Before this article begins, I would like to say, I don't like having to find another liar as I much rather write about the men from WWII who actual fought day in and day out. But when you step in crap, you have to wipe off the shoe before continuing on with your walk.

A Trench Foot Hero walks side by side with a Real Hero

In August of 2014 a WWII Veteran Leif Erik Maseng spoke to the University of South Carolina Graduates. He had the audacity to walk on to the stage with a Hero who was severely wounded in 2010. Cpl Kyle Carpenter was awarded the Medal of Honor for his action. Cpl Carpenter was wounded when he threw himself on a Grenade. Maseng was injured by wet socks.

(See link at the bottom of this article)

WWII Veteran Maseng spoke of his Jump into Normandy and that he fought through until the end of the War. Only one problem with that, Maseng didn't go into Normandy (unless it was on vacation years later). All of the Maseng information is attached.

I have written about other fakes and liars, but this is the most disgusting one so far. This happened 16 months ago but only heard of this today December 5, 2015. I received and email about the Plumley article and at the end of the message this person mentioned if I'd ever heard of Leif Erik Maseng. I emailed back and said "no, but I would look into it." It took just 45 minutes to unmask Maseng.

I realized I had documentation on Maseng, so I went out and found the USC Graduation Speech last year with Maseng. Maseng said he was in the 82nd Abn Div which technical is true. He came into the 507th Prcht Inf July 30, 1944. The 507th left the 82nd Abn Div the third week of August 1944 and became part of the 17th Abn Div. So Maseng was there but didn't see any action with the 82nd Abn Div.

The documentation shows that he got Trench Foot January 18, 1945 in the Ardennes Campaign. Maseng said in the speech he jumped into Normandy which of course is not true as he didn't get into the 507th Prcht Inf until almost August of 1944 as mentioned.

With Maseng's Trench Foot, he spent 83 days in the hospital, which means he didn't Jump into Germany either. Maseng never jumped into combat in WWII. His injury was because he didn't change out his socks and then had the audacity to walk with a Medal of Honor Recipient Cpl Kyle Carpenter. Does a person have no shame at all? There better be a special place in hell for someone like Maseng.

Please read the link about Medal of Honor Recipient Cpl Kyle Carpenter as what he did is where the word Hero comes from.

Medal of Honor Recipient Cpl Kyle Carpenter (<a href="http://www.wyff4.com/news/injured-vet-usc-student-to-receive-medal-of-honor/26564996">http://www.wyff4.com/news/injured-vet-usc-student-to-receive-medal-of-honor/26564996</a>)

Maseng (http://coladaily.com/2014/08/10/photo-gallery-world-war-ii-hero-speaks-to-usc-graduates/).

Brian Siddall December 5, 2015

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6 March 1943 the 507<sup>th</sup> Parachute Infantry traveled by rail to Barksdale Field, LA, to participate in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Army maneuvers. The regiment remained in bivouac at Barksdale Field while awaiting to be committed. 19 March 1943 the regiment was released from further participation in the maneuvers and prepared for the trip to Alliance. Nebraska. 21 March 1943, the 507th Parachute Infantry traveled by rail to the Alliance Air Base, Alliance, Nebraska,

ALLIANCE AIR BASE.

MARCH 23, 1943

NOVEMBER 20, 1943

ALLIANCE. NEBRASKA

The 507<sup>th</sup> Parachute Infantry left the Alliance Air Base 20 November 1943, for the staging area, Camp Shanks. New York, in preparation for the anticipated move overseas.

The 507th Parachute Infantry left Shanks 5 December 1943 and arrived at Fort Hamilton, New York, the same day. The regiment boarded the British Transport, "STRATENAVER" and sailed in convoy from New York Harbor, 5 December 1943. The crossing was uneventful and the "STRATENAVER" anchored in Liverpool Harbor, 15 December 1943. The regiment was then transported to Portrush, Northern Ireland, on the American Liberty ship, "SUSAN B. ANTHONY".

The unit traveled via Belfast.

Regimental Headquarters was established in Portrush, Northern Ireland, 17 December 1943.

PORTRUSH, DECEMBER 17, 1943 MARCH 11, 1944

NORTHERN IRELAND

TOLLERTON HALL MARCH 13, 1944 AUGUST 22, 1944

TOLLERTON, ENGLAND

28 May 1944, the 507<sup>th</sup> Parachute Infantry left Tollerton Hall for the marshalling areas at Pulbeck and Barkston Heath, preparatory to the Allied Invasion of the continent.

The regiment returned to Tollerton Hall, 15 July 1944, after being in action for 37 days.

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TIDWORTH, ENGLAND

SEPTEMBER 2, 1944 BARTON-STACEY CAMP **DECEMBER 24, 1944** 

BARTON-STACEY, ENGLAND

The 17<sup>th</sup> Airborne Division was flown to France, 25 December 1944, to help stop the German offensive in Belgium and Northern France. The 507th was on line for 47 days.

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## Information from the Hospital Admission Cards created 12/5/2015 by the office of the Surgeon General, Department of the Army (1944-1945). Information for the year 1945

Service Number 36736535

Sample Size

Rank Enlisted Man (includes Aviation Ca

Age 20 20

Race White (includes Mexican)

Length of Service 2-3 yr.

Arm of Service Infantry, Parachute Units

AAF Status Neither assigned nor attached to AAF (includes all unassigned, ;

Admission Station

Month of Admision January

Year of Admision 1945

Last Treatment Facility General Hospital

Special Class of Case None

Type of Case Injury, battle

Type of Admission New, not EPTS

1st Diagnosis Condition due to reduced temperature: Trench foot, New

1st Anatomical Location Foot, generally

1st Operaction

2nd Diagnosis

2nd Anatomical Location

2nd Operation

3rd Diagnosis

Causative Agent Cold Injury, Ground Type

Circumstances Surroundii All battle casualties, and all battle injuries not intentionally inflicted by self or another person

Final Result

Total Days (non-effective) 083

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Type of Discharge Duty (includes AWOL)

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Source: This information was obtained from the Hospital Admission Card data file (1944-1945) created by the Office of the Surgeon General Department of the Army. In 1970 the National Research Council first compiled this for statistical purposes using the EMTs (Emergency Medical Tags) and other Office of the Surgeon General Office Records during WWII.