

NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY OF THE PACIFIC

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

Interred - 18 Jan 1951 Section 0, Grave No. 1284 JOSEPH J. WALSH, Acting Supt., NMCP

943 *and Finschaff #1*

SECTION A NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED DIRECTIVE NUMBER 6910 00022 DATE 15 01 48 DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME UNKNOWNX-000030 SERIAL NUMBER (Manila Maus X-576) RANK 1 ARM 1 DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY BRITISH GUINEA USAF FINSCHAFFEN NO 10 DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 0192 64 CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT ROW GRAVE COUNTRY 579 NEW GUINEA CAUSE OF DEATH 6

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE MARILAY PHILIPPINE ISLANDS National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER) Hon., T.H. NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME Unknown X - 000030 SERIAL NUMBER Unknown X - 576 (Maus) RANK DATE OF DEATH DATE DISTINTERRED 21 Sept. '48

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON REMAINS MARKER ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN RELIGION IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY JOSEPH OWEN Embalmer NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL Shelter Half CONDITION OF REMAINS Skeletal

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1

One remains tag - Unknown X-576 AGRS Mausoleum One cemetery tag - Unknown X-000030

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 21 Sept. '48 BY JOSEPH OWEN

CASKET SEALED BY JOSEPH OWEN EMBALMER (Signature)

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY DATE 21 Sept '48 BY HORACE L. ALLISON, Sgt. INF. CORSIENE C. KAYANAN, 1st Lt., INF

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

CORSIENE C. KAYANAN, 1st Lt., INF.

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

FILE RECORDS ANNOTATED DATE NAME Eugene S. ...

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

FORM NO. 100-10
DATE
RECORDS MAINTAINED
BY

1. SHIPPED

FROM AGRS Mausoleum TO Fort McKinley Military Cemetery

KIND OF CONVEYANCE Truck NAME OF CONVOYER

SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER DATE SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER DATE

2. SHIPPED

FROM U. S. ARMY MAUSOLEUM 7 TO Hawaiian Dist. Center

KIND OF CONVEYANCE NAME OF CONVOYER

SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER Joseph P. Simoni DATE 16 Jan 51 SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER LEROY F. TURNER, Adm. Asst. DATE 16 Jan 51

3. SHIPPED

FROM TO

KIND OF CONVEYANCE NAME OF CONVOYER

SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER DATE SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER DATE

4. SHIPPED

FROM TO

KIND OF CONVEYANCE NAME OF CONVOYER

SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER DATE SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER DATE

5. SHIPPED

FROM TO

KIND OF CONVEYANCE (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER) NAME OF CONVOYER

SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER DATE SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER DATE

6. SHIPPED

FROM TO

KIND OF CONVEYANCE NAME OF CONVOYER

SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER DATE SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER DATE

7. SHIPPED

FROM TO

KIND OF CONVEYANCE NAME OF CONVOYER

SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER DATE SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER DATE

QMONT 293
CRS Pacific

1 February 1951

SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Deceased

Consol/w 293 unk Jimco #1 X-30

TO: Commanding Officer
American Graves Registration Service
Pacific Zone
APO 958, c/o Postmaster
San Francisco, California

1. Reference is made to the Certificates of Unidentifiability for the remains of the following:

293 Unknown X-9, 77th Div Cem Okinawa, Unit D, Page 38
" X-576, Manila Mausoleum, formerly Unknown X-30,
USAF Cem #1, Finschhafen, New Guinea, Unit D,
Page 38
" X-3666, Manila Mausoleum formerly Unknown X-83, USAF
Cem Leyte #1, P.I., Unit D, Page 43.

2. Subject cases have been reviewed and this Office approves the classification of the above Unknowns as Unidentifiable.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

G. Palmer
G.C.Salsers:irc

THOMAS E. COX
Capt QMC
Memorial Division

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cc--Cincfe
cc--Philcom
cc--Administrative Section

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN UNKNOWN X-576 (Formerly UNK X-30 BTB FOSTER, Dewey W. (USAF Cem #1, Finschhafen, New Guinea).				2. DATE OF REPORT 13 Jan 1948	
3. NAME OF CEMETERY AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I.		4. PLOT 801	5. ROW MC	6. GRAVE 736	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT 23 July 47
				REINTERMENT 8 Oct 47	

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT UTD	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT 5' 10 3/4"	10. COLOR OF HAIR UTD	11. RACE UTD
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12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS

NONE *Henry E. May*

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

NONE

14. WAS BODY BURNED ? TO WHAT EXTENT ?

YES NO

15. WAS BODY MANGLED ? TO WHAT EXTENT ?

YES NO

16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS

NONE

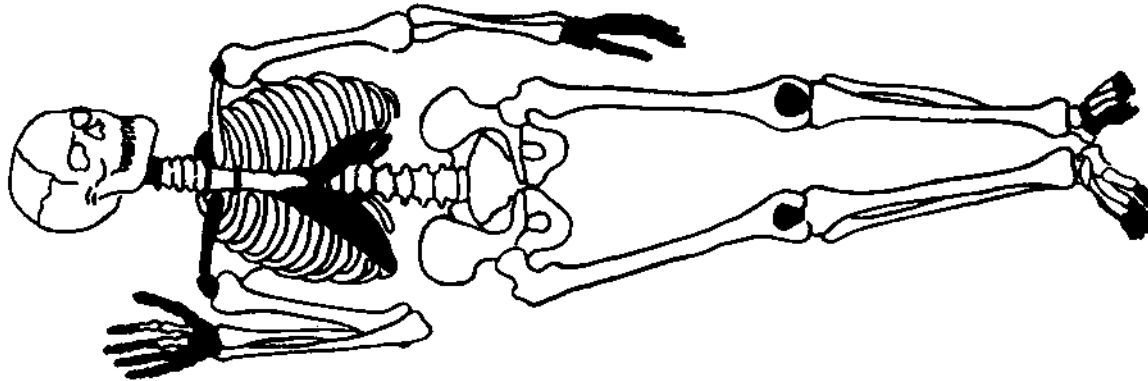
17. LIST EVERY ITEM OF CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND, SHOWING THE TYPE, COLOR, SIZE, MARKINGS, SERVICE, ETC. (If laundry marks are indistinct such notation should be made and specimen forwarded through channels for examination when facilities are not available in the area)

NONE

NO FILE
17 Feb 51
Identification Branch

Received *23 January 51* OQM3
 Notifiable from
 station presently
 available *30 Jan 51* *E.E. Palmer*

19. BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECORDED



20. **MASS BURIAL CERTIFICATE (IF APPLICABLE)**
 (Wherein segregation in whole or parts is impossible)

I CERTIFY THAT THE GROUP REMAINS CONSIST OF PARTS OF _____ DECEDENTS BASED ON THE PRESENCE OF ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING ANATOMICAL PARTS: _____ NUMBER

 SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

In processing the remains there is an evidence of a bullet hole entering at the extreme lower right occipital part and exiting at the left parietal part of the skull.

Previous ROI states that this remains was beheaded, however there was no evidence of this found because 1st cervical vertebrae missing. No I. D. tags, personal effects, burial bottle or other means of identification. Circumference of the skull 21 inches. Estimated weight of remains 10 lbs.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

G. T. Gamboa

G. T. GAMBOA
 2d Lt., MSC

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE PERSONALLY VIEWED THE REMAINS OF DECEASED AND THAT ALL RESULTING INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECORDED TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

TYPED NAME, GRADE, ARM OR SERVICE, AND ORGANIZATION
 /p/ **BYRON DONALDSON SP-6**
C-063248 CIP Lab. Manila, P.I.

SIGNATURE
 /s/ **Byron Donaldson**

18.

TOOTH CHART

	TOP VIEW	SIDE VIEW
MISSING TEETH: ALL TEETH MISSING THROUGH EXTRACTION (NOT THOSE FRACTURED OR DISPLACED BY RECENT WOUNDS) SHOULD BE "X" D OUT AND LABELED THUS:		
CROWNED TEETH: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD, PORCELAIN, SILVER OR GOLD AND PORCELAIN), THUS:		
BRIDGE WORK: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD BRIDGE, GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE), THUS:		
FILLINGS: DRAW FILLING ON TOOTH AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE (BLOCK IN AND LABEL GOLD, SILVER, CEMENT), THUS: •		
CARIES (Cavities): OUTLINE LOCATION AND SIZE OF CAVITY, SHADE IN THUS:		

	RIGHT								LEFT							
	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	<i>impacted</i>	A													A	<i>malposed</i>
Side Views																
Top Views																
Top Views																
Side Views																
		A														<i>impacted</i>
	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

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

REMARKS: L 8 - malposed toward the facial side. L 16 - horizontally impacted.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY,
G. T. Gamboa
 G. T. GAMBOA
 2d Lt., MSC

/s/ James W. McClanahan
 /s/ P. Mojica

QMGMT 293
GRS Pacific

1 February 1951

SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Deceased

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Division

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Cem #1 Finschhafen, New Guinea, Unit D, Page 38
" X-3666, Manila Mausoleum formerly Unknown 83, USAF
Cem Leyte #1, P.I., Unit D, Page 43.

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FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

G. Palmer:lrc
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THOMAS E. COX
Capt QMC
Memorial Division

EJF

cc--Admin Sec
cc--Cincfe
cc--Philcom

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OBJET 293

Unknown X-576
AGHS Mausoleum, Manila

22 April 1949

SUBJECT: Identification of Deceased Personnel

TO : Commanding General
Philippine Command
APO 707, c/o Postmaster
San Francisco, California
ATTN: AGHS, PHILCOM ZONE

1. Reference is made to the Proceedings of the Field Board of Review, dated 1 March 1949, recommending identification of X-576, AGHS Mausoleum, as 2/Lt. Dewey W. Foster, O-754610.

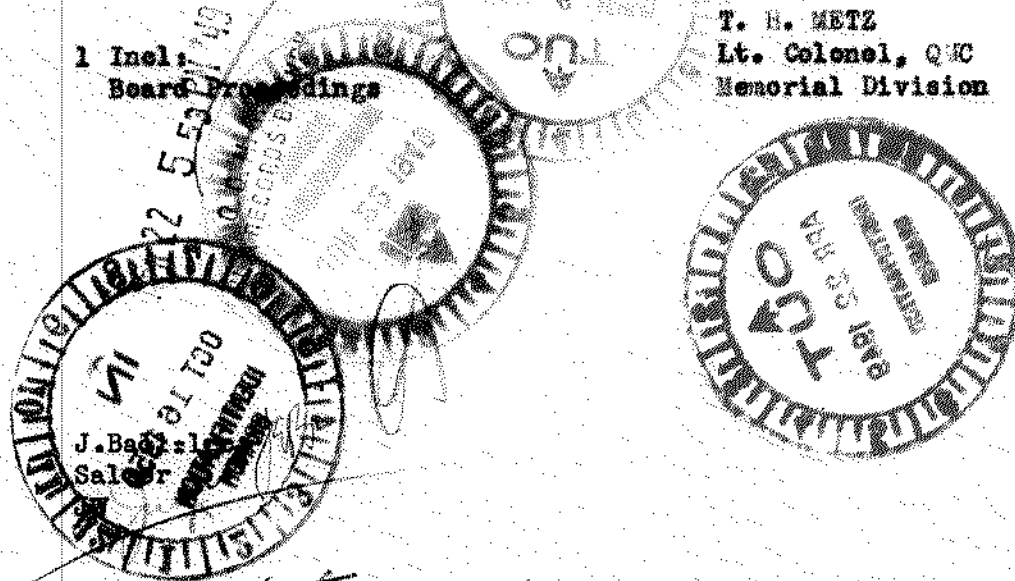
2. Army Dental Records for Lt. Foster accomplished over a period of two years conflict with dental data accomplished for Unknown X-576. No other means of identification is found to be conclusive.

3. Therefore the recommendation of the Field Board of Review is disapproved. Proceedings listed in paragraph 1, above are returned herewith.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

T. H. METZ
Lt. Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

1 Incl:
Board Proceedings



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NJS

X293 Foster, Dewey W O-754610

HEADQUARTERS
PHILIPPINES COMMAND

GRPZ 293.9

APO 707

15 MAR 1949

SUBJECT: Identification of Unknowns

29 3 unk P.I., X-576 (name, Manila)

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

1. Proceedings of the Board of Review, PHILCOM Zone, AGRS, for the following unknowns are forwarded herewith with recommendation that identification be approved:

X-576 as FOSTER, Dewey W. 2nd Lt. O-754 610
AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P. I.
(Formerly X-30, USAF Cem. #1, Finsch., N. G.)
(BTB FOSTER, Dewey W.)

X-705 as JOHNSON, Lloyd G. 2nd Lt. O-758 180
AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P. I.
(Formerly X-220, USAF Cem. Manila #2, P. I.)
(Formerly X-5, USAF Cem. San Jose #1, Mindoro, P. I.)

2. The first case is a pilot of the P-47 aircraft, No. 42-22709 who crashed near Madang, Australian New Guinea on 11 April 1944, survived the crash and was executed by the Japanese. The remains were recovered on 19 Sep 1944 by an Australian War Graves Unit and reburied at the Australian War Cemetery at Madang. In November 1944, the remains were reinterred in USAF Cemetery #1, Finschhafen, New Guinea as Unknown X-30 (believed to be Foster, Dewey W. O-754610). The second case is that of a P-38 pilot who crashed on the island of Mindoro, P. I., on 29 December 1944. The remains originally were interred as Unknown X-5, USAF Cemetery San Jose #1, Mindoro, P. I., on 3 Jan. 1945.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Frank O. Calohan, Jr.
FRANK O. CALOHAN, JR.
USA
Asst. Adj. Gen.

2 Incls:

*29 3 Board proceedings
29 3 Foster, Dewey W. O-754610 USA
29 3 Johnson, Lloyd G. O-758180
29 3 unk P.I. X-705 (name, Manila)*

*File 3-29-49
Kirkland
Sant*

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1. FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Unk. P.I. X-576 (AGRS Mausoleum Manila)

SYNOPSIS

2. TYPE OF DOCUMENT: 3rd Ind. 3. DATE: 3 DEC 1948

4. FROM: HDQRS, PHILIPPINES COM'D, APO 707

5. TO: CQMG ATTN: Mem Div

6. SUBJECT: Report of Reinterment.

Unk (Amer Airman) Madang Aust. Cem,

BTB FOSTER, Dewey W., USA Cem #1, Finschhafen, N.G.

7. DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 314.6 - G R S, Far East (Reinterment)

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1. FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Unk. N.G. X-30 (Finschhafen Cem #1)

SYNOPSIS

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AGMT 898 2nd Ind
Unknown (American Airman)
SUBJECT: Report of Reinterment

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY, G-203, WASHINGTON 25, D.C. 4 November 1945

TO: Commanding General, Philippine Command, APO 707, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California. ATTN: AGMS, Philcom Zone

1. Reference is made to preceding correspondence.
2. In compliance with paragraph two (2), 1st Indorsement, inclosed herewith are copies of Reports of Internment and Disinternment, referred to in paragraph one (1), Basic communication.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

2 Incls:
1. Report of Internment
2. Report of Disinternment

T. H. METZ
Lt. Colonel, G-2
Memorial Division

dal:Jeffery

cc:Admin. Sect.

MEZ

JOM

BASIC: Ltr fr DOTA, OQMG, Wash. 25, D. C., dtd 17 August 48, file
QMGBT 293, Unknown (American Airman) Mdang Aust. Cemetery,
subject: report of Reinterment.

GSGR 293

1st Ind

HEADQUARTERS, PHILIPPINES COMMAND, APO 707

29 September 1948

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

1. A thorough review of the records available at this Headquarters
was made with negative results.

2. It is requested that this office be furnished a photostatic
copy of Report of Reinterment referred to in basic communication.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

NORMAN L. QUIGG
CWO USA
Asst Adj. Gen

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

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WOMT 293
Unknown (American Airman)
Madang Aust. Cemetery

17 August 1948

SUBJECT: Report of Reinterment

TO : Commanding General
Philippine Command APO 707 c/o Postmaster
San Francisco, California
Attn: AGNS Philcom Zone

1. Reference is made to Report of Reinterment for Unknown (American Airman) Madang Aust. Cemetery, Grave A.D. 13, disinterred from M/R Madang East B 55/67 by 18th Aust. War Graves Unit ADP 688 320.
2. Request your records be searched and this office advised by Air Mail in what cemetery the Unknown was reinterred and the Unknown number assigned.
3. It is also requested that the remains be disinterred, examined in the presence of a medical officer or qualified technician and revised GIC Form 1044 be completed and forwarded to this office at the earliest practicable date.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

T. H. METZ
Lt. Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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CC: ADMIN. SECT.

C O N F I D E N T I A L
WAR DEPARTMENT
HEADQUARTERS ARMY AIR FORCES
WASHINGTON

MISSING AIR CREW REPORT

IMPORTANT: This report will be compiled in triplicate by each Army Air Forces organization within 48 hours of the time an aircraft is officially reported missing.

1. ORGANIZATION: Location Gusap; Command or Air Force Fifth; Group 35th Fi.; Squadron 39th Fi.; Detachment _____;
2. SPECIFY: Point of Departure Gusap, Strip 5; Course 310; Intended Destination Hansa Bay; Type of Mission Escort;
3. WEATHER CONDITIONS AND VISIBILITY AT TIME OF CRASH OR WHEN LAST REPORTED: Ceiling Unlimited, Visibility Unlimited, Scattered Cu. 3000, 1/10;
4. GIVE: (a) Date Apr 11, 44 Time 0950/K; and Location 20mi SNW of Dumpu of last known whereabouts of missing aircraft.
 (b) Specify whether () Last Sighted; () Last Contacted by Radio; () Forced Down; () Seen to Crash; or () Information not Available.
5. AIRCRAFT WAS LOST, OR IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN LOST, AS A RESULT OF: (Check only one) () Enemy Aircraft; () Enemy Anti-Aircraft; () Other Circumstance as follows Mechanical Failure

6. AIRCRAFT: Type, Model and Series P-47D-4RA; A.A.F. Serial Number 42-22709
7. ENGINES: Type, Model and Series R-2800-21; A.A.F. Serial Number (a) 42-125368
 (b) _____; (c) _____; (d) _____
8. INSTALLED WEAPONS (Furnish below Make, Type and Serial Number)
 (a) Unknown; (b) Unknown; (c) Unknown; (d) Unknown
 (e) "; (f) "; (g) "; (h) "
9. THE PERSON LISTED BELOW WERE REPORTED AS: (a) Battle Casualty
 or (b) ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
10. NUMBER OF PERSONS ABOARD AIRCRAFT: Crew 1; Passengers _____; Total 1
 (Starting with pilot, furnish the following particulars: If more than 10 persons were aboard aircraft, list similar particulars on separate sheet and attach original to this form.)

	<u>Crew Position</u>	<u>Name in Full (Last Name First)</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Serial Number</u>
1.	<u>Pilot</u>	<u>FOSTER, Dewey W.</u>	<u>2nd Lt.</u>	<u>0-754610</u>
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				
7.				
8.				
9.				
10.				

11. IDENTIFY BELOW THOSE PERSONS WHO ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE LAST KNOWLEDGE OF AIRCRAFT, AND CHECK APPROPRIATE COLUMN TO INDICATE BASIS FOR SAME:

	<u>Name in Full (Last Name First)</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Serial Number</u>	<u>Check Only One Column</u>			
				<u>Contacted By Radio</u>	<u>Last Sighted</u>	<u>Saw Crash</u>	<u>Saw Forced Landing</u>
1.	<u>ROTHGEB, Wayne P.</u>	<u>1st Lt.</u>	<u>0-792155</u>		<u>X</u>		
2.							
3.							

12. IF PERSONNEL ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE SURVIVED, ANSWER YES TO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS: (a) Parachutes were used _____; (b) Persons were seen walking away from scene of crash _____; or (c) Any other reason (Specify) Unknown
13. ATTACH AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH, M.P. CHART, OR SKETCH, SHOWING APPROXIMATE LOCATION WHERE AIRCRAFT WAS LAST SEEN.
14. ATTACH EYEWITNESS DESCRIPTION OF CRASH, FORCED LANDING, OR OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES PERTAINING TO MISSING AIRCRAFT.
15. ATTACH A DESCRIPTION OF THE EXTENT OF SEARCH, IF ANY, AND GIVE NAME, RANK AND SERIAL NUMBER OF OFFICER IN CHARGE HERE ANDERSON, William W., Capt, 0-663002

Gella, Richard T., Capt, 0-378223
Tansing, Richard M., Capt. 0-662693

Date of Report April 13, 1944

(Signature of Preparing Officer)
George E. MORGAN, Capt., AAF, Ops Off.

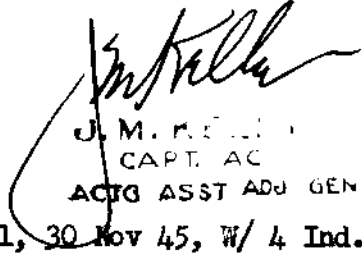
BASIC: Ltr fr ASF, OQMG, file SPQYG 293 Unknown #324 (Finschhafen #1)
New Guinea, dtd 30 Nov 45, Subj: Report of Burial

AG 293-GA 1st W/Ind
HEADQUARTERS, PACIFIC AIR COMMAND, USA ARMY, APO 925 19 FEB 1946

TO: Commanding General, AAF, Washington 25, D. C.
ATTENTION: AFPPA-8

Inclosed hereto, for your information, is report by 1st Australian Army and findings made by this headquarters pertaining to 2nd Lt. Dewey W. Foster, O-754610 and 2nd Lt. Milton A. MacDonald, O-755980.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:


J. M. KELLY
CAPT. AC
ACTG ASST ADJ GEN

4 Incls:

- Incl 1-Copy Ltr fr ASF, OQMG, Subj: Rpt of Burial, 30 Nov 45, W/ 4 Ind.
- Incl 2-Unidentified American Airmen Report fr 1st Aust. Army Re: X-30 & X-31.
- Incl 3-MACR W/Attachments Re: Lt. Foster
- Incl 4-MACR W/Attachments Re: Lt. MacDonald.

FILE UNDER NO, 293 - Unk. X-30 New Guinea (Finschhafen)

A P U R A D E M E T

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Letter

30 Nov 45

FROM: O MG
TO: Gen Hdq USAF W. Pac. APO 707, c/o PM, San Fran, Calif.
FOR: G 13 1.

SUBJ: Report of Burial

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ad to
11-10
(Menschel)
11-10
293 Unit X-30 - New Guinea

~~1st ind~~
Hqs., Army Air Forces, Washington 25, D.C.

AFPPA-5/PMS/pt/
20 Nov 45

TO: Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D. C.

Unable to identify plane or occupant at this headquarters.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:



F.M. MENCH
Capt, Air Corps
File and Records, Notification Section
Personal Affairs Branch
Personal Services Division, AC/AS-1

293 Unit X 30 New Guinea

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO SPQYG 293
Unknown X-30
(Finschhafen #1)
New Guinea

10 November 1945

SUBJECT: Report of Burial

TO : Commanding General, AAF, Washington 25, D.C.
Attn: AC/AS-1, Personal Affairs Division, Notification Branch

1. Report of Burial has been received in this office covering the burial of Unknown X-30 in the USAF Cemetery, Finschhafen #1, New Guinea.

2. The deceased was member of a plane which crashed at AFU. The site of the wreck was visited 28 May 1944, and according to information obtained from the natives, this plane crashed about three months previously. Wreck was found approximately one mile from AFU toward UMIN, New Guinea. Plane was buried in soft ground and did not ignite on crashing. It was impossible to determine whether engine was in-line or radial. The size of the wreck was small, therefore, it was presumed to be a fighter plane. Tail assembly was similar to P. Lightning; USA star and bar markings; two .50 Brownings were seen, one of which was No. 608619; .20 mm. ammunition was found nearby. Inlet assembly was marked No. 107933; outer assembly No. 52749.

3. It is requested that any information available from your records, which may be of assistance in establishing the identity of the plane and its crew, be forwarded to this office at the earliest practicable date.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

ARTHUR S. ROSENGARD
2nd Lt., QMC
Assistant

*Must be P. 5 & Only
Ship which carries 20 mm.
[Signature]*



SPQYG 293
Unknown X-30
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FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

ARTHUR S. ROSENGARD
2nd Lt., QMC
Assistant

NOV 13 2 27 PM '45
MEMORIAL DIVISION

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NOV 9 3 10 PM '45
CH-30

X-576

IDENTIFICATION DENTAL CHART

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

(BTB 2d Lt., Dewey W. Foster)
(Formerly UNK X-30)

7 Oct 47

UNK X-576 (USAF Cem #1, Finsch, P.G.) 2d Lt.

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LAST NAME	FIRST	INITIAL	RANK	ORGANIZATION	SERIAL NO.
Unknown				Air Corps	
UNIT	AGRS MAUSOLEUM	ORGANIZATION			
Hobonob, New Guinea	Manila, P.I.	801 C			736
PLACE OF DEATH	PLACE OF BURIAL STORAGE	PLAT NUMBER	ROW	GRAVE NO.	

Impacted *Partial Impaction*
















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TYPE		A													A		TYPE
LOCATION		O													O		LOCATION

INSIDE — LOOKING OUT

	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
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KEY OF SYMBOLS TO BE USED ON ABOVE CHART

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

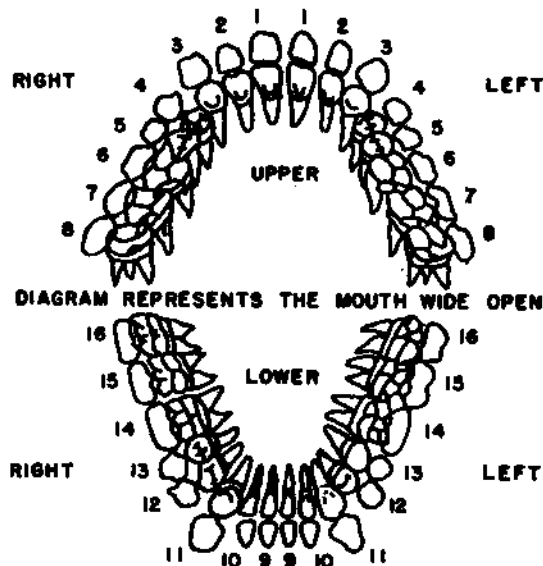
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4. FOR INFORMATION OF STANDARD NUMBERING OF TEETH, SEE DIAGRAM BELOW.



REMARKS:

/s/ Russell Smith
SIGNATURE OF PERSON WHO PREPARED CHART

/p/ RUSSELL SMITH T/4

NAME AND RANK TYPED OR PRINTED

CIP, AGRS MAUSOLEUM, MANILA, P.I.
PLACE OR HQ. WHERE THIS FORM ACCOMPLISHED

/s/ Felix Glass, Capt., D.C.
VERIFIED BY GRS OFFICER

NAME AND RANK TYPED OR PRINTED

7 Oct 47
DATE

830-PHILBYCOM-4-47-204

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

George T. Gabriel
GEORGE T GABRIEL
2d Lt., MAC

IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST

(To be completely filled out and attached to each copy
 of Report of Interment WD QMC Form 1042)

(BTB 2d Lt. Dewey W. Foster)
 (Formerly UNK N-30)
 Unknown X -576 (USAF Cem #1, Finsch.)
 Cemetery AGRS MAUSOLEUM, MANILA, P.I.
 Plot 801 Row C Grave 736

CIP, AGRS MAUSOLEUM, MANILA, P.I.

1. Arrived at cemetery 23 Sept 47
(Hour) (Date)
2. Place of death Oboob, New Guinea
(Name of closest town)

(Coordinates and letter Prefix, maps)

(Sheet, scale and serials used)

3. Remains recovered or disinterred by American Graves Reg Det #2
(Name and organization)
4. Evacuated to Cemetery by American Graves Reg Det #2
(Name and organization)
5. Description of clothing and equipment: (if clothes do not fit, obtain size from body measurements)

Item	Clothing Markings	Sizes	Indicate unusual markings color, wear, tear, repairs, etc.
* Headgear	/		
	<small>(Type)</small>		
Raincoat	/		
Overcoat	/		
Jacket, Field	/		
Jacket, Combat	N		
Mackinaw	O		
Sweater	N		
	E		
Jacket, HBT	/		
* Shirt, Wool OD	/		
Undershirt, Wool	/		
Undershirt, Cotton	/		
Trousers, HBT	/		
* Trousers, Wool OD	/		

Belt, web _____
 Drawers, wool _____
 Drawers, cotton _____
 Leggings, wool _____
 Socks, cotton _____
 * Shoes _____ (type) _____
 Overshoes _____
 Web Equipment _____ (type) _____

(Other item) _____ N
 (Other item) _____ N
 _____ E

* If body is nude, sizes of these items should be computed by measuring the remains

Chevrons or Insignia _____
 (Type & location; shirt, jacket, coat, helmet)

Shoulder Patch _____

Does clothing indicate that deceased was a member of the Air/Ground or Naval Force?

6. Description of Remains: Skeletal remains only, Skeletal Chart attached.

Age ^{Est.} UTD _____ Height ^{Est.} 5'11" Weight 165 lbs Description of wounds _____

Bandages or dressings _____ Scars _____
 (Length, width, location)

Tattoos _____
 (Number, location — illustrate on separate page)

Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks _____
 (Yes-no; description, location)

Sunburn or tan, other than hand and face _____

Complexion _____
 (Light, medium, dark, clear, pimples, pocks, freckles)

Build _____
 (Large, ~~fat~~, thin, muscular)

Hair _____
 (Color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight, whorls, or definite parting)

Hair _____
 (Baldness, widows peak, distinctive parting or other characteristics)

Sideburns _____ Mustache _____ Beard or _____
 (Color, setting, shape) (Color, size, shape) (Length, heavy)

Goatee (Light, color, extent)

Eyes (Color, setting, shape) Eyebrows (Color, bushiness, extent across nose)

Nose (Size, shape, straight) Ears (Size, set close to or far from head)

Mouth (Large, medium, small) Lips (Small, large, full)

Teeth Tooth chart attached. (White, size, unevenness, spacing, noticeable crowns, fillings, extracts)

Chin (Prominent, receding, pointed, dimples, double)

Jaw (Large, small, normal) Skull Circumference of head in inches 20½" (Hat band)

Neck (Size, length, short, normal, wrinkled) Larynx (Prominent, normal)

Shoulders (Broad, straight, small, rounded) Arms (Length, muscular, color, extent and quantity of hair)

Hands (Short, thick, long, slender, size of knuckles, missing fingers or joints)

Fingers (Unusual characteristics of fingernails)

Chest (Size of nipples, color, quantity and extent of hair, large, small, normal)

Waist (Size of navel, appendectomy, amount, quantity, and color of hair)

Back (Quantity and extent of hair) Circumcision (Yes-no) Pubic Hair (Color)

Hernioplasty (Yes-no; location)

Legs (Insect, muscular, knock-kneed, bowed, normal, quantity, color and extent of hair)

Feet (Size, corns, callouses, flat) Toes (Slender, straight, crooked, overlap)

Evidence of healed fractures (Nose, arms, legs, etc.)

NOTE: Use attached charts "A" and "B" to indicate parts not received.

7. Have finger prints been placed on Report of Interment? No
(Yes-no)
If not, explain Due to condition of remains.

8. Has tooth chart been prepared? Yes If not, explain _____
(Yes-no)

9. Remarks No I.D. tags, ROI, or other identification material found with remains. The status of BTB was established through the original ROI. (See original papers). Estimated weight of remains 15 lbs.

I certify that I have personally viewed the remains of subject deceased and all resulting information has been recorded to the best of my knowledge.

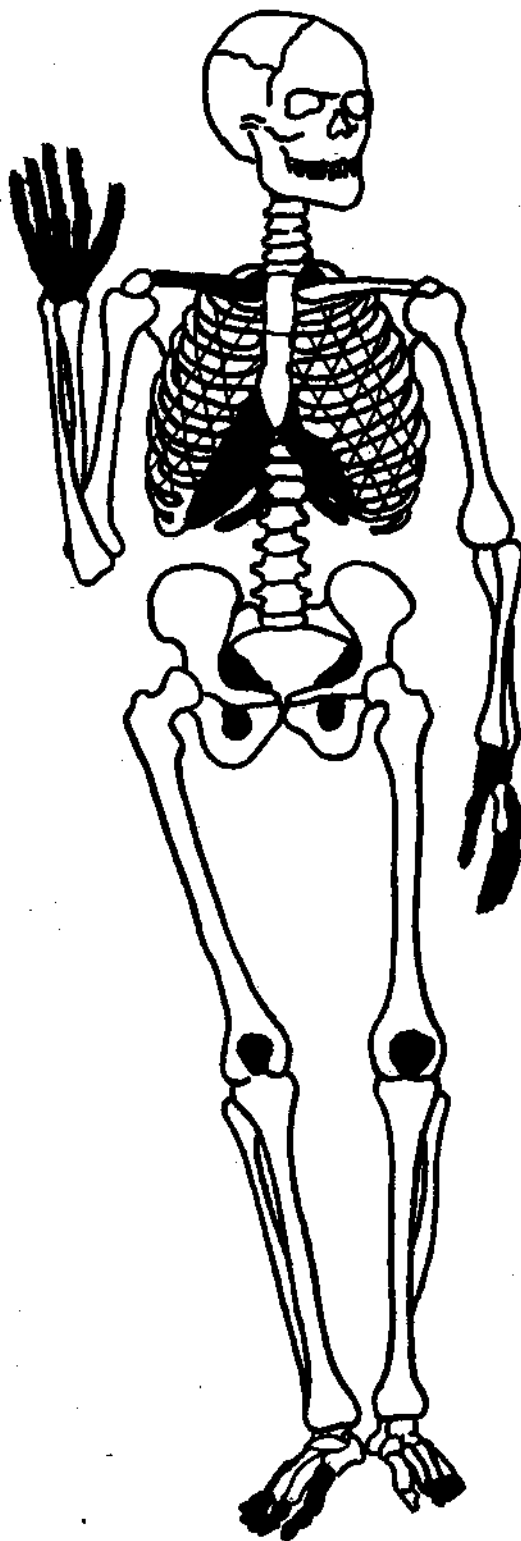
/s/ James J. McDermott
(Officer's Name)
Civ CAF-9
Rank Service
AGRS
(Organization)

7 Oct 47

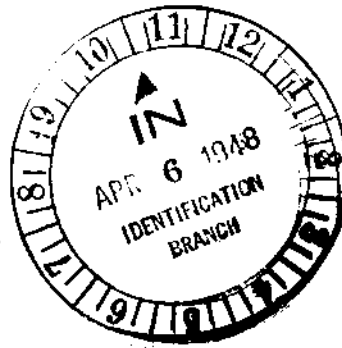
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SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)



- 22 - Ribs
- 5 - Cervical vertebrae
- 11 - Dorsal vertebrae
- 5 - Lumbar vertebrae



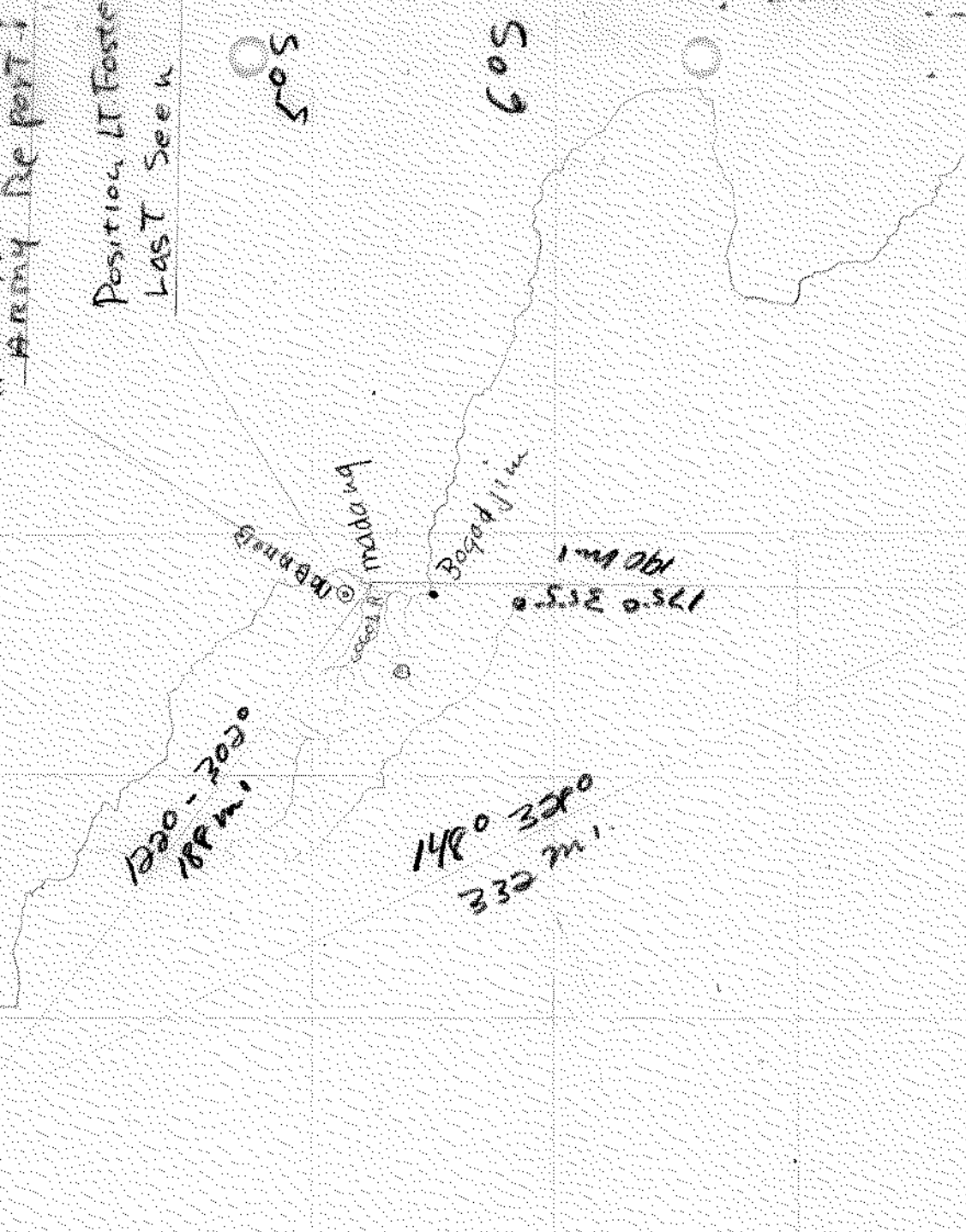
No B11013 - 5°10' S
115°45' E

Place where R-27
Crashed, Per 1st Austl
Army Report

Position Lt Foster
Last Seen

505

605



1000 3

STAT MILES

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145° E

146° E

Par 15: Extent of Search.

STATEMENT OF CAPT. ANDERSON

a. I took off on search for Lt. Foster, April 12, 1944 at 1147/K with three (3) airplanes. Search area 60 miles North of Atemble and 35 miles East and 35 miles west of the Ramu River. Made no sightings on this search. Landed 1330/K.

STATEMENT OF CAPT. CELLA

b. I took off at 1330/K, April 12, 1944, in a P-40D-3. Went 50 miles past Station 5. Coming back I did "S" turns but didn't see anything of missing airplane or pilot.

STATEMENT OF CAPT. TANSING

c. I took off at 0820/K, April 13, 1944 on search for Lt. Foster with two (2) airplanes. Searched Schrauder and Bismark Ranges but no sightings were made. I landed at 1030/K.

For the Squadron Commander:

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

GEORGE E. MORGAN,
Capt. AAF,
Operations Officer

Par 14.: Circumstances Pertaining to Missing Aircraft.

On April 11, 1944, Lt. Foster was flying my wing on a mission. We had taken off and were on course about 20 minutes at approximately 0950/K. We had just passed station five when Lt. Foster pulled up on my wing and then made a gentle turn towards the field and headed in that direction. I acknowledged his peel off by rocking my wings. He made no contact with me by radio. Apparently his plane was running all right up to this time. Foster had kept in good formation.

WAYNE P. ROTHEB
1st Lt. AAF

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Subject:

UNIDENTIFIED AMERICAN AIRMEN

In reply please quote GR 1095

1219/44
Hq. First Aust.
3 October 1944.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER,
USASOS.
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to **FOUO**
by F. A. ...
by F. M. MOEN, B. Capt., AC
Date MAR 15 1946

C O N F I D E N T I A L
WAR DEPARTMENT
HEADQUARTERS ARMY AIR FORCES
WASHINGTON

MISSING AIR CREW REPORT

IMPORTANT: This report will be compiled in triplicate by each Army Air Forces organization within 48 hours of the time an aircraft is officially reported missing.

1. ORGANIZATION: Location Guaymas; Command or Air Force FLCMA; Group 35th Fl.; Squadron 32nd Fl.; Detachment _____
2. SPECIFY: Point of Departure Guaymas, Strip 5; Course 310; Intended Destination Marina Bay; Type of Mission Escort
3. WEATHER CONDITIONS AND VISIBILITY AT TIME OF CRASH OR WHEN LAST REPORTED: Clouding Unlimited, Visibility Unlimited, Scattered Cu, 3000, 1/2
4. GIVE: (a) Date Apr 11, 44 Time 0930/K; and Location 30mi SW of Guaymas of last known whereabouts of missing aircraft.
(b) Specify whether () Last Sighted; () Last Contacted by Radio; () Forced Down; () Seen to Crash; or () Information not Available.
5. AIRCRAFT WAS LOST, OR IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN LOST, AS A RESULT OF: (Check only one) () Enemy Aircraft; () Enemy Anti-Aircraft; () Other Circumstance as follows Mechanical Failure

6. AIRCRAFT: Type, Model and Series P-47D-47A; A.M.F. Serial Number 42-22704
7. ENGINES: Type, Model and Series P-2000-11; A.M.F. Serial Number(a) 42-125368
(b) _____; (c) _____; (d) _____
8. INSTALLED WEAPONS (Furnish below Make, Type and Serial Number)
(a) Unknown; (b) Unknown; (c) Unknown; (d) Unknown
(e) _____; (f) _____; (g) _____; (h) _____
9. THE PERSON LISTED BELOW WERE REPORTED AS: (a) Battle Casualty _____
or (b) ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
10. NUMBER OF PERSONS ABOARD AIRCRAFT: Crew 1; Passengers _____; Total 1
(Starting with pilot, furnish the following particulars: If more than 10 persons were aboard aircraft, list similar particulars on separate sheet and attach original to this form.)

	Crew Position	Name in Full (Last Name First)	Rank	Serial Number
1.	Pilot	<u>ROBERT, Nancy W.</u>	<u>2nd Lt.</u>	<u>0-72610</u>
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				
7.				
8.				
9.				
10.				

11. IDENTIFY BELOW THOSE PERSONS WHO ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE LAST KNOWLEDGE OF AIRCRAFT, AND CHECK APPROPRIATE COLUMN TO INDICATE BASIS FOR SAME:
Check Only One Column
- | Name in Full
(Last Name First) | Rank | Serial Number | Contacted | | | Sat. Forced Landing |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| | | | By Radio | Last Sighted | Saw Crash | |
| 1. <u>ROBERT, Nancy W.</u> | <u>2nd Lt.</u> | <u>0-72610</u> | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | |
| 2. | | | | | | |
| 3. | | | | | | |

12. IF PERSONNEL ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE SURVIVED, ANSWER YES TO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS: (a) Parachutes were used _____; (b) Persons were seen walking away from scene of crash _____; or (c) Any other reason (Specify) Unknown
13. ATTACH AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH, MAP, CHART, OR SKETCH, SHOWING APPROXIMATE LOCATION WHERE AIRCRAFT WAS LAST SEEN.
14. ATTACH EYEWITNESS DESCRIPTION OF CRASH, FORCED LANDING, OR OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES PERTAINING TO MISSING AIRCRAFT.
15. ATTACH A DESCRIPTION OF THE EXTENT OF SEARCH, IF ANY, AND GIVE NAME, RANK AND SERIAL NUMBER OF OFFICER IN CHARGE HERE ANDERSON, William H., Capt., 0-44002

Cells, Richard T., Capt., 0-578228
 Dunning, Richard M., Capt., 0-442493
 Date of Report April 19, 1944
 (Signature of Preparing Officer)
George E. MOYER, Capt., AAF, Ops Off.

Par 14.: Circumstances Pertaining to Missing Aircraft.

On April 11, 1944, Lt. Foster was flying my wing on a mission. We had taken off and were on course about 20 minutes at approximately 0950/K. We had just passed station five when Lt. Foster pulled up on my wing and then made a gentle turn towards the field and headed in that direction. I acknowledged his peel off by rocking my wings. He made no contact with me by radio. Apparently his plane was running all right up to this time. Foster had kept in good formation.

MAYNE P. ROTHBERG
1st Lt. AAF

Par 15: Extent of Search.

STATEMENT OF CAPT. ANDERSON

a. I took off on search for Lt. Foster, April 12, 1944 at 1147/K with three (3) airplanes. Search area 60 miles North of Atemble and 35 miles East and 35 miles west of the Ramu River. Made no sightings on this search. Landed 1330/K.

STATEMENT OF CAPT. CELLA

b. I took off at 1330/K, April 12, 1944, in a P-40D-3. Went 50 miles past Station 5. Coming back I did "S" turns but didn't see anything of missing airplane or pilot.

STATEMENT OF CAPT. TANSING

c. I took off at 0820/K, April 13, 1944, on search for Lt. Foster with two (2) airplanes. Searched Schraeder and Bismark Ranges but no sightings were made. I landed at 1030/K.

For the Squadron Commander:

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

GEORGE E. MORGAN,
Capt. AAF,
Operations Officer

SAME HEADQUARTERS

19 April 44

DESCRIPTION OF SEARCH

At approximately 0950K, April 17, 1944, the undersigned officer and Lt Rieman took off to conduct a search for aircraft lost from the Group. Focal points of the search was the area between Bodadjim village and the head of the Markham Valley. It was in this general area that several flights became badly scattered and lost in the weather. Besides searching this area, a careful reconnaissance was made of the western coastline between Bagadjim and Uligan Harbor; before returning to base the valley from ??? Harbor to Amiamon, to Obulu was searched from a minimum altitude. Throughout the mission no P-38's nor parachutes were observed but sightings of two (2) A-20's were made, one near Uligan Harbor, the other twenty-five (25) miles N.W. of Bogadjim.

Absence of any last sightings or radion contacts with the missing aircraft precludes a very accurate search in any special area. Subsequent to this mission, extensive search has been made by flights from the Group.

/s/ McAfee

Organization: Location APO 713 Unit 1; Command or Air Force Fifth
Group 475 Fighter Squad 431 Fighter Detachment

Point of Departure Nadzab #3 Course 2920
Intended Destination Hollandia & Return. Type of Mission Escort Bombers
Weather Conditions etc: Weather bad, Visibility Zero.
Date 4/16/44 Time 1515 /K Location Vicinity of Jappa
Type of Aircraft - F-38715 Serial Number 42-104355

Pilot - MacDonald, Milton A. 2nd Lt. O-755980

Samms, Charles R. 1Lt O-743511

431st Fighter Squadron
475th Fighter Group
APO 713, Unit #1

18 April 1944

SUBJECT: Missing Pilot Report; 2nd Lt. Milton A. MacDonald.

TO: Operations Officer, 475th Fighter Group, APO 713 . Unit #1.

1. On 16 April, 1944, I was leading the element of Hades Special Flight. Lt. Milton A. MacDonald was flying my wing. We were returning from Hollandia, where we had covered B-24s on a recco mission, and were on a heading that would lead us into the entrance of the Ramu Valley. Our four ship flight was intact. We were west of Wewak when we learned of a front extending across the entrance to the valley and extending out to sea. As the ceiling lowered, we let down to the deck and made several attempts to get under the overcast. When Lt. Cline, the flight leader, decided it was impossible to get through below, he started to climb to get through at altitude. We entered the overcast on an approximate 50 degree heading at 3000 feet in the general vicinity of Jappa, inland from Bogajim. Lt. MacDonald was in good formation on my wing, when we entered the overcast. Losing sight of the rest of the flight, I turned back to get into the clear again, and when I broke out of the overcast, Lt. MacDonald was not flying my wing. I stayed in the general area for approximately ten (10) minutes, searching for Lt. MacDonald, but was unable to sight him. The last time I saw him was just upon entering the overcast and apparently Lt. MacDonald did not call for aid.

/s/ Charles R. Samms

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN UNKNOWN X-576		(Formerly UNK X-30 BTB FOSTER, Dewey V. (USAF Gem #1, Finschhafen, New Guinea)			2. DATE OF REPORT 13 Jan 1948	
3. NAME OF CEMETERY AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I.		4. PLOT Hanger 801	5. ROW Bey C	6. GRAVE Crypt 736	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT 23 July 47	
				REINTERMENT 8 Oct 47		

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT UTD	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT 5' 10 3/4"	10. COLOR OF HAIR UTD	11. RACE UTD
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12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS

NONE

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

NONE

14. WAS BODY BURNED ? TO WHAT EXTENT ?

YES NO

15. WAS BODY MANGLED ? TO WHAT EXTENT ?

YES NO

16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS

NONE

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

NONE

A TRUE COPY:

E. L. Tyler
 ELEE L. TYLER
 Major, Infantry

18. TOOTH CHART		
	TOP VIEW	SIDE VIEW
MISSING TEETH: ALL TEETH MISSING THROUGH EXTRACTION (NOT THOSE FRACTURED OR DISPLACED BY RECENT WOUNDS) SHOULD BE "X" 'D OUT AND LABELED THUS:		
CROWNED TEETH: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD, PORCELAIN, SILVER OR GOLD AND PORCELAIN), THUS:		
BRIDGE WORK: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD BRIDGE, GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE), THUS:		
FILLINGS: DRAW FILLING ON TOOTH AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE (BLOCK IN AND LABEL GOLD, SILVER, CEMENT), THUS:		
CARIES (Cavities): OUTLINE LOCATION AND SIZE OF CAVITY, SHADE IN THUS:		

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

REMARKS: L 8 - malposed toward the facial side. L 16 - horizontally impacted.

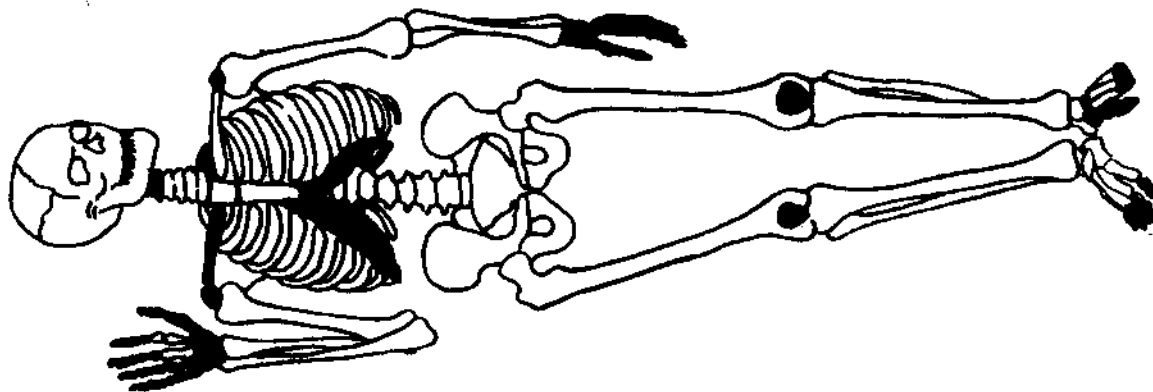
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s/t/ G. T. GAMBOA
2d Lt., MSC

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[Signature]
Major, Infantry

/s/ James W. McClanahan
/s/ P. Mojica

19. BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECOVERED



20.

MASS BURIAL CERTIFICATE (IF APPLICABLE)
 (Wherein segregation in whole or parts is impossible)

I CERTIFY THAT THE GROUP REMAINS CONSIST OF PARTS OF _____ DECEDENTS BASED ON THE PRESENCE OF ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING ANATOMICAL PARTS: _____ NUMBER

 SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

In processing the remains there is an evidence of a bullet hole entering at the extreme lower right occipital part and exiting at the left parietal part of the skull.

Previous ROI states that this remains was beheaded, however there was no evidence of this found because 1st cervical vertebrae missing. No I. D. tags, personal effects, burial bottle or other means of identification. Circumference of the skull 21 inches. Estimated weight of remains 10 lbs.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

s/t/ G. T. GAMBOA
 2d Lt., MSC

A TRUE COPY:

Elee L. Tyler
 ELEE L. TYLER
 Major, Infantry

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE PERSONALLY VIEWED THE REMAINS OF DECEASED AND THAT ALL RESULTING INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECORDED TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

TYPED NAME, GRADE, ARM OR SERVICE, AND ORGANIZATION

/p/ BYRON DONALDSON SP-6
 G-063248 CIP Lab. Manila, P.I.

SIGNATURE

/s/ Byron Donaldson

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

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

UNKNOWN (American Airman) Fighter Pilot
(Last Name) (First) (Initial) (Serial Number) (Rank) (Organization)

Amron, New Guinea. Approx. 9 April 44 Beheaded by Japs
(Place of death) (Date of death) (Cause of death)

Exhumed from M/R Madang East B 55/67"
(Time and date of burial) (Name of cemetery) (Name or coordinates of location)

By 18th Aust War Graves Unit ADF 688 320

(Grave number) (Row number) (Plot number) Cross
(type of marker-Regulation V-shaped or other)

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

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

S/ (If no identification tags, what means of identification are buried with the body?) Religion
PAUL J. TONN,
1st Lt., OIC

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

Body buried on RIGHT (Name) (Serial Number) (Rank) (Organization) (Grave Number)

Body buried on LEFT (Name) (Serial Number) (Rank) (Organization) (Grave Number)

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE) (Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

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

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

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

UNKNOWN (American Airman) Fighter Pilot
(Last Name) (First) (Initial) (Serial Number) (Rank) (Organization)

Amron, New Guinea. Approx. 9 April 44 Beheaded by Japs
(Place of death) (Date of death) Madang Air Drome 3704
(Cause of death)

20 Sept 44 Madang Aust. Cemetery 1/25000 706206
(Time and date of burial) (Name of cemetery) (Name or coordinates of location)

A. D. 13. Cross
(Grave number) (Row number) (Plot number) (Type of marker-Regulation V-shaped or other)

Disposition of Identification tags: Buried with body Yes No X-Attached to marker Yes No X

Certified true copy:
PAUL J. TONN. None Religion
1st Lt. QMC (If no identification tags, what means of identification are buried with the body?)

Effort being made to accomplish identification
(If no identification tags, but identity definitely established, give particulars)

Body buried on RIGHT None
(Name) (Serial Number) (Rank) (Organization) (Grave No.)

Body buried on LEFT
(Name) (Serial Number) (Rank) (Organization) (Grave No.)

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE) (Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

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

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Graves Registration
Form M
(Revised)

REPORT OF INTERMENT

120000 6451

UNKNOWN (American Airman)

Fighter Pilot

(Last name)

(First)

(Initial)

(Serial number)

Beheaded by Japs (Organization)

Amron, New Guinea, Approx. 9 April 44

Madang Air Drome 3704

(Place of death)

(Date of death)

(Cause of death)

20 Sept 44

Madang Aust. Cemetery

1/25000 706206

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(Name of cemetery)

(Name or coordinates of location)

A.D. 13.

(Grave number)

(Row number)

(Plot number)

Cross

(Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)

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

Certified true copy:

PAUL J. TONN, None

Religion

1st Lt. OMC.

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Effort being made to accomplish identification

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

Body buried on RIGHT None

(Name)

(Serial number)

(Rank)

(Organization)

(Grave number)

Body buried on LEFT None

(Name)

(Serial number)

(Rank)

(Organization)

(Grave number)

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE)

(Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

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

IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

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

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

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

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

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

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

Info. compiled by W/O 1 J.C. MONK,
Hqs. 1st Aust. Army

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(Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)

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(Verified by Army GRS Officer)

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Graves Registration
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REPORT OF INTERMENT

UNKNOWN (American Air Force) TA Fighter Pilot
(Last name) (First) (Initial) (Serial number) (Rank) (Organization)

Amron, New Guinea. Approx. 9 April 44 Beheaded by Japs.
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Exhumed from M/R Madang East B 55/67"
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By 18th Aust War Graves Unit ADP 688 320

CROSS
(Grave number) (Row number) (Plot number) (Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)

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

Certified true copy:

Paul J. Tonn

Religion

PAUL J. TONN,
1st Lt. GMC.

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

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

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(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE)

(Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

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J. C. MONK. Hqs 1st Aust Army.

(Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)

Buried by Natives.....
 Verified by Army GRS Officer)

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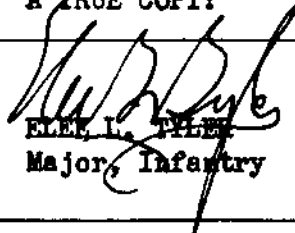
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WD OMC FORM 1042 (Rev. 1 Apr. 1945) (Supersedes GRS Form 1)		REPORT OF INTERMENT STORAGE (AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)				DATE OF REPORT 15 Jan 48	
Imprint Identification Tag If Possible. DO NOT TYPE 		Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION. NAME (Last, first, middle initial) UNKNOWN X-576 (Formerly UNK X-30 BTB FOSTER, Dewey W. USAF Cem #1, Finschhafen, N. G.)					
		SERIAL NO. BTB 0754610		GRADE BTB 2nd Lt.		ORGANIZATION BTB Air Corps	
		BRANCH OF SERVICE Unknown		RACE Unknown		RELIGION Unknown	
		IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD, GIVE NAME OF COUNTRY		PLACE OF DEATH Nobonob, New Guinea		CAUSE OF DEATH Executed after capture by enemy -- Beheaded.	
		DATE OF DEATH Approx. April 44		EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Unknown			
IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY (1, 2, or none) None		IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse) See remarks.					
WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED? (Yes or no) Yes (2)							
LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME None		A TRUE COPY:  E. L. TYLER Major, Infantry					
Section 2.—BURIAL. If other than in established cemetery, furnish sketch and map coordinates on reverse.							
NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY AGRS MAUSOLEUM, MANILA, P.I.							
DATE OF BURIAL Storage 8 Oct 47	HOUR 0800	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other) Stored Casket	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER None	PLOT NO. Hanger 801	ROW No. Bay C	GRAVE No. Crypt 736	
WAS THIS A REBURIAL? (Yes or no) Restored Yes	IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE USAF Cemetery #1, Finschhafen, N. G.			PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No. 579	
TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY	PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES		IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODY				
IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or no) Stored Yes	IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no) Yes						
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) Stored UNKNOWN X-578			RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE No. Crypt 738	
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) Stored UNKNOWN X-574			RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE No. Crypt 734	
SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT s/t/ R. R. ACIERTO, Pfc.				SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT s/t/ L. S. PANOPIO, 2d Lt., INF			
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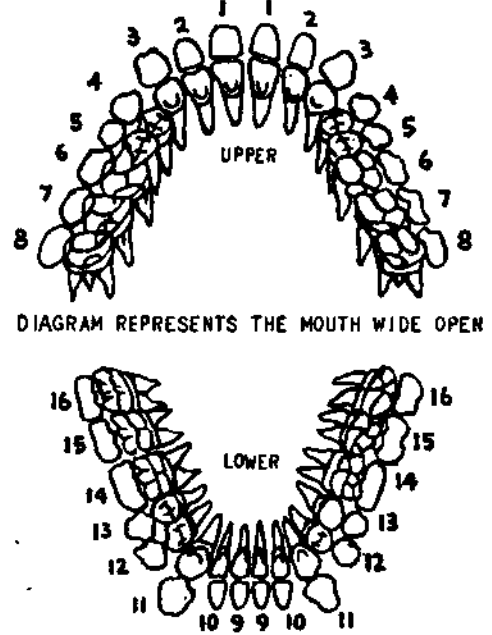




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(b) A fingerprint, or prints, are the most valuable of all clues. Imprint all fingers and thumbs in the chart at left, or as many as possible. If no fingerprint or prints can be secured, the condition of each and every tooth will be indicated on the tooth chart in accordance with diagram below. Tooth chart will not be accomplished if one or more fingerprints are secured.

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

WEAPON AND SERIAL No. 50 Cal. Browning 608619 In. Assy 107933 Out. # 52749	LAUNDRY MARKS	WHERE BODY WAS BURIED OR FOUND Captured by enemy near Afu, New Guinea and ex- cavated in Nobonob, N. G.
OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES		

FILLINGS		 <p>DIAGRAM REPRESENTS THE MOUTH WIDE OPEN</p>
CAVITIES		
MISSING TEETH		
CROWNED TEETH		
BRIDGE WORK		

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

REMARKS: At CIP, AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I. UNKNOWN X-576 AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I. formerly UNK X-30, USAF Cem #1, Finschhafen, N. G., bullet holes were found in skull, one at lower right occipital bone, probably entrance and another at left parietal bone, probably exit. Absence of 1st cervical vertebra precludes determination of evidence of beheading.

Name, rank and serial number taken from correction in Report of Interment, USAF Cem #1, Finschhafen, Cross

REMARKS: referenced with UNKNOWN X-538, AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I. QMC Form 1044, 1044-A and 1044-B accomplished.

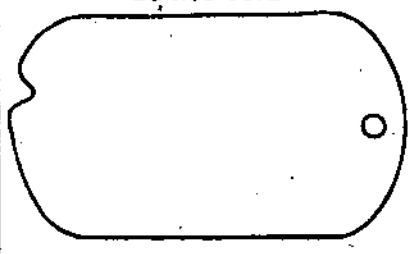
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s/t/ G. T. GAMBOA 2d Lt., MSC

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Imprint Identification Tag If Possible. DO NOT TYPE 	Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.					
	NAME (Last, first, middle initial) (For only WPK X-30) UNKNOWN X-578 (LT COLONEL; Dewey USAF Cem #1, Finschhafen, N.G.)			SERIAL No. 273410		
	GRADE 2nd Lt.	ORGANIZATION Unknown		BRANCH OF SERVICE Air Corps		
	RACE Unknown	RELIGION Unknown	IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD, GIVE NAME OF COUNTRY			
PLACE OF DEATH Wobonob, New Guinea	CAUSE OF DEATH DECEASED. Executed after capture by enemy.			DATE OF DEATH APPROX. April 1944		
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Unknown						
IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY (1, 2, or none) None	IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 2 on reverse) (See Remarks)					
WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?(Yes or no) Yes (2)						
LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME None						
Section 2.—BURIAL. If other than in established cemetery, furnish sketch and map coordinates on reverse						
NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY AGPS WALSOLE M. MANICA, P.I.						
DATE OF BURIAL STORAGE 8 Oct 47	HOUR 0800	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other) STORED Casket	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER None	PLOT No. HANGER 801	ROW No. BAH C	GRAVE No. CRYPT 736
WAS THIS A REBURIAL? (Yes or no) Yes RESTORED	IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE USAF Cem #1, Finschhafen, New Guinea			PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No. 579
TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY	PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES		IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODY			
IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or no) STORED Yes	IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no) Yes					
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) UNKNOWN X-578	RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE No. CRYPT 738		
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) UNKNOWN X-574	RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE No. CRYPT 734		
SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT Wm R GILBERT, Adm Asst			SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT Lucio S Panopio, Jr. 2d Lt., Inf			
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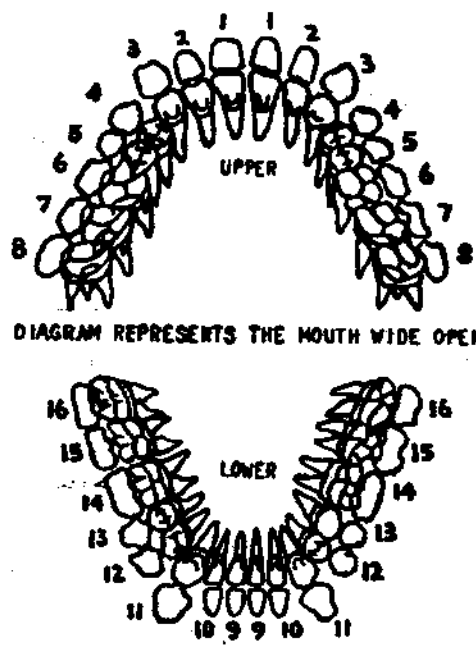





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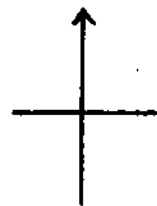
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WEAPON AND SERIAL NO. 50 Cal. Browning 608619 In. Assy 107983 Out # 52749	LAUNDRY MARKS	WHERE BODY WAS BURIED OR FOUND Afu, New Guinea and executed in Wobonob, N. G.
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OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES

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


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



REMARKS:

DTB name, ASN, and rank taken from correction in Report of Interment, USAF Cem #1, Finschhafen, N.G. Serial Number of Weapon taken from one of two seen. Identification Check List and Dental Chart accomplished.

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WD GRC FORM 1042 (Rev. 1 Apr. 1945) (Supersedes GRS Form 1) CORRECTED		REPORT OF INTERMENT (AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)			DATE OF REPORT 7 Mar 46	
Imprint Identification Tag If Possible. DO NOT TYPE 		Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.				
NAME (Last, first, middle initial) UNKNOWN X-30		Believed to be 2nd Lt Dewey A. Foster		SERIAL NO. 0754610 Unknown		
GRADE Unknown		ORGANIZATION Unknown		BRANCH OF SERVICE From Native info.; Air Corp		
RACE White		RELIGION Unknown		IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD, GIVE NAME OF COUNTRY		
PLACE OF DEATH Hobnob, New Guinea		CAUSE OF DEATH Beheaded. Executed after capture by Enemy.		DATE OF DEATH Approx. Apr. 44		
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address)						
IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY (1, 2, or none) None		IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse) Information furnished by Angau Patrol Officer, Madang, N.G., and from Native stories.				
WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED? (Yes or no) No						
LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME NONE: REINTERMENT						
Section 2.—BURIAL. If other than in established cemetery, furnish sketch and map coordinates on reverse.						
NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY USAF CEMETERY # 1, FINSCHHAFEN, N.G.						
DATE OF BURIAL 15 Nov. 44	HOUR 1400	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other) Casket	TYPE OF GRAVE w/plate Cross Reg	PLOT NO.	ROW No.	GRAVE No. 579
WAS THIS A REBURIAL? (Yes or no) Yes	IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE Aust. War Cemetery, Madang, N.G.			PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY	PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES		IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODY Identification disc to be secured and attached to marker; copy of Report of interment sealed in bottle and buried with remains.			
IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or no) No	IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no) No					
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) UNKNOWN X-29			RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION A.C.	GRAVE No. 578
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) UNKNOWN X-31			RANK T Sgt	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION A.C.	GRAVE No. 580
SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT Robert T. Smith, T Sgt., GMC			SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT CLAUDE E. BJORGE, 1st Lt Inf. QM GRC			
DISTRIBUTION OF REPORT: Signed original for U. S. and allied dead, signed original and one copy for enemy dead, to the Quartermaster General through Headquarters GRS Office. Copies for retention in theater as prescribed by theater commander.						

Section 3.—UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS.

INSTRUCTIONS:

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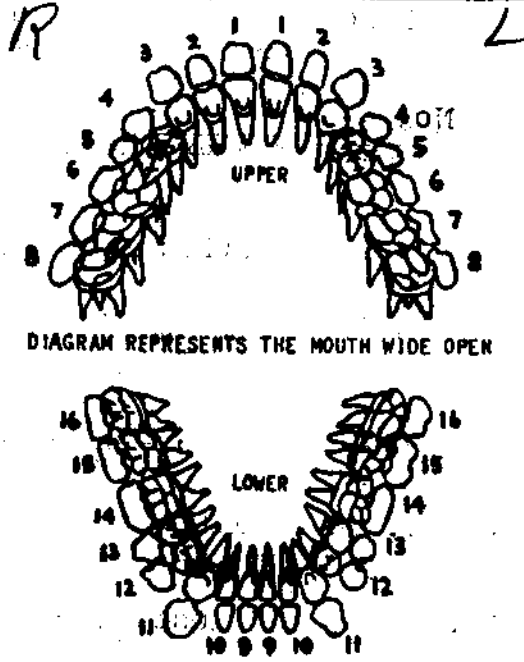
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WEAPON AND SERIAL No.	LAUNDRY MARKS	WHERE BODY WAS BURIED OR FOUND

OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES
R & uncrupted mandible missing

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REMARKS:

18 Apr 1954

LEFT LITTLE FINGER
 LEFT RING FINGER
 LEFT MIDDLE FINGER
 LEFT INDEX FINGER
 LEFT THUMB
 RIGHT THUMB
 RIGHT INDEX FINGER
 RIGHT MIDDLE FINGER
 RIGHT RING FINGER
 RIGHT LITTLE FINGER

Graves Registration
Form No. 1
(Revised May 11, 1943)ROBERT J. PHILLIPS
Captain, A/CREPORT OF INTERMENT
(TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815)

UNKNOWN X-70

From Native Info: Air Corps

(Last name)

(First)

(Initial)

(Serial number)

Exec (Rank) by

(Organization)

or capture.

Nobonoh, N. C.

approx. April 1944

Shot dead.

(Place of death)

(Date of death)

(Cause of death)

1400 hrs. 15 Nov 1944

USAF Cemetery Wiesbaden #1, N. C. 40 15

(Time and date of burial)

(Name of cemetery)

(Name or co-ordinates of location)

Recovered after burial in Aust. War Cemetery, Madang, N. C.

579

Cross regulation w/plate

(Grave number)

(Row number)

(Plot number)

(Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)

Disposition of identification tags: Buried with body

Yes No

Attached to marker

Yes No

Religion

Identification disc to be secured and attached to marker; copy of report of interment

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

sealed in bottle and buried with the remains. Information furnished by Aircrew Patrol
Officer, Madang, N. C. (If no identification tags, but identity definitely established, give particulars)

Body buried on RIGHT

(Name)

(Serial number)

(Rank)

(Organization)

(Grave number)

Body buried on LEFT

(Name)

(Serial number)

(Rank)

(Organization)

(Grave number)

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE)

(Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

List only personal effects FOUND ON BODY and disposition of same: None.

IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

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

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

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

In space below, locate and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles deformities, etc. : *The body of this man recovered with Unknown X-31. Report plane's tail assembly similar to Lightning. USA Star and bar markings; 2-50 cal. brownings seen; one number 608619; inlet assembly*

Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc. : *#107933; outer assembly #52749. Captured near AFU, N. G. and taken to Monong, N. G. where he was executed with Unknown X-31.*

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

/s/ *Geo A. Ross*
 /t/ *Geo A. ROSS, W/Sgt, W-GRS*
 (Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)
 /s/ *Charles R. Myers*
 /t/ *CHARLES R. MYERS, 2d Lt, WCO*

(Verified by Army GRS Officer)

LEFT HAND

THUMB

RIGHT HAND

THUMB

JAN 10 1945

CONFIDENTIAL
(TM 40-550 AND GAO 50-105)

7324

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UNKNOWN X-30

(Last name)

(First)

(Initial)

(Serial number)

From Native info.: Air Corps

(Rank)

(Organization)

Executed after capture by

Nobonob, New Guinea

(Place of death)

Approx. April 1944

(Date of death)

Enemy--beheaded.

(Cause of death)

1400 hrs. 15 Nov. 1944

(Time and date of burial)

USAF CEMETERY, FINSCHHAFEN #1, N. G. RD-12

(Name of Cemetery)

(Name of coordinates of location)

Recovered after burial in Aust. War Cemetery, Madang, N.G.

579

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(Row number)

(Plot number)

Cross-regulation w/plate

(Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)

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Body buried on RIGHT UNKNOWN X-31

(Name)

(Serial number)

(Rank)

A. C.

(Organization)

580

(Grave number)

Body buried on LEFT UNKNOWN X-29

(Name)

(Serial number)

T/Sgt.

(Rank)

A. C.

(Organization)

578

(Grave number)

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE)

(Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

List only personal effects FOUND ON BODY and disposition of same: none

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RECEIVED
20 NOV 1944

LEFT HAND

THUMB

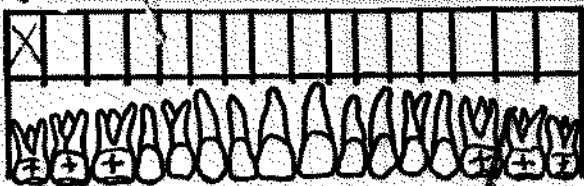
RIGHT HAND

THUMB

*REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY

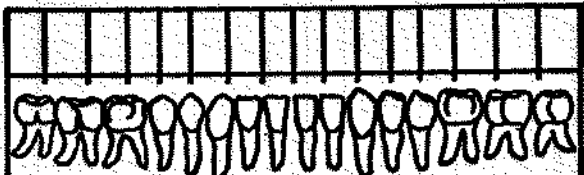
UPPER TEETH

Right 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 Left



LOWER TEETH

Right 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 Left



CLASS _____

Occlusion _____: Calculus: Slight, Medium, Heavy

Periodontoclasia _____

Dental foci suspected: Yes No

Other conditions _____

Mandible missing.

Date *15 Nov*, 19 *44*

F. O. Evans Maj. DC

Dental Corps, U. S. A.

0-23357 - Bull F. S. Wing
*Restorable carious teeth by O
Nonrestorable carious teeth by /
Missing natural teeth by X

Teeth replaced by denture (horizontal line)



Teeth replaced by fixed bridge (oval to include abutments)



