

293 UNK. FAR EAST XJ-1277

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INDIVIDUAL

ROOM NUMBER

McLaughlin

1421

EXTENSION

54033

RECORD GROUP NUMBER

92

DATE

10/7/58

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6 JAN 1959 154

NO RECORD

MISSING FROM

TO

CHARGED TO

Farmer xlip

BUILDING AND ROOM NUMBER

DATE

104
cat 2
dr 1

DESCRIPTION

293 unknown Far East

XJ 1277

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HC12933 FROM FSQMC LETTER QMGME-D293 GRS FAR EAST AND

PACIFIC QMG 18 MAR 58 SUBJECT: INTERMENT OF UNKNOWN REMAINS -

FORT MCKINLEY PI.

WORLD WAR II REMAINS UNKNOWNNS XJ-1276-A AND XJ-1277 INTERRED

NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY OF THE PACIFIC 7 MAY

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XJ-1277
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 SECTION
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FM675616 FOR QM; DA FOR QMGME-D; COMDR HICKAM AFB FOR

DAATCO; FROM QM-FSDM. REFERENCE OUR MESSAGE FM 675542 DTG 240754Z

FEB 58

THE 6 UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS CITED IN REFERENCED MESSAGE DEPARTED

THIS COMMAND 2500700Z FEB 58 ABOARD MATS AIRCRAFT 0132,

FLIGHT 526/55, MANIFEST TIA 58-1741, ETA HICKAM 260600Z FEB 58

BT

CFN FM675616 675542 240754Z 58 6 250700Z 58 0132 526/55 58-1741 260600Z

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25/1050Z

Mem (Risp)

HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY JAPAN
Office of The Quartermaster
APO 343, San Francisco, California

USARJ QM 293 FSDM

26 February 1958

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Passenger List

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

Transmitted herewith fifteen (15) copies of Passenger List 30-58 pertaining to the following unidentified remains shipped to Hawaii on 25 February 1958 aboard MATS aircraft 0132, Flight 526/55, Manifest TIA 58-1741, ETA Hickam Air Force Base 26 February 1958:

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER:

1 Incl
Pax List (15)

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

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

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

Loaded at Haneda, AFB, Japan

Staged at Yokohama, Japan

LIST

NO	NAME	GRADE
1. XJ-1276-A	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	
2. <u>XJ-1277</u>	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	
3. XJ-1279	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	
4. XJ-1280	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	
5. XJ-1283	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	
6. XJ-1284	Portions of Unidentified WW II Remains	

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

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

FROM *CGUSARJ JAPAN*
 MSG *FM 6755 42*
 DTG *240754Z FEB*
 ACTION *QMC*
 INNO *641023*

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DE RUAPFF 24A

P R 240754Z

FM CGUSARJ CPZAMA JAPAN

TO RUHPSB/CGUSARHAW/25TH INF DIV SCHOFIELD BKS TH

INFO RUEPC/DA WASHDC

RUHPB/CINCUSARPAC FTSHAFTER TH

RJHPPM/COMHICKAM AFB TH

DA GRNC

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FM675542 FOR QM; DA FOR QMGME-D; COMDR HICKAM AFB FOR

DAATCO; FROM QM-FSDM. REFERENCE MESSAGE DA 309518 NOTAL

INDIVIDUALLY CASKED REMAINS UNKNOWN XJ-1276-A, XJ-1277,

XJ-1279, XJ-1280, XJ-1283 AND XJ-1284 DELIVERED TOKYO INTERNATIONAL

AIRPORT 24 FEB 1958 FOR SHIPMENT FIRST AVAILABLE MATS FLIGHT

CONIGNED TO USARPAC QM MORTUARY, HAWAII ARMY BASE COMMAND, APO

958. PRIORITY NUMBER TYO HIK 1Z 0458 GF. GROSS WEIGHT 2714 POUNDS.

CONTACT DAATCO HICKAM AFB FOR TIME OF ARRIVAL

BT

CFN FM675542 309518 XJ-1276-A XJ-1277 XJ-1279 XJ-1280 XJ-1283

XJ-1284 24 1958 958 1Z 0458 2714

24/1100Z

Mem (Drip) ②

TELE-COMMUNICATIONS
 SECTION
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PRIORITY

X

DA

OQMD DA WASH DC

OCSARJ/UNC/EA (R) CP ZAMA JAPAN

OCSARJAW/25th INF DIV SCHOFIELD BKS TF

From OQMD-D this message in two parts

Part 1 for CP ZAMA: ID of remains dog Unk XJ-1276 as Sgt John L. Roxbury, SN 12 061 731, appr. Remains dog Unk XJ-1275, XJ-1276A, XJ-1277, XJ-1279, XJ-1280, XJ-1283 and XJ-1284 appr unidentifiables. Unk XJ-1276, XJ-1281 and XJ-1282 are under further inves for possible ID. Req CIU parts I-7, I-8 and I-9 be created and scattered, ~~distributed to the appropriate agencies~~. Further req that Unk XJ-1275 be rel to Japanese auth for depo and the remaining six unidentified remains shipped to OCSARJAW.

Part 2 for OCSARJAW: Req the six unidentified remains be held in storage pdg inst from OQMD

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F. J. Kerscher, Chief, Operations Sec.

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CARL R ALLBEE
Memorial Division

UNCLASSIFIED

REPORT OF INTERMENT

DATE OF REPORT

TYPE OF REPORT

☒ INITIAL ☐ SUPPLEMENTAL (Reason)Imprint Identification Tag If Possible.
DO NOT TYPESee Chemical
Report

SECTION 1. - IDENTIFICATION.

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

XJ-1277

UNIDENTIFIABLE

SERVICE NUMBER

UNK

GRADE

UNK

ORGANIZATION

UNK

BRANCH OF SERVICE

UNK

RACE

Caucasoid

RELIGION

UNK

COUNTRY (If not U.S.)

N/A

PLACE OF DEATH

Okinawa Gibo-Ishimine
015-725

CAUSE OF DEATH

UNKNOWN

DATE OF DEATH

UNK

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

2

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

N/A

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?

☐ YES ☒ NO

COMPLETED TOOTH CHART WILL BE ATTACHED HERETO.

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

See WD AGO 54

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

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

Okinawa Ishimine Recovery #3-1

DATE OF BURIAL

N/A

HOUR

N/A

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

N/A

TYPE OF GRAVE
MARKER

-

PLOT NO.

-

ROW NO.

-

GRAVE NO.

-

WAS THIS A REBURIAL?

☐ YES ☒ NO

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

Remains stored US Army Mortuary FE
APO 503

PLOT NO.

-

ROW NO.

-

GRAVE NO.

-

TYPE OF RELIGIOUS
CEREMONYGeneral
Memorial

PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES

K.M. LINDNER
CAPT CHCIF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION
DATA AND CONTAINER BURIED WITH BODYIDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED
WITH BODY

N/A

☐ YES ☐ NOIDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED
TO MARKER

N/A

☐ YES ☐ NO

N/A

FILE

DEPOSITION BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISIONREMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO LEFT (When viewed from foot
of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

N/A

GRADE

SERVICE NUMBER ORGANIZATION GRAVE NO.

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

N/A

GRADE

SERVICE NUMBER ORGANIZATION GRAVE NO.

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT

CARL J. WITZEL, DAC

SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT

SIMON J. LARKINS, CAPT, QMC

SECTION 3. - UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS

INSTRUCTIONS: Great care will be taken to record the most minute clues for the future identification of remains. Fill in anatomical characteristics below, and any other clues under "other" such as shoe size, Social Security number; position of body in airplanes, vehicles, and tanks; and serial number of airplanes, vehicles and tanks.

HEIGHT App 5'8 1/2"	WEIGHT UTD	COLOR OF EYES UNK	COLOR OF HAIR none found	WHERE BODY WAS FOUND (<i>Grid Coordinates</i>) see section I
BIRTHMARKS, SCARS, OR TATTOOS none found				LAUNDRY MARKS see chemical report
WEAPON(S) WITH SERIAL NUMBER(S) N/A				

OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES (*Including other remains recovered or associated with this remains*).

Type of case: **skeletal**

Missing portions: **60%**

Associated cases: **XJ-1278, XJ-1279, XJ-1280, XJ-1281, XJ-1282, XJ-1283, XJ-1284**
CIU parts, Y7, Y8, Y9.

SECTION 4. - FINGERPRINTING - FINGERPRINTS OF ALL REMAINS MUST BE TAKEN

IMPRINT ALL FINGERS AND THUMBS (*or as many as possible*) IN THE PROPER SEQUENCE. Fingers should be clean, dry and not over-inked. Missing fingers should be noted in the proper individual finger blocks. Impressions MUST be recorded in the proper order.

RIGHT HAND

1 RIGHT THUMB	2 RIGHT INDEX FINGER	3 RIGHT MIDDLE FINGER	4 RIGHT RING FINGER	5 RIGHT LITTLE FINGER
		UNOBTAINABLE		

LEFT HAND

6 LEFT THUMB	7 LEFT INDEX FINGER	8 LEFT MIDDLE FINGER	9 LEFT RING FINGER	10 LEFT LITTLE FINGER
		UNOBTAINABLE		

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE (*For FBI use only*)

REMARKS

None

IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN XJ - 1277			2. DATE OF REPORT		
3. NAME OF CEMETERY Okinawa Ishimine Recovery #3-1		4. PLOT	5. ROW	6. GRAVE	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT REINTERMENT
PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION EST AGE: 35-39					
8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT UTD	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT APP 5' 8 1/8"	10. COLOR OF HAIR None Found		11. RACE Caucasoid	
12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS Two Identification Tags found with Remains. (See Attached Chemical Report) Outside Container Reads "Okinawa-Ishimine Recovery #3-1"					
13. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF TATTOOS OR SCARS ON BODY AND OR SUCH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES None Found					
FLUOROSCOPE: Not Necessary			FINGERPRINTS: Unobtainable		
14. WAS BODY BURNED? ☐ YES ☒ NO		TO WHAT EXTENT ?			
15. WAS BODY MANGLED? ☐ YES ☐ NO		TO WHAT EXTENT ? See Attached Skeletal Chart			
16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS None Found					
17. LIST EVERY ITEM OF CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND, SHOWING THE TYPE, COLOR, SIZE, MARKINGS, SERVICE, ETC. (If laundry marks are indistinct such notation should be made and specimen forwarded through channels for examination when facilities are not available in the area) Clothing Found with Remains: 1 pr Boots, combat, Size 7 1/2 D See Chemical Report See WD AGO Form 54 for Personal Effects					
ANTHROPOLOGICAL FINDINGS					
RACE. Caucasoid WOUNDS: None evident THE PARTS SHOWN ON ATTACHED SKELETAL CHART REPRESENT ONE AND THE SAME INDIVIDUAL. See Attached Narrative					
TADAO FURUE PHYSICAL ANTHROPOLOGIST		Simeon J. Larkins SIMEON J. LARKINS, CAPT, QMC IDENTIFICATION INSPECTOR			

IDENTIFICATION DENTAL CHART

DATE

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

XJ - 1277

GRADE

N/A

SERVICE NUMBER

N/A

UNIT

N/A

ORGANIZATION

N/A

CAUSE OF DEATH

N/A

DATE OF DEATH

EST 1945

PLACE OF DEATH

PLACE OF BURIAL

Okinawa -Gibo-Ishimine 015-725 Recovery #3-1

PLOT

ROW

GRAVE

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
RIGHT																	LEFT

1. O-AM.
2. DOL-AM.; F-AM.
3. MOD. GOLD FILL.
4. F-GOLD FILL.; ML-AM.

5. MO-AM.
6. ML-GOLD FILL.
7. 3/4 GOLD CR.
8. D-PORC. FILL.

9. PORC. CR.
10. F-PORC. FILL.; L-AM.
11. MF-PORC. FILL.
12. Px-POSTHUMOUSLY MISSING

13. GOLD CR.
14. MISSING
15. MO-AM.; L-AM.
16. MODL-AM.

MARKING ABBREVIATIONS:

F - Facial

L - Lingual

O - Occlusal

M - Mesial

D - Distal

I - Incisal

Am - Amalgam

CR - Crown

FILL - Filling

PORC - Porcelain

BACK - Backing

FAC - Facing

CARIES																	CARIES
RESTORATIONS																	RESTORATIONS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
UPPER RIGHT																	UPPER LEFT
NO TEETH FOUND																	

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
LOWER RIGHT																	LOWER LEFT

	32	31	30	29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	
RESTORATIONS																	RESTORATIONS
CARIES																	CARIES

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER OR OTHER PERSON WHO PREPARED DENTAL CHART

CARL J. WITZEL, DAC

VERIFIED BY GRS OFFICER

SIMEON J. LARKINS, CAPT, QMC

DENTURES (Plate): DESCRIBE DENTURES INCLUDING NATURAL TEETH REPLACED AND TEETH WHICH HAVE RETAINING CLASPS. (For example: Lower acrylic partial denture with lingual bar, replacing teeth Nos. 17, 18, 19, 30, 31, 32. Clasps on natural teeth Nos. 20 and 29.) SHOW ANY NUMBERS OR LETTERS APPEARING ON DENTURE.

THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS WILL BE CHECKED IN THE SPACE BELOW: (Describe in detail under remarks)

MOTTLED ENAMEL	UNERUPTED TEETH	RETAINED DECIDUOUS TEETH
ENAMEL HYPOPLASIA	MALOCCLUSION	ABNORMAL INTERDENTAL SPACES
EROSION	SUPERNUMERARY TEETH	IRREGULARITY OF ALIGNMENT
ABRASION	FRACTURES OF ENAMEL	UNUSUAL RESTORATIONS
ROTATION	FRACTURES OF TEETH	UNUSUAL APPLIANCES

REMARKS (If no abnormalities are found make notation to that effect)

SKELETAL CHART

CIU CASE NO.

1. NAME XJ-1277

2. DATE

UNKNOWN X NO
OR Recovery #3-1
EVAC. NO

3. (BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED)

4. LEFT4. RIGHT

SKULL _____ cm

HUMERUS _____ cm

HUMERUS _____ cm

ULNA _____ cm

ULNA _____ cm

RADIUS _____ cm

RADIUS _____ cm

FEMUR _____ cm

FEMUR _____ cm

TIBIA _____ cm

TIBIA _____ cm

FIBULA _____ cm

FIBULA _____ cm

5. Condition of Remains

Skeletal6. IDENTIFICATION
SPECIALIST

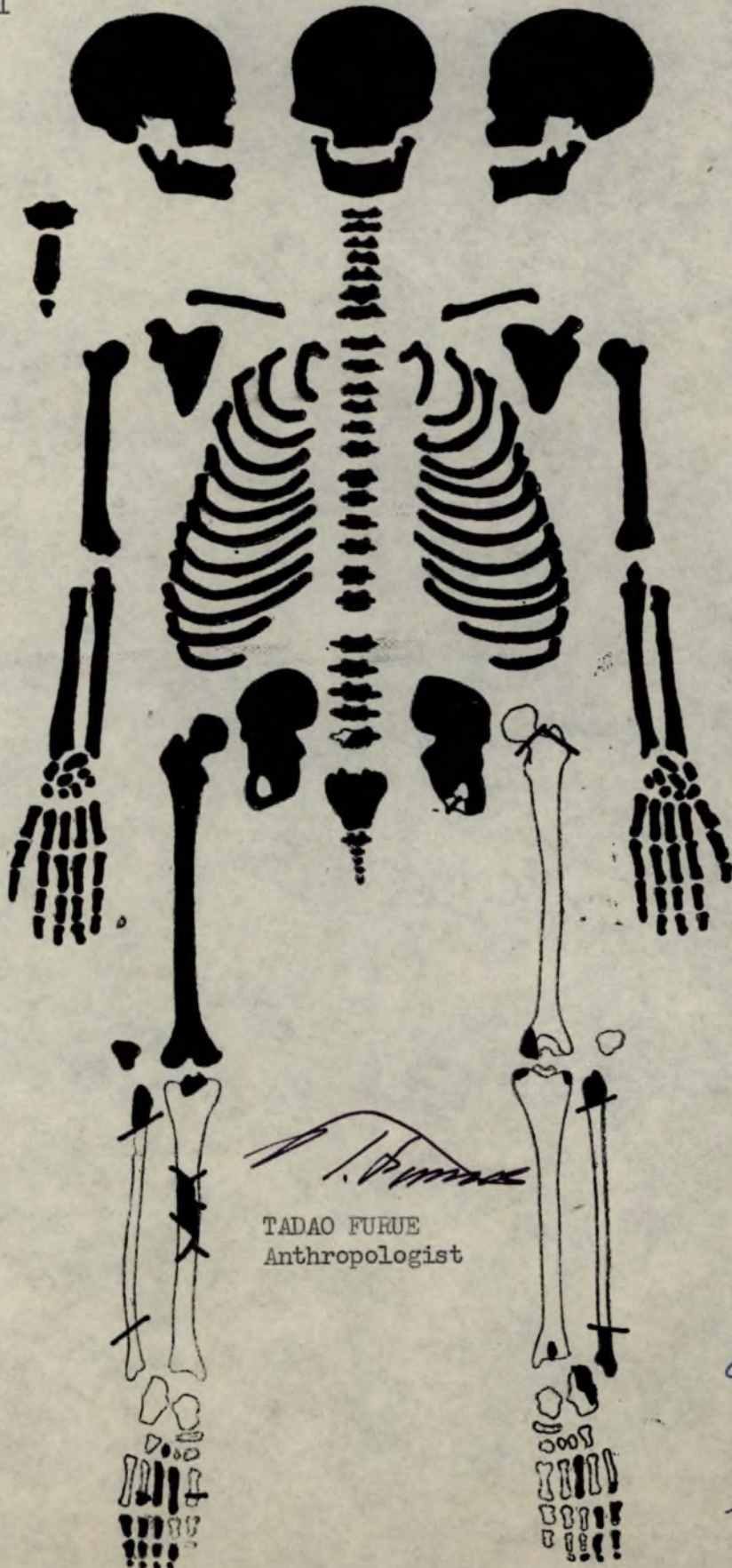
CARL J WOTZEL

7. IDENTIFICATION
SIMEON J LARKINS

CAPT QMC

TADAO FURUE
Anthropologist

 - Missing
 - Burned
 - Fractured
 - Shattered



Date _____

Grave

GLADE, ROLAND J
39345709 T44

2. One (1) pair of soles, boots, combat, size 7½ E, badly damaged, bearing no identifying markings.

Chemical Technician's Signature

Keisaburo Nakayama, Chemist.

CHEMICAL FINDINGS FOR IDENTIFICATION

Date

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

ISHIMINE, OKINAWA RECOVERY # 3

FINDINGS:

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

CHEMICAL FINDINGS FOR IDENTIFICATION

Date

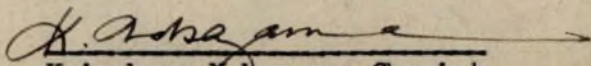
COMMON TO: XJ-1277, XJ-1278, XJ-1279, XJ-1280, XJ-1281, XJ-1282,
XJ-1283 and XJ-1284.

ISHIMINE, OKINAWA

RECOVERY # 3

FINDINGS CONT'D:

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


Keisaburo Nakayama, Chemist

MORTUARY
RYCOM QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
FORT BUCKNER, APO 331

Recovery #1

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

Recovery #2

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

Recovery #3

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

A TRUE COPY:

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

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

UNITED STATES ARMY MORTUARY FAR EAST
APO 503

N A R R A T I V E

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

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

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

The following skeletal interchanges have been made.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

One (1) metatarsal, # 3, left.

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

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

One (1) ulna, right, portion of.

One (1) radius, right, portions of.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

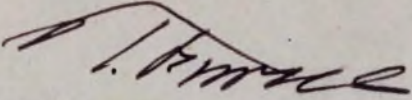
The race of Unk XJ-1282 is questionable. Major cranial and pelvic characteristics and crural ratio are believed to be of Negroid, however the nasal area indicates remarkable Caucasoid characteristics, therefore, Unk XJ-1282 was determined Negroid-Caucasoid admixture.

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

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

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

Necessary case papers have been prepared.


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