

Records for Individual Soldiers In Normandy

ASN 34440191

Name Lightsey, Julian C.

Neptune Rank Private First Class

Division 101st Abn Div

Regiment 501st Prcht Inf

Battalion

Neptune Company Co D

Company Attached

Company Attached

Neptune Platoon

Neptune Squad

Neptune MOS

Combat Infantry Badge Normandy

Combat Medical Badge

Neptune Tail #

Neptune After Action Status LIA

Neptune After Action Date 6/6/1944

Age 22

Month of Admission June

Type of Case Injury, battle

1st Diagnosis Fracture, compound, comminuted with no nerve or artery involvement

1st Anatomical Location Patella

1st Operation Fracture, open, treatment of, method not stated

2nd Diagnosis Furunculosis

2nd Anatomical Location -

2nd Operation -

Causative Agent Parachute Jump, Rough Landing (any mishap)

Final Result -

Disposition Duty

Month of Disposition 25

Current Days /Gen Hosp Overseas Days 208

Place of Final Cure 9501

STATION Hampstead Marshall v U 8585 Cassini
 ORGANIZATION Co D, 501 Preht Inf Inf
(CO, BTRY, ETC.) (PARENT UNIT) (ARM OR SERVICE)

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
34 635 168	Houston William J	Pvt	9
12 208 239	Huff Charles M	Pvt 1	cl
36 482 433	Ketchum Loren H	Pvt	J
15 340 024	Kinney Gene S	Pvt	Ax9
34 440 191	Lightsey Julian C	Pfc	
12 188 082	Meger Byron J	Pfc	
01 030 279	Osborn Bill E	Capt	

Above 1.0 & 6 EM dy to Hosp

ID IJA 6 Jun 44 reld fr asgd and atchd unasgd

RECORD OF EVENTS

6 Jun 44 - 1 Officer & 1 ^{KIA} KIA
 12 EM IJA 1 Officer & 6 EM IJA
 15 Jun 44 - 1 EM SWA 1 EM IJA

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OFFICER STRENGTH	FLD O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLT O	
	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T
ASGD			4		2					
ATCHD UNASGD		1								
ATCHD FR OTHER ORGN										
TOTAL		1	4		2					

AVN CADET & ENL STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT ROT FOR DT	ABSENT	PRESENT AND ABSENT
ASGD			113		2	115
ATCHD UNASGD					19	19
ATCHD FR OTHER ORGN					6	6
TOTAL			113		27	140

R I ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR DAY OF WEEK DATE NUMBER

T II MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT TOTAL AVERAGE

 BREAKFAST DINNER SUPPER

O III MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS O & OTHERS MESSED TOTAL

N MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS ORGN FOR RATIONS NET PLUS

S MEN PRESENT LESS PLUS

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I CERTIFY THAT THIS MORNING REPORT IS CORRECT AND THAT RATION FIGURES IN PART II REPRESENT AN ACTUAL COUNT AS REPORTED TO ME.

SIGNATURE Kenneth K. Keehnen
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G O # 2, Hqs, 501st Probt Inf., 8 July 1944., (Cont'd):

COMPANY "D"				
1LT Ian D. Nicholson (KIA)				
1LT Edwin E. Brown				
CAPT. BILL E. OSBORN,	01	030	277	2LT MANUEL V. BRAZIL (KIA)
1ST LT. DENVER R. BENNETT,	01	294	256	1ST LT. RICHARD G. SNODGRASS,
Pvt. Woodrow R. Haning, V	13	070	311	2ND LT. ELDER B. COLLIER, *Bethany
Pfc. Theodore Pralika, New Brit	11	102	673	T-5. Arthur R. Gilliam,
Pfc. Franklin E. Augusting, Newark	20	303	152	Pfc. John Aguilar, Fort Worth
Pvt. Charles J. McDonald, Northampton	31	214	428	T-4. Victor L. Cumbo, Leaksville NC
Pvt. Jessie H. Stroupe,	33	650	037	Pfc. Theo. W. Bradford, Bessemer Ak
Sgt. William E. Lesure, North Adams	31	347	015	Pvt. Dominick Tropeano, *DRACUT, Mass
Cpl. Gerald S. Paulk,	14	142	257	S/Sgt. Floyd C. West, DALLAS
Pvt. William M. Jones,	19	170	350	T-5. Thomas W. Brown, Harris City
Pfc. Walter A. Maguire, Phila.	13	177	707	Pfc. Frank F. Lasik, Pitt area
Pvt. Joseph E. Vetillo, Chicago	36	659	827	Pvt. Stanley P. Koss,
Pvt. Elmer B. Bryan,	33	650	806	Pvt. David J. West,
Pfc. Charles J. Ritzler,	35	347	064	Pfc. Adam G. Kozar,
Pvt. Leland G. Stillman,	39	829	318	Pvt. Merle Langston, (KIA)
Pvt. Wayne A. McClung, KIA Nebr.	37	478	128	Pvt. William Mangan, Philly
Pvt. Oscar Gomez, Los Angeles	39	548	729	Pvt. William Houston,
Pfc. Thomas L. Hildebrand,	36	294	243	Pfc. Edward Junecko, Pitt area
Pvt. Albert J. Jacobs, *Lowell	31	262	462	Pfc. William J. Hayes,
Pvt. Harold D. MacDonald,	32	849	638	Pvt. Frank McKeown, (KIA)
Pvt. Robert W. Lillibridge, *Dud	12	193	794	Sgt. Patrick H. Choate, (KIA)
Pvt. John Kaczmariski,	32	394	109	Pvt. Ferdinand J. Drelick, *Wentz
Pfc. James A. Rafferty,	13	153	953	Pfc. Henry T. Harbison, Philadelphia
Pvt. George E. Willey, Cassopolis	15	330	238	Pvt. Virgil T. Sims, Jonesboro Texas
Cpl. Bernard O. Stevens, *Stratford	11	114	454	Pfc. Duane E. Fisher,
Pvt. Clyde G. Schneider, *Wis	36	297	181	Pvt. William A. Druback, *Bayonet
Pfc. Heinz F. Ulrich,	12	272	137	Pvt. Robert L. Perkins,
Pvt. Emilio Manzi, Newcompton Okla	39	686	174	Pfc. John P. Hunt,
Pfc. Rodney K. Hickenbottom, *	15	339	466	Pfc. Frank F. Rosado, *Tampa FLA.
Sgt. Robert L. Greenhawk, *	32	367	777	Pfc. Julian C. Lightsey,
Pfc. S. J. Verner, Dallas, Tex.	30	425	037	Pvt. Walter E. Rydzewski, Chicago
Pvt. Leonard Moseley,	34	465	630	Cpl. Theodore F. Buehler, *Nebr.
Pvt. Frederick C. Schmitt, Chicago	36	634	540	Pvt. Norman C. Miller, Erie
Pfc. Edwin J. Krpata,	12	092	066	Pfc. Royal A. Jacobs, (KIA) Rudol, Io.
Pfc. Glenn W. Goodwin,	34	546	448	Pvt. Claude E. Hilliard, *Pensacola
Pvt. Wallace B. Collins,	13	154	405	Pvt. Joseph L. Mayne,
Pvt. Elmer G. Lawson,	33	650	763	Pvt. Donald E. Whitacre, *South, Ariz
Pvt. Gerald L. Showman,	35	141	497	Sgt. Robert G. Bean, *N.J.
Pvt. Vernon Green, *Rockhausen, Ga	34	763	156	Pfc. Charles H. Huff, *Sodus, NY
Pvt. Guy R. Marrs, *Delaware, Okla (KIA)	39	135	572	Pvt. Gene S. Kinney, (KIA)
Pfc. Ralph S. Arvizo, Los Angeles	19	180	677	Pvt. George E. Heller, Brooklyn
Pvt. Norbert H. Nooley, Columbia	34	658	957	Pfc. Byron J. Moger, Long Island
Pvt. Ben S. Weaver, KIA Danport	37	655	202	Pvt. Robert E. Dorman, Brook Albion NY
Cpl. Charles B. Johnson,	20	422	794	Pvt. Kenneth E. Potter,
Pfc. Orrin J. Holborton, *Rockwell	12	208	396	Cpl. Lawrence C. Lamb,
Cpl. Joseph A. Furkay,	32	567	231	Pfc. Joseph Postma,
				Pvt. George H. Smith, (KIA) Bovey, Mass

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HEADQUARTERS 501ST PARACHUTE INFANTRY
APO # 472, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

8 July 1944.

GENERAL ORDERS)

NUMBER.... 2...)

1. UP Section I, WD Cir No. 269, 27 October 1943, the following named O and BM, organs as indicated, having demonstrated exemplary conduct and satisfactory performance of duty in action against the enemy in the invasion of France, are this date, hereby awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge:

LT & HQ COMPANY

<i>Atlanta</i>	COL. HOWARD R. JOHNSON, ✓ KIA)	016	673	LT. COL. HARRI W. J. KINWARD, JR. ✓	021	990
	MAJOR. RICHARD J. ALLEN, ✓	01	283 187	MAJOR. CECIL G. HUSKEY, ✓ <i>CHICAGO</i>	0	373 434
	CAPT. FRANK L. BROWN, ✓ (PF)	0	450 579	CAPT. WILLIAM G. BURD, ✓ (KIA)	0	453 404
<i>Los Angeles</i>	CAPT. KENNETH M. EAGLE, ✓*	0	489 801	CAPT. FRANCIS L. SAMPSON, ✓*	0	471 891
	1ST LT. FOSTER G. BEAMSLEY,	01	284 992	1ST LT. ARTHUR L. GNDY, <i>GRAND RAPIDS</i>	01	303 846
<i>Barberton Ky</i>	1ST LT. TED FULLER, ✓	01	298 377	1ST LT. FRANKLIN T. GARRETT,	0	467 347
	1ST LT. WILLIAM P. HEATON, ✓	0	456 161	1ST LT. JAMES H. PATTON, JR.,	01	295 932
<i>Troy Tex</i>	2ND LT. LEE J. BOWERS, ✓*	01	287 653	2ND LT. JAMES T. HASLAM, (PF)	01	574 807
<i>Hq/501</i>	2ND LT. RAYMOND P. HOFFMAN, JR. ✓	01	321 117	2ND LT. ROBERT R. LA ORANGE,	01	280 401
	2ND LT. WERNER J. MEIER,	01	321 275	2ND LT. STEVE K. LUISZIS, <i>Chicago</i>	01	297 425
	2ND LT. JESSE M. TIDWELL, ✓ <i>sv Co</i>	01	295 625	2ND LT. BILLY A. TURNER, JR. (KIA)	0	519 713
	CAPT. BENJAMIN W. WAX, ✓ <i>Dead</i>	0	396 150	WOJG. FRANK R. WOLF, <i>Chambersburg, Pa. W-2</i>	126	846
	M/Sgt. Paul H. Gordon,	32	105 542	M/Sgt. Charles C. <i>Dead</i>	33	138 913
	1/Sgt. Sinai J. Bordeleau,	20	111 154	S/Sgt. John M. <i>Dead</i>	33	174 542
	S/Sgt. Francis B. Cook, <i>Anaheim</i>	19	099 105*	S/Sgt. Lester R. <i>Dead</i>	39	184 103
	S/Sgt. John F. Tiller, <i>Bozn Ala</i>	20	416 793	Sgt. Bedford H. Biles, <i>CONCORD N.C.</i>	14	074 425 <i>Dead</i>
	Sgt. Leon W. Brown, (KIA) <i>RICHMOND CALIF.</i>	19	073 730	Sgt. Frank H. <i>DESMOINES</i>	6	824 421 <i>Dead</i>
	Sgt. Hershel D. Mhoon, <i>CHICAGO</i>	36	036 941	T-4. <i>Dead</i>	20	423 165
	T-4. Samuel Wilson,	32	096 775	T-4. <i>FAIRVIEW</i>	32	168 090 <i>NS</i>
	Cpl. Eugene Amburgey, <i>LITTLE ROCK</i>	35	115 534*	Cpl. Thomas Arrey, <i>Miami, Fla.</i>	18	120 619 <i>Dead</i>
	Cpl. William R. Canfield, <i>SEMINOLE</i>	38	393 712	Cpl. Joseph E. Chadwell,	34	733 829
	Cpl. Thomas D. Endicott, <i>DEERFIELD</i>	13	098 609	Cpl. Jimmie R. Fritchler, <i>Giddings Tex.</i>	18	009 395 <i>Dead</i>
<i>ENGLEWOOD NS</i>	Cpl. Robert I. Hunt, (KIA)	32	061 089	Cpl. Bryan B. Palmer,	13	142 353
	Cpl. Jesse G. Pearson,	34	426 163	T-5. Thomas R. Alcott, Jr., <i>WASHINGTON, D.C.</i>	35	281 218
<i>***</i>	T-5. Henry J. Billings, PF	6	987 025*	T-5. Stanley E. Butkovich, <i>GALESBURG ILL</i>	36	069 039 <i>Dead</i>
	T-5. Frank E. Colombe,	32	226 235	T-5. Daniel Donohoe,	19	083 355
	T-5. James P. Ganter,	13	133 379	T-5. Robert R. Otto, <i>Carlsale Pa.</i>	13	068 676
	T-5. Harry L. Pettas, <i>Indianapolis</i>	15	102 024	T-5. Earle E. Sheen, <i>ELMIRA, N.Y.</i>	38	250 715
	T-5. Chester Stolarek, <i>Oak Forest</i>	6	957 839	Pfc. Harold J. Arnold, (KIA)	13	081 224
	Pfc. Richard G. Austin, (KIA)	11	080 133	Pfc. Frederick J. Becker, <i>DES MOINES</i>	17	180 932
	Pfc. Frank C. Bediskey, <i>Kingsm</i>	53	059 003	Pfc. Normand D. Blanchette, KIA	11	134 303
	Pfc. King J. Bogie, <i>Mississippi</i>	17	051 217	Pfc. Jorge J. Bravo,	38	379 826

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Information from the Hospital Admission Cards created
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of the Army (1944-1945).
Information for the year 1944

6/25/2025

Service Number	34440191
Rank	Enlisted Man
Arm of Service	Infantry, Parachute Troops
Age	22
Race	White
Length of Service	1 Year(s), 5 Month(s)
Month of Admission	June
Year of Admission	1944
Last Treatment Facility	Convalescent facility or camp (or hosp in Z.I.)
Circumstances Surrounding Injury	Other or unspecified non-battle injuries.
Type of Case	Injury, battle
Type of Admission	New
Type of Diagnosis	Primary diagnosis, no history of prior disease, injury; or battle casualty
Line of Duty	In line of duty
1st Diagnosis	Fracture, compound, comminuted with no nerve or artery involvement
1st Anatomical Location	Patella
1st Operation	Fracture, open, treatment of, method not stated
2nd Diagnosis	Furunculosis
2nd Anatomical Location	
2nd Operation	
3rd Diagnosis	
Causative Agent	Parachute Jump, Rough Landing (any mishap)
Final Result:	
Disposition	Duty
Cause of Disposition	Not death nor discharge (incl cases remaining in hosp at end of 1944)
Month of Disposition	
Year of Disposition	1944
Total Days (non-effective)	358
Hospital Days	350
Current Days /Gen Hosp Overseas Day	208
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.

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Service Number 34440191

Sample Size

Rank Enlisted Man (includes Aviation C

Age 22 22

Race White (includes Mexican)

Length of Service 1-2 yr.

Arm of Service Infantry, Parachute Units

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

Admission Statio

Month of Admission June

Year of Admision 1944

Last Treatment Facilit Convalescent Hospital, ZI

Special Class of Cas Invalided Home (except repatriated) in other year

Type of Case Injury, battle

Type of Admission New, not EPTS

1st Diagnosis Fracture, compound, comminuted with no nerve or artery involvement

1st Anatomical Locatio Patella

1st Operation Fracture, open treatment of, method not stated or Fracture, removal of bone fragments, unqualified

2nd Diagnosis Furunculosis

2nd Anatomical Locatio

2nd Operation

3rd Diagnosis

Causative Agent Parachute Jump, Rough Landing (any mishap)

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

Final Result

Total Days (non-effective) 135

Hospital Days 350

Overseas Days 208

Type of Discharge Duty (includes AWOL)

Field of Cause of Disposit

Unit Number 501

Month of Dispositio May

Year of Dispositio 1945

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