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PVT Howard J. Smith

ID: 20107433

Branch of Service: U.S. Army

Hometown: Hampden County, MA

Status: KIA



ANY
 MORNING REPORT ENDING 2400 16 June 1944
 Camp March Base
 STATION Leicester, Leicestershire, England
 ORGANIZATION Co "G" 325th Glider Infantry Inf.

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
0107433	Smith, Howard J.	Pvt.	
5101227	Dicken, Mill S.	PFC	
6285463	Johnson, Melvin L.	Pvt.	
5290711	Miller, Claude H.	PFC	
6871903	Vettraino, Benedetto	Pvt.	
6326883	Hahn, Alexander	PFC	
5112356	Wood, Glen W.	PFC	
5044599	Austerman, Byron H.	T Sgt	
3315604	D'Ambrosia, Louis C.	Pvt.	
1309997	Wason, Donald B.	2d Lt	

Above 1 D and 23 Eddy to seriously wounded in action to abs sk, hosp unknown, 9 June 1944.

RECORD OF EVENTS

8 June 1944. In defense rear Chef du Font, France. weather fair.

9 June 1944. Left assembly area 0800, crossed causeway 1030, cleared road junction and set up defense. Pushed back by counter-attack, reinforced by 507th Precht Inf and took area back. weather clear.

OFFICER/STRENGTH	FLY O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLY O	
	PRESENT	ASST	PRESENT	ASST	PRESENT	ASST	PRESENT	ASST	PRESENT	ASST
		1	1	1	1	1				
TOTAL	1		1	1	1	1				

OFFICER/STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ASSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY	ASSENT	PRESENT AND ASSENT
			113		37	150
			3		1	4
TOTAL			116		38	154

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR DAY OF WEEK:	DAY OF WEEK:	NUMBER:
MEASUREMENTS FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT:	TOTAL:	AVERAGE:
BREAKFAST: DINNER: SUPPER:		
MEN AUTHORIZED TO:	MEN ATTACHED FOR RATIONS:	
MEN SEPARATELY:	MEN ATTACHED TO OTHER:	
MEN ATTACHED TO OTHER:	MEN ATTACHED TO OTHER:	
MEN PRESENT: 116	MEN ATTACHED TO OTHER: 116	TOTAL: 118

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I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND THAT THE DATA IS CORRECT AND COMPLETE AS REPORTED TO ME.

W. M. HALL, JR., Capt., 325th Glider Inf.

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Information from the Hospital Admission Cards created 1/20/2015
by the office of the Surgeon General, Department
of the Army (1944-1945).
Information for the year 1945

Service Number	20107433
Sample Size	
Rank	Enlisted Man (includes Aviation Ca
Age	27 27
Race	White (includes Mexican)
Length of Service	Unknown
Arm of Service	Infantry, General or Unspecified
AAF Status	Neither assigned nor attached to AAF (includes all unassigned, ;
Admission Station	
Month of Admission	January
Year of Admission	1945
Last Treatment Facility	Not in Medical Installation Prior to Death
Special Class of Case	None
Type of Case	Casualty, battle
Type of Admission	New, not EPTS
1st Diagnosis	Wound(s), character not stated (includes Wound(s), multiple, Not Elsewhere Classified; Wound(s) unqualified) with no nerve or artery involvement
1st Anatomical Location	Head, generally
1st Operation	
2nd Diagnosis	
2nd Anatomical Location	
2nd Operation	
3rd Diagnosis	
Causative Agent	Artillery Shell, Fragments, Afoot or unspecified
Circumstances Surroundin	All battle casualties, and all battle injuries not intentionally inflicted by self or another person
Final Result	
Total Days (non-effective)	
Hospital Days	
Overseas Days	
Type of Discharge	Died
Field of Cause of Disposit	First Diagnosis field
Month of Disposition	January
Year of Disposition	1945

Source: This information was obtained from the Hospital Admission Card data file (1944-1945) created by the Office of the Surgeon General Department of the Army. In 1970 the National Research Council first compiled this for statistical purposes using the EMTs (Emergency Medical Tags) and other Office of the Surgeon General Office Records during WWII.



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WORLD WAR II

FEBRUARY 20 1918
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