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293 BIERMAN, ROBERT B. 36753666 T/SGT. ETHIOPIAN AREA (ILL.) (INF.) 45 Jt

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25 January 1949

T/Sgt Robert B. Bierman, ASN 36 753 666
~~Plot G, Row 12, Grave 11~~
Headstone: Cross
Henri-Chapelle U. S. Military Cemetery

Mr. Louis W. Bierman
142 South 16th Avenue
Maywood, Illinois

Dear Mr. Bierman:

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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MAIL ROOM
O.D. H.C. BRANCH

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RRE Form #43
20 Sep 48

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

BM BIERMAN ROBERT B T/SG 36753666
(Last Name) (First Name) (Initial) (Rank) (ASN)

Subject remains have been permanently interred overseas in the United States Military Cemetery HENRI - CHAPELLE

STATION FILE

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G. R. & E. DIV.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER
HQ. COM. ZONE, ETOUSA

TOOTH CHART

16 Feb 45

Date

BIERMAN

Robert

B

Unk

36753666

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

Serial No.

Unk

Unk

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Organization

Wardin Bel P6056

Unk

(Estimated to be 30 Jan 45)

GSW chest

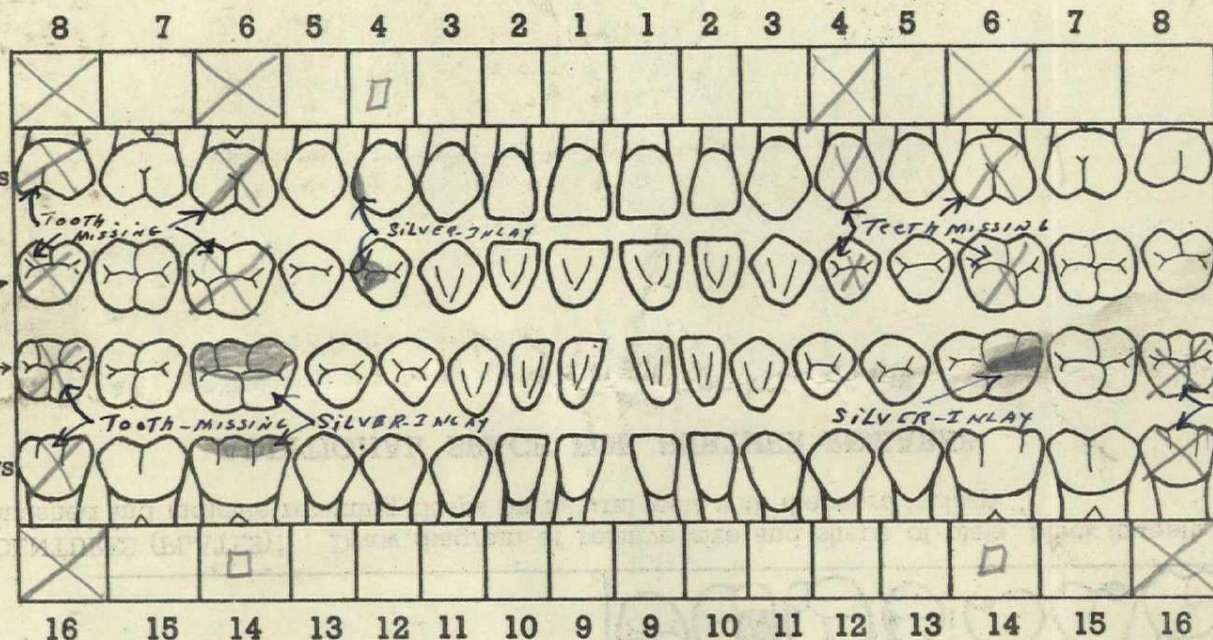
Place of Death

Date of Death

Cause of Death

Right

Left



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WILLIAM E. SAMSON
1st Lt QMC
3043 QMGR CO

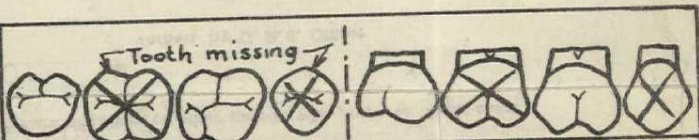
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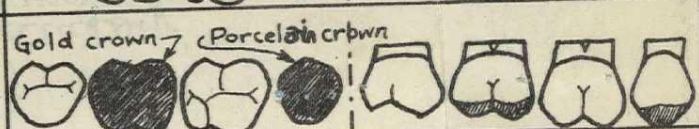
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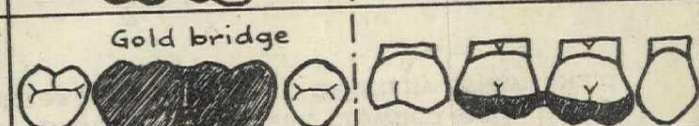
MISSING TEETH... All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be "X" 'd out and labeled, thus :



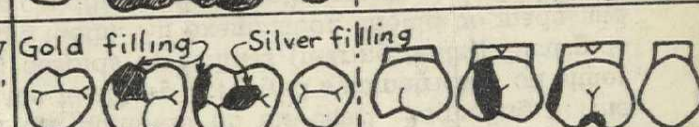
CROWNED TEETH... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus :



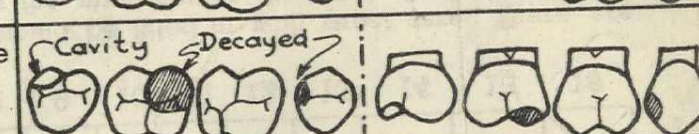
BRIDGE WORK... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :



FILLINGS... Draw filling on tooth as accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :



CARIES (CAVITIES). Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :



DENTURES (PLATES)... Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER REMARKS

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USMC: HENRI-CHAPELLE.		BURIED ON:	
PLOT G: ROW 12: GRAVE 11.		RIGHT: JAMES W. GOLDBOLD, 34864764.	
DATE OF BURIAL: 13 DEC. 48.		DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE	
VERIFIED BY: GRS OFFICER.		LEFT: EARL W. WINEBRENNER, 35733167	
SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER 1225 00233	DATE 15 10 48 DAY MONTH YEAR
NAME BIERMAN ROBERT B	SERIAL NUMBER 36753666	GRADE T SG	ARM 1
CEMETERY FOY BELGIUM	PLOT B	ROW 2	GRAVE 27
SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN		FLAG SENT: 10 DEC. 48.	
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE HENRI-CHAPELLE, BELGIUM		NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN MR. LOUIS W. BIERMAN (FATHER) 142 SOUTH 16TH AVENUE MAYWOOD, ILLINOIS	
SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION			
NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	DATE OF DEATH
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON		ORGANIZATION USAGF	RELIGION
☐ REMAINS ☐ MARKER		IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY	
SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT			
NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS		
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION			
MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.)			
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET			
DATE	BY	EMBALMER (Signature)	
CASKET SEALED BY		SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY	
DATE	BY	SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR	
REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct. MAR 11 1949 R & R BR.			

QMC FORM
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FINAL LETTER SENT 25 JAN 1949 116

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. 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

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DISINTERMENT OPERATIONS RECORD

SECTION A NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER		DATE			
NAME		SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM	RACE	MONTH	YEAR
BIERMAN ROBERT B		36753666	T SG	1			
CEMETERY		PLOT	ROW	GRAVE	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS		
FOY BELGIUM		B	2	27			
					CODE	DIST. CTR.	
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	GRADE	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISTINTERRED		
ROBERT B BIERMAN		36753666	T/SG		2 SEPTEMBER 1948		
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON		ORGANIZATION		RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY		
☒ REMAINS ID ☒ MARKER GRS				P	JOSEPH NOVACK, 2/LT. CE.		
SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT							
NATURE OF BURIAL				CONDITION OF REMAINS			
UNIFORM. MATTRESS COVER.				BODY COMPLETE. ADVANCED STAGE OF DECOMPOSITION.			
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION							
REPORT OF BURIAL FOUND WITH REMAINS LISTING "BIERMAN, ROBERT B. 36753666".							
MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report GMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.)							
NONE							
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET TRANSFER BOX							
DATE		BY		HARRIE D NELSON (EMBALMER)			
13 SEPTEMBER 1948							
CASKET SEALED BY		EMBALMER (Signature)					
LEONARD P. UNDERWOOD, EMBALMER		LEONARD P. UNDERWOOD					
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED		SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY		ALL MARKINGS, PLATES & TAGS VERIFIED BY:			
PETER J. POULOS		PETER J. POULOS					
DATE 15 NOV 48 BY IDENT TECH							
I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.							
EXCEPT CASKETING							
Raymond J Rodriguez							
JOSEPH NOVACK. 2/LT. CE.							
SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR							
REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS							

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26 MAR. 48

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INDICATE RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER ON REVERSE SIDE

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BUDGET BUREAU No. 49-R277.

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

T/Sgt Robert B. Bierman, 36 753 666
Plot B, Row 2, Grave 27
United States Military Cemetery
Foy, Belgium

28 JUN 1948

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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, Louis W. Bierman

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

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

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

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

- ☒ 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS. Les Invalides, Belgium
☐ 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY
(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY) _____
☐ 3. BE RETURNED TO _____, THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
(FOREIGN COUNTRY) (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)
☐ 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
(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.)

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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 4401 NUL 82	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
		TELEPHONE No.

OR

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

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
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.

Louis W. Bierman

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

Louis W. Bierman
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

142 South 16th Avenue

(STREET AND NUMBER)

Maywood, Illinois

(CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 9th day of July,

19 48, at city (or town) of Oak Park, county of Cook, and State (or Territory or District) of Illinois

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

Betty Fridlund

(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)

Notary Public

(OFFICIAL TITLE)

My commission expires 8-4-49

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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.

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

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

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

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



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

In Reply Refer To RR Br: QMGM 293 Bierman, Robert B., T/Sgt., 36 753 666
Plot B, Row 2, Grave 27
United States Military Cemetery
Foy, Belgium

IMPORTANT
Address reply and envelope to:
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Do NOT include the name of the
official who signed the com-
munication.

PRIORITY

28 JUN 1948

Miss Janet Neel, Home Service Director
Midwestern Area, American Red Cross
1709 Washington Avenue
Saint Louis 3, Missouri

Dear Miss Neel:

The Next of Kin of the above captioned deceased father

Mr. Louis W. Bierman	142 South 16th Street	(relationship)
(name)	(address)	Maywood, Illinois

has failed to return a Form 345 indicating disposition instructions for the
remains. The form was dispatched 5 January 1948.

It is respectfully requested that the attached QMGM Form 345 be properly
accomplished by the Next of Kin and legal documents obtained through assistance
of your representative if appropriate, be furnished this office. In the event
you are unable to secure disposition instructions from the Next of Kin, it is
further requested that a statement of the action taken by your representative
be furnished this office for use as a basis for final disposition of remains of
the decedent.

It is recommended that in contact with the Next of Kin mentioned above,
they first be queried as to whether or not they have submitted the appropriate
form, as it may have been mailed to this office since receipt by you of this
request.

Sincerely yours,

JOHN O. HYATT
Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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

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T/Sgt Robert B. Bierman, 36 753 666
Plot B, Row 2, Grave 27,
United States Military Cemetery
Foy, Belgium

5 January 1948

Mr. Louis W. Bierman
142 South 16th Street
Maywood, Illinois

Dear Mr. Bierman:

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

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

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

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

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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G.R.C. sent 28 June 48

J.S.M.

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AGYG 293
Bierman, Robert B.

36 753 666

15 July 1946

Mr. Louis W. Bierman
142 South 16th Street
Maywood, Illinois

Dear Mr. Bierman:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your son, the late Technical Sergeant Robert B. Bierman, A.S.N. 36 753 666.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery Foy, plot B, row 2, grave 27.

This cemetery is located four miles north of Bastogne, Belgium, 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 your feasible wishes 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 you with full information and solicit your 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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REPORT OF BURIAL
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: Estimated

Height: 5'11" Laundry Marks: Yes
Weight: Unk Number of Ribs: Unk
Color of Eyes: Unk Wear Glasses: Unk
Color of Hair: Blonde Is Tooth Chart Attached? Yes
Race: White

(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.

Deceased has small straight nose, square chin, rather high cheek bones, and high forehead. No. 1 right tooth broken starting half way up along side next to No. 1 upper left and ending at the cutting edge next to upper right No. 2. Deceased has fair complexion, medium build, and is approximately 25 years old.

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

Face is badly disfigured making further description or photograph impossible.

Clothing found on body:

OD shirt (15 1/2 x 33)
OD trousers (32 x 33)
OD wool socks (12 x)
White wool drawers (32) marked "J-5484"
OD wool undershirt (36) marked "J-5484"
Wool sweater (Large)
Field jacket (38-L)

TOOTH CHART

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.

No Shoes: Estimated size 11-12

Deceased's Left													
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6
Indicate: missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □; Bridges by ◊; linking anchor teeth; replacements by artificial teeth X													
Upper													
Lower													

Characteristics:

Other Data:

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G. R. & E. DIV.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER
HQ. COM. ZONE, ETOUSA

TOOTH CHART

293

16 Feb 45

Date

BIERMAN

Robert

B

Unk

36753666

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

Serial No.

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MapGS GS 4042 Sheet 6

Wardin Bel P6056

Unk (Estimated to be 30 Jan 45)

Organization

GSW chest

Place of Death

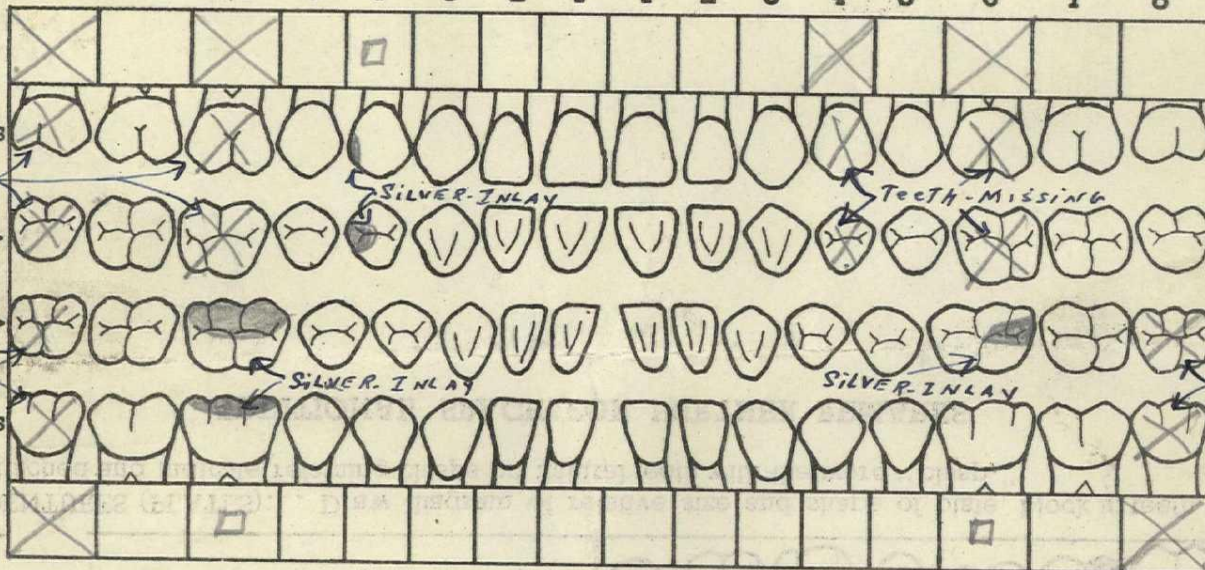
Date of Death

Cause of Death

Right

Left

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WILLIAM E. SAMSON
1st Lt QMC
3043 QMGR CO

Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

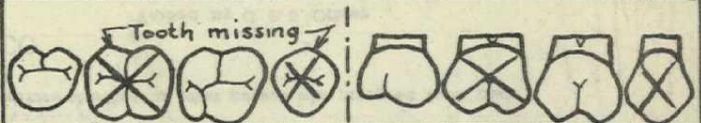
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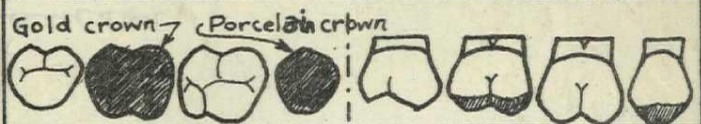
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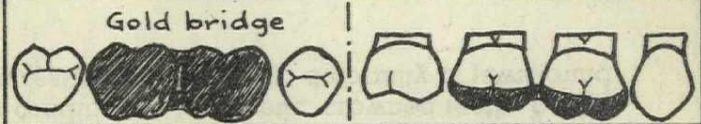
MISSING TEETH... All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be "X"'d out and labeled, thus :



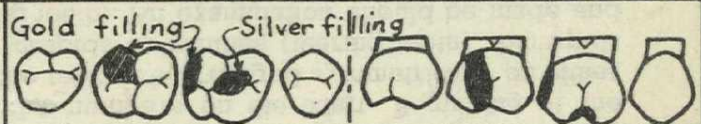
CROWNED TEETH... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus :



BRIDGE WORK... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :



FILLINGS... Draw filling on tooth as accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :

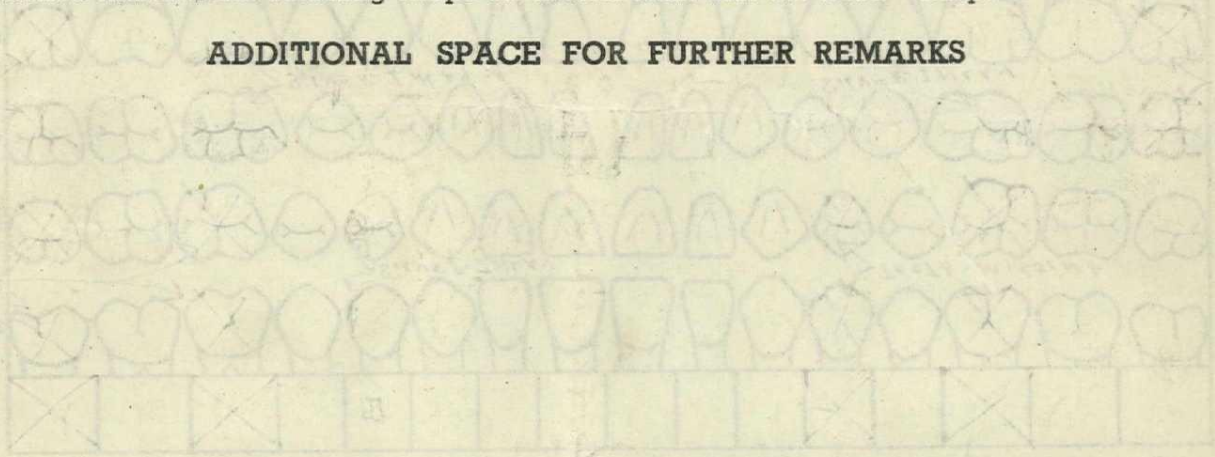


CARIES (CAVITIES). Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :



DENTURES (PLATES)... Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER REMARKS



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

Robert B. Berman

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 2 Feb 1945

FULL NAME Bierman, Robert B.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER Imp 4627 36 753 666		T/Sgt									
HOME ADDRESS Maywood, Illinois		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry		DATE OF BIRTH 17 Nov 1924									
PLACE OF DEATH European Area		CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 30 Dec 1944									
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 14 Jun 1943		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS									
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Alma Bierman, Mother, 142 16th St., Maywood, Ill.													
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Alma Bierman, Mother, 142 16th St., Maywood, Ill. Louis William Bierman, Father, 142 S. 16th St., Maywood, Ill.													
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

☒ BATTLE ☐ NON-BATTLE

*Combat Infantryman, source and date of order will be furnished when received.

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 30 Dec 1944 until such absence was terminated on 28 Jan 1945, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from the Commanding General in the European Area.

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

WD AGO FORM 52-1
1 DECEMBER 1944

THIS FORM SUPERSEDES WD AGO FORM 52-1, 29 MAY 1944, WHICH STOCKS ARE EXHAUSTED.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

James A. Pinkhart

ADJUTANT GENERAL

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293 Bierman, Robert B. T/Sgt.

Bt

36 753 666

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ATTACHMENTS		EFFECTS INVENTORY		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		STATUS	
☒	INBOUND INVENTORY					☐	DECEASED
☒	G. R. OR SUB GR LABEL					☐	MISSING
☒	WILL OR POWER OF ATTY.					☐	P. O. W.
☒	TALLY IN FORM 43					☐	ABANDONED
						☒	UNKNOWN
☒	BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL	☐	BELT	☐	OVERCOATS		
☒	BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	☐	BOOKS, ADDRESS	☐	PAPERS, PERSONAL		
☐	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)	☐	BOOKS, PILOT LOG	☐	PENCIL, MECHANICAL		
☐	BOOKS	☐	BRUSHES	☐	PEN, FOUNTAIN		
☐	BRACELET, IDENT.	☐	CASE	☐	PHOTOS		
☐	CAMERAS	☐	CLOTH, WASH	☐	PIPES		
☐	CLOTHING	☐	COATS	☐	RINGS		
☒	MISC. ARTICLES	☐	FOOTLOCKER	☐	SCARFS		
☐	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	☐	FOOTWEAR, PR.	☐	SHIRTS		
☒	RIBBONS, DECORATION	☐	GLASSES	☐	SOCKS, PR.		
☐	SHORT SNORTER	☐	GLOVES, PR.	☐	STATIONERY		
☐	SOUVENIR MONEY	☐	HANDKERCHIEFS	☐	TIES		
☐	SOUVENIRS	☐	HEADWEAR	☐	TOBACCO		
☐	TESTAMENTS	☐	JACKETS	☐	TOILET ARTICLES		
☐	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	☐	KITS	☐	TOWELS		
☐	U. S. MONEY (AMOUNT)	☐	KNIVES	☐	TROUSERS, PR.		
☐	WATCH	☐	LETTERS	☐	TRUNKS, PR.		
☐	WINGS	☐	LIGHTERS	☐	UNDERWEAR		
CONTAINERS ADDRESSED TO				INFORMATION			
Mrs. Alma Bierman 142 S 16 th Ave. Maywood Ill.				Molter - Mrs. Alma Bierman 142 S. 16 th Ave Maywood Ill.			
NAME AND STATUS VARIATIONS				CROSS REFERENCE			
CHECK		REC'D BY	NUMBER	BUREAU CHECK			
MONEY ORDER				TRANSMIT ORIGINAL			
BOND			SYMBOL	ORIG. REG. MAIL			
TRAV. CHECK			AMOUNT	TO G. A. O.			
FOREIGN CURRENCY				MUTILATED			
U. S. CURRENCY				TO ISSUING AGENCY			
			DATE				
			BANK OR PLACE OF ISSUE				
			PAYEE				
			REMITTER OR DRAWER				
TALLY NO.	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS.	EXAMINING DATE	BOX NO.	SHEET	OF SHEETS		
171	1	8 Aug 45	31				
NAME			A. S. N.				
Robert B. Bierman			2675-3666				
ORGANIZATION			RANK		CASE NO.		
Co. G. 134 th Inf.			T. Sgt.		381,022		
WAREHOUSE SPACE		EXAMINED BY	DIARY REMOVED				
1/34		Gibler	PHOTO FILM REMOVED				
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION		PACKED BY	MOTION PICTURE FILM REMOVED				
#1 pkg.		Dauch	SHIPPED				
WEIGHT		INSPECTED BY	DATE		BY WHOM		
		M	AUG 25 1945		MK		
		STORED BY					

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS

REMOVALS (other than G.I.)

DAMAGES (List type of damage-extent)

SHORTAGES

U. S. GOV'T CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

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

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

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NAME BIERMAN, ROBERT B. T/SGT 3666

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
	4	31	77
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
PEB Eff. QM Form 43			

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INVENTORY FORM

13 February 1945
(Date)

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of BIERMAN
ROBERT B Technical Sergeant (Last Name) 36753666
(First Name) (MI) (Rank) (ASN)
TO: Effects Quartermaster Communication Zone, APO# 887, US Army.

The above named individual of Company G 134th Infantry
(Unit) (Organization)
was reported Killed in Action about 30 December 1944
(Status)
Designated Beneficiary if information readily accessible Mrs. Alma Bierman (mother)
142 S. 16th Ave., Maywood, Ill.

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

1-Money belt ✓
1-ETO Ribbon ✓
1-Expert Infantry Badge ✓
1-Address Book ✓
Misc photographs ✓

WRG

Money in the amount of None has been turned in to _____
_____ of Finance
Form No. _____ enclosed
Officer and (label number) _____

(Names and addresses of any Banks in which accounts may be carried) _____

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects, secured by me, of
the above named individual and that they were forwarded to the Effects Depot by
Truck on 22 March 1945 194
(M. L., Truck Etc.)

Dist. _____ Name Albert B. Osborne
3. _____ Rank & ASN Captain, O-369355
1. _____ Organization 134th Infantry
1. _____
1. _____
1. _____

Any Additional pertinent information:

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BIRNAN, ROBERT B.

36753666

T/ST

DECEASED

TIF. 43⁰ . P.E.B.

N.I. DATE ⁷ MAY 45

T/O PD 18⁵⁸ - A

K. C.

381,022

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BERMAN Robert B

36753666

Unk

TIF 214 PEB

N.I.Date 27/ 3/45

T/O FD I319

K C

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mr. Louis W. Bierman

Effects of:
Name

142 S. 16th Street

ASN

T/Sgt. Robert B. Bierman

Maywood, Illinois

Case No.

36753666

Wt.

381022 D

DATE

21 August 1945

RTB:WA:am

E. C. Crabb
F. : Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check

Acct. No. _____

Amount _____

Inclose "Valuables" item

Ship "Valuables" item (s)

Remove G.I.

Note discrepancy in _____

Films removed

Diary removed

Laundry removed

ROUTING:

Accounting Branch

1 Warehouse Division

2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

Franked

Est. Exp. Chgs. _____

Est. Frt. Chgs. _____

No. of packages 1

M.K.
Shipping Clerk

Eff. QM Form 14 (26 Dec 44)

AUG 25 1945

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

RTB:WA:am
August 21, 1945

381022

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

Mr. Louis W. Bierman
142 S. 16th Street
Maywood, Illinois

Dear Mr. Bierman:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your son, Technical Sergeant Robert B. Bierman.

These effects, contained in one package, are being forwarded to you. If delivery is not made within thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer action may be instituted.

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

Sincerely yours,

P. L. KOOB
1st Lt., QMC
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Unit

F3
Me

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BIERMAN, Robert B.

T/Sgt. — 36753666

Co. G — 134th Inf.
A.P.O. 35 C/O P.M. N.Y. N.Y.

MRS. ALMA BIERMAN

142 S. 16th Ave.,
MAYWOOD, ILL.

KIA

30 Dec. '44

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BIERMAN ROBERT B.

36753666 Geo.

KIA

WRG

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mr. Louis W. Bierman

Effects of:

142 S. 16th Street

Name T/Sgt. Robert B. Bierman Maywood, Illinois

ASN 36753666

Case No. 381022 D

Wt.

DATE 25 July 1945

RTB:WA:maw

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check.

Acct. No. _____

Amount _____

Inclose "Valuables" item

Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove C.I.

Note discrepancy in _____

Films removed

Diary removed

Laundry removed

ROUTING:

Accounting Branch

1 Warehouse Division

2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

Franked **FRANKED**

Est. Exp. Chgs. _____

Est. Prc. Chgs. _____

No. of packages _____

JUL 30 1945

B.T.
Shipping Clerk

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381022

RTB:WA:am
July 25, 1945

Mr. Louis W. Bierman
142 S. 16th Street
Maywood, Illinois

Dear Mr. Bierman:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your son, Technical Sergeant Robert B. Bierman

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,

P. L. KOOB
1st. Lt., QMC
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Unit

IN REPLY REFER TO

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 11, MISSOURI



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JRM:WAMW

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

Case No. 361022
Date 25 July 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of

Robert B. Bierman 36753666 late a
(Name of Decedent) (Army Serial Number)
T/Sgt. Infantry who died
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)
on the 30 day of December, 1944, at European Area

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

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

a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedent's 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 23 July 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228. Headquarters KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of Louis W. Bierman 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, Louis W. Bierman of
(Name of person found entitled)
142 16th Street Maywood State of
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)
Illinois Father
is the (Relationship or Capacity) of the

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

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

JOHN R. MURPHY, Colonel, QMC

(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL

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PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY

DECEASED ☒MISSING ☐P.O.W. ☐ABANDONED ☐TALLY
NO. 9447

INV.

DATE 10 July 45

ORIG. NO.

OF PGS. 1

BOX

NO. 9

SHEET 1

OF 1 SHEETS

ORGANIZATION

NAME ROBERT B. BIERMAN

U.S. NO. 34753666 RANK

Belt

BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)

Cloth, Wash

Coats

Footwear, Pr.

Gloves, Pr.

Handkerchiefs

Headwear

Jackets

Overcoats

Scarfs

Shirts

Socks, Pr.

Ties

Towels

Trousers, Pr.

Trunks, Pr.

Underwear

TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS

CLOTHING

BRACELET IDENT.

Brushes

CAMERAS

Glasses

Knives

Lighters

X MISG.

Pen, Fountain

Pencil, Mechanical

Pipes

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

RIBBONS, DECORATION

Rings

Tobacco

Toilet Articles

WATCH

WINGS

BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL

BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY)

Case

Footlocker

KIT, SEW, TLT, OR WRITING

BOOKS

Books, Address

Books, Pilot Log

DIARY (REMOVED FOR DUR)

FILMS

Letters

Papers, Personal

Photos

Shoe Shine Articles

SHORT SHORTER

SOUVENIRS

X SOUVENIR MONEY

Stationery

TESTAMENTS

U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

REMARKS

Mrs Alina Bierman
142 South 16th. st.
Maywood, Ill.

ATTACHMENTS

FORM #51

FORM #100

1-Inventory
1-P.R. Label

C.A.T. Now.

BPT

WAREHOUSE SPACE

1899

STORED BY

MW

INVENTORIED BY

Bain

PACKED BY

U. M. - Carty

CHECKED BY

MW

WEIGHT

G.I. REMOVED

SHORTAGE
ON REVERSEIDENT. TAGS
REMOVEDDIARY
REMOVED

DATE SHIPPED

JUL 30 1945

LOCKED
STORAGELAUNDRY
REMOVEDWAS OR
ADDITIONAL

FILM REMOVED

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

U. S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

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

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED

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Serial No. 36753666 *one tag* Name BIERMAN ROBERT
Grade unk Rank unk
Organization unk
Address unk
Nearest Relative unk
Address unk
Killed in Action yes Died of Disease unk
Date unk Hospital unk
Battle Area unk Information unk
Place of Burial US, Mal Camp #1
Point of Coordination Foy Bel
Description of Body unk
Members Missing unk

Signed

Ths Joseph Gair

B-2-27

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La Rue - Kansas City - 3-26-45-SOM

NAME **BIERMAN, ROBERT B.** --- 3666

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
	5	9	9447
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
GRB			

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ROBERT B BIERMAN
36753666 T43 44 A
MS ALMA BIERMAN
142 S 16TH ST
MAYWOOD ILL

RESTRICTED
INVENTORY OF PERSONAL EFFECTS
US Mil. Cem. No.1 Foy, Belgium

16 Feb 45
Date

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of:

BIERMAN	Robert	B	Unk	36753666
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(MI)	(Rank)	(ASN)
TO: Effects Quartermaster, Communications Zone, APO	887	US Army		
The above named individual of	Unk	(Unit)	Unk	
was reported	deceased	(Status-Killed, MIA, Hospitalized, etc.)	about 30 Jan 1945	5
Designated Beneficiary if information readily accessible			(Date)	
Ms Alma Bierman 142 S 16th St., Maywood, Ill.				

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

- 1 Polo cig. lighter ✓
- 1 Brown leather purse ✓
- 23 Souvenir coins ✓
- 1 Souvenir French pin (D.R.A.C.) ✓
- No currency

27-2-B

Money in the amount of NONE has been turned into
and symbol number) Form WDFD 38 enclosed. (Name of Finance Officer

Names and addresses of any Banks in which accounts may be carried.

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects, secured by
me, of the above named individual and that they ~~were~~ forwarded to the Effects
Depot by truck on will be 1 Mar 45.
(Rail, Truck, etc.) (Date)

Name W E Samson

Rank & ASN WILLIAM E SAMSON
1st Lt OMC

Any additional pertinent information:

Organization 3043 OMGR CO

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