

25 April 1949

RRREC 293

SUBJECT: Formosa Mass Burial

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

1. The following information reference decedents in Formosa Mass Burial is furnished:

a. Total number of remains involved four hundred twenty-nine (429), which includes eighty-five (85) "created" remains.

b. Of the above number, the identity of twenty-seven (27) has been established by authority as shown:

UNKNOWNIDENTIFIED AS

X-511	1st Lt John H Winschub	B/P 1842
X-546 A	1st Lt Lester A. Schade	" 1841
X-537 A	Pfc Robert N. Thwing	" 1839
X-565 B	Capt James Kabakow	" 1839
X-610	Capt Mathis E. Zerfas	" 1836
X-677	Capt Irwin W. Gamelgaard	" 1837
X-661	CphM Charles William Schnabel	" 1838
X-546	Lt Col Clair M. Conzelman	" 1199
X-614	Capt Ralph Amato, Jr	" 1198
X-476	PhM 2/c Roland Erich Going	" 883
X-540	Lt David Long Quinn	" 882
X-440	Lt Hubert Mac Gowan	" 881
X-534	CPhM Bruce Nicholson	" 870
X-539	Ens John Stewart Woodside	" 869
Xp634	Lt (jk) Edward William Bayer	" 868
X-576	Lt (jg) William Rollo Kaye	" 867
X-421	Lt Herbert Jerome Rosenthal	" 866
X-451	CPhM John Cassidy Ulmer	" 865
X-480	Lt (jk) Charles Meredith Wilkins	" 864
X-403	Lt George Hamilton Greenwood	" 863
X-650	Lt (jk) Robert William Lally	" 862
X-706	Cmdr Warner Philip Portz	" 861

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X-398	Lt Nathaniel Minter Dial	B/P 860
X-589	Lt Comdr Leonard Lebaron Lyons, Jr	" 859
X-381	Lt Cmdr Herbert Harold Taylor	" 858
X-364	PhM 1/C Fred Richard Sanders	" 857
X-411	Lt Col Charles B. Leinbach	Ltr OQMG
		Dtd 27 Aug 48

c. The remaining number (402) were processed, QMC Forms 1044 prepared, stamped and signed as Unidentifiable in accordance with provisions, ltr, DA OQMG, QMGMU 293 GRS (Pacific Zone), 22 September 1948, Subject: Resolution of Cases of Unidentified Deceased.

d. These remains have been placed in forty (40) caskets, as a Common Grave of four hundred two (402) decedents, using the unknown numbers assigned by AGRS CZ (Shanghai Remains Depot Unknowns X-364 thru 707), and the additional, or "created" remains placed in the A, B, C, category.

e. The attached lists show the Unknown decedents placed in each casket, and the location of each of these caskets in the Mausoleum.

2. It is requested that Disinterment Directives for this Common Grave be furnished.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

2 Incls

1. List of Unknowns in Caskets 1- 40
2. Casket Location (Caskets 1- 40)

FRANK M. GREEN, JR.
Major, QMC
Chief, RR Div

C O P Y

GASKET LOCATIONFORMOSA MASS BURIAL

<u>Casket No.</u>	<u>Location</u>			
1	Maus #2	Section		1390
2	"	"	"	1391
3	"	"	"	1392
4	"	"	"	1393
5	"	"	"	1394
6	"	"	"	1395
7	"	"	"	1396
8	"	"	"	1397
9	"	"	"	1398
10	"	"	"	1399
11	"	"	"	1400
12	"	"	"	1401
13	"	"	"	1402
14	"	"	"	1403
15	"	"	"	1404
16	"	"	"	1405
17	"	"	"	1406
18	"	"	"	1407
19	"	"	"	1408
20	"	"	"	1409
21	"	"	"	1410
22	"	"	"	1411
23	"	"	"	1412
24	"	"	"	1413
25	"	"	"	1414
26	"	"	"	1415
27	"	"	"	1416
28	"	"	"	1417
29	"	"	"	1418
30	"	"	"	1419
31	"	"	"	1420
32	"	"	"	1421
33	"	"	"	1422
34	"	"	"	1423
35	"	"	"	1424
36	"	"	"	1425
37	"	"	"	1426
38	"	"	"	1427
39	"	"	"	1428
40	"	"	"	1429

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<u>CASKET #1</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	<u>CASKET #5</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	<u>CASKET #9</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	<u>CASKET #13</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>
X-365A	X-397	X-437	X-472
X-365B	X-399	X-438	X-473A
X-366A	X-400	X-439	X-473B
X-366B	X-401	X-441A	X-474
X-367	X-402	X-441B	X-475
X-368A	X-404	X-442	X-477
X-368B	X-405	X-443	X-478
X-369	X-406	X-444A	X-479
X-370	X-407	X-444B	X-481A
X-371	X-408		X-481B
		<u>CASKET #10</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	X-481C
<u>CASKET #2</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	<u>CASKET #6</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	X-445A	<u>CASKET #14</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>
X-372	X-409	X-445B	X-481E
X-373A	X-410	X-446	X-481F
X-373B	X-412	X-447	X-482
X-374	X-413	X-448	X-483A
X-375	X-414	X-449	X-483B
X-376	X-415	<u>CASKET #11</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	X-483C
X-377	X-416		X-483D
X-378	X-417	X-450	X-483E
X-379A		X-452	X-483F
X-379B	<u>CASKET #7</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	X-453	X-484
<u>CASKET #3</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	<u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	X-454	
X-380	X-418	X-455	<u>CASKET #15</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>
X-382	X-419	X-457	
X-383	X-420	X-458	X-485A
X-384	X-422	X-459	X-485B
X-385	X-423	X-460	X-485C
X-386	X-424	X-461	X-485D
X-387	X-425	<u>CASKET #12</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	X-485E
X-388	X-426		X-485F
X-389	<u>CASKET #8</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	X-462	X-486
<u>CASKET #4</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	<u>UNKNOWNNS</u>	X-463	X-487
X-390A	X-427	X-464	X-488
X-390B	X-428	X-465	
X-391	X-429	X-466	<u>CASKET #16</u> <u>UNKNOWNNS</u>
X-392	X-430	X-467	X-489A
X-393	X-431	X-468	X-489B
X-394	X-432	X-469	X-489C
X-395A	X-433	X-470	X-489D
X-395B	X-434	X-471	X-489E
X-396A	X-435		X-489F
X-396B	X-436		X-490

<u>CASKET #16</u>	<u>CASKET #20</u>	<u>CASKET #23</u>	<u>CASKET #26</u>
<u>UNKNOWN</u>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
X-491A	X-518	X-546B	X-570
X-491B	X-519	X-547A	X-571
X-491C	X-520	X-547B	X-527A 572A
X-491D	X-521	X-548A	X-572B
X-491E	X-522	X-548B	X-573A
X-491F	X-523	X-549	X-573B
	X-524	X-550	X-574A
	X-525	X-551	X-574B
<u>CASKET #17</u>	X-526A	X-552	X-575A
<u>UNKNOWN</u>	X-526B	X-553A	X-575B
X-492		X-553B	
X-493A	<u>CASKET #21</u>		<u>CASKET #27</u>
X-493B	<u>UNKNOWN</u>	<u>CASKET #24</u>	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
X-493C		<u>UNKNOWN</u>	
X-493D	X-527		X-577A
X-493E	X-528	X-554	X-577B
X-493F	X-529	X-555A	X-578
X-494	X-530	X-555B	X-579A
X-495	X-531	X-556	X-579B
X-496	X-532	X-557	X-580A
	X-533	X-558	X-580B
<u>CASKET #18</u>	X-535A	X-559A	X-581
<u>UNKNOWN</u>	X-535B	X-559B	X-582A
X-497	X-536A	X-560	X-582B
X-498	X-536B	X-561A	
X-499		X-561B	<u>CASKET #28</u>
X-500	<u>CASKET #22</u>		<u>UNKNOWN</u>
X-501	<u>UNKNOWN</u>	<u>CASKET #25</u>	
X-502		<u>UNKNOWN</u>	X-583
X-503	X-537B		X-584A
X-504	X-538A	X-562A	X-584B
X-505	X-538B	X-562B	X-585A
X-506	X-541A	X-563	X-585B
	X-541B	X-564	X-586A
	X-542A	X-565A	X-586B
<u>CASKET #19</u>	X-542B	X-566A	X-587
<u>UNKNOWN</u>	X-543	X-566B	X-588
X-507	X-544	X-567	X-590
X-508	X-545	X-568	
X-509		X-569A	<u>CASKET #29</u>
X-510		X-569B	<u>UNKNOWN</u>
X-512			X-591
X-513			X-592
X-514			X-593
X-515			X-594
X-516			X-595A
X-517			X-595B
			X-596
			X-597A
			X-597B
			X-598A
			X-598B

CASEKT #30
UNKNOWNNS

X-599A
X-599B
X-600
X-601
X-602
X-603
X-604A
X-604B
X-605
X-606
X-607

CASKET #33
UNKNOWNNS

X-627
X-628
X-629
X-630
X-631
X-632
X-633
X-635
X-636
X-637

CASKET #36
UNKNOWNNS

X-656
X-657
X-658
X-659
X-660
X-662
X-663A
X-663B
X-664
X-665

CASKET #39
UNKNOWNNS

X-687
X-688
X-689
X-690
X-691
X-692
X-693
X-694
X-695
X-696

CASKET #31
UNKNOWNNS

X-608
X-609
X-611
X-612
X-613A
X-613B
X-615
X-616
X-617
X-618

CASKET #34
UNKNOWNNS

X-638
X-639
X-640A
X-640B
X-641
X-642
X-643
X-644
X-645
X-646

CASKET #37
UNKNOWNNS

X-666
X-667
X-668
X-669
X-670
X-671
X-672
X-673
X-674
X-675

CASKET #40
UNKNOWNNS

X-697A
X-697B
X-698
X-699
X-700
X-701
X-702
X-703
X-704
X-705
X-707

CASKET #32
UNKNOWNNS

X-619A
X-619B
X-620
X-621
X-622
X-623
X-624A
X-624B
X-625
X-626

CASKET #35
UNKNOWNNS

X-647
X-648A
X-648B
X-649
X-651
X-652
X-653
X-654
X-655A
X-655B

CASKET #38
UNKNOWNNS

X-676
X-678A
X-678B
X-679
X-680
X-681
X-682
X-683
X-684
X-685
X-686

DEATH LIST
OF
PRISONERS OF WAR
WHO DIED
ABOARD THE
BRAZIL MARU
JANUARY 1945

*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Americans								264
British								2
Norwegian.								1
Australian.								1
TOTAL								<u>268</u>

SECTION IV

LIST OF DISCREPANCIES

*a	-	Death certificate indicates	died 24 Jan 45
*b	-	" " "	died 9 Jan 45 aboard Enoura Maru
*c	-	" " "	died 2 Jan 45 " " "
*d	-	" " "	died 29 Jan 45
*e	-	" " "	died 9 Jan 45
*f	-	" " "	died at Olongapo
*g	-	" " "	died aboard Enoura Maru
*h	-	" " "	died 2 Jan 45 aboard Enoura Maru
*i	-	" " "	died 9 Jan 45 " " "
*j	-	" " "	died at Olongapo

NO.	NAME	RANK	ASN	DATE OF DEATH
1.	AARON, Reid S.	2nd Lt	Unknown	21 Jan 45
2.	ABNEY, Cary Mc Clure, Jr	Capt USA	0-316451	28 Jan 45
3.	ALLEN, Joseph Arthur	CWO USA	W 2101193	15 Jan 45
4.	AMOS, Jak	Capt USA	0-358741	18 Jan 45
5.	ANDERSON, Herman R.	Lt Col USMC	Unknown	27 Jan 45
6.	ANDERSON, William C. Jr.	Capt USA	0-383446	20 Jan 45
7.	ARSENAULT, Fab	2nd Lt USA	0-890170	20 Jan 45
8.	ATTEBERRY, Charles S.	2nd Lt USA	0-890120	17 Jan 45
9.	AUSTIN, Paul J.	Pvt USA	6983562	17 Jan 45
10.	AUSTIN, Thomas U.	2nd Lt USA	Unknown	26 Jan 45
11.	BABCOCK, David S.	Lt Col USA	0-13559 or 0-15339	14 Jan 45 *e
12.	BALDWIN, Jack O.	Major USA	0-272703	12 Jan 45
13.	BANSLEY, Donald Edmon	PhM 1c USN	212-43-09	23 Jan 45
14.	BARKER, Robert Alois	Capt USA	0-21298	17 Jan 45
15.	BARNES, Louis Dwight	Lt Col USA	0-171887	17 Jan 45
16.	BATCHELOR, Jack F.	Capt USA	0-383847	20 Jan 45
17.	BAUER, John	S Sgt USA	R-328055	18 Jan 45
18.	BEVAN, Richard C.	Pfc USA	12024939	13 Jan 45
19.	BISHOP, Harold F.	Capt USA	0-322292	23 Jan 45
20.	BLACK, Kenneth C.	Pfc USA	18049882	14 Jan 45
21.	BOAK, Jesse Carl	2nd Lt USA	0-890119	24 Jan 45
22.	BODE, Carl R.	2nd Lt USA	0-396738	27 Jan 45
23.	BOGER, William O.	Lt Col USA	0-109805	19 Jan 45
24.	BOONE, James Daniel	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	23 Jan 45
25.	BOULWARE, Marcus B.	Lt Col USA	0-10170	23 Jan 45
26.	BOWES, Edward H.	Lt Col USA	0-12358	24 Jan 45
27.	BRADSHAW, Vance Albert	S Sgt USA	6548082	13 Jan 45
28.	BRASWELL, Homer P.	2nd Lt USA	0-424710	25 Jan 45

29:	BREITLING, George T.	Capt USA	0-21948	16 Jan 45
30:	BRETTELL, John B.	Lt Col USA	0-175706	28 Jan 45
31:	BROCK, Clyde I.	S Sgt USA	6576270	29 Jan 45 *
32:	BROWNLEE, Robert William	Pfc USA	R-315356	28 Jan 45
33:	BRYANT, Alton H.	2nd Lt. USA	0-411932	28 Jan 45
34:	BURWELL, George F.	Civ (USA)	None	26 Jan 45
35:	BYARS, Stephen M.	Capt USA	0-366299	12 Jan 45
36:	CALVERT, Wilbert A.	Capt USA	0-365221	22 Jan 45
37:	CARLSON, Monroe O.	Civ (USN)	None	19 Jan 45
38:	CAROTHERS, Sam E.	Capt USA	0-319883	13 Jan 45
39:	CARTER, David Thomas Jr.	Capt USA	0-293962	15 Jan 45
40:	CHANCY, Yancy B.	2nd Lt USA	0-890557	23 Jan 45
41:	CHRISTENSEN, Merle L.	1st Lt USA	0-413848	17 Jan 45
42:	CHURCHWELL, R. D. (io')	Pfc USA	18052555	29 Jan 45
43:	CLANTON, Thomas I.	Sgt USA	R-1455744	14 Jan 45
44:	CLARK, John W.	Capt USMC	Unknown	20 Jan 45
45:	COLLINS, Doyle F.	Pvt USA	18060102	21 Jan 45
46:	COLLINS, Harold Walden	Capt USA	0-383892	18 Jan 45
47:	CONNELL, James Aloysius	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	22 Jan 45
48:	CONZELMAN, Clair McK	Lt Col USA	0-16442	14 Jan 45
49:	COOK, John G.	Lt Col USA	0-5131	27 Jan 45
50:	COOK, Terry Mc Donald	Pfc USA	18029627	29 Jan 45
51:	COOPER, Joseph Westley	Pfc USA	14049509	17 Jan 45
52:	CORBITT, Lewil O.	Civ.(USA)	None	16 Jan 45
53:	COSPER, Duane L.	Capt USA	0-355672	19 Jan 45
54:	COULTER, Harley W.	Pfc USA	6922613	29 Jan 45
55:	COWAN, Alva Robert	CPHM USN	295-13-19	28 Jan 45
56:	CRAIG, William R.	Lt Col USA	0-16963	19 Jan 45

57.	CUMMINGS, William M.	Capt USA	0-363991	21 Jan 45
58.	CUMMINGS, William T.	1st Lt USA	0-890019	29 Jan 45
59.	DALY, Maurice F.	Lt Col USA	0-16767	21 Jan 45
60.	DARCY, Albert Clark Jr.	Capt USA	0-309836	27 Jan 45
61.	DAVIS, Harry W.	Pfc USA	33110744	15 Jan 45
62.	DELANEY, John	Civ (USA)	None	15 Jan 45
63.	DELONG, Cyrus W.	Capt USA	0-398200	13 Jan 45
64.	DERBY, Arthur L.	1st Lt USA	0-374870	12 Jan 45
65.	DERRICK, Hugh A.	1st Lt USA	0-413951	23 Jan 45
66.	DONNER, Otto H.	Major USA	0-321013	13 Jan 45
67.	DOSH, Louis N.	Capt USA	0-21290	20 Jan 45
68.	DUFF, James H. Jr.	2nd Lt USA	0-890304	18 Jan 45
69.	DUKE, I. W.	Pfc USA	18017445	29 Jan 45
70.	DUNCAN, Robert C.	Pvt USA	39380708	25 Jan 45
71.	DUNN, William Dwight	PhM 3/c USN	337-21-84	21 Jan 45
72.	DUNNING, Floyd A.	Cpl USA	6849435	15 Jan 45
73.	DURIE, Albert E.	Capt USA	0-306558	20 Jan 45
74.	EAST, Joe Clifton	Major USA	0-18192	15 Jan 45
75.	EBERLY, Earl J.	Pfc USA	18060103	23 Jan 45
76.	EICHLIN, Herbert H. Jr.	Capt USA	0-22118	27 Jan 45
77.	ELLIS, John C.	Capt USA	0-329966	23 Jan 45
78.	ESPINOZA, Alfred Corrales	Pvt USA	18017539	23 Jan 45
79.	EVERETTE, Albert Wilson	Pvt USA	20920576	24 Jan 45
80.	EVERRETT, Austin	Pvt USA	14060770	29 Jan 45
81.	EVESON, Benjamin Jr.	1st Lt USA	0-358156	17 Jan 45
82.	FANSLER, Carl G.	2nd Lt USA	0-890243	24 Jan 45
83.	FARRELL, William E.W.	Capt USA	0-20601	17 Jan 45
84.	FELLER, Ernial M.	2nd Lt USA	0-890280	26 Jan 45

85.	FOUTS, Paul Wesley	Pvt USA	19039231	23 Jan 45
86.	FUGATE, Robert B.	1st Lt USA	0-405907	16 Jan 45
87.	FULKS, James W.	2nd Lt USA	0-411958	15 Jan 45
88.	GAEBLER, Fritz O.	S/Sgt USA	6114149	29 Jan 45
89.	GARD, Harold L.	Capt USA	0-17986	14 Jan 45
90.	GETCHIUS, William C.	S/Sgt USA	6920014	28 Jan 45
91.	GILBO, Edward E.	2nd Lt USA	0-421600	21 Jan 45
92.	GLOVER, Wilson	1st Lt USA	0-397575	15 Jan 45
93.	GOBER, George W.	Cpl	Unknown	16 Jan 45
94.	GOLDEN, Francis X.	Lt (jg) USN	Unknown	14 Jan 45
95.	GOMEZ, Abel Oliver	Ch PM USN	2042261	17 Jan 45
96.	GOODIER, Benjamin D.	Lt USN	Unknown	12 Jan 45
97.	GORSKI, Alexander A.	Ensign USN	95770	13 Jan 45
98.	GRANBERRY, Hal C.	Lt Col USA	0-15358	27 Jan 45
99.	GRANTHAM, John E.	Sgt USA	R-2348486	22 Jan 45
100.	GRAY, Billy B.	Pvt USA	14042417	23 Jan 45
101.	GRAY, Sheldon F.	Capt USA	0-312735	17 Jan 45
102.	GRAYBEAL, Harold W.	Civ USA	None	26 Jan 45
103.	GREEN, Ralph Raymond	Pvt USA	18020430	23 Jan 45
104.	GREGORY, Robert K.	2nd Lt USA	0-890127	17 Jan 45
105.	GUNTER, George M.	Pvt USA	18052340	21 Jan 45
106.	HALL, Coy C.	Pfc USA	38042022	21 Jan 45 *
107.	HALL, Lee H.	2nd Lt USA	0-427337	13 Jan 45
108.	HALL, Stuart H.	Ensign USN	Unknown	15 Jan 45
109.	HASSO, Charles E.	Pvt USA	36106549	29 Jan 45
110.	HASTINGS, Edward W.	CphM USN	1712900	25 Jan 45
111.	HUSMANN, Carl W.	1st Lt USA	0-890458	25 Jan 45
112.	HEIL, John J.	Maj USMC	Unknown	19 Jan 45

113.	HENNESSEY, George R.	2nd Lt. USA	0-427216	14 Jan 45
114.	HENNESSY, Patrick L.	Pvt USA	15081777	27 Jan 45
115.	HERR, Harry P. Jr.	2nd Lt. USA	0-890187	18 Jan 45
116.	HODGSON, Welles Gardner	2nd Lt. USA	0-395960	24 Jan 45
117.	HOGAN, Emmet Oneal	Ph WO USN	Unknown	25 Jan 45
118.	HOLMES, George T.	2nd Lt USA	Unknown	23 Jan 45
119.	HOOK, Albert H.	2nd Lt USA	0-423104	23 Jan 45
120.	HOROVITZ, Jay M.	2nd Lt USA	0-409900	20 Jan 45
121.	HULDGINS, John G.	Capt USA	0-399206	26 Jan 45
122.	HUGHES, John Wallace	Cpl USA	19018995	23 Jan 45
123.	HULING, Orall L.	Pvt USA	37054792	24 Jan 45
124.	HULSEY, Earl H. Jr.	2nd Lt USA	0-426570	26 Jan 45
125.	HUMBER, Charles I.	Lt Col USA	0-18584	22 Jan 45
126.	JONES, Donald E.	Pfc USA	19056435 or 19056543	24 Jan 45
127.	JONES, Henry	1st Lt USA	0-890096	13 Jan 45
128.	JOSES, Maurice	Comdr USN	Unknown	21 Jan 45
129.	JUDY, Mark C.	Machinist USN	Unknown	17 Jan 45
130.	KAPPELLAN, Mac	Capt USA	0-360687	18 Jan 45
131.	KEEGAN, Alexander E.	CWO USA	Unknown	25 Jan 45
132.	KEELER, Ralph	Capt USA	0-285975	28 Jan 45
133.	KELSEY, Lloyd H.	1st Lt USA	0-890225	18 Jan 45
134.	KENNEDY, Thomas R.	2nd Lt USA	0-890346	21 Jan 45
135.	KERBROW, Harry Jack or KERBOV	PhM USN	3556843	27 Jan 45
136.	KERR, Edwin V.	Lt Col USA	0-12304	27 Jan 45
137.	KING, Andrew J.	Pvt USA	32082007	13 Jan 45
138.	KING, Edward E.	Pvt USA	19028914	19 Jan 45
139.	KINKADE, Berkley J.	2nd Lt USA	0-890033	25 Jan 45
140.	KIRKPATRICK, Ben E.	Civ (USA)	None	27 Jan 45 *

141.	KITTREDGE, James D.	Pvt USA	19053052	20 Jan 45
142.	KLINE, Clarence A.	Pfc USA	19019157	22 Jan 45
143.	KLOSTER, Leif R.	2nd Lt USA	0-427438	24 Jan 45
144.	KNOX LES, James G.	Maj USA	0-242905	19 Jan 45
145.	KORNBLUM, Morris Harold	Capt USA	0-372213	20 Jan 45
146.	KUECHLER, Edward H.	2nd Lt USA	0-890343	26 Jan 45
147.	LAFFOON, Walter A.	Pvt USA	18052341	16 Jan 45
148.	LAMBERT, Gordon K.	Lt USN	Unknown	22 Jan 45
149.	LARAGAY, Edwin John	Capt USA	0-319606	26 Jan 45
150.	LASCH, Lewis	Cpl USMC	273145	21 Jan 45
151.	LATIMER, William James Jr	Maj USA	0-17590	23 Jan 45
152.	LAGER, Robert A.	1st Lt USA	0-355805	26 Jan 45
153.	LEINBACH, Charles B.	Lt Col USA	0-11578	17 Jan 45
154.	LEWIS, John L.	Lt Col USA	0-16222	28 Jan 45
155.	LOCHRIDGE, Alvin Lamar	Capt USA	0-264654	21 Jan 45
156.	MAC DOUGALL, Daniel	CPHM USN	2147757	22 Jan 45
157.	Mac GOWAN, Hubert	Lt USN	Unknown	18 Jan 45
158.	MAGILL, Lloyd H. Jr.	2nd Lt USA	0-401392	24 Jan 45
159.	MARTIN, Howard A.	1st Lt USA	0-404806	20 Jan 45
160.	MARTZ, John	2nd Lt USA	0-890251	28 Jan 45
161.	MATHIESEN, Andrew J.	Maj USMC	Unknown	14 Jan 45
162.	MAXWELL, Winston R.	Maj USA	0-18223	14 Jan 45
163.	<i>McCann, John A.</i> McCANN, W. H.	Pvt USA	<i>0-890212</i> 15017100	17 Jan 45
164.	McCLELLAN, James T.	Maj USA	0-18612	27 Jan 45
165.	McDONNELL, John Joseph	Capt USA	023619	22 Jan 45
166.	McMANUS, Francis Joseph	Lt USN	Unknown	25 Jan 45
167.	McMAKIN, Benjamin L.	Capt USMC	Unknown	16 Jan 45
168.	McNAIR, Joseph E.	1st Lt USA	0-890558	13 Jan 45

169.	McVITTIE, Ernest C.	Plt Sgt USMC	227727	13 Jan 45
170.	MEEKS, Poland C.	2nd Lt USA	0-407109	16 Jan 45
171.	MELENDEZ, Alfonso	Capt USA	0-331782	26 Jan 45
172.	MICKEY, Steve W.	1st Lt USA	0-890094	26 Jan 45
173.	MIDDLETON, Campbell M.	1st Lt USA	Or 0-890294 0-890219	17 Jan 45
174.	MILES, William F.	2nd Lt USA	0-388843	21 Jan 45
175.	MOORE, Robert B.	Capt USMC	Unknown	15 Jan 45
176.	MOOTE, Leslie E.	Lt USN	Unknown	28 Jan 45
177.	MOREHOUSE, Paul D.	1st Lt USA	0-376220	16 Jan 45
178.	MORLEY, John C.	Maj USA	0-217315	18 Jan 45
✓179.	MULLNEY, John D.	1st Lt	Unknown	15 Jan 45
180.	MURPHY, Lloyd G.	Capt USA	0-351025	27 Jan 45
181.	MUZZEY, George ..	Maj	Unknown	18 Jan 45
182.	NEVELL, Fred Rising Jr.	Lt jg USN	Unknown	22 Jan 45
183.	NORTON, Amos H.	Capt USA	0-193593	20 Jan 45
184.	OLSON, Kenneth S.	Lt Col USA	0-12420	24 Jan 45
185.	PACKER, Richard S.	Pvt USMC	301448	24 Jan 45
186.	PACKARD, Harry Brown	Maj USA	0-18091	17 Jan 45
187.	PAQUET, Leo C.	Lt Col	Unknown	14 Jan 45
188.	PERRENOT, Travis E.	Capt USA	0-359123	22 Jan 45
189.	PERRY, Howard R. Jr.	Lt Col USA	0-12347	28 Jan 45
190.	PERYAM, William George	Capt USA	0-890364	25 Jan 45
191.	PIGG, Ronald Orville	Capt USA	0-890057	28 Jan 45
192.	PITTMAN, Bryan W.	Capt USA	0-225294	19 Jan 45
193.	PRESNELL, John F. Jr.	Capt USA	0-22890	19 Jan 45
194.	PRICE, James Ray	Pvt USA	36109002	24 Jan 45
195.	QUINLEN, Clinton Dennis	Capt USA	0-134790 or 0-134890	25 Jan 45
196.	QUINN, David L.	Lt USN	Unknown	20 Jan 45

197.	PURVIS, Huey H.	S Sgt USA	6376953	13 Jan 45
198.	RAIDER, Jerome L	1st Lt USA	0-390078	22 Jan 45
199.	REYNOLDS, Gilbert H.	Maj USA	0-259413	26 Jan 45
200.	RHODES, Carl F.	1st Lt USA	0-364779	28 Jan 47
201.	RICHARD, Burton R.	2nd Lt	Unknown	19 Jan 4
202.	ROBB, James M.	1st Lt USA	0-890049	27 Jan 45
203.	ROBERTSON, Merville	2nd Lt USA	0-890202	13 Jan 45
204.	ROBINSON, William L.	Lt Col USA	0-20772	21 Jan 45
205.	RODERICK, Ellwood L.	1st Lt USA	384690	17 Jan 45 *
206.	ROEMER, Louis E.	Lt Col USA	0-15081	22 Jan 45
207.	ROLFE, Jesse	Pvt USA	7086720	21 Jan 45
208.	RONOVASKI, Walter A.	Cpl USA	16008477	29 Jan 45 *e
209.	ROTH, Frederick J. Jr.	2nd Lt USA	0-890283	28 Jan 45
210.	ROYAL, Thomas Albert	Pvt USA	18020429	23 Jan 45
211.	ROUSSEAU, Harlan F.	2nd Lt USA	0-411848	27 Jan 45
212.	ROUZE, Robert E.	1st Lt USA	0-355686	16 Jan 45
213.	RYAN, Jay A.	1st Lt USA	0-392017	16 Jan 45
214.	SADLER, James Edwin	Capt USA	0-285521	16 Jan 45
215.	SAINTE, Frederick G.	Lt Col USA	0-18340	13 Jan 45
216.	SANDERS, Fred R.	PHM 1/c USN	3857668	14 Jan 45
217.	SCHOCK, John L.	Col USA	0-4004	23 Jan 45
218.	SCHOENECK, Lawrence S.	2nd Lt USA	0-423717	22 Jan 45
219.	SCHROEDER, Karl William	Capt USA	0-405185	19 Jan 45
220.	SEHMANN, Fred	T Sgt USA	19048846	29 Jan 45
221.	SHERK, John H.	1st Lt USA	0-890217	15 Jan 45
222.	SILLS, Jeff Samuel	S Sgt USA	R-721264	27 Jan 45
223.	SIMMONS, Dorris Pickett	CPHM USN	3556071	13 Jan 45
224.	SIMMONDS, Norman Blakesley	Lt Col USA	0-15914	21 Jan 45 *r

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225.	SIMPSON, Carter B.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown	28 Jan 45
226.	SMITH, Harvey L.	Pfc USA	6287089	15 Jan 45
227.	SMITH, Richard	Capt USA	0-19512	14 Jan 45
228.	STEVENSON, Harold	Maj USA	0-143191	16 Jan 45
229.	STRESE, William W.	2nd Lt USA	0-421642	17 Jan 45
230.	SURBER, William E.	Pfc USA	18001799	27 Jan 45
231.	SWAIN, Roger W.	1st Lt USA	0-347705	19 Jan 45
232.	SWAIN, Roy	Pfc USA	19006059	19 Jan 45
233.	SWENSEN, Melvin R.	1st Lt USA	0-375788	23 Jan 45
234.	TANNEHILL, Marvin A.	Capt USA	0-208952	28 Jan 45
235.	THAYER, Allen	Lt Col USA	0-17297	16 Jan 45
236.	THOMPSON, Walter N.	PHM 1/c USN	2954161	28 Jan 45
237.	THORPE, Joseph D.	1st Lt USA	0-353521	27 Jan 45
238.	TURNIPSEED, Jess	PHM USN	Unknown	26 Jan 45
239.	VANDERHEIDEN, Joseph G.	Capt USA	0-414242	24 Jan 45
240.	VAN HORN, Walter E.	Pvt USA	37049584	26 Jan 45
241.	VAN RAY, Clarence E.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown	28 Jan 45
242.	VANTER, Olice J.	Sgt USMC	260375	14 Jan 45
243.	VEPSALA, Alfred	Maj USA	0-14695	13 Jan 45
244.	WADE, Ernest Marion	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	24 Jan 45
245.	WAGNON, George M.	1st Lt USA	0-317940	25 Jan 45
246.	WALDRON, Guy L.	Pfc USA	17023634	14 Jan 45
247.	WALLACE, Harold A.	Capt USA	0-373462	13 Jan 45
248.	WARNER, Everett L.	Lt Col USA	0-125572	15 Jan 45
249.	WEBBER, Lawrence E.	Cpl USMC	271644	18 Jan 45
250.	WELCH, Cecil Charles	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	27 Jan 45
251.	WESCHLER, Charles J.	Lt USN	4099	21 Jan 45
252.	WHEELER, John Z.	Capt USA	0-346792	17 Jan 45

253.	WHITNECK, Fred S.	1st Lt USA	0-890226	24 Jan 45
254.	WILKES, Joseph B.	S Sgt USA	6296942	20 Jan 45
255.	WILKINS, Charles M.	Lt jg USN	9970	19 Jan 45 ^{*1}
256.	WILLIAMS, John W.	Pfc USA	14022832	18 Jan 45
257.	WISLOCKI, John T.	2nd Lt USA	0-890180	29 Jan 45
258.	WOOD, Allen O.	1st Lt USA	0-386480	13 Jan 45
259.	WOROZDINIAC, Paul	Pvt USMC	Unknown	27 Jan 45
260.	WUEST, Robert R.	Ensign USN	Unknown	24 Jan 45
261.	WRIGHT, Edgar Baird	PhM l/c USN	3931808	21 Jan 45
262.	YOUNGBLOOD, Winbon D.	2nd Lt USA	0-370332	25 Jan 45
263.	ZIMMERMAN, George R.	T Sgt USA	6816366	29 Jan 45
264.	ZIMSKA, Andrew Buehler	Maj USA	0-20907	24 Jan 45

BRITISH

1.	SWAN Robin Charles Martin	1st Lt	Unknown	21 Jan 45
2.	YEARSLEY, Robin William	1st Lt	Unknown	14 Jan 45

NORWEGIAN

1.	LINDSTROM, Arthur	Civ (USA)	None	25 Jan 45 ^{*1}
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AUSTRALIAN

1.	LYNCH, Thomas T.	Civ (USN)	None	14 Jan 45
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1.	CAHILL, Matthew W.	Civ	ATS	22 Dec 44 ^{333-AZ}
2.	COUCHON, Lionel J.	Pvt USA	19030273	17 Dec 44
3.	DEMPWOLF, Charles M.	Capt USA	0-336435	26 Dec 44
4.	CRIBBEN, Dwight H.	Capt USA	0-890060	18 Dec 44
5.	HAMPER, Harry J.	Lt Col USA	0-16209	22 Dec 44
6.	HOGABOOM, William F.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown ⁰⁶⁹⁷¹	16 Dec 44
7.	KELLOGG, George S.	Pvt USA	6581746	21 Dec 44
8.	KUCKIE, Louis Joseph	Pvt USA	6955663	20 Dec 44
9.	LITTIG, John C.	Lt Comdr USN	77941	22 Dec 44 ⁴
10.	O'NEAL, Norris	Capt USA	0-281672	27 Dec 44
11.	PEETS, George H. Jr.	Capt USA	0-286051	22 Dec 44
12.	PETTIS, Charles Wilbur	Pvt USA	14057796	17 Dec 44
13.	RICE, John H.	Pay Clk USMC	Unknown ⁰⁵⁹⁵⁷	20 Dec 44
14.	ROOKS, James O.	2nd Lt USA	0-890408	16 Dec 44
15.	SPECHT, Eugene L.	Cpl USMC	276219	22 Dec 44 ⁵⁰⁰
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NO.	NAME	RANK	ASN	DATE OF DEATH
1.	ADAMS, John P.	Lt Col USMC	Unknown	4 Jan 45
2.	AFFLECK, David C.	1st Lt USA.	0-890052	9 Jan 45
3.	AIKMAN, Robert P.	1st Lt USA.	0-225747	9 Jan 45
4.	ALLER, Dwayne W.	1st Lt USA.	0-364807	10 Jan 45
5.	AMATO, Ralph Jr.	Capt USA.	0-302255	9 Jan 45
6.	ARNOLD, Charles	2nd Lt USA.	0-888466	9 Jan 45
7.	ATON, Rex	Capt USA.	0-277883	12 Jan 45
8.	BABCOCK, Elliott C.	Maj USA.	0-264191	10 Jan 45
9.	BARRY, Daniel J.	Capt USA.	0-225707	9 Jan 45
10.	BARRY, Percy R.	T/Sgt USA.	6790500	9 Jan 45
11.	BAYER, Edward William	Lt jg USNR	Unknown	9 Jan 45
12.	BEACH, Kenneth O.	Capt USA.	0-329503	28 Jan 45
13.	BECKER, Robert F.	Pvt USA.	18001306	9 Jan 45
14.	BELL, William R.	1st Lt USA.	0-400506	3 Jan 45
15.	BENSON, Gordon Stanley	1st Lt USA.	0-406706	7 Jan 45
16.	BENSON, Rogers S.	Capt USA.	0-302634	9 Jan 45
17.	BENTHLEN, Charles George	CWO USA.	W-901753	9 Jan 45
18.	BENVIE, Harold	Pfc USA.	20935763	9 Jan 45
19.	BERLEN, Louis E.	Pfc USA.	19000244	9 Jan 45
20.	BERTRAND, Donald R.	2nd Lt USA.	0-890432	7 Jan 45
21.	BLANCHE, Willibald Charles	Capt USA.	0-389009	9 Jan 45
22.	BLACK, Cecil	Sgt USA.	6260154	9 Jan 45
23.	BLACK, James E.	Pvt USA.	18038652	9 Jan 45
24.	BLANNING, James Chester	Maj USA.	0-18442	9 Jan 45
25.	BLIZZARD, Howard L.	1st Lt USA.	0-355739	9 Jan 45
26.	BLYTHE, Ralph Ma Sland	1st Lt USA.	0-890069	9 Jan 45
27.	BOLGER, Augustine	Pvt USA.	6683721	5 Jan 45

28.	BONNER, Stanley B.	Major USA	0-16797	9 Jan 45
29.	BRADON, Harvey E.	1st Lt USA	0-890045	11 Jan 45
30.	BRANNING, Adam Jr.	Pvt USA	36008608	9 Jan 45
31.	BRIDGEMAN, Francis J.	Comdr USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
32.	BROWN, Hugh	Lt USN	70989	9 Jan 45
33.	BROWNE, Charles Janvrin	Major USA	0-20726	9 Jan 45
34.	BROWNE, Frederick B.	2nd Lt USA	0-411930	27 Dec 44
35.	BRUNTON, William B.	Capt USA	0-330941	9 Jan 45
36.	BRYAN, Arthur M.	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
37.	BYRAN, Thomas S.	Capt USA	0-317041	9 Jan 45
38.	BUCHANAN, Arthur H.	2nd Lt USA	0-392308	9 Jan 45
39.	BUNCH, Wilbur J.	M/Sgt USA	6307650	9 Jan 45
40.	BUNN, Kenneth I.	1st Lt USA	0-268120	9 Jan 45
41.	BURHOLT, Arthur V.	Capt USA	0-415796	9 Jan 45
42.	BURKE, Joseph L.	2nd Lt USA	0-411686	9 Jan 45
43.	BURLANLO, Robert G.	Capt USA	0-383985	10 Jan 45
44.	BYE, Ernest W.	Capt USA	0-21009	9 Jan 45
45.	BYFIELD, Damon B.	1st Lt USA	0-890214	9 Jan 45
46.	BYRNE, Patrick J.	Capt USA	0-138996	9 Jan 45
47.	CAMPBELL, James B.	Pfc USA	6563689	27 Dec 44
48.	CARRERRY, Richard E.	Capt USA	0-348558	10 Jan 45
49.	CARROLL, Samuel D.	M/Sgt USA	R-1640398	9 Jan 45
50.	CARTON, Arthur B.	Lt Col USA	0-115829	10 Jan 45
51.	CASBY, Andrew B.	1st Lt USA	0-890114	9 Jan 45
52.	CHAMBERS, Robert Jr.	Capt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
53.	CLARK, Golland L. Jr.	Capt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
54.	CLARKE, Robert A.	Pfc USA	12023631	9 Jan 45

55.	COALE, David L.	1st Lt USA.	0-400218	9 Jan 45
56.	COCHRAN, Julian T.	2nd Lt USA.	Unknown	9 Jan 45
57.	COOMBS, Willard B.	Capt USA.	0-89055	9 Jan 45
58.	COOPER, Henry Clay	WOJG USA.	W-2101200	9 Jan 45
59.	COOPER, Robert G.	Capt USA.	0-22894	9 Jan 45
60.	COTHRAN, Wade R.	Major USA.	0-890014	10 Jan 45
61.	COUCH, George David	2nd Lt USA.	0-890213	11 Jan 45
62.	CRABTREE, Thomas D.	1st Lt USA.	0-890058	11 Jan 45
63.	DAVIS, Frank A.	Lt Comdr USN	6439	9 Jan 45
64.	DAVIS, George S.	2nd Lt USA.	0-424717	9 Jan 45
65.	DAVIS, John H. Jr.	Capt USA.	0-21774	2 Jan 45
66.	DANE, Harry J.	2nd Lt. USA.	0-491480	9 Jan 45
67.	DANSON, William	Major US.	0-245966	9 Jan 45
68.	LAY, Murry M.	1st Lt US.	0-389879	9 Jan 45
69.	DECKER, Paul Eugene	Pvt USA.	19013600	10 Jan 45
70.	DELMORE, Thomas	Capt USA.	0-363944	9 Jan 45
71.	DEBERRY, Claude A.	Pfc USA.	6274731	9 Jan 45
72.	DeRUSSO, Johnny A.	MM 1/c USN	207-19-41	3 Jan 45
73.	DIAL, Nathaniel M.	Lt USN	4363	9 Jan 45
74.	LIECKEL N, John Henry	WOJG USA.	Unknown	9 Jan 45
75.	DOLK, Myren E.	Cpl	20900702	9 Jan 45
76.	DOMMEL, John T.	BM 2/c USN	299-50-84	8 Jan 45
77.	LORIAN, George Edward	CWO USA.	W-800302	2 Jan 45
78.	LORIAN, Walter W.	Capt USA.	0-319390	9 Jan 45
79.	DOUGLASS, Francis M.	Lt USN	Unknown	10 Jan 45
80.	DRAFER, Courtney R.	1st Lt USA.	0-343928	9 Jan 45
81.	DULLEY, William Alfred	GUN Sgt USMC	230835	9 Jan 45

82.	ELMENS, Howard J.	Lt Col USA.	0-11805	27 Dec 44
83.	ELLIS, Jack L.	1st Lt USA.	0-416566	9 Jan 45
84.	ENGLISH, Phillips B.	Sgt USA.	R-1013509	3 Jan 45
85.	ENGLISH, Jimmie G.	1st Lt	0-386983	9 Jan 45
86.	ENGLISH, William Robin	Capt USA.	0-352113	9 Jan 45
87.	ERICSON, Ervid Elvin	Capt USA.	0-308945	9 Jan 45
88.	EVANS, Franklin	Cpl USA.	18011721	9 Jan 45
89.	EVANS, Melvin W.	Capt USA.	0-355953	9 Jan 45
90.	F. IRL, Norton R.	Civ USN		9 Jan 45
91.	F. JNIK, Nickolas	M/Sgt USA.	6444607	9 Jan 45
92.	FINK, Hugh H.	Capt USA.	0-330722	9 Jan 45
93.	FISHER, Wayne A.	Capt USA.	0-302135	9 Jan 45
94.	FLAME, Peter Michael	Cpt USA.	6525830	9 Jan 45
95.	FLYNN, John P.	1st Lt USA.	0-890097	9 Jan 45
96.	FORD, Jack A.	Capt USA.	0-2974411	8 Jan 45
97.	FORD, Ralph P.	1st Lt USA.	0-341515	9 Jan 45
98.	FOSTER, William N.	Capt USA.	0-307216	9 Jan 45
99.	FOYT, Albert J.	Civ USA.		9 Jan 45
100.	FERGUSON, Earl W.	Ensign USN	99185	9 Jan 45
101.	FRANLSEN, Earl C.	Major USA.	0-225574	9 Jan 45
102.	FRANKS, Stephen A.	Capt USA.	0-890284	9 Jan 45
103.	FREEL, Raymond A.	2nd Lt USA.	0-890394	9 Jan 45
104.	FREEMAN, Richard W.	Pfc USA.	15067955	9 Jan 45
105.	FRENCH, Paul W.	Ensign	105263	9 Jan 45
106.	FRITTS, Jack B.	Capt USA.	0-360552	1 Jan 45
107.	FRUTIGER, Thomas	1st Lt USA.	0-303193	9 Jan 45
108.	FRY, John B.	1st Lt. USA.	0-890168	9 Jan 45

109.	FUELSCHER, Kenneth	1st Lt USA.	0-313570	9 Jan 45
110.	GABLE, Edgar S.	1st Lt USA.	0-890018	9 Jan 45
111.	GABELGARD, Irwin W.	Capt USA.	0-244326	9 Jan 45
112.	GARWICH, Warren Arthur	Lt USNR	0-70902	1 Jan 45
113.	GEISMAN, Milton B.	1st Lt USA.	0-272344	9 Jan 45
114.	GEISMAN, Willis T.	Capt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
115.	GERHARD, Edward A. Jr.	Ensign USN	96603	9 Jan 45
116.	GERTH, Herman F.	1st Lt USA.	0-384199	9 Jan 45
117.	GIFFIN, Levis E.	M T/Sgt USMC	169647	9 Jan 45
118.	GIMSON, Mark E.	Pfc USA.	6579415	9 Jan 45
119.	GINZL, John J.	Cpl USA.	16026861	9 Jan 45
120.	GIRZI, Edward E.	1st Lt USA.	0-301159	9 Jan 45
121.	GLEBIS, Anthony L.	2nd Lt USA.	0-427835	9 Jan 45
122.	GLENTZER, Paul Charles	Cpl USA.	38011825	9 Jan 45
123.	GODSEY, Frank	S/Sgt USA.	424844	8 Jan 45
124.	GOING, Roland Erick	PHM 1/c USN	316-42-29	9 Jan 45
125.	GOLDEN, Leo B. Jr.	2nd Lt USA.	0-412104	9 Jan 45
126.	GOODISKI, Everett A.	2nd Lt USA.	0-890437	9 Jan 45
127.	GORDON, Melvin E.	S/Sgt	19002906	9 Jan 45
128.	GRANT, Marion D.	(CBM USN	267-81-64	9 Jan 45
129.	GRAY, Warren	Civ ATS		9 Jan 45
130.	GREEN, Carl	Pfc USA.	38020807	9 Jan 45
131.	GREENWOOD, George H.	Lt Sg USN	79250	9 Jan 45
132.	GREGORICH, Mathew, J.	Pfc USA.	19016633	9 Jan 45
133.	GRIFFIN, Edward R. J.	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
134.	GRIFFITH, John Graham	2nd Lt USA.	0-401221	31 Dec 44
135.	GRIGNON, Andrew O.	2nd Lt USA.	0-890037	9 Jan 45

136.	GUIN, Carroll M.	2nd Lt USA	0-422640	9 Jan 45
137.	GURE, John	2nd Lt USA	0-890398	9 Jan 45
138.	GUYON, Charles A C.	Ch SF USN	222-77-55	9 Jan 45 *a
139.	GAYNN, Benjamin B.	1st Lt USA	0-423165	9 Jan 45
140.	HABECKER, Reuben Edward	Pfc USA	18017519	9 Jan 45
141.	HAINES, Luey E.	Cpl USA	18049923	9 Jan 45
142.	HAIR, John G.	Civ USA		11 Jan 45
143.	HANLSON, Clyde H.	(Pfc USA	6995980	9 Jan 45
144.	HARLBOREE, Howard P.	2nd Lt USA	0-906541	9 Jan 45
145.	HARRINGTON, William B.	Lt	Unknown	9 Jan 45
146.	HARRIS, Hozie M.	Cpl USA	18029610	9 Jan 45
147.	HARRISON, Melvin L.	1st Lt USA	0-890372	9 Jan 45
148.	HARTMAN, Allison L.	Capt USA	0-352016	9 Jan 45
149.	HASE, James O.	1st Lt USA	0-394987	9 Jan 45
150.	HATCH, John D.	Pvt USA	19048705	9 Jan 45
151.	HAYES, Thomas H.	Comdr USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
152.	HAYNES, William	Plat Sgt USMC	219993	9 Jan 45
153.	HEINRICH, Clarence Casper	Major USA	0-890365	9 Jan 45
154.	HEISINGER, Samuel Jr.	Major USA	0-358142	9 Jan 45
155.	HENRY, Dale	2nd Lt USA	0-890590	9 Jan 45
156.	HENSON, Lewis H.	Pfc USA	14009498	9 Jan 45
157.	HERBOLL, Alfred James	2nd Lt USA	0-423105	9 Jan 45
158.	HINKLE, Virgil L.	Pvt USA	15061735	9 Jan 45
159.	HOBBS, Vernon Daniel Jr.	1st Lt USA	0-393020	4 Jan 45
160.	HOFFMEYER, Harry C.	Major USA	0-220831	9 Jan 45
161.	HOLDEN, Alvin Read	Pvt USA	19010989	10 Jan 45
162.	HOLLIS, Dwight Morgan	2nd Lt	0-427129	9 Jan 45

163..	HOOKER, Thane Haines	Capt USA	0-386191	9 Jan 45
164..	HOUSE, Thomas W.	Cpl USA	6384925	9 Jan 45
165..	HULLLESON, Clyde H.	Capt USMC	Unknown	12 Jan 45
166..	HUNKINS, Dwight T.	Capt USA	0-22299	10 Jan 45
167.	HUNT, J. B.	Capt USA	0-890524	9 Jan 45
168..	IGN. SZEWSKI, Frank	Major USA	0-191861	9 Jan 45
169..	INGERSOLL, Herbert Victor	Capt USA	0-235540	11 Jan 45
170..	JACKSON, Peter S.	S/Sgt USA	6570355	9 Jan 45
171..	JACKSON, Robert A.	WO USA	Unknown	9 Jan 45
172..	JENKINS, George Marland	S/Sgt	6277842	9 Jan 45
173..	JENKINS, Lacey C.	WO USA	W-2101054	9 Jan 45
174..	JENNINGS, Edmond Ernest	1st Lt USA	0-363097	9 Jan 45
175..	JOHNSON, Byron L.	1st Lt	0-415453	9 Jan 45
176..	JOHNSON, Lee	Major USA	0-168697	9 Jan 45
177..	JOHNSON, Robert Henry Glass	Lt USN	Unknown	11 Jan 45
178..	JOHNSTON, Philip D.	Lt Comdr USN	13992	10 Jan 45
179..	JORDON, Boder D.	2nd Lt	Unknown	9 Jan 45
180..	KIBAKOV, James	Capt USA	0-890041	9 Jan 45
181..	KIMSTEL, Oliver Richard	M/Sgt USA	6229887	9 Jan 45
182..	KASTER, Jack, L.	1st Lt USA	0-320844	28 Dec 44
183..	KLUFFLANN, George M.	Capt USA	0-268107	9 Jan 45
184..	KLYE, William R.	Ensign USN	9939	9 Jan 45
185..	KEETON, Leland Leslie	Pvt USA	37055672	9 Jan 45
186..	KEMPF, Orion Victor	Lt Col USA	0-17372	9 Jan 45
187..	KING, John V.	Major USA	0-165547	9 Jan 45
188..	KING, Stuart W.	Major USMC	Unknown	12 Jan 45
189..	KIRCHER, Albert Joseph	Major USA	0-300017	10 Jan 45

190.	KIRK, Weldon H.	Capt	0-289420	4 Dec 45
191.	KLEIN, Louis Crawford	1st Lt USA	890038	9 Dec 45
192.	KLITCHKO, Aaron	Civ USA		1 Dec 45
193.	KOENIG, Raymond W.	Cpl USA	6903104	5 Dec 45
194.	KOWLSKE, Oscar C.	Major USA	0-285447	9 Dec 45
195.	KUNCL, Clarence James	1st Lt USA	0-386838	9 Dec 45
196.	LALE, Charles Grant	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	9 Dec 45
197.	LALLY, Robert W.	Lt USN	75714	9 Dec 45
198.	LANE, Harry R.	Cpl USA	6653898	9 Dec 45
199.	LARSEN, Peter F.	2nd Lt USA	0-412518	9 Dec 45
200.	LAUSEN, Stanley M.	WO USA	W-2101252	9 Dec 45
201.	LEMLER, Albert W.	Pfc USA	6573338	9 Dec 45
202.	LEHIGH, Stanley A.	Lt USN	72559	4 Dec 45
203.	LEE, Henry G.	1st Lt USA	0-349202	9 Dec 45
204.	LEHR, Philip M.	Capt USA	0-21841	31 Dec 44
205.	LEIGHTON, Harry R.	Major USA	0-16296	9 Jan 45
206.	LEONARD, John T.	1st Lt USA	0-395693	9 Jan 45
207.	LESLIE, Ben F.	Pvt USA	38011878	9 Jan 45
208.	LE SUEUR, Taylor A. Jr.	Cpl USA	18032381	10 Jan 45
209.	LINDEUTH, Richard P.	CWO	Unknown	9 Jan 45
210.	LINDSAY, James R.	Lt Col	0-15374	9 Jan 45
211.	LIPPINCOTT, Joseph R.	Lt USN	6088	30 Dec 44
212.	LOCKWOOD, Hanford N. Jr.	Lt Col USA	0-8248	9 Jan 45
213.	LOGAN, Carl E.	Cpl USMC	295159	9 Jan 45
214.	LONG, Paul L.	S/Sgt USA	6859204	9 Jan 45
215.	LOUPE, John M.	Capt USA	0-358661	9 Jan 45
216.	LOVEGREEN, William F.	2nd Lt USA	0-412522	9 Jan 45

217.	LOWERY, John W.	Capt USA.	0-366803	9 Jan 45
218.	LUIKART, John C.	Lt Col USA	0-219022	9 Jan 45
219.	LYNCH, John J.	2nd Lt USA	0-426890	9 Jan 45
220.	LYONS, Leonard L. Jr.	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
221.	MCCANI, Gordon E.	2nd Lt USA	0-427456	9 Jan 45
222.	MCCON, John H.	Capt USA	0-348926	9 Jan 45
223.	MAGEE, Robert K.	1st Lt	0-386968	9 Jan 45
224.	MANNING, Walter P.	Lt Col USA.	0-20056	9 Jan 45
225.	MANUEL, Robert R.	C/O USA.	W-901312	3 Jan 45
226.	MARKHAM, Warren H.	1st Lt USA.	0-385896	6 Jan 45
227.	MARTIN, Homer J.	1st Lt USA.	0-890227	11 Jan 45 *b
228.	MASSEY, Howard I.	S Sgt	Unknown	9 Jan 45
229.	MASSIE, Claude E.	Sgt USA.	R-152851	31 Dec 44
230.	MAVERICK, William Houston	Lt Col USA.	0-174512	9 Jan 45
231.	MAY, Milton E.	2nd Lt USA	0-890205	9 Jan 45
232.	MCCAIN, John A.	Major USA.	0-890212	9 Jan 45
233.	MCCARTHY, Joseph L.	Capt USA.	0-250077	9 Jan 45
234.	MCCOLLOUGH, Henry M.	Cpl USA.	34018598	12 Jan 45
235.	Mc KINLEY, Clinton W.	Capt USA.	0-377719	9 Jan 45
236.	McILHATTAN, Vernold G.	Capt USA.	0-362731	10 Jan 45
237.	McMICHAEL, William J.	WOJG USA	Unknown	9 Jan 45
238.	McMUGHTON, Roland C.	Capt USA.	0-362479	9 Jan 45
239.	MEGREN, John B.	1st Lt USA.	0-383163	29 Dec 44
240.	MELIER, Philip H.	Capt USA.	0-373974	9 Jan 45
241.	MEIGS, Carl W.	Major USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
242.	MELVIN, Jack L.	2nd Lt USA.	Unknown	28 Dec 44
243.	MERCURIO, John	M/Gun Sgt	183799	9 Jan 45

244.	METCALF, John C.	Ensign USN	101105	9 Jan 45
245.	MILKS, Robert C.	2nd Lt USA	0-890209	9 Jan 45
246.	MILLER, Kenneth G.	2nd Lt USA	0-420751	9 Jan 45
247.	MILLER, Leslie E.	Pfc USA	35104372	9 Jan 45
248.	MILLER, Wayne E.	Sgt Maj USMC	203621	9 Jan 45
249.	MILLIGAN, Joseph C.	2nd Lt USA	0-427162	9 Jan 45
250.	MINSKER, Harry Custer	1st Lt USA	0-352385	9 Jan 45
251.	MIRABEL, Nateno	S/Sgt USA	R-855636	1 Jan 45
252.	MOFFETT, Albert W.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
253.	MONTGOMERY, Jackson P.	Pfc USA	38027204	31 Dec 44
254.	MOORE, Charles	WOJG USA	Unknown	9 Jan 45
255.	MOORE, Paul E.	Capt USA	0-248365	12 Jan 45
256.	MOREY, Harold A.	1st Lt USA	0-391021	9 Jan 45
257.	MORGAN, Donald R.	Maj USA	0-277312	9 Jan 45
258.	MORGAN, Otis F.	1st Lt USA	0-362652	9 Jan 45
259.	LOYER, Floyd J.	Pvt USA	6215565	27 Dec 44
260.	MUNROE, William Leonard	Ph M 1/c USN	3162209	9 Jan 45
261.	MUSSO, Anthony	Pfc USA	6834775	9 Jan 45
262.	NEEDHAM, John C.	Ensign USN	Unknown	11 Jan 45
263.	NEGLEY, Albert S. B.	2nd Lt USA	0-890294	9 Jan 45
264.	NELSON, Robert Virgil	Maj USA	0-20480	9 Jan 45
265.	NICHOLSON, Bruce	C Ph M USN	3554951	9 Jan 45
266.	NIXON, John B.	1st Lt USA	0-340533	1 Jan 45
267.	NOBLE, William Frederick	2nd Lt USA	Unknown	9 Jan 45
268.	NORRIS, Henderson B.	Pfc USA	18031557	9 Jan 45
269.	NORTBY, Walter L.	1st Lt USA	0-890216	9 Jan 45
270.	NOURSE, Robert William	2nd Lt USA	0-405267	9 Jan 45

271:	NUTTER, Hugh R.	Capt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
272:	O'BRIEN; John F.	CWO USN	Unknown	31 Dec 44
273:	OLMSTED, James N.	M Gun Sgt USMC	175361	9 Jan 45
274:	OLMANSKY; Herman	Pfc USA	37026102	9 Jan 45
275:	ORDUN, Maurice B.	1st Lt USA	0-890375	9 Jan 45
276:	OSE, Alven S.	2nd Lt USA	0-427647	9 Jan 45
277:	OVERTON, Andrew Lee	S 1/c USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
278:	O'EN, Woody T.	2nd Lt USA	0-427650	9 Jan 45
279:	PARCHER, Lawrence W.	1st Lt USA	0-330702	9 Jan 45
280:	PARKER, Rafe A.	Pvt USA	18031173	9 Jan 45
281:	PARKER, William R.	Pfc USA	38012515	9 Jan 45
282:	PATRICK, Thomas W. Jr.	2nd Lt USA	0-412150	9 Jan 45
283:	PAULGER, Claude W.	2nd Lt USA	0-418164	9 Jan 45
284:	P. UL, Sidney F.	Capt USA	0-308698	29 Dec 44
285:	PEARCE, William H.	Lt (jg) USN	Unknown	6 Jan 45
286:	PEARSALL, Lester J. Jr.	2nd Lt US	0-430467	9 Jan 45
287:	PEARSON, Paul Eugene	Capt USA	0-279297	9 Jan 45
288:	PESHEK, Michael E.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
289:	PETTIT, Robert Charles	Major USA	0-300166	9 Jan 45
290:	PEAFF, Gerald R.	2nd Lt USA	0-418582	9 Jan 45
291:	PHILLIPS, James A.	2nd Lt US	0-412159	9 Jan 45
292:	PLANT, William Hendry	Ensign USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
293:	POLLA, Hector J.	1st Lt USA	0-24016	11 Jan 45
294:	PORTZ, Warner Philip	Comdr USN	Unknown	7 Jan 45
295:	POWELL, Francis B.	Pvt USA	18035330	4 Jan 45 *c
296:	PRICHARD, Lawrence	Major US	0-20292	9 Jan 45
297:	BUCKETT; Vernon F.	ChMM USN	380-40-68	9 Jan 45

298.	QUALLS, Lawrence L.	Pvt USA	6558392	9 Jan 45
299.	QUESNELL, Frank J.	Pvt USA	16003827	9 Jan 45
300.	QUINLAN, John	Pvt USA	19054511	9 Jan 45
301.	RAHE, John E.	Pfc USA	6938046	11 Jan 45
302.	RANDOLPH, William P.	2nd Lt USA	0-890139	9 Jan 45
303.	RASCHICK, Richard E.	Ensign USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
304.	RATHBLOTT, Irving	1st Lt USA	0-402449	9 Jan 45
305.	RAYMONL, Fred Luman	Lt USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
306.	RAYMONL, Nelson W.	Major USA	0-235991	9 Jan 45
307.	REDFIELD, Martin E.	1st Lt USA	0-355977	30 Dec 44
308.	REIDER, Leo	S Sgt	6523059	9 Jan 45
309.	RHOLES, Thomas H.	2nd Lt USA	0-890104	12 Jan 45
310.	ROBERTS, Clifford E.	Pfc USA	6580660	3 Jan 45
311.	ROBERTS, Elton W.	1st Lt USA	0-890036	9 Jan 45
312.	ROBERTS, Robert K.	Capt USA	0-385724	9 Jan 45
313.	ROBINSON, Winfield N.	Major USA	0-252203	10 Jan 45
314.	ROBINTON, Roy	Capt USMC	0-12852	9 Jan 45
315.	ROGERS, Harry W.	Pvt USA	38021650	9 Jan 45
316.	ROGERS, Iven E.	2nd Lt USA	0-890401	9 Jan 45
317.	ROGERS, Paul D.	Civ (USN)		9 Jan 45
318.	ROSENTHAL, Herbert J.	Lt USN	63983	9 Jan 45
319.	ROSHE, Richard Albert	Capt USA	0-394922	7 Jan 45
320.	ROSS, Leslie G.	Major USA	0-17161	5 Jan 45
321.	ROTHERHAM, Wilfred	Major USA	0-286980	9 Jan 45
322.	ROWLAND, Ralph L.	Capt USA	0-236184	9 Jan 45
323.	RUBY, James C.	Pfc USA	19003132	12 Jan 45
324.	RUMBOLL, Ralph E.	Major USA	0-16588	11 Jan 45
325.	RUSH, William E.	Ch RM USN	201-10-50	9 Jan 45

326.	RUTHERFORD, John Dewitte	Cpl	18006590	9 Jan 45
327.	SALLEE, Vern R. Jr.	Pvt USA	19046261	9 Jan 45
328.	SAUNDERS, Wilburn Russell Jr.	1st Lt USA	0-340119	9 Jan 45
329.	SAXTON, Robert L.	2nd Lt USA	0-390453	9 Jan 45
330.	SCARBOROUGH, Francis H.	Capt USA	0-377415	9 Jan 45
331.	SCHADE, Lester A.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
332.	SCHNABEL, Charles William	CPHM USN	375-24-31	9 Jan 45
333.	SCHWARTZ, Abe	2nd Lt USA	0-890089	9 Jan 45
334.	SEALE, Beresford	1st Sgt USA	R-322730	10 Jan 45
335.	SEITLER, Kenneth J.	2nd Lt USA	890582	7 Jan 45
336.	SHAMBLIN, Otho L.	Capt USA	0-405165	9 Jan 45
337.	SHAW, Carl E.	Pfc USA	18052577	9 Jan 45
338.	SHAW, John Colin	1st Lt USA	0-377822	9 Jan 45
339.	SHAWVER, Henry Charles	Capt USA	0-349660	9 Jan 45
340.	SHERIDAN, Dennis Patrick Jr.	Capt USA	0-371971	9 Jan 45
341.	SHERK, Robert H.	1st Lt USA	0-890231	9 Jan 45
342.	SHONE, Thomas B.	Capt USA	0-362513	9 Jan 45
343.	SHORT, Edward Leveridge	Capt USA	0-890050	9 Jan 45
344.	SHULTZ, Paul	Capt	0-336590	9 Jan 45
345.	SHUPP, Clayton Cass	1st Lt USA	0-364297	9 Jan 45
346.	SIGRIST, Henry E.	2nd Lt USA	0-423254	9 Jan 45
347.	SKIVER, Russell E.	Ch CM USN	310-72-31	9 Jan 45
348.	SMARR, Lawrence Kern	Capt USA	0-303822	9 Jan 45
349.	SMELCER, Charles L.	Pfc USA	18052698	9 Jan 45
350.	SMITH, Edgar B.	2nd Lt USA	0-408862	9 Jan 45
351.	SMITH, Elza R.	T Sgt USA	6523514	12 Jan 45
352.	SMITH, Joseph Francis	2nd Lt USA	0-419027	9 Jan 45
353.	SMITH, Milo O.	1st Lt USA	0-330002	9 Jan 45

354.	SNEED, Charles Roy	Major USA.	0-373918	9 Jan 45
355.	SNOKE, Donald R.	Capt USA	0-21971	9 Jan 45
356.	SNYLER, Robert G.	Pfc USMC	289965	28 Dec 44
357.	STALEY, Darrel S.	1st Sgt USMC	222385	9 Jan 45
358.	STEARNS, Benton Hammond	Lt USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
359.	STEELE, Arthur	Pvt USA	15017133	7 Jan 45
360.	STEPHENS, William H.	Capt USA	0-890362	10 Jan 45
361.	STEVENS, Lee E.	Capt USA	0-890085	9 Jan 45
362.	STIRNI, Joseph W.	Ensign USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
363.	STOBER, Henry B.	Capt USA	0-356939	5 Jan 45
364.	SULLIVAN, Leon	Ch GM USN	2014232	10 Jan 45
365.	SWANN, Thomas Earl	S/Sgt USA	6773559	4 Jan 45
366.	TAYLOR, Herbert H.	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
367.	TEEM, Linzia C.	Ch TM USN	2675942	2 Jan 45
368.	THORMAN, Russell C.	Capt USA	0-365452	9 Jan 45
369.	THWING, Robert Neil	Pfc USA	19028641	9 Jan 45
370.	TREACY, George J.	Capt USA	0-319226	9 Jan 45
371.	TRUMP, Herbert R.	Lt Comdr USN	Unknown	11 Jan 45
372.	TUCKER, Lee C.	2nd Lt USA	0-890142	9 Jan 45
373.	TUGGLE, James R.	Capt USA	0-374026	11 Jan 45 *d
374.	ULMER, John Cassidy	CPh M USN	3281726	9 Jan 45
375.	UNLERWOOD, Melvin E.	Lt Col USA	0-354208	11 Jan 45
376.	VAN ARSDALL, George A.	1st Lt USA	0-371366	9 Jan 45
377.	VANCE, Guy	Fire l/c	2744308	9 Jan 45
378.	VAN NOSTRAND, William	Lt Col USA	0-29522	9 Jan 45 *e
379.	VANTURE, George D.	Lt Col USA	0-12668	9 Jan 45
380.	WAGGONER, William H. Jr.	1st Lt USA	0-393695	9 Jan 45
381.	WAGNER, Lloyd E.	Capt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45

382.	WALKER, Allan B.	1st Lt USA	0-890149	8 Jan 45
383.	WARREN, Miller P.	Major USA	0-19280	9 Jan 45
384.	WATERS, Bennett H.	Pvt USA	14028009	9 Jan 45
385.	WEBB, John T.	1st Lt USA	0-393858	8 Jan 45
386.	WELCH, John Lytle	Lt USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
387.	WELCHKO, Cecil R.	Capt USA	0-374478	9 Jan 45
388.	WELSH, Clyde Lionel	Lt Comdr USNR	Unknown	9 Jan 45
389.	WERNER, Malden	Pvt USA	6862140	9 Jan 45
390.	WHALEY, Milton	Capt USA	0-389187	9 Jan 45
391.	WHITE, Clarence H.	Major USA	0-19669	11 Jan 45
392.	WHITE, John T.	GunSgt USMC	Unknown	9 Jan 45
393.	WHITMAN, Harry Gill Jr.	Ensign USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45
394.	WHOLEY, Timothy J.	1st Lt USA	0-340463	9 Jan 45
395.	WILCOX, Albert P.	Capt USA	0-319806	9 Jan 45
396.	WILLEFORD, Lee V.	Pvt USA	19051248	12 Jan 45
397.	WILLIAMS, Cliff C.	1st Lt USA	0-890090	9 Jan 45
398.	WILLIS, Albert M.	Cpl USA	6566143	31 Dec 44
399.	WILLIAMS, William Robinson	1st Lt USA	0-890015	9 Jan 45
400.	WILSON, Alvin T.	Lt Col USA	0-149499	9 Jan 45
401.	WILSON, Charles Henry	Major USA	0-137206	9 Jan 45
402.	WILSON, Frank Herman	Pfc USA	6583565	8 Jan 45
403.	WINGO, Peronneau B.	Ensign USN	Unknown	1 Jan 45
404.	WINSCHUH, John H.	1st Lt USA	0-340262	9 Jan 45
405.	WIORA, Henry Harold	1st Lt USA	0-312062	9 Jan 45
406.	WITTEN, Oliver B.	Lt Col USA	0-332453	9 Jan 45
407.	WOOLBRIDGE, John Prichard	Lt Col USA	0-16478	9 Jan 45
408.	WOOLSIDE, John S.	Ensign USN	Unknown	9 Jan 45

409.	YOUNG, Joseph M.	2nd Lt USA	Unknown	30 Dec 44
410.	ZANIRATO, Peter A.	S/Sgt USA	6549545	12 Jan 45
411.	ZERFAS, Mathias Edward	Capt USA	0-382274	9 Jan 45

BRITISH

1.	GIBBS, William Giun	Drummer	4857818	3 Jan 45
2.	KNOWLES, Charles H. V.	Capt	Unknown	9 Jan 45
3.	MARTIN, James	Lance Bomb Army	4915116	9 Jan 45
4.	SHALES, John Henry Archibald	Pvt Army	5572887	9 Jan 45
5.	SMITH, Frank	Lance Sgt Army	5932071	9 Jan 45
6.	STEEL, Leslie A.	Pvt Army	Unknown	9 Jan 45
7.	TRAPP, Edwin	Pvt Army	3769881	11 Jan 45

CZECHOSLOVAKIAN

1.	BZUCH, Jan	Civ USA		9 Jan 45
2.	HRLINA, Jaroslav	Civ USA		9 Jan 45
3.	VARAK, Joseph	Civ USA		9 Jan 45
4.	VOLNEY, Anthony G.	Civ USA		9 Jan 45

CANADIAN

1.	MORRIS, Garnet G.	Civ		10 Jan 45
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NORWEGIAN

1.	ASHEIM, Bjarne	Civ USA		5 Jan 45
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NAME	RANK	ASN	ORGANIZATION	CAUSE	DATE OF DEATH	PLACE
Lawrence P. Bernard	Pvt	19056328	59th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/9/44	At Sea
Chester B. McCalla Jr.	Pvt	14026174	27th Bomb.	Heat Exhaustion-Malaria	10/27/44	Takao
Anthony K. Tamlevich	Cpl	6886520	31st Inf.	Heat Exhaustion	10/11/44	Hong Kong
Charles R. Gregory	Pvt	19032202	FEAF	Heat Exhaustion-Malaria	10/12/44	Hong Kong
Henry A. Cicock	Pfc	17015793	59th CAC	Pneumonia	10/12/44	Hong Kong
Walter E. Hurelle	Pfc	18043764	60th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/13/44	Hong Kong
Reville A. Murray	Pfc	18018179	59th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/13/44	Hong Kong
Benedicto C. DeBalo	Pvt	18035240	QMC	Heat Exhaustion	10/14/44	Hong Kong
Gerald W. Sharp	Pvt	19020145	19th AB	Heat Exhaustion-Dysentary	10/29/44	Takao
Howard Q. Sabin	Capt		M.C.	Heat Exhaustion	10/6/44	At Sea
Paul W. Woodward	Civilian			Heat Exhaustion	10/7/44	At Sea
Norman P. Thenell	Sgt	6575377		Heat Exhaustion	10/6/44	At Sea
Lloyd H. Halverson Jr.	Pm 1/c	376-03-46	USN	Heat Exhaustion	10/9/44	At Sea
Fred R. Dalian	Pvt	19012677	59th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/10/44	At Sea
Philipp Hayes	Pvt	5956293	B.A.	Dysentary	10/17/44	Hong Kong Bay
_____ Serduuk	S Sgt		A.C.	Taken ashore with Amoebic Dysentary		Takao
_____ Hughes	Survivor of sunken ship			Tetanus Exposure	Camp No. 5	Formosa

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1 OCTOBER TO 9 NOVEMBER 1944

NAME	RANK	ASN	ORGANIZATION	CAUSE	DATE OF DEATH	PLACE
William D. Bowra	Cpl	38012162	200th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/3/44	At Sea
Clarence J. Strand	Major	0-311422	M.C.	Heat Exhaustion	10/8/44	At Sea
James D. Parsons	Pfc		200th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/8/44	At Sea
George L. Anderson	Sgt	16034786	Hq H.P.D.	Heat Exhaustion	10/8/44	At Sea
Miramón Maldando		38012183	200th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/9/44	At Sea
Curtis L. Chapel	Cpl		59th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/9/44	At Sea
I. Poulimenos		17025756		Heat Exhaustion	10/9/44	At Sea
John I. Cotton			200th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/9/44	At Sea
A. Hnidak	S Sgt	20843315	515th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/10/44	At Sea
Jesse D. Barnett	Pvt	19051451	A.C. 19th B.	Heat Exhaustion	10/10/44	At Sea
Arthur G. Van Pelt		56075416	192nd Tk	Heat Exhaustion	10/10/44	At Sea
Wm. A. McVay	Pfc	281-968	USMC 4th	Heat Exhaustion	10/11/44	At Sea
Koleka Fski, Don C.	Pfc	17012198	59th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/11/44	At Sea
Carl E. Doemer		38011949	200th CAC	Heat Exhaustion	10/12/44	Hong Kong
Louis J. Oben	Ch/Rad USN	305-25-20	C/RM	Heat Exhaustion	10/10/44	Hong Kong
John B. Lawrence	Pfc	33029214	CWS	Heat Exhaustion	10/12/44	Hong Kong
Frank J. Sanchez	Pfc	38012210	200th CAC	Heat Exhaustion-Pneumonia	10/12/44	Hong Kong
Richard S. Clarke	Sgt	6296282	19th Bomb.	Heat Exhaustion	10/12/44	Hong Kong
Floyd W. Garland	Pfc	11013589	48th Mat Sq A.C.	Pneumonia Beri-Beri	10/15/44	Hong Kong Bay
Max Adleman	Pfc	12011969	H.R.D.	Heat Exhaustion-Pneumonia	10/18/44	Hong Kong Bay

CHAPLAIN'S MONTHLY REPORT
MONTH OF January 1945

Camp No. 5, Shirakawa, Formosa

NAME: Leslie F. Zimmerman DENOMINATION: Disciples of Christ

ASSIGNMENT: Camp No. 5, Formosa APPROXIMATE STRENGTH: 600 (178 Americans)

I. Religious

<u>Sunday</u> (At Camp No. 5)			<u>Week Day</u> (At Sea)		
<u>Number</u>	<u>Types</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Types</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
1	Holy Communion (Communicants) (At Sea)	21	6	(Evening Devotions)	3000
2	Joint Religious Services	1000			
2	Protestant Services	265			
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5	TOTAL	1286	6	TOTAL	3000

II. Pastoral
(At Camp No. 5)

<u>Number</u>	<u>Types</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
1	Hospital Visits	42
12	Personal Conferences,	12
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13	TOTAL	54

III. Other
(At Camp No. 5)

<u>Number</u>	<u>Types</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
1	Choir Party (At Sea)	21
9	Recreation Programs	4500
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10	TOTAL	4521

Deaths at Camp No. 3 - contd.

WILLIAM G. ALLEN - Corp. M.C. U.S.A. Born () age 27, died 3/26/45.
Empyema, Camp 3-B, Cremated. Nearest relative: Mrs. C. L. Mack, Fort
Bragg, California.

HOUSTON I. DAVIS - 219708, P/Sgt U.S.M.C. Born 6/29/07. Died 3/28/45.
Camp 3-B. Cremated. Beri-Beri, Cardiac Failure. Nearest relative
Mrs. Joseph Srygley, Rt 4 Box 310, Beaumont, Texas.

ERNEST A CHAVEZ - Sgt, 200th CAC, 20842750, Born 8/12/10, died 5/24/45.
Camp 3-B. Bronchitis, Pneumonia. Cremated 5/25/45, Hosokura. Nearest
Relative: Mrs. Lucy Santillanes, 409 E. Cleveland Avenue, Alberquerque,
New Mexico.

ERBERT E. CARSON - Smm 1/c U.S.N. Tanager, Winslow, Arizona B-7/30/22,
died 5/26/45. Camp 3-B, Malnutrition, Beri-Beri, Heart. Cremated
5/26/45. Nearest relative: Mrs. Mary I. Carson, 1147 Harvard Avenue,
Roseburg, Oregon.

ORRAN EDWIN CRANDALL - 19012439, Sgt 228th Sig. Ser. Co. Home: Providence
Rhode Island. Mrs. Edna F. Crandall, mother. Box 32B, Westwood,
California. Died August 12, 1945, Bronchitis and Malnutrition. Cremated
August 13, Hosokura, Japan.

EDWARD WARRELL - 5829596, Pvt 4th Suffolks. Mother 44 Ellington Street,
Holloway, London N. 7. Killed by airdrop 8/28/45. Hosokura. Cremated
8/29.

CARL D. GANN - 360-15-25, EM 1/c U.S.N. Mother R#1, Dayton, Texas.
Killed by airdrop 8/28/45 Camp 3, Cremated 8/29/45.

ORYOKU MARU - ENOURA MARU - BRAZIL MARU

PHASE I - 13 Dec 44 through 15 Dec 44 , aboard the "ORYOKU MARU."

The subject decedent was one of approximately 1620 American and Allied Prisoners of War who were taken from the prison camps of Cabanatuan and Bilibid P. I. by the Japanese in early December, 1944 for transportation to Japan. At Manila, the POW's were loaded aboard, and crowded into the holds of, the Japanese transport, "Oryoku Maru". This ship departed Manila on 13 December 1944. During the ensuing two days, approximately 100 POW's died as a result of suffocation, caused by the extremely crowded conditions of the ship's holds and the lack of proper ventilation. On the night of 14 Dec 1944, the "Oryoku Maru" was attacked and strafed by U. S. Navy planes off Subic Bay, Luzon, P. I. On the following morning, 15 Dec 1944; after having entered Subic Bay and anchored off Olongapo, the ship was bombed and sunk, killing approximately 125 POW's. Approximately 55 were shot and killed by Japanese rifle and machine-gun fire, while evacuating the bombed ship and swimming towards shore. The remains of these, as well as those of the POW's who had died previous to the bombing, were lost in the waters of Subic Bay.

PHASE II - 15 Dec 44 through 27 Dec 44, ashore on Luzon

The surviving POW's, totaling approximately 1340, were herded into a tennis court at Olongapo, P. I., after having successfully reached shore. The POW's were kept in the tennis court inclosure for four days with no shelter and little clothing for protection against the exceedingly hot days and penetratingly cold nights. On 20 Dec 1944, the POW's were transferred by trucks, to San Fernando, Pampanga, Luzon, P. I., and were crowded into the municipal jail and a movie house. Investigations and the existence of pertinent evidence have revealed that fifteen (15) men, who comprised the most seriously wounded or ill POW's, were executed by the Japanese, and interred in a mass grave in the Municipal Cemetery at San Fernando, Pampanga. This grave has since been located and the remains disinterred by AGRS. On 24 Dec 1944, all remaining POW's were crowded into box-cars, and taken by rail to San Fernando, La Union, Luzon, P. I. They spent one day inclosed in a school-house yard at San Fernando, La Union and two days on the nearby beach.

PHASE III - 27 Dec 44 through 1 Jan 45, aboard the "ENOURA MARU" and "BRAZIL MARU" Enroute from Luzon to Takao, Formosa.

On 27 Dec 1944, the POW's were loaded aboard two Japanese transports; a large group loaded aboard the "Enoura Maru", and a smaller group, totaling

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approximately 236, placed aboard the "Brazil Maru". On the same date, these two ships departed San Fernando, La Union, Luzon, P. I. with the POW's crowded in their holds. The two ships arrived at Takao, Formosa on 1 Jan 1945 and anchored in Takao Harbor. A number of POW's had died on both ships during this trip, as a result of malnutrition, dysentery, exposure and wounds received from the previous bombing. Information derived from survivors' statements indicates that the bodies of POW's who died during the first few days of the voyage, between the Philippines and Formosa, were disposed of at sea without ceremony.

PHASE IV - 1 Jan 45 through 13 Jan 45, Takao Harbor.

While anchored in the harbor at Takao, Formosa, the smaller group of POW's aboard the "Brazil Maru" were transferred to the "Enoura Maru", thus concentrating all the POW's in the holds of the latter ship. On 9 Jan 1945, American Bombers attacked the "Enoura Maru", scoring direct bomb-hits, and killing approximately 300 POW's. Two days later, the Japanese had all bodies of dead POW's loaded in barges and transferred them to the nearby shore at Takao, where they were piled up on the beach preparatory to disposal by mass cremation. However, all information available indicates that the bodies were not cremated at that location due to the constant harassment by American planes. There is evidence indicating that the bodies were then taken to a nearby location, by native boats; and buried in mass graves. These graves have since been located and the remains disinterred by AGRS, at coordinates 120° 16' E; 22° 37' N.

PHASE V - 13 Jan 45 through 30 Jan 45, aboard the "BRAZIL MARU" enroute from Takao to Japan.

All POW's who had survived the "Enoura Maru" bombing were transferred to the holds of the "Brazil Maru", which thereafter departed Takao Harbor, Formosa, on 13 Jan 1945, heading north and bound for Japan. During the ensuing 17-day trip to Japan, the "Brazil Maru" encountered extremely cold weather, causing the deaths of many more POW's. As stated by one survivor: "One morning, snow was a couple of inches deep on the deck. Several mornings, all the sea water and over-run water was frozen solid. By Jan 20, the death rate had reached 40 per day." There were no heating facilities in the holds of the ship, and the majority of the POW's were clad in nothing more than shorts and undershirts. There were also many deaths, during this phase of the voyage, caused by malnutrition, starvation, dysentery, neglect, and wounds received from the "Enoura Maru" bombing. Evaluating information compiled from survivors' statements reveals that POW's who died aboard the "Brazil Maru" were disposed of overboard into the China Sea between Formosa and Japan. As stated by one survivor: "During the entire period of the

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boat trip from Formosa to Japan, I witnessed the evacuation of dead from our holds to the deck where the Japanese later disposed of all bodies overboard." No information has developed confirming or refuting the allegation of the Overseas Board that a number of bodies were cremated at sea in the ship's boiler fire-boxes. The "Brazil Maru" arrived at Moji, Kyushu, Japan on 30 Jan 1945, with approximately 500 POW's still alive. These men were divided into separate groups and sent to various prison camps in the vicinity of Moji; finally ending their ill-fated journey from the Philippines.

FOREWORD

The attached death lists of Prisoners of War of Allied nationalities who died en route during transfer from the Philippines to Japan Proper aboard the Japanese Prisoner of War Transport ships, the Oryoku Maru, the Enoura Maru, and the Brazil Maru, December 1944 - January 1945, were prepared from, and are based solely upon, official records of the Japanese Government Prisoner of War Information Bureau, Tokyo. (Hereafter referred to as the Bureau).

A through investigation of the Japanese records and a conference with the wartime employees of the Bureau indicate that the information reported by the Bureau during World War II through the International Red Cross Committee to the various Allied governments concerned, pertaining to the casualties incurred during this transfer, was incomplete and misleading, particularly with reference to the dates and causes of death. The scanty Japanese reports dispatched during the war would lead to the assumption that over 900 prisoners of war died in the bombing and sinking of the Oryoku Maru on 15 December 1944 in Subic Bay, Olongapo, Luzon, P. I. This, however, was discovered to be erroneous as evidenced by the affidavits executed by surviving prisoners of war and by Japanese records themselves, indicating that many of the deaths actually took place aboard the Enoura Maru and the Brazil Maru as well and that the dates of death ranged from December 1944 through January 1945.

Attention is invited to the death certificates of American Prisoners of War who died during this voyage, translated copies of which were previously forwarded to The Adjutant General, to the Commanding General, United States Army Forces, Western Pacific, and to the Commanding General, United States Army Forces, Middle Pacific. According to the Japanese officials of the Bureau, these death certificates were ostensibly prepared from information contained in a roster delivered to the Bureau by Japanese Army Lieutenant Junsaburo Toshino, who was the Prisoner of War Guard Commander during this transfer. Although discrepancies have been noted in the death certificates, it is believed that the attached lists, together with the death certificates, represent the best information available from Japanese sources. A "List of Discrepancies" is attached to each list for reference.

Henry T. Omachi
HENRY T. OMACHI
1st Lt Inf AUS
Translations Officer
AG-GHQ-FEC-APO 500

15 November 1947

*Longwood
Hall*

DEATH LIST
OF
PRISONERS OF WAR
WHO DIED
ABOARD THE
ORYOKU MARU
DECEMBER 1944

*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Americans								284
British								4
Dutch								2
Norwegian								2
Czechoslovakian								1
German.								1
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TOTAL								294

SECTION I

LIST OF DISCREPANCIES

*a	-			Death certificate indicates BENTZ, <u>Louis</u> I. Jr.
*b	-	"	"	BOWLIN, Seldon C.
*c	-	"	"	<u>KLIX</u> ELLIOTT, John W.
*d	-	"	"	died 25 Dec 44 at N. San Fernando
*e	-	"	"	died aboard Enoura Maru
*f	-	"	"	died at Olongapo
*g	-	"	"	died aboard Brazil Maru
*h	-	"	"	PEOPLES, Ulysses I. L. Jr.
*i	-	"	"	American

NO.	NAME	RANK	ASN	DATE OF DEATH
1.	AGNE, George W.	Pfc USA	6729057	15 Dec 44
2.	BAEER, Carl Jr.	Major USA	0-20280	15 Dec 44
3.	BALDWIN, Lee	Capt USA	0-890478	15 Dec 44
4.	BALDWIN, William P.	Major USA	0-20660	15 Dec 44
5.	BARNES, William S.	Av MM 2/c	3820805	15 Dec 44
6.	BARTHOLOMEES, Louis Paul	Capt USA	0-890166	15 Dec 44
7.	BAUER, Karol Anthony	Major USA	0-20304	15 Dec 44
8.	BECK, Lewis Graffin	C Ph M USN	380-29-44	15 Dec 44
9.	BELL, Joseph S.	Lt Col USA	0-231007	15 Dec 44
10.	BENNETT, John H.	Lt Col USA	0-16204	15 Dec 44
11.	BENTZ, Louis I., Jr.	1st Lt USA	0-398298	15 Dec 44 *a
12.	BERO, Joseph A.	Civ		15 Dec 44
13.	BERTZ, Wesley W.	Major USA	0-18307	15 Dec 44
14.	BICKERTON, James Earle	Major USA	0-367964	15 Dec 44
15.	BJURLING, Elden W.	C Ph M USN	212-17-05	15 Dec 44
16.	BOELLNER, Arden R.	Lt Col USA	0-134040	15 Dec 44
17.	BOSWORTH, Lawrence A.	Major USA	0-18039	15 Dec 44
18.	BOURN, Robert H.	Pvt USA	13007386	15 Dec 44
19.	BOWDEN, Nicholas Richard	Cpl USA	19011189	15 Dec 44
20.	BOWLIN, Selden Clay	PhM 2/c USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44 *b
21.	BRADLEY, James V.	Major USMC	Unknown	15 Dec 44
22.	BRADY, Jasper Ewing Jr.,	Lt. Col USA	0-11596	15 Dec 44
23.	BREWSTER, William H.	2nd Lt USA	0-426551	15 Dec 44
24.	BRIGGS, Harry L.	Civ (ATs)		15 Dec 44
25.	BROWN, E. Sherrill	1st Lt USA	0-373333	15 Dec 44
26.	BRUNETTE, Jerry C.	Capt USA	0-385993	15 Dec 44
27.	BRUUN, Othello	Ch Pay Clk USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44

28.	BUBOLTZ, Walter J.	Capt USA	0-289091	15 Dec 44
29.	BUNDY, John H.	WO USA	Unknown	15 Dec 44
30.	BURR, Richard Harford	1st Lt USA	0-407971	15 Dec 44
31.	BYRD, Jack Rudoph	PhM 1/c USN	274-18-62	15 Dec 44
32.	CAMPBELL, Harry Russell	Civ		15 Dec 44
33.	CARMICHAEL, Otis A.	Pay Clk USN	12253	15 Dec 44
34.	CARPENTER, George D.	Pfc USA	18041130	15 Dec 44
35.	CARUTHERS, Coleman T.	Major USA	0-298017	15 Dec 44
36.	CAVENDER, Howard Marion	Major USA	0-218145	15 Dec 44
37.	CHILCOTE, Thomas F.	Capt USA	0-296726	15 Dec 44
38.	CHRISIAN, Robert P.	Major USA	0-293054	15 Dec 44
39.	CLARK, Lincoln Roweiser	1st Lt. USA	0-353257	15 Dec 44
40.	CLEVELAND, Arthur V.	Capt USA	0-268279	15 Dec 44
41.	COHEN, Maurice H.	2nd Lt USA	0-419351	15 Dec 44
42.	COMERNOUR, Cecil B.	S Sgt USA	6887631	15 Dec 44
43.	COMPTON, Irving	Lt Col USA	0-11160	15 Dec 44
44.	COMPTON, Luthur Carl	PhM 2/c USN	265-78-16	15 Dec 44
45.	CONATY, Francis S.	Lt Col USA	0-6671	15 Dec 44
46.	COOK, Whitney M.	Lt JG USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
47.	COOLIDGE, Thomas J.	Civ (USN)		15 Dec 44
48.	COWAN, James W.	Pvt USA	17025008	15 Dec 44
49.	CRAFT, Dean H.	1st Lt USA	0-416657	15 Dec 44
50.	CRAIG, Howard G.	1st Lt USA	0-890131	15 Dec 44
51.	CRANDALL, Ralph E.	2nd Lt USA	0-890386	15 Dec 44
52.	CRAWFORD, George H.	Major USA	0-19085	15 Dec 44
53.	CROWELL, Royal E.	Cpl USA	6829445	15 Dec 44
54.	CURRY, Edwin D.	Sgt Maj USMC	180627	15 Dec 44

55.	DARLING, Gerald Leo	1st Lt USA	0-367967	15 Dec 44
56.	DARLING, James Hollie	PhM 2/c USN	299-92-01	15 Dec 44
57.	DAVIS, James R.	2nd Lt USA	0-42470	15 Dec 44
58.	DAVIS, John A.	2nd Lt USA	0-393397	15 Dec 44
59.	DAVIS, Thomas Allen	CPHM USN	355-67-75	15 Dec 44
60.	DECKER, James Ralph	CPHM USN	366-28-69	15 Dec 44
61.	DECKER, Walter L.	Lt Col USA	0-11545	15 Dec 44
62.	DENNING, Henry K.	CWO USA	W-901755	15 Dec 44
63.	DIXON, Ernest W.	Pvt US	15065726	15 Dec 44
64.	DOMERLID, Richard W.	2nd Lt USA	0-421739	15 Dec 44
65.	DRUMMOND, Willis W.	Lt Col USA	0-17839	15 Dec 44
66.	DUMMER, William James	Major USA	0-20675	15 Dec 44
67.	EDISON, Dwight Drenth	Lt Col USA	0-18786	15 Dec 44
68.	EDWARDS, John O.	Pvt USA	32037191	15 Dec 44
69.	EGGERS, Earl D.	1st Lt USA	0-321150	15 Dec 44
70.	ELLIOTT, John W.	Ensign USN	109180	15 Dec 44 c
71.	ELLIOTT, Russell J.	1st Lt USA	0-890374	15 Dec 44
72.	ERRINGTON, Richard L.	Sgt USA	20900706	15 Dec 44
73.	FENDALL, Elbridge R.	Maj USA	0-22187	15 Dec 44
74.	FILOZOF, John	Maj USA	0-331319	15 Dec 44
75.	FITZGERALD, Orman L.	2nd Lt USA	0-389708	15 Dec 44
76.	FLAGG, M.A.	PhM 1c USN	212-47-10	15 Dec 44
77.	FLUCK, Albert	Civ USN		15 Dec 44
78.	FORBES, Eugene A.	Pfc USA	19044345	15 Dec 44
79.	FORQUER, Eugene	Capt USA	0-362772	15 Dec 44
80.	FOURET, Arthur E.	Capt USA	0-375008	15 Dec 44
81.	FREE, Ralph H.	Pfc USA	13024704	15 Dec 44
82.	FRENNY, Samuel W.	Lt Col USMC	Unknown	15 Dec 44

83.	FREEMAN, Edward P.	1st Lt USA	0-335877	15 Dec 44
84.	FLEMING, Charles A.	1st Lt USA	0-422627	15 Dec 44
85.	GLY, William A.	Maj USA	0-21070	15 Dec 44
86.	GIDDENS, William Albert	Cpl USA	6266989	15 Dec 44
87.	GLATT, Robert L.	Ensign USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
88.	GODWIN, Albert K.	Capt	Unknown	15 Dec 44
89.	GOLDSTINE, Mark Twain	Capt USA	0-284559	15 Dec 44
90.	GOLDTRAP, John C.	Maj USA	0-20349	15 Dec 44
91.	GOODMAN, Shields	Lt USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
92.	GORDON, Jack B.	Ensign USN	97687	15 Dec 44
93.	GORKIEWICZ, John J.	Cpl USA	13004784	15 Dec 44
94.	GORMAN, Andrew	M Sgt USA	R-1735483	15 Dec 44
95.	GRANT, Willard V.	Ch TM USN	161-66-99	15 Dec 44
96.	GRAY, Albert D.	Lt USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
97.	HAGGERTY, Robert F.	Maj USA	0-18085	15 Dec 44
98.	HALL, Charles Doyen	Civ (USA)		15 Dec 44
99.	HALTOM, Winfield S.	Capt USA	0-220194	15 Dec 44
100.	HANSON, Charles William	Pfc USMC	274575	15 Dec 44
101.	HARRIS, Melvern P.	Pfc USA	14049790	15 Dec 44
102.	HART, George B.	Maj USA	0-357956	15 Dec 44
103.	HATFIELD, Bazil M.	TM 1/c USN	355-87-06	15 Dec 44
104.	HATTEN, Alvin R.	Pfc USA	19014650	15 Dec 44
105.	HAZLETT, Hugh J.	1st Lt USA	0-314149	15 Dec 44
106.	HEDE, Adolph	Lt Com USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
107.	HENDON, Clifford D.	Pfc USA	6295202	15 Dec 44
108.	HENDRICKSON, Lawrence	1st Lt USA	0-297548	15 Dec 44
109.	HENSON, Dudley Allen	CPEM USN	294-92-57	15 Dec 44*d

110.	HERRICK, Leroy W.	Maj US.	0-204537	15 Dec 44
111.	HEY, Robert William	1st Lt US.	0-410304	15 Dec 44
112.	HILL, Earl W.	2nd Lt US.	0-415122	15 Dec 44
113.	HILL, Richard F.	Maj US.	0-20745	15 Dec 44
114.	HILLENBIER, John K.	Maj US.	0-259453	15 Dec 44
115.	HINKSON, Jack Marvin	1st Lt US.	0-890010	15 Dec 44
116.	HINTON, James P.	2nd Lt US.	0-890299	15 Dec 44
117.	HOBBS, Roy Dawson	Pfc US.	38012366	15 Dec 44
118.	HOLDREDGE, Willard B.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown	15 Dec 44
119.	HOLMES, Stanley	Major US.	0-19521	15 Dec 44
120.	HOLTON, William E.	1st Lt US.	0-361864	15 Dec 44
121.	HOUSELL, Earl	Pvt US.	19018051	15 Dec 44
122.	HOWELL, William T.	1st Lt US.	0-366621	15 Dec 44
123.	HOYT, Charles S.	Maj US.	0-20810	15 Dec 44
124.	HUFF, Arthur E.	Capt US.	0-285187	15 Dec 44
125.	JANSON, John Ragnar	Lt JG USN	68593	15 Dec 44
126.	JAY, Leon H.	2nd Lt US.	0-890353	15 Dec 44
127.	JEWELL, Ralph	Pfc US.	20916926	15 Dec 44
128.	JOHNSON, Bernard W.	Pvt	Unknown	15 Dec 44
129.	JOHNSON, Martin L.	Cpl US.	6273044	15 Dec 44
130.	JONES, Howard M.	PhM 1/c USN	355-99-99	15 Dec 44
131.	JONES, Sam Greger	Maj US.	0-377039	15 Dec 44
132.	JOYNER, Henry Clay	PhM 3/c USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
133.	KADOLFF, Darnell	Pfc US.	18038766	15 Dec 44
134.	KASTRO, Andrew K.	Pvt US.	13025624	15 Dec 44
135.	KELTINC, Dean R.	1st Lt US.	0-366983	15 Dec 44
136.	KELLY, Jack W.	Capt US.	0-260803	15 Dec 44

137.	KELSEY, Fred J.	Civ US.		15 Dec 44
138.	KENNEY, William L.	Civ US.		15 Dec 44
139.	KESSLER, Richard O.	1st Lt US.	0-382047	15 Dec 44
140.	KING, Leslie W.	1st Lt	Unknown	15 Dec 44
141.	KINNEE, Dale J.	Maj US.	0-17682	15 Dec 44
142.	KIRKLAND, Jack	Pfc USMC	Unknown	15 Dec 44
143.	KOSTER, Peter	Maj US.	0-890404	15 Dec 44
144.	LIRD, Orley A.	Civ US.		15 Dec 44
145.	LANGSTON, Leonard	CHM USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
146.	LAUMAN, Philip Catch	Maj US.	0-20674	15 Dec 44
147.	LALOR, Leroy U.	1st Lt US.	0-314119	15 Dec 44
148.	LEES, Robert	Civ US.		15 Dec 44
149.	LEVY, Benjamin M.	Ensign USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
150.	LEWIS, Donald D.	Cpl US.	6976727	15 Dec 44
151.	LEWIS, Homer E.	Pvt US.	18044314	15 Dec 44
152.	LIGHT, William L.	Cpl US.	6281898	15 Dec 44
153.	LIGHTFOOT, Frank A.	Maj US.	0-16995	15 Dec 44
154.	LITTLE, Herman A.	Maj US.	0-288218	15 Dec 44
155.	LITTLE, Samuel A.	Capt US.	0-314262	15 Dec 44
156.	LOFTIN, Jewel E.	Pvt US.	6285231	15 Dec 44
157.	MacNAIR, Thomas K.	Maj US.	0-19027	15 Dec 44
158.	MANDELSON, Irving R.	Maj US.	0-301808	15 Dec 44
159.	MARON, Cyril C.	Lt Col US.	0-15329	15 Dec 44
160.	MARVEL, William E.	1st Lt US.	0-350519	15 Dec 44
161.	MURRY, Thompson E.	Maj US.	0-19381	15 Dec 44
162.	MYBERNY, Richard Henry	PhM 2/c USN	337-03-76	15 Dec 44
163.	McNERNEY, John Milroy	1st Lt US.	0-405095	15 Dec 44

164.	McBRIDE, Harold R.	2nd Lt. USA.	0-890291	15 Dec 44
165.	McCA RTNEY, Reed L.	Capt USA.	0-316327	15 Dec 44
166.	McCURRY, Deenah Rue	PhM 2/c USN	295-62-52	15 Dec 44 * f
167.	McGEE, Raymond E.	Cpl USA.	18036332	15 Dec 44
168.	McKEEVER, Arch M.	Lt Col USA.	0-199234	15 Dec 44
169.	McLIN, Lannie	Sgt USA.	7000431	15 Dec 44
170.	McMILLAN, Frank	CWO USA.	W-901932	15 Dec 44
171.	McMULLEN, Doster L.	Ch Yeo USN	268-10-63	15 Dec 44
172.	MEESE, William G.	Civ		15 Dec 44
173.	MERRITT, Grady W.	Pfc USA.	6860431	15 Dec 44
174.	MERTON, Fredrick	Ch CS USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
175.	MIKLO, John	Sgt USA.	20500742	15 Dec 44
176.	MILLER, Charles W.	Major USA.	0-241407	15 Dec 44
177.	MILLER, Julius J.	Pfc USA.	6901423	15 Dec 44
178.	MINER, John S.	Major USA.	0-337545	15 Dec 44
179.	MITCHELL, Floyd A.	Lt Col USA.	0-15535	15 Dec 44
180.	MITCHELL, Walter H.	Ch BM USN	286-91-82	15 Dec 44
181.	MOELLER, Chris D.	Capt USA.	0-208425	15 Dec 44
182.	MOFFITT, Lloyd C.	Major USA.	0-301943	15 Dec 44
183.	MORRIS, Robert L.	Pvt USA.	13024570	15 Dec 44
184.	MOSHER, Roy	Capt USA.	0-390452	15 Dec 44
185.	MOTT, Eugene	Pvt USA.	38055896	15 Dec 44
186.	MUELLER, Victor A.	2nd Lt USA.	Unknown	15 Dec 44
187.	MURPHY, William	Ch Sig USN	286-66-86	15 Dec 44
188.	MYERS, Gordon Robert	Capt USA.	0-343608	15 Dec 44
189.	NEIGER, John	Maj USA.	0-19926	15 Dec 44
190.	NELSON, Edwin R.	Lt MC	Unknown	15 Dec 44

191.	NELSON, Russell J.	Lt Col	0-12423	15 Dec 44
192.	NELSON, Shelby F.	Capt US.	0-351381	15 Dec 44
193.	NIRDLINGER, Eugene H.	Maj US.	0-285858	15 Dec 44
194.	NYQUIST, Eugene J.	CWO US.	2191199	15 Dec 44
195.	O'BRIEN, Edward J.	2nd Lt US.	0-890519	15 Dec 44 *g
196.	O'BRIEN, Kenneth J.	Maj US.	0-112538	15 Dec 44
197.	ONS, Bennie F.	Capt US.	0-307653	15 Dec 44
198.	ONEILL, Vincent T.	CWO	W-901646	15 Dec 44
199.	O'ROUKE, James S.	Lt USN	5690	15 Dec 44
200.	PAHL, Howard M.	Maj US.	0-18540	15 Dec 44
201.	PARKER, Ted Edward	Capt US.	0-369233	15 Dec 44
202.	PARSONS, Paul E.	Civ (US.)		15 Dec 44
203.	PASTYRORYK, Steve	Pvt US.	6896414	15 Dec 44
204.	PENICK, Ralph R.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown	15 Dec 44
205.	PEOPLES, Ulysses J.L.Jr.	Lt Col US.	0-15214	15 Dec 44 *h
206.	PETERSON, Neil B.	Cpl US.	19056742	15 Dec 44
207.	PETRIE, Malcolm	Capt US.	0-241165	15 Dec 44
208.	PETRITZ, George K.	Ensign USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
209.	PEVEY, Joseph D.	Pvt US.	14016066	15 Dec 44
210.	PFEIFER, Rudolph George	Cpl US.	32032515	15 Dec 44
211.	PHILLIPS, Nelda L.	Sgt US.	6236099	15 Dec 44
212.	PHIPPS, Gaylord L.	Lt Col US.	0-11308	15 Dec 44
213.	POWELL, Thomas N. Jr.	Maj US.	0-362694	15 Dec 44
214.	POWELL, Thomas Nimmons Sr.	Lt Col US.	Unknown	15 Dec 44
215.	PRESTON, Bernard E.	Cpl US.	6902398	15 Dec 44
216.	PRIESTLEY, William J.	Maj US.	0-20301	15 Dec 44
217.	QUINN, Calvin D.	2nd Lt US.	0-890466	15 Dec 44

218.	RAMSEY, Herman Gladstone	1st Lt USA	0-361069	15 Dec 44
219.	RICHARDSON, William Tolbert	2nd Lt USA	Unknown	15 Dec 44
220.	RIVET, Louis J.	S Sgt	11023628	15 Dec 44
221.	ROBERTS, Hugh Herman	1st Lt USA	0-289540	15 Dec 44
222.	ROOT, Arthur J.	Capt USA	0-397167	15 Dec 44
223.	ROSE, Fred E.	Capt USA	0-311487	15 Dec 44
224.	ROSEN, Eric Z.	Cpl USA	6938792	15 Dec 44
225.	ROTH, Frederick G.	Capt USA	0-890476	15 Dec 44
226.	ROTHROCK, Arthur S.	Maj USA	0-184783	15 Dec 44
227.	ROY, George D.	Civ (USA)		15 Dec 44
228.	SAUER, Kenneth Frederick	Maj USA	0-293795	15 Dec 44
229.	SIVOIE, Carl John	Capt USA	0-392418	15 Dec 44
230.	SCHNICKE, George	1st Lt	0-310757	15 Dec 44
231.	SCHENK, Harold E.	Sgt USA	20720325	15 Dec 44
232.	SCHURTZ, Paul W.	Maj USA	0-219317	15 Dec 44
233.	SCHWEICH, Jerome J.	PhM 3/c USN	328-70-25	15 Dec 44
234.	SCOTT, Warwick Potter	Lt USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
235.	SEARIGHT, Charles Kenneth	Pvt USA	14057793	15 Dec 44
236.	SEWELL, John W.	Lt Col USA	0-251331	15 Dec 44
237.	SHEARN, Charles P.	Maj USA	0-312230	15 Dec 44
238.	SHERMAN, Herman V.	2nd Lt USA	0-406495	15 Dec 44
239.	SIML, Frank Jr.	Capt USA	0-337194	15 Dec 44
240.	SIMPSON, Earl R.	Pvt USA	35201347	15 Dec 44
241.	SJOBLOM, Erhard	2nd Lt USA	0-319193	15 Dec 44
242.	SKILLI, Charles F.	2nd Lt USA	0-890256	15 Dec 44
243.	SLIPSAGER, Glen Frederick	C Pharmt USN	341-79-88	15 Dec 44
244.	SMALL, Fred M.	Maj USA	0-275865	15 Dec 44
245.	SMITH, Elmer N.	sgt USA	20500737	15 Dec 44

246.	SMITH, John S.	2nd Lt US.	0-396762	15 Dec 44
247.	SNELL, Maynard G.	Major US.	0-196137	15 Dec 44
248.	SNYDER, Campbell H.	Major US.	0-20570	15 Dec 44
249.	SPERRY, Clinton W.	CWO US.	W-901738	15 Dec 44
250.	STEEL, Lewis Q.	Pfc US.	6970409	15 Dec 44
251.	STENIS, Will Knox	Lt Col US.	0-15995	15 Dec 44
252.	STENSLAND, Joseph O.	Major US.	0-24435	15 Dec 44
253.	STEMART, Karl M.	1st Lt US.	0-890517	15 Dec 44
254.	STRUSS, Dick Dewey	2nd Lt US.	0-372435	15 Dec 44
255.	STRICKLAND, James E.	Sgt US.	19020301	15 Dec 44
256.	SWANSON, Wendell F.	Major US.	0-314036	15 Dec 44
257.	TALLY, Fred Obediah.	Lt Col US.	0-17218	15 Dec 44
258.	TERRY, James H.	Machinist USN	103-75-00	15 Dec 44
259.	TERRY, Samuel C.	Cpl US.	R-1560343	15 Dec 44
260.	THOMPSON, Arnold W.	2nd Lt US.	0-360024	15 Dec 44
261.	TOKOLY, Robert F.	Capt US.	0-314946	15 Dec 44
262.	TOOLEY, William J.	1st Lt US.	0-382634	15 Dec 44
263.	TRAEGER, William H.	Major US.	0-20770	15 Dec 44
264.	TUCKER, Chester H.	1st Lt US.	0-361870	15 Dec 44
265.	TURNER, Harry L.	2nd Lt US.	0-358967	15 Dec 44
266.	TURNER, John W., Jr.	Major US.	0-267724	15 Dec 44
267.	URBICK, George	Pvt US.	19017455	15 Dec 44
268.	UTKE, Gordon Arthur	Major US.	0-374804	15 Dec 44
269.	VILAR, Simon D.	Pfc US.	R-3420247	15 Dec 44
270.	WALTON, Wilbur Willis	CWO US.	W-800194	15 Dec 44
271.	WEIL, Max	Major US.	0-286922	15 Dec 44
272.	WHITMAN, Don Gordon	Capt US.	0-376615	15 Dec 44

273.	WILLIAMS, Richard B.	Lt USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
274.	WILSON, James	PhM 1/c USN	287-12-01	15 Dec 44
275.	WINIKER, James H.	1st Lt USA.	0-890221	15 Dec 44
276.	WOHLMACHER, John E.	Pvt USA.	6980164	15 Dec 44
277.	WOLF, Michael F.	2nd Lt USA.	0-418262	15 Dec 44
278.	WORTHINGTON, Gerald C.	1st Lt USA.	0-890062	15 Dec 44
279.	WORTHINGTON, Robert S.	Ensign USN	Unknown	15 Dec 44
280.	WRIGHT, Elmer R.	QM Sgt USMC	189389	15 Dec 44
281.	WYNKOOP, Hueston R.	Major USA.	0-20790	15 Dec 44
282.	YEE, Deck	Pvt USA.	33035580	15 Dec 44
283.	ZIMMERMAN, Paul	GM 1/c USN	268-27-81	15 Dec 44
284.	ZIMMER, Fred W.	Pvt USA.	35030659	15 Dec 44

BRITISH

1.	BOON, Frank	Pvt	3858823	15 Dec 44
2.	GLIHAM, Alfred D.	Pvt	Unknown	15 Dec 44
3.	GRANT, Frederick, A.	Pfc	Unknown	15 Dec 44
4.	LINCOLN, Frederick Raymond	Pvt	5772354	15 Dec 44 *i

DUTCH

1.	VAN, Twel Jacob	Pvt	Unknown	15 Dec 44
2.	ZONNIVELD, Adriang B.	1st Lt	Unknown	15 Dec 44

NORWEGIAN

1.	ANDERSSSEN, Egil	Civ		15 Dec 44
2.	ANDERSON, Harold	Civ		15 Dec 44

CZECHOSLOVAKIANS

1.	LENK, Fred	Civ		15 Dec 44
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GERMAN

1.	NATHAUSEN, Peter	Civ		15 Dec 44
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DEATH LIST
OF
PRISONERS OF WAR
WHO DIED
DURING TRANSPORTATION FROM
OLONGAPO TO SAN FERNANDO, P. I.
DECEMBER 1944

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TOTAL: 16 (All Americans)

SECTION II

NO.	NAME	RANK	ASN	DATE OF DEATH
1.	CAHILL, Matthew W.	Civ	ATS	22 Dec 44
2.	COUCHON, Lionel J.	Pvt USA	19030273	17 Dec 44
3.	DEMPWOLF, Charles M.	Capt USA	0-336435	26 Dec 44
4.	CRIBBEN, Dwight H.	Capt USA	0-890060	18 Dec 44
5.	HARPER, Harry J.	Lt Col USA	0-16209	22 Dec 44
6.	HOGABOOM, William F.	1st Lt USMC	Unknown	16 Dec 44
7.	KELLOGG, George S.	Pvt USA	6581746	21 Dec 44
8.	KUCKIE, Louis Joseph	Pvt USA	6955663	20 Dec 44
9.	LITTIG, John C.	Lt Comdr USN	77941	22 Dec 44
10.	O'NEAL, Norris	Capt USA	0-281672	27 Dec 44
11.	PEETS, George E. Jr.	Capt USA	0-286051	22 Dec 44
12.	PETTIS, Charles Wilbur	Pvt USA	14057796	17 Dec 44
13.	RICE, John H.	Pay Clk USMC	Unknown	20 Dec 44
14.	ROOKS, James O.	2nd Lt USA	0-890408	16 Dec 44
15.	SPECHT, Eugene L.	Cpl USMC	276219	22 Dec 44
16.	WINNE, Rollo D.	Capt USA	0-89027	19 Dec 44

W. D., A. G. O.
Form No. 0115
23 March 1944

Original Memo

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

To the following in order indicated:

14 Dec 44

1	Mrs. Hazel Mann Identification Unit Repatriation Records	Room 2425 Tempo B	(Initials) (Date)
2	(Name of title)	(Organization)	(Building and room)
3	<i>(Bilibid Prison)</i>		

On 13 December 1944 a Detachment of prisoners of war from the Philippines left Bilibid Internment Camp and were loaded aboard ship, which was sunk in Subic Bay on 15 December 1944. The remaining prisoners were loaded on ~~xxxxxx~~ two other ships and were transferred to Formosa where another bombing occurred in the harbor on 9 January 1945. In addition to those killed in the two ship incidents many others died of illness or other causes aboard the ships. The Japanese reported all persons who were lost on the detachment but did not specify which persons were involved in which incident. However, shortly after the sinking in Subic Bay, the attached list was compiled at Bilibid by prisoners in the record office from a list brought in by the Japanese. This list is believed to represent those who became casualties in the first sinking. The following US lists comprise the Japanese reports of personnel in the detachment who died in the various incidents. US/3197, 3200, 3201A, 3211, 3212, 3219, 3220, 3221, 3222, 3223, 3224, 3250, 3244, 3256, 3255, 3256.

From

Will ams, Cas, SR&D, Pentagon 1E525

(Name)

(Organization)

(Building and room)

18 Jun 46

(Date)

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ROSTER, BILIBID HOSPITAL, MANILA, P. I.,
POW WHO LEFT BILIBID INTERNMENT CAMP 13
DECEMBER 1944 AND ARE BELIEVED TO BE
EITHER DEAD OR MISSING, RESULT OF SINK-
ING OF TRANSPORT ENROUTE TO JAPAN.

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THE BILIBID HOSPITAL
MANILA, P.I.

February 5, 1945

SUBJECT: ROSTER

TO : GENERAL MAC ARTHUR
thru General Fellers.

1. Transmitted herewith is a roster of the prisoners of war who left this camp December 13, 1944, and are believed to be either dead or missing, as taken from the Japanese records.

2. The transport that these prisoners of war were on, was bombed on or about December 14, 1944.

1 INCL-Roster of prisoners
of war.

JAMES G. BRUCE
Captain, Med. Corps, U.S. Army,
Adjutant.

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PRISONERS OF WAR BELIEVED TO BE MISSING (JAPANESE RECORDS)
C O P Y

1ST. COL. USA

BELL, Joseph S.
BOELINER, Arden R.
DRUMMOND, Willis H. (MC)
BARRON, Cyril Q.
MC KEEVER, Arch M.
NELSON, Russell J.
PHIPPS, Haylord L.
POWELL, Thomas N. SR.
SEWALL, John W.
TALLY, Fred O.

MAJOR USA

BAEHR, Carl Jr.
BERTZ, Wesley W. (MC)
BICKERTON, James E.
BOSWORTH, Lawrence A.
CARUTHERS, Coleman T.
CHRESMAN, Robert P.
DUNNYER, William J.
FENDALL, Elbridge R.
FILOZOF, John
GAY, William A.
COLDTRAP, Hohn C.
HAGGERTY, Robert F.
HART, George B.
HILL, Richard F.
HILLEMEIER, John K.
HOYT, Charles S.
KOSTER, Peter
LAUMAN, Philip G. Jr.
LIGHT FOOT, Frank A.
LITTLE, Herman A.
MAC NAIR, Thomas K.
MANDELSON, Irving R.
MAURY, Thompson B. III
MILLER, Charles W.
MINER, John S.
MOFFITT, Lloyd G.
NEIGER, John
NIRDLINGER, Eugene H.
O'BRIEN, Kenneth J.
PAHL, Howard M.
PRIESTLEY, William J.
ROTHROCK, Arreur S.
SAUER, Kenneth F.
SHEARN, Charles P.
SMAL L, Fred M.
SNELL, Maynard G.
STENSLAND, Joseph O.
TRAEGER, Welleam H.
TURNER, John W. Jr.
UTKE, Gordon A.
WEIL, Max
Wynkoop, Houston R.
X MARRON (Per Maj. Archer)

CAPTAINS USA

BALDWIN, Lee
BARTHOLOMESS, Louis P.
BRUNETTE, Jerry G.
CHILCOTE, Thomas F.
FORRET, Arthur E.
GODWIN, Albert K.
GOLDSTINE, Mard T. Jr.
KELLY, Jack W.
LITTLE, Samuel W.
MC CARTNEY, Reed L.
MIELLER, Chris D.
MOSHER, Roy
MYERS, Borden R.
NEWMAN, Shelby F.
ONS, Bennie F.
PARKER, Ted E.
ROOT, Arthur J.
ROTH, Frederick G.
SAVOIE, Carl J.
SIMA, Frank Jr.
TOKOLY, Robert F.
WHITMAN, Don G.

1ST. LT. USA

BURR, Richard H.
CLARK, Lincoln R. Jr.
CRAFT, Dean H.
DARLING, Gerald L.
BENTZ, Louis I. Jr.
EGGERS, Earl D.
ELLIOTT, Russell J.
FLEMING, Charles A.
FREIMAN, Edward P.
HAZLETT, Hugh J.
HENDRICKSON, Lawrence E.
HEY, Robert W.
HINDSON, Jack M.
HOLTON, William E.
HOWELL, William
KEATING, Dean R.
KESSLER, Richard O.
KING, Leslie W.
LAWLOR, Leroy U.
MARVEL, William H.
MC ANERNEY, John M.
RAMSEY, Herman G.
ROBERTS, Hugh H.
SCHNICKE, George
STEWART, Karl M.
TOOLEY, William J.
TUCKER, Chester H.

2ND LT. USA

BREWSTER, William H.
COHEN, Maurice H.
GRANDALL, Ralph E.
DAVIS, Hohn A.
FITZHUGH, Orman L.
HILL, Earl W.
HINTON, James P.
JAY, Leon H.
MC BRICE, Harold R.
O'BRIEN, Edward J.
QUINN, Calvin D.

C. W. O. USA

WALTON, Wilbur W.

2ND USA

RIC ARDSON, William T.
SKILL, Charles F.
SJOBLOM, Erheard
SMITH, John S.
STRAUSS, Dick D.
THOMPSON, Arnold W.
TURNER, Harry L.
WOLF, Michael F.

C.W.O. USA

DENNING, Henry B.
MC MILLAN, Frank W.
NYQUIST, Eugene J.
SPERRY, Clinton W.

LT. CDR. USN

BEDE, Adolph

LT. USN

GOODMAN, Shields
GRAY, Albert D.
O'ROUJKE, James S.
SCOTT, WARWICK P.
WILLIAMS, Richard H.

LT. (JG) USN

COOD, Whitney M.
JANSON, John R.

ENSIGN USN

GLATT, Robert L.

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LT. MC USN

NELSON, Edwin R.

ENSIGN USNGORDON, Jack B.
LEVY, Benjamin J.
PETRITZ, George K.
WORTHINGTON, Robert S.

BRUNN, Othello G. CPCLK USN

1ST LT USMCHOLDHEDGE, Willard B.
PENYCK, Ralph R.W. O. JG. USA

BUNDY, John B.

M/SGT. USA

GORMAN, Andrew (-)

S/Sgt. USACOHERNOUR, Cecil B. (MD)
RIVET, Louis J.SGT USAMIKLO, John
PHILLIPS, Nelda L.
SCHENK, Harold E.
SMITH, Elmer N.CORP. USABOWDEN, Nicholas R.
GIDDENS, William A.
GORKIEWICZ, John J.
MC GEE, Raymond E.
PETERSON, Neil B.
PFEIFFER, Rudolph G.
PRESTON, Bernard E.
ROSEN, Eric Z
TERRY, Samuel C.PFC., USACARPENTER, George D.
FORBES, Eugne A.
FREE, Ralph H.
HATTON, Alvin R.PFC., USAHENDON, Clifford D.
HOBBS, Roy D.
JEWEL, Ralph
KADOLPH, Darnell W.
MILLER, Julius J.
VILAR, Simon D.
GRANT, Frederick A. (Brit.A)PRIVATES USABOURN, Robert H.
COWAN, James W.
EDWARDS, John O.
JOHNSON, Bernard W.
KASTRO, Andrew
LEWIS, Homer E.
LINCOLN, Frederick R.
MORRIS, Robert L.
MOTT, Eugene
PASTYRORYK, Steve
PEEVI, Joseph P.
SIMPSON, Earl R.
URABICK, George
WOHLMACHER, John E.
YEE, Deck
GILHAM, Alfred B. (Brit.A)
LOFTIN, Jewel E.U.S. NAVYCARMICHAEL, Otis A. Py.Clerk
TERRY, James H. Machinist
BECK, Louis G. CPhM.
DAVIS, Thomas A. CPhM.
SLIPSLAGER, Glen F. CPhM.
LANGSTROM, Leonard CMM
MC MULLEN, Dorsterl CY.
MERTON, Frederick C Std
BYRD, Jack R. PhMlc
FLAGG, Morris A. QMlc.
JONES, Howard M. PhMlc
MAYBERRY, Richard H. PhMlc
ZIMMERMAN, Paul CMLc.
DECKER, James R. CPhM
HENSON, Dudley A. CPhM
WILSON, James M. PhMlc
HATFIELD, Basil M. Tmlc
BOWLIN, Seldon C. PhM2c
COMPTON, Luther C. PhM2c
DARLING, James H. PhM2c
BARNES, William S. AMM2c
JOYNER, Henry C. PhM3c
SEHWEICH, Jerome J. PhM3cU.S. MARINE CORPSCURRY, Edwin D. SgtMaj
WRIGHT, Elmer R. QMSgt
KIRKLAND, Jack R. PFCCIVILIANSBRIDGES, Harry L.
COOLIDGE, Thomas J.
FLUCK, Albert
HALL, Charles B.
KELSEY, Fred J.
KENNEY, William L.
LAIRD, Orlei A.
LEESE, Robert
MEESE, William G.
PARSONS, Paul E.
ROY, George D.
ANDERSON, Harold
ANDRESSEN, Egil
LENK, Fred
NATHAUSEN, Peter1st Lt. ZONNEVALD, Adrian J.B.
(Dutch Army)PRISONERS OF WAR BELIEVED TO BE
LT. COOL USA DEAD (JAPANESE
RECORDS)HARPER, Harry Jean
BENNETT, John Howard
BRADY, Jasper Erving
COMPTON, Irving (-)
CONATY, Francis Sylvester
DENCKER, Walter Lenius
EDISON, Dwight Drenth
MITCHELL, Floyd Allen
STENTS, Will Knox
PEOPLES, Ulysses John L.MAJOR USABALDWIN, William Perry
BAUER, Karol Anthony
CAVENDER, Howard Marlon
CRAWFORD, George Harold
HERRICK, Leroy William
HOLMES, Stanley (-)
JONES, Sam Crager
KINNER, Dale Joel
POWELL, Thomas Norman
SCHURTZ, Paul Wharton
SNYDER, Campbell Hodges
SWANSON, Wendell F. (MC)

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PRISONERS OF WAR BELIEVED TO BE DEAD (JAPANESE RECORDS)

C O P YCAPTAIN USA

BUBOLTZ, Walter Julius
 CLEVELAND, Arthur Vern (Chap)
 FORQUER, Eugene (-)
 GRIBBEN, Dwight Hiestand
 HALTON, Winfield Scott
 HUFF, Arthur Elwood
 PEETS, George Halgen
 PETRIE, Malcolm Oliver
 ROSE, Fred Elezler
 WENNE, Rollo Davis

MAJOR USMC

BRADLEY, James Vincent
1ST LT. USMC
 HOGABOOM, William Frederick

W. O. USMC

RICE, John Hill

CPL USMC

SPECHT, Eugene Leonard

PFC USMC

HANSON, Charles William

1ST LT. USA

BROWN, E. Sherril
 CRAIG, Howard Griffin
 WINIKER, James Heyland
 WORTHINGTON, Gerald Carlos

SGT. USA

ERRINGTON, Richard Lester
 STRICKLAND, James Edward

2ND LT. USA

DAVIS, James Richard
 DONNEWALD, Richard Bernard
 MUELLER, Victor Albert
 ROODS, James Odean
 SHERMAN, Herman Victor

CPL USA

CROWELL, Royal Elton
 JOHNSON, Martin Luther
 LEWIS, Donald Dayton
 LIGHT, William Lloyd (MD)

C.W.O. USA

O'NEILL, Vincent Timothy

PFC USA

AGNE, George Washington (MD)
 HARRIS, Malvern Palmer
 MERRITT, Grady William

LT. CDR USN

LITTON, John Cassell

ENSIGN USN

ELLIOTT, John William

PRIVATESCHIEF USN

BOON, Frank (-) RA
 COUCHON, Lionel Hoseph USA
 BJURLING, Eldon Willard CPHM DIXON, Ernest Harold, USA
 GRANT, Willard Virgil CTM Kuckie, Louis Joseph Jr., USA
 MITCHELL, Walter Herschel CBM PETTIS, Charles Wilbur, USA
 MURPHY, William (-) SEAWRIGHT, Charles Kenneth, USA
 McCURRY, Dannah Rue Pmm 2c STEELE, Lewis Quay, USA
 HOUSEAL, Earl (-) MD, USA
 KELLOGG, George Sander MD USA
 VAN T'WEL, Jacob (-)

LT. COL. USMC

FREEMAN, Samuel Wesley

CIVILIAN

BERO, Joseph Alexander
 CAMPBELL, Harry Russell

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18 June, 1946-

640 Funston Place,
San Antonio, Texas.

My Dear Mrs. Tacy:

Your letters of 5 February and 20 March have but recently reached me, and I am most happy to have this opportunity to forward information concerning your son, Lt. Col. Lester J. Tacy.

My wife, Katherine, and I first became acquainted with Joe and Miriam when we arrived at Fort Stotsenburg in July, 1940. Joe and I were assigned to the same regiment, the 24th Field Artillery (PS), and though I never served directly under him you must know from Joe and Miriam's letters that we were a very closely knit community in the years before the war.

I am certain that you have long since been told of Joe's excellent war record during the fighting on Bataan and that you have received the citations and Distinguished Service Cross he so gallantly won in that action. I shall concern myself in this letter largely to our prison camp experience as I feel that it probably is least well known to you.

When we were taken prisoner by the Japanese, Joe was among the men who made the March out of Bataan and was first interned at Camp O'Donnell, which is located about ten miles north of our old station Fort Stotsenburg. Early in June, 1942 the American and Filipino prisoners of war were separated, the Filipinos remaining in O'Donnell and the Americans moving by rail and truck to Camp Cabanatuan which was about 65 miles to the north east. This latter camp, Cabanatuan, was better than O'Donnell had been; the water supply was scanty at first, but soon we had sufficient for all of our needs. The camp itself was much cleaner and we were soon given the opportunity to start a camp

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Garden which soon contributed greatly to the improvement of our diet. I feel that the horrors and unpleasantness of prison life have many times been-emphasized without mention of the fact that we were able in many ways to live a rather regular life with moments of happiness and as full as any life could be without our loved ones. After going to Cubanatuan groups were soon organized to provide entertainments for the prisoners. Each Wednesday evening and Saturday evening, weather permitting, we were entertained for several hours by lectures, glee club offerings, orchestrations of unbelievable excellence, and the presentation of home made plays supported by outlandish home manufactured costumes. Simon Legree and The Drunkard appeared several times beneath the canopy of stars and great tropical moon to the delight of us all. Another opportunity for enjoyment was afforded in that we were able to specially prepare a great portion of our own food. This process of special preparation which might range from specially frying one's rice with such meat, vegetables, and condiments the camp commissary or one's private garden within the compound might afford, was generally called "quanming". Quan is a Filipino word and since it can mean almost anything, we readily adopted it as a part of our every day vocabulary. Perhaps the greatest source of immediate strenght to us was the fact that we were always in the company of our closest friends and every free hour small groups would gather together to discuss the course of the war, a new recipe, past experiences and future plans. During this period we came to know and admire one another far beyond the opportunity that normal association would permit. So, please, whenever you think of Joe and the rest of us in our imprisonment always remember that above and beyond whatever indignities or suffering the Japanese may have subjected us to, we always were able to make the best of it and through the streng bonds of friendship find some happiness.

Late in October, 1942 Joe was a member of a group of American prisoners

from Cubanatuan to a camp about six miles from

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Davao on the Island of Mindanao. Since I remained at Cabanatuan, I did not see Joe again until his group was returned to Cabanatuan in June, 1944. At that time his spirits were as ever high but it was apparent that he had had malaria quite severely while in the Southern Islands. During the next few months he regained his health and was seen in good physical condition.

As the threat of American invasion of the Philippines became a certainty the Japanese formed a final draft for shipment from the Philippines to Japan. On the 16th of October, 1944 Joe and I were among a group of 1650 prisoners who were transported by truck down the central plain of Luzon from Cabanatuan to be reinterned in Old Bilibid prison in Manila. We knew that the Jap's purpose was to hold us in Manila until they could make a ship available for our shipment. As you will remember those were the days when the Leyte landings were made. Our information through the underground, through a hidden radio within our prison, and through our interpretation of American air activities which were constant over Manila gave us high hopes that the Japs would not be able to get a ship into the port. During the first twelve days of December, 1944 hardly an American plane visited the Manila area, and on the morning of the 13th we were with very short notice formed into columns within the prison compound and notified that we would march through Manila to the port area and there be placed aboard a ship for transport to Japan. We later learned that the Battles of the Philippine Sea and extremely bad weather in the Leyte area had either directed the major portions of our air force against elements of the Japanese fleet or had caused units to be grounded; thus the Jap's were able to bring several transports into Manila. That evening, the 13th, at about 6:00 P.M. were placed in the holds of one of these transports, the "Oryoku Maru", a vessel of about 7700 tons, which also was loaded with several thousand Japanese soldiers and civilians, both men, women, and children.

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this trip. However, I know that you with a Mother's understanding will always be proud to remember that your son could face threat of death by bombardment, submarine action, starvation, and the perilous filth inherent within a congested prison ship hold. Survival of that trip required courage and personal metal of the highest order.

We left the port area during the night and by daybreak had made our way between the hulks of sunken ships and found a path through the treacherous mine fields and stood finally in open water near the Corregidor. When only a few miles north of the Corregidor and at about 8:30 AM the morning of December 14th the "Oryoku Maru" and other ships in our small convoy were attacked by American bombers. In the 10 attacks during that day all ships of the convoy excepting ours were sunk, and although the Japanese civilians and soldiers on the upper decks had suffered hundreds of casualties from the strafing attacks made against us very few of the prisoners were hurt. Since the American bombs had fallen alongside our vessel, its seams had been ruptured and the Japanese were forced to run into Subic Bay, which is on the west coast of Luzon, and beach our vessel about 500 yards off the beach during the night of December 14th-15th. By dawn all surviving Japanese excepting for a small guard at the hatches of our holds had been removed and about 8:00 the morning of the 15th we were notified to strip to underclothing only and that soon we would be permitted to swim ashore.

Hardly had the first prisoners left the hold and reached the deck when American bombers again appeared and attack our ship. In their first attack a bomb pierced the decks and exploded in the rearmost hold which was crammed with many of our friends. Before the planes, which had completed their circle for a second attack, released their bombs and fired their machine guns and cannon sufficient of us had reached the decks to signal them using undershirts, towels, or whatever else might be at hand. Fortunately our signal was correctly read and the planes

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the 1347 of us who survived were for five days crowded into a single tennis court, subjected to the glaring sun by day and exposed to the cold of night. Clad only in underwear we had very little protection from the elements. Fortunately this tennis court, which had once served the naval officers stationed at Olongapo, had a water spigot from which with close supervision we were able to obtain about a canteen of water per man per day. We had suffered greatly from lack of water while on the "Oryoku Maru" and this supply was most welcome and necessary. The only food we received while on the tennis court was an issue of one spoon of raw rice per man on each of the last two evenings of our period there. I remember that we had previously been very careful to cook our rice thoroughly for fear raw or partially cooked rice would do us harm; however we ate these issues with relish and suffered no ill effects. About the 20th of December we were transported by truck from Olongapo on Subic Bay over the Zambales Mountains to the city of San Fernando in the central plain of Luzon--San Fernando is about 20 miles south of Fort Stansburg and had been well known to us before our capture. There our group was divided half being interned in the provincial jail and the other half in the local theatre building. Neither place provided sanitary facilities, and the water supply was very meager. During our four days in San Fernando we received three small issues of rice, each issue amounted to about a heaving teacup of cooked rice.

On the morning of December 24th we were marched from the prison and theatre and moved through the streets which were lined by silent and impotent Filipinos to be loaded onto boxcars at the railroad station. Our boxcar, which being narrow gauge and about one third the size of an American boxcar, was jammed with 186 prisoners. Our progress by rail north towards Lingayen Gulf was very slow: the engine was old and had suffered from previous air attacks and it was only by stopping for

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the engineer was able to maintain sufficient steam pressure to force our small train along. After spending all of the 24th and until 2:00 AM of the 25th confined to our boxcars, our train finally reached San Fernando, La Union province, which city is an important port on the eastern shore of Lingayen Gulf. The Japanese allowed us to get out of the box cars and sleep on the station platform. Since our cars had been so crowded that we had had to stand throughout the trip, our fatigue soon overcame us and Christmas morning dawned to find us stretched out on the concrete station platform. I wonder how many of us in those few sleeping hours on that Christmas morning were able to fly away in our dreams to our homes and loved ones; I imagine most did, because you at home were our constant prayer, and dream, and thought.

At about 7:00 AM that morning we were marched from the railroad station a distance of about 3 miles to the local school. There we were served two issues of rice--our Christmas dinner--but so very welcome. Darkness had hardly fallen when we were again ordered to form column and after travelling about 4 miles to the south and west again gained the beach to find ourselves opposite a dozen Japanese transports which were even at that hour being unloaded of troops, animals, and supplies. We spent the night of December 25th, all of December 26th, and until daybreak of December 27th on that open beach waiting for the Japanese to complete unloading their convey. As soon as they had finished, we were immediately taken aboard, formed convey, and started for Japan. We skirted the coast line of Luzon, then dodged up through the Batanes Islands, and finally made the port of Takao which is a large city in southwestern Formosa. We were twice alerted for submarine night attacks during this trip but fortunately suffered no loss. Having arrived at Takao on December 31st the Japanese held us in the harbor until January 14th; we had expected to receive a small but reasonable amount of rice and water, but unfortunately we were given very little of either. Ill fate befell us

7 while we lay anchored in Takao harbor the morning of January 9, 1945.

Again our group was subjected to attack by American planes. We were in the vessels holds and were unable to signal the Americans as to our identity and as a result 350 of our men were killed and many others seriously wounded. Joe and I were extremely fortunate in that we escaped each of the bombing attacks.

Our ship was so severely damaged by the bombing that the Japanese had to transfer us to another vessel before we were able to leave Takao on the morning of January 14th. I do not believe that any prisoner can accurately tell what course we followed between Takao, Formosa and Meji on the northern tip of Kyushu Island in Japan. As we started we skirted the western coastline of Formosa but once well out to sea beyond the sight of land, we were able to see neither the sun nor stars and thus could not estimate our speed or direction. Occasionally we passed beside small volcanic islands which we later decided might have been the Okinawa group and at other times the color of the water gave reason to believe that we were well within the Yellow Sea. After 16 days of travel we finally put in to the port of Meji with about 450 surviving the trip. Between the Philippines and Japan which required a total of 48 days we were seldom fed and our water allowance was about 6 spoonful each day. It is remarkable that any of us survived to set foot on Japan. Once ashore we were issued Japanese winter uniform, which since they replaced our previous covering of only underclothing, were most welcome in the extreme cold.

After we left the ship the Japanese marched us to an empty theatre building opposite the dock area. I remember quite well how we formed ourselves into small groups to discuss our probable destination and to wonder what manner of treatment we might receive in Japan. At this time Joe, Lt. Col. Alva R. Fitch, and Lieutenant Walter E. Scott were my companions. We were happy to receive a fairly generous meal before our group was divided into four groups. One, the weaker and sicker men, were

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separate camps near the town of Fukuoka which lay about 40 miles south and west of Meji. Joe and Alva and Scottie and I were assigned to what was believed to be the group of "strongest" men and were sent to Fukuoka Camp No. 1. In spite of all that had gone before and our appalling weakness, we, through sheer nerve rather than physical strength, were able to continue on alternately marching and riding by train or truck until about 11:00PM the night of January 30, 1945 we reached our camp in Fukuoka.

Our camp was an old camp and had for some time been occupied by American, British and Dutch prisoners. A number of these men were assigned to assist us from the trucks which carried us the final leg of our journey. A British lad, who must have been about 21 at the time, named Johnny Knowles was one of the prisoners who came to help us.

When we realized that we had finally reached our goal, most of us collapsed and were unable to move by ourselves. Our bodies had spent themselves to the absolute limit of human endurance. That day as we marched through the streets of Meji I imagine we were the most emaciated, thoroughly worn group of men who ever marched in a military formation.

I shall never forget Johnny Knowles, and how good he was to Joe and me. His first act upon our arrival was to pick Joe up into his arms much as one might a child and carry him into the barracks which was assigned us. I was able to follow with assistance. Johnny seated us on the edge of the matting which was to form our bed, while he skilfully made the blankets which were awaiting us into a bed for the two of us. He then made a similar bed for Alva and Scottie. You see our barracks were of very crude construction and absolutely without heat; therefore it was essential in our fight for existence to share and assist each other. As soon as we and the others of our group were settled we were brought sweetened tea and boiled rice which had had Red Cross salmon cooked in it. I imagine that since that was the first hot meal and only meal of any quality or quantity that any of us had had for over seven weeks it

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will never be forgotten. We appreciated it even more when we some time later learned that that issue of food had been made not by the Japanese but rather had been donated to us by our newly found comrades and fellow prisoners of war who themselves were insufficiently fed.

During the days which followed Joe and I were constantly attended by young Johnny Knowles, a private in the British Army taken prisoner by the Japanese early in the war on the island of Java. Several times each day Johnny daringly stole over to our barracks, which had been placed "off limits" by the Japanese for old time internees. On these visits Johnny helped us bathe and shave, brought us part of his own meager store of issue and Red Cross food, washed our soiled clothing, brought us cigarettes, told us the rumors of the day, and in a thousand other ways both large and small cared for us and ministered unto us. Greatest of all I remember about Johnny was his absolute unselfishness and fearlessness in our behalf. Those qualities together with a never failing smile gladdened our hearts and gave us great courage.

Unfortunately we needed more than care, and courage, and love. Over half of those who had come ashore in Meji did not survive the winter, and among these of course was Joe, who did not awaken from his sleep about the 9th of February.

I hope that someday you may be able to meet young Johnny Knowles. He was a London boy who before the war had seldom been beyond the city limits. Although he had few of the advantages of birth or education, Johnny was intelligent and brave and honest. Johnny's heart was almost broken when Joe died. I imagine he felt he should have done something more for Joe, felt that he had not done enough for him; but I know that Johnny's help gave Joe courage and a chance to survive and made him as comfortable as possible during his last days and above all gave Joe a friend.

I shall separately enclose Johnny Knowles address and pray that you may

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be able to communicate with him.

I shall close this rather lengthy letter now hoping that in it I have been able to tell you some of the things you wanted to know. If in some parts it appears that I have dwelt upon the horrors of the last journey your son Joe and his friends made together, please forgive me; it has been my intention to roughly trace the voyage we made, to assure you that although our bodies were broken by the rigors of the trip our spirits never failed and that once upon having arrived at our final destination God was good enough to bring a private, British soldier to our assistance and in so doing brought humanity and love to our side. If there is any item of information which I have overlooked in the writing I shall be happy to answer any question which you might have. It is possible that I shall be in the New York area this winter and if so it might be possible for me to call on you in Philadelphia. May I hope that this letter finds you well and that you will be free to allow me any future service within my power.

SINCERELY,

CHESTER L. C. JOHNSON,

Lt. Col., P. A. , O-20681

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AG 704 Dead (26 Aug 45)

26 August 1946

MEMORANDUM TO: Officer in Charge, Mail & Message Section
Casualty Branch

THROUGH: Chief, Casualty Branch

SUBJECT: Casualty Reports

1. The attached letter dated 27 June 1946 from Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service China Zone, with inclosures, pertains to the recovery of remains of American and other allied casualties lost in the bombing of the POW Ship Enoura Maru in Takao Harbor, Formosa 9 January 1945.

2. A list of casualties, taken from Japanese records, submitted as an inclosure, contains the names of 427 Americans, some of which are Navy personnel. Of the total number listed the search and recovery team reports a total of 344 remains that could be isolated as individual remains recovered and seven that could be definitely identified while 94 remains were not recovered, possibly due to the fact that they were destroyed in the bombing or to a discrepancy in Japanese records.

3. The personnel involved in this report were originally placed on the Oryoku Maru for transport to Japan. This ship was bombed on 15 December 1944 in Subic Bay and these survivors were transferred to the Enoura Maru which was subsequently bombed at Formosa.

4. Reports were received through IRC on approximately all of the personnel known to be on the original ship and, on the basis of these reports, casualty reports were processed, showing date of death as 15 December 1944. Since notification was made in these cases a number of requests have been made for investigation of the date of death and a corrected report has been processed in certain individual cases where the evidence was conclusive that death had, in fact, occurred in January 1945.

5. While there is a possibility that the Japanese records may have been erroneous in a small percentage of cases it would seem that, in order to preclude further requests for investigations in individual cases, all personnel shown on the attached list who are now carried on Casualty Branch records as having died on 15 December 1944 should now be shown as having died 9 January 1945.

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6. It is, therefore, recommended that Casualty reports be initiated on each individual shown on the attached list, who is presently shown on Casualty Branch records as having died 15 December 1944, correcting date and place of death to 9 January 1945 at Takao Harbor, Formosa.



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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
CHINA ZONE

APO 945
27 June 1946

File Ref: AGRS CZ Case # 436

SUBJECT: Casualty Clearance

TO : The Adjutant General, Military Personnel Division,
Casualty Branch, Munitions Building, Washington 25 D.C.

1. The Search and Recovery Team No. 9 from this headquarters, now operating on Taiwan has completed the investigation and recovery of all known remains of the Prisoners of War killed during an air raid on the POW Ship ENOURA MARU in Takao Harbor, Formosa 9 January 1945.

2. a. A list of American and other allied casualties is attached as inclosure No. 1. This list was taken from Japanese records and includes 5 British, 1 Canadian, 1 Norwegian, 4 Czechoslovak, and 427 Americans, or a grand total of 438.

b. A copy of certificate by Henry T. Omachi, 2d Lt. ^{AUS} Japanese Army is attached as inclosure No. 2, and concerns the bombing and transfer of troops.

c. A copy of a "POW Inspection Committee" report (Japanese) dated 11 January 1946 is attached as inclosure No. 3, giving details of the bombing and burial.

d. Extracts of information from CTSD Team reports leading to the discovery of the graves and remarking is attached as inclosure No. 4.

e. A copy of the Team No. 9 report on recovery of thirty-three (33) bodies is attached as inclosure No. 5. These bodies, it will be noted, were in two graves of ten (10) and twenty three (23) respectively. Two men were identified. See Par. 3

f. A copy of the Team No. 9 report on recovery of three hundred eleven (311) bodies is attached as inclosure No. 6. See Par 3 for five identified.

g. A statement by CHO MAI MAI is attached as inclosure No. 7 concerning the burials.

h. A photograph of the "300 Man Grave" site and its marking as placed by CTSD Team No. 9 prior to recovery operations is attached as inclosure No. 8.

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1. Pictures of the fated ship and recovery operations are attached as inclosures 9 and 10. (One copy each to AG only).

3. A total of three hundred forty four (344) bodies or remains that could be isolated as individual remains were recovered from three graves, seven of these remains were identified as follows :

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Ser. No.</u>	<u>Containr No.</u>	<u>Identified by.</u>
John A. FORD	Unknown	unknown	176	Billfold
E. T. GAMMELGAARD	Capt.	244336	191	Bracelot
Lacy O. JENKINS	Pfc.	unknown	T-308	Dog tags
Roger S. EERSON	unknown	O-302634	T-307	"
M. J. GREGORICH	"	19016633	T-309	"
E. H. HARROND	"	6755430	T-310	"
G. A. VANARSALL	"	O-371366	T-311	"

Containers of the Unknowns are numbered as follows :

From the 10 and 23 Man Grave:

Numbers 159 - 175 inclusive; 177 - 190 inclusive.

From the 300 Man Grave:

Numbers T-1 thru T-306 inclusive.

A gold watch belonging to 1st Sgt. L.S. SMITH was recovered while sifting the sand but his body could not be isolated for identification.

4. Attention is invited to the following : -

a. That eleven (11) of the Unknowns may be other allied nationals.

b. That ninety four (94) remains were not recovered. Possibly due to being destroyed in the bombing of the vessel or a discrepancy in the Japanese records.

c. That although the reports stated " Remains were cremated ", no evidence was uncovered to this effect when bodies were exhumed.

d. That only bones and small parts of clothing were found.

e. That the bodies were piled on top of each other when buried without wrappings or containers.

f. That the soil was sifted for recovery of all possible items of identification.

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5. The personal effects listed in inclosures numbered 5 and 6 are being mailed to the Quartermaster Personal Effects Bureau, Kansas City, Mo.
6. All remains are stored in Team No. 9 storehouse at Kiirun, Formosa until further action can be taken to identify the Unknowns. Reports of such additional information will be forwarded when obtained.
7. Copies of this communication are being forwarded to the office of the Quartermaster General Washington, General Headquarters Tokyo, and Army Forces, Western Pacific Manila.

FOR THE CHIEF OF ZONE :

10 Incls
as listed in Par 2
(less 2 to other Hqs)

/s/ ALVA R. SMITH
/t/ ALVA R. SMITH
Major, FA
OIC, OPN BR

A TRUE COPY :

/s/ Alva R. Smith
ALVA R. SMITH
Major, FA

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NO.	NATIONALITY	RANK	NAME	DATE OF BIRTH
1	American	SEER	PORTZ, Warner P.	1891-12-8
2	"	MAJ	BALDWIN, Jack	1908-9-22
3	"	"	HEINRICH, Clarence	1903-8-20
4	"	"	HEISINGER, Samuel Jr.	1902-9-16
5	"	"	KNOWLES, James C.	1897-12-7
6	"	"	PETTIT, Robert C., Jr.	1911-17-1
7	"	"	PRICHARD, Lawrence F.	1911-6-19
8	"	"	RAYMOND, Nelson W.	1893-2-26
9	"	"	ROBINSON, Winfield N.	1905-7-20
10	"	"	ROSS, Leslie G.	1907-2-17
11	"	"	ROTHERHAM, Wilfred	1905-2-3
12	"	"	RUMBOLD, Ralph E.	1902-8-4
13	"	CAPT	BARRY, Caniol J.	1904-1-8
14	"	"	BENSON, Rogers	1908-11-21
15	"	"	BURLANDO, Robert C.	1917-9-2
16	"	"	BYARS, Stephen M. Jr.	1916-12-27
17	"	"	DAVIS, John H. Jr.	1916-2-13
18	"	"	ENGLISH, William R.	1915-12-8
19	"	"	FISHER, Wayne A.	1910-7-12
20	"	"	FORD, Jack A.	1907-12-12
21	"	"	FRITTS, Jack B.	1915-1-4
22	"	"	GAMELGAARD, Irwin W.	1902-7-27
23	"	"	O'NEAL, Morris	1903-4-4
24	"	"	PEARSON, Paul E.	1906-3-23
25	"	"	ROBERTS, Robert K.	1917-12-12
26	"	"	SCARBOROUGH, Francis H.	1917-12-18
27	"	"	SHERIDAN, Dennis, Jr.	1914-12-24
28	"	"	SMARR, Lawrence K.	1911-6-19
29	"	"	THORP, Russell C.	1903-10-21
30	"	"	TRECY, George J.	1909-9-27
31	"	"	WILCOX, Albert P.	1905-9-4
32	"	1ST LT	BENSON, Gordon S.	1918-7-17
33	"	"	BUNN, Kenneth I.	1916-2-24
34	"	"	BYFIELD, Damon B.	1909-5-21
35	"	"	CASEY, Andrew B.	1906-9-1
36	"	"	CRABTREE, Thomas D.	1902-11-22
37	"	"	DERBY, Arthur L.	1916-2-8
38	"	"	ENGLISH, Jimmie G.	1919-4-8
39	"	"	FORD, Ralph P.	1913-12-30
40	"	"	GEISMAN, Milton B.	1906-7-23
41	"	"	JENNINGS, Edmond E.	1915-12-4
42	"	"	KASTER, Jack L.	1912-12-21
43	"	"	KUNGL, Clarence J.	1918-3-8
44	"	"	MAGEE, Robert K.	1919-1-23
45	"	"	MEGEW, John B.	1917-4-14
46	"	"	MINSKER, Harry C.	1916-2-19
47	"	"	MOREY, Harold A.	1918-4-22
48	"	"	MIXON, John B.	NO RECORD
49	"	"	RATHBLOTH, Irving	1914-9-9
50	"	"	REDFIELD, Martin	1914-12-16
51	"	"	SHAW, John C.	1915-9-5
52	"	"	SHUPP, Clayton C.	1916-5-12
53	"	"	VAN, Arsdall George A.	1912-11-18
54	"	"	WAGGONER, William A. Jr.	1916-8-25
55	"	"	WALKER, Allan B.	1898-1-15
56	"	"	WHOLEY, Timothy J.	1914-9-15
57	"	2ND LT	ARNAD, Charles	1914-10-5
58	"	"	DAVIS, George S.	1917-7-20
59	"	"	GIEBIS, Anthony L.	1917-12-8
60	"	"	GOLDEYN, Leob Jr.	1916-5-17
61	"	"	GOODISKI, Everett A.	1919-11-8

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NO.	NATIONALITY	RANK	NAME	DATE OF BIRTH
62	American	2ND LT	BRIDGMAN, Alfred J.	1912-7-22
63	"	"	BROWN, Dwight M.	1917-8-27
64	"	"	LYNCH, John J.	1915-7-12
65	"	"	MILKS, Robert C.	1912-3-24
66	"	"	MILLER, Kenneth G.	1914-8-2
67	"	"	NEGLY, Albert S. B.	1912-8-10
68	"	"	NOBLE, William F.	1917-3-3
69	"	"	NOURSE, Robert W.	1918-8-1
70	"	"	OSE, Alvan S.	1918-12-3
71	"	"	OWEN, Woody T.	1918-5-10
72	"	"	PATRICK, Thomas W., Jr.	1917-12-28
73	"	"	PAULGER, Claude W.	1915-4-4
74	"	"	SAXTON, Robert L.	1918-5-1
75	"	"	SCHWARTZ, Abe	1896-9-15
76	"	"	SEITLER, Kenneth J.	1905-2-26
77	"	"	SMITH, Edgar B.	1919-3-28
78	"	CWO	DORMAN, George E.	1890-4-24
79	"	"	LINDSMUTH, Richard P.	1917-8-30
80	"	"	MANUEL, Robert R.	1901-3-4
81	"	CDR	BRIGET, Francis J.	1897-8-2
82	"	LT CDR	LYONS, Leonard L. Jr.	1898-7-8
83	"	"	TAYLOR, Herbert H.	1894-8-17
84	"	2ND LT	SMITH, Joseph F.	1918-3-4
85	"	LT	GOODIER, Benjamin D.	1898-12-13
86	"	LT. (JR)	PEARCE, William	1909-2-24
87	"	ENS	METCHIE, John S.	1915-3-18
88	"	"	WOODSIDE, John S.	1918-5-15
89	"	"	WHITMAN, Harrygill Jr.	1918-10-20
90	"	CWO	O'BRIEN, John F.	1891-2-1
91	"	1ST LT	FESHEK, Michael E.	1917-10-4
92	"	LT COL	EDMONDS, Howard J.	1892-2-5
93	"	"	LINDSAY, James R.	1899-7-7
94	"	"	LOCKWOOD, Hamford W. Jr.	1895-11-9
95	"	"	LUTKART, John C.	1885-7-18
96	"	"	MAVERICK, William H.	1906-8-31
97	"	"	SIMMONDS, Norman B.	1902-12-15
98	"	"	UNDERWOOD, Melvin E.	1909-1-28
99	"	"	VENTURE, George D.	NO RECORD
100	"	"	WINSON, Alvin T.	1900-2-11
101	"	"	WITTEN, Oliver B.	1900-11-18
102	"	"	WOODBIDGE, John P.	1903-1-11
103	"	"	ADAMS, John P.	1893-17-19
104	"	MAJ	BLANNING, James C.	1908-11-14
105	"	"	BONNER, Stanley B.	1904-6-14
106	"	"	BROWNE, Charles J.	1914-12-16
107	"	"	COTERRAN, Ward R.	NO RECORD
108	"	"	FRANSEN, Earl C.	1901-10-8
109	"	"	IGNAZEWSKI, Frank	1890-1-1
110	"	"	JOHNSON, Lee	1891-5-25
111	"	"	KING, John V.	1889-6-9
112	"	"	KIRCHER, Albert J.	1910-9-14
113	"	"	MC GAIN, John A.	1880-7-22
114	"	"	SNEED, Charles R.	1917-2-16
115	"	"	WARREN, Miller P.	NO RECORD
116	"	LT CDR	BRYAN, Arthur M.	1887-10-19
117	"	"	DAVIS, Frank	1896-5-10
118	"	"	GRIFFIN, Edward R. J.	1897-1-19
119	"	"	JOHNSTON, Philip D.	1888-3-29
120	"	"	LADE, Charles G.	1895-4-7
121	"	"	TRUMP, Herbert R.	1896-12-4
122	"	MAJ	BRADLEY, James V.	1906-12-11
123	"	"	MEIGS, Carl W.	1896-3-15
124	"	CAPT	AMATO, Ralph Jr.	1917-6-20
125	"	"	BIANCHI, Willi Bald C.	1915-3-10
126	"	"	BRUNTON, William B.	1913-12-14
127	"	"	BRYAN, Thomas S.	1913-4-13

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128	American	CAPT	BURHOLT, Arthur V.	1908-9-16
129	"	"	BYRNE, Patrick J.	1891-12-13
130	"	"	CARBERRY, Richard E.	1905-8-15
131	"	"	COMBS, Willard B.	1903-9-3
132	"	"	COOPER, Robert G.	1918-1-9
133	"	"	COOPER, Duane L.	1913-12-31
134	"	"	DELAMORE, Thomas H.	1916-12-25
135	"	"	DORMAN, Walter W.	1912-2-12
136	"	"	ERICSON, Ervid E.	1912-2-22
137	"	"	EVANS, Melvin W.	1914-7-12
138	"	"	FINDK, Hugh H.	1913-12-24
139	"	"	FOSTER, William N.	1911-7-12
140	"	"	FRANKS, Stephen R.	1908-12-26
141	"	"	HARTMAN, Allison L.	1914-11-9
142	"	"	HOCKER, Thane H.	1917-5-10
143	"	"	HUNKINS, Dwight	1916-10-27
144	"	"	HUNT, J. B.	1903-11-11
145	"	"	INGERSOLL, Herbert V.	1905-11-10
146	"	"	KABAKOW, James	1902-10-26
147	"	"	KAUFMANN, George M.	1908-8-30
148	"	"	KIRK, Weldon E.	1908-9-16
149	British	"	KNOWLES, Charles H.V.	NO RECORD
150	American	"	LEHR, Philip H.	1916-6-6
151	"	"	LOUPE, John M.	1913-6-8
152	"	"	LOWERY, John W.	1916-7-25
153	"	"	MACON, John H.	1913-11-4
154	"	"	MC CARTHY, Joseph L.	1907-6-2
155	"	"	MC ILHATTAN, Vernald G.	1916-4-26
156	"	"	MC KINLEY, Clinton W.	1917-8-30
157	"	"	MC NAUGHTON, Roland C.	1916-3-18
158	"	"	MEIER, Phillip H.	1917-2-21
159	"	"	PAUL, Sidney F.	1907-4-19
160	"	"	ROSHE, Richard A.	1918-7-4
161	"	"	SHAMBLIN, Otho L.	1912-2-12
162	"	"	SHAWVER, Henry C.	1907-2-22
163	"	"	SHONE, Thomas B.	1916-7-4
164	"	"	SHORT, Edward L.	1902-12-25
165	"	"	SHULTZ, Paul	1909-8-13
166	"	"	SNOKE, Donald R.	1914-7-22
167	"	"	STEPHENS, Wiluan H.	1906-2-15
168	"	"	STEVENS, Lee E.	1904-1-4
169	"	"	STOBER, Henry B.	1901-8-25
170	"	"	WELCHKO, Cecil R.	1915-3-2
171	"	"	WHALEY, Milton	1912-8-26
172	"	"	ZERFAS, Mathias E.	1908-5-27
173	"	LT	BROWN, Hugh	1887-1-3
174	"	"	DIAL, Nathaniel M.	1911-3-21
175	"	"	DOUGLAS, Francis M.	1908-5-8
176	"	"	GARWICK, Warren A.	1906-12-18
177	"	"	GREENWOOD, George H.	1907-10-2
178	"	"	HARRINGTON, William B.	UNKNOWN
179	"	"	JOHNSON, Robert H. G.	1900-12-13
180	"	"	LEAHIGH, Stanley H.	1908-1-12
181	"	"	LIPPINCOTT, Joseph P.	1901-2-28
182	"	"	RAYMOND, Fred L.	1899-7-27
183	"	"	ROSENTHAL, Herbert	1900-1-28
184	"	"	STEARNS, Benton H.	1900-5-26
185	"	"	WELCH, John L.	1901-7-15
186	"	"	WERSCHLER, Charles J.	1909-7-9
187	"	CAPT	CHAMBERS, Robert Jr.	1911-11-13
188	"	"	CLARK, Collandl Jr.	1912-12-2
189	"	"	GEISMAN, Willis T.	1911-11-1
190	"	"	HIDDLESON, Clyde R.	1912-7-3
191	"	"	NUTTER, Hugh R.	1914-8-23
192	"	"	ROBINSON, Roy	1911-4-12
193	"	"	WAGNER, Lloyd E.	1903-3-13

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194	American	1ST LT	AIKMAN, Robert P.	1904-1-23
195	"	"	AFFLECK, David C.	1906-8-8
196	"	"	ALDER, Dwayne W.	1914-4-7
197	"	"	BELL, William R.	1908-1-13
198	"	"	BLIZZARD, Howard L.	1914-2-24
199	"	"	BLITHE, Ralph M.	1913-9-25
200	"	"	BRAGDON, Harvey E.	1897-8-30
201	"	"	BROWN, E. Sherrill	1917-11-18
202	"	"	COALDE, David L. III	1919-6-6
203	"	"	DAY, Murray M.	1917-8-24
204	"	"	DRAPER, Courtney R.	NO RECORD
205	"	"	ELLIS, Jack L.	1919-10-23
206	"	"	ELYN, John P.	NO RECORD
207	"	"	FROTIGER, Thomas W.	1911-11-24
208	"	"	FRY, John B.	1901-4-25
209	"	"	FUELSCHER, O. Kenneth	1911-4-24
210	"	"	FIGATE, Robert B.	1919-10-14
211	"	"	GABLE, Edgar S.	1905-1-11
212	"	"	GERTH, Herman F.	1918-2-26
213	"	"	GIRZI, Edward	1911-9-30
214	"	"	GWYNN, Benjamin E.	1915-3-31
215	"	"	HARRISON, Mel L.	1912-4-10
216	"	"	HASE, James Q.	1910-5-12
217	"	"	HOBBS, Vernon D. Jr.	1919-3-6
218	"	"	JOHNSON, Byron L.	1919-8-18
219	"	"	LEE, Henry G.	1914-8-26
220	"	"	LEONARD, John T.	1919-4-21
221	"	"	MARKHAM, Warren H.	1912-8-7
222	"	"	NORTHEY, Walter L.	1915-5-25
223	"	"	ODRUM, Maurice B.	1908-6-28
224	"	"	NORTHEY, Walter L.	1906-11-16
225	"	"	PARCHER, Lawrence W.	1912-10-18
226	"	"	POLLA, Hector J.	1916-9-30
227	"	"	RHODES, Thomas H.	1915-5-1
228	"	"	ROBERTS, Elton W.	1902-3-2
229	"	"	SAUNDERS, Wilsunn R. Jr.	1915-2-12
230	"	"	SHERK, Robert H.	1914-12-13
231	"	"	SMITH, Milo O.	1912-7-11
232	"	"	SWAIN, Roger W.	1911-4-19
233	"	"	WEBB, John T.	1918-4-5
234	"	"	WILLIAMS, Cliff C.	1904-6-20
235	"	"	WILLIAMS, William R.	1901-9-22
236	"	"	WINSCHUH, John H.	1906-2-8
237	"	"	WICRA, Henry H.	1904-7-2
238	"	LT. (JG)	WAYER, Edward W.	1903-11-14
239	"	"	LALLY, Robert	1912-11-13
240	"	"	WILKINS, Charles M.	1919-7-13
241	"	"	MOFFETT, Albert W.	1918-1-26
242	"	"	SCHADE, Lester A.	1917-5-30
243	"	2ND LT	BERTRAND, Donald R.	1919-8-8
244	"	"	BROWNE, Frederick B.	1916-3-32
245	"	"	BUCHMAN, Arthur H.	1918-7-30
246	"	"	BURKE, Joseph L.	1914-2-26
247	"	"	COCHRAN, Julian T.	1917-11-9
248	"	"	COUCH, George D.	1913-7-16
249	"	"	DAWE, Harry J.	1917-6-21
250	"	"	FREML, Raymond A.	1913-6-21
251	"	"	GRIFFITH, John G.	1917-10-18
252	"	"	GRIGNON, Andrew O.	1917-2-23
253	"	"	GUIN, Carroll M.	1910-8-16
254	"	"	GURE, John	1898-11-13
255	"	"	HARDEGREE, Howard P.	1918-1-16
256	"	"	HENRY, Dale	1915-11-5
257	"	"	JORDAN, Boder D.	1903-1-16
258	"	"	LARSEN, Peter F.	1916-6-1
259	"	"	LOVEGREEN, William F.	1918-12-2

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260	American	2ND LT	MCCANI, Gordon E.	1918-5-7
261	"	"	MAY, Milton E.	1916-4-18
262	"	"	MELVIN, Jack L.	1909-7-27
263	"	"	MILLIGAN, Joseph C.	1914-10-28
264	"	"	PEARSALL, Lester, J. Jr.	1918-12-6
265	"	"	PFAFF, Gerald R.	1919-8-30
266	"	"	PHILLIPS, James A.	1915-10-8
267	"	"	RANDOLPH, William P.	1918-1-20
268	"	"	ROGERS, Ivan E.	1917-4-13
269	"	"	TUCKER, Lee C.	1914-8-3
270	"	"	WISLOCKI, John T.	1902-11-23
271	"	"	YUMANS, Joseph M.	1910-7-27
272	"	ENS	FERGUSON, Earl W.	1913-8-16
273	"	"	FRANCH, Paul W.	1913-8-16
274	"	"	GERHARD, Edward A. Jr.	1913-11-20
275	"	"	KAYE, William R.	1914-12-5
276	"	"	NEEDHAM, John C.	1915-3-1
277	"	"	PLANT, William H.	1919-3-18
278	"	"	RASCHICK, Richard E.	1919-9-26
279	"	"	STIRNI, Joseph W.	1908-2-17
280	"	"	WING, C. PERONNEAU B.	1918-17-17
281	"	WVO	BENTHLEN, Charles G.	1898-6-9
282	"	LT COL	KEMP, Orion	1904-6-25
283	"	"	MANNING, Walter P.	1907-12-23
284	"	S/SGT	MASSEY, Howard I.	1912-1-3
285	"	"	REIDER, Leo	1900-4-15
286	"	"	ZANIRATO, Peter A.	1910-5-28
287	"	"	BROCK, Clyde Ira	1917-10-8
288	"	CPL	HARRIS, Hozie M.	1916-1-18
289	"	"	HOUSE, Thomas W.	1915-7-11
290	"	"	KOENIG, Raymond W.	1916-10-1
291	"	"	LANE, Harry	1911-11-17
292	"	"	RUTHERFORD, John D.	1920-2-10
293	"	"	WILLIS, Albert M.	1912-6-23
294	"	PFC	BENVIE, Harold	1905-11-11
295	"	"	BERLEN, Louis E.	1919-12-18
296	"	"	CAMPBELL, James B.	1917-1-24
297	"	"	DEWBERRY, Claude A.	1915-7-28
298	"	"	FREEMAN, Richard W.	1920-12-26
299	"	"	GREEN, Carl	1913-10-16
300	"	"	HARECKEE, Rouben E.	1921-4-23
301	"	"	GREGORICH, Mathew J.	1915-1-24
302	"	"	HALL, Coy C.	1919-8-14
303	"	"	HANDSHAW, Clyde H.	1920-10-2
304	"	"	HENSON, Louis H.	1918-12-12
305	"	"	MUSCO, Anthony	1908-12-24
306	"	"	NORRIS, Hondeson B.	1919-8-6
307	"	"	OMANSKY, Herman	1905-6-22
308	"	"	FARKER, Rafe A.	NO RECORD
309	"	"	ROBERTS, Clifford	1921-6-12
310	"	"	RUBY, James C.	1919-5-27
311	"	"	SHAW, C. E.	1919-3-3
312	"	"	SHELDER, Charles L.	1920-7-2
313	"	"	THWING, Robert N.	1911-6-26
314	"	"	COOPER, Henry Clay	1907-3-14
315	"	"	DIECKMAN, John Henry	1901-1-28
316	"	"	JACKSON, Robert Arnold	1892-6-7
317	"	"	JENKINS, Lacey C.	1913-9-4
318	"	"	LAUSEN, Stanley M.	1912-2-20
319	"	"	MC MICHAEL, William J.	1905-6-30
320	"	"	MOORE, Charles	1910-3-5
321	"	SGT MAJ	BUNCH, Wilbur J.	1902-12-23
322	"	"	CARDWELL, Samuel D.	1898-7-2
323	"	"	ENGLAND, Phillips B.	1895-5-3
324	"	"	FAJNIK, Nickolas	1899-10-5
325	"	"	KAMSTRA, Oliver R.	1907-11-18

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326	American	T/SGT	HARRY, Percy R.	1905-6-28
327	"	1ST/SGT	SEALE, Beresford O.	1888-2-26
328	"	T/SGT	SMITH, Elza R.	1901-9-10
329	"	S/SGT	GODSEY, Frank	1894-4-5
330	"	"	GORDON, Melvin E.	1919-1-14
331	"	"	JACKSON, Peter S.	1913-4-25
332	"	"	JENKINS, George M.	1917-4-12
333	"	"	LONG, Paul L.	1916-8-25
334	"	"	MIRABEL, Nateno	1888-10-15
335	"	"	SWANN, Thomas E.	1906-8-28
336	"	SGT	BLACK, Cecil	1913-7-29
337	"	"	MASSIE, Claude E.	1896-1-26
338	British	"	SMITH, Frank ⁹	1908-3-12
339	American	CPL	DOLK, Myron E.	1918-8-1
340	"	"	EVANS, Franklin	1918-2-25
341	"	"	FLAME, Peter M.	NO RECORD
342	"	"	GINZEL, John J.	1917-12-6
343	"	"	GLENTZER, Paul C.	1914-12-12
344	"	"	HAINES, Lucy E.	1916-3-19
345	"	"	LE SUEUR, Taylor A. Jr.	1923-5-10
346	"	"	LEWIS, Donald D.	1920-9-17
347	"	"	MC COLLEUGH, Henry M.	1904-11-17
348	"	"	RONOWSKI, Walter A.	1918-9-5
349	"	PFC	GIMSON, Mark E.	1913-11-12
350	"	"	LEADER, Albert W.	1912-3-14
351	British	L/Bombr	MARTIN, James	1920-6-27
352	American	PFC	MILLER, Leslie E.	1917-3-19
353	"	"	MONTGOMERY, Jackson P.	1916-3-29
354	"	"	PARKER, William R.	1917-1-8
355	"	"	RAHE, John E.	1910-10-13
356	"	"	WILSON, Frank H.	1914-10-14
357	"	PVT	HECKER, Augustine E.	1917-10-14
358	"	"	BOLGER, Augustine E.	1908-8-1
359	"	"	BRANNIG, Adam Jr.	1908-12-21
360	"	PFC	CLARKE, Robert A.	1922-7-9
361	"	"	HATON, John D.	1914-7-19
362	"	"	HINKLE, Virgil L.	1915-6-15
363	"	"	HOLDEN, Alvin R.	1921-2-18
364	"	"	KEESTON, Leand L.	1912-3-9
365	"	"	LESLIE, Ben F.	1913-5-4
366	"	"	MOYER, Floyd J.	1906-11-29
367	"	"	QUESNELL, Frank J.	1911-5-9
368	"	"	QUINLAN, John L.	1916-4-27
369	"	"	SALLEE, Vernr Jr.	1921-4-28
370	"	"	STEELE, Arthur	1922-4-9
371	British	"	STEELE, Leslie A.	1918-2-4
372	American	"	TRAPP, Edwin	NO RECORD
373	"	"	WATERS, Bennett H.	1919-10-18
374	"	"	MERNER, Meldon V.	1918-2-17
375	"	"	WILLENFORD, Lee V.	1919-11-24
376	"	CRM	GRANT, Marion D.	1908-3-18
377	"	CMM	PUCKETT, Vernon F.	1905-8-12
378	"	CRM	PUCH, William E.	1902-7-8
379	"	CGM	SKIVER, Russell E.	1905-5-17
380	"	CGM	SULLIVAN, Leon	1911-11-23
381	"	CTM	TEEM, Linzia C.	1914-1-24
382	"	MM 1C	DE RUSSO, Johnny A.	1919-5-31
383	"	EM 2C	DONAHUE, John T.	1907-12-9
384	"	FLC	VANCE, Guy	1916-12-5
385	"	MT/SGT	GIFFIN, Levis E.	1902-7-30
386	"	"	MERCURIO, John	1901-3-7
387	"	SGT/MAJ	MILLER, Wayne K.	1904-6-15
388	"	MT/SGT	OLMSTED, James N.	1890-6-29
389	"	"	DUDLEY, William A.	1908-4-3
390	"	1ST/SGT	STALEY, Darrol	1910-6-3

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391	American	MT/SGT	WHITE, John T.	1901-12-5
392	"	PLT/SGT	HAYNES, William	1906-5-6
393	"	CPL	LOGAN, Carl E.	1920-8-20
394	"	PFC	SNYDER, Robert C.	1919-8-14
395	"	CIV	FAIRL, Norton R.	1915-2-10
396	"	"	FOYT, Albert J.	1905-6-10
397	"	"	GRAY, Warren	1907-2-6
398	"	"	KIRKPATRICK, Ben E.	1906-8-21
399	"	"	KLIATCHKO, Aaron	1887-2-23
400	"	"	ROGERS, Paul D.	1889-4-27
401	Canada	"	MORRIS, Garnet Jr.	1909-2-19
402	Norwegian	"	ASHEIM, Bjarna	1912-11-11
403	Czechoslovak	"	BZOCH, Jan V.	NO RECORD
404	"	"	HRDINA, Jaroslav F.	1905-7-10
405	"	"	VARAK, Josef	NO RECORD
406	"	"	VOLNEY, Anthony G.	NO RECORD
407	American	MAJ	HOFFMEYER, Harry C.	1893-12-12
408	"	"	KOWALSKIE, Oscar C.	1902-4-14
409	"	"	LEIGHTON, Harry R.	1898-5-8
410	"	"	MORGAN, Donald R.	1905-11-13
411	"	"	NELSON, Robert V.	1905-9-6
412	"	"	WHITE, Clarence H.	1905-9-18
413	"	"	WILSON, Charles H.	1889-2-11
414	"	CAPT	ATON, Rex	1898-5-28
415	"	"	BYE, Ernest W.	1907-2-1
416	"	"	ROWLAND, Ralph	1901-17
417	"	2ND LT	SIGRIST, Henry E.	1906-11
418	"	1ST LT	KLEIN, Louis C.	1903-11-11
419	"	PVT	DECKER, Paul E.	1920-8-10
420	"	Pvt	QUALLS, Lawrence L.	1917-2-13
421	"	"	ROGERS, Harry W.	1918-3-1
422	"	CDR	HAYES, Thomas H.	1898-2-8
423	"	LT/CDR	WELSH, Clyde L.	1899-2-8
424	"	CPTM	NICHOLSON, Bruce	1904-7-8
425	"	"	SCHENABEL, Charles W.	1906-8-3
426	"	"	HUMER, John C.	NO RECORD
427	"	PO 1C	GOING, Roland	1914-7-1
428	"	"	MUNROE, William L.	1903-5-22
429	"	MAJ	DAWSON, William	1896-10-23
430	"	PVT	BLACK, James E.	1922-1-22
431	"	S 1C	OVERTON, Andrew L.	1922-7-13
432	"	CIV	HAIR, John G.	1913-11-8
433	"	PVT	SHALES, John H. A.	1916-1-11
434	British	PFC	GIBBS, William Q.	NO RECORD
435	American	LT COL	CARLTON, Arthur B.	1895-3-25
436	"	MAJ	BARCOCK, Elliott C.	1906-10-28
437	"	CAPT	MOORE, Paul E.	1908-7-8
438	"	"	TUGGLE, James R.	1913-10-9

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POW INSPECTION COMMITTEE
Jan 11, 1946

RE: THE CEMETERY OF POW VICTIMS OF THE TRANSPORT
DAMAGED OFF TAKAO

1. Transport Commanding Officer
A. Lft. JUNSAURO TOSHINO (Japanese characters)
Branch Camp No. 1 Commander of POW Camps in Phillipine. He is now Captain.
2. Forty Japanese army men under the commander with Sgt. HATTORI (Japanese characters) were on the same ship.
3. POW transported were 1,700 in all of No. 1 Camp, all being Americans.
4. Situations about the transportation:-
S.S. ORYOKU MARU (Japanese characters) carrying the POW, left the harbour of Manila at 4:00 Dec. 14, 1944, and between 08:00 and 17:00; between 08:00 and 12:00 the following day, 15th, 320 American planes raided this ship and she got about 30 direct hits. At 12:30 on Dec. 15, 1944 she sank off Orongappo, south to the Lingayen Bay. At the accident 400 POW were dead. The survivors who came ashore were taken by the motor cars from Orongappo to South Fernandos, two days later they were sent to North Fernando by train. On the 27 of December, 1944, at 07:00 the S.S. ENOURA MARU (Japanese characters) left the harbour of Pollo, carrying POW. Then she entered the harbour of TAKAO on Jan. 1, 1945. On Jan. 9 she was raided by five American planes. And about 300 POW were dead with bombs explosion. On Jan. 14, at 12:00, the BURAJIRU MARU (Japanese characters) left TAKAO carrying the surviving POW and arrived at MOJI harbour on Jan. 31, 1945.
5. The surviving POW 580 in all were transported to FUKUOKA POW CAMP on Jan. 30, 1945 (Japanese characters)
6. SITUATIONS OF DAMAGE AT TAKAO:-
Between 9:00 and 16:00, Jan. 9, 1945, the ENOURA MARU while anchoring at the 4th buoy in the harbour received the air-raid by five American planes. And the first hatch got two hits, the second one hit, the third hatch one hit directly respectively; and four near hits at the left side of the ship. And about 300 POW were dead.
7. SETTLEMENT OF CORPSES:
The corpses of about 300 victims among POW were first to be cremated but according to the frequent and severe air-raid, they were buried along the beach near the cemetery for Formosans about one kilometer towards KIGO (Japanese characters) from HAMAGURI TEAROOM (Japanese characters) NAKASU BEACH (Japanese characters); all the task being done by the instructions of H.Q. of TAKAO FORTRESS. The corpses were carried by shampans from the spot of No. 4 Bouy to the sea a little off in a small harbour at the half-way point between MAKASU (Japanese characters) and KIGO (Japanese characters), and then by bamboo-boats they were taken to shore, near the fish-oil factory where some nutrition were being made from fins of sharks. Formosan boatmen rowed bamboo shampans as Japanese hands were very scarce then. Then they were carried by motor-cars by Japanese Army hands to the Cemetery. At the cemetery 3 m. x 20 m. hole was dug out to hold the corpses. It took from 10th to 12th to finish the task of burying of the corpses.

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the transport damaged off Takao
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8. WHAT WAS DONE THEN: -

Immediately after the accident it was informed to the General Japanese Headquarters in Taihoku, and sent out Sgt. HATTORI (Japanese Characters) to see said Japanese Hqs to get their instruction. Getting the instruction, we followed the instruction (which we got as told by the General Headquarters) from the TAKAO FORTRESS HEADQUARTERS, in respect of burying the corpses at KAKASU as mentioned above. At that time Takao Military Branch Office cooperated us. For the urgent treatment of injuries forty medical party men under the commandment of a medical officer rushed to the spot of damage from the Station Medical Section.

At the arrival at MOJI (Japanese Characters) we made report about the accident while they met during their voyage to Colonel OTAJIMA (Japanese Characters) of POW INFORMATION BUREAU, MINISTRY OF ARMY, JAPAN; and then we sent all documents concerned to the said Bureau in Tokyo. Later on Maj. YOKOI (Japanese Characters) of the said BUREAU came to inspect the situations about the accidents.

9. The name of POW Senior Officer :-

U.S. Army Lt. Col. PEACHER (Japanese Characters)

10. The articles appeared in the newspaper in this island this year are different from the above situations.

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EXTRACTS FROM CTSD TEAM REPORT FORMOSA

1. From undated Report

"On 15 December 1944 a Japanese Transport was enroute to Japan from Manila carrying POW's. The ship was bombed by American airmen. About 300 corpses were cremated and buried on Takao spit. One grave contains about 200, another about 35."

2. From Report 15 January 1946

"Have made arrangements to get information from the Japanese concerning POW graves. This PM we checked the grave that is supposed to have 300 US POW's. After digging three (3) feet in the sand we found no remains. Have made arrangements for Japanese to dig deeper on Thursday"

3. From Report 17 January 1946

"Went to Chinese Headquarters, picked up six persons and a landing craft at 0730, went to Takao breakwater to dig in grave reported to be 300 US POW's. Two large holes were dug, but no bodies were found. Returned at noon. Will take Japanese officers out to the spot and show them the holes and then ask them where the grave is really located."

4. From Report 19 January 1946

"Left at 0800 for Chinese Headquarters with two Japanese majors from M.P. Company to look for the grave of the 300 POW's. It was finally located and then we 'Re-Marked' same."

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AMERICAN GRAVES
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TEAM #9, TAIWAN
APO 945

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Taipei City
15 June 1946

SUBJECT: Exhumation of POW Mass Grave at FUKUTEIKIN-CHO, TAKAO
(Japanese characters), (33)

TO : Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Service,
APO 945, Shanghai, China

Exhumation of a mass grave at Fukuteikin-cho, Takao, which hold thirty-three (33) bodies. Coordinates 120° -19' -) "E; 22° -37' -0 "N. The soldiers were supposed to be killed on the S.S. ENOURA during a bombing attack by U.S. Carrier planes.

The exhumation and removal of the bodies was made by 1st Lt. Robert W. Crump, and 2d Lt. Ben York and Sgt. Posey.

On 3 June 1946 the above mentioned party went to Fukuteikin Cemetery and start removing the bodies. Six bodies were buried in wooden boxes, and the rest of the bodies were under the wooden boxes. About 4 inches of mud and water was in the boxes. Twenty three (23) bodies were removed and Capt. ERWIN W. GAMELGAARD was identified by a wrist bracelet made of aluminum. No one else was identified and no shoes and very few clothing were found.

This day we could not find the other grave reported to be near with ten (10) bodies in it as it started to rain.

On 4 June 1946, we returned to the cemetery and located the other grave and removed ten (10) bodies, they were buried in straw mats with no shoes and very few clothing. JOHN A. FORD was identified by a billfold, his rank is unknown. The name JAHN A. FORD was printed on calling cards.

Bodies are in boxes # 159 to # 191 inclusive, JOHN A. FORD's remains is in box #176, Capt. ERWIN W. GAMELGAARD is in box # 191. Bodies are in Taihoku warehouse awaiting shipment to Graves Registration, Shanghai, China.

/s/ ROBERT W. CRUMP
ROBERT W. CRUMP
1st Lt. CAV
Commanding. Team #9

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Subj: Exhumation of POW Mass Grave at FUKUTEIKIN (33) dtd 15 June 46
TO: CO, AGRS-CZ, Shanghai, China (cont'd)

PERSONS MAKING INVESTIGATION:

1st Lt. Robert W. Crump /s/ Robert W. Crump

2nd Lt. Ben York /s/ Ben York

Sgt Barrie I. Posey /s/ Barrie I. Posey

Attachment : One (1) wrist bracelet of Capt. IRWIN GAMELGAARD
 One (1) Billfold of John A. Ford

Inscription of Face of Bracelet

" Captain Irwin W. Gamelgaard
 Stotsen Burg, P.I.
 244336
 2d BN 88 F.A. "

Inscription on Back of Bracelet

" Mrs. I.W. Gamelgaard
 107 S.E. Ave
 Portland, Ore. "

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Major, FA

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Taipei City
11 June 1946

SUBJECT: Exhumation of POW's on Takao Spit

TO : Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Service,
Shanghai, China

Exhumation of the mass grave reported by the Japanese at Nakasu, Takao City, Formosa (Japanese characters), (120 - 16' -0"E; 22 - 37' 0"N). The personnel from this grave were reported by the Japanese to have been killed on the S.S. ENOURA while the ship was anchoring in the harbor of Takao. U.S. Carrier planes attacking the ship 9 January 1945 scored at least three direct hits. A roster of personnel killed was obtained from the Japanese.

The exhumation and removal of the bodies was made by Lt. Robert W. Crump, Lt. William D. Richards, Lt. Ben York, T/3 Wilfred P.Y. Chang and Sgt. Barrie Posey.

On the 24 May '46, we arrived in Takao and made preliminary arrangements for our work, the next day a survey excavation was made to determine the extent and exact location of the grave, also to get some idea of the condition of the bodies. On 27 May, 30 coolies were used to remove the sand from an area 18 feet wide, 75 feet long, and 15 feet deep. The grave is located on the beach and fine sand continually fell into the excavation. The first day, Pfc. Lacey O. JENKINS was identified by his identification tags and twenty (20) bodies were removed, revealing nothing but bones. Small items of clothing were found and were placed with the bodies. No shoes were found in the entire grave.

On the 28 May we returned to the grave, twenty-five (25) bodies were removed. We opened the grave enough to-day where we could see almost everything plainly. The bodies were hopelessly mixed and were laid in no certain order, but were piled on top of one another. Sand and bones were mixed in one large mass. Care was taken to separate all bodies correctly and to match identification tags and personal items with the right bodies.

On 29 May we exhumed two hundred and forty two (242) bodies. ROGER S. BENSON, O-302634 was identified by his identification tags. M.J. GREGORICH, 19016633; HOMER H. HAMMOND, 6755430; and GEORGE A. VANARSDALL O-371366 was identified in the same way. The same day, while running the sand thru screen sift boxes, one Elgin watch (gold) was found belonging to 1st Sgt. L.S. SMITH, and was engraved with the following inscription: "Presented to 1st Sgt. L. SMITH upon retirement by 31st infantry friends". Sgt. Smith's body was not identified.

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Subj: Exhumation of POW's on Takao Spit dtd 11 Jun 46 TO: CO, AGRS CZ
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30 May 1946, twenty-four (24) bodies were exhumed making the total rise to three hundred and eleven (311) bodies. On the 30th no bodies were identified.

The next five days were used to box the bodies and prepare them for shipment to Taihoku.

The grave was thoroughly dug out, 18 ft wide, 75 ft long and 15 ft. deep; every day sand which drifted and caved in was removed. All of the sand was sifted. No evidence of cremation was found.

The identification tags are with the bodies of the identified personnel, ROGER S. BENSON O-302636 is in Box # T-307, LACEY O. JENKINS is in Box #T-308, M.J. GREGORICH 19016633 in box # 309, HOMER H. HAMMOND 6755430 in box # 310 and GEORGE A. VANDARSDALL O-371366 is in Box #T-311. Box number T-1 to T-306 are unknown bodies.

Bodies are now in Taihoku warehouse awaiting shipment to Graves Registration, Shanghai, China.

/s/ ROBERT W. CRUMP
ROBERT W. CRUMP
1st Lt CAV
Commanding, Team # 9

Incls: (1) Goldwatch of Sgt. Smith
(1) Statement of CHO MAI MAI (Japanese characters) Address # 30, Nakasu, Takao

PERSONNEL MAKING EXHUMATION:

1st Lt ROBERT W. CRUMP	<u>/s/ Robert W. Crump</u>
1st Lt. WILLIAM D. RICHARDS	<u>/s/ William D. Richards</u>
2nd Lt. Ben York	<u>/s/ Ben York</u>
T/3 WILFRED P.Y. CHANG	<u>/s/ Wilfred P.Y. Chang</u>
Sgt BARRIE POSEY	<u>/s/ Barrie Posey</u>

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