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12 August 1949

Cpl. Minor L. Dickerson, ASN 34 799 775
Plot L, Row 7, Grave 103
Headstone: Cross
Fort McKinley U. S. Military Cemetery
(Manila, Philippine Islands)

Sgt. Jim P. Dickerson 3420 Asu Detachment 1 Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Dear Sgt. Dickerson:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country. Customary military funeral services were conducted over the grave at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be transferred, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and supervision of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstone. The headstone will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating where appropriate, organization, State, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of headstone or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interments are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. You may rest assured that this final interment was conducted with fiting dignity and solemnity and that the grave-site will be carefully and conscientiously maintained in perpetuity by the United States Government.

Sincerely yours,

W. H. MIDDLESWART Major General Acting The Quartermaster General

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DUE, HOUR AND DATE DATE NO. FROM equest telephone call to and l Goodwin, 535 North St., tona Beach, Fla. Streeus letter of 16 March 1949 was unnecessary as the parents or any other relatives except evidou and aunts, are not meutioned by a.g.o, or V.a. 26 RE: DICKERSON, MINOR L., SN 34 799 775 2 Res Sec NOK Sec FINSCHHAFEN #2, Grave 2130 Repat Br May Repat Br Mem Div 49 Mem Div Telephoned Mrs. Ethel Goodwin Funderburk, in Miss ATTN: Daytona Beach, Fla., reaching her through messenger Williams Mrs. Brennan service. She advised that the decedent had a brother, James Fussell Dickerson in the Army in N.C. From AGO, I obtained the information that he is Sgt First Class Jim F. Dickerson, 20402331, Detachment 1, 3420 ASU, Fort Bragg, N.C. I telephoned him and he stated that he believed it best to leave the remains overseas but would like to get in touch with his relatives in Florida and with the memarried widow before making a decision. He said that the aunt who reared

him and whom he had regarded as a mother since the death of his own parents in Mrs. E. A. Eason, 4033 9th St., Washington, D.C., telephone Michigan 4755. He asked that I call there and talk with her daughter, Mrs. Doyer, find out their wishes and communicate with him. He would then try to let us have his final decision in the next few days. I telephoned Mrs. Doyer, who stated that she and her mother falt that it would be best to leave the remains overseas.

Send following telegram to brother:

\*Reference telephone conversation of 26 May concerning the remains of your Mrs. Doyer advised by telephone that she brother the late and her mother believe it best to inter the remains permanently overseas. Request you advise your decision regarding disposition by collect telegram within 25 days. 26 Irols: may

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SERGRANT FIRST CLASS JIM F DICKERSON 20402331 DETACHMENT I, 3420 ASU FORT BRAGG NORTH CAROLINA

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### CHARGE GRAVES WW II

REFERENCE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION 26 MAY 49 CONCERNING THE REMAINS OF TOUR BROTHER COMMA THE LATE CORPORAL MINOR L DICKERSON COMMA 34799775. MRS DOYER ADVISED BY TELEPHONE THAT SHE AND HER MOTHER BELIEVE IT BEST TO INTER REMAINS PERMANENTLY OVERSRAS. REQUEST YOU ADVISE YOUR DECISION REGARDING DISPOSITION BY 13 JUNE 49 CR THIS OFFICE WILL HAVE NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO PERMANENTLY INTER REMAINS Collect OVERSEAS. ADDRESS REPLY TO QUARTERMASTER GENERAL COMMA WASHINGTON COMMA DC COMMA ATTENTION CAPT VOGL END

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J.F. VOGL Captain, OMC, Memorial Division Dickerson, Minord. Dantona Brach, Fix. 1.5.1. Janues J. Smith. 1749-Major grue; mentovial Div. Dear Sir! the insormation you requested to the best of my (knowledge is as following); mother ms. margarette Diekel Diekeron: Died Oct. 13\_1918 Mochelle Ja. Tather: minor Lewis Dickerson Died Feb. 20th 1935- Daytona Reach The Bry James Lysselle Dickerson age \$ 4. address Unknown Last report te was some place in Japan with the arny- There were is other brothers. no sister. The maternal grand parente pere- m. Epme. Julgan Fuscelle riou, deceased. Fallmal grandparents; Mr. Empre James R. Diskerton, now deceased. Sincerely yours! True Ethel J. Fundament

Cpl Minor L. Dickerson, 1 799 775

Please inclose this slip when forwarding the requested information to this office.

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WINDER 298 Dickerson, Minor L., SN 84 799 775 Grave 2150, USAFC \$2, Pinechitaten, New Guinea

16 March 1949

Mrs. Ethel G. Funderburk 555 North Street Daytona Beach, Florida

Dear Mrs. Funderburk:

Your telegram pertaining to the remains of your nephew, the late Corporal Minor L. Dickerson, has some to my attention.

It is pespectfully requested that you furnish us the full names of the parents of the decedent and advise us of the places and dates of their death. It is also requested that you furnish us a list containing the names. ages, and addresses of all the surviving byothers and sisters of your nephew. This list should include the names and addresses of the maternal and paternal grandparents of the decedent. The above information will enable us to definitely determine the person who should be authorized to direct the final disposition of the remains of your nephew.

A prompt reply to this communication will be greatly appropriated.

Sincerely yours,

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### CHARGE CRAVES WW II

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Memorial Division REPLY AND A Dogan terment Lemman Centium DATE: February 17, 1949 Office of the Quartermaster General Department of the Army Washington 25, D.C. DICKERSON, Minor L., Cpl. Attention: Family Correspondence Branch SUBJECT: FROM: (Miss) Edna Mattex Plot-, Row-, Grave 2130 U. S. Armed Forces Cemetery Finschhafen #2, New Guinea Next of Kin: Mrs. Ryland Berryman ( Former Wife) Old Address: Box 189. New Orleans, Louisians New Address: Your Reference: for an investigation In compliance with your request of in connection with the disposition of the remains of this deceased serviceman, we submit the following information: OQMG Form 345 has been submitted by 1.

Remarks: We regret our New Orleans Chapter has been unable to contact Mrs. Ryland Berryman, remarried widow of this deceased serviceman, as she has moved from the city leaving no forwarding address. She failed to reply to mumerous letters sent by the chapter to P. O. Box 189, New Orleans, but it is possible that your office may be able to reach her at this address.

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Tana matt Director, Home Service Southeastern Area

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Memorial Division REPERCULATION RE TEXTEXALIZE In an action to Location Section Dffice of the Quartermaster General DATE: January 12, 1949 Department of the Army Washington 25, D.C. Attention: Family Correspondence Branch SUBJECT: DICKERSON, Minor L., Cpl FROM: (Miss) Edna Mattox <u>3k 799 775, Grave 2130, to</u>^7 Forces Com., Finschhafen #2, I Guin Mrs. Ethel Goodwin, Aunt Next of Kin: 530 Mulberry St., Daytoma Beach, Florida Old Address: New Address: 535 North St., Datone Beach, Florida **QMCDUR** 293 Your Reference: In compliance with your request of July 8, 1948 for an investigation in connection with the disposition of the remains of this deceased serviceman, we submit the following information: l. OQMC Form 345 has been submitted by (Name) (Relationship) will be submitted on Remarks: We regret that we have been so delayed in completing the 2. service on this case. Upon the receipt of your request of July 8 we contacted the sunt, Mrs. Ethel Goodvin, who was named as next of kin of the deceased servicemen. Mrs. Goodwin has remarried and is now Mrs. Ethel Funderburk, #605 Mulberry St., Daytona Beach, Florida. She would make no statement or fill out no forms regarding the disposition of the body of the serviceman as she said she was only an aunt. The remarried widow, Mrs. Ryland (Roths or Ruth) Berryman, resides at 1351 Magazine Street, Apt. 10, New Orleans, Louisiana. Since Oct. I we have been trying to secure the cooperation of Mrs. Beryman

in submitting evidence of her remarriage, but have been unsuccessful. His parents are deceased (the servicemen's). We believe at this

time that a letter from your office might be effective. \* Later correspondence from our chapter at Daytona Beach shows Mrs. Ethel Funderburk as residing at 535 North St., Daytons Beach. Jana Matto

> (Miss) Edna Mattox Director, Home Service

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# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY OFFEC OF THE QUARTERNASTER GENERAL WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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In Reply Refer to RR Br: QMGMR 293 Dieberson, Miner L., Cpl., 8478.

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In the course of investigation, it may be found that the above named individual is no longer the legal Next of Kin by reason of death, remarriage or incompetency. If so, an appropriate legal document will be necessary to substantiate these facts in order that the mext person in line of kinship may be established as authorized to direct disposition of the remains. It will be appreciated if your representative will assist the Next of Kin in securing such documents that may be necessary. The attached COMG Form see should be accomplished by the legal Next of Kin and returned with legal documents if required as stated above.

In the event this case cannot be resolved, it is respectfully requested that this office be furnished. Estatement covering your investigation and indicating persons or agencies and agencies

Sincerely yours,

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JOHN O. HYATT Colonel, QMC Memorial Division

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## OFFICE THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF ARMY INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

ickerson Milliano DUE HOUR AND DATE 293 5 3 2 ı Message Date To No. From 1. As 333 card in this case could not Record be immediately located action has been LOI 1 1948 Section Section taken with a view to resolving the case R/R Br. R/R Br. without the 333 card. 2. File is forwarded to your Section for such correction in 333 card as may be indicated. 3. When your action has been completed please forward file to Mail and Records. CUNNI HGHAM 71507 THIS FORM WILL REMAIN PART OF THE OFFICIAL FILE 2 JUL 1948 accept 3 June 18

# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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### DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO BURIAL OF

Cpl Minor L. Dickerson, 34 799 775

United States Armed Forces Cemetery

Finschhafen #2, New Guinea

6 May 1948

Mrs. Ethel Goodwin 530 Mulberry Street Daytona Beach, Florida

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9 December 1947

Mrs. Mthel Goodwin 530 Mulberry Street Daytona Beach, Florida

Dear Mrs. Goodwin:

The Department of the Army is endeavoring to determine the relative who may be legally recognised as the next of kin having the right to direct the final disposition of the remains of your nephew, the late Corporal Minor L. Dickerson.

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It is requested that a certified list or affidavit, containing the names, ages and addresses of all surviving brothers and sisters, be forwarded to enable us to determine the person legally authorised to direct the disposition of the remains of your nephew.

Your cooperation and promptness in forwarding the requested document to our office will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS major, OMC Memorial Division

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THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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13 November 1947

Mrs. Retha Belle Berryman Post Office Box 1183 Daytona Beach, Florida

Dear Mrs. Berryman:

This office is endeavoring to determine the person who may be authorized to designate the disposition of the remains of the late Corporal Minor L. Dickerson.

Information has been received which indicates that you have remarried. It is requested, therefore, that you inform this office whether you have, in fact, remarried in order that the records of the Department of the Army may be correctly amended. For your convenience, completion of the form below will be considered adequate.

Your cooperation and promptness in this request will be greatly appreciated.

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THOMAS B. LARKIN Major General The Quartermaster General QMGYG 293 Dickerson, Minor L. SN 34 799 775

Address Reply To THE QUARTER GENERAL Attention: Memorial Division 13 September 1946

Mrs. Retha Berryman Post Office Box 1185 Daytona Beach, Florida

Dear Mrs. Berryman:

Your letter concerning your husband, the late Corporal Minor L. Dickerson, has been received in this office.

The War Department has now been authorized to remove, at Government expense, to the final resting place designated by the next of kin, the remains of those American citizens who died while serving overseas with our armed forces during this war.

When the necessary preliminaries have been completed, a letter with an information pamphlet and a "Request for Disposition" form attached will be sent to the next of kin of those American dead. The "Request for Disposition" form, when properly filled out, will constitute the formal expression of the next of kin's detailed desires. Since letters to next of kin will be dispatched automatically and according to the records here, communications with this office regarding this subject will not be necessary.

As you probably know, the supply of steel for the manufacture of caskets is at present uncertain. Without this essential item, the movement of remains cannot properly be initiated. This fact and the necessity for complete coordination of movement in many parts of the world make it impossible, at this time, to estimate when these forms will be mailed. Responses to them will be acted upon with a minimum of delay.

Please be assured that your feelings in this matter are fully appreciated.

A change has been noted in your name. If you have remarried, it is requested this office be advised in order that the records cannot be amended accordingly.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER CENERAL:

Sincerely yours, 🚉

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JAMES L. PREMY Major, QMC Assistant et (

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12 August 1946

Mrs. Bethe B. Dickerson General Delivery Daytons Beach, Florida

Dear Mrs. Dickerson:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your humband, the late Corporal Minor L. Dickerson, A.S.H. 34 799 775.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the United States Armed Forces Cometery, Fineshhafen, #2, grave 2130. You may be assured that the identification and interment have been accomplished with fitting dignity and solemnity.

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Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

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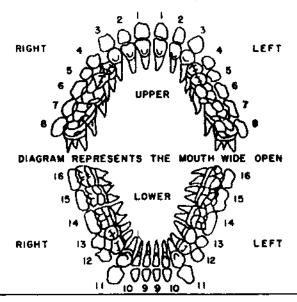
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- 2. NOTE CAREFULLY THAT: SYMBOLS INDICATING MISSING TEETH, CAVITIES AND BRIDGE-WORK ARE TO BE INSERTED IN WHOLE BOX; SYMBOLS INDICATING TYPE OF FILLING ARE TO BE INSERTED IN UPPER HALF OF BOX; AND SYMBOLS INDICATING LOCATION OF FILLING ARE TO BE INSERTED IN LOWER HALF OF BOX.
- 3. ANY ABNORMALITIES SUCH AS MALPOSED, MALFORMED OR DISCOLORED TEETH, ETC. SHOULD BE NOTED. DENTAL WORK NOT COVERED ABOVE WILL BE INDICATED, & g., PORCELAIN GROWNS, GOLD GROWNS (FULL OR 3/4), 3/4 GOLD GROWN WITH SILICATE WINDOW.
  - 4. FOR INFORMATION OF STANDARD NUMBERING OF TEETH, SEE DIAGRAM BELOW.



#### REMARKS:

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PERSONAL EFFECTS OF CPL. MINOR L. DICKERSON 34799775

1 POCKET KNIFE

1 CIGARETTE LIGHTER

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#### REPORT OF DEATH

FULL NAME

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ARMY SERIAL HUMBER

Dickerson, Minor L.		34799775	Cpl.			
HOME ADDRESS		And of survice	DATE OF BIRTH			
		Air Corps	13 Oct 18			
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H. O. CALDYELL Effects Quartermaster

## INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

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(Grade) (Organization or arm or series)

who died on the 26th day of October, 19 44

CLASS I—Saber, insignia, decorations, medals, campaign badges, watches, manuscripts, and other articles valuable chiefly as keepsakes.

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#### CLASS 11-Other effects

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1	Belt				
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1	Toilet kit				
1	Pr swimming trunks				
1	Overnight bag				

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# ARMY SERVICE FORCES KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

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Daytoma Beach, Florida

Dear Mrs. Dickersons

That inclosing a chock for illustrating funds of your husband, Corporal Minor L. Mickerson.

"To officer purposety belonging to him has been received at the Army Effects Bureau to date.

Our action in transmitting funds does not, of itself, west title in the recipiont. Such property is formated for listri-bution according to the laws of the state of decedent's legal residence.

Veney ordinarily is sent from overwas by sail in advance of other offerts; therefore, it is probable that additional belongings of decedent will month this functured to later date. As it is intended to forward any such property to you promptly upon receipt here, I ask that you please notify this Bureau if there is a change in your address within the next few months.

I wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your husband.

Sincerely,

C. B. OFTEN
2nd At. Q. T.C.
Chief Flies Branch

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# A TY SERVICE FORGES ARTY EFFECTS BUREAU

## ORDER TOR SWIFME

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Summary Court-Martial AR'IY SERVICE FORCES KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT . Case No. \_ 306254 601 Hardesty Avenue Kansas City 1, Missouri Date 19 June 1945 SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of Minor L. Dickerson 54799775 (Name of deceased (Army Serial Namber) Corporal (Organication Army or Service) (Grade) 28day Co October, 19 44 at Southwest Pacific Area : The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington 25, D.C. 1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City Mo. Pursuant to S.O., 228 Hq., KCQM Devot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-no ed soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that: a. No legal representative or widow of occedent being present at decedents camp or quartors, effects of decedent were 'orwarded to this Summary b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none , of which the sum of 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 \$\_\_\_ which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See \_\_\_\_\_, Inc.\_\_\_ 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 Counterwartial FINDING Befor a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Fansas Ci v, Missouri, on pursuant to Special orders 228, Heat in Inters \_\_for the effects of the above-named de-Mrs. Retha B. Dickerson of (Name of person found entitled) Day tona State of (City, Town or Village)

MCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of \_ Mrs. Retha B. Dickerson ceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was ouly considered; Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A. V. 112,\_\_\_ General Delivery (Number, Street or Avenue) c)m Beach Florida (Relations.: or Capacity)

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

(Signature of Samary Court Officer)

10HB & MINSHY, Colonel, (Name, Rank, Or anization) SUMMAL URT MARTIAL

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7 June 1945





# ARMY SERVICE FORCES KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

SOI MARDESTY AVENUE KANSAS CITY I, MISSOURI (S-4-27-45) JRM:WA:jm March 27, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 306254

Mrs. Retha 3. Dickerson General Delivery Daytona Beach, Florida

Dear Mrs. Dickerson:

The Army Effects Bureau has received \$5.31 belonging to your husband, Corporal Minor L. Dickerson.

This is the only property of your husband received here to date, however money ordinarily is transmitted to this Bureau by mail, in advance of other personal effects.

In making application for these funds, it is necessary only that you confirm your address, stating that you are the legal widow of Corporal Dickerson.

For your convenience in replying, there is inclosed a self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Sincerely yours,

P. L. KOOB 2nd Lt. Q.M.C.

Officer-in-Charge

SJ Unit

1 Incl--Envelope

> I which to confirm you that I am the legal widow of Corporal Dickerson and that my correct address is sen Oil. Daytone Beach, Isla.





# ARMY BERVICE FORÇES KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

SOI HARDESTY AVENUE KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO 306-254

(S-7-1-45) GHG: VK: sac June 1, 1945

Mrs. Retha B. Dickerson General Delivery Daytona Beach, Florida

Dear Mrs. Dickerson:

Reference is made to letter of the Army Effects Bureau, dated March 27, requesting information to enable disposal of funds in the amount of \$5.31 belonging to your husband, Corporal Minor L. Dickerson.

I shall appreciate a reply at your earliest convenience, in order that the funds in our custody may be released to the proper person without further delay.

For your use in replying, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Yours very truly,

R. T. BROWN

1st Lt. Q.M.C.

Asst. to Chief, Adm. Division

l Incl. / Envelope

# STARY DOMESTICATE ROTANDOS (H) SOTTH BURNINGS GROUP (II)

A.P.O. # 719. 18 Fovember 1944.

SUBJECT: Letter of Transmittal.

: Effects Quartermater, Kansas City Q.M., Kansas City, Missouri.

1. Transmitted herewith one (1) treasury check, serial number, amount, and recipient as follows:

Serial We.	Amount	Recipient
10,149,905	TE-SI	Cpl. MINOR L. DICKERSON

2. Inclosed herwith original copy of W.D., A.G.O. No. 54 of the personal effects of the following maned mem, listed as killed in action.

Rank	Jame .	Serial No.
Cpl. Cpl. Cpl.	PARCE L. DICKERSON PRANCES L. RESAN PARLAS D. MOODY VELLY N. RADER	\$4790775 11115585 18180085 84807518

5. Request acknowledgement of receipt by endersement hereon.

CLACK M. BRADSHAW. lat Lt., Air Corps, Summary Court Officer.

5 Incls:

Incl 1 Treasury check No. 10,149905. Incl 2 thre 5 Original copy of W.D., A.G.O.

form No. 54.

Army Effects Bureau, Kangas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri

Receipt acknowledged -

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For The Effects Quartermanters