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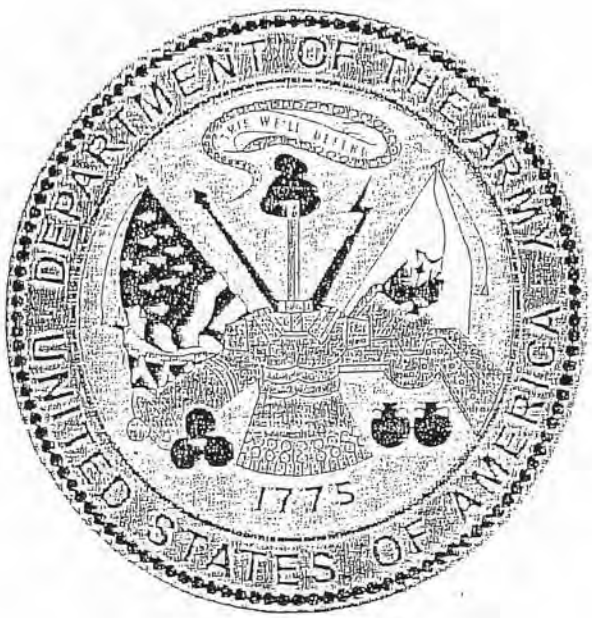

INDIVIDUAL DECEASED PERSONAL FILE

CmB SLG

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Interred 1 March 1949
C-8-24, USMC, St Laurent
C.H. Hiemstra
C.H. HIEMSTRA
1/LT Inf, interring Officer

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER: 3508 02844

DATE: 15 (DAY) 11 (MONTH) 47 (YEAR)

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	ARM	DATE OF DEATH
LEVERKNIGHT KARL T	33575647	PVT	1	DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY		DISPOSITION OF REMAINS
BLOSVILLE - CARENTAN	1	3505 (CODE) 80 (DIST. PT.)

PLOT	ROW	GRAVE	COUNTRY	CAUSE OF DEATH
C	7	126	FRANCE	1

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

ST. LAURENT, FRANCE

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

MR. CHARLES H. LEVERKNIGHT (FATHER)
907 FRONHEISER STREET
JOHNSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION Flag sent MAR 1 1949

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISINTERRED
Leverknight, Karl T.	33575647	Pvt	7 June 1944	2 February 1948

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON	ORGANIZATION	RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY
[ ] REMAINS [X] MARKER	USAGF	Prot.	T. C. MURRAY Capt, QMC (NAME AND TITLE)

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS
Uniform	Advanced decomposition

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

None.

MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1

None.

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 5 February 1948 BY Robert R. Johnson

CASKET SEALED BY	EMBALMER (Signature)
Robert R. Johnson	Robert R. Johnson
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY
DATE 5 Feb 48 BY Robert Kreil	Charles J. Missigman

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

Charles J. Missigman
Charles J. Missigman
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

FILE
9 JUN 1949
REGISTRATION BRANCH
MEM. DIV.

QMC FORM 1194
REV 15 MAR 46

FINAL LETTER SENT 23 MAY 1949

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
USMC Blosville, France		Casketing Point B, St. Laurent, France	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
Truck		Pvt Robert C. Spach	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE
J. F. Randall J. F. RANDALL, Capt, QMC	5 Feb 48	D. A. MacKENZIE, Capt, Inf.	5 Feb 48

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

4. SHIPPED

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

5. SHIPPED

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

6. SHIPPED

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

7. SHIPPED

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

23 May 1949

Pvt Karl T. Leverknight, ASN 33 575 647
Plot C, Row 8, Grave 24
Headstone: Cross
St. Laurent (France) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mr. Charles H. Leverknight
907 Fronheiser Street
Johnstown, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Leverknight:

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, Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interments are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. 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,

H. FRIELMAN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

MAY 23 11 14 AM '49 G.A.O. MAIL BRANCH

RECEIVED G.A.O.

BUDGET BUREAU No. 49-R277.

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

Pvt Earl T. Leverknight, 33 575 647
Plot C, Row 7, Grave 126,
United States Military Cemetery
Blosville, France

9 September 1947

A		C	
B		D	

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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

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

PART I

I, Charles H. Leverknight
(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

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

☐ WIDOW ☐ WIDOWER ☐ SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD

☒ FATHER ☐ MOTHER ☐ BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD

☐ RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE *(Specify)* Does not apply

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

☒ 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS. St. Laurent, France

☐ 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

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

☐ 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)

(Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)

☐ YES ☐ NO

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

QMD proc. 10 Nov. '47

Coded 24 Oct '47 Benoit

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PART I (*Continued*)

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

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

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

OR

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

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (*Nearest railroad passenger station*)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS		TELEPHONE No.

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

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

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

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

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

Charles H Leverknight — 907 Fronheiser Street

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) (STREET AND NUMBER)

Charles H. Leverknight — Johnstown, Pennsylvania

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 9th day of October, 1947, at city (or town) of Johnstown, county of Cambria, and State (or Territory or District) of Pennsylvania

Erich F. Foster

(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)

Notary Public

(OFFICIAL TITLE)

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

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

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PART II—RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

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

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

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

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

(DATE)

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

(STREET AND NUMBER)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

(CITY AND STATE)

PART III

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

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

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

(DATE)

(SIGNATURE)

(STREET AND NUMBER)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

(CITY AND STATE)

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN ADDRESS

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NAME OF DECEASED	RANK	SERIAL NUMBER
Karl T. Leverknight	Pvt	[redacted]

NAME OF NEXT OF KIN	RELATIONSHIP
Charles and Gladys Leverknight	Father and Mother

OLD ADDRESS

629 Bank St. Johnstown Pa.

NEW ADDRESS

907 Fronheiser Street

Johnstown Pa.

REMARKS

Moved to new address in 1945

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OPTION I

REMAINS TO BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS

If you select this option, the remains of your loved one will be permanently interred in the United States Military Cemetery, St. Laurent, France.

Pvt Earl T. Leverknight, 33 575 647
Plot C, Row 7, Grave 125,
United States Military Cemetery
Blosville, France

9 September 1947

Mr. Charles H. Leverknight
629 Bank Street
Johnstown, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Leverknight:

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.

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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SPCMG 293
Leverknight, Karl T.

12 March 1946

Mr. Charles H. Leverknight
629 Bank Street
Johnstown, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Leverknight:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished the burial location of your son, the late Private Karl T. Leverknight, A.S.N. 33 379 647.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, Blosville, France, plot C, row 7, grave 126.

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

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

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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GRAVES REGISTRATION
FORM NO. 1
(Revised 1 Sept. 1943)

RESTRICTED

REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

12425

20 June 1944
Date

SEP 18 1944

Last Name	First	Initial	Rank	Serial No.
Leverknight	Karl	T	Pvt. Unknown	33575647

Unit		Organization
Unknown	307 Eng Bn	Unknown

Place of Death	Date of Death	Cause of Death
France	7 June 1944	KIA

Time and Date of Burial	Name of Cemetery	Name or Coordinates of Location
19 June 1944	Blosville	France

Grave Number	Row Number	Plot Number	Type of Marker
126	7	C	Peg

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

If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

287

What means of identification were buried with the body?

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

Who is buried on:

	Name	Serial No.	Rank	Organization	Grave No.
Deceased's Right:	Meads, Luther B.	34457004	Unknown	82nd A/B Div.	127
Deceased's Left:	Knealing, Irving T.	37168643	Unknown	82nd A/B Div	125

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

KARL T LEVERKNIGHT
33575647 T44 A
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P

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

Emergency Addressee Unknown
Name

Address

Religion Protestant

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

NONE

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

Dale C. Sherwood

DALE C. SHERWOOD Verified by G.R.S. Officer
1st. Lt., QMC

Jul 4 58

EQ. SOS. 22/9/43. 380M/8/15219

IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

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

Height:
Weight:
Color of Eyes:
Color of Hair:
Race:

Laundry Marks:
Number of Rifle:
Wear Glasses?
Is Tooth Chart Attached?

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

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

Left Hand: Thumb 1 2 3 4

Right Hand: Thumb 1 2 3 4

TOOTH CHART

Deceased's Left

	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Upper																
Lower																

Deceased's Right

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

Characteristics: _____

Other Data: _____

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

WAR DEPARTMENT

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON 25 D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 10 Aug 1944
by 4632

FULL NAME	ARMY SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE
Leverknight, Karl T.	33 575 647	Pvt
HOME ADDRESS	**ARM OR SERVICE**	**DATE OF BIRTH**
Johnstown, Pa.	Corps of Engineers	26 Jan 1924
PLACE OF DEATH	**CAUSE OF DEATH**	**DATE OF DEATH**
European Area	Killed in action	6 June 1944
STATION OF DECEASED	**DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE**	**LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES** (YEARS / MONTHS / DAYS)
European Area	12 March 1943	

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)

Mrs. Charles H. Leverknight, mother, 629 Bank Street, Johnstown, Pa.

BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)

Mrs. Charles H. Leverknight, mother, 629 Bank Street, Johnstown, Pa.

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INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
											X	X	

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

On Parachute Pay

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 6 June 1944 until such absence was terminated on 24 July 1944, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from a commander in the European Area.

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		A. G. 201 FILE

[X] BATTLE

[ ] NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

J. A. Marshall

J. A. Marshall ADJUTANT GENERAL

WD. AGO. FORM NO. 52-1. 29 MAY 1944

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THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WD, AGO, FORM NO. 52-1, 29 MAY 1944

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

—BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE
KEVERKNIGHT KARL T	33575647	PVT	CE	ETO

PLACE OF CASUALTY	DATE OF CASUALTY DAY	MONTH	YEAR	FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER
FRANCE	06	JUN	44	J	MIA	104

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING PERSON AS THE ONE TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND THE OFFICIAL TELEGRAPHIC AND LETTER NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE SENT TO THIS PERSON. THE RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, IS SHOWN BELOW. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT NECESSARILY THE NEXT-OF-KIN OR RELATIVE DESIGNATED TO BE PAID SIX MONTHS' PAY GRATUITY IN CASE OF DEATH

MR.-MRS.-MISS	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	LAST NAME	RELATIONSHIP
MRS	CHARLES H		KEVERKNIGHT	MOTHER

NO. AND NAME OF STREET	CITY	COUNTY	STATE
629 BANK STREET	JOHNSTOWN		PENNSYLVANIA

REMARKS: ☐ CORRECTED COPY 27 June 1944 bn

Verified as Keverknight, Karl T.
33,575,647 per Signature card
Hq att of Harding U.S.

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ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED ✓ FORM 43 ✓ AG 201 REQ ____
CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED ____ OR CHARGED TO ____ DATE ____
PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO ✓ YES ____ (AS INDICATED BELOW):

FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	TYPE	DATE AND AREA	E. A. NOTIFIED

REPORT NOT VERIFIED ✓ NO FORM 43 ___ NO CAS. BR. FILE ✓ CHECKED BY Tele. Notif. Tappin 6 July 44 REVIEWED BY ____

THIS SPACE FOR USE OF MACHINE RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.

ACCT. AREA	CASUALTY STATUS	ORIGINAL CAS. DATE DAY	MO.	YR.	MESSAGE NO.	LATEST CAS. DATE DAY	MO.	YR.	REFERENCE AREA	CREW POS.	RESIDENCE STATE	COUNTY	COMP	RACE
34 35	36 37 38	39 40	41	42	43 44 45	46 47	48	49	50 51	52	53 54	55 56 57	58	59

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- ☐ WAR SHIPPING ADMINISTRATION
- ☐ WILLS UNIT, CASUALTY BRANCH

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

—BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE
LEVERKNIGHT KARL J.	33575647	PVT	CE	ETO

PLACE OF CASUALTY	DATE OF CASUALTY DAY	MONTH	YEAR	FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER
FRANCE	06	JUN	44	J	KIA	131

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING PERSON AS THE ONE TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND THE OFFICIAL TELEGRAPHIC AND LETTER NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE SENT TO THIS PERSON. THE RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, IS SHOWN BELOW. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT NECESSARILY THE NEXT-OF-KIN OR RELATIVE DESIGNATED TO BE PAID SIX MONTHS' PAY GRATUITY IN CASE OF DEATH

MR.-MRS.-MISS—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST NAME	RELATIONSHIP	DATE NOTIFIED
MRS CHARLES H LEVERKNIGHT	MOTHER	24 JULY 44 ljt

NO. AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE

626 BANK STREET JOHNSTOWN PENNSYLVANIA

REMARKS:

☐ CORRECTED COPY

Evidence of death received in the W. D. on 24 July 44 ljt

ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED ____ FORM 43 ____ AG 201 REQ ____

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED ____ OR CHARGED TO ____ DATE ____

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO ____ YES ____ (AS INDICATED BELOW):

FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	TYPE	DATE AND AREA	E. A. NOTIFIED
Warrant	102		June 6	2 July 44

FORWARDED TO ➔

SPEC. IDEN.	TELEGRAM	WOUNDED	LETTER	CORRES.	S. R. & D.	CERTIF.	M. & M.	NON-DEL.
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REPORT NOT VERIFIED ____ NO FORM 43 ____ NO CAS. BR. FILE ____ CHECKED BY ____ REVIEWED BY ____

THIS SPACE FOR USE OF MACHINE RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.

ACCT. AREA	CASUALTY STATUS	ORIGINAL CAS. DATE DAY	MO.	YR.	MESSAGE NO.	LATEST CAS. DATE DAY	MO.	YR.	REFERENCE AREA	CREW POS.	RESIDENCE STATE	COUNTY	COMP	RACE
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W.D., A.G.O. FORM NO. 0855
16 JUNE 1944

#165627

JRM:WJ:ih
15 March 1945

SFQBK 201

SUBJECT: Disposal of Pay Records

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

Transmitted herewith for disposal by personnel officers concerned, in accordance with par. 41d(2), AR 345-125 C19, W.D., A.G.O. Forms No. 28, (Soldier's Individual Pay Record) of:

Lenaghan, Robert W.	35528313	S/Sgt.	Air Corps
Leverknight, Karl T.	33575647	Pvt.	Unknown
Lodise, Augustine Martin	33795518	Pvt.	Unknown
Long, James A.	34141751	Sgt.	Med. Det.
Mageau, James L.	11111426	Pvt.	Unknown
Martin, Gilmer E.	15012477	PFC	Infantry
McClelland, Ralph W.	14134645	PFC	Unknown
McDonald, Girard J.	33337595	PFC	Infantry
Meyer, Harold S.	17099280		Unknown
Miazgoski, Thaddeus	32300366	Pvt.	Unknown

For the Effects Quartermaster:

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

10 Incls--W.D., A.G.O. Forms No. 28

To be filed

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

IN REPLY REFER TO: 165627 C

JRM:VC:cms
January 10, 1945

Mr. Charles H. Leverknight
629 Bank Street
Johnstown, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Leverknight:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your son, Private Karl J. Leverknight.

These effects are being forwarded to you in one package.

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

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

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

Yours very truly,

E. L. RICHTER
Administrative Assistant
Army Effects Bureau

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mr. Charles H. Leverknight
629 Bank Street
Johnstown, Pennsylvania

Ship To:

Effects of Pvt. Karl J. Leverknight

Name

ASN 33575647

Case No. 165627-D

Wt.

Ship Via FRANKED G B/L NO.

Date January 8, 1945
Campbell:mas

For Effects Quartermaster

PACKAGES SHIPPED

1 pkg

TOTAL 1 WT.

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

Date Shipped JAN 10 1945

REMARKS:

JAN 8 1945

JAN 13 1945

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

Shipping Clerk

SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY

BOX NUMBER 340

ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES 1

DECEASED / MISSING / P O W / ABANDONED

TALLY NUMBER 5416

INVENTORY DATE 12-27-44

CASE NUMBER 165627 MT

EFFECTS OF Karl T. Leverknight

RANK Pvt.

A.S.N. 33575647

ORGANIZATION Co. B. 307 A/B. Engr. Bn.

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION 1 Package

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

REMARKS: Mother
Mrs Gladys Leverknight
629 Bank St.
Johnston, Penn'a
no correspondence

ATTACHMENTS: 11 FORM #54 2-28. FORM #100

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DEC 30 1944

WAREHOUSE SPACE 2309

STORED BY

INVENTORIED BY Court

CHECKED BY

WEIGHT

DATE SHIPPED JAN 10 1945

- X #43 OR ADDITIONAL 11-Heading.
- GI REMOVED
- SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
- IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
- DIARY REMOVED
- LOCKED STORAGE
- LAUNDRY REMOVED
- FILM REMOVED

11 (7 NOV 44)

REMARKS

SHORTAGES

	U S GOVT. CHECK SHORT
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I certify that the above listed items were not in the contuiners inventoried by me:

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

Eff. OM Form 11 (7 Nov 44)

Sheet ___ of ___ Sheets
Box No. _____

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

Bal 61
Bay 44
Bot 340

Deceased _____
Missing _____
P.O.W. _____
Abandoned _____

SHOWN ON TALLY-IN AS Lauer Knight, K. J. ORIGINAL NO. OF PKGS. _____

TALLY-IN NO. 5416 INVENTORY DATE _____ CASE NO. _____

EFFECTS OF _____ RANK _____

A.S.N. _____ ORG. _____

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION:

With Effects

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AR 600-550)

Leverknight Karl T 33575647
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

late a Pvt Co B 3 07 A/B Engr Bn
(Grade) (Organization or arm or service)

who died on the 6th day of June, 19 44

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

NUMBER	ARTICLES	*PACKAGE NUMBER
2	New Testaments ✓	
1	Packet of Religious Booklets ✓	
~~1~~	~~Paratrooper Wings~~	
1	Snapshot ✓	
~~2~~	~~Pay Books~~ ✓	

*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
1	Souvenir 10 Shilling Note (Counterfeit)
1	½d Coin
	Effects were sent to: 82nd A/B Div QM for delivery to: Effects QM, ETOUSA, APO 871 U. S. Army. Gladys Leverknight - Mother 629 Banks Street, Johnston, Penn'a.

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. Zbinden

A. T. ZBINDEN,
CWO., USA., Pers. Adj.

APO 469 NY (1) NY
(Station)

1 July, 1944
(Date)

*Strike out words not applicable.

Hq SOS 1677

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

VC:mas

Case No. 165627-C

Date 8 January 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

Karl J. Leverknight (Name of deceased), 33575647 (Army Serial Number) late a

Private (Grade), Engineers Corps (Organization, Army or Service) who died

on the 6 day of June, 1944, at France.

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

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City, Mo., pursuant to S.O. 223, Hq., KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

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

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

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

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

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 6 January 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 223, Headquarters, KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of Charles H. Leverknight for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, Charles H. Leverknight (Name of person found entitled) of 629 Bank Street (Number, Street or Avenue), Johnstown (City, Town or Village) State of Pennsylvania, is the Father (Relationship or Capacity) of the above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

W. F. HEHMAN, Major O.M.C.
(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL

Eff. QM Form 75

Date 30 June 1944

SUBJECT: Personal effects of soldier killed in action.

TO : Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, APO 871, U. S. Army.

THRU : Commanding General, 82d Airborne Division, APO 469, U. S. Army.

1. Name. Karl T. Leverknight

2. Grade or rank. Private

3. Army Serial Number. 33575647 ATZ

4. Organization. Co B 307th Airborne Engineer Battalion

5. Status. (KIA, XXXXXXXXXXXXX

6. Date of casualty. 6 June 44

7. Date and disposition of effects. 30 June 44 82nd A/B Div "QM"

8. Bank in United Kingdom in which deceased had an account. None

9. Names of Debtors and Creditors. None

10. Name and address of next of kin. Gladys Leverknight - Mother,
629 Banks Street,
Johnston, Pennsylania.

For the Commanding Officer:

A. T. Zbinden

A. T. ZBINDEN,
CWO., USA., 307 A/B Engr Bn.,
Personnel Adjutant.

1 Incls:
1-WD AGO Form No. 54

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HEADQUARTERS 82D AIRBORNE DIVISION, APO 469, U. S. Army, 16 July 1944

TO: Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, APO 871, U. S. Army.

G. B. B.

1 Incl(x) n/c

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