

SSGT John J. Peterson

390 BG, 571 BG

Killed 9-16-43 crash at Brocknack, Wales

(Perth Amboy, NJ)



**INDIVIDUAL DECEASED
PERSONNEL FILE**

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INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AE 600-550)

Peterson John J. 32394207
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

S/Sgt. AC 571st Bomb Sq (H)
(Grade) (Organization or arm of service)

who died on the 16 day of Sept., 1943

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

NUMBER	ARTICLES	*PACKAGE NUMBER
1	Fox	
1	Knife	

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

CLASS II—Other effects

NUMBER	ARTICLES
1 pr.	Gym trunks
2	T-Shirts
3 pr.	Socks
2 pr.	Shoes
1	Shaving kit

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CLASS II—Continued

NUMBER	ARTICLES
2 pr.	Drawers, cotton
3	Handkerchiefs
2	Ties, cotton
1	Shoe kit
1	Bath towel
1	Tobacco pouch
1	Money belt
1	Roll of film (Unused)
2	Photographs
1	Wallet
<div> <div>Money</div> <div> <div>Specie... \$</div> <div>Notes... \$36.50</div> </div> </div>	

I CERTIFY that the foregoing inventory comprises all the effects of the deceased whose name appears on the first page hereof, and that *the effects were delivered

to ~~Station 153 to be delivered~~
(Give name and degree of relationship; if legal representative)

~~ed to Effects QM Depot G-14 Liverpool Thru~~
or beneficiary named by the deceased, so state)

2nd Advanced Depot
the effects of class I have been forwarded to The
Adjutant General and those of class II have been sold

Alfreda Peterson (Wife) 192 Sherman St.

Perth Amboy, N.J.

WALTER J. McCANN,

153
(Station) 1st Lt., AC

16 September, 1941
(Date)

*Strike out words not applicable.

742
6 April 1949

Mrs. Emily Kaleta
730 Charles Street
Perth Amboy, New Jersey

S/Sgt John J. Peterson, ASN 32 394 207
~~Plot F, Row 5, Grave 71~~
Headstone: Cross
Cambridge (England) U. S. Military Cemetery

Dear Mrs. Kaleta:

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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RRE Form #43
20 Sep 48

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

 PETERSON JOHN J S SG 32394207
(Last Name) (First Name) (Initial) (Rank) (ASN)

Subject remains have been permanently interred overseas in the United
States Military Cemetery CAMBRIDGE

Incl #

STATION FILE

Fortress crashed at a place three miles from the village of Crickhowell which is midway between Brecon and Abervageny. Occured on a slope at 2000 ft. above sea level. 10 men known to have been in plane; four bodies have been recovered and the remains of the six will be recovered by noon tomorrow. Remains and all valuables will be turned over to Tovey Bros in Newport. Report called in by Flight Lt. Rollason, phone Madley 261 Ext. 19 or 140.

Last names are thought to be:

RAMBO
CATANIA
PETERSON
MONSON
ORVAL-TOFTE
SCHANEK
TURNER
MASON
ZETTERBURG
BROWERS

Called Tovey Bros and told him the remains would be delivered to him sometime tomorrow. Inasmuch as there is no American unit near the scene of the crash, and the Unit of the man is so far unknown; personal effects and valuables are being transported to Tovey Bros with the remains. Have instructed Tovey Bros. to contact this office as soon as possible tomorrow as to the disposition of the same. This information taken by me.

R. D. Picking • 17 Sept 1943

Lt. Schanen
(Schanen)x
Rambo x
Catania x
Peterson x
Monson x

(Madle)

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Orval Tofte
Orval
Madle - RAF 261 ex 110

Lt Coe

Nine Bodies-six only identified.

HERBERT T TURNER off
ORVALTOFTE off
STANLEY B MASON E.M.
JIVLN A ZETTERBURG E.M.
FRED B BROWERS Off.
Lt R. L. SHOWEN

Framlingham

Capt. Gunn 345

(This information was taken by
) Lt Melton, 18 Sept 1943
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Sgt. Tayne, Marion W.

R EQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAIN

BUDGET BUREAU No. 7

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

DATE:

S/Sgt. John J. Peterson, 32 394 207
Plot K, Row 1, Grave 15,
United States Military Cemetery
Brookwood, England

15 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

I, MRS. EMILY KALETA

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

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

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|---------------------------------|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW | <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWER | <input type="checkbox"/> SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD | <input type="checkbox"/> DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FATHER | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MOTHER | <input type="checkbox"/> BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD | <input type="checkbox"/> 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. Brookwood, England
- ☐ 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

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PART I (Continued)

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

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

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

OR

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Mrs. Emily KALETA (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) (per mps) 730 CHARLES ST. (STREET AND NUMBER)
EMILY KALETA (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) PERTH AMBOY, N. J. (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this _____ day of _____, 19____, at city (or town) of _____, county of _____, and State (or Territory or District) of _____

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

(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)

(OFFICIAL TITLE)

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FORM MAILED TO OFFICE. I DESIRE REMAINS TO BE PERMANENTLY
INTERRED OVERSEAS FOR S/S JOHN J PETERSON 32394207

MRS EMILY KALETA

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S/S 32394207

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MRS EMILY KALETA

PRIORITY

730 CHARLIE STREET

PERTH AMBOY NEW JERSEY

CHARGE GRAVES WW II

REFERENCE IS MADE TO DISPOSITION FORM ON REMAINS OF YOUR SON CMA THE
LATE STAFF SERGEANT JOHN J PETERSON CMA 32394207 WHICH WAS FORWARDED
TO YOU FOR COMPLETION. PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO ENABLE THIS
OFFICE TO COMPLY WITH YOUR WISHES ON DISPOSITION OF REMAINS. TELEGRAPH
COLLECT IF NEW FORM IS DESIRED OR IF YOU DESIRE REMAINS TO BE PERMANENTLY
INTERRED OVERSEAS. END VOGL

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J. F. VOGL
Captain, QMC, Memorial Division

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

DUE, HOUR AND DATE _____

1 No.	2 FROM—	3 TO—	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
1	Ex. Off. P/O Mr. Gen Div	Accep. Sec., P/O Br. Gen Div	29 Sept 46	<p>293</p> <p>Re: S/Sgt. John C. Peterson, 32 294 207 Brookwood, N. J.</p> <p>1. Phoned mother, Mrs. Emily Kaleta, 730 Charles St., Perth Amboy, N.J., who advised me that she had submitted form to this office, completed for overseas burial.</p> <p>2. Mrs. Kaleta was requested to send a collect telegram to this office stating that she desired the remains interred permanently overseas as this form has apparently not been received in this office.</p> <p>ACTION: Have a thorough search made for 345 completed by Mrs. Emily Kaleta and <u>advise the undersigned of result of search.</u> If this form cannot be located, upon receipt of telegram from mother, process case for overseas burial.</p> <p>Att.: Worksheet 333 card Cy. telegram, 3 Sept 46 2-3 file</p> <p>VOCL 4276</p> <p>R-1-15 345 analyzed 9/29/46 sent to C. 209 informed</p> <p>345 K 9/29/46</p> <p>NH 24 10/4/46 A.C.B.</p>

THIS FORM WILL REMAIN PART OF THE OFFICIAL FILE

S/Sgt. John J. Peterson, 32 394 207
Plot K, Row 1, Grave 15,
United States Military Cemetery
Brookwood, England

15 March 1948

Mrs. Emily Kaleta
730 Charles Street
Perth Ambroy, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Kaleta:

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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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

343 Peterson, John

DUE, HOUR AND DATE

1 NO.	2 FROM-	3 TO-	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
1.	LOI Section R/R Br.	Record Section R/R Br.	/ 2 March 1948	<p>1. As 333 card in this case could not be immediately located, action has been taken with a view to resolving the case without the 333 card.</p> <p>2. File is forwarded to your Section for such correction in 333 card as may be indicated.</p> <p>3. When your action has been completed, please forward file to Mail and Records..</p> <div style="text-align: right;"><div><i>G</i> GILL 71507</div><div><i>S</i> Snowden 6535</div></div>

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THIS FORM WILL REMAIN PART OF THE OFFICIAL FILE

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

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

I request this form be sent to
his brother as his mother's
health is very bad & he has
agreed to take care of the matter.
I have remarried May 24, 1947.

(Mrs.) Alfedda Peterson

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

S/Sgt. John J. Peterson, 32 394 207
 Plot K, Row 1, Grave 15,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Brookwood, England

15 May 1947

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DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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 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, _____

(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.
☐ 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
 (FOREIGN COUNTRY)

PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
 (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

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

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

☐ YES ☐ NO

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

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 FC Branch
 [Signature]

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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 Widow (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 <u>Peterson</u>	FIRST NAME <u>Maynard</u>	MIDDLE INITIAL <u>R.</u>
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED <u>Brother</u>		
NUMBER AND STREET <u>264 King St</u>	CITY OR TOWN <u>Perth Amboy</u>	STATE OR COUNTRY <u>N.J.</u>

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

<u>Alfreda Marie Peterson</u> (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)	<u>June 1, 1947</u> (DATE)
<u>Alfreda Marie Peterson</u> (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	<u>192 Sherman St</u> (STREET AND NUMBER)
	<u>Perth Amboy, N.J.</u> (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)

PART I (Continued)

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

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this _____ day of _____,
19____, at city (or town) of _____, county of _____, and State (or Territory or
District) of _____

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

(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)

(OFFICIAL TITLE)

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
MEMORIAL DIVISION

SUBJECT: NEW LOI

TO: MACHINE SECTION, R & R BRANCH, MEMORIAL DIVISION
ROOM 2701, TEMPORARY B BLDG

Date 3 March 1948
~~10 Feb~~

293
S/Sgt JOHN J. PETERSON 32 394 207
Rank Name Serial No.

LOI to be sent to: (mother)

Grave Location:

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W. S. C.

Mr.
Mrs.
Miss

EMILY KALETA

Name 130 CHARLES ST.

464 King St.

Street

PERTH AMBROY N.J.

City State

BROOK WOOD
Cemetery

K 1 15
Plot Row Grave

Capt Mulligan
MULLIGAN
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LOI SENT MAR 15 1948

Order Incl - 2nd Lt. William J. Mulligan

S/Sgt. John J. Peterson, 32 394 207
Plot K, Row 1, Grave 15,
United States Military Cemetery
Brookwood, England

15 May 1947

Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson
192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Peterson:

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.

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Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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QMGR 293
Peterson, John J.
A.S.N. 32 394 207

7 February 1947

Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson
192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Peterson:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery Brookwood, England, in which your husband, the late Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson, is buried.

It is my sincere hope that you may gain some solace from this view of the surroundings in which your loved one rests. As you can see, this is a place of simple dignity, neat and well cared for. Here, assured of continuous care, now rest the remains of a few of those heroic dead who fell together in the service of our country.

This cemetery will be maintained as a temporary resting place until, in accordance with the wishes of the next of kin, all remains are either placed in permanent American cemeteries overseas or returned to the Homeland for final burial.

Sincerely yours,

G. A. HORMAN
Brigadier General, QMC
Assistant

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U.S. ARMY
MAIL RECORDS BRANCH
Photograph

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Peterson, John J.

A.S.N. 32, 394, 207

3 July 1946

Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson
192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Peterson:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your husband, the late Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson, A.S.N. 32 394 207.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery Brookwood, plot K, row 1, grave 15.

This cemetery is located thirty miles southwest of London, England, 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

CC: Air Corps

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SPQYG 293

Peterson, John J.
S.N. 32394207

30 September 1944

Address Reply To THE
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

Mrs. Alfreda Peterson,
192 Sherman Street,
Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

Dear Mrs. Peterson:

Acknowledgment is made of your letter of recent date, relative to the burial location and General Order No. 144 issued to your husband, the late Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson in lieu of the air medal.

Information submitted to this office reveals that the remains of your husband were interred as one of our honored dead in a respectful and reverent manner. The cemetery is known as the Brookwood American Military Cemetery, Surrey, England. The remains are in Grave 15, of Row 1, Plot K. An Army Chaplain conducted a Protestant ceremony at the grave and a temporary marker with a fitting inscription thereon has been erected. The cemetery is under immediate supervision of our military authorities.

Matters pertaining to the issuance of awards come under the jurisdiction of The Adjutant General, Washington, D. C., and I have therefore forwarded a copy of your letter to that official with a request that a further reply be made to you.

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

For The Quartermaster General:

Sincerely yours,

MAYO A. DARLING,
Lt. Colonel, Q.M.C.,
Assistant.

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ENGINEER DIVISION

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PQYG 293 (Peterson, John J. S.N. 32394207)

1st Ind.

ASF., OCSM., Washington, D. C.

30 Sept. 1944

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

1. Basic communication is forwarded to your office for necessary action to do such thereof as pertains to the air medal belonging to the late Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson.

2. Attention is invited to a copy of a letter from this office to Mrs. Alfreda Peterson.

For The Quartermaster General:

MAYO A. DARLING,
1st. Colonel, Q.M.G.,
Assistant.

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192 Sherman Street
Berth Amboy, N. Y.
September 15, 1944

The Memorial Branch
Quartermaster General Office
Washington, D. C.

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Gentlemen: Re: S/ Sgt. John J. Peterson
A. S. N. 32394207

It has been a year since I was notified by the War Department that my husband had been killed in action on September 16, 1943.

Is there any information available as to his burial place or any other details that you are in a position to give?

Among his personal items which were returned to me was a form which is in lieu of an air medal. General Order #144 issued for September 12, 1943. Where may I submit this in order to receive the Air Medal?

I would appreciate any information you can give me. Thank you,

Very truly yours,
Mrs. Alfreda Peterson

Enc. attached
9-28-44

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C. M. R. DIVISION

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NOTE: The data on this side ~~will not~~ be accomplished by the Officer initiating the report in cases where the remains are to be shipped to Brookwood American Military Cemetery for burial. In such cases the officer, or non-commissioned officer, accompanying the body to Brookwood will sign here as custodian in transit and will deliver all 4 copies to the U.S. Officer in Charge of Burials, or to the U.S. Superintendent at Brookwood Cemetery, who will fill in this side of the form and verify same by his signature:

(Signature, Rank, Organization of the custodian in transit)
W. P. Steeley, MC 390 Bomb Sq

In all OTHER cases, in N. Ireland, England, Scotland, and Wales, the following data will be supplied and verified by the Officer initiating the report.

Burial: 1400 21 Sept. 1943 Protestant Military Funeral
(Time, Date, and Type Religious Service Performed)

*Cemetery in which Buried: Brookwood American Military Cemetery
(Name and Number)

Grave in which Buried: Plot No.: K Row No.: 1 Grave No.: 15

Kind of Marker: Temporary Wooden Cross

Disposition of Identification Tags: (a) Buried with the Body: One

(b) Attached to Marker: One to marked SGI, no other.

Bodies Buried on Either Side:

Right: Orval Tofte, 2nd Lt. O-738947, 571B Sq. No. 16
(Name, Serial No., Rank, Organization, and Grave No.)

Left: Alfred C. Monson, S/Sgt. 19044338, 571B S. 390B Sq. No. 14
(Name, Serial No., Rank, Organization, and Grave No.)

Edwin P. Cooper, Lt. Col.
Signature of Officer Reporting

W. H. Edwards, Capt. GRS
Verified by G.R.S. Officer

*Sketch here if in isolated grave

PREPARE IN QUADRUPLICATE (4):

1 COPY FORCE GRS, ORIGINAL AND TWO COPIES TO CHIEF, GRS

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE _____

FULL NAME

Peterson, John J.

ARMY SERIAL NO.

GRADE

15.5

ARM OR SERVICE

Air Corps

DATE OF BIRTH	
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27 AUG 1917

HOME ADDRESS

North Amboy, New Jersey

DATE OF DEATH

16 June 1943

PLACE OF DEATH

European Area

CAUSE OF DEATH	
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Killed In Action

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, & ADDRESS)	
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Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson, wife, 192 Sherman St., Perth Amboy, N. J.

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BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, & ADDRESS)
 Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson, wife, Same As Above.
 Mrs. Emily Kalota, mother, 730 Charles St., Perth Amboy, N. J.
 Mr. Maynard Peterson, brother, 526 Groom St., Perth Amboy, N. J.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

THIS COPY FOR THE Q. M. G. (CONFIDENTIAL)

(OVER)

J. A. Marshall

ADJUTANT GENERAL



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

IN REPLY REFER TO: 32976 B ✓

JRM:LB:vo
December 7, 1944 ✓

Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson ✓
192 Sherman Street ✓
Perth Amboy, New Jersey ✓

Dear Mrs. Peterson: ✓

This has reference to our previous correspondence concerning the property of your husband, Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson. ✓

There is inclosed a flight record belonging to him, which was received here from overseas.

The occasion necessitating this correspondence is sincerely regretted.

Yours very truly,

F. A. ECKHARDT ✓
Captain, Q.M.C.
Assistant

1 Incl.--Flight Record ✓

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

Case No. #32976-D
(Date) 14 April 1944

Subject: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

John J. Peterson, 32394207, late a
(Name of deceased soldier) (Army Serial No.)

Staff Sergeant, Air Corps who died
(Grade) (Organization, Arm or Service)

on the 16th day of September 1943, at European Area

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

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

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

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ None, of which the sum of \$ 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 and money (less the amount paid creditors, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the Quartermaster General at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial Findings below).

FINDINGS

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri on 6 March, 1944, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters, KCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application and/or affidavit of Mrs. Alfreda Peterson (Name of) for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, now (Claimant) in the possession of the United States, together with other relevant evidence, were duly considered:

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

of 192 Sherman Street Perth Arboy, State of
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)

New Jersey, is the Widow of the above-
(Relationship or Capacity)

named deceased soldier and appears to be entitled to receive his effects.

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

152 Sherman St.
Perth Amboy, N.J.
March 27, 1944

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City, 1, Missouri

32977

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Attn: R. E. Rodges, 2nd Lt. 2nd M.C.
Assitant

Dear Sir:-

I have received the personal effects of my husband and am enclosing your form No 5 which I hope is filled in properly.

I wish to thank you and all the personnel on your staff for co-operation and making it possible for me to have these items.

I will cash the check as promptly as possible, as instructed on form No.

Your expression of sympathy is greatly appreciated and again may I thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Yours very truly

Mrs. Alveda M. Peterson

REQUEST FOR INCLOSURES

Case No. 32976 D

TO:

Locked Storage for:

X Accounting Branch for Check

Account No. 10187 Amount \$36.50

Payable to

Alfreda M. Peterson

Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Correspondent [Signature]

Check No. 9428

Initials EW

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MARCH 22

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ALFREDA M. PETERSON

36.50

THIRTY-SIX AND 50/100

MAJOR Q.M.C.
ASST.

DS:ret

Eff QM Form 49 (Rev. 11/16/43)

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

(S-4-21-44)
JRL:LB:mc
March 21, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO 34976 D

Mrs. Alfreda J. Peterson
192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Peterson:

Thank you for the confirmation of your address in connection with disposal of the personal effects of your husband, Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson.

This property has been forwarded by parcel post. When you have received the package, please sign one copy of the inclosed receipt and return that copy to this Bureau. For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

There is inclosed check for \$36.50. This check represents money which belonged to your husband and has been converted to a check to avoid the possibility of loss.

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

Please accept my sympathy in the loss of your husband.

Yours very truly,

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

3 Incls.
Check
Envelope
Form 5

Deceased _____
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A.W.O.L. _____
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Abandoned _____

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

INVENTORY

Sheet 1 of 1 Sheets
Flat 15 Box _____

Shown, on Tally In as J. J. Peterson

TALLY IN NO. 3125 INVENTORY DATE 2/7/44 CASE NO. 32976

EFFECTS OF JOHN J. PETERSON RANK S/Sgt.

ARMY SERIAL NO. 32394207 ORG. 571st Bomb Sq. 390th Bomb. Gp.

CONSIGNOR T.O. P.O.E. New York City, New York

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

Package No.	Article Description	Remarks
#1	1 Fez	Wife:
CARTON	1 Knife	
	1 Pr. Gym Trunks	Alfreda Peterson
	3 Wash Cloths	
	1 Soap Dish	192 Sherman Street
	2 Shirts, T	
	3 Pr. Socks	Perth Amboy, New Jersey
	2 Pr. Shoes	
	1 Kit, Shaving	
	1 Kit, Sewing	
	2 Pr. Drawers, Cotton	Shortage on Reverse Side
	3 Handkerchiefs	
	2 Ties, Cotton	
	1 Shoe Kit	
	1 Bath Towel	Attached:
	1 Tobacco Pouch	
	1 Money Belt	Form #54
	1 Roll of Film, Unused	
	2 Photographs	
	1 Wallet	
	1 Lot Personal Letters	
	1 Leather Picture Folder	

MAR 10 1944

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Locked Storage Space _____ Packed By Alfrey 2/11/44 GIN:njc

ML:mem
Eff 2d Form 11 (Rev. 10-1-43)

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

Sheet 1 of 1 Sheets

Flat _____ Box _____

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TALLY IN NO. _____ INVENTORY DATE 2/8/44 CASE NO. 32976 

EFFECTS OF JOHN J. PETERSON RANK S/Sgt.

ARMY SERIAL NO. 32394207 ORG. 571st Bomb Sqdn (H) APO 634

CONSIGNOR Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, Depot G-14, APO 507

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

Package No.	Article Description	Remarks
1	1 U.S. Treasury Check # 5998	Check is payable to
ENVELOPE	Dated 14 Jan 44	Effects Quartermaster Trustee
	Amt. \$ 36.50	
	<i># 11187</i>	
	<i>DN</i>	Attached
	<i>ck # 9428 ew</i>	Copy form letter of transmittal
		misc papers pertaining to case
		Form #54

Warehouse Space _____ Inventoried By Slupske HE:fs

Locked Storage Space Office Safe Packed By _____

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

FEB 8 1944

WAR DEPARTMENT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
Kansas City, Missouri

In the matter of the disposition
of the effects of:

S/Sgt. John J. Peterson
(Name of deceased soldier)

32394207

(Serial Number)

Case No. 32976 D two

RECEIPT FOR EFFECTS
DELIVERED TO CLAIMANT

I hereby acknowledge that I have received from the Effects Bureau,
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, Kansas City, Mo., the following effects of
the above-named deceased soldier:

Number	Articles	Number	Articles
1	fez		
1	knife		
1	pr. gym trunks	2	pr. drawers, cotton
3	wash cloths	3	handkerchiefs
1	soap dish	2	ties, cotton
2	T shirts	1	shoe kit
3	pr. socks	1	bath towel
2	pr. shoes	1	tobacco pouch
1	shaving kit	1	money belt
1	sewing kit	1	roll of film, unused
			2 photographs
			1 wallet
			1 lot personal letters
			1 leather picture
			Folder

Receipt is also acknowledged of the sum of -----Thirty-six and 50/100-----

-----Dollars (\$36.50-----), found among the effects of said
deceased soldier.

Subscribed at Perth Amboy, New Jersey on this 27th day of March,
1944.

Witnessed

Eleanor Jacobsen.
(Signature of witness)

Alfreda M. Peterson
(Signature of claimant in ink)

192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, N. J.
(Address)

192 Sherman St.
Perth Amboy, New Jersey
(Address)

EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER, ETOUSA

SUMMARY COUNT

DEPOT G-4

APO 507

United States Army

15th January, 1944.

Control No. 4898

SUBJECT: Closing Statement, Account of S/Sgt. JOHN J. PETERSON...TO: Effects Quartermaster, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot,
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri.

1. Submitted herewith is complete file of:

Name... PETERSON, JOHN J. Rank, STAFF SERGEANT...ASN... 32394207 Status... Deceased... 16th September 1943...Organization 571st Bomb Squadron (H) APO 634.....Beneficiary Mrs. Alfreda Peterson (Wife)... 192 Sherman St. PERTH AMBOY, N.J2. Personal effects were shipped... 7th December, 1943,...3. Financial Statement:RECEIPTS:

Incl.#	Date	Details	Dollars	Sterling
1	28 Sept. 1943.	W.D. A.G.O Form No. 54.	\$36.50	

Total to be accounted for: \$36.50DISBURSEMENTS:

Incl.#	Date	Details	Amount
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Total disbursements

None

Balance

\$36.50

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*Sterling converted for transmission to U.S.

Total dollar balance

\$36.50

Inclosed check to Effects QM, Kansas City

\$36.50

Balance at this office

None4. Remarks: None

5. Account is now closed at this office.

6. Request acknowledgment of receipt by indorsement on the reverse side hereof.

EDWARD CHAYES
Major, Q.M.C.
Effects QM, ETOUSA......Incls. Incl. ~~1~~, Complete file of subject person.Incl.²..., U.S. Treasury check #5,998 dated 14 Jan. 1944.

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

MAR 11 1944

Suspense March 22, 1944

Case No. 32976 D tmc

Date March 8, 1944

MEMORANDUM TO Warehouse Branch:

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

Effects of: S/Sgt. John J. Peterson Serial No. 32394207

Ship to: Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson

Street and Number 192 Sherman Street

City and State Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Ship Via: James J. ... Gov't B/L No. _____

Monday
For the Effects Quartermaster

LIST OF PACKAGES SHIPPED

Franked Mail -- 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ or less _____
Parcel Post Charges _____
Estimated Express Charges _____
Estimated Freight Charges _____

Total Number of Pieces: _____ Shipping Clerk _____
Weight of Shipment: _____ Date MAR 10 1944

192 Sherman St. 32976

Perth Amboy, N.J.

March 2, 1944

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Re:- 32976L

1/1/44

Gentlemen:-

In reference to your letter of
Feb. 28, 1944 in which you ask
me to confirm my address.

My address is:-

Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson
192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, N.J.

Thank you for the information.

Yours very truly,
(Mrs) Alfreda M. Peterson

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

32976D

(S-3-28-44)
JRM:LP:as
February 28, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO: _____

Mrs. Alfreda M. Peterson
192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Peterson:

With reference to our previous correspondence, the Army Effects Bureau has now received from overseas some personal property of your husband, Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson.

We know you want to receive this property quickly, however, before making shipment, we would like to have you confirm your address.

Please mail your reply in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage. Use of this specially marked envelope will accelerate shipment of the property.

Yours very truly,

LEON D. GLASSCOCK
Captain C.M.C.
Assistant

1 Incl.
Envelope

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
32976 601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI
JRM:CB:ad
January 28, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

Mrs. Alfreda Peterson
192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Dear Mrs. Peterson:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter inquiring about the personal effects of your husband, Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson.

We have carefully checked our records and regrettably we have not received any information regarding Sergeant Peterson's belongings.

All War Department agencies are under instruction to forward the personal property of military personnel to the Army Effects Bureau for disposition, and it is reasonable to assume that his property ultimately will be received here; however, because of transportation difficulties, considerable time may elapse before the shipment arrives here.

Your inquiry has been permanently recorded and you will be notified promptly upon receipt of any information.

If you change your address in the near future, you should advise us.

Yours very truly,

E.A. CUNNINGHAM
1st Lt. Q.M.C.
Assistant

MARINE FREIGHT

7/11/13

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DAN CARROLL
12/28/43

Checker

RPB-2-25-41-300M

32976
192 Sherman Street
Perth Amboy, N. J.
Nov. 8, 1943.

Effects Quartermaster
Kansas City
Missouri

Re: A.G. 201 Peterson, John, J.
(25 Sep 43) PC-N268068 (18)

Gentlemen:-

I have been notified that my husband, Staff Sergeant John J. Peterson A.S.N. 32394207, was killed in action on Sept. 16, 1943 in a letter received from Major General, J. A. Ulloa, The Adjutant General dated Oct 7, 1943.

I am interested in obtaining any information you are in a position to give me at this time in regard to his personal belongings, i.e., personal items which were in his locker at his base.

Thank you for giving this matter your kind and immediate attention.

Yours very truly,
Mrs. Alfreda Peterson