

293 WEIR, LEON 35 736 897 PVT. INF. EUROPEAN AREA (Ind.) 44 op

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RECEIPT OF REMAINS

COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT COLUMBUS 15 OHIO

DISTRIBUTION CENTER

ROUTINE 23 FEBRUARY 1949

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO:

PROFFITS FUNERAL HOME

CRAWFORDSVILLE INDIANA

FROM QMDCG BARDEN

REMAINS OF THE LATE PVT LEON WEIR ASN 35736897 BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT ON TRAIN NUMBER 11 NEW YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD LEAVING COLUMBUS OHIO 8:00 AM TWENTY EIGHT FEBRUARY AND DUE TO ARRIVE CRAWFORDSVILLE INDIANA 12:50 PM RAILROAD TIME TWENTY EIGHT FEBRUARY. REQUEST YOU MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL AND THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO NEXT OF KIN.

NAT
FILE
RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE FEBRUARY 24 1949
NAME Chester Spain
R & R BR.

I, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge receipt of the remains of the above-named deceased this 28 (Day) day of Feb (Month), 19 49

Chester A Spain m/sgt
(Witness (Escort))
ER 6986769 Med Res.

Proffitt & Sons
(Consignee)
W. Proffitt

LH 2
Declassified in accordance with E.O. 13526, dated 5 January 2010

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

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SECTION A —
NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER

4655 00762

DATE

15 05 48
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME

WEIR LEON

SERIAL NUMBER

35736897

RANK

PVT

ARM

1

DATE OF DEATH

DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY

MOLENHOEK - NIJMEGEN

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

1 51 29 0
CODE DIST. P.

PLOT ROW GRAVE COUNTRY

A 9 178 HOLLAND

CAUSE OF DEATH

1

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

PROFFITS FUNERAL HOME

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

MR. ALBERT WEIR (FATHER)
308 NORTH WALNUT STREET
CRAWFORDSVILLE, INDIANA

NEW ALBANY NATIONAL CEMETERY

JAY STREET & EWIN AVENUE

NEW ALBANY, INDIANA

CRAWFORDSVILLE, IND.

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME

LEON WEIR

SERIAL NUMBER

35736897

RANK

PVT

DATE OF DEATH

DATE DISTINTERRED

17 JUNE 48

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

REMAINS

MARKER GRS

ORGANIZATION

USAGF

RELIGION

UNK

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY

JOSEPH NOVACK
2ND LT., CE

NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

PARACHUTE AND UNIFORM

CONDITION OF REMAINS FRACTURED SKULL -
REMAINS COMPLETE - THIRD STAGE
DECOMPOSITION

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

GRS TAG FOUND ON REMAINS

MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1

NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN ~~CASKET~~ transfer box

DATE 29 JUNE 48

BY HARRIE D. NELSON, EMBALMER

CASKET SEALED BY

EMBALMER (Signature)

ELLIS P THOMAS, EMB. SUPV.

ELLIS P THOMAS, EMB. SUPV.

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

15/11/48

CHARLES R CARDER

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY ALL TAGS, MARKINGS,
PLATES VERIFIED BY:

DATE BY

BY

CLERK RECORDER

F.R. MAC DONALD, CAPT. QMC

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

JOHN ORAZEN, CAPT., QMC

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

I CERTIFY that the typed names appearing above are the same as the original signatures on the No. 4 copy of F-1194 concerned

Raymond G. Johnson
1st Lt. QMC

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM USMC MARGRATEN, HOLLAND		TO ANTWERP PORT -PIER 140	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE RAIL		NAME OF CONVOYER PFC WILLIE Q. PADGETT, RA 44089678	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>Lloyd L. H. Meyer</i> LLOYD L. H. MEYER 1/LT INF 0-1327166	DATE 20/10/48	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>L. E. Butler</i>	DATE 22 OCT 1948

2. SHIPPED

FROM AGRC ANTWERP BELGIUM		TO USAT BARNEY KIRSCHBAUM	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE VC. 2		NAME OF CONVOYER L. B. HOWARD 1st Lt. INF.	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER L. E. Butler Lt Col Inf	DATE DEC 1948	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>L. B. Howard</i>	DATE DEC 1948

3. SHIPPED

FROM NYPE		TO NYPE	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER <i>W. W. Preisch</i>	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>W. W. Preisch</i> LIEUT. COLONEL, TC., PORT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	DATE JAN 3 1949	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>Charles V. Bentley</i> LIEUT. COLONEL, TC., PORT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	DATE JAN 3 1949

4. SHIPPED

FROM NYPE		TO DO 407	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRAIN		NAME OF CONVOYER <i>Charles V. Bentley</i>	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>W. W. Preisch</i> LIEUT. COLONEL, TC., PORT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	DATE JAN 5 1949	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>Charles V. Bentley</i>	DATE

5. SHIPPED

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

6. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
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

MESSAGEFORM

MESSAGE CENTER No.

TRANSMITTING MEANS

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CALLS

STA. SER. No.

PRECEDENCE

TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

ORIGINATOR

DATE-TIME GROUP

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INFORMATION

EXEMPT

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GROUP COUNT

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WESTERN UNION
SPACE ABOVE FOR SIGNAL CENTER ONLY

FROM: (Originator)

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

ACTION TO:

- MR ALBERT WEIR
- DLR AND REPORT ANY CHARGES
- 308 NORTH WALNUT STREET
- CRAWFORDVILLE INDIANA

GOVT PD

PRECEDENCE FOR

ACTION

INFORMATION

DAY LETTER

 ORIGINAL MESSAGE

REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE

IDENTIFICATION

CLASSIFICATION

INFORMATION TO:

FROM QMDCG 19673-B BARDEN

WE HAVE BEEN ADVISED REMAINS OF THE LATE

PRIVATE

LEON WEIR

ARE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES. OUR RECORDS INDICATE YOU WISH REMAINS INTERNEED
IN NEW ALBANY NATIONAL CEMETERY NEW ALBANY INDIANA

WITHIN FORTY EIGHT HOURS AFTER RECEIPT OF THIS MESSAGE PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR ORIGINAL INSTRUCTIONS OR SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS AND FURNISH YOUR CORRECT MAILING ADDRESS BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO COMMANDING OFFICER COLUMBUS GENERAL DISTRIBUTION DEPOT COLUMBUS OHIO. REPLY IS NECESSARY WITHIN THIS PERIOD SINCE IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO COMPLY AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE WITH ANY DESIRED CHANGES IN DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF FORTY EIGHT HOURS. WHILE FINAL INTERMENT OF THE REMAINS WILL BE MADE AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE AFTER RECEIPT FACTORS BEYOND OUR CONTROL MAY DELAY DELIVERY OF REMAINS TO THE NATIONAL CEMETERY FOR SEVERAL WEEKS. HOWEVER NATIONAL CEMETERY SUPERINTENDENT WILL NOTIFY YOU BY TELEGRAM DATE AND HOUR FUNERAL SERVICES WILL BE HELD IN SUFFICIENT TIME TO PERMIT YOUR ATTENDANCE AT YOUR OWN EXPENSE. APPROPRIATE JOINT MILITARY AND RELIGIOUS SERVICES WILL BE PROVIDED AT GRAVESIDE BY VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS OR MILITARY OR NAVAL PERSONNEL. REMAINS WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT. INTERMENT EXPENSE ALLOWANCE OF SEVENTY FIVE DOLLARS IS NOT AUTHORIZED IN ANY CASE WHERE BURIAL IS MADE IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY. YOUR PROMPT COOPERATION WILL GREATLY ASSIST THIS OFFICE IN MAKING FINAL DELIVERY. PLEASE INCLUDE FULL NAME OF DECEASED IN REPLY TELEGRAM.

BOWMAN CO COLUMBUS GENERAL DISTRIBUTION DEPOT COLUMBUS OHIO

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

AUTHORIZATION

SIGNATURE

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ORIGINATING AGENCY

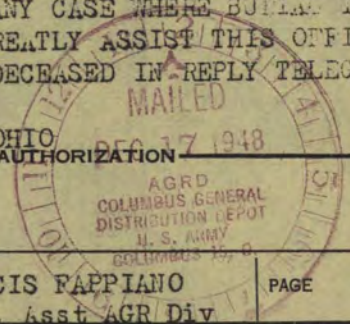
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OFFICIAL TITLE

FRANCIS PAPPANO

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CAPT. QMC. Asst AGR Div



WUB148 25 COLLECT CRAWFORDSVILLE IND DEC 18 1029A

COMMANDING OFFICER

COLS GENL DISTBN DEPOT

NO CHANGE DESIRED IN DISPOSITION OF MY SONS REMAINS. SHIP TO
NEW ALBANY NATIONAL CEMETERY AS ALREADY REQUESTED. NAME OF
DECEASED PRIVATE LEON WRXX WEIR.

ALBERT WEIR.

149P

WUB009 GOVT PD NEW ALBANY IND FEB 5 515P

COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT US ARMY ATTN AGR DIV

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR PVT LEON WEIR 35736897 PVT LEE

E WELSH 35505293 AND PFC HUBERT R WRIGHT 35141480

SCHEDULED FOR 23 FEBRUARY 1949. REQUEST DELIVERY VIA

B&O RR TO ARRIVE NEW ALBANY 9:50 AM 23 FEBRUARY

ERVIN ROSS SUPT NEW ALBANY IND NATIONAL CEMETERY

35736897 35505293 35141480 23 1949 9:50 AM 23

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*make copy of
each 293 Bul*

WUA010 PD CRAWFORDSVILLE IND FEB 17 534P

COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT US ARMY

ATTN AGR DIV

I WOULD LIKE TO HAVE PVT LEON WEIR SN 35-736-897

FUNERAL TRANSFERRED TO CRAWFORDSVILLE INDIANA

PROFFITS FUNERAL HOME. FROM THE NEW ALBANY IND NATL

CEMETERY SCHEDULED FEB 23RD. ADVISE

ALBERT WEIR 308 NORTH WALNUT.

SN 35-736-897 23 308.

813A FEB 18..

MESSAGEFORM

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FROM: (Originator)	SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT	COLUMBUS 15 OHIO

ACTION TO:

- MR ALBERT WEIR
- 308 NORTH WALNUT STREET
- CRAWFORDSVILLE INDIANA

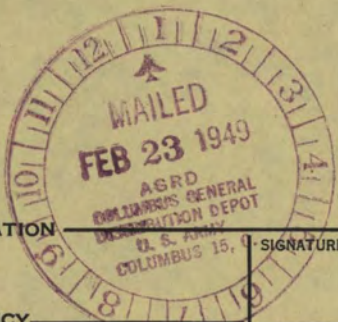
INFORMATION TO:

PRECEDENCE FOR	
ACTION	INFORMATION
23 FEBRUARY 1949	
<input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL MESSAGE	
REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE IDENTIFICATION	CLASSIFICATION

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REMAINS OF THE LATE PVT LEON WEIR WILL BE DELIVERED TO THE
PROFFITS FUNERAL HOME CRAWFORDSVILLE INDIANA 28 FEBRUARY 1949.

BOWMAN CO COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT
COLUMBUS OHIO



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FROM: (Originator)

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

ACTION TO:

- SUPERINTENDENT
- NEW ALBANY NATIONAL CEMETERY
- NEW ALBANY INDIANA

PRECEDENCE FOR

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REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE IDENTIFICATION

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INFORMATION TO:

FROM QMDCG 15735 BARDEN

REFERENCE LETTERS 6 DECEMBER, 30 DECEMBER 1948 AND 13 JANUARY 1949, FILE QMDCG 687. THIS CONFIRMS THE INTERMENT OF REMAINS OF PFC JOSEPH W FOHL ASN 38827635, RACE WHITE, RELIGION CATHOLIC, PFC ELISEO A PINEDA ASN 38908741, RACE WHITE, RELIGION CATHOLIC, 1/LT JAMES C REA ASN O-1179810, RACE WHITE, RELIGION NO PREFERENCE, CPL CHARLES E STELL ASN 38169033, RACE WHITE, RELIGION PROTESTANT, T/S LOYAL E VOHL ASN 38262213, RACE WHITE, RELIGION CATHOLIC, PVT LEON WEIR ASN 38736897, RACE WHITE, RELIGION PROTESTANT, PVT LEE E WELSH ASN 38506298, RACE WHITE, RELIGION PROTESTANT, PFC HUBERT R WRIGHT ASN 38141480, RACE WHITE, RELIGION PROTESTANT IN NEW ALBANY NATIONAL CEMETERY. REQUEST YOU FURNISH COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT, ATTN CRISP AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION DIVISION THE TIME YOU DESIRE THE REMAINS BE DELIVERED GIVING TEN DAYS ADVANCE NOTIFICATION FOR DATE OF DELIVERY.

BARDEN

COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT

COLUMBUS OHIO

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FRANCIS PAPPANO

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Capt., QMDCG Asst., AGR Div.

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COLUMBUS GENERAL DISTRIBUTION DEPOT
UNITED STATES ARMY
COLUMBUS 15, OHIO

QMDCG 687

18 February 1949

SUBJECT: Cancellation of Burials

TO: Superintendent
New Albany National Cemetery
New Albany, Indiana

1. Reference letter, this office, file QMDCG 687, Subject: Deceased Scheduled For Interment In National Cemetery dated 28 December 1948.
2. Request the following remains originally scheduled for interment in your cemetery be cancelled.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>SERIAL NUMBER</u>
Weir, Leon	Pvt.	35736897

3. Next of kin now desires burial in Private Cemetery.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

ALBERT BANDEN
Lt. Col., QMC
Chief, AGR Division

Pat Jones *1004*
INSPECTION CHECKLIST
 (FOR USE AT DISTRIBUTION CENTER)

NAME WIR, Leon	RANK Pvt	SERIAL NUMBER 35736897
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SOURCE	CONSIGNEE PROFITS Funeral Home New Albany National Cemetery Jay Street & Main Avenue (New Albany, Corydon, Indiana
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SHIPPING CASE - GENERAL APPEARANCE (CHECK ONLY DISCREPANCIES)	CONDITION OF SHIPPING CASE (CHECK ONE) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY
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FINISH (EXTERIOR)	REMARKS <i>Touch up</i> <i>Repair Molding</i>
FINISH (INTERIOR)	
HANDLES	
HANDLE BOLTS	
STENCILING - NAMEPLATE	
HEALTH PERMIT MARKER	
HEALTH PERMIT NUMBER	

CASKET - GENERAL APPEARANCE (CHECK ONLY DISCREPANCIES)	CONDITION OF CASKET (CHECK ONE) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY
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FINISH (EXTERIOR)	REMARKS <i>Touch up</i>
HANDLES AND FASTENINGS	
STENCILING - NAMEPLATE	
CAM LOCKS (SEALING)	
ODOR OR MOISTURE	

ROUTED THROUGH

<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY OPERATING ROOM	<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY REPAIR SHOP
CONDITION OF REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY	CASKET REPAIRED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
NECESSARY DISINFECTION (EXPLAIN)	CASKET EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
	SHIPPING CASE REPAIRED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
	SHIPPING CASE EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
	REMARKS

TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF MORTICIAN	TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF INSPECTOR
			<i>1440</i>	<i>Jan 49</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>

REMARKS

[Signature]

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INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

DUE, HOUR AND DATE _____

1 NO.	2 FROM—	3 TO—	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
1	Exec Off F/C Br Mem Div	Acc Sec Mem Div Attn: Mrs. Brennan	16 Feb 49	<p style="text-align: right;"><i>243</i></p> <p>RE: <u>WEIR, LEON, 35 736 897</u> <u>Molenhoek, Holland, A, 9, 178</u></p> <p>1. Phoned Mrs. Hazel M. Weir in response to her letter of 12 February. I explained to Mrs. Weir that under our regulations governing the return of World War II Dead, the father takes precedence over the mother except in cases where divorce or other legal decree grants the custody of the decedent, while a minor, to the mother. Mrs. Weir informed me that their final separation took place subsequent to their son's death. I, therefore, informed her that it was not within our authority to authorize a change and that if she wishes a change of instructions, she should make the necessary arrangements with the boy's father who, as the legal next of kin, has the right to direct disposition. Mrs. Weir said she understood our position in this matter and will attempt to convince Mr. Weir to permit a private burial instead of New Albany National Cemetery.</p> <p>ACTION: No further action necessary at this time. Mrs. Weir said it was not necessary for us to reply to her letter of 12 Feb, since this telephone call was sufficient explanation.</p> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 20px;"> <p><i>VOGL</i></p> <p>VOGL 4276</p> </div> <div style="margin-top: 20px;"> <p>Att: Ltr 12 Feb 49 293 File</p> </div> <div style="margin-top: 20px;"> <p><i>Unit</i> FEB 17 1949</p> </div> <div style="margin-top: 20px; text-align: right;"> <p>FILE</p> <p>Name <i>Slack</i></p> <p>Action <i>N.A.D.</i></p> <p>Date <i>19 Feb - 49</i></p> <p>Acceptance Section</p> <p>Family Corres. Branch</p> </div>

PK
R. P. KIDWELL
1ST. LT., Q. M. C.

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114 North Street
Crawfordsville, Indiana
February 12, 1949

War Memorial Division
Quartermaster General
U.S. Army
Washington, 25, D.C.

Re: QMGMF ~~293~~ 293
Weir, Leon
SN 35 736 897

Dear sir:

The undersigned Hazel M. Weir is the mother, and the undersigned Myrl Fuller, R.F.D. # 10, Lafayette, Indiana, is the widow of the above name Leon Weir.

The undersigned have been informed by your office that the body of the above named Leon Weir is being returned to the United States for final interment in the New Albany National Cemetery, New Albany, Indiana, and at the time was aboard the U.S. Army Transport "Barney Kirschbaum."

This is to advise that it is the desire and request of the undersigned, the wife and the mother of the deceased soldier, that the body of Leon Weir be shipped to the Profit & Sons, Undertakers, Crawfordsville, Indiana, where arrangements will be made for funeral services and local burial.

The undersigned are at loss to understand why the body has been directed to the New Albany National Cemetery as neither of them have ever directed nor authorized any disposition of the body. We should appreciate an explanation. It has been reported that Albert Weir, father of the dead soldier, and estranged husband, ~~had recorded some direction with reference to the disposition of the body.~~ This is to advise that if such was done, it was without the knowledge or consent of the undersigned. The undersigned have been advised that they have the legal right to the body.

Please advise.

Respectfully,

Edith Myrl Fuller
(Myrl Fuller) widow
R.F.D. # 10,
Lafayette, Indiana
Hazel M Weir
(Hazel M. Weir) mother
114 North Street
Crawfordsville, Indiana

NAN ser attached
Telephone Crawfordsville
16 Feb 49
Slaves
N.A.
Action
Date 18 Feb 49
Acceptance Section
Family Cases Branch

*Call in
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REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF INTERMENT OR TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES

DATE

(Read Explanation on Reverse Side before completing form)

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle Initial) 293 Weir, Leon		BRANCH OF SERVICE Army	TO BE FILLED IN BY CLAIMANT A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INTERMENT EXPENSES (Civilian or Private Cemetery) B. <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES (National or Post Cemetery)
RANK OR GRADE Pvt.	SERIAL NO. 35736897		

INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSONS SIGNING THIS FORM

1. This form is NOT to be signed by Funeral Director.
2. ~~Four copies required and sign four copies~~
3. Check Box "A" or Box "B" above, not both.
4. Check Box "A" when interment is in a civilian or private cemetery.
5. Check Box "B" when remains are delivered to home or other place prior to burial in a national or post cemetery.

<p>FILL IN THIS STATEMENT IF BOX "A" IS CHECKED</p> <p>I certify that the sum of \$ 175.00 was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the interment of the remains of the above-named decedent in the cemetery indicated below:</p> <p>NAME: of Cemetery: Masonic</p> <p>CITY OR COUNTY: Crawfordsville, Montgomery</p> <p>STATE: INDIANA</p>	<p>FILL IN THIS STATEMENT IF BOX "B" IS CHECKED</p> <p>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: <i>(City, town, or place from which remains were shipped)</i></p> <p>TO: <i>(Name and Location of National or Post Cemetery)</i></p>
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<p>RETURN FOUR COPIES TO</p> <p>AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION DIVISION COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT COLUMBUS 15, OHIO</p>	<p>SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT</p> <p>SIGN ORIGINAL ONLY</p> <p>ADDRESS <i>(Street number or RFD, City and State)</i></p> <p>RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT</p>
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REMARKS

PAID ON VOUCHER. 106576-

APR 4 1949. ACCOUNTS OF

W. KNOBELOCH, Lt. Col. F. D.

SYMBOL NO. 211-943

PART A

1. When the remains are delivered for interment in a civilian or private cemetery, you are responsible for paying all interment expenses. In this connection, you are entitled to the allowance mentioned in paragraph 2 below.

2. An amount not to exceed \$75 is allowed by the Government toward actual interment expenses when final interment of the remains is in a private or civilian cemetery. No allowance is authorized toward interment expenses when interment is in a national or post cemetery.

3. The \$75 maximum allowance by the Government toward interment expenses includes but is not limited to the payment of one or more of the following items: Hearse hire from the railroad station to your home, the funeral home, church, cemetery, or any other place designated by you; vault; church services; newspaper notices; transportation for friends and relatives to and from cemetery; and the services of a funeral director.

4. Reimbursement by the Government is made only to the person who paid from his personal funds the expenses of or incident to interment in a private or civilian cemetery. Receipted bills are not required to accompany this form. Any expenses over and above the \$75 maximum must be borne by the person who incurred or paid the additional expenses.

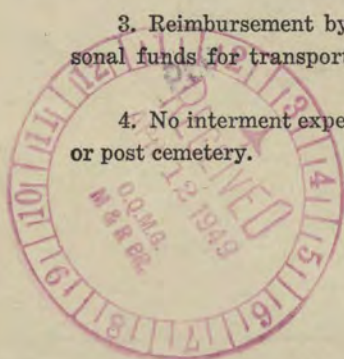
PART B

1. When the remains are delivered to you at Government expense prior to burial in a national or post cemetery, you are responsible for all additional expenses necessary to deliver the remains from that point to the national or post cemetery grave site. However, you may be entitled to an allowance for the cost of transporting the remains from your home to the national or post cemetery grave site subject to the conditions outlined in paragraph 2 below.

2. Reimbursement of transportation expenses is allowed only when the cost to the Government to deliver the remains to you is LESS than what it would have cost the Government to deliver the remains direct to the national or post cemetery of final interment. However, the amount which you may be allowed (the difference between cost of delivery to you and cost of delivery by the Government direct to the national or post cemetery) may not exceed the amount actually expended by you to deliver the remains to the cemetery grave site. **WHETHER OR NOT YOU WILL BE GRANTED AN ALLOWANCE IS DEPENDENT UPON AN AUDIT OF THIS REQUEST. IN ANY EVENT YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED OF ANY ALLOWANCE DUE YOU BY THE OFFICE TO WHICH THIS FORM IS SENT.**

3. Reimbursement by the Government will be made only to the person who paid from his personal funds for transporting the remains to the national or post cemetery grave site.

4. No interment expense allowance is authorized since interment is made ultimately in a national or post cemetery.



QMGMF 293
Weir, Leon
SN 35 736 897

7 January 1949

Mrs. Hazel Weir
114 North Street
Crawfordsville, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Weir:

Your letter pertaining to the remains of your son, the late Private Leon Weir, has come to my attention.

I wish to inform you that Mr. Albert Weir has recorded his desires to have the remains of your son returned to the United States for final interment in the New Albany National Cemetery, Jay Street and Ekin Avenue, New Albany, Indiana, therefore, your son's remains will be delivered directly to the National Cemetery.

The Passenger List on file in this office indicates that the remains of your son are on the United States Army Transport "Barney Kirschbaum" en route to the United States.

It is suggested that you request the Superintendent-In-Charge of the New Albany National Cemetery to inform you of the date and time of burial of the remains of your son, if you desire to attend the funeral services.

Please be assured of my continued sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES F. SMITH
Major, OMC
Memorial Division



Handwritten notes and stamps: 'JAN 7 1 54 PM '49', 'HARRY SPOONER', 'MAY & NEEDS BRANCH', 'msw', and a handwritten '35'.

CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
ADDRESSEE	ADDRESS (Street, City, State)		
MR. MISS MRS.	114 North Street		
RELATIONSHIP	Crawfordsville, Indiana		
		9	178
	USMC Molenhoek, Holland A		
	Hazel Weir Mother		

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle)
Alvin Leon

GRADE

Pvt.

SERIAL NUMBER
35 736897

PARAGRAPHS (Sequence) ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS

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I wish to inform you that Mr. Albert Weir, has recorded his desires to have the remains of your son returned to the United States for final interment in the New Albany National Cemetery, Jay Street & Ekin Avenue, New Albany, Indiana, therefore, your son's remains will be delivered directly to the National Cemetery.

The Passenger List on file in this office indicates that the remains of your son are ~~en route to the United States~~ on the United States Army Transport "Barney Kirschbaum" en route to the United States.

It is suggested that you request the Superintendent-In-Charge of the New Albany National Cemetery to inform you of the date and time of burial of the remains of your son, if you desire to attend the funeral services.

166-M

*P.L. checked 1-6-49
on "Barney Kirschbaum"*

ANALYST INITIALS AND DATE <i>ES 1-6-49</i>	TYPIST INITIALS	REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE
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Please Check

P. L. II

on P.L. for Barney
Kirschbaum. (30 Dec)

E.H.

114 North Street
Crawfordsville,
Indiana
Dec. 29, 1948

Dear Sir:

Would it be possible for me to accept my son's body, Private Leon Weir 35,736,897 who was killed in action on September 27, 1944? I am divorced from my husband and am now living at 114 North Street, Crawfordsville, Indiana.

My husband did not notify me of the telegram until it was returned to the war department and the paper filled out, stating that he would not accept the body. I will accept the body if it is not too late.

I went to the veterans administration in Crawfordsville and Mr. Grossman informed me that my husband had filled out the papers not to accept the body. I am the mother of Private Leon Weir and am willing to accept the body if it is possible.

Thank you and Sincerely,

Mrs Hazel Weir
114 North Street
Crawfordsville,
Indiana

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

L-2-19

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

DATE:

Pvt. Leon Weir, 35 736 897
Plot A, Row 9, Grave 178,
United States Military Cemetery
Molenhoek, Holland

4 February 1948

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DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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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

I, Albert Weir

(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

(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

- 3. BE RETURNED TO _____, THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____

(FOREIGN COUNTRY)

(LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

- 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT New Albany, Ind.

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(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.)

NONE

*29 processed
21 May 48*

Coded 17 May 1948

A. J. Jones

10 MAY 1948

G. Fisher

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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
STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)		

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
NUMBER AND STREET
CITY OR TOWN
COUNTY OR PROVINCE
STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)
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
Weir, Hazel M. (Mrs.)	Hazel	M	mother
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
116 W. North Street	Crawfordsville,	Montgomery Co.	Indiana.

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

Request that all funeral and burial arrangements be made by the U.S.Govt. Request that I be notified of shipment of remains in sufficient time for me and other relatives to plan for our presence at New Albany for the services.

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.

Albert Weir

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

308 N. Walnut St.

(STREET AND NUMBER)

ALBERT WEIR

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

Crawfordsville, Indiana.

(CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 10th day of February,

1948, at city (or town) of Crawfordsville, Indiana, county of Montgomery, and State (or Territory or

District) of Indiana

My commission expires Jan.15,1952

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

Herick Grossman
(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public
(OFFICIAL TITLE)

PART II — RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE _____, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED
(PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP)
NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.
THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

_____	_____ (DATE)
(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)	(STREET AND NUMBER)
_____	_____ (CITY AND STATE)
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

_____	_____ (DATE)
(SIGNATURE)	(STREET AND NUMBER)
_____	_____ (CITY AND STATE)
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

All remarks and information entered here will be considered as part of the Notarial Attestation.

RECORDS SECTION
RECORDS BRANCH
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MEMORIAL DIVISION



Pvt. Leon Weir, 35 736 897
Plot A, Row 9, Grave 178,
United States Military Cemetery
Molenhoek, Holland

4 February 1948

Mr. Albert Weir
308 North Walnut Street
Crawfordsville, Indiana

Dear Mr. Weir:

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

Incls.

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FEB 6 4 20 PM '48
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE

NEW LOI

Date 2-2- 1948

Pat. Leon Weir

35 736 897

Rank

Name

A, S, N.

Molenvhoek, Holland

Cemetery

LOI to be sent to:

A 9 178
Plot Row Grave

Mr.

Mrs.

Miss

Albert Weir

Name

308 North Walnut St.

Street

Crawfordsville

City

Indiana

State

Richard B. Fombs
Majr IMC

E. Hobbs

L.O.I. SENT FEB 4 1948 ERS

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

QMCMF 293
Weir, Leon
SN 35 736 897

3 February 1948

Mr. Albert Weir
308 North Walnut Street
Crawfordsville, Indiana

Dear Mr. Weir:

Your letter pertaining to the remains of your son, the late Private Leon Weir, has come to my attention.

Inasmuch as your son's widow has remarried, the right to designate the final disposition of his remains automatically reverts to you. Under separate cover we are forwarding to you a "Request for Disposition of Remains" form with all necessary information for an expression of your desires as to final interment.

Please complete and return the form at your earliest convenience in order that official action may be taken to comply with your desires.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division



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U.S. ARMY
RECORDS BR.

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Addressee: Mr. Albert Weir Father
 Relationship
 State 308 North Walnut Street
 City, State Crawfordsville, Indiana '47
 Date letter
 Cemetery
 Temporary: _____
 Permanent: _____
 Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

Decedent: _____
 Last _____
 First _____
 Initial _____
 Rank _____
 ASN _____

PARAGRAPHS (sequence)

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omit "Request for Disposition of Remains"

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Modifications

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2-2-48

Crawfordsville, Indiana
December 2, 1947

Memorial Division
Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

My son, ^{R 23} Pvt. Leon Weir, 35 736 897, died while overseas and is buried Plot A, Row 9, Grave 178, U. S. Military Cemetery, Molenhock, Holland.

He was married at the time of his death and his wife, Edith Merl Weir, was carried on the records as next-of-kin. She has since remarried and is now (Mrs. Lloyd Fuller, R. R. #10, Lafayette, Indiana.) I believe that your office has a record of her remarriage and her present name.

As the father of Leon Weir, I desire that my name be substituted for hers as next-of-kin and that I receive the proper forms to be filled out whenever information as to disposition of remains is desired by the War Department. If any other information or documents are necessary to have me named as next-of-kin, for this purpose, please inform me.

Very Sincerely,
Albert Weir.
Albert Weir
308 North Walnut Street
Crawfordsville, Indiana.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE

NEW LOI

Date 2-2- 1948

Pat. Leon Weir

35 736 897

Rank

Name

A. S. N.

Molenhoek, Holland

Cemetery

LOI to be sent to:

A

9

178

Plot

Row

Grave

Mr.

Mrs.

Miss

Albert Weir

Name

308 North Walnut St.

Street

Crawfordsville

City

E. Habbe

Indiana

State

Mr. Arrowsmith
Disinterment Section
Room 2503 B

1. Forwarded for your information and any action deemed necessary.
2. Information as indicated is requested on which to base a reply to attached correspondence.
 - a. Has form 345 been dispatched? *to whom?*
 - b. Has form 345 been received and approved?
 - c. What option was elected?
 - d. 345 form was executed by whom?
 - e. Did NOK relinquish disposition authority?
 - f. Did widow indicate remarriage?

Oct 23 to wife
New York Jan 48
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rent Oct 23 to wife

molenbrock
a-9-178

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molenbrock a-9-178 *NTaylor 1/6/48 FCS*

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

L-2-19

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

DATE:

496
Pvt Leon Weir, 35 736 897
Plot A, Row 9, Grave 178,
United States Military Cemetery
Molenhoek, Holland

5 January 1948

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B		D	

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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PART I

I, Mrs. Hazel M. Weir

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

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

- 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) _____

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(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)
- 3. BE RETURNED TO _____, THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
(FOREIGN COUNTRY) (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.)

Correct

Wife

*File next to B's
from Co. B
10 May 48
as checked*

dated

10 May 48 Wife rem. Father Nob. R.F. 4 Feb 48 accepted 10 May 48.

PART I (Continued)

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STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.
EXPRESS OFFICE (<i>Nearest railroad passenger station</i>)		

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			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (<i>Nearest railroad passenger station</i>)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.	

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

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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.

Hazel M. Weir (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) 114 north St (STREET AND NUMBER)
Hazel M. Weir (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) Crawfordsville Ind. (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 19th day of January, 1948, at city (or town) of Crawfordsville, county of Montgomery, and State (or Territory or District) of Indiana

My comm. expires: 4/5/1950
Lurena A. Tompkins (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public (OFFICIAL TITLE)

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WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

 (DATE)

 (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

 (STREET AND NUMBER)

 (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

 (CITY AND STATE)

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

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LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

 (DATE)

 (SIGNATURE)

 (STREET AND NUMBER)

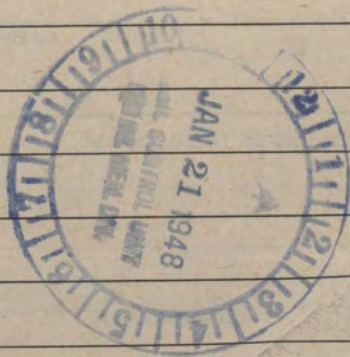
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 (CITY AND STATE)

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

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Pvt Leon Weir, 35 736 897
Plot A, Row 9, Grave 178,
United States Military Cemetery
Molenhoek, Holland

5 January 1948

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104 North Street
Crawfordsville, Indiana

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Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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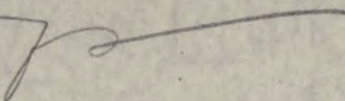
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
~~WAR DEPARTMENT~~

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

IN REPLY REFER TO QMGME 293

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

Weir, Leon
SN 35 736 897



IMPORTANT

16 December 1947

Address reply and envelope to:

THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

Do NOT include the name of the official who signed the communication.

Mrs. Edith M. Fuller
Rural Route #10
Lafayette, Indiana

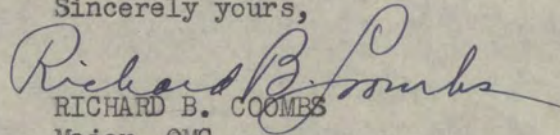
Dear Mrs. Fuller:

The change in your name as it appears on your recent letter received in this office, has been noted.

If the change in name represents a remarriage, you are requested to complete the following statement, to enable the Department of the Army to verify or amend the records to indicate the person legally authorized to designate final disposition of the remains of the late Private Leon Weir.

Your promptness and cooperation in completing and returning this statement will be greatly appreciated. The inclosed addressed envelope requires no postage.

Sincerely yours,



RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

1 Incl
Envelope

Date December 19 1947

I, Edith myrl Weir, widow of the late Private Leon Weir, 35 736 897, have remarried. My present address is:

Mrs. Edith myrl Fuller
Street Rt 10
City Lafayette
State Indiana

Edith myrl Fuller
(Signature)

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

ATO

QMGMF 293
Weir, Leon
SN 35 736 897

MB

16 December 1947

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Rural Route #10
Lafayette, Indiana

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RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

hlm
1 Incl
Envelope

DEC 13 3 21 PM '47
RECORDS BRANCH

Date _____ 194__

I, _____, widow of the late Private Leon Weir, 35
736 897, have remarried. My present address is:

Mrs. _____
Street _____
City _____
State _____

RECORDS BRANCH
DEC 13 3 21 PM '47

(Signature)

INTEROFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

DUE, HOUR AND DATE 26 November 1947

1 No.	2 FROM—	3 TO—	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
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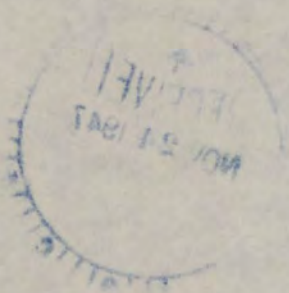
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fuller
R. R. 10
Lafayette, Indiana

Quartermaster General:

Im writing in regards of my
late husband's burial, Pvt Leon W. ²²³ew.
SN 35736897. His mother wants the
remains brought back here for burial.

I don't know how to ask or go about
it I wonder if you could give me
the information concerning this
matth. Thanking you lots.

Mrs Edith M. Fuller
Lafayette Indiana
R R 10



CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Mr. Miss. Mrs. Addressee: Edith M. Fuller Relationship: Remarried widow

State: RR 10

City, State: Safayette, Indiana Date letter: '47

Cemetery Temporary: _____

Permanent: Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

PARAGRAPHS (sequence)

-- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

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Decedent:

Edith

Fuller

Initial

Rank

Pt 35-736897

ASN

EAT

Analyst Typist Reviewer

Modifications

OKed

CONTROL SUB-SECTION
REPATRIATION & RECORDS BRANCH

Information From A-Z File

Burial V

Reburial _____

Weis Leon

Port - 35736897

Name of Deceased

Rank

Serial No.

Inf 401st

N. 1A

Gld. Inf Reg 82nd Div Sept 27 - 1944

Cause of Death

Organization

Date of Burial

Emergency Addressee:

Name

Weis Edith M.

Relationship

Wife

Address

Route # 3

Attica Ind

Molenhoek - Holland

A.

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178

Cemetery

Plot

Row

Grave

KEH.

12/4/47

Information Furnished By

Approved by Sub-Section Chief

Declassified in accordance with E.O. 13526, dated 5 January 2010

Received 12/1/47

Weir Leon
Last First Initial

Pat 35 736 897
Rank Serial Number

REMARKS

Requested M & R _____
Date _____

Requested L.L. R R 12/3/47
Date _____

Searched Corres _____
Date _____

TO: _____
Analyst _____
Date _____

*To be used on all Correspondence without files.

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NAME WEIR, LEON

ASN 35736897 RANK PVT

Changes made in information
Forms #333 and A-Z are from
sources listed below:

MOLENHOEK, HOLLAND

PLOT ROW GRAVE
A 9 178

VA.

~~*Mr. Swank*~~

OFFICERS NAME _____

DATE _____

FROM: RELATIONSHIP WIFE -

FULLER
NAME WEIR, EDITH M

STREET ROUTE #3

CITY & STATE ATTICA, INDIANA

TO: RELATIONSHIP MOTHER

NAME WEIR, HAZEL M.

STREET 104 NORTH ST.

CITY & STATE CRAWFORDSVILLE, INDIANA

NAT: FILE---

New **EDL SENT JAN 5 1948** *48 to mother*
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File - NAT
10 Dec 47
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
~~WAR DEPARTMENT~~

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

BURIAL OF

IN REPLY REFER TO

~~Pvt Leon Weir, 35 736 897
Plot A, Row 9, Grave 178,
United States Military Cemetery
Molenhoek, Holland~~

23 October 1947

Mrs Edith M. Weir
Route #3
Attica, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Weir:

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

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

Incls.

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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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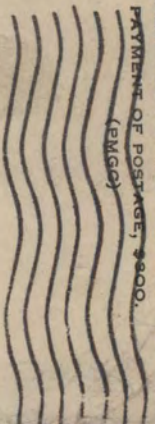


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Pvt Leon Weir, 35 736 897
Plot A, Row 9, Grave 178,
United States Military Cemetery
Molenhoek, Holland

23 October 1947

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THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

New H.B.L. SENT JAN 5 1948

QMGMR 293
Weir, Leon
SN 35 736 897

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

19 November 1946

Mrs. Edith M. Fuller
Rural Route Number Ten
Lafayette, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Fuller:

This office is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your former husband, the late Private Leon Weir.

The official Report of Burial discloses that the remains of the late Private Leon Weir were interred in Plot A, Row 9, Grave 178, in the United States Military Cemetery, Molenhoek, Holland, located four miles south of Nijmegen, Holland.

Since our records indicate that you have remarried, it is suggested that at your convenience you forward to this office a certified copy of your marriage certificate in order that our records may be properly amended.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your loss.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

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RECORDS BRANCH
NOV 19 11 05 AM '46

RECORDS BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION
NOV 19 11 05 AM '46



VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

Branch Office #7
226 West Jackson Blvd.
Chicago 6, Illinois

YOUR FILE REFERENCE: QMGYG 293

October 31, 1946

IN REPLY REFER TO: CH8BA

War Department
Office of The Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

WEIR, Leon
XC-3,736,546

Attention: Major Martin G. Riley
QMC Assistant

Gentlemen:

Receipt is acknowledged in this office of your letter of September 4, 1946, wherein you requested your office to be furnished the latest address and relationship of the legal next of kin of the deceased veteran mentioned above.

The requested information has been noted on your form which is attached hereto.

For the further information of your office, please be advised that the veteran's widow has remarried and her name is now, Edith M. Fuller, and she resides at R. R. #10, Lafayette, Indiana.

Future communications relative to this case should bear the veteran's full name and XC number shown above.

Very truly yours,

S. S. Klukiewicz
S. S. KLUKIEWICZ
Acting Chief
Dependents and Beneficiaries
Claims Division

Encls.

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

4 September 1946

In Reply Refer To
OMGYG 293

Weir, Leon
SN 35 736 897

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XC 3736 546
9/11/46

SUBJECT: Address of Legal Next of Kin of Deceased Veteran

TO : Veterans Administration
New York Branch, Central Office
2 Park Avenue
New York, New York
Attn: Chief, Insurance Division

1. Records on file in this office indicate that Mrs. Edith M. Weir, wife, residing at Route #3, Attica, Indiana is the legal next of kin of:

NAME: Weir, Leon

SERIAL NO: 35 736 897

RANK: Private

2. It is requested that this office be furnished, by notation below, the latest address and relationship of the legal next of kin of the deceased veteran mentioned above.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Martin G. Riley
MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMC
Assistant



NAME: Caroline Lee Weir

RELATIONSHIP: Daughter

ADDRESS: RR #10
(Street)

Lafayette
(City)

Indiana
(State)

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

4 September 1946

In Reply Refer To
QMGYG 293

Weir, Leon
SN 35 736 897

SUBJECT: Address of Legal Next of Kin of Deceased Veteran

TO : Veterans Administration
New York Branch, Central Office
2 Park Avenue
New York, New York
Attn: Chief, Insurance Division

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NAME: Weir, Leon

SERIAL NO: 35 736 897

RANK: Private

2. It is requested that this office be furnished, by notation below, the latest address and relationship of the legal next of kin of the deceased veteran mentioned above.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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Q. O. M. G.
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

MARTIN G. [unclear]
Major, QMG
Assistant

MEMORIAL DIVISION

SEP 5 9 37 AM '46

REGISTRATION AND
RECORDS BRANCH

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Jek

RELATIONSHIP:

ADDRESS:

(Street)

(City)

(State)



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

19 August 1946

Mrs. Edith M. Weir
Route #3
Attica, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Weir:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your husband, the late Private Leon Weir, A.S.N. 35 736 897.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery Molenhoek, plot A, row 9, grave 178. You may be assured that the identification and interment have been accomplished with fitting dignity and solemnity.

This cemetery is located four miles south of Nijmegen, Holland, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

The War Department has now been authorized to comply, at Government expense, with the feasible wishes of the next of kin regarding final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your loved one. At a later date, this office will, without any action on your part, provide the next of kin with full information and solicit his detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

F. B. Larkin
F. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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H. S. [unclear]
P. [unclear]
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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Mrs. Edith M. Weir
~~Route #3~~
~~Attica, Indiana~~

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19 August 1946

Mrs. Edith M. Weir
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The Quartermaster General

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REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

43456
27 Sept. 44

Date

a
Weir

Leon

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

35736897

Serial No.

401 *Blde. Inf Regt* 82 Div.

Unit

Organization

Holland

26 Sept. 44

KIA

Place of Death

Date of Death

Cause of Death

1730 27 Sept. 44

Molenhoek No. 1

708-538 Sheet 5

Time and Date of Burial

Name of Cemetery

Name or Coordinates of Location

178

9

A

Peg

Grave Number

Row Number

Plot Number

Type of Marker

Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes No Attached to Marker Yes No

If No Identification Tags

Embossed plate on marker

How were remains identified?

Identified by E.M.T. tag, made out at Bn. aid station.

What means of identification were buried with the body?

IDENTIFICATION ACCEPTED

One embossed plate

Initial *[Signature]*

To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on:

Deceased's Right:

Reynold, C. 13161356

Name

Serial No.

T/4

Rank

82 Div.

Organization

177

Grave No.

Deceased's Left:

Holloway, B. 35174990

Name

Serial No.

Pvt.

Rank

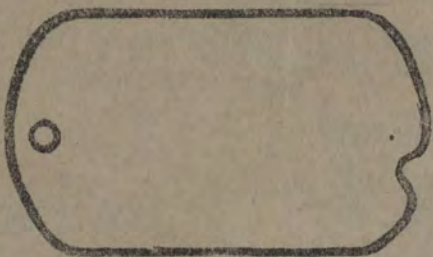
82 Div.

Organization

179

Grave No.

Signature or Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.



If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

Emergency Addressee

Name

Address

Religion

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same:

None

1 Ring white metal

1 New Testament

2 Note Books

1 Match Holder

1 Billfold

1 Pouch

Misc. Papers

1 Campaign Ribbon

Money:

English - 10-4-9

French - 12 Francs

German - 42 Marks

FILE

AUG 23 1945

Francis M. Koch

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

FRANCIS M. KOCH

1st LT. OMC

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

605th QM GR. REG. CO.

IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

Take Fingerprints of Both Hands. If unable to obtain a complete set of Fingerprints, Take Those You Can, and fill in the following:

- Height:
- Weight:
- Color of Eyes:
- Color of Hair:
- Race:
- Laundry Marks:
- Number of Rifle:
- Wear Glasses?
- Is Tooth Chart Attached?

(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart, if no medical personnel present, fill in a tooth chart below.) In space below, locate, and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc.

Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc.:

If this is an Isolated Burial, make a Sketch of the Location, oriented with Permanent Landmarks. If more space needed attach separate sheet. Indicate North.

TOOTH CHART

	Deceased's Right								Deceased's Left							
	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Upper																
Lower																

Indicate: missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □; Bridges by ◊ linking anchor teeth; replacements by artificial teeth X

Characteristics:

Other Data:

Left Hand

Right Hand

Thumb

Thumb

4

3

2

1

4

3

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1. Carsten N...
 Nancy;
 English - 4-1-9
 French - 12 March
 German - 12 March
 1. 1/2 white metal
 1. New Testament
 2. Note books
 1. Match holder
 1. Match
 1. Spoon
 Misc. Papers

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 31 Oct 44
KS/mlw/4624

FULL NAME <p style="text-align: center;">Weir, Leon</p>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <p style="text-align: center;">35 736 897</p>		GRADE <p style="text-align: center;">Pvt.</p>									
HOME ADDRESS <p style="text-align: center;">Crawfordsville, Marion County, Indiana</p>		ARM OR SERVICE <p style="text-align: center;">Inf.</p>		DATE OF BIRTH <p style="text-align: center;">31 Jan 18</p>									
PLACE OF DEATH <p style="text-align: center;">European Area</p>		CAUSE OF DEATH <p style="text-align: center;">Killed in action</p>		DATE OF DEATH <p style="text-align: center;">27 Sept 44</p>									
STATION OF DECEASED <p style="text-align: center;">European Area</p>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <p style="text-align: center;">30 Nov 43</p>		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%;">YEARS</td> <td style="width: 33%;">MONTHS</td> <td style="width: 33%;">DAYS</td> </tr> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> </table>		YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS					
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YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
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		A. G. 201 FILE

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 NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

J. P. Carl

ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

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REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 31 Oct 44

KS/mlw/4624

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HOME ADDRESS Crawfordsville, Morgan, Indiana		ARM OR SERVICE Inf.		DATE OF BIRTH 31 Jan 18	
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Glider Flight

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RTB:EB:rw
October 19, 1945

Mrs. Edith M. Weir
Route #3
Fowler, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Weir:

The Army Effects Bureau has received additional property of your husband, Private Leon Weir, consisting of funds in the amount of \$7.95. A check for this sum is inclosed.

As previously indicated, such property is forwarded for distribution in accordance with the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

Sincerely,

C. E. QUINN
2nd Lt., QMC
Chief, Files Branch

1 Incl--Check

\$ 7.95

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Edith M. Weir

SHIP TO: Route #5

Pvt. Leon Weir

Fowler, Indiana

Effects of: 35736897

Name:

ASN

483144 D

Case No.

Wt.

filed 10-31

DATE 19 October 1945

A. Brien

RTB:EB:rw

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 90270
Amount \$7.95 *m*
Inclose "Valuables" item
Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G.I.
 Note discrepancy in name
Files removed
Diary removed
Laundry removed

ROUTING:

157358 emh

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

90270

483144

October 23

45

Edith M. Weir

7.95

Seven and 95/100

REMARKS:

Franked _____
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Prt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages _____

Shipping Clerk

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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

483144

CASE NO.

TYPED BY

Bonnie

DATE

3-30-45

STATUS

Deceased

NAME

Wiev, Leon

A.S.N.

35736897

RANK

Pvt.

ORGANIZATION

157358
FBI-CHECK NO. ~~157359~~ 7H

AMOUNT

7.95

ACCOUNT NO.

90270

LIST NO.

F212 cz

REMARKS

10-15
Rep.

ACCOUNTING INVENTORY

APR 27 1945

Summary Court-Martial
ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

Case No. 285794
Date 12 April 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of

Leon Weir, 35736897 late a
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)

Private, Infantry who died
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)

on the 27 day of September 1944, at European Area.

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington 25, D.C.

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City, Mo. pursuant to S.O., 228 Hq., KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedents camp or quarters; effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none, of which the sum of \$ none was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. _____.)

c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ none which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See inclosed receipt _____, Incl. _____)

d. Disposition of decedent's effects (less money paid creditors, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the Quartermaster Corps, at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial FINDING below)

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 7 February 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of _____

Mrs. Edith Myrl Weir for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, Mrs. Edith Myrl Weir of _____ (Name of person found entitled)

Route # 3, Fowler State of _____ (Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)

Indiana, is the widow of the _____ (Relationship or Capacity)

above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)
JOHN R. MURPHY, Colonel, Q.M.C.
(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL

285794

JRM:JFH:lb
April 11, 1945

Mrs. Edith Myrl Weir
Route # 3
Fowler, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Weir:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your husband, Private Leon Weir.

These effects, consisting of one cloth bag and one collar insignia set are being forwarded to you. If delivery is not made within thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer action may be instituted.

As previously indicated, personal property is transmitted by this Bureau for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

Extending every sympathy, I am

Sincerely yours,

P. L. KOOB
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Unit

SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. Edith Myrl Weir

Pvt. Leon Weir

Route # 3

Effects of:

Fowler, Indiana

Name

35736897

ASN

285794 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 12 April 1945
JRM:JFH:lb

Louis G. Wineland
FOE: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

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

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

ROUTING:

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

REMARKS:

1 pkg

✓ Franked **APR 18 1945**
Est. Exp. Chgs.
Est. Frt. Chgs.
No. of packages

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION #1 PKG	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY	DECEASED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	285,794	MISSING <input type="checkbox"/>
		P.O.W. <input type="checkbox"/>
		ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/>
		TALLY NO. 7265
		INV. DATE 24 MAR 45
		ORG. NO OF PKGS. 1
		BOX NO.
		SHEET OF 1 SHEETS
		ORGANIZATION Co 3 401st
NAME LEON WEIR		
A.S.N. 35731897	RANK PUT	

BELT	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	WINGS
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	CLOTHING	BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	PERCELET, IDENT.	BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY)
COATS	BRUSHES	CASE
FOOTWEAR, PR	CAMERAS	FOOTLOCKER
GLOVES, PR	GLASSES	KIT, GEN, TLT, OR WRITING
HANDKERCHIEFS	KNIVES	BOOKS
HEADWEAR	LIGHTERS	BOOKS, ADDRESS
JACKETS	MISC. INCIGNIA	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
OVERCOATS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DUR)
SCARFS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	FILMS
SHIRTS	PIPES	LETTERS
SOCKS, PR	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	PAPERS, PERSONAL
TIES	RIBBONS, DECORATION	PHOTOS
TOWELS	RINGS	SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
TROUSERS, PR	TOBACCO	SHORT SHORTER
TRUNKS, PR	TOILET ARTICLES	SOUVENIRS
UNDERWEAR	WATCH	SOUVENIR MONEY
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

H/4-9

REMARKS *Mrs Edith M. Weir Rt. #3 Attica Indiana*

ATTACHMENTS FORM #54 FORM #100

C.A.T. <i>none</i>	WEIGHT	G.I. REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE 319	STORED BY <i>TER</i>	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
INVENTORIED BY <i>Leidli</i>	DATE SHIPPED APR 18 1945	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
PACKED BY <i>Wyatt</i>	CHECKED BY <i>E</i>	DIARY REMOVED
		LOCKED STORAGE
		LAUNDRY REMOVED
		FILM REMOVED

SHORTAGES

U. S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

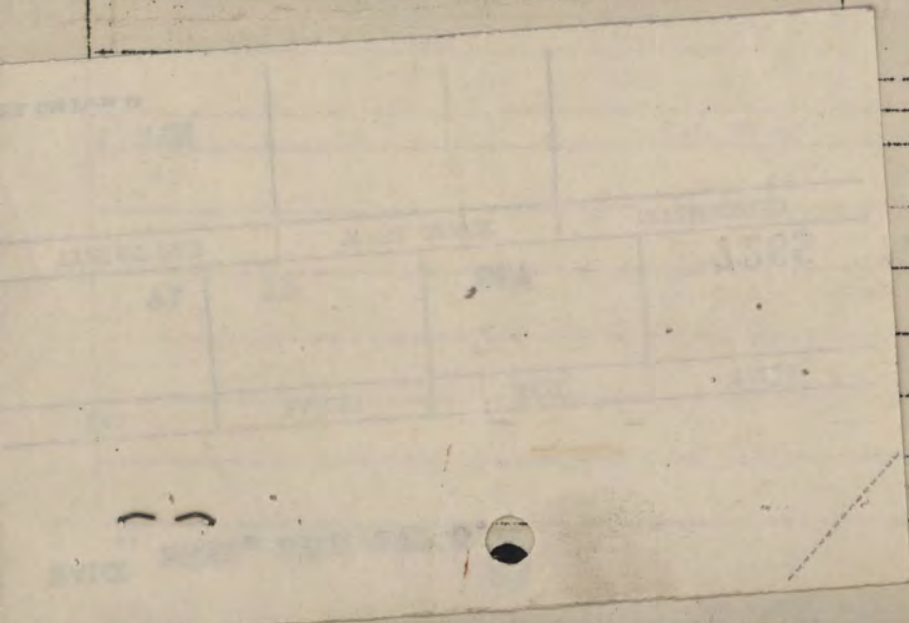
SYMBOL

AMOUNT

I certify that the above listed items were not in the containers inventoried by me:

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR



INVENTORY OF EFFECTS
(See AR 600-550)

Weir, Leon 35736897
(Last name)(First name)(I.I.) (ASN)

late a Pvt Co "F" 401st Glider Inf.
(Grade) (Orgn. or arm or service)

who died on the 27th day of Sept, 1944

CLASS I--Saber, insignia, decorations, medals, campaign badges, watches, manuscripts, and other articles valuable chiefly as keepsakes.

NUMBER ARTICLE PACKAGE NO.

1 set Insignia, Collar ✓

[Handwritten signature]

To be filled out only in case of shipment to the Adjutant General.

CLASS II--Other effects

NUMBER ARTICLES

1 Cloth Bag ✓

U.S., A.C.O. FORM No. 51

effects inside Box

CONTINUED

NUMBER

ARTICLES

Money

Specie \$noneNotes \$none

I CERTIFY that the foregoing inventory comprises all the effects of the deceased whose name appears on the first page hereof, and that *the effects were delivered to QM 82d AB Div for delivery to
(Give name and degree of

Mrs Edith M. Weir (Wife) Rt #3, Attica,
relationship; if legal representative of
Indiana thru Effects QM ETOUSA.
beneficiary named by the deceased, so

(state)

*The effects of class I have been forwarded to the Adjutant General and those of class II have been sold.

V. L. WYANT, JR.
1st Lt., 325th Glider Inf.
Personnel Adjutant

APO #469, U. S. Army
(Station)

6 October, 19 44
(Date)

*Strike out words not applicable.



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

JRM:AP:cms
February 14, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO: 285794

Mrs. Edith M. Weir ✓
Route 3
Fowler, Indiana ✓

Dear Mrs. Weir: ✓

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your husband, Private Leon Weir.

These effects are being forwarded to you in one package.

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

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

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

Yours very truly,

F. A. ECKHARDT
Captain Q.M.C.
Assistant

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: Mrs. Edith M. Weir
Route 3
Fowler, Indiana

Effects of:
Name Pvt. Leon Weir
ASN 35736897
Case No. 285,794
Wt.

PAYNE:mm
DATE 7 February 1945

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:

1 pkg

Franked **F B A A A A A**
Est. Exp. Chgs.
Est. Frt. Chgs.
No. of packages 1

FEB 10 1945

FEB 15 1945

FEB 9 1945

 Shipping Clerk

Mingo

SHEET <u>1</u> OF <u>1</u> SHEETS	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED
BOX NUMBER	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES ✓		MISSING
TALLY NUMBER <u>6557</u>	INVENTORY DATE <u>26 Jan 1945</u>	CASE NUMBER <u>2 85794</u>	P O W
EFFECTS OF <u>LEON WEIR</u>	ORGANIZATION <u>82nd Div</u>		ABANDONED
A.S.N. <u>35736897</u>	RANK <u>Plt.</u>		
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION <u>#1 pkg</u>			

CLOTHING	PERSONAL ITEMS	CONTAINERS
BELT	BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION	BAGS, CLOTH
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BRUSHES	BAGS, TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	CAMERAS	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY) <u>w/c</u>
COATS	GLASSES	CASE, <u>leather</u>
FOOTWEAR, PR.	KNIVES	FOOTLOCKER
GLOVES, PR.	LIGHTERS	KIT, SEWING
HANDKERCHIEFS	MISC. INSIGNIA	KIT, TOILET
HEADWEAR	<u>X</u> MISC. ITEMS	KIT, WRITING
JACKETS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	PAPERS AND MISC.
OVERCOATS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	BOOKS
SCARFS	PIPES	BOOKS, ADDRESS
SHIRTS	<u>X</u> RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	BOOKS, NOTE
SOCKS, PR.	<u>1</u> RIBBONS, DECORATION	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
TIES	RINGS	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)
TOWELS	TOBACCO	FILMS
TROUSERS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	<u>X</u> LETTERS
TRUNKS, PR.	WATCH	PAPERS, PERSONAL
UNDERWEAR	WINGS	<u>X</u> PHOTOS
		SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
		SHORT SHORTER
		SOUVENIRS
		<u>X</u> SOUVENIR MONEY
		STATIONERY
		<u>1</u> TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

rechecked

REMARKS: <u>no information</u>	ATTACHMENTS:	FORM #54	FORM #100
		<u>1 Inventory of Effects</u>	
		<u>1 G.P. Label</u>	

unable to read inventory

C.A.T. <u>none</u>	WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
<u>FEB 5 1945</u>		<u>X</u> SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
		IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
		DIARY REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE <u>633</u>	STORED BY <u>Lu</u>	LOCKED STORAGE
INVENTORIED BY <u>Palmer</u>	DATE SHIPPED <u>FEB 10 1945</u>	LAUNDRY REMOVED
PACKED BY <u>Fitzgerald</u>	CHECKED BY <u>E</u>	<u>X</u> #43 OR ADDITIONAL
		FILM REMOVED

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

42 M. German Francs
10 Guilders - Dutch
12 + French Francs.

U S GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

I certify that the above listed items were not in the containers inventoried by me:

Palmer

INVENTORY CLERK

A. Grube

SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

NAME

WEIR, LEON

PVT.

BAY

PALLET

BOX

TALLY

21

700

6557

TYPE OF PKG.

WHSE. SPACE

INVENTORIED

GRB

EQMCZ Form # 9R

TIP-83
OF File go

SHEET _____

TALLY OUT

SHIPPED TO: WAR LEON
82ND DIV.

DATE: PVT.

TALLY NO: 35736899

CARRIER: _____

TALLIED OUT BY: 44

P.F.B. KIA

CASE NO.	NAME	RANK	ASN	TYPE PACKAGE
1	Address Book ✓			
1	New Testament ✓			
1	Card Folder ✓			
1	Bill Folder ✓			
1	Pyramid ✓			
1	Somehow ✓			
1	Match Holder ✓			
1	Personal Pyramid Letter ✓			
1	Citation ✓			
4 DM	German-Marks			Money turned in at Fiscal Office
10	Buildings Dutch			
127	French Francs			

CUBIC FEET: _____ WEIGHT: _____ BOX NO: _____ POUNDS: _____

DATE SHIPPED: PFC. M. F. Nolan RELEASED BY: _____

Serial No. 35736897

Grade PVT

Rank Private

Organization 82 DIV

Address _____

Nearest Relative _____

Address _____

Killed in Action YES

Died of Disease _____

Date 24 SEP 44

Hospital _____

Battle Area HOLLAND

Information _____

Place of Burial MAGEN HOEK #1

Point of Coordination 708.533

Description of Body _____

Members Missing _____

650

Signed WINFRED TRAVIS
PFC 605th E.M. G.R.C.O.

R E S T R I C T E D

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201- Weir, Leon (Enl) 1st Ind.

ENL/cw

HEADQUARTERS 82D AIRBORNE DIVISION, APO 469, U. S. Army, 20 October 1944.

TO: Effects Quartermaster, European Theater of Operations, APO 871,
U. S. Army.

1 Incl(a) n/c

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G. B. B.
G. B. B.

R E S T R I C T E D



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

JRM:AP:ba
December 12, 1944

285,794 P
IN REPLY REFER TO:

Mrs. Edith Myrl Weir
Route 3
Fowler, Indiana ✓

Dear Mrs. Weir:

This refers to your recent letter inquiring about the personal effects of your husband, Private Leon Weir. ✓

I am sorry to report that the Army Effects Bureau has not yet received any of your husband's property. There is inclosed an information circular which will give you some idea of the time which may elapse before personal effects arrive here from overseas.

Please disregard Paragraph 3 of this circular. It is our intention to forward your husband's effects promptly upon receipt at this Bureau; therefore, I shall appreciate your notifying us, without fail, in the event there is a change in your address during the next few months.

I wish to express my sincere regret of the circumstances prompting this correspondence.

Yours very truly,

F. A. ECKHARDT
Captain Q.M.C.
Assistant

1 Incl--
Form 76

12-5-44
Hjl.

Sw
JHG
285,794 a

Fowler, Indiana
December 1, 1944

Effects Bureau
Quartermaster Depot
Kansas City, Mo.

RE: ~~WEIR~~, Leon Pvt. (deceased)
35736897
Co. F 401 Glider Infantry
APO 472

IMMEDIATE ACTION

INQ: Mrs. Edith Myrl Weir (wife)
Fowler, Indiana
Route 3

Dear Sir:

I received word from the War Department that my husband, Pvt. Leon Weir, was killed in action in Holland, September 27, 1944. Later I received word that they were not sure whether or not he had been killed. I would like for you to locate his keepsakes and other personal belongings for me if he has been killed.

I would appreciate hearing from you as soon as possible.

Very truly yours

Mrs. Edith Myrl Weir
Route 3
Fowler, Indiana

Mrs Edith Myrl Weir

HEADQUARTERS 325TH GLIDER INFANTRY
APO 469 U.S. ARMY

6 October 1944



SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventory of Personal Effects.

TO : Effects Quartermaster, ETCUSA, APO 507, U.S. Army.

THRU : Adjutant General, 32d Airborne Division, APO 469, U.S. Army.

1. Transmitted herewith is Inventory of Effects concerning subject named below.

Weir, Leon Pvt 35736897 Co "F" 401st Glider Inf.
(Name: Last, First, Init.) (Grade) (ASN) (Organization)

Status: (Strike out words not applicable) Killed in Action, ~~missing in action~~
~~Prisoner of War~~ on the 27th day of September 1944.

Effects forwarded to: Mrs Edith M. Weir (Wife) on
the 6th day of October 1944.

Name and address of any bank in the United Kingdom in which person is believed to
have an account: (Negative report where applicable)

none

Name and address of any known private debtors and creditors (Exclusive of U.S.
Gov't Agencies): (Negative report where applicable)

none

Cash found in effects, less cost of money order inclosed herewith.

U.S.M.O. Amt. \$ none U.S.M.O. Amt. \$ none

U.S. Official Check Amt. none Bank none

Misc. Inclosures none
(Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks. etc.)

Describe fully)

Name and address of next of kin: Mrs Edith M. Weir (Wife)
Rt. #3, Attica, Ind.

For the Commanding Officer:

V. L. WYANT, JR.
1st Lt., 325th Gli. Inf.

V. L. Wyant, Jr.
Capt., 325th Glider Inf.
Personnel Adjutant.

1 Incls:
Incl #1-WD, AGO Form #54 (in trip)