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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

WILLARD EDGERTON
Major QMC - Cemetery Superintendent

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SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED	DIRECTIVE NUMBER	DATE
	5258 01406	15 (DAY) 05 (MONTH) 48 (YEAR)

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	ARM	DATE OF DEATH
ROLES ROBERT M	13083080	PVT	1	DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY		DISPOSITION OF REMAINS
NAPLES ALLIED CEMETERY	1	5202 (CODE) 80 (DIST. PT.)

PLOT	ROW	GRAVE	COUNTRY	CAUSE OF DEATH
B	9	108	ITALY	2

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
NETTUNO, ITALY	CHARLES J. ROLES (FATHER) RURAL FREE DELIVERY 1 GALLITZIN, PENNSYLVANIA "Flag Sent"

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISTINTERRED

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON	ORGANIZATION	RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY
☐ REMAINS ☐ MARKER	USAGF		NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

MINOR DISCREPANCIES *1*

NAT FILE RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE 13 JAN 1949
NAME Cureton
R & R BR.

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE BY

CASKET SEALED BY	EMBALMER (*Signature*)

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY
DATE BY	Joseph T. Pelinski

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

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

QMC FORM REV 15 MAR 46 **1194**

FINAL LETTER SENT 15 DEC 1948

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED			
FROM NAPLES PORT MORGUE		TO USMC ANZIO, ITALY	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRAIN		NAME OF CONVOYER DONDY A. WELCH SGT	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER F.A. WILSON CAPT QMC	DATE 12 Oct 1948	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER Willard Edgerton WILLARD EDGERTON MAJ QMC	DATE 12 Oct 1948
2. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE
3. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE
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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

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

WILLARD EDGERTON
Major QMC - Cemetery Superintendent

SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED	DIRECTIVE NUMBER	DATE (DAY / MONTH / YEAR)

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	ARM	DATE OF DEATH (DAY / MONTH / YEAR)
ROLES ROBERT M	13083080	PVT	1	

CEMETERY	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS (CODE / DIST. PT.)

LOT	ROW	GRAVE	COUNTRY	CAUSE OF DEATH
B	9	108	NAPLES ALLIED CEM ITALY	

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISINTERRED
ROLES ROBERT M	13083080	PVT		29 July 48

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON	ORGANIZATION	RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY (NAME AND TITLE)
☐ REMAINS ☐ MARKER	USAGF	UNK	W E MC NEIL 2 LT QMC W.E. McNeil

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS
SHROUD	SKELETAL

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

2 REBURIAL REPORTS FOUND WITH REMAINS.

MINOR DISCREPANCIES *1*

REBURIAL REPORTS READ COLES ROBERT H.

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE: 3 Aug 48 BY: BILL L. LACK (EMBALMER)

CASKET SEALED BY	EMBALMER (*Signature*)
BILL L. LACK (RECORDER)	Bill Lack

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED (DATE / BY)	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY
3Aug48 STRACK (RECORDER)	

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

W.R. King
W.R. KING 1st Lt. QMC

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

QMC FORM REV 15 MAR 46 1194

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

ROM: USMC NAPLES ITALY		TO: NAPLES PORT MORGUE	
IND OF CONVEYANCE: TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER: B K TRAYNOR WOJG	
IGNATURE OF SHIPPER: B C Craig B C CRAIG CAPT QMC	DATE: 31 July 48	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER: Frank A Wilson FRANK A. WILSON CAPT QMC	DATE: 31Jul48

2. SHIPPED

ROM		TO	
IND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
IGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

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IGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

7. SHIPPED

ROM		TO	
IND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
IGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

15 December 1948

Pvt Robert M. Roles, ASN 13 083 080
Plot I, Row 1, Grave 20
Headstone: Cross
Nettuno (Anzio) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mr. Charles J. Roles
Rural Free Delivery 1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Roles:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country. Customary military funeral services were conducted over the grave at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be transferred, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and supervision of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstone. The headstone will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating where appropriate, organization, State, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of headstone or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, the central address of which is Room 713, 1712 "G" Street, N. W., Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interment activities are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. However, upon completion thereof, due notice will be carried by the press.

You may rest assured that this final interment was conducted with fitting dignity and solemnity and that the grave-site will be carefully and conscientiously maintained in perpetuity by the United States Government.

Sincerely yours,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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15 December 1948

Mr. Charles J. Tolles
Burial Area Delivery 1
Gettysburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Tolles:

While we to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country. Ceremony military honors services were conducted over the graves at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be dedicated, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and preservation of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstones. The headstones will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating, service appropriate, organization, state, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of head stones or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, and certain addresses of which to Room 1143, 1712 "G" Street, N.W., Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

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THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE SUBSECTION
RECORDS SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION

Roles, Robert M. Pvt
13 083 080
Allied Cem, Naples, Italy,
Plot B, Row 9, Grave 108

14 November 1947
(Date)

SUBJECT: Remains to be interred in a Permanent Overseas Cemetery, per instructions from the Next of Kin.

The Remains of Roles, Robert M. (Name), Pvt (Rank)

13 083 080 (ASN), buried in Allied Cem., Naples, Italy (Cemetery), B (Plot),

9 (Row), 108 (Grave No.), are to be interred in a Permanent Military Cemetery Overseas; per authority:

Remains to be left overseas in Nettuno, Italy. See Option I signed by Mr. Charles J. Roles, Father, RFD #1, Gallitzin, Pennsylvania.

Nettuno, Italy

DDR-E
JUN - 4 1948

Poole Rogers (mdz)
POOLE ROGERS,
CAPTAIN, QMC

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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QMGMF 293
Roles, Robert M.
293 SN 13 083 080

15 December 1947

Mr. Charles J. Roles
Rural Free Delivery #1
Callitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Roles:

We have received the "Request for Disposition of Remains" form in regard to the final interment of the remains of your son, the late Private Robert M. Roles.

We have accepted your request to have the remains of your son rest permanently overseas. I must inform you however, that the United States Military Cemetery Naples, Italy, where the remains of your son now rest has not been designated as a permanent American Military Cemetery.

Therefore, all remains presently interred in this cemetery will be carefully disinterred and either transferred to the nearest American Military Cemetery at Nettuno, Italy, or returned to their Homeland. Please rest assured, however, that the entire journey will be accomplished under the care of trained personnel, with the dignified and solemn respect due our honored dead.

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

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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cc: Mr. Arrowsmith

Court Site
Dallas, Texas
75219 USA

12 December 2017

Mr. Thomas J. Tolar
Fort Worth Military
Cantonment, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Tolar:

We have received the "Program for Dedication of Memorial Park in honor of the Final Homecoming of the remains of your son, the late Private Robert L. Tolar.

We have discussed this request to have the remains of your son and comrades with interest. I must inform you however, that the United States Military Cemetery Plot, Ilsby, where the remains of your son now rest is not been designated as a permanent American Military Cemetery.

Therefore, all remains currently interred in this cemetery will be carefully disinterred and either transferred to the nearest American Military Cemetery or returned. Ilsby, as mentioned on Utopia Island. Notes must convey, however, that the entire journey will be accomplished under the care of trained personnel, with the dignified and solemn respect that our fallen dead.

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

Sincerely yours,

STEPHEN E. GOOMBS
Major, USA
Memorial Division

CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Addressee: Mr. / Miss. / Mrs. Charles J. Coles — Relationship: Father

State: RFD #1

City, State: Gallitzin, Pa. — Date letter: '47

Cemetery Temporary: ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___

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

Decedent: Last: Coles First: Robert Initial: M. Rank: Pvt ASN: 13 088 080

PARAGRAPHS (sequence) -- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

165-A We have accepted your request to have the remains of your son rest permanently overseas. I must inform you, however, that the United States Military Cemetery Naples, Italy where the remains of your son now rest has not been designated as a permanent American Military Cemetery.

75-A 2nd para only.
Line 3, U.S. M.C. Nettuno, Italy.

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Pvt. Robert M. Roles, 13 083 080
Plot B, Row 9, Grave 108,
United States Military Cemetery
Naples, Italy

23 October 1947

Mr. Charles J. Roles
Rural Free Delivery #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Roles:

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,

Incls.
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THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

Pvt. Robert M. Rales, 13 081 080
Plot E, Row 9, Grave 108,
United States Military Cemetery
Nettuno, Italy

23 October 1947

Mr. Clarion L. Rales
Rural Free Delivery #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Rales:

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Sincerely,

Incls.

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

16 October 1946

Mr. Charles J. Roles
Rural Free Delivery #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Roles:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your son, the late Private Robert M. Roles, A.S.N. 13 083 080.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery Naples, plot B, row 9, grave 108. You may be assured that the identification and interment have been accomplished with fitting dignity and solemnity.

This cemetery is located in Naples, Italy, 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,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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16 October 1946

Mr. Charles J. Rolen
Route Free Delivery #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Rolen:

The War Department is more desirous than you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your son, the late Private Robert H. Rolen, A.S.N. 13 029 080.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery Radice, Block 2, row 2, grave 108. You may be assured that the identification and interment have been accomplished with fitting dignity and solemnity.

This cemetery is located in Nuples, Italy, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

The War Department has now been authorized to supply, at Government expense, with the feasible return of the body or the requisite final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your loved one. As a later date, this office will, without any action on your part, provide the body of him with full information and solicit his probable choice.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. M. LANNIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
ARMY POST OFFICE

293. Roles, Robert M (13,083,080) 11 February 1944

SUBJECT: Report of Reinterment

TO: The Quartermaster General, Washington, 25, D.C.

1. Transmitted herewith is corrected copy of reinterment report for the following United States dead:

Roles, Robert M. 13083080

Report of reinterment for above deceased was previously transmitted as Coles, Robert H., 13083080, with SOS letter of 22 November 1943.

2. This report covers the reinterment of United States deceased in Italy.

For the Commanding General:

VERNON W. RICE,
Lt. Col., A.G.D.
Adjutant General

1 Incl: a/s (originals)

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MEMORIAL DIVISION

O. Q. M. G.
Classification Changed to
Restricted
by Authority of The Q. M. G.
Name O. K. BARTOS
Rank MAJ. QMC
Office Oper. Br. Mil. Plan. Div.
Date 18 Feb. 44

1293 Coles, Robert H (13083,080)

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Q.M.C. FORM 1 - GRS
SOS NATOUSA
July 1943

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REPORT OF ~~BURIAL~~ REBURIAL (see reverse side)

AR 30-1815 & TM 10-630

1 February 1944
Date Report Filled Out

ROLES	Robert	M	13083080	White
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Middle Initial)	(Serial No.)	(Race)
Private	Co B 307th Eng		Army	U.S.A.
(Rank)	(Organization)		(Branch)	(Country)
Naples, Italy	10 October 1943	Killed in Action		UNKNOWN
(Place of Death)	(Date of Death)	(Cause of Death)		(Religion : P, C, H, etc.)

MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

Identification Tags found on body : Yes ( ) ; No (O).

If no identification tags, other means used to identify body (identification card, letters, etc.) : EMT Tag and report of original burial

Complete fingerprint chart of both hands on reverse side if body cannot be identified.

Complete tooth-chart on reverse side and list anatomical characteristics and other data if fingerprints cannot be taken

If unidentified, give circumstances :

List of Personal Effects found on Body and disposition of Same : NONE

UNKNOWN
(Name of Emergency Addressee)

UNKNOWN
(Name of Emergency Addressee)

(Signature (or Name) of Person furnishing above data when other than the Officer reporting burial.)

1145 hrsc 10 November 1943 Allied Cemetery, Naples, Italy
(Time and Date of Burial) (Location, Name, & No. of Cemetery)

IF BURIAL OTHER THAN IN ESTABLISHED CEMETERY FURNISH SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE REVERSE SIDE THIS FORM

B	9	108	Temp Wood	General
(Plot No.)	(Row No.)	(Grave No.)	(King Grave Markers)	(Type of Religious Ceremony)

Identification Tag buried with body (O) ; Identification Tag attached to marker (O).

If identification Tags not present, what other identification data were buried with the body and in what kind of container ? QMC Form # 1 GRS sealed in can and buried one (1) foot below grave marker

Bodies buried on either side (See paragraph 4 on reverse side this form.

Right side : SEELY, George W. Pvt 3540892 Hq Co 6665th BAG 107
(Name) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization) (Grave No.)

Left side : END OF ROW
(Name) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization) (Grave No.)

Oliver K King
(Signature of Officer Reporting Burial)

OLIVER K. KING 2nd Lt 47th QM CO (GR)
(Rank) (Organization) (Officer)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT BURIAL, REPORT : Make out QMC Form 1 - GRS in quadruplicate for U.S. dead, one additional copy for allied and enemy dead. Sign all copies. Submit report to nearest member of Graves Registration Service. Graves Registration Service will forward the original and two copies through at least one higer administrative headquarters (to be checked against Casualty Reports and allied papers and all copies verified by the Graves Registration Officer of that headquarters) to Base Section Graves Registration Service Officer. OVER FOR BURIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

9 JUN 1944 FILE

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR BI AL

1. PREPARATION OF BODY : Have body examined by member of Medical Department whenever possible (to attach E.M.T. Form 52b.) Remove all personal property; remove one identification tag, leave other on body in protected position (in case of enemy dead, leave ½ tag on body, forward ½ with personal effects.) If no tag present, make notation of identifying data on form, protect in sealed bottle, canteen, spent shell, or best available container and bury with remains. If unidentified, take fingerprints of both hands; if this not possible, fill out tooth-chart and note heigt, weight, color of eyes and hair tattoo marks, birthmarks, etc..., and other data as serial no. of weapon, laundry marks, where bodyfound, etc. Wrap body in shelter half, mattress cover, or blanket when available.

2. BURIAL : Dig grave to a depth of five feet hasty battlefield burials, to sufficient depth to prevent elements from exposing the body.) *Place only one body in a grave.* Dig graves side by side, row behind row.

3. MARKING OF GRAVE : Fasten identification tag to temporary name peg and place at head of grave. For enemy dead, write data on peg. When pegs are not available copy data on a piece of paper, place in bottle, spent shell, or other receptacle, seal tightly and place so as to mark and identify grave. If identification tag cannot be fastened to peg or placed in container, do not leave at grave but forward with report of burial. If only one tag is found on body, it should be buried with body. The information thereon should be written on marker or placed in container at head of grave. Do not use weapons or helmets to mark graves.

4. LOCATION OF GRAVE : Report burials in established cemeteries by plot, row, and grave number (or show on cemetery map). For all other burials prepare sketch in space provided below; and give location by means of map references, or by reference to prominent permanent landmarks. Information must be specific, accurate, complete. Stand at foot of grave facing head to determine bodies buried to the left and right.

5. PERSONAL EFFECTS : List only personal effects taken from body on the Burial Report from. Place these with information as to identity of owner, organization, emergency addressee, in personal effects bag, or wrap in handkerchief, towel, or other available material and turn over to Grave Registration Service Personnel with report of burial. Government property is not to be included in personal effects but is to be turned in to Salvage Collecting Point.

SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE :

Disinterred by 3rd Pltn 47th QM CO (GR) from Cimitero Pieta, Naples, Italy (Coord N244520), Plot 1, Row 2 Grave 9, 10 November 1943.

Reinterred, same date, Plot B Row 9 Grave 108, Allied Cemetery, Naples, Italy.

TOOTH-CHART

(Right)																(Left)
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
16	15	14	3	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	

(Examinee's)

INDICATE : missing naturel teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □ ; bridges by ⌒ linkings anchor teeth; replacements by denture (horizontal line.)

Characteristics : .....

Other Data : .....

When unidentified, take thumb and fingerprints of both hands.

	4	3	2	1	Thumb	Thumb	1	2	3	4
Left										
Right										

If this not possible, fill in tooth chart.

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WAR DEPARTMENT

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 16 Nov. 1943

Scott/cmq 4628

FULL NAME		ARMY SERIAL NO.
213 Roles, Robert M.		13 083 080
GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	DATE OF BIRTH
Pvt.	Corps of Engineers (Paratroop)	10 March 1924
HOME ADDRESS		
Gallitzin, Pa.		
DATE OF DEATH	PLACE OF DEATH	CAUSE OF DEATH
10 Oct. 43	North African Area	Killed in action
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, & ADDRESS)		
Mr. Charles J. Roles (father) R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa.		
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, & ADDRESS)		
Mr. Charles J. Roles (father) R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa. Mr. Morgan Roles (brother) R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa.		

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

THIS COPY FOR THE Q. M. G. ([redacted])

(OVER)

DANIEL J. REIDY.

ADJUTANT GENERAL.

ADDITIONAL DATA: (~~CONFIDENTIAL~~)

STATION OF DECEASED Algiers

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Q.M.C. Form 1 - GRS
SOS NATOUSA
June 1, 1943

CONFIDENTIAL

REPORT OF BURIAL

AR 30-1815 & TM 10-630

NOV 25 1943

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10/14/43
Date Report Filled Out

ROLES	ROBERT	M	13083080	W
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Middle Initial)	(Serial No.)	(Race)

PVT	co b 307th ENG	82nd A/B DIV	USA
(Rank)	(Organization)	(Branch)	(Country)

NAPLES, ITALY	10/10/43	KIA	UNK
(Place of Death)	(Date of Death)	(Cause of Death)	(Religion : P, C, H, etc.)

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Identification Tags found on body : Yes ( ); No (X).

If no identification tags, other means used to identify body (identification card, letters, etc.) : EMT

Complete fingerprint chart of both hands on reverse side if body cannot be identified.

Complete tooth-chart on reverse side and list anatomical characteristics and other data if fingerprints cannot be taken.

If unidentified, give circumstances :

List of Personal Effects found on Body and disposition of Same : NONE

UNKNOWN
(Name of Emergency Addressee) (Address of Emergency Addressee)

(Signature (or Name) of Person furnishing above data when other than the Officer reporting burial.)

0900 10/12/43 PIETA CEMETERY N244520
(Time and Date of Burial) (Location, Name, & No. of Cemetery)

IF BURIAL OTHER THAN IN ESTABLISHED CEMETERY FURNISH SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE REVERSE SIDE THIS FORM

1	2	9	CROSS	GENEREL SERVICE
(Plot No.)	(Row No.)	(Grave No.)	(King Grave Markers)	(Type of Religious Ceremony)

Identification Tag buried with body ( ); Identification Tag attached to marker ( ).

If Identification Tags not present, what other identification data were buried with the body and in what kind of container ? PAPER IN CAN

Bodies buried on either side (See paragraph 4 on reverse side this form.)

	(Name)	(Rank)	(ASN)	(Organization)	(Grave No.)
Right side :	JOHANNSEN	SGT	13086393	CO B 307th ENG	10
Left side :	MIZE	PFC	36072319	CO H 307th ENG	8

F.A. Schmaltz Capt Inf F.A. Schmaltz
(Signature of Officer Reporting Burial) (Verified by unit G.R.S. Officer)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT BURIAL, REPORT : Make out QMC Form 1 - GRS in quadruplicate for U.S. dead, one additional copy for allied and enemy dead. Sign all copies. Submit report to nearest member of Graves Registration Service. Graves Registration Service will forward the original ant two copies through at least one higher administrative headquarters (to be checked against Casualty Reports and allied papers and all copies verified by the Graves Registration Officer of that headquarters) to Base Section Graves Registration Service Officer. OVER FOR BURIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

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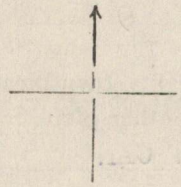
prepare sketch in means of map references, or by reference to nent landmarks. Information must be specific, accurate, comple e. Stand at foot of grave facing head to de ermine bodies buried to the left and right.

5. PERSONAL EFFECTS : Li t only personal effects taken from body on the Burial Report form. Place these with information as to identity of owner, organization, emergency addressee, in personal effects bag, or wrap in handkerchief, towel, or other available material, and turn over to G ave Registra ion Service Personnel with report of burial. Government property is not to be included in personal effects but is to be turned in to Salvage Collecting Point.

SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE :

TOOTH-CHART



(Right)								(Examinee's)							(Left)
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
16	15	14	3	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

Indicate : missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □ ; bridges by ( ) linkings anchor teeth; replacements by denture (horizontal line.)

Characteristics : .....

.....

Other Data : .....

.....

	Left	Right
Thumb		
1		
2		
3		
4		

If this is not possible, fill in tooth chart.

Q.M.C. Form 1 - GRS
SOS NATOUSA
June 1, 1943

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REBURIAL

REPORT OF ~~BURIAL~~ REBURIAL (see reverse side)
AR 30-1815 & TM 10-630

10 November 1943
Date Report Filled Out

ROLES, ROBERT M.	Robert	H	13083080	W
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Middle Initial)	(Serial No.)	(Race)
Pvt	Co B 307 Eng		Army	U.S.A.
(Rank)	(Organization)		(Branch)	(Country)
Naples, Italy	10 October 1943		KIA	UNKNOWN
(Place of Death)	(Date of Death)		(Cause of Death)	(Religion : P, C, H, etc.)

MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

Identification Tags found on body : Yes ( ); No (X).
If no identification tags, other means used to identify body (identification card, letters, etc.) : EMT Tag

Complete fingerprint chart of both hands on reverse side if body cannot be identified.
Complete tooth-chart on reverse side and list anatomical characteristics and other data if fingerprints cannot be taken.

If unidentified, give circumstances :
List of Personal Effects found on Body and disposition of Same : NONE

UNKNOWN (Name of Emergency Addressee) — UNKNOWN (Address of Emergency Addressee)

(Signature (or Name) of Person furnishing above data when other than the Officer reporting burial.)

1145 hrs 10 November 1943 (Time and Date of Burial) — Allied Cemetery, Naples, Italy (Location, Name, & No. of Cemetery)

IF BURIAL OTHER THAN IN ESTABLISHED CEMETERY FURNISH SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE REVERSE SIDE THIS FORM

B	9	108	Temp Wood	General
(Plot No.)	(Row No.)	(Grave No.)	(King Grave Markers)	(Type of Religious Ceremony)

Identification Tag buried with body ( ); Identification Tag attached to marker ( ).
If Identification Tags not present, what other identification data were buried with the body and in what kind of container ? QMC Form # 1 sealed in can and buried one (1) foot below grave marker

Bodies buried on either side (See paragraph 4 on reverse side this form.)

Right side : SEELY, George W. Pvt 3540892 Hq Co 6665th BAG 107
(Name) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization) (Grave No.)

Left side : END OF ROW
(Name) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization) (Grave No.)

John A. Long
(Signature of Officer Reporting Burial) — (Verified by unit GRS Officer)
JOHN A. LONG 1st Lt 47th QM CO (GR)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT BURIAL, REPORT : Make out QMC Form 1 - GRS in quadruplicate for U.S. dead, one additional copy for allied and enemy dead. Sign all copies. Submit report to nearest member of Graves Registration Service. Graves Registration Service will forward the original ant two copies through at least one higher administrative headquarters (to be checked against Casualty Reports and allied papers and all copies verified by the Graves Registration Officer of that headquarters) to Base Section Graves Registration Service Officer. OVER FOR BURIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR BURIAL

1. PREPARATION OF BODY : Have body examined by member of Medical Department whenever possible (to attach E.M.T. Form 52b.) Remove all personal property; remove one identification tag, leave other on body in protected position (in case of enemy dead, leave ½ tag on body, forward ½ with personal effects). If no tag present, make notation of identifying data on form, protect in sealed bottle, canteen, spent shell, or best available container, and bury with remains. If unidentified, take fingerprints of both hands; if this is not possible fill out tooth-chart and note height, weight, color of eyes and hair, tattoo marks, birthmarks, etc., and other data as serial no. of weapon, laundry marks, where body found, etc. Wrap body in shelter half, mattress cover, or blanket when available.

2. BURIAL : Dig grave to a depth of five feet (hasty battlefield burials, to sufficient depth to prevent elements from exposing the body). *Place only one body in a grave.* Dig graves side by side, row behind row.

3. MARKING OF GRAVE : Fasten identification tag to temporary name peg and place at head of grave. For enemy dead, write data on peg. When pegs are not available, copy data on a piece of paper, place in bottle, spent shell, or other receptacle, seal tightly and place so as to mark and identify grave. If identification tag cannot be fastened to peg or placed in container, do not leave at grave but forward with report of burial. If only one tag is found on body, it should be buried with body. The information thereon should be written on marker or placed in container at head of grave. Do not use weapons or helmets to mark graves.

4. LOCATION OF GRAVE : Report burials in established cemeteries by plot, row, and grave number (or show on cemetery map). For all other burials prepare sketch in space provided below; and give location by means of map references, or by reference to prominent permanent landmarks. Information must be specific, accurate, complete. Stand at foot of grave facing head to determine bodies buried to the left and right.

5. PERSONAL EFFECTS : List only personal effects taken from body on the Burial Report form. Place these with information as to identity of owner, organization, emergency addressee, in personal effects bag, or wrap in handkerchief, towel, or other available material, and turn over to Grave Registration Service Personnel with report of burial. Government property is not to be included in personal effects but is to be turned in to Salvage Collecting Point.

SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE :

Disinterred by 47th QM CO (GR) from Cimitero Pieta, Naples, Italy N244520 Plot 1 Row 2 Grave 9 on 10 ~~December~~ November 1943.

Reinterred same date in Allied Cemetery, Naples, Italy Plot B Row 9 Grave 108

TOOTH-CHART

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(Right)																(Left)
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	(Examinee's)
16	15	14	3	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	

Indicate : missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □ ; bridges by ( ) linkings anchor teeth; replacements by denture (horizontal line.)

Characteristics : .....

Other Data : .....

4	3	2	1	Thumb	Thumb	1	2	3	4
				Left / Right				

When unidentified, take thumb and fingerprints of both hands.

If this is not possible, fill in tooth chart.

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FEB 24 1944

HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
ARMY POST OFFICE [redacted]

293. Roles, Robert M - 13,083,080 11 February 1944

SUBJECT: Report of Reinterment

TO: The Quartermaster General, Washington, 25, D.C.

1. Transmitted herewith is corrected copy of reinterment report for the following United States dead:

Roles, Robert M. 13083080

Report of reinterment for above deceased was previously transmitted as Coles, Robert H., 13083080, with SOS letter of 22 November 1943.

2. This report covers the reinterment of United States deceased in Italy.

For the Commanding General:

VERNON W. RICE,
Lt. Col., A.G.D.,
Adjutant General.

1 Incl: a/s (originals)

X293 Coles, Robert H (13,083,080)

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293 Rales, Robert M (Col) 13083080

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

(S-11-18-44)
JRM:HA:bh

IN REPLY REFER TO 36281 D

October 18, 1944

Mr. Charles J. Roles
RFD #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Roles:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your son, Private Robert M. Roles.

This property, which consists of a billfold containing cards, snapshots, and papers, is being forwarded to you. When you have received it, I shall appreciate your acknowledging delivery by signing one copy of this letter in the space provided and returning it to me.

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.

For your convenience in acknowledging receipt, I am inclosing a self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Yours very truly,

file
vba

A. F. TIMMS
Administrative Assistant
Army Effects Bureau

1 Incl--Envelope

Receipt acknowledged:

Charles J. Roles
Signature

Oct 23rd 1944
Date

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Ship to: Mr. Charles J. Roles
RFD #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Effects Of

Name Pvt. Robert M. Roles

ASN 13083080

Case No. 36281 D

Wt.

Ship Via Franked

G B/L No.

Date 18 October 1944
JRM:HA:bh

N Hansen
For the Effects Quartermaster

PACKAGES SHIPPED

file rpt

1 Pkg

TOTAL 1 WT.

Franked
Est. Exp. Chgs.
Est. Frt. Chgs.

Date Shipped

OCT 18 1944

20
OCT 19 1944

REMARKS:

VB

(Shipping Clerk)

Eff. QM Form 14 (Rev. 8-19-44)

Sheet 1 of 1 Sheets
Box No.

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

INVENTORY

Box 279

Deceased X
Missing
P.O.W.
Abandoned

SHOWN ON TALLY-IN AS R. M. Roles ORIGINAL NO. OF PKGS. 1

TALLY-IN NO. 4929 INVENTORY DATE 9-26-44 CASE NO. 36281 HCC

EFFECTS OF ROBERT M. ROLES RANK PVT.

A.S.N. 15085080 ORG. 307th A/B Engr Bn.

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION: #1 packed.

ARTICLE DESCRIPTION

1 Billfold-no money	
Misc. cards, snapshots and papers	

file old

REMARKS: Father:
Charles J. Roles
RFD #1
Gallitzin, Penna.

ATTACHMENTS:
Form 54

NO CORRESPONDENCE

NO SHORTAGE ON REVERSE

C.A.T. Not available

NO G.I. ON REVERSE

SHIPPED OCT 19 1944

DATE: OCT 20

OCT 19 1944

STORAGE SPACE 1378

SAFE STORAGE
VAULT STORAGE

WEIGHT
SHIPPED

Inventoried by Nolan & Manahan RB

Packed by Alcuedge

Eff. QM Form 11 (Rev. 6-10-44)

OCT 6 1944

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

JEM:HAtman
13 April 1944

In reply refer to SPQDK 250.414

SUBJECT: Report of transactions by Summary Courts-Martial
Army Effects Bureau

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

There are submitted herewith reports of transactions by the Summary Courts-Martial at the Army Effects Bureau, in the disposition of the personal effects of the following named deceased military personnel:

Case No.	Name	Rank	Army Serial No.
19760	Traylor, Joseph	Pvt.	6836509
35281	Boles, Robert M.	Pvt.	13083080
37216	Kotlikian, Siragan Y.	M/Sgt.	36228934
38343	Jones, John T.	Pvt.	14128670
40946	Gottlieb, George J. Jr.	Pvt.	33565692

For the Commanding Officer:

W. F. KERMAN
Major Q.M.C.
Asst. Effects Quartermaster

5 Incls--
Incl 1--Report Case #19760
Incl 2--Report Case #35281
Incl 3--Report Case #37216
Incl 4--Report Case #38343
Incl 5--Report Case #40946

DS:ml
Eff QM Form No. 23 (Rev. 4/6/44)

Summary Court-Martial
WAR DEPARTMENT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

Case No. 36281 D

(Date) 13 April 1944

Subject: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

Robert M. Roles, 13083080, late a
(Name of deceased soldier) (Army Serial No.)

Private, Corps of Engineers (Paratroops) who died
(Grade) (Organization, Arm or Service)

on the 10 day of October, 1943, at North African Area

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington, 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, reports that:

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

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate $ none, of which the sum of $_____ 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 ~~[illegible]~~ (less the amount 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 20 March, 1944, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters, KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application and/or affidavit of Charles J. Roles (Name of _____ for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, now (Claimant) in the possession of the United States, together with other relevant evidence, were duly considered:

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112 Charles J. Roles (Name of person found entitled)

of RFD #1 (Number, Street or Avenue) Gallitzin (City, Town or Village), State of Pennsylvania, is the father (Relationship or Capacity) of the above-named deceased soldier and appears to be entitled to receive his effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)
W. F. REHMAN, Major Q.M.C.
(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT-MARTIAL

RET:ml
Eff QM Form 75

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

IN REPLY REFER TO #36281 D

(S-4-27-44)
JRM:HA:mam
March 27, 1944

Mr. Charles J. Roles
RFD #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Roles:

Thank you for your letter of March 13 in connection with disposal of the property of your son, Private Robert M. Roles, which consists of one Prayer Book and one photo.

This property has been forwarded by mail under separate cover. When you have received the package, please acknowledge receipt in the space provided below. For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

My action in sending such property does not, of itself, vest title in you. This property is transmitted only in order that some responsible person receive it, so that distribution may be made in accordance with the laws of the state of your son's legal residence.

Your cooperation in returning the signed receipt will be appreciated.

Please accept my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Rodgers

R. E. RODGERS
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Assistant

1 Incl.
Envelope

Receipt acknowledged

Mr Charles J. Roles
Signature

Recd Package
March 25-1944
Date

Thank you.

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Lta

Case 39451 combined with 36281, 2/28/44.

Case 39451 canceled. bh

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

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ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Suspense 3 April 44

MAR 22 1944

Case No. #36281-D

Date 20 March 44

MEMORANDUM TO Warehouse Branch:

Please see that the personal effects on the above mentioned case are packed, weighed and ready for shipment promptly so that they may be readily picked up. Bills of Lading and all other papers will be marked with the case number and can be identified thereby. The original of this form should be returned to the Administrative Branch after completion.

Effects of: Private Robert M. Roles Serial No. 13083080

Ship to: Mr. Charles J. Roles

Street and Number RFD #1

City and State Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Ship Via: Franked Gov't B/L No.

For the Effects Quartermaster

LIST OF PACKAGES SHIPPED

1 Pkg -

Franked Mail--4# or less Frank

Parcel Post Charges

Estimated Express Charges

Estimated Freight Charges

Total Number of Pieces: 1

Weight of Shipment: 1 #

Shipping Clerk

Date MAR 21 1944

DS: jeb

Effects QM Form 14 (Rev. 10/15/43)

Deceased x
Missing
A.W.O.L.
P.O.W.
Abandoned

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

INVENTORY

Sheet 1 of 1 Sheets

at 11 Box 1

Shown on Tally In as

TALLY IN NO. 3155 INVENTORY DATE 2-14-44 CASE NO. 36281

EFFECTS OF ROLES, ROBERT M. RANK PVT.

ARMY SERIAL NO. 13083080 ORG. Co. B. 307th. Engr.

CONSIGNOR T. O. Baltimore, Md.

DELIVERING CARRIER G B/L NO. G B/L DATE

Package No.	Article Description	Remarks
1 pkg.	1 Prayer Book	Nearest kin
	1 Photo	CHARLES J. ROLES
		R.F.D.#1
		Gallitzin, Pa.
		Attached
		G. R. tag
		Form 54

File

MAR 21 1944

Warehouse Space 742 Inventoried By Petterson-Viosky

Locked Storage Space Packed By M. Moran

MP:ml
Eff QM Form 11 (Rev. 10/15/43)

FEB 26 1944

GIN:mew 2-23-44

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JRM:MSP:cb
November 24, 1943

Mr. Charles J. Roles
RFD #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Rales:

November 16,1943
son, Private Robert M. Roles.

son's

M. S. POOL
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Asst. Chief, Adm. Control Branch

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

(S-4-10-44)
JRM:HA:ret
March 10, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO #36281 D

RECEIVED
U.S. QM. DEPOT EFFECTS BUREAU
KANSAS CITY, MO.
MAR 16 1944 PM

Mr. Charles J. Roles
R.F.D. #1
Gallitzin, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Roles:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal property of your son, Private Robert M. Roles, consisting of a Prayer Book and Photo.

To make proper disposition of such property, it is necessary that this Bureau have certain information regarding the family of your son. If he was married, please state the name and address of his widow.

If your son left a will which has been probated, please furnish the original or a certified copy of the letters of administration. Any papers submitted will be returned to you as soon as possible.

Please mail your reply in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage, as this will accelerate disposal of the property.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Rodgers

R. E. RODGERS
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Assistant

1 Incl.
Envelope

(over)

#36281-D

36281

March 13 - 1944

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Sir my Son Robert melvin Rales
Was not Married or he Did Not
leave a Will That I Know of he Was
Single March the 10th Was his Birthday he
Would Be 20 yrs. Old if he Was living Please
Send prayer Book and Photo if you Please

I Remain Respt Yours

Mr Charles J. Rales

Gallitzen Pa

R F D #1

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Nov 16/43

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Sir I am Writing to you concerning
my Sons Effects his name P.V.T.
ROBERT. M. ROLES serial No
(313034) if he has any please Send to
Mr Charles J. Roles Gallitzen Pa
R.F.D. #1. my Son Was Killed in
action in Italy on Oct 10th 43
He Was in the 387th air Borne Troops
Hoping to Hear from you
Soon Respts Yours

Mr Charles J. Roles
Gallitzen Pa RFD #1

I am a coal miner

I made a mistake in his serial No here is his
correct No. 13.083.080

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KCQMD
AEB - ej

WAR DEPARTMENT
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington

November 19, 1943

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Report of Death

TO : Effects Quartermaster
Kansas City QM Depot
Kansas City, Missouri

Full Name: Roles, Robert M.

Date and place of birth: March 10, 1924

Serial number: 13,083,080

Grade or Rank and Organization: Pvt.

Arm or Service: Corps of Engineers (Paratroop)

Date and place of death: October 10, 1943--North African Area

Cause of death: Killed in Action

Home address: Gallitzin, Pa.

Emergency address: Mr. Charles J. Roles (father)
R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa.

Beneficiary address: Mr. Charles J. Roles (father)
R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa.

Mr. Morgan Roles (brother)
R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa.

Date of enlistment or
acceptance of commission:

AEB Form 19

WA DEPARTMENT
HE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFIC
WASHINGTON

36281

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 16 Nov. 1943

Scott/cmq 4628

FULL NAME		ARMY SERIAL NO.
Roles, Robert M.		13 083 080
GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	DATE OF BIRTH
Pvt.	Corps of Engineers (Paratroop)	10 March 1924
HOME ADDRESS		
Gallitzin, Pa.		
DATE OF DEATH	PLACE OF DEATH	CAUSE OF DEATH
10 Oct. 43	North African Area	Killed in action
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, & ADDRESS)		
Mr. Charles J. Roles (father) R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa.		
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, & ADDRESS)		
Mr. Charles J. Roles (father) R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa. Mr. Morgan Roles (brother) R.F.D. #1, Gallitzin, Pa.		

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

THIS COPY FOR ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

DANIEL J. REIDY.
ADJUTANT GENERAL

SUPPLEMENTARY

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AR 600 550)

Roles, Robert M 15085080
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

late a Pvt 307 A/B Engr Bn
(Grade) (Organization or arm or service)

who died on the 10 day of Oct, 19 43

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

NUMBER	ARTICLES	* Package NUMBER
1	Bill-fold & Misc papers	
NEAREST OF KIN:	Father	
	Charles J. Roles RFD # 1 Gallitzin, Penna.	
	Effects delivered to Postal Officer, 82nd Airborne Division, APO 469, for shipment by insured parcel post to effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA	

*To be filled out only in case of shipment to The Adjutant General

CLASS II — Other effects

NUMBER	ARTICLES
	None

W. D., A.G.O. Form No 54
July 1, 1933

CLASS II — Continued

NUMBER	ARTICLES
	None
	Money { Specie $ None Notes $ 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 .....
(Give name and degree of relationship; if legal representative or 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.

A. T. Zinden

A. T. ZINDEN, CWO., USA.,
Personnel Adjutant

APO 469 NY (1) NY
(Station)

10 May, 1944
(Date)

*Strike out words not applicable.

HQ. M B S. MAY 43/25 m

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AR 600 550)

Roles Robert M 13083080
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

late a Pvt Co B 307 A/B Engr Bn
(Grade) (Organization or arm or service)

who died on the 10 day of Oct, 19 43

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

NUMBER	ARTICLES	* Package NUMBER
1	Prayer book	
1	Photo	
Nearest of Kin - Father		
	Charles J. Roles Gallitzin, Penna. RFD # 1	

*To be filled out only in case of shipment to The Adjutant General

CLASS II — Other effects

NUMBER	ARTICLES
	Effects delivered to Quartermaster, 82nd Airborne Division, APO 469, for shipment to Effects Quartermaster, Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City, Missouri.

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CLASS II — Continued

NUMBER	ARTICLES
	Money { Specie $ None Notes $ 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

(Give name and degree of relationship; if legal representative or 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.

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(Station)

October 20, 1943
(Date)

*Strike out words not applicable.

HQ. M B S. MAY 43/25 m

Serial No. 13083080 Name Roles, Robert, M

Grade ..... Rank .....

Organization Co B · 307 Eng

Address .....

Nearest Relative .....

Address .....

Killed in Action ..... Died of Disease .....

Date ..... Hospital .....

Battle Area ..... Information .....

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Place of Burial .....

Point of Coordination .....

Description of Body .....

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Members Missing .....

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Signed .....

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