

Records for Individual Soldiers In Normandy

ASN 12184204

Name Botz, William M.

Neptune Rank Private

Division 82nd Abn Div

Regiment 508th Prcht Inf

Battalion

Neptune Company Hq Co 2nd Bn

Company Attached

Company Attached

Neptune Platoon MG

Neptune Squad 1st Sq

Neptune MOS Machine Gunner

Combat Infantry Badge

Combat Medical Badge

Neptune Tail #

Neptune After Action Status LWA

Neptune After Action Date 7/3/1944

Age 21

Month of Admission July

Type of Case Casualty, battle

1st Diagnosis Wound(s), Perforating

1st Anatomical Location Knee region - Popliteal space

1st Operation Debridement without closure

2nd Diagnosis -

2nd Anatomical Location -

2nd Operation 000

Causative Agent Artillery Shell, Fragments, Afoot or unspecified

Final Result 168th Station Hospital

Disposition Duty

Month of Disposition August

Current Days /Gen Hosp Overseas Days 045

Place of Final Cure 168th Station Hospital

STATION Wellaton VK 9959 England

ORGANIZATION Hq Co 2d Bn 508th Procht Inf Inf

(CO, DET, ETC)

(PARENT UNIT)

(ARM OR SERVICE)

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
1-48105	Trabin Jean H	2d Lt	
fr dy to hosp unknown ID slightly wounded in action 5 July 44			

12184204	Bots William M	Pvt	
fr dy to hosp unknown ID slightly wounded in action 3 July 44			

36611073	Francois Melvin J	Pvt	
fr dy to hosp unknown ID slightly in action 3 July 44			

12181108	Lupton Walter R	Pvt	
fr dy to hosp unknown ID (non battle) 10 July 44			

11115942	Marcoux Robert M	Pvt	
fr dy to hosp unknown ID seriously wounded in action 9 July 44			

35803304	Martin Raymond	Pvt	
fr dy to hosp unknown ID slightly			

OFFICER STRENGTH	FLD O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLT O	
	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST
SGD										
TCHD BAGGD										
TCHD FB OTHER ORGN										
TOTAL										

AVN CADET & ENL STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY	ABSENT	PRESENT AND ABSENT
SGD						
TCHD BAGGD						
TCHD FB OTHER ORGN						
TOTAL			0	0		

2	ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR	DAY OF WEEK	NUMBER
3		DATE	
11	MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT		
	BREAKFAST	DINNER	
		SUPPER	
	TOTAL		
	AVERAGE		
3	MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY		
4	MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS		
4	MEN	NET	
3	PRESENT	LESS	
	PLUS		
	TOTAL		
	MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS O & OTHERS MESSED		
	TOTAL		

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S. A. G. O. FORM NO. 1
JULY 1, 1943

(NAME)

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(GRADE) (ARM OR SERVICE)

COMPANY

MORNING REPORT

ENDING
2400

9 July

194 4
(YEAR)

(DAY)

(MONTH)

STATION Wollaton, VK 9059, England

ORGANIZATION Hq Co 2d Bn 508th Precht Inf Inf

(COL, DET, ETC.)

(PARENT UNIT)

(ARM OR SERVICE)

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
15338286	Lakes, Carl	Pfc	
18090277	Shrout, Thomas A. Jr.	Cpl	
	Above 1 - EM fr dy to hosp (hosp unknown) LD seriously wounded in action as of 5 July 44.		
12123140	Arico, Anthony	Pvt	
33433612	Krosnicki, Stanley C.	Pvt	
12152546	Ramesa, Victor	Pvt	
	Above 3 - EM fr dy to hosp (hosp unknown) LD slightly wounded in action as of 5 July 44.		

STATION & RECORDS OF EVENTS

30 June 44 Occupying defensive position
Area-Vicinity of La Poterie,
France. Morale-HIGH.

3 July 44 La Cotellerie, France -
Company left vicinity of
La Poterie, France at 2000 hr
3 July 44 & marched to
vicinity of La Cotellerie.

OFFICER STRENGTH	FLD O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLY O	
	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST
ASCO										
ATCWO										
UNASCO										
ATCWO FR										
OTHER ORGN										
TOTAL										

AVN CADET & ENL STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY	ABSENT	PRESENT AND ABSENT
ASCO						
ATCWO						
UNASCO						
ATCWO FR						
OTHER ORGN						
TOTAL			0	2		

R A T I O N S	ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR	DAY OF WEEK DATE	NUMBER
	MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT		
	BREAKFAST	DINNER	SUPPER
	MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY		TOTAL
	MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS		AVERAGE
	MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS O & OTHERS MESS		
	MEN /ABSENT	LESS	PLUS
	NET		TOTAL

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U.S. A.R. FORM 100-1

MAY 1, 1943

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LIC. DET. ETC.)

(PRESENT UNIT)

(ARM OR SERVICE)

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
	France, arrived at 2200 hr		
	3 July 44. Distance marched		
	5 miles. Morale-HIGH.		
4 July 44	Hill 95 - Left La Côtellerie,		
	France & attacked Hill 95,		
	Now occupying Hill 95.		
	Morale- HIGH.		
5 July 44	Occupying Hill 95.		
	Casualties: 2 Officers		
	seriously wounded in action.		
	4 EM seriously wounded in		
	action, 8 EM slightly		
	wounded in action.		

OFFICER STRENGTH	PLD O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLT O	
	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST
ASGD	1		2	3	2	1				
ATCND UNASGD										
ATCND FR OTHER CSES	1			1	1					
TOTAL	2	1	2	4	3	1				

AVD CASRT & ENL. STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY	ABSENT	PRESENT AND ABSENT
ASGD			100	2	29	131
ATCND UN-ASGD						
ATCND FR OTHER CSES			16			16
TOTAL			116	2	29	147

R	ESTIMATED NUMBER OF	DAY OF WEEK	NUMBER
A	RATIONS REQUIRED FOR	DATE	
T	MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT		
II	BREAKFAST 116	DINNER 116	SUPPER 116
I			TOTAL 348
O			AVERAGE 116
N	MEN AUTHORIZED TO		
S	MESS SEPARATELY		
	MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS		
	O & OTHERS		
	MEN ATCHD TO OTHER		
	ORGN FOR RATIONS		
	MEN		
	PRESENT: 116		
	LESS		
	116		
	PLUS		
	11		
	TOTAL		127

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JUL 7, 1944

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COMPANY

MORNING REPORT

ENDING
2400

20 August

174 4

(DAY)

(MONTH)

(YEAR)

STATION Holliston V. 9959 EnglandORGANIZATION Hq Co 24 Bn 506th Pz Inf

(CO, DET, ETC.)

(PARENT UNIT)

(ARM OR SERVICE)

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
1110615	Komarovsk Julian F	Tec5	1-4
promoted to S Sgt 17 Aug 44 584			
6149118	Spears Robert W 652	Opl	1-5
promoted to Sgt 17 August 44			
24122388	Johnson Hugh L 060	Tec 3	1-11
promoted to Tec 4			
12159595	Barry John T M 653	Pfc	1-6
11110984	Shanley Irving T 653	Pfc	1
above 2 H/ promoted to Opl 17 August 44			
28459546	Irby William H Jr 405	Pfc	1-2
27567895	MacDonald Jerry 060	Pvt	
13119518	Malton E John F Jr 060	Pfc	
above 1 H/ promoted to Tec 3 17 August 44			

19018225	Moss Allen I 761	Pfc	9
12184204	Betz William 604	Pvt	1
above 2 H/ fr atchd messd ab st (Hosp unknown ID) and a 1d Co battle casualty			

OFFICER STRENGTH	PLD O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLY O	
	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T
ASGD	4		3	2	5					
ATCHD UNASGD										
ATCHD FR OTHER ORGN										
TOTAL	4		3	2	5					

AVN CADET & ENL STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY	ABSENT	PRESENT AND ABSENT
ASGD			170	1	6	177
ATCHD UNASGD					16	16
ATCHD FR OTHER ORGN			6			6
TOTAL			176	1	22	199

R A T I O N S	ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR	DAY OF WEEK	NUMBER
		DATE	
T H E	MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT		
	BREAKFAST	DIN'ER	SUPPER
O T H E R	MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY		
	MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS		
S	MEN PRESENT	LESS	
	MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS O & OTHERS MESSED		
		PLUS	
		TOTAL	

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REGISTRATION No 9959 REGISTRATION No Co 2d Bn 508th Pro

100, 101, ETC.

100, 101, ETC.

NUMBER	NAME
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100	Ington Walter R. 65
to the extent of (hosp unknown LD)	
a casualty) to died of wounds	

100	Prestigiacomo Joseph
to the extent of (hosp unknown LD)	
a casualty 20 Sept 44.	

100	Cavlorie Edward M. 810
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100	Boys William H. 604
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100	Randall Rudy 604
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to killed in action	
24 Sept 44.	

100	Warner William H. 745
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to the extent of (hosp unknown LD)	
a casualty 21 Sept 44. (Battery)	

100	Mastrolanni Guido 810
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to slightly injured in action	
(hosp unknown LD) held for	
a casualty 21 Sept 44.	

PLD & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		W
PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	

AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED		
PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	ABST

THE NUMBER OF DAY OF WEEK

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STATION Wollaton VK 9959 EnglandORGANIZATION Hq Co 2d Bn 508th Pch Inf Inf

(CO DET. ETC.)

(PATENT NO.)

(UNIT OR SERVICE)

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
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at 1335. Morale of Men - HIGH.

18 Sept 44 Occupying defensive position in suburbs of Nijmegen, Holland, Morale of Men - HIGH.

19 Sept 44 Occupying defensive position in suburbs of Nijmegen, Holland.

20 Sept 44 Occupying defensive position in vicinity of suburbs of Nijmegen, Holland, Morale of Men - HIGH.

Battle Casualties: 2 EM seriously wounded in action. 1 Officer slightly wounded in action. 4 EM slightly wounded in action.

OFFICER STRENGTH	FLD O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLT O	
	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST	PRES	ABST
ABSD	3		5		4	1				
ATCHD UNABSD				1		1				
ATCHD PB OTHER ORGN										
TOTAL	3		5	1	4	2				

AVN CADET & ENL STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY	ABSENT	PRESENT AND ABSENT
ABSD			148			148
ATCHD UNABSD					8	8
ATCHD PB OTHER ORGN			6		1	7
TOTAL			154		9	163

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			DATE	
	MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT			
	BREAKFAST	DINNER	SUPPER	
			TOTAL	AVERAGE
MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY				
MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS			NET	
MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS O & OTHERS MESSED				TOTAL
MEN PRESENT: LESS			PLUS	

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Information from the Hospital Admission Cards created 6/1/2025
by the office of the Surgeon General, Department
of the Army (1944-1945).
Information for the year 1944

Service Number	12184204
Rank	Enlisted Man
Arm of Service	Infantry, Parachute Troops
Age	21
Race	White
Length of Service	2 Year(s), 4 Month(s)
Month of Admission	July
Year of Admission	1944
Last Treatment Facility	Station hospital
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), Perforating
1st Anatomical Location	Knee region - Popliteal space
1st Operation	Debridement without closure
2nd Diagnosis	
2nd Anatomical Location	
2nd Operation	
3rd Diagnosis	
Causative Agent	Artillery Shell, Fragments, Afoot or unspecified
Final Result:	168th Station Hospital
Disposition	Duty
Cause of Disposition	Not death nor discharge (incl cases remaining in hosp at end of 1944
Month of Disposition	August
Year of Disposition	1944
Total Days (non-effective)	045
Hospital Days	044
Current Days /Gen Hosp Overseas Day	045
Place of Final Cure	168th Station Hospital
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.

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Service Number	12184204
Rank	Enlisted Man
Arm of Service	Infantry, Parachute Troops
Age	21
Race	Unknown
Length of Service	
Month of Admission	September
Year of Admission	1944
Last Treatment Facility	Not in a medical installation prior to death
Circumstances Surrounding Injury	Injuries intentionally inflicted by another person ; (except Military Enemy or Guard, Sentry, MP, etc.)
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	Killed in action
1st Anatomical Location	Unknown, code not applicable
1st Operation	
2nd Diagnosis	
2nd Anatomical Location	
2nd Operation	
3rd Diagnosis	
Causative Agent	None or Unknown
Final Result:	
Disposition	
Cause of Disposition	First diagnosis field
Month of Disposition	September
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

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