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DURBOROW, ^{John} ~~Paul~~ J. B.

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8 July 1949

2nd Lt Paul J. Durborow, ASN O 710 240

Plot P, Row 5, Grave 13

2nd Lt John B. Durborow, ASN O 811 037

Plot P, Row 6, Grave 14

Headstones: Crosses

Margraten (Holland) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1515 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved ones 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 headstones. The headstones will be inscribed with the names 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 names 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. FELEMAN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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20 Sep 40

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

DURBOROW	JOHN	B	2 LT	O-811037
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Initial)	(Rank)	(ASN)

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

STATION FILE

Incl #

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION AREA SEARCH

Evacuation Number
IF 2271 D

AGRC Form 10 (Revised)

27 December 1946

1 January 1946

Date

NAME DURBORON, John B. RANK 2nd Lt ASN O-F11037

ORGANIZATION 453 B. GP (M) A.A.F.

MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION One Identification tag found around neck.

(All statements above this line will be completed, upon final) processing, by the clerical staff at the unit processing point.)

SECTION A — GENERAL (To be completed by investigators in all cases)

1. Was positive identity acquired for the deceased through the surface investigation? No If so, state the following information:

a. NAME _____ RANK _____ ASN _____

b. ORGANIZATION _____

2. Was partial identification established? No If so, state the facts as to whom you believe the deceased to be:

a. NAME UNKNOWN RANK Unknown ASN Unknown

b. ORGANIZATION AAF

3. NAMES OF OTHER DECEASED BURIED IN IMMEDIATE VICINITY Eight Unknown American

(Use reverse side for listing of crew members from MACR)

a. Date of above burials 11 April, 1944 Common Graves? Yes

5. Name and Type of Cemetery Wistedt Civ. Cemetery
(Military or Civilian)

6. Map Coordinates of the Cemetery M 53/Y 17 1/250,000

a. Town Wistedt, Bag Country Germany

7. Give exact location in cemetery of the remains.

a. Section American Row 1 Grave 2

b. Is sketch attached? Yes

8. If remains are not located in a cemetery, give exact location.

a. Town _____ Coordinates _____

b. Is Sketch attached? _____) Does not apply

c. Is area mined? _____)

9. How is the grave marked? Wooden cross

10. If grave is marked with cross, give exact markings thereon Writing washed off

a. From what source was this information obtained? German Mil.

(Identification tags, personal effects)

1. By whom Burgermeister

11. Where are the cemetery records? Burgermeister's office
(Town Hall, cemetery, burgermeister's office)

- a. What information was contained thereon? On 9 April 1944, two planes shot down -- 9 men buried, ten men never found because of explosion.
- b. Where was the information obtained? German Mil.
- c. By whom? Burgermeister
12. What is the date of death? 9 April 1944
- a. Give basis Verbal Civ. report, Cemetery records
13. What is the cause of death? Killed in plane crash
- b. Give basis Verbal Civ. Report, Cem. records
14. What is the date of burial? 11 April 1944
- a. Give basis Verbal Civ. Report
15. What was the place of death? Wistedt, Magdeburg, Germany Coords M 53/ M 5 (20-74)
- b. Give basis Verbal Civ. Report 1/100.000
16. Where were the remains found? In vicinity of Wistedt Coords M 53/M 5 (20-74)
- a. By whom? German Mil. 1/100.000
- b. Is sketch attached? No
17. Was a casket used? No Who furnished the casket? ---
- Type of casket --- How marked? ---
18. Who made the burial Polish P.W.'s.
(Civilian, American Mil. or German Mil.)
- a. What are the names and addresses? Unknown

SECTION B — AIR CORPS DECEASED (To be completed only if deceased is believed to be a member of the AAF).

19. Were remains found in the plane wreckage? No
- a. Give location in plane from which the bodies were removed not applicable
- (Tail gunner, pilot, radio, turret, etc., or front, side of plane)
- b. Near wreckage? Yes
20. Scene of crash must be investigated. Give complete results of investigation (if removed, state when and by whom).
- a. Type of Plane 4-motored Bomber
- b. Markings and/or name on plane Unknown
- c. Give numbers on motors, machine guns, instruments, radios or other equipment: Unable to take number because plane has been removed by German military
21. How did crash occur? Shot down Anti-aircraft No
- Enemy Planes? Yes Collision? No
22. Did plane explode in the air? Yes On ground? No
23. Did plane burn in the air? Yes On ground? Yes
24. What was the direction of the flight? West to East
25. What was the civilian opinion regarding destination of plane? To bomb Berlin

26. Had bombs been released prior to the crash? Yes
27. Does specific time and date of crash correspond with date of death of above named deceased? Yes
28. Number of planes in formation prior to crash 100 (estimated)
29. State precise time and date of plane crash 1330 hr. 9 April 1944
(Night?) (Day?)
30. Were parachutists seen? Yes How many? 3 Escaped? None
Prisoners? 3 (two were dead)

SECTION C — ARMORED CORPS DECEASED (To be completed only if deceased is believed to have been a member of the Armored Force).

31. Were remains found in wreckage of a tank? Does not apply
a. Give specific position in tank from which deceased was removed
(Radio man, driver, assistant driver or . . . front, side, or back)
b. Near wreckage?
32. Location of destroyed tank must be investigated. Give complete results of investigation. (If removed, state when and by whom)
a. Type of tank
b. Markings and/or name of tank
c. Numbers on motors, machine guns, ammunition, instruments, etc
33. What was the type of enemy action that resulted in the tank's disablement?
34. Did tank explode? Burn?
35. Number of tanks in immediate vicinity at time of disablement
36. Does specific time and date of disablement correspond with date of death of above named deceased?
37. Precise time and date of destruction of tank
(Night?) (Day?)
38. Did any of the crew members escape? Prisoners?

SECTION D — OTHER BRANCH (To be filled out if B & C are not applicable).

39. Did death occur from any other means? (i. e., truck, jeep, mines, drowning, or small arms fire) Does not apply
If so, give complete and thorough results of the interrogation.
a. Are all certificates and statements of people who possessed knowledge of the case attached?
40. State the specific clues and evidence that were obtained in securing the name and facts regarding the above listed deceased

SECTION E — GENERAL (To be completed by investigation in all cases)

41. Were personal effects recovered by the investigating team? No
If not, state reason Removed by German Mil.
a. Were identification tags found at the time of death? Unknown
Where? --- By whom? ---
Present disposition Unknown

If deceased is not identified, personal effects will not be forwarded to PE Depot, but will remain with this form until final identification is made, or investigation is abandoned.

Evacuation Number
1F 2271 A

NARRATIVE OF DISINTERMENT
WISTEDT, GERMANY

4 December 1946

On the 4th of December, disinterment team # 2 disinterred from the civilian cemetery of Wistedt, Germany (M 53 / Y 17 1/2, the remains of nine (9) American deceased. The remains were buried in a common grave, no coffins used. Positive identity was established on seven (7) of the remains. They are as follows:

FRED I. FISHER 35527280 - One (1) identification tag around neck of remains.
GOFF, KYLE R. 0-688696 - One (1) identification tag around neck of remains.
CROMB, RICHARD L. 0-695631 - One (1) identification tag around neck of remains.
DURBOROW, JOHN B. 0-811037 - One (1) identification tag around neck of remains.
DICK, JAMES B. 19181027 - Two (2) identification tags found around neck of remains.
BERGMAN, AUGUST V. 0-681712 - One (1) identification tag found around neck of remains.
COLE, WILLIS V. 39407665 - One (1) identification tag found around neck of remains.

No clues to the identity of the two (2) remaining deceased were found.

On attached copy of MACR are listed the names of ten (10) men, nine (9) carried as PDD and one (1) carried as KIA. A note is also found on this MACR dating the burial place of nine (9) of these men as Wistedt, Germany. This corresponds with findings upon disinterment.

The two (2) unknown exhumed could be any two (2) of the three (3) listed on attached MACR not identified upon disinterment.

John W. Dyson
S/SGT. JOHN W. DYSON

DISINTERMENT NON COM
95th TC TRK BN.

Chemical Laboratory Examination revealed the following:

(A) Officer's Pay data Card- "John B. Durborow, 2nd Lt. AC, O-811037.

(B) Bond receipt- Durborow, John B. (Aviation cadet Dec, 6, 1937 20322927

1. Register bonds at

1615 Park St., Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

2. Mail bonds to

Mrs. Edith Z. Durborow

1615 Park St. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

(c) Army Air Force Physical Record Card- Blood type "B" 2nd Lt.

Durborow, John B. (d) Immunization Register- John B. Durborow (E) AGO card- John Bernard Durborow, 2nd Lt., AC O-811037 (signature of John B. Durborow) Date of birth- Febr. 24, 1919 Color Eyes- hazel Color Hair- brown. weight- 150 lbs, height- 5 ft 7½ in., date issued Sept. 11 1943. (Photos and fingerprints present). (F) Motor vehicle Operator's license- Signature of John B. Durborow. Operator's license 1943-4478778 57 132 Blue Brown John Bernard Durborow, 1615 Park St., Harrisburg Dan Co. Pa.

(G) Membership card- Shangri-La Club- Name Durborow, J.B. Lt, twice.

(H) Allotment receipt- Allotter- Durborow, John B. C-811037

Grade - 2nd Lt. \$ 150.00 (monthly amount)

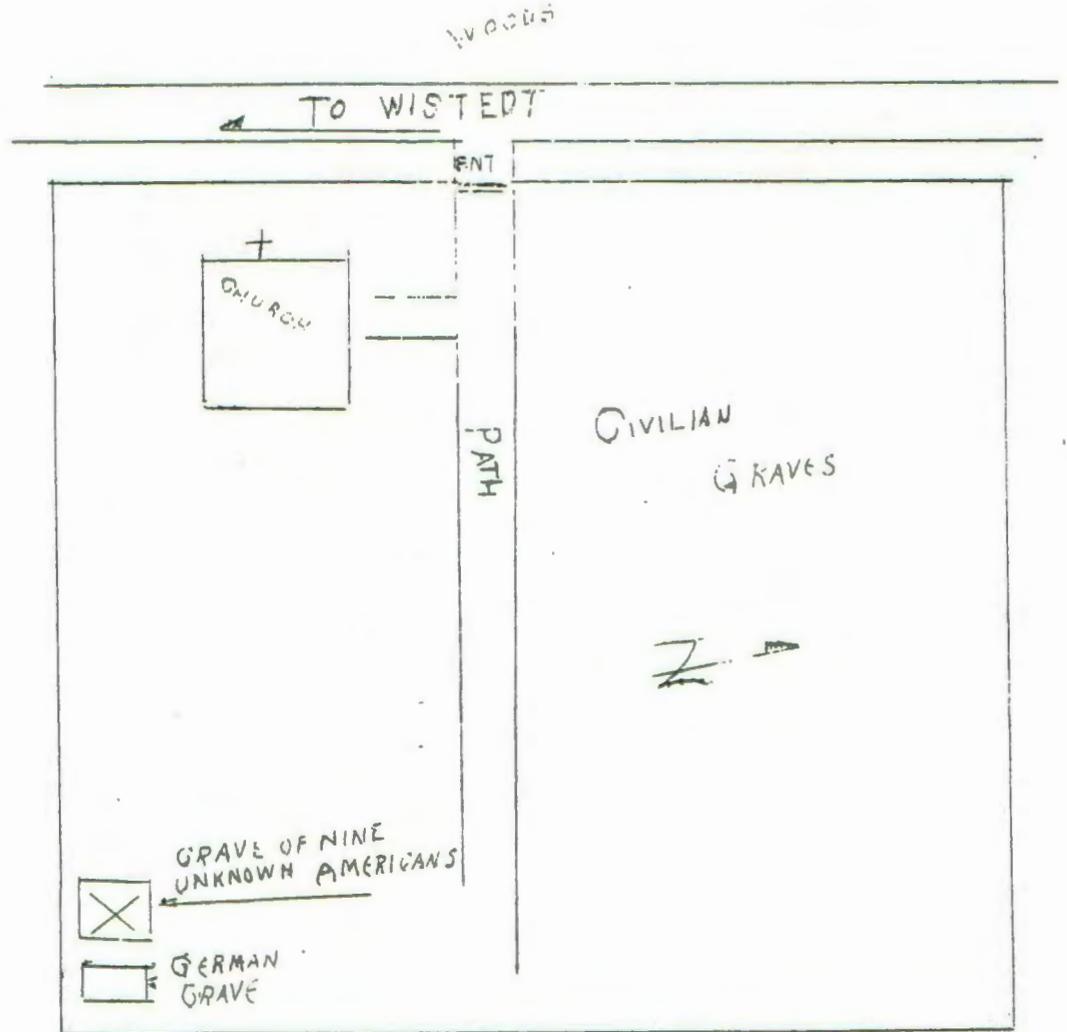
Allottee

Mrs Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park St.
Harrisburg, Pa

Commanding Officer of Allotter

Lt. John B. Durborow
733rd Bomb Sqd.
March Field, Calif.

Evaluation Number
IF 2271 D



WISTEDT CIVILIAN CEMETERY
M53/M5 (20-74) 1/100,000
WISTEDT, GERMANY

NOTICE OF DISINTERMENT

GRS-GZ Form No. 8

vacuation Number
1F 2271 D

Date 4 December 1946

The below listed U.S. deceased personnel have this date been disinterred from the location as shown and have been evacuated to U. S. Military Cemetery, ~~St. Avelde, France~~ for reburial.
Neuville en Condroz, Belgium (VK 390187)

<u>DURBOROW, JOHN B.</u>	<u>2nd Lt.</u>	<u>0-811037</u>	<u>Wistedt, Germany</u>
(NAME)	(RANK)	(ASN)	(PLACE OF DISINTERMENT)
			M 53/Y 17 1/250.000
			If communal cemetery
			show Plot, Row and
			Grave No., if available.

John W. Dyson

S/SGT. JOHN W. DYSON

(Officer or NCO in charge of Disinterment)

95th TC TRK BN

(Organization)

Belt. Web None

Drawers. Wool None

Drawers. Cotton One (1) marked D-2927

Leggings. Wool None (Note unusual lacing)

Socks. Cotton None

*Shoes (type) None

Overshoes Fleece lined flying boots with electrical inserts

Web Equipment (type) None

(Other item) One (1) cotton handkerchief marked D-1037. Electrically heated flying suit. One (1) suntan necktie type P-1- Remnants of parachute. One (1) (Other item) flying coveralls. Remnants of map in a case- One electrically heated glove.

*If body is nude, sizes of these items should be computed by measuring the remains.

6. Chevrons or Insignia None
(type & location; shirt, jacket, coat, helmet)

Shoulder Patch None

7. Does clothing indicate that deceased was a member of the Air, Ground or Naval Forces

Air Forces

8. Description of Remains: _____

Age UTD est. Height 5'7" est. Weight 135Lbs Description of wounds UTD

Bandages or dressings UTD Scars UTD
(Length, width, location)

Tattoos UTD
(Number, location - illustrate on sep. page)

Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks UTD
(yes-no; description, location)

Sunburn or tan, other than hands & face UTD

Complexion UTD
(light, med, dark, clear, pimples, pecks, freckles)

Build UTD
(large, fat, thin, muscular)

Hair Medium brown approx. 2 1/2 inches long straight.
(color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight, whorls, or definite parting)

Hair UTD
(baldness, widows peak, distinctive cutting or other characteristics)

CHECK LIST OF UNKNOWN

(to be completely filled out and attached to each
copy of Report of Interment WD OMC Form 1042)

Name : DUBOROW, John B
2nd Lt. O-811037

Unknown X
Cemetery Neuville en Condroz, Belgium
Plot _____ Row _____ Grave (VR 390187)

Date processed: 16 December 1946

1. ~~Place of interment~~ _____
(Hour) (date)

2. Place of death Wistedt, Magdeburg Province, Germany
(Name of closest town) (coordinates and letter Prefex, map)
M53Y17 1:250.000

Sheet, scale and serials used.

3. Remains ~~excavated~~ disinterred by 95th TC Trk Bn
(Name and organization)

4. Evacuated to Cemetery by Central Identification Point
(Name and organization)

5. Description of clothing and equipment: (if clothes do not fit, obtain size from body measurements).

Item	Clothing Markings	Sizes	Color	Indicate unusual markings wear, tear, repairs, etc.
*Headgear	None (type)			
Raincoat	None			
Overcoat	None			
Jacket, Field	None			
Jacket, Combat	None			
Mackinaw	None			
Sweater	None			
Jacket, HBT	None			
*Shirt, Wool, OD	One, (1) Officers type			
Undershirt, Wool	None			
Undershirt, Cotton	(1) One marked D-1037			
Trousers HBT	None			
*Trousers, Wool OD	One (1) size W31-L31			

REGISTER OF DENTAL PATIENTS AT

(1) SURNAME		(2) CHRISTIAN NAME					
Barborow		John B					
(3) RANK	(4) COMPANY	(5) REGIMENT OR STAFF CORPS					
2nd Lt							
(6) AGE, YEARS	(7) RACE	(8) NATIVITY	(9) SERVICE, YEARS				
24	W	Penn	6 yr				
DENTAL IDENTIFICATION RECORD							
				(10) DISEASE OR INJURY WITH LOCATION, COMPLICATIONS, SEQUELAE, ETC.			
				(11) DATES AND NATURE OF TREATMENTS AND OPERATIONS			
(12) RESULTS AND REMARKS							
File APR 13 1949 G. W. ROGERS Capt., QMC Identification Branch							

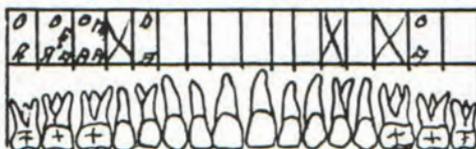
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Form 79—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, U. S. A.
(Revised Feb. 24, 1941)

*REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY

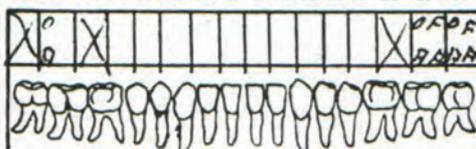
UPPER TEETH

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



LOWER TEETH

Right Left
16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16



CLASS IV

Occlusion II: Calculus: Slight, Medium, Heavy

Periodontoclasia None

Dental foci suspected: Yes No

Other conditions _____

L-13 - deciduous - DOA

Date Dec 14, 1943

J. J. ...
Dental Corps, U. S. A.

*Restorable carious teeth by O
Nonrestorable carious teeth by /
Missing natural teeth by X

Teeth replaced by denture
(horizontal line)

X	X	X
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Teeth replaced by fixed bridge
(oval to include abutments)

(X)
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RIGHT								LEFT							
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A	A	m	A	A									A		

16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
X	o										do	o	o		X
A	X										A	A	A		

(over)

Form 64

29th Bombardment Group Dispensary

Have this form completed at the Base Dental Clinic, Base Hospital immediately return to this office.

NAME: DURBOROW, JOHN B

RANK: 2nd LT.

ASN 0-811037

ORGANIZATION: HBC.

AGE: 24

SEX: W

DATE: 9-10-43

DENTAL IDENTIFICATION RECORD

CLASS LV

OCCCLUSION: N

OTHER CONDITIONS:

13 Deciduous

Use symbols according to Form 79 H.D. for recording prostheses.

REGISTER OF DENTAL

Maxwell Field, Ala

(1) SURNAME		(2) CHRISTIAN NAME	
Durborow, John B.		20322927-	
(3) RANK	(4) COMPANY	(5) REGIMENT OR STAFF CORPS	
A/c	Pilot		
(6) AGE, YEARS	(7) RACE	(8) NATIVITY	(9) SERVICE, YEARS
24	W.	Pa.	2-4/12

Dental Dept										(10) DISEASE OR INJURY WITH LOCATION, COMPLICATIONS, SEQUELAE, ETC.

Dental Dept										(11) DATES AND NATURE OF TREATMENTS AND OPERATIONS

										(12) RESULTS AND REMARKS

Dental Corps, U. S. A.

***REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY**

UPPER TEETH

C		Right								Left								O	
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	7	8		

LOWER TEETH

C		Right								Left								O	
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	15	16		

II Scissors

CLASS _____

Occlusion _____: Calculus: Slight, Medium, Heavy
 Periodontoclasia _____
 Dental foci suspected: Yes No
 Other conditions _____

Date _____, 19____

Dental Corps, U. S. A.

*Restorable carious teeth by O
 Nonrestorable carious teeth by /
 Missing natural teeth by X

Teeth replaced by denture
 (horizontal line)

X	X	X
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Teeth replaced by fixed bridge
 (equal to include abutments)

REGISTER OF DENTAL PATIENTS AT
 34 M. 13-H

Maxwell F. J. ...
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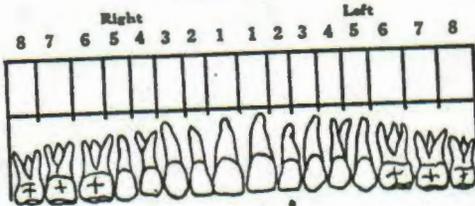
Durborrow, John B. 20322027
 (3) RANK (4) COMPANY (5) REGIMENT OR STAFF CORPS

A/C Pilot
 (6) AGE YEARS (7) RACE (8) NATIVITY (9) SERVICE YEARS
 23 W. Pa. 2 YRS.

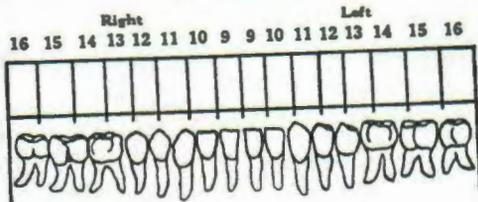
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Calculus	February 1943 12 C.R. PRLX (Routine)	Cpl. H. B. Hovis C1.IV
Caries R-2-M	20 S "	Class I PHG
Caries L-1-D	20 S "	PHG
Caries L-16-F	20 A "	PHG C1.IV

***REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY**

UPPER TEETH



LOWER TEETH



CLASS _____

Occlusion _____: Calculus: Slight, Medium, Heavy

Periodontoclasia _____

Dental foci suspected: Yes No

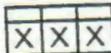
Other conditions _____

Date _____, 19____

Dental Corps, U. S. A.

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Teeth replaced by denture
(horizontal line)



Teeth replaced by fixed bridge
(oval to include abutments)



PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FOR FLYING

(See AR 40-100, 40-105, 40-110)

GS

1. Durborow John Bernard 2LT 13 (Pilot) J-811937 20322927 24 1-1/12
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Grade and arm or service) (Serial No.) (Age) (Years service)

2. Freeman Field Seymour, Indiana 11/42 11/42
(Address) (Purpose of examination) (Date and result last examination)

Student Pilot Flying time as: Pilot 135; observer --; pilot 135; observer --
(Aeronautical ratings) (Total) (Last 6 mos.) (Total) (Last 6 mos.)

3. Temperature 98.6 Vaccinations: Typhoid series, No. 2 Last 9/42; smallpox 11/42 reaction INDUCE
 Tetanus --3/43 Yellow Fever, 2/42

4. Medical history.
(In the case of applicant include family. Has he ever had epilepsy, enuresis, headaches, dizziness, vertigo, fainting, stammering, tic, somnambulism, pavor nocturnus, migraine, insomnia, phobias, anxiety trends, irritability, apathy, elation, depression, sensory disturbances, amnesia, spasms, unconsciousness, repeated episodes of alcoholism, encephalitis, pneumonia, syphilis, renal calculi, tuberculosis, asthma, hay fever, repeated colds, mastoiditis, sinusitis, tonsillitis, arthritis in any form, malaria, severe injuries, major operations, or other pertinent history? Explain fully.)

Measles, mumps, chicken pox--Childhood
Fracture of three ribs, right side, 1927--no complications
Denies any other serious illnesses, injuries, or operations

5. Eye: Inspection Normal Nystagmus None
 6. Associated parallel movements Normal Pupils: Equality Equal Reaction Normal
 7. Visual acuity: R. E., 20/ 20, correctible to 20/ -- L. E., 20/ 20, correctible to 20/ --
 8. Depth perception (uncorrected) 10 mm. With correction -- mm.
 9. Heterophoria at 6 meters: Eso 0 Exo 0 R.H. 0 L.H. 0 Prism divergence 5
 10. Red lens test Normal Angle convergence: PcB 40 mm. Pd 63 mm. 76 °
 11. Accommodation: R. 11.0 D. L. 10.5 D. Addition required for 50 cm. R. -- L. --
(Jaeger type): Right J. 1-13", correctible to J. --; Left J. 1-13", correctible to J. --
 12. Color vision Passes 100
 13. Field of vision (form): R. Normal L. Normal Ophthalmoscopic: R. Normal L. Normal
 14. Refraction: R. reads 20/20 with Not corrected ° L. reads 20/20 with Not corrected °
 15. Ear: History of ear trouble Denies
 16. External ear: R. Normal L. Normal Membrana tympani: R. Normal L. Normal
 17. Hearing (whisper): R. 20 /20. L. 20 /20. Audiometer (percent loss): R. Not Examined
 18. Nares Normal Tonsils Normal

19. Teeth:
 (a) Right (Examinee's) Left

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<u>15</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>		

Indicate: Restorable carious teeth by O; nonrestorable carious teeth by /; missing natural teeth by X. BC
 (b) Remarks, including other defects None
 (c) Prosthetic appliances None (d) Classification IV

20. History of swing, train, air, or sea sickness Denies
 21. Barany chair (when indicated with results) --
 22. Posture Good Figure Medium Frame Medium
(Excellent, good, fair, bad) (Slender, medium, stocky, obese) (Light, medium, heavy)
 23. Height, 66 1/2 inches. Weight, 142 pounds. Chest: Inspiration 32 Expiration 32 Rest 33 Abdomen 32
 24. Skin and lymphatics Normal Endocrine system Normal
 25. Bones, joints, muscles Normal Feet Normal
 26. Heart Normal
 27. Pulse rate, 60-76 B.P.: S. 104-110 D. 60-70 Schneider 16 Pulse immediately after exercise 68
Two minutes after exercise 75 Character Full and regular
 28. Arteries Soft and compressible Varicose veins None

1 Semiannual appointment as cadet, commission in the Air Corps, commission in Air Corps Reserve, transfer to the Air Corps, or any other special purpose.
 2 I, II, III, or IV; see par. 3, AR 40-510. c19-2221-1

W. D., A. G. O. Form No. 64
(May 20, 1941)

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29. Respiratory system Normal
30. X-ray of chest ¹ Negative
31. Abdominal viscera Normal
32. Hernia None Hemorrhoids None
33. Genito-urinary system Normal
34. Nervous system: Reflexes, gait, coordination, musculature, tension, tremor, and other pertinent tests
Normal
35. Laboratory procedures: Kahn¹ Negative Wassermann¹ ---
Urinalysis: Reaction Nil Sp. gr. 1.016 Albumin None Sugar None Microscopical None
36. Estimated adaptability for military aeronautics (if unsatisfactory, state reasons)
Satisfactory
37. Remarks on conditions not sufficiently described None
38. Is the examinee physically qualified for flying duty? Yes If yes, in what class? I
If disqualified, indicate defects by paragraph number
39. Have defects been waived by The Adjutant General? --- If yes, give date ---
If no, is waiver recommended? --- Is request for waiver attached? ---
40. Is the examinee incapacitated for active service? NO If yes, indicate defect by paragraph number ---
41. Corrective measures or other action recommended None
42. If applicant for appointment: Does he meet physical requirements? Yes Do you recommend acceptance with minor physical defects? --- If rejection is recommended, specify cause

Freeman Field
Seymour, Indiana July 19, 1943
(Place) (Date)

Julius E. Culbert
HOLUN E. Culbert, Lt Colonel, Medical Corps.

REVIEWED AND APPROVED:
Julius E. Culbert
HOLUN E. Culbert, Lt Colonel, Medical Corps.
(Senior flight surgeon)

Robert P. Stone
ROBERT P. Stone, JOF, Medical Corps.

Daniel R. Morgan
DANIEL R. Morgan, Captain, Medical Corps.
1st Ind.³

Headquarters 19.....
To the Commanding General,
Remarks and recommendations

(Name) (Grade) (Organisation and arm of service)
.....
Commanding.

2d Ind.³

....., 19..... To The Adjutant General.

¹ Required for candidates for commission, Reserve officers reporting for extended active duty, and applicants for flying cadet.
² State action taken on recommendation of the board. If incapacitated for active service, state whether action by retiring board is recommended.

NOTE.—Use typewriter if practicable. Attach additional plain sheets if required.

IDENTIFICATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION

IDENTIFICATION DATA

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL: *91*
DURBOROW JOHN B

ARMY SERIAL NUMBER: **20322927**
0-811337

GRADE: **2ND LT.**

HEIGHT: **5'7"** WEIGHT: **150** COLOR EYES: **HAZEL** COLOR HAIR: **BROWN** SHOE SIZE: **8D** DATE OF DEATH: **KIA**
4-8-44

LAST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (Give complete designation):
733RD. BOMB. Sq. 453RD BOMB. GP.

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA:
7 MILES SW OF SALZWEDL, GER.

LIST ALL CAMPS IN WHICH STATIONED IN U.S. PRIOR TO SERVICE OVERSEAS, WITH INCLUSIVE DATES AT EACH.

STATION	DATES
AAF BOISE IDAHO MORRISON FLD. FLA.	8-31-43 1-8-44

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS: **not of Rec**

TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTH MARKS: **not of Rec**

DENTAL CHART *19 July 43*

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<i>X</i> 15 <i>X</i> 13 12 11 10 9	9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16
LOWER RIGHT	LOWER LEFT

X - EXTRACTED O - CARIOUS / - CARIOUS NON-RESTORABLE

Il
Last Name

Harbor
First Name

20322927

0-811037

To Clinical Records Branch

For disposition

The records show medical treatment as follows:

Hospital	From	To	Register Number
INDIANTOWN GAR. PENN.	4-3-41	4-5-41	2366
MAXWELL FLD MASS.	1-30-43	7-8-43	26055
HAF MALDEN Mo.	5-8-43	5-18-43	184
GOWEN FLD. T DANC	9-5-43	9-7-43	7317

Q.E.
Clerk

9/12/43
Date

SPC
Branch

WAR 93
Durborow, Paul J.
SN O 710 240

21 September 1948

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

Reference is made to the "Request for Disposition of Remains" forms regarding the final interment of the remains of your sons, the late Second Lieutenant Paul J. Durborow, and Second Lieutenant John B. Durborow.

The United States Military Cemetery, Margraten, Holland, has been designated as a permanent military cemetery for the interment of the honored dead of World War II, and it will be possible to inter the remains of your sons in adjoining grave sites in this cemetery.

All necessary arrangements for burial, military honors and religious services will be completed and provided by the Government. Please rest assured that although you cannot be present, every detail will be accomplished with all the reverence and dignity traditional for our honored dead.

When the final interment has been accomplished, you will be informed of the date of burial and exact location within the cemetery. The flags used to drape the caskets of your sons during the burial ceremony will also be sent to you.

My deepest sympathy is extended to you in your great loss, and if we can be of further assistance do not hesitate to contact us at your convenience.

Sincerely yours,

mjp

J. F. TOUL
Captain, MC
Memorial Division

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

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QMCMO 293

Durbarow, John B., 2/Lt

O 811 037

Durbarow, Paul J., 2/Lt

O 710 240

20 April 1948

SUBJECT: Side by Side Interment of Remains

TO: Commanding General
American Graves Registration Command
European Area
APO 58, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. Inclosed are disinterment directives, copies 1 through 4, as follows:

a. No. 1260 90019 for 2/Lt John B. Durbarow, O 811 037, now interred in Neuville-En-Condroz, Belgium.

X 298 No. 4650 04788 for 2/Lt Paul J. Durbarow, O 710 240, now interred in Margraten, Holland.

2. The next of kin has requested that the remains of these two brothers be permanently interred side by side in the U. S. Military Cemetery Margraten, Holland.

It is requested that necessary action be taken to comply with the desires of the next of kin, and this office be notified when the action has been completed.

Request acknowledgment of receipt of this communication.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

APR 20 10 00 AM '48
O. D. H. G. RECORDS DIV.

2 Incls
1-DD 1260 90019
2-DD 4650 04788

L. E. TALENT
Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

APR 20 8 37 AM '48
MEMORIAL DIVISION

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Basic ltr, Dept of the Army, CGM, SIGMO 293, Subject: Side
by Side Interment of Remains, dated 20 April 1948

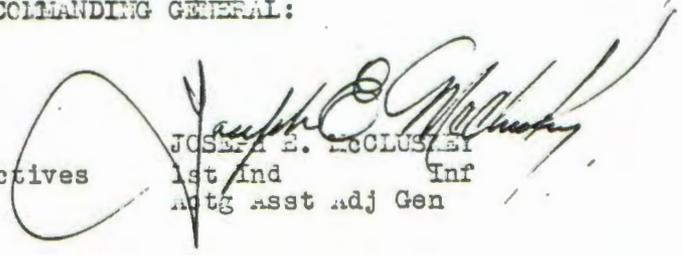
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Hq, American Graves Registration Command, European Area, APO
58, U S Army, 2 June 1948

TO: The Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D C
ATTENTION: Memorial Division

Receipt acknowledged.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:



2 Incls w/d
Disinterment Directives

JOSEPH E. MCCLUSKEY
1st Ind Inf
Actg Asst Adj Gen

*NAN file
General
109-48*

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
~~WAR DEPARTMENT~~

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

IN REPLY REFER TO QMGM 293
Durborow, John B., 2/Lt
O 811 037
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4. Request acknowledgment of receipt of this communication.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

2 Incls
1-DD 1260 90019
2-DD 4650 04788

L. R. Talbot
L. R. TALBOT
Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

RECEIVED
O. G. M. G.
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

DUE, HOUR AND DATE

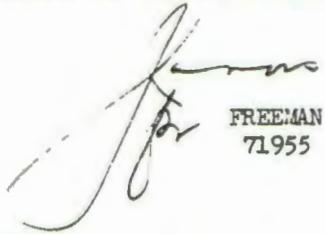
1 NO.	2 FROM-	3 TO-	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
1	Oper Br Mem Div	Fam Cor Branch	19 Apr 48	<p>1. Returned herewith are 293 files pertaining to the Duborow Brothers, together with a copy of a letter prepared by this branch directing AGRC-EA to take the necessary action to comply with the desire of the NOK.</p> <p>2. Copies 5 through 9 of DD's are returned for your disposition.</p> <p><i>for Pennypacker</i> TALBOT</p> <p>ELLIOTT 4458</p> <p>FILE 27 SEP 1948 <i>Int. c</i> <i>Wardlaw Co.</i></p>

THIS FORM WILL REMAIN PART OF THE OFFICIAL FILE

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	Chief, Fam Corres Br, Accept Sect, Mem Div	Chief, Opns Br, Mem Div	16 Apr 1948	<p style="text-align: right;">JF/PKd/dem/74173</p> <p>SUBJECT: BROTHERS (SIDE BY SIDE BURIAL OVERSEAS)</p> <p>2/Lt John B. Durborow, O 811 037 Neuville-an-Condroz, Belgium U 3 56</p> <p>2/Lt Paul J. Durborow, O 710 240 Margraten, Holland, JJ 8 198</p> <p>1. Forwarded herewith are 293 files with Disinterment Directives attached for the above-named deceased.</p> <p>2. Request necessary action be taken to insure side-by-side burial in Margraten, Holland.</p> <p>3. Request upon completion of action by your Branch, files be returned to this office for further action.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">  FREEMAN 71955 </p> <p style="text-align: right;">  MULLIGAN 5057 </p> <p>Incls. 293 with DD attached for John B. Durborow 293 with DD attached for Paul J. Durborow</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">FILE</p> <p style="text-align: right;">27 SEP 1948 Dat. Barlow &</p>

THIS FORM WILL REMAIN PART OF THE OFFICIAL FILE

RE: Burial of 2d Lt John B. Durborow, O 811 037
Plot U, Row 3, Grave 56
United States Military Cemetery
Neuville-en-Condros, Belgium

1615 Park St.
Harrisburg, Pa.
22 January 1948

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Memorial Division, Department of the Army
Washington 25, D. C.
ATTN: Thomas B. Larkin, Major General
The Quartermaster General

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 15 January 1948, regarding burial of my brother, 2d Lt John B. Durborow, O 811 037, and of instructions and forms inclosed therein.

However, it may be noted that none of the four options listed in the application and instructions cover the disposition desired by my mother, who is the next of kin, nor my own.

An explanation of the circumstances which prompt this decision is necessary. It is as follows:

Two of my brothers lost their lives in combat overseas. The other brother 2d Lt Paul J. Durborow, O 710 240, is now permanently interred in Plot JJ, Row 8, Grave 198, United States Military Cemetery, Margraten, Holland. It is our desire that 2d Lt John B. Durborow, O 811 037, be removed to the United States Military Cemetery at Margraten, Holland, and permanently interred with, or as near as possible to 2d Lt Paul J. Durborow. Since the remains of several of the men buried near this grave are being returned to the United States, it is possible that there are now graves available next to my brother's grave. A notation expressing this desire was included in the "Request for Disposition of Remains" for 2d Lt Paul J. Durborow, O 710 240, which was returned to your Office approximately one (1) month ago.

For the reasons given above, the OQMG Form 345 Military "Request for Disposition of Remains," is not being returned for 2d Lt John B. Durborow, O 811 037, pending further instructions from your Office.

The local Veteran's Administration Office located at 3d & Walnut Sts., Harrisburg, Pa., has requested to be advised of the action taken regarding this request, so that in the future it may offer advice to persons in a similar situation who ask assistance.

Sincerely,

JOSEPH P. DURBOROW

for Mrs. Edith M. Durborow (Mother of the Deceased)
1615 Park St., Harrisburg, Pa.

Handwritten notes:
Make
1/27/48
A. M. Durborow
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REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

2/Lt. John B. Durborow, O 811 037
 Plot N, Row 3, Grave 56
 United States Military Cemetery
 Neuville-en-Condroz, Belgium

A		C	
B		D	

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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

PART I

I, Edith M. Durborow (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. Margraten, Holland
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 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.)

SIDE BY SIDE BURIAL

BRO: 2/LT PAUL J. DURBOROW, O 710 240

MARGRATEN, HOLLAND JJ 8 198

BROTHERS

*FILE
 27 SEP 1948
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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	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.
EXPRESS OFFICE (<i>Nearest railroad passenger station</i>)		

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 (<i>Nearest railroad passenger station</i>)	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.

<u>/s/ Edith M. Durborow</u> <small>(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)</small>	<u>1615 Park Street</u> <small>(STREET AND NUMBER)</small>
<u>EDITH M. DURBOROW</u> <small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	<u>Harrisburg, Pennsylvania</u> <small>(CITY AND STATE)</small>

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)

2nd Lt John B. Durborow, O 311 037
Plot U, Row 3, Grave 36,
United States Military Cemetery
Neuville-en-Condrez, Belgium

15 January 1943

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

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.

Incls. *3*

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O. O. M. C.
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF ARMY

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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QMGMM 293
Durborow, John B.
SN O 811 037

12 DEC 1947

SUBJECT: Burial Records

TO: Commanding General
American Graves Registration Command
European Area
APO 58, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. Request the burial report and grave marker for the following decedent, interred in the United States Military Cemetery Neuville-en-Condroz, Belgium, be changed to read as underscored:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK/ GRADE</u>	<u>SERIAL NO.</u>	<u>RACE</u>	<u>PLOT</u>	<u>ROW</u>	<u>GRAVE</u>
Durborow, John B.	2d Lt.	O 811 037	<u>White</u>	U	3	56

2. The records of this office have been reverified with the records of the Adjutant General, Department of The Army, and have been found to be correct as indicated above.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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DEC 12 11 20 AM '47
O. Q. M. G.
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

MARK J. GILL
Major, QMG
Memorial Division

DEC 12 9 53 AM '47
MEMORIAL DIVISION
RECORDS BRANCH

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(Basic Ltr WD O.A.G., ~~MGMM~~ 293 Durborow, John B. SN O 811 037, dtd 20 May 1947).

RRE 293.9 (IB) 1st Ind

Hq American Graves Registration Command, European Area, APO 58, US Army, 19 August 1947.

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

1. Second Lieutenant John B. Durborow, O-811037 has been reburied in US Military Cemetery Neuville-en-Condroz, plot U, row 3, grave 56.

2. Report of Interment was forwarded your office by letter of transmittal #2223, dated 4 March 1947.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Walter B. Morrow
WALTER B. MORROW
Major, Infantry
Actg Asst Adj Gen

Incl: w/d

file
11 Aug 47
U.S. Army
AGM



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

In Reply Refer To
~~AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION FORM 293~~
Durborow, John B.
SN O-311 037

20 MAY 1947

SUBJECT: Additional Information That May Lead to the Recovery
and Identification of Remains Not Yet Accounted For

TO: Commanding ~~OFFICE~~ General
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
~~AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION~~
New York, New York

1. There is attached hereto, in duplicate, OQMG Form 371
(covering all available information in the Office of The Quartermaster
General and is in addition to any previous information forwarded by
this office to your headquarters) for the following deceased individual:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>SERIAL NO.</u>
Durborow, John B.	2nd Lt.	O-311 037

2. It is requested that information on the above deceased be
furnished this office in accordance with the provisions of radio, this
headquarters, No. WCL 37057, dated 13 December 1946.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

1- Incl
Form 371 (5 Cys)

Martin G. Riley
MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMG
Memorial Division

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

20 MAY 1947

In Reply Refer To
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Durberow, John B.
SN -811 037

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American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
New York, New York

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furnished this office in accordance with the provisions of radio, this
headquarters, No. WCL 37087, dated 13 December 1946.

MAY 10 12 11 PM '47
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

1- Incl
Form 371 (5 Cys)

MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMG
Memorial Division

MAY 20 11 14 AM '47
MEMORIAL DIVISION
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RECORDS BRANCH

293 FILE		DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED			
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) Darborow, John D.			GRADE 2nd Lt	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER O-811 037	
ORGANIZATION 733rd Scab. Sq. 433rd Bomb. Grp.		RACE White	CREED Catholic	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)	
DATE OF DEATH/MIA 8 April 44	CAUSE OF DEATH MIA		PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA Plane crashed near Ristedt, Germany, about 7 miles SW of Salzwedel, Germany.		
DATE OF FOD					
HEIGHT 5'7"	WEIGHT 150	COLOR EYES Hazel	COLOR HAIR Brown	SHOE SIZE 8-9	
DENTAL CHART 19 July 43					
UPPER RIGHT			UPPER LEFT		
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X = Extracted		O = Carious		1 = Carious Non-Restorable	
FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS			TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK		
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION					
Age: 25					
Buried: Cemetery Ristedt, Germany as per German case report #1 1376.					
NACH 3923					

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HEADQUARTERS ARMY AIR FORCES
WASHINGTON

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MISSING AIR CREW REPORT

IMPORTANT: This report will be compiled in triplicate by each Army Air Forces organization within 48 hours of the time an aircraft is officially report missing.

1. ORGANIZATION: Location: AAF STATION 144 Command or Air Force 8TH AF
GROUP 453RD BOMB; SQUADRON 733RD BOMB; DETACHMENT _____
2. SPECIFY: Point of Departure AAF STATION 144; Course _____
Intended Destination BRUNSWICK, GERMANY; Type of Mission OPERATIONAL
3. WEATHER CONDITIONS AND VISIBILITY AT TIME OF CRASH OR WHEN LAST REPORTED: SEE COPY OF WEATHER REPORT ATTACHED.
4. GIVE: (a) Date 8 APR 44 Time 1400; And Location of Last known whereabouts of missing aircraft NEAR SALZWEDEL
(b) Specify whether () Last sighted; () Last contacted by radio; () Forced down; Seen to Crash; or () Information not available.
5. AIRCRAFT WAS LOST, OR IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN LOST, AS A RESULT OF (Check only one: (X) Enemy Aircraft; () Enemy Anti-Aircraft; () Other Circumstances as follows CIRCUMSTANCES UNKNOWN
6. AIRCRAFT: Type, Model and Series B-24 H AAF Serial No. 4264464
7. ENGINES: Type, Model and Series P-1820-G; AAF Serial No. (a) CP-300191 (b) BP-425785 (c) BP-425720 (d) BP-425704
8. INSTALLED WEAPONS (Furnish below Make, Type and Serial Number)
(a) 10 BROWNING (b) AUTOMATIC (c) MACHINE GUNS (d) A/C FLEX
(e) _____ (f) _____ (g) _____ (h) _____
9. THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW WERE REPORTED AS: (a) Battle Casualty X
or (b) Non-Battle Casualty _____
10. NUMBER OF PERSONS ABOARD AIRCRAFT: Crew 10; Passengers 0; Total 10
(Starting with pilot, furnish the following particulars: If more than 11 persons were aboard aircraft, list similar particulars on separate sheet and attached original to this form).

Crew Position	Name in Full (Last Name First)	Rank	Serial Number	Status
1. Pilot	BERGMAN, AUGUST V.	1ST LT	0-681312	KIA
2. CP	DURBOROW, JOHN B.	2ND LT	0-811037	KIA
3. NAVIGATOR	CROWN, RICHARD L.	2ND LT	0-695631	KIA
4. BOMBARDIER	GOFF, KYLE R.	2ND LT	0-688696	KIA
5. COM	PALE, VINCENT J.	T/SGT	12144243	EUS
6. TAIL GUNNER	WHITENURST, CALVERT S.	S/SGT	13119908	KIA
7. BALL TURRET	FISHER, FRED L., JR	SGT	35527280	KIA
8. TOP TURRET	COLE, WILLIS W.	S/SGT	35497665	KIA
9. RIGHT WAIST	CULLINAN, PAUL V.	S/SGT	12580566	KIA
10. LEFT WAIST	DICK, JAMES B., JR	T/SGT	19181027	KIA
11.				

12. IDENTIFY BELOW THOSE PERSONS WHO ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE LAST KNOWLEDGE OF AIRCRAFT, AND CHECK APPROPRIATE COLUMN TO INDICATE BASIS FOR SAME:

INTERROGATION REPORTS SHOW LITTLE FLAK IN VICINITY AND HEAVY FIGHTER OPPOSITION.

WD, Hq AAF, Washington, Missing Air Crew Report.

Name in Full (Last name first)	Rank	Serial Number	Contacted by Radio	Last Sighted	Saw Crash	Forced Landing
NONE AVAILABLE						
13. IF PERSONNEL ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE SURVIVED, ANSWER YES TO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS: (a) Parachutes were used _____; (b) Persons were seen walking away from scene of crash _____; or (c) Any other reason (Specify) _____ UNKNOWN						
14. ATTACH EYE-WITNESS DESCRIPTION OF CRASH, FORCED LANDING, OR OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES PERTAINING TO MISSING AIRCRAFT. ATTACHED						
15. ATTACH AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH, MAP, CHART, OR SKETCH, SHOWING APPROXIMATE LOCATION WHERE AIRCRAFT WAS LAST SEEN. NONE AVAILABLE						
16. ATTACH A DESCRIPTION OF THE EXTENT OF SEARCH, IF ANY, AND GIVEN NAME, RANK AND SERIAL NUMBER OF OFFICER IN CHARGE HERE NONE MADE BY THIS HQS						

Date of Report **12 APRIL 44**

(Signature of Preparing Officer)

**REID A. PRINGLE,
1ST LT., AC,
STATISTICAL OFFICER**

REMARKS:

WEATHER OVER TARGET 8 APRIL 1944 (BRUNSWICK)
THICK HAZE LAYER OVER TARGET, TOP 7,000 - 8,000 FEET. NIL LOW OR MEDIUM EIGHT (8) TENTHS TO TEN (10) TENTHS OR CIRRO STRATUS BASE, 20,000 - 23,000 FEET, VISIBILITY 8-10 MILES. NO CONTRAILS.

1 LIBERATOR CRASHED ON 8 APRIL 1944, ABOUT 1400, NEAR SISTEDT, COUNTY SALZWEDEL, MARKINGS: ON STABILIZERS BLUE J IN WHITE CIRCLE. NO. 264464 V (YELLOW). CAUSE OF CRASH: SHOT DOWN. CONDITION OF AIRCRAFT: COMPLETELY DESTROYED, 100%. CREW: 9 DEAD. 1 PRISONER, WOUNDED, AT AIR FORCE HOSPITAL TRAUNSCHWEIG, VINCENT J. PAGE, 13154243.

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

30 JAN 1947

QMGYC 293 DURBOROW, JOHN B. (Name)

2ND LT (Rank)

0-811037 (Serial No.)

M.A.C.R. Information Filed Under:

NAME: **COLE, WILLIS W.**

RANK: **S/SGT**

SERIAL NO: **39407665**



SPQYG 293

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

Durborow, John B

SUBJECT: Report of Burial

TO: Commanding General
American Graves Registration Service-ETA
Versailles, France
A.P.O. 757

c/o Postmaster New York, N.Y.

1. Request that a Report of Burial, if completed, or other currently available information be furnished concerning the following named decedent for whom no report is on hand in this office:

NAME: Durborow, John B.

DATE OF DEATH: 8 Apr 44

RANK: 2nd Lt.

PLACE OF DEATH: Germany

SERIAL NO.: 0811037

2. The following information has been received in this office which may aid in the location and recovery of his remains:

PLACE OF BURIAL:

Cemetery Wistedt, Germany.

AS PER GERMAN CASE REPORT KU 1376

3. If no Report of Burial is on hand, it is requested that this office be furnished the approximate time during which the particular area where his remains are believed to be located will be searched.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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GUSTAVE GAVIS
2nd Lt., QMC
Assistant

GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION
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The following information is authentic as per AGO Report of Deaths: Name, Rank, Serial Number.

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Rm 4306 3/28/46

AAF 301- (3923) Durborow, John B.
(NU 1376) G-111837

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisbur, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

I am writing to you in reference to your son who gave his life in the service of his Country during the European conflict.

In an effort to furnish the next of kin with all available details concerning casualties among our personnel, the Army Air Forces recently completed the translation of several volumes of captured German records.

In regard to Second Lieutenant John B. Durborow, these records indicate that he was killed in action 8 April 1944, when his Liberator bomber crashed near Wistedt, Germany (52° 50' N 10° 59' E) about seven miles southwest of Salzwedel, Germany. These same records indicate that he was buried in the Community Cemetery of Wistedt.

The Quartermaster General in his capacity as Chief, American Graves Registration Service, is charged with the responsibility of notifying the legal next of kin concerning grave locations of members of the military forces who are killed or die outside the continental limits of the United States. If the record of your son's burial has not been confirmed and you have not been notified by the Quartermaster General, that official will furnish you definite information immediately upon receipt of the official report of interment from the Commanding General of the Theater concerned.

May the knowledge of your son's valuable contribution to our cause sustain you in your bereavement.

Very sincerely,

LEON W. JOHNSON
Brigadier General, USA
Chief, Personnel Services Division

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NAME

SERIAL NO.

DATE REPORT FORWARDED TO FIELD -

REMARKS: -

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NAME Durberow, John B.

SERIAL NO. 0811037

DATE REPORT FORWARDED TO FIELD - 15 Feb. 46

REMARKS: -

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SPQYG 293

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



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RANK: **2nd Lt.** PLACE OF DEATH: **Germany**
SERIAL NO.: **0811037**

2. The following information has been received in this office which may aid in the location and recovery of his remains:

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AS PER GERMAN CASE REPORT KU 1376

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FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

**GUSTAVE GAVIS
2nd Lt., QMC
Assistant**

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1376 (refer to KU 1394)

Hq, Local Air Base A (e) 15/III
Salsvedal

Salsvedal, 30 May 1944

SUBJECT: Burial of dead from enemy aircrafts.

TO : Research Centre West, Oberursel/Frankfurt am Main

This headquarters reports burial of 19 dead from 2 enemy aircrafts (Liberator No. 264 464 Y-yellow- * and 1 unidentified Liberator **) downed 8 April 1944 at 144 near Wistedt, County Salsvedal. Burial took place at Cemetery Wistedt.

(signed) S t e f f e n s , Capt.

NOTICE: The following is written in red pencil on original.

* KU 1376

** KU 1377

TELEGRAM FORM

DISTANCE - MESSAGE

-OBERURSEL-

NAME OF DISTANCE-MESSAGE WRITER: LPOU 303

ACCEPTED:

DELIVERED:

RECEIVED:

DATE:-

TIME:

TO:

DATE: 11 April 1944

THROUGH:

TIME: 1405

ROLL:

FROM: LPEK

THROUGH: Haag

REMARKS:

A LBNK 206 9 April 2310

TO: Dalag - Research Centre West, Oberursel
 Communicated to: Dalag - Research Centre West, Oberursel
 Hq, Air District III, I c - Berlin-Dahlem

Wistedt

1. SUBJECT: 1 Liberator crashed on 8 April 1944, about 1400, near Wistedt, County Ralswiek. Markings: on stabilizers blue J in white circle. No. 264 464 V (yellow). Cause of crash: shot down. Condition of aircraft: completely destroyed, 100%. Crew: 9 dead. Names of crew:

1. Willis W. COLE, 39 407 665 TT 4243 O
2. Fred L. FISHER, Jr., 35 527 280 T 4343 AB
3. Kyle GOFF 0.688 696 T 43243 A
4. John B. DUBOROWO, 0 811077 TH 4243 B
5. Paul W. CULLINAN, 32 549 566 T 43 43 O
6. Richard L. CROWN, 0-695 631 T 43 - 43 O
7. August V. BERGMANN, 0-461 312 T 42 43 A
8. and 9. unidentifiable

10. 1 prisoner, wounded, at Air Force Hospital Braunschweig: Vincent Joseph PACE, 13 154 143.

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WD GMC FORM 1042 (Rev. 1 Apr. 1945) (Supersedes GRS Form 1)		REPORT OF INTERMENT (AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)		DATE OF REPORT 6 Feb 1947
Imprint Identification Tag If Possible. DO NOT TYPE		Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.		
		NAME (Last, first, middle (initial)) Durborow, John B.		SERIAL No. O-811037
		GRADE 2nd Lt.	ORGANIZATION 453 BM GP (H)	BRANCH OF SERVICE A.A.F.
PLACE OF DEATH Wistedt, Magdeburg Province, Germany		CAUSE OF DEATH Plane crash	DATE OF DEATH Est. 9 April 1944	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Unknown				

CONNECTIONS AND ADDITIONS TO BURIAL RECORDS AS TAKEN FROM AG CARD

CEMETERY NEUVILLE EN CONDROZ PLOT U ROW 3 GRAVE 56

NAME : DURBOROW JOHN B

RANK : 2/LT

ASN : O-811 037

ORGANIZATION : 453 BOMB GP H

DATE OF DEATH : 8 APRIL 44

PLACE OF BIRTH : --

CAUSE OF DEATH : --

* &/OR MACR #D-444

T.C. 27 Feb 47

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RECORDS BRANCH
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IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or no)		IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no)			
Yes		GRS			
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT. NAME (Last, first, middle initial)		RANK	SERIAL NO.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE NO.
Unknown X-4774		Unk	Unk	Unk	5547
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT. NAME (Last, first, middle initial)		RANK	SERIAL NO.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE NO.
Bergman, August V.		1st Lt.	O-681312	453 BbGp	195
SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT ELLSWORTH T. MAC INTYRE CAPT. QMC. C.I.P.			SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT TRUMAN D. ECKOLS, MAJOR, INF		
DISTRIBUTION OF REPORT: Signed original for U. S. and allied dead, signed original and one copy for enemy dead, to the Quartermaster General through Headquarters GRS Officer. Copies for retention in theater as prescribed by theater commander.					

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Chemical Laboratory Examination revealed the following:
(A) Officer's Pay data Card-"John B. Durborow, 2nd Lt. AC, O-811037.
(B) Bond receipt- Durborow, John B. (Aviation cadet Dec, 6, 1937 20322927
1. Register bonds at 1615 Park St., Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
2. Mail bonds to Mrs. Edith Z. Durborow
1615 Park St. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.
(c) Army Air Force Physical Record Card- Blood type "B" 2nd Lt.
Durborow, John B. (d) Immunization Register- John B. Durborow (E) AGC card-
John Bernard Durborow, 2nd Lt., AC O-811037 (signature of John B. Durborow) Da-
te of birth- Febr. 24, 1919 Color Eyes- hazel Color Hair-brown. weight-
150 Lbs, height- 5 ft 7½ in., date issued Sept. 11 1943. (Photos and fingerprints
present). (F) Motor vehicle Operator's license- Signature of John B. Durborow.
Operator's license 1943-44 78778 57 132 Blue Brown John Bernard Durborow,
1615 Park St., Harrisburg Dan Co. Pa.
(G) Membership card-Shangri-La Club- Name Durborow, J.B. Lt, twice.
(H) Allotment receipt- Allotter-Durborow, John B. O-811037
Grade - 2nd Lt. \$ 150.00 (monthly amount)

Allottee
Mrs Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park St.
Harrisburg, Pa

Commanding Officer of Allotter
Lt. John B. Durborow
733rd Bomb Sqd.
March Field, Calif.

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

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FINDING OF DEATH OF MISSING PERSON

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of the Act of 7 March 1942 (Public Law 490 77th Cong.) as amended, upon direction and delegation by The Secretary of War, The Chief, Casualty Branch, The Adjutant General's Office, finds Second Lieutenant John B.

Durborow, Army Serial Number 0811037, Air Corps,
to be dead. He was officially reported as missing in action as of the 8th day
of April 1944. For the purposes stated in said Act, death is presumed to have occurred on the 1st day of November, 1945.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

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John B. Durborow
George F. Head
ADJUTANT GENERAL
CHIEF, CASUALTY BRANCH

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

AREA	FLYING STATUS	WMP STATUS	LINE OF DUTY	OWN DIS-CONDUCT	ON DUTY STATUS	ABSENCE AUTH'D
European	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	
PREVIOUS REVIEWS						
Continued in a missing in action status as of 9 April 1945						
DATE OF BIRTH	HOME ADDRESS	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE	LENGTH OF SERVICE (AS OF PRESUMED DATE OF DEATH)			
24 Feb 1919	Harrisburg, Pennsylvania	30 Aug 1943	YEARS	MONTH	DATE	

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS
Mrs. Edith M. Durborow	Mother	1615 Park Street Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

BENEFICIARIES

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS
Edith M. Durborow	Mother	1615 Park Street Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
Joseph P. Durborow	Brother	1615 Park Street Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

REMARKS

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Circumstances of disappearance The plane on which he was a crew member failed to return from a bombing mission over Brunswick, Germany.

ASN as EM: 20,322,927

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

-BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

1946 MAY 07

AG 201	NAME DURBOROW JOHN B ASN 0811037	GRADE 2/LT SON	DATE CAS. REPORT RECEIVED 609
NAME AND ADDRESS OF E. A.	MRS EDITH M DURBOROW /MOTHER/ 1615 PARK STREET HARRISBURG PENNSYLVANIA	1 letter sent = May 7 th 1946 DATE TELEGRAM SENT	

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

THE SECRETARY OF WAR HAS ASKED ME TO EXPRESS HIS DEEP REGRET THAT YOUR SON

GRADE	NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE	F OR J STATUS	SHIPMENT NUMBER
2ND LT	DURBOROW, JOHN B.	0811037	AC		L	12604 U-3
TYPE OF CASUALTY		PLACE OF CASUALTY	DATE OF CASUALTY			CASUALTY CODE
KILLED IN ACTION		IN GERMANY	8	APR	44	

no telegram sent special letter

REMARKS: AG 704 DEAD/3 MAY 46/ CORRECTED COPY

MEMO -- SR AND D SEC. APPROVED -- CHIEF, CAS BR. PL -- NR WISTEDT, 7 MILES SW OF SALZWEDEL. INFO THIS RPT OF DEATH TAKEN FM CAPTURED GERMAN RECORDS. FINDING OF DEATH ISSUED PREVIOUSLY UNDER SEC 5, PUBLIC LAW 490, 7 MAR 42, AS AMENDED, SHOWING PRESUMED DATE OF DEATH AS 1 NOV 45. THIS RPT OF DEATH BASED ON INFO RECD SINCE THAT DATE, IS ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEC 9 OF SAID ACT, AND ITS EFFECT ON PRIOR PAYMENTS AND SETTLEMENTS AS PRESCRIBED IN SEC 9

PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PAR 2B, OPER BUL 35, 1945.

Reports of death issued 13 May 46 *MOR* 13 May 46

ACTION BY COMPOSITE SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED	FORM 42	AG 201 REC.
CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED	OR CHARGED TO	22 Apr 46
PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	NO. YES	(AMOUNTS BELOW)
FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	AND AREA
Form 0255	1111	11 Nov 45
FORWARDED TO	SPEC. IDEN.	G. & P.
	TELEGRAM	LETTER
REPORT NOT VERIFIED	NO FORM 42	NO CAS. BR. FILE
CHECKED BY	REVIEWED BY	
<i>M.M.B.</i>	<i>Chamber</i>	

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 13 May 46 *ecw*

FULL NAME Durborow, John B.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0811037	GRADE 2/Lt	
HOME ADDRESS Harrisburg, Pa.		ARM OR SERVICE AC	DATE OF BIRTH 24 Feb 1919	
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STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 30 Aug 43		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS
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BENEFICIARY (Name, relationship, and address) Edith M. Durborow (mother) same as above Joseph P. Durborow (brother) same as above				
INVESTIGATION MADE		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT
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OTHER PAY STATUS (Specify below)				
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ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT				
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<p>Finding of death issued previously under Sec 5, Public Law 490, 7 Mar 42, as amended, showing presumed date of death as 1 Nov 45. This report of death based on information received since that date, is issued in accordance with Sec 9 of said act, and its effect on prior payments and settlements is as prescribed in Sec 9.</p>				
<p>BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR <i>Maria D. Milton</i> ADJUTANT GENERAL</p>				

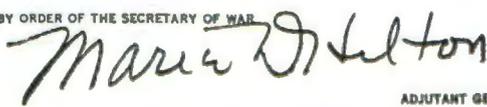
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AUTHORIZED ABSENCE YES NO		IN FLYING PAY STATUS YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
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no telegram sent special letter

REMARKS: AG 704 DEAD/3 MAY 46/ CORRECTED COPY

MEMO -- SR AND D SEC. APPROVED -- CHIEF, CAS BR. PL -- NR WISTEDT, 7 MILES SW OF SALZWEDEL. INFO THIS RPT OF DEATH TAKEN FM CAPTURED GERMAN RECORDS. FINDING OF DEATH ISSUED PREVIOUSLY UNDER SEC 5, PUBLIC LAW 490, 7 MAR 42, AS AMENDED, SHOWING PRESUMED DATE OF DEATH AS 1 NOV 45. THIS RPT OF DEATH BASED ON INFO RECD SINCE THAT DATE, IS ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEC 9 OF SA ACT, AND ITS EFFECT ON PRIOR PAYMENTS AND SETTLEMENTS AS PRESCRIBED IN SEC PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PAR 2B, OPER BUL 35, 1945.

Reports of death issued 13 May 46 *MIA* 13 May 46

ACTION BY COMPOSITE SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		FORM 43	AG 201 REG.
CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OR CHARGED TO			22 Apr 46
PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	NO	YES	(ADDRESS BELOW)
FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	DATE	AND AREA
	Form 0258	11 Mar 45	11 Mar 45
FORWARDED TO	SPEC. IDEN.	C. & P.	TELEGRAM
			LETTER
REPORT NOT VERIFIED	NO FORM 43	NO CAS. BR. FILE	CHECKED BY <i>M.M.A. 13 May 46</i>
			REVIEWED BY <i>Chamber</i>

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

102925
2656B

FINDING OF DEATH OF MISSING PERSON

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of the Act of 7 March 1942 (Public Law 490 77th Cong.) as amended, upon direction and delegation by The Secretary of War, The Chief, Casualty Branch, The Adjutant General's Office, finds Second Lieutenant John B.

Durborow, Army Serial Number 0811037, Air Corps,
to be dead. He was officially reported as missing in action as of the 8th day of April 1945. For the purposes stated in said Act, death is presumed to have occurred on the 1st day of November, 1945.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

George F. Hebert
ADJUTANT GENERAL
CHIEF, CASUALTY BRANCH

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

AREA European	FLYING STATUS Yes	SHIP STATUS No	LINE OF DUTY Yes	OWN DIS-CONDUCT No	ON DUTY STATUS Yes	ABSENCE STATUS Active
PREVIOUS REVIEWS Continued in a missing in action status as of 9 April 1945						
DATE OF BIRTH 24 Feb 1919	HOME ADDRESS Harrisburg, Pennsylvania	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 30 Aug 1943	LENGTH OF SERVICE (AS OF PREVIOUS DATE OF DEATH)			
			YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

NAME Mrs. Edith M. Durborow	RELATIONSHIP Mother	ADDRESS 1615 Park Street Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
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BENEFICIARIES

NAME Edith M. Durborow	RELATIONSHIP Mother	ADDRESS 1615 Park Street Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
NAME Joseph F. Durborow	RELATIONSHIP Brother	ADDRESS 1615 Park Street Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

REMARKS

Distribution 56

Circumstances of disappearance: The plane on which he was a crew member failed to return from a bombing mission over Brunswick, Germany.

ASN as EM: 20,322,927

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
 KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
 ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
 601 Hardesty Avenue
 Kansas City 1, Missouri

Case No. 309097

(S-3 May 45)
 JRM:WA:jm
 3 March 1945

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

Please complete and return to the Effects Quartermaster, Army Effects Bureau,
 Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, Kansas City 1, Missouri.

JUN 5 1945

1. Last Name ** Durborow	2. First Name John	3. Middle Initial B	4. Serial Number * O-811037	5. Grade 2nd Lt.
6. Casualty Status <input type="checkbox"/> Deceased <input type="checkbox"/> Prisoner of War <input type="checkbox"/> Missing <input type="checkbox"/> Internee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unknown: Please furnish: - Cont MIA 9 Apr 45		7. Organization and APO Address AC		
8. Name of Beneficiary Mrs Sarah M Durborow	9. Relationship Mother	10. Address 1615 Park St, Kansas City, Mo		
11. Alternate Beneficiary Mr Joseph Durborow	12. Relationship brother	13. Address Same as above		
14. Emergency Addressee Same as Ben	15. Relationship	16. Address		
17. Recipient Same as Ben	18. Relationship	19. Address		

*If the above ASN is not assigned to the soldier named, it is requested that the AEB be advised the name, rank and present mailing address of the soldier to whom this ASN is assigned, together with the information requested in 8-19 above

**In the event the above ASN is not assigned to this soldier, it is further requested that this Bureau be furnished available information regarding this soldier of record in your office.

Handwritten notes:
 JUN 3 11:00 AM '45
 307 May 45

STANDARD FORM NO. 14A
APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT
MARCH 16, 1933

FROM WAR DEPARTMENT

BUREAU 164928

ODO 2838

TELEGRAM

OFFICIAL BUSINESS—GOVERNMENT RATES

AG 201 DUNBORO, JOHN B (21 APR 44) 00100-1 STO 061 21 APRIL 1944
AES 0 011 057

MRS EDITH M DUNBORO
1616 PARK STREET
HARRISBURG PENNSYLVANIA

THE SECRETARY OF WAR DESIRES BE TO EXPRESS HIS DEEP SORRY THAT YOUR SON
SECOND LIEUTENANT JOHN B DUNBORO HAS BEEN REPORTED MISSING IN ACTION
SINCE EIGHT APRIL OVER GERMANY PERIOD IF FURTHER DETAILS OR OTHER
INFORMATION ARE RECEIVED YOU WILL BE PROMPTLY NOTIFIED PERIOD

DUNLOP
ACTING THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

OFFICIAL:

ADJUTANT GENERAL

BATTLE

A.E.B.



HOC/KK/hml
16 March 1949

164928

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Durborow:

Thank you for confirming your address in connection with the disposal of funds which belonged to your son, Lieutenant John B. Durborow.

I am inclosing a Bureau check in the amount of \$158.27, representing the funds.

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

Sincerely yours,

H. O. CALDWELL
Effects Quartermaster

1 Incl
Check

AMOUNT OF CHECK	NOTE DISCREPANCY IN	INCLOSE VALUABLES	RECIPIENT FROM
	NAME	SHIP VALUABLES	CASUALTY REPORT
ACCOUNT NUMBER	SERIAL NUMBER	VALUABLES SHIPPED BY (clerk)	INVENTORY
	RANK		FORM 20
<p style="text-align: center;">Mrs. Edith M. Durborow</p> <p>2/Lt John B. Durborow</p> <p>0-811037</p> <p>164928 D</p>			LETTER
			NO. & TYPE OF CONTAINER
			ENVELOPE
			CARTONS
			PACKAGE
			FOOT LOCKER
			SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
			REMOVE GI
			SHIP BLOODSTAINED
			SHIP DAMAGED
REMOVE BL'DSTAINED			
REMOVE DAMAGED			
FILMS REMOVED			
DIARY REMOVED			
HOC/KK/hml	SUMMARY COURT DATA		DATE ACTION TAKEN
DATE OF FINDING	APPLICANT		3-16-49
REMARKS 157.17 @ 184125 - .68 - @ 184125 - 21.00 @ 183917 - 157.27 @			MAIL REVIEWER (initials)
			Shipped
			FRANKED
			EXPRESS
			FREIGHT
			DATE SHIPPED
			SHIPPING CLERK
			ROUTING
			ACCOUNTING BRANCH
			WAREHOUSE
FILE			
ORDER FOR ACTION			

Checks cleared

EFF OM FORM 14
10 OCT 1945

183919
184125
184148

164928

179943

18 March 1949

158.27

***Edith M. Durborow

164928

**ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
ACCOUNTING INVENTORY**

CASE NO. 164928

TYPED BY brk

DATE 27 Dec 1948

STATUS Deceased

RANK 2nd Lt.

NAME John B. Durborow

A.S.N. O-811037

ORGANIZATION

CONSIGNOR CDO, APO 807

AMOUNT \$21.00

PAID-Check No. 179943

ACCOUNT NO. 1839'92

LIST NO. CIP-102

CHECK DESCRIPTION:
INCLUDED IN ONE U.S. TREASURER'S CHECK
NEGOTIABLE BY EFM

203,860

DATED 18 Oct 1948

SYMBOL 17,002

AMOUNT \$85.00

REMARKS: Above check represents partial
proceeds of redemption of US currency
only on CIP lists 102 thru 110, inc.

**ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
ACCOUNTING INVENTORY**

CASE NO. 164928

TYPED BY mj

DATE 7 Jan 49

STATUS Deceased

RANK 2nd Lt

NAME John B. Durborow

A.S.N. O-811037

ORGANIZATION Hq, AGRS, APO 58

CONSIGNOR CDO, APO 807

AMOUNT .084

PAID-Check No. 179443

ACCOUNT NO. 184155

LIST NO. CIP 102

CHECK DESCRIPTION:
INCLUDED IN ONE U.S. TREASURER'S CHECK
NEGOTIABLE BY EFM

13,803

DATED 9 Dec 47

SYMBOL 211-315

AMOUNT \$236.21

REMARKS: Proceeds of redemption of
10 francs at .0078511
Covers French francs only, CIP list 102.

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
ACCOUNTING INVENTORY

CASE NO.

164928

TYPED BY

mj

DATE

7 Jan 49

STATUS

Deceased

NAME

John B. Durborow

A.S.N.

0-811037

RANK

2nd Lt

ORGANIZATION Hq, AGRS, APO 58

CONSIGNOR

CDO, APO 807

AMOUNT

\$137.19

INSTRUMENT NO.

Pay check No. 1799438

184148

LIST NO.

CIP 102

CHECK DESCRIPTION:
INCLUDED IN ONE U.S. TREASURER'S CHECK
NEGOTIABLE BY EQM

\$

34189

DATED

21 Dec 48

SYMBOL

211-315

AMOUNT

\$2281.79

REMARKS: Proceeds of redemption of
\$39/0/0 @ 4.035
Covers English currency only, CIP list
102.



KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
801 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

HCC/KK/ps
14 February 1949

IN REPLY REFER TO 164928

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

The Army Effects Bureau recently received for disposal a group of funds which had been recovered by the American Graves Registration Service in its disinterment operations under the current Repatriation Program for deceased military personnel.

These funds, consisting of United States or foreign currencies, were carried by the soldier at the time of casualty and in many instances were recovered in a mutilated or unsightly condition.

Consolidation at the overseas headquarters was then made of all such currencies and it was then returned to the country of origin for exchange to dollar credits to enable issuance of a check replacing the mutilated currency.

Such was the case with some funds received for your son, Lieutenant John B. Durborow.

I know that you want to receive these funds as soon as possible, but due to the time elapsed since the occurrence of the casualty, it is believed that some explanation should be offered as to the source of these funds and the delay in their transmittal.

It would be appreciated if you would confirm the accuracy of your address in order that the check may be delivered properly. A notation placed at the bottom of this letter will be sufficient and may be returned in the inclosed addressed envelope requiring no postage.

Upon receipt of your reply, a Bureau check for the funds recovered from the above source will then be sent you promptly.

Sincerely yours,

H. O. Caldwell
H. O. CALDWELL
Effects Quartermaster

1 Incl
Envelope

*The above address is correct. Thank you.
Edith M. Durborow.*

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FUA 080

Effects Bureau 2
1-5-49

RR UTXC

FM UFP 130R/UUTW FIN CTR FRIEDBERG GERMANY 050830Z

CO ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU KANSAS CITE Y QUARTERMASTER DEPOT 601 HARDESTY
AVANUE KANSAS CITY MISSOURI

WD GRNC

REF NR FINM 8 PD REURAD FOQMDKG ONE ONE TWO THREE ONE DECEMBER
ONE NINE FOUR EIGHT TREASURY CHECK NUMBER ONE THREE EIGHT ZERO THREE
FOR TWO HUNDRED THIRTY SIX DOLLARS AND TWENTY ONE CENTS DATED NINE
DECEMBER ONE NINE FOUR SEVEN COVERS REDELPTION OF TWENTY EIGHT
THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FRENCH FRANCS PERTAINING TO CIP LIST NUMBER ONE
ZERO TWO ONLY PD ALL OTHER FRENCH FRANCS PERTAINING TO CIP LISTS
ONE ZERO THREE THROUGH ONE ONE ZERO INCLUSIVE HAVE BEEN DESTROYED BY
BURNING BECAUSE OF UNSANITARY CONDITION EMD SIGNED GRARAN

05/1530Z JAN

CO KCQMD
KANS CITY, MO

UNCL

CENTRAL DISBURSING OFFICER
7752ND FINANCE CENTER, EUCOM
BAD NAUHEIM, GERMANY

PRIORITY

FROM: QHDKG 122

REFERENCE SECOND INDORSEMENT YOUR OFFICE DATED NINE DECEMBER TRANSMITTING TREASURY
CHECK NUMBER 13803 IN AMOUNT TWO HUNDRED THIRTY SIX DOLLARS TWENTY ONE CENTS
PROCEEDS OF REDEMPTION TWENTY EIGHT THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FRENCH FRANCS STATED
SOURCE CIP LIST ONE ZERO TWO PD REQUEST IMMEDIATE TTX CONFIRMATION THAT ABOVE
AMOUNT APPLICABLE LIST ONE ZERO TWO ONLY PD FURTHER REQUEST INFORMATION DISPOSAL
MADE OF FRENCH CURRENCY LISTS ONE ZERO THREE TO ONE ZERO TEN INCLUSIVE IN VIEW
OF PARAGRAPH THREE LETTER YOUR OFFICE DATED 22 DECEMBER TRANSMITTING TREASURY
CHECK NUMBER 34189 AMOUNT TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY ONE DOLLARS SEVENTY
NINE CENTS RECEIPT OF WHICH IS ACKNOWLEDGED

UNCL

QDKG 889 KLINE STA 130

H. O. CALDWELL
Effects Quartermaster

QEDKG 122 (8 Oct 48)

1st Tnd

HOC/BRK/mj

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue,
Kansas City 1, Missouri, 29 October 1948

THRU: Office of Theater Fiscal Director, 7752nd Finance Center, Central
Disbursing Office, Continent, APO 807, c/o Postmaster, New York,
New York

TO: Commanding Officer, AGRC, St Germain Depot, APO 58, c/o Postmaster,
New York, New York

1. Receipt of Treasury check No 12210418, symbol 210-642 in the
amount of \$2100.00 inclosed in basic letter is hereby acknowledged.

2. Inasmuch as the mutilated currency listed on CIP lists 102
through 110 inclusive totals more than the \$85.00 withheld pending
completion of redemption action, further disposal action in all cases
where mutilated US currency was recovered must necessarily be withheld
pending receipt of the additional proceeds.

3. Examination of the subject Fiscal Lists has revealed that no
basis exists for computation by this Bureau of amounts due the individuals
listed thereon in the absence of more complete information from your
office.

4. It is requested that when the proceeds of redemption of foreign
currencies listed on CIP lists 102 through 110 are forwarded to this
Bureau, an itemized break-down of the amount due each individual from
proceeds of foreign currency be furnished. This information is necessary
in view of the differing types of currencies listed, redemption at less
than full value due to presence of mutilated currency and the fluctuation
of exchange rates.

5. It is further requested that any foreign currency found to be
non-convertible by your office be forwarded to this Bureau for trans-
mittal as souvenir currency and in such denominations as will enable
transmittal to the individual recipients.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

2 Incls
w/d

H. O. CALDWELL
Effects Quartermaster

HEADQUARTERS
7752 FINANCE CENTER
EUROPEAN COMMAND
Central Disbursing Office

ASD/nl

APC 807
8 Oct 48

FINC 123.7

SUBJECT : Fiscal Lists.

TO : Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City, Q.M. Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri.

1. Enclosed herewith check for \$ 2,100.00 covering United States currency forwarded this office with fiscal lists 102 through 110 inclusive. Fiscal lists totaled \$ 2,185.00 of which \$ 85.00 has been forwarded this date to the Treasury on a collection basis, inasmuch as the bills consist only of fragments.

2. The forwarding of U.S. Currency direct this office is very impractical and it is suggested that it be forwarded direct to a Federal Reserve Bank to be exchanged for a check.

3. Attention is invited to paragraph 9 letter Office Chief of Finance dated 11 August 1948 concerning disposition of Foreign Currencies which contain a bad odor. Copy of mentioned letter enclosed.

JAMES H COMINGS
Lt Colonel FD
Central Disbursing Officer

/s/ A. S. Donnelly
By : A. S. DONNELLY
Captain FD
Assistant.

- 2 Incls:
1. check
2. cy ltr dtd 11 Aug 48

DURBORGW, JOHN B., 2/LT., 0-811037

BY

PALLET

BOX

TALLY

7815

TYPE PKG

GRE

9/2/47 D
Bay Ridge, NY

EFF ON FORM 4
5 JULY 1946

164928

MEM/LR/njo'e
16 October 1947

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

Thank you for the information recently given the Army Effects Bureau in connection with the disposal of personal property of your son, Lieutenant John B. Durborow.

This property, consisting of souvenir coins, was sent to you under separate cover 13 October 1947.

If, for some reason, the property has not reached you at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this letter, please notify this Bureau so tracer can be instituted.

Sincerely yours,

M. E. MOHR
Major, OMC
Effects Quartermaster

IF-2271-D

Serial No. 0-511037 Name DURBORON John B
 Grade LT Rank 2LT
 Organization 453 BM B.P.H. AAF
 Address near of
 Nearest Relative near of
 Address near of
 Killed in Action yes Died of Disease _____
 Date _____ Hospital _____
 Battle Area IDF Information near of
 Place of Burial near of
 Point of Coordination _____
 Description of Body _____
 Members Missing _____

Signed _____
 DURBORON SOLDIER
 of Sentimental Value to Family

AMOUNT OF CHECK	DISCREPANCY IN	ENCLOSE VALUABLES	RECIPIENT FROM
	NAME	SHIP VALUABLES	CASUALTY REPORT
ACCOUNT NUMBER	SERIAL NUMBER	VALUABLES SHIPPED BY (clerk)	INVENTORY
	RANK		FORM 20
<p style="text-align: center;">Mrs. Edith M. Durborow ✓</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1615 Park Street ✓</p> <p>2/Lt John B. Durborow ✓ Harrisburg, Pennsylvania ✓</p> <p>0-811037 ✓</p> <p>164928 D ✓</p>			LETTER ✓
			NO. & TYPE OF CONTAINER
			ENVELOPE ✓
			CARTONS
			PACKAGE
			FOOT LOCKER
			SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
			REMOVE GI
			SHIP BLOODSTAINED
			SHIP DAMAGED ✓
REMOVE BL'DSTAINED			
REMOVE DAMAGED			
FILMS REMOVED			
DIARY REMOVED			
MEM/LR/mjo'o		SUMMARY COURT DATA	
DATE OF FINDING	APPLICANT	DATE ACTION TAKEN	
✓	✓	10/13/47	
		MAIL REVIEWER (initials)	
		sm	
REMARKS		SHIPPED	
		FRANKED	
		EXPRESS	
		FREIGHT	
		DATE SHIPPED	
		OCT 13 1947	
		SHIPPING CLERK	
		ROUTING	
		UNTING BRANCH	
		WAREHOUSE	
FILE			
ORDER FOR ACTION			

EFF OM FORM 14
10 OCT 1945

OFFICE OF THE THEATER BAGGAGE BUREAU
APO 751, U.S. ARMY

CASE _____ TAG NO _____
TALLY IN NO 179-34
OWNER'S NAME Durboraw, John B. DATE 2 April 47
RANK AND ASN 2/LT 0-811037 SHIP TO K 10 170
ITEM Bag ADDRESS _____

TOILET ARTICLES

Toilet articles in defective containers are removed to prevent damage to clothing

GOVERNMENT ISSUE PROPERTY

Government Issue Property listed hereon was found among the personal property of the individual indicated above and was withdrawn and turned in as salvage.

none

WAR TROPHIES

The War Trophies listed here with this property and turned in to the proper supply service in compliance with WD Cir 155 dtd 28 May 1945 which states that any and all war trophies with one exception to above will be one souvenir firearm accompanied by the War Trophies Form No. 83 per individual. In absence of Form No. 83 firearms will be removed.

none

CAPTURED ENEMY AUTOMATIC FIREARMS

The Captured Enemy Automatic Type Firearms listed below were withdrawn from this property and turned in to the proper supply service in compliance with par 3 b, Sec VI, WD Cir 155, dtd 28 May 1945, which states that all firearms of automatic type, such as machine guns or any type gun from which a number of bullets may be discharged with one continuous pull of the trigger, are prohibited from importation to the United States.

none

NAME Spulke INVENTORY CLERK
NAME _____
YANCY L. BUSBY, JR.
Capt. OMC
Assistant

CUSTOMS DECLARATION

I declare that all items in this container consist of personal or household effects either taken aboard by the owner or acquired aboard for his personal use, except the following:
(Here list items

REPROCESSED

or write "NO EXCEPTIONS" as appropriate) I declare that this baggage consist of personal or household effects of a member of the United States Armed Forces and that it is being forwarded to the United States by reason of Government instructions regarding the movement of the owner or the article:

YANCY L. BUSBY, JR.
Capt. OMC

Neyville en Condraz, Belgium
(VK-390187)

IF-2271-D

RESTRICTED

SUBJECT : Inventory of PERSONAL EFFECTS of :

Date 26 December 1946

DURBOROW John B. 2nd Lt. O-811037
(Last Name) (First Name) (MI) (Rank) (ASN)

TO : EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER, Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City, Missouri.

The above individual of 453 Em Gp (H) A.A.F.
(Unit) (Organization)

was reported Deceased about 9 April 1944
(Deceased, Missing, etc.)

Designated beneficiary if information readily accessible :

NAME : Unknown ADDRESS Unknown

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

- Thirty-two (32) one Pound notes ^{ORB-RS}
 - Four (4) ten-Shilling notes ^{ORB-RS}
 - One (1) 20 Dollar bill ^{ORB-RS}
 - One (1) 1 Dollar bill ^{ORB-RS}
 - One (1) Dollar (The Gov. of Trinidad)
 - ✓ Four (4) Souv. coins ^{ORB-RS}
 - One (1) One Peso note ^{ORB-RS}
 - One (1) 10 Franc note ^{ORB-RS} bank of Morocco.
- //////////////////// Last Item //////////////////////

Money ~~in the amount of~~ withdrawn for collection. has been exchanged
(here identify currency)

for US Treasury check No : _____ amounting to \$ _____

Known bank account in European Theater : _____
(List name of bank and account number)

I certify that the above items constitute all effects secured by me, belonging to the above named individual and that they were forwarded to the Army Effects Bureau Kansas City, Missouri

on Adelard J. Rioux ¹⁹⁴ through _____
(forwarding agency)

Signed : Adelard J. Rioux CAF-3 A-44 1374 C.I.P.
(Name) (Rank & ASN) (Organization)

(List any additional information on reverse side)

CHECKED ^{ORB-RS} RESTRICTED

ATTACHMENTS

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	INBOUND INVENTORY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	G. R. OR SUB GR LABEL	
	WILL OR POWER OF ATTY.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TALLY IN FORM 43	
	<i>intercom</i>	

STATUS

DECEASED	
MISSING	
P. O. W.	
ABANDONED	
UNKNOWN	

EFFECTS INVENTORY
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL	BELT	OVERCOATS	<i>2 lower coins</i>
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BOOKS, ADDRESS	PAPERS, PERSONAL	
BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)	BOOKS, PILOT LOG	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	
BOOKS	BRUSHES	PEN, FOUNTAIN	
BRACELET, IDENT.	CASE	PHOTOS	
CAMERAS	CLOTH, WASH	PIPES	
CLOTHING	COATS	RINGS	
MISC. ARTICLES	FOOTLOCKER	SCARFS	
RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	FOOTWEAR, PR.	SHIRTS	
RIBBONS, DECORATION	GLASSES	SOCKS, PR.	
SHORT SNORTER	GLOVES, PR.	STATIONERY	
SOUVENIR MONEY	HANDKERCHIEFS	TIES	
SOUVENIRS	HEADWEAR	TOBACCO	
TESTAMENTS	JACKETS	TOILET ARTICLES	
TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	KITS	TOWELS	
U. S. MONEY (AMOUNT)	KNIVES	TROUSERS, PR.	
WATCH	LETTERS	TRUNKS, PR.	
WINGS	LIGHTERS	UNDERWEAR	

<i>none</i>	CONTAINERS ADDRESSED TO	<i>none</i>	INFORMATION
NAME AND STATUS VARIATIONS		CROSS REFERENCE	

CHECK	REC'D BY	NUMBER	BUREAU CHECK
MONEY ORDER		SYMBOL	TRANSMIT ORIGINAL
BOND		AMOUNT	ORIG. REG. MAIL
TRAV. CHECK		DATE	TO G. A. O.
FOREIGN CURRENCY			MUTILATED
U. S. CURRENCY			TO ISSUING AGENCY

BANK OR PLACE OF ISSUE	
PAYEE	
REMITTER OR DRAWER	

TALLY NO. <i>7215</i>	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS.	EXAMINING DATE <i>18 Sept. 47</i>	BOX NO.	SHEET. _____ OF _____ SHEETS
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NAME <i>JOHN B. DURBOROW</i>	A. S. N. <i>0-811037</i>
ORGANIZATION _____	RANK <i>2/KT. 1</i> CASE NO. _____

WAREHOUSE SPACE <i>S</i>	EXAMINED BY <i>Robert</i>	DIARY REMOVED
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION	PACKED BY	PHOTO FILM REMOVED
WEIGHT	INSPECTED BY <i>11</i>	MOTION PICTURE FILM REMOVED
	STORIED BY	SHIPPED
		DATE <i>17 18 1947</i> BY WHOM <i>[Signature]</i>

REMOVALS (other than G.I.)

DAMAGES (List type of damage-extent)

45 four coins corroded

SHORTAGES

U. S. GOV'T CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

thirty-two (32) one pound notes
 four (4) ten-shilling notes
 one (1) 20 dollar bill
 one (1) 1 dollar bill
 one (1) dollar (The Gov. of Trinidad)
 one (1) One peso note
 one (1) 10 franc note. Bank of Morocco.

} no taxen
 } Junkson
 } new
 } e/P. 102

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

Brown-Stevens
INVENTORY CLERK

J. K. [Signature]
SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

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

Case No. MEM/LR/mjo's
184928
Date 10 October 1947

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of
John B. Durborow 0-811037 late a
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)
Second Lieutenant Air Corps who died
(Grade) (Organization, Arm or Service)
on the 8th day of April, 1944, at European Area

TC: 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. 141, Hq., KCQM Depot, dated 21 July 1947, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

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

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

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 none, Incl none).

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 7 October 1947, pursuant to S.O. 141, Headquarters, KCQM Depot, dated 21 July 1947, the application or affidavit of Mrs. Edith M. Durborow 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. Edith M. Durborow of
(Name of person found entitled)
1615 Park Street, Harrisburg, State of
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)
Pennsylvania, is the mother of the
(Relationship or Capacity)

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

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

M. E. MOER, Major, QMC

(Name, Rank, Organization)



~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
 KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
 ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
 801 HARDESTY AVENUE
 KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

S-20 Oct 47
 MEM/LR/st
 30 September 1947

IN REPLY REFER TO 164928

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

The Army Effects Bureau has just received from a Graves Registration officer overseas four corroded souvenir coins, which belonged to your son, Second Lieutenant John B. Durborow.

In view of the lapse of time since our previous correspondence, I shall appreciate it if you will indicate your desire, whether you wish these coins sent you. If so, the property will be forwarded promptly upon receipt of the confirmation of your address.

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

Sincerely yours,

1 Incl
 Envelope

M. E. Mohr
 M. E. MOHR
 Major, QMC
 Effects Quartermaster

Dear Mr Mohr
 I would like my sons coins sent to me, please. My address is still the same. Sounds as if they may have raised his body where it was buried in the community cemetery at Weistad Germany. Thanking you. I am sincere,
 yours Mrs Edith M. Durborow.

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
501 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

(S-7-31-45)
GEC:MH:wp
May 31, 1945

In Reply Refer To: 164,928

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

The Army Effects Bureau has received and is forwarding to you the following additional property of your

1 footlocker and contents

As previously indicated, my action in forwarding such effects does not, of itself, vest title in you. The property is transmitted in order that you may safely keep it on behalf of the owner, pending change in his status.

When delivery has been made, I shall appreciate your acknowledging receipt by signing one copy of this letter in the space provided below, and returning it to this Bureau.

For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Yours very truly,



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



Incl--
Envelope

Receipt acknowledged:

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow.
(Signature of Bailor)

June 13, 1945.
(Date)

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

SHIP TO:
2nd Lt. John B. Durborow

Effects of:
Name 0-811037
ASN 164,928 M
Case No.
Wt.

DATE 29 May 1945
GHG:MH:wp

Raymond W. ...
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

___ Inclose Bureau Check
___ Acct. No. _____
___ Amount _____
___ Inclose "Valuables" item
___ Ship "Valuables" item(s)

___ Remove G.I.
___ Note discrepancy in *...*
___ Films removed
___ Diary removed
___ Laundry removed

ROUTING:

___ Accounting Branch
___ 1 Warehouse Division
___ 2 Files Branch, Adm. Div

REMARKS:

FRANKED
JUN 9 1945
Franked _____
Est. Exp Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of Packages _____

[Signature]
Shipping Clerk

SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY
 BOX NUMBER ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES 1
 DECEASED MISSING P O W ABANDONED

TALLY NUMBER 6370 INVENTORY DATE 8 Feb. 1945 CASE NUMBER 309097

* EFFECTS OF J. B. DURBOROW RANK 2nd Lt.

A.S.N. 0-811037 ORGANIZATION AAF 733 Bomb Sq. (H)

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

CLOTHING		PERSONAL ITEMS		CONTAINERS	
<input type="checkbox"/>	BELT	<input type="checkbox"/>	BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	BAGS, CLOTH
<input type="checkbox"/>	BELT MONEY (NO MONEY)	<input type="checkbox"/>	BRUSHES	<input type="checkbox"/>	BAGS, TRAVEL
<input type="checkbox"/>	CLOTH, WASH	<input type="checkbox"/>	CAMERAS	<input type="checkbox"/>	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)
<input type="checkbox"/>	COATS	<input type="checkbox"/>	GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/>	CASE, Camera
<input type="checkbox"/>	FOOTWEAR, PR.	<input type="checkbox"/>	KNIVES	<input type="checkbox"/>	FOOTLOCKER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GLOVES, PR.	<input type="checkbox"/>	LIGHTERS	<input type="checkbox"/>	KIT, SEWING
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HANDKERCHIEFS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MISC. INSIGNIA	<input type="checkbox"/>	KIT, TOILET
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HEADWEAR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MISC. ITEMS in box	<input type="checkbox"/>	KIT, WRITING
<input type="checkbox"/>	JACKETS	<input type="checkbox"/>	PEN, FOUNTAIN	<input type="checkbox"/>	PAPEFS AND MISC.
<input type="checkbox"/>	OVERCOATS (trench)	<input type="checkbox"/>	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	BOOKS
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCARFS	<input type="checkbox"/>	PIPES	<input type="checkbox"/>	BOOKS, ADDRESS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SHIRTS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	<input type="checkbox"/>	BOOKS, NOTE
<input type="checkbox"/>	SOCKS, PR.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RIBBONS, DECORATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
<input type="checkbox"/>	TIES	<input type="checkbox"/>	RINGS	<input type="checkbox"/>	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TOWELS	<input type="checkbox"/>	TOBACCO	<input type="checkbox"/>	FILMS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TROUSERS, PR.	<input type="checkbox"/>	TOILET ARTICLES	<input type="checkbox"/>	LETTERS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TRUNKS, PR.	<input type="checkbox"/>	WATCH	<input type="checkbox"/>	PAPERS, PERSONAL
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	UNDERWEAR	<input type="checkbox"/>	WINGS	<input type="checkbox"/>	PHOTOS in album
	1 bath robe				SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
	1 sweater				SHORT SNORTER
					SOUVENIRS
					SOUVENIR MONEY
					STATIONERY
					TESTAMENTS
					U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

REMARKS: home address
 1615 Park St.
 Harrisburg Pa.
 FEB 15 1945

ATTACHMENTS: FORM #54 FORM #100

last name on 54 Durborow
 all effects show Durborow
 Mrs. Edith Durborow
 1615 Park St.
 Harrisburg Pa.

STORIED BY *AT*
 1235X
 INTERVIEWED BY *BN*

WEIGHT	<input type="checkbox"/>	GI REMOVED
	<input type="checkbox"/>	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
	<input type="checkbox"/>	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
	<input type="checkbox"/>	DIARY REMOVED
DATE JUN 6 1945	<input type="checkbox"/>	LOCKED STORAGE
	<input type="checkbox"/>	LAUNDRY REMOVED



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

JRM:HA:hlh
March 14, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 164,928

~~Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania~~

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

This acknowledges your letter of recent date, and signed receipt covering personal property of your son, Lieutenant John B. Durborow, recently forwarded to you by the Army Effects Bureau.

All the property received here, marked as belonging to your son, has been forwarded to you. With reference to additional effects, it is thought that sufficient time has not yet elapsed for the arrival here of all the property of your son which might have been recovered. If, after a reasonable lapse of time, other effects have not arrived at this Bureau, tracer will be directed overseas in an endeavor to determine disposition of his property.

I regret to learn that you do not believe the overcoat belongs to your son. This coat was received here in a package marked as belonging to him, and also listed on an inventory of his effects prepared overseas. You may return this item, using the inclosed shipping label, and every effort will be made to forward the property to Lieutenant Farrell.

Yours very truly,

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

1 Incl--Shipping label

File

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

In Reply Refer To: 164928

(S-3-14-45)
JRM:HA:mt
February 14, 1945

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
1615 Park Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mrs. Durborow:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some personal effects belonging to your son, Second Lieutenant John B. Durborow, consisting of two overcoats, pr. trousers and a robe.

This property is being forwarded to you in one carton and should reach you in the near future.

My action in transmitting the property does not, of itself, vest title in you. The items are forwarded in order that you may act as gratuitous bailee in caring for them pending the return of the owner, who has been reported missing in action. In the event he later is reported a casualty, and I sincerely hope he never is, it will be necessary that the property be turned over to the person or persons legally entitled to receive it.

When delivery has been made, I shall appreciate your acknowledging receipt by signing one copy of this letter in the space provided below, and returning it to this Bureau. For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my hope for the safe return of your son.

Yours very truly,

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

Incl--
Envelope

Receipt acknowledged:

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow
(Signature of Bailee)

Feb 21, 1945
(Date)

Eff. QM Form 205b

(over)

Dear Captain Eckhardt.

My son John had much more clothing than the ones just received by me. The short overcoat is not even his. Has the name of a St. John Edw Farrell. 0755177. printed on the lining. One item of clothing that I remember very distinctly was a leather jacket he had bought while still in afC training, that he wore the last time he was home in Sept '43. That was shortly after his graduation as a 2nd Lieutenant and Pilot. He also had a number of woolen shirts as well as cotton shirts, plus under-shirts and shorts, also towels etc, and personal belongings, like picture Albums with pictures of his brothers, sisters, friends and myself in. Also several large pictures of young women, one especially, of his sweet-heart, in a Nurses Cap and dress, a graduation picture, which I know he prized very much. Also a very good saddle-bag also a good camera (not very large). I think its a shame the way our sons are robbed of their belongings. Its bad enough that they must suffer the hardships, even death, like my son Paul, also a 2nd Lieutenant in the Air Corp, did. With out being robbed besides. I presume most of this happens before its ever sent back to the U.S.A.

Sincerely yours.
Mrs Edith M. Durbinow.

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Edith M. Durborow

SHIP TO 1615 Park Street

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Name Effects of; Durborow

ASN 0-811037

Case No. 161928 M

Wt.

DATE February 14, 1945

JRM:HA:mt

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check
 Acct. No. _____
 Amount _____
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G.I.
 Note discrepancy in _____
 Films removed
 Diary removed
 Laundry removed

ROUTING:

Accounting Branch
 Warehouse Division
 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

10 *tu*

Franked FRANKED
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages 1

FEB 15 1945

FEB 17 1945

AJ
Shipping Clerk

FEB 22 1945

JURBOUROW, J. B.

LT.

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
34	65		6370
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
F.L.			

EE. QM Form 48

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AR 800-100)

DURBARROW, J.B. O-811037
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

late a 2ND LT., AAF, 733 BOMB SQ. (H)
(Grade) (Organization of arm or service)

who died on the _____ day of _____, 19____

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

NUMBER	ARTICLES	*PACKAGE NUMBER
1	RING, GAMED ✓	
1	MONEY BELT ✓	
1	BILLFOLD ✓	
1	BOX MISC. ARTICLES ✓	
1	FRAME, PICTURE ✓	
1	MISC. PICTURES ✓	
1	FOREIGN, CIGARETTES ✓	
	CASE.	

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

CLASS II—Other effects

NUMBER	ARTICLES	
1	TRENCH COAT ✓	
1	BATH ROBE ✓	
1	TROUSERS GREEN ✓	
2	SHIRTS GREEN ✓	
2	TROUSERS PINK ✓	

W.D., A.G.O. Form No. 54
 July 1, 1933

SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED
BOX NUMBER	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES 1		MISSING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
TALLY NUMBER 6515 ✓	INVENTORY DATE 29-Jan-45 ✓	CASE NUMBER 164928 ✓	POW <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
EFFECTS OF G. B. Durbin ✓	RANK 2nd Lt. ✓		ABANDONED
A.S.N. 0-811037 ✓	ORGANIZATION 733 B Sq (H)		
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION #124			

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	LETTERS
TRUNKS, PR.	WATCH	PAPERS, PERSONAL
UNDERWEAR	WINGS	PHOTOS
1 Robe ✓		SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
		SHORT SHORTER
		SOUVENIRS
		SOUVENIR MONEY
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

REMARKS: no information
 ATTACHMENTS: FORM #54 FORM #100
 FEB 5 1945

C.A.T. Mrs Edith Durbin 1615 Park St, Harrisburg, Penn.	WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SHORTAGE ON REVERSE ✓
WAREHOUSE SPACE 2431	STORED BY MA	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
		DIARY REMOVED
INVENTORIED BY	DATE SHIPPED	LOCKED STORAGE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

SHORTAGES

	U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT
	NUMBER
	DATE
	SYMBOL
	AMOUNT
1 Ring, Cameo	
1 Money belt	
1 Billfold	
1 Box Misc. articles	
1 Frame picture	
1 Misc. Pictures	
1 Foreign Cigarettes case	
5 Shirts	
4 Trousers	
1 Blouse w/ wings + Insignia	
2 Caps	
5 Towels	
2 Undershirts	
1 Sweater	

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

M. Smith
INVENTORY CLERK

A. H. ...
SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED

NAME

DURBOROW, J. B. LT

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY*
20	61		6515
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
CTN			

EN. QM Form 48

CLASS II—Continued

NUMBER	ARTICLES				
1	JACKET W/WINGS AND INSIGNIA ^①				
2	SHIRTS, KHAKI ^②				
2	TROUSERS, KHAKI ^②				
1	SHIRT OD. ^①				
1	CAP, GARISON ^①				
5	TOWELS ^⑤				
2	UNDERSHIRTS WOOL ^②				
1	SWEATER ^①				
1	CAP GREEN ^①				
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Specie	\$ _____				
Notes	\$ _____				

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

to _____
(Give name and degree of relationship; if legal representative

or beneficiary named by the deceased, so state)

*the effects of class I have been forwarded to The Adjutant General and those of class II have been sold.

ALBERT J. HORNIK
 1ST. LT., AIR CORPS
 SUPPLY OFFICER

ARE STA. 111
(Station)

20 APRIL 1944
(Date)

*Strike out words not applicable.

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

DURBOROW (See AR 600-440)

DURBARROW, J.B. 0-811037
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

late a 2ND LT., AAF, 733BOMB SQ.(H)
(Grade) (Organization or arm or service)

who died on the _____ day of _____, 19

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

NUMBER	ARTICLES	*PACKAGE NUMBER
1	RING, CAMEO ①	
1	MONEY BELT ①	
1	BILLFOLD ①	
1	BOX MISC. ARTICLES ①	
1	FRAME, PICTURE ①	
1	MISC. PICTURES ①	
1	FOREIGN, CIGARETTW CASE. ①	

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

CLASS II—Other effects

NUMBER	ARTICLES
1	TRENCH COAT ✓
1	BATH ROBE ✓
1	TROUSERS GREEN ✓
2	SHIRTS GREEN ②
2	TROUSERS PINK ②