

293 BUTTERWORTH, WILLIAM H., JR. (34 349 784) Pvt. (INF.) EUROPEAN AREA (MISS.) '44

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE									
Interred 3 February 1949 E-17-40 USMC. St. Laurent C.H. HIEMSTRA 1/LT Inf, interring Officer									
SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED					DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3539 00556		DATE 15 06 48 DAY MONTH YEAR		
NAME BUTTERWORTH W H JR					SERIAL NUMBER 34349784		RANK PVT		ARM 1
CEMETERY LA CAMBE - ISIGNY					DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 1 3505 80 CODE DIST. PT.		DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR		
PLOT OF COMRADES L 10 196 FRANCE					CAUSE OF DEATH 1				
SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN									
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. LAURENT, FRANCE					NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN MR. WILLIAM H. BUTTERWORTH (FATHER) GENERAL DELIVERY GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI Flag sent 10 FEB 1949				
SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION									
NAME Butterworth, William H.		SERIAL NUMBER 34349784		RANK UTD		DATE OF DEATH 27 October 1947		DATE DISTINTERRED	
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON ☒ REMAINS ☒ MARKER		ORGANIZATION USAGF		RELIGION Prot.		IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY R. G. DAVIS 2d Lt, S/A		NAME AND TITLE	
SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT									
NATURE OF BURIAL Mattress cover, od uniform.					CONDITION OF REMAINS Advanced decomposition.				
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION None.									
MINOR DISCREPANCIES None.									
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET DATE 4 November 1947 BY John A. Brickley									
CASKET SEALED BY John A. Brickley					EMBALMER (Signature)				
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED					SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY JAMES A. HOOVLER, 1st Lt, Inf.				
I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.									
Copies of the entries on this form are true interment Directive which contains the signature of the persons whose names are listed above JAMES A. HOOVLER, 1st Lt, Inf. SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR									
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.									
GMC FORM REV 15 MAR 46 1194 FINAL LETTER SENT 18 APR 1949									

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM USMC La Cambe	TO Casketing Point B, St. Laurent		
KIND OF CONVEYANCE Truck	NAME OF CONVOYER Cpl Joseph L. Gainey		
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER W. T. DAILEY, Capt, QMC	DATE 4 Nov 47	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER H. F. HILL, Capt, QMC	DATE 4 Nov 47

2. SHIPPED

FROM JOHN V. BLOKLEY	TO		
KIND OF CONVEYANCE CYRKEI SEATED BA	NAME OF CONVOYER		
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER [Signature]	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 used decomposition

FROM	TO		
KIND OF CONVEYANCE ☒ WYKES	NAME OF CONVOYER		
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER [Signature]	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER [Signature]	DATE

5. SHIPPED

FROM	TO		
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER		
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER ST. GUYBERT, EVANCE	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER [Signature]	DATE

6. SHIPPED next of kin

FROM [Signature]	TO		
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER		
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER [Signature]	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER [Signature]	DATE

7. SHIPPED

FROM	TO		
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER		
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER [Signature]	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER [Signature]	DATE

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Butterworth, W. H., Jr.
SN 34 349 784

18 October 1950

Mr. William H. Butterworth
General Delivery
Gulfport, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Butterworth:

May I refer to our letter dated 18 April 1949 concerning the remains of your son, the late Private W. H. Butterworth, Jr.

I am greatly disturbed to find that in the upper right hand corner of our letter, your son's rank was listed as Private First Class instead of Private.

It is of the utmost concern that correspondence to the families of our honored dead be absolutely accurate and it is sincerely regretted that this error was made.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES B. CLEARWATER
Colonel, QMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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18 April 1949

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Pfc. W. H. Butterworth, Jr., ASN 34 349 784
Plot E, Row 17, Grave 40
Headstone: CROSS
St. Laurent (France) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mr. William H. Butterworth
General Delivery
Gulfport, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Butterworth:

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. FELDMAN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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MEMORIAL DIVISION
REPATRIATION BRANCH
RECORDS SECTION

293 Butterworth, Jr., William H.

Date 15 November 1949

Pvt -- 34 349 784

SUBJECT: Correct Name, Rank and Serial Number of Decedent.

1. The official spelling of name, the rank and the serial number of Army World War II Decedents is determined by the Adjutant General's Office.

2. The name, rank and serial number of subject decedent has been verified with the Adjutant General's Office this date to be correct as shown below:

NAME: Butterworth, Jr., William H.

RANK: Pvt

ASN: 34 349 784

3. Paragraph #6, Memorial Division, Information Bulletin #11, dated 20 May 1949, Subject: "Minor Changes in Name, World War II Decedents", is quoted below for information.

"Memorial Division records pertaining to a decedent for whom a minor change in name is made as herein provided will be maintained under the official name of the decedent, as shown on AGO or similar records. However, in all subsequent correspondence with the next of kin, including final grave location letter, the spelling desired by the next of kin will be used."

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RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE NOV 15 1949
NAME H. Bond
R & R BR.

W. H. Arrowsmith
W. H. ARROWSMITH
Chief, Resolution Section

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BUDGET BUREAU No. 49-R277.

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

Pfc. William H. Butterworth Jr., 34 349 784
Plot L, Row 10, Grave 196,
United States Military Cemetery
La Cambe, France

31 March 1948

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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

Mr. William H. Butterworth

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

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

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

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 _____, 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.)

none Coded 6-3-48

Jr. Williams

R. H. W.

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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
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.

William H. Butterworth General Delivery,
(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) (STREET AND NUMBER)
Mr. William H. Butterworth Gulfport, Miss.
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 8th day of May,
1948 at city (or town) of Paragoula, county of Jackson, and State (or Territory or
District) of Mississippi.

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

VERTIS G. RAMSAY
CIRCUIT CLERK
JACKSON COUNTY, MISS.
My Commission Expires Jan. 1, 1952

Vertis G. Ramsay
(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)

(OFFICIAL TITLE)

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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)
_____ (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

_____ (SIGNATURE)	_____ (DATE)
_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	_____ (STREET AND NUMBER)
_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	_____ (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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Repatriation Records Branch
Disinterment Locator Section
Office of the Quartermaster General
Department of the Army
Washington 25, D.C.

DATE: . May 21, 1948

FROM: (Miss) Edna Mattox

293) Butterworth, William H., Jr., Pfc.
34 349 784
SUBJECT: Plot L, Row 10, Grave 196
U.S. Military Cemetery
La Cambe, France

Next of Kin: Mr. William H. Butterworth
Old Address: 609 18th St., Pasca Goula, Miss.
New Address:

Your Reference: QMGMR 293

In compliance with your request of 31 March 1948 for an investigation in connection with the disposition of the remains of this deceased serviceman, we submit the following information:

1. OQMG Form 345 ☒ has been submitted by Mr. W.H. Butterworth Father
(Name) (Relationship)
☐ will be submitted on 20 May 1948
(date)

2. Remarks:

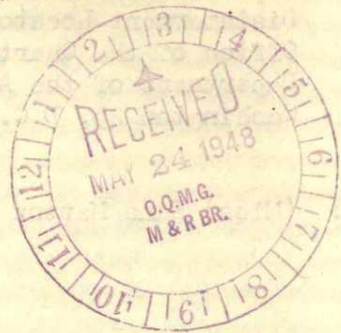
Edna Mattox

(Miss) Edna Mattox
Director, Home Service
Southeastern Area

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Row 10, Grave 196
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THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

MIDWESTERN AREA
1709 WASHINGTON AVENUE
ST. LOUIS 3, MISSOURI
April 2, 1948

Memorial Division
Department of the Army
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

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Re: William H. Butterworth, Jr., Pfc.
34 349 784
Father, William H. Butterworth
609 Eighteenth Street
Pasca Goula, Mississippi

Your request of March 31 has been referred to Miss Edna Mattox, Director, Home Service, Southeastern Area, since it calls for an investigation in Mississippi.

Very truly yours,

Janet Neel
(Miss) Janet Neel
Director, Home Service
Midwestern Area

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THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

MIDWESTERN AREA
1900 WASHINGTON AVENUE
ST. LOUIS 3, MISSOURI
April 6, 1948

Memorial Division
Department of the Army
Office of the Adjutant General
Washington 25, D.C.



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

In Reply Refer To RR Br: QMGR 293 Butterworth, William H., Jr., Pfc, 34 349 784
Plot L, Row 10, Grave 196
United States Military Cemetery
La Cambe, France

31 March 1948

P R I O R I T Y

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

Dear Miss Neal:

The Next of Kin of the above captioned deceased father
(relationship)
Mr. William H. Butterworth 609 18th Street Pasco Goula, Mississippi
(name) (address)
has failed to return a Form 345 indicating disposition instructions for the remains.

It is respectfully requested that the attached QMGR 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, QMG
Memorial Division

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Pvt. William H. Butterworth, Jr., 34 349 784
Plot L, Row 10, Grave 196,
United States Military Cemetery
La Caze, France

3 December 1947

Mr. William H. Butterworth
609 18th Street
Pascagoula, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Butterworth:

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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MSR **ROUTING SLIP** **28 Nov 47**

TO	ACTION TAKEN	INITIALS	DATE
IDENTIFICATION	<i>23 Buttherworth, Wm. H.</i>	<i>AB</i>	<i>11/21/47</i>
SPECIAL CHECKERS			
CORRESPONDENCE SECTION	L.O.I. SENT 3 DEC 1947	<i>AB</i>	<i>11/21/47</i>
CORRESPONDENCE SUB-SECTION			
CONTROL (In)			
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<i>✓ MC</i>	<i>Machine Section</i>		
ACTION REQUIRED	REMARKS		
NAME	<i>Lo9 sent to factory AB</i>		
RANK			
ASN	<i>Ins</i>		
ORGANIZATION			
ITEM #1			
ITEM #2	<i>File</i>		
ITEM #4	<i>12-3-47</i>		
ITEM #5 AND 6			
ITEM #7			
ITEM #8			
ITEM #9			
SUSPENSE			
<i>✓ Attch:</i>	<i>Mr. Snowden</i>		
	<i>Send new LO9</i>		

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E. Brown

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

23 SEP 1947

In Reply Refer To: QMGM 293
Butterworth, William H. Jr. SN: 34 349 784

Date of Birth 4 December 1920

SUBJECT: Request for information re next of kin of above named deceased serviceman of World War II.

TO : Director, Dependents and Beneficiaries Claims Service
Veterans Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

For use in determination of final disposition of remains of the above identified deceased serviceman, it is requested that appropriate information be entered on the lower portion of this letter and that one copy of the completed letter be returned to this office.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

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Pool Rogers

POOLE ROGERS, Captain, QMC

Memorial Division

Date 10-10-47

Veteran's

Name William H. Butterworth Jr.

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Information in the VA case file indicates that the deceased serviceman was survived by the relatives listed below.

NOTE - A. Identify two persons in the following order or preference:

1. Widow
2. Male children over 21 years
3. Female children over 21 years
4. Father

B. If parent is listed, state whether natural, step-, adoptive or foster parent.

C. If no information is available concerning any surviving relatives, state "None".

Relationship	Name	Address
Wife	Lela V.	941 North St.
(If none, state "None")	Gallweiler	Allentown, Penn.
Has she remarried?	yes	If so, is proof of remarriage on file? yes
Father	William H. Butterworth Sr.	609 18th St. Pascagoula, Miss

S. P. Hoken

DIRECTOR
CLAIMS SERVICE

(Address) 1114 Commercial

Dallas, Texas

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POOLE ROGERS, Captain, QMC

Memorial Division

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Veteran's
Name _____

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Relationship :	Name :	Address
WELC		
(If none, state "None")		

Has she remarried? _____ If so, is proof of remarriage on file? _____

DIRECTOR
CLAIMS SERVICE
(Address) _____



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

Att. to go. ltr

IN REPLY REFER TO BURIAL OF

Pfc. William H. Butterworth, Jr., 34 349 784
Plot L, Row 10, Grave 196,
United States Military Cemetery
La Cambe, France

31 July 1947

Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth
Rural Free Delivery A
Perkinston, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

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Sincerely,

Thomas B. Larkin

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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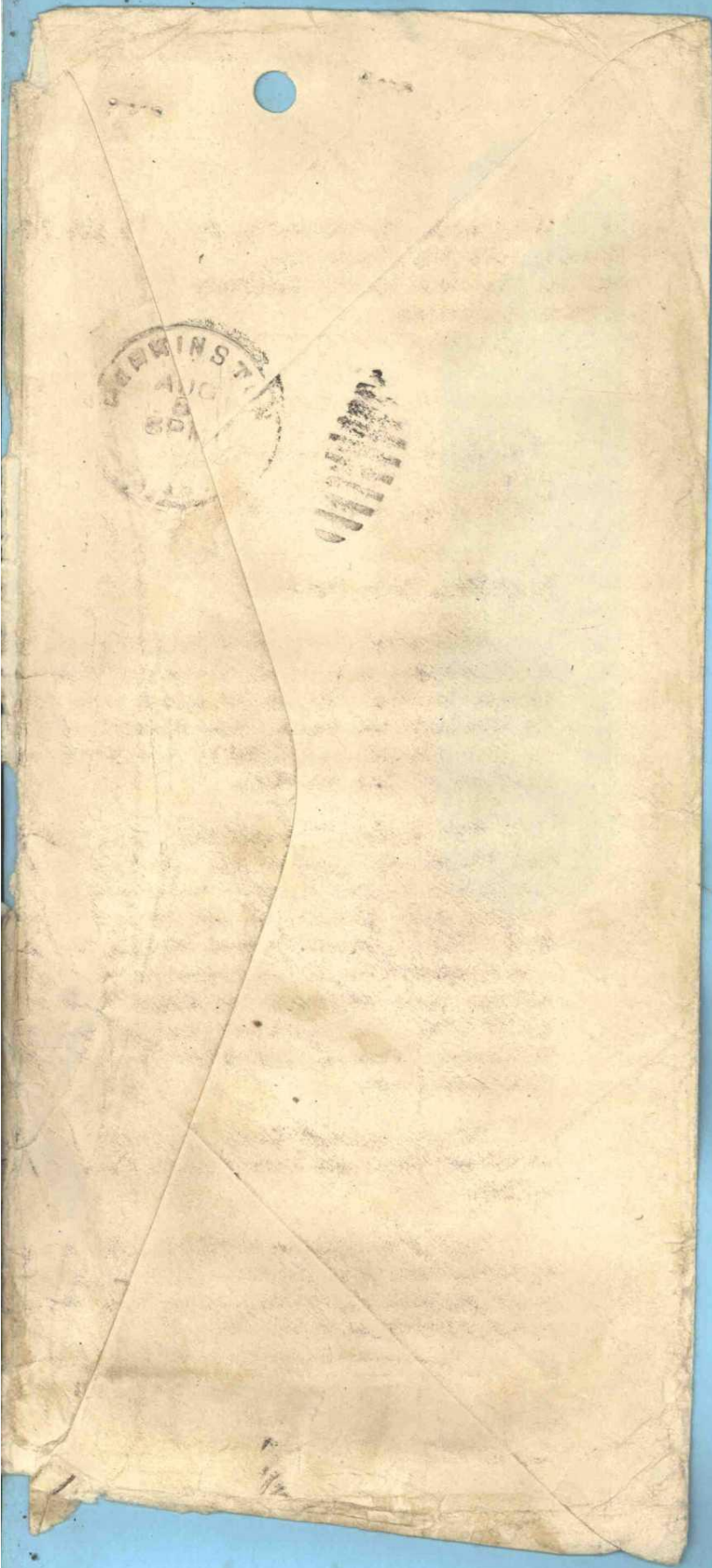
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fc
Pfc. William H. Butterworth, Jr., 34 349 784
Plot L, Row 10, Grave 196,
United States Military Cemetery
La Cambe, France

31 July 1947

ju
Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth
Rural Free Delivery A
Perkinston, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

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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QMGYG 293
Butterworth, William H., Jr.
SN 34 349 784

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

22 October 1946

Mrs. William H. Butterworth, Sr.
Route A
Wiggins, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

Reference is made to your letter of 10 April 1945 in which you stated your son's widow had remarried.

In order that the records of this office may be amended to show the father, Mr. William H. Butterworth, Sr., the person authorized to direct final disposition of your son's remains, it will be necessary that you forward to this office a certified copy of the marriage certificate at your earliest convenience.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

THOMAS F. LEWIN
Captain, QMG
Assistant

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MEMORIAL DIVISION
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RECORDS BRANCH

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HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

	NAME OR TITLE	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	INITIALS
1	EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		DATE
	KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI			
2	193 Butterworth, Wm. A. Jr.			
3	34,349,784			vs

For necessary action.

PIERCE

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Orig. fwd. to K. C. by this office, CTR

2- Incl.
Cy ltr dated 7 Jun 45
Cy ltr dated 10 Apr 45

FROM:	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
	mlh			7 Jun 45
MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION BRANCH, TEMPO "C" WASHINGTON 25, D. C.				TELEPHONE

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SPQYG 293

Butterworth, William H., Jr
S.N. 34,349,784

7 June 1945

Administrator, Veterans Affairs
300 Indiana Avenue, NW
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

The inclosed copy of letter from Mrs. William Horace Butterworth, Sr., regarding the insurance of her son, the late Private William H. Butterworth, Jr., is forwarded to your office for necessary action.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

MAYO A. DARLING
Lt Colonel, QMC
Assistant

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2 Incls.

Cy ltr dated 10 Apr 45

Cy ltr dated 7 Jun 45.

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SPQYG 293

Butterworth, William H., Jr
S.N. 34,349,784

7 June 1945

Mrs. William Horace Butterworth, Sr.
Route A
Wiggins, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

Your letter addressed to the War Department has been referred to this office for reply regarding the personal effects and insurance of your son, the late Private William H. Butterworth, Jr.

A copy of your letter has been forwarded to each of the following for a direct reply:

Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, relative to the personal effects; Administrator of Veterans Affairs, 300 Indiana Avenue, NW, Washington, D. C., regarding the insurance.

The official report of interment received in this office reveals that the remains of your son were interred in the United States Military Cemetery, La Cambe, France, Plot L, Row 10, Grave 196.

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

MAYO A. DARLING
Lt Colonel, QMC
Assistant

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5-17-45

Wiggins Miss
April 10, 1945
War Department

Dear sir

I am writing you concerning
p.v.t. William Horace Butlerworth
gr. no. 34349784. if there
is any thing that belong to
him will you please send
it to me as his wife has
married again & has left
here she married another
soldier William was reported
killed July 15, 1944. & she
married March 30th 1945
and also is there any way
of stoping her from getting
this Insurance after she has
married another man if so
please let me know at once

your Truly

Mrs. ^{William} Horace Butlerworth
Sr.

Copy furnished
OSSA

Route A
Wiggins
Miss

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

RESTRICTED
REPORT OF BURIAL
TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

20 July 1944

19001
Date
SEP 29 1944

Butterworth, Wm H. Jr Pfc 34349784
Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.
Unit Unknown 134 Inf Regt Organization
St. Lo Area Est. 13 July 1944 KIA
Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death
0950 Hrs. 20 July 1944, LaCambe Cem. La Cambe, France
Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location
196 10 L Stake
Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

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

If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

What means of identification were buried with the body?

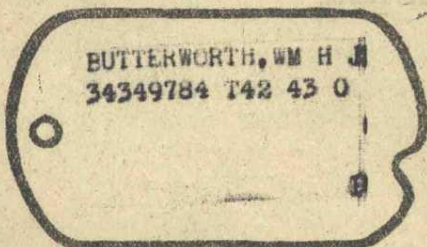
To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on:

Deceased's Right: Savino, N. 31358538 197
Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.
Deceased's Left: Martinez, S. 38349430 195
Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

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

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



Emergency Addressee Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth

Name

RFD A., Perkinston, Mississippi

Address

Religion Protestant

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

Compass 615 Francs.
Knife
Wallet
Photos

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Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

E. H. HOSFORD

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

E. H. HOSFORD

1ST LT. Q.M.C.

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

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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.

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 17 August 1944
dlr 4627

FULL NAME				ARMY SERIAL NUMBER				GRADE					
Butterworth, William H., Jr.				34,349,784				Private					
HOME ADDRESS				ARM OR SERVICE				DATE OF BIRTH					
Hattiesburg, Mississippi				Infantry				4 Dec 1920					
PLACE OF DEATH				CAUSE OF DEATH				DATE OF DEATH					
European Area				Wounds received in action				15 July 1944					
STATION OF DECEASED				DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE				LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES					
European Area				24 Aug 1942				YEARS MONTHS DAYS					
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)													
Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth (wife) R. F. D. A, Perkinston, Mississippi													
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)													
Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth (wife) same as above													
Mrs. Lizzie Mae Butterworth (mother) RFD #A, Perkinston, Miss.													
Mr. William H. Butterworth (father) same as above													
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
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ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

COPIES FURNISHED:

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

☒ BATTLE
☐ NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:
James W. Reinhart
James W. Reinhart
ADJUTANT GENERAL

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Butterworth, William H. Jr. 34 349 784

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RTB:BF:ed
November 13, 1945

Mrs. William H. Butterworth, Sr.
536 Market Street
Pascagoula, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

This acknowledges your recent letter relative
to the personal effects of your son, Private William H.
Butterworth, Jr.

As The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C.,
has jurisdiction over the award of medals, you may contact
that official for the information desired.

I hope this information will be useful to you.

Yours very truly,

HARRY NIEMIEC
2nd Lt., QMC
Chief, Correspondence Branch

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INQUIRY CLERK

Pascagoula miss
Nov. 2. 1943

Effect. Quarter master

Dear sir

I am writing you in

concern To a purple heart, my son.

P.F.C. William H. Buttrworth Jr. No 324349784
Co G. 134 Inf. 35th Div. was killed July 15.
1944 in France we haven't got any purple
heart at all please send to

Mrs. W. H. Buttrworth
536 Market St.

Pascagoula miss

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RECEIVED
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
KANSAS CITY, MO.
NOV - 6 1945

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GHG:VC:bjs
June 14, 1945

Mrs. William H. Butterworth, Sr.
Route A
Wiggins, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

This acknowledges your letter which has been referred to this Bureau by The Quartermaster General, for reply to that portion pertaining to the personal effects of your son, Private William H. Butterworth, Jr.

This Bureau is required to make disposition of personal effects according to the 112th Article of War, under which a widow has prior claim to the effects. Therefore, Private Butterworth's property has been forwarded to his widow, Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth, R.F.D. A, Perkinson, Mississippi.

I wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

HARRY NIEMI
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief, Correspondence Branch

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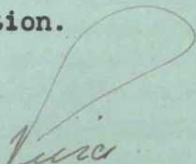
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HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

	NAME OR TITLE	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	INITIALS
				DATE
1	EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU	KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI	
2				
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For necessary action.


PIERCE

2Incl.
Cy ltr dated 7 Jun 45
Cy ltr dated 10 Apr 45

FROM:	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
				TELEPHONE
	mlh			7 Jun 45
MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION BRANCH, TEMPO "C" WASHINGTON 25, D. C.				

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Wiggins, Miss.
April 10, 1945

War Department

Dear Sirs:

I am writing you concerning pvt. William Horace Butterworth Jr. No. 34349784. If there is anything that velong to him will you please send it to me as his wife has married again and has left here she married another soldier. William was reported killed July 15, 1944 and she married March 30, 1945 and also is thare anyway of stoping her from getting his insurance after she has married another man if so please let me no at once.

Yours truly,

Mrs. William Horace Butterworth, Jr.
Route A
Wiggina, Miss.

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Wiggins, Miss.
April 10, 1945

War Department

Dear Sirs:

I am writing you concerning Pvt. William Horace Butterworth Jr. No. 34349784. If there is anything that belongs to him will you please send it to me as his wife has married again and has left here she married another soldier. William was reported killed July 18, 1944 and she married March 30, 1945 and also is there anyway of stopping her from getting his insurance after she has married another man if so please let me at once.

Yours truly,

Mrs. William Horace Butterworth Jr.
Route A
Wiggins, Miss.

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JRM:VB:EMW
May 7, 1945

Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth
R.F.D. A
Perkinston, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

The Army Effects Bureau has received additional property of your husband, Private William H. Butterworth, Jr., consisting of funds in the amount of \$12.41. A check for this sum is inclosed.

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

Sincerely,

A. G. SCHUMACHER
1st Lt. Q.M.C.
Asst. Chief, Admin. Division

1 Incl--Check

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth

Effects of:

R.F.D. A

Name

Pvt. William H. Butterworth, Jr.

Perkinston, Mississippi

ASN

34349784

Case No.

131,866 D

Wt.

DATE 30 April 1945

G. O'Brien
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

JRM:VB:rmw

x Inclose Bureau Check

Acct. No. 83850

Amount \$12.41 *emb*

Inclose "Valuables" item

Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G.I.

Note discrepancy in

Films removed

Diary removed

Laundry removed

ROUTING:

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1 Accounting Branch *ew*

Warehouse Division

2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

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May 8,

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Lela V. Butterworth

12.41

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REMARKS:

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Est. Exp. Chgs.

Est. Frt. Chgs.

No. of packages

Shipping Clerk

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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

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CASE NO.

TYPED BY

DATE

MAR 15 1945

STATUS

DEC'D

NAME

WILLIAM H. BUTTERWORTH, JR.

A.S.N.

34349784

RANK

ORGANIZATION

AMOUNT

12.41

LIST NO.

CZ

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REMARKS

CR# 68787 H

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ACCOUNT NO.

ACCOUNTING INVENTORY

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

JRM:VB:rmw

Case No. 131,866

Date 30 April 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of

William H. Butterworth, Jr., 34349784 late a
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)
Private, Infantry who died
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)
on the 15 day of July, 19 44, at European Area.

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

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

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

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

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

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

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 8 March 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth of
(Name of person found entitled)

R.F.D. A, Perkinston State of
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)
Mississippi, is the widow of the
(Relationship or Capacity)

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

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

JOHN R. MURPHY, colonel, Q.M.C.

(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT MARITAL

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JRM:DW:ms
March 10, 1945

Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth
Route A
Perkinston, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

Thank you for the information furnished the Army Effects Bureau in connection with personal effects belonging to your husband, Private William H. Butterworth, Jr.

These effects are being forwarded to you in two packages.

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 wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your husband.

Sincerely yours,

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

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth

SHIP TO:

RFD A

Effects of:

Pvt. William H. Butterworth, Jr. Perkinston, Mississippi

Name

34349784

ASN

Case No.

131866-D

Wt.

DATE March 8, 1945

REMARKS: Sumpter--dsf

Milly Mosberg
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

☐ 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
☒ Warehouse Division
☒ Files Branch, Adm. Div.

-1 pkg - inv 2-14-45
-1 pkg - inv 1-12-45

REMARKS:

Fracked **FRANKED**
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages 2

MAR 10 1945

MAR 12 1945

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Shipping Clerk

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SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED	MISSING	POW	ABANDONED
BOX NUMBER	# 9	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES		1			
TALLY NUMBER	5811	INVENTORY DATE	14-Feb-1945	CASE NUMBER	131866		
EFFECTS OF	WILLIAM H. BUTTERWORTH			RANK	1st Lt		
A.S.N.	34349784	ORGANIZATION	Company C 134 Infantry				
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION							
#1 pkg.							
CLOTHING		PERSONAL ITEMS		CONTAINERS			
BELT		BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION		BAGS, CLOTH			
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)		BRUSHES		BAGS, TRAVEL			
CLOTH, WASH		CAMERAS		BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)			
COATS		GLASSES		CASE,			
FOOTWEAR, PR.		KNIVES		FOOTLOCKER			
GLOVES, PR.		LIGHTERS		KIT, SEWING			
HANDKERCHIEFS		MISC. INSIGNIA		KIT, TOILET			
HEADWEAR		MISC. ITEMS		KIT, WRITING			
JACKETS		PEN, FOUNTAIN		PAPERS AND MISC.			
OVERCOATS		PENCIL, MECHANICAL		BOOKS			
SCARFS		PIPES		BOOKS, ADDRESS			
SHIRTS		RELIGIOUS ARTICLES		BOOKS, NOTE			
SOCKS, PR.		RIBBONS, DECORATION		BOOKS, PILOT LOG			
TIES		RINGS		DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)			
TOWELS		TOBACCO		FILMS			
TROUSERS, PR.		TOILET ARTICLES		X LETTERS + cards			
TRUNKS, PR.		WATCH		X PAPERS, PERSONAL			
UNDERWEAR		WINGS		PHOTOS			
				SHOE SHINE ARTICLES			
				SHORT SNORTER			
				SOUVENIRS			
				SOUVENIR MONEY			
				STATIONERY			
				TESTAMENTS			
				U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)			
REMARKS: Mrs W. H. Butterworth Jr Rte A. Box 44 Wiggins Mass (info)							
ATTACHMENTS:		FORM #54 1 Inventory 1 G.R. Label					
C.A.T.		FEB 26 1945		WEIGHT		GI REMOVED	
Mrs Lena V. Butterworth P.O. Reckinton Miss						SHORTAGE ON REVERSE	
WAREHOUSE SPACE		STORED BY				IDENT. TAGS REMOVED	
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INVENTORIED BY		DATE SHIPPED				LOCKED STORAGE	
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PACKED BY		CHECKED BY				FILM REMOVED	
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EPP. QM Form 11 (1)

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

I N V E N T O R Y F O R M

27 July 1944

(Date)

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of: Butterworth William
(Last Name) (First)
H Jr Private
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 Died of Wounds about 16 July 1944.
(Status)

Designated Beneficiary if information readily accessible Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth
(wife) Route 4, Parkinston, Miss.

I N V E N T O R Y O F E F F E C T S

1-Fountain Pen ✓
5-Souvenir Cards, English ✓
2-Photographs ✓
6-Letters ✓

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

(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 1 August 1944.
(Mail, Truck, etc.)

DIST:

Name Albert B. Osborne

1 Copy Unit CO for SR

1 Copy to Effects QM, Communications Rank & ASN Captain, O-369355

Zone

1 Copy in Container with Effects

Organization 134th Infantry

1 Copy Retained

Any additional pertinent information:

C O N F I D E N T I A L

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SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED ☒	
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TALLY NUMBER 5738		INVENTORY DATE 12 Jan. 1945		P O W ☐	
EFFECTS OF WM. H. BUTTERWORTH JR.		CASE NUMBER 131866		ABANDONED ☐	
A.S.N. 34349784		ORGANIZATION unk.		RANK P.F.C.	
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION					
CLOTHING		PERSONAL ITEMS		CONTAINERS	
BELT		BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION		BAGS, CLOTH	
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)		BRUSHES		BAGS, TRAVEL	
CLOTH, WASH		CAMERAS		BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)	w/c
COATS		GLASSES		CASE,	
FOOTWEAR, PR.		KNIVES		FOOTLOCKER	
GLOVES, PR.		LIGHTERS		KIT, SEWING	
HANDKERCHIEFS		MISC. INSIGNIA		KIT, TOILET	
HEADWEAR		MISC. ITEMS		KIT, WRITING	
JACKETS		PEN, FOUNTAIN		PAPERS AND MISC.	
OVERCOATS		PENCIL, MECHANICAL		BOOKS	
SCARFS		PIPES		BOOKS, ADDRESS	
SHIRTS		RELIGIOUS ARTICLES		BOOKS, NOTE	
SOCKS, PR.		RIBBONS, DECORATION		BOOKS, PILOT LOG	
TIES		RINGS		DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)	
TOWELS		TOBACCO		FILMS	
TROUSERS, PR.		TOILET ARTICLES		LETTERS	
TRUNKS, PR.		WATCH		PAPERS, PERSONAL	
UNDERWEAR		WINGS		PHOTOS	
1 - Compass				SHOE SHINE ARTICLES	
				SHORT SNOOTER	
				SCOUENIRS (Pin)	
				SCOUENIR MONEY	
				STATIONERY	
				TESTAMENTS	
				U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)	
REMARKS: wife Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth RFD A. Perkinston, Mississippi no correspondence * blood stained C.A.T. Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth RFD A. Perkinston Mississippi JAN 16 1945					
ATTACHMENTS:		FORM #54		FORM #100	
		Inventory			
		I.S.R. label			
		1 form 28			
WEIGHT		GI REMOVED			
		SHORTAGE ON REVERSE			
		IDENT. TAGS REMOVED			
		DIARY REMOVED			
DATE SHIPPED		LOCKED STORAGE			
MAR 10 1945					
LAUNDRY REMOVED					
FILM REMOVED					
WAREHOUSE SPACE 1539		STORED BY C M			
INVENTORIED BY Ban		CHECKED BY E			
PACKED BY		#43 OR ADDITIONAL			

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

615 Francs

U S GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

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

Louise Ban

INVENTORY CLERK

AB Blauvelt

SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED

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INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

Butterworth, Wm H Jr 34349784

(Last name)(First)(Initial) (ASN)

late a Pfc
(Grade) (Orgn or arm or service)

who died on the 13th day of July 19 44

compass ✓
knife ✓
wallet ✓
photos ✓

615 francs ○

I certify that the effects of Class I and those of Class II have been delivered to the Effects Depot and that all funds have been delivered to the Finance Officer.

Raymond L. Dennis

RAYMOND L. DENNIS
1st Lt., QMC

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Serial No. 34349784 Name BUTTERWORTH, JAMES H.
Grade Pvt. Rank WM H.C.
Organization Co. G - 13th INFANTRY
Address APD 35, 90 PM - NEW YORK, N.Y.
Nearest Relative MRS. LELA V. BUTTERWORTH
Address ROUTE A, PERKINSTON, MISS.
Killed in Action X Died of Disease _____
Date 16 JULY 1944 Hospital _____
Battle Area _____ Information _____

Place of Burial _____
Point of Coordination _____
Description of Body _____

Members Missing _____

Signed

Wm H. C.
Capt 2d.

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Serial No. 34349784 Name BUTTERS WORTH, W.M. H.
Grade _____ Rank PLC
Organization _____
Address UNKNOWN
Nearest Relative MRS. LELA V. BUTTERS WORTH
Address R. F. D. A PERKINSTON, MISSISSIPPI
Killed in Action YES Died of Disease _____
Date _____ Hospital _____
Battle Area ST. LO Information _____
Place of Burial LACAMBE CEM, FRANCE
Point of Coordination _____
Description of Body _____
Members Missing _____
Signed _____

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

(S-3-9-45)
JRM:JS:mm

February 9, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 131866

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth
R.F.D. A
Perkinson, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal property of your husband, Private William H. Butterworth, Jr.

I know you want to receive this property quickly, and in making application it is necessary only that you confirm your address, stating that you are the legal widow of Private Butterworth.

I regret to advise that included among your husband's effects are a billfold and some souvenir money which are damaged, apparently by bloodstains. I shall appreciate it if you will indicate whether you desire these articles forwarded with his property.

Your reply may be made at the foot of this letter, if desired, and mailed in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Yours very truly,

A. L. Smith

A. L. SMITH
Administrative Assistant
Army Effects Bureau

1 Incl--
Envelope

Sir,
yes I would like very much to have
the billfold and souvenir money included
in Private Butterworth's belongings. and
I am Pvt. Butterworth's Widow of
Perkinson Miss *of Mrs. Lela V Butterworth*
Rte a. Perkinson Miss

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ARMY SERVICE FORCE
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

(3-3-3-43)
JAN 30 1945

February 9, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 131582

URGENT ACTION

Mrs. Lela V. Butterworth

R.F.D. A

Perkins, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Butterworth:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal property of your husband, Private William H. Butterworth, Jr.

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I am sorry to advise that included among your husband's effects were some souvenir money which are damaged, and I shall appreciate it if you will advise these articles forwarded with his effects.

which may be made at the foot of this letter, if desired, in the enclosed self-addressed envelope.



Yours very truly,

A. E. Miller
Administrative Assistant
Army Effects Bureau

1 Incl--
Envelope

Handwritten note:
Dear Mrs. Butterworth:
I am sorry to advise that included among your husband's effects were some souvenir money which are damaged, and I shall appreciate it if you will advise these articles forwarded with his effects.

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

131866
19 January 1945

SPARK 201
IN REPLY REFER TO: _____

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. 11g(2), AR 345-125 CIV, W.D., A.G.O. Form No. 26, (Soldier's Individual Pay Record) of:

Burnette, Charlie H.	34371367	Pfc.	Infantry
Butterworth, Jr., William	34347784	Pfc.	Infantry
Carrier, William H.	35742946	Pfc.	
Clemens, Grant J.	25536093	Pvt.	
Crick, Mack S.	14161839	Sgt.	
Clinton, James H.	18233042	Sgt.	
Cole, Joseph L.	30329015	Sgt.	
Hoyer, John C.	39105631	Cpl.	Air Corps
Hickling, Melvin G.	17016155	Pfc.	
Peak, Henry C.	34442956	T/5	Infantry

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For the Effects Quartermaster:

G. H. CALVIN, JR.
Captain U.S.A.
Chief, Administrative Division

10 Incls--W.D., A.G.O. Form No. 26

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Tally In No: TC 11

NAME: BUTTERWORTH WM. H RANK _____ ASN 34349789

DATE 11-9-44 CASE NO: _____ PARCEL: PEB STATUS KIA

INVENTORIED: Mauger WHSE SPACE

Tally In No: 134

NAME: BUTTERS, WORTH W M RANK PFC ASN 34349784

ORGANIZATION

DATE 9-9-46 CASE NO. FA H.C.S.I. STATUS

THE

1950年12月19日

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INVENTORIED: B Moreno WHSE SPACE

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