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293 Capt. Solomon Sabank (Guadalcanal) 1-15

CHANGE GRAVES WW II

FROM QMGMT BUFILE FILE ROGER ROGER ROGER TWO NINE THREE RESOLUTION
OF UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS DATED ONE FIVE DECEMBER FOUR EIGHT

UNKNOWN XRAY FOUR SIX XRAY FOUR SEVEN XRAY FOUR EIGHT XRAY FIVE SEVEN
XRAY SIX TWO XRAY SIX THREE XRAY SIX SEVEN XRAY SEVEN ZERO XRAY EIGHT FOUR
XRAY EIGHT FIVE XRAY NINE TWO XRAY ONE ONE THREE XRAY ONE ONE FOUR XRAY ONE
ONE FOUR ABLE CMA BAKER AND CHARLIE XRAY ONE ONE FIVE XRAY ONE SEVEN SIX
XRAY ONE SEVEN EIGHT XRAY ONE SEVEN NINE XRAY TWO TWO ONE XRAY TWO TWO SEVEN
XRAY TWO TWO EIGHT XRAY TWO THREE ZERO XRAY TWO THREE XRAY TWO THREE THREE
XRAY TWO THREE NINE XRAY TWO FOUR ZERO XRAY TWO FOUR EIGHT XRAY TWO FIVE SIX
XRAY TWO FIVE SEVEN XRAY TWO EIGHT ZERO ABLE AND BAKER XRAY TWO NINE TWO ABLE
AND BAKER XRAY TWO NINE FOUR AND XRAY THREE ZERO THREE CMA ALL OF GUADALCANAL
PD THIS OFFICE CONCURS IN THE CLASSIFICATION OF ALL UNKNOWN AS UNIDENTIFIABLE

UNCLASSIFIED

QMGMT 293
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J. G. HOLLOWAY, LT COL, GSC
MEMORIAL DIVISION

AIR MAIL

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
(PACIFIC ZONE)
APO 958

RRMHC 293

DEC 15 1948

SUBJECT: Resolution of Unidentified Remains

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

1. Transmitted herewith QMG Form 1044 for thirty-seven (37) unidentified remains, stamped and signed in accordance with letter, DA OQMG QMGHU 293 GRS (Pacific Zone), Subj: Resolution of Cases of Unidentified Deceased dated 22 September 1948.

2. The majority of these unknowns have no dental anatomy or clues that might lead to identification, other than location and in some instances, date of death. All such clues have been investigated, with negative results.

3. The remainder that have dental anatomy could possibly compare with many persons missing, thereby precluding any individual identification.

4. Acknowledgment of receipt is requested.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

37 Incls: (All Guadalcanal)

1. QMG Form 1044-1044b
Bone List-Chemical
Laboratory Findings-X-46
2. QMG Form 1044-1044a-1044b-
Bone List-Unknown X-47
3. QMG Form 1044-1044a-1044b-
Bone List-Unknown X-48
4. QMG Form 1044-1044a-1044b
Bone List-Fluoroscopical
Findings for Identification
Unknown X-57

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Captain, QMG
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5. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-62
6. HQ Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-65
7. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Major Discrepancy X-67
8. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-70
9. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-64
10. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-85
11. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-92
12. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-113
13. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unidentified X-114
14. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-114A
15. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-X-114B
16. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unidentified X-114C
17. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Unidentified X-115
18. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-175
19. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-176
20. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-179
21. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unknown X-221
22. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-227
23. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-X-229
24. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-230
25. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-X-232
26. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-233
27. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-239
28. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unknown X-240
29. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unknown X-248
30. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-X-254
31. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-257
32. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-280 "A"
33. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-X-280 "B"
34. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-282-"A"
35. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Narrative X-282 "B"
36. QMC Form 1044-1044b-Bone List-Unknown X-304
37. QMC Form 1044-1044a-1044b-Bone List-Narrative-Unknown X-305

HONOLULU NATIONAL CEMETERY
OF THE PACIFIC DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

Interred 3 February 1949

-Cemetery Superintendent

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SECTION A —

NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER

8730.00000

DATE

26 09 47
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME

UNKNOWN X-115

SERIAL NUMBER

RANK

ARM

DATE OF DEATH

8

DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY

GUADALCANAL

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

0492 64

CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT

ROW

GRAVE

COUNTRY

7 SOLOMON ISLANDS

CAUSE OF DEATH

6

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

HONOLULU NATIONAL CEMETERY
TERRITORY OF HAWAII

(BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME

UNKNOWN X-115

SERIAL NUMBER

UNK

RANK

UNK

DATE OF DEATH

UNK

DATE DISTINTERRED

20 Dec '46

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

REMAINS
 MARKER

ORGANIZATION

UNK

RELIGION

UNK

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY

C J SURINE, CWO, USA
NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

CASKET

CONDITION OF REMAINS

SKELETAL

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

2 GRAVE MARKERS

FILE

1 MORTUARY TAG

MINOR DISCREPANCIES

NONE

18 MAY 1949

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 2 July 1948

BY

L.A. JONES, EMBALMER

CASKET SEALED BY

G. D. MEEK

EMBALMER (Signature)

L. A. JONES

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

DATE 2 July 48 BY G. D. MEEK

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY

T. P. MADINE

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

WILLIAM A. MC NANAMY

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM U S ARMY MAIL NO 3		TO HAWN DIST CENTER	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>[Signature]</i> E. WILSON	DATE 19 <i>[Date]</i>	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>[Signature]</i> JAMES B HARRIS CAPTAIN Q M C	DATE 19 <i>[Date]</i>

2. SHIPPED

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

3. SHIPPED

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

4. SHIPPED

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

5. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>[Signature]</i>	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

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN Unidentified X-115 Guadalcanal				2. DATE OF REPORT 11 February 1948	
3. NAME OF CEMETERY U.S. Army Mausoleum #1 Formerly of Guadalcanal	4. PLOT	5. ROW	6. GRAVE	7. DATE OF	
	C	A 100	24 7	DISINTERMENT	REINTERMENT
				11 Feb '48	11 Feb '48

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION **Age about 25 ?**

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT U. T. D.	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT U. T. D.	10. COLOR OF HAIR U. T. D.	11. RACE Possibly Mongoloid
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12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS
**One (1) embossed plate on box: Unidentified X-115., Plot-C, Row-100, Gr-7.
 One (1) embossed plate with remains: Unidentified X-115.**

13. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF TATTOOS OR SCARS ON BODY AND/OR SUCH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES
None
 BY REASON OF LACK OF SUFFICIENT IDENTIFYING DATA

April B. Disney 14 Dec 1948

14. WAS BODY BURNED? YES NO TO WHAT EXTENT?

15. WAS BODY MANGLED? YES NO TO WHAT EXTENT?

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

Incl. 17

18. TOOTH CHART		TOP VIEW	SIDE VIEW
<p>MISSING TEETH: ALL TEETH MISSING THROUGH EXTRACTION (NOT THOSE FRACTURED OR DISPLACED BY RECENT WOUNDS) SHOULD BE "X" D OUT AND LABELED THUS:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">X-115</p>			
<p>CROWNED TEETH: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD, PORCELAIN, SILVER OR GOLD AND PORCELAIN), THUS:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Guadalcanal</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Gold Crown, Porcelain Crown</p>	
<p>BRIDGE WORK: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD BRIDGE, GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE), THUS:</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Gold Bridge</p>	
<p>FILLINGS: DRAW FILLING ON TOOTH AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE (BLOCK IN AND LABEL GOLD, SILVER, CEMENT), THUS:</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Gold Filling, Silver Filling</p>	
<p>CARIES (Cavities): OUTLINE LOCATION AND SIZE OF CAVITY, SHADE IN THUS:</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Cavity, Decayed</p>	

RIGHT								LEFT							
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Maxillary Teeth missing</i>															
<i>SEE REMARKS</i>															
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

Side Views (left and right labels on the chart)

Top Views (left and right labels on the chart)

LOWER (label on the right side of the chart)

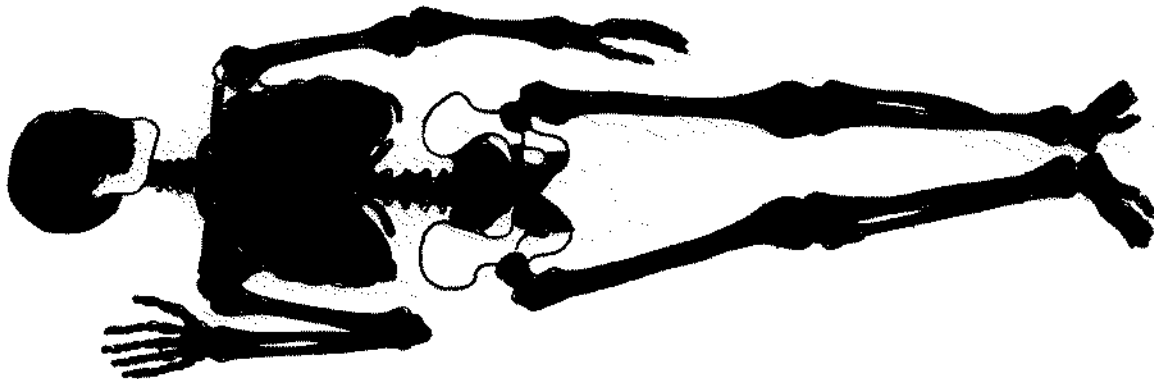
DENTURES (Plates): DRAW DIAGRAM OF RELATIVE SIZE AND SHAPE OF PLATE, BLOCK IN TEETH ATTACHED AND INDICATE RETAINING CLASPS ON NATURAL TEETH WITH THE WORD, "CLASP."

Remarks:

- The mandibular teeth are all missing posthumously. A left lower bicuspid may have been extracted. It looks as if there were two deciduous 2nd molars present in place of the lower 1st molar.
- R-13 is in torsion version.

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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

No Extra parts.

Charles E. Snow,

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER Anthropologist

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The few remaining parts indicate this man may have been smaller than average and about 25 years of age (?). The face appears to have been short and wide. The mandible is very short, broad, and heavy with a wide dental arch, and a prominent mandibular tosus. The jaw angle is small and the chin is shallow and indefinite. The features of the mandible indicate this person may be mongoloid.

Fluoroscopical examination negative. Tooth chart taken.

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

SIGNATURE

O. W. GREENWOOD, CAPT., QMC

CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY

44C FORM 1044b
 AND MAILING, APO 957

**CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY & JOSEPH M. SOLEUM
BONE LIST**

NAME	SIDE	NO	BONE LENGTHS IN CM	REMARKS (IF MISSING OR FRACTURED, LIST PARTS AND LOCATION)
SKULL		1		All missing but mandible.
VERTEBRAE	CERVICAL	0		Missing
	THORACIC	0		"
	LUMBAR	0		"
SACRUM		0		"
INNOMINATES	RIGHT	1	BI-ILIAC DIAM	
	LEFT	1		
RIBS		0		Missing
STERNUM		0		"
CLAVICLES	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	1		
SCAPULAE	RIGHT	0		Missing
	LEFT	0		"
HUMERI	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
RADII	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
ULNAE	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
HANDS	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
FEMORA	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
PATELLAE	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
TIBIAE	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
FIBULAE	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"
FEET	RIGHT	0		"
	LEFT	0		"

NUMERO-CLAVICULAR RATIO	U.T.D.	APPROXIMATE	U.T.D.
ESTIMATED HEIGHT	U.T.D.	AGE	About 25 (?) YEARS
ESTIMATED WEIGHT	U.T.D.	LEG-HIP BR	RATIO U.T.D.

Charles E. Snow

Charles E. Snow
ANTHROPOLOGIST

ENCLOSURE TO: Unknown X-116 Guadalcanal

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

24 Dec 44

Unidentified X-115

(Last name)	(First)	(Initial)	(Serial number)	(Rank)	(Organization)
Guadalcanal		Unknown		Unknown	
(Place of death)	(Date of death)			(Cause of death)	
26 Aug. 1944 0900-hours	Army, Navy, Marine Cemetery Guadalcanal				
(Time and date of burial)	(Name of cemetery)			(Name or coordinates of location)	

(Grave number)	(Row number)	(Plot number)	(Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)
7	100	"C"	Wooden Cross

Disposition of identification tags: Buried with body Yes No Attached to marker Yes No
 Bits of scattered bones found No of Pt. Cruz 500 yds inland.
 No tooth chart available

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

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

Body buried on RIGHT	Furnish, Donald M.	39339674	Pfc	Co B 132 Inf. Reg.	8
	(Name)	(Serial number)	(Rank)	(Organization)	(Grave number)
Body buried on LEFT	Street, Eugene H.	640-11-27	MoMM/2c	Utility Sq.	#12 6
	(Name)	(Serial number)	(Rank)	(Organization)	(Grave number)

Unknown

(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:

57 No personal effects found

IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

TAKE FINGERPRINTS OF BOTH HANDS (W. D. Cir. No. 79; 3/19/48). 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 LAND-MARKS.

Major Richard Meyer
 (Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)

John E. Stewart
 (Signature of Army GRS Officer)

LEFT HAND	4		4
	3		3
	2		2
	1		1
	THUMB		THUMB
			RIGHT HAND

IDENTIFICATION SECTION
REPATRIATION RECORDS BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION

CATEGORY III CASE
NO CLUES
IDENTIFICATION IMPOSSIBLE
AT PRESENT TIME