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*INDIVIDUAL DECEASED
PERSONNEL FILE*

wheeler, Jack

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NON-RECOVERABLE REMAINS REEXAMINATION OF RECORDS

AREA OF DEATH France		CASE NUMBER
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) Wheeler, Jack R.	RANK Pfc	SERIAL NUMBER 34475431
IN THE COURSE OF THIS REEXAMINATION IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF DEATH WERE SUCH THAT: (Check appropriate box)		
<input type="checkbox"/> THE REMAINS OF THE DECEDENT COULD NOT HAVE BEEN RECOVERED		
<input type="checkbox"/> 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 OF UNKNOWNNS RECOVERED FROM APPROPRIATE AREA, COMPARED WITH DECEDENT		
3. OTHER DOCUMENTS OR SOURCES		

REMARKS

Buried at Sea

RECOMMEND APPROVAL		APPROVED	DATE
NAME OF CASE ANALYST <i>Carleton</i>	CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION	CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>[Signature]</i> HENRY A. EDWARDS 1st Lt. ONE	MAY 23 1951

MEMORIALIZATION OF NON-RECOVERABLE
REMAINS OF WORLD WAR II

THIS FILE HAS BEEN AUDITED FOR NON-RECOVERABILITY

NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE)

WHEELER, JACK R.

RANK

SERIAL NUMBER

PFC

34475431

ARM OF SERVICE

ARMY

DATE OF DEATH

AREA OF DEATH

7 JULY '44

FRANCE

49° 32' 55" N.
1° 3' 25" W.

NAME OF AUDITOR

DATE

MAPLES

10 MAY '51

NAME OF REVIEWER

DATE

J BROOKS 11 MAY 51

REMARKS

**IDENTIFICATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION**

IDENTIFICATION DATA

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL <i>Wheeler Jack R</i>			ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <i>34475431</i>		GRADE <i>P7C</i>
HEIGHT <i>68 inches</i>	WEIGHT <i>129 lbs</i>	COLOR EYES <i>Blue</i>	COLOR HAIR <i>Black</i>	SHOE SIZE <i>7 1/2 D</i>	DATE OF DEATH <i>7 July 44</i>

LAST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (Give complete designation)
Co. G. 508th Pcht Inf.

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA
In France

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

STATION	DATES
<i>Camp Shelby, Miss</i>	<i>29 Oct 42 to 17 Nov 42</i>
<i>Camp Blandine, Fla.</i>	<i>Nov 21/42 to 31 Mar 43</i>
<i>Camp Mocked, N.C.</i>	<i>1 Apr 43 to 28 Dec 43</i>

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS
not shown

TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTH MARKS
not shown

DENTAL CHART *29 Oct 42 Camp Shelby Miss*

① ⑦ ⑥ ① ① ③ ② ① UPPER RIGHT	① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ⑥ ⑦ ⑧ UPPER LEFT
⑩ ⑨ ⑧ ⑬ ⑫ ⑪ ⑩ ⑨ ⑧ LOWER RIGHT	⑨ ⑩ ⑪ ⑫ ⑬ ⑭ ⑮ ⑯ LOWER LEFT

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

MEMORIAL DIVISION
REPATRIATION BRANCH
RECORDS SECTION

SUBJECT DECEDENT DECLARED AUTHENTIC
SEA BURIAL FROM INFORMATION LISTED BELOW

A.

"BOTH REQUIRED"

1.

NAME

ASN

RANK

WR WHEELER, JACK R *2A*
34 475 431
PLC

2.

TYPE OF SHIP (CHECK)

(a) Army Transport -----

(b) Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard Vessels -----

(c) American Merchant Marine Vessels ~~U.S.S. FRANKFORD~~

(d) Allied Vessels -----

B.

"ONE REQUIRED"

1.

Ship - Name and Nationality U.S.S. FRANKFORD (AMERICAN)

2.

Date of Burial 7 JULY 1944

3.

Longitude and Latitude - (Specific) 61°-03'-25" W
49°-32'-55" N

4.

General Approximate Geographical Position EUROPEAN AREA

Snedigar (cmm)
DAROLD B. SNEDIGAR
Captain, OMC.

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16 Aug 49
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R*

SPQYG 293
Wheeler, Jack R.
14475431

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attn: Memorial Division

28 December 1945

Mr. A. D. Wheeler Jr.
Coldwater, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Wheeler:

The War Department is now taking steps to furnish regulation burial flags in memory of military personnel whose remains have not been recovered and for those who were buried at sea.

As the official records of this office show that the remains of your son, the late Private First Class Jack R. Wheeler were buried at sea, there is inclosed an application form for the flag, if you so desire it. Upon receipt of the signed application the flag will be issued to the legal next of kin. For your convenience there is also inclosed an envelope which requires no postage for the return of the application to this office.

May our country's flag be an everlasting symbol that these heroic men did not die in vain.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

GRAVE REGISTRATION DIVISION

DEC 29 1945
MEMORIAL DIVISION

2 Encls
Flag Application
Envelope

PLK
JRE

[Handwritten signature]

SF. IG 293
Wheeler, Jack R.
34 475 431

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26 December 1945

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FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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2 Incls
Flag Application
Envelope

JAMES L. FRENCH
Major, QMC
Assistant

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jrb

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REPORT OF BURIAL

37000
23 August 1944

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TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

Date

Wheeler, Jack Raymon ~~Unc~~ PFC 34 475 431
Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.

Unknown Unknown Unknown
Unit Organization

Base de la Seine, France. Unknown Unknown
Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death

1830 27 July 1944 Buried at Sea, Bay of Seine, France. 01° 03' 25" W
Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location

XX XX XX
Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

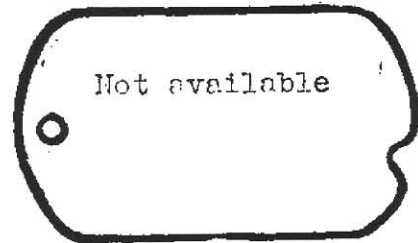
Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes No Attached to Marker Yes No No marker
Unknown

If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified? Identified and buried at sea by Naval personnel of U. S. S. Frankford ~~per correspondence attached~~ ~~file xxx-001971-002, 7 July 1944.~~
Identified by soldier's individual pay record, and other identifying papers found on the body.
What means of identification were buried with the body? Unknown

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

Who is buried on:
Deceased's Right: XX XX XX XX XX
Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.
Deceased's Left: XX XX XX XX XX
Name Serial No. Rank Organization 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 Unknown Name
Address
Religion Unknown

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

AUG 17 1944

Effects delivered to, The Commanding Officer, U. S. Naval Amphibious Supply Base, Exter, England

These forms prepared by Graves Registration & Effects Div., OCQM, Hq., ETOUSA, from correspondence received.

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

Philip J. Wolf

Verified by G.R.S. Officer PHILIP J. WOLF
Captain Q.M.C.

HQ. SOS. 20.3.44. 150M/B/23715
mel. #13

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 7 Oct 1944
RD/EO/4624

FULL NAME <u>293 Wheeler, Jack R.</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <u>34 475 431</u>	GRADE <u>Pfc.</u>			
HOME ADDRESS <u>Goldwater, Miss.</u>		ARM OR SERVICE <u>Inf.</u>	DATE OF BIRTH <u>12 Jan 22</u>			
PLACE OF DEATH <u>European Area</u>	CAUSE OF DEATH <u>wounds rec'd in action</u>		DATE OF DEATH <u>7 Jul 44</u>			
STATION OF DECEASED <u>European Area</u>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <u>29 Oct 42</u>	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS			
EMERGENCY ADDRESSES (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mr. A. D. Wheeler Jr., father, Goldwater, Miss.</u>						
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Anna O. Wheeler, mother, same as above</u> <u>Mr. A. D. Wheeler, Jr., father, same as above</u>						
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

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

On Parachute Pay

COPIES FURNISHED:		
<input type="checkbox"/> S. G. O.	<input type="checkbox"/> F. B. I.	<input type="checkbox"/> F. O. U. S. A.
<input type="checkbox"/> S. O. G. H. C.	<input type="checkbox"/> O. F. D.	<input type="checkbox"/> ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
<input type="checkbox"/> S. A. C.	<input type="checkbox"/> VET. ADMIN.	<input type="checkbox"/> CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		<input type="checkbox"/> A. G. 301 FILE

BATTLE
 NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR


ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

258154

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 7 Oct 1944
M/D/Y

FULL NAME Wheeler, Jack R.			ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 34 475 431		GRADE Pfc.								
HOME ADDRESS Coldwater, Miss.			ARM OR SERVICE Inf.		DATE OF BIRTH 12 Jan 22								
PLACE OF DEATH European Area			CAUSE OF DEATH wounds rec'd in action		DATE OF DEATH 7 Jul 44								
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YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

On Parachute Pay

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S. G. O. M. S.	O. P. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
S. A. C.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		A. G. 201 FILE

BATTLE
 NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

[Signature]

ADJUTANT GENERAL

Case No. 258,154

SPQDK 201

JRM:ME:hl
31 March 1945

SUBJECT: Disposal of Pay Records

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

Transmitted herewith for disposal by personnel officers concerned, in accordance with par. 1(d)(2), AR 345-125 C19, W.D., A.G.O. Forms No. 28, (Soldier's Individual Pay Record) of:

Evanoff, Bill M.	37477582	Pfc.	Unknown
VanWald, Arthur E.	15354444	Pvt.	Unknown
Vuich, Jr., Nick	33438227	Pfc.	Unknown
Waddle, Robert T.	20733366	S/Sgt.	Air Corps
Warden, Bruce W.	14078064	S/Sgt.	Air Corps
Wheeler, Jack R.	34475431	Pfc.	Infantry
White, Thomas L.	32550295	S/Sgt.	Air Corps
Wilkes, Olson W.	6926924	Sgt.	Unknown
Young, Jr., Robert L.	13079698	A/C	Air Corps
Zeigler, Orville W.	38508369	Pvt.	Unknown

For the Effects Quartermaster:

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

10 Incls—W.D., A.G.O. Forms No. 28

File



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

IN REPLY REFER TO: 253154

JRM:PC:ms
February 14, 1945

Mr. A. D. Wheeler, Jr.
Coldwater, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Wheeler:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your son, Private First Class Jack R. Wheeler.

These effects are being forwarded to you in one package.

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 soldier's legal residence.

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

Yours very truly,

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

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: **Mr. A. D. Wheeler, Jr.**
Coldwater, Mississippi

Effects of:
Name **Pfc. Jack R. Wheeler**
MOS **34475431**
Grade No. **258,154 D**
Pt.

AP. 64

DATE **9 February 1945**

A
FOR: **Effects Quartermaster**

REMARKS:

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

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

ROUTING:

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

REMARKS:

1 pkg

Franked **FRANKED**
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. 1
No. of Packages 1

FEB 10

AD

Shipping Clerk

FEB 10 1945

REGISTER OF DENTAL PATIENTS AT

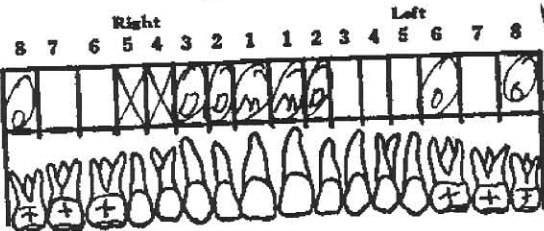
3447547

(1) SURNAME		(2) CHRISTIAN NAME	
(3) RANK		(4) COMPANY	
(5) REGIMENT OR STAFF CORPS		(6) SERVICE YEARS	
(7) AGE, YEARS	(8) RACE	(9) NATIVITY	(10) SERVICE YEARS
20	W	W	3/2
(11) DISEASE OR INJURY WITH LOCATION, COMPLICATIONS, SEQUELAE, ETC.			(12) DATES AND NATURE OF TREATMENTS AND OPERATIONS
(13) RESULTS AND REMARKS			

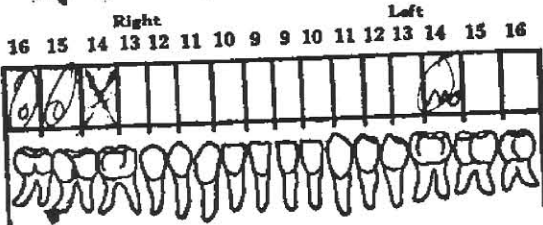
Dental Corps, U. S. A.

*REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY

UPPER TEETH



LOWER TEETH



CLASS II

Occlusion N; Calculus: Slight, Medium, Heavy

Periodontoclasia _____

Dental foci suspected: Yes No

Other conditions _____

almost an end-to-end anterior bite

Date 1-29-43, 19__

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

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

Teeth replaced by denture
(horizontal line)



Teeth replaced by fixed bridge
(oval to include abutments)



25290

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

TALLY NUMBER	6515	INVENTORY DATE	30 Jan 1945	CASE NUMBER	258,154
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EFFECTS OF	JACK R. WHEELER	RANK	P. 7.0
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A.S.N.	34475431	ORGANIZATION	unknown
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PACKAGES DESCRIPTION #1 Package

CLOTHING	PERSONAL ITEMS	CONTAINERS
BELT	BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION	BAGS, CLOTH
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BRUSHES	BAGS, TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	CANERAS	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY) etc.
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
		SHORT SHORTER
		SOUVENIRS
		SOUVENIR MONEY
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT) 0.50

REMARKS: ATTACHMENTS: FORM #54 FORM #100

Mr A. Wheeler Jr
Gen Del
Coldwater Miss

* moldy.
C.A.T. none

WAREHOUSE SPACE	993	STORED BY	RW	WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
INVENTORIED BY	Gill	DATE SHIPPED	DEC 1945	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
PACKED BY	Bushness	CHECKED BY	Co	DIARY REMOVED	LOCKED STORAGE
				LAUNDRY REMOVED	FILM REMOVED

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

JRM:AP:cb
Case No. 254,154
Date 9 February 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

Jack R. Wheeler, 34475431 late a
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)
Private First Class, Infantry who died
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)
on the 7 day of July, 19 44, at European Area.

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

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

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

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

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

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

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 8 February 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters, KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of A. D. Wheeler, Jr. for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, A.D. Wheeler, Jr. of
(Name of person found entitled)
_____, Coldwater State of
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)
Mississippi, is the father of the
(Relationship or Capacity)

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

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

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

NAME

WHEELER, JACK RAYMOND 34475431

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
20	58	471	6515

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED
PKG		

Est. QM Form 43