

Information from the Hospital Admission Cards created 5/25/2020  
 by the office of the Surgeon General, Department  
 of the Army (1944-1945).  
 Information for the year 1944

Service Number	32162514
Rank	Enlisted Man
Arm of Service	Engineers, Combat Units
Age	
Race	Chinese
Length of Service	
Month of Admission	June
Year of Admission	1944
Last Treatment Facility	Not in a medical installation prior to death
Circumstances Surrounding Injury	Battle casualty or battle injury other than ; self-inflicted injury or injury intentionally ; inflicted by another person.
Type of Case	Casualty, battle
Type of Admission	New
Type of Diagnosis	Sole diagnosis, no history of prior disease, injury; or battle casualty
Line of Duty	In line of duty
1st Diagnosis	Wound(s), Penetrating
1st Anatomical Location	Abdomen, generally
1st Operation	
2nd Diagnosis	Killed in action
2nd Anatomical Location	
2nd Operation	
3rd Diagnosis	
Causative Agent	Bullet, Missile Not Stated
Final Result	Aid Station Unit
Disposition	
Cause of Disposition	First diagnosis field
Month of Disposition	June
Year of Disposition	1944
Total Days (non-effective)	
Hospital Days	
Current Days /Gen Hosp Overseas Day	
Place of Final Cure	
Sample Size	Remaining 1944 case

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.

MEMORANDUM

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Moore - 2 pounds

Chin - 4 pounds

~~Bethard - 1 pound~~

Hughes - 3 pounds

Haddy - 1 pound

Mc Keeby - 3 pounds

Millet - 2 pounds

SECRET --(when filled in)

307 Engr

FORM 8 LOSS OF PERSONNEL (P.L. 8-70)

Exercise/Operation Neptune

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

W/O No. (Tail No.) 43-30715

Serial No. 41

PERSONNEL

Drop Order	Serial Number	Rank	Full Name	Status
1	01106109	2nd Lt	Durham, James L	MIA
2	11042952	S Sgt	Watters, Vernon G	
3	15102939	Sgt	Gaffney, Walter E	
4	13087839	Pfc	Calik, Elmer G	MIA
5	35000123	Pvt	Zwir, John R	
6	16054338	Pfc	Mylett, James R	DECEASED
7	33694910	Pvt	Conway, Norman J	MIA
8	35803109	Pvt	Moore, Caspar	MIA
9	19064076	Pvt	Arnold, Henry L	MIA
10	38406659	Pvt	Pharriss, Arthur G	
11	37541171	Pvt	King, Stanley W	
12	37670377	Pfc	Langrehr, Henry O	MIA
13	32162514	Pvt	Chin, Feon G	KIA
14	37387750	Pfc	Hosman, Billy A	MIA
15	32439143	Pvt	Joseph, Horace	KIA
16	6978947	Opl	McKeeby, Benjamin L	<del>MIA</del> KIA
17				
18				
19				
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COMMENTS

Track No.	Type	Time (M:SS)	Ground	Altitude	Remarks

Inspection Conducted \_\_\_\_\_ Signed \_\_\_\_\_

FORM 8 LOSS OF PERSONNEL (P.L. 8-70)

PAY ROLL of Co D (Inf) 397 A/B Exp Bn from June 1 1943 to June 30 1943

NAME, PRESENT AND ABBREVIATED GRADE AND SERIAL NUMBER	DATE OF EMPLOYMENT	No. of Months	ALL PAGES		DEDUCTIONS		
			1	2	3	4	5
1. ALL PRIVATES							
2. Arnold, Harry L	1906976	Dec 15/42	1	21		2.75	20.00
3. Dos, pos, Harold (REG) Jr	1100009	Aug 12/42	0			6.60	
4. Due US IR 1/47 Ft Darnley Co \$1.50 for no of Feb/43							
5. Gordon, Thomas (REG)	3100970	Jan 13/43	2		37.50	6.75	
6. Catalano, Joseph (REG)	319375	Jan 21/42	1			6.60	32.00
7. Lett pt to final Apr 30/43 by W E JIBSON							
8. Lt Col FD						6.60	32.00
9. Lt Col FD 11 1/2 hrs \$22 per mo fr May 1/43 to final Dec 31/42 profit of 10 to May 11/43 to cost of 20 of his pay per Jan 21/43 line 307 A/B Exp Bn in ctd Jan 1/43 ctdn fixed \$10000.00 in ctdn							
10. Forward fr profit of 10.70 Jan 1/43 forward profit of 10.70 Jan 1/43 Due US IR 1/47 Ft Darnley Co \$1.50 for no of Feb/43							
11. Collins, Frank G	1300739	Jul 9/42	0				
12. Due Sal Pmt's pay fr May 1 to 31/43 final for no of May/43 which Sal never received on May/43 payroll							
13. Chin, Foon G	3116031	Jul 29/42	1			6.60	
14. Coe, Robert F	1900060	Jul 3/42	0	21		6.50	
15. Due US IR 1/47 Ft Darnley Co \$1.50 for no of Feb/43							
16. Coover, Robert B	11002577	Dec 15/42	1	22		6.70	
17. Forward fr Profit of 10.70 Jan 1/43 forward profit of 10.70 Jan 1/43 Due US IR 1/47 Ft Darnley Co \$1.50 for no of Feb/43							
18. Coover, Robert B	11002577	Sep 14/42	0	22			
19. Lett pt to final Dec 31/42 by W E JIBSON							
20. Capt FD						6.50	
21. Final profit pay of Jan 25 to May 31/43 final of B							
22. Lt \$19.75 per mo fr May 1/43 to final Dec					19.75	6.50	
23. US L of DP-4 \$12.41 Due US IR 1/47 Ft Darnley Co \$1.50 for no of Feb/43							
24. Darnley Co					19.75	6.50	
25. Do not pay \$50 Jan 260 Mar 650 Apr/43							
26. Not Used							

Quadruplicate

**PAY ROLL**

Voucher No. \_\_\_\_\_

OWENY CO. (P.S.A.R.)  
(Organization)

37TH AIRBORNE DIV  
(Regiment)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Disbursing officer)

REG HQ NY  
(Address)

ARMY  
(Principal army)

For month of JUNE, 1943

Paid \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_

Pay of Army, 19	_____	\$	_____
Pay of Army, 19	_____	\$	_____
Pay of Army, 19	_____	\$	_____
Subs., 19 (PA	_____)	\$	_____
	(PA	_____)	_____
C. & E., 19 (PA	_____)	\$	_____
	(PA	_____)	_____
Total amount disbursed	_____	\$	_____

**Information:**

\$	_____	Ins. and almts.	_____
\$	_____	Qrs. (PA	_____)
\$	_____		_____
\$	_____		_____
\$	_____		_____
\$	_____		_____
\$	_____		_____

**COLLECTIONS**

Finance collections	_____	\$	_____
	(PA	_____)	_____
	(PA	_____)	_____
	(PA	_____)	_____

Misc. Receipts	Gov't laundry	\$	_____
	Overhead charges		_____
	C.M. Fines		_____
	Forf. by des.		_____
		\$	_____

Total collections	_____	\$	_____
Post Exch.; Co. Fund, etc.	(paid by check)	\$	_____
Individuals	(paid by check)	\$	_____
Paid by cash	_____	\$	_____
Total amount accounted for	_____	\$	_____

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JUNE 2, 1943

(Station)

(Date)

I certify that this roll is made out as required by Army Regulations, and that entries pertaining to each name are correct; that where rental and subsistence allowances is due, the soldier was not furnished rations in kind nor received the equivalent thereof in money; that neither he, his family, nor any one dependent on him has occupied Government quarters and that for the period that quarters allowance is due, he or his dependents actually occupied quarters at the address shown. Except

as otherwise stated each man was last paid to May 31, 1943

by W. S. JOHNSON, Lt Col., P.D. USA

**Certificate on** A.T. Shank

**page 2 to Exch** W. B. DIXON, C.O.,

**a part hereof** 37th Air Div

I certify that I witnessed the payment of this roll and that prior to the signing of this certificate each man received the amount set opposite his name, with the exception of those men marked "Not paid."

Commanding Organization

Note.—This certificate will be signed only on the copy of the pay roll which bears signatures of the men for payment in cash.

I certify that this roll is a true copy of the roll upon which payment, witnessed by me, was made, excepting as to the signatures in the receipt column and the certificate as to witnessing the payment thereof.

Commanding Organization

Note.—This certificate will be signed only on the copy of the roll not receipted, and which constitutes the disbursing officer's retained voucher.

Post Exchange; Co. Fund and Collections paid by check on Treasurer U.S.

Date \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_

PAYEE	CHECK No.	AMOUNT

OCTAVE LEGRAND

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# ENFIN LIBRES !

SOUVENIRS DE LA RÉSISTANCE  
DANS LE COTENTIN

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*Français, quiconque parmi vous  
participe aux groupes de Résistance  
compromet l'avenir du pays.*

PÉTAIN (28-4-1944)

*Ne prenez pas parti. Ne vous  
mêlez pas des affaires des autres.*

PÉTAIN (Mai 1944)

Les incidents rompant la monotonie de ma vie d'alors n'avaient pas tous, on s'en doute, un caractère à tout prendre aussi amusant. Il en était qui, en me rappelant aux rudes contingences de la guerre, remplissaient mon esprit d'une tristesse qui s'exaspérait peut-être plus encore de l'inconstance du destin que de l'implacabilité de l'ennemi. Celui-ci avait du moins de la logique dans sa funeste volonté de recourir à la terreur pour vaincre les peuples libres et les asservir. Le destin, lui, avait l'imbécile, la déconcertante versatilité du vent que l'on voit tantôt rageur, tantôt caressant, ici zéphir, là cyclone ; aussi insouciant des catastrophes qu'il sème que des bienfaits qu'il répand.

M'étant un matin rendu à Garnetot pour y rencontrer *Colibri*, je n'y trouvai que Mme Gresselin, laquelle m'apprit que son mari, à la tête d'une équipe de jeunes gens, explorait la commune à la recherche des corps de parachutistes tués les jours précédents et restés sans sépulture. Au désir d'ensevelir côte à côte, dans le cimetière de Rauville, ces étrangers, ces amis morts pour nous délivrer, se joignait chez Yves Gresselin la volonté de les soustraire à la monstrueuses prolanaion des détrousseurs de cadavres.

Le temps était maussade et froid. Un épais « crachin » tissait sur la campagne muette sa ouate grisâtre et liquide, se condensant en gouttelettes le long des branches, d'où elles tombaient silencieusement, comme des larmes. Un vrai temps de Cotentin quand le Cotentin est d'humeur chagrine. J'allais à travers cette déliquescence, la sentant envahir mon cerveau par une sorte d'irréfrénable, de dissolvante capillarité.

Soudain, à un détour du chemin, j'aperçus, venant dans ma direction, un groupe dont l'on n'entendait que le bruit des pas sur le gravier et par intermittences, un grincement aigu de roues protestant à leur façon contre le manque de lubrifiant.

Au milieu du groupe et se suivant deux sortes de camions légers sans ridelles, poussés par deux jeunes gens, ressemblaient