ferris Church and requested whether he recalled the circumstances under which Private Lidsky met his death as well as the disposition of his remains.</p> <p>2. Mr. Church said that he knew Lidsky quite <i>SLIGHTLY</i> well but for the moment he could not recall exactly how he died. He, however, believes that Lidsky died during the return from the bridgehead, established on the Moselle River.</p> <p>3. Mr. Church will look through some old records and see if they can help him recall events in connection with Lidsky's death. Mr. Church will call me within the next few days.</p> <p>***</p> <p>21 Nov 50</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. Claud W. Hembree who was First Sergeant of Co E, 11th Infantry at the time of Lidsky's death.</p> <p>2. While Hembree knew Lidsky very well <i>SLIGHTLY</i>, he could give me no information on how he died or where he was buried. He presumes that Lidsky was killed during the evacuation of the Moselle River bridgehead. Hembree asked me if the records indicate if he were, missing in action.</p> <p>3. I told him that the AGO casualty report reveals him only as, killed in action. Hembree then said that if he were reported as killed in action, the remains should have been recovered, however, he said, it is very possible that the information "killed in action" was obtained from a platoon leader or a platoon sergeant.</p>

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1 contd	Capt Vogl Repat Br Mem Div	For Record	21 Nov 50	<p>SUBJECT: Lidsky, Herman H. Pvt 36781425</p> <p>4. Hembree will look up his records to see if he has any further information concerning Lidsky and will phone this office.</p> <p>***</p> <p>1. Captain Ferris Church phoned and said that his old records do not reveal anything concerning Private Lidsky. He suggested that I communicate with Mr. A. M. Salapek of Battle Creek, Michigan (Phone 33897). Church said that Salapek was the supply Sergeant of Co E and he may give us some additional information.</p> <p>2. In the course of my conversation with Mr. Church, he brought out that a number of dead were left at the bridgehead when the company evacuated that point. He also said that some of these dead were not recovered until a couple months later.</p> <p>***</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. Henry F. Grondin of St. Ignace, Michigan, who was the Platoon Sergeant of the 2nd Platoon, Co E, 11th Infantry.</p> <p>2. In my telephone conversation with Mr. Grondin, he said that he <i>believes he knows</i> remembers Lidsky quite well but could not give me any information as to how he died or where his remains were buried.</p> <p>3. He suggested that I get in touch with a Mr. John Isaacson whom he believes was a close friend of the decedent. He advised that John Isaacson lived in Hancock, Michigan.</p> <p>***</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. John Isaacson and located him in Houghton, Michigan. Mr. Isaacson did not remember a boy by the name of Lidsky in the 2nd Platoon.</p> <p>2. He did, however, remember a boy by the name of "Black" whose correct name was never known to him. This fellow was originally wounded in the leg and later found dead. Mr. Isaacson could give me no further information except there were so many replacements in the platoon that it was hard to keep up with the new names.</p>

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1 contd	Capt Vogl Repat Br Mem Div	For Record	22 Nov	<p>SUBJECT: Lidsky, Herman H. Pvt 36781425 ***</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. Joseph E. Blesse and located him in Jacksonville, Illinois. Mr. Blesse was the Company Clerk of Co E, 11th Infantry, at the time that Private Herman Lidsky was killed.</p> <p>2. Mr. Blesse said he vaguely recalled the name of Lidsky but could give me no information on circumstances of death nor information regarding the remains.</p> <p>3. He suggested that I get in touch with Sergeant Fryrear whom he believes now resides in Galesburg, Illinois.</p> <p>***</p> <p>1. Phoned Mr. James E. May and reached him in Kalamazoo, Michigan. Mr. May was a Corporal in Company E, 2nd Platoon, 11th Infantry, at the time Lidsky was killed.</p> <p>2. Mr. May said that although he was with the 2nd Platoon for a very long time, he could not recall the name of Lidsky and believes he must have been one of the numerous replacements sent to Company E.</p> <p>3. He could give me no information concerning Lidsky's death or burial. He thought he may have been one of the men who drowned at the time his company was evacuating the bridgehead on the Moselle River.</p> <p>***</p>
			1 Dec 50	<p>1. Phoned Mr. George W. Fryrear and located him at Maplehurst Trailer Court, 4903 West Washington, Indianapolis, Indiana (Phone: Belmont 1712). Mr. Fryrear was a Platoon Sergeant of the 2nd Platoon, Co E, 11th Infantry Regiment, at the time Herman H. Lidsky was killed.</p> <p>2. Mr. Fryrear remembers very well the incidents resulting in the death of Herman Lidsky. He told me that Lidsky was in an individual foxhole, holding a forward position on the bridgehead established by the Regiment across the Moselle River. It was about 9 o'clock in the evening when the Germans laid down a heavy artillery barrage and seven members of the 2nd Platoon were either fatally wounded or instantly killed. Among these, was Herman Lidsky who received fatal wounds in his chest and abdomen. Sergeant Fryrear, Platoon Sergeant of the 2nd Platoon, crawled forward to check on his men and found Lidsky still alive. He saw that there was little hope for Lidsky but did take a bandage from his first aid pack and laid it across the open wounds.</p>

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TO

FROM

NO.

SUBJECT: LADSKY, Herman H. PVT 3878122

NO RECORD 22 NOV

1 Capt Vegl
2nd Lt Vegl
3rd Lt Vegl

1. Phoned Mr. Joseph E. Blease and located him in Jacksonville, Florida. Mr. Blease was the Company Clerk of Co E, 11th Infantry at the time that Private Herman Ladsky was killed.

2. Mr. Blease said he vaguely recalled the name of Ladsky but could give me no information on circumstances of death nor information regarding the remains.

3. He suggested that I get in touch with Sergeant Fryer, whom he believes now resides in Salisbury, Illinois.

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2. Mr. May said that although he was with the 2nd Platoon for a very long time, he could not recall the name of Ladsky and believed he must have been one of the numerous replacements sent to Company E.

3. He could give me no information concerning Ladsky's death or burial. He thought he may have been one of the men who drowned at the time his company was evacuating the battlefield on the Meuse River.

1. Phoned Mr. George V. Fryer and located him at Captain's Trailer Court, 400 West Washington, Indianapolis, Indiana (Phone: Belmont 1712). Mr. Fryer was a Platoon Sergeant of the 2nd Platoon, Co E, 11th Infantry Regiment at the time Herman H. Ladsky was killed.

2. Mr. Fryer remembered very well the incident resulting in the death of Herman Ladsky. He said that Ladsky was in an individual foxhole, holding a forward position on the battlefield established by the Regiment across the Meuse River. It was about 6 o'clock in the evening when the Germans laid down heavy artillery barrage and heavy mortar fire. Several men of the 2nd Platoon were either fatally wounded or severely injured. Among them was Herman Ladsky who received fatal wounds in his chest and abdomen. Sergeant Fryer, Platoon Sergeant of the 2nd Platoon, tried to check on the men and found Ladsky still alive. He saw that there was little hope for Ladsky but did take a package from the front and laid it across the open foxhole.

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1 contd	Capt Vogl Repat Br Mem Div	For Record	1 Dec 50	<p>SUBJECT: Lidsky, Herman H. Pvt 36781425</p> <p>Fryrear asked Lidsky how he felt and Herman answered "Guy, when do we get out of here". These were Herman Lidsky's last words before he died.</p> <p>3. Fryrear told me that Lidsky immediately lapsed into unconsciousness. He left the foxhole to check on some other men; in the meantime, the Germans increased their fire, making it necessary for Fryrear to return to his foxhole for shelter.</p> <p>4. Shortly after the barrage ceased, the unit started to evacuate the men from the area. pontoons were used to get the men back across the river, the wounded being given preference. No effort was made to take the dead across. It was very early in the morning when Fryrear went to Lidsky's foxhole and found him dead. This event took place just before Fryrear escaped to the other side of the river.</p> <p>5. Mr. Fryrear said he would be very happy to confirm this information by letter to Mrs. Lidsky, the mother of this decedent. I told him that we deeply appreciated the information he gave us and will let him know at a later date if Mrs. Lidsky desires a letter from him.</p> <p>ACTION: Correspondence Section will prepare a letter, outlining the circumstances of this case and include therein, the extensive search made by the Memorial Division to ascertain facts in connection with Herman Lidsky's death. Since none of the individuals interviewed could give any information regarding the remains, it can only be assumed that the remains were either left in the foxhole or disposed of by the German Military in an unknown place at the time they recaptured the area.</p>

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293 Lidsky, Herman H. 36781425

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2	Chief Repat Br Cor Sec Mem Div	Chief Liaison Office Mem Div	8 Dec 50	<p>Subject: Non-recoverable Case No. 7963</p> <p>1. In view of previous Congressional interest, attached hereto for your information are copies of letter to NOK of the following decedent:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Lidsky, Herman H., Pvt., 36 781 425.</p> <p>2. 293 file may be sent to Mail and Records when necessary action has been taken.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>LCW</i></p> <p>1 Attachment 293 file w/loose papers</p> <p style="text-align: right;">WEST 54428</p>
3	Liaison Office	Repat Br. Cor Sec Mem Div	13 Dec 1950	<p>Non-recoverable Case No. 7963</p> <p>1. Red Number 307 was cancelled on 3 Nov 1950. Senator Lucas was advised by telephone and was promised to be kept advised of developments. A cy of ltr dtd 8 Dec 1950 to Mrs. Lidsky was mailed to him, also inclosures to his communication were returned.</p> <p>2. Ltr dtd 12 Dec 1950 was mailed to Mrs. Walter H. Boyd, American Gold Star Mothers, in reply to an inquiry she had written to the oversea command.</p> <p>3. File returned to your section per telephone request of 11 Dec 1950. No further Congressional action necessary at this time.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>RH</i> R. HOLLOWAY 53708</p>

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Kalamazoo, Mich

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37 McAker Court, San Mateo, Calif.

1st Lt. Fred W. Clark, O-1 333 179
8108 Ryukyus Command Motor CMD, APO 719, c/o Postmaster,
San Francisco, Calif.

M/Sgt Claud W. Hembree, 6 652 877 (Retired)
Rural Route #12, Box 191, Indianapolis 44, Ind.

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1	Liaison Office Mem Div	M & R Br Adm Div	3 Nov 50	<p>QMGML 293, Lidsky, Herman E. Pvt. SN 36781425</p> <p><u>MEMO FOR RECORD:</u></p> <p>1. An indefinite extension of time has been obtained for Red Number 307.</p> <p>2. The case has been turned over to Capt. Vogl, for investigation (Repat. Br.). The status of the case has been explained to Senator Lucas by phone. He will be advised of developments at a later date.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>R. Holloway</i> R. HOLLOWAY 53708</p>

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FROM

NO.

COMM. 233, Lindsay, Herman E., Pvt., 3d Signal Co.

23 Nov 50

1
Lindsay
Office
3d Signal Div

MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. An indefinite extension of time has been obtained for case number 307.

2. The case has been turned over to Capt. Vogt for investigation (rept. B.). The status of the case has been explained to Senator Jones by phone. He will be advised of developments at a later date.

E. K. WILSON
23 Nov

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Lidsky, Herman H.
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12 December 1950

Mrs. Walter H. Boyd, National President
American Gold Star Mothers, Inc.
1507 M Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mrs. Boyd:

This is in reply to your letter of 2 November 1950, in behalf of Mrs. Rose Lidsky concerning her son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, referred to this Office by the oversea command.

After a careful review of all the circumstances in this case, the Army has determined that the remains of Private Lidsky are not recoverable. Mrs. Rose Lidsky, mother of the decedent, was so advised in our letter of 8 December 1950, a copy of which is attached for your information.

Sincerely yours,

[Handwritten Signature]
GEO. W. HIRSHAN, JR.
Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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Mrs. Walter E. Boyd, National President
American Gold Star Mothers, Inc.
1607 N Street, N.W.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mrs. Boyd:

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After a careful review of all the circumstances in this case,
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Sincerely yours,

GEN. W. L. ...
Colonel, USA
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7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
APO 757 (LIEGE) US ARMY

GROP 293

23 November 1950

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inquiry

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

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1. Reference is made to Pvt Herman H. LIDKSY, 36 781 425, KIA 10 September 1944. Findings of non-recoverability of subject remains were forwarded by Transmittal Letter # 3856, dated 13 May 1949.

2. The inclosed inquiry concerning subject deceased is forwarded for such action as deemed appropriate.

3. Inquirer has been informed of this reference to the extent that information requested may be released only by your Office, which would communicate directly with the next of kin.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Edward F. Price, Jr.
EDWARD F. PRICE, JR.
Captain QMC
Adjutant

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1. Reference is made to the report of the [Illegible] dated [Illegible] and the [Illegible] dated [Illegible].

2. The enclosed report concerning [Illegible] is forwarded for such action as deemed appropriate.

3. Inquiry has been initiated in this reference to the extent that information requested may be obtained by your Office, which would communicate directly with the [Illegible].

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

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- NATIONAL HOSPITAL CHAIRMAN
MRS. MAUDE FRY
1154 JEFFERSON S.E.
GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

November 2, 1950

7887 Graves Registration Detachment
APO 757 (Liege)
c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

Gentlemen:

Upon the recommendation of Captain John L. Jacks, Jr., I am writing to you in the sincere hope that you may be able to give me some information on Herman H. Lidsky, supposedly killed in action on September 10, 1944, on the Moselle River, Dornot, France.

The Mother of this boy refuses to believe the killed in action status since the body was never located. This refusal to believe is doing great damage to her both mentally and physically. She has spent great sums of money, which she could not afford, in trying to locate the boy through private sources. Any definite information you could give would be greatly appreciated.

Enclosed is a picture of Herman H. Lidsky, together with some information on him. I shall be most anxious to hear from you in this connection.

Best wishes.

Most Sincerely,
Eleanor D. Boyd

Mrs. Walter H. Boyd
National President
American Gold Star Mothers, Inc.
by Doris Mershimer, Personal Secretary

Enclosure

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American Gold Star Mothers, Inc.



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LONG BEACH 2, CALIFORNIA

November 2, 1930

7887 Graves Registration Detachment
APO 757 (Life)
c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

Gentlemen:

Upon the recommendation of Captain John I. Jacks, Jr., I am writing to you in the sincere hope that you may be able to give me some information on Herman H. Midway, supposedly killed in action on September 10, 1944, on the Moselle River, Dornot, France. The Mother of this boy refuses to believe the killed in action status since the body was never located. This refusal to believe is doing great damage to her both mentally and physically. She had spent great sums of money, which she could not afford, in trying to locate the boy through private sources. Any definite information you could give would be greatly appreciated.

Enclosed is a picture of Herman H. Midway, together with some information on him. I shall be most anxious to hear from you in this connection.

Best wishes.

Most sincerely,

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Enclosure

Photo returned to Senator Lucas
w/letter -Attn: Miss Hulings

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5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago 15, Illinois
October 27, 1950

Senator Scott W. Lucas
Springfield, Illinois

Honorable Senator Lucas:

Here is an appeal to you from a broken-hearted Gold Star Mother, a widow, who lost her only son in 1944. He left a wife and two children.

He was reported killed in action September 10, 1944. He was Private Herman H. Lidsky 36781425 Inf. Co. H. A.P.O. 15384, c/o Postmaster, New York City (last mailing address). Supposedly his death was caused by shell fragments while he was serving with an advance element whose mission was to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River about one quarter mile east of Dornot, France. His passport picture is enclosed.

I have tried, and am still seeking help from all available sources, to get definite information regarding the details of my son's death and burial. I now ask you to help me, perhaps by contacting the War Department to ask them what facts they had when they reported the death of my son; why and where he died, where was he buried, where is his grave, and what is his grave number? At various times during these six years I have written the War Department, but at no time did they send the information that I asked for.

What can you do to help me?

I know of your kindness and generosity - that is why I ask your help with the hope that through your efforts, some clue will be found of the whereabouts of my son, dead or alive.

Will you kindly let me hear from you, signed by you personally. I shall be awaiting your reply.

Sincerely yours,
/s/ Rose Lidsky
/t/ Rose Lidsky

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MEMO 293
Lidsky, Herman E.
36 781 425

17 February 1950

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Honorable Herbert H. Lehman
United States Senate

Dear Senator Lehman:

Your letter of 14 February 1950 with inclosure concerning the remains of the late Private Herman E. Lidsky has been received.

A thorough check was made of the records of all cemeteries, including those at St. Avoird and Thiaucourt, throughout the vicinity in which Private Lidsky was killed, but no information pertaining to his remains could be found. Mrs. Lidsky may rest assured that skilled technicians made a careful study of the circumstances concerning Private Lidsky's death and every possible clue was investigated before the Army was forced to conclude that his remains are not recoverable.

Sincerely yours,

NEWBURY PARK, CALIF.
R. S. THORNTON
Colonel, GSC
Executive Officer

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17 February 1951

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Honorable Robert E. Lehman
United States Senate
Best Senator Building

Your letter of 14 February 1951 with inclosure concerning the
remains of the late private Robert E. Lehman has been received.
A thorough check was made of the records of all cemeteries, in-
cluding those at St. Anns and St. Vincent, throughout the vicinity
in which private Lehman was buried, but no information pertaining
to his remains could be found. The burial was most assuredly
conducted in accordance with a careful study of the circumstances con-
cerning private Lehman's death and every possible clue was investi-
gated before the fact was found to conclude that his remains
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United States Senate
 COMMITTEE ON
 LABOR AND PUBLIC WELFARE

February 14, 1950

Colonel R. B. Thornton
 QMC, Executive Officer
 Department of the Army
 Washington, D.C.

Dear Colonel Thornton:

I am enclosing, for your consideration, another letter from Mrs. Rose Lidsky in reference to her son, your file #QMGML 293, Lidsky, Herman H., 36 781 425.

You will note that she is anxious to obtain help in the investigation of the American cemeteries in St. Avold and Thiaucourt, France. She has been advised that after the evacuation of November 1944, all bodies of American soldiers that were found were brought to the attention of the American authorities. These bodies were sent to the American cemeteries at St. Avold and Thiaucourt.

I shall appreciate it if you will advise me who Mrs. Lidsky should contact to have the records of the above-mentioned cemeteries investigated.

Please return the enclosed letter with your reply.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert H. Lehman



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United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND PUBLIC WELFARE

February 11, 1950

Colonel R. H. Thornton
SAC, Executive Office
Department of the Army
Washington, D.C.

Dear Colonel Thornton:

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Please return the enclosed letter with your reply.

Sincerely yours,

Hubert H. Johnson



Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

February 1, 1950

Senator Herbert H. Lehman
820 Park Avenue
New York City, New York

Dear Senator Lehman:

Since receiving your communication regarding the circumstances surrounding the disappearance of my son Herman E. Lidsky, I have been more encouraged than ever before that we will be able to learn something of the true facts soon. I want you to know that I do appreciate very much, the interest you have taken.

Colonel John J. Donovan, Department of the Army, Office of the Adjutant General, Records Administration Center, St. Louis 20, Missouri, on January 16th sent me a letter containing four more names and latest addresses of record of individuals serving in my son's organization on September 10, 1944. I have written letters to them and hope that some information will be forthcoming that will help us learn the true facts.

I have also received a letter dated January 10, 1950, from Pierre Dupont, Secretary of Embassy, a portion of which I quote below:

"I am very sorry to advise you that the inquiries made in France have failed to furnish precise information in regards to the fate of your son.

I quote a translation of the report made by the Prefect of Moselle to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs:

"The Moselle Prefecture has informed the Ministry of Foreign Affairs that the investigations done in DORNOT and in ANCY c/MOSELLE brought no results. According to information received from the local authorities, the former members of the F. F. I. in the region and the first persons to return in that area after the evacuation of November 1944, all bodies of American soldiers that were found were brought to the attention of the American Authorities who proceeded to their removal. These bodies were sent to the American cemeteries in St. Avold and Thiaucourt. There is no grave of any American soldier in Dornot or in Ance s/Moselle."

I do not recall that in any correspondence received that any particular cemeteries were mentioned as a possible burial place for the bodies of American soldiers removed from this area and wondered if this might be a clue. However, I am at a loss to know where I should seek help in investigation through the records of these particular cemeteries. If you think there is any hope that we might arrive at some definite information this way, will you let me know who to contact?

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With best wishes and sincere appreciation,
Sincerely,
Rose Lidsky

Q88ML 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
35 781 425

11 January 1950

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Honorable Herbert H. Lehman
United States Senate

Dear Senator Lehman:

The Army Liaison Officer, United States Senate, has referred to this Office for reply your memorandum of 8 January 1950, with inclosure, concerning the remains of the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

Full consideration has been given to all available information pertaining to Private Lidsky who was a member of Company B, 11th Infantry Regiment, 5th Infantry Division, since he was reported killed in action on 10 September 1944 in the vicinity of Dornot, Moselle, France.

Subsequent to that time, units of the American Graves Registration Service thoroughly searched the area in which he was killed; however, no trace could be found of his remains. During the searching operations, the Mayor of Dornot was interrogated and, according to his statement, the remains of all Americans who were killed in that vicinity had been evacuated by their units; he had no knowledge of Private Lidsky, nor could he furnish any information as to the location of his remains.

In order to determine whether Private Lidsky's remains had been recovered, a check was made of the records of all cemeteries throughout the vicinity in which he was killed, but no information pertaining to his remains could be found. In a further attempt to locate the decedent's remains, identifying data pertaining to him was compared with all available identifying data for unidentified remains recovered from the vicinity of Dornot and the surrounding territory; however, this comparison failed to reveal any remains which could be identified as those of Private Lidsky.

A careful study has been made of the circumstances surrounding Private Lidsky's death and, based upon the information presently available, the Army has been forced to conclude that his remains are not recoverable.

This information was furnished Mrs. Rose Lidsky in our letter of 27 July 1949; since then there has been no change in our records. Should

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Lidsky, Herman H.
36 781 425

any additional evidence come to our attention, indicating that his remains are in our possession, Mrs. Lidsky will be informed immediately.

Sincerely yours,

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R. B. THORNTON
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Sincerely yours,

HENRY J. THORNTON
Colonel, G-2
Executive Officer

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FILE NO.	SUBJECT	Herman E. Lidsky (Senator Lehman)
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TO	FROM	DATE	COMMENT NO. 1
Chief, Memorial Division, Office, Quartermaster General, Department of the Army, Washington 25, D. C.	Army Liaison Officer, United States Senate, Room 17, SOB, Washington 2, D. C.	5 January 1950.	cfs/73463

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2. It will be appreciated if you will look into this matter and reply direct to the Senator, returning the inclosures. Please furnish this office an information copy of your reply.

R. C. BING
 R. C. BING,
 Colonel, GSC,
 Liaison Officer.

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Chief, Memorial Division, Office, Quartermaster General, Department of the Army, Washington 25, D. C.	Army Liaison Officer, United States Senate, Room 17, 501, Washington 25, D. C.
DATE	PREPARED BY
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[Signature]
 F. C. BIRD,
 Colonel, GSC,
 Liaison Officer.

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Herman E. Lidsky (Senator Lehman)

Chief, Memorial Division,
Office, Quartermaster General,
Department of the Army,
Washington 25, D. C.

Army Liaison Officer,
United States Senate,
Room 17, SOB,
Washington 2, D. C.

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R. C. BING,
Colonel, GSC,
Liaison Officer.

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Lehman, Herbert H. (Sen)



5 January 1950.

Honorable Herbert H. Lehman,
United States Senate.

Dear Senator Lehman:

This letter will acknowledge your expression of personal interest in the correspondence you received from Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, who requests detailed information regarding the case of her son, Herman E. Lidsky, who was reported killed in action 10 September 1944.

I have been pleased to bring your interest in this matter to the attention of the appropriate authorities in the Department of the Army, with the request that direct response to you be made, with return of the inclosures.

Sincerely yours,

R. C. BING,
Colonel, GSC.

United States Senate

MEMORANDUM

January 5, 1950

Dear Miss Swensen:

Will you please do as much as possible for this case—the Senator is personally interested.

E.M. Volta
Office of Senator Lehman

Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Chicago, Illinois
November 4, 1949

Mr. James E. May
General Delivery
Bloomington, Indiana

Dear Mr. May:

I am a widow and the mother of Herman E. Lidsky, who was reported killed in action, September 10, 1944, by shell fragments while serving with an advance element whose mission was to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River about one quarter mile east of Dornot, France. Up to the present time, no conclusive proof of this has been given me by the Department of the Army.

It is true that I have not heard from my son during the intervening years. However, there occurs to me many possibilities; such as the reported fatal injuries may not have been fatal and I am obsessed with the thought that he may be still wandering about somewhere suffering from loss of memory or other war conditions due to the injuries incurred.

It is important that I know the undeniable facts in the circumstances, and for this reason I am ~~calling~~ calling on you, inasmuch as you were a member of my son's organization, with the hope that you might remember what transpired on September 10, 1944, and as a result, be able to give me information that will lead to my son's whereabouts.

My son's wife and two children join me in this plea for your help in determining the actual facts regarding the fate of my son.

Please be assured of my deep appreciation of any consideration given this earnest request and hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely yours,

P. S. In his letter to me of October 25th, Colonel E. C. Gault, Department of the Army, Office of the Adjutant General, Records Administration Center, St. Louis, Missouri, he recommended that I write you, along with Erling P. Lee, Harry J. Knoppa, Stephen J. Napoli, Richard Sexton and James E. May, also members of my son's organization at the time of his reported death on September 10, 1944.

Also, I am enclosing a reprint of a snapshot of my son, which I hope will help you to remember.

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*Photo of decedent returned to Congressman
one in our file*

Chicago, Illinois
December 20, 1949

Mr. Herbert Lehman
820 Park Avenue
New York City, New York

Dear Mr. Lehman:

The celebration of the candle-lighting rites of Hanukkah all over the world at this time has prompted me to write you, knowing you will understand my anxiety to learn the true facts regarding the disappearance of my son, Herman E. Lidsky, missing since September 10, 1944.

Since this time I have used every means at my command to ascertain his whereabouts, if alive; and proof of death, if he was killed in action. I have been in regular communication with the Department of the Army and they have conducted an extensive investigation, but without results. My son's wife and two children are also anxious to know the true circumstances. I have written many others during these intervening years and recently wrote to six of the known members of my son's organization. A copy of one of these letters is attached hereto.

I am now appealing to you in the hopes that you might know a way in which we can learn of the true facts. I still have the hope and faith that this will happen, if I can reach the person or persons that are in a position to aid me.

Any consideration of this plea will be most earnestly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

ROSE LIDSKY

Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Re: AGRS-DC-S 201
Lidsky, Herman H.

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QMGMF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

Request for Additional Investigation

TAC
Personnel Actions Branch
Casualty Section
Family Relations Unit
Room 1A, 684
Pentagon Building

QMGMG
Memorial Division
Repatriation Branch
Correspondence Section

26 August 1949 Williams
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1. Reference is made to Disposition Form from this office, dated 8 August 1949, with which was inclosed a copy of letter, dated 22 June 1949, from Mrs. Rose Lidsky, mother of Private Herman H. Lidsky.
2. Inclosed is a further communication from Mrs. Lidsky, dated 17 August 1949, which is also forwarded for direct reply to her.
3. Writer has been informed of this reference.

FOR THE ACTING THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

- 2 Incls.
1. Ltr fr Mrs. Lidsky 17 Aug 49
 2. CC ltr e/d

W. E. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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Chicago, Illinois

17 August 1949

Lt. Col. W. E. Campbell
Department of the Army
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

Re:QMGMF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

Dear Lt. Col. Campbell:

This is in acknowledgement, and with thanks, of your letters of July 27 and August 8, regarding the disappearance of my son Private Herman H. Lidsky, who was a member of Company E, 11th Infantry Regiment, 5th Infantry Division, and reported killed in action in the vicinity of Dornot, Moselle, France, on September 10, 1944.

I appreciate that various departments of the governments involved have pursued extensive investigations into the circumstances surrounding the apparent facts, but since reading the resultant correspondence, I am led to believe that most of the effort has been centered upon trying to establish proof of his death, without success.

Therefore, I cannot relax because of the belief that if an investigation was directed along another channel, there is still a possibility of developing evidence that my son still is alive somewhere, perhaps suffering from loss of memory. It seems to me that if surviving members of his company could be questioned, some clue might arise that could lead us to the real facts. I realize that the hope of finding my son still alive is remote, but I cannot express too strongly the thought that a further attempt to find my son is imperative for my peace of mind and for the good of his wife and children, who, after all, are the greatest sufferers because of this great loss in their lives.

The thought is ever present in my mind that if movements of the members of Company E could be ascertained up to and including the battle on the east bank of the Moselle River near Sainte-Catherine Farm, they might reveal some evidence that could lead to actual proof of the circumstances under which my son supposedly was killed, or pave the way to his present whereabouts and circumstances.

Please do not consider this letter in any way a criticism of the efforts of the governments in my behalf, because these efforts are deeply appreciated, but I still am hopeful that something more tangible may be developed in connection with my inquiry.

cc Miss Adele Dix
American Vice Consul
The Foreign Service of US of America
American Embassy, Paris

Gratefully yours,
/s/ Rose Lidsky

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QMCMF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

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26 August 1949

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 South Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter, dated 17 August 1949 pertaining to the death of your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

Inasmuch as the additional investigations which you requested are matters under the jurisdiction of The Adjutant General's Office, your letter has been referred to that office for reply to you.

Sincerely yours,

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W. E. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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Lidsky, Herman H.
SH 36 781 425

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8 August 1949

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

A copy of your letter addressed to Ambassador Jefferson Caffery, Paris, France, has been forwarded to this office for direct reply to you concerning your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

May I refer to my letter of 27 July 1949 in which you were apprised of the final determination which was made in your son's case. Although I sincerely regret that I cannot encourage you in the hope that your son may still be alive, you may be assured that full consideration was given to all available facts surrounding his disappearance before his remains were declared unrecoverable.

A copy of your letter has, however, been forwarded to The Adjutant General's Office for direct reply to you concerning the possibility that your son may still be alive inasmuch as that official has jurisdiction over such matters.

Sincerely yours,

W. E. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel, OMC
Memorial Division

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QMCMG
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Repatriation Branch
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8 Aug 1949

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1. The attached copy of letter, dated 22 June 1949, is forwarded for direct reply to Mrs. Rose Lidsky, who has been informed of this reference.

2. For your information, the remains of subject decedent have been declared unrecoverable and Mrs. Lidsky was so advised in a letter from this office dated 27 July 1949.

FOR THE ACTING THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

- 2 Incls.
- 1. Cy ltr dtd 22 June 49
- 2. CC ltr e/d

W. E. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
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RRE 293 (Lidsky, Herman H. - 36 781 425)

25 July 1949

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SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inquiry

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

1. Reference is made to Pvt Herman H. LIDSKY, 36 781 425, whose remains have been deemed non-recoverable by a Board of Officers of this headquarters. Report of findings was forwarded your office for approval by Transmittal Letter #3856, dated 13 May 1949.

2. The attached copies of correspondence concerning subject deceased, which have been referred to this headquarters, are forwarded for such action as deemed appropriate.

3. Mrs Lidsky has not been informed of this reference.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Edward F. Price, Jr.
EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr.
Capt, QMC
Actg Asst Adj Gen

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WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

TO: SAC, NEW YORK (100-100000)
FROM: SAC, WASHINGTON (100-442100) (P)
SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

RE: [REDACTED]
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535
DATE: [REDACTED]

1. Reference is made to the letter of [REDACTED] dated [REDACTED] and the letter of [REDACTED] dated [REDACTED] which were forwarded to the Board of Officers of this Department for approval by [REDACTED] dated [REDACTED].

2. The attached copies of correspondence concerning [REDACTED] which have been referred to this Department, are forwarded for each office as listed above.

3. Mrs. [REDACTED] has not been informed of this reference.

FOR THE CHIEF OF BUREAU:

4. [REDACTED]
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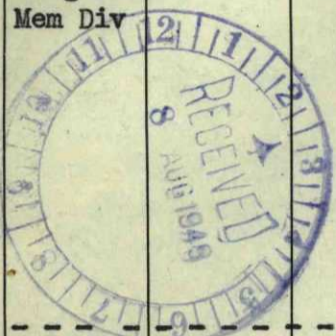
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OQMG FORM 638
1 SEP 1948

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

DUE, HOUR AND DATE _____

1 NO.	2 FROM-	3 TO-	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
1	Repat Br Liaison Corr Sec Office Cong Data Mem Div	Liaison Office	8 Aug '49	<p>293 - Lidsky, Herman H. Private 36781425</p> <p>1. In view of previous Congressional inquiry, attached copies of letter to mother of subject decedent are forwarded for your information.</p> <p>2. No further action necessary this section.</p> <p>3 Incls. 1 cc ltr dtd 8 Aug (dup) 2 Ltr dtd 25 Jul w/incls 3 293 file</p> <p style="text-align: right;">CAMPBELL 5641</p>
2	Liaison Office Mem Div	M & R Br Admin. Div.	8 Aug 1949	<p>QMGML 293, Lidsky, Herman H., SN 36781425</p> <p>1. Noted. No Congressional action required at this time. Senator Paul H. Douglas and Representative Thomas J. O'Brien have been previously advised of decedent's status of non-recoverability. Copy of OQMG letter dated 8 Aug 49 to Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Ave., Chicago, Ill. withdrawn for Liaison Office files.</p> <p>2. Forwarded for file.</p> <p>3 Incls 1. Cy OQMG ltr, 8 Aug 49 2. Ltr, 25 Jul 49 (in dup) w/3 incls 3. 293 file (Lidsky)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">HINMAN 2321</p> <p style="text-align: right;">LONGO 71088</p>



COPY

June 22, 1949

Ambassador Jefferson Caffery
United States Embassy
Paris, France

Dear Ambassador Caffery:

I am a widow and the mother of Herman E. Lidsky, who was reported to have been fatally injured in action near Dornot, France, on September 10, 1944. The attached copies of letters, which I have received from the Office of the Adjutant General and of the Quartermaster General of the United States Army are totally lacking in information of positive proof of my son's fate.

It is true that I have not heard from my son during the intervening years. However, there occurs to me many possibilities; such as, for instance, the reported fatal injuries may not have been fatal and I am obsessed with the thought that he may still be wandering about somewhere suffering from loss of memory or other war conditions due to the injuries incurred.

It is important that I know the undeniable facts in the circumstances, and for this reason I am calling upon your good office for whatever assistance you may find it possible to render with a view of developing definitely in a mother's heart, the proven facts concerning the fate of her boy.

My son's wife and two children join me in this plea for your help in determining the actual facts.

Please be assured of my deep appreciation of any consideration given this earnest request.

Sincerely yours,

signed: Rose Lidsky

P.S. The enclosed reprint of a snapshot of my son may aid you in your investigation.

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Incl # 1

C O P Y

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

Records Administration Center
St. Louis, 20, Missouri

In reply
Refer to:

AGRS-DC-S 201 Lidsky, Herman H.
(26 Nov 47)

10 February 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

I have received a letter written in your behalf by the Secretary of the Cook County Chapter, American Gold Star Mothers, Inc., stating that you are desirous of obtaining detailed information relative to your son's death and place of burial.

The records show that Herman H. Lidsky, Army serial number 36 781 425, while serving as a private, Company E, 11th Infantry Regiment, and participating in battle near Dornot, France, was killed in action 10 September 1944. It was reported that Private Lidsky was a member of an advance element on a mission to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River. Heavy enemy machine gun, mortar and artillery fire was encountered, and your son was fatally wounded by shell fragments while defending the bridgehead. The names of the soldiers who were in the advance element with your son are not recorded in this office. I regret that no further details regarding the circumstances attending his death have been received in this office.

I have communicated your inquiry regarding your son's place of burial to the Quartermaster General, Washington, 25, D.C., who have jurisdiction over all matters of that nature.

Allow me to express my sympathy in the great loss that you have sustained.

Sincerely yours,

signed: Charles D. Carle
Colonel, AGD
Commanding

Incl # 2

COPY

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

Washington, 25, D.C.

In reply refer to QMGMF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

30 July 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

Your letter to an Overseas Installation, concerning your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been referred to this office.

Although remains recovered from the general area in which your son lost his life are being re-examined by our Graves Registration Command personnel for the purpose of positive identification, there is no evidence at this time that any of the remains are those of your son.

If other remains are recovered, and comparison with all known facts available from your son's Army records furnishes conclusive evidence of his identity, you will be advised.

Please be assured of my continued sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

signed: James F. Smith
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

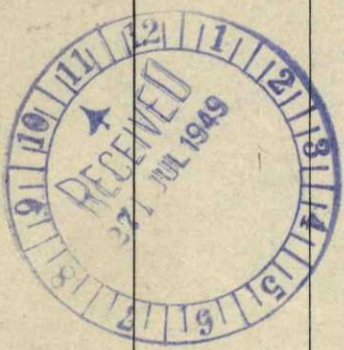
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1	Fin. Det. Section Ident. Br. Mem. Div.	Repat. Br. 49 Mem. Div. 49 <u>ATTN:</u> Corres. Section	14 Jul	<p>SUBJECT: Non-Recoverable Case Nos. 7963, 4006, 4005, 8428, and 8476</p> <p>1. Attached approved non-recoverable case is forwarded for whatever action is deemed necessary by your office.</p> <p>2. All action necessary to be taken by the Identification Branch has been completed.</p> <p>5 Incls: Group Individual</p> <p><i>Fisher</i> DeWEESE 73472</p> <p>4006, 4005, 8428 + 8476 w/D for short letter</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p>
2	Chief Repat Br or Sect Mem Div	Chief Liaison Office Mem Div	27 Jul 49	<p>Subject: Non Recoverable Case No. 7963</p> <p>1. In view of previous Congressional interest in case of Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, 36 781 425, attached herewith for your information are two (2) copies each of letters sent to Widow, Mother, and Sister of subject decedent.</p> <p>2. Upon completion of your action, 293 file may be sent to Mail and Records.</p> <p>1 Incl 293 file (Lidsky)</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> CAMPBELL</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> VOLZ 5641</p>



THIS FORM WILL REMAIN PART OF THE OFFICIAL FILE

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3	Liaison Office Mem Div	M & R Br Adm Div	27 Jul 49	<p>293 Lidsky, Herman H., Pvt 36 781 425 <i>ML</i></p> <p>1. File.</p> <p>2. Senator Paul H. Douglas, Ext. 950, has been furnished a copy of our letter dtd 27 July 49, to Mrs. Rose Lidsky, mother of the decedent. Miss Milligan of that office has been informed by phone.</p> <p>3. Rep. Thomas J. O'Brien has been furnished a copy of our letter dtd 27 July 1949 to Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky, widow of the decedent. That office has been advised by phone.</p> <p>4. No further Congressional action necessary at this time. Copies withdrawn for Liaison Files.</p>
				<p>4 Incl.</p> <p>1. OQMG Form 1916</p> <p>2. TWX 14 Dec 48</p> <p>3. TWX 28 Apr 49</p> <p>4. 293 file(Lidsky)</p>
				<p><i>RmH</i></p> <p>R. HOLLOWAY 74485</p>

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
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NO.	FROM	TO	DATE	MESSAGE
3	Station Office Mem Div	M. S. W. Jr. Adm Div	27 Jul 49	203 Lidsky, Herman H., Pvt 26 Jul 49
				1. Pils.
				2. Doctor Paul H. Dewiza, Lt. Col, has been furnished a copy of our letter dated 27 July 49, to Mrs. Rose Lidsky, mother of the deceased. Mrs. Lidsky at that office has been informed by phone.
				3. Lt. Thomas J. O'Brien has been furnished a copy of our letter dated 27 July 49, to Mrs. Lidsky, widow of the deceased. That office has been advised by phone.
				4. No further Congressional action necessary at this time. Copies withheld for Station files.
				Incl. 4 1. OMB Form 1010 2. TWX 14 Dec 48 3. TWX 26 Apr 49 4. 203 (Pils. Misc.) R. B. BERRY 1949

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Headquarters Third Zone, 531 QM Group, AGRC ETA, APO 887, US Army.
21 February 1947.

TO: Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Command,
ETA, APO 887, US Army.

1. Basic communication complied with.
2. Attention is invited to letter 4444 Serv Co dated 31 Jan 47, ten (10) statements and two (2) diaries, showing that all efforts made in an attempt to locate the remains of Pvt. Herman H. LIDSKY, ASN 36781425, proved negative.
3. A thorough search of cemetery records in this Headquarters also fails to give any clue which might lead to the identification of subject deceased.
4. Reference is made to statement made by the Major of Gorze dated 30 Jan 47 regarding what appeared to be graves in the garden of the Chateau Ste Catherine.
5. Acting on orders from this Headquarters disinterment was made on the above presumed graves, with the result that same proved to be abandoned garbage pits.
6. Recommendation is made that this case be considered closed.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

SALVATORE F. PETINGA
Captain INF
Assistant Adjutant

Incl: a/s

Tel.: Nancy 8415
Exr 46

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(Moselle)
6802

HEADQUARTERS THIRD ZONE
531 QUARTERMASTER GROUP
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN THEATER AREA
APO 887 (Nancy) US ARMY

26 February 1947

SUBJECT: Investigation on Case 5805, regarding S.Sgt James W.
CRAWFORD, 34 254 893.

TO : Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration
Command, ETA, APO 887, US Army.

1. Reference is made to the case of Pvt Herman H. LIDSKY, of which a complete report of investigation in the town of Dornot and vicinity was submitted under a 1st Ind. this Headquarters, dated 21 February 1947.

2. Attached is statement by Mr. Henri Boda, mayor of Dornot, which emphasizes the fact that since 29 January 1947, date of the last investigation in Dornot by a field unit, no American graves have been located or reported in the area.

3. Your attention is directed to the statements concerning Case 6802 (Pvt Herman H. Lidsky), also to the enclosed statement and copy of the investigator's diary.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

/s/ Salvatore F. Petinga
/t/ SALVATORE F. PETINGA
Captain INF
Assistant Adjutant

Incl.: a/s

Tel.: Nancy 8415
Ext 46

4444SERVICE COMPANY (AC) THIRD ZONE
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN THEATER AREA
APO 887 (Nancy) US ARMY

31 Jan 1947

SUBJECT: Investigation on Case 284 regarding Pvt. Herman H. LIDSKY,
36781425.

TO : Commanding Officer, Third Zone AGRC, ETA, APO 887.
(Nancy) U.S. Army.

ATTN.: Operations Officer.

1. A thorough investigation conducted in and near the village of DORNOT (Meurthe-&-Moselle), France, later on extending to the towns of THIAUCOURT and GORZE as a result of leads obtained during the search, failed to disclose any valuable information as to the whereabouts of the remains of subject deceased.

2. It was learned that there never had been American graves in the commune of Dornot. When it was brought up by the town officials that American deceased during combat had probably been evacuated to Thiaucourt, this town was also visited. However, the interrogation of town officials there was also negative.

3. St. Catherine's farm, noted in basic communication from AGRC to be one quarter of a mile East of Dornot, was finally located 3 miles N.W. of said town. The farmer's wife referred investigator to the Mayor of Gorze who stated that he had a visit in 1946 from a relative of Pvt. Lidsky who had made an investigation on his own at St. Catherine's farm, which had also been of a negative nature.

4. Attention is invited to attached statements and copy of investigator's diaries.

/s/ Louis A. BOCKSTAHLER
/t/ LOUIS A. BOCKSTAHLER
2nd Lt. Inf.
Commanding

Incls:
10 Statements
2 diaries.

Case #318

(Moselle 6802)

COMMUNE OF DORNOT

I, the undersigned, Mayor of the Commune of DORNOT, certify that since the last investigation by the American s on 29 January 1947 no graves of American soldiers have been found in the territory of the commune.

I cannot give any information concerning the sergeant CRAWFORD James W., ASN 34254893.

Dornot, 24 Feb 1947.

Mr. Boda Henri
Mayor of the Commune

/s/ Boda

Town Stamp

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

/s/ Gerda C. Pruys
/t/ GERDA C. PRUYS
Gr. 4 - 10.256
Translator.

D I A R Y

29 January 1947

Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky - 36781425

0845 - Departed to Dornot (Moselle) in order to investigate this case.

0945 - Met Mr. Boda, the mayor of the village who stated that he could not give me any information concerning subject deceased. The soldiers who were killed in and around the commune have been evacuated right after the battle. He stated that the name did not exist in the records of the registrar of the town.

1030 - Mr. Louis Antoine was contacted, who stated that he never heard of Lidsky. He said that all soldiers killed in action in the vicinity had been transported probably to Thiaucourt immediately after the fighting. His son Mr. Louis Jean stated the same and handed me an emergency-tag book, which he found upon returning in the house after the battle.

1045 - Mr. Guernier, who was contacted later on, gave also a negative statement.

1115 - Met Mr. Poncin who said that he never heard of subject deceased. He stated that there were no American Graves in the commune or its territory.

1130 - Mr. Briot, the last inhabitant interrogated, stated that the name Lidsky was unfamiliar to him and that the soldiers killed in the battle had been evacuated right after the war activities, probably to Thiaucourt.

All of the persons interrogated are working in the fields and woods around Dornot, and stated that it was not probable that American remains could still be present on the territory of Dornot. They also stated that the AGRC never removed any American bodies from this area. The Mayor thought it possible that subject deceased could have been drowned in the Moselle which is very deep at this spot.

I returned to Nancy at 1145.

A certified true copy
of Mr. BAST's diary.

/s/ Louis A. Bockstahler
/t/ LOUIS A. BOCKSTAHLER
2nd Lt Inf
Commanding

D I A R Y

1330 - Departed to Thiaucourt (Moselle) for further information on above case. Called at townhall and contacted Miss Lehalle, Mathilde, mairie's secretary from whom I secured a written statement. She declares that all American dead were taken to Limey cemetery (U.S.). No isolated grave on territory of Thiaucourt.

Also a similar statement secured from Mr. Merfeld, Louis, local policeman who also assures that there is no isolated burial in the commune of Thiaucourt.

1515 - Proceeded North East of Thiaucourt towards Dornot in order to locate farm Sainte-Catherine which is situated on territory of Gorze (some 5 kilom. N.W. of Dornot) on road leading from Noveant to Gorze.

1540 - Interviewed farmer's wife and son, Madame Kinsinger, Aline. They both state that when they returned from evacuation on 1st December 1944, they had the surprise to find in the back garden of the chateau a space about 15 to 20 square yards where the ground had been dug out. Also their attention was drawn by the presence of a wooden cross with an American helmet on top. This, of course in their mind did not mean there should be an American body interred therein. They made no reference to the visit of private LIDSKY's brother of which I was informed later on. (We checked serial No. printed inside helmet found in garden: S.5588). Mme Kinsinger and her son therefore advised me to apply to Gorze townhall for further information. (Written statement herewith).

1600 - Started for Gorze (about one mile W. of Ste Catherine Farm). Contacted Monsieur Bazin, mayor who confirmed above declaration. He actually mentioned the visit made by Privat Herman H. Lidsky's relative whom he remembered afterwards to be his brother. Mr. Bazin, in possession of aforesaid details, made arrangements for his visitor to see for himself the spot presumed to be "a grave". Monsieur Bazin's belief is that the American relative must have made a thorough search at the time and that it is not likely there is any remains of any U.S. soldier buried in the garden of farm Sainte-Catherine. Mr. Bazin has signed a written statement to that effect.

1720 - Left Gorze for Nancy.

A certified true copy
of Mr. CARPENTIER's diary

/s/ Louis A. Bockstahler
/t/ LOUIS A. BOCKSTAHLER
2nd Lt. Inf.
Commanding

(Moselle)
6802

D. I A R Y

24 February 1947

Left Headquarters Maxeville 0945, to proceed to Dornot, to investigate case 318 regarding S/Sgt James W. CRAWFORD.

Interviewed Mayor Mr. Boda, who states that there have been no remains or isolated burials of any US deceased discovered or reported in his community since 29 January 1947, on which date last thorough and complete investigation in Dornot and vicinity was undertaken.

The mayor also states that to the best of his knowledge there are no more US deceased buried in Dornot.

Received statement to this effect and left Dornot to proceed to Nomeny.

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY
of Mr. Gill's diary

/s/ Louis A. Bockstahler
/t/ LOUIS A. BOCKSTAHLER
1st Lt. Inf.

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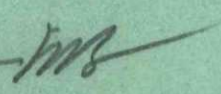
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CMCAF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425



27 July 1949

Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky
501 South Central Street
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

It is with deep regret that I find it necessary to inform you of the final determination made in the case of your husband, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

Full consideration has been given to all available information pertaining to your husband, who was a member of Company E, 11th Infantry Regiment, 5th Infantry Division, since he was reported killed in action in the vicinity of Dornot, Moselle, France, on 10 September 1944. According to information in our files, your husband met his death while holding a bridgehead on the east bank of the Moselle River, near Sainte-Catherine Farm, about one-half mile from Dornot.

Subsequent to the death of your husband, units of our American Graves Registration Service conducted thorough investigations in this area, but no trace could be found of his remains. During the searching operations, the Mayor of Dornot was interrogated and, according to his statement, the remains of all Americans who were killed in that vicinity had been evacuated by their units; he had no knowledge of your husband, nor could he furnish any information as to the location of his remains.

In order to determine whether the remains of your husband had been recovered, a check was made of the records of all the cemeteries throughout the area where he was reported killed, but no information pertaining to the location of his remains was found. In a further attempt to locate his remains, identifying data pertaining to him was compared with all available identifying data for unidentified remains recovered from the vicinity of Dornot and the surrounding territory; however, this comparison also failed to reveal any remains which could be identified as those of your husband.

After full consideration of all available information and, in view of the fact that the extensive investigations conducted by our forces in the field failed to reveal any trace of the remains of your husband, the Department of the Army has been forced to conclude that his remains are not recoverable. I wish to assure you that, should any additional evidence come to our attention indicating that his remains are in our possession, you will be informed immediately.

CHIEF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

27 July 1949

Realizing the extent of your grief and anxiety, it is not easy to express condolence to you who gave your loved one under circumstances so difficult that there is no grave at which to pay homage. May the knowledge of your husband's honorable service to his country be a source of sustaining comfort to you.

Sincerely yours,

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W. E. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel, GIC
Memorial Division

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QMRP 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

27 July 1949

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Chicago, Illinois

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Lt. Colonel, OMC
Memorial Division

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OMGF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425 *ms*

27 July 1949

Mrs. Frank Goldberg
7629 South Kingston Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Goldberg:

This office promised to communicate with you further upon receipt of information concerning your brother, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

With deep regret, I must inform you that, because of the unfortunate circumstances surrounding his death, the Department of the Army has been forced to conclude that the remains of your loved one are not recoverable. Inclosed herewith for your information is a copy of our letter to your mother, Mrs. Rose Lidsky, apprising her of this fact.

My deepest sympathy is with you in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

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W. E. CAMPBELL
Lt. Colonel, OMC
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1	Repat Br Corres Section Cong Data Mem Div	I Liaison Office II Ident Br Ident Sec CONG	3 May '49	<p>293 - LIDSKY, HERMAN H. Pvt 36781425</p> <p>Attached incoming radio #3981 is forwarded for your information.</p> <p>3 Incls. 1. D/F 7 Apr '49 w/incls 2. Radio #3981 w/cy 3. 293 (Lidsky)</p> <p><i>SMITH</i> 5641</p>
2	Liaison Branch Mem Div	Ident Br Ident Sec	4 May 1949	<p>QMGMF 293 - Lidsky, Herman H. SN 36 781 425</p> <p>1. Contents noted.</p> <p>2. When report of non-recoverability is received, return for Congressional action.</p> <p><i>JOHNSON</i> 3708</p> <p>3 Incls n/c</p>
3	Ident Branch Ident Section CONG	Repat Br Corres Sec CONG	4 May 1949	<p>293 LIDSKY, HERMAN H., 36781425, Pvt.</p> <p>1. With reference to AGRC Radio #2879, Report of Beard Proceedings has not been received to date in Identification Branch.</p> <p>2. Further action cannot be taken by this Branch until additional information is received from the Field.</p> <p><i>Metz</i> <i>Barry</i> METZ BARRY 74059 2462</p>



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1	Liaison Office, Mem Div	Ident Br, Mem Div	11 Apr 1949	<p>QMGML 293 Lidsky, Herman H. 36781425</p> <p>Forwarded for current status of investigation and return of file to this office for further action.</p> <p>2 Incls 1. D/F 7 Apr 49 w/incls 2. 293 file (Lidsky)</p> <p><i>JOHNSON</i> 3708</p>

2	Ident Br Ident Sec Cong	Repat Br Corres Section Cong	15 Apr 1949	<p>1. Reference is made to paragraph 4, Comment 2, date 16 December 1948.</p> <p>2. No new dental information was received from St. Louis for Pvt. LIDSKY.</p> <p>3. A very careful examination of Reports of Burial for those Unknowns disinterred from the Moselle area for clues which would permit an association with Pvt Lidsky has met with negative results.</p> <p>4. Report of Non-Recoverability has not been received in this Branch, this date.</p> <p>5. In view of the foregoing, it is requested that a radio be dispatched to the Field to ascertain if any burial information has become available to that Headquarters.</p>
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3	Liaison Office, Mem Div	Ident Br, Mem Div	19 Apr 49	<p>QMGML 293 Lidsky Herman H. Pvt 36 781 425</p> <p>After dispatch of correspondence, please forward file to Rep. Corres. Section, Cong Data, Attn: Mrs. Pyles for further action.</p> <p>2 Incls n/c</p> <p><i>JOHNSON</i> 3708</p>
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4. Report of Non-Recoverability has not been received in this Branch, this date.

5. In view of the foregoing, it is requested that a note be directed to the Field to ascertain if any further information has become available to Headquarters.

6. A very careful examination of reports of burial for those Unknowns distributed from the Mobile Area for clues which would permit an association with Pvt. LILLY has not yet yielded any results.

7. Reference is made to paragraph 4, Comment 2, dated 18 December 1948.

8. No new dental information was received from St. Louis for Pvt. LILLY.

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2	Fin. Det. Section Ident. Br. Mem. Div.	Repat. Br. Corres. Sec. Cong. Data Mem. Div.	30 Jun 49	<p>293 - LIDSKY, Herman H., Pvt., 36 781 425</p> <p>1. Findings of non-recoverability have been received for subject deceased from the European Area.</p> <p>2. 293 file for Pvt. Lidsky has been withdrawn by this Section in order to process case immediately.</p> <p>1 Incl: w/d</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> METZ 74059</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> DOWESEE 73472</p>
3	Repat Br Corr Sec Cong Data Mem Div	Ident Br. Fin. Det Section Mem Div	14 Jul 1949	<p>1. Noted.</p> <p>2. Attached papers returned to be made part of 293 file.</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> CAMPBELL 5641</p> <p>File JUL 1 8 1949 <i>[Signature]</i> Identification Branch</p> <p>7963</p>

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QMGML 293

Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36781425

TO: Army Liaison Officer
US Senate, Rm 17, SOB
Washington 2, D. C.

FROM: OQMG DATE: 18 April 1949

COMMENT #2

Lt. Col. Johnson/3708

The following information is furnished upon which to base a reply to the Honorable Paul Douglas concerning the burial location of the remains of the late Private Herman H. Lidsky:

The remains of Private Lidsky have not as yet been recovered. We have been unable thus far to associate any remains originally interred in the United States

Lidsky, Herman H. (36781425) MB 2578

QMGML 293

SUBJECT: Location Remains - Pvt Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425 (Senator Douglas)

TO: Army Liaison Officer FROM: OQMG DATE: 18 April 49 COMMENT #2 (Cont'd)
U. S. Senate, Rm 17, SOB Lt. Col. Johnson/3708
Washington 2, D. C.

Military Cemeteries St. Avold and Limey, France, as those of the decedent. A thorough examination of reports of those remains unidentified to date, disinterred from the Moselle Area for clues which would indicate the possibility of association with Private Lidsky, has also met with negative results.

It is entirely possible that his remains are among those recovered from the area where he is reported to have lost his life but because of the absence of identification are presently classified as Unknown; however, before final burial of those in the latter category, they are re-examined by our specially trained personnel with the aid of complete laboratory facilities in a final effort to establish identification.

If further investigation establishes that his remains cannot be recovered or identified, a determination will be made by a board of officers after a study of all available data, and Mrs. Lidsky will be advised promptly. Until such notification, the case is considered an open one.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

WGJ/lmk

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FROM: (Kunick 71088)

GEO. W. HINMAN, JR.
Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

Liaison

D/F, 7 Apr 49 fr Army/Officer, U. S. Senate, Rm 17, SOB w/incls on behalf of Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Ave., Chicago, Ill. concerning the burial location of the remains of her son, Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky. To date, an official burial report has not been received for the decedent and Mrs. Lidsky is under the impression her son may be an amnesia victim and still living.

Reply is based on info contained in 293 file (Lidsky). See IRS, dtd 15 Apr 49 fr Ident Br., Iden Sec., Comm#2 to Repat. Br.

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Location Remains - Pvt Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425
(Senator Douglas)

Chief, Memorial Division,
Office of The Quartermaster
General,
Department of the Army,
Washington 25, D. C.

Army Liaison Officer,
United States Senate,
Room 17, SOB,
Washington 2, D. C.
(Extension 73009).

7 April 1949.

1. The Honorable Paul H. Douglas, United States Senate, has brought to the attention of this office his interest in behalf of Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, concerning the burial location of the remains of her son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, 36 781 425.

2. It will be appreciated if you will look into this matter and furnish this office information upon which to base a reply to Senator Douglas. Please return the inclosures with your reply.

R. C. BING,
Colonel, GSC,
Liaison Officer.

Incls.



299 Lidsky, Herman H 36781425
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7 April 1949

Honorable Paul R. Douglas,
United States Senate.

Dear Senator Douglas:

Permit me to acknowledge your interest in behalf of Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, concerning the burial location of the remains of her son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, 36 781 425.

I have been pleased to bring your interest in this matter to the attention of the appropriate authorities in the Department of the Army. Just as soon as the requested information has been received, I shall communicate with you again.

Sincerely yours,

R. C. BING
Colonel, GSC,
Liaison Officer.

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UNITED STATES SENATE

MEMORANDUM

4-1-49

To: Ed Kelly
from: Doug Anderson

Mrs. Rose Lipsky phoned to ask us to check further about whether her son, Herman Lipsky, or her son's remains have been found. Merle did some checking on this during November and/or December, 1948, and said today that Mrs. Lipsky evidently thinks her son may be alive (Merle said perhaps an amnesia victim) and that the last Merle knew dental records had been asked for to be used in trying to identify remains of soldiers. The file on this case should be in Washington office. Could you inquire somewhere to see if anything further can be done?

/s/ DBA

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December 28, 1948

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

You will note by the enclosed letter from the War Department that they are still trying to make a true identification of your son's remains. When I hear further I will let you know.

With kindest wishes of the Season in which Mrs. Douglas and Mrs. Huntington join me, I am

Sincerely yours,

PAUL H. DOUGLAS

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*Incl. #7 Ltr, 23 Dec 48 in 293 file
#8 Ltr, 11 Jan 49 in 293 file
#9 Ltr, 18 Jan 49 in 293 file
#10 Ltr, by Ltr 18 Jan 49 in 293 file
#11 Ltr, 23 Dec 48*

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November 30, 1948

Mr. Joseph Minsky
5228 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, 15, Illinois

Dear Mr. Minsky:

Thank you for your letter about Mrs. Lidsky. Last week Mrs. Lidsky called at my office and my secretary heard her story. We have written the War Department urging a continued search for her son's remains.

Faithfully,

Paul H. Douglas.

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Incl. #4

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5228 Woodlawn Ave
Chicago 15, Ill.
November 29, 1948.

Prof. Paul H. Douglas
188 West Randolph
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Prof. Douglas

While I was doing precinct work for ADA during the recent campaign, one of my neighbors, who knew of your military experiences, asked me if I would request you to make certain inquiries for her concerning the disposition of the body of her son who was killed in Europe during the war. Always ready to please the people in my precinct, I promised her that I would inform you of her problem, and that you, win or lose, would probably be in a position to aid her with her problem.

My neighbor is Mrs. Rose Lidsky of 5238 Woodlawn Ave. (Phone: Hyde Park 3-8698). Mrs. Lidsky told me that she had been making continuous and numerous inquiries with the various government agencies and bureaus concerning the disposition of her son, and that she felt that she hadn't as yet ~~been~~ been given a satisfactory answer. She wondered if you or your staff could help her in making these inquiries, as you would probably have better knowledge of the correct bureaus to see in order to settle her difficulty. To this end she desired an interview with you. I informed her that you were too busy right before election to probe fully into this matter for her, and I promised that after the election I would inform your office of her problem and try to arrange for you to help her out.

Mrs. Lidsky is most anxious for an interview with you on this matter, but though she works days at the University, she said that she would be ready at any time to talk to someone who would undertake this matter for her. If your office could undertake an interview with Mrs. Lidsky in order to get the facts of the problem fully before you, and then make the further inquiries, I am sure that she would be ever grateful, and I would be most appreciative.

If I could be of any assistance in this matter, do let me know.

Sincerely yours,

/s/JOSEPH MINSKY

Incl. # 5-

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November 22, 1948

Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

RE: Lidsky, Herman H
AGRS-DC-S201
SN 36 781 425

Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Ave., Chicago, mother of the above named soldier, is still endeavoring to learn whether the remains of her son have been located. She has shown me correspondence indicating that Graves Registration is still working on the case.

I hope a continuing effort will be made because I am sure Mrs. Lidsky's health is being affected by the impression that her son may still live. Positive proof of his death would be a blessing.

Very truly yours,

United States Senator-Elect

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Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36781425

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18 January 1949

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Honorable Paul H. Douglas
United States Senate

Dear Senator Douglas:

Your letter of 11 January 1949 in which you make reference to a letter of 22 December concerning the remains of the late Private Herman H. Lidsky has been received.

We are unable to locate in our records a letter from you dated 22 December. On 23 December 1948, we dispatched a letter to you as Senator-Elect at 5658 South Blackstone Avenue, Chicago 37, Illinois, in reply to a letter of 22 November 1948. A copy of our reply is inclosed for your information in the event you failed to receive the original letter.

Since that date no new developments have occurred in the case of Private Lidsky. However, if the information contained in the inclosed letter does not answer some specific question asked in your letter of 22 December, it will be appreciated if you will furnish this office with a copy of the letter.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]
EDWARD D. CORM
Lt. Colonel, GIC
Executive Officer

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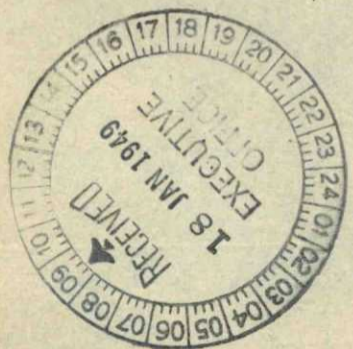
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CMGML 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36781425 *ea*

23 December 1948

201
Honorable Paul H. Douglas
Senator-Elect
5658 South Blackstone Avenue
Chicago 37, Illinois

Dear Mr. Douglas:

Your letter of 22 November 1948 in behalf of Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, concerning the burial location of the remains of her son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been received.

Unfortunately, an official report of burial for the remains of Private Lidsky has not as yet been received. An extensive search has recently been made in this office to associate the remains of an Unknown deceased with those of the decedent; however, the results proved negative.

Our records indicate that several men from Private Lidsky's regiment were killed in action on the same day, 10 September 1944. These records further reveal that three of this group have been identified and were buried in the United States Military Cemeteries Andilly, Limey and St. Avold, France. Burial reports for all those Unknowns interred in the above cemeteries were carefully analyzed for clues upon which to make an association with the decedent. The majority of these cases were eliminated due to lack of identifying data. However, there are several Unknowns which have tooth charts which may prove to possess dental characteristics similar to those of Private Lidsky if additional dental information can be obtained.

We have requested our office in St. Louis to furnish us with dental records which are maintained by the Army for military personnel in an effort to identify the remains of the decedent. As soon as a reply is received from St. Louis, our investigation will be resumed and you will be advised promptly of the outcome.

Sincerely yours,

[Signature]
EDWARD D. COMM
Lt. Colonel, OMC
Executive Officer

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23 December 1948

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Senator-Elect
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Sincerely yours,

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2	Chief Id Br	Chief EC Br ATEN Cong Data Section	16 Dec 1948	<p>LIDSKY, Herman H., 36781425</p> <p>1. An extensive search has currently been made in this office to associate an unknown deceased with Pvt Lidsky. The results are inconclusive.</p> <p>2. The unresolved casualty listing indicated that several men from Pvt Lidsky's Regiment were KIA, on the same day, 10 September 1944. Records revealed that three of this group have been identified and were buried in the Andilly, Limey and St. Avold, USMC.</p> <p>3. As a result of the foregoing the Burial Reports for all those Unknowns interred in the Andilly and Limey Cemeteries were carefully analyzed for clues upon which to make an association. The majority of said cases were eliminated due to lack of identifying data. However, there are several Unknowns that have tooth charts which may prove to possess dental characteristics similar to those of Pvt Lidsky if additional dental information can be obtained. Dental Form's 79's were requested from St. Louis this date.</p> <p>4. As soon as a reply is received from St. Louis our investigation will be resumed.</p>
3 Incls: n/c	Warweg			<p>MEYZ 74059</p> <p>SLOANE 2462</p>

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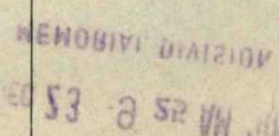
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4	Chief, Mem. Div.	Exec. Officer OQMG	23 Dec 48	<p>QMGML 293 Lidsky, Herman H. 3678148</p> <p>For signature and dispatch.</p> <p>4 Incls 1, 2, 3, n/c Added 4. Ltr dtd 23 Dec 48</p> <p>11/14 HASTINGS 5289</p> 

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For further direct reply to Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, who has been advised of this reference, relative to the recovery of the remains of the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425.

FOR THE ADJUTANT GENERAL:

1 Incl
Ltr 20 Sep 48 fr Mrs. Lidsky
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Clark Marshall
Adjutant General

293 Lidsky Herman H. Post

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William J. Hasset
Secretary to the President

5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois
September 20, 1948

Honorable Harry Truman
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

The enclosed copy of the Jewish Forward of Friday, September 10, 1948, represents the whole of my life, my hopes and my work. The portion which is earmarked therein relates to my dear son, Private Herman H. Lidsky, soldier in our American Army, who gave his life for world freedom on September 10, 1948.

I turn to you, dear Mr. President, in my great need for help. I have no secure knowledge concerning my boy, I have no tangible place even where I can sorrow for him, I have nothing, nothing, nothing but memories and hopes.

My many efforts to locate his body have been fruitless, and I must turn to you and I do beseech you to lend me your attention and powerful help.

Yes, please help me locate the remains of my boy and I will bless you and yours to the end of my days - I must have him returned to me.

The facts involved are contained in several letters with the Quartermaster Department of the Army and can be found under:

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Nothing I can say will tell you of my appreciation as much as the simple statement that I will be eternally grateful and that I will pray for you always.

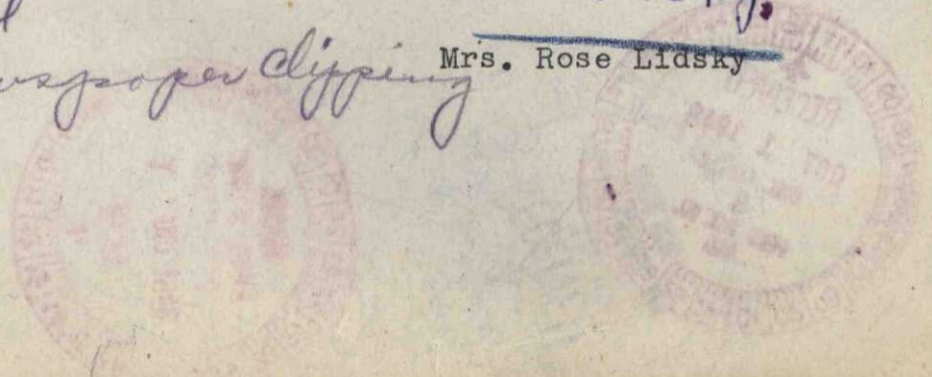
Respectfully yours,

Rose Lidsky

Mrs. Rose Lidsky

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Friday, September 10, 1948

נייעים אין פילדער

מאקס ברומענטהאל

פון 1557 ס. סאיער עוו. איז געשטארבן בען. ער האט איבער זיין באליבטע פרוי בוירטהא. 4 זיהן, הערל, וואלטר, סעמועל און ארטחור; 1 טאכטער מיני, 2 ברידער, רובי און סחעאדאך; 3 שוועסטער, אסתר לויאנס, דזשעני געלעס און שרה טענענבאום. די לויא איז פרייטאג, 2 נ. מ. פון פיזיער'ס מעמ. טשאפ. 3125 רווועלט דר. נאך אידישען ב'ע אין וואלדהיים. מען בעט קאלוואריער לאנדסקויט אקע פריינט צו קומען אפגעבן די לעצטע עהרע. (10)

חיים אלי מאער

(פון באלוועדיר) די פרוי און די קינדער דעקען אויף א מצבה זונטאג, דעם 12טען סעפטעמבער, 2:30 נאכמיטאג, אויף דעם לוקניקער בית עולם. מען בעט אלע פריינט און באקאנטע, אויך לאנדסלייט צו קומען איהם אפגעבען דעם לעצטען כבוד. רבי מעדניק וועט רעדען. (10-61)

טאמארא אסטראכאן

איז געשטארבען אין דאס אנדזשעלעס. די פרוי פון ר' אברהם, זיבע מוטער פון עדנא גארדאן, בענדזשאמין, ענא זייד טער, עלענאר קליבאנאוו און סנדר. באבע פון 5 אייניקלאך און 3 אוראייניקלאך. די לויא איז פרייטאג, 11 פרייה פון פאלמער-לאוער טשאפ. 4226 רווועלט דר. נאך פ. א. וו. ב'ע אין וואלדהיים. מען בעט אלע פריינט צו קומען איהר אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (10-36)

נחמה לאה ריטשמאן

(די פרוי פון פארשט. ר' שמואל דעם רבי'ס פון דראהיטשין) די טאכטער מערי סאטקער און איהר פאמיליע וועדען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון איהר באליבטער מוטער זונטאג, דעם 12טען סעפטעמבער 1 אויגער נאכמיטאג, אויף דעם קהלת יעקב ב'ע אין וואלדהיים. מען בעט די דראהיטשינער לאנדסקויט און אלע פריינט צו קומען איהר אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (10-97)

כארני טשארנעקער

די ליבע פרוי מאט און 4 געטרייע קינדער וועלען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אג' דענק פון זייער ליבען מאן און פאטער זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 1 נ. מ. אויף פלאג סקער סאס. סעקשאן בע און וואלדהיים, הארלעם און 10טע סט. לעבען סערמאק דר. רבי דזשוליוס שובאק וועט מספיד זיין. מיבעט די מעמבערס פון פלאנסקער סאס. און אלע פריינט צו קומען איהם אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (10-25)

לואיס שעניקין

איז געשטארבען. דער בארייכער מאן פון איירא ל. געטרייער פון דר'ס פון פרייהא. עטער דאך מאן און נאה. דער זיידע פון 3 אייניקלאך. די לויא איז הוינט. פרייטאג, 3 אויגער נאכמיטאג, פון פיזיער'ס מעמ. טשאפ. 5206 בראוועי, נאך דעם ראוועל בית עולם. מען בעט אלע גוטע פריינט צו קומען אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (10-64)

גדליה גרינספאן

די ליבע פרוי כאפא און די קינדער, לואיס, מאקס, אוירווינג און זיידען, און די אייניקלאך וועדען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון זייער באליבטן מאן, פאטער, און זיידע גדליה גרינספאן זונטאג, דעם 12טען סעפטעמבער, 2 אויגער נאכמיטאג, אויף דעם קהלת יעקב ב'ע (דראהיטשין). געייט 48 דעספלעינס עוו. מען בעט אנטי פאליער און דראהיטשינער לאנדסקויט, מעמבערס פון דראהיטשינער שוהל און פאראיין, אנטזשאנער עיד סאס. און אלע פריינט צו קומען אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. רבי יהודה ל. גאלדמאן וועט רעדען. (10)

עלמא יודית לעווין

(פון קראקאנאו) די ליבע קינדער הערל לעווין, פאוקין פינקעלסטין און ענא לואיס, וועדען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון זייער ליבער מוטער זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 2 נ. מ. אויף משנה וגמרא ב'ע אין וואלדהיים. מען בעט די מעמבערס פון קאנג. אנשי מערב, ליידיס אוקו. און חברה מקרא, רבי סידווערסטין סאס. און אלע פריינט צו קומען איהר אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (10-56)

נה ריסל העימאן

דער ליבער מאן אייבאדאעס און די געטרייע קינדער און אייניקלאך וועלען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אג' דענק פון זייער ליבער פרוי, מוטער און באבע, האשת החשובה חנה

דזשעני עסקעו

די ליבע קינדער, לויאן, בי זיס קינד, נייטע, עוועלין אפטייקער און דראטהי גרין, וועדען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון זייער ליבער מוטער דזשעני עסקעו זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 12:30 נ. מ. אויף פארטשיגוס ב'ע אין וואלדהיים. געייט 41. מיבעט קורלאנדער לאנדסקויט און אלע פריינט צו קומען איר אפגעבן די לעצטע עהרע. (11-68)

איירא בערעסקין-פלאטקין

א מצבה וועט אויפגעדעקט וועדען אין אנדענק פון איירא בערעסקין פלאטקין, די ליבע פרוי פון פארשט



הרב חיים הייזלער

די ליבע פרוי חיה און די געטרייע קינדער, דזשארד, דראטהי גאלד און סעראה אויך די אייניקלאך וועלען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון זייער ליבען מאן, פאטער און זיידע הרב חיים הייזלער, זונטאג, דעם 12טען סעפטעמבער, 2 אויגער נאכמיטאג, אויף דעם 16טען מארמאראשער קראנקען אויגער טערשיטצונג פאראיין ב'ע אין וואלדהיים, 16טע סט. און הארלעם עוו. מען בעט מארמאראשער און אונגארישע לאנדסקויט, מעמבערס פון עסטרייך-גאליציאנער שוהל און אלע גוטע פריינט צו קומען איהם אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (10-56)

וואו צוויי דעלעגאטען צו די זיינען פארוואנדעט געווארן
TWO YOUNG ZIONISTS DIE of youthful Zionists is demoli Leff, 22, of Long Beach, Ca hospital. Victims removed to a Herzl Junior College stude



ר' שמואל אבראמסאן

מיט זיין פרוי און קינדער, פון 1513 נארט קעמפבל עוו. וועלען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון זייער ליבען זון

ווייליאם אבראמסאן

זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 2 נ. מ. אויף עטרות ציון ב'ע, הארלעם עוו. אין 16טע סטריט. זיי בעטען די מעמבערס פון קורשאנער פאר עניו און זיינע ארבע טעמלען פלאג לויט

ריסל העימאן, זונטאג, סעפט. 12טן
 2 נ.מ. אויף בית המדרש הגדול
 אנשי לוקנא ב"ע אין אוקראינא,
 1/1טע און קאטעדראל גראוו, מיכעל
 מעמבערס פון שוהל און זיידע
 אוקו, פון בית המדרש הגדול אנשי
 דרום, ראז לעווין סאס, מזרחי פון
 די סאט סייד, קאונטער און סגא
 באדקער לאנדסלייט צו קומען איר
 אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע, הרב א.
 פריינט צו קומען איהר אפגעבען די
 יוטיץ זעט מאכען די הזכרה. (10)

סעמועל ה. פלאטקין, געטרויע כח
 טער פון אסקאר ה. דושיצווע ה.
 פלאטקין און מרס. לאה מילער, ה.
 זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 2 נ.מ. אויף
 מעמאריאל פארק ב"ע 2500 זיידע
 ראור, עוונסטאן, איר. די פאר
 שטארבענע און געווען זעהר אסאך
 אין אפערקיי שיקאגא לאקאלע זייט
 ריטיס אין איר ארבייט פאר ווא
 טעטיגע צוועקען. מיכעל אלע זעט
 פריינט צו קומען איהר אפגעבען די
 לעצטע עהרע. (11-7)

אוקו, פון כנסת ישראל שוהל און אלע
 גוטע פריינט צו קומען איהם אפגעבען דעם
 כבוד האחרון. (10-52)

להם לעניים לזידיים עיד סאס.
 בעט אלע שוועסטער צו קומען צו דער
 אויפדעקונג פון א מצבה פאר אונזער שוועס
 טער

גאלדי בלומבערג
 זונטאג, דעם 12טען סעפט. 3 נ.מ. אויף אנשי
 טיקטין ב"ע אין וואלדהיים.
 די קאמיטע (10-70)

ראטשווינער רעליף אס'ן.
 בעט די מעמבערס צו קומען צו דער אויפ
 דעקונג פון א מצבה פאר אונזער שוועסטער
רחל לאסק

זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 3 נ.מ. אויף ראטשווינ
 זער ב"ע אין וואלדהיים.
 הערו מעטעל, פרעוידענט
 מיראן וויינסטיין, סעקי (10-58)

רבקה לודגין
 דער מאן יעקב און די קינדער וועלען אויפ
 דעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון זייער ליבער
 פרוי און מוטער זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 11
 פריי, אויף זידיטשויער רבי'ן ב"ע אין
 וואולדאן. מען בעט ווילער פאראייניג, זוי
 לער לאנדסלייט און אלע פריינט צו קומען
 איהר אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (10-48)



THE QUEEN TAKES A RIDE
 of the Dutch people, Oug
 city's Kattenburg quarter
 while Princess Beatrix, 97
 queen

פריינט דא געוועזען מיט איר
 האט איבערגענומען די
 די טויליקונער.

מאקס פרידמאן
 די געטרויע זון און טאכטער היימאן און פערל מאוער, די אייניקל
 לאך, די ליבענדע שוועסטער רייא העריס און ברודער אלעק פרידמאן
 פון לאס אנדזשעלעס וועלען אויפדעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון זייער
 באליבטען פאטער, זיידע און ברודער מאקס פרידמאן, זונטאג, 12טען
 סעפטעמבער, 1:30 נאכמיטאג, אויף ארבייטער רינג ב"ע אין וואלד
 הויס. מען בעט די מעמבערס פון ברעווינער בנגעפייט סאס, קיעווער
 אונט, פאראייניג, י. ה. פריי, בר. 842 א. ר. ווייטער קארפענטערס ווינאן
 לאקאל 504, דושיאייט פיפילס באוואלדעסעני האוס, דאנדאס פס. דעי
 און נאיש נירסערי, וועט סייד בת. און אלע גוטע פריינט צו קומען
 איהם אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (12-62)

סעם לעווין



די ליבע פרוי סערא און די קינדער
 הערי, מאסי, עדעקין, פעלדמאן, און די
 אייניקלאך וועלען אויפדעקען א מצבה
 אין אנדענק פון זייער באליבטען מאן און
 פאטער און זיידע און ברודער, זונטאג
 12טען, 2 נ.מ. אויף רידוילאנד ב"ע
 נאך אויף קראפארד. מען בעט די מעמ
 בערס פון קיעווער, פראג, אונט, פאראייניג,
 ווייטע רידוילאנד ב"ע און אלע גוטע
 פריינט צו קומען אפגעבען די לעצטע
 עהרע. (11-67)

אייבראם געליבטער
 די געליבטער פאמיליע וועלן אויפ
 דעקען א מצבה אין אנדענק פון אייבי
 ראם געליבטער זונטאג, סעפט. 12טען
 1:30 נ.מ. אויף דעם פ. א. וו. ב"ע
 אין וואלדהיים, געזיט 37 אויף דעם
 פלעינס עוו. לאס 1446. מען בעט די
 ליבענדע לאנדסלייט, אינדאנא האר
 באר פריינט און אלע באקאנטע צו
 קומען איהם אפגעבען די לעצטע
 עהרע. (11-61)

קאנרענישא בני יצחק
 (5842 גרענישא סט.)
 פארדערט אויף אלע זיידעס פון שוהל
 זידיים אוקו, און זיידעס פון קומען
 אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע ביי דער
 אויפדעקונג פון א מצבה פאר אונזער
 זיידע.

פרינצע קאופמאן
 קינדער, טשארלי קאכמאן, מענדל
 אייב, ראור דושוילא, דושעק און
 די אייניקלאך וועלען אויפדעקען
 אין אנדענק פון זייער באליבטער
 און באבע זונטאג, סעפט. 12טען,
 אויף בני יצחק ב"ע אין וואלדהיים,
 און 12טע סט. מען בעט לובלינער
 און אלע פריינט צו קומען איהר
 די לעצטע עהרע. (11-54)

סעם קאסי
 פרוי ענא און די קינדער וועלען
 א מצבה אין אנדענק פון זייער
 מאן און פאטער זונטאג, דעם 12
 סעפט. 1:30 נ.מ. אויף ליבאוויטש
 סעפלעינס סט. מען בעט האמלער
 און אלע פריינט צו קומען איהם
 לעצטע עהרע. (11-59)

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צום פערטען יאהרצייט
 פון מיין טייערען איינציגען זון



פרייוו הערמאן ה. לידסקי
 וועלכער איז געפאלן אין שטאכט אין פראנק
 רייך דעם 10טן סעפט. 1944. אייביג וועל
 איך אין מיין הארצען טראגען דיין אנדענק
 און איך קיינמאל נישט פארגעסען דיך, קינד
 מינים, כוז מינים אויגען וועלען זיך שליסען.
 דיין צובראבענע און ביינקענדע מוטער ראז
 (10)

בצלאל קרעווינס
 זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 3 נ.מ. אויף
 אונזער בית אויפער ווירדיגער רב,
 הרב נחום יצחק וועט רעדען.
 מיט טרויער,
 די קאמיטע (10-66)

אסתר ראזענפעלד
 די קינדער וועלען אויפדעקען א מצבה
 אין אנדענק פון זייער באליבטער מוטער
 זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 1 נ.מ. ווייני
 ביקור חילים אנשי רוסיש-פולישע זייט
 דעספלעינס סט. געזיט 8, לאס 23. מען
 בעט אלע גוטע פריינט צו קומען איהם
 אפגעבען די לעצטע עהרע. (11-70)

וועט סייד ברענטש
 גאלאס פס. דיי און נייט נירסערי
 בעט אלע מעמבערס און פריינט צו קומען צו
 דער אויפדעקונג פון א מצבה פאר

מאקס פרידמאן
 בער ברודער פון אונזער עקס-פרעז. ליג
 ריט, זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 1:30 נ.מ.
 פס. ר. ב"ע אין וואלדהיים.
 ענא מעידושעס, פרע. (11-60)

חיים מעטניק



היינט איז 13 יאהר זינט דו בינסט
 פון אונז פארשוואונדען,
 און איבערגעלאזט אין זיינע עלטערן
 הערבער טיפע וואונדען.
 דו לינסט קאלט אין דיין קבר,
 ניטא מער, מיין שעהנער זון;
 דו קענסט מער גוט ריהרען
 מיט קיין אבר,
 ווער איז צו זיינע עלטערן,
 דערלעכט אז צער;
 שווער זיך צו גלויבען אויף אונזער
 גרויסען אויפגאבן און גור.
 מיט טרויער,
 זיינע ליבע עלטערן,
 ברידער און שוועסטער (10)

חנה בת ר' מרדכי אייבראהעם
 א מצבה וועט אויפגעדעקט ווערען אין
 אנדענקונג פון חנה אייבראהעם, באליבטע
 פרוי פון וואלף, געטרויע מוטער פון
 מייק, מוני הייק, טשארלז, טילי-געליד
 אייב, סערא קאהען, דושעק, ענא וויגאדא
 און ראז לעווין, זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע,
 3 נ.מ. אויף נאייס או דושיצווע ב"ע
 אין וואלדהיים. מען בעט אלע גוטע פריינט
 צו קומען איהר אפגעבען די לעצטע
 עהרע. (10-69)

ילאה אלטמאן
 קינדער וועלען אויפדעקען א
 אנדענק פון זייער ליבער מוטער
 זונטאג, סעפט. 12טע, 1:30
 פס. ר. ב"ע אין וואלדהיים, אויף
 אויט פון רוזוועלט. מען בעט
 לאנדסלייט און אלע פריינט צו
 קומען איהר די לעצטע עהרע. (12-63)

די וו. שנייצער
 די פאמיליע וועלען אויפדעקען
 אנדענק פון זייער באליבטען מאן
 טאג, סעפט. 12טע, 1:30 נ.מ.
 די סאס. ב"ע אין וואלדהיים.
 כריינט צו קומען איהם אפ
 זע עהרע. (11-66)

אוקולערי פון
הר"א אנשי ווינא
 שוועסטער צו קובנע אפגעבען די
 צו אונזער שוועסטער
ארא אסמאדאכאן
 היינט 11 כריה, פון מאלמער
 פ. 4225 רוזוועלט ראוד
 זייטעל דאן, רעק. סעק. (10-79)

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הענד לאונדרי אויף מעדיסאן, סטריקטלי דראפ טרייד, מאכט \$125 א וואך נעט פראפיט. קאמפליטע שטונדען, טאיעס, פוילישע טרייד, גוטע ביזנעס מיט 3 שעהע רומס, באטה, מוז פארקויפט ווערען, מיט די שעהע פארניטשור, אורזאכע פארלאז שיקאגא.
גראסערי, לאנדעל נייבארד, מיקס טרייד קיינע קאמפליטע שטונדען, קורצע שטונדען, \$300 א וואך נעט פראפיט, פרייז מעסיג.
טענדוויש שאפ, רעדאסט, בעסטער ספאט אויף מעדיסאן, מאכט אריבער \$250 א וואך נעט פראפיט, אורזאכע: פארטנערס.
קארנער דעליקאטעסען, פאונטען, סענדווי טשעס, קיינע געקאכטע מילס, גארפילד לאך קיישאן, \$1-200 א וואך ביזנעס, זיכער פיל נעלט צו מאכען, פרייז מעסיג.
קארנער כשר דעליקאטעסען אין א שעהעם ביזנעס טאון, 32 סט פון שיקאגא, קיינע קאמפליטע שטונדען, קורצע שטונדען, גראסערי, פרייז מעסיג.
האום מעיד איין קרימ, רעד האטס, בעסטע מאדערן עקוויפמענט, שענסטער נאָרט סייד ביזנעס לאקיישאן, מאכט אריבער \$200 א וואך נעט פראפיט, ארבעיט.
טראנספער קארנער-דעליקאטעסען לאַנזש, לאנדעל נייבארד, גוטע ביזנעס, \$10,000 א וואך ביזנעס, זיכער געלט מאכען, פרייז מעסיג.
גראסערי קאנסעטאן, קורצע שטונדען, זונטאג א וואך ביזנעס, קיינע פרוכט, \$1-500 א וואך ביזנעס, קורצע שטונדען, זונטאג א וואך נעט פראפיט, פארטנערס, שילאסען, א בארגיין, אורזאך: פארטנערס.

325 W. Roosevelt Rd., Cor. Christiana Cra. 6030

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וידען און זון
קויפט און פארקויפט אייערע ביזנעס דורך אונז - איהר וועט זיין צופרידען
זיכער א לעבען צו מאכען און פיל געלט צו שפארען, בעסטער בארגיין, גער וויל מאכען א ביזנעס לעבען און געלט צו שפארען, א סמאל סטיק האוו, בא בעקוין און פארשידענע סענדווישעס, פארקויפט, בעסטער נאָרט סייד געגנט, ריינע קאמפליטע שטונדען, גוטער לייעס, ביליג רן מוז פארקויפט שונעל פאר דעם בעסטען פראפיט, אורזאכע האט 2 ביזנעס, גרעס מיצאה.

607 W. Roosevelt Road LAWndale 9251

עקייניג יארך
אין סאווערן וויסקאסין, גוט באקאנטער פלאק, עטאבליט 12 יאר, צוזאמען מיט געזעצטע שטייט און לאַנזש רום, מוז פארקויפט ווערען צוליב קראנקהייט.
Burlington New and Used Auto Parts Phone 393 Burlington, Wis. (11)
גראסערי און דעליקאטעסען צו פארקויפט, קעש ביזנעס, מיקסד, גוטער געגענט, זונטאג און ימים טובים געשלאסען, ענדאווער 3839 (12:15)

מיש מאַרקעט קאנסעטאן אין א מוז פון צו פאררעכענען, רופט סילי 1938 (13)

קלייניג סטאָר צו פארקויפט, וועל פון רוימיסען פאר א שנעלען קויף, 1308 ג. דינג, רופט לאנגביטש 8670 (14)

גראסערי און דעליקאטעסען סטאָר צו פארקויפט, רופט סילי 1938 (15)

אָרבייטער פאַרזאַנג - פּרױען HELP WANTED - FEMALE

פּאַנינג מאַשין אפּערירטאָרס
עקספ. אדער וועלען לערנען.
גוטער געהאַלט
סטעדי ארבייט
S. KARPEN & BROS.
636 W. Cermak Road
11:35)

קעכין פארלאנגט, זאל האלטען כשר, אין א פרוואנטע מוטערקאזע היים אין יענסטאון, סאט דעקאטא, 2 מירלאך און א פאטערי גוטע היים און גוט באצאלט. רופט ביז 5, קראפארד 4000, עקסענסשאן 75, שפעטער, קראפארד 6315, פניו ניוטעסאן.

הענד פוינטער פארלאנגט אין א דריי קלייניג פלענט, 5409, ה. לעיק סט. מענספילד 6100 (10)
עקספ. בייקערי פוינטעריים פאר האנגט, זעהר גוטע זעלנען, זעלנען סאלארי, סטעדי ארבייט, סעם היים בייקערי, קערו עוו. 10-70)

קוק פארלאנגט סאך כשר סטיקל רעס סאראנט און דעליקאטעסען, גוטע שטונדען און גוט באצאלט, סאך ריכטיגען פערמאן, גאר פערטיש, 1036, וו. בריז טאר, לאנגביטש 8018 (10:13)

היינטיקער פארלאנגט אין א גוטע געגנט, גוטע אקסענטע מענטשען און א באי אין עלטער פון 18-25 יאר, מוז נעכטיגען גוטע היים און געזעצטע, רופט נאך 8 אונטען און זונטאג א גאר גוטע טאג, ראקוועל 5441 (11:15)

פריי אדער ביידע פארלאנגט צו טאן לייכטע הויזארבייט און נעמען קער אויף א בייבי, קען נעכטיגען אדער יעט, רופט קראפארד 1915 (12:30)

מענער און פרויען

קוק, מאן אדער פרוי, פארלאנגט, אידישע מאכליש, צו ארבייטען אין א רעסטאראנט, 6727 ג. שערידאן רד., ראדווערס פארק 3450 (11:11)

טייפישט פארלאנגט, סטעדי ארבייט, גוט באצאלט, ליסנער פויפער גריידינג קא, 1801 ג. לעוויס סט. רופט בראַנזווויק 3811 (12:12)

פארלאנגט, א קוק פאר סטריקטלי כשר'ן רעס סאראנט אין ראטשעסטער, מיניעסאטא, אויס'געצייכענטע סאלארי און פערסענטעדוש פון די פראפיטען, פולע אויסזיכט אויף קיטשען-וואוינונג, שרייבט, "פארוערסט" באקס 103 (15:88)

שמעלען געזוכט

קאלארד העלפ פון טאג אדער וואך, פרויען צו טאן הויזארבייט, לענער, דיזש וואשערס, פארטערס, פעקטארי ארבייט, וואונער 6964 (10:99)

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מיר וועלען איין באזאָרגען מיט עהיגע פרויען
פאר הויזארבייט
וויך אלע ארבייטער פאר אַסי. פעקטארי און ליבבר
ניט, שנעל און רעגולירע
טעלעפאנירע
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אָרבייטער פאַרזאַנג - מענער HELP WANTED - MALS

פּרעסער, הענד און מאַשין, עקספ. סאך מען'ס קלאַרינג סטאָר, סטעדי פּאַרט טאַים ארבייט, 3242 לאַרענס עוו., הויזרוינג 2864 (12)
טיילער פארלאנגט, סאך מען'ס און ליידיס בארמענטס, פארט טייס, גוטע געלעגנהייט רופט ווען כירען 3838 (13:41)

העברעאישער לערער פארלאנגט צו אַסאָנאָ גען א קלאס אין ראדווערס פארק, רופט דו שאַרף מאלניקא, דירבארן 7055 (12:42)

שניידער-פרעסער, קאמפיוטישאן פארלאנגט אין א קלייניג און פרעטיג פלאץ, פארט טייס, 105 וו. עדעמס סט., רום 1211 (10:43)

ערשט קלאסיגער בושעלמאן פאר קלארינג סטאָר, מוז קענען פייטינג, א גאנץ יאר ארבייט אויסגעצייכענטע געהאלט, פרעגט פאר מר. לעווי, ה. אללען קלארינג קא, 941 רוזוועל. הימאָרקעט 0300, אַפען פרייטאג און שבת ביז 6, זונטאג ביז 1 ג. ט. (11:44)

בוטשער פארלאנגט אין א גראסערי און מיטע מארקעט, אין קארנער געגענט, סאך טייל, גוט באצאלט, רופט וואקלאנד 5131 (12)
פארלאנגט אן עלטערן מאן צו אטענען א מאנינג ניט סטענען, אַפּפּרעגען קלאַרינג מאַטריאַל און אַפּפּרעגען עוו. (11:46)

פּרובל און ווערשייטליכע עקספ. מאן פאר לאנגט, סטעדי ארבייט, גוט באצאלט, טיקאנט מיניסיסאפאר פרוכט יאהרקעט, 4199 ארטיסטע עוו. קאר, באקאנטע עוו. (11:50)

פאַרזאַנג פּרױען פאַר אַרבייטען קלױדער

גאראנטירטע בעסטע ווערשייטע, בלוז ראפיי גוטע מענער, וועלכע זיינען לאנג עקס. זאלען זיך נאכברענגען, סטעדי ארבייט.
ELLIS LOAN & CLOTHING CO.
401 Gratiot Tel. CA. 9450
Detroit, Mich. (12)

אויסגעצייכענטע געלעגנהייט פאר פראגרע סיווען מאן וואָס איז הענדלעכע, ארום 35 סינגל, גוט פולע אייגענהייטען און קוואלי פיקאציעס און סאלארי ערווארטעט, שרייבט: "פארוערסט" באקס 116 (12:47)

דראַן קלויק, מיט אדער אַהן עקספ. יופיש פארמאכט, רופט הימאָרקעט 9337 (10:67)

טיילער פארלאנגט פאר א סעקאנד הענד קלאַרינג סטאָר, גוט באצאלט, סטעדי ארבייט, באַצאלטע ימים טובים, קאן זיין עלטערער מענט, 1051 וו. מעדיסאן סט., מאַנינג 4754 (15:33)

העלפער פארלאנגט אויף א פרוכט הענאל, גוט באצאלט, קראפארד 8341 צווישען 8 און 10 אונטען. (10:14)

היים געזעכט

לעווינסאָן'ס היים פאר אלטע לייט באקוועמע, כשר היים, בעסטע באהאנדלונג, נידעריגע אויפפאסונג טאָג אין נאכט, פרייזעס ריזאנטיביל, רופט ראקוועל 6124
לעווינסאָן'ס 1627 ס. מילארד עוו.
די האַגלאַס
סטריקטלי כשר'ע היים
פאר עלטערע און שוואכע לייט און אין וואלדס, וועלכע געפיינט זיך אין דער אייגענער היים, 3209 דאגלאס בולווארד, ספעציעל געבויט און צוגעפאסט מיט די מאדערנסטע באַקוועמליכע איינריכטונגען פאר דער צופרידען פאמיליע, רופט סילי 1938 (15)

טאג און נאכט קומט אדער רופט ראקוועי 5304 אדער 3233

די גרענשאן כשר הים 3355 דאגלאס בולווארד וועלכע איז אויסגעשטאמט מיט אלע באקוועמליכקייטען און די בעסטע אויפפאסונג און גוטע כשר'ע מילעס. פאר איבערצייגען זיך קומט אדער רופט ראקוועי 4451

GRENSHAW KOSHER HOME 3355 Douglas Blvd. Rockwell 4451

רעסט הויזען אפעלירט צו אלע פריינט פאר אלע זאכען. פוירנישטור, דיזעט, א. א. ה. פאר אונזער שטענדיגען ראמעדיש שאפ. דיווע שאפ העלפט אונז אויסהאלטען די קראנקע און נויטבאר דערפטיגען אין רעסט הויזען. מיר וועלען אויפפיקסען די ארטיקלען. רופט היקטארי 110-0209 אקט 31טע סטריט.

מאדערנע אידישע הים פאר עלטערע און קאנזאמענטע. שעהע. ליכטיגע רומען עקספערט קעיר ביי טרענינג נויטעס; כשר'ע מילעס. צוגעגלייכט באדינונגען.

Squire's Model Home 3238 Douglas Blvd. CRAWford 9411 (מ) פאר עלטערע מענשען. בעסטע באר האנדלונג. עלטסטע עטאבלישמענט. בע סטע עפענס, פרווואטע רוםס \$25 א וואך. איהר קאנט זיך איבערצייגען. רופט סאניסיד 6533

רוער'ס נאָרמל סיד כשר הים 1132 ארנינג סטריט (מ) 20

נייע געזעצטע סאלאמאנס הים פאר עלטערע לייט, אן ספעציעלען טער, נענענט, שעהע הים 4750 ס. וואַלדאָן עינג'ל. בעסטער כשר'ע מאכילעס, מעסיגע פרייווען. \$35.00 וועכענטליך. רופט 12-M) Livingston 9353

INCOME TAX - BOOKKEEPING אייערע כוכער געפירט פון וואך אדער פון טאגס. מעסיגע פרייווען. מיר מאכען אויך אויס אייער אינקאס טעקס און סאשעל סעקי יוריש רעפארטס. JOSEPH FINE HOLLYcourt 6818

INCOME TAX ACCOUNTING בוקקייפונג נעשאן פאר קליינע סירמעס. סטאָר, לענדלאָרס, ביים מאָנאט אדער וואך אויב פארלאנגט. ריוואניכע. רופט פון 9 ביי 12 מיטאג און פון 5 אין אדענס; זונטאג א נאנצען טאָג. MORRIS EPHRON CRAWford 1125

South Side office Livingston 8700 (17M) פוירנישטור און סיקסטשורם בייםיקעל צו פארקויפן א צווייטעלע בייםיקעל פאר באיס, ראקעט באיק, אזוי גוט ווי ניי, \$25. טעלעפאנירט קע' פיטאל 3083

מיר צאהלען קעש פאר פיאנאס און נעה מאשינס קראפארד 3734 (מ) 16

טראקס צו פארענטען מיר וועלען פארענטען טראקס פאר אַרנאַניזאַציעס אָדער פאַמיליעס וועל'כע ווילען פאַררען צו פיקניקס, אויך טראקס פאר אנדערע צוועקען. ריוואניכע בעל פרייווען. בעסטע סטרוקטור. רופט ספאלדינג 5839 (מ) 22

לענדלאָרדס! ווען איהר ווילט קארפענטער ארבייט אדער פיקסען פאר טשעס, רימאדלען אייער הויז. מיר טוען אלגעמינע ארבייט. אונזערע פרייווען זיינען מעסיג. עסטימיטס פריי.

A. GOODWIN LAWndale 0130 אדער סאניסיד 2128

לענדלאָרדס! דארפט איהר ביזנעס פיקסען אייער זיבלינג אדער פיקסען סטארט. ביזנעס גארדזשעס; פאליסיען; רופט נעראל ארבייט און ריפערדינג. רופט JOE RANE & SONS Tel. Hollycourt 7354

לענדלאָרדס ווען איהר דארפט קארפענטער ארבייט. מיר פיקסען אלע פארטשעס און ביזנעס נייע. מיר טוען אלעליי קארפענטער ארבייט. מיר האָבען פולע אינשורענס. אונזערע פרייווען זיינען זעהר מעסיגע. רופט אונז פאר פרייע עסטימיטס. דאָרע צעז 1680 Rockwell (מ) 17

ארגעמינע קאנטראקטארס מיר טוען נייע און רעמאדלען ארבעט ארבייט. אונזער ארבייט איז נאראל מירט. אונזערע פרייווען זיינען צו גענליכע. מיר זיינען קאמפליט איני יורט. עסטימיטס געגעבען פריי אין אלע טיילען פון יטאליע. LAWndale 8665

ר א ד י א ס גיכטע רעזאקשאנס אויף אידישע און רוסישע רעפארטס מיר וועלען מעסטען אייערע טיובס און מאכען אירע קלענערע ריפערס פאר בלוז 1.50 מיר זיינען אויסגרייטען רילעס פאר פריזשודערס. רעזודשעס און רעפריזש טעלעפאן קעדי 6040 SANCO RADIO 220 S. PULASKI

א גוט באוואוסטע גראטערי סטאָר. און געלעבן געהייט קומט איינמאל אין לעבען. אין גע' געט פון א גוטען שאפינג סענטער. מוז פאר קויפען פאר א סאקרייטיו פרייז. 3644 ה. אין רוער. 16טע סטריט. 11:46

קאנפעקשאנערי סטאָר צו פארקויפן, סטיס היט רום אין רוער, אויך 3 סטיס היטער רומס אין רוער. 3924 ה. 16טע סטריט. (14) מאָרינג סטענד צו פארקויפן, 1 באַקס, טראנספער קארנער. בריינגט אריין \$50 א וואך. מעלדען קלארק און ארמיטעדזש. 11:16

קארנער סענדוויטש, פאנוטיין, טאיעס, סקו סופלייס בעסטער גארפילעדי ביזנעס לאקיישאן נעבען א קאלעדזש און היי סקול. מאכט אר' בער \$300 א וואך נעט פראפיט. שעהנטע פריזשודער פיקסטשורס, פרייז מעסיג. און גוטער סטאָר טרעפט זעלטען. איהר מוזט דאָס זעהן קומט צו מראקום, 3325 וועסט רונזעלט ראוד. טעלעפאן קראפארד 6030.

לאנדזשערי קארטעס און ליידיס ווע' בעסטער 26טע סטריט ביזנעס לאקיישאן. מא' דערן און שענסטע פיקסטשורס. מאַנט אריבער \$10,000 א ז'ר נעט פראפיט. מוז שנעל פאר קויפען אלס א גרויסען בארגין. אורזאכע אין פלאץ. און ניטע און שיינע סטאָר טרעפט זעלטען. איהר מוזט דאָס זעהן. קומט צו מראקום, 3325 וועסט רונזעלט ראוד. טעלעפאן קראפארד 6030.

גאלד און פאלאק דזשענעראל האום רימאדלונג פארמאכטע פארטשעס. נאראדזשעס. פאנודיישאן און צעמענט ארבייט. איינמאל בריק סידינג, א נייע רום אין בעיסמענט אדער א פארטש. מעסיגע פרייווען. קעש אדער "פ. ה. א." טורמעס. רופט: DICKens 9738 FRontier 3331 ARMitage 9052

וואירל הייד שיפערס מאניערס ספעשעל ריטיס און וועסט קאוסט. הויז-זאכען און פארמאכילעס. 30 טעג פרייע סטאָרעדזש פאר אלע וועסט קאוסט צוועקען. קאמפליט גארד-מירטע סטרוקטור. 40 טויזענד קוועד פיס אונטער אויף רוק. אנגענומען אין די גרעסטע פילדס איבער'ן לאנד.

World Wide Shippers & Movers, Inc. 155 N. Clark Street CENTral 6455 מאווינג און סטאָרעדזש ספעציעלע פרייווען צו קאליפארניא מופט אייער פוירנישטור און אטאמאבילס ביי "שווי קאר" אונזערע פרייווען זיינען נידעריגע און צוטיהענדע. מיר האָבען שנעלע בוררויס צו טוסאן און פיניקס. אריזאנא. סע אטער און פארטלאנד. ארעזאן. אלבעקוירטי און סאטא פעי. ניו מעקסיקא. און אלע פיניקס טען צווישען שיקאגא און באסיפיק לאַיט. מיר האָבען פייערפראו ווערהייזער און פרווואטע רומס טעלעפאנירט אדער שרייבט פאר אַלע עסטימיטס.

UNION VAN LINE, Inc. 4015 BROADWAY LINcoln 0730 דיימאנד וועלדינג און קאמינג סוורוויס מיר ספעציעלירען אין באַלעב ארבייט לעמיר איר זענען אן עסטימיט. פארטעיל עקזיפּענע. ראקוועל 1221

קויפען מאכט \$1,800 ביי \$2,000 און ביי \$1,800 אין וואקעשאן מאנאט, אין גרוי' טען באוואוינטען געגענט. בעסטער מעסיגער אָפער. קעש נויטיג. 4812 ה. קווינס, מענס פילד 6826 (2:47)

דעליקאטעסען און בעסטען לאנדזעל געגען מאכט ניט וועניגער פון \$250 א וואך, א פאר א גרויסער פאמיליע. איינזעלע ווי שרייבט "פארוערט" מאַקס 122.

קליינג סטאָר, עטאבלירט 38 יאָר. איינזען מער געשטאָרבען. גוט געהענדע ביזנעס. פ טיילאָר. 1163 ה. גרענד, היימארקעט 1632 קאנצעשאן אין סט. לואיס "עלי" סט. לואיס און העריסאן. זעהט סאני.

שניידער און קליינג סטאָר צו פאר טים היטער. גענוג ארבייט. מוז זיין א דער. קען מאכען א שעהן לעבען. א פארלאן שטאַט. איסטעיט 0828 קליינער פאָריער, עטאבלירט 25 יאָר. סאקריפויצען. מוז גלייך פארקויפן 3649 ג. קעדי.

הארדווער סטאָר, עטאבלירט 28 יאָר. סטיי, קלאָרד טרעיד. אין א ביזנעס שרייבט "פארוערט" באַקס 108 פאפולאר מינעראל וואטער אין האט פרינגס, ארמענא. איבער 20 פראַצ. אויף פ \$26,000 פאר פראפערטו און אן אמת'ע געזעגענע חייב J. N. LEESON k Ave. Hot Springs, Ark.

אינכטראקשאנס פרווואטע לעסאנס געגען ענגליש שרייבען און רעדען. בראַנזווויס 5089. מר. ברום ע נ נ ל י ש לערנט זיך אויס ריכטיג רעדען און פינגטליך שרייבען ענגליש אונזער נייער מעטאָדע. פרווואטע אין קליינע נרופעס. צעליבט ניט הינטערשטעלי

SCHOOL OF ENGLISH W Roosevelt Road 1817 or Armitage 0253 רויפונג-נאָמערס-שיימוס מעג זיין ווי צובראכען אייער ד' גאָטער אדער טשימינס. כאַבען מ' עס אזוי גוט ווי ניי. צו די בילינגס פרייווען. אונזער ארבייט איז זאראט מירט און איינשורט. רופט נאנצען 6047 א נאנצען טאָג ביי 11 מינאטען

רעפריזשערייט ווען איהר דארפט א רעס רייטאָר ריפערמאן וואָס טירט ראייעלע ריפערס דעדי 7269 אדער רופט assador 6746 פארטמענט ביי גראטעריס בוטיק דעליקאטעסען ליפער סטאָרס מיר גיבען אייך מינימענט קאנטר

FRIGERATION ENGINEERING CO. 36 Devon Ave.

QMGMF 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

[Handwritten signature]

30 July 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

Your letter to an Overseas Installation, concerning your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been referred to this office.

Although remains recovered from the general area in which your son lost his life are being re-examined by our Graves Registration Command personnel for the purpose of positive identification, there is no evidence at this time that any of the remains are those of your son.

If other remains are recovered, and comparison with all known facts available from your son's Army records furnishes conclusive evidence of his identity, you will be advised.

Please be assured of my continued sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES F. SMITH
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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Lidaly, Herman H.
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30 July 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidaly
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidaly:

Your letter to an Overseas Installation, concerning your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidaly, has been referred to this office.

Although remains recovered from the general area in which your son lost his life are being re-examined by our Graves Registration Command personnel for the purpose of positive identification, there is no evidence at this time that any of the remains are those of your son.

If other remains are recovered, and comparison with all known facts available from your son's Army records furnishes conclusive evidence of his identity, you will be advised.

Please be assured of my continued sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES F. SMITH
Major, GMP
Memorial Division



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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
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ADDRESSEE MR. MISS MRS.	ADDRESS (Street, City, State)		
RELATIONSHIP			

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle)
Lidsky Herman H.

GRADE
 Pvt.

SERIAL NUMBER
36-761-425

PARAGRAPHS (Sequence)	ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS
<i>105-B</i>	<i>To an overseas installation —</i>
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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

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RRE 293.3 (Lidsky, Herman H.-36 781 425)

12 July 1948

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inquiry

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

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1. Reference is made to Private Herman H. LIDSKY, 36 781 425, killed in action 9 October 1944, near Dornot, Germany.
2. No definitive burial information contained in records this headquarters for subject deceased.
3. The inclosed inquiry from the mother of subject deceased, is forwarded for any action deemed necessary. The inquirer has been informed of this reference.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl
Ltr, dtd 19 May 48
w/translation

Joseph E. McCluskey
 JOSEPH E. McCLUSKEY
 1st Lt, QMC
 Actg Asst Adj Gen



HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 88 U S ARMY

12 July 1948 (LIDSKY, Herman H.--38 781 483)

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inquiry

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

1. Reference is made to Private Herman H. LIDSKY, 38 781 483, killed in action 9 October 1944, near Bornot, Germany.
2. No definitive burial information contained in records this headquarters for subject deceased.
3. The enclosed inquiry from the mother of subject deceased, is forwarded for any action deemed necessary. The inquiry has been informed of this reference.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

JOSEPH E. McCLURE
1st Lt.
Aptg Asst Adj Gen

Incl 1
Ltr, dtd 19 May 48
Transmittal



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MEMORIAL DIVISION
FAMILY CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH

DATE 7/21/48

TO: Identification Branch

FROM: Family Letters Section

SUBJECT: Case Name Lidsky, Herman 36781 425 - PVT

Request situation paragraph, and cemetery if appropriate,
applicable to this case,

W. Bellamy

TO: IN

No burial information. See negative report from Field.

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27 July 1948

Findings of non-recoverability have not been received from the field
to date.

W. Bellamy
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TRANSLATION

CHICAGO II, 19 May 1948

TO: Chaplain of Thiaucourt

Having been informed that the American soldiers killed in September 1944, on the territory of Dornot, were transferred in the cemetery of Thiaucourt, I would like to know if my son, killed at that time, is interred in this cemetery.

His name was: Herman H. LIDSKY, ASN 36 781 425, Comp. E. 11e Infantry Regiment.

I will appreciate very much all information you could give me. Thanking you in advance I am

Sincerely yours,

Signed: Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
CHICAGO, Illinois

CHICAGO II, le 19 Mai 1948

Monsieur le Curé *of Thiaucourt*

Ayant été avisée que les soldats américains tués en
Septembre 1944, sur le territoire de la commune de Dornot
ont été transférés dans le cimetière de Thiaucourt, je vous
serais très obligée et reconnaissante de me faire savoir si
mon fils tué a cette époque, est enterré dans ce cimetière.

Son nom était : Herman H. LIDSKY, N° matricule
36 781 425 Compagnie E IIe regiment d'infanterie

Avec mes remerciements, veuillez agréer, Monsieur
le Curé, l'expression de mes meilleurs sentiments

Rose Lidsky

Mme Rose LIDSKY
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
CHICAGO, Illinois

293 Lidsky, Herman H. 36781425

5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago Ill.

June 9, 1948

Ref. QMGMF 293

Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 28 informing me that no information has been yet received in regard to recovery of the remains of my son.

I wish to express to you my sincere thanks for your efforts, and it is my deep hope that through your continued and intensive search, it will be possible to recover re-bury the remains of my son.

You certainly will understand how anxious I feel to know something positive about the matter, and hope that you will continue with your assistance

I remain yours very respectfully,

Rose Lidsky

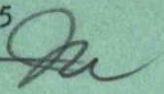
Rose Lidsky

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Major Richard B. Coombs
Memorial Division
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington 25 DC

QMGMF 293
Lidsky, Herman H., ASN 36 781 425



28 May 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

Your letter to the Mayor of Dornot, France, concerning the remains of your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been forwarded to this office for reply.

With deep regret, I must inform you that no information has been received in this office indicating that the remains of your son have been recovered.

A continuous and intensive search is being made of the area in which he died, and it is my sincere hope that it will be possible to recover and rebury the remains of your son, in an established Military Cemetery. Meanwhile, please rest assured that, when a report is received, I will inform you immediately.

Please rest assured that we will assist you in every possible man-

ner.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division



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Lidasky, Herman H., ASN 36 781 425
CHOMB 293

28 May 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidasky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidasky:

Your letter to the Mayor of Detroit, France, concerning the remains of your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidasky, has been forwarded to this office for reply.

With deep regret, I must inform you that no information has been received in this office indicating that the remains of your son have been recovered.

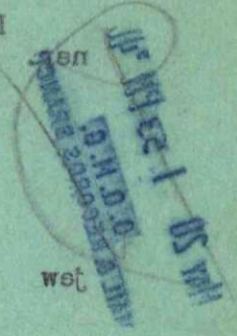
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Please rest assured that we will assist you in every possible manner.

Sincerely yours,



RICHARD B. ...
Major, GPO
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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle)		GRADE	SERIAL NUMBER	
<i>Lidsky, Herman H.</i>		<i>Priv.</i>	<i>36 781 425</i>	
PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)		PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)		PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
ADDRESSEE		ADDRESS (Street, City, State)		
MR. MISS MRS. <i>Rose Lidsky</i>		<i>5238 Woodlawn Avenue</i>		
RELATIONSHIP		<i>Chicago, Illinois</i>		
<i>Mother</i>				

PARAGRAPHS (Sequence)	ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS
	<p><i>your letter to the mayor of Dornot, France, concerning the remains of your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been forwarded to this office for reply.</i></p> <p><i>omit (the late —)</i></p>

ANALYST INITIALS AND DATE	TYPIST INITIALS	REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE
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MEMORIAL DIVISION
FAMILY CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH

DATE 19 May

TO: Identification Branch

FROM: Family Letters Section

SUBJECT: Case Name Lidsky, Herman H.

Request situation paragraph, and cemetery if appropriate, 36781425
applicable to this case.

*No information in ID Section regarding Pvt.
Lidskye*

*Stanton
Idem. Sec.
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24 May 1948

Findings of non-recoverability have not been received from the field to date.

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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

RRE 293.3

7 May 1948

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inquiry

TO: The Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D C

⁹² 1. The attached letter from Mrs. Lidsky concerning
Pvt Herman H. LIDSKY, 36 781 425, is forwarded for such
action as you may deem appropriate.

2. The inquirer has been informed of this reference.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Joseph E. McCluskey
JOSEPH E. McCLUSKEY
1st Lt, Inf
Actg Asst Adj Gen

1 Incl
Ltr fr Mrs. Lidsky
dtd 7 April 1948



HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 88 U S ARMY

9 MAY 1948

RAE 893.3

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inquiry

TO: The Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

1. The attached letter from Mrs. Lidzky concerning
Pvt Herman H. LIDZKY, SS 301 482, is forwarded for such
action as you may deem appropriate.

2. The inquiry has been forwarded of this reference.
FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

[Handwritten signature]
Lieutenant Colonel
Adjutant General

1 Incl
Ltr fr Mrs. Lidzky
dtd 7 April 1948



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Return address:
Mrs. Rose LIDSKY
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Chicago, Illinois
7 April 1948

Dear Mayor,

I am the mother of the American soldier Herman LIDSKY, 36781425, Co E, 11 Regt, Inf, who was killed on September 10, 1944, in a battle near Dornot. My son was killed on the bridgehead, which was established on the other side of the Moselle.

I do not know where the remains of my son are and I should be grateful if you would kindly inform me whether a soldier by that name is buried in the cemetery of your commune or a neighbouring village.

Sincerely yours,

signed: Rose Lidsky

Indorsement by the Mayor:

Transmitted to American Registration Command, rue Gambetta, Nancy, for necessary action.

The inquirer has been informed by me that no American soldier is buried in our commune.

Dornot, 12 April 1948

The Mayor

signed: Bado

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Mrs. Rose LIDSKY
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
CHICAGO, Illinois.

CHICAGO 11, le 7 Avril 1948.

*Unresolved case
Moselle 779*

Monsieur Le Maire,

Je suis la mère du soldat Américain LIDSKY (Herman)
Numéro Matricule : 36 781 425, Compagnie E, Onzième Régiment
d'Infanterie, qui a été tué le 10 Septembre 1944 dans un com-
bat près de Dornot. Mon fils a été tué sur la tête de pont qui
était établie de l'autre côté de la Moselle.

Je ne sais pas où se trouvent les restes de mon fils
et vous serais reconnaissante de vouloir bien me faire savoir
si un soldat de ce nom est enterré dans le cimetière de votre
Commune ou d'un Village avoisinant.

Avec mes remerciements, je vous prie de croire,
Monsieur le Maire, à l'assurance de mes meilleurs sentiments.

Rose Lidsky

*transmis a "American Register
Command rue Gambetta Nancy
a toute fin utile -*

*La demande a été avisé par mes soins
qu'il n'y a aucun soldat Américain d'enterré
sur le territoire de notre Commune -*

DORNOT le 12.4.48

Le Maire

M. André



*Unresolved Case
(Moselle 779)*

QMGT 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

293 *[Handwritten signature]*

8 March 1948

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Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

An inquiry has been received recently from Mr. Curtis C. Gallagher, pertaining to the remains of your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

With deep regret I must inform you that, as yet, no information pertaining to the burial of the remains of your son has been received in this office.

Units of the American Graves Registration Service are continuing their intensive search of the area in which he died. Please rest assured that when a report of the recovery and burial of the remains of your son is received, I will inform you immediately.

Please be assured that we will exert every possible effort to assist you in this circumstance.

Sincerely yours,

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RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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Library, Herman H.
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8 March 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
2238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

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Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, GND
Memorial Division



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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Mr. Miss. Addressee: Mrs. Rose Lidsky Mother
Relationship

State 5238 Woodlawn Avenue

City, State Chicago, Illinois Date letter '47

Cemetery Temporary: _____

Permanent: _____
Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

PARAGRAPHS (sequence) -- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

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Mr. Curtis C. Gallagher

Decedent: Lidsky Norman H 1st Lt 36281425
Last First Initial Rank ASN

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The Adjutant General's Office,
War Department,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sirs:-

I am writing
in behalf of Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Ave, a Gold Star
Mother, regarding the definite
location of the grave of her
son, Herman H. Lidsky A.I.F.S
D-C-201 - killed in action at
Dowry Ranch, ⁽¹⁹⁴⁴⁾ Mrs. Lidsky
is fully aware her son is
dead, but her main ambi-
tion is to learn where he
is buried - so that is might
visit his grave. This is the
most important thing - concerning
these correspondents, and also
be a big relief of her mind
This is most distracting

to her many friends and
the friends that knew
her son will also appreciate
this information at your
earliest convenience.

Thanking you for
past correspondence I
am,

Very truly yours
Mr. Curtis C. Gallagher

Address to
Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Ave
Chicago Ill.

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Herman H. Lidsky
~~Army Serial No 86-781-425~~

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CAMP 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

19 February 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

A letter written in your behalf by Mr. V. Broderson, Corresponding Secretary, American Gold Star Mothers, Inc., 1108 West 80th Street, Chicago 20, Illinois, to The Adjutant General, pertaining to your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been referred to this office for reply.

Units of the American Graves Registration Service are now engaged in careful searching operations and expending every effort to locate the remains of deceased Americans. As yet, however, no report has been received that the remains of your son have been discovered.

Every means possible and every known method is followed to recover missing decedents, including data obtained from captured enemy records, reports submitted by various commanding officers and fellow soldiers, and reports based upon the interrogation of returned prisoners of war. No effort is considered too great, and meticulous attention is given to the smallest details.

I, too, sincerely hope that this intensive search will result in the discovery and positive identification of the remains of your son. Please rest assured that I will inform you immediately upon receipt of any further information.

May I extend my sympathy to you in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

E. V. FREEMAN
Colonel, GSC
Memorial Division



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cc: Mr. V. Broderson
Corresponding Secretary
American Gold Star Mothers, Inc.
1108 West 80th Street
Chicago 20, Illinois

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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LADSKY, Herman H.
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19 February 1948

Mrs. Rose Ladsky
2238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Ladsky:

A letter written in your behalf by Mr. V. Broderson, Corresponding Secretary, American Gold Star Mothers, Inc., 1108 West 80th Street, Chicago 20, Illinois, to the Adjutant General, pertaining to your son, the late Private Herman H. Ladsky, has been referred to this office for reply.

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I extend my sympathy to you in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

R. V. Broderson
Colonel,
Memorial Division



cc: Mr. V. Broderson
Corresponding Secretary
American Gold Star Mothers, Inc.
1108 West 80th Street
Chicago 20, Illinois

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Mr.
Miss.
Addressee: Mrs. Rose Lidsky mother
Relationship
State 5238 Woodlawn Avenue
City, State Chicago, Illinois '47
Date letter
Cemetery
Temporary: _____
Permanent: _____
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PARAGRAPHS (sequence)

-- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

A letter written in your behalf by

cc: Ms. V. Broderson, Corresponding Secretary
American Gold Star Mothers, Inc.
1108 West 80th Street
Chicago 20, Illinois

to The AG pertaining to your son, the late-----has been referred to this office for reply.

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Decedent: Lidsky, Norman
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AGRS-DC-S 201 Lidsky, Herman H.
(26 Nov 47)

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10 February 1948

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

I have received a letter written in your behalf by the Secretary of the Cook County Chapter, American Gold Star Mothers, Inc., stating that you are desirous of obtaining detailed information relative to your son's death and place of burial.

The records show that Herman H. Lidsky, Army serial number 36 781 425, while serving as a private, Company E, 11th Infantry Regiment, and participating in battle near Dornot, France, was killed in action 10 September 1944. It was reported that Private Lidsky was a member of an advance element on a mission to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River. Heavy enemy machine gun, mortar and artillery fire was encountered, and your son was fatally wounded by shell fragments while defending the bridgehead. The names of the soldiers who were in the advance element with your son are not of record in this office. I regret that no further details regarding the circumstances attending his death have been received in this office.

I have communicated your inquiry regarding your son's place of burial to The Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D. C., who has jurisdiction over all matters of that nature.

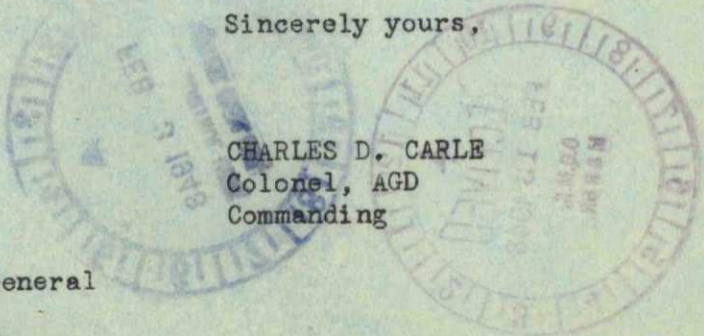
Allow me to express my sympathy in the great loss that you have sustained.

Sincerely yours,

CHARLES D. CARLE
Colonel, AGD
Commanding

Copy for:

The Quartermaster General
Memorial Division
Washington 25, D. C.



10 February 1948

AGRS-DC-2-201 Lidsky, Herman H. (26 Nov 47)

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

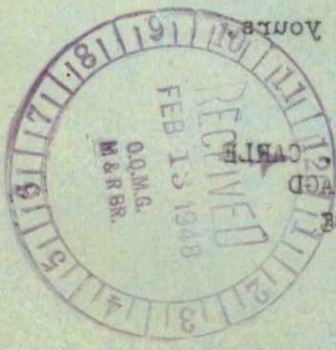
I have received a letter written in your behalf by the Secretary of the Cook County Chapter, American Gold Star Mothers, Inc., stating that you are desirous of obtaining detailed information relative to your son's death and place of burial.

The records show that Herman H. Lidsky, Army serial number 36 781 425, while serving as a private, Company E, 11th Infantry Regiment, and participating in battle near Dornot, France, was killed in action 10 September 1944. It was reported that Private Lidsky was a member of an advance element on a mission to establish a bridgehead across the Moselle River. Heavy enemy machine gun, mortar and artillery fire was encountered, and your son was fatally wounded by shell fragments while defending the bridgehead. The names of the soldiers who were in the advance element with your son are not of record in this office. I regret that no further details regarding the circumstances attending his death have been received in this office.

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Allow me to express my sympathy in the great loss that you have sustained.

Sincerely yours,



Copy for:
The Quartermaster General
Memorial Division
Washington 25, D. C.

AMERICAN GOLD STAR MOTHERS, INC.
Cook County Chapter

26 November 1947

Adjutant General
War Department
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

We are writing to you in behalf of one of our Gold Star Mothers, Mrs. Rose Lidsky, 5238 Woodlawn Ave., Chicago, Ill. It seems her son

Pvt. Herman Lidsky
Company E, 11th Inf
5th Division

was killed in action September 10th 1944 in France, and she has been advised there is no record of his grave.

We are wondering if it would be possible to get the name and address of some of the boys in his Company and perhaps she could correspond with them and they might be able to tell her something of her son's death. It would greatly relieve her mind and we would appreciate anything that could be done for her.

We do not have his serial number, but if it is necessary am sure we could get it.

If this letter is not addressed to the proper person, please forward it to the right person for attention.

Thanking you very much, we are

Sincerely yours,

AMERICAN GOLD STAR MOTHERS, INC.

/s/ V. Broderson
Corresponding Secretary

1108 W. 80th Street
Chicago 20, Ill.

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(Moselle) 6802

(Basic: Ltr Dpt of the Army, OQMG, QMGMM 293, Lidsky, Herman H., SN 36 781 425, dated 9 October 1947)

RRE 293.9 (IB) 1st Ind

Hq American Graves Registration Command, European Area, APO 58 US Army, 26 November 1947

TO: The Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D. C.

1. Inclosed herewith all documents pertaining to negative report from the field on investigation conducted for the recovery of the remains of Private Herman H. Lidsky, ASN 36 781 425.

2. Continued effort will be made to associate Unknowns interred in US Military Cemeteries with subject deceased.

3. For your information.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Walter B. Morrow
WALTER B. MORROW
Major, Infantry
Actg Asst Adj Gen

Incls

- 1. Cy Ltr 4444 Sv Co dtd 31 Jan 47
- 2. Ten (10) statements (Boda, A.Louis, J. Louis, H.Guernier, E.Poncin, C. Briot, M.Lehalle, L.Merfeld, Mrs Kinsinger, E.Bazin)
- 3. Cy Diary - 29 Jan 47
- 4. Ditto - Carpentier



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AIRMAIL
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
~~WAR DEPARTMENT~~
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
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In Reply Refer To
QMGM 293
LIDSKY, HERMAN H.
SN 36781425

9 OCTOBER 1947

SUBJECT: Additional Information That May Lead to the Recovery
and Identification of Remains Not Yet Accounted For

TO: Commanding General
American Graves Registration Command
European Area
APO 58, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. There is attached hereto, five copies QMG Form 371
(covering all available information in the Office of the Quartermaster
General and is in addition to any previous information forwarded by
this office to your headquarters) for the following deceased individual:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>SERIAL NO.</u>
LIDSKY, HERMAN H.	PVT	36781425

2. It is requested that information on the above deceased be
furnished this office in accordance with provisions of Letter, The
Adjutant General's Office, file AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47) D-M, subject
Establishment of Boards of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead
Overseas, dated 9 April 1947.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Incl
Form 371 (5 cys)

James C. Mac Farland
JAMES C. MAC FARLAND
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

AIRMAIL

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Case 284

(Moselle) 6802

File 284

4444 SERVICE COMPANY (AG) THIRD ZONE
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN THEATER AREA
APO 887 (Nancy) US ARMY

31 Jan 1947.

SUBJECT: Investigation on Case 284 regarding Pvt. Herman H. LIDSKY,
36781425.
TO : Commanding Officer Third Zone AGRC, ETA, APO 887,
(Nancy) U.S. Army.
ATTN : Operations Officer.

1. A thorough investigation conducted in and near the village of DORNOT (Meurthe & Moselle), France, later on extending to the towns of THIAUCOURT and GORZE as a result of leads obtained during the search, failed to disclose any valuable information as to the whereabouts of the remains of subject deceased.

2. It was learned that there never had been American graves in the commune of Dornot. When it was brought up by the town officials that American deceased during combat had probably been evacuated to Thiaucourt, this town was also visited. However, the interrogation of town officials there was also negative.

3. St. Catherine's farm, noted in basic communication from AGRC to be one quarter of a mile East of Dornot, was finally located 3 miles N.W. of said town. The farmer's wife referred investigator to the Mayor of Gorze who stated that he had a visit in 1946 from a relative of Pvt. Lidsky who had made an investigation on his own at St. Catherine's farm, which had also been of a negative nature.

4. Attention is invited to attached statements and copy of investigator's diaries.

LOUIS A. BOCKSTAHLER
2nd Lt. Inf.
Commanding

Incls:
10 statements
2 diaries

L. A. Bockstahler
1 Feb 47

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Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

Republic of France
Dept. Moselle
District Metz-Campagne
Canton of Gorze
Town Hall of DORNOT

Dornot, 29 Jan 1947.

STATEMENT

I, the undersigned, BODA Henri, Mayor of Dornot, certify that I do not have any knowledge concerning the American soldier Herman H. LIDSKY, 36781425, who has been killed in the territory of the commune on the 10th of September 1944.

Some American soldiers were killed here during the war activities but they were immediately removed by members of their unit. The name of Herman H. LIDSKY does not appear in the records of the registrar's office of the commune. There are no more American graves in this commune or its territory. There has never been any disinterment of American bodies in the territory of the commune by AGRC.

Town Stamp

/s/ Boda

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

Gerda C. Pruys
GERDA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

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Case # 281.

(Moselle)
6802

Dornot, 29 Jan 1947.

STATEMENT

I, the undersigned, LOUIS Antoine, pensionary railways, living at DORNOT (Moselle) certify that I do not know anything about the American soldier Herman H. LIDSKY, who was killed on the 10th of September 1944 in the territory of this commune.

The American soldiers who were killed here during the battle, were evacuated immediately after the war activities.

/s/ A. Louis

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

Gerda C. Pruys
GERDA C. PRUYS
WB Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

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Case # 204

(Mogelle)
6802

Dornot, 29 Jan 1947.

STATEMENT

I, the undersigned, LOUIS Jean, employee S.N.C.F. (French railways), living at DORNOT, certify that I never heard of the American soldier Herman H. LIDSEY, 36781125, who has been killed here on the 10th of September 1944.

The soldiers who were killed in this place were evacuated in the course of the month of December 1944. I was expelled from here during the war activities; I came back in the month of December 1944. When I returned to my house I only found a small list with some American names; I gave this slip today to the representative of the American Army.

There are no more American graves in this commune or its territory.

/s/ J. Louis

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

Gerda C. Pruys
GERDA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

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Hester*

Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

Dornot, 29 Jan 1947.

STATEMENT

I, the undersigned, GUERNIER Henri, wine-merchant, living at DORNOT, certify that I have never heard of the American soldier Herman H. LIDSKEY, 36781125, killed during the war activities in this area on the 10th of September 1944.

I know there were American soldiers killed here but they were evacuated already in December 1944.

There are no more American graves in this commune or its territory.

/s/ Guernier Henri

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

Gerda C. Pruys
GERDA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

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Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

Dornot, 29 Jan 1947

STATEMENT

I, the undersigned, PONGIN Baile, wine-merchand, living at DORNOT, certify that I do not know anything about the American soldier Herman H. LIDSKY, who was killed here in the month of September 1944 during the war activities.

The only thing I know is that the American soldiers who were killed in this place were evacuated in December 1944.

There are no other American graves in this commune or in its territory.

/s/ Poncin Baile

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

Gerda C. Pruys
GERDA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

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Shinton*

Case # 281

(Moselle)
6802

Dornot, 29 Jan 1947.

STATEMENT

I, the undersigned, BRIOT Clotaire, wine-merchant, living at Dornot, certify that I do not have any knowledge concerning the American soldier Herman H. LIDSKY, who was killed in action here on the 10th of September 1944.

I declare that there are no American graves in the commune or in its territory. The American soldiers who were killed during the combat were already evacuated in December 1944.

/s/ C. Briot

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

Gerda C. Pruys
GERDA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

*File
12/10/47
Stanley*

Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

I, the undersigned, LEHALLE Mathilde, Town hall's secretary at THIAUCOURT, certify that in the records of the commune there do not appear any names of American soldiers killed in this area.

As I stayed in Thiaucourt during the hostilities I can certify that all the American deceased, removed from the front line during the combat, were evacuated from this area. They were probably transported to the cemetery of Liney by American troops.

Moreover I declare that I have never known of the grave at the name of Pvt. Herman H. LIDSKY.

Made at Thiaucourt, 30 January 1947.

The Secretary:

Town Stamp

/s/ M. Lehalle

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

Gerrald Pruy
GERDA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
translator

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12/17/47
Stanton*

Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

I, the undersigned, Mr. MERFELD Louis, rural policeman at THIAUCOURT (M & M) declare that I was here at the time of the hostilities and especially during the combats which took place from September to December 1944.

There was an American field hospital here in which the wounded were taken care of. As for the dead, there were none left here and as far as I know they were all removed to the cemetery of Limey.

I declare moreover that I do not have any knowledge on the subject of a grave existing in this area at the name of Pvt. Herman H. LIDSKY. I can also certify that there is no isolated burial in the territory of Thiaucourt.

Made at Thiaucourt on the 30th of January 1947.

/s/ Merfeld

Mr. Merfeld Louis
Rural Policeman

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

Gerda C. Pruys
GERDA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

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Stanton*

Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

I, the undersigned, Mrs. KINSINGER Aline, in the absence of my husband, farmer at the Sainte Catherine farm in the commune of GORZE (Moselle) (about 5 km from Dornot) declare that I was visited before by an American team locating the graves of U.S. soldiers.

As we were evacuated from the 4th of September until the 1st of December 1944, we were not here during the fighting. I advise you to go to the town hall of Gorze where you will certainly be furnished some accurate information.

Made at the Ste Catherine Farm,
on the 30th of January 1947.

/s/ Mrs Kinsinger

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION

Germa C. Pruys
GERMA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

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12/15/47
Shenton*

Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

I, the undersigned, Mr. BAZIN Eugene, Mayor of GORZE, declare that in the course of 1946 I was visited by an American soldier who said he was a relative of a U.S. soldier belonging to the 11th Regt. Inf. and who was said to be buried at the St. Catherine farm.

After the combat, in December 1944, I was informed that there were some hillocks, which looked like graves, in the garden of the Chateau Ste Catherine - one of them was marked by a wooden cross and an American helmet. I sent the soldier to that place.

Certainly this relative conducted an investigation and when he came back he told me that there must be a mistake or maybe somebody made a joke. Nothing could be found and very likely there is only the question of the presence of latrines made by the Americans.

I declare that afterwards (last spring) I signed two statements certifying that there is no isolated burial of American soldiers in the territory of the commune, which I herewith confirm.

Made at Gorze, 30 Jan 1947.

Town Stamp

The Mayor:

/s/ E. Bazin

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION

Gerda C. Pruys
GERDA C. PRUYS
WD Dutch Civ. 10256
Translator

*File
12/10/47
Stanton*

Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

D I A R Y

29 January 1947.

Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky - 36781425.

0845 - Departed to Dornot (Moselle) in order to investigate this case.

0945 - Met Mr. Boda, the mayor of the village who stated that he could not give me any information concerning subject deceased. The soldiers who were killed in and around the commune had been evacuated right after the battle. He stated that the name did not exist in the records of the registrar of the town.

1030 - Mr. Louis Antoine was contacted, who stated that he never heard of Lidsky. He said that all soldiers killed in action in the vicinity had been transported probably to Thiaucourt immediately after the fighting. His son, Mr. Louis Jean stated the same and handed me an emergency-tag book, which he found upon returning in the house after the battle.

1045 - Mr. Guernier, who was contacted later on, gave also a negative statement.

1115 - Met Mr. Poncin who said that he never heard of subject deceased. He stated that there were no American graves in the commune or its territory.

1130 - Mr. Briot, the last inhabitant interrogated, stated that the name Lidsky was unfamiliar to him and that the soldiers killed in the battle had been evacuated right after the war activities, probably to Thiaucourt.

All of the persons interrogated are working in the fields and woods around Dornot, and stated that it was not probable that American remains could still be present on the territory of Dornot. They also stated that the AGRC never removed any American bodies from this area. The Mayor thought it possible that subject deceased could have been drowned in the Moselle which is very deep at this spot.

I returned to Nancy at 1145.

A certified true copy
of Mr. BAST's diary.

LOUIS A. BOCKSTAHLER
2nd Lt. Inf.
Commanding

*File
1/21/47
Hunt*

Case # 284

(Moselle)
6802

DIARY

1330 - Departed to Thiaucourt (Moselle) for further information on above case. Called at townhall and contacted Miss Lehalle, Mathilde, mairie's secretary from whom I secured a written statement. She declares that all American dead were taken to Limey cemetery (U.S.). No isolated grave on territory of Thiaucourt.

Also a similar statement secured from Mr. Merfeld, Louis, local policeman who also assures that there is no isolated burial in the commune of Thiaucourt.

1515 - Proceeded North East of Thiaucourt towards Dornot in order to locate farm Sainte-Catherine which is situated on territory of Gorze (some 5 kilom. N.W. of Dornot) on road leading from Noveant to Gorze.

1540 - Interviewed farmer's wife and son, Madame Kinsinger, Aline. They both state that when they returned from evacuation on 1st December 1944, they had the surprise to find in the back garden of the chateau a space about 15 to 20 square yards where the ground had been dug out. Also their attention was drawn by the presence of a wooden cross with an American helmet on top. This, of course, in their mind did not mean there should be an American body interred therein. They made no reference to the visit of private LIDSKY's brother of which I was informed later on. (We checked serial No. printed inside helmet found in garden: S. 5588). Mme Kinsinger and her son therefore advised me to apply to Gorze townhall for further information. (Written statement herewith).

1600 - Started for Gorze (about one mile W. of Ste Catherine Farm). Contacted Monsieur Bazin, mayor who confirmed above declaration. He actually mentioned the visit made by Private Herman H. Lidsky's relative whom he remembered afterwards to be his brother. Mr. Bazin, in possession of aforesaid details, made arrangements for his visitor to see for himself the spot presumed to be "a grave". Monsieur Bazin's belief is that the American relative must have made a thorough search at the time and that it is not likely there is any remains of any U.S. soldier buried in the garden of farm Sainte-Catherine. Mr. Bazin has signed a written statement to that effect.

1720 - Left Gorze for Nancy.

A certified true copy
of Mr. CARPENTIER's diary.

LOUIS A. BOCKSTAHLER
2nd Lt. Inf.
Commanding

*File
12/15/42
Brock*

AIRMAIL
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

~~WAR DEPARTMENT~~
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

9 OCTOBER 1947

In Reply Refer To
OQMG 293
LIDSKY, HERMAN H.
SN 36781425

SUBJECT: Additional Information That May Lead to the Recovery
and Identification of Remains Not Yet Accounted For

TO: Commanding General
American Graves Registration Command
European Area
APO 58, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. There is attached hereto, five copies OQMG Form 371
(covering all available information in the Office of the Quartermaster
General and is in addition to any previous information forwarded by
this office to your headquarters) for the following deceased individual:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>SERIAL NO.</u>
LIDSKY, HERMAN H.	PVT	36781425

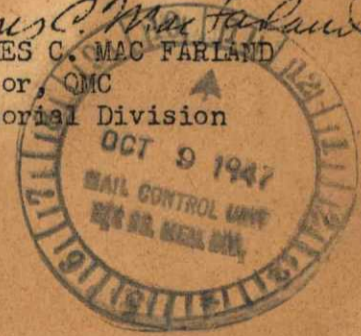
2. It is requested that information on the above deceased be
furnished this office in accordance with provisions of Letter, The
Adjutant General's Office, file AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47) D-M, subject
Establishment of Boards of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead
Overseas, dated 9 April 1947.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Incl
Form 371 (5 cys)

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James C. Mac Farland
JAMES C. MAC FARLAND
Major, OMC
Memorial Division



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AIRMAIL





ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

24 Lidsky, Herman H.

PUM/BH/ed
10 January 1947

IN REPLY REFER TO 255344

(Put 1)

Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. O'Brien:

A copy of your letter of 12 December to The Adjutant General at Washington, written on behalf of Mrs. H. H. Lidsky, 501 South Central Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, has been referred to the Army Effects Bureau, for attention to that portion concerning the personal effects of her husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky.

No property of this soldier was received here. Upon receipt of a previous inquiry from Mrs. Lidsky, tracer action was instituted by this Bureau in October, 1945, in an effort to locate his personal effects. Response from the American Graves Registration Command in the European Area stated no inventory of effects had been submitted by Private Lidsky's organization and no burial report was on file to indicate whether effects were found on his person. This Bureau then requested a search of retained unit records at the Organization Records Branch, AGO, St. Louis, Missouri, receiving a report that no information relative to this soldier's effects was found. A request to The Quartermaster General at Washington for a search of burial records there brought the response that an official burial report had not yet been received.

Since Private Lidsky was an infantryman, likely he carried all his personal possessions with him. In spite of precautions, it was sometimes impossible to recover personal property in battle areas because of the severity and inevitable confusion of combat operations or the presence of enemy souvenir hunters prior to the time that United States military personnel could reach the scene and find, identify, and safeguard the property.

I regret that I cannot render a more favorable report at this time. If information regarding these effects is received here later, you will be notified.

Sincerely,

P. U. MAXEY
Lt Col, QMC
Effects Quartermaster

No file in H.A. Dep. Effects Bureau 16 Jan 47

Army Effects Bureau
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1,
Kansas City 1, Missouri

293 Lidsky, Herman H.

SUBJECT: Personal effects of
Private Herman H. Lidsky

1. For necessary action and direct reply
to Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien.

- 3 Incls:
- 1. Cy ltr fm Hon. O'Brien HINMAN
 - 2. Cy ltr fm Rudolph Desort (6057)
 - 3. Cy reply to Hon. O'Brien
fm OQMI

Memorial Division
Liaison Branch

4 Jan 1947
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MAIL & RECORDS DIV.

QMGL 298
Lidsky, Herman H.
Pvt., ASN 36 781 425

6 January 1947

420 / Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien
House of Representatives

Dear Mr. O'Brien:

The Adjutant General has forwarded to this office for reply a copy of your letter dated 12 December 1946 with inclosure regarding the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

Up to the present time no burial report on Private Lidsky has been received in this office. A radio has been sent to the Commanding Officer, European Theater Area, requesting that this office be furnished any available information regarding this case. Upon receipt of this information, you will be promptly advised.

A copy of your letter has been forwarded to the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, for direct reply regarding the personal effects of Private Lidsky, as such matters come under the jurisdiction of that office.

Your interest in this matter is appreciated.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

WM. J. McDONALD
Colonel, QMC
Assistant



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MEMORIAL DIVISION

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QMG FORM 638
1 SEP 1946

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

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1 NO.	2 FROM-	3 TO-	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
	Liaison Pr. Mem.	R+R Pr. Ident Sec. Mem.	12/26	293 Lidsky, Herman Lt. Pot. For information as to present status of attached case in order to reply to Representative Thomas J. O'Brien. Bayer
	Ident.	R.R. Div.	12/27/46	No record of burial information in Identification Section this date. gurek 12/27/46
	R+R Colls	Liaison Branch Med. Dir.	30 Dec 46.	Inclosed copy of ltr & radio are forwarded for your information. Lolson

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WAR DEPARTMENT
ARMY SERVICE FORCES

TRANSMITTAL SHEET

TO	Director, Memorial Division, OQMG, Rm 2035 Tempo B, Washington, D.C.	
	(Service, division, or organization)	(Location)
DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED COMMUNICATION	(Branch or unit)	(Attention)
	Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien, House of Representatives, 12 Dec 46	
	(Originator) (Addressee) (Date)	
FROM	Private Herman H. Lidsky, 36 781 425, AGPO-CG 201	
	(Subject) (File No.)	
	Personnel Actions Branch, Casualty Section, Rm 1E 515 The Pentagon	
	(Service, division, or organization) (Location) (Telephone) 4494	

For further direct reply to the foregoing copies of correspondence from the Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien, House of Representatives, who has been informally advised of this reference, relative to the personal effects and recovery and burial of the remains, as well as the location of the grave, of Private Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, who was killed in action in France on 10 September 1944.

2 Inclosures
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 Cpy ltr dtd 10 Dec 46 (Dup)

R. C.
CLARK MARSHALL
 Major, A.G.D.



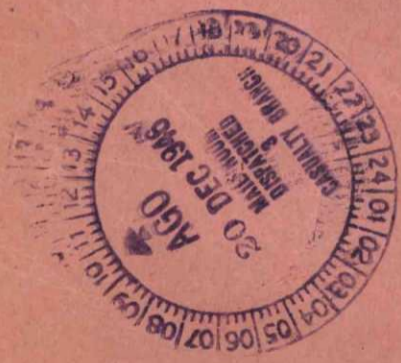
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293 Lidsky, Herman H. Pvt.
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TO
 FROM
 Director, Army Medical Department, 4800 ...
 Honorable James J. ...
 Private ...

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Director, Memorial Division, OQMG, Rm 2035 Tempo B, Washington, D.C.

Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien, House of Representatives, 12 Dec 46

Private Herman H. Lidsky, 36 781 425, AGPO-CG 201

Personnel Actions Branch, Casualty Section, Rm 1E 515 The Pentagon
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THOMAS J. O'BRIEN
Representative from Illinois
6th District
Chicago

Member:
Committee on Ways and Means

(Special)
Post-War Economics
Policy and Planning

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

December
12
1946

Adjutant General, U. S. Army
War Department
Washington 25, D. C.

Sir :

Attached communication received this date from the Honorable Rudolph F. Desort, Judge, Chicago, Ill, concerning his interest in Mrs. H. H. Lidsky of 501 South Central Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, who is desirous of obtaining information regarding her husband, Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, Serial #36781425, Company E, 11th Infantry, 5th Division, who was killed on the Mosel River in France on September 10, 1944, and is sent for sympathetic consideration.

I shall appreciate hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Thomas J. O'Brien

~~/t/~~ THOMAS J. O'BRIEN MC.

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SUPERIOR COURT OF COOK COUNTY

RUDOLPH F. DESORT, JUDGE

In Chambers

Chicago

December 10, 1946.

Hon. Thomas J. O'Brien,
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

My dear Congressman O'Brien:

Mrs. H. H. Lidsky, of 501 South Central Avenue,
Chicago, of your District, is the widow of
Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, of 501 South Central Avenue,
Chicago, Serial #36781425, Company E, 11th Infantry,
5th Division, who was killed on the Mosel River in
France on September 10, 1944. She is anxious to know
where her husband's grave is located. She has written
to the War Department several times for this information
but without success. She has not received any of his
personal effects as yet.

Will you kindly use your good offices in her behalf?

Thanking you, I am, with kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Rudolph Desort

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O. Q. M. G. ROUTING SLIP

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From _____

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#244
5-7 Jan

QMCNR 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

30 December 1946

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Mrs. H. H. Lidsky
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This office is desirous of furnishing you the latest information concerning the recovery of the remains of your husband, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

It is regretted that up to the present time a report of burial for your husband has not been received. In an effort to obtain the latest information concerning the search for his remains, this office sent a radio to the Commanding Officer, European Theater Area, requesting all information which the Graves Registration Service in that area might have. Upon completion of this investigation you will be informed of the results.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

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O. J. MURRAY
Major, OMC

QMGOD 293, Lidsky, Herman H.
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WD, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C. 21 November 1946

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave.,
Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

GRS Form No. 1, covering burial of Pvt. Lidsky has not been received in
this office. When this report is received, an answer will be made to your
inquiry.

FOR THE QUARtermaster GENERAL:

GUY B. KIBBLEY
Major, QMG
Assistant

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
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KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

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SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO: The Quartermaster General
Effects Section
Depot Operations Branch
Field Service Division
Washington 25, D. C.

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1. The Army Effects Bureau has received an inquiry concerning the personal effects of Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, Pvt, killed in action in the European Area, 10 September 1944. Records here indicate decedent formerly was a member of Co. E, 11th Inf, 5th Div. 3rd Army.
2. A check of Bureau records and those of the European Theater Area fails to disclose any information indicating the recovery of property of decedent.
3. It is requested that burial record of this soldier be checked to ascertain whether any effects were found at the time of burial. If so, request this Bureau be furnished a list of such effects and information relative to disposition made thereof.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

P. U. MAXEY
Lt Col, OMC
Effects Quartermaster

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36 781 425

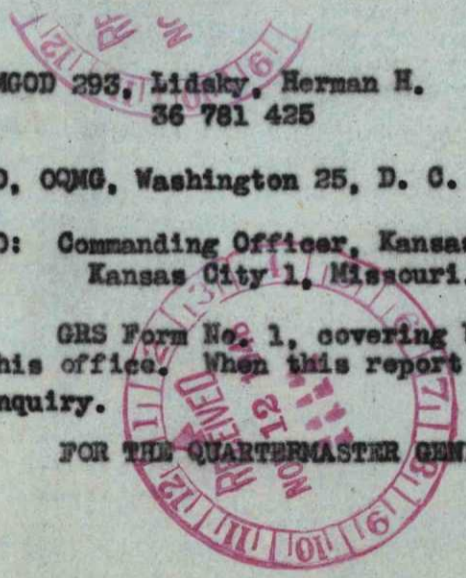
WD, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C. 21 November 1946

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave.,
Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

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FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

GUY B. KEGLEY
Major, OMC
Assistant





ARMY SERVICE FORCES
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FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

P. U. MAXY
Lt Col, GPO
Effects Quartermaster

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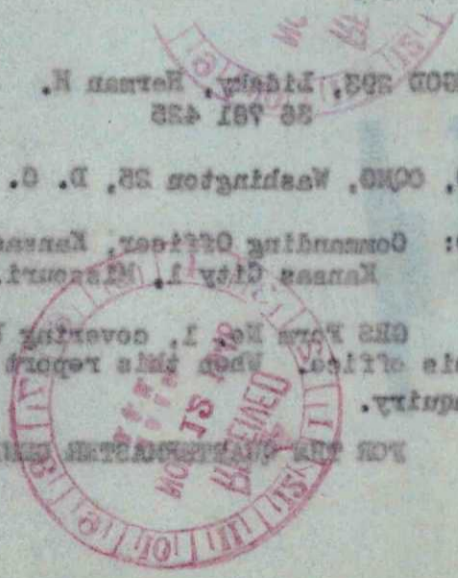
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FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

GUY H. KERRY
Major, GPO
Assistant



QMGYG 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

4 November 1946

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Mrs. Rose Lidsky
5238 South Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This office has been requested by Mr. S. H. Peine, Personal Service Department, National Jewish Welfare Board, New York, New York to furnish you information concerning your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

It is regretted to inform you that no further information has been received concerning the interment of your son's remains since letter from this office dated 9 October 1946 in which you were advised that his remains were interred in the area where he met death. You are assured that as soon as a report of burial is received for your son you will be promptly notified.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

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Director, Information and Personal Service

Office of the Quartermaster General
War Department
Memorial Division
Washington, D. C.

October 24, 1946

Re: Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky
36 781 425

Gentlemen:

We have been contacted by the mother of the above named, who was killed on September 10, 1944 in France, requesting our aid in securing for her the grave location of her son.

Any assistance that you can give us in answering this request will be greatly appreciated.

Will you please communicate any information available directly to the mother, Mrs. R. Lidsky of 5238 S. Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Many thanks for your cooperation and assistance.

Sincerely yours,

S. H. Peine
S. HENRY PEINE

Personal Service Department



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October 24, 1946

Office of the Quartermaster General
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Memorial Division
Washington, D. C.

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36 781 422

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available directly to the mother, Mrs. R. Lidsky of
2232 S. Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Many thanks for your cooperation and assistance.

Sincerely yours,

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S. HENRY PEINE
Personal Service Department

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QMGYG 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
36 781 425

9 October 1946

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Mrs. Rose G. Lidsky
5238 South Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

An inquiry has been received in this office from Mrs. Ruby Steinmayr, Corresponding Secretary of the Gold Star mothers of Illinois, concerning your son, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

Information has been received in this office that your son's remains were interred in the area where he met his death.

The Graves Registration Service is now in the process of removing our deceased military personnel from isolated burial locations to established United States Military Cemeteries where constant care can be given to their graves. When a report of reburial of the remains of your son is received in this office, you will be advised.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

THOMAS F. LEWIN
Captain, QMC
Assistant

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Quartermaster General,
Memorial Division,
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Sirs:

One of our Gold Star Mothers has requested me to write your division in her behalf, to find out the location of her son's burial plot if possible.

I am the Corresponding Secretary of the Gold Star Mothers of Illinois.

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Soldier. Pvt. Herman Lidsky, 36 781 425
3rd Army, Co. E.
5th Division, 11th. Inf.

I shall appreciate an early reply if possible.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. R. Steinmayr, Cor. Sec'y.
(Mrs. H.E.) Ruby Steinmayr Cor. Sec'y
7142 S. Seeley Ave,
Chicago 36, Illinois.



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Memorial Division,
Washington 25, D.C.

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3rd Army, Co. L
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I shall appreciate an early reply if possible.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. R. Steinmayer, Cor. Sec'y.
7142 S. Beale Ave.
Chicago 36, Illinois.



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Lidsky, Herman H.
36 781 425

9 October 1946

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Mrs. Frank Goldberg
7629 South Kingston Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Goldberg:

Your letter to the Adjutant General concerning your brother, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been referred to this office.

Information has been received in this office that your brother's remains were interred in the area where he met his death.

The Graves Registration Service is now in the process of removing our deceased military personnel from isolated burial locations to established United States Military Cemeteries where constant care can be given to their graves. When a report of reburial of the remains of your brother is received in this office, you will be advised.

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

THOMAS F. LEWIN
Captain, QMC
Assistant

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Adjutant General
Grave Registration
Washington, D.C.

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We received notification sometime
2 yrs ago that my brother had been
killed in action in France, the date
given was September 10, 1944. Being
his sister, I would like to find
out what his grave number is and
what government cemetery he is
buried in, as I have friends in
France who would like to visit
his grave.

My brother's name was:

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Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky

36781425

Co. E- 11th Inf. A.P.O. 5

He was killed near the Meulle

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River, in the vicinity of St.
Katharine's Farm, near Douet,
France.

I am enclosing self stamped
and addressed envelope. I would
appreciate this information as soon
as possible.

Respectfully yours,
Mrs Frank Goldberg
7629 S. Kington Ave
Chicago, Ill.

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QMGYG 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
SN 36 781 425

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

19 September 1946

Mr. Allen A. Anderson
2025 North Racine Avenue
Chicago 14, Illinois

Dear Mr. Anderson:

Your letter to the Adjutant General concerning the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been referred to this office.

I regret to advise you that this office is unable, at the present time, to inform you of the location of the late Private Herman H. Lidsky's grave. An investigation is being made in an endeavor to secure this information.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your loss.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMG
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Sept 6, 1946
Chicago, Ill

Dear Sir:

I would like to know if you would please give me the grave number and the burial place

²⁹³ of Priv. Herman H. Lidsky -
36781425 - Co. E. 11th Inf. - 5th Div.

We know that he was killed at the East Bank of Moselle River in the vicinity of St. Katherine Farms, Donat France.

Allen A. Anderson
2025 N. Racine Ave
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CONTROL FILE SECTION
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Information From A-Z File	BURIAL	REBURYAL
<u>Sidsky, Herman H.</u>	<u>Prst</u>	<u>36781425</u>
Name of Decedent	Rank	Serial No.
<u>Kia</u>	<u>Inf</u>	
Cause of Death	Organization	Date of Burial
Emergency Addresses:		
Name <u>Sidsky, Leona E</u>	Relationship <u>Wife</u>	
Address <u>501 S. Central St., Chicago, Ill</u>		
<u>Isolated Burial Eto</u>		
Cemetery	Plot	Row Grave

Information Furnished By

Mrs. L. Hudson
Approved by Sub-section Chief

CONTROL SUB-SECTION
REPATRIATION & BURIAL BRANCH

Information From A-2 File

BURIAL Isolated REBURIAL

Name of Deceased Lidsky, Herman H Rank Pat Serial No. 36781425

Cause of Death Kia Organization Inf. Date of Burial

Emergency Addresses:

Name Lidsky Leona E Relationship Wife

Address 501 S. Central St, Chicago, Ill

Cemetery Plot Row Grave

W. Taylor - Az - 2 Oct 46

Information Furnished By

Isolated Burial
European Area NO 333 / Emml

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Approved by Sub-section Chief

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Lidsky, Herman H.
36 781 425

14 August 1946

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This office promised that, when information regarding the burial of your husband was received, you would be notified. The Theater of Operations has recently informed this office that their investigation of the area in which your husband met his death is still in progress and that we should be able to inform you of the results in the near future.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

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AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN THEATER AREA
APO 887 U S ARMY

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5 July 1946

SUBJECT: Isolated Burials.

TO : Chief of Staff, United States Army,
Washington 25, D.C.
Attention: Office of the Quartermaster General.

1. Reference is made to letter, your Office, file .SPQYG-293, Lidsky, Herman H., 36781425, subject "Report of Burial", dated 15 March 1946 and 3rd Indorsement thereto dated 21 June 1946.

2. Area where remains are believed to be located has been completed. Reports are expected to reach this Headquarters within the next thirty days.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Walter B. Morrow
WALTER B. MORROW
Major, Infantry
Actg Asst Adj Gen

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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN BRANCH REGISTRATION GORRALD
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5 July 1946

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FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER

WALTER E. MORROW
Major General
The Adjutant General

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ASF, OQMG, Washington, D. C., 27 May 1946

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

Forwarded for necessary action.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

WILLIAM E. REID
1st Lieut., QMC
Assistant

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HEADQUARTERS AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND, EUROPEAN THEATER AREA, APO 887, U.S. ARMY, 1 April 1946.

TO: The Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D.C.

1. This Headquarters has received no Report of Interment nor any unofficial record of an isolated burial for ²⁹³Private Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, 11th Infantry Regiment.

2. Sainte-Catherine Farm cannot be ^{located} on map or in the Gazetteer of France.

3. It is requested, that more detailed information be forwarded this Headquarters concerning the place where subject individual was killed, including map series, coordinates and nearest large town.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

F. J. GERACE
Lt. Col., GMC
Assistant Adjutant



SPQYG 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
36 781 425

15 March 1946

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SUBJECT: Report of Burial
TO: Commanding General
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area, Versailles, France
APO 887, c/o Postmaster, New York, New York

1. Request that a Report of Burial, if completed, or other currently available information be furnished concerning the following named decedent for whom no report is on hand in this office:

NAME: Lidsky, Herman H. DATE OF DEATH: 10 September 1944
RANK: Private PLACE OF DEATH: European Area
SERIAL NO.: 36 781 425

2. The following information has been received in this office which may aid in the location and recovery of his remains:

"Killed in action when his unit was holding a bridgehead on the east bank of the Moselle River, in the vicinity of Sainte-Catherine Farm, in France.

3. If no Report of Burial is on hand, it is requested that this office be furnished the approximate time during which the particular area where his remains are believed to be located will be searched.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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M. V. TURNER
Colonel, QMG
Assistant

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SPQYG 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
36 781 425

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

15 March 1946

Mr. L. R. Benston
The American Legion
Service Department, Room 410
343 South Dearborn Street
Chicago 4, Illinois

Dear Mr. Benston:

Your letter concerning the late Private Herman H. Lidsky, has been received in this office.

A copy of our reply to Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky, 501 South Central Avenue, Chicago 44, Illinois is inclosed for your information.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

M. V. TURNER
Colonel, QMC
Assistant

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SPQYG 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
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THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This office has received an inquiry in your behalf from Mr. L. R. Benston, The American Legion, Service Department, Room 410, 343 South Dearborn Street, Chicago 4, Illinois, concerning your husband, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

No further information pertaining to the recovery of the remains of your husband has been received in this office since our letter of 7 September 1945. An investigation of the area in which your husband met his death is being conducted and you may rest assured that upon receipt of information from the field you will be advised.

In view of the fact that the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, has been designated to receive and ship personal effects of military personnel who died overseas, a copy of Mr. Benston's letter has been forwarded to that office for direct reply to eliminate duplication of effort.

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

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HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES
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EMPLOYMENT OFFICER

War Department
Memorial Division, Q.M.C.
Washington, D.C.

March 1, 1946

RE: LIDSKY, Herman H.

Gentlemen:

This letter is written in behalf of Mrs. Lena E. Lidsky, who wishes to know if the personal effects of her husband, Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky have been found.

She has had no reply to her letter written to you and dated prior to October 4, 1945.

This office will appreciate being informed relative to this matter.

Yours very truly,

L. R. BENSTON
Director of Rehabilitation

Thyra E. Pedersen

By: Miss Thyra E. Pedersen

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Room 410
343 S. Dearborn Street

War Department
Memorial Division, O.M.C.
Washington, D.C.

March 1, 1948

RE: LIBSKY, Herman H.

Gentlemen:

This letter is written in behalf of Mrs. Lena E. Libsky, who wishes to know if the personal effects of her husband, Pvt. Herman H. Libsky have been found.

She has had no reply to her letter written to you and dated prior to October 4, 1945.

This office will appreciate being informed relative to this matter.

Yours very truly,

L. R. BENSTON
Director of Rehabilitation

L. R. Benston
By: Miss Thyr E. Pedersen

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NAME

Lidsky, Herman H

SERIAL NO.

36781425

This person has been authenticated as Jewish by the Bureau of War Records of the National Jewish Welfare Board.

11/30/45

DATE

(Signed)

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For the Bureau of War Records
National Jewish Welfare Board

SPQYG 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
S. N. 36781425

7 September 1945

Mrs. Leona Lidsky
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

A letter written in your behalf by Mr. Daniel Stern to The Adjutant General has been forwarded to this office for reply relative to the personal effects and burial of your husband, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

In view of the fact that the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, Kansas City 1, Missouri, has been designated to receive and ship the personal effects of our military personnel who die outside the United States, a copy of your letter has been forwarded to that office for a direct reply to you.

It is regretted to have to advise you that, up to the present time, information pertaining to the burial of the remains of your husband has not been received in this office. An inquiry is being made to ascertain information regarding the remains of all our deceased military personnel where burial information has not been received. Upon completion of this inquiry you will be advised as to the results.

This office regrets, sincerely, the delay in furnishing this information and wishes to extend its deepest sympathy in the loss of your husband.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR L. WARREN
Colonel, QMC
Assistant

*Respectfully
Lidsky*

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES

MEMO ROUTING SLIP

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MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION
BRANCH, TEMPO "C" WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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AGRD-C 201 Lidsky, Herman H.
(27 Mar 45)

23 April 1945

Mrs. Leona Lidsky
501 South Central Ave.
Chicago 44, Illinois

GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION
APR 28 4 23 PM '45

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This office has been advised by Mr. Daniel Stern, Chicago, Illinois, that you desire information regarding the death, burial and personal effects of your husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky, Army serial number 36 781 425.

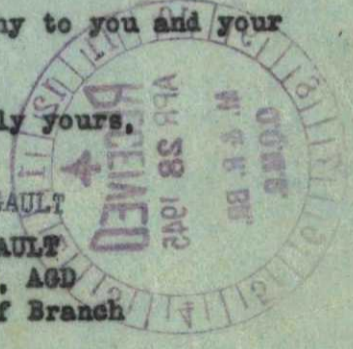
I fully understand your desire to receive further details concerning your husband's death. Additional records now available show that he was killed in action on 10 September 1944, when his unit was holding a bridgehead on the east bank of the Moselle River, in the vicinity of Sainte-Catherine Farm, in France.

The Quartermaster General of the Army, Washington, D.C., has jurisdiction over matters pertaining to the burial of our military personnel who die overseas. A copy of Mr. Stern's letter has been forwarded to that officer for necessary action. He will also advise you regarding your husband's personal effects.

I wish to extend my deepest sympathy to you and your family in the loss you have sustained.

Sincerely yours,

E. C. GAULT
E. C. GAULT
Colonel, AGD
Chief of Branch



COPY FOR:

The Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

1 Incl
Ext. copy ltr 27 Mar 45

23 APR 1945

AGRD-0 SOI 11664, Herman H. (27 Mar 45)

Mrs. Leona Hickey
501 South Central Ave.
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Hickey:

This office has been advised by Mr. Daniel Stern, Chicago, Illinois, that you desire information regarding the death, burial and personal effects of your husband, Private Herman H. Hickey, Army serial number 36 781 482.

I fully understand your desire to receive further details concerning your husband's death. Additional records now available show that he was killed in action on 10 September 1918, when his unit was holding a bridgehead on the east bank of the Meuse River, in the vicinity of Bellefontaine Farm, in France.

The Quartermaster General of the Army, Washington, D.C., has jurisdiction over matters pertaining to the burial of our military personnel who die overseas. A copy of Mr. Stern's letter has been forwarded to that officer for necessary action. He will also advise you regarding your husband's personal effects.

I wish to extend my deepest sympathy to your family in the loss you have sustained.



COPY FOR:

The Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

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Ext. copy for 27 Mar 45

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Stern Art Mfg. Co.
Chicago 6, Illinois

March 27, 1945

Adjutant General, U. S. Army
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am taking the liberty in writing you regarding a very dear friend, Mrs. Leona Lidsky, whose husband, Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, was reported killed in France on Sept. 10, 1944. He was with Co. E, 11th Inf., 5th Div., 3rd Army, APO #5, N. Y. C

Since the report of his death, Mrs. Lidsky has been failing in health very rapidly, both physically and especially mentally. She has been left with too small daughters, age one and age six, and naturally their lives are being jeopardized because of this condition.

She has seen may others received much more details than she, including the deceased's burial place as well as details about his death and, in some cases, the belongings have been returned. Because she has never received this information, she believes that there is none of this information to be given and that her husband is still alive. She has been inquiring of many people and departments and organizations and, of course, no one has been able to help her. I have been advised that you are the only party who can divulge this information.

Just a little more definite information would probably straighten out the whole situation. Perhaps the location of his burial place would suffice for the present. I imagine the widow would probably receive this information in due time but time in this case is essential as her health is failing rapidly and I am sure that if you can avoid this, you will. If you can help in this matter, I and all concerned will be everlastingly indebted and grateful to you and to our great country. Any information you can send the widow or myself will be very greatly appreciated.

Daniel Stern

RENOVING DIVISION
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Stern Art Mfg. Co.
Chicago 6, Illinois

March 27, 1945

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Washington, D. C.

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Daniel Stern

MEMORIAL DIVISION
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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, 20 August 1945

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

1. For direct reply to so much thereof as pertains to burial of Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, Pvt.

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2. Mrs. Lidsky has been advised to this reference.

FOR THE EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER:

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

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 MEMORIAL DIVISION

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August 7, 1945

Dear Sir:

This letter is in reference to my husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky-(36781425) who was killed in France, September 10, 1944 in action.

It was suggested to me to write to you by Mr. C. G. Beck, Veterans Admonistration, Hines, Illinois for the information I want.

Would like to know why I have not received any personal belongings and also want location of burial. Do hope you can help me as a letter was sent to the Adjutant General sometime ago and he answered that the information would be sent to me but as yet haven't heard. Just recently A letter was sent to me stating an inquiries about my husband should be sent to Hines, Illinois, and they suggest I write you.

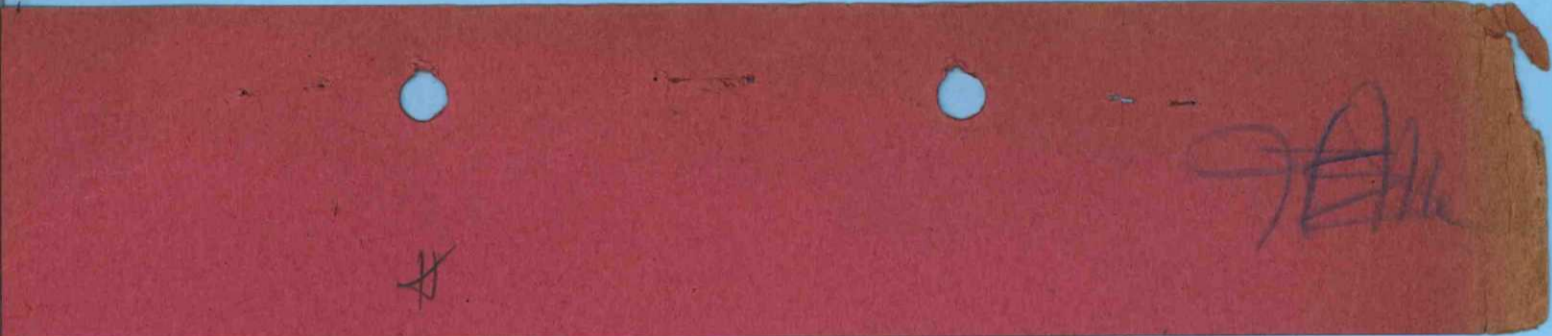
Thank you very much,---

Sincerely,

s/ Mrs. Leona Lidsky
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

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

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REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 4 OCT 1944
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FULL NAME Lidsky, Herman H.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 36 781 425	GRADE Pvt.
HOME ADDRESS Chicago, Illinois		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry	DATE OF BIRTH 15 June 1910
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 10 Sept 1944
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 20 Dec 43	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky, wife, 501 S. Central St., Chicago, Illinois			
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Leona E. Lidsky, wife, same as above Andrea L. Lidsky, daughter, same as above Rose G. Lidsky, mother, 5238 S. Woodlawn Ave., Chicago, Illinois			
INVESTIGATION MADE? YES NO	IN LINE OF DUTY YES NO	OWN MISCONDUCT YES NO	WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS YES NO
AUTHORIZED ABSENCE YES NO		IN FLYING PAY STATUS YES NO	OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW) YES NO



ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

*Bene. Con't Stoper
 Cele Lidsky, sister, 2100 North Humboldt Blvd, Chicago, Illinois

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:
J. A. Marshall
 J. A. Marshall
 ADJUTANT GENERAL



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

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10 March 1947

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IN REPLY REFER TO _____

Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky
501 South Central Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This refers to previous correspondence regarding the personal effects of your husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky.

Regrettably, our tracer has failed to reveal any information concerning your husband's effects.

Realizing your desire to receive his belongings, I am indeed sorry to convey this report. Please be assured that if we later receive other information regarding his property, you will be notified promptly.

Yours very truly,

P. U. MAXEY
Lt Col, QMC
Effects Quartermaster

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10 January 1947

Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. O'Brien:

A copy of your letter of 12 December to The Adjutant General at Washington, written on behalf of Mrs. H. H. Lidsky, 501 South Central Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, has been referred to the Army Effects Bureau, for attention to that portion concerning the personal effects of her husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky.

No property of this soldier was received here. Upon receipt of a previous inquiry from Mrs. Lidsky, tracer action was instituted by this Bureau in October, 1945, in an effort to locate his personal effects. Response from the American Graves Registration Command in the European Area stated no inventory of effects had been submitted by Private Lidsky's organization and no burial report was on file to indicate whether effects were found on his person. This Bureau then requested a search of retained unit records at the Organization Records Branch, AGO, St. Louis, Missouri, receiving a report that no information relative to this soldier's effects was found. A request to The Quartermaster General at Washington for a search of burial records there brought the response that an official burial report had not yet been received.

Since Private Lidsky was an infantryman, likely he carried all his personal possessions with him. In spite of precautions, it was sometimes impossible to recover personal property in battle areas because of the severity and inevitable confusion of combat operations or the presence of enemy souvenir hunters prior to the time that United States military personnel could reach the scene and find, identify, and safeguard the property.

I regret that I cannot render a more favorable report at this time. If information regarding these effects is received here later, you will be notified.

Sincerely,

P. U. MAXEY
Lt Col, QMC
Effects Quartermaster

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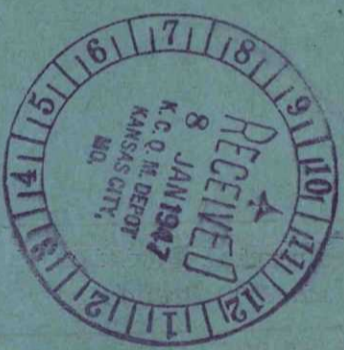
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- 3. Cy reply to Hon. O'Brien
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FROM: (Name, organization, building)
Memorial Division
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THOMAS J. O'BRIEN
Representative from Illinois
6th District
Chicago

Member:
Committee on Ways and Means

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CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

December
12
1946

Adjutant General, U. S. Army
War Department
Washington 25, D. C.

Sir :

Attached communication received this date from the Honorable Rudolph F. Desort, Judge, Chicago, Ill, concerning his interest in Mrs. H. H. Lidsky of 501 South Central Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, who is desirous of obtaining information regarding her husband, Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, Serial #36781425, Company E, 11th Infantry, 5th Division, who was killed on the Mosel River in France on September 10, 1944, and is sent for sympathetic consideration.

I shall appreciate hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Thomas J. O'Brien

/t/ THOMAS J. O'BRIEN MC.



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Representative from Illinois
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I shall appreciate hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

THOMAS J. O'BRIEN MC.
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SUPERIOR COURT OF COOK COUNTY
RUDOLPH F. DESORT, JUDGE
In Chambers

Chicago
December 10, 1946.

Hon. Thomas J. O'Brien,
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

My dear Congressman O'Brien:

Mrs. H. H. Lidsky, of 501 South Central Avenue,
Chicago, of your District, is the widow of
Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, of 501 South Central Avenue,
Chicago, Serial #36781425, Company E, 11th Infantry,
5th Division, who was killed on the Mosel River in
France on September 10, 1944. She is anxious to know
where her husband's grave is located. She has written
to the War Department several times for this information
but without success. She has not received any of his
personal effects as yet.

Will you kindly use your good offices in her behalf?

Thanking you, I am, with kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Rudolph Desort



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SUPERIOR COURT OF COOK COUNTY

RUDOLPH F. DESORT, JUDGE

In Chambers

Chicago

December 10, 1946.

Hon. Thomas J. O'Brien,
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

My dear Congressman O'Brien:

Mrs. H. H. Lidsky, of 501 South Central Avenue,

Chicago, of your District, is the widow of

Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, of 501 South Central Avenue,

Chicago, Serial #36781A25, Company B, 11th Infantry,

5th Division, who was killed on the Mosel River in

France on September 10, 1944. She is anxious to know

where her husband's grave is located. She has written

to the War Department several times for this information

but without success. She has not received any of his

personal effects as yet.

Will you kindly use your good offices in her behalf?

Thinking you, I am, with kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Rudolph Desort

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

QMHD. 293
Lidsky, Herman H.
Pvt., A.S.N. 36,781,425

4 January 1947

Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien
House of Representatives

Dear Mr. O'Brien:

The Adjutant General has forwarded a copy of your letter dated 12 December 1946 with inclosure to this office for reply regarding the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

Up to the present time a Burial Report has not been received in this office for Private Lidsky. A radio has been sent to the Commanding Officer, European Theater Area requesting that this office be furnished any available information regarding this matter. Upon receipt of this information you will be promptly advised.

A copy of your letter has been forwarded to the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, for direct reply regarding the personal effects of Private Lidsky, as such matters come under the jurisdiction of that office.

Your interest in this matter is appreciated.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

WM. J. McDONALD
Colonel, QMC
Assistant



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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Genl. 202
Lt. Col. J. M. DeWitt
Library, Kansas City
Mo.

4 January 1947

Honorable Thomas J. O'Brien
House of Representatives

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Up to the present time a burial report has not been received in this office for Private O'Brien. A report has been sent to the Commanding Officer, Kansas National Guard, requesting that this office be furnished any available information regarding this matter. Copies of this information will be promptly advised.

A copy of your letter has been forwarded to the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 401 Broadway Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, for direct reply regarding the personal effects of Private O'Brien, as such matters come under the jurisdiction of that office.

Your interest in this matter is appreciated.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

Genl. J. M. DeWitt
Colonel, QMG
Adjutant

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

S-22 Nov 46
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7 Nov 1946

IN REPLY REFER TO QMDKG 255344

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO: The Quartermaster General
Effects Section
Depot Operations Branch
Field Service Division
Washington 25, D. C.

1. The Army Effects Bureau has received an inquiry concerning the personal effects of Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, Pvt, killed in action in the European Area, 10 September 1944. Records here indicate decedent formerly was a member of Co. E, 11th Inf, 5th Div. 3rd Army.
2. A check of Bureau records and those of the European Theater Area fails to disclose any information indicating the recovery of property of decedent.
3. It is requested that burial record of this soldier be checked to ascertain whether any effects were found at the time of burial. If so, request this Bureau be furnished a list of such effects and information relative to disposition made thereof.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

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P. U. MAXEY
Lt Col, QMC
Effects Quartermaster

QMGOD 293, Lidsky, Herman H. 1st Ind
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WD, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C. 21 November 1946

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave.,
Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

GRS Form No. 1, covering burial of Pvt. Lidsky has not been received in this office. When this report is received, an answer will be made to your inquiry.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Guy B. Kegley
GUY B. KEGLEY
Major, QMC
Assistant

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AGRS-AC 201 Lidsky, Herman H.,
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WD, AGO, Orgn Records Br, Records Adm Cen, 4300 Goodfellow Blvd, St.Louis 20,
Mo. 7 Nov 46

TO: CO, Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave,
Kansas City 1, Missouri

- For necessary action.
- The organization(s) or installation(s) concerned has (have) been inactivated.
- Records in the custody of this office are set up according to organization.
- If this office is furnished the following information, an effort will be made to comply with the request.
- Information available to this office indicates that the non-current records of the organization(s) or installation(s) concerned have been allocated to your command.
- The retained records of the organization(s) concerned ~~do reveal(s) the following~~ do not reveal ~~the following~~ any information relative to personal effects of individual concerned.
- Attached is WD AGO Form 0444, Extract Copy of Morning Report, relating to
- Records of the organization concerned are not in the custody of this office and place of storage is unknown.
- Records concerned are incomplete.
- No further information found.
- Additional records are enroute to this office.
- Attached is Extract Copy of order(s) described below:
- Request complied with.
- It is desired that the request contained herein be complied with.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

E. E. Wilmett
Adjutant General



AGRS-AC SOL Library, Herman, N. J. 07642

WD, AGO, Organ Records Br, Records Adm Cen, 4500 Goodfellow Blvd, St. Louis MO, Mo. 7 Nov 46

TO: CG, Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Lambert Ave, Kansas City, Missouri

- For necessary action.
- The organization(s) or installation(s) concerned has (have) been investigated.
- Records in the custody of this office are set up according to organization.
- If this office is furnished the following information, an effort will be made to comply with the request.
- Information available to this office indicates that the non-current records of the organization(s) or installation(s) concerned have been allocated to your command.
- The retained records of the organization(s) concerned do not reveal the following: any information relative to personal effects of individual concerned.
- Attached is WD AGO Form 0444, Extract Copy of Morning Report, relating to
- Records of the organization concerned are not in the custody of this office and place of storage is unknown.
- Records concerned are incomplete.
- No further information found.
- Additional records are enroute to this office.
- Attached is Extract Copy of order(s) described below:
- Request complied with.
- It is desired that the request contained herein be complied with.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

[Signature]
Adjutant General



255344 ✓

CLP/HR/st ✓
5 Nov 1946 ✓

Mrs. Rose G. Lidsky
5238 S. Woodlawn Avenue
Chicago, Illinois ✓

Dear Mrs. Lidsky: ✓

This refers to an inquiry received at the Army Effects Bureau from the National Jewish Welfare Board, New York, New York, written on your behalf regarding the personal effects of your son, Private Herman H. Lidsky.

We have carefully checked our records and regret to state that we have not received any information regarding his belongings.

On 7 March 1946, we advised his widow, Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky, at 501 S. Central Street, Chicago, Illinois, that tracer was being instituted to ascertain if possible disposition made of his effects. To date, our efforts have revealed no information, however, a reply is still to be received on the tracer to his organization and within a reasonable length of time, this Bureau should receive and be able to give a definite reply regarding his personal property.

You may be assured that upon the receipt of any property, prompt disposition will be made.

Yours very truly,

G. L. RUMFIELD
1st Lt, QMC
Asst Effects Quartermaster

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**Personal Effects Bureau
Army Quartermaster Depot
Kansas City, Mo.**

Re: Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky
36 781 425

Abraham Feitelberg
Director, Information and Personal Service

Gentlemen:

We have been contacted by the mother of the above named deceased, who has requested our assistance in securing the personal effects of the soldier.

The serviceman was killed on September 10, 1944 on the Moselle River in the vicinity of St. Katherine's Farm, Dornat, France.

We should appreciate any assistance you can give us in answering this request.

Will you please communicate directly with Mrs. Lidsky at 5238 S. Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Many thanks for your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

S. H. Peine
S. HENRY PEINE

Personal Service Department

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Personal Effects Bureau
Army Quartermaster Depot
Kansas City, Mo.

Re: Pvt. Herman H. Libsky
33 781 425

Gentlemen:

We have been contacted by the mother of the above named deceased, who has requested our assistance in securing the personal effects of the soldier.

The serviceman was killed on September 10, 1944 on the Moselle River in the vicinity of St. Katherine's Farm, Donnat, France.

We should appreciate any assistance you can give us in answering this request.

Will you please communicate directly with Mrs. Libsky at 2338 S. Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Many thanks for your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely yours,
S. HENRY REINE
Personal Service Department
KANSAS CITY, MO.
OCT 24 1944

REPLY

ST:vg
15 October 1946

TO: Correspondence Branch - Army Effects Bureau

Correspondence Branch
CPT. STOK
M. MILLER

[Handwritten signature]
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- No record of any effects.
- No record of missing items.
- (*) Inventory received from:

_____ (Dated) _____ (Signed by)

Effects shipped to:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Parcel _____	Date _____	Baggage List _____	Sheet _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parcel _____	Date _____	Baggage List _____	Sheet _____

Funds: \$ _____ Transmitted on List F- _____ Date _____

Remarks:

Your attention is invited to attached correspondence addressed to the Army Effects Bureau while the ETA records were in Europe.

[Handwritten signature: Sidney Fuller]

ETA Records Branch

(*) This information need not be given on inventories covering property already received at AEB.

KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

S-21 Oct 46
NW/CW/st
14 Oct 1946

Case No. 255344

REQUEST

TO: European Theater Records Branch - Army Effects Bureau

Request examination of ETA records and report concerning missing, or allegedly missing, personal effects of:

<u>Lidsky</u> (Last Name)	<u>Herman</u> (First Name)	<u>H</u> (MI)	<u>36781425</u> (ASN)	<u>Pvt</u> (Rank)
Co E 11th Inf., 5th Div., 3rd Army APO 5		deceased 10 Sept 1944		
(Organization)		(Status)		

Bureau records do not indicate that any property of subject has been received here.

Property received at AEB is listed on following overseas inventories:

Allegedly missing items, not received here, consist of:

Remarks:

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- ()

N. WHIPPLE
Chief Clerk
Correspondence Branch

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S-4 Nov 46
GLR/CW/st
14 Oct 1946

OMDDKFB 259544

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO: The Adjutant General
Organization Records Branch
Building 102
Records Administration Center AGO
4300 Goodfellow Blvd.
St. Louis 20, Missouri

1. Reference is made to tracer letter, this Bureau, dated 8 July 1946, copy inclosed, requesting information regarding the personal effects of Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, Pvt., Inf., deceased.
2. To date, no reply has been received.
3. It is requested that reply be furnished this Bureau as soon as practicable.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

1 Incl--
cc Ltr dtd 8 Jul 46 w/Incl

C. L. RUMFIELD
1st Lt, QMC
Asst Effects Quartermaster

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AGRS-AR
Orgn Records Branch

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20315
Adm Ctr. St. Louis, Mo.

PHN-R

23 July 46

Your communication of 11 January, 1946, concerning SPQDK 220.87
(255344) Disposal of Personal Property (Lidsky, Herman H.) has been received.

This brief reply has been adopted to conserve time, personnel, and paper.

- 1. Further response will be made with the least practicable delay.
- 2. Reply will be delayed pending receipt of ~~essential information~~ records
- 3. Your comments on a subject of interest to the War Department are appreciated.
- 4. The War Department publication requested is being mailed to you today.
- 5. The service requested has been discontinued.
- 6. This office is unable to identify the records of the person concerned.

Edward F. Witsell
EDWARD F. WITSELL,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

WD AGO FORM 0101
1 FEB 1946

Previous editions are obsolete.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D.C.
Orgn Records Branch, Recd
OFFICIAL BUSINESS
4300 Goodfellow Blvd.
St. Louis 20, Missouri



Commanding Officer
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Effects Bureau
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

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QMDDKEB 220.87 (255344)

(S-8 Aug 46)
WPH:BLF:imb
8 July 1946

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO: Organization Records Branch
Building 102
Records Administration Center AGO
4300 Goodfellow Boulevard
St. Louis 20, Missouri

1. Attention is invited to inclosed copy of 2nd Ind., this Bureau, 1 April 1946, on Bureau letter, 11 January 1946, relative to personal effects of Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, Pvt., Inf., deceased.
2. To date, no reply has been received.
3. It is requested report of investigation be furnished this Bureau as soon as practicable, to enable further response to the inquiry.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

1 Incl--a/s

W. F. HEERMAN
Major, QMC
Effects Quartermaster

SPQDKEB 220.87 (255344)

2nd Ind.

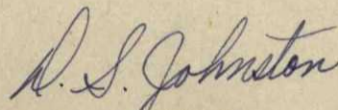
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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue,
Kansas City 1, Missouri, 1 April 1946

TO: Organization Records Branch, Building 102, Records Administration
Center, AGO, 4300 Goodfellow Blvd., St. Louis 20, Missouri

1. Attention is invited to Par. 2 preceding indorsement.
2. It is requested that such information as can be obtained from
unit records regarding personal effects of subject enlisted man be furnished
this Bureau as soon as practicable.

FOR THE EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER:



D. S. JOHNSTON
2nd Lt., QMC
Assistant

Subject: Disposal of Personal Property.

ACRST 201-C/551606
HQS, AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND, EUROPEAN THEATER
AREA, APO 887, U.S. ARMY., JFV/ar
22 February 1946

TO: Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot,
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri.

1. A thorough check of personal effects records has failed to reveal information on the existence or disposition of property belonging to Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, reported "killed in action" 10 September 1944.

2. The 11th Infantry Regiment, organization to which this soldier was assigned, did not submit an inventory. Since this organization is no longer in the theater, it is recommended that its records now in the United States, be searched for information on any property which may have been in the unit area when subject soldier was reported a casualty.

3. While Pvt. Lidsky is reported as "killed in action" his remains have not as yet been located. Therefore, pending the recovery of his body, this headquarters will suspend search for effects which may have been on his person at the time of his decease.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

ENGEMANN A. ANDERSEN
Colonel, QMC
Chief, S & T Div.

1st Ind

Subject: Disposal of Personal Property.

AGST 201-0/22108
HQS, AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND, EUROPEAN THEATER
AREA, APO 887, U.S. ARMY.,
22 February 1946

TO: Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot,
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City I, Missouri.

1. A thorough check of personal effects records has failed to reveal information on the existence or disposition of property belonging to Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, 2878122, reported "killed in action" in September 1944.

2. The 11th Infantry Regiment, organization to which this soldier was assigned, did not submit an inventory. Since this organization is no longer in the theater, it is recommended that its records now in the United States be searched for information on any property which may have been in the unit area when subject soldier was reported a casualty.

3. While Pvt. Lidsky is reported as "killed in action" his remains have not as yet been located. Therefore, pending the recovery of his body, this headquarters will suspend search for effects which may have been on his person at the time of his decease.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

PROPERTY EFFECTS BUREAU
KANSAS CITY, MO.
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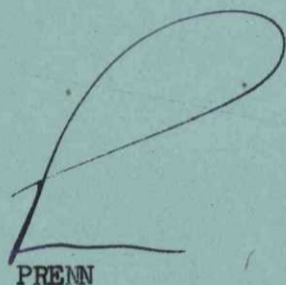
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TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

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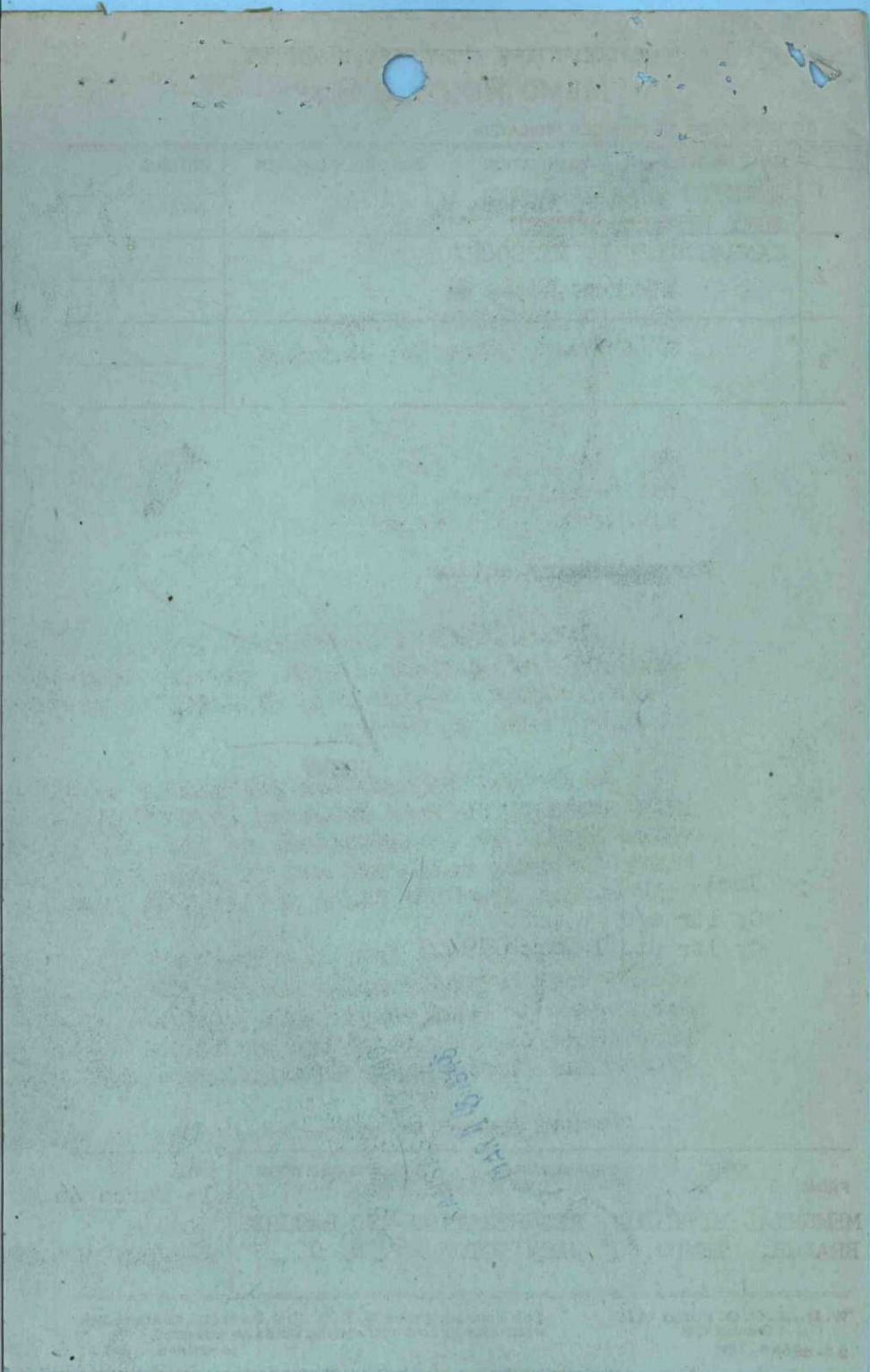
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2 Incl.
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 Cy ltr dtd 1 March 1946

FROM:	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
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Lidsky, Herman H.
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ENQUIRY CLERK

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

15 March 1946

Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This office has received an inquiry in your behalf from Mr. L. R. Benston, The American Legion, Service Department, Room 410, 343 South Dearborn Street, Chicago 4, Illinois, concerning your husband, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

No further information pertaining to the recovery of the remains of your husband has been received in this office since our letter of 7 September 1945. An investigation of the area in which your husband met his death is being conducted and you may rest assured that upon receipt of information from the field you will be advised.

In view of the fact that the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, has been designated to receive and ship personal effects of military personnel who died overseas, a copy of Mr. Benston's letter has been forwarded to that office for direct reply to eliminate duplication of effort.

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES I. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

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*No reply
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13 JAN 1951

Address Reply To
THE CHIEF OF BUREAU
PERSONNEL DIVISION

Mr. James E. Libby
503 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mr. Libby:

This office has received a letter in your name from Mr. J. E. ...
The American Legion, Service Department, Room 100, 312 North
Dearborn Street, Chicago 4, Illinois, concerning your husband's ...
Private Bureau, Chicago, Illinois.

The further information pertaining to the recovery of the ...
your husband has been received in this office since our letter of 7 ...
enter 1944. An investigation of the case in which your husband was ...
death is being conducted and you may want to know that your ...
information from the field you will be advised.

In view of the fact that the Army Library Bureau, Kansas City, ...
Master Dept., 501 Indiana Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, has been
destined to receive and help personal effects of military personnel who
died overseas, a copy of Mr. ...'s letter has been forwarded to that
office for direct reply to whatever disposition of effect.

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

FOR THE CHIEF OF BUREAU:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES E. LIBBY
Chief, Bureau

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THE AMERICAN LEGION
Department of Illinois

War Department
Memorial Division, Q.M.C.
Washington, D. C.

March 1, 1946

RE: LIDSKY, Herman H.

Gentlemen:

This letter is written in behalf of Mrs. Lena E. Lidsky, who wishes to know if the personal effects of her husband, Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky have been found.

She has had no reply to her letter written to you and dated prior to October 4, 1945.

This office will appreciate being informed relative to this matter.

Yours very truly,

L. R. BENSTON
Director of Rehabilitation

/s/ Thyra E. Pedersen
By: Miss Thyra E. Pedersen

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THE AMERICAN LEGION
Department of Illinois

March 1, 1946

War Department
Memorial Division, O.M.C.
Washington, D. C.

RE: LIDSKY, Herman H.

Gentlemen:

This letter is written in behalf of Mrs. Lena E. Lidasky, who wishes to know if the personal effects of her husband, Pvt. Herman H. Lidasky have been found.

She has had no reply to her letter written to you and dated prior to

October 4, 1945.

This office will appreciate being informed relative to this matter.

Yours very truly,

L. R. BENSTON
Director of Rehabilitation

/s/ Thyra E. Pedersen
By: Miss Thyra E. Pedersen

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March 7, 1946

Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky
501 South Central Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This refers to an inquiry received at the Army Effects Bureau from The American Legion, Department of Illinois, written on your behalf regarding the personal effects of your husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky.

As we advised you several months ago, tracer was instituted to determine disposition of your husband's effects. That tracer proved unsuccessful. However, as our policy is to leave no stone unturned in our efforts to help the relatives of the soldier, we again instituted tracer letter overseas on January 11, 1946, requesting that an inquiry be made to determine whether or not any effects of your husband were recovered. To date, no reply to our letter has been received.

Although some time may elapse before a reply is received here, please be assured you will be informed promptly upon the receipt of any information.

Yours very truly,

HARRY NIEMIEC
2nd Lt., QMC
Chief, Administrative Division

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INQUIRY

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SALEM
COMMANDER

Wm. R. McCauley
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CHAIRMAN OF REHABILITATION

L. Robert Mellin, M.D.
185 N. WABASH AVENUE
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THE AMERICAN LEGION

DEPARTMENT OF ILLINOIS

L. R. BENSTON, Director of Rehabilitation

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CHILD WELFARE OFFICER

Russell A. Reeves
CHICAGO
EMPLOYMENT OFFICER

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Effects Bureau
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City, 1, Missouri

March 1, 1946

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RE: LIDSKY, Herman H.
REF: 255,344

Gentlemen:

Mrs. Lena E. Lidsky has requested the assistance of this office in securing information regarding the effects of her husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky. The last letter which she received was October 4, 1945 and at that time the personal property belonging to her husband had not been received in your office.

Has there been any recent information regarding this matter? An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

L. R. BENSTON
Director of Rehabilitation

Thyra E. Pedersen

By: Miss Thyra E. Pedersen

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Room 419
343 S. Dearborn Street

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Effects Bureau
601 Hargravy Avenue
Kansas City, 1, Missouri

March 1, 1948

RE: LIDSKY, Herman H.
REF: 252,344

Gentlemen:

Mrs. Lena E. Lidsky has requested the assistance of this office in securing information regarding the effects of her husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky. The last letter which she received was October 4, 1945 and at that time the personal property belonging to her husband had not been received in your office.

Has there been any recent information regarding this matter? An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

J. R. BENSTON
Director of Rehabilitation

By: Miss Thyrle E. Hesterman

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION
KANSAS CITY, MO.
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Subject: Disposal of Personal Property.

AGRST 201-C/551606
HQS, AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND, EUROPEAN THEATER
AREA, APO 887, U.S. ARMY., JFV/ar
22 February 1946

TO: Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot,
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri.

1. A thorough check of personal effects records has failed to reveal information on the existence or disposition of property belonging to Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, reported "killed in action" 10 September 1944.

2. The 11th Infantry Regiment, organization to which this soldier was assigned, did not submit an inventory. Since this organization is no longer in the theater, it is recommended that its records now in the United States, be searched for information on any property which may have been in the unit area when subject soldier was reported a casualty.

3. While Pvt. Lidsky is reported as "killed in action" his remains have not as yet been located. Therefore, pending the recovery of his body, this headquarters will suspend search for effects which may have been on his person at the time of his decease.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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ENGSMANN A. ANDERSEN
Colonel, QMC
Chief, S & T Div.

Subject: Disposal of Personal Property.

APR 2 1946
U.S. ARMY, 801 HARVARD AVENUE, KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

TO: Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot,
801 Harvard Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri.

1. A thorough check of personal effects records has failed to reveal information on the existence or disposition of property belonging to Pvt. Herman H. Libby, 35751437, reported "killed in action" 30 September 1944.

2. The 11th Infantry Regiment, organization to which this soldier was assigned, did not exist on 30 September 1944. Since this organization is no longer in the theater, it is recommended that its records now in the United States be searched for information on any property which may have been in the unit area when subject soldier was reported a casualty.

3. While Pvt. Libby is reported as "killed in action" his remains have not as yet been located. Therefore, pending the recovery of his body, this headquarters will continue search for effects which may have been on his person at the time of his decease.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:



KANSAS CITY, MO.
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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

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F. imb
THEATER BAGGAGE BUREAU
28 JAN 1946
APO 751, U. S. ARMY

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RTB:VM:imb
11 January 1946

IN REPLY REFER TO SPQDK 220.87 (255344)

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO: Commanding Officer
Theater Baggage Unit
Bremen Port Command
APO 751, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

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2. No effects of decedent have been received here, nor any other information pertaining thereto.

3. It is requested an investigation be made to ascertain what disposition was made of any effects of decedent recovered, and this Bureau informed of result to enable further reply to this inquiry.

FOR THE EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER:

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

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
501 HARBERTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

11 January 1948

IN REPLY REFER TO OFFICE HQ. SV (203344)

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO: Commanding Officer
Theater Service Unit
Theater Troop Command
APO 151, c/o Quartermaster
Theater Troop, 1st Army

1. The Army Service Forces Bureau has received an inquiry regarding the disposal of personal effects of Private H. L. Lister, 1st Army, reported killed in action in the European area, in October 1944.

2. No effects of deceased have been received here, nor any other information pertaining thereto.

3. It is requested an investigation be made to determine what disposition was made of any effects of deceased reported, and this Bureau informed of result to enable further reply to this inquiry.

FOR THE THEATER QUARTERMASTER:

H. F. BROWN
1st Lt., USA
Chief, Mail Division

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4 October 1945

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SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO: Commanding General
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APO 887, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. The Army Effects Bureau has received an inquiry regarding the personal effects of Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, Pvt., Inf., reported killed in action in the European Area, 10 September 1944.
2. No effects of decedent have been received here, nor any other information pertaining thereto.
3. It is requested an investigation be made, to determine whether any effects were recovered, and this Bureau informed of result, to enable further reply to this inquiry.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

W. F. HEHMAN
Major, QMC
Asst. Effects Quartermaster

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RTB:VK:hh
October 4, 1945

Mrs. Leona E. Lidsky
501 S. Central Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This will acknowledge letter written on your behalf by Mr. Daniel Stern, in connection with the personal effects of your husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky.

No personal property belonging to Private Lidsky has been received at this Bureau to date. However, we are, this date, instituting tracer overseas to determine disposition made of these effects.

Promptly upon receipt of any information regarding your husband's effects, you will be notified.

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

Yours very truly,

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

HEADQUARTERS, AF SERVICE FORCES
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

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	KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI			
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FROM:	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
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				TELEPHONE
	MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION BRANCH, TEMPO "C" WASHINGTON 25, D. C.			

W. D., A. G. O. Form 0115
1 October 1944

This Form supersedes W. D., A. G. O. Form 0115, 23 March 1944,
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Stern Art Mfg. Co.
Chicago 6, Illinois

INQUIRY CLERK

March 27, 1945

Adjutant General, U. S. Army
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am taking the liberty in writing you regarding a very dear friend, Mrs. Leona Lidsky, whose husband, Pvt. Herman H. Lidsky, was reported killed in France on Sept. 10, 1944. He was with Co. E, 11th. Inf., 5th Div., 3rd Army, APO #5, N. Y. C.

Since the report of his death, Mrs. Lidsky has been failing in health very rapidly, both physically and especially mentally. She has been left with too small daughters, age one and age six, and naturally their lives are being jeopardized because of this condition.

She has seen many others received much more details than she, including the deceased's burial place as well as details about his death and, in some cases, the belongings have been returned. Because she has never received this information, she believes that there is none of this information to be given and that her husband is still alive. She has been inquiring of many people and departments and organizations and, of course, no one has been able to help her. I have been advised that you are the only party who can divulge this information.

Just a little more definite information would probably straighten out the whole situation. Perhaps the location of his burial place would suffice for the present. I imagine the widow would probably receive this information in due time but time in this case is essential as her health is failing rapidly and I am sure that if you can avoid this, you will. If you can help in this matter, I and all concerned will be everlastingly indebted and grateful to you and to our great country. Any information you can send the widow or myself will be very greatly appreciated.

Daniel Stern

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INQUIRY CLERK

Adjutant General, U. S. Army
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am taking the liberty in writing you regarding a very dear friend, Mrs. Leonas Lidaky, whose husband, Pvt. Herman H. Lidaky, was reported killed in France on Sept. 10, 1944. He was with Co. E, 11th Inf., 5th Div., 3rd Army, APO #2, N. Y. C. Since the report of his death, Mrs. Lidaky has been falling in health very rapidly, both physically and especially mentally. She has been left with two small daughters, age one and a six, and naturally their lives are being jeopardized because of this condition.

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Daniel Stern



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Lidsky, Herman H.
S. N. 36781425

7 September 1945

Mrs. Leona Lidsky
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

A letter written in your behalf by Mr. Daniel Stern to The Adjutant General has been forwarded to this office for reply relative to the personal effects and burial of your husband, the late Private Herman H. Lidsky.

In view of the fact that the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, Kansas City 1, Missouri, has been designated to receive and ship the personal effects of our military personnel who die outside the United States, a copy of your letter has been forwarded to that office for a direct reply to you.

It is regretted to have to advise you that, up to the present time, information pertaining to the burial of the remains of your husband has not been received in this office. An inquiry is being made to ascertain information regarding the remains of all our deceased military personnel where burial information has not been received. Upon completion of this inquiry, you will be advised as to the results.

This office regrets, sincerely, the delay in furnishing this information and wishes to extend its deepest sympathy in the loss of your husband.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR L. WARREN
Colonel, QMC
Assistant

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September 1945

Private Herman H. Libby
S. W. 3081132

Mrs. Leona Libby
501 South Central Avenue
Chicago 44, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Libby:

A letter written in your behalf by Mr. Daniel Stern to
The Adjutant General has been forwarded to this office for
reply relative to the personal effects and burial of your
husband, the late Private Herman H. Libby.

In view of the fact that the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas
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inquiry you will be advised as to the results.

This office regrets, sincerely, the delay in furnishing
this information and wishes to extend its deepest sympathy
in the loss of your husband.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR L. WAZAR
Colonel, USA
Assistant
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KANSAS CITY, MO.
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August 20, 1945

Mrs. Leona Lidsky ✓
501 South Central Avenue ✓
Chicago 44, Illinois ✓

Dear Mrs. Lidsky:

This refers to your recent inquiry regarding the personal effects of your husband, Private Herman H. Lidsky.

I am sorry to report that the Army Effects Bureau has not yet received any of his property. It is reasonable to assume, however, that his belongings ultimately will reach here, as all War Department agencies have instructions to forward the personal effects of military personnel to this Bureau for disposition. Transportation delays generally are encountered in delivery of effects, and considerable time should be allowed for the return of property from overseas.

Matters pertaining to burial or the disposition of remains are under the jurisdiction of The Quartermaster General, Memorial Division, Washington 25, D.C.; therefore, a copy of your letter has been forwarded to that official for further reply direct to you.

Promptly upon receipt here of any of your husband's belongings, disposal action will be taken.

Yours very truly,

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

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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue,
Kansas City 1, Missouri, 20 August 1945

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

1. For direct reply to so much thereof as pertains to burial of
Herman H. Lidsky, 36781425, Pvt.

2. Mrs. Lidsky has been advised to this reference.

FOR THE EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER:

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

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INQUIRY CLERK

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August 7, 1945

Dear Sir:

This letter is in reference to my husband, Private Herman N. Lidsky (36781425) who was killed in France, September 10, 1944 in action.

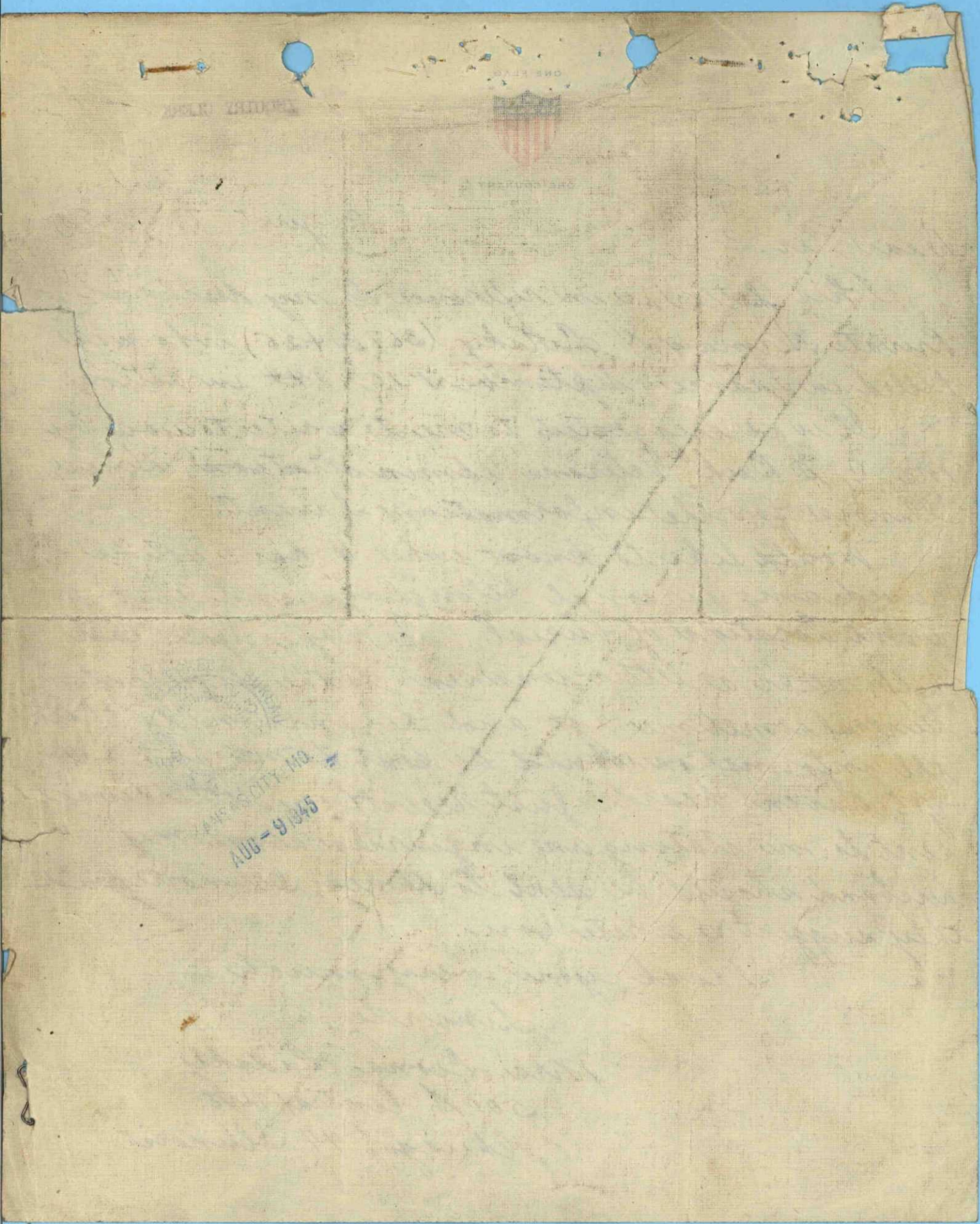
It was suggested to me to write to you by Mr. C. G. Beck, Veterans Administration, Skinec, Illinois for the information I want.

Would like to know why I have not received any personal belongings and also want location of burial. Do hope you can help me as a letter was sent to the Adjutant General sometime ago and he answered that the information would be sent to me but as yet haven't heard. Just recently a letter was sent to me stating an inquiries about my husband should be sent to Skinec, Illinois and they suggest I write you.

Thank you very much —

Sincerely,

Mrs. Leona Lidsky
501 S. Central Ave.
Chicago, 44 Illinois



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