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May 1958

XJ-1280

RECO OF INTERMENT

DATE

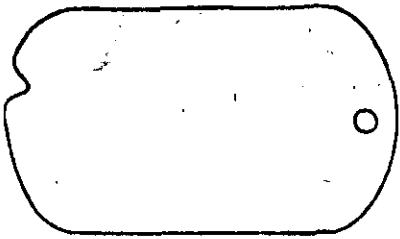
11 APR 1958

TYPE OF RECORD

INITIAL SUPPLEMENTAL (Reason)

IDENTIFICATION

IMPRINT OF IDENTIFICATION TAG



LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL

UNKNOWN XJ-1280

SERVICE NUMBER

Unknown

GRADE

Unknown

ORGANIZATION

Unknown

BRANCH OF SERVICE

Unknown

RACE

Unknown

RELIGION

Unknown

COUNTRY (if not U.S.)

DATE OF DEATH

Unknown

CAUSE OF DEATH

Unknown

PLACE OF DEATH

Okinawa

WHERE REMAINS WERE FOUND (Give Grid Coordinates)

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON REMAINS

ONE TWO NONE

Unknown

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS FURNISHED

YES NO

MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (other than Identification Tag)

Approved unidentifiable per QMG message DA 309518, 311607Z Jan 58.

PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON REMAINS AND DISPOSITION OF SAME

Unknown

cc: ABMC Col Bogaski 29 May '58

INTERMENT (Prepare overlay and attach if other than established cemetery)

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

US Military Cemetery, Fort McKinley, Rizal, Philippines
~~Marble American Cemetery and Memorial, Fort McKinley, Manila, P.I.~~

DATE OF INTERMENT	HOUR	INTERRED IN A SHROUD, BLANKET, OR OTHER (Specify)	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER (Cross)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
21 April 1958		Final Type Casket	Marble Headstone	J	12	13
IS THIS A REINTERMENT	NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES AND LOCATION OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY IF A REINTERMENT			PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	N/A				N/A	
TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY	PERSON CONDUCTING CEREMONY		IDENTIFICATION DATA AND TYPE OF CONTAINER PLACED WITH REMAINS IF IDENTIFICATION TAG NOT USED			
IDENTIFICATION TAG PLACED WITH REMAINS		IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO GRAVE MARKER				
<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO				
REMAINS INTERRED IN GRAVE TO LEFT (When viewed from foot of grave) NAME-LAST-FIRST-MIDDLE INITIAL		GRADE	SERVICE NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE NO.	
Unknown X-413 Leyte #1		DISPOSITION BRANCH			12	
REMAINS INTERRED IN GRAVE TO RIGHT (Name)		GRADE	SERVICE NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE NO.	
DE CANIO, Robert M.			17088370	12 Regt. 1 Cav. Div.	14	
PREPARED BY (Typed Name and Signature)			CHECKED BY (Typed Name and Signature)			
OTTO H. KFUAMANN, Asst. Cem. Supt.			E. B. BRIER, CDR. (CEC) USN Oin C			

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SECURITY INFORMATION

PP RUEFC

DE RUMPD 63A

P 110205Z

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FM CGUSARNAV/25TH INF DIV SCHOFIELD BKS TH

TO RJMALC/COMDR SOUTHERN AIR MAT AREA PAC CLARK AB PI

INFO RUEFC/TONG DA WASHDC

ZEN/CINCPACAF FTSHAFTER TH

02252

ZEN/CINCPACAF NICKAM AFB TH

RJMALC/COMDR 13TH AF CLARK AB PI

RJMALC/OIC AMERICAN BATTLE MONUMENTS COMMISSION MANILA PI

DA GREG

BT

*DMG ME-D
293
7 APR 58*

MC12722 FOR MORTUARY OFFICER FROM FSOHC CINCPACAF

MESSAGE PPHSS-S 6965 010110Z MAR 58, QMG MESSAGE DA 327828 072217Z

APR 58 AND 13TH AF MESSAGE 13HSS 03175 040302Z APR 58 NOTAL.

4 WORLD WAR II CASKETS REMAINS UNKNOWN XJ-1279, XJ-1280,
XJ-1283 AND XJ-1284 SCHEDULED TO DEPART NICKAM AFB FOR CLARK AB
VIA MATS FLIGHT P655/10 ETD 120230Z ETA 140015Z FOR INTERMENT
MANILA AMERICAN CEMETERY AND MEMORIAL FORT MCKINLEY MANILA AS
REPLACEMENT FOR 4 WORLD WAR II CANDIDATE UNKNOWN.

DD FORMS 551 (RECORD OF INTERMENT) AIRMAILED TO OIC AMERICAN
BATTLE MONUMENTS COMMISSION MANILA FOR COMPLETION AND RETURN TO
THIS HEADQUARTERS

BT

CFM MC12722 6965 010110Z 58 327828 072217Z 58 13TH 13HSS 03175
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TELECOMMUNICATIONS

DISPOSITION AREA

MEMORIAL DIVISION

Name _____

Date _____

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USARJ QM 293 FSDM

26 February 1958

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 30-58 pertaining to the following unidentified remains shipped to Hawaii on 25 February 1958 aboard MATS aircraft O132, Flight 526/55, Manifest TIA 58-1741, ETA Hickam Air Force Base 26 February 1958:

XJ-1276-A	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains
XJ-1277	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains
XJ-1279	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains
XJ-1280	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains
XJ-1283	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains
XJ-1284	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER:

1 Incl
Pass List (15)


J. C. MacFARLAND
Lt Colonel QMC
Chief, PD & Memorial Branch
Field Service Division

FILE
DISPOSITION BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION

Name

Date

PASSENGER LIST - Deceased (US Army Mortuary Special AIR SHIPMENT
Request Shipment 30-58) DESTINATION: HICKAM AFB, T.H.

TO: USARPAC QM Mortuary, Hawaii Army Base Command, APO 958

Loaded at Haneda, AFB, Japan

Staged at Yokohama, Japan

LIST

NO	NAME	GRADE
1. XJ-1276-A	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	
2. XJ-1277	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	
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6. XJ-1284	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	

CONSIGNED TO: USARPAC QM MORTUARY
HAWAII ARMY BASE COMMAND
APO 958

NOTE: Incoming Message FM PQMG DA WASHDC 1/rp/3 1 Feb 58 LRN 747073.
Request the six unidentified remains be held in storage PNDG INST from OQMG.

FILE
DISPOSITION BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION

Name

Date

1/2/58

FROM USARJAI
INFO FM 675616
DTG 250746Z FEB
ACTION QTC
INFO 64P740
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P 8 250746Z

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TELE-COMMUNICATIONS
SECTION

FM CGUSARJ CPZANA JAPAN
TO RUMPSB/CGUSARHAW/25TH INF DIV SCHOFIELD BKS TH
INFO RUEFC/DA WASHDC
RUMPB/CINCUSARPAC FTSHAFTER TH
RHNPM/COMHICKAM AFB TH
DA GRNC
BT

no rec loc

FM 675616 FOR QM; DA FOR QMGR-D; COMDR HICKAM AFB FOR
DAATCO; FROM QM-FSDM. REFERENCE OUR MESSAGE FM 675542 DTG 240754Z
FEB 58

THE 6 UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS CITED IN REFERENCED MESSAGE
THIS COMMAND 2500700Z FEB 58 ABOARD MATS AIRCRAFT 0132,
FLIGHT 526/55, MANIFEST TIA 58-1741, ETA HICKAM 260600Z FEB 58

FILE
DISPOSTIONED
MEMORIAL DIVISION

CFB FM 675616 675542 240754Z 58 6 250700Z 58 0132 526/55 58-1741 260600Z

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OSDARS/OSD/IA (R) CP IAPA JAPAN

OSDARS/OSD INF DIV BERRYFIELD SIG TB

From OSR-3 this message in two parts

Part 1 for CP IAPA: ID of machine gun Unit LJ-1278 as Sgt John L. Embury, SN 12 661 YR, appr. Machine gun Unit LJ-1275, LJ-1276, LJ-1277, LJ-1279, LJ-1280, LJ-1281 and LJ-1282, appr unidentified. Unit LJ-1276, LJ-1281 and LJ-1282 are under further review for possible ID. Req CIV parts Y-7, Y-8 and Y-9 be created and sent to Japanese with for dogs and the remaining six unidentified remains shipped to OSDARS.

Part 2 for OSDARS: Req the six unidentified remains be held in storage pending input from OSR-3

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Lederman (OSR-3) for East & Pacific
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F. J. Kerscher, Chief, Operations Sec.

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JD

Kerscher
77756

Jon

JD

Womack
56553

FILE

DISPOSITION BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION

CARL R ALLISON

Memorial Division

Name

Date

UNIDENTIFIABLE

REPORT OF INTERMENT

DATE OF REPORT

TYPE OF REPORT

INITIAL SUPPLEMENTAL (Reason)

Imprint Identification Tag If Possible.
DO NOT TYPE

See Chemical Report

SECTION 1. - IDENTIFICATION.

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

XJ-1280

SERVICE NUMBER

Unk

GRADE

Unk

ORGANIZATION

Unk

BRANCH OF SERVICE

Unk

RACE

Caucasoid

RELIGION

Unk

COUNTRY (If not U.S.)

PLACE OF DEATH

Okinawa Gibo-Ishimine
015-725

CAUSE OF DEATH

Unk

DATE OF DEATH

Unk

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY (1, 2, or none)

2

IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE ALL MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified fill in section 3 on reverse)

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?

YES NO

N/A

COMPLETED TOOTH CHART WILL BE ATTACHED HERETO.

LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME. IF LETTERS FOUND, INCLUDE NAME OF ADDRESSEE AND WRITER. GIVE OWNER OF WALLET, ETC.

See W-DAGO Form 54.

UNIDENTIFIABLE

SECTION 2. - BURIAL (If other than in established cemetery, furnish overlay and attach)

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

Okinawa, Ishimine Recovery # 3-4

DATE OF BURIAL

N/A

HOUR

BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other)

N/A

TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER

PLOT NO.

ROW NO.

GRAVE NO.

WAS THIS A REBURIAL?

YES NO

IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE

Remains stored at US Army Mortuary Far East
APO 503

PLOT NO.

ROW NO.

GRAVE NO.

TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY

General Memorial

PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES

K. M. LINDNER
Capt CHC

IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINER BURIED WITH BODY

FILE
DISPOSITION BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION

IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY

N/A
 YES NO

IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER

N/A
 YES NO

REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO LEFT (When viewed from foot of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

N/A

GRADE

SERVICE NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

GRAVE NO.

Name

REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO RIGHT (When viewed from foot of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

N/A

GRADE

SERVICE NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

GRAVE NO.

Date

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT

WILLIAM D LEGG, DAC

William D Legg

SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT

SIMON J. LARKENS, CAPT, QMC

Simon J Larkens

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN XJ-1280			2. DATE OF REPORT		
3. NAME OF CEMETERY Okinawa, Gibo, Ishimine Recovery # 3-4	4. PLOT	5. ROW	6. GRAVE	7. DATE OF	
				DISINTERMENT	REINTERMENT

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION EST AGE: 20 -25

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT UTD	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT T 5'10 7/8" App	10. COLOR OF HAIR None Found	11. RACE Caucasoid
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12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS

Two (2) Identification Tags found, "See Chemical Report". Number on container reads Okinawa Recovery # 3-4.

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

NONE FOUND

FLUOROSCOPE: NOT NECESSARY FINGERPRINTS: UNOBTAINABLE

14. WAS BODY BURNED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	TO WHAT EXTENT ?
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15. WAS BODY MANGLED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	TO WHAT EXTENT ? SEE SKELETAL CHART.
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16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS

NONE FOUND

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)

LIST OF CLOTHING FOUND WITH REMAINS:
PORTIONS OF ONE SHOE.

FOR MARKS SEE CHEMICAL REPORT.

FOR PERSONAL EFFECTS SEE WDAGO FORM 54.

ANTHROPOLOGICAL FINDINGS

RACE: CAUCASOID
 WOUNDS: NONE EVIDENT
 THE PARTS SHOWN ON ATTACHED SKELETAL CHART REPRESENT ONE AND THE SAME INDIVIDUAL.
 CIU PART # Y-8 REMOVED FROM THESE REMAINS. SEE ATTACHED NARRATIVE.

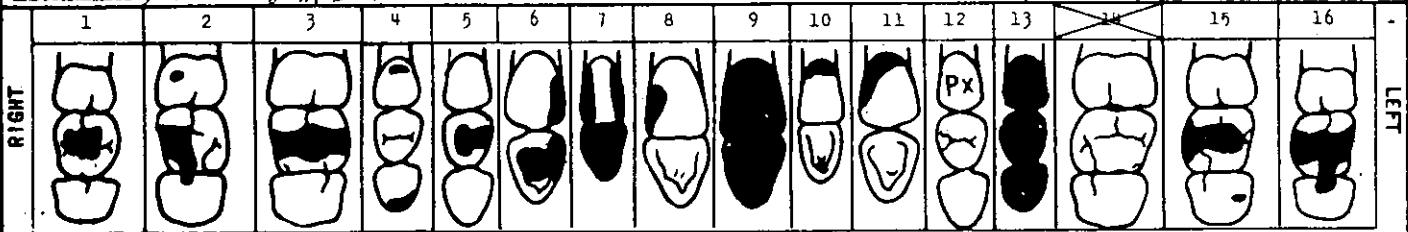
TADAO FURUE PHYSICAL ANTHROPOLOGIST	 SIMEON J. LAPKINS, CAPT, QMC IDENTIFICATION INSPECTOR
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IDENTIFICATION DENTAL CHART

11 March 1957

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) XJ-1280		GRADE UNK	SERVICE NUMBER UNK
UNIT UNK	ORGANIZATION UNK	CAUSE OF DEATH UNK	DATE OF DEATH UNK

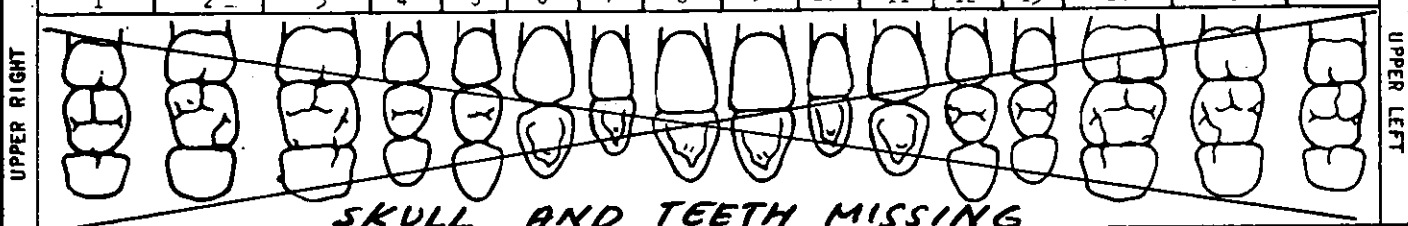
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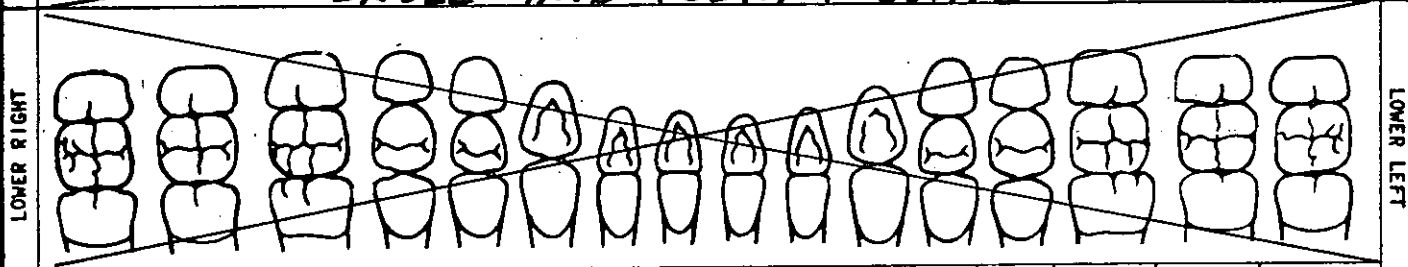
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|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. O-AM. | 5. MO-AM. | 9. PORC. CR. | 13. GOLD CR. |
| 2. DOL-AM.; F-AM. | 6. ML-GOLD FILL. | 10. F-PORC. FILL.; L-AM. | 14. MISSING |
| 3. MOD. GOLD FILL. | 7. 3/4 GOLD CR. | 11. MF-PORC. FILL. | 15. MO-AM.; L-AM. |
| 4. F-GOLD FILL.; ML-AM. | 8. D-PORC. FILL. | 12. PX-POSTHUMOUSLY MISSING | 16. MODL-AM. |

MARKING ABBREVIATIONS:
 F - Facial O - Occlusal D - Distal Am - Amalgam FILL - Filling BACK - Backing
 L - Lingual M - Mesial I - Incisal CR - Crown PORC - Porcelain FAC - Facing

CARIES																	CARIES
RESTORATIONS																	RESTORATIONS



SKULL AND TEETH MISSING



RESTORATIONS																	RESTORATIONS
CARIES																	CARIES

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER OR OTHER PERSON WHO PREPARED DENTAL CHART: **WILLIAM D. LEGG** *William D. Legg*
 VERIFIED BY: **SIMON J. LARKENS, CAPT, QMC** *Simon J. Larkens*

1. NAME
XJ-1280

SKELETAL CHART

CIU CASE NO.

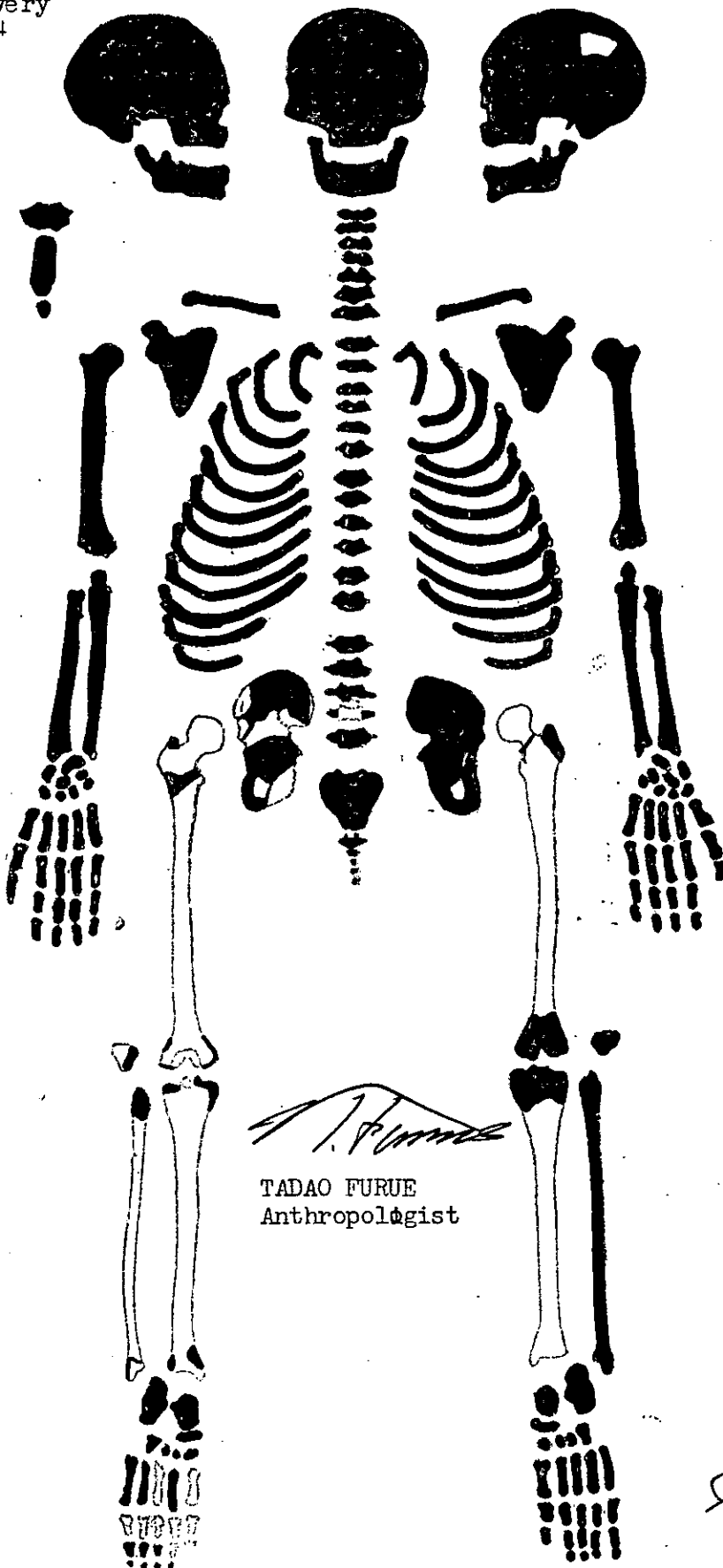
UNKNOWN X-NO
OR Okinawa Recovery
EVAC. NO # 3-4

3. (BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED)

2. DATE
11 March 1957

4. RIGHT

4. LEFT



SKULL _____ cm

HUMERUS _____ cm

HUMERUS _____ cm

ULNA _____ cm

ULNA _____ cm

RADIUS _____ cm

RADIUS _____ cm

Reconstructed
FEMUR 49.6 cm

FEMUR _____ cm

TIBIA _____ cm

TIBIA _____ cm

FIBULA _____ cm

FIBULA _____ cm

T. Furue

TADAO FURUE
Anthropologist

5. Condition of Remains





Skeletal

6. IDENTIFICATION
SPECIALIST

William D. Legg
William D. Legg

7. IDENTIFICATION
INSPECTOR

Simeon J. Larkins
SIMEON J. LARKINS
CAPT QMC

-  - Missing
-  - Burned
-  - Fractured
-  - Shattered

C. I. C. FINDINGS FOR IDENTIFICATION

Date

COMMON TO: XJ-1277, XJ-1278, XJ-1279, XJ-1280, XJ-1281, XJ-1282,
XJ-1283 and XJ-1284

ISHIMINE, OKINAWA RECOVERY # 3

FINDINGS:

1. One (1) Enlisted Man's Temporary Pass, WD ADO Form no. 7-26 JUNE 1943, bearing:
"name: Dickhaut Leonard C.; grade: Pvt.; ASN: 37586675; organization:
Co G 4th Repl Regt AGF RD No. 2 Ft Ord Calif.; dated: 10 AUG 1944."
2. One (1) Social Security Card, Account number 502-14-9996, bearing name;
"Leonard Carl Dickhaut, Mott, North Dakota."
3. One (1) Membership card, American National Red Cross, Year of 1944, bearing
name; "Pvt. Leonard C. Dickhaut."
4. One (1) receipt for United States Savings Bonds, Federal Reserve Bank, Minnea-
polis, Minn., bearing:
"date: 7-8 1944; name and address: Leonard C. Dickhaut, Fort Ord. Cal."
5. One (1) identification card, damaged, bearing:
"name: Leonard C. Dickhaut; ASN: 3? 86675; add: Mott. ? th Dak ?."
6. Two (2) Postal Money Order receipts, Nos. 1613 and 11578, bearing no
identifying markings.
7. Ten (10) Yen in Military currency, type "B", series 100.
8. Ten (10) Yen, Japanese old currency.
9. Two hundred twenty (220) Centavos, Japanese Military currency during Philippine
occupation.
10. A Half ($\frac{1}{2}$) Mark in German currency.
11. Five (5) Franc in Belgian currency.
12. Five (5) Franc in French currency.
13. Eight (8) photographs, badly damaged, bearing no identifying markings.
14. Four (4) pieces of paper with no markings.
15. Two (2) pocket address books, damaged, bearing no names and addresses.
16. One (1) New Testament, Army issued, bearing no names.
17. One (1) old Japanese coupon ticket for clothing, issued at Okinawa, bearing
no identifying markings.
18. One (1) wrist watch, without band, badly corroded, manufactured by "RICHTERS
INC., SWISS."
19. One (1) pen for clothing marks, "INKOGRAPH", bearing no identifying marks.
20. One (1) wallet, leather, black, badly damaged, containing the followings:
 - a. One (1) identification card, damaged, bearing:
"name: SAM BRANDSTEIN Co F, 306 Inf. APO 77 c/o P.M. San Francisco,
Cal.; ASN: 32262938:"
 - b. One (1) Membership card, American National Red Cross, Year 1945, damaged,
bearing no identifying markings.
 - c. Five Yen eighty Sen (5.80 Yen), Military currency, type "B", series 100.

CHEMICAL FINDINGS FOR IDENTIFICATION

Date


COMMON TO: XJ-1277, XJ-1278, XJ-1279, XJ-1280, XJ-1281, XJ-1282,
XJ-1283 and XJ-1284.

ISHIMINE, OKINAWA

RECOVERY # 3

FINDINGS CONT'D:

20. d. Nineteen (19) photographs, badly damaged, bearing no identifying markings and information.
21. One (1) wallet, leather, brown, badly damaged, containing:
- a. Fifty Sen (0.50 Yen) in Military currency, type "B", series 100.
 - b. Twenty (20) Yen, Japanese old currency.
 - c. Seven (7) Pesos, Japanese Military currency during philippine occupation.
 - d. One (1) blank check form, COMMERCIAL BANK OF MOTT, NORTH DAK., badly damaged; reverse side bears following address in pencil:
"Cpl Pete An ? 1702 Sig Sec ? on Army APO 959
c/o PM San Francisco, California."
 - e. One (1) photograph, personal, badly damaged; reverse side bears: "Your sisters ?mma, Florence."
 - f. Four (4) photographs, personal, badly damaged, bearing illegible writings on reverse sides. Not clearly discernible.
 - g. Three (3) photographs, badly damaged, with writings on reverse sides, bearing no identifying information.
 - h. Twelve (12) photographs, badly damaged, bearing no identifying markings.
 - i. Two (2) pages from New Testament, damaged, bearing no identifying markings.


Keisaburo Nakayama, Chemist

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 completely 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


CHESTER E. GOODWIN
MAJ, QMC
US Army Mortuary, FE

UNITED STATES ARMY MORTUARY FAR EAST
APO 503

N A R R A T I V E

UNKNOWN	XJ-1277,	Recovery # 3-1,	Ishimine, Gibo, Okinawa
"	XJ-1278	" # 3-2	" " "
"	XJ-1279	" # 3-3	" " "
"	XJ-1280	" # 3-4	" " "
"	XJ-1281	" # 3-5	" " "
"	XJ-1282	" # 3-6	" " "
"	XJ-1283	" # 3-7	" " "
"	XJ-1284	" # 3-8	" " "
CIU PART # Y-7	Removed from	XJ-1279,	Recovery # 3-3
CIU PART # Y-8	"	XJ-1280	" # 3-4
CIU PART # Y-9	"	XJ-1282	" # 3-6

The eight (8) remains, recovery # 3-1 through # 3-8, were processed simultaneously for anthropological examination.

Upon examination it was found that these remains were being partially commingled.

The following skeletal interchanges have been made.

Recovery # 3-2 received the following part from Recovery # 3-4.
One (1) pubis, right.

Recovery # 3-2 received the following parts from Recovery # 3-5.
One (1) clavicle, left, portion of.
One (1) scapula, left, portion of.
Eight (8) ribs, left, fragmentary.
One (1) radius, left.
One (1) femur, left.

Recovery # 3-3 received the following part from Recovery # 3-8.
One (1) tibia, left.

Recovery # 3-4 received the following parts from Recovery # 3-2.
One (1) ilium, right, portions of.

Recovery # 3-5 received the following parts from Recovery # 3-2.
One (1) parietal, right, portion of.
One (1) occipital, portion of.
Two (2) vertebrae, lumbar, # 2 & # 5, portions of.
One (1) ilium, left, portion of.
One (1) clavicle, left, portion of.
Two (2) scapulae, right & left, portions of.
One (1) humerus, left, portions of.
One (1) femur, right, portions of.
One (1) femur, left, head and condyle.
One (1) phalanx, foot, proximal, # 1, right.

Recovery # 3-5 received the following parts from Recovery # 3-4.
One (1) radius, left.
One (1) ulna, left.

Recovery # 3-6 received the following parts from Recovery # 3-7.
One (1) scapula, left, portion of.
One (1) patella, left.

Recovery # 3-7 received the following parts from Recovery # 3-6.
Two (2) metacarpals, # 2 & # 3, right.

Unassociable parts were segregated from Recovery # 3-3, Recovery # 3-4, Recovery # 3-6 and were designated CIU Part # Y-7, CIU Part # Y-8, CIU Part # Y-9 as follows.

CIU Part # Y-7 removed from Recovery # 3-3.

Three (3) fragments of skull (portions of frontal, left parietal and occipital).

CIU Part # Y-8 removed from Recovery # 3-4.

One (1) femur, left, minus head and trochanters.

One (1) metatarsal, # 3, left.

CIU Part # Y-9 removed from Recovery # 3-6.

One (1) mandible, left ramus and portion of body with one tooth, # 17.

One (1) ulna, right, portion of.

One (1) radius, right, portions of.

One (1) femoral condyle, left, a fragment.

Skeletal interchange and segregation were based on size, age, race, articulation and general bone-morphology.

The eight (8) remains, recovery # 3-1 through Recovery # 3-8, were designated respectively as Unknown XJ-1277 through Unknown XJ-1284.

The race determination of Unk XJ-1277 was based on crural and tarsal morphology.

The height of Unk XJ-1277 was computed to be approximately 5'8 1/8" from estimated length of left femur and tibia.

The race determination of Unk XJ-1280 was based on crural ratio and morphology.

The height of Unk XJ-1280 was computed to be approximately 5'10 7/8" from the length of reconstructed right femur.

The height of Unk XJ-1281 was estimated to be approximately 5'6" - 5'8" from the comparative length of incomplete long bones.

The race of Unk XJ-1282 is questionable. Major cranial and pelvic characteristics and crural ratio are believed to be of Negroid, however the nasal area indicates remarkable Caucasoid characteristics, therefore, Unk XJ-1282 was determined Negroid-Caucasoid admixture.

The race and the height of Unk XJ-1283 are undeterminable due to the paucity of the remains.

The race of Unk XJ-1284 is believed to be Mongoloid based on bone-morphology of femur and tibia.

The height of Unk XJ-1284 was estimated to be approximately 5'3" - 5'5" from the comparative length of incomplete long bones.

Necessary case papers have been prepared.



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