

CASUALTY INTERROGATION FORM
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

THE FAMILIES OF MANY OF YOUR COUSADES HAVE NOT BEEN AS FORTUNATE AS YOURS. THEIR SONS AND HUSBANDS HAVE BEEN REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION AND THEY ARE ANXIOUSLY WAITING TO LEARN THEIR FATE. YOU MAY BE ABLE TO SUPPLY THE INFORMATION WHICH WILL HELP TO TERMINATE THE SUSPENSE AND ANXIETY THEY ARE SUFFERING.

IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION CONCERNING THE DEATH IN ACTION OR DURING IMPRISONMENT OF ANY MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES YOU ARE REQUESTED TO FURNISH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT THE DECEASED:

FULL NAME OF DECEASED MORTON J. HILL REBURIED: 7 Jul 44
HOME TOWN OR STATE UNKNOWN BLOSVILLE E-6-118
GRADE OR RANK ENLISTED MAN - 20946257
ORGANIZATION 5084 Parachute Co. 1st Battalion
DATE AND PLACE OF DEATH 7 June 44, BASTILLE ON DOUVE RIVER, SOUTH OF
CAUSE OF DEATH MICHINE PISTOL (KID) PICAUVILLE, NORMANDY, FRANCE
PLACE OF BURIAL SACRED NORTH BANK OF DOUVE RIVER OPPOSITE SMALL VILLAGE
OF BASTILLE (NEAR PICAUVILLE, NORMANDY)
WERE YOU AN EYEWITNESS TO HIS DEATH YES
NAMES OF PERSONS BELIEVED TO HAVE WITNESSED HIS DEATH
IF YOUR INFORMATION IS HEARSAY GIVE NAME AND ADDRESS OF YOUR INFORMANT

SIGN HERE

J. J. Thomas
Name and Service Number

4283 Leimert Blvd. Los Angeles
Your home address
Calif

NOTE: THIS FORM IS FOR USE BY CASUALTY BRANCH, THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON 25, D. C. ADDITIONAL COPIES OF THE FORM ARE AVAILABLE TO YOU. PLEASE FILL ONE OUT FOR EACH MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES WHOM YOU KNOW OR BELIEVE TO BE DEAD.

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3508 02151

DATE 15 01 48 DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME HILL MORTON W

SERIAL NUMBER 20946259 RANK PVT

ARM 1 DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY BLOSVILLE - CARENTAN

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 1 9700 14 CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT ROW GRAVE COUNTRY E 6 110 FRANCE

CAUSE OF DEATH 1

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE FORKNER FUNERAL PARLOR 4214 UNIVERSITY WAY SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN ETHEL B. HILL (MOTHER) 1318 LUCAS PLACE SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME HILL, Morton W. SERIAL NUMBER 20946259 RANK Pvt DATE OF DEATH UNK DATE DISTINTERRED 20 January 1948

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON [X] REMAINS [] MARKER ORGANIZATION USAGF RELIGION Prot. VII IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY [Signature] NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL Uniform CONDITION OF REMAINS Advanced decomposition

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION Embossed plate on cross.

MINOR DISCREPANCIES None

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 30 JAN 48 BY E. F. Pergande

CASKET SEALED BY E.F. Pergande EMBALMER (Signature) Henry F. Pergande

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED DATE 30 JAN 48 BY E.B. Ryder SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY JOHN PALYOK, JR, 1/Lt., FA

I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

[Signature] JOHN PALYOK, JR, 1/LT., FA.

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

CLERK

Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM USMC, Blossville		TO Casketing Point A, Cherbourg	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE Truck		NAME OF CONVOYER Sgt. Augustino	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>W. P. Bailey</i> W. P. BAILEY, Capt., MC	DATE 28 JAN 48	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>E. N. Cianpo</i> E. N. CIANPO, 1 Lt., FA	DATE 28 JAN 48

2. SHIPPED

FROM Casketing Point A, Cherbourg		TO Port Unit, Cherbourg	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE Truck		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>E. N. Cianpo</i> E. N. CIANPO, 1 Lt., FA	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>John E. Hendry Jr.</i> JOHN E. HENDRY JR., MAJOR, CAC	DATE

3. SHIPPED

FROM CHERBOURG PORT UNIT		TO TYPE	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE USSS LAWRENCE VICTORY		NAME OF CONVOYER JOSEPH J. CARROLL, 1st Lt TC	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>John E. Hendry Jr.</i> JOHN E. HENDRY JR. MAJ. CAC	DATE 26 April 48	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>Joseph J. Carroll</i>	DATE

4. SHIPPED

FROM		TO TYPE	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>James L. McKinnon</i> JAMES L. MCKINNON COLONEL, T. C.	DATE MAY 7 - 1948

5. SHIPPED

FROM TYPE		TO TYPE	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE SEW LIFE MISC		NAME OF CONVOYER <i>Sgt. James V. Manylas</i> Sgt. James V. Manylas	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>James L. McKinnon</i> JAMES L. MCKINNON COLONEL, T. C.	DATE MAY 13 1948	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>Charles E. Steers</i>	DATE

6. SHIPPED

FROM		TO FLOYD L STEERS 1st Lt., QMC	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

7. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 14 August 1944
vlo 4633

FULL NAME <u>Hill, Morton W.</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <u>20 946 259</u>	GRADE <u>Pvt</u>	
HOME ADDRESS <u>Seattle, Washington</u>		ARM OR SERVICE <u>Infantry</u>	DATE OF BIRTH <u>13 Jan 17</u>	
PLACE OF DEATH <u>European Area</u>	CAUSE OF DEATH <u>Killed in action</u>		DATE OF DEATH <u>23 Jun 44</u>	
STATION OF DECEASED <u>European Area</u>	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <u>13 May 1942</u>		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS <u>3 0 0</u>	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Ethel B. Hill (mother) 1318 Lucas Place, Seattle, Washington</u>				
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Ethel B. Hill (mother) same as above</u> <u>Mr. Ansel Benjamin Hill (father) same as Mother's</u>				
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES
				NO
				X
				OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)
				YES
				NO
				*%

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

* On Parachute Pay

COPIES FURNISHED:		
S. G. O.	F. B. I.	F. O., U. S. A.
2. O. Q. M. G.	O. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	A. G. 201 FILE

BATTLE
 NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

John T. Winn
John T. Winn

ADJUTANT GENERAL

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

130245

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 14 August 1944
vlo 4633

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ADJUTANT GENERAL

PART I (Continued)

If on page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
		TELEPHONE No.

OR
I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR FORKNER FUNERAL PARLOR			
NUMBER AND STREET 4214 University Way	CITY OR TOWN SEATTLE	COUNTY OR PROVINCE King	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY Wash
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station) SEATTLE, Wash	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS		TELEPHONE No.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A.; OR COUNTRY

REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4.)*

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ethel B. Hill (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) 1318 LUCAS PLACE (STREET AND NUMBER)
ETHEL B. HILL (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) SEATTLE 3, WASHINGTON (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 7th day of Oct., 1947, at city (or town) of Seattle, county of King, and State (or Territory or District) of Wash.

W. J. Gaudin (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public (OFFICIAL TITLE)

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation:

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

Pvt. Morton W. Hill, 20 946 259
 Plot E, Row 6, Grave 110,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Bloisville, France

15 September 1947

A		C	
B		D	

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

NOTE.—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.

If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

PART I

1, Mrs Ethel B. Hill
 (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

- WIDOW WIDOWER SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER MOTHER BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS.
2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY
Evergreen Cemetery, Seattle, Washington
 (NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)
3. BE RETURNED TO _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY), THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)
4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)
- (Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)
- YES NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

Coded to Jones
11/26/47
 OQMG FORM 345 MILITARY
 14 NOV 1946

26 FEB 1948

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NOV 20

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Copy of Inscription To Be Placed on Marker.

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington, D. C.

F T BRONZE MARKER

17921

COMPLETION COPY

Below you will find a copy of the inscription taken from the official records as it will appear on the flat bronze marker you ordered. This copy is sent you so you may check it carefully before the marker is manufactured. Therefore, please check the Inscription-Name and Location of Cemetery-check with Cemetery Officials and make sure a bronze government marker will be allowed at grave-check Name and Address of the person to whom marker is to be shipped. After you have checked these carefully, correcting any errors, then sign and return this paper promptly in the inclosed envelope which requires no postage.

Until you return this slip the Bronze Marker cannot be ordered. Do not Delay—But Return Today.

INSCRIPTION: LATIN CROSS

MORTON B HILL / WASHINGTON / PVT INFANTRY / WORLD WAR II /
JAN 13 1917 JUNE 23 1944

SHIP TO: MRS ETHEL B HILL
1318 LUCAS PLACE
SEATTLE
WASHINGTON

FOR:


291

WAR SERVICE:

APPLICANT:

CEMETERY:

EVERGREEN MEM PK
SEATTLE
WASHINGTON MLS

CORRECT AND SIGN HERE 

**IMPORTANT—PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN
THIS CARD PROMPTLY**

SPQYH 293 Hill, Morton W.

ORDER NO. B 291

A bronze marker furnished by the Government was recently shipped to you. When this marker has been received by you, it is requested that this card be SIGNED on the line indicated for your signature, also noting the DATE the marker was received.

Bronze Marker Received

Oct. 28th, 1948

(Date)

Edhel B. Hill

(Signature)

1318 Sura St. Goo

(Address)

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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PAYMENT OF POSTAGE \$300
(GRQ)



OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL,
MEMORIAL DIVISION,
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
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PARCEL POST

CONTENTS: BRONZE MARKER

UNITED STATES POSTAGE
PAID

A/C WAR DEPARTMENT
~~XX CINCINNATI, OHIO XX~~
~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

A/C DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

CONTRACT NO. W 49-056 QM 158

ORDER NO. 291

NAME MORTON W. HILL

Mrs. Ethel B. Hill
1318 Lucas Place
Seattle,
Washington

180000
7/1

DDMG FORM 386
22 JUL 47

CERTIFICATE

(AR 30-1830)

C. G. GEALTA
Col., F.D., F.O.U.S.A.
Utah Gen. Dist. Depot
Ogden, Utah
212,017

1. FILL IN EITHER PART A OR PART B; NOT BOTH.
2. USE PART A WHEN INTERMENT IS IN A CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY.
3. USE PART B WHEN REMAINS ARE DELIVERED TO HOME OR OTHER PLACE PRIOR TO BURIAL IN A NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY.

JUN 1948
Sta. 26c

PART A - CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY

A	REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF INTERMENT EXPENSES		
(PLEASE READ EXPLANATION ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE COMPLETING FORM)			
NAME OF DECEDENT <u>HILL, WILSON B.</u>	GRADE <u>PVT.</u>	SERIAL NUMBER <u>20046239</u>	COMPONENT <u>1948</u>
I certify that the sum of \$ <u>75.00</u> was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the interment of the remains of the above named decedent in the below named cemetery.			
INSERT NAME OF CEMETERY <u>Evergreen</u>	CITY OR COUNTY <u>King Co.</u>	STATE <u>Wash.</u>	
INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM 1. Fill in as required and sign four copies. THIS FORM NOT TO BE SIGNED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR. 2. Return four copies to: CHIEF, A.G.R.D. UTAH GENERAL DIST. DEPOT OGDEN, UTAH		SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT <u>Ethel B. Hill</u>	
		ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (City, Street or RFD, and State) <u>1318 Susan Place</u>	
RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT <u>Mother</u>		DATE <u>May 31 48</u>	

PART B - NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY

B	REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES		
(PLEASE READ EXPLANATION ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE COMPLETING FORM)			
NAME OF DECEDENT	GRADE	SERIAL NUMBER	COMPONENT
I certify that the sum of \$ _____ was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the transportation of the remains of the above named decedent from and to the following places: <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; margin: 10px 0;">NOT APPLICABLE</div>			
INSERT CITY OR TOWN (OR ADDRESS NOT IN A CITY OR TOWN) FROM WHICH REMAINS WERE SHIPPED	INSERT NAME AND LOCATION OF NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY TO WHICH REMAINS WERE SHIPPED		
INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM 1. Fill in as required and sign four copies. THIS FORM NOT TO BE SIGNED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR. 2. Return four copies to:		SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT	
		ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (City, Street or RFD, and State)	
RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT		DATE	

MESSAGEFORM

MESSAGE CENTER No. TRANSMITTING MEANS

CRYPTOGRAPH OR CLEAR TEXT

CALLS V	STA. SER. No. NR	PRECEDENCE	TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS	ORIGINATOR	DATE-TIME GROUP
ACTION	INFORMATION	EXEMPT	OPERATING SIGNALS	GROUP COUNT	GR AGRD

SPACE ABOVE FOR SIGNAL CENTER ONLY

FROM: (Originator) UTAH GENERAL DISTRIBUTION DEPOT
OGDEN UTAH

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

- ACTION TO:
- . ETHEL B HILL
 - . 1318 LUCAS PIACE
 - . SEATTLE WASHINGTON

ACTION	PRECEDENCE FOR INFORMATION
DL	

 ORIGINAL MESSAGE

REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE IDENTIFICATION	CLASSIFICATION
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INFORMATION TO:

THIS HEADQUARTERS HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT THE REMAINS OF LATE PRIVATE MORTON W HILL ARE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE INDICATE YOU WISH REMAINS DELIVERED TO FORKNER FUNERAL PARLOR 4214 UNIVERSITY WAY SEATTLE/ WASHINGTON PLEASE INSTRUCT FUNERAL DIRECTOR TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT RAILROAD STATION SEATTLE WASHINGTON UPON ARRIVAL WE REGRET IT IS NOT POSSIBLE AT THIS TIME TO GIVE YOU A DEFINITE DELIVERY DATE HOWEVER THREE DAYS PRIOR TO SHIPMENT FROM THIS DEPOT YOUR FUNERAL DIRECTOR WILL BE NOTIFIED BY TELEGRAM OF RAIL ROUTING AND SCHEDULED TIME REMAINS WILL ARRIVE AT RAILROAD STATION HE WILL BE REQUESTED TO PASS THIS INFORMATION TO YOU SO THAT YOU MAY MAKE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS REMAINS WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT WITHIN 48 HOURS OF DATE OF THIS MESSAGE PLEASE CONFIRM BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO UTAH GENERAL DISTRIBUTION DEPOT ATTENTION AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION DIVISION OGDEN UTAH ABOVE DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS OR SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO COMPLY AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE WITH ANY DESIRED CHANGES IN DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF THE 48 HOUR PERIOD YOUR PROMPT COOPERATION WILL GREATLY ASSIST THIS OFFICE IN MAKING FINAL DELIVERY IF YOU DESIRE MILITARY HONORS AT FUNERAL YOU SHOULD ASK ANY LOCAL PATRIOTIC OR VETERANS ORGANIZATION TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS PLEASE INCLUDE FULL NAME OF DECEASED IN REPLY TELEGRAM

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

AUTHORIZATION

SIGNATURE

STEVEN F CAPASSO
MAJOR OMC

OFFICIAL TITLE

CHIEF AGRD

SYMBOL

ORIGINATING AGENCY

DATE-TIME GROUP

8 MAY 1948

PAGE OF

RECEIPT OF REMAINS

DISTRIBUTION CENTER UTAH GENERAL DISTRIBUTION DEPOT
OGDEN UTAH

ROUTINE 19 MAY 1948

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO: FORKNER FUNERAL PARLOR
4214 UNIVERSITY WAY
SEATTLE WASHINGTON

REMAINS OF THE LATE PRIVATE ²¹³ MORTON W HILL ^{FS} BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT ON TRAIN NUMBER FOUR ZERO ONE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD DUE TO ARRIVE SEATTLE STATION SIX FORTY FIVE AM TWENTY NINE MAY. REQUEST YOU MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL AND THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO NEXT OF KIN.

Steven F Capasso
STEVEN F CAPASSO
MAJOR QMC
CHIEF AGRD

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE REMAINS OF THE ABOVE-NAMED DECEASED

THIS 29 DAY OF May, 19 48
DAY MONTH

Donald A. Micheman 1st Sgt. Forkner E. C. Engdahl
WITNESS (Escort) CONSIGNEE

*File
NAT
Records Unit
2 July 48
M. Davis
R. R. M.*

CCDE S 9H2616 279232A	CONSTITUENT KING, TOM	MEMBER OF CONG. JACKSON, HENRY	DATES		OCLL AO 78131 A Parsons	SUSPENSE DATE AR 1-20
			RECD M 30 Aug	FWF 30 Aug		
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF LEGISLATIVE LIAISON			Do Not Detach This Slip		CONGRESSIONAL	

SUBJECT

Request for burial site of Morten Hill

TO: (Include ZIP Code)

~~CDRISTEKSCOM~~
(Pouch)

DAAG

REFERRED FOR:

NECESSARY ACTION
 PREPARATION OF REPORT FOR SIGNATURE OF _____
 SIGNATURE BLOCK AS SHOWN UNDER REMARKS
 PREPARATION OF FACT SHEET,
 ATTN: _____
 INFORMATION UPON WHICH TO BASE A REPLY
 ATTN: _____
 DRAFT OF AN APPROPRIATE REPLY,
 ATTN: _____
XX DIRECT REPLY TO MC AND COPY FOR OCLL, OSA
 ATTN: A Parsons
 INFORMATION ONLY PHONE
 ACKNOWLEDGMENT NOT MADE MADE BY LETTER

REMARKS/INCLOSURES:

FOR THE CHIEF, OCLL:

NOTE: Include constituent's SSN in your reply.
Also, show OCLL Code on reply.

TO LNO (HL)
FM PAD-SA (MR A)
MSG NR 27299
13 SEP 79

BLUE

PLS PASS TO HOFFMAN & PARSONS, OCLL
REUR OSA 152, 29 AUG 79 (MC LUJAN)
REUR OSA 152, 30 AUG 79 (MC JACKSON)
SUBJ: SPRAGUE, JOAN (HOFFMAN)
KING, TOM (PARSONS)

THE ABOVE TWO CASES WERE MISSENT TO THIS HQ. CASE ON SPRAGUE SHOULD
HAVE GONE TO PHILLIPINES.
CASE ON KING MORE APPROPRIATELY SHOULD HAVE GONE A DOD AGENCY
CONCERNED WITH THAT TYPE MATTER.
REQ DISPOSITION.
END MSG NR 27299 DLB

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mr. Ansel Benjamin Hill
1318 Lucas Place
Seattle, Washington

Effects of:
Name Pvt. Morton W. Hill
ASN 20946259
Case No. 130245 D
Wt.

DATE 27 September 1945

RTB:DW:mw

J. Hill
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

 Inclose Bureau Check
 Acct. No.
 Amount
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

 Remove G. I.
 Note discrepancy in
 Films removed
 Diary removed
 Laundry removed

ROUTING:

 Accounting Branch
 1 Warehouse Division
 2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

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Shipping Clerk

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Attached hereto correspondence and/or other identifying media of possible archival value, pertaining to:

HILL	Morton	W	PVT	20946259
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Initial)	(Rank)	(ASN)

Repatriated to the United States: 28 April 1948

Incl # *296*

STATION FILE

INSPECTION CHECKLIST
(FOR USE AT DISTRIBUTION CENTER)

NAME HILL, Morton W.	RANK Pvt	SERIAL NUMBER 20946259
NEXT OF KIN Ethel B. Hill	ADDRESS 1318 Lucas Place Seattle, Washington	
Shipping Case- General Appearance (Check ONLY Discrepancies)	CONDITION OF THE SHIPPING CASE (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Satisfactory <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unsatisfactory	
FINISH (Exterior) ✓	REMARKS <i>Handle repaired</i>	
FINISH (Interior)	<i>Should be checked and</i>	
HANDLES	<i>Handle repaired and fixed</i>	
HANDLE BOLTS	<i>Needs paint all over</i>	
STENCILLING- NAMEPLATE		
CASKET - General Appearance (Check ONLY Discrepancies)	CONDITION OF CASKET (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Satisfactory <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unsatisfactory	
FINISH (Exterior) ✓	REMARKS <i>Handle noted</i>	
HANDLES AND FASTENINGS	<i>Handle being scuffed in several</i>	
STENCILLING - NAMEPLATE	<i>places</i>	
CAM LOCKS (Sealing)	<i>Handle some chipped</i>	
ODOR OR MOISTURE		

ROUTED THROUGH

<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY OPERATING ROOM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY REPAIR SHOP
CONDITION OF REMAINS <input type="checkbox"/> Satisfactory <input type="checkbox"/> Unsatisfactory	CASKET REPAIRED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
NECESSARY DISINFECTION (Explain)	CASKET EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/>
	SHIPPING CASE REPAIRED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	SHIPPING CASE EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/>

REMARKS

O.K. Outgoing 5/27. #11

TIME DATE SIGNATURE OF MORTICIAN	TIME DATE SIGNATURE OF INSPECTING OFFICER
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Final Inspection by: <i>[Signature]</i>	Date: APR 19 1948 MAY 19 1948
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INVENTORY OF EFFECTS
(Attach extra sheets if necessary)

- 1 Qual Badge ✓
- 1 British Wings ✓
- 1 Ring ✓
- 1 Pipe ✓
- 1 Flashlight ✓
- 1 Airborne Insignia ✓
- 1 Address Book ✓
- 1 Dictionary ✓
- 3 Handkerchiefs ✓
- 23 Air Mail Stamps ✓
- 1 Pair Eye Ball Glasses & Case ✓
- 1 Necktie ✓
- 2 Toilet Bags ✓
- 1 Photograph ✓
- 1 Wallet ✓
- 1 Operators License ✓

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of subject's effects and that effects were prepared as specified in GPOUSA, A.P.O. 607 4-14, U.S. Army, by delivering to Effects, QM 82d A/E Div on 30 July 1944.

Joseph E. Hartsough
Signature - (In ink)

JOSEPH E. HARTSOUGH

Name } (Block
2ND LT. INF., PERSONNEL OFFICER } return

Rank and organization

130, 245-4

ATTACHMENTS	
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**EFFECTS INVENTORY
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU**

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CONTAINERS ADDRESSED TO
None

NAME AND STATUS VARIATIONS

INFORMATION
Mother
Mrs E. Ethel Beatrice Hill
1318 Lucas Place, Seattle,
Wash.

CROSS REFERENCE

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NAME <i>MORTON, W. HILL</i>			A. S. N. <i>20946259</i>			
ORGANIZATION <i>Co. 1st Bn 508th Pkbt Div</i>			RANK <i>Private</i>			
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Mrs. Ansel Hill
1318 Lucas Place
Seattle 3, Washington

U. S. Army Effects Bureau
Quartermaster Depot
Kansas City, Missouri.

To Whom it may concern -
On July 25-1944 I received a
telegram informing me that
my son, Vernon W. Hill was
killed in combat in France
on June 23rd. 1944.

That telegram covers all
the news that I have received
I have received no personal be-
longing that I was notified I
would receive, including a Wil-
son decoration and with citation
Will you kindly give this let-
ter your earnest consideration
I feel that I must receive
so articles that I'm sure were
left at his base in England.
Sincerely - Ethel B. Hill
(over) (Mrs. Ansel)

Pvt. Monton W. Hill 20946259

Headquarters Co., 1st. Battalion

508 Parachute Infantry

A. P. O. 514 C/o Postmaster

New York

Please return telegram.

Telegram

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293 Hill, Morton W.

12 March 1946

Mr. Ansel B. Hill
1318 Lucas Place
Seattle, Washington

Dear Mr. Hill:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished the burial location of your son, the late Private Morton W. Hill, A.S.N. 20 946 259.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France, plot E, row 6, grave 110.

This cemetery is located approximately twenty miles northwest of St. Lo, twenty-four miles southeast of Cherbourg and five miles north and slightly west of Carentan, all in France, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your son.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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12 DEC 1979

Honorable Henry M. Jackson
 United States Senate

Dear Senator Jackson:

This is in response to your inquiry in behalf of Mr. Tom King regarding the death and burial place of his uncle, Private Morton W. Hill, a casualty of World War II.

Records show that Private Hill was killed in action on 23 June 1944 in the vicinity of Normandy, France. The records do not contain any additional information regarding the circumstances of his death. His remains were temporarily interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France.

During the World War II Repatriation Program, the next of kin of all known decedents were contacted as to their desires for return of remains to their homelands or for permanent burial in an American overseas cemetery. In accordance with the wishes of his mother, Private Hill's remains were returned to Seattle, Washington, for burial in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Sincerely,

APPROVED:



ANN B. SMITH
 Colonel, GS
 Director, Casualty and
 Memorial Affairs

REVIEW-Personal Affairs Dir, TAGCEN
COL, GS, DIRECTOR
DIVISION CHIEF
ACTION OFFICER

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12 SEP 1979

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Honorable Henry N. Jackson
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Jackson:

This letter is to acknowledge receipt of your inquiry in behalf of
Mr. Tom King.

To fully respond to this inquiry, your constituent's letter has been forwarded to a major command within the United States Army, Europe and 7th Army to conduct an appropriate investigation. Because of the dispersion of these commands within Europe, it will take approximately 30 days before a comprehensive reply to this inquiry can be made.

Your interest in a member of this command is appreciated.

Sincerely,

RONALD E. NITZSCHE
Lieutenant Colonel
Adjutant General's Corps
Chief, Special Actions Branch

12004

Washington
September 23, 1945

Mr. P. L. Koob
12004
Seattle, Washington

Dear Mr. Hill:

These effects are being forwarded to you in one carton.

If, by any chance, the property has not reached you at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify us and further will be furnished.

The action of this Bureau in transmitting personal effect does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient. Such property is consigned for distribution according to the laws of the state of the decedent's legal residence.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

P. L. KOOB
1st Lt., QMC
Officer-in-Charge
HQ Branch

Pvt. Morton W. Hill, 20 946 259
Plot E, Row 6, Grave 110,
United States Military Cemetery
Bosville, France

15 September 1947

Mr. Ansel B. Hill
1318 Lucas Place
Seattle, Washington

Dear Mr. Hill:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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27 December 1979

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United States Senate

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Sincerely,

[Signature]

JAMES W. GLEISNER
Lieutenant Colonel, USA
Deputy, Congressional
Correspondence Agency

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MR: Draft from DAAG-PEZ-A,

Mrs. Jones/30896

Card: 1794

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8-20-79

Dear Senator,

In The Past you have been
help Full Towards me and I
appreciate That. I have a question
That I hope you can answer.

To Make Things brief, next
summer I Plan a Trip To Europe.
I am going There For several
reasons, one of which is To pay
My respects To our servicemen
Killed in Action. I have an
uncle on My Mothers side Who
was Killed on The second or
Third day of The Normandy invasion.
My Knowledge of him is slight,
The reason being my Father knew

The details and he passed away two years ago. Dad's name was Walter Lynes King and served as an officer during the war. What I would like is help in finding out what happened to my Uncle. I would like to know how and where he is buried and if so in the U.S. or France. If so in France, I would like to know where, his name was Morten Hill and I believe that he was a Sargent with the 101st Air Borne division of the US Army. His original home was Seattle. I think he lost his life somewhere around St. Mere - Glies, France.

Thank you for any help
possible. He, like so many
others are often forgotten
men. My father and mother
oftened taken highly of mort.

Thank you.

Tom King
1814 4th. St.
Marysville, Wash.
98270

(130,245)

RTB:LD:vss
October 5, 1945

Mrs. Ansel Hill
1318 Lucas Place
Seattle 3, Washington

Dear Mrs. Hill:

This will acknowledge your letter of recent date inquiring about the personal property of your son, Private Morton W. Hill. I am returning the telegram which you submitted.

Records at this Bureau indicate that one carton containing the personal effects of your son was forwarded to Mr. Hill at the above address on September 27.

As the Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C., has jurisdiction over the award of medals, you may contact that official for the information desired.

I wish to assure you that in the event additional property is received at a later date, it will be forwarded promptly.

Yours very truly,

1 Incl--telegram

R. T. BROWN
1st Lt., QMC
Chief, Adm. Division