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Department of the Army, COMG, Washington 25, D. C., 15

15 July 1952

TO: Army Rifects Agency, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kaneas City 1, Missouri

1. The remains of Unknown X-540, Leyte #1, P. I., have been classified Unidentifiable and interred in Fort McKinley Cometery, P. I.

2. The personal effects for Unknown X-540, USAF, Leyte #1, are of no further value to this Office and may be salvaged.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

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Case No. 883,973

(S-3 Aug 52) HVH/NH/nlc 3 July 1952

SUBJECT: Request for Information Regarding

Unknown Decedent

TO:

The Quarternaster General Field Service Division Effects Section Washington 25, D. C.

- 1. The Army Effects Agency is in receipt of a wrist watch and a souvenir coin which were forwarded here as the property of Unknown X-540, P.I., Leyte, Matag-ob.
- 2. It is requested that this Bureau be advised whether these articles may be disposed of by salvage or retained for possible identification of Unknown.

H. V. HAWES Major, QHC Effects Quartermaster

M(90) 293, Unknown X-540, Leyte

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Department of the Army, O'MG, Washington 25, D. C

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CHOOD 293, Unk X-540, Leyte, PI Department of the Army, OQIG, Mashington 25, D. C.,

Chief, Army Effects Baroga, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, No.

The remains of Unknown X-540, USMC Leyte \$1, P. I., have not been identified and personal effects (watch) found with the remains are returned herevith.

COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL HORKAN:

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C. J. HARROLD Colemel, GMC Chief, Field Service Division

J. 38 No. 683973

HVH/NH/nlc 17 January 1952

SUBJECT: Personal Effects of Unknown Decedent

To: The Quartermaster General Field Service Division Effects Section Washington 25. D. C.

- 1. Reference is made to Army Effects Suresu letter 22 October 1951, copy inclosed, reporting the transmittal of a watch received here as property of Unknown X-540, USMC, Leyte. To date, the watch has not been returned to this Sureau.
- 2. A coin is currently being held at this nursau, pending return of the watch.
- 3. It is requested that the watch be returned to this sureau at the earliest practicable date, in order that pertinent bureau records had be comploted.

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CHOOD 293, Unk X-540, Leyte, PI

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Department of the Army, OCHG, Mashington 25, D. C., 25 January 1952

TO: Chief, Army Effects Bureau, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, No.

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BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL HORKAN:

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C. J. HARROLD Colonel, MC Chief, Field Service Division

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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

601 HARDESTY AVENUE

KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

883973 Unknown X-540 USMC, Leyte, P. I. HVH/ADS/gr 22 October 1951

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO:

The Quartermaster General Field Service Division Refects Section Washington 25. D. C.

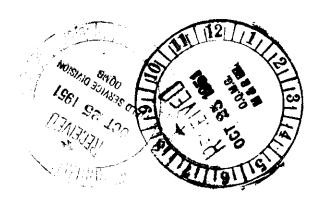
- 1. Reference is made to your message QOD 462 Zablocki, 4 October 1951, regarding the watch designated as property of Unknown X-540, USMC, Leyte, P. I.
- 2. This article was forwarded on 19 October 1951 to your Office by registered mail, package No. 867-513. If it has not been received within thirty days this Bureau should be notified, to enable tracer action.
- 3. It is requested that upon completion of the investigation, the watch be returned to this Bureau, with information as to whether the case has been resolved.

H. V. HAWES

Major, QMC

Effects Quartermaster

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

				DUE, HOUR AND DATE
1 NO.	FROM-	3 TO	DATE	MESSAGE
1	CHIP DEP OPR BE FIELD SERVICE DIV	SEARCH INF SEC ID BR MEMORIAL DIV	23 Jan	Forwarded as a matter which pertains to your office FOR THE CHIEF, FIELD SERVICE DIVISION:
				1 Attachment: MOYNAHAN AEB Ltr dtd 17 Jen 52 re Unk X-540, USMC Leyte RE
				RUSSUM 53821
2	Ident Br Mem Div	Chief Dep Opr Br Field Service Div	28 Jan 1952	
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GH-AGRS 293 (3 Oct 51) 2d Ind SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Deceased

Lt Whaylen/AFS/bcc

Headquarters, United States Army Hospital (PS), Fort William McKinley, Manila, P. I., APO 928 14 NOV

- TO: Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Service, Pacific Zone. APO 958. c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California
- The reprocessing of Unknown X-540 Leyte #1 failed to substantiate the association of this Unknown with Pfc Jerry A. Mugnolo, 36730368.
- 2. Forwarded herewith for your final action are new QMC Form 1044 and statement of the anthropologists relative to subject Unknown.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

4 Incls Added - 2 Incls 3. QMC Form 1044 (x-540)

> 4. Statement, dtd 31 Oct 51, in dup

CHARLES R. WHAYLER lst Lt., QMC Asst Adjutant

RRREC 293 (3 Oct 51)

3rd Ind

Lt Col Abel/era/682205 Headquarters, United States Army, Pacific, Office of the Quartermaster. APO 958, 21 November 1951

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

Forwarded for your file.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER:

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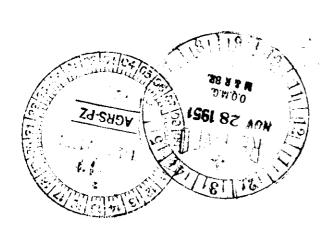
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SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Deceased

Lt Col Abel/acf/682203

Headquarters, United States Army, Pacific, Office of the Quartermaster, APO 958, 9 October 1951

TO: Commanding Officer, U. S. Army Hospital (PS), APO 928, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California ATTENTION: AGRS

- 1. Attention is invited to basic communication.
- 2. Inclosed herewith for your information is the 293 file for Unknown K-540 (kM X-2219), USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, P. I.
- 3. It is requested that Unknown X-540, presently interred in the Fort McKinley Cemetery, Plot C, Row 12, Grave 58, be disinterred and reprocessed with a view toward possible association with Pfc Jerry A. Mugnolo, 36730368, USA.
- 4. It is further requested that, upon completion of action, the 293 file, together with the new 1044 case papers, be returned in order that final action may be taken by this Headquerters.

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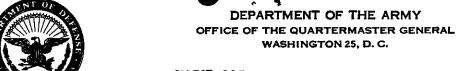
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3 October 1951

Unknown X-540 USAF Cem. Leyte #1, P.I.

SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Deceased

TO:

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

- l. Reference is made to Report of Interment for the remains of Unknown X-540, USAF Cemetery, Leyte #1, P.I., interred in Fort William McKinley Cemetery, Manila, P.I., as Unidentifiable.
- 2. Unknown X-540 may be identifiable as Pfc. Jerry A. Mugnolo, 36730368, who was missing in action 16 January 1945, and was last seen approximately two (2) miles north of Dipi Leyte Island, P.I.
- 3. OQMG Form 371 and photostatic copy of Form 79 for Mugnolo are inclosed.
- 4. It is requested that the remains of Unknown X-540 be examined for any additional identifying data and to verify results of previous processing. Should the investigation substantiate the association of Unknown X-540 with Pfc Mugnolo, it is further requested that this case be processed in accordance with paragraph 59h, SR 830-110-5.

FOR THE ACTING THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

1 Incl:
OCMG Form 371 (Mugnolo)
(in dup) w/photo copy
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TO: The Quartermaster General, Department of the Army, Mashington 25, D. G. ATTENTION: Memorial Division

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The above remains were examined and processed this date to verify as association made by CQMG. QMC Forms 1044 were accomplished.

An examination of the above remains reveals the following:

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On the basis of the above findings, it is recommended that UNKNOUN X-540 Leyte of remain designated as such.

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15 February 1950

SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Deceased

Unknown X-3424, (formerly X-190, Leyte #1)

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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Lt. Colonel, QMC

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HEADQUARTERS AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE PHILCOM ZONE

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16 January 1950

SUBJECT: Unidentifiable Remains

TO:

The Cuartermaster General Department of the Army Washington 25, D. C. ATIN: Memorial Division

l. In accordance with the provisions of your letter, file QMCMU 293, GRS (Far East), dated 17 September 1948, subject: Resolution of Cases of Unidentified Deceased, the following Unknown remains presently stored at AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, F.I., have been processed by the Central Identification Laboratory and considered "Unidentifiable" by reason of lack of sufficient identifying data:

2. Forwarded herewith, for your consideration, are new QMC Forms 1044 for the above-mentioned Unknowns.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

9 Incls
QMC Forms 1044 w/Certificates
of Unidentifiability

JOHN SHYPULA 1st Lt., Infantry Adjutant

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16 January 1950 Date

SUEJECT: Unidentifiable Remains

TO : The Quartermaster

Washington 25, D. C. Attn: Memorial Division

The records pertaining to Unknown X- 540, Plot ____, Row ____, Grave 8465 , 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:

Chief, Records Branch M. Eustace Adent

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Attch: Form 1044

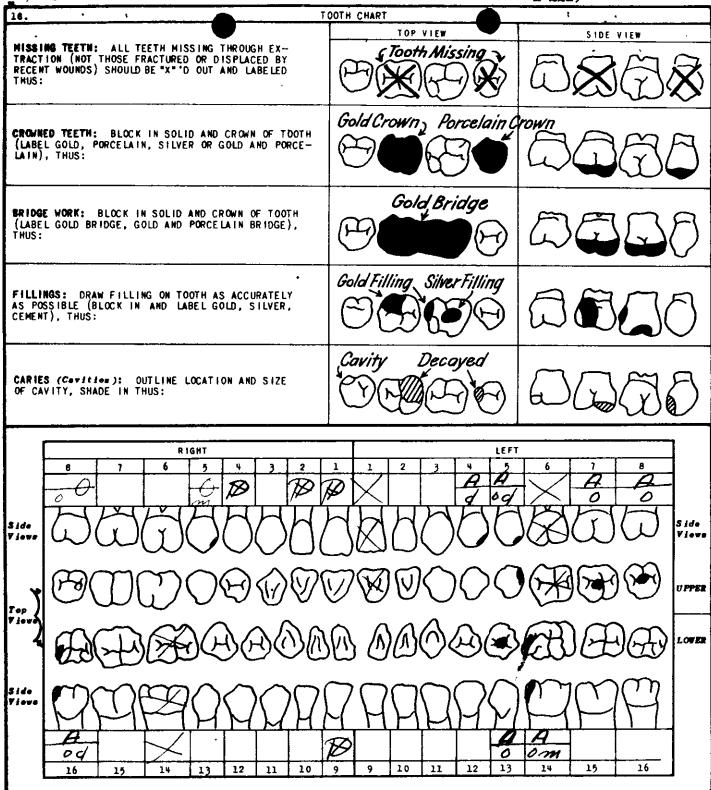
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PAUL R. NICHOLS Chief. Identification Section

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

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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

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PAUL R. NICHOLS Chief, Identification Section SIGNATURE Paul R. Mihold

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/s/ Nernon H. Korn

AGRC FORM No. [1] Revised 16 Sept. 1966 Formely "Check List of Unknowns")

IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST

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

·	UNKNOWN X-2219 (Formerly Unk X-540 possibly PARKER, Greede M. USAF Cem Leyte #1. P.T.)
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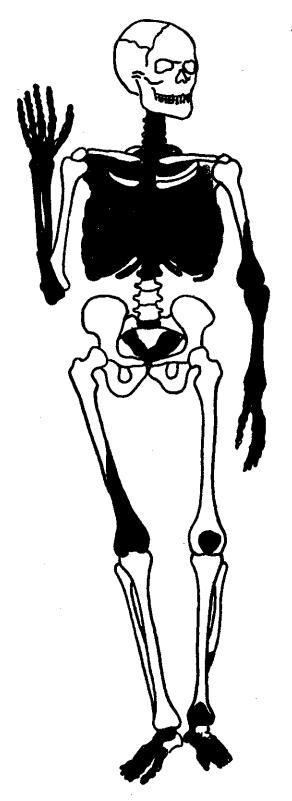
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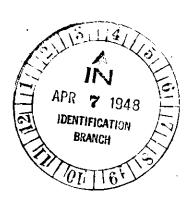
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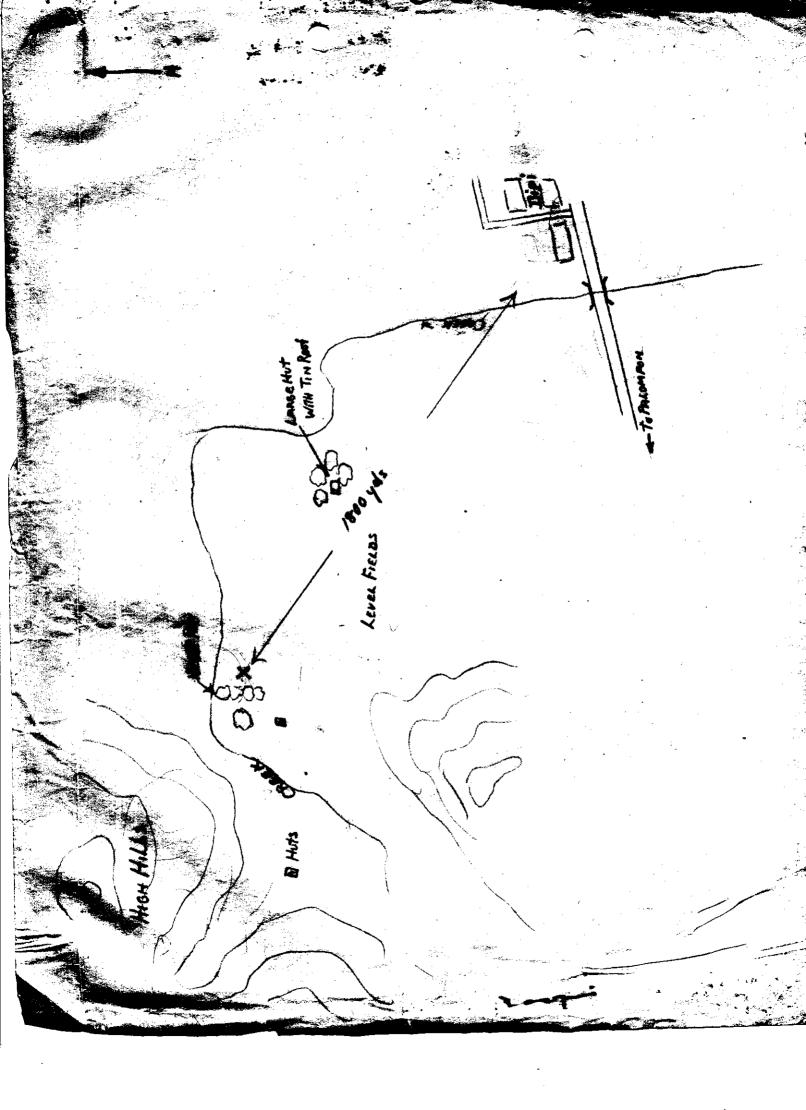
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DATE 22 November 1946

JOSEPH M. PHELAN, Capt, CAC

BEWARKS:

QMGOD 293, Unknown X-540 Leyte, P. I. lst/Ind

Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C.,

14 July 1949

TO: Commanding Officer, Quartermaster Activities, Kansas City Records Center (AGO), Missouri ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

Unknown X-540, Leyte, P. I., is believed to be Parker, Creede M., ASN 39 919 220.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL FELDMAN:

WILLIAM F. CONLON Major, QMC Field Service Division

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

IN REPLY REFER TO QMDKG 883973

HOC/ELH/elw
18 June 1949
Date

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Effects

TO:

The Quartermaster General Memorial Division Washington 25, D. C.

1. Personal effects found on remains interred as Unknown X ______

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Levte P.I have been held at this Bureau as of 28 April 1947

2. Bureau inspection of the effects has been made and the following description furnished for reference:

One small watch, white metal case, no band, Everbright Back Star 422517 on back, crystal and hands missing, face very badly discolored, case bent; one souvenir coin

3. It is requested that this Bureau be informed whether or not the above listed Unknown decedent has been officially identified.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

H. O. CLLDWEIL Effects Chartermaster 219 Jink . L. X-540 Leyte #1

CMGOD 295, Unknown X-540 Matag-ob (Dipi)

Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C., 4 August 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave., Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

Unknown X-540, Matag-ob (Dipi), Leyte, P. I., is under investigation. Upon completion thereof your Bureau will be advised.

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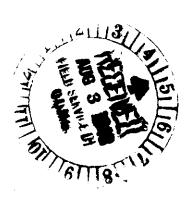
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

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BASIC: Ltr fr Hqs, 306th FA Bn, APO 77, dtd 4 Feb 46, subject: Regarding EM Missing in Action, re: Pvt Creede M Parker

13 Feb 1948 WHP/mls

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PHILRYCOM Sector, Graves Registration Service, APO 707, 20 January 1948

Commanding Officer, ACRS Mausoleum, Manila, APO 707

- Attention is invited to paragraph 2, preceding indorsement.
- 2. Request that when report of storage is prepared and forwarded to this office, a true copy of the 14th Indorsement be attached to each copy of the report.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL MURPHEY:

s/t/ HAROLD F. REVERSKI LT. Colonel. USAF Executive

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

QMGMU 293 Parker, Creede M 39919220 14th Ind

Dept. of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D.C., 13 November 1947

TO: Commanding General, Philippine-Ryukyus Command, APO 707 c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California

- 1. Reference is made to preceding indorsement.
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FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

s/t/JAMES C MacFARLAND
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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JAMES C. M. CFARBAND Major, CAC Memorial Division

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PHILRYCOM Sector Graves Registration Service, APO 707, 10 July 1947

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

- 1. Your attention is invited to the preceding 12th Indorsement from Headquarters, USAF Cometery Leyte No. 1, P.I., dated 25 November 1946 which indicates that remains designated as Unknown X-540 at USAF Cometery Leyte, P.I., which could possibly be Greede M. PARKER, 29919220, have been recovered by a search party at Grid Coordinates 94000.5-48000.1, Port Palompon Quad Sheet 4444-111, Polyconic Projection, 1st Edition, scale 1:50,000.
 - 2. A copy of the Report of Interment and WWC form 1045, inclosure 11, for Unknown X-540 are inclosed with the request that the WMC form 1045 be compared with available clinical records for Greede M. PARKER in an attempt to establish positive identity of the remains as those of Pvt. Parker.

11 Incls: n/c

HAROLD F. REVERSKI Lt. Colonel, 4MC Commanding QMGYG 293 Parker, Creede M. SN 39 919 220 16 Sept. 1946

The Quartermaster General Attention: Memorial Division

Dear Sirs,

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Yours truly

/s/ Roll F. Syrett

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BATTERY "A" 306TH FIRID ARTILLERY BATTALION APO 77 c/o PM SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA

February 1, 1946

Mr. Gordon Parker Randlett, Utah.

Dear Mr. Parkers

It is with sincere regret that circumstances dictate that I write this letter to you. The War Department has already notified you that your son is missing. He has been missing since January 1, 1945.

On that date another and your son went hunting doves near the Battery position. Evidently they did not pay much attention to how far they walked being intent on finding the game birds. When they got about a mile from the position area they neared a village and saw three men walking toward them dressed in shabby clothes. As they drew nearer they noticed they were Japanese. Both soldiers dropped to the ground and the Japanese opened fire. There was a deep river bed directly to their rear and both men worked their way back. Pvt LaBaff saw your son jump down the bank about fifty feet from where they jumped. He waited for your son to join him. After about ten minutes LaBaff called "Parker. answer me." He repeated this five or six times in the next fifteen minutes, during which time the activity of the enemy was becoming more intense. Pvt LaBaff, using the river bed for cover. made his way to the Battery position and reported the fact that Pvt Parker was still out there. Lt Syrett organised a fifteen man patrol and set off behind Pvt LaBaff. When they reached the ditch, they too spotted the enemy and opened fire. The Japanese countered with machine gums and mortars. Lt Syrett estimated they had walked into over one hundred Japanese. The get-away man returned to the Battery for more men. I took fifteen more plus two machine guns and a tractor.

When this relief group reached the first patrol it was already getting dark. The area where your son was last seen by Pvt LaBaff was thoroughly searched but no trace of him could be found.

The next morning an Infantry reinforced company, several tanks and an Artillery forward observer returned to the area, and drove the Japanese off reflecting heavy casualties. It Syrett and four men from the Battery searched the entire area for two or three hours without any luck. For several days we kept the hope alive that your sen might have joined another outfit and been unable to notify the Battery or return to it.

Private Parker had been with the Battery only a short time, but in that time he made a lot of sincere friends. The first patrol that went out with Lt Syrett was made up entirely of fifth section men, and all were volunteers. Your son was a hard worker and an excellent soldier. His loss is a great one, one neither the officers nor the enlisted men will soon forget.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM D. WEBER Capt., FA Commanding

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY FROM COPY:

/s/ Don L. Madison DON L. MADISON 2nd Lt., INF

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EXTRACT FROM PAGE 1, CASUALTY REPORT 3, Hu 306 FA BN, APO 77.

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Sol was appreximately 1800 yds from Btry position accompanied by another member of the battery and were fired on by the enemy. Both soldiers were pinned down by enemy machine gun fire. Both soldiers made a break for the battery area and had to cross a gully to reach it. The one soldier arrived at the battery area and reported the above incidents to the battery commander and also stated that the last he saw of Pvt Parker was in trying to cross the gully. A patrol was immediately sent out to try and locate Pvt Parker and also locate enemy and they in turn were pinned down by enemy fire. A thorough search of the area was made that evening and all of the following morning but Pvt Parker was not able to be located."

Certified True Copy from Copy:

/s/ Don L. Madison /t/ DON L. MADISON 2nd Lt., IMF

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OMGRG 293 Parker, Creede M. SN 39919220 10 Ind.

'D, COM'G, Washington, D. C. 8 October 1946

TO: Chief Quartermaster, United States Army Porces, Vestern Pacific, Office of the Chief Quartermaster, AFC 707, c/o Postmaster, San Prancisco, California.

- 1. Forwarded in compliance with request contained in paragraph 2 of preceding indorsement is pertinent correspondence relative to the possible recovery and interment of the remains of the late Private Creede M. Parker.
- 2. Upon receipt of additional information from John R. LaBaff, your headquarters will be furnished with same.

FOR THE STARTER GENERAL:

MARTIN G. RILEY Major, MC Assistant

9 Incls

6 Incls n/c

7. Photostatic cy map of Palompon

3. Sketch

9. cy ltr dtd 16 Sept 46

-2nd#/

Basm: jur fr Hqs, 306th FA Bn, APO 77, dtd 4 Feb 46, subject: Info Regarding EM Missing in Action, re: Pvt Greede M Parker

GS-14 293

13th Ind

CRHM/1f1*

PHILAYCOM Sector Graves Registration Service, APO 707, 10 July 1947

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

- 1. Your attention is invited to the preceding 12th Indorsement from Headquarters, USAF demetery Leyte No. 1, P.I., dated 25 November 1946 which indicates that remains designated as Unknown X-540 at USAF demetery Leyte, P.I., which could possibly be Greede M. PARKER, 29919220, have been recovered by a search party at Grid Coordinates 94000.5-48000.1, Port Palampon word Sheet 4444-111, Polyconic Brojection, 1st Edition, scale 1:50,000.
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11 Incls: n/c

HAROLD I. REVERSKI Lt. Jolonel, who Commanding Private Parker had been with the Battery only a short time, but in that time he made a lot of sincere friends. The first patrol that went out with Lt Syrett was made up entirely of fifth section men, and all were volunteers. Your son was a hard worker and an excellent soldier. His loss is a great one, one neither the officers nor the enlisted men will soon forget.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM D. WEBER
Capt., FA
Cormanding

CHRMIFIED TRUE COPY FROM COPY:

DON L. HADISON

2nd Lt., INF

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BATTERY "A" 306TH FIELD ARTILLERY BETTALION APO 77 c/o PM SAM FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA

February 1, 1946

Mr. Gordon Parker Randlett, Utah.

Dear Mr. Parker:

It is with sincere regret that circumstances dictate that. I write this letter to you. The War Department has already notified you that your son is missing. He has been missing since January 1, 1945.

On that date enother and your son went hunting doves near the Battery position. Evidently they did not pay much attention to how far they walked being intent on finding the game birds. When they got about a mile from the position area they neared a willage and saw three men walking toward them dressed in shabby clothes. As they drew nearer they noticed they were Japanese. Both soldiers dropped to the ground and the Japanese opened fire. There was a deep river bed directly to their rear and both men worked their way back. Pvt LaBeff saw your son jump down the bank about fifty feet from where they jumped. He waited for your son to join him. After about ten minutes LaBeff called "Parker. answer me." He repeated this five or six times in the next fifteen minutes, during which time the activity of the enemy was becoming more intense. Pvt LaBaff, using the raiver bed for cover, made his way to the Battery position and reported the fact that Pvt Parker was still out there. Lt Syrett organized a fifteen man patrol and set off behind Pvt LaBeff. When they reached the ditch, they too spotted the enemy and opened fire. countered with machine guns and mortars. Lt Syrett estimated they had walked into over one hundred Japanese. The get-away man retrined to the Battery for more men. I took fifteen more plus two machine guns and a tractor.

When this relief group reacher the first patrol it was already getting dark. The area where your son was last seen by Pvt LaBeff was thoroughly searched but no trace of him could be found.

The next morning an Infantry reinforced company, several tanks and an Artillery forward observer returned to the area, and drove the Japanese off reflecting heavy casualties. Lt Syrett and four men from the Battery searched the entire area for two or three hours without any luck. For several days we kept the hope alive that your son might have joined another outfit and been unable to notify the Battery or return to it.

Parker, Creede M. 39919220

EXTRACT PROM PAGE 1, CASMALTY REPORT 3, HQ 306 FA BN, APO 77.

1 Jan 145, Leyte, P.I. MIA

Sol was approximately 1800 yds from Btry position accompanied by another member of the battery and were fired on by the enemy. Both soldiers were pinned down by enemy machine gun fire. Both soldiers made a break for the battery area and had to cross a gully to reach it. The one soldier arrived at the battery area and reported the above incidents to the battery commender and also stated that the last he saw of Pvt Parker was in trying to cross the gully. A patrol was immediately sent out to try and locate Pvt Parker and also locate enemy and they in trun were minned down by enemy fire. A thorough search of the area was made that evening and all of the following morning but Pvt Parker was not able to be located."

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BASIC: Ltr fr Hq 306th FA Bn, APO 77, c/o PM San Francisco, California dtd 4 Feb 46, subj: Information Regarding EM Missing in Action, re: Pvt Creede M. Parker, 39919220.

GSQMM 293

19th Ind

CRHM/JGS/lfl*

PHILRY COM Sector Graves Registration Service, APO 707, 27 February 1948

TO: Dapartment of the Army, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D. C.

- 1. The records of this office as well as the records at AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, P.I., have been amended in accordance with Paragraph 1 of 14th Indorsement.
- 2. Corrected Report of Storage has been received by this Office and will be processed on the Weekly Report of Burials Recorded, week of 1 March 1948, file 9-48.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

/s/ Harold F. Reverski /t/ HAROLD F. REVERSKI Lt. Colonel, USAF Executive

1 Incl: w/d

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HEADQUARTERS 306TH FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION APO 77, c/o POSTMASTER SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

4 February 1946

SUBJECT: Information Regarding EM Missing in Action

TO : Commanding General, USAFWESPAC, APO 707

- 1. In compliance with QM Messageform #1936 dated 21 January 1946, the attached inclosures are forwarded for your information in regards Pvt Creede M Parker, 39919220, missing in action 1 January 1945, on Leyte, P.I.
- 2. The exact location that Pvt Parker was last seen is not known as there are no individuals now attached this organization who were present when EM was found to be missing in action.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

/s/ JAMES N. SWENSON /t/ JAMES N. SWENSON 2nd Lt., FA Asst Adjutant

4 Incls:

- 1 Letter of condolence re: Ptt Creede M Parker
- 1 Extract from Casualty Report
- 1 Extract from Unit Journal
- 1 True Copy of Btry A, 306 FA Bn, Morning Report, 1 January 1946

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/s/ DON L. MADISON /t/ DON L. MADISON 2nd Lt. Inf BASIC: Ltr Hqs 306th Field Artillery Bn, APO 77, dtd 4 Feb 46, subj: Information Regarding EM Missing in Action.

GSQMM 704.5 1st Ind S; 21 Mar 46 HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC, APO 707, 22 Feb 1946

TO : Commanding General, 77th Division, APO 77

- 1. Attention is invited to extract from unit Journal for the 306th Field Artillery Battalion.
- 2. Request map sketch and grid coordinate of the site of action noted under the time of 1816 relative to Pvt Creede Parker, so an attempt may be made to recover and inter his remains.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ R. E. CANTRELL
/t/ R. E. CANTRELL
Capt., AGD
Assistant Adjutant General

704-Parker, Creede M (E)

2nd Ind.

HQ 77 INF DIV, APO 77, 5 Mar 46

TO: CO 306 FA

For compliance with 1st Indorsment and report through this Hq.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL RANDLE:

/s/ E. F. TOTTON /t/ E. F. TOTTON Major, FA Actg Asst Adj General

4 Incls: h/c

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

/s/ Don L. Madison /t/ DON L. MADIGEN 2nd Lt., Inf 704-Parker Creede M (Enl)

3rd Ind.

Hq Hakodate Task Force, APO 77, 9 March 1946

TO: Commanding General, 77th Infantry Division, APO 77

All individuals having knowledge of exact location of incident have been returned to Continental United States for readjustment. Most accurate location of incident places it approximately one mile north, northeast of town of Matagob (Dipi), Leyte, P.I.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

/s/ WILLIAM J. KEENAN /t/ WILLIAM J. KEENAN lst Lt., FA Adjutant

4 Incls: Sn/c

704-Parker, Creede M. (Enl) 4th Ind.

HQ 77 Inf Div. APO 77, 9 March 1946.

TO: Commanding General, AFWESPAC, APO 707.

Attention is invited to 3rd Inodrsment.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ ROGER L. BILEWICZ
/t/ ROGER L. BILEWICZ
Lt Col, AGD
Adjutant General

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/s/ Don L. Madison /t/ DON L. MADISON 2nd Lt., INF BASIC: Ltr Hqs 306th Field Artillery Bn, APO 77, dtd 4 Feb 46, subj: Information Regarding EM Missing in Action

GSQMM 704.5 5th Ind S: 24 Apr 46 HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC, APO 707, 1 April 1946

TO : Commanding General, 77th Division, APO 77

Request the name, rank and ASN of any personnel to whom a map of Matagob and vicinity may be sent so they could give the exact location where an investigation may be made to recover and inter the remains of Pvt. Parker.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ FRANK J. KLEAGER
/t/ FRANK J. KLEAGER
lst Lt., INF
Actg Asst Adj Gen

4 Incls: N/c

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/s/ Don L. Medison /t/ DON L. MADISON 2nd Lt., INF BASIC: Ltr Hqs 306th FA Bn dtd 4 Feb 46; subject: Information regarding EM missing in action.

AG 704-5 Parker, Creede M. (Enl) 6th Ind

HEADQUARTERS LX CORPS, APO 309, 10 April 1946

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

- 1. Returned without action.
- 2. The 77th Infantry Division was inactivated on 15 March 1946 and records at this headquarters indicate that subject eye witnesses have been returned to the continental United States for discharge under current readjustment regulations.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ MANUAL ROLLER
/t/ MANUAL ROLLER
CWO USA
Asst Adjutant General

4 Incls: n/c

GSCMM 704.5 7th Ind S: 20 May 46 HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC, APO 707, 22 April 46

- TO : Commanding General, IX Camps, APO 309
 - 1. Attention is invited to 5th and 6th indorsements.
- 2. Request names of personnel as referred to in 5th indorsement regardless of whether they have been returned to the United States for discharge.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ RRANK J. KERAGER
/t/ FRANK J. KLEAGER
lst Lt., INF
Actg Asst Adj Gen

4 Incls: n/c

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/s/ Don L. Madison /t/ DON L. MADISON 2nd Lt., INF BASIC: Ltr Hqs 306th FA Bn dtd 4 Feb 46. Subj: Information regarding EM missing in action.

AG 293

8th Ind

HEADQUARTERS IX CORPS, APO 309, 2 May 1946.

TO: Commanding General, USAFWESPAC, APO 707.

- 1. In compliance with 5th Indorsement the following names are submit ted:
 - a. 1st Lt Rofl F Syratt, 01170218, returned to continental United States under current readjustment regulations 30 December 1945.
 - b. Pvt John R. LaBaff, 12079107, returned to continental United States under current readjustment regulation 3 November 1945.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

4 Incls:

/s/ WILLIAM E. KITRELL /t/ WILLIAM E. KITRELL Captain, AGD Asst Adj Gen

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DON L. MADISON
DON L. MADISON
2nd Lt. INF

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BASIC: Ltr Hq 306th Field Artillery Bn, APO 77, dtd 4 Feb 46, Subj; Information Regarding EM Missing in Action

GSQMN 293 9th Ind S: 10 Sept 46 HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, APO 707, 11 May 46

- TO : Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D. C.
- 1. Request this correspondence and inclosed map be forwarded either of the two men listed in preceding indorsement for the possible marking of the exact location where Pvt Creede M Parker 39919220 was killed so an attempt may be made to recover and inter the remains.
 - 2. The location of Matagob is 11° 16' N. Lat. 124° 25' E. Long. FOR THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER:

/s/ Lee M. Hester
/t/ LEE M. HESTER
Colonel, QMC
Area Graves Registration Officer

- 4 Incls: n/c
- 2 Incls: Added

Incl #5-Msgfm, AFWESPAC, FILE GSGMM 704.5, dtd 21 Jan 46, GM MSgrm #1936 (True Copy) Incl #6-Map of Silad

10th Ind

WD. OQMG, Washington, D. C. 8 October 1946

TO: Chief Quartermaster, United States Army Forces, Western Pacific, Office of the Chief Quartermaster, APO 707, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

- 1. Forwarded in compliance with request contained in paragraph 2 of preceding indorsement is pertinent correspondence relative to the possible recovery and interment of the remains of the late Private Creede M. Parker.
- 2. Upon receipt of additional information from John R. LaBaff, your headquarters will be furnished with same.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

/s/ Martin G. Riley /t/ MARTIN G. RILLEY Major, QMC Assistant

9 Incls

- 6 Incls n/c Added:
 - 7. Photostatic cy map of Palompon
 - 8. Sketch
 - 9. cy ltr dtd 16 Sept 46

BASIC: Ltr fr Hqs, 306th FA Bn, APO 77, dtd 4 Feb 46, subject: info Regarding EM Missing in Action, re: Ovt Creede M. Parker

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GSOMM 293 11th Ind S: 25 Nov 46 HEADQUARTERS, AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE SECTOR COMMAND, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN BACIFIC, APO 707, 25 Oct 46

- Commanding Officer, USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, APO 1000
 - 1. Your attention is invited to preceding correspondence.
- 2. It is desired that a land search and investigation be scheduled to recover the remains of subject deceased in your operations in the Southern Islands.
- 3. It is further desired that this headquarters be informed as to the approximate date the mission will be executed, with the return of this correspondence. A complete report of investigation will be forwarded upon composition of subject mission.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

/s/ A. L. McCloskey /t/ A. L. McCLOSKEY Executive Officer

9 Incls: n/c

PKQM 293 12th Ind JMP/mcl HEADQUARTERS, USAF CEMETERY LEYTE NO. I, APO 1000, 25 November 1946

- TO: Sector Commander, American Graves Registration Service, PATA, Headquarters, Army Forces Western Pacific, APO 707
- 1. In compliance with preceding indorsement herewith transmitted QMC 1042 and 1045 for Unknown X-540, Possibly PARKER, Creede M. 39 919 220, grav e #8465.
- 2. Subject remains were recovered by search party on 18 Nov 1946 at Grid Coordinates 94000.5-48000.1 Port Palompon Quad Sheet 4444-111 Polyconic Projection, 1st Ddition, scale 1:50,000. (See statement of Section Leader of Search Party).

11 Incls:

Incl 1 to 9: n/c

Incl 10: QMC 1042 & 1045 for

Unk. X-540

Incl 11: Statement of Section Leader

/s/ Joseph M. Phelan /t/ JOSEPH M. PHELAN Captain, CAC Graves Registration Officer BASIC: Ltr fr Hqs, 306th FA Bn, APO 77m dtd 4 eb 46, subject; Info Regarding EM Missing in Action, re: Pvt Creede M. Parker

GSQMM 293

13th Ind

CRHM/lfl*

PHILRYCOM Sector Graves Registration Service, APO 797, 10 July 1947

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

- 1. Your attention is invited to the preceding 12th Indorsment from Headquarters, USAF Cemetery Leyte No. 1, P.I., dated 25 November 1946 which indicates that remains designated as Unknown X-540 at USAF Cemetery Leyte, P.I., which could possibly be Creede M. BARKER, 29919220, have been recovered by a search party at Grid Coordinates 94000.5-48000.1, Port Palompon Quad Sheet 4444-111, Polyconic Projection, 1st Edition, scale 1:50,000.
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/s/ Harold F. Reverski /t/ HAROLD F. REVERSKI Lt. Colonel, QMC Commanding

11 Incls: n/c

QMCMU 293 Parker, Creede M. 39919220 14th Ind

Dept. of The Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C., 13 November 1947

TO: Commanding General, Philippine-Ryukyus Command, APO 707, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California

- 1. Reference is made to preceding indorsement.
- 2. The Dental Chart for Unk. X-540 (Possibly Parker, Creede M.) has been compared with Army Dental Records of Pvt Creede M. Parker, 39919220 with unfavorable results. It is therefore requested that the "BTB" status be removed from the Report of Interment.
- 3. If additional information becomes available, it is requested that same be forwarded to this office for further investigation.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

/s/ James C. MacFarland /t/ JAMES C. MacFARLAND Major, QMC Memorial Division

ll Incls: w/d

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BASIC: Ltr fr Hqs, 306th FA Bn, APO 77, dtd 40 46, subject: Info Regarding EM Missing in Action, re:

Pvt Creede M. Parker

S:18 Feb 1948 WHP_mls

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15th Ind

PHILRYCOM Sector, Graves Registration Service, APO 707 20 January 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, APO 797

- Attention is invited to paragraph 2, preceding indorsement.
- Request that when report of storage is prepared and forwarded to this office, a true copy of the 14th Inddorsement be attached to each copy of the report.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL MURPHEY:

/s/ Harold F. Reverski /t/ HAROLD F. REVERSKI Lt. Colonel, USAF Executive

GSQMM 293

16th Ind

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HEADQUARTERS, AGRS MAUSOLEUM APO 707, 13 February 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, AGRS, PHILBYCOM Sector, APO 707 Report of Storage prepared and forwarded herewith. FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

> Wm. R. GILBERT Administrative Assistant

1 Incl: ROS (in trip) for Unk X-2219 BASIC: Ltr fi HQS 306th FA Bn, APO 77, c/o PM an Francisco, California dtd 4 Feb 46, subj: Information Regarding EM Missing in Action, re: Pvt Creede M. Parker, 39919220.

GSQMM 293

17th Ind

S: 20 Mar 48 CRHM/gyd*

PHILRYCOM Sector Graves Registration Service, APO 707, 18 February 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, AGRS Mausoleum, Manila, APO 707

- 1. Report of Storage is returned herewith for further correction.
- 2. Since the "Believed to be" status has been removed from subject report, designating subject remains definitely unknown, it is requested that Army serial number, grade and organization also be removed from subject report.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL MURPHEY:

HAROLD F. REVERSKI Lt. Col., USAF Executive

l Incl n/c

GSQMM 293

18th Ind

VNG/tce

HEADQUARTERS, AGRS MAUSOLEUM, APO 707, 21 February 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, AGRS, Philrycom Sector, APO 707

Request in the preceding Indorsement complied with. Corrected ROS prepared and forwarded herewith.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

1 Incl: Corrected ROS for (in trip)

Unk X-2219

/s/ Wm. R. Gilbert /t/ WM. R. GILBERT Administrative Assistant

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Department of the Army, OQMS, Washington 25, D. C., 16 January 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave., Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTHETION: Effects Quartermaster

The field has been requested to remove the "Believed to be" status from Unknown X-540, interred in an isolated grave in Matag-ob (Dipi), Leyte, P. I. The case is under investigation and when identification is established, the Bureau will be notified.

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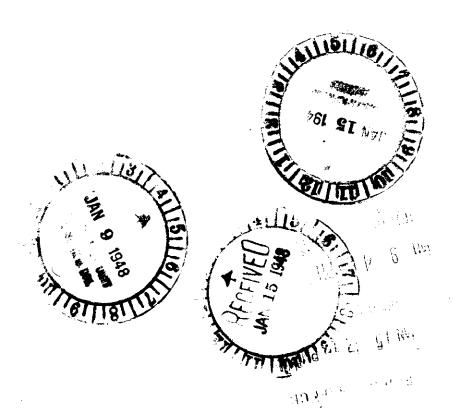
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

				DUE, HOUR AND DATE 14 January 1948
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2	Chief Iden.Br.		14 Jan 1948	The following is submitted upon which to base a reply: Field requested to remove "BTB" Status from Unknown X-540. Case under investigation.
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KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

601 HARDESTY AVENUE KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO CALDEO 396582

MEM/EIR/bj 6 January 1948

SUBJECT: Disposal of Unidentified Effects

TO:

The Quartermaster General

Memorial Division Washington 25, D. C.

- l. Attention is invited to inclosed copy correspondence file regarding Unknown X-540 reported as an Isolated Burial in Matag-ob (Dipi) Leyte, P.I.
- 2. In view of the fact that items of personal effects have been held at this Bureau as of 23 April 1947, it is requested that burial records of your office be checked and this Bureau informed present status of the case.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

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M. E. MOHR

Major, QMC

Effects Quarternaster

QKGOD 293, Unknown X-540

Matag-ob (Dipi)

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TO: Commanding Officer, Eansas City Quarternaster Depot, 801 Mardesty Ave., Eansas City 1, Missouri. ATTRETION: Affects Quarternaster

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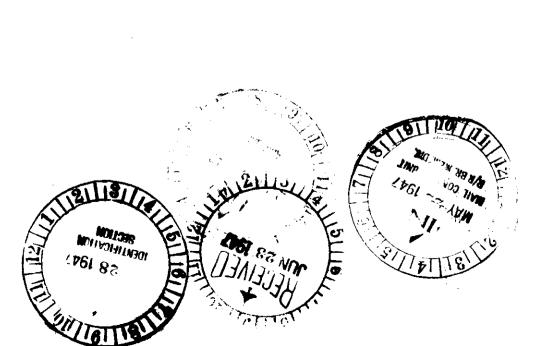
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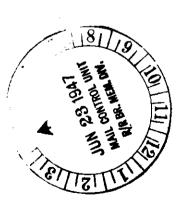
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ARMY SERVICE FORCES KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

601 HARDESTY AVENUE KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO QMDKG 396582

PUM/FLR/bj 16 May 1947

SUBJECT: Disposal of Unidentified Effects

TO: The Quartermaster General

Memorial Division Washington 25, D. C.

- 1. The Army Effects Bureau has recently received one wrist watch and one souvenir coin recovered as personal effects found on remains of Unknown decedent X-540 tentatively identified as Creede M. Parker, 39919220, Pwt. Inclosed is copy of overseas inventory of effects covering transmittal of these items.
- 2. It is requested that burial reports available at your office be checked and this Bureau informed whether Unknown decedent X-540 has been officially identified as Pvt Creede M. Parker. Transmittal of the personal effects to next of kin of Pvt Parker will be withheld pending receipt of response from your office.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

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Effects Quartermaster

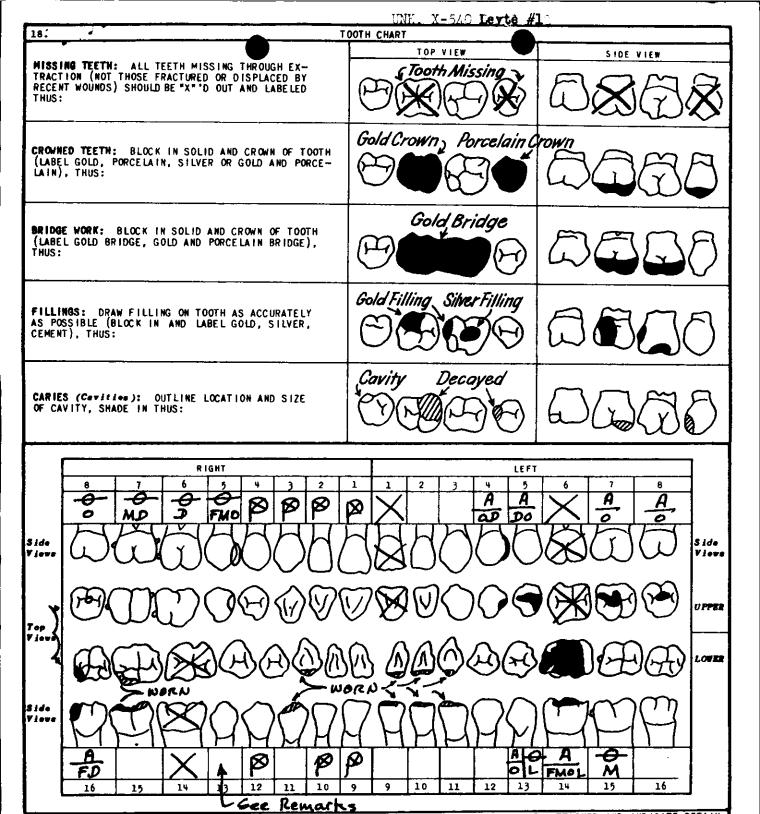




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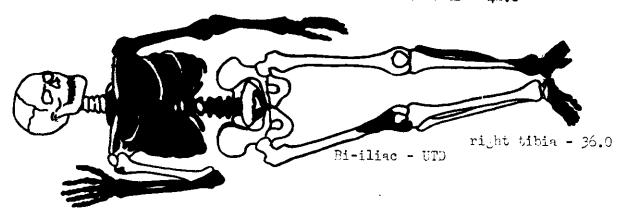


DENTURES (Plates): DRAW DIAGRAM OF RELATIVE SIZE AND SHAPE OF PLATE, BLOCK IN TEETH ATTACHED AND INDICATE RETAIN-

R-13 has rotated 1/4 turn counter-clockwise and has a slight distal inclination toward the space left by the extraction of R-14.

19. BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECOVERED

Left Femur - 42.6



Estimated height - UTD (See item 21).

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MASS BURIAL CERTIFICATE (IF APPLICABLE)

(Wherein segregation in whole or parts is impossible)

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I Certify that therefore Remains Consist of Parts of Insert Decedents Based on the Presence of One of the Follows
INCOMPRESENCE: the following facts:

a) the femora are not a pair

b) the tibiae are a pair but do not belong with the left femur which is the only one with distal extremity present.

c) Incompatibility in ale by tween different parts.

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Aging criteria: (1) cranial sutures - 26 to 30

(2) Hip bones (pubic symphysis) - 22 to 24

(3) Teeth - 20 1

Stature is not recorded for non-segregated remains. Sonsiderable erosion of all parts.

I Certify that I Have Personally Viewed the Remains of Deceased and that All Resulting Information Hes Been Recorded to the Best of My Knowledge

TYPED NAME, GRADE, ARM OR SERVICE, AND ORGANIZATION

CHARLAS P. MARREN, Anthropologist CIP Laboratory, AGAS PAZ (Phil Det)

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FROM QOD 462 ZABLOCKI

FORWARD CHE CITIZEN WATCH CASE NAME STAR CASE MEMINER 422517 FOR UNKNOWN Z-540, GRAVE 8465 USAF CEMETERY LETTE #1. P. I.

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C. J. HARROLD, COL., QMC CHIMP, FIELD SERVICE DIVISION

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

FROM-	то	DATE	5 MESSAGE
dent Br	Field Service Division EXEC OFF	3 Oct 1951	It is requested that the following listed personal effects found with the remains of Unknown X-540, Crave 8465, USAF Cemetery Leyte #1, P.I., be forwarded this Office: One (1) citizen watch case name STAR Case No. 422517.
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Unknown X-660

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SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Deceased

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Commending Officer
American Graves Registration Service
Pacific Zone
APO 988, q/o Postmater
San Francisco, California

l. Reference is made to Report of Internent for the remains of Enknown R-540, USAF Cometery, Leyts #1, Polo, interred in Fort William McKinley Cometery, Manila, Polo, as Unidentifiable.

2. Unknown 3-646 may be identifiable as Pfe. Jerry A. Magnele, 36738668, who was missing in abtion 16 January 1946, and was last soon approximately two (2) miles north of Bipi Leyte Island, P.I.

S. OQIG Form STL and photostatic copy of Form 79 for Magnels are inclosed.

4. It is requested that the remains of Unknown X-540 be commined for any additional identifying data and to verify results of provious processing. Should the investigation substantiate the association of Unknown X-540 with Pfc Magnelo, it is further requested that this case be processed in accordance with paragraph 50h, 52 500-110-5.

FOR THE ACTION THE QUARTERMASTER CHISTALA

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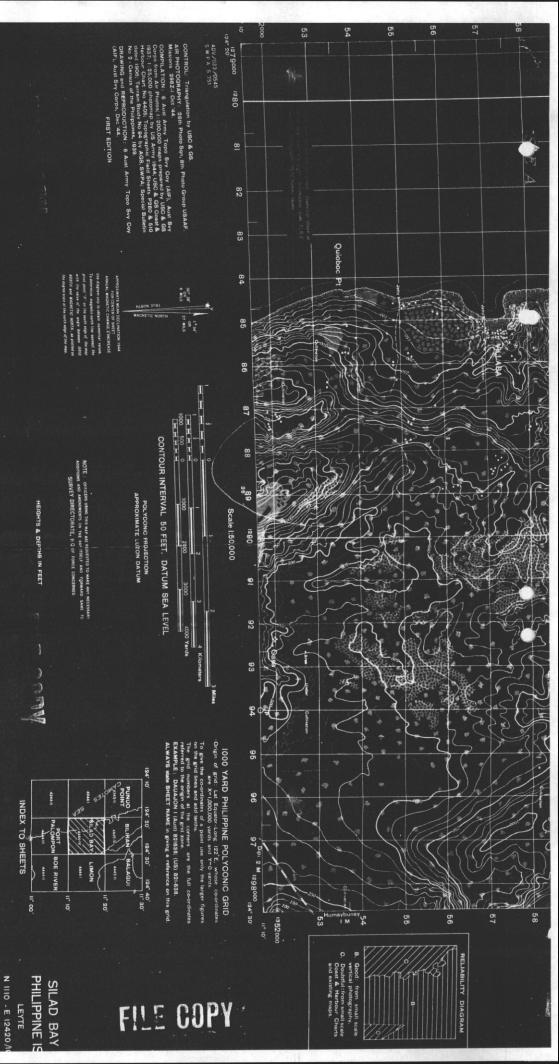
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KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

Case No. 883,973

(S-3 Aug 52) HVH/NH/nlc

SUBJECT:

Request for Information Regarding

Unknown Decedent

3 July 1952

TO:

The Quartermaster General Field Service Division

Effects Section Washington 25, D. C.

- 1. The Army Effects Agency is in receipt of a wrist watch and a souvenir coin which were forwarded here as the property of Unknown X-540, P.I., Leyte, Matag-ob.
- 2. It is requested that this Bureau be advised whether these articles may be disposed of by salvage or retained for possible identification of Unknown.

H. V. HAWES Major, QMC

Effects Quartermaster

QMGOD 293. Unknown X-540, Leyte

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15 July 1952 Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C.,

TO: Army Effects Agency, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri

- 1. The remains of Unknown X-540, Leyte #1, P. I., have been classified Unidentifiable and interred in Fort McKinley Cemetery, P. I.
- 2. The personal effects for Unknown X-540, USAF, Leyte #1, are of no further value to this Office and may be salvaged.

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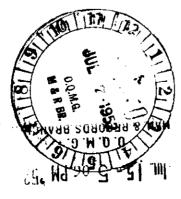
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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

601 HARDESTY AVENUE

KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

Case No. 883973

HVH/NE/nlc 17 January 1952

SUBJECT: Personal Effects of Unknown Decedent

TO:

The Quartermaster General Field Service Division

Effects Section Washington 25, D. C.

- 1. Reference is made to Army Effects Bureau letter 22 October 1951, copy inclosed, reporting the transmittal of a watch received here as property of Unknown X-540, USMC, Leyte. To date, the watch has not been returned to this Bureau.
- 2. A coin is currently being held at this Bureau, pending return of the watch.
- 3. It is requested that the watch be returned to this Bureau at the earliest practicable date, in order that pertinent Bureau records may be completed.

1 Incl Cy AEB 1tr dtd 22 Oct 51 H. V. HAWES

Major. QMC

Effects Quartermaster

QMGOD 293, Unk X-540, Leyte, PI

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Chief. Field Service

Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C., 28 January 1952

TO: Chief, Army Effects Bureau, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Mo.

The remains of Unknown X-540, USMC Leyte #1, P. I., have not been identified and personal effects (watch) found with the remains are returned herewith.

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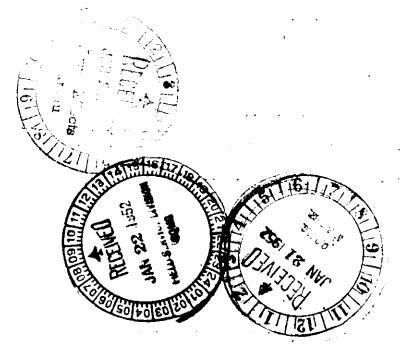
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883973 Unknown X-540 USMC, Leyte, P. I. HVH/ADS/gr 22 October 1951

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Property

TO:

The Quartermaster General Field Service Division Effects Section Washington 25, D. C.

- 1. Reference is made to your message QOD 462 Zablocki, 4 October 1951, regarding the watch designated as property of Unknown X-540, USMC, Leyte, P. I.
- 2. This article was forwarded on 19 October 1951 to your Office by registered mail, package No. 867-513. If it has not been received within thirty days, this Bureau should be notified, to enable tracer action.
- 3. It is requested that upon completion of the investigation, the watch be returned to this Bureau, with information as to whether the case has been resolved.

H. V. HAWES Major, QMG Effects Quartermaster

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TO CHIEF ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU 691 HARDESTY AVENUE KANS AS CITY 1

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

In reply refer to __MCOD 332.3 Kansas City

1.March 1950

SUBJECT: Present Status of Certain Unknown Decedents

Commanding Officer, AM Activities Kansas City Records Center (ACC)
Kansas City 1, Missouri

1. Reference inclosed AEB Letter dated 26 January 1950, regarding Unknowns X-7859, X-7860 and X-7861, USMC, Neuville-en-Condroz, Belgium.

Unknown X-7861 has been cancelled. Unknowns X-7859 and X-7860 are unidentifiable.

2. Jnknown X-2100, USMC, Margraten, Holland, has been redesignated X-2100-4 thru F and has not been identified.

The following named Unknowns have not yet been identified: X-540, USMC, Leyte, P. I.

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4. The following named Unknowns have been declared unidentifiable:

X-1, USMC, Bari, Italy X-400, USMC, Nettuno, Italy

5. Correspondence from the Bureau pertaining to these Unknowns is returned herewith.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL FELIMAN:

1 Incl: Corres: /S/ William F. Conlon
WILLIAM F. CONLON
Major, QMC
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU 601 HARDESTY AVENUE KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

SZ/LL/ns IN REPLY REFER TO QMDKG 883973 27 January 1950 SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Effects T0: The Quartermaster General Memorial Division Washington 25, D. C. 1. Personal effects found on remains interred as Unknown X-540 8465 , USMC Leyte, P. I. , Row , Grave have been held at this Bureau as of 23 April 1947 2. Bureau inspection of the effects has been made and the fellowing description furnished for reference: One small watch, white metal case, no band, Everbright Back Star 422517 on back, crystal and hands missing, face very badly discolored, case bent; one souvenir coin 3. It is requested that this Bureau be informed whether or not the above listed Unknown decedent has been officially identified. FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Not Identified.

Effects Quartermaster

QMGOD 293, Unknown X-540 Leyte, P. I.

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Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C., 14 July 1949

TO: Commanding Officer, Quartermaster Activities, Kansas City Records Center (AGO), Missouri ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

Unknown X-540, Leyte, P. I., is believed to be Parker, Creede M., ASN 39 919 220.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL FELDMAN:

VILLIAM F. CONLON

Major, QMC

Field Service Division

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1. MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO QMDKG 883973

HOC/ELW/elw
13 June 1949

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SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Effects

TO:

The Quartermaster General

Memorial Division Washington 25, D. C.

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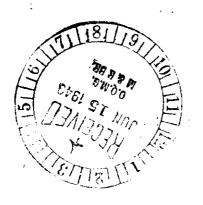
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FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

H. O. CALDWELL

Effects Quartermaster

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QMGOD 293, Unknown X-540 Matag-ob (Dipi) 1st Ind

Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C., 4 August 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave., Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTEMTION: Effects Quartermaster

Unknown X-540, Matag-ob (Dipi), Leyte, P. I., is under investigation. Upon completion thereof your Bureau will be advised.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL LARKIN:

Major, QMC

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KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

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Memorial Division Washington 25, D. C.

- 1. Attention is invited to inclosed copy correspondence file regarding Unknown X-940 reported as an isolated Purial in Matag-ob (Dibi) Lepte, 7.7.
- 2. In view of the fact that items of personal effects have been held at this Bureau as of 23 April 19h7, it is requested that burial records of your office be checked and this Bureau informed present status of the case.

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QMGOD 293, Unknown X-540

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Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C., 16 January 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave., Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

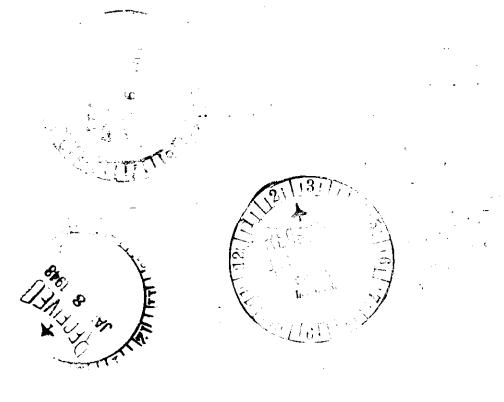
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The field has been requested to remove the "Believed to be" status from Unknown X-540, interred in an isolated grave in Matag-ob (Dipi), Leyte, P. I. The case is under investigation and when identification is established, the Bureau will be notified.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL LARKIN:

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

601 HARDESTY AVENUE KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO ... QMDKG _396582

PUM/FLR/bj 16 May 1947

SUBJECT: Disposal of Unidentified Effects

TO:

The Quartermaster General

Memorial Division Washington 25, D. C.

- 1. The Army Effects Bureau has recently received one wrist watch and one souvenir coin recovered as personal effects found on remains of Unknown decedent X-540 tentatively identified as Creede M. Parker, 39919220, Pvt. Inclosed is copy of overseas inventory of effects covering transmittal of these items.
- 2. It is requested that burial reports available at your office be checked and this Bureau informed whether Unknown decedent X=540 has been officially identified as Pvt Creede M. Parker. Transmittal of the personal effects to next of kin of Pvt Parker will be withheld pending receipt of response from your office.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

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WD, CQMC, Washington 25, D. C. 25 June 1947

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Mardesty Ave., Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTENTICE: Rffects Quartermaster

Burial report for X-540, "tentatively identified as Greede M. Parker, ASE 39919220", is not of record in this office to date. Upon receipt of it, case will be investigated and your office will be advised.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL LARKIN:

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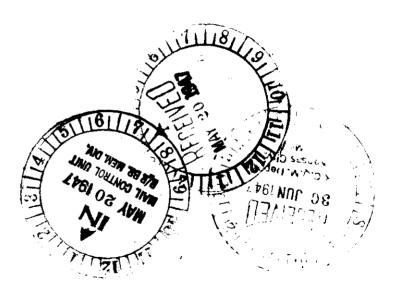
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SAN FRANCISCO PORT OF EMBARKATION
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TCSFP-524.22 - Carmon, E.J., Pfc, 4417852 - OT

28 March 1947

SUBJECT: Personal Property

TO:

Commanding Officer Army Effects Bureau

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot

601 Hardesty Avenue Kansas City 1. Missouri

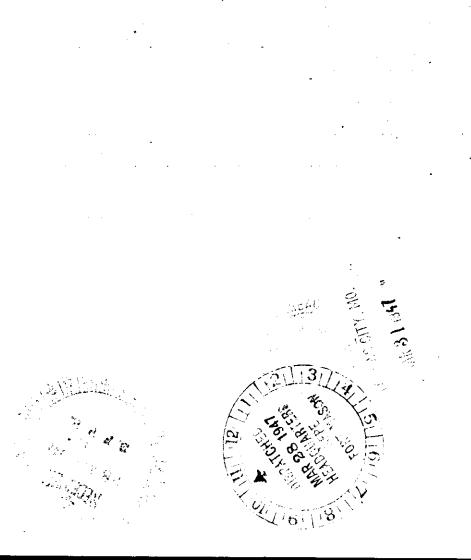
ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

- 1. Attention is invited to the inclosed correspondence covering a shipment of one (1) barracks bag from this Port to Mr. J.C. Carmon, Bean Station, Tennessee, for Pfc Earl J. Carmon, 4417852. It will be noted that upon opening this bag at destination it was found to contain two packages of cremated remains and one bag marked for your Depot. This Port has authorized the Railway Express Agency, Incorporated, Pier 14, San Francisco, California, to forward all three packages to your Depot for proper investigation and disposition.
- 2. Subject bag arrived at this Port on board the vessel GENERAL BREWSTER on or about 21 January 1947. A complete investigation of this matter is being made in connection with your 6th Indorsement, 8 April 1947, File QMDKD 396.582 (5 Dec 46) tracing deceased effects of Pvt Creed M. Parker, 39919220. Upon completion of this investigation a full report will be made.
- 3. It is requested that subject packages be distributed through the facilities of your Bureau.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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Cy ltr fr SFPE 27 Mar 47 to REAI, San Francisco, w/cy Incl 1 F. A. DROKCH FOILNILE EVANS Lt. Col, AGD Adj. Gen.





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27 March 1947

Railway Express Agency, Incorporated Pier 14 San Francisco, California ATTENTION: Mr. Walter E. Danckwardt

Dear Mr. Danckwardt:

Reference is made to Government Bill of Lading No. WV 8736411, covering shipment of one (1) bag, 34 pounds, from this Port to Mr J.C. Carmon, Bean Station, Tennessee, (express station, Morristown, Tennessee) marked for Pfc Earl J. Carmon, 4417852. This baggage was delivered to your Oakland express office on 6 March 1946, and is covered by Railway Express Receipt No. 1691. Reference is further made to letter of your Roanoke, Virginia office, dated 21 March 1947, addressed to Mr. A.B. Glasebrook, Superintendent, San Francisco, Galifornia, regarding delivery of this baggage and stating that upon opening this barracks bag the consignee found it to contain three other packages marked as follows:

- a. Geo. T. Busey, 14 N. Main, Cmyrna, Del., from
 Pfc Harry P. Busey, ASN 42266526,
 333rd 3M Battalion, APO 1000, c/o P.M. San Francisco
- b. Florian C. Demmy, Bex 125, Orchard, Texas,

 from Johnny T. Demmy, ASH 38754862,

 333rd M Battalion, APO 1000, c/o P.M. San Francisco
- c. Trans. Officer, Army Effects Bureau, Deceased Effects Section, Kansas City, Mo., from Effects Headquarters, Base K, APO 1000, c/o P.M. San Francisco.

Attached are three mail tags authorizing shipment of these packages to the Transportation Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, Kansas City, Missouri, for the Effects Quartermaster, Effects Bureau. This letter should be presented to the Postal authorities as your authority to ship via frank mail.

Very truly yours,

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1. Cy ltr fr REA (Reanoke)

21 Mar 47 to Mr. Blasebrook

3: Mail tag; insured No: 472336

4. Mail tag, Insured No. 472399

RAILWAY EXPRESS AGENCY

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MARCH 24 1947
SAN FRANCISCO DIVICION
SUPERINTENDENT

Roanoke, Va., Parch 71, 1947

Mr. A. B. Glasebrock, Supt. San Francisco, California

> Beans Station, Tenn. (Express Forristown), J. C. Carmon, from Port Trans. Officer, San Francisco Fort of Embarkation, Oakland Army Base, Oakland, Calif. Barricks Bag, 74 lbs., Talue \$50.00, GBL V 8736411, WB 1691, Yarch 6, 1947

Barracks bagmentioned above reach d Forristown and was delivered to consignee.

He has just returned to the Agent at Morristown with three packages taked from this barracks bag, two of whic contain cremated remains. One of these bears the following:

Gac. T. Busey, 14 M. Pain, Smyrna, Dol., from PFC. Harry P. Busey, ASN 42266526, 333rd W. Battalion, A.P.O. 1000, % P.V. San Francisco

The other contains the following:

Florian .. Demny, Box 125, Orchard, Texas, from Johnny T. Demny, ASN 38754862, 333rd & Battalion, ...P.O. 1000, P.M., San Francisco

The other package returned by Tr. Carmon is marked as follows:

Trans. Officer, army Effects Bureau, Deceased Officets Section, Kansas City, Mo., from Effects Headquarters, Base K, A.P.O. 1000, P.M., San Francisco

The consignee stated his own belongings were in the barracks bag, and he has no complaint; however, the three packages mentioned have been returned to our Agent at Morristown, and are not wanted by Mr. Carmon, and do not belong to him.

Please investigate, seeing how these happened to get into his barracks bag, and advise quickly as to disposition that shall be made thereof.

Copies of this 'etter go to the Agents at Smyrna, Del. and Orchard, Texas, as well as Kansas City, Mo., who may have inquity concerning the packages bearing those addresses.

/s/_____Superintendent.

x-Agents - Smyrna, Del. Orchard, Texas Kansas City, "...

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