

# COMPANY MORNING REPORT

END: NS 2400 16 June

1944 (YEAR)

STATION Hinckley, 1 mi SE VK 9012 Eng land

ORGANIZATION Co "B" 307 A/B Engr Bn CE

ACC. SET ETC.

PARENT M. 175

DATE OF REPORT

## STATION & RECORD OF EVENTS:

Burbage, Hinckley, Leicestershire, Eng - 2 Os

1 O atchd 75 EM & 4 atchd EM. 1 EM in conf.  
COMBAT ZONE - 3 Os, 43 EM & 1 atchd EM de-  
parted by air from Spanhoe Airfield, Upping-  
ham, Rutlandshire, England on 6 June 44 to  
make Preht jump into combat zone in France.  
DEPARTURE AIRFIELD 6 Os 88 EM & 2 atchd EM.

COMBAT ZONE FRANCE- 9 Os, 131 EM & 3 atchd  
EM Bivouacked Map ref: Cherbourg-Valognes  
sheet 6 E Scale: 1:100,000 Coord:  
333 960.

5 June 44 - Company less 3rd plat left  
Saltby Airfield, Waltham-on-the -Wolds,  
Rutlandshire, England by air 2320.

6 June 44 - Company less 3rd plat landed  
by parachute in vicinity of Picaucville,  
France, encountering enemy forces upon  
landing at 0208. Other strong enemy  
forces at town of Etienville, about one  
(1) mile fr drop zone.

| OFFICER<br>STRENGTH    | FLO O & CAPT |      | 1ST LT |      | 2D LT |      | WO   |      | FLT O |      |
|------------------------|--------------|------|--------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|
|                        | PRES         | ABST | PRES   | ABST | PRES  | ABST | PRES | ABST | PRES  | ABST |
| ASGD                   | 0/1          |      | 7      |      | 3     |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCHD<br>UNASGD        |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCHD FR<br>OTHER CRGN |              |      |        |      | 1     |      |      |      |       |      |
| TOTAL                  | 0/1          |      | 7      |      | 4     |      |      |      |       |      |

| AVN CADET<br>& ENL<br>STRENGTH | AVIATION CADETS |        | ENLISTED MEN        |                   |        |        |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------|---------------------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|                                | PRESENT         | ABSENT | PRESENT<br>FOR DUTY | PRESENT<br>FOR BY | ABSENT | ABSENT |
| ASGD                           |                 |        | 205                 | ATL               | 8      | 213    |
| ATCHD<br>UNASGD                |                 |        |                     |                   |        |        |
| ATCHD FR<br>CYAER CRGN         |                 |        | 7                   |                   | 1      | 8      |
| TOTAL                          |                 |        | 212                 | ATL               | 9      | 221    |

|                                 |                                                                              |  |                                                     |                |                                                                                       |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| R<br>A<br>T<br>I<br>O<br>N<br>S | ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR                                     |  | DAY OF WEEK <u>Monday</u><br>DATE <u>19 June 44</u> |                | NUMBER<br><u>285</u>                                                                  |
|                                 | MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT                                       |  |                                                     |                |                                                                                       |
|                                 | BREAKFAST <u>285</u> DINNER <u>285</u> SUPPER <u>285</u>                     |  |                                                     |                | TOTAL<br><u>855</u><br>÷<br>AVERAGE<br><u>285</u>                                     |
|                                 | MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY -<br>MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS - |  |                                                     |                | MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS <u>60</u><br>O & OTHERS MESSED <u>13</u><br>TOTAL<br><u>285</u> |
|                                 | MEN PRESENT <u>212</u>                                                       |  | LESS -                                              | NET <u>212</u> | PLUS <u>73</u>                                                                        |

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

PERSONNEL ADJUTANT  
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307 Engr

FORM 5 LOSS OF LIFE REPORT (PL 13-1007)

Exercise/Operation Neptune

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

W/O No. (Tail No.) 43-30715

Task No. 41

PERSONNEL

| Drop Order | Serial Number | Rank   | Full Name           | Status |
|------------|---------------|--------|---------------------|--------|
| 1          | 01106109      | 2nd Lt | Durham, James L     | MIA    |
| 2          | 11042952      | S Sgt  | Watters, Vernon G   |        |
| 3          | 15102939      | Sgt    | Gaffney, Walter E   |        |
| 4          | 13087839      | Pfc    | Calik, Elmer G      | MIA    |
| 5          | 35000123      | Pvt    | Zwir, John R        |        |
| 6          | 16054338      | Pfc    | Mylett, James R     | KIA    |
| 7          | 33694910      | Pvt    | Conway, Norman J    | KIA    |
| 8          | 35803109      | Pvt    | Moore, Caspar       | MIA    |
| 9          | 19064076      | Pvt    | Arnold, Henry L     | MIA    |
| 10         | 38406659      | Pvt    | Pharris, Arthur G   |        |
| 11         | 37541171      | Pvt    | King, Stanley W     |        |
| 12         | 37670377      | Pfc    | Langrehr, Henry O   | KIA    |
| 13         | 32162514      | Pvt    | Chin, Feon G        | KIA    |
| 14         | 37387750      | Pfc    | Hoeman, Billy A     | KIA    |
| 15         | 32439143      | Pvt    | Joseph, Horace      | KIA    |
| 16         | 6978947       | Opl    | McKeeby, Benjamin L | KIA    |
| 17         |               |        |                     |        |
| 18         |               |        |                     |        |
| 19         |               |        |                     |        |
| 20         |               |        |                     |        |

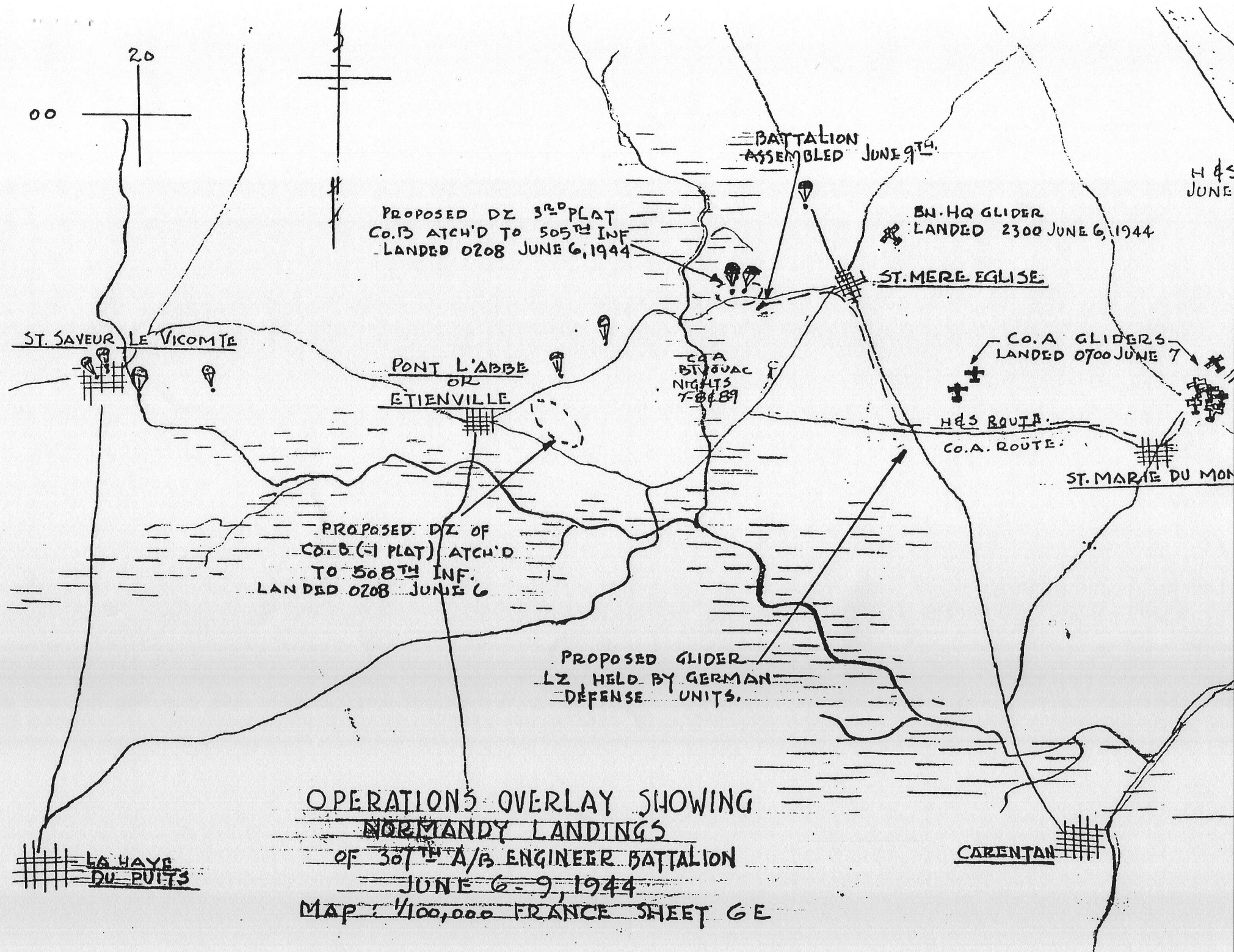
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Track No. Type Description (Serial) Group Date Reported

Inspection Completed

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FORM 5 LOSS OF LIFE REPORT (PL 13-1007)





## COMPANY

## MORNING REPORT

ENDING 17 June

2400

(DAY)

(MONTH)

1944

(YEAR)

STATION Hinckley, 1 mi SE VK 9012 England

ORGANIZATION Co B 307 A/B Engr Bn

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(CO DET, ETC.)

(PARENT U. S.)

(ARM OR SERVICE)

| SERIAL NUMBER                            | NAME                 | GRADE | CODE |
|------------------------------------------|----------------------|-------|------|
| 33600839                                 | De Souza, Moses (MI) | Pvt   | M    |
| 20406903                                 | Ellis Elmer (NMI)    | Pvt   |      |
| 13027360                                 | Hause, Robert K      | Pvt   | L    |
| 13059421                                 | Hessler, James E MD  | Pvt   |      |
| Atchd fr Med Det this Bn (Hessler only). |                      |       |      |
| 6557991                                  | Schuchart, Charles E | Pvt   | M    |
| 32175104                                 | Tedeschi, Jack L     | Pvt   |      |
| 20402585                                 | Thomas, Raymond W    | Pvt   |      |
| 11065749                                 | Wagner, Jacob C      | Pvt   |      |
| 11042041                                 | Wheeler, Paul D      | Pvt   |      |
| 35000123                                 | Zwir, John R         | Pvt   |      |
| 31157705                                 | Hughes, Thomas P     | Pvt   |      |
| 37506691                                 | Jones, Pearoy C      | Pvt   |      |
| 32439143                                 | Joseph, Horace (NMI) | Pvt   |      |
| 37541171                                 | King, Stanley Y A12  | Pvt   |      |
| 13090866                                 | Kreiser, Roy K       | Pvt   |      |
| 36414311                                 | Lambert, Lewis J     | Pvt   |      |
| 39615493                                 | Lansrud, Gaylord A   | Pvt   |      |
| 33575647                                 | Leverknight, Karl T  | Pvt   |      |
| 31362688                                 | Maloney, Francis J   | Pvt   |      |
| 33394148                                 | Marcello, Vincent A  | Pvt   |      |
| 32699574                                 | Mc Millan, Edward P  | Pvt   |      |

| OFFICER<br>STRENGTH | FLD O & CAPT |      | 1ST LT |      | 2D LT |      | WO   |      | FLT O |      |
|---------------------|--------------|------|--------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|
|                     | PRES         | ABST | PRES   | ABST | PRES  | ABST | PRES | ABST | PRES  | ABST |
| ASGD                |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCHD               |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| UNASGD              |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCHD FR            |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| OTHER ORGN          |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| TOTAL               |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |

| AVN CADET<br>& ENL<br>STRENGTH | AVIATION CADETS |        | ENLISTED MEN        |                         |        |                       |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------|-----------------------|
|                                | PRESENT         | ABSENT | PRESENT<br>FOR DUTY | PRESENT<br>NOT FOR DUTY | ABSENT | PRESENT<br>AND ABSENT |
| ASGD                           |                 |        |                     |                         |        |                       |
| ATCHD                          |                 |        |                     |                         |        |                       |
| UNASGD                         |                 |        |                     |                         |        |                       |
| ATCHD FR                       |                 |        |                     |                         |        |                       |
| OTHER ORGN                     |                 |        |                     |                         |        |                       |
| TOTAL                          |                 |        |                     |                         |        |                       |

|                                 |                                          |             |         |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------|---------|
| R<br>A<br>T<br>I<br>O<br>N<br>S | ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR | DAY OF WEEK | NUMBER  |
|                                 |                                          | DATE        |         |
| T<br>H<br>E                     | MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT   |             | TOTAL   |
|                                 | BREAKFAST                                | DINNER      | AVERAGE |
| M<br>E<br>N                     | MEN AUTHORIZED TO                        |             |         |
|                                 | MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS      |             |         |
| S                               | MEN PRESENT                              | LESS        | TOTAL   |
|                                 |                                          | PLUS        |         |

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## COMPANY

## MORNING REPORT

ENDING 2400 17 June

194 4  
(YEARS)

STATION Hinckley, 1 mi SE WK 9012 England

ORGANIZATION Co. B. 307 A/B Engr Bn

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(CO. SET, ETC.)

(PAYMENT W-17)

(ARM OR SERVICE)

| SERIAL NUMBER | NAME                      | GRADE | CODE |
|---------------|---------------------------|-------|------|
| 32191687      | Mc Murdy, Joseph C        | Pvt   | 11   |
| 35803109      | Moore, Casper (MMI)       | Pvt   |      |
| 18248034      | Passmore, Joseph H        | Pvt   |      |
| 20938772      | Petersen, Leslie V        | Pvt   |      |
| 39194297      | Peterson, Tom D           | Pvt   |      |
| 38406659      | Pharriss, Arthur G        | Pvt   |      |
| 33418401      | Puskarich, Matthew (W.I.) | Pvt   |      |

Above 4 Os, 61 EM & 2 atchd EM fr dy to missing in action in France as of 6 June/44 (Battle).

35457917 | Luke, Richard H | Pfc | 9  
fr dy to abs sk Hosp unknown as of 6 June 44. Slightly injured in action in France | FS lt femur sustained making combat parachute jump | (Battle)

35092815 | Northern, Harry H | Pfc | 9  
fr dy to abs sk LD Hosp unknown as of 7 June 44. Slightly wounded in action in France. Gunshot wounds in leg. (Battle)

12078130 | O' Neill, John J | Pvt | 11  
fr dy to killed in action in France on

| OFFICER STRENGTH    | FLD O & CAPT |      | 1ST LT |      | 2D LT |      | WO   |      | FLY O |      |
|---------------------|--------------|------|--------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|
|                     | PRES         | ABST | FRES   | ABST | PRES  | ABST | PRES | ABST | PRES  | ABST |
| ASGD                |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCHD UNASGD        |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCHD FR OTHER ORGN |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| TOTAL               |              |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |

| AVN CADET & ENL STRENGTH | AVIATION CADETS |        | ENLISTED MEN     |                      |        |                    |
|--------------------------|-----------------|--------|------------------|----------------------|--------|--------------------|
|                          | PRESENT         | ABSENT | PRESENT FOR DUTY | PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY | ABSENT | PRESENT AND ABSENT |
| ASGD                     |                 |        |                  |                      |        |                    |
| ATCHD UNASGD             |                 |        |                  |                      |        |                    |
| ATCHD FR OTHER ORGN      |                 |        |                  |                      |        |                    |
| TOTAL                    |                 |        | 0                | 0                    |        |                    |

|                                     |                                          |  |             |        |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|--|-------------|--------|
| R<br>A<br>T<br>I<br>O<br>N<br>S     | ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR |  | DAY OF WEEK | NUMBER |
|                                     |                                          |  | DATE        |        |
|                                     | MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT   |  |             |        |
| BREAKFAST                           |                                          |  | DINNER      | SUPPER |
| TOTAL                               |                                          |  | AVERAGE     |        |
| MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY   |                                          |  |             |        |
| MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS |                                          |  |             |        |
| MEN PRESENT                         |                                          |  | LESS        | PLUS   |
| MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS               |                                          |  | NET         | TOTAL  |

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# COMPANY MORNING REPORT

EXDNDW 1 July  
2430

194 4  
YEAR

STATION Hinckley, 1 mi SE W 9012 England

ORGANIZATION Co B 307 A/B Eng Bn

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WARRANT UNIT

DATE OF SERVICE

| SERIAL NUMBER                                                                                                        | NAME                  | GRADE | CODE |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|------|
| 35000123                                                                                                             | Zwir, John B          | Pvt   | G    |
| fr missing in action in France to dy as of 16 June 44 (Battle)                                                       |                       |       |      |
| 37541171                                                                                                             | King, Stanley M       | Pvt   | G    |
| fr missing in action in France to dy as of 16 June 44 (Battle)                                                       |                       |       |      |
| 20938772                                                                                                             | Petersen, Leslie V    | Pvt   | G    |
| fr missing in action in France to dy as of 16 June 44 (Battle)                                                       |                       |       |      |
| 32194297                                                                                                             | Peterson, Tom D       | Pvt   | G    |
| fr missing in action in France to dy as of 10 June 44 (Battle)                                                       |                       |       |      |
| 20220398                                                                                                             | Tarcko, Michael (MIL) | Pvt   |      |
| fr abs sk LD 160 Gen Hosp APO 165 to abs sk LD 4152 U S Army Hosp Plant ETO/SA APO 165 as of 11 June 44 (Non-Battle) |                       |       |      |
| 32724924                                                                                                             | Clancy, Joseph F      | Pvt   | G    |
| fr missing in action in France to dy as of 15 June 44 (Battle)                                                       |                       |       |      |

| OFFICER<br>STRENGTH    | PLD OR CAPT |      | 1ST LT |      | 2D LT |      | WO   |      | FLY O |      |
|------------------------|-------------|------|--------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|
|                        | PRES        | ABST | PRES   | ABST | PRES  | ABST | PRES | ABST | PRES  | ABST |
| ASGD                   | 0/1         |      | 6      |      | 5     |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCND<br>BRASGD        |             |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCND FR<br>OTHER CORR |             |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| TOTAL                  | 0/1         |      | 6      |      | 5     |      |      |      |       |      |

| ATV CASET<br>& EOL<br>STRENGTH | AVIATION CADETS |        | ENLISTED MEN        |                         |        |                       |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|--------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------|-----------------------|
|                                | PRESENT         | ABSENT | PRESENT<br>FOR DUTY | PRESENT<br>NOT FOR DUTY | ABSENT | PRESENT<br>AND ABSENT |
| ASGD                           |                 |        | 148                 |                         | 16     | 164                   |
| ATCND<br>BRASGD                |                 |        | 1                   |                         |        | 1                     |
| ATCND FR<br>OTHER CORR         |                 |        | 6 PR                |                         | 1      | 7                     |
| TOTAL                          |                 |        | 155                 |                         | 17     | 172                   |

|                                 |                                          |  |                          |  |         |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------|--|--------------------------|--|---------|
| R<br>A<br>T<br>I<br>O<br>N<br>S | ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR |  | DAY OF WEEK Tuesday      |  | NUMBER  |
|                                 |                                          |  | DATE 4 July 44           |  | 228     |
| H<br>E<br>S<br>S                | MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT   |  |                          |  | TOTAL   |
|                                 | BREAKFAST 223 DINNER 228 SUPPER 228      |  |                          |  | 684     |
| A<br>V<br>E<br>R<br>A<br>G<br>E |                                          |  |                          |  | AVERAGE |
|                                 |                                          |  |                          |  | 228     |
| M<br>E<br>N                     | MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY -      |  | MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS 62 |  | TOTAL   |
|                                 | MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS -    |  | RET 08 OTHERS MESSED 13  |  |         |
| S<br>T<br>A<br>T<br>E           | MEN PRESENT: 155                         |  | LESS - 155               |  | PLUS 75 |
|                                 |                                          |  |                          |  | 230     |

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RECORD OF ACTION ON S SGT WATTERS, PVT KING, PVT ZWIR, &  
PVT PETERSEN

S/Sgt Watters made a parachute jump on D Day landing across the DOUVE RIVER North-east of ST SAUVEUR LE VICOMTE. Sgt Watters and Pvt Zwir stayed in this area from 6 June to 13 June. During this time they were surrounded by Germans. They made one attempt to go North, but ran into a machinegun emplacement and well fortified positions. Upon knowing this they decided to go back to their positions again. All this time they saw German troops maneuvering back and forth, also seeing a thirty-car troop train coming in from the North. These troops were unloaded in this area. On the fifth and sixth day our planes bombed the town of ST SAUVEUR LE VICOMTE which led us to think the Germans had left the town. Sgt Watters and Pvt Zwir decided to cross the river and enter the town. They were brought across the river by five French civilians. After crossing the river they saw the Germans retreating toward the DOUVE RIVER, which led us to believe our troops were coming through. We then stayed at this point until our troops arrived. We were then picked up by the 505th CT and sent to Div CP. En route to Div CP we picked up Pvt King and Pvt Petersen, who were staying in an area close by.

Pvt King reports on or about the third day of his stay in this area, which was North of ETIENVILLE. About fifty American paratroopers were marched by under heavy German guards. The civilians reported these troopers were being marched to VALOGNES.

STATION Ullenthorpe, 1 1/2 mi NW VK 9609 England  
ORGANIZATION Oo B 307 A/B Engr Bn OS  
REG. DET. ETC. PATENT UNIT MTR OR SERVICE

| SERIAL NUMBER            | NAME               | GRADE | CODE |
|--------------------------|--------------------|-------|------|
| 57350604                 | Kurtz, Edward J    | Pvt   |      |
| 19106131                 | Gabrielson, John O | Pvt   |      |
| Liverpool, Cheshire, Eng |                    |       |      |
| 51157705                 | Hughes, Thomas P   | Pvt   |      |
| 12158958                 | Day, Daniel R      | Pfc   |      |
| 57341171                 | King, Stanley W    | Pvt   |      |
| 33694474                 | DeMar, Frank E     | Pvt   |      |
| 36725814                 | Radion, Alfonso O  | Pfc   |      |
| 13122858                 | Plavin, George W   | Pvt   |      |
| 50154107                 | Roberts, Floyd E   | Pvt   |      |
| 35000123                 | Zwir, John R       | Pfc   |      |

London, Middlesex, Eng  
7030363 Katona, John (FMT) 1st Sgt  
11042952 Watters, Vernon G S/Sgt  
Llandno, Denbighshire Wales  
Above 30 EN fr dy to fur (destination as shown below respective names) Dur 5 days.

01102724 Finlayson, Adrian J 2d Lt  
fr dy to lv of aba Glasgow, Scotland  
Dur 5 days.

| OFFICER<br>STRENGTH | FLD OR CAPT |      | 1ST LT |      | 2D LT |      | WO   |      | FLT O |      |
|---------------------|-------------|------|--------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|------|
|                     | PRES        | ABST | PRES   | ABST | PRES  | ABST | PRES | ABST | PRES  | ABST |
| ASGD                |             |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCHD UNASGD        |             |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| ATCHD FB OTHER CREW |             |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |
| TOTAL               |             |      |        |      |       |      |      |      |       |      |

| AVN CASEY<br>OR ENL<br>STRENGTH | AVIATION CADETS |        | ENLISTED MEN     |                      |        |                    |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|--------|------------------|----------------------|--------|--------------------|
|                                 | PRESENT         | ABSENT | PRESENT FOR DUTY | PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY | ABSENT | PRESENT AND ABSENT |
| ASGD                            |                 |        |                  |                      |        |                    |
| ATCHD UNASGD                    |                 |        |                  |                      |        |                    |
| ATCHD FB OTHER CREW             |                 |        |                  |                      |        |                    |
| TOTAL                           |                 |        |                  |                      |        |                    |

|                                           |                                              |                     |         |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------|
| R<br>A<br>T<br>I<br>O<br>N<br>S           | ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR     | DAY OF WEEK<br>DATE | NUMBER  |
|                                           |                                              |                     |         |
| T<br>I<br>M<br>E                          | MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT       |                     | AVERAGE |
|                                           | BREAKFAST                                    | DINNER              |         |
| O<br>T<br>H<br>E<br>R                     | MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY            |                     | TOTAL   |
|                                           | MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS          |                     |         |
| S<br>I<br>G<br>N<br>A<br>T<br>U<br>R<br>E | MEN PRESENT : LESS                           |                     | TOTAL   |
|                                           | MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS O & OTHERS MESSED PLUS |                     |         |

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31 July

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5 YEARS

STATION Ullesthorpe, 1 1/2 mi NW VK 9609 England

ORGANIZATION Co B 307 A/B Engg Bn

**OR**

SA, PT, ETC.

PATENT UNITED STATES

**CAP OR SERVICE**

| SERIAL NUMBER | NAME                 | GRADE   | CODE |
|---------------|----------------------|---------|------|
| 20155968      | Miele, Frank M       | S/Sgt   |      |
| Ferryhill,    | Durham Co., Eng      |         |      |
| 36857887      | Cannon, Russell D    | Pfc     |      |
| 38406659      | Pharrisa, Arthur G   | Pvt     |      |
| 12078081      | Greene, Robert S Jr  | Pvt     |      |
| Leeds,        | West Riding Co., Eng |         |      |
| 1A124074      | Gaskay, Jesse L      | Sgt     |      |
| 37464985      | Halladay, Lloyd L    | Pfc     |      |
| Leicester,    | Leicestershire, Eng  |         |      |
| 37330604      | Kurtz, Edward J      | Pvt     |      |
| 19106131      | Gabrielson, John O   | Pvt     |      |
| Liverpool,    | Cheshire, Eng        |         |      |
| 31157705      | Hughes, Thomas P     | Pvt     |      |
| 12138258      | Day, Daniel R        | Pfc     |      |
| 37541171      | King, Stanley W      | Pvt     |      |
| 33644474      | DeMar, Frank E       | Pvt     |      |
| 36725814      | Radice, Alfonso O    | Pfc     |      |
| 13122858      | Plevis, George W     | Pvt     |      |
| 36134107      | Roberts, Floyd R     | Pvt     |      |
| 35000123      | Zwir, John R         | Pfc     |      |
| London,       | Middlesex, Eng       |         |      |
| 7030363       | Katona, John (NMI)   | 1st Sgt |      |

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| AVR. CASSET<br>O ERL<br>STRENGTH | AVIATION CASSETS |        | ENLISTED MEN        |                         |        |                       |
|----------------------------------|------------------|--------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------|-----------------------|
|                                  | PRESENT          | ABSENT | PRESENT<br>FOR DUTY | PRESENT<br>NOT FOR DUTY | ABSENT | PRESENT<br>AND ABSENT |
| 1368                             |                  |        |                     |                         |        |                       |
| AVCAB<br>CHASAB                  |                  |        |                     |                         |        |                       |
| AVCAB PD<br>OTHER CASE           |                  |        |                     |                         |        |                       |
| TOTAL                            |                  |        | 0                   | 1                       |        |                       |

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|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|--------|-----------------------|---------|
| R<br>A<br>T<br>I<br>O<br>N<br>S                     | ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR |        | DAY OF WEEK           | NUMBER  |
|                                                     |                                          |        | DATE                  |         |
| T<br>E<br>M<br>P<br>E<br>R<br>A<br>T<br>U<br>R<br>E | MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT   |        |                       | TOTAL   |
|                                                     | BREAKFAST                                | DINNER | SUPPER                | AVERAGE |
| O<br>T<br>H<br>E<br>R                               | MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY        |        | MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS | TOTAL   |
|                                                     | MEN ATCHD TO OTHER CREW FOR RATIONS      |        | O & OTHERS MESSED     |         |
| S                                                   | MEN PRESENT:                             | LESS   | PLUS                  |         |

I CERTIFY THAT THIS MORNING REPORT IS CORRECT AND THAT RATION  
PAID IN FULL IS REPRESENTED AN ACTUAL DEBIT AS REPORTED TO ME.

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307 Airborne Engr. Bn, 10 August 1944

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| ASN      | LAST       | NAME FIRST   | MI | GRADE | ARM OR SERVICE | TYPE CAS | MRU ONLY | DATE OF CASUALTY | FLY-ING STA | PLACE | REMARKS                            |
|----------|------------|--------------|----|-------|----------------|----------|----------|------------------|-------------|-------|------------------------------------|
| 11042041 | Wheeler    | Paul         | D  | Pvt   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       | All casualties occurred in France. |
| 35000123 | Zwir       | John         | R  | Pvt   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 31157705 | Hughes     | Thomas       | P  | Pvt   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 37506691 | Jones      | Pearcy       | Q  | Pvt   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 32439143 | Joseph     | Horace (NMI) |    | Pvt   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 37541171 | King       | Stanley      | H  | Pvt   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 13090866 | Kraiser    | Roy          | K  | Pvt   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 13073457 | DiFabbio   | Frank (NMI)  |    | Tec 5 | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 39183714 | Goins      | Thomas       | C  | Tec 5 | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 13039592 | Morrow     | Robert       | A  | Tec 5 | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 35441824 | Pennington | Lawrence     | A  | Tec 5 | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 12038377 | Vallance   | Charles      | H  | Tec 5 | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 35415562 | Beathard   | Weldon       | S  | Pfc   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 18014420 | Bishop     | James        | C  | Pfc   | MD             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 33108625 | Brown      | John         | H  | Pfc   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 13087639 | Calik      | Kimer        | G  | Pfc   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 33175272 | Dobson     | William      | J  | Pfc   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 19099177 | Gach       | Theodore     | I  | Pfc   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 14124463 | Hester     | Ralph        | W  | Pfc   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |
| 33225235 | Halloran   | William      | H  | Pfc   | CE             | MIA      |          | 6 June 44        | J           |       |                                    |

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(Date)

| ASN       | LAST       | NAME FIRST  | MI | GRADE  | ARM OR SERVICE | TYPE CAS | MRU ONLY | DATE OF CASUALTY | FLYING STA | PLACE | REMARKS                        |
|-----------|------------|-------------|----|--------|----------------|----------|----------|------------------|------------|-------|--------------------------------|
|           |            |             |    |        |                |          |          |                  |            |       | All casualties occurred        |
| 35000123  | Swir       | John        | R  | Pvt    | CE             | RTD      |          | 16 June 44       | J          |       | in France.<br>fr MIA 6 June 44 |
| 37541171  | King       | Stanley     | H  | Pvt    | CE             | RTD      |          | 16 June 44       | J          |       | fr MIA 6 June 44               |
| 20938772  | Petersen   | Leslie      | V  | Pvt    | CE             | RTD      |          | 16 June 44       | J          |       | fr MIA 6 June 44               |
| 39194297  | Petersen   | Tom         | D  | Pvt    | CE             | RTD      |          | 10 June 44       | J          |       | fr MIA 6 June 44               |
| 32784934  | Clancy     | Joseph      | F  | Pvt    | CE             | RTD      |          | 15 June 44       | J          |       | fr MIA 6 June 44               |
| 33679331  | Frederick  | Charles     | F  | Pvt    | CE             | RTD      |          | 29 June 44       | J          |       | fr LIA 6 June 44               |
| 31241524  | Porucki    | Venceslaus  | H  | Pvt    | CE             | INA      |          | 27 June 44       | J          |       | fr MIA 6 June 44               |
| 14049055  | Nichols    | Carl        | E  | Pvt    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 36478326  | Frobese    | William     | E  | Pvt    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 16096857  | Rockenbach | Ralph       | T  | Sgt    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 34731017  | Clark      | William     | H  | Pvt    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 13107191  | Donahoe    | Joseph      | A  | Cpl    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 36384053  | Estrada    | Mateo (NMI) |    | Pvt    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 12090855  | Droogan    | Cornelius   | J  | Pvt    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 39198234  | Tenacher   | Johnny      | H  | Pvt    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 12148912  | Mayer      | Albert      | P  | Cpl    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 16101999  | McCarthy   | Frank       | C  | Cpl    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 301102724 | Finlayson  | Adrian      | J  | 2nd Lt | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 35289216  | Ossake     | Delmer      | J  | Cpl    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |
| 36034369  | O'Neill    | Daniel      | J  | Pfc    | CE             | INA      |          | 3 July 44        | J          |       |                                |

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HEADQUARTERS  
307TH AIRBORNE ENGINEER BATTALION  
APO 469, U. S. ARMY

ATL/hwt/hwt:  
15 May 1945.

**SUBJECT: Present Status of Passengers or Crew members of Parachute Lift.**

**TO : COMMANDING GENERAL, 82d Airborne Division, A.P.O. 469, U. S. Army.**

1. The following constitutes a listing of those members of Co "B", 307 Abn Engr Bn and Crew members of aircraft that participated in the action Operation NEPTUNE, which has resulted in the status of MIA on personnel named in 4th Ind.

| NAME                     | GRADE | ASN      | ORIG     | C-47 TYPE  | ORIG    | STATUS 6 JUN 44 | PRESENT STATUS                        |
|--------------------------|-------|----------|----------|------------|---------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|
|                          |       |          |          | AIRCRAFT # |         |                 |                                       |
| 1. DURHAM, JAMES L       | 2 Lt  | 01106109 | Co "B"   | 43-30715   | MIA     |                 | MIA 6 Jun 44                          |
| 2. Watters, Vernon G     | S/Sgt | 11042952 | do       | do         | do      |                 | *Dy 16 Jun 44                         |
| 3. Gaffney, Walter E     | Sgt   | 15102939 | do       | do         | do      |                 | POW-RMO 23 Mar 45                     |
| 4. Celik, Elmer G        | Pfc   | 13087839 | do       | do         | do      |                 | POW 6 Jun 44                          |
| 5. Swir, John R          | Pvt   | 35000123 | do       | do         | do      |                 | RTD-16 Jun 44 - trfd                  |
| 6. Mylett, James R       | Pfc   | 16054338 | do       | do         | do      |                 | WIA-Discharge US                      |
| 7. Conway, Norman J      | Pvt   | 33694910 | do       | do         | do      |                 | POW 6 Jun 44                          |
| 8. Moore, Casper         | Pvt   | 35803109 | do       | do         | do      |                 | POW 6 Jun 44                          |
| 9. Arnold, Henry L       | Pvt   | 19064076 | do       | do         | do      |                 | KIA 6 Jun 44                          |
| 10. Pharrise, Arthur G   | Pvt   | 38406659 | do       | do         | do      |                 | *Dy 8 Jul 44                          |
| 11. King, Stanley W      | Pvt   | 37541171 | do       | do         | do      |                 | Dy 16 Jun 44 KIA<br>Holland 24 Oct 44 |
| 12. Langrehr, Henry O.   | Pvt   | 37670377 | do       | do         | do      |                 | POW 6 Jun 44                          |
| 13. Chin, Poon G.        | Pvt   | 32162514 | do       | do         | do      |                 | KIA 6 Jun 44 (RAU-VILLE)              |
| 14. Hosman, Billy A      | Pfc   | 37387750 | do       | do         | do      |                 | MIA 6 Jun 44                          |
| 15. Joseph, Horace       | Pvt   | 32439143 | do       | do         | do      |                 | KIA 6 Jun 44 (RAU-VILLE)              |
| 16. McKeeby, Benjamin L  | Opl   | 6978947  | do       | do         | do      |                 | KIA 1 Jul 44                          |
| 17. Cohen, Harvey        | 1 Lt  | 0669678  | 32 TO Sq | do         | Pilot   |                 | Unknown                               |
| 18. Van Reigen, Donald L | 2 Lt  | 0745221  | do       | do         | CoPilot |                 | do                                    |
| 19. Craig, Blake E       | T/Sgt | 36172777 | do       | do         | Crew C  |                 | do                                    |
| 20. Freeman, Robert N    | Sgt   | 15352306 | do       | do         | Radio C |                 | do                                    |
| 1. WHALEN, EDWARD F      | 1 Lt  | 01100823 | Co "B"   | 42-100892  | Duty    |                 | *Duty                                 |
| 2. Miale, Frank M        | S/Sgt | 20153968 | do       | do         | do      |                 | *Duty                                 |
| 3. Gallinari, Paul L     | Pvt   | 32273592 | do       | do         | do      |                 | Trfd                                  |
| 4. Langford, Everette H  | Sgt   | 39009404 | do       | do         | MIA     |                 | MIA 6 Jun 44                          |
| 5. Wheeler, Paul D       | Pvt   | 11042041 | do       | do         | do      |                 | KIA 6 Jun 44<br>(RAUVILLE)            |
| 6. Ellis, Elmer          | Pvt   | 20406903 | do       | do         | do      |                 | MIA 6 Jun 44                          |
| 7. Jones, Percy Q        | Pvt   | 37506691 | do       | do         | do      |                 | LWA 6 Jun 44<br>trfd                  |
| 8. Lambert, Lewis J      | Pvt   | 36414311 | do       | do         | do      |                 | LWA 6 Jun 44<br>trfd                  |
| 9. Passmore, Joseph H    | Pvt   | 18248034 | do       | do         | do      |                 | KIA 6 Jun 44<br>(RAUVILLE)            |
| 10. Leverknight, Karl T  | Pvt   | 33575647 | do       | do         | do      |                 | KIA 6 Jun 44<br>(RAUVILLE)            |

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|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Pfc Perkins, Luther E.       | 6945691  |
| Pfc Radice, Alfonso G.       | 36725814 |
| Pfc Strabie, William J.      | 15010601 |
| Pfc Wilson, Austin E.        | 18209705 |
| Pvt Arellanes, Augustine L.  | 39249767 |
| Pvt Cannon, Russell D.       | 36757887 |
| Pvt Clancy, Joseph F.        | 32784924 |
| Pvt Davis, Johnnie E.        | 14123487 |
| Pvt Dekar, Frank E.          | 33694474 |
| Pvt Durben, Fred H.          | 15084385 |
| Pvt Ellis, Samuel F.         | 14050159 |
| Pvt Frederick, Charles F.    | 33679331 |
| Pvt Gabrielson, John G.      | 19106131 |
| Pvt Gallinari, Paul L.       | 32273592 |
| Pvt Grove, James M.          | 33272607 |
| Pvt Hall, Jessie D., Jr.     | 6969929  |
| Pvt Hinman, George A.        | 19179695 |
| Pvt Huddleston, Otis B., Jr. | 14131718 |
| Pvt Hughes, Thomas F.        | 31157705 |
| Pvt King, Stanley W.         | 37541171 |
| Pvt Lewis, Peter G.          | 16109809 |
| Pvt Petersen, Leslie V.      | 20938772 |
| Pvt Peterson, Tom D.         | 39194297 |
| Pvt Pharriss, Arthur G.      | 38406659 |
| Pvt Roberts, Floyd E.        | 39134107 |
| Pvt Rumbaugh, Carroll B.     | 6891940  |
| Pvt Schenck, Richard H.      | 33760598 |
| Pvt Shirey, Max H.           | 34435485 |
| Pvt Standlick, Donald J.     | 36569410 |
| Pvt Stevens, James F.        | 14045258 |
| Pvt Thomas, Ivan L.          | 95091481 |
| Pvt Watts, Wilbur E.         | 35867383 |
| Pvt Zair, John R.            | 35000123 |