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COMPANY
MORNING REPORT

ENDING 10 January 1945
2400 (DAY) (MONTH) (YEAR)

STATION Camp Sissonne, VO 2414 Nor D'Guerre, France
ORGANIZATION Co "G" 401st Glider Inf.

(CO, DET, ETC.) (PARANT UNIT) (ARM OR SERVICE)

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
33464844	Decker, Paul J. (653)	Sgt	31
34794671	Daniels, Oliver L. (745)	Pvt	31
Above 2 EM fr dy to AWOL, (Belgium) 7 Jan 0701			
42086433	Foster, James S. (745)	Pvt	MI
35479689	Whitley, William C. Jr. (769)	T Sgt	MI
Above 2 EM fr dy to killed in action in Belgium, 3 Jan/45. (Battle) 0301			
36775514	Ksiazek, Edward J. (745)	Pfc	MI
Fr dy to killed in action in Belgium, 4 Jan/45. (Battle) 0401			

RECORD OF EVENTS

7 Jan/45 Left secondary defensive positions at 0430. Moved out from LD at 0630. Received enemy small arms fire at 0755. Continued to move about 1800 yards from LD when Bn was held up by Enemy small arms and tanks. Suffered number of ~~XX~~ casualties from enemy mortars and artillery. Company failed to make objective due to heavy losses and strong opposition. Heavy snowfall. Morale Non-Existent.

OFFICER STRENGTH	FLD O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLT O	
	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T
ASSIGNED	1		1	2	1					
ATTACHED UNASSIGNED										
ATTACHED FR OTHER ORGN										
TOTAL	1									

RESTRICTED

AVN CADET & ENLISTED STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT NOT FOR DT	ASSENT	PRESENT AND ASSENT
ASSIGNED			84		142	226
ATTACHED UNASSIGNED					1	1
ATTACHED FR OTHER ORGN						
TOTAL			84		143	227

R A T I O N S	I	ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR	DAY OF WEEK	NUMBER				
		MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT	DAY					
O T H E R	II	BREAKFAST	DINNER	SUPPER	TOTAL	+	AVERAGE	
		MEN AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY		MEN ATCHD FOR RATIONS		3	TOTAL	
		MEN ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS		NET	O & OTHERS MESSED			
S	III	WEN PRESENT	84	LESS	84	PLUS	3	87

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I CERTIFY THAT THIS MORNING REPORT IS CORRECT AND THAT ANY FIGURES IN PART II REPRESENT AN ACTUAL COUNT AS REPORTED BY ME

SIGNATURE V. L. WYANT, JR., 1st Lt, 325th Gli Inf, Pers Adj

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	42086433
Sample Size	
Rank	Enlisted Man (includes Aviation Ca
Age	19 19
Race	Unknown
Length of Service	Unknown
Arm of Service	Infantry, General or Unspecified
AAF Status	Neither assigned nor attached to AAF (includes all unassigned, ;
Admission Station	European Area
Month of Admission	January
Year of Admission	1945
Last Treatment Facility	Not in Medical Installation Prior to Death
Special Class of Case	Cases reported by AGO only, except death in German or Japanese Prison
Type of Case	Casualty, battle
Type of Admission	New, not EPTS
1st Diagnosis	Killed in action
1st Anatomical Location	Unknown, code not applicable
1st Operation	
2nd Diagnosis	
2nd Anatomical Location	
2nd Operation	
3rd Diagnosis	
Causative Agent	None or Unknown
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.