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TSgt Glen D. Hardeman



INDIVIDUAL DECEASED PERSONNEL FILE

HARDEMAN, GLEN D.

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URGENT ACTION

3024 4th Avenue West
Seattle 99, Washington

File
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February 10, 1945

Army Effects Bureau
Quartermaster Depot
Kansas City, Missouri

Gentlemen:

RE: T/Sgt. Glen O. Hardeman, ASN 39197606

My husband, T/Sgt. Glen O. Hardeman, has been missing in action over Germany for just seven months. He was based somewhere in England, and was reported missing on July 11, 1944. I have been concerned about his personal belongings, which included a good camera, Bible, etc. If you have them and could possibly send them to me, I would surely appreciate.

Yours very truly,

Winifred Hardeman
(Mrs.) Winifred Hardeman

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JRM:KB:bw
February 28, 1945

Mrs. Winifred Hardeman
3024 Fourth Avenue West
Seattle, Washington

Dear Mrs. Hardeman:

This is in reply to your recent letter inquiring about the personal effects of your husband, Technical Sergeant Glen O. Hardeman.

I am sorry to report that the Army Effects Bureau has not yet received any of his property. Because of transportation difficulties, overseas "holding" periods and other delays encountered in the return of personal effects to the U.S.A., the time of arrival at this Bureau is quite uncertain.

I am inclosing a circular, however, in order that you may have all information available as to when your husband's effects may be expected to arrive here. Upon receipt of any property belonging to him, you will be notified.

Sincerely yours,

P.L. KOOB
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief, Correspondence Branch

1 Incl--
Form 97

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

26 July 1944

Date

755th Bombardment Squadron (H), 458th Bombardment Group (H), APO 558

Organization and A.F.O. Number

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventory of Personal Effects.

TO: Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, Depot G-14, APO. 507,
U. S. ARMY.

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

NAME	Glen	O.	T/Sgt	39197606	26230
Last Name	First Name	MI	Rank	ASN	Control No.
					For use of Effects QM. ETOUSA.

Organization 755th Bomb Sq (H), 458th Bomb Gp (H), APO 558

UNIT - - - - Not Branch of Service.

STATUS: (Deceased), Missing in Action, ~~Prisoner of War~~ on the 11
July 1944.

Designated Beneficiary (with address. Mrs. Winifred K. Hardeman (Wife)
3024 4th Avenue W.
Seattle, Washington

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

U.S.M.O. # 12333 Amt \$ 96.89 U.S.M.O. # Amt \$

U.S.M.O. # Amt \$ U.S.M.O. # Amt \$

U.S. Official Check # Amt. Bank
Name and Branch.

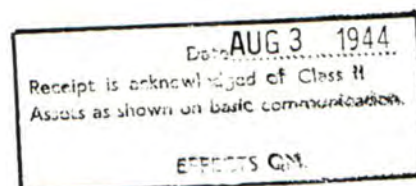
Bank Accounts

Debtors

Creditors

Inclosed is

Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks, Describe Full,
(if any).



Report words not applicable.
Report where applicable.

(OVER

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

Attach extra sheets if necessary

Class I

1 ea Bag, toilet, w/pencil and razor
4 ea Books, holy
1 ea Brush, hair, green
1 ea Folder, photograph
1 pr Glasses, sun
1 pr Gloves
1 ea Insignia, military
1 ea Personal "201" file, letters
1 ea Ribbons

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of subject's effects
and that effects were shipped to Effects Co. ETOUSA, A.P.O. 507, G-14, U.S. Army
by delivering to Army Post Office on 27 JUL 1944 1944.

Dewey E. Turner
Signature (in ink)

DEWEY E. TURNER

Captain. AC Name (Block letters)

Supply Officer, 755th Bomb Sq

Rank and Organization

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

tu
231,414

CASE NO.

TYPED BY

DATE

STATUS

NAME

A.S.N.

RANK

ORGANIZATION

AMOUNT

ACCOUNT NO.

LIST NO.

PAID-Check No.

REMARKS

ACCOUNTING INVENTORY

NAME HARDEMAN, GLEN O. T. SGT ----

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
62	11		7609
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
CTN			

MR. QM Form 43

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION <div style="font-size: 2em; font-family: cursive;">#1 Clw</div>		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-family: cursive;">231,414</div>		DECEASED <input type="checkbox"/> MISSING <input type="checkbox"/> P.O.W. <input type="checkbox"/> ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/> TALLY NO. 7609 INV. DATE 3-1-49 ORIG. NO. OF PKGS. 1 BOX NO. SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS ORGANIZATION 1st S-10-49 455 R 414	
NAME Glen S. Haden A.S.N. 30171606		RANK T/SGT			

BELT BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CLOTH, WASH COATS FOOTWEAR, PR. GLOVES, PR. HANDKERCHIEFS HEADWEAR JACKETS OVERCOATS SCARFS SHIRTS SOCKS, PR. TIES TOWELS TROUSERS, PR. TRUNKS, PR. UNDERWEAR	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS CLOTHING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BRACELET IDENT. BRUSHES CAMERAS GLASSES KNIVES LIGHTERS MISC. INSIGNIA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PEN, FOUNTAIN PENCIL, MECHANICAL PIPES RELIGIOUS ARTICLES RIBBONS, DECORATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RINGS TOBACCO TOILET ARTICLES WATCH	WINGS BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY) CASE FOOTLOCKER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> KIT, SEW, TET, OR WRITING BOOKS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BOOKS, ADDRESS BOOKS, PILOT LOG DIARY (REMOVED FOR DUP) FILMS LETTERS PAPERS, PERSONAL PHOTOS SHOE SHINE ARTICLES SHORT SNORTER SCUVENIRS SCUVENIR MONEY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STATIONERY TESTAMENTS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)
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7/11
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REMARKS Officially buried in the cemetery at 3024 4th Ave, W. Seattle Wash.	ATTACHMENTS	FORM #54	FORM #500
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C.A.T. Done	STORED BY <div style="font-size: 2em; font-family: cursive;">71A</div>	DATE SHIPPED MAY 28 1949
WAREHOUSE SPACE 1059	INVENTORIED BY L. H. ...	#43 OR ADDITIONAL
PACKED BY L. H. ...	CHECKED BY L. H. ...	G.I. REMOVED SHORTAGE ON REVERSE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IDENT. TAGS REMOVED DIARY REMOVED LOCKED STORAGE LAUNDRY REMOVED FILM REMOVED

SHORTAGES

U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

U.S.M.O.# 12333 amt \$96.89

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

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

Harmon

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Effects of:

Name

ASN

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 22 May 1945

JRM:VJ:co

T/Sgt. Glen O. Hardeman

39197606

231414 M

Mrs. Winifred Hardeman

3024 Fourth Avenue, West

Seattle 99, Washington

PCR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

☒ Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 90049
Amount \$96.89 *m*
Inclose "Valuables" item
Ship "Valuables" item(s)

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

ROUTING:

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1 Accounting Branch *ew*
2 Warehouse Division
3 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

90049

231414

May 19

45

Winifred Hardeman

96.39

Ninety-Six and 39/100

REMARKS:

1 *cler*
Fracked ☒
Est. Exp. Chgs. ☒
Est. Frt. Chgs. ☒
No. of packages ☒

MAY 26 1945

M.K.
Shipping Clerk

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

(S-7-22-45)

JHM:VJ:cc

May 22, 1945

In Reply Refer To: 231414

Mrs. Winifred Hardeman
3024 Fourth Avenue, West
Seattle 99, Washington

Dear Mrs. Hardeman:

The Army Effects Bureau is forwarding to you the following personal property, recently received here, belonging to your husband, Technical Sergeant Glen O. Hardeman:

- 1 carton and contents
- 1 Bureau check for \$96.89 - inclosed

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

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

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

Yours very truly,

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

2 Incl--
Envelope
Check

Receipt acknowledged:

Winifred Hardeman
(Signature of Bailee)

Eff. QM Form 205 (11 Apr 45)

25 May 45
(Date)

Thanks so much.

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Last Name	First Name	MI	Rank	ASN	Control No. For use of Effects QM. ETOUSA.

Organization 755th Bomb Sq (H), 458th Bomb Gp (H), APO 558

UNIT - - - - Not Branch of Service.

*Status. (Deceased, Missing in Action, Prisoner of War) on the 11
day of July 1944.

Designated Beneficiary (with address.

Mrs. Winifred K. Hardeman (Wife)
3024 4th Avenue W.
Seattle, Washington

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U.S.M.O. # Amt \$ U.S.M.O. # Amt \$

U.S. Official Check # Amt. Bank Name and Branch.

*Bank accounts

*Debtors

*Creditors

*Inclosed is Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks, Describe Full.

REMARKS (if any.

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

(OVER

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS
Attach extra sheets if necessary

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1 ea Bag, toilet, w/pencil and razor
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1 ea Folder, photograph
1 pr Glasses, sun
1 pr Gloves
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1 ea Personal "201" file, letters
1 ea Ribbon

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Dewey E. Turner
Signature. (In ink)

DEWEY E. TURNER

Capt, AC Name (Block letters)
Supply Officer, 755th Bomb Sq

Rank and Organization

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: Mrs. Winifred Kimble Hardeman
3024 4th Avenue, West
Seattle, Washington

Effects of 2/Sgt. Glen O. Hardeman
Name

ASN 39197606

Case No. 231414

Wt.

DATE 18 October 1945

RTB:VK:lm

Joseph
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

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

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

ROUTING:

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

REMARKS

Franked *✓*
Est. Exp. Chgs. OCT 22 1945
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of package _____

DM
Shipping Clerk

231414

ATTACHMENTS		EFFECTS INVENTORY		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		STATUS	
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	G. R. OR SUB GR LABEL						MISSING
	WILL OR POWER OF ATTY.						P. O. W.
	TALLY IN FORM 43						ABANDONED
							UNKNOWN
BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL		BELT	OVERCOATS				
	BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BOOKS, ADDRESS	PAPERS, PERSONAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)	BOOKS, PILOT LOG	PENCIL, MECHANICAL				
	BOOKS	BRUSHES	PEN, FOUNTAIN				
	BRACELET, IDENT.	CASE	PHOTOS				
	CAMERAS	CLOTH, WASH	PIPES				
	CLOTHING	COATS	RINGS				
	MISC. ARTICLES	FOOTLOCKER	SCARFS				
	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	FOOTWEAR, PR.	SHIRTS				
	RIBBONS, DECORATION	GLASSES	SOCKS, PR.				
	SHORT SNORTER	GLOVES, PR.	STATIONERY				
	SOUVENIR MONEY	HANDKERCHIEFS	TIES				
	SOUVENIRS	HEADWEAR	TOBACCO				
	TESTAMENTS	JACKETS	TOILET ARTICLES				
	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	KITS	TOWELS				
	U. S. MONEY (AMOUNT)	KNIVES	TROUSERS, PR.				
	WATCH	LETTERS	TRUNKS, PR.				
	WINGS	LIGHTERS	UNDERWEAR				
CONTAINERS ADDRESSED TO				INFORMATION			
none				Mrs Winifred K Hardeman wife 3024 - 4 th Ave Seattle - Wash			
NAME AND STATUS VARIATIONS				CROSS REFERENCE			
				Found in Effects of Lt John S. Holodak # 703258 Tally # 3458			
CHECK		REC'D BY	NUMBER	BUREAU CHECK			
MONEY ORDER				TRANSMIT ORIGINAL			
BOND			SYMBOL	ORIG. REG. MAIL			
TRAV. CHECK			AMOUNT	TO G. A. O.			
FOREIGN CURRENCY				MUTILATED			
U. S. CURRENCY				TO ISSUING AGENCY			
DATE							
BANK OR PLACE OF ISSUE				go 11			
PAYEE							
REMITTER OR DRAWER							
TALLY NO.		ORIG. NO. OF PKGS.	EXAMINING DATE	BOX NO.	SHEET		
			11 Oct 45		OF SHEETS		
NAME		GLEN - O - HARDEMAN		A. S. N.		39197606	
ORGANIZATION				RANK		7185TH	
WAREHOUSE SPACE		854		DIARY REMOVED			
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION		# 1 PKG		PHOTO FILM REMOVED			
WEIGHT				MOTION PICTURE FILM REMOVED			
EXAMINED BY		J. J. J.		SHIPPED			
PACKED BY		L. J.		DATE		6 Oct 45	
INSPECTED BY		P		BY WHOM			
STORED BY		L. J.					

SHORTAGES

U.S. M. G #12333 Amt \$196 89

U. S. GOV'T CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

Class 1

All Effect short.

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

Guyonne
INVENTORY CLERK

Latimer
SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

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

2312016
414 95✓

—BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE
ARDEMAN GLEN O	39197606	T SG	AC	ETO
PLACE OF CASUALTY	DATE OF CASUALTY	FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER
GERMANY	11 JUL 44	G	MIA	132

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING PERSON AS THE ONE TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND THE OFFICIAL TELEPHONIC 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

MRS. MISS FIRST NAME—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST NAME	RELATIONSHIP	DATE NOTIFIED
MRS WINIFRED KIMBLE HARDEMAN	WIFE	25 JULY 1944 air
AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE		
3024 4TH AVENUE WEST SEATTLE WASHINGTON		

MARKS: ☐ CORRECTED COPY

ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FORM 43		AG 201 REQ
CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED	OR CHARGED TO	DATE
PREVIOUSLY REPORTED	NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/>	(AS INDICATED BELOW)
FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	TYPE DATE AND AREA E. A. NOTIFIED

WARDED	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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PORT NOT VERIFIED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO FORM 43 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO CAS. BR. FILE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHECKED BY <i>Griffin 23 July 44</i> REVIEWED BY <i>King</i>									

THIS SPACE FOR USE OF MACHINE RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.																								
CT. EA	CASUALTY STATUS	ORIGINAL CAS. DATE			MESSAGE NO.	LATEST CAS. DATE			REFERENCE AREA	CREW POS.	RESIDENCE		COMP	RACE										
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V.D., A.G.O. FORM NO. 0365
16 JUNE 1944



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

RTB:VK:lm
October 18, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 231414

Mrs. Winifred K. Hardeman
3024 4th Avenue, West
Seattle, Washington

Dear Mrs. Hardeman:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some property of your husband, Technical Sergeant Glen O. Hardeman.


This property, consisting of personal papers is being sent you.

If, for some reason, it has not been received at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me so that trader may be instituted.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your husband.

Yours very truly,

R. T. BROWN
1st Lt., QMG
Chief, Adm. Division



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

231,414
3470

FINDING OF DEATH OF MISSING PERSON

uant to the provisions of Section 5 of the Act of 7 March 1942 (Public Law 490 77th
.) as amended, upon direction and delegation by The Secretary of War, The Chief,
ality Branch, The Adjutant General's Office, finds Technical Sergeant Glen O.
man, Army Serial Number 39,197,606, Air Corps,
~~is dead.~~ He was officially reported as missing in action as of the 11th day
July 1944. For the purposes stated in said Act, death is presumed to have oc-
curred on the 12th day of July, 1945.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

George F. Henth

ADJUTANT GENERAL
CHIEF, CASUALTY BRANCH

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

	FLYING STATUS	JUMP STATUS	LINE OF DUTY	OWN MIS- CONDUCT	ON DUTY STATUS	ABSENCE AUTH'D
ean	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	

REVIEWS

IRTH	HOME ADDRESS	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE	LENGTH OF SERVICE (AS OF PRESUMED DATE OF DEATH)		
r 1917	Seattle, Washington	5 Jan 1943	YEARS 2	MONTHS 6	DAYS 14

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS
Winifred Kimble Hardeman	Wife	3024 4th Avenue, West Seattle, Washington

BENEFICIARIES

	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS
Winifred Kimble Hardeman	Wife	3024 4th Avenue, West Seattle, Washington
Edgden Hardeman	Father	Route 2
Evans Hardeman	Mother	Pacific, Missouri

REMARKS

Distribution 56

stances of disappearance: The bomber on which he was a crew member was lost
on a bombing mission to Munich, Germany.

SENSITIVE SURFACE - HANDLE EDGES ONLY

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 28 Jul 49 per

FULL NAME HARDEMAN, GLEN O.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 39 197 606		GRADE T/SGT	
HOME ADDRESS Seattle, Washington		ARM OR SERVICE AC		DATE OF BIRTH 13 Mar 1917	
PLACE OF DEATH North Sea		CAUSE OF DEATH Killed In Action		DATE OF DEATH 11 Jul 1944	
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 5 Jan 1943		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Mrs. Winifred K. Hardeman, wife, 3024 - 4th Avenue West, Seattle, Washington					
BENEFICIARY (Name, relationship, and address) Mrs: Winifred K. Hardeman, wife, same as above. Glen H. Hardeman, father, Route 2, Pacific, Mo. Marion E. Hardeman, mother, same.					
INVESTIGATION MADE YES NO	IN LINE OF DUTY YES NO	OWN MISCONDUCT YES NO	WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS YES NO	AUTHORIZED ABSENCE YES NO	IN FLYING PAY STATUS YES NO
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT					OTHER PAY STATUS (Specify below) YES NO
					YES NO
					BATTLE NON-BATTLE

Finding of death has been issued previously under Section 5, Public Law 490, 7 March 1942, as amended, showing presumed date of death as 12 July 1945. This Report of Death based on information received since that date is issued in accordance with Section 9 of said Act, and its effect on prior payments and settlements is as prescribed in Section 9.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

John R. King
ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

—BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME HARDEMAN GLEN O ASN 39197606	GRADE T/SGT HUS	DATE CAS. REPORT RECEIVED 1949 JUL 21
MRS WINIFRED KIMBLE HARDEMAN 3024 4TH AVENUE WEST SEATTLE WASHINGTON		DATE TELEGRAM SENT 09 26 July 49

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

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

NAME HARDEMAN, GLEN O.	SERIAL NUMBER 39197606	ARM OR SERVICE AC	REPORTING THEATRE	F OR J STATUS K	SHIPMENT NUMBER 196015 U 05
TYPE OF CASUALTY KILLED IN ACTION	PLACE OF CASUALTY IN NORTH SEA	DATE OF CASUALTY DAY MONTH YEAR 11 JUL 44			CASUALTY CODE

AG 704 DEAD/13 JUL 49/ ☐ CORRECTED COPY

DET UNIT APPROVED OIC, CAS SEC PAB. KILLED WHEN PLANE CRASHED. FOD D PREV UNDER SEC 5, PL 490, 7 MAR 42, AS AMENDED, SHOWING PRESUMED OF DEATH AS 12 JUL 45. RPT OF DEATH ISSUED IN ACCORD WITH SEC 9 OF ACT AND ITS EFFECT ON PRIOR PAYMENTS AND SETTLEMENTS IS AS PROVIDED C 9. STA AND PL OF DEATH ETC.

ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENTRY: SEATTLE KING COUNTY WASHINGTON
Rpt of Death issued 28 Jul 49. pmr

SS IN ACCORD WITH PAR 2B, OPER BUL 35, 1945.

ACTION BY COMPOSITE SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED ☒ FORM 43. AG 201 REQ. ☐
CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED ☐ OR CHARGED TO ☐ DATE ☐
PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO ☐ YES ☒ (AS INDICATED BELOW):

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THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
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FINDING OF DEATH OF MISSING PERSON

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of the Act of 7 March 1942 (Public Law 490 77th Cong.) as amended, upon direction and delegation by The Secretary of War, The Chief, Casualty Branch, The Adjutant General's Office, finds Technical Sergeant Glen O. Hardeman, Army Serial Number 39,197,606, Air Corps, to be dead. He was officially reported as missing in action as of the 11th day of July 1944. For the purposes stated in said Act, death is presumed to have occurred on the 12th day of July, 1945.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

George F. Herbert
ADJUTANT GENERAL
CHIEF, CASUALTY BRANCH

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

AREA		FLYING STATUS	JUMP STATUS	LINE OF DUTY	OWN MIS-CONDUCT	ON DUTY STATUS	ABSENCE AUTH'D
European		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	
PREVIOUS REVIEWS							
None							
DATE OF BIRTH	HOME ADDRESS	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE		LENGTH OF SERVICE (AS OF PRESUMED DATE OF DEATH)			
13 Mar 1917	Seattle, Washington	5 Jan 1943		YEARS 2	MONTHS 6	DAYS 14	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE							
NAME	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS					
Mrs. Winifred Kimble Hardeman	Wife	3024 4th Avenue, West Seattle, Washington					
BENEFICIARIES							
NAME	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS					
Mrs. Winifred Kimble Hardeman	Wife	3024 4th Avenue, West Seattle, Washington					
NAME	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS					
Glen Hodgen Hardeman	Father	Route 2					
Marion Evans Hardeman	Mother	Pacific, Missouri					

REMARKS

Distribution 56

Circumstances of disappearance: The bomber on which he was a crew member was lost on a bombing mission to Munich, Germany.

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6. An examination of the files of these persons in Casualty Branch, Officers Branch and Enlisted Branch, AGO, and the index in Prisoner of War Information Bureau, FMGO, reveals no information of value to this review other than that set forth above.

II. - CONCLUSIONS

1. These officers and enlisted men were members of the crews of three B-24 bombers and took part in a bombing mission to Munich, Germany, on 11 July 1944. Facts about each crew are summarized below:

a. Crew No. 1, consisting of ten members, was not seen or heard from after they departed from their base in England. No information is available as to their fate.

III. - RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that findings of death be made in the cases of the officers and enlisted men named in Part I, paragraph 1, above, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Missing Persons Act, and that the presumed date of death be shown as 12 *July* 1945

/i/ BFS by JH

RPR

Captain, AGD

CONCURRED IN:

APPROVED:

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Chief, Casualty Branch

E X T R A C T C O P Y

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result of enemy action in Aircraft #41-29300 on 11 July 1944 and to this date no additional information has been received. * * * *

d. On 2 January 1945 in a letter to The Adjutant General, Fred W. Herman, father of Flight Officer Herman, writes:

"* * * We have had some rumors picked up from members of the same organization who have returned on furlough. One was to the effect that his airplane (a B-24) failed to take its place in formation after climbing through the overcast immediately after take-off from its base and was never seen or heard from after that. Another story was to the effect that it was last seen over the Swiss border on the return from the target.

"* * * * *

"The family of one of the crew members passed on to us the story that the airplane was last seen over the Swiss border and they believed that the boys landed in Switzerland. * * * *

e. A "Memorandum for the Casualty Branch, The Adjutant General's Office, War Department", Subject: Flight Officer Fred B. Herman, T-2118, dated 25 May 1945 (Herman's AG 201 file) from Assistant Chief of Staff G-2 has attached to it a digest of information received from the father of Flight Officer Herman, which reads as follows:

"Mrs. Laurence Carey, Russian wife of Laurence Carey (former Captain, Signal Corps, USA) on her arrival in the United States, recognized a photograph of Flight Officer Herman and stated that she has seen him in an Evacuation Hospital somewhere in Africa (possibly Khartoum) between February 20 and 28, 1945. Mrs. Carey at that time was enroute to the United States via ATC. Due to her unfamiliarity with the English language and the geography of Africa she is unable definitely to state that the Hospital was at Khartoum.

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"#. The Surgeon General advises that there are no Evacuation Hospitals located in Africa; however, there are several Station Hospitals on that continent. Since Flight Officer Herman became missing in action while over Germany, it is believed that the person seen by Mrs. Carey was an individual with facial characteristics resembling those of Flight Officer Herman. * * * "

g. On 8 June 1945 a request was forwarded to the Command General, United States Army forces in the Middle East that the hospitals in Africa be checked in an effort to determine whether they had any record concerning Flight Officer Herman and that a full report be furnished. A reply by 1st Indorsement was received 19 June 1945 which states:

"... has been made of all hospitals

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Casualty Branch.

SUBJECT: Review and Determination of Status
under the Missing Persons Act.

I. - FACTS

1. The officers and enlisted men named below of the 8th Air Force were reported missing in action in flying pay status in Germany by ETO Shipment No. 132 and have been carried on War Department records as missing in action since 11 July 1944. The crew number in the right hand column has been assigned arbitrarily for reference purposes.

<u>Name</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Crew No.</u>
P Gibson, Samuel	0795456	First Lieutenant	1
N Amon, Harold	0698859	Second Lieutenant	1
CP Hornan, Fred B.	T002118	Flight Officer	1
RO Hardeman, Glen O.	39197606	Technical Sergeant	1
B Marty, George B.	39118992	Technical Sergeant	1
BT Bair, Eugene A.	33498514	Staff Sergeant	1
LW Brewer, Homer C.	15065248	Staff Sergeant	1
TG Mott, Robert D.	38412820	Staff Sergeant	1
TT Rasmussen, Stanley G.	36193532	Staff Sergeant	1
RW Steele, James M.	37523322	Staff Sergeant	1

2. The above-named persons were members of the crew of three B-24 type aircraft which were lost on a bombing mission to Munich, Germany, on 11 July 1944. All available information concerning the circumstances of disappearance surrounding the loss of each plane is given in paragraphs 3 to 5 inclusive below.

3. Crew No. 1

a. Missing Air Crew Report (AAF No. 6927), dated 13 July 1944, states that the crew of B-24 H aircraft No. 41-29300 were members of the 458th Bomb Group, 755th Bomb Squadron. The circumstances of the loss were not known at the time the report was prepared. A list of the crew members follows:

See par 1.

b. On 19 April 1945 a request for any additional information then available was sent to Commanding General, USE, European Theater of Operations, from this office. The reply to this was received by 7th Indorsement, dated 11 May 1945, in which the following statement was made in 4th Indorsement, dated 4 May 1945, by unit headquarters (AG 704 19 Apr 45):

"No additional information has ever been obtained regarding disappearance of crew listed in basic communication. No eye witness accounts could be obtained from interrogation of other crews flying on same missions."

c. In reply to inquiries from the emergency addresses of Mott, Hardeman, Brewer and Gibson (See AG 201 files) as to the status of each, the following statement was submitted by their unit headquarters by 1st Wrapper Indorsement, dated 7 September 1944:

File

AUG 24 1949

SPQYD 293

Hardeman, Glen D.

39 197 606

15 September 1945

Mrs. Winifred K. Hardeman
3024 4th Avenue West
Seattle 99, Washington

Dear Mrs. Hardeman:

Acknowledgement is made of your letter referred to this office regarding burial information regarding your husband, the late Technical Sergeant Glen D Hardeman.

It is regretted to have to advise you that, up to the present time, information pertaining to the burial of the remains of your husband has not been received in this office. An inquiry is being made to ascertain information regarding the remains of all our deceased military personnel where burial information has not been received. Upon completion of this inquiry you will be advised as to the results.

This office extends its deepest sympathy in the loss of your husband.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR L. WARREN
Colonel, QMC
Assistant

CCP

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**IDENTIFICATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION**

IDENTIFICATION DATA

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL <i>HARDEN, GLEN O</i>			ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <i>3919 7606</i>		GRADE <i>T/SGT</i>
HEIGHT <i>5'11 1/2"</i>	WEIGHT <i>172</i>	COLOR EYES <i>BLUE</i>	COLOR HAIR <i>BROWN</i>	SHOE SIZE <i>9D</i>	DATE OF DEATH <i>15 JULY 1945</i>

LAST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (Give complete designation)

755TH Bomb Sq - 450th Bomb Gr

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA

Failed To Return From Mission To Munich, Germany - Presumed Dead 15 July 1945

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

STATION	DATES
<i>P.C. FT LEWIS, WASH.</i>	<i>Dec 29, 1942 - Jan 9, 1943</i>
<i>LA FBTC #8, FRESNO, CALIF.</i>	<i>Jan 9, 1943 - Feb 8, 1943</i>
<i>SIOUX FALLS, S.D.</i>	<i>Feb 8, 1943 - July 15, 1943</i>
<i>KELLY FLD, TEXAS</i>	<i>July 15, 1943 - Aug 14, 1943</i>
<i>11AAF HARLINGEN, TEX.</i>	<i>Aug 14, 1943 - Oct 2, 1943</i>
<i>AA13 SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH</i>	<i>Oct 2, 1943 - Oct 12, 1943</i>
<i>AA13 KEARNS, UTAH</i>	<i>Oct 12, 1943 - Nov 26, 1943</i>
<i>AA13 SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH</i>	<i>Nov 26, 1943 - Dec 24, 1943</i>
<i>PETERSON FLD, COLO.</i>	<i>Dec 24, 1943 - Jan 30, 1944</i>
<i>TOPEKA, KANS.</i>	<i>Jan 30, 1944 - Apr 7, 1944</i>

WD, AGO CLINICAL RECORDS BRANCH
NO RECORDS ON FILE

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS

TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTH MARKS

DENTAL CHART

DEC 29, 1942

8 7 *X* 5 4 3 2 1

UPPER RIGHT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 *X*

UPPER LEFT

16 15 *X* 13 12 11 10 9

LOWER RIGHT

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 *X*

LOWER LEFT

X - EXTRACTED

O - CARIOUS

I - CARIOUS NON-RESTORABLE

RD EMMAN,
Last Name

GLENN
First Name

37197604

Clinical Records Branch

For disposition

The records show medical treatment as follows:

spital	From	To	Register Number
Sioux Falls, S.D.	May 2, 1943	May 17, 1943	16241

Schmitt	9/17/46	DPRE
Clerk	Date	Branch

293 FILE

DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

HARDEMAN, GLEN O

GRADE

T/SGT

PRESENT SERIAL
NUMBER

39197606

ORGANIZATION

755TH BOMB SQ
488TH BOMB GP.

RACE

WHITE

CREED

NO REL.

FORMER SERIAL
NUMBER (If applicable)

DATE OF DEATH/MIA

11 JULY 45

CAUSE OF DEATH

F.O.D.

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA

ON MISSION TO
MUNICH - GERMANY

DATE OF FOD

13 JULY 45

HEIGHT

5'11 1/2"

WEIGHT

172 lbs

COLOR EYES

BLUE

COLOR HAIR

BROWN

SHOE SIZE

7-0

DENTAL CHART

27-6-EC-42

UPPER RIGHT

8 7 ~~X~~ 5 4 3 2 1

UPPER LEFT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 ~~X~~

LOWER RIGHT

16 15 ~~X~~ 13 12 11 10 9

LOWER LEFT

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 ~~X~~

X = Extracted

O = Carious

1 = Carious Non-Restorable

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS

TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

J. E. G. Sullivan
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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

RRE 293.9 (IB)

1948

SUBJECT: Non-recoverable Remains

TO: Non-recoverable Board AGRC

1. It is recommended that the board take action on the following case:

NAMES: GIBSON,	Sam T.	1/Lt	O-795456
HERMAN,	Fred B.	E/O	T-2118
AMON,	Harold E.	2/Lt	O-698859
MARTY,	George B.	T/Sgt	39118992
HARDENMAN,	Glen O.	T/Sgt	39197606
RASMUSSEN,	Stan G.	S/Sgt	36193532
RAIR,	Eugene A.	S/Sgt	33498514
STEELE,	James M.	S/Sgt	37523322
BREWER,	Homer C.	S/Sgt	15065248
MOTT,	Robert D.	S/Sgt	38412820

ORGANIZATION: 458th Bb Gp 755th Bb Sq

PLACE OF DEATH: Information not available

DATE OF DEATH: 11 July 1944

SYNOPSIS OF CASE: The above comprised the entire crew of A/C #41-29300, which, on 11 July 1944, participated on a mission to Munich, Germany. Subject aircraft failed to take its place in formation after climbing through the overcast immediately after take off from its base and was never seen or heard from again. The planned course of flight for this aircraft was over the North Sea. An extensive field investigation conducted from the Channel to the target area, Munich, Germany, failed to reveal a single clue as to the crashpoint of the subject aircraft. In view of the above and the time that has elapsed since the missing fliers have neither been seen nor heard from, it can be concluded that A/C #41-29300 crashed into the sea after take off and all crew members lost as a result.

Reference is made to MACR E- #452.

2. All attached supporting documents are copied from records in file Headquarters, American Graves Registration Command.

3. Every effort has been made to correlate this case with records in this headquarters pertaining to unknowns deceased interred in U S Military cemeteries and reported isolated burials. The results are negative.

4. It is recommended that the remains, based upon the above information and research, be declared non-recoverable.



WALTER B. MORROW
Major, Infantry
Chief Isolated Burials

E X T R A C T
MISSING AIR CREW REPORT NO. G #452

1. ORGANIZATION: Location AAF 123; Command or Air Force 8th
Group AAF 458th; Squadron 755th; Detachment _____
2. SPECIFY: Point of Departure AAF 123; Course 105°
Intended Destination Munich; Type of Mission Combat
3. WEATHER CONDITIONS AND VISIBILITY AT TIME OF CRASH OR WHEN LAST REPORTED _____
4. GIVE: (a) Day 11; Month July; Year 1944; Time none; and
location none of last known whereabouts of missing aircraft.
(b) Specify whether: () Last Sighted; () Last Contacted by Radio;
() Forced Down; () Seen to Crash; or (x) Information not Available.
5. AIRCRAFT WAS LOST, OR IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN LOST, AS A RESULT OF: (Check
only one) () Enemy Aircraft; () Enemy Anti-Aircraft; () Other Circumstances
as follows Unknown
6. AIRCRAFT: Type, Model and Series B-24H; AAF Serial Number 41-29300
Aircraft Nickname _____
7. ENGINES: Type, Model and Series 1830-43; AAF Serial Number (a) CP-307301
(b) CP-302113; (c) CP-307617; (d) CP-306467
8. INSTALLED WEAPONS (Furnish Make, Type and Serial Number):
(a) 952191; (b) 974361; (c) 965624; (d) 963755
(e) 951522; (f) 734074; (g) 973342; (h) 973993
(i) 974534; (j) 974436; (k) _____; (l) _____
9. THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW WERE REPORTED AS: (a) Battle Casualty ?
or (b) Non Battle Casualty _____
10. NUMBER OF PERSONS ABOARD AIRCRAFT: Crew 10; Passengers 0; Total 10
(Starting with pilot, furnish the following particulars: If more than
10 persons were aboard aircraft, list similar particulars on separate
sheet and attach original to this form).

CREW POSITION	NAME IN FULL (Last Name First)		RANK	SERIAL NUMBER	PRESENT STATUS
1. Pilot	GIBSON,	Samuel T.	1st Lt	0-795456	PDD
2. CP	HERMAN,	Fred B.	F/O	T-2118	PDD
3. N	AMON,	Harold E.	2nd Lt	0-698859	PDD
4. B	MARTY,	George B.	T/Sgt	39118992	PDD
5. RO	HARDEMAN,	Glen O.	T/Sgt	39197606	PDD
6. TT	RASMUSSEN,	Stanley G.	S/Sgt	36193532	PDD
7. BT	BAIR,	Eugene A.	S/Sgt	33498514	PDD
8. RW	STEELE,	James M.	S/Sgt	37523322	PDD
9. LW	BREWER,	Homer C.	S/Sgt	15065248	PDD
10. TG	MOTT,	Robert D.	S/Sgt	38412820	PDD

11. REMARKS:

AG 704 - Dead (12 Jul 45)
S. R. & D No. 3470

12 July 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief Casualty Branch

SUBJECT: Review and Determination of Status
under the Missing Persons Act.

I. - FACTS

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Amon, Harold E.	O- 698 859	Second Lieutenant	1
Herman, Fred B.	T- 002 118	Flight Officer	1
Hardeman, Glen O.	39 197 606	Technical Sergeant	1
Marty, George B.	39 118 992	Technical Sergeant	1
Bair, Eugene A.	33 498 514	Staff Sergeant	1
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Rasmussen, Stanley G.	36 193 532	Staff Sergeant	1
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2. The above-named persons were members of the crews of three B-24 type aircraft which were lost on a bombing mission to Munich, Germany, on 11 July 1944. All available information concerning the circumstances of disappearance surrounding the loss of each plane is given in paragraphs 3 to 5 inclusive below.

3. Crew No. 1.

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c. In reply to inquiries from the emergency addresses of Mott, Hardeman, Brewer and Gibson (See AG 201 files) as to the status of each, the following statement was submitted by their unit headquarters by 1st Wrapper Indorsement, dated 7 September 1944:

" * * * and crew went down over enemy territory as a result of enemy action in Aircraft #41-29300 on 11 July 1944 and to this date no additional information has been received * * * "

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"A thorough search has been made of all hospitals now operating within this theater and no record has been found of Flight Officer Fred B. Herman, T-002-118, ever having been hospitalized in this theater."

II. - CONCLUSIONS

1. These officers and enlisted men were members of a crew of a B-24 bomber which took part in a bombing mission to Munich, Germany, on 11 July 1944.

a. Crew No. 1, consisting of ten members, was not seen or heard from after they departed from their base in England. No information is available as to their fate.

III. - RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that findings of death be made in the cases of the officers and enlisted men named in Part I, paragraph 1, above, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Missing Persons Act and that the presumed date of death be shown as 12 July 1945.

Investigator

Captain AGD

CONCURRED IN:

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AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

RAG 300.4

22 Mar 48

SPECIAL ORDERS

NUMBER 33

1. Under the provisions of AR 615-363, 14 May 47 and AR 420-5, the following Board of officers is appointed to meet at Liege, Belgium, or at such other place as the president may designate at the call of the president thereof, for the purpose of considering whether such EM as may be brought before it should be discharged prior to the expiration of their term of service. Proceedings of the Board will be in conformity with AR 420-5. Findings and recommendations will be forwarded to the Commanding General, and entered on ED AGO Form 37.

LT COL	PARK W. BAILEY	0242216	INF
MAJ	DAVID MINS, JR	0228758	FA
MAJ	JOHN W. LONG	0333779	INF
CAPT	THOMAS C. HAYDEN	01584337	QMC
1ST LT	ALVIN C. BECK	01846841	INF
1ST LT	ROBERT VANINA	01786119	MC

2. Par 3 and 4, SO 6, this hq, 14 Jan 48 pertaining to appointment of Board of Review for identification of Unknown Dead (European Area), are rescinded.

3. PAC ltr WD 9 Apr 47, subj "Establishment of Boards for identification of Unknown Dead", the fol off, this hq, are aptd a Board of Review for identification of Unknown Dead (European Area):

LT COL	PATRICK W. GUINEY	019066	QMC
MAJ	GEORGE M VER HULST	A0650035	USAF
MAJ	MARSHALL J. BLACKMON	0277013	INF
CAPT	JACK C. HAYES	01577297	QMC
1ST LT	JOSEPH E McCLUSKEY	01338110	INF

4. PAC ltr WD 9 Apr 47, Subj: "Establishment of Boards for identification of Unknown Dead", the fol off, this hq, are aptd a Board of Review for non-recoverability of remains (European Area):

LT COL	EDWARD D. MULVANTY	0359598	QMC
MAJ	GROSVENOR W. FISH	042932	QMC
MAJ	FRANCIS P SWEENEY	034485	INF
CAPT	OWEN F McCANN	01595680	INF
1ST LT	GEORGE L. FREEMAN	0159551	QMC

5. VOOG 6 Jan 48 auth CAPT GORDON L. ALDERMAN 0479536 CHC to
tv1 fr Second Zone, AGRC, APO 58, Carentan, France, to First Zone, AGRC,
APO 58, Liege, Belgium, by TPA are confirmed, the exigencies of the
service having been such as to prevent the issuance of orders in advance.

AUTH: Sec I, Cir 157, Hq USFET, 23 Oct 46 & Cir 28, Hq EUCOM, 9 May 47.

BY COMMAND OF BRIGADIER GENERAL L. PECKHAM:

OFFICIAL:

CARL W. RAGUSE
Colonel, QMC
Chief of Staff

/s/t/ FRANK FRANCIS
Major, - AGD
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AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

- 2 AUG 1948

Proceedings of a Board of Officers appointed in accordance with letter File AGAO - S 293.3 (27 Mar 47), D-M, War Dept, TAGO, 9 April 1947.

The board convened pursuant to par 4, SO No. 33, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Command, APO 58, U S Army, 22 March 1948, at the Astoria Hotel, Paris, France on - 2 AUG 1948
The purpose of the board was to determine the non-recoverability status of certain casualties now under the jurisdiction of this command.

The board reviewed report of investigation, statements of witnesses and other papers contained in the files of American Graves Registration Command, EA, pertaining to the case of the following named casualty/casualties, the remains of which have not been recovered. The case records and other data considered are attached.

CASE NO.	NAME	ASN	GRADE
6	GIBSON, Sam T.	0-795456	1/Lt
	HERMAN, Fred B.	T-2118	F/O
	AMON, Harold E.	0-698859	2/Lt
	MARTY, George B.	39118992	T/Sgt
	HARDEMAN, Glen O.	39197606	1/Sgt
	RASMUSSEN, Stan G.	36193532	S/Sgt
	BAIR, Eugene A.	33498514	S/Sgt
	STEELE, James M.	37523322	S/Sgt
	BREWER, Homer C.	15065248	S/Sgt
	MOTT, Robert D.	38412820	S/Sgt

FINDINGS: The board having carefully considered the evidence before it, finds the remains of said casualty/casualties are non-recoverable.

RECOMMENDATION: That the case concerning subject casualty/casualties be forwarded to the Office of The Quartermaster General for final approval.

EDWARD D. MULVANY, Lt Col, QMC

GROSVENOR M. FISH, Maj, QMC

FRANCOIS P. STEPHENY, Maj, Inf

JOHN F. MCCANN, Capt, QMC

GEORGE L. FREEMAN, 1st Lt, QMC

RRM Form #27
3 April 1948

MEMORIALIZATION OF NON-RECOVERABLE
REMAINS OF WORLD WAR II

THIS FILE HAS BEEN AUDITED FOR NON-RECOVERABILITY

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

HARDENMAN, GLEN O.

RANK

T 5G

SERIAL NUMBER

39 197 606

ARM OF SERVICE

AAF

DATE OF DEATH

11 July 44

AREA OF DEATH

* North Sea

NAME OF AUDITOR

Lewis

DATE

3 Jan 51

NAME OF REVIEWER

Blanchard

DATE

10 Jan 51

REMARKS

* Subject decedent and nine (9) others lost North Sea enroute to Munich
Germany 11 July 44. Purpose memorialization area death North Sea-Code 68

NON-RECOVERABLE REMAINS REEXAMINATION OF RECORDS

AREA OF DEATH North Sea	CASE NUMBER
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NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) HARDEMAN, Glen O.	RANK T/Sgt.	SERIAL NUMBER 39 197 606
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IN THE COURSE OF THIS REEXAMINATION IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF DEATH WERE SUCH THAT: (Check appropriate box)

☒ THE REMAINS OF THE DECEDENT COULD NOT HAVE BEEN RECOVERED

☐ THE REMAINS OF THE DECEDENT COULD HAVE BEEN RECOVERED. HOWEVER, AFTER REVIEW OF THE FOLLOWING IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT EVIDENCE DOES NOT EXIST TO CONTRADICT A FINDING OF NON-RECOVERABILITY:

1. 293 FILE OF DECEDENT	INITIALS OF ANALYST
2. GEOGRAPHICAL CLUE INDEX FILE OF UNKNOWNNS RECOVERED FROM APPROPRIATE AREA, COMPARED WITH DECEDENT	
3. OTHER DOCUMENTS OR SOURCES	

REMARKS

RECOMMEND APPROVAL		APPROVED	DATE
NAME OF CASE ANALYST <i>[Signature]</i>	CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION	CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>[Signature]</i> E. C. WASSON CAPTAIN, QMG	JAN 3 C 1957

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NON-RECOVERABLE REMAINS REEXAMINATION OF RECORDS

Area of Death <i>North Sea</i>		Case Number
Name (Last, First, Middle Initial) HARDEMAN, Glen O.	Rank T/Sgt.	Serial Number 39 197 606

In the course of this reexamination it has been determined that the circumstances of death were such that: (Check appropriate box)

- ☒ The remains of the decedent could not have been recovered
- ☐ The remains of the decedent could have been recovered. However, after review of the following it has been determined that evidence does not exist to contradict a finding of non-recoverability:

	INITIALS OF ANALYST
1. 293 File of Decedent	
2. Geographical clue index file knowns recovered from appropriate area, compared with decedent	
3. Other documents or sources	

Remarks

RECOMMEND APPROVAL		APPROVED	Date
Name of Case Analyst <i>Crater</i>	Case Reviewer, Final Determination Section	Chief, Final Determination Section <i>Robert G. Lay</i> ROBERT G. LAY	NOV 24 1950

AG 704 DEAD (13 Jul 49)

13 July 1949

MEMORANDUM TO: Officer in Charge, Casualty Section
Personnel Actions Branch, AGO

SUBJECT: Reports of Death

1. The following-named personnel of the Air Corps were reported missing in action on 11 July 1944, while in flying pay status, by ETO Shipment No. 132, and, under the provisions of Section 5, Public Law 490, 7 March 1942, as amended, a Finding of Death was made in their cases (SR&D 3470), showing the presumed date of death as 12 July 1945:

1st Lt	Samuel T. Gibson	0795456	Pilot
Flt O	Fred B. Herman	T002118	Co-pilot.
2d Lt	Harold B. Amon	0698859	Navigator
T Sgt	George B. Marty	39118992	Bombardier
T Sgt	Glen O. Hardeman	39197606	Radio Opr
S Sgt	Stanley G. Rasmussen	36193532	Top Turret Gnr
S Sgt	Eugene A. Bair	33498514	Ball Turret Gnr
S Sgt	James M. Steele	37523322	Right Waist Gnr
S Sgt	Homer C. Brewer	15065248	Left Waist Gnr
S Sgt	Robert D. Mott	38412820	Tail Gnr

2. Missing Air Crew Report No. 6927, submitted by 755th Bombardment Squadron, 458th Bombardment Group, reported that the three officers and seven enlisted men, listed above, were the complete crew of a B-24H (Liberator) type aircraft, AAF Serial No. 41-29300, which was on a combat mission on 11 July 1944, to Munich, Germany, when the craft disappeared completely. This crew departed from AAF Station No. 123 (Horsham, St Faith, Norfolk, England) and were never heard from again.

On 19 April 1945 a request for any additional information was sent to the Commanding General, USF, European Theater of Operations. The following negative report was furnished:

"No additional information has ever been obtained regarding disappearance of crew listed in basic communication. No eye witness accounts could be obtained from interrogation of other crews flying on same mission."

Captured German records have been carefully searched, but these records do not contain any information regarding the subject craft or its crew.

3. A copy of a report made by a Board of Officers, American Graves Registration Command, European Theater Area, which convened on 2 August

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Capt., QMC
Identification Branch

1948, has been received, recommending that the remains of the subject officers and enlisted men named in paragraph 1 were non-recoverable. The recommendation was approved by the Office of The Quartermaster General. The following pertinent facts have been extracted from this report:

"3. Every effort has been made to correlate this case with records in this headquarters pertaining to unknowns deceased interred in U S Military cemeteries and reported isolated burials. The results are negative."

4. On 11 July 1944, a B-24H with a crew of ten members departed from Horsham, St Faith, Norfolk, England on a combat mission to Munich, Germany. The plane did not join the formation and was never seen nor heard from after it left the base, which was less than twenty miles from the coast of the North Sea. The course of flight for the mission would have carried the crew over the North Sea. An extensive field investigation was conducted from England to the target area, Munich, Germany, but no trace was found of either the plane or the members of the crew. The Germans recorded the downing of any allied planes and listed the names of the crew members, when available. A thorough search of these captured German records has been made, but no record was found of the subject craft, or the names of any of the members of the crew. The plane did not crash in England. Therefore, the plane must have either crashed or landed in the North Sea. The North Sea, over which the plane would have flown on this mission, is quite rough with strong currents; the water is also quite cold throughout the year. Therefore, while no details of the actual crash of the plane are available, the known facts lead to no other logical conclusion than that it went down with its entire crew into the North Sea. Search could not be conducted for the crew, since the approximate area where they were lost was unknown. Even if any of the crew members had time to bail out of the craft or were thrown clear, they could not have survived any length of time in the very rough, cold waters and strong currents prevailing on this route. In view of the foregoing facts together with the fact that the crew were not rescued by the allied forces, and there was no record of their rescue or capture by the Germans, the only logical conclusion which can be reached is that the entire crew of the subject plane perished when their plane crashed in the North Sea on 11 July 1944.

5. It is recommended, therefore, that pursuant to the provisions of Section 9, Missing Persons Act, the foregoing information be accepted as an official report of death, and that a casualty report be initiated stating that the officers and enlisted men named in paragraph 1 above, were killed in action when their plane crashed in the North Sea on 11 July 1944; and that

they were in flying pay status at the time of their death. The systemat will be processed in accordance with Paragraph 2b, Operations Bulletin 35, 1945. The casualty report and official report of death will include the following statement:

Finding of Death has been issued previously under Section 5, Public Law 490, 7 March 1942, as amended, showing presumed date of death as 12 July 1945. This "Report of Death" is issued in accordance with Section 9 of said Act and its effect on prior payments and settlements is as provided in Section 9.

Station and place of death: European Theater

Flora T. Lewis
FLORA T. LEWIS
Investigator

CONCUR:

E. J. Colium
E. J. COLIUM
Major, AGD
OIC, Determination Unit

APPROVED: Recommended action will be taken

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

Sylvio L. Bousquin
SYLVIO L. BOUSQUIN
Lt Col, AGD
OIC, Casualty Section
Personnel Actions Branch, AGC

Copy Furnished: Central Files
AG 201 and OQMG 293 file of each individual
named in par 1.

Source material obtained as a result of this investigation is filed in the AG 201 file of 1st Lt Samuel T. Gibson, 0795456, unless otherwise indicated.

QMCMF 293
Hardeman, Glen O.
SN 39 197 606

15 June 1949

Mrs. Winifred K. Hardeman
3024 4th Avenue, West
Seattle, Washington

Dear Mrs. Hardeman:

Almost four years have elapsed since the cessation of hostilities of World War II, which cost the life of your husband, the late Technical Sergeant Glen O. Hardeman.

The unfortunate circumstances surrounding the death of your husband have been thoroughly reviewed and, based upon information presently available, the Department of the Army has been forced to determine that his remains are not recoverable. I wish to assure you that, should any additional evidence come to our attention indicating that his remains are in our possession, you will be informed immediately.

Realizing the extent of your grief and anxiety, it is not easy to express condolence to you who gave your loved one under circumstances so difficult that there is no grave at which to pay homage. May the knowledge of your husband's honorable service to his country be a source of sustaining comfort to you.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES F. SMITH
Major, QMC
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.

MISS

MRS. Winifred A. Hardeman

RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS (Street, City, State)

3024 4th Avenue, West
Seattle, Wash.

PARAGRAPHS
(Sequence)

ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS

110A

110B

110C

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle)
Hardeman, Glen O.

GRADE

1/5 ft

SERIAL NUMBER

39 197 606

ANALYST INITIALS AND DATE

8-10-49

TYPIST INITIALS

REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE

**NON-RECOVERABLE CASE
RECORD OF REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

C/ NUMBER
6286 (10)

AREA OR ZONE(S)
EUROPEAN

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) HARDEMAN, Glen O.	RANK T/Sgt.	SERIAL NUMBER 39 197 606
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THE ATTACHED PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND THE FINDINGS OF NON-RECOVERABILITY OF THE REMAINS OF THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUAL(S) ARE APPROVED. (Corrections in name, rank, and/or serial number have been effected when appropriate.)

GIBSON, Samuel T.	1/Lt.	O- 795 456
HERMAN, Fred B.	F/O	T- 002 118
AMON, Harold E.	2/Lt.	O- 698 859
MARTY, George B.	T/Sgt.	39 118 992
HARDEMAN, Glen O.	T/Sgt.	39 197 606
RASMUSSEN, Stanley G.	S/Sgt.	36 193 532
BAIR, Eugene A.	S/Sgt.	33 498 514
STEELE, James M.	S/Sgt.	37 523 322
BREWER, Homer C.	S/Sgt.	15 065 248
MOTT, Robert D.	S/Sgt.	38 412 820

IN THE COURSE OF THIS REVIEW THE FOLLOWING SOURCES OF INFORMATION HAVE BEEN EXAMINED FOR ADDITIONAL CLUES. COPIES OF ANY DOCUMENTS BELIEVED MATERIAL TO THE CASE ARE ATTACHED FOLLOWING THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW.

	INITIALS OF ANALYST	ALPHABETICAL INDEX OF "BELIEVED TO BE" AND TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED UNKNOWNNS	INITIALS OF ANALYST
1. 293 FILE OF SUBJECT(S) DECEASED	<i>Sh</i>	4.	<i>Sh</i>
(CROSS OUT THOSE NOT APPLICABLE) 2. a. REPORT OF DEATH b. FINDING OF DEATH c. STATUS REVIEW & DETERMINATION	<i>Sh</i>	5. ALPHABETICAL FILE OF FORMER UNKNOWNNS NOW IDENTIFIED	<i>Sh</i>
3. A - Z FILE OF KNOWN INTERMENTS IN U.S. MILITARY CEMETERIES, ISOLATED LOCATIONS, AND SEA BURIALS	<i>Sh</i>	6. OTHER DOCUMENTS OR SOURCES OF INFORMATION ENUMERATED BELOW	<i>Sh</i>

- a. Geographical clue index file of unknownns from pertinent area.
- b. Missing Air Crew Report.

THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES HAVE BEEN FOUND TO BE SUBSTANTIALLY AS PRESENTED IN THE ATTACHED PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW, WITH THE FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONS:

None

NAME OF CASE ANALYST
GLADYCE BROOKS

CASE TO BE FORWARDED TO **Repatriation Branch, Correspondence Sec.**
FOR CONSIDERATION OF NOTIFICATION TO INTERESTED PARTIES.

RECOMMEND APPROVAL		APPROVED
CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>A.J. Craten</i> A.J. CRATEN	CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>G.W. Rogers</i> by G.W. ROGERS, Capt QMC	CHIEF, IDENTIFICATION BRANCH <i>T.H. Metz</i> T.H. METZ, Lt Col QMC

DATE
6 June 49