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REQUEST CONFIRMATION WHETHER SUBJECT REMAINS TO BE RELEASED TO LOCAL CIVIL AUTHORITIES IN JAPAN OR OKINAWA. BELIEVE REMAINS SHOULD RE RETURNED TO OKINAWA AND RELEASED TO CIVIL AUTHIRITIES THERE FOR FINAL DISPOSITION BASED ON FOLLOWING: REMAINS WERE RECOVERED IN OKINAWA; NO CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE PRESENT WITH REMAINS Disposition Branch JAN 5 TO BASE A DETERMINATION RELATIVE TO NATIONALITY CFN FM675220 309518 XJ-1275 133 066733

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#### **HEADQUARTERS** UNITED STATES ARMY JAPAN

Office of The Quartermaster APO 343, San Francisco, California

USARJ QM 293 <del>FS</del>DM

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Passenger List

TO:

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

Transmitted herewith fifteen (15) copies of Passenger List 31-58 pertaining to the following unidentified remains shipped to Okinawa on 5 March 1958 aboard USAF aircraft 0139 Flight 315/64, Manifest K-6-1669-58, ETA Kadena Air Base 5 March 1958:

XJ-1275

Portions of Unidentified Mongoloid Remains

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER:

l Incl Pax List (15)

C. MacFARLAND Lt Colonel, QMC

Chief, PD & Memorial Branch Field Service Division

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PASSENGER LIST - Deceased (US Army Mortuary Special AIR SHIPMENT KADENA AFB, Request Shipment 31-58) DESTINATION: OKITAWA

TO: U.S. Army Quartermaster Group, Ryukyu Islands, APO 331

Loaded at TACHIKAWA	, AFB, Japan	Staged at Yokohama, Japan
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NO .	NAME	GRADE

1. XJ-1275

Portions of Unidentified Mongoloid Remains

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U.S. ARMY QUARTERMASTER GROUP

RYUKYU ISLANDS, APO 331

NOTE: Additional Passenger lists are inside container.

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#### UNIDENTIFIABLE

#### CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION UNIT UNITED STATES ARMY MORTUARY FAR EAST APO 503

#### SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATION

XJ-1275

#### UNKNOWN MONGOLOID

XJ-1275 hereby determined to be those of an unknown Mongoloid, was recovered from ISHIMINE, GIBO, OKINAWA (Map Sheet #133 Grid Coord:066-733) and forwarded to the United States Army Mortuary, Far East for laboratory processing.

Laboratory processing of subject remains reveals the following:

Race - Mongoloid

Age - 18 - 20

Height - T 5'22"

Based on the factors set forth above, the remains designated XJ-1275 are determined to be those of an unknown Mongoloid.

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## MORTUARY RYCOM QUARTERMASTER DEPOT FORT BUCKNER, APO 331

#### Recovery #1

Identification tags recovered by Okinawan in September while digging for scrap metal. This Okinawan retained these tags at his home until 11 December at which time he turned them over to the Shuri Civilian Police. Although the general area of the recovery of these tags was known by the Shuri CP, apparently no attempt had been made to establish identity of the finder. This writer, the CI, and the Shuri CP, went to this area and found it to be completly dug over by additional Okinawans while seeking scrap metal. This turned-over area covered the entire side of a hill and a thorough search was conducted with the recovery of the enclosed mandible, femur, and calcaneus, which are not to be construed as bearing relation to recovery of ID Tags.

#### Recovery #2

This recovery was made on the side of a hill overlooking Yonabaru Air Strip which saw considerable action during World War II. Additional information is contained in attached DD Form 581 which was completed by Agent Beattie of Rycom CI.

#### Recovery #3

These eight remains were discovered by an Okinawan while searching for scrap metal. His statement reveals that these eight remains (each with individual tags), were in separate graves in a line running north and south on the west side of a hill as indicated on attached map. He further states that he removed all tags from remains along with Personal Effects and turned them over to USCAR authorities who in turn brought them to the mortuary. These ID tags and Personal Effects were consolidated in one container. This Okinawan further stated that he had removed the tags in such a manner that he was capable of returning each of them to the original grave. Although no enthusiasm was voiced by this writer, this method was adopted and tags returned as indicated. Personal Effects are forwarded as received.

A TRUE COPY:

/s/ Richard A. Hoyt, DAC /t/ RICHARD A. HOYT, DAC Mortuary Officer

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US Army Mortuary, FE

## UNITED STATES ARMY MORTUARY FAR EAST APO 503

#### NARRATIVE

UNKNOWN XJ-1275, Recovery # 1, SHURI, OKINAWA

Subject remains were processed for anthropological examination.

Upon examination it determined that these remains, consisted of the mandible and left femur and right calcaneus, were from one and the same individual based on race, age, relative size, bone texture and general bone-morphology.

These remains were determined to be Asiatic Mongoloid.

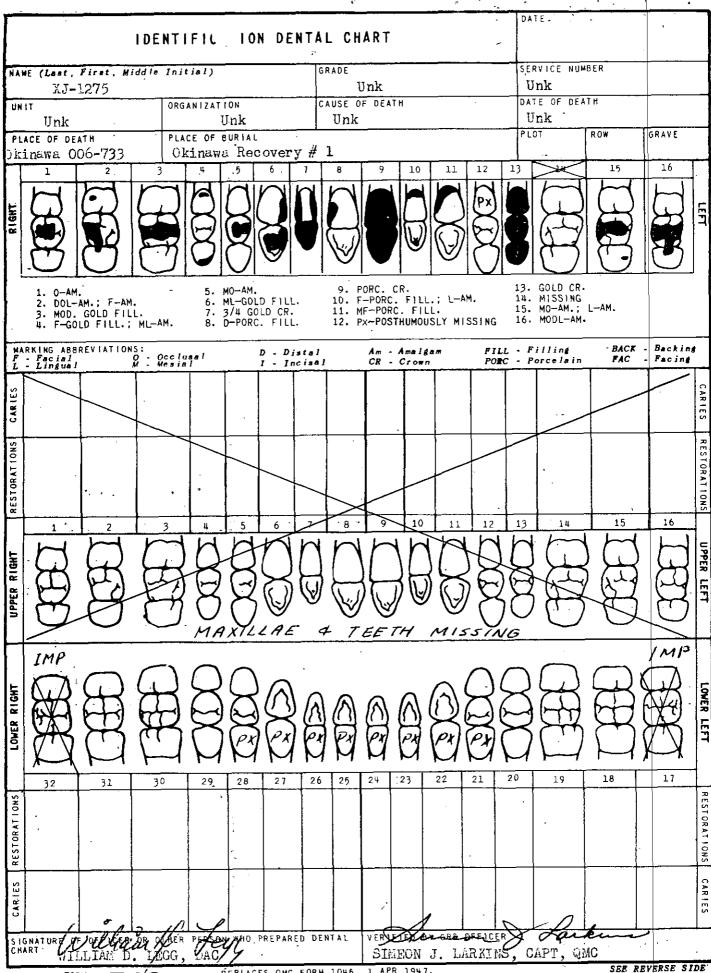
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Anthropologist

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### SKELETAL CHART - CIU CASE NO.

UNKNOWN X-NO OR

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Okinawa # 1 4. RIGHT

3. (BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED)

2. DATE

4. LEFT

SKULL \_\_\_\_em

HUMERUS \_\_\_\_em

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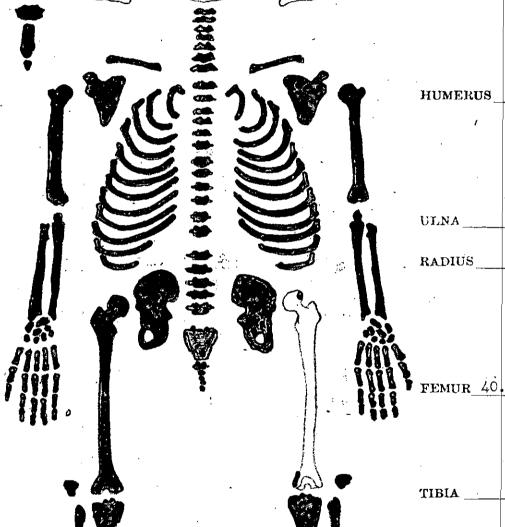
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– Burned

-Fractured

- Shattered



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Anthropologist

ULNA \_\_\_\_\_cm

RADIUS\_\_\_\_em

FEMUR 40.7 cm

TIBIA \_\_\_\_ cm

FIBULA \_\_\_\_\_ cm

5. Condition of Remains

SKELETAL

6. IDENTIFICATION

**SPECIALIST** 

7. JOENTIFICATION

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#### CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION BRANCH UNITED STATES ARMY MORTUARY FAR EAST APO 503

CIU Case No. Okinawa

Evac No. XJ-1275

The following Mongoloid skeletal characteristics were found to be present in these remains:

Brachycephaly

Dull lower nasal borders

Simplified sutures

Mid-facial prognathism

Cranial asymmetry

Shallow, rounded palate

Narrow nasal bones

Rounded, straight chin

Wide interorbital space

Mandibular thickening

Flat, circular nasal aperture

High, rounded talus

Wide, heavy malars

Shovel-shaped teeth

The following culturally acquired characteristics were found:

Abnormal tooth wear

Asiatic dental restorations

Squatting facets

Note: The characteristics not circled are absent due to missing skeletal portions and/or are non-diagnostic.

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ANTHROPOLOGIST

#### CHEMICAL FINDINGS FOR IDENTIFICATION

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NAME OR UNKNOWN X-J 1275	
OKINAWA RECOVERY #1	
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FINDINGS:	•

1. Two (2) identification tags found with remains. Read as imprinted.

Chemical Technician's Signature Keisaburo Nakayama, Chemist.

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