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293 PENITIA, WALTER L. (0-755 407) 2d Lt. (AC) EUROPEAN AREA (CALIF.)

A. FRANK
COL. FD 210-006

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CERTIFICATE SEP 10 1948 809 WW II
(AR 30-1830) OAKLAND, CALIF.

1. FILL IN EITHER PART A OR PART B; NOT BOTH.
2. USE PART A WHEN INTERMENT IS IN A CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY.
3. USE PART B WHEN REMAINS ARE DELIVERED TO HOME OR OTHER PLACE PRIOR TO BURIAL IN A NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY.

SEP 10 1948

PART A - CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY

A			
REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF INTERMENT EXPENSES (PLEASE READ EXPLANATION ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE COMPLETING FORM)			
NAME OF DECEDENT <u>WALTER L. PENTTILA</u>	GRADE <u>2 LT</u>	SERIAL NUMBER <u>O-755407</u>	COMPONENT <u>ARMY Air</u>
I certify that the sum of \$ <u>137¹³</u> was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the interment of the remains of the above named decedent in the below named cemetery.			
INSERT NAME OF CEMETERY <u>Hillcrest Memorial Park</u>	CITY OR COUNTY <u>Porterville</u>	STATE <u>Calif.</u>	
INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM		SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT	
1. Fill in as required and sign four copies. THIS FORM NOT TO BE SIGNED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR.		<u>Mrs Lempi M Penttela</u>	
2. Return four copies to: Commanding Officer Distribution Center No. 13 Oakland Army Base Oakland 14, California		ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (City, Street or RFD, and State) <u>Route 3, Box 814 - Porterville</u>	
		RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT <u>Mother</u>	DATE <u>8/23/48</u>

PART B - NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY

B			
REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES (PLEASE READ EXPLANATION ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE COMPLETING FORM)			
NAME OF DECEDENT	GRADE	SERIAL NUMBER	COMPONENT
I certify that the sum of \$ _____ was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the transportation of the remains of the above named decedent from and to the following places:			
INSERT CITY OR TOWN (OR ADDRESS NOT IN A CITY OR TOWN) FROM WHICH REMAINS WERE SHIPPED		INSERT NAME AND LOCATION OF NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY TO WHICH REMAINS WERE SHIPPED	
INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM		SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT	
1. Fill in as required and sign four copies. THIS FORM NOT TO BE SIGNED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR.			
2. Return four copies to: Commanding Officer Dist. Center No. 13 Oakland Oakland		ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (City, Street or RFD, and State)	
		RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT	DATE

QMC FORM 1236
23 OCT 47

REPLACES WD AGO FORM R-5507, QMC FORM R-5048 AND QMC FORM R-5066, WHICH ARE OBSOLETE.

EXPLANATION OF PART A - CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY

1. When the remains are delivered for interment in a civilian or private cemetery, you are responsible for paying all interment expenses. In this connection, you are entitled to the allowance mentioned in paragraph 2 below.
2. An amount not to exceed \$75 is allowed by the government toward actual interment expenses when final interment of the remains is in a private or civilian cemetery. No allowance is authorized toward interment expenses when interment is in a national or post cemetery.
3. The \$75 maximum allowance by the government toward interment expenses includes but is not limited to the payment of one or more of the following items: hearse hire from the railroad station to your home, the funeral home, church, cemetery, or any other place designated by you; vault; church services; newspaper notices; transportation for friends and relatives to and from cemetery; and the services of a funeral director.
4. Reimbursement by the government is made only to the person who paid from his personal funds the expenses of or incident to interment in a private or civilian cemetery. Receipted bills are not required to accompany this form. Any expenses over and above the \$75 maximum must be borne by the person who incurred or paid the additional expenses.

EXPLANATION OF PART B - NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY

1. When the remains are delivered to you at government expense prior to burial in a national or post cemetery, you are responsible for all additional expenses necessary to deliver the remains from that point to the national or post cemetery grave site. However, you may be entitled to an allowance for the cost of transporting the remains from your home to the national or post cemetery grave site subject to the conditions outlined in paragraph 2, below.
2. Reimbursement of transportation expenses is allowed only when the cost to the government to deliver the remains to you is LESS than what it would have cost the government to deliver the remains direct to the national or post cemetery of final interment. However, the amount which you may be allowed (the difference between cost of delivery to you and cost of delivery by the government direct to the national or post cemetery) may not exceed the amount actually expended by you to deliver the remains to the cemetery grave site. **WHETHER OR NOT YOU WILL BE GRANTED AN ALLOWANCE IS DEPENDENT UPON AN AUDIT OF THIS REQUEST. IN ANY EVENT YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED OF ANY ALLOWANCE DUE YOU BY THE OFFICE TO WHICH THIS FORM IS SENT.**
3. Reimbursement by the government will be made only to the person who paid from his personal funds for transporting the remains to the national or post cemetery grave site.
4. No interment expense allowance is authorized since interment is made ultimately in a national or post cemetery.

1st Lt. Nelson

RECEIPT OF REMAINS

DISTRIBUTION CENTER

#13 SFPE OAKLAND ARMY BASE OAKLAND 14 CALIFORNIA "GRAVES"

ROUTINE 20 AUGUST 1948

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO:

LOYD BRITTELL CHAPEL

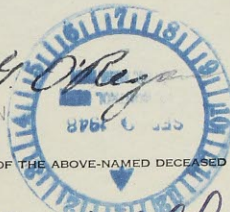
401 NORTH HOCKETT STREET

PORTERVILLE CALIFORNIA

REMAINS OF THE LATE SECOND LIEUTENANT WALTER L PENTTILA ASN 0-755407

BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT ON TRAIN NUMBER FIFTY TWO SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD DUE TO ARRIVE TULARE STATION ONE FIFTY EIGHT PM RAILROAD TIME TWENTY SEVEN AUGUST. REQUEST YOU IMMEDIATELY PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO NEXT OF KIN. REQUEST FURTHER YOU MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL AND TRANSPORT REMAINS AND ESCORT TO LOYD BRITTELL CHAPEL AT PORTERVILLE CALIFORNIA. YOU SHOULD SUBMIT ITEMIZED STATEMENT IN QUADRUPPLICATE PROPERLY CERTIFIED TO THIS DISTRIBUTION CENTER FOR PAYMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CHARGES ONLY IF ANY FROM TULARE STATION TO PORTERVILLE CALIFORNIA.

Samuel G. O'Regan
SAMUEL G O'REGAN
MAJOR QMC



I, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE REMAINS OF THE ABOVE-NAMED DECEASED

THIS 27 DAY OF August, 1948

William Helme
WITNESS (Escort)

Loyd Brittell Chapel
BY *Sy C. Britall*
NAT

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Encl. 4
QMC FORM 15 NOV 46 1193

FILE
RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE 9-11-48
NAME *Samuel G. O'Regan*
R & R BR.

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A —
NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER

1615 04055

DATE

26 09 47
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME

PENTTILA WALTER L

SERIAL NUMBER

0-755407

RANK

2 LT

ARM

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DATE OF DEATH

DAY MONTH YEAR

EMETERY

CAMBRIDGE

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

1 9100 13
CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT

M

ROW

3

GRAVE

COUNTRY

8 BRITISH ISLES

CAUSE OF DEATH

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SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

LOYD BRITTELL CHAPEL
401 NORTH HOCKETT STREET
PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

MR. LAURI PENTTILA
ROUTE #3, BOX 814
PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME

PENTTILA WALTER L

SERIAL NUMBER

0-755407

RANK

2/LT

DATE OF DEATH

11 JULY 44

DATE DISINTERRED

10 MAY 48

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

REMAINS
 MARKER

ORGANIZATION

669TH BMB SQ (L)
416TH BMB GRP (L)

RELIGION

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IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY

DONALD E ATKINSON 1/LT
540 QM SV CO INF
NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

UK CASKET UNIFORM

CONDITION OF REMAINS

[Disturbing text redacted]

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

(P) WINGS AND AIR FORCE PATCH ON BLOUSE

MINOR DISCREPANCIES

1/LT'S BARS ON BLOUSE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 13 MAY 48

BY

JOHN E DAVIS

CASKET SEALED BY

JOHN E DAVIS

EMBALMER (Signature)

JOHN E DAVIS EMB

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY

DATE 12 MAY 48

HARRY B NIGOSKI
CLERK RECORDER

ORA L NIDA 1/LT QMC

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

ORA L NIDA 1/LT QMC

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED			
FROM	USMC CAMBRIDGE ENGLAND	TO	CARDIFF SOUTH WALES
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	TRUCK RAIL	NAME OF CONVOYER	CHARLES E HILTON T/4
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	<i>E J Koniata</i> E J KONIATA CAPT AF	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>[Signature]</i>
DATE	JUN 1948	DATE	JUN 2 1948
2. SHIPPED			
FROM	AGRC CARDIFF	TO	U.S.A.T. LAWRENCE VICTORY
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	ZEC	NAME OF CONVOYER	JOSEPH S. CARROLL 1 st LT T. C.
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	<i>J S Taylor Jr.</i> J S TAYLOR JR. MAJ. TC	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>[Signature]</i>
DATE	JUN 16 1948	DATE	JUN 16 1948
3. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	<i>NYPC</i>
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>[Signature]</i>
DATE		DATE	JUN 28 1948
4. SHIPPED			
FROM	<i>NYPC</i>	TO	<i>OCW 12</i>
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	<i>T.C.A. in</i>	NAME OF CONVOYER	<i>[Signature]</i>
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	JAMES L. MCKINNON COLONEL, T. C.	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>[Signature]</i>
DATE	JUL 2 1948	DATE	JUL 7 1948
5. SHIPPED			
FROM	PORT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	TO	Administrative Officer
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	
6. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	
7. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE		DATE	

MESSAGEFORM		MESSAGE CENTER No.	TRANSMITTING MEANS	CRYPTOGRAPH OR CLEAR TEXT	
CALLS V	STA. SER. No.	PRECEDENCE	TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS	ORIGINATOR	DATE-TIME GROUP
ACTION		INFORMATION	EXEMPT	OPERATING SIGNALS	GROUP COUNT GR
<i>SPACE ABOVE FOR SIGNAL CENTER ONLY</i>					
FROM: (Originator) #13 SFPE OAB OAKLAND 14 CALIF "GRAVES"			SECURITY CLASSIFICATION		
ACTION TO: . LOYD BRITTELL CHAPEL . 401 NORTH HACKETT STREET . PORTERVILLE CALIFORNIA			PRECEDENCE FOR INFORMATION		
INFORMATION TO:			<input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL MESSAGE		
			REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE IDENTIFICATION CLASSIFICATION		
<p>REMAINS OF THE LATE SECOND LIEUTENANT WALTER L PENTTILA ASN 0-755407 BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT ON TRAIN NUMBER FIFTY TWO SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD DUE TO ARRIVE TULARE STATION ONE FIFTY EIGHT PM RAILROAD TIME TWENTY SEVEN AUGUST. REQUEST YOU IMMEDIATELY PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO NEXT OF KIN. REQUEST FURTHER YOU MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL AND TRANSPORT REMAINS AND ESCORT TO LOYD BRITTELL CHAPEL AT PORTERVILLE CALIFORNIA. YOU SHOULD SUBMIT ITEMIZED STATEMENT IN QUADRUPPLICATE PROPERLY CERTIFIED TO THIS DISTRIBUTION CENTER FOR PAYMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CHARGES ONLY IF ANY FROM TULARE STATION TO PORTERVILLE CALIFORNIA.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SAMUEL G O'REGAN MAJOR QMC</p>					
SECURITY CLASSIFICATION			AUTHORIZATION		
ORIGINATING AGENCY		DATE-TIME GROUP	SIGNATURE		
SYMBOL NY-009-R		20 AUG 48	ROBERT H BATES JR 1ST LT QMC		
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COMMANDING OFFICER

DISTRIBUTION CENTER 13 OAKLAND ARMY BASE OAK

REGARDING FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS SECOND LIEUTENANT WALTER L PENTTILA.

THERE ARE NO CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS INSTRUCTIONS

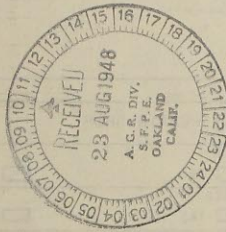
LAURI PENTTILA.

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MESSAGEFORM		MESSAGE CENTER No.	TRANSMITTING MEANS	CRYPTOGRAPH OR CLEAR TEXT	
CALLS V	STA. SER. No. NR	PRECEDENCE	TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS DELIVER AND REPORT ANY CHARGES	ORIGINATOR	DATE-TIME GROUP
ACTION	INFORMATION	EXEMPT	OPERATING SIGNALS	GROUP COUNT GR	
SPACE ABOVE FOR SIGNAL CENTER ONLY					
FROM: (Originator) CHIEF AGR DIV OAB "GRAVES"			SECURITY CLASSIFICATION UNCL		
ACTION TO: • LAURI PENTTILA • ROUTE 3, BOX 814 • PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA			PRECEDENCE FOR INFORMATION ACTION		
			PRIORITY <input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL MESSAGE		
			REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE IDENTIFICATION CLASSIFICATION		
INFORMATION TO: THIS HEADQUARTERS HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT THE REMAINS OF LATE SECOND LIEUTENANT WALTER L. PENTTILA ARE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES. RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE INDICATES YOU WISH REMAINS DELIVERED TO LOYD BRITTELL CHAPEL 401 NORTH HACKETT STREET, PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA . PLEASE INSTRUCT FUNERAL DIRECTOR TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT RAILROAD STATION UPON ARRIVAL. WE REGRET IT IS NOT POSSIBLE AT THIS TIME TO GIVE YOU A DEFINITE DELIVERY DATE HOWEVER THREE DAYS PRIOR TO SHIPMENT FROM THIS PORT YOUR FUNERAL DIRECTOR WILL BE NOTIFIED BY TELEGRAM OF RAIL ROUTING AND SCHEDULED TIME REMAINS WILL ARRIVE AT RAILROAD STATION. HE WILL BE REQUESTED TO PASS THIS INFORMATION TO YOU SO THAT YOU MAY MAKE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS. REMAINS WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT. WITHIN FORTY EIGHT HOURS OF DATE OF THIS MESSAGE PLEASE CONFIRM BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO COMMANDING OFFICER DISTRIBUTION CENTER #13 OAKLAND ARMY BASE OAKLAND 14 CALIFORNIA ABOVE DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS OR SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS. PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO COMPLY AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE WITH ANY DESIRED CHANGES IN DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF THE FORTY EIGHT HOUR PERIOD. YOUR PROMPT COOPERATION WILL GREATLY ASSIST THIS OFFICE IN MAKING FINAL DELIVERY. IF YOU SHOULD DESIRE MILITARY HONORS AT FUNERAL YOU SHOULD ASK ANY LOCAL PATRIOTIC OR VETERANS ORGANIZATION TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS. PLEASE INCLUDE FULL NAME OF DECEASED IN REPLY TELEGRAM WHICH MUST BE SIGNED BY YOU.					
SECURITY CLASSIFICATION UNCL			AUTHORIZATION		
ORIGINATING AGENCY		DATE-TIME GROUP 34 June 48	SIGNATURE S. G. O'REGAN Major, QMC		
SYMBOL		OFFICIAL TITLE Chief, A.G.R. Division	PAGE 1	OF 1	

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INSPECTION CHECKLIST (FOR USE AT OVERSEAS PORT, U.S. PORT, AND DISTRIBUTION CENTER)					
NAME ✓ WALTER L. PENTTILA <i>Walter Penttila</i>		RANK 2 LT	SERIAL NUMBER 0-755407		
SOURCE CAMBRIDGE, BRITISH ISLES		CONSIGNEE LOYD BRITTELL CHAPEL 401 NORTH HACKETT ST., PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA			
SHIPPING CASE - General Appearance (Check ONLY Discrepancies)		CONDITION OF SHIPPING CASE (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY			
FINISH (Exterior) <i>metal 45/50</i> FINISH (Interior) <i>30/35</i> HANDLES <i>2 1/2" x 1 1/2"</i> HANDLE BOLTS <i>2 1/2" x 1 1/2"</i> STENCILING - NAMEPLATE <i>Dist. 10/10/48</i> HEALTH PERMIT MARKER HEALTH PERMIT NUMBER		REMARKS USAAF 27 Bag 1948			
CASKET - General Appearance (Check ONLY Discrepancies)		CONDITION OF CASKET (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY			
FINISH (Exterior) HANDLES AND FASTENINGS STENCILING - NAMEPLATE CAM LOCKS (Sealing) <i>OK O O P</i> ODOR OR MOISTURE <i>OK O O P</i>		REMARKS			
ROUTED THROUGH					
<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY OPERATING ROOM		<input type="checkbox"/> REPAIR SHOP			
CONDITION OF REMAINS <input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY		CASKET REPAIRED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
NECESSARY DISINFECTION (Explain)		CASKET EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
		SHIPPING CASE REPAIRED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
		SHIPPING CASE EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
REMARKS					
TIME <i>11:50 AM</i>	DATE <i>8/16/48</i>	SIGNATURE OF MORTICIAN <i>D D Parker</i>		TIME	DATE
REMARKS I certify that the casket and shipping case for these remains were inspected by me personally and are in perfect condition. I further certify that I personally checked the name stencil and shipping case tag against the casket tag for these remains and the name as stenciled on the shipping case and as on the shipping case tag are exactly the same as shown on the tag fastened to the casket.					
_____ INSPECTION OFFICER			<i>Leonard L. McGeer</i> Major T.C. _____ INSPECTION OFFICER		



I further certify that I personally checked the name thereof and shipping case tag against the cases for these remains and the name as identified on the shipping case and as on the shipping case tag are exactly the same as shown on the tag fastened to the cases.

[Handwritten signature]
 INSPECTOR OFFICER

[Handwritten signature]
 INSPECTOR OFFICER

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

2nd Lt. Walter E. Penttila, O 755 407
 Plot H, Row 3, Grave 8,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Cambridge, England

5 March 1947

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B		D	

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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

PART I

I, Lauri Penttila (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.
 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

Hillcrest Memorial Park, Porterville, California
(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

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

4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
(LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)
 (Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)
 YES NO

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

NONE

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(7 Aug 47 file closed)

PART I (Continued)

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

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

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

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

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
LOYD-BRITTELL CHAPEL			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
401 No. Hockett St.	Porterville 13	Tulare Co.	California
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.	
Tulare, California	Porterville, Calif.	631-W	

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.

Lauri Penttila (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) Rt 3 Box 814 (STREET AND NUMBER)
Lauri Penttila (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) Porterville California (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 7th day of April, 1947, at city (or town) of Porterville, county of Tulare, and State (or Territory or District) of California

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

Ardath Dobbs (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public (OFFICIAL TITLE)

If you are the next of kin and you desire I, THE NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HER THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE OR

LAST NAME
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)
 (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

If you are NOT the next of kin authorize THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET

(SIGNATURE)
 (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

PART II RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

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

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

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

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

_____ (DATE)

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

_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) _____ (CITY AND STATE)

PART III

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

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

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

_____ (DATE)

_____ (SIGNATURE) _____ (STREET AND NUMBER)

_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) _____ (CITY AND STATE)

ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

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

Lined area for additional remarks and instructions.



QMGMR 314.6
Graves Registration
(European - U. S. Misc.)

18 MAR 1947

SUBJECT: Burial Records

TO: Commanding Officer
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
APO 887, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. Request the burial reports and grave markers for the following decedents, interred in the United States Military Cemetery Cambridge, England, be changed to read as follows:

NAME	RANK GRADE	SERIAL NO.	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
<u>Penttila, Walter L.</u>	2/Lt.	O-755407	M	3	8
Walker, John P.	1/Lt.	O-720043	W	1	2
Walsh, Thomas I., Jr.	S/Sgt.	36606965	H	2	3

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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2nd Lt. Walter L. Penttila, O 755 407
 Plot M, Row 3, Grave 8,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Cambridge, England

5 March 1947

Mr. Lauri Penttila
 Route #5, Box 322
 Porterville, California

Dear Mr. Penttila:

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

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

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

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

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
 Major General
 The Quartermaster General

Incls. 5
 dead

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QMGR 293
 Penttila, Walter L.
 A.S.N. O 755 407

4 February 1947

Mr. Lauri Penttila
 Route #5, Box 322
 Porterville, California

Dear Mr. Penttila:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery Cambridge, England, in which your son, the late Second Lieutenant Walter L. Penttila, is buried.

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

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

Sincerely yours,

G. A. HORKAN
 Brigadier General, QMC
 Assistant

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SPQYG 293
 Penttila, Walter L.

25 January 1946

Mr. Lauri Penttila
 Route #5, Box 322
 Porterville, California

Dear Mr. Penttila:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished the burial location of your son, the late Second Lieutenant Walter L. Penttila, A.S.N. O-755 407.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the Cambridge American Military Cemetery, plot M, row 3, grave 8.

This cemetery is located approximately forty-two miles northeast of London, England, just outside the university town of Cambridge, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

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

Sincerely yours,

C. L. CORBIN
 Major General, GMC
 Acting The Quartermaster General

GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION
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 MEMORIAL DIVISION

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CERVAE REGISTRATION
Form No. 1
(Revised 1 Sept. 1943)

RESTRICTED
REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

12613
11 July 1944
Date

Penttila P.R.
PENTTILA Walter L 2d Lt 0 755 407
Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.
669th Bombardment Squadron (L) 416th Bombardment Group (L) 762
Unit Organization
1/2 mile west of Gosfield, Essex, Eng. 11 July 1944 Aircraft Accident
Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death
15 00hrs 13 July 1944 Cambridge American Military Cemetery, Cambridge, Eng.
Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location
8 3 M Temp. Wooden Cross.
Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

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

If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

Identification Tags and Bracelet

What means of identification were buried with the body? Ident. Tag One(1)

Escorted by: Leo E. Poundstone, Lt. 0-74949/ 416 Bomb Gp.

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

Who is buried on: Curry, Willie 38106817, S/Sgt. 599 Bmb. Sq. 9
Deceased's Right: Name Serial No. Rank Det Organization Grave No.
Hall, Spencer L. 34370076, Pfc. 417 QM Bkry Co. 7
Deceased's Left: Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Joseph A. Haubrich
Signature of Name, Rank and if possible, Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.
JOSEPH A. HAUBRICH, 1st Lt., AC., Asst Adj, 416th Bomb Gp (L)
If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:



Emergency Addressee Mr Lauri Penttila (Father)
Name

Route 5, Box 322, Forterville, Calif.
Address

Religion Methodist (Protestant)

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

- One wallet, containing personal papers and twenty-five pounds
- One identification bracelet
- One fountain pen
- Personal Letter (Effects turned over to Organization Commander)
- One set pilot wings
- One tobacco pouch

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

110, 208, 22/9/43, 180M/8/15219

Incl. #11

RESTRICTED

18 SEP 1944

RESTRICTED IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

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

- | | |
|----------------|--------------------------|
| Height: | Laundry Marks: |
| Weight: | Number of Rifle: |
| Color of Eyes: | Wear Glasses? |
| Color of Hair: | Is Tooth Chart Attached? |
| Race: | |

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

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

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4			
8			
2	Left Hand		
1			
Thumb			



TOOTH CHART

Deceased's Left																Deceased's Right																	
								8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8										
								8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8										
								Upper																									
								Lower																									

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

Characteristics:
Other Data:

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

RESTRICTED

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 4 August 1944
 mjk/4632

FULL NAME Penttila, Walter L.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0-755 407	GRADE 2nd Lt.			
HOME ADDRESS Porterville, Calif.		ARM OR SERVICE Air Corps	DATE OF BIRTH 26 May 1921			
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Airplane Accident		DATE OF DEATH 11 July 1944			
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 1 Oct 1943	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAY			
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mr. Lauri Penttila, father, Route #5, Box 322, Porterville, Calif.						
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Lempi Moria Penttila, mother, Route #5, Box 322, Porterville, Calif. Mr. Lauri Penttila, father, same as above						
INVESTIGATION MADE?	IN LINE OF DUTY	OWN MISCONDUCT	WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS	AUTHORIZED ABSENCE	IN FLYING PAY STATUS	OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)
YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
X	X	X	X		X	

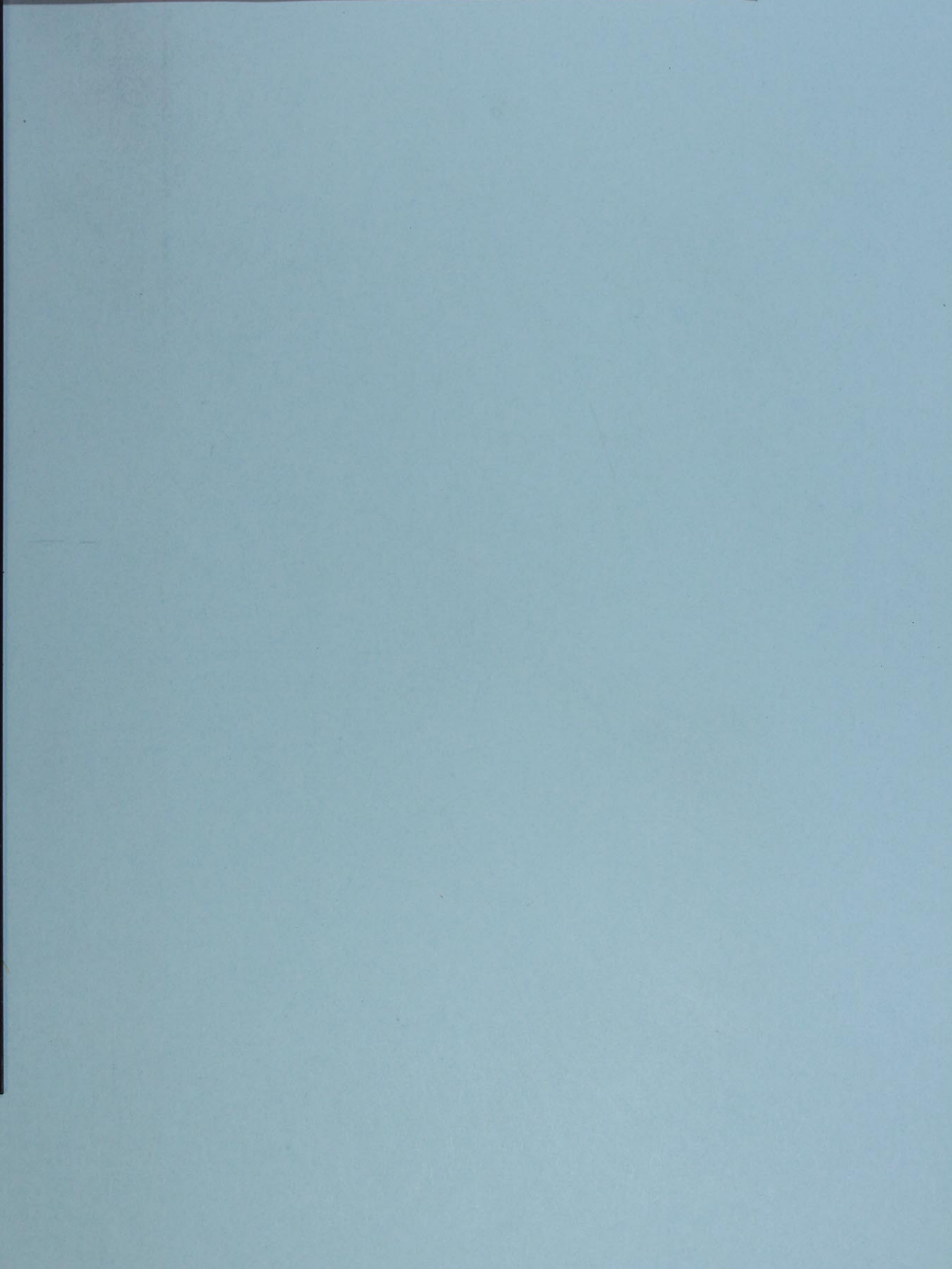
ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

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G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		A. G. 201 FILE

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 NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:
J. A. Marshall
 J. A. Marshall
 ADJUTANT GENERAL

SEE THIS FILE
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[Handwritten initials]



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

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REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 4 August 1944
mjk/4632

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BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Lempi Moria Penttila, mother, Route #5, Box 322, Porterville, Calif. Mr. Lauri Penttila, father, same as above			
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY	OWN MISCONDUCT
YES	NO	YES	NO
	X	X	X
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE	IN FLYING PAY STATUS
YES	NO	YES	NO
X		X	X
OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)			
YES	NO		

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

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ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

1949
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NON-BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME		SERIAL NUMBER			GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE
PENTTILA, WALTER L.		0-765,407			2nd Lt	AG	ETO
PLACE OF CASUALTY		DATE OF CASUALTY		FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER	
Gosfield, Eng.		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	A	KNB	202019-CC-1X

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

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

MR.-MRS.-MISS	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	LAST NAME	RELATIONSHIP
	MR LAURI PENTTILA			FATHER
NO. AND NAME OF STREET		CITY	COUNTY	STATE
ROUTE NUMBER FIVE BOX 322		PORTERVILLE	CALIFORNIA	

REMARKS: AG 201 (19 July 44) EVIDENCE OF DEATH REC'D IN W D ON 22 JULY 44 fmc
London Nr: C 82916 Cas msg #1843. FINAL. Cause:
[Disturbing text redacted]
incurred when airplane crashed as pilot attempted single engine
landing in wheat field. In line of duty.



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

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED OR CHARGED TO DATE 20 July 44

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO YES (AS INDICATED BELOW):

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

REPORT NOT VERIFIED NO FORM 43 NO CAS. BR. FILE CHECKED BY Johnson (JUL 28 1944) REVIEWED BY Ambrose

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

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

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

IN REPLY REFER TO 146,768 ✓

JRM:CH:jp
March 17, 1945

Mr. Lauri Penttila
Route #5, Box 322
Porterville, California

Dear Mr. Penttila:

Since our letter of January 5, the Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your son, 2nd Lt. Walter L. Penttila.

These effects, contained in one foot locker are being forwarded and should reach you in the near future.

If delivery is not made within thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer may be directed.

Yours very truly,

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

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mr. Lauri Penttila

SHIP TO: Route #5, Box 322

Effects of Lt. Walter L. Penttila Forterville, California
Name
ASN 0-755407
Case No. 146,768 D
Wt.

DATE 17 March 1945
JRM:CH:jp

D. Schramm
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:
Inclose Bureau Check _____ Remove G.I.
Acct. No. _____ Note discrepancy in _____
Amount _____ Films removed
Inclose "Valuables" item _____ Diary removed
Ship "Valuables" item(s) _____ Laundry removed

ROUTING:
Accounting Branch
1 Warehouse Division
2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

17 foot lockers
REMARKS:

Franked **FRANKED**
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages 7

MAR 21 1945

MAR 27 1945

HML
Shipping Clerk

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SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BOX NUMBER	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES 1		MISSING <input type="checkbox"/>
TALLY NUMBER 6515	INVENTORY DATE 27 Jan. 1945	CASE NUMBER 146768	P O W <input type="checkbox"/>
EFFECTS OF WALTER L. PENTTILA		RANK 2d Lt.	ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/>
A.S.N. 0+755407	ORGANIZATION 66th Bombardment Squadron (S) (Bombardier)		
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION #1 Sport Leathers			

CLOTHING	PERSONAL ITEMS	CONTAINERS
BELT	BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION 2	BAGS, CLOTH
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BRUSHES	BAGS, TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	CAMERAS	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)
COATS	GLASSES	CASE,
3 FOOTWEAR, PR.	KNIVES	FOOTLOCKER
X GLOVES, PR.	LIGHTERS	1 KIT, SEWING
1 HANDKERCHIEFS	MISC. INSIGNIA	1 KIT, TOILET
1 HEADWEAR	MISC. ITEMS	KIT, WRITING
1 JACKETS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	PAPERS AND MISC.
OVERCOATS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	BOOKS
SCARFS	PIPES	BOOKS, ADDRESS
SHIRTS	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	BOOKS, NOTE
X SOCKS, PR.	RIBBONS, DECORATION	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
TIES	RINGS	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)
X TOWELS	TOBACCO	FILMS
2 TROUSERS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	LETTERS
1 TRUNKS, PR.	WATCH	PAPERS, PERSONAL
X UNDERWEAR	WINGS	PHOTOS
		SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
		SHORT SNORTER
		SOUVENIRS
		SOUVENIR MONEY
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

1 pr. pajamas
1 Vest liner
1 sweat suits

REMARKS: Father's
Mr. Lucia Penttala
Rt. 5 Box 322
Porterville, California

ATTACHMENTS: FORM #54
inventory

C.A.T. none	FEB 7 1945	HML	WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE 240X	STORER BY [Signature]	MAR 21 1945		SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
INVENTORIED BY Ban				IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
PACKED BY [Signature]	CHECKED BY B			DIARY REMOVED
			DATE SHIPPED	LOCKED STORAGE
				LAUNDRY REMOVED
				FILM REMOVED

NAME

PENTTILA, W. L. LT

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
26	2		6515

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED
F.L.		

Eff. QM Form 48

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

CLASS I.

None

The effects of the late 2d Lt. Walter L. Penttila, 0755407, were shipped to Effects QM, ETOUSA, APO 507, by Govt Mt. 28 July 1944.

The footlocker with effects enclosed therein was shipped to this Orgn 4 Aug 1944, having been shipped to ETO by water and not previously delivered to the late office.

CLASS II.

1	pr Shoes, Gym	✓
1	pr Shoes, Service	✓
1	pr Slippers, shower	✓
1	Kit, sewing	✓
1	Cap flight pink	✓
1	pr Pajamas	✓
1	Jacket, field	✓
1	pr Trousers, OD	✓
1	pr Trousers, khaki	✓
1	Vest, wool	✓
1	Kit, toilet	✓
2	Bags, Barracks	✓
2	Towels, Bath	✓
1	pr Trousers, sweat	✓
1	Shirt, sweat	✓
1	pr Trunks, gym	✓
4	pr Drawers, cotton	✓
3	Handkerchiefs	✓
7	Undershirts, cotton	✓
4	pr Socks, wool	✓
6	pr Socks, cotton	✓
1	Footlocker	✓

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of subject effects and that the effects were shipped to Effects QM, ETOUSA, APO 507, G-14, U.S. Army by delivering _____ on _____ 1944.

Joseph A. Haubrich
 JOSEPH A. HAUBRICH,
 1st Lt., Air Corps,
 Personnel Officer,
 416th Bomb Gp (L).

(3 copies to Effects Q.M. ETOUSA, 1 copy in box with effects, 1 copy retained)

10 August 1944
Date

HEADQUARTERS, 416th Bombardment Group (L), APO 140
(Organization and A.P.O. Number)

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventory of Personal Effects.

TO : Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, Depot G-14, A.P.O. 507,
U.S. Army.

Transmitted herewith in accordance with Adm. Cir. #80, dated 25 Oct. 1943, Hq, SOS, ETOUSA, is Inventory of effects concerning subject named below.

<u>Penttila,</u>	<u>Walter</u>	<u>L.</u>	<u>2d Lt.</u>	<u>0-755407</u>	
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(MI)	(Rank)	(ASN)	(Control No)
					(For use of Effects QM ETOUSA)

Organization 669th Bombardment Squadron (L), 416th Bombardment Group (L)
(Unit - - - - Not Branch or Service)

*Status. (Deceased, ~~Discharged, Resigned, Separated, etc.~~) on the 11
day of July 19 44.

Designated Beneficiary (With address)

Mr. Luria, Penttila, (Father)
Rt. 5 Box 322, Porterville, California

Cl. II Assets: Cash found in effects, less cost of money order inclosed herewith

U.S.M.O. # <u>none</u>	Amt \$ _____	U.S.M.O. # <u>none</u>	Amt \$ _____
U.S.M.O. # <u>none</u>	Amt \$ _____	U.S.M.O. # <u>None</u>	Amt \$ _____

U.S. Official Check # None Amt. _____ Bank _____
(Name and Branch)

#Bank Accounts None

#Debtors None

#Creditors None

#Inclosed is None
(Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks.
Describe fully)

*Strike out words not applicable.
#Negative report where applicable.

Summary Court-Martial
 ARMY SERVICE FORCES
 KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT Case No. JHM:CH:1c
 601 Hardesty Avenue 146768-H
 Kansas City 1, Missouri Date 5 January 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

Walter L. Penttila, O-755407 late a
 (Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)

Second Lieutenant, Air Corps who died
 (Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)

on the 11 day of July, 19 44, at European area.

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

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

a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at 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 \$ _____ was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. _____.)

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

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

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 7 November 1944, pursuant to Special Orders 223, Headquarters, KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of Lauri Penttila

_____ 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, Lauri Penttila of
 (Name of person found entitled)

Route #5, Box 322, Porterville State of
 (Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)

California, is the father of the
 (Relationship or Capacity)

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

 (Signature of Summary Court Officer)

W. F. HISHMAN, Major Q.M.C.
 (Name, Rank, Organization)
 SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL

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

IN REPLY REFER TO: QM 201 (146768-H)

JRM:CH:lc
5 January 1945

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Records

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

Transmitted herewith for disposition certain personal records of
Walter L. Penttila, O-755407, 2nd Lt., A.C., deceased.

For the Commanding Officer:

G. H. CALVIN, JR.
Captain Q.M.C.
Assistant

2 Incls--

Incl 1--W.D., A.G.O. Form No. 77 - Pay Data Card, dated Oct. 1, 1943

Incl 2--W.D., A.G.O. Form No. 77 - Pay Data Card, dated June 27, 1944



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

IN REPLY REFER TO: _____

146768-H

JRM:CH:lc
January 5, 1945

Mr. Lauri Penttila
Route #5, Box 322
Porterville, California

Dear Mr. Penttila:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your son, 2nd Lt. Walter L. Penttila.

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

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

Inclosed herewith, is Last Will and Testament and Power of Attorney received here with Lt. Penttila's effects.

Extending every sympathy, I am

Sincerely yours,

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

2 Incls--
Last Will and Testament (in dup)
Power of Attorney (in dup)

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mr. Lauri Penttila

Route #5, Box 322

2nd Lt. Walter L. Penttila
Ship to:

Porterville, California

Effects of 0-755407
Name 146768-D
ASN
Case No.
Wt.

FRANKED

Ship Via _____ G B/L NO. _____

Date January 5, 1945
Heathman:lc
V. Leese
For Effects Quartermaster

PACKAGES SHIPPED

1 Carton ✓

TOTAL _____ Date Shipped JAN 8 1945

REMARKS:

JAN 10 1945

JAN 5 1945

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

HML
Shipping Clerk

SHEET OF SHEETS		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED	
BOX NUMBER		ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES		MISSING	
TALLY NUMBER		INVENTORY DATE		P O W	
EFFECTS OF		CASE NUMBER		ABANDONED	
A.S.N.		ORGANIZATION		RANK	
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION					
5967		12-30-44		146,768 PS	
WALTER L. PENTILA				2nd LT	
0-755407		669th Bomb Sqdn (L)			
		416th Bomb Grp (L)			
<i>4 / Customs</i>					
CLOTHING		PERSONAL ITEMS		CONTAINERS	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	<input type="checkbox"/>	BRUSHES	<input type="checkbox"/>	BAGS, CLOTH
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HEADWEAR <i>fur visor</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GLASSES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY) <i>copy</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	CLOTH, WASH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	KNIVES	<input type="checkbox"/>	CASE
<input type="checkbox"/>	COATS	<input type="checkbox"/>	LIGHTERS	<input type="checkbox"/>	FOOTLOCKER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FOOTWEAR, PR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MISC. INSIGNIA	<input type="checkbox"/>	KIT, SEWING
<input type="checkbox"/>	GLOVES, PR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MISC. ITEMS	<input type="checkbox"/>	KIT, TOILET
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HANDKERCHIEFS	<input type="checkbox"/>	PEN, FOUNTAIN	<input type="checkbox"/>	KIT, WRITING
<input type="checkbox"/>	JACKETS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PENCIL, MECHANICAL <i>damaged</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	PAPERS AND MISC.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	OVERCOATS <i>knit</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	PIPES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BOOKS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SHIRTS	<input type="checkbox"/>	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	<input type="checkbox"/>	FILMS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SOCKS, PR	<input type="checkbox"/>	RIBBONS, DECORATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	LETTERS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TIES	<input type="checkbox"/>	RINGS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PAPERS, PERSONAL
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TOWELS	<input type="checkbox"/>	TOBACCO	<input type="checkbox"/>	PHOTOS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TROUSERS, PR	<input type="checkbox"/>	TOILET ARTICLES	<input type="checkbox"/>	SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	UNDERWEAR	<input type="checkbox"/>	WATCH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SOUVENIR MONEY
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SCARFS	<input type="checkbox"/>	CAMERAS	<input type="checkbox"/>	TESTAMENTS
		<i>Electric Razor (Schick)</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BOOKS, ADDRESS
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BOOKS, NOTE
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
				<input type="checkbox"/>	STATIONERY
				<input type="checkbox"/>	SHORT SHORTER
				<input type="checkbox"/>	U.S. MONEY
				<input type="checkbox"/>	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)
<i>Feb. 40</i>					
REMARKS: <i>father Lauri Penttila P5-130732 Porterville Cal. No correspondence</i>					
ATTACHMENTS: <i>Inventory of effects 2 forms 77 12 back with 4 testaments 2 power of atty</i>					
C.A.T. <i>none</i>		WEIGHT <i>HML</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	#43 OF ADDITIONAL
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GI REMOVED
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
				<input type="checkbox"/>	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
				<input type="checkbox"/>	DIARY REMOVED
				<input type="checkbox"/>	LOCKED STORAGE
WAREHOUSE SPACE <i>233X</i>		STORED BY <i>GH</i>		DATE SHIPPED <i>JAN 10 1945</i>	
INVENTORIED BY <i>Smart & Smith</i>		CHECKED BY <i>E</i>		LAUNDRY REMOVED	
PACKED BY <i>Brushers</i>				FILM REMOVED	

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

STAGES

1 <i>Y. G. Personal</i>	U S GOVT. CHECK SHORT
1 <i>Bath</i>	NUMBER
2 <i>undershirts (cotton)</i>	DATE
1 <i>U S money order # 8129</i>	SYMBOL
<i>amount \$100.00</i>	AMOUNT
1 <i>U S money order # 8130</i>	
<i>amount \$.50</i>	

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

Smart & Smith
INVENTORY CLERK

W. B. Banters
SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

1 *Pilot navigation Kit*

(3 copies to Effect Q.M. ETOUSA, 1 copy in box with Effects, 1 copy retained)

12 July 1944
Date

HEADQUARTERS, 116TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP (L), APO 140
(Organization and A.P.O. Number)

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventory of Personal Effects.

TO : Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, Depot G-14, A.P.O. 507,
U.S. Army.

Transmitted herewith in accordance with Adm. Cir. #80, dated 25 Oct. 1943, Hq, SOS, ETOUSA, is Inventory of effects concerning subject named below.

<u>Penttila</u>	<u>Walter</u>	<u>L.</u>	<u>2d Lt.</u>	<u>0-755407</u>	
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(MI)	(Rank)	(ASN)	(Control No)
					(For use of Effects of ETOUSA)

Organization 669th Bombardment Squadron (L), 116th Bombardment Group (L)
(Unit - - - - Not Branch or Service)

*Status. (~~Deceased, Missing in Action, Prisoner of War~~) on the 11
day of July 19 44.

Designated Beneficiary (With address)

Mr. Lauri Penttila (Father)

Rt. 5, Box 322, Porterville, California

Cl. II Assets: Cash found in effects, less cost of money order inclosed herewith

U.S.M.O. # <u>8129</u>	Amt \$ <u>100.00</u>	U.S.M.O. # <u>None</u>	Amt \$ _____
U.S.M.O. # <u>8130</u>	Amt \$ <u>00.50</u>	U.S.M.O. # <u>None</u>	Amt \$ _____

U.S. Official Check # None Amt. _____ Bank _____
(Name and Branch)

#Bank Accounts None

#Debtors None

#Creditors None

#Inclosed is None

(Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks.
Describe fully)

*Strike out words not applicable.

#Negative report where applicable.

INVENTORY OF EFFECTSClass I.

1 Camera, (Falken)
 1 Kit, Toilet
 1 pr Sun Glasses w/case
 1 Electric Razor (Schick)
 1 Bilbe
 1 Roll Films
 1 Box (Fishing Flies)
 1 Kit Stationary
 1 Kit Sewing
 1 Badge (Combat Crew)
 1 Kit, Pilot Navigator
 1 Tobacco Pouch
 5 2nd Lt. Bars
 1 Insignia AC
 1 Insignia US
 2 Pilots wings
 1 Bracelet (Identification)
 1 Pencil (Eversharp)
 1 Billfold w/personal papers
 1 Field Personal

Class II.

1 Shirt, poplin
 1 Shirt, green
 1 Shirt, pink
 1 Overcoat, short
 2 pr Trousers, Green
 1 Trench coat
 1 Toilet Bag
 1 Trench coat liner
 1 pr Bathing trunks
 1 Officers hat
 1 Cap, khaki
 4 Ties, khaki
 1 pr Trousers, OD
 1 pr Shoes (Low quarters)
 12 Undershirts (Cotton)
 9 Drawers (Cotton)
 9 pr Socks (Wool)
 4 pr Socks (Cotton)
 1 Cap OD, garrison
 7 Handkerchiefs
 2 Undershirts (Wool)
 1 Knife, pocket
 1 Lock & keys
 3 Bath Towels
 2 pr Trousers (Khaki)
 1 Laundry Bag

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of subject effects
 and that the effects were shipped to Effects Co, INCUSA, LPO 597, G-14, U.S. Army
 by delivering _____ on _____ 1944.

Joseph A. Haubrich
 JOSEPH A. HAUBRICH,
 1st Lt., Air Corps,
 Personnel Officer.
 416th Bomb Sq (L).

NAME

PENTTIOLA, WALTER L.

LT.

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
40	63		6 5967

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED
BOX		

Est. QM Form 48



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

(S-1-16-45)

JRM:AP:ms

November 16, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO 146760 P

Mr. Lauri Penttila
Route #5, Box 322
Porterville, California

Dear Mr. Penttila:

Thank you for the information given in your letter of recent date in connection with disposal of personal property of your son, Second Lieutenant Walter L. Penttila. I am returning the Will and Power of Attorney which you submitted.

I am inclosing a check for \$100.50, which is the only property belonging to him received at this Bureau.

The transmittal of funds by this Bureau does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient. Such property is forwarded for distribution according to the laws of the state of the officer's legal residence.

Please acknowledge receipt of the check by signing one copy of this letter and returning it to this Bureau. For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

It is probable that additional effects of Lieutenant Penttila will reach this Bureau at a later date. As it is my intention to forward any such property to you immediately upon arrival here, I ask that you please notify us, without fail, in the event there is any change in your address within the next few months.

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

Yours very truly,

4 Incls.

Will
Power of Attorney
Check
Envelope

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

Receipt acknowledged

(Signature)

(Date)

WILL

Soldier's name: 2nd Lt. Walter L. Penttila
ASN: 0-755407

Mr. Lauri Penttila (father) beneficiary & executor

Case No: 146768 P

Dated: 22nd of March 1944 at F.A.A.F. FLORENCE, S. C.

/s/ Walter L. Penttila

REQUEST FOR INCLOSURES

Case No. 146768 P AP:ns

TO:

 Locked Storage for:

ROUTING.

- 1. Accounting branch for check ✓
- 2. Capt. Eckhardt for signature

 Accounting Unit for Check:

Account No. 49976 Amount \$ 100.50 *gs*

Account No. Amount \$

TOTAL - \$

Payable to:

Mr. Lauri Penttila

Porterville, California

Correspondent *S.P.*

Check No. 33809

Initials emh

49976

146768

November 16 44

Lauri Penttila

100.50

One Hundred and 50/100

Major Q.M.C.
Asst.

11-16

Porterville Calif Jhp
Oct. 23, 1944

Army Service Forces: —
Kansas City, Mo.

In reply to 146,768 P

Enclosed please find will
and power of attorney.

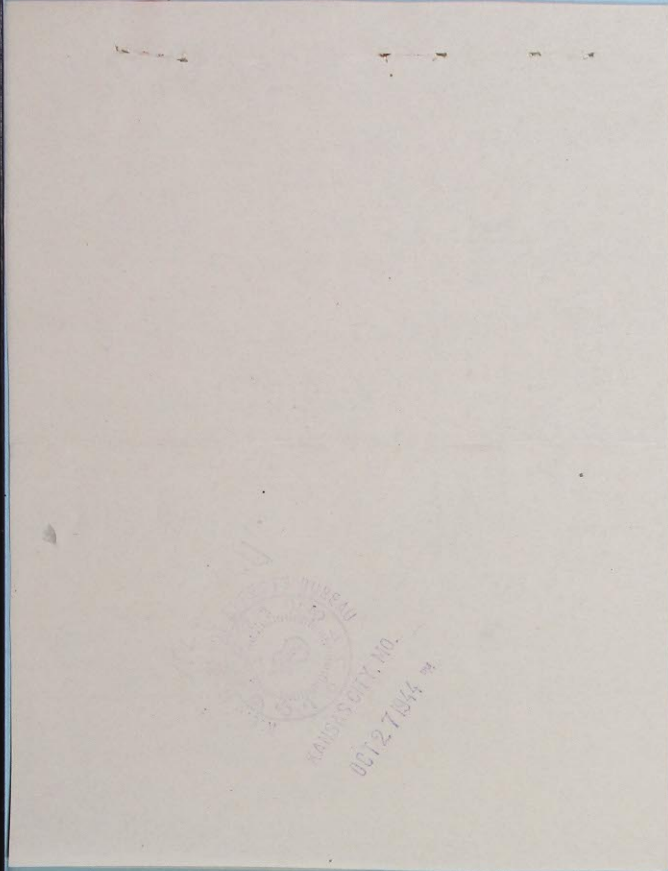
Rt. Penttila was single.

Yours truly

Lauri Penttila

Rt. 5 Box 322

Porterville Calif



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
KANSAS CITY, MO.
OCT 12 7 1944



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

(S-11-10-14)
JRM:AP:elb
October 10, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO 146,768 P

Mr. Lauri Penttila
Route #5, Box 322
Porterville, California

Dear Mr. Penttila:

The Army Effects Bureau has received certain funds which belonged to your son, Lieutenant Walter L. Penttila.

This is the only property of Lieutenant Penttila received here to date; however, money ordinarily is transmitted from overseas by mail, in advance of other personal effects.

To make proper disposal of these funds, it is necessary that we have certain information regarding your son's family. I will appreciate your informing us whether he was married and, if so, the name and address of his widow.

In addition, if Lieutenant Penttila left a Will which has been probated, the original or a certified copy of the Letters Testamentary should be sent here for inspection. Any papers that you send us will be returned promptly.

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

Yours very truly,

I. M. BRAINERD
Administrative Assistant
Army Effects Bureau

1 Incl--Envelope