

COMPANY MORNING REPORT 2400 27 Jun STATION Wollaton Park, Nottinghamshire, England ORGANIZATION Hq Co 1st Bn 508th P rcht Inf Inf 100 ter 1700 SERIAL NUMBER NAME GRADE CODE fr dy to killed in action as of 7 Jun 44. 0-19939 | Batcheller, Herbert F: | Lt Col To correct remark of 19 Jun 44 which reads Fr dy to killed in action as of 12 Jun 44 should read Fr dy to killed in action as of 7 Jun 44. 6972854 Roberts, Harold E. S/Sgt 11097685 Nadeau, Joseph G. C. Pfc 15525287 | Tomory, Albert D. Pvt 38509136 Woods, P orter F. Pvt 53403116 Baysinger, Sylvester J. 17/5 16112026 Wininger, Donald W. Pvt 20231227 Jahn, Robert F. Pvt 34395364 Hyatt, Morris R. Pfc 38280202 Johnson, Clifford E. Pfc Above 9 EM fr dy to killed in action as of 6 Jun 44. 18126727 Trevino, Candelario J. Pvt Fr dy to Killed in action as of 7 Jun 44. FLD O & CAPT IST LT 20 LT OFFICER WO STRENGTH PRES | ABS'T PRES | ABS'T PRES | ABS'T PRES | ABS'T ASGO ATCHD FR. TOTAL AVR CADET AVIATION CADETS ENLISTED MEN MUUM STRENGTH ABSENT PRESENT --ABS ASSENT ENSTA MASS ATCHD FR TOTAL ESTIMATED NUMBER OF DAY C DAY OF WEEK MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT AVERAGE SUPPER MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY MEN ATCHD TO OTHER. ORGN FOR RATIONS MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS NET TOTAL MESSED PRESENT OF_ 3 PAGES I CENTURY THAT THUS BOWNING REPORT IS COURSED AND THAT BATT PROBES IN PART IS REPORTED TO BE ACTION COURT AS REPORTED TO B .G.A. POEE 2 MAY L. 1840 WD COPY THRU MRY OR SCU ----

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

Service Number 15323287

Rank Enlisted Man

Arm of Service Infantry, Parachute Troops

Age

Race White

Length of Service

Month of Admission June

Year of Admission 1944

Last Treatment Facility Not in a medical installation prior to death

Circumstances Surrounding Injury Battle casualty or battle injury other than; self-inflicted injury or injury intentionally; inflicted by another person.

Type of Case Casualty, battle

Type of Admission New

Type of Diagnosis Sole diagnosis, no history of prior disease, injury; or battle casualty

Line of Duty In line of duty

1st Diagnosis Drowning

1st Anatomical Location

1st Operation

2nd Diagnosis Killed in action

2nd Anatomical Location

2nd Operation

3rd Diagnosis

Causative Agent None or Unknown

Final Result Aid Station Unit

Disposition

Cause of Disposition First diagnosis field

Month of Disposition June
Year of Disposition 1944

Total Days (non-effective)

Hospital Days

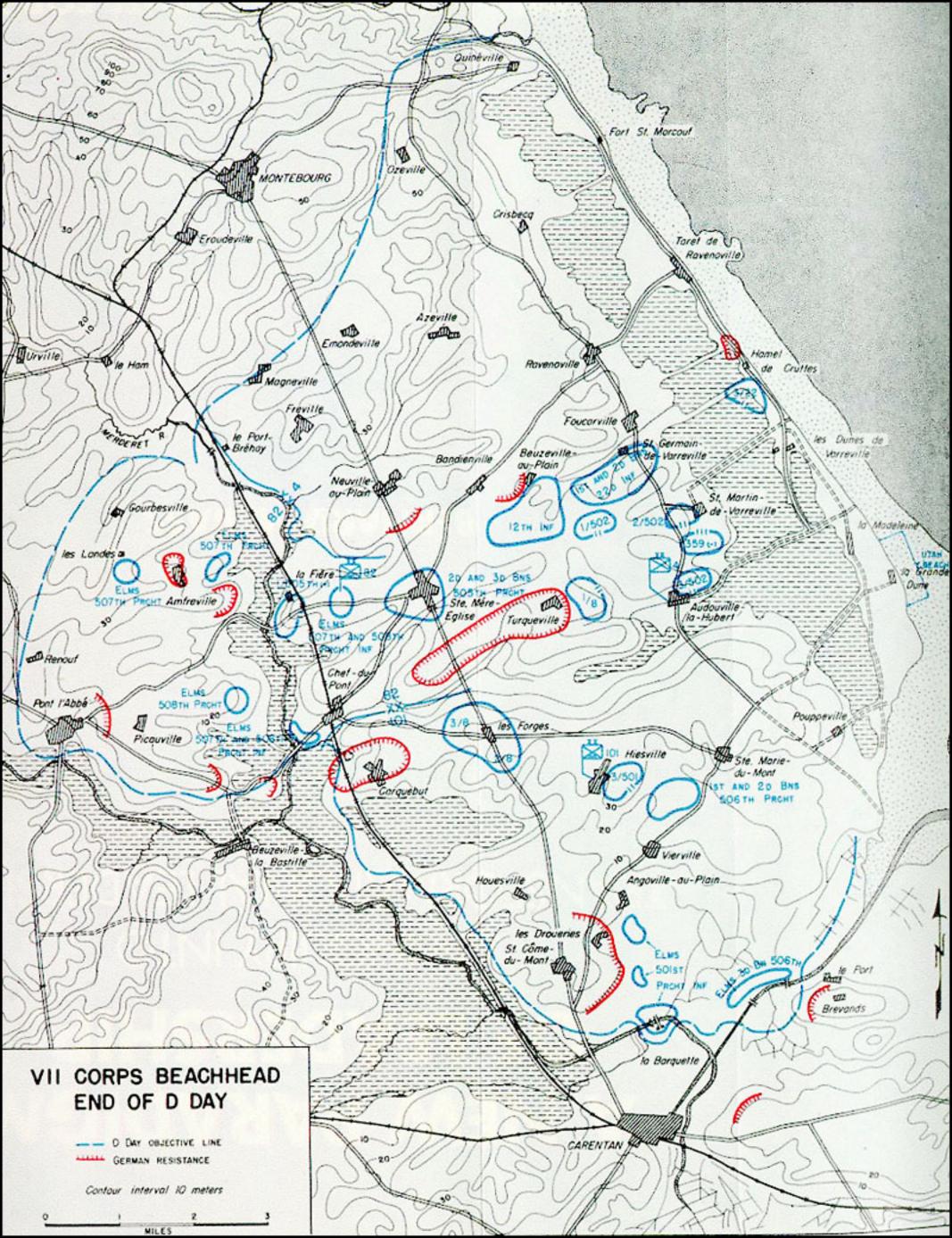
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Place of Final Cure

Sample Size Remaining 1944 case

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.

COMPANY ENDING 16 Jun MORNING REPORT ıştir) STATION Wollaton Park Nottinghamshire England ORGANIZATION Hq Co 1st Bn 508th Preht Inf Inf SERIAL NUMBER NAME GRADE CODE Wilson, Earl T. 11100763 Pfc Williamson, John H. 15325312 Tec 4 Labate, Augustus D. 32100578 The above named three EM fr Dy to Killed in Action as of 6 Jun 1944. RECORD OF EVENTS 5 Jun 14 Took off fr Folkingham Air Base Eng. at 1345 hr to make combat jump in vicinity of Montessy, France. o Jun his Made combat jump at U220 hr in vicinity of Montessy. France. Co. scattered. 8 Jun 44 Co. was scattered in groups. Defended ground & harassed enemy. 9 Jun lili No change. Casualties M killed. FLD O & CAPT IST LT 2D LT OFFICER STRENGTH PRES ABS'T PRES ABS'T PRES ABS'T PRES ABS'T PRES ABS'T 1 2 ASGD ATCHD FR 2 5 TOTAL. AYN CADET AVIATION CADETS PRESENT PRESENT PRESENT ABSENT STRENGTH FRESENT BOT FOR DE 160 160 ATCHD UNASED 8 8 168 168 TOTAL ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NUMLER RATIONS REQUIRED FOR DATE MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT T EREAKFAST 168 DINNER 168 SUPPER 168 504 MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS MEN ATCHD FOR RATIO NIII O & OTHERS 15 NET TOTAL PRESENT : 168 LESS 168 PLUS 15 PAGES I CEPTIFY THAT THIS BORNING REPORT IS CORRECT AND THAT PATION FIGURES IN PART II REPORTER AN ACTUAL COURT AS REPORTED TO ME pacition DEEPH A, HARTSOUGH 24 JA In In In





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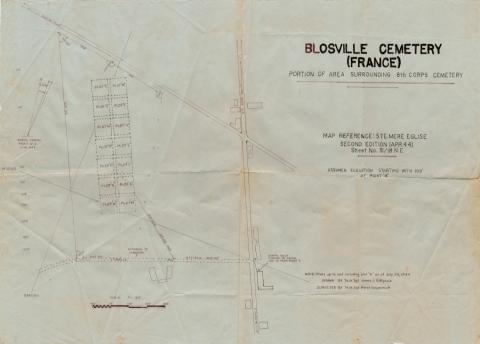


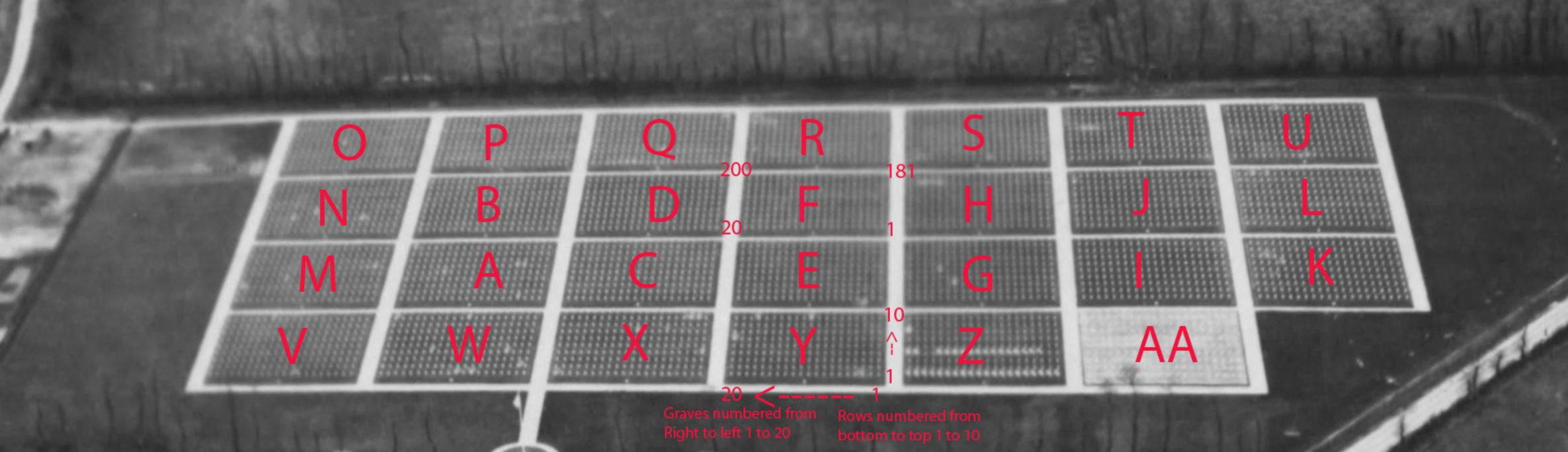
In the upper photo if you look at the corner where the two tents are pitched, you'll see trees on both corners of the angle. The only spot in the Blosville field where the cemetery was started where this occurs is where the X is located. The upper photo is from the S2nd AB Museum at Brage_Dave Berry provided the lower photo.

The view in the lower photo is from the SW looking NE. The highway to St. Mere Eglise is in the middle of the photo. The upper photo was taken from the SE looking NW. Judging by the shadows it appears to be mid-day.









War Theatre #12 (France) - CEMETERIES

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Unit, Notification Sect., Personal Affairs Br.
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United States Military Cemetery near Blosville, France.



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HEADQUARTERS 607TH QM GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMANY APO 230 U S Army

15 July 1944

OPERATIONS REPORT 607TH OM GRAVES REGISTRATION COMPANY

- 15 April 44 In compliance with First U. S. Army Orders, Company Headquarters and Fourth Platoon to Knowle Camp, Bristol, England; Second Platoon to Fifth Engineer Special Brigade, Swansea, Wales; First Platoon to First Engineer Special Brigade, Truro, England; Third Platoon to Sixth Engineer Special Brigade, Paignton, England.
- 28 April 44 First Platoon suffered heavy casualties while engaged in problem with First ESB. Six (6) EM killed, 1 Officer and nine (9) EM missing.
- 10 May 44 In compliance with First U. S. Army orders, 4th Platoon replaced First Platoon with First ESB at St. Austell. First Platoon to Knowle Camp, Bristol, for replacements and training.
- 6 June 44 Third Platoon with Sixth ESB landed at 1530 on Easy Red Beach, near St. Laurent Sur Mer, Normandy and began collection of bodies.
- 7 June 44 Third Platoon set up temporary cemetery on beach. Fourth Platoon with First ESB landed 1900 Uteh Beach and began collection of bodies.
- 8 June 44 Second Platoon with Fifth ESB landed at 1145 at Omaha Beach and set up first permanent American Cemetery at St. Laurent Sur Mer. Fourth Platoon set up temporary cemetery on Utah Beach.
- 9 June 44 Third Platoon closed beach cemetery after interring 457 Americans.
- 11 June 44 Third Platoon moved to cemetery established at St. Laurent Sur Mer by Second Platoon.
- 12 June 44 Fourth Platoon Detachment processed 97 German dead at 101st Airborne Cemetery.
- 18 June 44 Fourth Platoon closed Utah Beach cemetery after interring 368 bodi
- .19 June 44 Fourth Platoon moved to Orglandes and set up German cemetery at si selected by 7th Corps.
- 20 June 44 Company Hq and First Platoon left Knowle Camp, Bristol at Oll5, per First U S Army orders, and arrived Saltram Park, Plymouth, 1500.

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- 21 June 44 Second, Third, and Fourth Platoons relieved from Attachment to 5th, 6th, and 1st ESB per First U. S. Army Troop Assignment Order 6
- 24 June 44 Fourth Platoon, after interring 760 Germans at Orglandes, moved per 7th Corps orders to disinter temporary Utah Beach cemetery.

 Orglandes Cemetery records turned over to 603d Q M Gr Reg Co, Lt.

 Miller, Edwin H.
- 29 June 44 First Platoon landed at Omaha Beach and joined Second and 3d Platoons at St. Laurent Cemetery.
- 30 June 44 Company Headquarters joined 1st, 2d, and 3d Platoons at St. Laurent
- 1 July 44 Fourth Platoon to Orglandes German Cemetery per First U. S. Army orders.
- 2 July 44 In compliance with First U. S. Army orders, 4th Platoon to Hiesvill to disinter 101st Airborne Cemetery. (437 bodies).
- 5 July 44 In compliance with First U. S. Army orders, 4th Platoon ordered to Blosville Cemetery. Disinterred 131 German bodies which were sent to Orglandes. Disinterred and reburied 400 Americans.

 Disinterrment of American dead in temporary Omaha Beach cemetery begun. Bodies reinterred at St. Laurent Cemetery.
- 6 July 44 Replacement of temporary markers by permanent crosses begun at St. Laurent Cemetery.
- 12 July 44 First Platoon to Orglandes German Cemetery per First U. S. Army orders.
- 13 July 44 Company Hq and 4th Platoon to Orglandes German Cemetery per First U. S. Army orders.
- 15 July 44 Company Hq, lst and 4th Platoons assisting one platoon, 603d QM Gr Reg Co with cemetery operation at Orglandes.

 Second and Third Platoons continuing operation of St. Laurent Cemetery.

HIGHLIGHTS AND OBSERVATIONS TO ASSIST FUTURE PLANNING

- 1. Graves Registration units need more 055 clerks skilled as typists.
- 2. Graves Registration platoons should be self-sufficient as to messing facilities.
- 3. More attention should be paid to identification of unknowns by qualified identification teams using fingerprinting and other recognized techniques.



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