

FILE IDENTIFICATION TOPPER

FILE NUMBER

293 unk. Leyte #1 X-228

SUBJECT

Miss Manila Maus. X-3289

QMC FORM 1121
1 AUG 45

AIRMAIL

CLASS 293
US Far East

*273 UNK P.I. (M...)
See list below*

3 February 1980

SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Deceased

TO: Commanding Officer
American Graves Registration Service
Philippine Zone
APO 900, c/o Postmaster
San Francisco, California

1. Reference is made to the following Unknown remains now stored at the AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I.:

360

Unknown X-3630, (formerly X-110, Leyte #1)	
" X-3421 " X-180, " "	
" X-3313 " X-192, " "	
" X-3418 " X-202, " "	
" X-3361 " X-205, " "	
" X-3365 " X-215, " "	
" X-3268 " X-218, " "	
" X-3339 " X-230, " "	
" X-3399 " X-227, " "	
" X-3400 " X-230, " "	
" X-3782 " X-269, " "	
" X-3338 " X-288, " "	
" X-733, Leyte #1 (formerly LYNH, A.)	
" X-4440, AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I.	
" X-4664, AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I.	
" X-5100, " " " "	
" X-3405- (formerly X-339, Leyte #1)	

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

R. J. Miller
Salsler
Jr
cc-administrative Section
cc-cinfo

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

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AIRMAIL

FORM 203

AFG 900
5 January 1950

SUBJECT: Unidentifiable Remains

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

1. In accordance with the provisions of your letter, file 42540
285, 285 (Far East), dated 17 September 1948, subject: Resolution of
Cases of Unidentified Deceased, the following unknown remains, present-
ly stored at AFMNS Mausoleum, Manila P.I., have been processed by the
Central Identification Laboratory and considered "unidentifiable" by
reason of lack of sufficient identifying data:

UNKNOWN	X-723	Boyle	W1	UNKNOWN	-3405-A	AFMNS	Belm
	X-3263	"	"		X-3418	"	"
	X-3269	"	"		X-3421	"	"
	X-3315	"	"		X-3782	"	"
	X-3332	"	"		X-4106	"	"
	X-3339	"	"		X-4440	"	"
	X-3361	"	"		X-4864	"	"
	X-3365	"	"		X-5001	"	"
	X-3399	"	"		X-5100	"	"
	X-3400	"	"				

2. Forwarded herewith, for your consideration, are new AFMNS forms
1044 for the above mentioned Unknowns.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER OFFICER:

19 Incls
AFMNS forms 1044 w/ certificates
of unidentifiability

JAMES BRYS LA
1st Lt., Infantry
Adjutant

HEADQUARTERS
PHILIPPINES COMMAND
UNITED STATES ARMY

GSCR 293.9

ARO 707

SUBJECT: Cancellation of Letter Suffixes of Unknown Numbers 8 AUG 1949

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

1. A recent reprocessing of Unknown remains presently stored at AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I., resulted in the declaration of some Unknowns as Unidentifiables and also necessitated the cancellation of the letter suffix "A" or "B" of the X numbers of the Unknowns which were originally recovered or interred together with the Unknowns declared Unidentifiable.

2. In view of the above, it is requested all records your office pertaining to the following Unknowns be amended indicating the cancellation of the letter suffixes:

UNKNOWN	X-1776-A	UNKNOWN	X-3405-A	UNKNOWN	X-3770-A	UNKNOWN	X-4758-A
"	X-2362-A	"	X-3578-A	"	X-3833-A	"	X-4759-A
"	X-2766-A	"	X-3597-A	"	X-3836-A	"	X-4761-A
"	X-2889-A	"	X-3613-A	"	X-4173-A	"	X-4769-A
"	X-3029-A	"	X-3634-A	"	X-4314-A	"	X-4771-A
"	X-3255-A	"	X-3679-A	"	X-4315-A	"	X-4772-A
"	X-3289-A	"	X-3686-A	"	X-4533-A	"	X-4778-A
"	X-3315-A	"	X-3687-A	"	X-4725-A	"	X-4792-A
"	X-3363-A	"	X-3704-B	"	X-4740-A	"	X-4805-A
"	X-3402-A	"	X-3729-A	"	X-4752-A		

3. All records in this Headquarters pertaining to the above Unknowns have already been amended accordingly.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ John M. Weston, Jr.
JOHN M WESTON Jr
1st Lt ACD
Asst Adj Gen

FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Unk. P.I. X-228 (Leyte #1)

I N D E X S H E E T

4th Ind

SYNOPSIS

5 Feb 47

see the copy of Ind. in this file.

FROM: COM3
TO: CO, AGRSAC, Pacific Theater, APO 707 San Francisco, Calif.

RE: Identification of Union. Deceased...

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293 - Unkns. (Misc.) (Leyte #1) P.I.

JW

/add

1	Vebc Interred 7 Feb 1950 D 15 23 Ft. McKinley <i>Car R. H. Mark</i> CARL R. H. MARK Cemetery Superintendent SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED	DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE			DIRECTIVE NUMBER 7740 00234	DATE 15 05 48 DAY MONTH YEAR
	NAME <i>24</i> UNKNOWN X-000228	SERIAL NUMBER X-000228	RANK 0	ARM 0	DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR 7701 80 CODE DIST. PT.	
CEMETERY (USAF CEMETERY LEYTE NO 1)				DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 7701 80 CODE DIST. PT.		
PLOT 5621	ROW	GRAVE 5621	COUNTRY PHILIPPINE ISLANDS		CAUSE OF DEATH 6	
SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN						
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE FORT MCKINLEY CEMETERY MANILA, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)			NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN			
SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION						
NAME UNK X - 228	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISTINTERRED 9 June 49		
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input type="checkbox"/> MARKER	ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN		RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY RICHARD HOYT Embalmer NAME AND TITLE		
SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT						
NATURE OF BURIAL Shelter Half			CONDITION OF REMAINS Skeletal			
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION 3289 Mslm						
MINOR DISCREPANCIES /						
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET DATE 9 June 49 BY RICHARD HOYT CASKET SEALED BY RICHARD HOYT EMBALMER (Signature) RICHARD HOYT						
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED DATE 9 June 49 BY WEYMAN L MCGUIRE SGT., MC			SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY GERARD A BRICK			
I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct. <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 20px;"> <i>Gerard A Brick</i> GERARD A BRICK SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR </div>						

Graved

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED			
FROM	AGRS MAUSOLEUM	TO	US MILITARY CEMETERY
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	TRUCK	NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>Carl Starnak</i>
DATE		DATE	
2. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	
3. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	
4. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	
5. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	
6. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	
7. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	

ORDER 293

4th Ind

Unknown

(Loyte #1) P. I.

WD, OMBG, Washington 25, D. C., 3 February 1947

TO: Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Service Area
Command, Pacific Theater, APO 707, c/o Postmaster
San Francisco, California

1. Reference is made to preceding Indorsement.

2. Comparisons of tooth charts for Unknowns X-228, 328, 332, 335, 337, 340, 362 and 364, Loyte #1, P. I., have been made with negative results with ND dental records for the following:

Norris, Robert	Lt	0-444574
Varner, Merkel	IA	0-1291918
Senura, Victor V.	Pfc	39556160
Pickens, Myron D.	Pvt	35584454
Swiger, Charles E.	Pfc	35748929
Graves, Carlton I.	Pfc	12220179
Higfield, Jessie J.	Pfc	6271454
Terry, Newton S.	Pfc	39854891
Cheney, Harry A.	Sgt	39284996
File, Henninger	1st Sgt	6262287

Unknown X-326 was identified as Pvt Myron A. Truxton.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

1 Incl:

Incl #1 - n/c

Incls #2, 3 & 4 - w/d

JAMES O. MacFARLAND

Major, MC

Assistant

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NJS

PKQM 293

1st W/Ind

CGC/ljt

HEADQUARTERS BASE K, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC, APO 72
14 March 46.

TO: Headquarters, United States Army Forces Western Pacific, APO 707.

1. A search was made by this Hqs for the remains of Sgt John E Wallick and Pfc Paul B Walter. This search extended from 5 Mar 46 to 10 March 46 without finding either of the above remains.

2. On this search, three bodies were recovered, one Unknown and two identified. The Unknown's skull was missing and no other means of identification could be found. Philippine Island Map, Mt Catmon, sheet 4543 IV, was used and the remains were found at the following Grid Coordinates:

UNKNOWN X-488	Grave 8255	(1325.4 - 1319.8)
AISENSTEIN, Daniel, Pfc, 33792945, Co L, 184th Inf	Grave 8256	(1326.2 - 1319.5)
HOLLEN, Cecil G, Pfd, 35520067, Co I 184th Inf	Grave 8254	(1325.8 - 1319.6)

3. The following list of Unknowns were found in this area where Wallick and Walters were reported to have been killed:

UNKNOWN X-1228	Grave 5621
UNKNOWN X-328	5849
UNKNOWN X-332	5857
UNKNOWN X-335	5863
UNKNOWN X-337	5865
UNKNOWN X-340	5868
UNKNOWN X-362	6168
UNKNOWN X-364	6170

4. Request the tooth charts on reports of reinterment for above be checked with those of WALLICK AND WALTERS for possible identification.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER

13 Incls: n/c

/S/ Charles E. Ogrosky
CHARLES E. OGROSKY
Capt AGO
Assti Adj. Gen.

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FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Unknown I- 228 P.I. (Leyte #1)

I N D E X S H E E T

SYNOPSIS

Letter

21 Aug. 1945

FROM:
TO:

CCMG
AGO, WW II Records Admin., St. Louis, Mo.

RE:

Request - Dental Identification Record together with a list of all camps stationed in the U.S. prior to C.F. service, including inclusive dates.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293 - Unknown (Misc) P.I. (Leyte #1)

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21 AUG 1946

WD OQMG Memorial Div., Washington 25, D.C.

The Adjutant General's Office
World War II Records Administration
Center, 4300 Goodfellow Boulevard
St. Louis 20, Missouri

IMMEDIATE

QMGYG 293
Unknowns X-228, 328, 332, 335, 337,
340, 362, and 364
(Leyte #1) P.I.
21 August 1946

1. It is requested that the Dental Identification Record together with a list of all camps stationed in the U.S. prior to overseas service, including inclusive dates be forwarded to this office for the following:

1. Walters, Paul B., Pfc. 35548621, Co."A", 17th Inf.
2. Wallick, John E., Sgt. 39161478, Co."B", 17th Inf.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

JAMES C. MacFARLAND
Major, QMC
Assistant

HEADQUARTERS
PRINCETON
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

4 January 1950


Date

SUBJECT: Unidentifiable Remains

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

The records pertaining to Unknown X- 228, Plot _____, Row _____, Grave 5621, USMC USAF Cem., Leyte #1, P.I., have been reviewed and it is the opinion of this office that insufficient evidence is available to establish the identity of this deceased, and that these remains should be classified as unidentifiable.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:


E. McNEEMAR
Captain, OMC
Chief, Records Branch

Attch: Form 1044

20 Jan. 1950
Received
Not identifiable from
information presently
available Robert W. Miller

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN (Formerly UNK X-228 USAF Cemetery UNKNOWN X-3289 Leyte #1, P.I.)				2. DATE OF REPORT 4 January 1950	
3. NAME OF CEMETERY AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I.		4. PLOT 813	5. ROW I	6. GRAVE 2756	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT REINTERMENT
PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION					
8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT UTD	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT 5'6 7/8"	10. COLOR OF HAIR UTD		11. RACE U T D	
12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS N O N E					
13. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF TATTOOS OR SCARS ON BODY AND/OR SUCH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES U T D					
14. WAS BODY BURNED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		TO WHAT EXTENT?			
15. WAS BODY MANGLED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		TO WHAT EXTENT?			
16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS N O N E					
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) N O N E					

TOOTH CHART

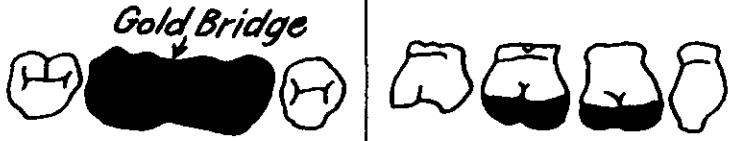
MISSING TEETH: ALL TEETH MISSING THROUGH EXTRACTION (NOT THOSE FRACTURED OR DISPLACED BY RECENT WOUNDS) SHOULD BE "X" 'D OUT AND LABELED THUS:



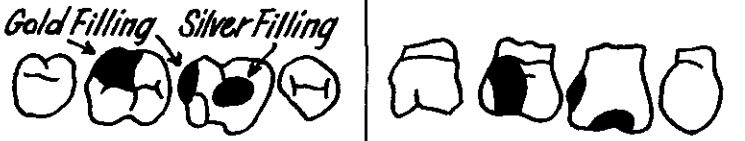
CROWNED TEETH: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD, PORCELAIN, SILVER OR GOLD AND PORCELAIN), THUS:



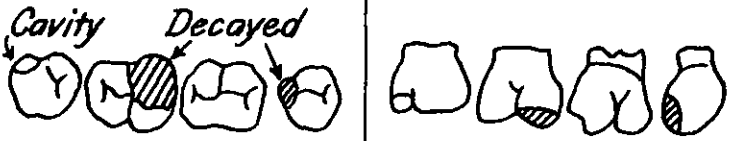
BRIDGE WORK: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD BRIDGE, GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE), THUS:



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:



See Remarks

RIGHT								LEFT							
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
16		X	13	12			9	9	10	11			14		
Side Views															
UPPER															
LOWER															
Side Views															
16						10	9	9	10	11					16

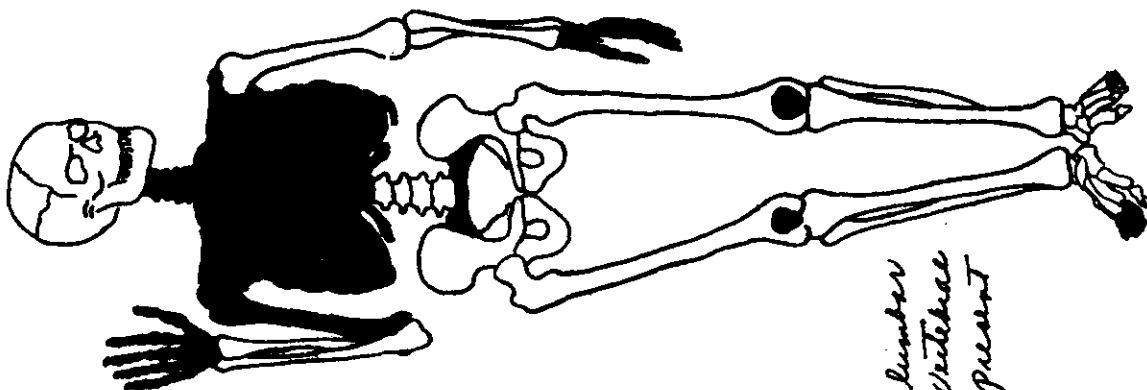
See Remarks

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: R2, I2, 3, 9 and 11 show signs of attrition.

Paul R. Nichols
 PAUL R. NICHOLS
 Chief, Identification Section

19. BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECOVERED



4- Ribs
vertebrae
Present

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

No ID tags, burial bottle, personal effects, or other means of identification found with remains.
Est. weight of remains 6 lbs.

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

PAUL R. NICHOLS
Chief, Identification Section

SIGNATURE

Paul R. Nichols

Att

OMG 293
Unknowns
(Leyte #1) P. I.

4th Ind

293 Unk - Leyte #1 X-228

WD, ODMG, Washington 25, D. C., 3 February 1947

TO: Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Service Area
Command, Pacific Theater, APO 707, c/o Postmaster
San Francisco, California

1. Reference is made to preceding Indorsement.
2. Comparisons of tooth charts for Unknowns X-228, 328, 332, 335, 337, 340, 362 and 364, Leyte #1, P. I., have been made with negative results with WD dental records for the following:

<i>4x</i> Norris, Robert	Lt	0-444574
<i>1x</i> Varner, Merkel	Lt	0-1291918
<i>1x</i> Szura, Victor V.	Pfc	39556160
<i>1x</i> Pickens, Myron D.	Pvt	35584454
<i>1x</i> Swiger, Charles E.	Pfc	35748929
<i>1x</i> Graves, Carlton L.	Pfc	12220179
<i>1x</i> Highfield, Jessie J.	Pfc	6271454
<i>1x</i> Terry, Newton S.	Pfc	39854891
<i>1x</i> Cheney, Harry A.	Sgt	39284996
<i>1x</i> Pile, Henninger	1st Sgt	6262287

Unknown X-326 was identified as Pvt Myron A. Truxton.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

1. Incl #1 - n/e
Incls #2, 3 & 4 - w/d

JAMES C. MacFARLAND
Major, QMC
Assistant

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RECORDS BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION
FEB 3 8 39 AM '47

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4-339
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RJB

BASIC: Lt Hqs, 511th Para Inf, APO 468, dtd 4 Feb 66, subj: Information
on Missing Personnel.

(2nd INDORSEMENT CONT'D)

NELSON, Emanuel S. 20251348 T/Sgt Grave 5859
GUERTIN, Earnest G. 32713617 S/Sgt 5862

(*) Denotes tooth chart submitted with Report of Reinterment in cases where dental charting was possible.

6. It is the belief of this Headquarters that the following listed personnel of the 511th Paratroop Infantry are among the Unknown isolated burials recovered by this Hqs:

NORRIS, Robert	Lt	0 444 574
VARNER, Merkel	Lt	01291918
SZURRA, Victor V	Pfc	39 556 160
PICKENS, Myron D	Pvt	35 584 454
FRYAR, Elmer E	Pvt	39 325 592
SWIGER, Charles M	Pfc	35 748 929
GRAVES, Carlton L	Pfc	12 220 179
HIGHFIELD, Jessie J	Pfc	6 271 454
TERRY, Newton S.	Pfc	39 854 891
CHENEY, Harry A	Sgt	39 284 996
PILE, Henninger	1st Sgt	6 262 287

7. Request tooth charts submitted with original Report of Reinterment for these Unknowns be checked with personnel listed in par 6, for possible identification.

8. The Lubi, Mahonag, and Mt Catmon area has been thoroughly covered and natives used to the fullest extent in making all possible recoveries.

9. In view of the fact that the 511th Para Inf had 11 isolated cases in this area with only approximate locations known, and 23 recoveries were made, it is the belief of this Hqs that these personnel have been recovered, but are listed as Unknowns, since they were lacking in any means of identification.

10. In view of previous search attempts and recoveries made, lack of conclusive evidence as to the exact place of these casualties, and the time that has elapsed, it is the belief of this Hqs that further search would be to no avail.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

4 Incls: /s/t/ CHARLES E. OGROSKY
Incls 1 & 2 n/c Capt AGD
Incl 3-overlay of Isolated Recoveries Asst Adj Gen
Lubi, area.
Incl 4-overlay of burials sub. by
511th Para Inf.

C O P Y

511th Prcht Inf

TERRY, Newton S.	Pfc	39854891
WELLS, George E.	T/Sgt	11097552
CHENEY, Harry A.	Sgt	39284996
GRAVES, Carlton L.	Pfc	12220179
HIGHFIELD, Jessie J.	Pfc	6271454
PILE, Henninger	Sgt	6262287

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BASIC: Ltr Hqs, 511th Pch Inf, APO 468, dtd 4 Feb 46, subj: Information on Missing Personnel

PKOM 293 2nd Ind WDR/ljt
HEADQUARTERS BASE K, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC, APO 72,
8 March 46.

TO: Headquarters, United States Army Forces Western Pacific, APO 707.

1. Attention is invited to Inclosure #3, showing the locations where isolated burials were recovered by this Hqs in the area of Lubl, Mahonag, and Mt Catmon, Leyte, P.I., which number twenty three (23) in all and were recovered on six (6) different searching missions in these areas.

2. In letter from this Hqs dated 3 July 1945, a complete casualty list, with overlays of unrecovered personnel, was requested from the 511th Paratroop Infantry. As a result of this, Inclosure #4 was submitted to this Hqs.

3. On checking Inclosures 2 and 4, with Map of Leyte, 1:50,000 Lake Danao, sheet 4544 III, and Mt Catmon, Sheet 4543 IV, 1000 yrd Philippine Polyconic Grid, it is found that the overlays submitted are entirely erroneous as to the relative locations as to the towns and terrain features which effects location where isolated burials would be found. Correct locations of Lubl, Mahonag, and Mt Catmon, have been marked in ink by (X) on Incls 2 and 4.

4. The area of Lubl, Mahonag, and Mt Catmon, is rough mountainous terrain and is not easily accessible. On two separate occasions, it was necessary to drop supplies by parachute from C-47 type plane.

5. The following were recovered and are now interred in graves indicated:

* UNKNOWN X-228	Grave	5621
UNKNOWN X-229		5622
UNKNOWN X-230		5623
* UNKNOWN X-326		5620
* UNKNOWN X-328		5849
UNKNOWN X-329		5850
UNKNOWN X-331		5856
* UNKNOWN X-332		5857
UNKNOWN X-333		5858
* UNKNOWN X-335		5863
UNKNOWN X-336		5864
* UNKNOWN X-337		5865
UNKNOWN X-338		5866
UNKNOWN X-339		5867
* UNKNOWN X-340		5868
UNKNOWN X-341		5869
UNKNOWN X-361		6167
* UNKNOWN X-362		6168
UNKNOWN X-363		6169
* UNKNOWN X-364		6170
UNKNOWN X-365		6171

HEADQUARTERS 511TH PARACHUTE INFANTRY

APO 468
4 Feb 46

SUBJECT: Information on Missing Personnel.
As per Message Form File No. GSOM 704.5

TO: Commanding General, United States Army Forces, Western Pacific,
APO 707.

1. Records this Headquarters indicate that personnel listed were reported missing after ground combat on Leyte Island. Attached overlay indicates approximate location where missing personnel were last seen.
2. Pfc Carlton L. Graves, 12 220 174; Pfc Jessie J. Highfield, 6 271 454; Pfc Newton Sterry, 39 854 891 listed as missing 27 Nov 44 vicinity of Lubi, Leyte. Above EM were members of G Co, 511th Parachute Inf enroute to Lubi via north trail. The company was marching west at 1200 when a strong enemy ambush was met. As a result of this action several men, including above three men, became separated from the company.
3. Sgt Harry A. Cheney, 39 284 996, a member of G Co, 511th Parachute Inf, listed as missing in action 1645, 1 Dec 44, 3 miles southeast of Lubi. G Co was marching southwest from San Pedro to Lubi area.
4. 1st Sgt Henninger Pile, 6 262 287, a member of G Co, 511th Parachute Inf, listed as missing in action 1230, 14 Dec 45, vicinity of Mahonag, Leyte. G Co had been moving southwest from Anas, Leyte to cut new trail to 77th Division.
5. Records this Headquarters indicate search attempts made to find traces of men concerned. Areas where actions occurred searched as soon as possible but records indicate no results. Other search attempts deemed unadvisable.
6. T/Sgt George E. Wells, 14 097 552, listed as missing enroute from Mindoro to Leyte on 12 Mar 45, after being transferred from this command to 605th Medical Clearing Station on 3 Feb 45. Records indicate later transferred to 13th Station Hospital, APO 32. Sgt Wells was a member of that command at the time reported missing on a hospital plane flight from Mindoro to Leyte. Information as to extent and results of searches unknown.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

2 Incls:
Incl 1- Basic Communication.
Incl 2- Overlay

/s/t/ RICHARD H. KELLY
1st Lt, 511th Parachute Inf
Adjutant

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**WAR DEPARTMENT
MESSAGEFORM**

Date 18 Jan 46
S: 18 Feb 46
Telephone No. _____

File No. GSJMM 704.5

Office of origin COMMANDING GENERAL, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC
(Arm or service) (Division) (Branch) (Section) (Symbol)

Address APO 707

<p>To: []</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Commanding Officer 511th Frecht Infantry APO 468</p> <p>[]</p>	PRECEDENCE		
	WIRE OR RADIO		ESSENTIAL MILITARY MAIL
	Urgent _____	Priority _____	Air mail _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Routine _____	Deferred _____	Special delivery _____
Week end _____	Registered _____	Ordinary _____	
Any message not X'd for precedence will be sent "Deferred."		Initial of officer assigning precedence J.R.	

MESSAGE: OM Messageform No. 1837

1. Request all available information which would lead to the possible recovery and interment of personnel listed on the attached, presently being carried as missing.

2. This information should include: mission to which missing personnel were assigned; where last seen; direction of travel; and map sketch and grid coordinates of probable area where search may be conducted.

3. Further request records your headquarters be reviewed to determine previous search attempts made, their extent and result, and advisability of making further search.

OFFICIAL:

/s/t/ JOHN J. PEWAS
Captain AGD
Asst Adj Gen

1 Incl:
List of MIA Personnel

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QMGMR 293

2nd Ind.

Unknowns X-328, 335, 362 & 364
(Layte #1) P. I.

WD, OCMG, Washington 25, D. C., 24 January 1947

TO: Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Service Area
Command, Pacific Theater, APO 707, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco,
California

1. Reference is made to basic communication, paragraphs 2, 3 and 4.
2. Comparisons of tooth charts for Unknowns X-328, 332, 335, 337, 362, 364, 541 (formerly Nelson, Emanuel) and 543 (formerly Guertin, Ernest G.), Layte #1, have been made with negative results with WD dental records for the following:

X 328	Harris, Robert	Lt.	0-444574
X 332	Varner, Meriel	Lt.	0-1291918
X 335	Samara, Victor V.	Pfc.	39556160
X 337	Pickens, Myron D.	Pvt.	35534454
X 362	Fryar, Elmer G.	Pvt.	39325992
X 364	Swiger, Charles H.	Pfc.	35748929
X 541	Lesher, Robert L.	T/5	36731778
X 543	Enos, Frank	Pfc.	31292965
X Layte #1	Hicks, John	1st Lt.	0-1183602
	Carralao, Henry R.	Pfc.	39151277
	Robinson, William R.	Pvt.	37678567

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Comparison of WD dental records for Pvt. Robert A. Russell with tooth chart for Unknown X-335 will require further study.

3. Comparison of tooth charts for Unknown X-367 was made with official dental records for Cpl. Thomas W. Carlson and Pfc. Nunsio Caramagno with negative results. The records of this office indicate Unknown X-366 was identified as Pvt. Howard E. Cutts, 36691423, also that Lt. Babich, Pfc. Woodruff and S/Sgt. Schmal were identified.

4. Comparison of tooth chart for Unknown X-334 was made with WD dental records for 1st Lt. John Stone, 0-1175330 and found to be unfavorable.

JAMES C. MacFARLAND
Major, OMC
Assistant

REGISTRATION AREA
RECORDS SECTION
JAN 24 1947

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~~1. [unclear] (copy #1)~~

✓ " " " p-335 "

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✓ 1593 Carlson, Thomas W. (Cpl.)
at [unclear] (Ac.)

BASIC: Ltr Hqs Base K, AFMESPAC, APO 72, dtd 8 Jan 46, file PKOM 293,
subj: Identification of Deceased.

GS/AF 293 1st Ind S: 24 Mar 46
HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC, OFFICE OF THE
CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, APO 707, 24 Jan 46

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

Request comparison of tooth charts as noted on basic communi-
cation and advice as to results.

FOR THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER:

/s/ Robert J. Phillips
/t/ ROBERT J. PHILLIPS
Captain, U S A
Assistant

Info cc to Quartermaster Base K

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HEADQUARTERS BASE K
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER
APO 72

WDR/ljt

PKOM 293

8 Jan 46

SUBJECT: Identification of Deceased.

TO : Chief Quartermaster, United States Army Forces
Western Pacific, APO 707.

1. This Hqs has recovered a number of isolated burials in the area of Lubi, Leyte; Mahonag, Culasian, Alto Peak, Albuera, San Isidro, and Panaon Island, which have been lacking in any means of identification. Tooth charts have not been obtainable in most instances and only partial in others, because teeth have been missing due to decomposition.

2. Request tooth charts submitted on Reports of Re-interment for Unknown X-328, 332, 335, 337, 362, 364, Nelson, Emanuel S., T/Sgt., 20251348; Guertin, Earnest G., S/Sgt., 32713617; be compared with the following:

NORMIS, Robert,	Lt	0444574	511 Para Inf
VANER, Merkel	Lt	01291918	511 Para Inf
SZUURA, Victor V	Pfc	39 556 160	511 Para Inf
PICKENS, Myron D	Pvt	35 534 454	511 Para Inf
FRYAR, Elmer C	Pvt	39 325 592	511 Para Inf
SWIGER, Charles M	Pfc	35 748 929	511 Para Inf
LESHER, Robert L	T/5	36 731 778	511 Para Inf
EMOS, Frank	Pfc	31 292 965	138 Glider Inf
RUSSELL, Robert A	Pvt	39 327 076	183 Glider Inf
RICKS, John	1st Lt	0-1183602	457 Para Field Artillery Bn
CORRALES, Henry R	Pfc	39 151 277	Co C., 17th Inf
ROBINSON, Wm R.	Pvt	37 678 567	Co C., 17th Inf

3. Request tooth charts for Unknowns X-366 and X-367 be compared with the following:

GUTTS, Howard R	Pvt	36 691 423	MD., 19th Inf
BANKICH, Peter O	1st Lt	0446964	Co A., 21st Inf
WOODRUFF, Quentin	Pfc	38 528 748	Co A., 21st Inf
SCHMAL, Aloysius J	S/Sgt	37 113 031	24th Inf
CARLSON, Thomas W	Cpl	19 119 269	34th Inf
CARAMAGNO, Nunzio	Pfc	36 874 018	34th Inf

4. Request tooth chart for Unknown X-334 be compared with that of 1st Lt. John W. Stone, O-1175330, Liason pilot, 226th FA Bn.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER:

/s/ William D. Rogers
/t/ WILLIAM D. ROGERS
1ST Lt., Inf
Assistant

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MESSAGEFORM

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FROM: (Originator)

WD, OQMG, 2nd & T St, S.W., Washington 25, D. C.

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ACTION TO:

- The Adjutant General's Office
- World War II Records Administration Center
- 4300 Goodfellow Blvd.,
- St. Louis 20, Missouri

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IDENTIFICATION

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INFORMATION TO:

QUORER 293 Unknowns (Leyte #1) P. I.
27 December 1946

1. It is requested that AGRAC 1-380 be forwarded to this office at the earliest practicable date for the following:

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| ✓ Baker, Verle J., S/Sgt., 6567726 | ✓ Jacobson, Claude, Sgt., 39619222 |
| ✓ Bartilucci, Salvatore C., Pfc., 32707390 | ✓ Jaskolka, Edward J., Pfc., 32670897 |
| ✓ Bondzo, Adam A., Sgt., 35338654 | ✓ Keizer, Leroy W., 2/Lt., 0-517253 |
| ✓ Byrnes, Gilbert F., Sgt., 16085880 | ✓ Maurello, Daniel V., Cpl., 16037086 |
| ✓ Douglas, James L., Sgt., 38321185 | ✓ Quoos, Charles G., S/Sgt., 33359248 |
| ✓ Dyer, Bronte T/5 38272041 | ✓ Schwab, Stephan Pfc., 39193562 |
| ✓ Ernfield, George W., Pvt., 13094740 | ✓ Shively, Perry N., Sgt., 35304817 |
| ✓ Flanders, Ward J., S/Sgt., 32850759 | ✓ Siemon, William L., Pvt., 31335852 |
| ✓ Fulton, Lawrence E., T/5 37157240 | ✓ Sova, Milton, Cpl., 12066050 |
| ✓ Goodway, Bert Pfc., 37230006 | ✓ Ullrich, Norman A., T/4 36379914 |
| ✓ Hunt, Harlin E., Pfc., 39410561 | ✓ Yea, Henry W., Pvt., 32552659 |

2. AGRAC 1-380 on the above listed individuals has not been previously furnished this office.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

James C. MacFarland
JAMES C. MacFARLAND
Major, QMC
Assistant

1st Lt Ome

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293 Unk. (misc) P.I. (Leyte #1)

WD OCMG Memorial Div., Washington 25, D.C.

The Adjutant General's Office
World War II Records Administration
Center, 4300 Goodfellow Boulevard
St. Louis 20, Missouri

IMMEDIATE

QMGYQ 293
Unknowns X-228, 328, 332, 335, 337,
340, 362, and 364
(Leyte #1) P.I.
21 August 1946

1. It is requested that the Dental Identification Record together with a list of all camps stationed in the U.S. prior to overseas service, including inclusive dates be forwarded to this office for the following:

- ✓ 293 1. Walters, Paul B., Pfc. 35548621, Co."A", 17th Inf.
- ✓ 293 2. Wallick, John E., Sgt. 39161478, Co."B", 17th Inf.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

JAMES C. MacPARIAND
Major, QMC
Assistant

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293 Unk. X-228 P.I. (Leyte #1)
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 " " X-364 " "



IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN			UNKNOWN X-3289-A (Formerly Unk X-228 USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, P.I.)			2. DATE OF REPORT		8 Jan 48	
3. NAME OF CEMETERY			4. PLOT	5. ROW	6. GRAVE	7. DATE OF			
			MANGER	ROW	GRAVE	DISINTERMENT	REINTERMENT	STORAGE	
AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I.			813	I	2756	24 Nov 47		12 Jan 48	

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT		9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT		10. COLOR OF HAIR		11. RACE	
UTD		5' 6 7/8"		UTD		UTD	

12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS

None found with remains.

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

UTD - Due to condition of remains.

14. WAS BODY BURNED ?		TO WHAT EXTENT ?	
<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO			

15. WAS BODY MANGLED ?		TO WHAT EXTENT ?	
<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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

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:			

See Remarks

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

See Remarks

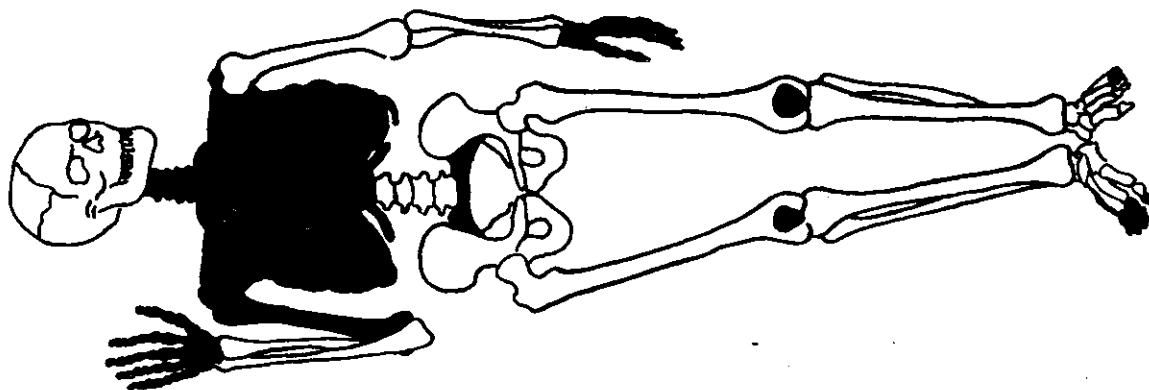
DENTURES (Plates): DRAW DIAGRAM OF RELATIVE SIZE AND SHAPE OF PLATE, BLOCK IN TEETH ATTACHED AND INDICATE RETAINING CLASPS ON NATURAL TEETH WITH THE WORD, "CLASP."

REMARKS: R2, L2, 3, 9 and 11 show signs of attrition.

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

/s/ John H. Bennett Jr.
 /s/ Alexander P. Pettice
 /s/ Vicente R. Quinquini

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

While processing these remains extra bones were found, therefore segregated and designated as UNK X-3289-A and X-3289-B.

No personal effects nor ROI bottle nor I.D. tags found with remains. Circumference of skull is 20 inches. Estimated weight of remains 6 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/ ALEXANDER P. PETTICE SP-6
CIP LAB., Manila, P.I.

SIGNATURE
/s/ Alexander P. Pettice



WD QMC FORM 1042 (Rev. 1 Apr. 1945) (Supersedes GRS Form 1)
REPORT OF INTERMENT STORAGE
 (AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815) DATE OF REPORT
 14 Jan 48

Plotted X-228

Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.

NAME (Last, first, middle initial) UNKNOWN X-3289-X (Formerly Unk X-228)
 USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, P.I.) SERIAL No. Unknown

GRADE Unknown ORGANIZATION Unknown BRANCH OF SERVICE Unknown

RACE Unknown RELIGION Unknown IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD, GIVE NAME OF COUNTRY

PLACE OF DEATH Mt. Catmon, Leyte, P.I. CAUSE OF DEATH Unknown DATE OF DEATH, Dec 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)
 WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?(Yes or no) Yes (2) See Remarks

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
 GRS MAUSOLEUM, MANILA, P.

DATE OF BURIAL	HOUR	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other)	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER	PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
12 Jan 48	1300	Casket	None	813	I	2756

WAS THIS A REBURIAL? (Yes or no) Yes IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE
 USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, P.I. PLOT No. ROW No. GRAVE No. 5621

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) Yes IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no) Yes

BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial)	RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE No.
UNKNOWN X-3291				CRYPT 2758

BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial)	RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE No.
MARTIN, Charles F	Pfc	32242155	Co C, 130th Inf Regt	CRYPT 2754

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT: R. R. ACIERTO Pfc SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT: L. S. PANOFIO 2d Lt Inf

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 Officer. Copies for retention in theater as prescribed by theater commander.

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Section 3 UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS.

INSTRUCTIONS:

(a) Great care will be taken to record the most minute clues for the future identity of unidentified remains. Fill in anatomical characteristics below, and any other clues under "Other," such as shoe size, social security number; position of body found in airplanes, vehicles, and tanks; and serial numbers of airplanes, vehicles, and tanks.

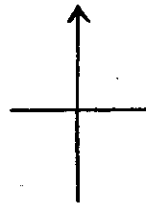
(b) A fingerprint, or prints, are the most valuable of all clues. Imprint all fingers and thumbs in the chart at left, or as many as possible. If no fingerprint or prints can be secured, the condition of each and every tooth will be indicated on the tooth chart in accordance with diagram below. Tooth 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.		LAUNDRY MARKS		WHERE BODY WAS BURIED OR FOUND

OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES

FILLINGS	<p>SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>	<p>UPPER</p> <p>DIAGRAM REPRESENTS THE MOUTH WIDE OPEN</p> <p>LOWER</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>	

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



REMARKS: In processing subject remains, formerly Unk X-228 USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, extra bones were found. They were segregated into two remains and recorded as UNKNOWN X-3289-A and UNK X-3289-B. Cross reference this case, UNK X-3289-A, with UNK X-3289-B.
QMC Form 1044, 1044-A and 1044-B accomplished.

28 APR 1948

REPORT OF INTERMENT

U-495

(To be submitted through channels to the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C.)

(Par. 21d - TM 10-630)

UNKNOWN X-228

(Last Name) (First) (Initial) (Serial No.) (Rank) (Organization)

Mt. Catmon, Leyte, P.I.

Dec 1944

(Place of Death) (Date of Death) (Cause of Death)

1130 hrs 10 Oct 45

USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, P.I.

(Time and Date of Burial) (Place of Burial - Name and No. of Cemetery, if in a cemetery)

5621

Reg Cross

Buried with body
 Attached to marker

(Grave No.) (Row No.) (Plot No.) (Kind Grave Marker) (Identification Tags)

Disinterred fro N.E. slope of Mt. Catmon, Approx. due West of Lubi, Leyte, P.I. Protestant

Metal tag buried with body and attached to marker

Catholic
 Hebrew

Other pertinent data to enable grave to be located.
 (Where necessary sketch to locate grave should be furnished)

(Name and address of Emergency Addressee)

(Name and address of legal next of kin)

Fingerprints (right hand) if right hand missing furnish prints of left hand.

(Required when positive identity cannot otherwise be established) (Par. 25e (2)

TM 10-630)

Place X mark
below when
prints are of
left hand



Thumb

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2

3

4

List of personal effects and disposition of same

NONE

(Name, rank, serial number, organization, grave numbers of bodies buried on either side):

On Right— TRUXTON, Myron A 36 565 371 5620

On Left— UNKNOWN X-229 5622

S/Sgt John E. Bobis, GRS
Signature of Officer or other person reporting Burial.

William D. Rogers
WILLIAM D. ROGERS, 1st Lt., Inf
Verified by Army G.R.S. Officer.

Prepare in triplicate—1 copy to Army G.R.S. Officer—1 copy to Chief, G.R.S.—Original to the Q.M.G.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT FOR IDENTIFICATION

Place USAF Cem., Leyte #1, P.I.

Date 14 October 1945

1. Remains of UNKNOWN X-228

Serial Number ---

Rank --- Organization ---

2. Disinterred (date):

7 Oct. 45

Disinterred from (give complete location):
From N.E. slope of Mt. Catmon, due west of Labi, Leyte, P.I.

By: Group Lt T. Reidinger Unit Graves Registration Service

3. Reburied (date):

10 October 1945

In (give complete location):

USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, P.I. #5621

By: Group Lt. Teidinger Unit GRS Nature of reburial Blanket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? No On grave marker? No

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: Only bones were found in grave, no clothing

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items?

(a) Height (actual measurement) _____

(b) Weight (estimated) _____

(c) Hair-Color _____

Quantity _____

Characteristics _____

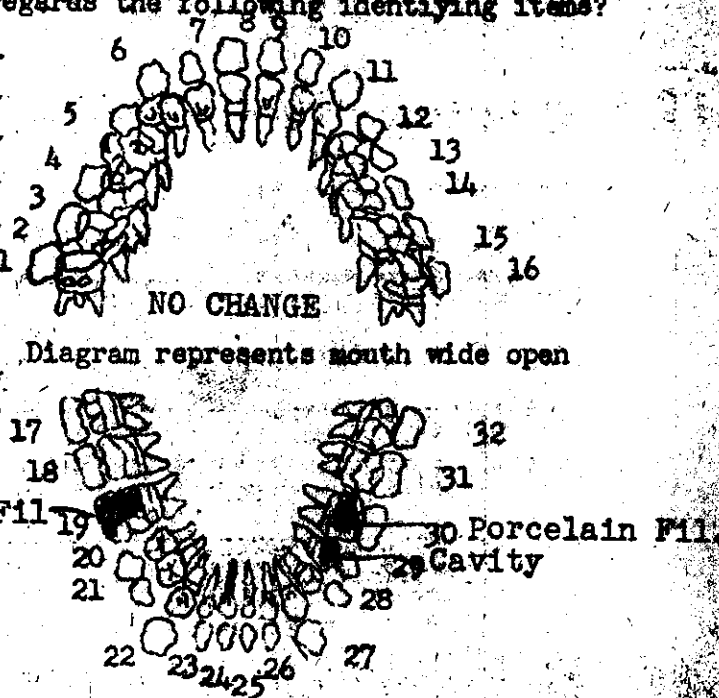
(d) Hair on face-Color _____

Location _____

Quantity _____

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) _____

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) _____



7. Disinterment supervised by Thurston Reidinger Approved: William D. Rogers

8. Reburial supervised by Capt. F. M. Simon Approved: William D. Rogers

(Title) 1st Lt Inf G.R.C.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 4

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the corresponding numbered space.

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.

2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.







3. Give date and accurate information, as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made--in casket, wooden box, ect.

4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried--in a casket, box, burlap, ect. This statement should be as complete as possible.

5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".

(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6. If additional remarks are necessary use additional sheet of paper and attach hereto.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correct as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

MISSING TEETH	All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:		Tooth missing
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain) thus:		Gold crown
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:		Gold & porcelain bridge
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:		Silver filling
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavities, shade in, thus:		Cavity
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".		Decayed

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.

8. Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.