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**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON**



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Departmental Records Branch, AGO
219 North Lee Street
Washington, D.C. 20390

QMCMF 293
York, Robert W.
SN O 750 758

27 February 1952

Mr. Leo M. Boyle
Service Recognition Board
Armory Building
Springfield, Illinois

Dear Mr. Boyle:

This has reference to your letter dated 18 February 1952 concern-
ing the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

A check of our files indicates that this Office has not received
any correspondence from Lieutenant York's widow in addition to her
statement of relinquishment, a photostatic copy of which was inclosed
in our letter of 12 February 1952.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES B. CLEARWATER
Colonel, OMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)		PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)		PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
ADDRESSEE Mr. Leo M. Boyle		ADDRESS (Street, City, State) Service Recognition Board Armory Building Springfield, Ill.		
RELATIONSHIP				
PARAGRAPHS (Sequence)	ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS			
1	<p>This has reference to your letter dated 18 February 1952 concerning the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York.</p> <p>A check of our files indicates that this Office has not received any correspondence from Lieutenant York's widow in addition to the <u>her</u> statement of relinquishment, a photostatic copy of which was inclosed in our letter ^{of} of your date 12 February 1952.</p>			
ANALYST INITIALS AND DATE RWH 2-26-52		TYPIST INITIALS		REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE 7/26

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle)
YORK, ROBERT W.

GRADE
1/LT

SERIAL NUMBER
0 750 758

A check of our files reveals that they do not contain any correspondence from the widow whatsoever. only the statement of relinquishment of which a photocopy was mailed to you. (or something like that)

Handwritten signature

STATE OF ILLINOIS

Service Recognition Board

Armory Building

SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS

TELEPHONE 6651

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Wm. G. Stratton . . . TREASURER

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL, LEO M. BOYLE, SECRETARY

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February 18, 1952

RE: ²⁹³ YORK, Robert Walter (Dec'd.),
Claim No. S-717489 JR

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

Gentlemen:

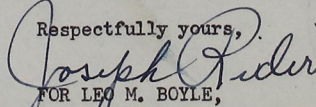
We are referring to the above-numbered beneficiary claim which has been filed with this office by the purported unremarried widow of the late Robert Walter York, Serial No. O 750 758.

Two conflicting claims have been filed with this office for benefits under the Illinois Veterans' World War II Compensation Act; one having been filed by the father of the late veteran; the other having been filed by the purported unremarried widow of the late veteran, W. Ruth York (Otto).

We are in possession of evidence which indicates that this lady executed your Form 16-50410-1, which is required for the Relinquishment of Disposition Authority relative to the returning of the bodies of deceased veterans from overseas, as W. Ruth York Otto. This form was executed March 22, 1948, at which time this lady gave her address as 68 East 12th Street, Clintonville, Wisconsin. In her efforts to overcome this evidence which would indicate that she was remarried at the time of signing this document, she now states to this office that she was not remarried but simply planned to be remarried within a short time at the time this form was executed, and that she contacted your Department asking that you return this form in order that she might execute it properly; in other words, under the name of York rather than under the name of Otto. She states that such forms were not returned to her. We are desirous of your checking your records to see whether or not such a request was ever made with your office.

We have information in our files which would indicate that the late veteran's wife apparently had remarried, and whether or not she was remarried at the time she filed application with this office, we are not certain. This marriage may have been annulled or a divorce may have terminated it. We are aware that you cannot give us very much information relative to this lady; however, we are desirous of knowing whether or not she did request the return of the forms she executed in 1948 or any other similar form under the name of Otto and desired to change the signature. This information will be considered highly confidential and used only to establish the proper beneficiary under the Illinois Bonus Act.

Respectfully yours,


FOR LEO M. BOYLE,
Secretary.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS
War Relocation Authority

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FEBRUARY 18 1952
ADM. DIV.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

February 18, 1952

RE: YOUR, Robert Walter (deceased),
Claim No. 2-17482 JR

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

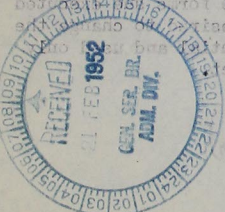
Gentlemen:

We are referring to the above-numbered beneficiary claim which has been filed with this office by the purported unmarried widow of the late Robert Walter, Serial No. O 750 758.

Two conflicting claims have been filed with this office for benefits under the Illinois Veterans' World War II Compensation Act: one having been filed by the father of the late veteran; the other having been filed by the purported unmarried widow of the late veteran, W. Ruth York (deceased).

We are in possession of evidence which indicates that the lady executed your Form 16-50A(1-1), which is required for the attainment of this position authority relative to the returning of the bodies of deceased veterans from overseas as a W. Ruth York (deceased), this form was executed March 22, 1948, at which time this lady gave her address as 62 East 125th Street, Clevelândia, Wis-consin. In her efforts to overcome this evidence which would indicate that she was married at the time of signing this document, she now states to this office that she was not married but simply intended to be remarried within a short time at the time this form was executed, and that she contacted your Department asking that you return this form in order that she might execute it properly; in other words, under the name of York rather than under the name of O'Leary. She states that such forms were not returned to her. We are desirous of your checking your records to see whether or not such a request was ever made with your office.

We have interviewed in our office which would indicate that the late veteran's wife apparently had remarried, and either or not she was remarried at the time she filed your Form 16-50A(1-1). This marriage was not certain. This lady may have been married to a W. Ruth York (deceased) at the time she filed this form; however, we are desirous of knowing whether or not she was married to a W. Ruth York (deceased) at the time she filed this form. We are desirous of knowing whether or not she was married to a W. Ruth York (deceased) at the time she filed this form. We are desirous of knowing whether or not she was married to a W. Ruth York (deceased) at the time she filed this form.



Respectfully yours,
FOR THE SECRETARY

WWS

QMGMF 293
York, Robert W.
SN O 750 758

12 February 1952

Mr. Leo M. Boyle
Service Recognition Board
Armory Building
Springfield, Illinois

Dear Mr. Boyle:

This is in response to your letter dated 24 January 1952 concerning the remarriage of W. Ruth York, widow of the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

According to the information on file in this Office, at the time disposition instructions were requested from the widow, she did not definitely state that she had remarried, although her signature indicated that she had. She relinquished her rights to direct disposition of the decedent's remains to his father; a copy of the form wherein she relinquished is herewith inclosed.

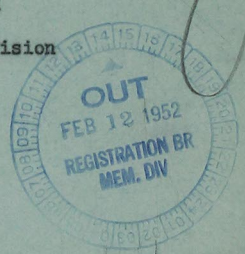
Sincerely yours,

JAMES B. CLEARWATER
Colonel, QMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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Relinquishment

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET			
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PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
ADDRESSEE MR. M. Mr. Leo Boyle MISS MRS.	ADDRESS (Street, City, State) Service Recognition Board Armory Building Springfield, Illinois		
RELATIONSHIP			
PARAGRAPHS (Sequence)	ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS		
1	<p>This is in response to your letter dated 24 January 1952 concerning the remarriage of W. Ruth York Otto. <i>widow of the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York</i></p> <p>According to the information on file in this Office, at the time disposition instructions were requested from the widow, she did not not definitely state that she had remarried, although her signature indicated that she had. She relinquished her rights to direct disposition of the decedent's remains to his father; a copy of the form wherein she relinquished is herewith inclosed.</p> <p>Incl Photostatic copy of Relinquishment form</p>		
ANALYST, INITIALS AND DATE	TYPIST INITIALS	REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE	
W H W		EH 2-11-52	

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle)
York, Robert W.

GRADE
First Lieutenant

SERIAL NUMBER
O-750 758

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UNION

RECEIPT OF REMAINS

DELIVER AND REPORT
ANY CHARGES

AGR DIV., CHICAGO QM DEPOT
DISTRIBUTION CENTER 1819 W. PERSHING RD., CHICAGO 9 ILL. ROUTINE

DAY LETTER

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO:
MC CANDLESS & ZOBEL FURN. CO.

ANTIGO, WISCONSIN

REMAINS OF THE LATE ²⁵⁷ 1 LT. ROBERT W. YORK, SN O-750758
BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT. ON TRAIN NUMBER 125

C&NW RR

DUE TO ARRIVE ANTIGO, WIS., 11:30 AM WED. 20 APRIL 1949
REQUEST THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY INFORM THE NEXT OF KIN AND MAKE ARRANGEMENTS
TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL. REFER TO CONTROL NUMBER 25081

THOS. O. CALL
MAJOR, Q.M.C.

FILE
7 JUN 1949
REPATRIATION
BRANCH
MEM. DIV.

I, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge receipt of the remains of the above-named deceased
this 20 day of April, 1949
(Day) (Month)

Lloyd C. Blanchard
(Witness (Escort))

Mc Candless & Zobel Co.
N. W. Mc Candless Inc.
(Consignee)

QMC FORM
REV 5 MAR 48 1193

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16-54737-1

12 APRIL 1949 MM

RECEIPT OF REMAINS

Remains Consigned to
MR. CARROLL & JOHNSON, CO.
 ANTIGO, WISCONSIN

REMAINS OF THE LATE **1 LT. ROBERT W. YORK, SN C-280366**

BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCORDING TO MILITARY RECORDS ON THEIR NUMBER **138**

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WE TO ARRIVE ANTIGO, WIS., 11:30 AM WED. 30 APRIL 1949

REQUEST THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY INFORM THE NAME OF THE NAME ASSIGNED TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION FROM ARRIVAL. REFER TO CONTROL NUMBER **38031**

THOS. O. GALT
 MAJOR, G.M.C.

FILE
 1 JUN 1949
 MEMORIAL DIVISION

I the undersigned do hereby acknowledge receipt of the remains of the

Name of _____

Day of _____

Year _____

Signature _____

Signature _____

12 APRIL 1949 AM

REPATRIATION
 RECORDS BRANCH
 MAY 24 8 45 AM '49
 MEMORIAL DIVISION

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

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SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER 1240 17064		DATE 09 12 48 DAY MONTH YEAR		
NAME YORK ROBERT W		SERIAL NUMBER 0-750758	GRADE 1 LT	ARM 1	RACE 1	RELIGION 1
CEMETERY HENRI CHAPELLE - BELGIUM		PLOT C	ROW 6	GRAVE 115	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 6300 08 CODE DIST. CTR.	

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE MC CANDLESS AND ZOBEL FURNITURE CO. ANTIGO, WISCONSIN	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN WALTER A. YORK (FATHER) 1302 15TH STREET HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA
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SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISINTERRED
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input type="checkbox"/> MARKER		ORGANIZATION USAAF	RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION SEE ATTACHED SHEET	

MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.)

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE	BY	EMBALMER (Signature)
CASKET SEALED BY		
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED		SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY
DATE	BY	

CHANGE

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

SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR

REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

QMC FORM REV 11 FEB 48 1194

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED			
FROM	USRO HENRI CHAPELLE BELGIUM	TO	ANTWERP PORT PIER 140
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	TRUCK	NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	<i>[Signature]</i> MURRAY HOFFMAN CAPT INF 0335703	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>[Signature]</i> R. W. Miller
DATE	1/2/49	DATE	-1 FEB 1949
2. SHIPPED			
FROM	AGRC ANTWERP BELGIUM	TO	USAT HAITI VICTORY
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	VO. 2	NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	R. D. MILLER, Lt. COL. T.C.	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>[Signature]</i> A. S. Kimberlin 1st Lt. INF
DATE	MAR 1949	DATE	MAR 1949
3. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	NYPE
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER		SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>[Signature]</i> W. W. PREISCH LIEUT. COLONEL, TC.
DATE		DATE	MAR 15 1949
4. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	NYPE
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	TRAIN	NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	W. W. PREISCH LIEUT. COLONEL, TC.	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	<i>[Signature]</i> L. A. BOCKSTAELE 1st Lt, OMC Chief, Operations Bn.
DATE	MAR 1949	DATE	3/26/49
5. SHIPPED			
FROM	PORT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	TO	
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	

A.P.H. VHP

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER 1240 17064

DATE 05 08 47 DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME YORK ROBERT W SERIAL NUMBER 0-750758 RANK 1 LT 1 ARM 1 DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY HENRI CHAPELLE EUPEN DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 1 1201 80 CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT C ROW 6 GRAVE 115 COUNTRY BELGIUM CAUSE OF DEATH 1

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE HENRI-CHAPELLE, BELGIUM (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER) NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME YORK ROBERT W SERIAL NUMBER 0-750758 RANK 1/LT. DATE OF DEATH 29 SEPT. 44 DATE DISTINTERRED 15 OCT 47

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON REMAINS ORGANIZATION 671ST B. SQ 416 BOMB GP (L) RELIGION P IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY JOHN DAVIDSON CAPT. INF. 537 QM. SV. CO. NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL MATTRESS COVER, UNIFORM CONDITION OF REMAINS [Disturbing text redacted]

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION 1/LT. BARS FOUND ON LEATHER JACKET AND NAME :YORK IN LETTER (WHITE) ON FLYING JACKET, 9th.A.F. PATCH ON WOOL SHIRT.

MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1 NONE FOUND.

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 28 OCT 47 BY ELIJAH H FIELDS IDENT TECH

CASKET SEALED BY ELIJAH H FIELDS IDENT TECH EMBALMER (Signature) ELIJAH H FIELDS IDENT TECH FOS. PROVISIONAL.

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED 28 OCT 47 FRANCIS H BENSON SHIPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY ELIJAH H FIELDS IDENT TECH DATE BY CLERK RECORDER.

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

Signature of Raymond G Johnson, 1/LT. INF. SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

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KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE
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INSPECTION CHECKLIST 25081

NAME		RANK	SERIAL NO.	ARM OR SERVICE	DIRECTIVE DATE
YORK, ROBERT W.		1ST LT.	0-750758	AAF	
RACE		RELIGION	SEX	DIRECTIVE NO.	
WHITE		PROT.	MALE	1240 17064 NY	
CONSIGNEE AND ADDRESS			NEXT-OF-KIN ADDRESS		
MC CANDLESS & ZOBEL FURN. CO. ANTIGO, WISCONSIN			WALTER A. YORK (FATHER) 1302 15TH STREET HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA		
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FINISH (Exterior)			REMARKS:		
FINISH (Interior)					
HANDLES					
HANDLE BOLTS					
STENCILING - NAMEPLATE					
INSPECTED BY:					
CASKET - General Appearance (Check ONLY Discrepancies)			CONDITION OF CASKET (Check One) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY		
FINISH (Exterior)			REMARKS:		
HANDLES AND FASTENINGS					
STENCILING - NAMEPLATE					
CAM LOCKS (Sealing)					
ODOR OR MOISTURE					
INSPECTED BY: <i>Dalaker</i>					
ROUTED THROUGH					
<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY OPERATING ROOM			<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY REPAIR SHOP		
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			REMARKS: <i>Lt Harbas OK J.S.</i>		
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FLOOR	SECTION	BAY	STORAGE NUMBER		
			1310		
STAMP INCOMING OR OUTGOING				25081	

MESSAGEFORM		MESSAGE CENTER No.	TRANSMITTING MEANS	CRYPTOGRAPH OR CLEAR TEXT	
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ACTION	INFORMATION	EXEMPT	OPERATING SIGNALS	GROUP COUNT 6R	
SPACE ABOVE FOR SIGNAL CENTER ONLY					
FROM: (Originator)			SECURITY CLASSIFICATION		
ACTION TO: . MR. WALTER A. YORK . 1302 15TH STREET . HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA INFORMATION TO: <p style="text-align: center;">THE REMAINS OF THE LATE 1 LT. ROBERT W. YORK BEING SHIPPED TO MC CANDLESS & ZOBEL FURN. CO., ANTIGO, WISCONSIN, TO ARRIVE THERE 11:30 AM WEDNESDAY 20 APRIL 1949.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">THOS. O. CALL MAJOR, Q.M.C.</p>			PRECEDENCE FOR ACTION INFORMATION		
			<input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL MESSAGE		
			REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE IDENTIFICATION CLASSIFICATION		
SECURITY CLASSIFICATION			AUTHORIZATION		
ORIGINATING AGENCY MM			SIGNATURE C. M. ODENWALDER		
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CHICAGO QM DEPOT AGRD

CONTROL NO. 25081. YOUR TELEGRAM OF MARCH 10, 1949. THIS IS TO CONFIRM ORIGINAL INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING BURIAL OF 1ST LT. ROBERT W. YORK. PLEASE WIRE ME AT 1302 15TH STREET, HUNTINGTON, W. VA. AT LEAST FOUR DAYS PRIOR TO ANTIGO, WISCONSIN DELIVERY OF REMAINS AS I WISH TO ATTEND MILITARY FUNERAL WHICH HAVE BEEN ARRANGED BY ANTIGO WISCONSIN VETERANS ORGANIZATION

WALTER A YORK 1302 15TH STREET HUNTINGTON WEST VIRGINIA

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WEST VIRGINIA

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COLL 2.00 DELY CHGS GOVT 609PM MARCH 3 ROBERT YORK HYMERA

IND SGD THOS O CALL MAJOR IN QMC CHIEF AGR

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NY 1070 SVC PD

COLL 2.00 DELY CHGS GOVT 60PM MARCH ROBERT YORK NYMERA

IND 20D THOS O CALL MAJOR IN CMC CHIEF LGR

SHELBORN IND MAR 15 1949



AAF O-750758

AGR DIV., CHICAGO QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
1819 W. PERSHING RD., CHICAGO 9, ILL.

WESTERN UNION
DAY LETTER

DELIVER AND REPORT ANY CHARGES

Tag and

MR. WALTER A. YORK
1302 15TH STREET
HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

RECEIVED
SIGNATURE
MAR 11 4 25 AM '49

WE HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT REMAINS OF THE LATE

1 LT. ROBERT W. YORK

ARE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES

OUR RECORDS INDICATE YOU WISH REMAINS DELIVERED TO

MC CANDLESS AND ZOBEL FURNITURE CO., ANTIGO, WISCONSIN

PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR ORIGINAL INSTRUCTIONS OR SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS WITHIN 48 HOURS BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO CHICAGO QUARTERMASTER DEPOT AGRD 1819 WEST PERSHING ROAD CHICAGO ILLINOIS, INCLUDING FULL NAME OF DECEASED AND YOUR CORRECT ADDRESS. YOUR REQUEST FOR CHANGE IN DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS AFTER 48 HOURS HAVE ELAPSED CANNOT BE COMPLIED WITH AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE. DELIVERY OF REMAINS WILL BE MADE AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE AFTER RECEIVED HOWEVER MANY FACTORS BEYOND OUR CONTROL MAY DELAY DELIVERY SEVERAL WEEKS. AT LEAST THREE DAYS PRIOR TO SHIPMENT OF REMAINS ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT YOUR FUNERAL DIRECTOR WILL BE NOTIFIED BY TELEGRAM OF METHOD OF TRANSPORTATION AND TIME OF ARRIVAL AND REQUESTED TO NOTIFY YOU. IF YOU DESIRE MILITARY HONORS AT FUNERAL YOU SHOULD ASK LOCAL VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS. IN REPLY REFER TO CONTROL NO. **25081**

THOS. O. C ALL
Major, QMC

G. M. ODENWALDER
Capt. QMC

MAR 10 1949

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CONTROL No. 25081

REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF INTERMENT OR TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES <small>(Read Explanation on Reverse Side before completing form)</small>		DATE May 10 1949
NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle Initial) YORK, ROBERT W.		BRANCH OF SERVICE USAAF
RANK OR GRADE 1ST LT.		SERIAL NO. 0-750758
TO BE FILLED IN BY CLAIMANT		
A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INTERMENT EXPENSES (Civilian or Private Cemetery)		
B. <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES (National or Post Cemetery)		
INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSONS SIGNING THIS FORM		
1. This form is NOT to be signed by Funeral Director.		
2. Fill in as required and sign for copies . Sign Original Only TO OFFICE OF QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, WASHINGTON 25, D. C. ATTN: HDQRS., A. G. R. S.		
3. Check Box "A" or Box "B" above, not both.		
4. Check Box "A" when interment is in a civilian or private cemetery.		
5. Check Box "B" when remains are delivered to home or other place prior to burial in a national or post cemetery.		
CLAIM VALID-REPATRIATION MAY 20 1949 <i>cc</i>		
FILL IN THIS STATEMENT IF BOX "A" IS CHECKED		FILL IN THIS STATEMENT IF BOX "B" IS CHECKED
I certify that the sum of \$ 75.⁰⁰ was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the interment of the remains of the above-named decedent in the cemetery indicated below: NAME: of cemetery Shenwood Cemetery CITY OR COUNTY: Antigo STATE: Wis.		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: (City, town, or place from which remains were shipped) _____ ID. (Name and Location of National or Post Cemetery) _____
RETURN FOUR COPIES TO COMMANDING OFFICER CHICAGO QUARTERMASTER DEPOT 1819 WEST PERSHING ROAD CHICAGO 9, ILLINOIS ATTN: AGR DIVISION		SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT WALTER A. YORK ADDRESS (Street number or RFD, City and State) 1502 15TH ST., HUNTINGTON, W. VA. RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT FATHER
REMARKS		
<p style="text-align: center;">F. O., U. S. ARMY, CHICAGO, ILL. PAID ON JUN 9 1949 MONEY ACCOUNTS OF E. G. DOVEL LT. COL., F. D., Symbol Number 210-587</p> <p style="text-align: right;">192555</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(DO NOT SIGN THIS) COPY</p>		

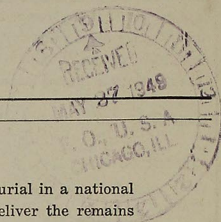
PART A

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.



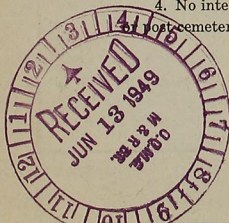
PART B

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.

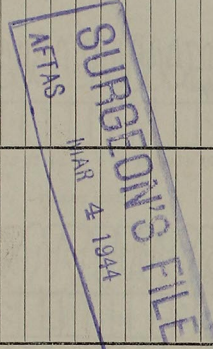
4. No interment expense allowance is authorized since interment is made ultimately in a national or post cemetery.



REGISTER OF DENTAL PATIENTS AT

FAAF, Florence S.C.

(1) SURNAME (2) CHRISTIAN NAME
 York, Robert W. O-750758
 (3) RANK (4) COMPANY (5) REGIMENT OR STAFF CORPS
 2-Lt. 651st 111th Bomb G.
 (6) AGE YEARS (7) RACE (8) NATIVITY (9) SERVICE YEARS
 24 W Ill. 3 yrs.

(10) DISEASE OR INJURY WITH LOCATION, COMPLICATIONS, SEVERITY, ETC.	(11) DATES AND NATURE OF TREATMENTS AND OPERATIONS	(12) RESULTS AND REMARKS
Dental Identification Record		
		

D.C. Corbett 1st Lt. DC Dental Corps, U. S. A.

***REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY**

UPPER TEETH

Right											Left						
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
X	0	0	0	0								0	0	0	X		

LOWER TEETH

Right											Left				
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
0	0	0										0	0	X	

CLASS II

Occlusion OK: Calculus: Slight, Medium, Heavy

Periodontoclasia _____

Dental foci suspected: Yes No

Other conditions: none

Date 10-23, 1943

D. C. Corbett / 1st Lt
Dental Corps, U. S. A.

*Restorable carious teeth by 0
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

*REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY

UPPER TEETH

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

LOWER TEETH

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

CLASS IV

Occlusion 1: 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 (oval to include abutments)

	X	
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BLOOD TYPE... "A"
COCCIDIOILIN TEST... NEGATIVE

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FOR FLYING
(See AR 40-100, 40-105, 40-110) pmt

FINAL TYPE
CLASS 43G

1. YORK, ROBERT WALTER AVN/C PILOT 16003639 23 AVN/C 7/12
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Grade and sign or service) (Serial No.) (Age) (Years service)

2. AAFAPS, Williams Field, Chandler, Arizona Commission & Flying Rating, Pilot 10-15-42, Qualified Cl I
(Address) (Purpose of examination) (Date and result last examination)

Avn/C Student Pilot Flying time as: Pilot 140; observer --; pilot 140; observer --
(Aeronautical ratings) (Total) (Total) (Last 6 mos.) (Last 6 mos.)

3. Temperature 98.6 Vaccinations: Typhoid series, No. 2 Last 1942; smallpox 1942; reaction immune
(Date)

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.)

chickenpox 1926, measles 1926, mumps 1928, no sequelae; fracture left pelvis 1930, good functional recovery; tonsillectomy 1928.

Examinee denies all other pertinent medical history.

FILE
MAY 24 1949
C. H. ...

5. Eye: Inspection normal Nystagmus none
6. Associated parallel movements normal Pupils: Equality equal Reaction normal to I&A

7. Visual acuity: R. E., 20/20, correctible to 20/-- L. E., 20/20, correctible to 20/--
8. Depth perception (uncorrected) 5 mm. With correction -- mm.

9. Heterophoria at 6 meters: Eso 3 Exo 0 R. H. 0 L. H. 0 Prism divergence 6
10. Red lens test normal Angle convergence: PcB 55 mm. Pd 68 mm

11. Accommodation: R. 9.5 D. L. 9.5 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 normal
13. Field of vision (form): R. normal L. normal Ophthalmoscopic: R. normal L. normal

14. Refraction: R. reads 20/20 with not S. done CAx -- L. reads 20/20 with not S. done CAx --

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 done L. not done
18. Nares normal Tonsils removed

19. Teeth:
(a) Right (Examinee's) Left
8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16
Indicate: Restorable carious teeth by O; nonrestorable carious teeth by X; missing natural teeth by /; that this applicant is physically qualified for appointment and extended active duty as an Lt. Colonel (Habit), Army of the United States.

(b) Remarks, including other defects L-8 nonrestorable caries
(c) Prosthetic appliances none (d) Classification 2 I

20. History of swing, train, air, or sea sickness denies
21. Barany chair (when indicated with results) not done

22. Posture good Figure medium Frame medium
(Excellent, good, fair, bad) (Slender, medium, stocky, obese) (Light, medium, heavy) Surgeon

23. Height, 68 inches. Weight, 141 pounds. Chest: Inspiration 38 Expiration 35 Rest 36 Abdomen 28
24. Skin and lymphatics normal Endocrine system normal

25. Bones, joints, muscles normal Feet normal

26. Heart normal
27. Pulse rate, 75-84 B. P.: S. 128-132 D. 64-68 Schneider 4.13 Pulse immediately after exercise 100
Two minutes after exercise 84 Character full and regular

28. Arteries elastic 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 40-511.

- 29. Respiratory system normal
- 30. X-ray of chest¹ normal, 5-21-43, #10385, AAFAPS, Williams Field, Chandler, Arizona.
- 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
Field, Chandler, Arizona.
- 35. Laboratory procedures: Kahn¹ negative, 5-21-43, Williams/ Wassermann¹ not done
Urinalysis: Reaction acid Sp. gr. 1.023 Albumin none Sugar none Microscopical negative
- 36. Estimated adaptability for military aeronautics (if unsatisfactory, state reasons) satisfactory, ARMA 160
- 37. Remarks on conditions not sufficiently described none
teeth will be in class IV at time of commission
Examinee states he is not drawing a pension, disability allowance, compensation
or retired pay from the U.S. government.
- 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 appointment made for dental correction
- 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 ---

AAFAPS, Williams Field,
Chandler, Arizona. June 7, 1943.
(Place) (Date)

Silas Chinn
SILAS CHINN, Captain, A.M.E. Medical Corps.
(Name and grade)

REVIEWED AND APPROVED:

George H. Henton
Lt Col, Medical Corps.
(Senior flight surgeon)
GEORGE H. HENTON,
1st Ind.²

William W. Heck
WILLIAM W. HECK, Captain, Medical Corps.
(Name and grade)
B.W. DeLong
B.W. DeLONG, 1st Lt, Medical Corps.
(Name and grade)

Hq AAFWCTC, 1104 W. 8th St., Santa Ana, Calif.
Headquarters
To the Commanding General, Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.
Remarks and recommendations APPROVED
For the Commanding General:
(Name) (Grade) (Organization and arm or service)
Commanding.

2d Ind.²
_____, 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.

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DENTAL RECORDING

NAME York Robert W. 16003,639
(Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Initial)

Station Hospital, Dental Clinic, Williams Field, Chandler, Arizona

RIGHT								UPPER TEETH				LEFT			
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
X	OA OA	OA		MOA		MS	DS	DS	MS	DA	MOA	MOA	OA MOA	OA DA	X

RIGHT TEETH								LOWER TEETH				LEFT			
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
OA	OA	OA											OA FA	OA	X

CLASS IV

CALCULUS: MEDIUM, SLIGHT, HEAVY.

OCCLUSION: N -----

GINGIVAE -----

DEFECTIVE TEETH -----

ABNORMALITIES -----

NONRESTORABLE TEETH MARKED /

MISSING NATURAL TEETH MARKED X

TEETH REPLACED BY DENTURE

	X	X		X	
1	2	3	4	5	6

TEETH REPLACED BY BRIDGE
(Ovals to include abts.)

	(X)	(D)	
1	2	3	4

Date 5-21-43 1942

F.S.W.S.No.14

Hausler
LIEUT. JUNIOR, CAPT. D.C.
U.S.ARMY

SECRET

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

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION SHEET

Supplement To Disinterment

DATE 1 December 1948

Directive No. 1240-17064

OVERSEAS BURIAL LOCATION:

NAME YORK, ROBERT W. 1st/Lt. O 750 758

CEMETERY Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

PLOT C ROW 16 GRAVE 115

1. The following listed person, in addition to the Consignee is to be notified the date of the shipment of the remains to the Consignee, the McCandless & Zobel Furniture Company, Antigo, Wisconsin.

Mr. Walter A. York (father)
1302 15th Street,
Huntington, W. Virginia

2. Request your office take necessary action in regard to the above.

M. D. Gore
JOINT. E. MULLIGAN
Capt, QMC

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

2-9-25-48

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

DATE:

prev rec 6-28-48

18 June 1948

1st Lt. Robert W. York, O 750 758
Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115
United States Military Cemetery
Henri Chapelle, 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 I of this form.

PART I

I, _____

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

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

- WIDOW WIDOWER SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER MOTHER BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD

RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

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

- 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS.
- 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY
New cemetery - Antigo, Wis.
(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)
- 3. BE RETURNED TO _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY) _____ THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)
- 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)
(Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)
 YES NO

CHANGE

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

Change from previous Administrative Order DD 1240-17064

exp. date DEC 9 - 1948

N.A.T. #100 Rogues 12/13/48

Incl #1

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PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.
 I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	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
M^c Candless and Zobel Furniture Co.

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

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

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

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

* If I were unable to arrive in Wis. my brother Carl would make burial arrangements.

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.

Walter A. York
 (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) *1302-15 St.*
 (STREET AND NUMBER)
 WALTER A. YORK *Huntington, W. Va.*
 (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this *18* day of *Sept*, 19*48* at city (or town) of *Huntington*, county of *Cabell*, and State (or Territory or District) of *West Virginia*.

William O. Carter
 (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Near any Public
 (OFFICIAL TITLE)

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

If you are the next of kin and you desire
 I, THE _____
 NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY
 THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER
 LAST NAME
 RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED
 NUMBER AND STREET
 WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)
 (NAME PRINTED)

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

LAST NAME
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET

(SIGNATURE)
 (NAME PRINTED)

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.

_____	_____
<small>(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)</small>	<small>(DATE)</small>
_____	_____
<small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	<small>(STREET AND NUMBER)</small>
_____	_____
<small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	<small>(CITY AND STATE)</small>

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.

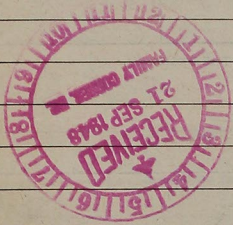
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

_____	_____
<small>(SIGNATURE)</small>	<small>(DATE)</small>
_____	_____
<small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	<small>(STREET AND NUMBER)</small>
_____	_____
<small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	<small>(CITY AND STATE)</small>

ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

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

As I am located in Huntington, W. Va. I would have to be notified far enough in advance to allow two days travel from W. Va. to Wis. in order for me to attend burial services.



Walter A. York

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

3-30-48

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

DATE:

243
1st Lt Robert W. York, O 750 758
Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115,
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

16 February 1948

A		C	
B		D	

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PART I

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

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

- WIDOW WIDOWER SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER MOTHER BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD

RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

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

1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS.
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 _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY), THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

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

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

- YES NO

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

new LOI To Father
28 June 48

FILE
Name M. G. G. G.
Action W. A. G.
13 28 June 48
Cemeteries Branch

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 (<i>Nearest railroad passenger station</i>)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
		TELEPHONE No.

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

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (<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.

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

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

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

_____ (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
_____ (OFFICIAL TITLE)

If you are the next of kin and you

I, THE _____
 NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, AS THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN

LAST NAME
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE

(SIGNATURE)

(NAME PRINTED)

If you are NOT the next of kin

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME
York
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED
FATHER
NUMBER AND STREET
1302 - 1

 W. Ruth York
 (NAME PRINTED)

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.

_____	_____
<small>(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)</small>	<small>(DATE)</small>
_____	_____
<small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	<small>(STREET AND NUMBER)</small>
_____	_____
	<small>(CITY AND STATE)</small>

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
YORK	WALTER	A.
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
FATHER		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY
1302 - 15th St.	HUNTINGTON	W. VIRGINIA

_____	3-22-48
<small>(SIGNATURE)</small>	<small>(DATE)</small>
_____	68 E. 12th St.
<small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	<small>(STREET AND NUMBER)</small>
_____	Clintonville, Wisconsin
	<small>(CITY AND STATE)</small>

ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

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



Fill in
Part 3 - as directed

QMGMF 293
York, Robert W.
SN O 750 758

6 December 1948

Mr. Walter A. York
1302 15th Street
Huntington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. York:

Your letter pertaining to the remains of your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, has come to my attention.

In confirmation of the telephonic conversation you had with Captain Vogl on 17 September 1948 concerning the identification of the remains of your son, I wish to advise you that the Report of Burial for your loved one reveals that his remains were positively identified by his identification tags. Further, there is nothing in our files indicating that there was ever any question regarding the identity of the decedent's remains.

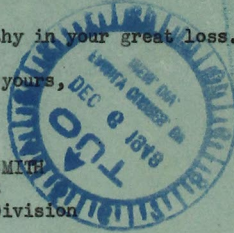
The "Request for Disposition of Remains" form for the remains of your son has been accepted, and your loved one's remains will be returned to the United States for final interment in the private cemetery selected by you. You may rest assured that the remains identified as those of your son will be delivered to you by the Distribution Center nearest your home.

The Commanding Officer of the Distribution Center will notify you of the arrival of the remains of your son and of the expected date of delivery of the remains at the destination previously named by yourself. You will be afforded ample time to complete all funeral and other personal arrangements that you may desire.

Please be assured of my continued sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES F. SMITH
Major, QMC
Memorial Division



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[Handwritten signature]

MEMO 222
York, Robert W.
SM 0 750 758

6 December 1948

Mr. Walter A. York
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Huntington, West Virginia

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JAMES F. SMITH

Major, GSC
Memorial Division



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REQUEST FOR NEW LETTER OF INQUIRY

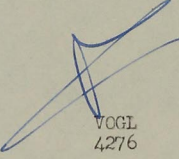
TO LETTER OF INQUIRY SECTION REPATRIATION RECORDS BRANCH		FROM	
NAME OF DECEDENT (First, Middle, Last) Robert W. York		GRADE 1st Lt.	SERIAL NUMBER 07 507 58
GRAVE LOCATION			
CEMETERY USMC, Henri Chapelle, Belgium	PLOT C	ROW 6	GRAVE 115
LETTER OF INQUIRY TO BE SENT TO: MR. Walter A. York MISS MRS.		RELATIONSHIP Father	
ADDRESS			
STREET 1302 15th Street		CITY AND STATE Huntington, West Virginia	
AUTHORITY FOR LETTER OF INQUIRY AND REMARKS 665- 165a In confirmation of the telephonic conversation you had with Captain Vogl on 17 September 1948 concerning the identification of the remains of your son, I wish to advise you that the Report of Burial Report of Burial for your loved one reveals that his remains were positively identified ^{indicating} identified by his identification tags. Further, there is nothing in our files that there was any any question regarding the identity ^{of the decedent's remains.} The "R for D of R" form for the remains of your son has been accepted, and your loved one's remains will be returned to the U.S. for final interment in the private cemetery selected by you. You may rest assured that the remains identified as those of your son will be delivered to you by the Distribution Center nearest your home. 99B 166M			
DATE 12-2-48		CLERK'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i>	

OQMG FORM
1 SEP 1946 638

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	Capt. Vogl	R.F. Accept. Sec., F/C Br. Attn.: Mrs. Gore	17 Sept 48	<p>RE: YORK, ROBERT W., 1st Lt., O-750 758 Henri Chapelle</p> <p>1. Telephoned Mr. Walter A. York, father and NOK of deceased, this date. Mr. York talked at length about identity of decedent and asked many questions in that regard. The undersigned assured him that positive identity had been made and at no time was there ever a question in the regard of identification.</p> <p>2. Mr. York stated at conclusion of call that he was convinced that the remains of his boy were properly identified and promised to complete disposition form for private cemetery burial in U.S. and promptly forwarded such form to this office to the "Attention of Capt. Vogl".</p> <p>ACTION: After 345 is received take necessary action to process form and refer case to Family Letters Section requesting that letter be sent to the father to the effect that identification is positive and that the records never indicated there was ever any question of identification.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> VOGL 4276</p>

THIS FORM WILL REMAIN PART OF THE OFFICIAL FILE

16-49650-4 GPO

REPLY FORM ACTION REQUEST

TO: <i>FL</i>		FROM: REPLY FORM ACCEPTANCE SECTION FAMILY CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH	
NAME (Last, First, Middle) <i>York, Robert W.</i>		RANK <i>1Lt</i>	SERIAL NUMBER <i>0-750758</i>
CEMETERY <i>Hansen-Chapel</i>	PLOT <i>C</i>	ROW <i>6</i>	GRAVE <i>115</i>
NEXT OF KIN <i>Walter A. York</i>		ADDRESS (Street, City, State) <i>1303-15th St. Huntington, W. Va.</i>	
MR. MISS MRS.	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED <i>Father</i>	OPTION SELECTED <i>2</i>	DDMG FORM 345, EXECUTED BY <i>Father</i>

WRITE NOK FOR CORRECTION OR COMPLETION OF REPLY FORM ON ITEMS CHECKED BELOW

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED | <input type="checkbox"/> SIGNATURE OF NOK |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OPTION DESIRED | <input type="checkbox"/> NOTARIZATION |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NATIONAL OR PRIVATE CEMETERY INTERMENT DESIRED | <input type="checkbox"/> NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED IS CLOSED |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COUNTRY (Home Land) OF DECEASED OR NOK | <input type="checkbox"/> REPLY TO "REMARKS" ON FORM 345 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NAME AND/OR <input type="checkbox"/> ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE | <input type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SECURE DOCUMENTS: <input type="checkbox"/> REMARRIAGE <input type="checkbox"/> BIRTH | <input type="checkbox"/> DEATH <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____ |

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Reply to letter 14 Nov 48 from father also please comply with IRS 17 Sept 48 from Capt Vogl giving particulars of identification and recovery of deceased remains. Advise that 345 has been accepted for option 2, consignee "McLindhas & Zabel Furniture Co., Antigo, Wisconsin. Final burial to be at "New Cemetery, Antigo, Wisconsin. Advise him also that necessary action has been taken to notify him in plenty of time to attend services.

DATE <i>1 Dec 48</i>	CLERK'S SIGNATURE <i>m. Dore</i>
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1302-15th. Huntington, W. Va.

Nov. 14-1948

The Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Attention Capt. Vogl

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1st Lt. Robert W. York 0750 758

273 Plot C Row 6 grave 115

USMC, Nami Chapel, Belgium

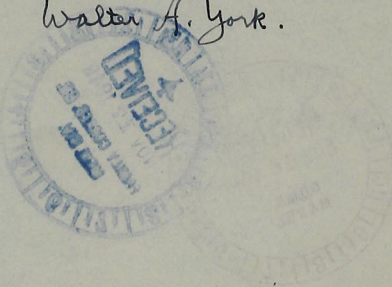
Dear Sir -

In a telephone conversation with Capt. Vogl in early September in which I was asked whether I intended to have the body of my son returned to the U.S. I requested the Captain to send me a letter giving me the facts of identification that the body in grave 115 was my son. Captain Vogl gave me these facts over the phone, but I have never received the confirmation in writing.

Will you please send this written confirmation to me.

Very truly yours,

Walter A. York.



Box 127
Nov 14 1948

The Department
Washington, D.C.

Assistant Chief Clerk

SEP 15 1948
17 1/2
Post Office
Washington, D.C.

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after the phone call but I have never received the information in
writing.

Very truly yours,
[Signature]



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NAME (Last, First, Middle) <i>York, Robert W.</i>		RANK <i>1/Lt</i>	SERIAL NUMBER <i>0-750758</i>
CEMETERY <i>Henri - Chapelle</i>	PLOT <i>C</i>	ROW <i>6</i>	GRAVE <i>115</i>
NEXT OF KIN MR. <i>Walter A. York</i> MRS.	ADDRESS (Street, City, State) <i>1303 - 15th St. Huntington, W. Va.</i>		
RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED <i>Father</i>	OPTION SELECTED <i>2</i>	OQMG FORM 345, EXECUTED BY <i>Father</i>	

WRITE NOK FOR CORRECTION OR COMPLETION OF REPLY FORM ON ITEMS CHECKED BELOW

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DATE *1 Dec 48* *Send Air Mail* CLERK'S SIGNATURE *m. Gore*

Call Father

Walter A. York

1302 15th St

Huntington, W. Va.

ask him to return 345 sent him 18 June
48. Advise him w/iam merely stated
she was not the next of kin authorized to
direct disposition and naming him as
the person to make the decision, signing
her name as W Ruth York Atty.

Della Davis
10 Sep 48

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

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION SHEET

Supplement To Disinterment

DATE 2 December 1948

Directive No. 2704

OVERSEAS BURIAL LOCATION:

NAME WALTER A. YORK, Sr. 1st Lt. O 750 750

CEMETERY Marikastele, Belgium

PLOT 9 ROW 14 GRAVE 115

1. The following listed person, in addition to the Consignee is to be notified the date of the shipment of the remains to the Consignee, the McCallister & Robel Furniture Company, Antigo, Wisconsin.

Mr. Walter A. York (father)
1302 13th Street,
Huntington, W. Virginia

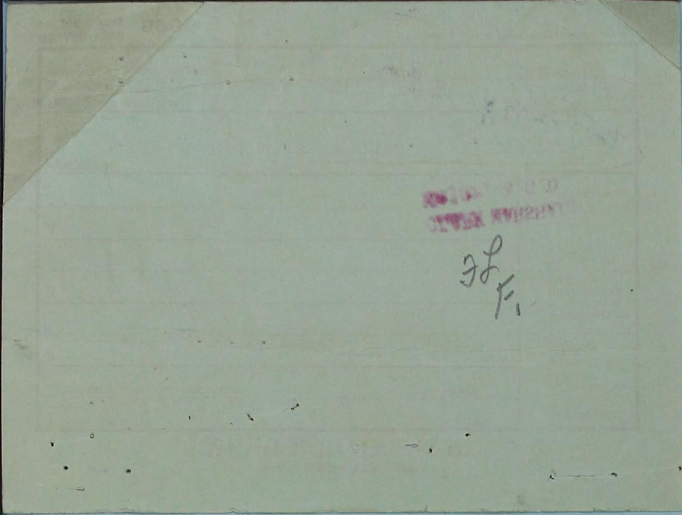
2. Request your office take necessary action in regard to the above.

T. S. MILLER
Capt, USA

WAR DEPARTMENT
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

1	NAME OR TITLE Dir., Memorial Division, OQMG	INITIALS	CIRCULATE
	ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION Room 2403, Tempo Bldg R	DATE	CONCURRENCE
2	Washington 25, D. C.		FILE
3			INFORMATION
4			NECESSARY ACTION
			NOTE AND RETURN
			SEE ME
		CLARK MARSHALL Major, A.G.J.	SIGNATURE
REMARKS Re: First Lieutenant Robert W. York, 0750758			
FROM NAME OR TITLE Tuggle, PAB, Cas. Sec., AGO		DATE 15 Oct 48	
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION Corres. Unit, Family Relations S/Unit		TELEPHONE	

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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C. 19 July 1948

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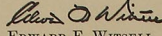
Dear Mr. York:

Your letter of 28 June 1948 concerning recovery and identification of remains in the case of your son, First Lieutenant Robert W. York, O750758

has been referred to The Quartermaster General, Memorial Division, Washington 25, D. C.

for direct reply to you.

Sincerely yours,



EDWARD F. WITSELL
Major General
The Adjutant General

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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
OFFICIAL BUSINESS
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PAYMENT OF POSTAGE \$300

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BUY U.S. BONDS ON
PAYROLL SAVINGS

Mr. Walter A. York
1302-15th Street
Huntington, West Virginia

1302 - 75 St. Huntington, W. Va.
Oct. 7 - 1948

War Department
The Adjutant General Office
Gentlemen -

Regarding the card attached, I have
had no answer as yet to my June 28 - 1948

letter.
Will you please look into the matter.
Thanks.

Yours truly,
Walter A. York



HENRI-CHAPELLE
C-6-115



AFTER 5 DAYS, RETURN TO

WA York

-1302-15 St.



HUNTINGTON, W. VA.

*War Department
The Adjutant General's Office
Washington
25
DC*

WAR DEPARTMENT
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

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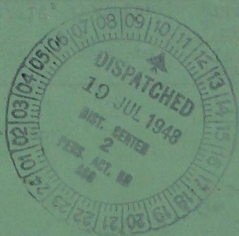
- Attached communication is forwarded for reply relative to recovery and identification of remains in the case of First Lieutenant Robert W. York, O750758.
- The writer has been advised of this reference.

CLARK MARSHALL
Major, A.G.D.

H Woolcott

1 Incl
Cpy ltr frm Walter A. York
dtd 28 Jun 48

FROM NAME OR TITLE Tuggle, PAB, Cas. Sec., Correspondence Unit	DATE 19 Jul 48
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION Family Relations S/Unit, 1A710, Pentagon	TELEPHONE 72450



NOTICE
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1302 15th St. Huntington, W. Va.
June 28 1948

The Adjutant General,
Casualty Branch,
Munitions Building,
Washington, 25 D. C.

293
York, Robert W. 1st Lt. O 750 758
Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115
USMC Henri Chapelle, Belgium.

Gentlemen:

In regard to the death of my son and the burial in the
above mentioned cemetery, I have letters from you stating
how he died and the burial for which I am grateful.

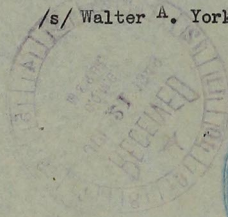
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in Germany and if remains were recovered how was the
positive identity made since troops were not near Julich
for weeks after September 1944.

I have received notice of request to specify burial
preference from the Quartermaster Office.

Yours very truly,

/s/ Walter A. York

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1302 12th St. Washington, W. Va.
June 28 1948

The Adjutant General,
Casualty Branch,
Monitions Building,
Washington, 25 D. C.

York, Robert W. lat. L. O. 780 788
Plot C, Row 6, Grave 118
USMG Henri Chapelle, Belgium.

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Robert W. York
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JUL 1948
FAMILY CORRESP. BR.
MAIL DIV.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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1/Lt. Robert W. York, O 750 758
Plot G, Row 6, Grave 115
USMC, Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

8 July 1948

Mr. Walter A. York
1302 Fifteenth Street
Huntington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. York:

Your letter dated 28 June 1948, pertaining to your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, has come to my attention.

I regret that I am unable to grant your request for a copy of the statement from your son's widow informing us of her remarriage, and wish to refer to that part of our letter dated 18 June 1948, in which it was stated that she had informed us of that fact. Upon re-checking the records pertaining to your son, it has been found that the widow did not definitely state that she had in fact remarried.

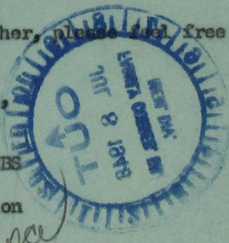
However, a representative of the American Red Cross, at our request, called upon your son's widow. At that time she completed Part III of the "Request for Disposition of Remains" form, stating that she was not the next of kin authorized to direct the final disposition, and that this right belonged to you, the father and person next in line of kinship. In addition, she signed her name "W. Ruth York Otto", indicating that she may be remarried, and gave her address as 68 East Twelfth Street, Clintonville, Wisconsin. This evidence is being accepted as sufficient proof that she is no longer the next of kin.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated, and you may be assured that upon receipt of the "Request for Disposition of Remains" form, completed by you, our office will take official action upon the decision you may render regarding the final resting place of the remains of your son.

If you believe our office can assist you further, please feel free to contact us at your convenience.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division



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8 July 1948

MEMO, Harry Campbell, Captain
Post Office, New York
J.P. Roberts, New York, 0 750 728

Mr. Walter A. York
1302 Fifteenth Street
Washington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. York:

Your letter dated 28 June 1948, pertaining to your son, the late
First Lieutenant Robert W. York, has come to my attention.

I regret that I am unable to grant your request for a copy of the
statement from your son's widow informing us of her remarriage, and wish
to refer to that part of our letter dated 18 June 1948, in which it was
stated that she had informed us of that fact. Upon re-checking the
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Sincerely yours,



RICHARD B. GOODE
Major, USA
Memorial Division

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U.S. AIR FORCE
NEW YORK, N.Y.

1st Lt. W. A. York

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1302 15th St. Huntington, W. Va.
June 28 1948

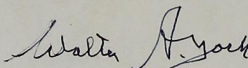
The Quartermaster General
Washington, 25 D.C.

QMGMF 293
York, Robert W. O 750 758
Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115
USMC Henri Chapelle, Belgium

Gentlemen,

Thank you for your letter of 18 June 1948. I will give my reply soon. May I have a copy of the notice from my son's widow in which she advised you of her remarriage, on your letterhead?

Very truly Yours,



Walter A. York



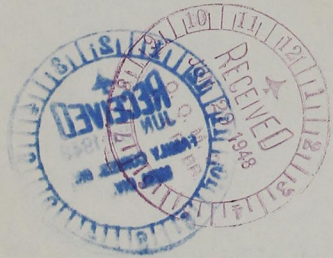
The Commissioner General
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I thank you for your letter of 12 June 1948. I will give you a reply soon. I have a copy of the notice which you refer to in which the subject of your knowledge, on your part.

Very truly yours,
Walter A. Brown

Walter A. Brown





R-6-28-48 - Mrs V.A. + F.
R-3-30-48 - Mrs V.A. + F.
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VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

Branch Office No. 7
17 North Dearborn Street
Chicago 2, Illinois

YOUR FILE REFERENCE: QMGMF 293

June 22, 1948

IN REPLY REFER TO: CH8BA

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

ASN 0-750758
XC-3,755,509
YORK, Robert Walter

Attention: Memorial Division

Hermi Chapelle Col.
C-6-115

Gentlemen:

Your letter dated February 5, 1948, addressed to the Veterans Administration, Washington 25, D. C., requesting information relative to the legal next of kin of the veteran, has been referred to this office in which the records of the veteran are now located.

The legal next of kin of the veteran as shown by the records of the veteran's on file in this office are as follows:

W. Ruth York, Wife
The last address of the widow
on file in this office is
General Delivery
Elmore City, Oklahoma

Walter A. York, Father
227 East 68th Street
Chicago 37, Illinois

Charlotte L. Peterson, Sister
6415 South Emerald Street
Chicago 37, Illinois

There is no evidence of record in this office of a marriage of the veteran and W. Ruth York, his widow. The veteran applied for National Service Life Insurance in the amount of \$10,000 on September 26, 1942, which insurance was granted under Certificate 29N-6 129 648, effective September 19, 1942, in which he designated his father Walter A. York, as principal beneficiary for the full amount thereof, and for which he designated his sister, Charlotte Lillian Peterson, as contingent beneficiary. On October 1, 1943, the veteran executed a change of beneficiary for his National Service Life Insurance, in which he designated W. Ruth York, wife, and Walter A. York, father, as the principal beneficiaries of his National Service Life Insurance, and in which he designated his sister, Charlotte LeRoy Peterson, as contingent beneficiary.

An inquiry by or concerning an ex-service man or woman should, if possible, give veteran's name and file number, whether C, XC, K, N, or V. If such file number is unknown, service or serial number should be given.

Department of the Army

By letter dated December 9, 1943, the veteran requested that the beneficiary of his insurance be changed again, designating Walter A. York, father, as sole principal beneficiary for the full amount of the National Service Life Insurance, and designating Charlotte York Peterson, sister, as contingent beneficiary.

There is enclosed herewith copy of letter dated June 26, 1947, and signed by Walter A. York, father of the veteran, which indicates a possible remarriage of the veteran's widow, W. Ruth York. The records of the veteran, however, contain no further evidence or information relative to remarriage of the veteran's widow. No claims of any kind have yet been filed by W. Ruth York, widow of the veteran, in the Veterans Administration.

Pursuant to your request there is enclosed herewith a photostatic copy of the birth certificate of the veteran, which is the only evidence of relationship contained in the records of this veteran.

Future communications relative to this case should bear the veteran's name and KC-number given above.

Very truly yours,

H. Kettenacker

H. KETTENACKER, Chief
Dependents and Beneficiaries
Claims Division

Encl.

C O P Y

C O P Y

June 26, 1947
227 E. 68th St.
Chicago 37, Ill.

Veteran's Administration,
Chicago, Ill.

Gentlemen:

In order to establish myself as the next of kin to my son 1st Lt. Robert W. York, SN O 750 758, 9th Air Force, who was killed over Julich Germany, I was informed in a letter from the War Department dated April 2, 1947, of the Memorial Division of the Quartermaster General, that I must have a certified copy of the marriage certificate of my son's widow, Ruth York, whose address may be Clintonville, Wis. or Elmore City, Oklahoma.

In my correspondence with county clerks of above counties in Okla. and Wis. I have not been able to get the certificate as they have no record of the marriage if one has been made.

The widow has been living with one Al H. Otto, Clintonville, Wis for past two years and from information I now have has returned to her home town, Elmore City, Okla.

The information I would to get is whether she has ever drawn a pension and if so does she yet draw the widow's pension since my son was killed Sept. 25 1944. Information from the Police Chief at Clintonville says Mr. Otto never saw a pension check in Ruth York possession while living with him.

Thanks for any information you may forward to me.

Yours truly,

/s/ Walter A. York

MICHAEL J. FLYNN
COUNTY CLERK

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS - 160 NORTH LA SALLE ST.
CHICAGO 2, ILLINOIS

STATE OF ILLINOIS
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
Division of Vital Statistics
CITY OF CHICAGO

HEALTH DEPARTMENT'S RECORD
CITY OF CHICAGO

Certificate of Birth

1. PLACE OF BIRTH
County of **COOK**
City of **CHICAGO**

Registration Dist. No. **3104**
Primary Dist. No. _____
Registered No. **26371**

2. FULL NAME OF CHILD **Walter Robert York**
No. **Chicago Hygiene Dept.** St. _____ Ward _____
If child is not yet named, make supplemental report, as directed.

3. Sex of Child **male** 4. Twin, triplets, or other? _____
(To be answered only in event of plural births) 5. Date of Birth **Aug. 5, 1920**
(Day) (Month) (Year)

FATHER		MOTHER	
6. FULL NAME Walter A. York	12. FULL MAIDEN NAME Mayme C. Pratt	13. RESIDENCE Same	14. COLOR White
7. RESIDENCE 7634 Lonia Dr. Chicago	15. AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY 31 Years	16. BIRTHPLACE Wisconsin	17. OCCUPATION N.W.
8. COLOR White	18. Number of children born to this mother, including present birth 3	19. Number of children of this mother now living 2	
9. AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY 20 Years			
10. BIRTHPLACE Wisconsin			
11. OCCUPATION Clark County Office			

20. CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE.
I hereby certify that I attended the birth of this child, who was born alive at _____ (M.), on the date above stated.
(When there was no attending physician or midwife, then the father, mother, householder, etc., shall make this return. See Sec. 12 of vital statistics law.)

21. (Signature) **A. L. Martini** M. D. **Midwife**
Physician or Midwife

22. Give name added from a supplemental report _____
Address **426 E. 51st St.** Telephone **7820**

23. Filed _____ 19____ Registrar

1. If birth occurred in hospital or institution, give its name instead of street and number.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
County of Cook, }

I, MICHAEL J. FLYNN, County Clerk of the County of Cook, in the State aforesaid, and Keeper of the Records and Files of said County, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of the original Record on file, all of which appears from the records and files in my office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the County of Cook, at my office in the City of Chicago, in said County.

Michael J. Flynn
County Clerk

QMCMF 293
 York, Robert W., O 750 758
 Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115
 USMC Henri Chapelle, Belgium

18 June 1948

Mr. Walter A. York
 1302 Fifteenth Street
 Huntington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. York:

The Department of the Army is desirous of giving you information pertaining to the remains of your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

The official report of burial indicates that the remains of your son were interred, in a dignified and solemn manner, in Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115, in the United States Military Cemetery Henri Chapelle, located eighteen miles northeast of Liege, Belgium.

Inasmuch as your son's former widow has advised us of her remarriage, her right to direct final disposition of his remains automatically reverts to you. The records have been amended and inclosed is full information regarding the "Return of World War II Dead Program", together with a form on which you may indicate your desires in this matter.

Your prompt cooperation in completing and returning the Disposition Form to us will avoid further unnecessary delay and will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
 Major, QMC
 Memorial Division

- 4 Incls.
1. Req for Disp Fm (blank)
 2. Gray booklet
 3. Nat'l cem list
 4. Envelope

cc: Mr. Arrowsmith



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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20315

15 June 1963

Mr. Walter A. York
1802 Pittsboro Street
Huntington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. York:

The Department of the Army is desirous of having you informed
concerning the remains of your son, the late First Lieutenant
Robert W. York.

The official report of final interment indicates that the remains of your
son were interred in a dignified and solemn manner, in Plot G, Row 8,
Grave 119, in the United States Military Cemetery, Henri Chapelle, located
eighteen miles northeast of Laque, Belgium.

Inasmuch as your son's former widow has advised us of her intention
not to exercise her right to direct final disposition of his remains and to have
the remains returned to you, the records have been amended and included in full information
regarding the "Return of World War II Dead Program", together with a form
on which you may indicate your desires in this matter.

Your prompt cooperation in completing and returning the disposition
form to us will avoid further unnecessary delay and will be greatly ap-
preciated.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COCHRAN
Major, USA
Memorial Division



- 1. Red for flag (blank)
- 2. Gray booklet
- 3. White card
- 4. Envelope

cc: Mr. Arrowsmith

CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle) <i>York, Robert H.</i>		GRADE <i>1/Lt</i>	SERIAL NUMBER <i>0-750-758</i>	
PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)		PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country) <i>Henric Chapel</i>		PLOT <i>C</i>	ROW <i>6</i>	GRAVE <i>115-</i>
ADDRESSEE		ADDRESS (Street, City, State)		
MR. MISS MRS.	<i>Halter A. York</i>	<i>1302 - 15th St</i>		
RELATIONSHIP	<i>Father</i>	<i>Huntington, N. Va.</i>		

PARAGRAPHS (Sequence)	ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS
	The Department of the Army is desirous of giving you information pertaining to the remains of your son, the late _____
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85 AA	This information is confidential and its disclosure is prohibited by law. You have received this information in confidence and you are not to disclose it to anyone. 4 Incls. 345 - blank gray booklet Nat'l cem list ret. envelope

ANALYST INITIALS AND DATE <i>[Signature]</i> <i>6/17</i>	TYPIST INITIALS	REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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In Reply Refer To RR Br: QMGMM 293 York, Robert W., 1/Lt., O 750 758
Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

16 February 1948

P R I O R I T Y

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

Dear Miss Neal:

The Next of Kin of the above captioned deceased wife
(relationship)
Mrs. Ruth W. York, 68 East 12th Street, Clintonville, Wisconsin
(name) (address)

has failed to return a Form 345 indicating disposition instructions for the remains.

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

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

Sincerely yours,

John O. Hyatt

JOHN O. HYATT
Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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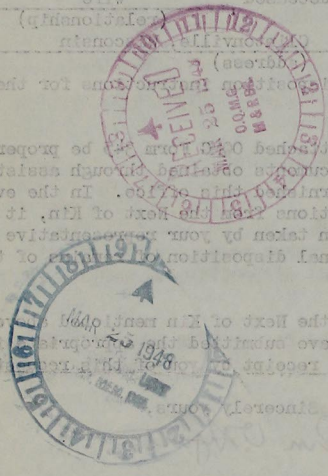
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
York, Robt

IN REPLY REFER TO HQ. HQ. NO. 303
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
March 23, 1948

Our Clintonville, Wisconsin, Chapter reports that the widow has submitted to your office information to the effect that she relinquished all rights to direct the disposition of remains to deceased serviceman's father. We presume you will want to communicate with him direct, if you have not already done so. His present address, according to the widow, is Mr. Walter York, 1302 - 15th Street, Huntington, W. Va.

Janet Neel
(Miss) Janet Neel
Director, Home Service

The Next of Kin of the above captioned deceased (Relationship)
Mr. Robt W. York, 68 East 12th Street, Clintonville, Wisconsin (Address)
has failed to return a form 303 indicating disposition instructions for the remains.
It is respectfully requested that the attached OTC form be properly accomplished by the Next of Kin and legal documents obtained through assistance of your representative if appropriate, be furnished to this office. In the event you are unable to secure disposition instructions from the Next of Kin, it is further requested that a statement of the action taken by your representative be furnished this office for use as a basis for final disposition of the deceased.
It is recommended that in contact with the Next of Kin regarding this matter, they first be queried as to whether or not they have notified the appropriate authorities if they have been notified to this office since receiving this letter.



JOHN D. EVANS
Colonel, GSC
Memorial Division

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

In Reply Refer To RR Br: QMGM 293 York, Robert W., 1/Lt., O 750 758
Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

16 February 1948

P R I O R I T Y

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 Midwestern Area, American Red Cross
 1709 Washington Avenue
 Saint Louis 3, Missouri

Dear Miss Neal:

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 (relationship)
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 (name) (address)
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 decedent.

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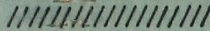
Sincerely yours,

JOHN O. HYATT
 Colonel, QMC
 Memorial Division

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QMGMF 293
York, Robert W.
S.N. O 750 758

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5 February 1948

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attn: Memorial Division

Veterans Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Records of this office indicate that the legal next of kin
of subject decedent is:

Mrs. W. Ruth York, Wife
68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

Request the name and address of the several persons listed
on your records as the next of kin of the decedent, together with
copies of such documentary evidence as may have been submitted to
you to establish their relationship.

Sincerely yours,

Handwritten signature

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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Handwritten initials

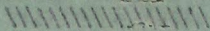
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY



CHIEF, G-3
Yonkers, Robert W.
S.W. 0 730 728

2 February 1948

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Army Memorial Division

Veterans Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Records of this office indicate that the legal next of kin
of subject deceased is:

Mrs. F. Ruth York, Wife
68 East 12th Street
Olinville, Wisconsin

Request the name and address of the several persons listed
in your records as the next of kin of the deceased, together with
copies of such documentary evidence as may have been submitted to
you to establish their relationship.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOPER
Major, G-3
Memorial Division

MEMORIAL DIVISION

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Mr. / Miss. / Mrs. Addressee: Veterans Administration Relationship _____

State _____

City, State _____ Date letter '47

Cemetery Temporary: _____

Permanent: Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

PARAGRAPHS (sequence) -- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

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Name of NOK: Mrs. W. Ruth Zork, wife
Address: 68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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QMCMF 293
York, Robert W.
SN O 750 758

28 January 1948

Mr. Walter A. York
1302 15th Street
Huntington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. York:

Your letter pertaining to the remains of your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, has come to my attention.

The "Request for Disposition of Remains" questionnaire was mailed to Mrs. Ruth W. York, who, according to the present records of the Department of the Army, is the only next of kin legally authorized to direct the final disposition of the remains of your son.

The United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, has been designated as a permanent American Military Cemetery, dedicated in grateful remembrance of the Dead of World War II.

As an American Military Cemetery it will be beautified, maintained, and permanently cared for by the American Battle Monuments Commission as a shrine to the memory of our heroic dead. The remains of your beloved son may repose forever in this hallowed ground if the next of kin so desires.

In previous correspondence with this office, you indicated that your son's widow had remarried. You were requested to furnish this office with a certified copy of her marriage certificate so that our records could be amended to show you as the legal next of kin. When this document is submitted, our records will be amended, and a "Request for Disposition of Remains" form, upon which you may indicate your desires for the final resting place of your son's remains, will be forwarded to you.

Your cooperation and promptness in forwarding the requested document to our office will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

FORM 223
York, Robert W.
SH O 760 788

28 January 1948

Mr. Walter A. York
1303 13th Street
Huntington, West Virginia

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RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, MC
Memorial Division

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Addressee: ^{Mr.} Mrs. Walter A. York Father
 Relationship
 State 1302 15th Street
 City, State Huntington, West Virginia '47
 Date letter
 Cemetery
 Temporary: _____
 Permanent: _____
 Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

PARAGRAPHS (sequence)

-- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

165-A - son

87-B #1 - only - Mrs. Ruth W. York son ADD: However, since this form was not returned, by Administrative Order, the remains of your son now rest permanently in the American Military Cemetery, Henri-Chapelle, Belgium.

56-A #1 - (omit "I am gratified to inform you that") - Henri-Chapelle, Belgium.....

#2 - son.... hallowed ground, if the next of kin so desires.

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Modifications

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Decedent: York
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 First
 Initial W
 Rank 1/17
 ASN 0750 758

1302-15 St. Jan. 15 1948
Huntington, W. Va.

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

File - O.M.G. mt. 293
York, Robert W.
AND 750 758

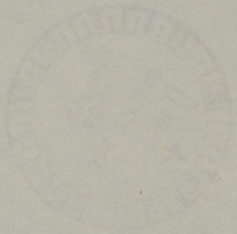
Gentlemen -

Your letter of Nov. 24-1947.

Now that U.S. Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle
has been disbanded, I would like to know
where the remains of my son Robert W. York
were taken or interred.

Very truly yours,

Walter A. York





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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

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QMGMF 293
York, Robert W.
SN O 750 758

24 November 1947

Mr. Walter A. York
1302 15th Street
Huntington, West Virginia

Dear Mr. York:

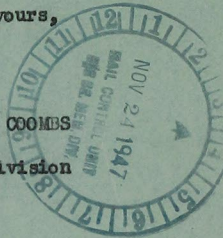
Your letter pertaining to the remains of your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, has come to my attention.

The official report of burial indicates that the remains of your son were interred, in a dignified and solemn manner, in Plot C, Row 16, Grave 115 in the US Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, located eighteen miles north-east of Liege, Belgium.

Please do not hesitate to call upon us at any time if you believe we can assist you further.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMES
Major, QMC
Memorial Division



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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Addressee: ^{Mr.} Mrs. Walter A. York Father
 Relationship
 State 1302 15th Street
 City, State Huntington, West Virginia '47
 Date letter
 Cemetery
 Temporary: _____
 Permanent: C 6 115 USMC Henri Chapelle Belgium
 Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

Decedent:

York
 Robert
 W.
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PARAGRAPHS (sequence)

-- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

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1302 15 St. Huntington, W. Va.
Nov. 11 1947

War Department
Office of the Quartermaster General

Memorial Division,
Washington 25 D.C.

Gentlemen;

File QMGMP 293
York, Robert W.
SNO 750 758

With reference to your letter of June 12 1947 signed by Major Richard B. Coombs, I wish to say that in a letter dated September 19 from the Adjutant General's office file AGPO - CG 201 York, Robert W. (23 June 47) O 750 758, it was stated therein my son was killed as a result of a fractured skull and body injuries when his parachute failed to open.

What I am interested in is the burial place of my son now as you state in your June 12 47 letter that no remains were found. If information of the cause of death was found, it is logical to assume the remains were found.

The information requested will be fully appreciated. Thanks.

Yours truly

Walter A. York

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1300 12 St. Burlington, N. Va.
Nov. 13 1947

War Department
Office of the Quartermaster General

Memorial Division,
Washington 25 D. C.

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File OMBG 203
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QMGMF 293 York, Robert W. 1st Ind.
S.N. O 750 758

WD, QMGM, Washington, D. C., 11 August 1947

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

1. Forwarded for reply to so much thereof as pertains to your office.
2. Correspondent has been informed of this reference.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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Cy ltr dtd 11 Aug 47

RICHARD B. COOMES
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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MEMO 203 York, Robert W.
S.W. 0 750 758
W. O. O. 11 August 1947

For The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C.

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2. Correspondent has been informed of this reference.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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RICHARD B. COOKING
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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Mr. [unclear] [unclear]

QMGMF 293
York, Robert W.
S.N. 0 750 758

11 August 1947

Mr. Walter A. York
227 East 68th Street
Chicago 37, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

Your letter pertaining to your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, has come to my attention.

A copy of your letter has been forwarded to The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C., for direct reply inasmuch as that office has jurisdiction over and knowledge of all matters relative to circumstances and details of death.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMES
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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York, Robert W.
S.N. 0 230 728

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Sincerely yours,

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Major, GMC
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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Mr. ~~Miss.~~ Walter A. York Relationship Father
Addressee: Mrs. 227 East 68th Street
State Chicago 37, Illinois '47
City, State Date letter

Cemetery
Temporary: _____
Permanent: _____
Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

PARAGRAPHS (sequence) -- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

(New)
165-A
184-A
184-B

Adjutant General (circumstances, details of death)

make copy of ltr for AGO
also send copy of our ltr

Decedent: York
Last
First Robert H.
Initial H.
Rank 1st Lt.
ASN 07527388

File
Henry
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June 23 1947
227 E 68 St
Chicago, 37 Ill.

The Quartermaster General,
Attention; Memorial Division,
File: QMGMF 293
York; Robert W.
SNO-750-758

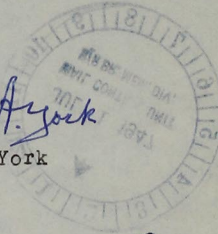
Dear Sir,

Your letter of June 12 1947 stating that the official Burial Report does not disclose a record of my son's remains at the Henri-Chapelle cemetery is too vague for information for which I requested.

Surely after the U.S. Army entered and took Julich, Germany there were serches made for the Air Force personnel mi sing after the flight on Sept. 25 1944. I would like to have the information the agents found at that time regarding my son as requested in my letter of April 27 1947.

Yours Very Truly,

Walter A. York
Walter A. York



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June 23 1947
237 E 89 St
Chicago, Ill.

The Quartermaster General,
Attention: Memorial Division,
File: OMCDF 883
York, Robert W.
BNO-750-788

Dear Sir,

Your letter of June 13 1947 stating that
the official Burial Report does not disclose a
record of my son's remains at the Henri-Chapelle
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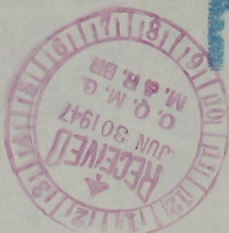
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Yours Very Truly,

Walter A. ...
Walter A.



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PROCESSED JUN 23 1947

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QMGMF 293
York, Robert W. *ea*
S.N. O 750 758

12 June 1947

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Mr. Walter A. York
227 East 68th Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

Your letter addressed to Army Air Forces concerning your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, has been referred to us for reply.

The official Report of Burial does not disclose that your son's remains were found in Germany nor the condition of his remains at the time of interment in the United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium.

Our continued sympathy is with you in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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RECORDS BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION

COMM 293
York, Robert W.
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12 June 1947

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RICHARD B. COMBS
Major, GMC
Memorial Division

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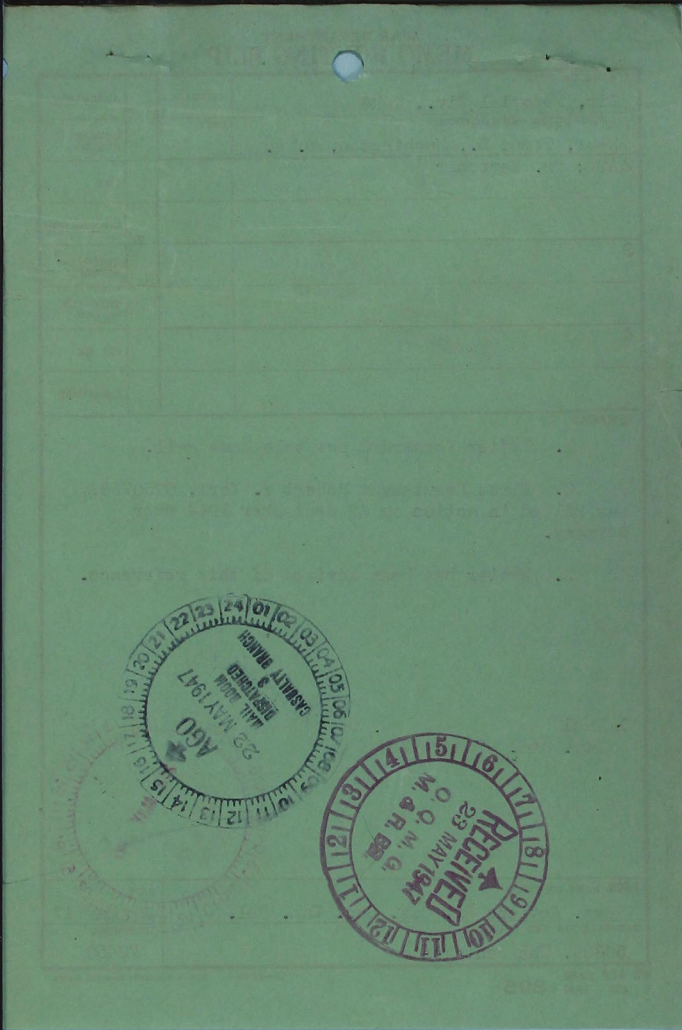


WAR DEPARTMENT
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

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1	NAME OR TITLE Dir, Memorial Div., OQMG	INITIALS	CIRCULATE
	ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION 2401, Tempo B., Washington, D. C.	DATE	CONCURRENCE
2	ATT: Mr. Kerscher		FILE
			INFORMATION
3	<i>Special</i>		NECESSARY ACTION
			NOTE AND RETURN
4			SEE ME
			SIGNATURE
REMARKS			
<p>1. Letter forwarded per telephone call.</p> <p>2. First Lieutenant Robert W. York, 0750758, was killed in action on 29 September 1944 over Germany.</p> <p>3. Writer has been advised of this reference.</p> <p><i>Handled</i></p> <p>1 Incl Ltr. dtd. 27 Apr 47</p>			
FROM NAME OR TITLE Pers. Actions Br. Cas. Sec. Fam. Rel.		DATE 22 May 47	
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION 50826, The Pentagon		TELEPHONE 72450	

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TO:

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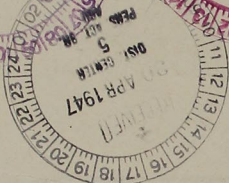
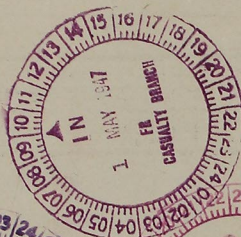
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COMMENT

FROM:

OFFICE <i>AFTAS</i>	ROOM NO.
INDIVIDUAL <i>LT Col [Signature]</i>	PHONE <i>6665</i>

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227 E 68 St. Chicago, Ill.
April 27 1947

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War Department
Headquarters of the Army Air Forces
Statistical and Research Section,
Washington, D.C.

Gentlemen,

1st Lt. Robert W. York, O750758

I am making a request for detailed information regarding the death of my son 1st Lt. Robert W. York, 416 Bomb Group, 671 Bomb Squad (L) 9th Air force, who was shot down over Julich, Germany, September 25 1944, at 4.35 PM while on a bombing mission in an A26.

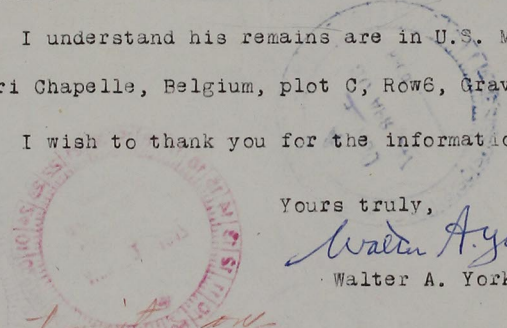
Details of his remains as found in Germany, and the cause of his death, condition of the plane, and condition of his remains were never made known to me. My request is for the information outlined above. The death of my son was such a great loss to us that we have a difficult time being reconciled to the fact.

I understand his remains are in U.S. Military Cemetery #1, Henri Chapelle, Belgium, plot C, Row 6, Grave 115.

I wish to thank you for the information,

Yours truly,

Walter A. York
Walter A. York



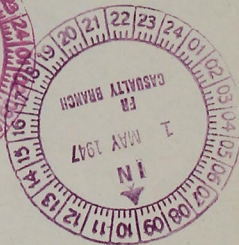
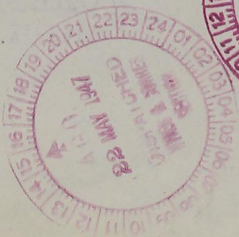
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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION WORK SHEET

Send Letter to Mr. Walter A. York Father
227 East 68th Street Relationship
Chicago, Illinois
ADDRESS _____

Army Serial Number 0 750 758 Rank 1st Lt.

OPENING PARAGRAPH: 62-1 Army Air Forces 62-2 62-3 62-4

BURIAL INFORMATION: 6 6A 7 8 9 10 10A 11 12 12A 13 13A
14 14A 14B 15 16 17 20 21 22 22B

Temp. Cem.
Perm. Cem.

Plot Row Grave Name of Cem. City and Country

RETURN OF REMAINS: 78 79 81 82

OTHER PARAGRAPHS 23 24 26 27 28 29 30 35 36 40 41 42
43 51 53 54 55 56 57 58 58A 60 61 63A
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INDORSEMENTS: To AG (47 71) To Ch of Chap (48 71)
To Other Agencies: (71)

PERSONAL EFFECTS: 50 64

SUSPEND _____ days

Copy of letter to AGO and Identification Section*

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COPY TO ADJUTANT GENERAL

Dates of Letters for which Copies are Necessary to AAF:

OTHER: The official Report of Burial does not disclose that your son's remains were found in Germany nor the condition of his remains at the at the time of interment in the United States Military Cemetery Henri Chapelle, Belgium.

CLOSING PARAGRAPH: 62-5 Regret Delay * Our continued sympathy is with you in your great loss.

Letter to be Dated and Analyst Typist Reviewer

* Note: Circle paragraph numbers and/or starred phrases that are applicable.

NAME OF DECEASED

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

MIDDLE INITIAL

York
ROBERT W
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1st Lt. Robert W. York, O 750 758
Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115,
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

15 May 1947

Mrs. Ruth W. York
68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

Dear Mrs. York:

Reference is made to the "Letter of Inquiry - Disposition of Remains" sent to you about 45 days ago, requesting you to complete and mail the "Request for Disposition of Remains" form.

Since no reply has been received, you are again respectfully urged to return this completed form at the earliest possible date in order to avoid any unnecessary delay in the final disposition of the remains of your loved one.

Due to the tremendous amount of work involved in carrying out final burial arrangements for all of the deceased Americans of World War II, this program must proceed cemetery by cemetery in each area of the world.

The cemetery in which the remains of your loved one are buried is expected to be evacuated in the near future. In the absence of any reply from you by that time, the Government will assume that you have no objection to the final burial of the deceased in a permanent American Military Cemetery Overseas.

Sincerely,

G. A. HORKAN
Brigadier General, OMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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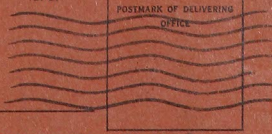
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Return to The Office of The Quartermaster General

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or Post Office Box, 2nd & T Sts., S.W., Room 1250 Temp. Bldg. A

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QMCMR 293
York, Robert W.
SN O 750 758

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Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

2 April 1947

Mr. Walter A. York
227 East 68th Street,
Chicago 37, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

Your letter concerning your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, has been received in this office.

It is requested that you forward to this office a certified copy of the marriage certificate of your son's widow. Upon receipt of this certificate, our records will be amended to show you, as the next in line of priority, to be the person authorized to direct disposition of the remains of your son.

Sincerely yours,

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RICHARD E. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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RICHARD B. COMBS
Major, OMP
Memorial Division

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION
U.S. ARMY

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March 17 1947
Chicago, 37 Ill.
227 E 68 St.

Army Service Forces
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington, D.C.

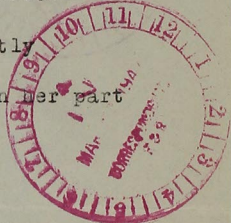
Gentlemen,

From news items in the daily press recently I notice the overseas dead buried in the Henri Chapelle, Belgium cemeteries are to be shipped to the U.S. if request is made by the next of kin.

Please send Questionnaire to me to be answered regarding my son, ⁹⁴³ Robert W. York, 1st Lt. O 750 758, who is buried in the U.S. Military Cemetery #1, Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115.

My son was married for about one year before his death and his widow ~~has been~~ remarried shortly after. Consequently I don't think any action on her part will be taken.

Yours very truly,



Walter A. York

Walter A. York

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION WORK SHEET

Send Letter to Mr. Walter A. York Father
227 East 68th Street Relationship
ADDRESS Chicago 37, Illinois

Army Serial Number 0 750 758 Rank PT LT

OPENING PARAGRAPH: (62-1) 62-2 62-3 62-4

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PERSONAL EFFECTS: 50 64

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Letter to be Dated OX Analyst Typist Reviewer

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NAME OF DECEASED
York
LAST NAME
Robert W.
FIRST NAME
MIDDLE INITIAL

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M. [unclear]*

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 1st. Lt. Robert W. York, O 750 758
 Plot G, Row 6, Grave 115,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

3 March 1947

Mrs. Ruth W. York
 Elmore City, Oklahoma

Dear Mrs. York:

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. LANKIN
 Major General
 The Quartermaster General

- 5/4 Enclosures
 1. Pamphlet (Options)
 2. Disposition Form
 3. Envelope
 4. Pamphlet (Cemeteries)

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 FILE RECORDS SECTION
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Form 3547 NOTICE TO SENDER OF FORWARDING ADDRESS

United States Post Office

Elmore City, Okla.

In accordance with your request you are notified that the matter mailed by

you to Mrs. Ruth W. York
Elmore City, Okla

(Key No.)
is incorrectly addressed because the addressee has removed to 68 E. 12th
Clintonville, Wis.

Forwarding postage required _____ cents.

Matter bearing a pledge to pay forwarding or return postage is forwarded or returned, rated with the postage due. Matter not bearing such pledge is treated as prescribed by the Postal Laws and Regulations.

Respectfully,
YORK ROBERT W. - 0750758 POSTMASTER

POSTMASTER - Do not send this form if new address of addressee is unknown unless specifically requested. Fill in amount of forwarding postage ONLY when requested by sender. 2-10-47
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QMCMR 293
York, Robert W.
A.S.N. 0 750 758

14 January 1947

Mrs. W. Ruth York
Elmore City, Oklahoma

Dear Mrs. York:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, in which your husband, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, 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.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

G. A. HORKAN
Brigadier General, QMC
Assistant

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QMMR 314.6
Graves Registration
(European, U. S. Misc.)

9 December 1946

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
deceaseds be changed to read as underscored:

CEMETERY: United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle,
Belgium.

NAME	RANK <u>GRADE</u>	SERIAL NO.	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE	ORGANIZATION
McCoy, Frederick L., Jr.	PVT	34 008 588	B	4	113	<u>Co C, 117th Inf</u> <u>Regt, 30th Inf Div</u>
Nelson, Theodore J.	PVT	17 053 761	FF	4	112	<u>Co C, 12th Inf</u> <u>Regt, 4th Inf Div</u>
Stamples, George S.	S/SGT	12 055 657	O	7	128	<u>Co G, 121st Inf</u> <u>Regt, 8th Inf Div</u>
Trefren, Elmer L.	1st Lt	O 447 474	B	9	166	<u>Co G, 99th Inf Regt</u>
Wilson, Ronald A.	PVT	42 111 195	H	7	121	<u>Co C, 18th Inf</u> <u>Regt, 1st Inf Div</u>
York, Robert W.	1st Lt.	O 750 758	C	6	115	<u>671st Bomb Sq.</u> <u>446th Bomb Grp</u>

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, QMG
Assistant

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REPATRIATION
RECORDS BRANCH

24 NOV 1946

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DATE

NAME YORK, ROBERT W. 1ST LT.

SERIAL NO 0 750 758

CEMETERY HENRI CHAPELLE #1, BEL.

PLOT C

ROW 6

GRAVE 115

LETTER Field

Orig.

G. Hunter 3
SPECIAL CHECKER

*Killed
9 Dec 46
1st Dough Co*

SPQYG 293
York, Robert W.

7 June 1946

Mrs. Ruth W. York
Elmore City, Oklahoma

Dear Mrs. York:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your husband, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York, A.S.N. O-750 758

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, plot C, row 6, grave 115.

This cemetery is located approximately seven miles southwest of Aachen, Germany, five miles northwest of Eupen and eight miles east of Liege, both in Belgium, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

The War Department has now been authorized to comply, at Government expense, with your feasible wishes regarding final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your loved one. At a later date, this office will, without any action on your part provide you with full information and solicit your detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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RECORDS SECTION

QMGYG 293
York, Robert W.
SN O-750 758

at

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

2 July 1946

Mrs. W. Ruth York
Elmore City, Oklahoma

Dear Mrs. York:

Inclosed is a letter received in this office concerning your husband, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

The communication is self-explanatory. Nothing is known by this office as to the writer and, accordingly, it is not felt that your name and address as the widow of the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York should be given unless you desire it.

While it is possible that the letter has been written in perfectly good faith, there have been some cases in other localities where similar persons have imposed upon or become a nuisance to the next of kin. Therefore, as indicated, the letter is being forwarded to you for such action as you desire.

The official Report of Burial discloses that the remains of your husband were interred in Plot C, Row 6, Grave 115, in the United States Military Cemetery, Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, located eighteen miles north-east of Liege, Belgium.

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

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

1 Incl:
Ltr. Mr. Monsieur Gutkin-Naveau
Herve, Belgium

WM. B. CHRISTENSEN
1st Lieut, QMC
Assistant

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cc sent to: CG, AAF

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12 SEP 1946
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HEADQUARTERS
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON, D.C.
9th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st

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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN THEATER AREA
APO 887, US ARMY

REJ/GSA/tak

AGRRE (York, Robert W.)

10 May 1946

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Request for Home Addresses

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

1. Attached hereto is a letter requesting the addresses of the next-of-kin of Lt. Robert W. York, O-750758, now buried at Henri-Chapelle, C-6-115, and Pfc. Michael J. Yacus, 42087375, now buried at Henri-Chapelle LL-10-185.

2. The inquirer has been notified of this reference.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

DON B. MOHLER
Major, QMC
Act Asst Adj Gen

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Yacus, Michael J.
York, Robert W.



QMCG 293
Yacus, Michael J.
SN 42 087 375

314.6 Belgium

York, Robert W.
SN O-750 758

2 July 1946

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Monsieur J. Gutkin-Naveau
Herve, Belgium

Dear Monsieur Gutkin-Naveau:

Your letter concerning the late Private First Class Michael J. Yacus and First Lieutenant Robert W. York has been referred to this office.

Your letter has been forwarded to the widow of the late First Lieutenant York and a copy of your letter has been forwarded to the widow of the late Private First Class Yacus for whatever action they may deem necessary to take regarding your request referred to in your letter.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

rlc

WM. B. CHRISTENSEN
1st Lieut, QMC
Assistant

X 293 Yacus, Michael J. - SN 42 087 375 - Pfc
WEC

York, Robert W.
SN 0-750 758

Fromages de Herve en Gros

J. GUTKIN-NAVEAU
HERVE

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HERVE, le 29 April 1946

American Graves Registration
Service Command
TSFET (Rear) APO 887 U.S. Army
Versailles.

Dear Sirs,

I adopted two American soldiers graves at the American Cemetery
of Henri-Chapelle (Belgium)

Would you please be kind enough to give me their home addresses?
Here are the names and the matri; nos

Yacus Michael J. No 42087375

York Robert W. No 0-750758.

Hoping to hear from you soon,

Yours truly.

s/J. Gutkin-Naveau
Herve, Belgium

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X 293 York, Robert W. - 0-750 758 1st Lt.

SP416 296
York, Robert W.
O 750 758

27 September 1945

2032 York, Robert W. (O 750, 758)

Mr. Walter A. York
227 East 69th Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

Reference is made to a letter from this office dated 21 August 1945 regarding your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

An official burial report has now been received which shows that the remains of your son were interred in the United States Military Cemetery #1, Henri Chapelle, Belgium, Plot G, Row 6, Grave 115. With reference to other larger cities the approximate location of Henri Chapelle, Belgium is seven miles southwest of Aachen, Germany, five miles northwest of Eupen and eight miles east of Liege, both in Belgium.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

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M. V. TURNER
Colonel, QMC
Assistant

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*by ltr sent to: LL, A & J
2 July 46
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U.S. ARMY
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

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27 September 1948

Handwritten: Mr. Robert W. [unclear]

Mr. Robert A. York
327 East 68th Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

Reference is made to a letter from this office dated 21 August 1948 regarding your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

An official burial report has now been received which shows that the remains of your son were interred in the United States Military Cemetery at Gaspelle, Belgium, Plot C, Row 6, Grave 112. With reference to other larger cities the approximate location of Gaspelle, Belgium is seven miles southeast of Aachen, Germany, five miles northwest of Trier and eight miles east of Metz, both in Belgium.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JLH

M. V. TURNER
Colonel, GPO
Assistant

at

SEP 27 3 00 PM '48
GENERAL DIVISION

Handwritten: Mr. York's remains were buried in Gaspelle, Belgium, Plot C, Row 6, Grave 112.

SEP 27 1948
RECORDS SECTION

Handwritten: [unclear]



ARMY SERVICE FORCES

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.IN REPLY REFER TO SPQYG 293York, Robert W.
S.N. 0750758

21 August 1945

SUBJECT: Report of Interment.

TO: Commanding General, Comzone
European Theater of Operations
APO 887, % Postmaster
New York, New York
FOR: The Chief Quartermaster

1. Information is desired as to whether the remains of the decedent named below have been recovered and interred, as to date a report covering the disposition of these remains has not been received in this office.

NAME: York, Robert W. - First Lieutenant - 416th Bomb Sq.
(L), 9th Air Forces, Air Corps

SERIAL NUMBER: 0750758

DATE OF DEATH: 29 September 1944

PLACE OF DEATH: European Area Julich, Germany

REMARKS:

First Lieutenant Robert W. York was placed in a missing in action status from 29 September 1944 until such absence was terminated on 23 November 1944, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the secretary of war from a commander in the European Area.



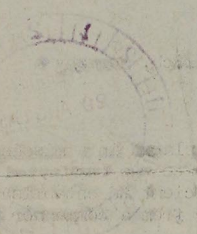
FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

C. C. PIERCE
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Captain, OMC
Assistant

15 August 45

Mr. Tolson
Mr. E. A. Tamm
Mr. Clegg
Mr. Glavin
Mr. Ladd
Mr. Nichols
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tracy
Mr. Carson
Mr. Egan
Mr. Gurnea
Mr. Hendon
Mr. Pennington
Mr. Quinn
Mr. Nease
Miss Gandy

Dear Sirs:



MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH
O.C.M.C.
Aug 21 1 50 PM '45



ARMY SERVICE FORCES

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



IN REPLY REFER TO SPQYG 293

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FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

C. C. PIERCE
Captain, QMC
Assistant

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MAIL RECORDS BRANCH

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MEMORIAL DIVISION

SPQYG 293
York, Robert W.
S.N. 0750758

21 August 1945

Mr. Walter A. York
227 East 68th Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

Acknowledgment is made of your letter of recent date, concerning your son, the late First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

A copy of your letter is being forwarded to The Adjutant General, ASF, Washington, D. C., for a direct reply to you regarding the circumstances surrounding the death of your son.

It is regretted to inform you that, up to the present time, information pertaining to the burial of the remains of your son has not been received in this office. However, an effort is being made to obtain a report covering the disposition of his remains and upon receipt of such information you will be advised.

This office regrets, sincerely, the delay in answering your letter and wishes to extend its deepest sympathy in the loss of your son.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR L. WARREN
Colonel, QMC
Assistant

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*By letter sent to: BG, AA-7
2 July 46
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SPQYG 293 York, Robert W. S.N. 0750758

1st Ind.

ASF, OQMG, Washington, D. C.

21 August 1945

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

Forwarded for reply to so much thereof as pertains to your office.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Incl
Cy ltr 21 Aug 45

C. C. PIERCE
Captain, QMC
Assistant

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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

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May 23rd 1945, Chicago, Ill.
227 E. 68th St.

Memorial Branch of Quartermaster Corps,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen,

On September 28th 1944 my son ²⁹³ 1st Lt. Robert W. York, ⁰⁻⁷⁵⁰⁷⁵⁸
of the 416 Bomb Group, 671 Bomb Sq (L), 9th Air Force was shot ^{AP0140}
down by anti aircraft fire while on a bombing mission over
Julich Germany and was last seen about 4.35 PM over the target.

Have you any information regarding the whereabouts
of his grave, if he was buried near Julich. I have no information
that he was found intact or completely shot up. In his A-20 his
two gunners were taken prisoners.

Any information you can transmit to me will be greatly
appreciated.

Yours very truly,

Walter A. York

Walter A. York, father.

MEMORIAL DIVISION
MAY 23 1945
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CHIEF REGISTRATION SECTION



May 26 1945, Chicago, Ill.
327 S. 63rd St.

Memorial Branch of Quartermaster Corps,
Washington, D.C.

Gentlemen,

On September 28th 1944 my son 1st Lt. Robert W. York, O-104573
of the 116 Bomb Group, 671 Bomb Sq (L), 9th Air Force was shot
down by anti aircraft fire while on a bombing mission over
Julich Germany and was last seen about 4:35 PM over the target.
Have you any information regarding the whereabouts
of his grave, if he was buried near Julich. I have no information
that he was found intact or completely shot up. In his A-20 his
two gunners were taken prisoners.
Any information you can transmit to me will be greatly
appreciated.

Yours very truly,

Robert W. York
Alfred A. York, father.



MEMORIAL DIVISION
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GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION
MAY 26 2 16 PM '45

ADDRESS REPLY TO
COMMANDING GENERAL, ARMY AIR FORCES
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.



ATTENTION: AFPPA-7 HEADQUARTERS, ARMY AIR FORCES
WASHINGTON

293 York, Robert W. (0-750,758) 27 March 1945

SUBJECT: Personal Effects

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

1. Inclosed copy of letter, dated 18 March 1945, from Mr. Walter A. York, 227 East 68th Street, Chicago 37, Illinois, father of 1st Lt *293* Robert W. York, O-750758, deceased, copy of letter, dated 29 December 1944, from Mr. York to the Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, letter dated 13 January 1945 from the Kansas City Quartermaster Depot to Mr. York, and photostatic copy of will executed by Robert W. York, are forwarded as a matter pertaining to your office.

2. Mr. York has been advised of this reference.

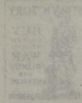
FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL, ARMY AIR FORCES:

M. E. Bell

- 4 Incls
- 1. Cy ltr fr Mr. York
18 Mar 45
- 2. Cy ltr to Kansas City
QM Depot fr Mr. York
29 Dec 44
- 3. Ltr to Mr. York fr Kansas
City QM Depot 13 Jan 45
- 4. Photostatic copy of Robert
W. York's will

M. E. BELL
Major, Air Corps
Acting Executive, Personal Affairs Division
Office of the Assistant Chief of Air
Staff, Personnel

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MAY 10 1945
DECLASSIFIED
10 May 45
M. D. Smith



HEADQUARTERS, ARMY AIR FORCES
WASHINGTON

COMMUNICATIONS SECTION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

27 March 1945

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

1. Inclosed copy of letter, dated 18 March 1945, from Mr. Walter A. York, 237 East 92nd Street, Chicago 17, Illinois, father of late Pfc Robert W. York, O-780788, deceased, copy of letter, dated 28 December 1944, from Mr. York to the Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, letter dated 18 January 1945 from the Kansas City Quartermaster Depot to Mr. York, and photo-static copy of will executed by Robert W. York, are forwarded as a matter pertaining to your office.

2. Mr. York has been advised of this reference.
FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL, ARMY AIR FORCES:

M. E. SMITH
Major, Air Corps
Acting Executive
Office of the Assistant
State Personnel

- 4 Incls
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- Q4 Depot for Mr. York
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- City Q4 Depot 18 Jan 45
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GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION
Mar 29 10 22 AM '45
MEMORIAL DIVISION

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MAR 28 1945
M. & R. BR.
O.D.M.A.

Mar 29 9 08 AM '45
MEMORIAL DIVISION

COPY

227 E. 68th St. Chicago 37, Ill.
March 18th 1945.

General H. H. Arnold,
Commanding General, Army Air Forces,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a reversal of the decision of Captain F. A. Eckhardt, Q.M.C Assistant, of the Army Service Forces, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, Army Effects Bureau, in regard to the distribution of the personal effects of my son First Lieutenant Robert W. York, Army Air Forces.

Enclosed are correspondence and photostatic copy of my son's last will and testament in which he clearly states his wishes were to have his personal and mixed estate to me.

It is my desire to receive his personal effects, which were to be returned to the States from France.

Your sympathetic letter dated December 14th 1944 was much appreciated altho my loss was great.

Very truly yours,

/S/ Walter A. York

Walter A. York.

Incl 1



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

JRM:AP:cb
January 13, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 275,614

Mr. Walter A. York
227 East 68th Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

Thank you for your letter of December 29, furnishing information in connection with disposition of the personal effects of your son, First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

I am returning herewith the Will which you submitted.

Under the 112th Article of War, which governs the disposal of such property, the widow, Mrs. W. Ruth York, Elmore City, Oklahoma is entitled to receive your son's effects for proper distribution. Therefore, upon arrival of Lieutenant York's effects, it will be in order for us to contact Mrs. York.

Please accept my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "F. A. Eckhardt".

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

1 Incl--Will

3/21 Incl 3

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

I, ROBERT WALTER YORK of Chicago, Cook County, Illinois being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, do make, publish and declare this instrument in writing as and for my last will and testament, hereby expressly revoking any and all former wills and codicils to wills made by me at any time heretofore made or published.

First. It is my desire and I hereby direct that my Executor/trix hereinafter named, pay off and discharge all of my just debts as soon after my decease as may be practicable.

Second. All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate of every kind and description, real, personal and mixed, howsoever and wheresoever the same may be situated, now owned or that which may hereafter be acquired by me, I give, devise and bequeath unto my father, WALTER A. YORK, absolutely and in fee simple.

Lastly. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my said father, WALTER A. YORK, Executor/trix of this my last will and testament, to serve without bond or surety.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 2nd day of September, 1943.

Robert W. York
cc (Seal)

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by the said Testator ROBERT WALTER YORK, as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as attesting witnesses, this 2nd day of September 1943 at La Junta, Colorado.

Name Stephen A. Randall
Address Chickasha, Colo
Name Albert M. Paschall
Address St. 1, Azle, Texas
Name David M. Chesney
Address 1422 Hudson Ave
New York, N.Y.

227 E. 68th St Chicago, Ill.
December 29th 1944.

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot.
Army Effects Bureau,
Kansas City, Mo.

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Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of Dec. 2nd 1944 regarding my son's personal effects, and paragraph 3 of the information circular enclosed. Before leaving for Europe he made out a will leaving everything to me. I attach a photo copy of the will. In that case does it entitle me to claim his personal effects?

Thanking you for your cooperation, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

Walter A. York.

341 Incl 2

GRAVE REGISTER
FORM NO. 1
(Revised 1 Sept. 1944)

REPORT OF BURIAL

49522
30 Sept. 1944
Date

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815
The instructions of Form 1, 30 Sept 1944, apply to this form.

49522
392
446 B.C.P. AAF
Last Name
Unit
Holland

416 Cook Cpl.
First Initial Rank
416 Cook Cpl. 671 8. S.G.
Serial No. (65)

29-28 Sept 1944
Date of Death
Frac. Skull
Cause of Death

1700 1 October 1944
Time and Date of Burial
Henri Chapelle #1
Name of Cemetery
705552
Name or Coordinates of Location

116 6 C 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?

On the 6th Sept 45 (314. 6 ETC, County Que) m.b.

What means of identification were buried with the body?

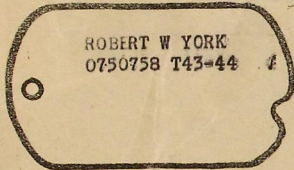
To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on:

Deceased's Right:	<u>Shriver</u> Name	<u>0-1110252</u> Serial No.	<u>1st Lt. 234th Engr</u> Rank	<u>116</u> Grave No.
Deceased's Left:	<u>Bassonatis</u> Name	<u>36591288</u> Serial No.	<u>Unknown</u> Rank	<u>114</u> Grave No.

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

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



Emergency Addressee _____ Name _____

Address _____

Religion _____

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

Personal Effects accounted for by 608th QM Gr. Reg. Co.

[Signature]
HARRY DUBROV, 1st Lt. QMC

FILE
AUG 23 1945

RESTRICTED

DECEASED IDENTIFICATION
 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.:

Left Hand

3

2

1

Thumb

Right Hand

3

2

1

Thumb

TOOTH CHART

Deceased's Right																Deceased's Left																
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 O; fillings by □; Bridges by C; 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.

*Corrected report for

WAR DEPARTMENT

date of death, Orig THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
 iwded 6 Dec 44.

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

DATE 14 February 1945

REPORT OF DEATH LRB/ma/4624

FULL NAME York, Robert W.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0750758		GRADE 1st LT	
HOME ADDRESS Chicago, Ill.		ARM OR SERVICE Air Corps		DATE OF BIRTH 21 Aug 1919	
PLACE OF DEATH European Area		CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH *29 Sept 44	
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 28 Jul 43		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mr. Walter A. York, father, 227 East 68th Street, Chicago, Illinois					
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. W. Ruth York, wife, Elmore City, Oklahoma Mr. Walter A. York, father, same as E. A. Mrs. LeRoy Peterson, sister, 69-15 S. Emerald Street, Chicago, Ill.					
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
				X	
OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)					
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

BATTLE NON-BATTLE

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 28 September 1944 until such absence was terminated on 23 November 1944, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the secretary of War from a commander in the European Area.

*Previously reported dead 28 Sept 44

Corrected to 29 Sept 44.

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

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR.

J. Curl
 ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 6 Dec 44

lms/prl

FULL NAME York, Robert W.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0750758	GRADE 1st Lt.										
HOME ADDRESS Chicago, Illinois		ARM OR SERVICE Air Corps	DATE OF BIRTH 21 Aug 1919										
PLACE OF DEATH European Area		CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 28 Sep 44									
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 28 Jul 43	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS										
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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			

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BATTLE
 NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

[Signature]
 ADJUTANT GENERAL
DEC 12 1944
[Initials]



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*Corrected report for
date of death, Orig THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
rwded 6 Dec 44.

WAR DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH LSB/ma/4624

DATE 14 February 1945

FULL NAME <u>York, Robert W.</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <u>0750758</u>		GRADE <u>1st LT</u>	
HOME ADDRESS <u>Chicago, Ill.</u>		ARM OR SERVICE <u>Air Corps</u>		DATE OF BIRTH <u>21 Aug 1919</u>	
PLACE OF DEATH <u>European Area</u>		CAUSE OF DEATH <u>Killed in action</u>		DATE OF DEATH <u>*29 Sept 44</u>	
STATION OF DECEASED <u>European Area</u>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <u>28 Jul 43</u>		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mr. Walter A. York, father, 227 East 68th Street, Chicago, Illinois</u>					
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INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
				X	
OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)					
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

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

-BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME		SERIAL NUMBER		GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE	
YORK ROBERT W		O-750758		1 LT	AC	ETO	
PLACE OF CASUALTY		DATE OF CASUALTY		FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER	
GERMANY 9		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	A	MIA	217

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	DATE NOTIFIED
MR WALTER A YORK	FATHER	19 OCTOBER 1944
NO. AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE		
227 EAST 68 TH STREET CHICAGO ILLINOIS		

REMARKS: CORRECTED COPY rvh *rvh*



ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED FORM 43¹ AG 201 REQ

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED _____ OR CHARGED TO _____ DATE _____

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO YES _____ (AS INDICATED BELOW)

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

FORWARDED TO SPEC. IDEN. TELEGRAM WOUNDED LETTER CORRES. S. R. & D. CERTIF. M. & M. NON-DEL.

REPORT NOT VERIFIED _____ NO FORM 43 _____ NO CAS., BR. FILE CHECKED BY *Anderson* REVIEWED BY *Laout*

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		CONF.	RACE									
		DAY	MO.	YR.	NO.	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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W.D., A.G.O. FORM NO. 1395
15 JUNE 1944

ARMY SERVICE RECORDS
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. W. Ruth York

SHIP TO:
1st Lt. Robert W. York

68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

Effects of:
Name

0-760758

ASN

275614D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 7 September 1945

Dales
ICR: Effects Quartermaster

RTB:MB:me

REMARKS:

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

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

ROUTING:

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

REMARKS

____ Franked ✓
____ Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
____ Est. Pmt. Chgs. _____
____ No. of packages SEP 16 1945

____ *MB*
Shipping Clerk

NAME YOR, ROBERT W. LT. 0758

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
44	16		9700
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
CTN			

Form 48

275614 ²⁵

ATTACHMENTS		EFFECTS INVENTORY		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		STATUS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	INBOUND INVENTORY					<input type="checkbox"/>	DECEASED
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	G. R. OR SUB GR LABEL					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MISSING
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WILL OR POWER OF ATTORNEY					<input type="checkbox"/>	P. O. W.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TALLY IN FORM 43					<input type="checkbox"/>	ABANDONED
						<input type="checkbox"/>	UNKNOWN

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

DAMAGED

CONTAINERS ADDRESSED TO

None.

INFORMATION

*Mrs. Robert W. York
Elmore City
Oklahoma.*

NAME AND STATUS VARIATIONS

*Called in as Robert W. York
Power Attorney & Last will
show Robert Walter York*

CROSS REFERENCE

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CHECK	REC'D BY	NUMBER	<input type="checkbox"/>	BUREAU CHECK
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MONEY ORDER			<input type="checkbox"/>	TRANSMIT ORIGINAL
<input type="checkbox"/>	BOND		SYMBOL	<input type="checkbox"/>	ORIG. REG. MAIL
<input type="checkbox"/>	TRAV. CHECK		AMOUNT	<input type="checkbox"/>	TO G. A. O.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FOREIGN CURRENCY		DATE	<input type="checkbox"/>	MUTILATED
<input type="checkbox"/>	U. S. CURRENCY			<input type="checkbox"/>	TO ISSUING AGENCY
		BANK OR PLACE OF ISSUE			
		PAYEE			
		REMITTER OR DRAWER			

TALLY NO. <i>9705</i>	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS. <i>1</i>	EXAMINING DATE <i>28-Aug-45</i>	BOX NO.	SHEET <i>12</i>
NAME <i>ROBERT - W - YORK</i>			A. S. N. <i>0750 258</i>	
ORGANIZATION <i>671 BOMB SQ - (L) - 416 BOMB GR (L)</i>			RANK <i>1st Lt.</i>	CASE NO.
WAREHOUSE SPACE <i>7-438</i>	EXAMINED BY <i>Crews & C Smith</i>	PACKED BY <i>Sailey</i>	DIARY REMOVED	
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION <i>#1000</i>	WEIGHT <i>44</i>	INSPECTED BY <i>P</i>	PHOTO FILM REMOVED	
	STORED BY <i>11-13</i>		MOTION PICTURE FILM REMOVED	
			SHIPPED	
			DATE <i>28 Aug 45</i>	BY WHOM <i>[Signature]</i>

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

REMOVALS (other than G.I.)

DAMAGES (List type of damage-extent)

Crystal on watch broken.

SHORTAGES

U. S. GOV'T CHECK SHORT

	NUMBER
1 Case eye glasses - 1 pair	
1 Garrison Cap - 1 pr. sneakers.	
1 pr. leather gloves - 1 pr. cloth gloves.	
1 pr. socks - 2 bath towels -	
13 Under shirts - 11 handkerchiefs.	
2 pr. shorts - 2 pr. wool drawers.	
1 wool undershirts - 2 pr gym trunks.	
1 athletic supporter - 2 pr. garters.	
1 Khaki shirt - 1 green shirt	
1 blouse w/ insignias - 5 Khaki neckties.	
1 web belt.	
1 clothes brush.	

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

Crews & C Smith
INVENTORY CLERK

Curley
SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

375614

RTB:MB:me
September 7, 1945

REGISTERED MAIL

Mrs. W. Ruth York
68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

Dear Mrs. York:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some more property of your husband, First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

There are inclosed a will and a power of attorney, which were included in your husband's effects. The remainder of the property is being forwarded to you in one carton. If, for some reason, it has not been received within the next thirty days, this Bureau should be infomed so that tracer may be instituted.

Yours very truly,

P. L. KOOB
1st Lt., ~~QMG~~
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Branch2-Incl.
Will
Power of Attorney

IN COPY BEEN

RECEIVED

SEP 11 1945

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

KYMVED CILA OYVALLKVVLES DEWOL

VVA. STANLEY LORCE

375614



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

RTB:MB:me
September 7, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 275614

REGISTERED MAIL

Mrs. W. Ruth York
68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

Dear Mrs. York:

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There are inclosed a will and a power of attorney, which were inclosed in your husband's effects. If, for some reason, it has not been received within

EQM 36

HEADQUARTERS
 QUARTERMASTER DISTRICT Q-290
 PERSONAL EFFECTS & BAGGAGE
 APO 513 U.S. ARMY

HGL/af

275,614
 file
 mea

File No: 431374 April 1945201- YORK Robert W. O-750758 (0)

SUBJECT: Letter of transmittal.

TO : Army Effects Bureau, 601 Hardesty Avenue,
 Kansas City, 1, Missouri, U.S.A.

1. Transmitted herewith "Last Will & Testament
Power of Attorney; 2 Claims against off."
 property of 1st LT Robert W. YORK O-750758
 reported MIA on 29th of September 1944.

2. Effects ~~have not been~~ have been forwarded your depot
 on 3 April 45.

For the Effects Quartermaster:

H.G. Lynn
 H.G. LYNN
 1st Lt., QMC
 Asst Chief Adm. Div.

4 Incls.

1. Last Will & Testament
2. Power of Attorney
3. Claim
4. "

KANSAS CITY, MO. APR 17 1945

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. W. Ruth York

68 East 12th Street

SHIP TO:
1st Lt. Robert W. York

Clintonville, Wisconsin

Effects of: 0-750758
Name

ASN 275614D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 25 August 1945

Bales

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS: RTB:MB:me

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inclose Bureau Check | <input type="checkbox"/> Remove G.I. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Acct. No. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Note discrepancy in _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Amount _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Films removed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inclose "Valuables" item | <input type="checkbox"/> Diary removed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ship "Valuables" item(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Laundry removed |

ROUTING:

- Accounting Branch
- Warehouse Division
- Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

Franked **FRANKED** AUG 30 1945
 Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
 Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
 No. of packages 1

EK

Shipping Clerk

ATTACHMENTS		EFFECTS INVENTORY		STATUS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INBOUND INVENTORY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		DECEASED	
<input type="checkbox"/> G. R. OR SUB GR LABEL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			MISSING	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> WILL OR POWER OF ATTY.				P. O. W.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TALLY IN FORM 43	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			ABANDONED	
				UNKNOWN	
BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL	1	BELT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	OVERCOATS	
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)		BOOKS, ADDRESS		PAPERS, PERSONAL	
BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)		BOOKS, PILOT LOG		PENCIL, MECHANICAL	
BOOKS		BRUSHES		PEN, FOUNTAIN	
BRACELET, IDENT.		CASE		PHOTOS	
CAMERAS		CLOTH, WASH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PIPES	
CLOTHING		COATS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RINGS	
MISC. ARTICLES	1	FOOTLOCKER		SCARFS	
RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	1	FOOTWEAR, PR.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SHIRTS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
RIBBONS, DECORATION		GLASSES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SOCKS, PR.	
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TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS		KITS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TOWELS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
U. S. MONEY (AMOUNT)		KNIVES		TROUSERS, PR.	
WATCH		LETTERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TRUNKS, PR.	
WINGS		LIGHTERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	UNDERWEAR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

CONTAINERS ADDRESSED TO	INFORMATION
none	none Rechecked
NAME AND STATUS VARIATIONS	CROSS REFERENCE

CHECK	REC'D BY	NUMBER	BUREAU CHECK
MONEY ORDER			TRANSMIT ORIGINAL
BOND			ORIG. REG. MAIL
TRAV. CHECK			TO G. A. O.
FOREIGN CURRENCY			MUTILATED
U. S. CURRENCY			TO ISSUING AGENCY
		DATE	
		BANK OR PLACE OF ISSUE	
		PAYEE	
		REMITTER OR DRAWER	

TALLY NO. 99974	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS. 1	EXAMINING DATE 13-Aug-45	BOX NO.	SHEET OF 1 SHEETS
NAME ROBERT W. YORK			A. S. N. 0-75-0758	
ORGANIZATION 671 B Sq. 416 B Gp			RANK 1st Lt	
WAREHOUSE SPACE 3076			CASE NO. 275614	
PACKED BY Venables			DIARY REMOVED	
INSPECTED BY			PHOTO FILM REMOVED	
STORED BY			MOTION PICTURE FILM REMOVED	
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION #1 Chk			SHIPPED	
			DATE AUG 30 1945	
			BY WHOM EK	

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

REMOVALS (other than C.I.)

DAMAGES (List type of damage-extent)

SHORTAGES

U. S. GOV'T CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

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

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

NAME YORK, ROBERT W. 1/2t. 0758

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
18	3		9997

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE SPACE	INVENTORIED
CTN.		

EST. QM Form 43

CLASS II—Continued

NUMBER	ARTICLES
✓ 17	Pr Socks (16)
✓ 2	Towels, Bath (2)
✓ 13	Undershirts, Cotton (1)
✓ 11	Handkerchiefs (1)
✓ 9	Pr Shorts, Cotton (2)
✓ 2	Pr Drawers, Wool (1)
✓ 2	Undershirts, Wool (1)
✓ 2	Pr Trunks, Gym (2)
✓ 1	Pr Shoes, Shower, Wool (1)
✓ 1	Athletic Supporter (1)
✓ 2	Pr Garters (2)
✓ 1	Bag, Laundry (1)
✓ 4	Shirts, Khaki (1)
✓ 2	Shirts, Green (1)
✓ 1	Pr Trousers, O.D. (1)
✓ 1	Pr Trousers, Khaki (1)
✓ 2	Pr Trousers, Pink (1)
✓ 1	Pr Trousers, Green (1)
✓ 1	Blouse w/insignias, etc. (1)
✓ 5	Hoskties, Khaki (5)
✓ 1	Belt, Webb (1)
Money	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.

[Signature]

(Station)

_____, 19____
(Date)

*Strike out words not applicable.

Tally in No. TIP126

Job 2 PKs

TALLY IN INVENTORY RECORD

NAME YORK, ROBERT W. PARA 7/17 ASN 0-750758

SHOWN ON CONSIGNORS T.O. AS _____

ORGANIZATION 671ST BOMB SQ, 416TH BOMB GR

DATE 15/NOV/44 CASE _____ PARCEL BOX STATION MIA

ITEMS	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
	<i>Socks</i>	<i>Box opened to enable shipping</i>
	<i>Underwear</i>	
	<i>Hankies</i>	
	<i>Towels</i>	
	<i>Ties</i>	
1	<i>Suigan trunk</i>	
1	<i>Athletic trunk</i>	
1	<i>Blouse green</i>	
	<i>Ribbons & insignias</i>	
2	<i>P. of garters</i>	
1	<i>P. smickers</i>	
1	<i>P. shower clogs</i>	
1	<i>P. shoes service</i>	
2	<i>P. shoes civilian</i>	
2	<i>Shirts green</i>	
1	<i>Trouser green</i>	
2	<i>Trousers pink</i>	
1	<i>Trouser O.D.</i>	
1	<i>Trouser khaki</i>	
1	<i>Yachet field</i>	
1	<i>Trench coat w/liner</i>	
4	<i>Shirts khaki</i>	
2	<i>Caps garricam</i>	
1	<i>Cap flight</i>	

INDEXED FILED Barbara WISE SPACE

TYPE CONTAINER

100 2 PKs

Tally in No TIP 126

TALLY IN INVENTORY RECORD

NAME YORK, ROBERT W. PARK 1/AT. ASN 0730758

SHOWN ON COMMISSIONERS T.C. AS

ORGANIZATION 671 ST. BOMB. SQ. 416TH. BOMB GP.

DATE 15/NOV/44 CASE PARCEL BOX STATUS MIA

ITEMS	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
1	Belt web	single glove of each
	Photo in folder	not missing
1	Belt money	
1	Sewing kit	
1	Shallot	
1	Shaving kit	
1	Clothes brush	
1	Shook machine warfare	
1	Ring	
1	Watch wrist	
1	Box misc. trinkets & napkins	
5	A.C. insignias	
1	Case eyeglass empty	
1	201 file personal	
1	Kn. gloves wool	
1	Leather wallet	
	Misc. toilet articles	
1	single glove kn.	
1	single glove cloth	

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WESE SPACE

TYPE CONTAINER

275614

RTB:MB:me
August 25, 1945

Mrs. W. Ruth York
68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

Dear Mrs. York:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your husband, First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

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.

Yours very truly,

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

ab

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. W. Ruth York
68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

Effects of:
Name 1st Lt. Robert W. York

ASN 0-750758

Case No. 275614 D

Wt.
DATE 13 June 1945

V. King
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

XXX Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 78224
Amount \$6.53 *mue*
Inclose "valuables" item
Ship "valuables" item (s)

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

83544 emh

ROUTING:

XXX Accounting Branch *ew*
XXX Warehouse Division
XXX Files Branch, Adm. Div.

78224

275614

June 13 45

Mrs. W. Ruth York

6.53

Six and 53/100

1 pkg file sent

REMARKS

SHIP DAMAGED PROPERTY

FRANKED JUN 15 1945

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

me
Shipping Clerk

SHEET 7 OF 1 SHEETS		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BOX NUMBER 3		ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES		MISSING	
TALLY NUMBER 6978		INVENTORY DATE 23 March	CASE NUMBER 275,614	P.O.W.	
EFFECTS OF Robert W. York		RANK 1st Lt		ABANDONED	
A.S.N. 0-750758		ORGANIZATION 99th			
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION #1 pkg					
CLOTHING		PERSONAL ITEMS		CONTAINERS	
BELT		BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION		BAGS, CLOTH	
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)		BRUSHES		BAGS, TRAVEL	
CLOTH, WASH		CAMERAS		BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)	
COATS		GLASSES		CASE	
FOOTWEAR, PR.		KNIVES		FOOTLOCKER	
GLOVES, PR.		LIGHTERS		KIT, SEWING	
HANDKERCHIEFS		MISC. INSIGNIA		KIT, TOILET	
HEADWEAR		MISC. ITEMS		KIT, WRITING	
JACKETS		PEN, FOUNTAIN		PAPERS AND MISC.	
OVERCOATS		PENCIL, MECHANICAL		BOOKS	
SCARFS		PIPES		BOOKS, ADDRESS	
SHIRTS		RELIGIOUS ARTICLES		BOOKS, NOTE	
SOCKS, PR.		RIBBONS, DECORATION		BOOKS, PILOT LOG	
TIES		RINGS		DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)	
TOWELS		TOBACCO		FILMS	
TROUSERS, PR.		TOILET ARTICLES		LETTERS	
TRUNKS, PR.		WATCH		PAPERS, PERSONAL	
UNDERWEAR		WINGS		PHOTOS	
				SHOE SHINE ARTICLES	
				SOFT SWEATER	
				SOUVENIRS	
				SOUVENIR MONEY	
				STATIONERY	
				TESTAMENTS	
				U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)	

REMARKS: W. A. York
227 E 68th St
Chicago Ill
*broken

ATTACHMENTS: FORM #54
Inventory
197 label
form # 65-1

C.A.T. none	WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE 2133		SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
STORED BY [Signature]		IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
INVENTORIED BY [Signature]	DATE SHIPPED 15	DIARY REMOVED
PACKED BY [Signature]		LOCKED STORAGE
CHECKED BY [Signature]		LAUNDRY REMOVED
		FILM REMOVED

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

\$2.00 US
1 pound British
25 Foreign Francs

U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

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

Jones
INVENTORY CLERK

DeFuer
SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED

NAME

X YORK, ROBERT W. LT

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
		3	9978

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED
GRB		

Est. QM Form 48

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

file

275 614
CASE NO.

TYPED BY

pm

DATE

FEB 23 1945

STATUS

deceased

NAME

Robert W. York

A.S.N.

O-750758

RANK

ORGANIZATION

AMOUNT

\$6.53

ACCOUNT NO.

71224

LIST NO.

cz f 166

PAID-Check No. 83544 *pb*

REMARKS

ACCOUNTING INVENTORY



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

IN REPLY REFER TO 275614

CHG:VK:imw
June 13, 1945

WD ESSENTIAL OFFICIAL AIR MAIL

Mrs. W. Ruth York
68 East 12th Street
Clintonville, Wisconsin

Dear Mrs. York:

This will acknowledge your telegram of June 10, in connection with the personal effects of your husband, First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

I am inclosing a check for \$6.53, representing funds which belonged to him. The remainder of the property is being forwarded to you in one package.

Also inclosed for your disposition are papers sent to this Bureau from overseas, evidencing indebtedness of your husband to Lieutenant William A. Merchant and Captain Clifford G. McCullah. Sufficient funds were not received here to pay these debts.

If, by any chance, the property has not reached you at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me and tracer will be instituted.

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

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

Sincerely yours,

C. B. QUINN
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief, Files Branch

3 Incls--
Check
Claims (2)

C O P Y
KCQMD
AEB:imwA F F I D A V I T

Before me, the undersigned officer, authorized to administer oaths under A.W. 114 and Executive Order 9324, 1943, appeared one Captain Clifford G. McCullah at AAF Station A-55, A.P.O. 140 on 15th day of Oct. 1944, who, duly sworn and advised of his rights under A.W. 24, offers the following testimony:

On or about 10 August 1944, 1st Lt. Robert W. York did obtain from me for the purpose of going on pass the amount of twenty dollars (\$20.00). There were no witnesses to this transaction.

/s/ Clifford G. McCullah

CLIFFORD G. McCULLAH,
Capt., A. C.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 15th day of October, 1944 at
AAF Station A-55, APO 140, U.S. Army

/s/ J. T. S. Morris

J. T. S. MORRIS
Captain, A. C.
Summary Court

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APO 140, U.S. Army
15 October 1944

Subject: Claims--RE: Accounts of Robert W. York, O-750758,
1st Lt (Missing In Action), 671st Bmb Sq(L),
416th Bmb Gp(L), APO 140, U.S. Army.

To : Effects Quartermaster Communication Zone, APO 887,
U.S. Army.

1. The undersigned officer hereby declares a valid debt owed him by above named officer(Missing In Action) in the following amount and under the following circumstances:

Date	Amount	Reason
10 August 1944	\$20.00	Funds for pass

2. I certify that this invoice is true and correct, that no part thereof is a gambling debt, and that payment therefor has never been received.

CLIFFORD G. McCULLAH,
Captain, Air Corps,
671st Bmb Sq(L),
416th Bmb Cp(L).

C O P Y
KCQMD
AEB:lmw

A F F I D A V I T

Before me, the undersigned officer, authorized to administer oaths under A.W. 114 and Executive Order 9824, 1943, appeared on 1st Lt. Wm. A. Merchant at AAF Sta A-55, APO 140 on 14th day of Oct, 1944, who, duly sworn and advised of his rights under A.W. 24, offers the following testimony:

On or about 5 July, 1944, 1st Lt. Robert W. York did obtain a loan of \$20.00 from me for the purpose of going on pass. There were no witnesses to this transaction which took place in our quarters.

/s/ William A. Merchant, 1st Lt., A.C.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 14th day of Oct., 1944, at
AAF Sta A-55, APO 140, U.S. Army

/s/ J. T. S. Morris
Capt. A. C.
Summary Court

671st BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (L)
416th BOMBARDMENT GROUP (L)

159.

APO #140, U.S. Army,
15 October 1944.

SUBJECT: Claims--RE: Accounts of Robert W. York, O-750758,
1st Lt. (Missing-In-Action) Air Corps,
671st Bomb Sq(L), 416th Bomb Gp (L),
APO #140, U S Army.

TO : Effects Quartermaster, Communications Zone, APO 887,
U S Army.

1. The undersigned officer hereby declares a valid debt owed him by above named officer (Missing-In-Action) in the following amount and under the following circumstances:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Reason</u>
5 July 1944	\$20.00	Funds for pass

2. I certify that this invoice is true and correct, that no part thereof is a gambling debt, and that payment therefor has never been received.

1 Incl:
Incl 1 - Affidavit.

WILLIAM A. MERCHANT,
1st Lt., Air Corps,
671st Bomb Sq (L),
416th Bomb Gp (L).

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

Yost Robert H 0-730723
(Last Name)(First)(Initial) (ASN)

late a 1st Lt. AAF
(Grade) (Orgn or arm or service)

who died on the 20 day of Sept 19 41

Bullet
Photos
Key Ring
Sov. Coins
1st Lt. Bar
Pen

✓
✓
✓
✓
✓

\$2.00 U. S.
1 Pound British
25 French Francs

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0

~~1st Lt. Bar~~
1st Lt. Bar

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

RAYMOND L. DENNIS,
1st Lt., 10.

Serial No. 0-750758 Name YORK, ROBERT W.
 Grade 1ST LT. Rank _____
 Organization A.A.F.
 Address _____
 Nearest Relative _____
 Address _____
 Killed in Action YES Died of Disease _____
 Date 28 SEPT. 1944 Hospital _____
 Battle Area HOWLAND Information _____
 Place of Burial _____
 Point of Coordination _____
 Description of Body _____
 Members Missing _____

[Handwritten signature]

FRAG SKULL
 PAR. FAILED TO
 TO OPER

Signed 6978



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

IN REPLY REFER TO 275614

GHC:VK:imw
June 13, 1945

Mr. Walter A. York
227 East 68th Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

This will acknowledge your recent letter in connection with the personal effects of your son, First Lieutenant Robert W. York. *Wk*

The Will which you furnished this Bureau for inspection is returned herewith.

Personal property of Lieutenant York was forwarded to his widow, Mrs. W. Ruth York, 68 East 13th Street, Clintonville, Wisconsin. This action was taken in accordance with the 112th Article of War which states that the right of a widow to receive property for distribution supersedes that of a father. For any information regarding these personal effects, it is suggested that you contact Mrs. York.

Extending every sympathy, I am

Sincerely yours,

R. T. BROWN
1st Lt. Q.M.C.
Asst. to Chief, Adm. Division

1 Incl--Will

WIRE MESSAGE

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WU 07217/16 6 EXTRA CLINTONVILLE WIS JUN 10 1002A
ARMY // ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
IN RE // REPLY TO NUMBER 275614P // 275614
PLEASE SHIP TO ADDRESS BELOW
MRS W RUTH YORK 68 EAST 12TH ST CLINTONVILLE

WIS.
1035AM..

ACK PLS

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wheel sp
2133*

*friends
Jmw
N.S.*

*dy
6-12*

INFORMATION	FOR REPLY	FOR NEC. ACTION

Effects-2
Recd 101550t

SER. NO. _____ ROUTINE DISTRIBUTION CO _____ EXEC _____ ADJ _____ AND FILE

SHIPMENT CLERK

JUN 9 - 1945

June 6th 1945
227 E. 68th St. Chicago, Ill.

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Effects Bureau
Kansas City, Mo.

Gentlemen,

275614-W
APPPA-7 Headquarters, Army Air Forces

Referring to your letter of December 2, 1944 and Headquarters, Army Air Forces, Washington, D. C. letter of March 26th 1945 which requested that the will of my son be probated in order to receive the personal effects shipped from France. I find that the Illinois law does not require a probate if the estate is less than \$500.00. I might say that his estate was not \$500.00.

In that case will you kindly arrange to forward his personal effects to me.

Thanking you very kindly, I beg to remain,

Yours truly,

Walter A. York
Walter A. York.

*Wd
6-12*

JUN 9 1945

SHIPPING CLERK

June 6th 1945
227 N. 68th St. Chicago, Ill.

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Effects Bureau
Kansas City, Mo.

Gentlemen,
APPRA-V Headquarters, Army Air Forces
22501A-W

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Yours truly,

Walter A. York
Walter A. York

RECEIVED
KANSAS CITY, MO.
JUN - 8 1945

(S-7-5-45)
GHG:VJ:em
June 5, 1945

275614

Mrs. W. Ruth York
Elmore City, Oklahoma

Dear Mrs. York:

Reference is made to letter of the Army Effects Bureau dated April 5, 1945, requesting information to enable disposal of property belonging to your husband, First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

I shall appreciate a reply to your earliest convenience, in order that the property in our custody may be released to the proper person without further delay.

For your use in replying, 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

1 Incl-
Envelope

cc

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275,614

(S-5-5-45)
JRM:JFH:bjm
April 5, 1945

lgw

Mrs. W. Ruth York
Elmore City, Oklahoma

Dear Mrs. York:

The Army Effects Bureau has received funds in the amount of \$6.53 belonging to your husband, First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

This is the only property of your husband received here to date, however money ordinarily is transmitted to this Bureau by mail, in advance of other personal effects.

In making application for these funds, it is necessary only that you confirm your address, stating that you are the legal widow of Lieutenant York.

For your convenience in replying, there is inclosed a self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Sincerely yours,

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

1 Incl--
Envelope

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

JRM:AP:cb
January 13, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO: 275,614

Mr. Walter A. York
227 East 68th Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

Thank you for your letter of December 29, furnishing information in connection with disposition of the personal effects of your son, First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

I am returning herewith the Will which you submitted.

Under the 112th Article of War, which governs the disposal of such property, the widow, Mrs. W. Ruth York, Elmore City, Oklahoma is entitled to receive your son's effects for proper distribution. Therefore, upon arrival of Lieutenant York's effects, it will be in order for us to contact Mrs. York.

Please accept my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

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

1 Incl--Will

file

227 E. 68th St Chicago, Ill.
December 29th 1944.

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot.
Army Effects Bureau,
Kansas City, Mo.

275614-W

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of Dec. 2nd 1944 regarding my son's personal effects, and paragraph 3 of the information circular enclosed. Before leaving for Europe he made out a will leaving everything to me. I attach a photo copy of the will. In that case does it entitle me to claim his personal effects?

Thanking you for your cooperation, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

Walter A. York

Walter A. York.

700 - 11042
RECEIVED
KANSAS CITY, MO.
DEC 29 1944

387 W. 88th St. Chicago, Ill.
December 29th 1944

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Medical Bureau
Kansas City, Mo.

325814-W

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of Dec. 2nd 1944 regarding my son's personal effects, and paragraph 3 of the information circular enclosed. Before leaving for Europe he made out a list of his personal effects. I attach a photo copy of the list. In that case does it entitle me to claim his personal effects?

Thanking you for your cooperation, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

Walter A. York

Walter A. York

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
KANSAS CITY, MO.
JAN - 1 1945



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

(S-1-2-45)

JRM:NW:ms

December 2, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO: 275614-W

Mr. Walter A. York
237 East 68th Street
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. York:

This refers to your recent letter inquiring about the personal effects of your son, First Lieutenant Robert W. York.

I am sorry to report that the Army Effects Bureau has not yet received any of your son's property. There is inclosed an information circular which will give you some idea of the time which may elapse before personal effects arrive here from overseas.

You will note from Paragraph 3 of the circular that this Bureau needs certain information in order to make disposition of property. You may furnish the necessary information at this time, if you wish, so that your son's effects may be forwarded promptly upon receipt here.

For your convenience, there is inclosed a self-addressed return envelope which requires no postage.

I wish to express my sincere regret of the circumstances prompting this correspondence.

F. A. Eckhardt
Yours very truly,

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

2 Incls--
Form 76
Envelope

11-29-44
Hjg

Chicago, Ill.
227 E. 68th St.
Nov. 24th 1944.

275, 214

Army Effects Bureau,
Independence & Hardesty,
Kansas City, Mo.

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Gentlemen,

1st Lt. Robert W. York,
O-750 758
416 Bomb Gp.
671 Bomb Sq. (L)
APO #140 New York.

On Oct. 20th 1944 I received the War Dept. telegram informing me of my son missing in action over Germany. On Nov. 23 rd the War Dept. informed me in a telegram of my son's death on this mission of Sept. 29th.

Will you please see that all of his personal effects are sent to me per regulations. He was stationed in France at the new 9th Air Base.

Very truly yours,

Walter A. York

Walter A. York, father.

file ms

Nov 24 1944

Lawrence & Harbo

Kansas City, Mo.

415 Bond St.
417 Bond St. (N)
419 Bond St. York

On Oct. 20th 1944 I received the War Dept.
letter informing me of my son's death in action
over Germany. On Nov. 23rd the War Dept. advised
me in a separate letter of my son's death on this mission
of Sept. 24th.

Will you please see that all of his
personal effects are sent to his family.
He was stationed in France at the time of his
death.

Very truly yours,

Walter A. York, Father

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
KANSAS CITY, MO.
NOV 28 1944