RECEIPT OF REMAINS

DISTRIBUTION CENTER #13 SFPE OAKLAND ARMY BASE ROUTINE 19 APRIL 1949

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO: 14 CALIFORNIA - GRAVES

SUPERINTENDENT

GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL CEMETERY

SAN BRUNO CALIFORNIA

REMAINS OF LATE CORPORAL VAL K O KANE USAGE 19048015 WILL BE DE-LIVERED TO YOU BY GOVERNMENT HEARSE AT APPROXIMATELY NIME THIRTY AM TWENTY SIX APRIL BY THIS DISTRIBUTION CENTER ACCOMPANIED BY MILI-TARY ESCORT. REQUEST YOU MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT REMAINS UPON DELIVERY AND THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO NEXT OF KIN.

FE HYLL
MAJOR QMC
ACTG CHIEF AGR DIV

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I, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge receipt of the remains of the above-named deceased

this 24 day of April , 1949

GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL CEMETERY

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GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL CEMETERY SAN BRUNO, CALIFORNIA

TO: AGR DIV., SFPE, CAB, CAKLAND, CALIFORNIA ATTN: MR. NAJOUR

DELIVER TUESDAY THE TWENTY SIXTH OF APRIL THE FOLLOWING REMAINS TO THIS CEMETERY AT TIMES INDICATED:

0800

MANUEL, CHARLES A., 2 LT

MORGAN, LEO A., CPL

O'KANE, VAL K., CPL

PARLIN, DELMER L., PFC

PETREE, LONNIE J., PFC

PORTER, JOSEPH E., PVT

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DAVIS, JOSEPH HENRY, PFC

GALLACHER, JOHN G., PTC

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/S/ A. J. NETTRE, SUPERINTENDENT ACTG CHF AGRD SFPE OAB (GRAVES)

5 APR 49

ROUTINE

SUPERINTENDENT
GOLDEN GATE NATL CEMETERY
SAN BRUNO CALIFORNIA

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FOLLOWING REMAINS ARE SCHEDULED FOR DELIVERY TO YOUR CEMETERY ON 26 APRIL 1949 AS INDICATED:

VAN SHPMT 0800 HRS. FOR BURIAL THIS DATE

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O'KANE,	VAL K., CPL	NY-026-R
PARLIN,	DELMER L., PFC	NY-026-R
PETREE,	LONNIE J., PFC	NY-026-R
PORTER,	JOSEPH E., PVT	NY-026-R

VAN SHPMT 1200 HRS. FOR BURIAL 27 APR 49

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DAVIS, JOSEPH HENRY, PFC	SF-140-R
GALLAGHER, JOHN G., PFC	SF-140-R
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TO BE INTERMENT IN GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL CEMETERY SAN BRUNO
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REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS
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Cpl. Val K. O'Kane, 19 048 015

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In Reply Refer to RR Br: QMGMR 293 (O'Kane, Val. K., Opl., 19 048 015
Plot PPP, Now 9, Grave 205
United States Military Cometery Margraten, Holland

Miss Cathryn Henna, Home Service Director Pacific Area, American Red Cross 1550 Sutter Street San Francisco 1, California

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Dear Miss Hennat

Efforts of this office to contact the Next of Kin of the above-named deceased have failed, in that letters have been returned by Postal Author-(relationship)

(name) 7305 Northeast Siskiyou, Portland 13, whose last known address was _

, in connection with disposition of remains of the decedent. Your assistance in resolving this case will be greatly appreciated.

The following additional information is furnished in hope that it will be of assistance to your representative in completing the case.

- Date of latest communication from above named Next of Kin at address as listed address as listed __
- Race & Religion of deceased______ White
- Organization 48th Inf. Regt., 7th Armd Div.
- Date. Place and Cause of Death 7 April 1945 Schmallenberg, Germany Killed in action.
- e. Other members of deceased's family:

Relationship

Father Brother Elmer E. O'Kane

203 S.B. Micholas, Monterey Park, Calif. Robert C. O'Kane Box 95, Carberville, Calif.

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 next 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 OQMG Form 345 should be specomplished 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 a statement covering your investigation and indicating porcons or agencies contacted.

Former address of vidows 4038 N.E. Develand, St. Portland, Oregon & 214 N. Nicholas Ave. Montery Park, Calif.

4 Incls Incl 1 - OQMG Form 345

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Sincerely yours,

JOHN O. HYATT Colonel, QMC Memorial Division

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

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Plot PPP, Row 9, Grave 205,
United States Military Cemetery
Margraten, Holland

22 March 1948

Mrs. Margaret J. O'Kane 214 North Nicholson Avenue Monterey Park, California

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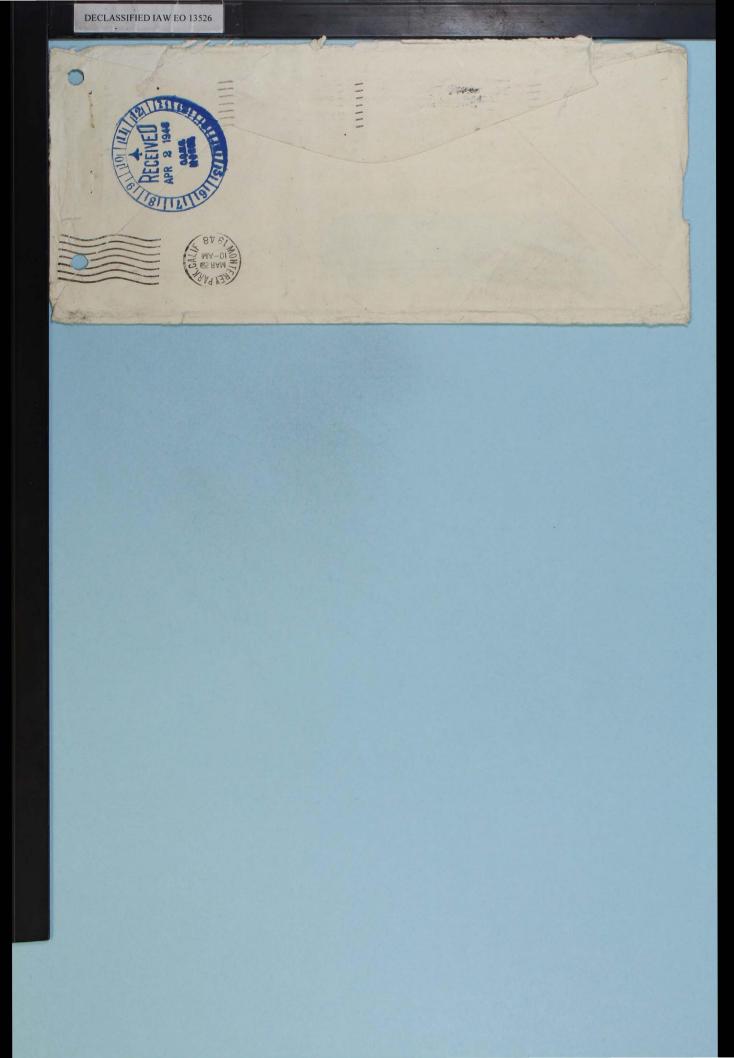
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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TO: Letter of Inquiry Section
(Thru Officer in Charge)
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22 JAN 1948

In Reply Refer To: QIGHM 293 O'Kane, Val K., Cpl. 19 048 015 Margraten, P-777, R-9, C-205

Date of Birth 5 August 1921

SUBJECT: Request for information re next of kin of above named

deceased serviceman of World War II.

TO : Director, Dependents and Beneficiaries Claims Service Voterans Administration Washington 25, D. C.

For use in determination of final disposition of remains of the above identified deceased serviceman, it is requested that appropriate information be entered on the lower portion of this letter and that one copy of the completed letter be returned to this office.

1 Incl: Envelope MARK J. GILL Major, QMC Memorial Division

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Information in the VA case file indicates that the deceased serviceman was survived by the relatives listed below.

NOTE - A. Identity two persons in the following order or preference:

1. Widow

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B. If parent is listed, state whether natural, step-, adoptive

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Relationship: Name Address
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(Address) 180 New Montgomery Str San Francisco 5, California

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Date: 22 JAN 1948

Miss Cathryn Henna Home Service Director Pacific Area American Red Cross Larkin and Grove Streets San Francisco 1, California

Dear Miss Henna:

The quartermaster General of the army has been entrusted with the responsibility of the disinterment and final burial of World War II deceased personnel. In order to secure disposition instructions, all efforts to contact the next of kin of the above-named decedent through various Government Agencies and other members of the decedent's family have failed.

It is respectfully requested that your office furnish the current address ____, Who is reflected of Mrs. Margaret J. O'Kane. wife (hame) (nelutionship)
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5 December 1947

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3547, POSTAGE FOR WHICH IS GUARANTEED.



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19 November 1946

Mrs. Margaret J. O'Kane 4038 Northeast Cleveland Street Portland, Oregon

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your husband, the late Corporal Val. E. O'Eans, A.S.N. 19 048 015.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U.S. Military Cemetery Margraten, Holland, plot PPP, row 9, grave 205. You may be assured that the identification and interment have been accomplished with fitting dignity and solemnity.

This constant is located ten miles west of Anchen, Germany, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

The War Department has now been authorized to comply, at Government expense, with the feasible wishes of the next of kin regarding final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your loved one. At a later date, this office will, without any action on your part, provide the next of kin with full information and solicit his detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN Major General

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THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON 25. D. C. DATE 24 April 1945 REPORT OF DEATH ARMY SERIAL NUMBER FULL NAME O' Kane SKENE, Val K. 19 048 015 Cpl ARM OR SERVICE HOME ADDRESS DATE OF BIRTH Portland, Oregon Infantry 5 Aug 21 PLACE OF DEATH CAUSE OF DEATH DATE OF DEATH European Area Killed in action 7 Apr 45 STATION OF DECEASED LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE European Area 26 Jun 42 EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Margaret J. O'Kane, Wife, 4038 N E, Cleveland St., Portland, Oregon BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Margaret J. O'Kane, Wife, Same as above Robert C. O'Kane, Brother, Box 95, Garberville, California Elmer E. O'Kane, Father, 203 S. E., Nicholson, Monterey Park, California

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Mrs. Margaret J. O'Kane 4038 N E Cleveland Street Portland, Oregon

Dear Mrs. O'Kane:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your husband, Corporal Val K. O'Kane.

These effects, contained in one package, are being forwarded to you. If delivery is not made within thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer action may be instituted.

As previously indicated, personal property is transmitted by this Bureau for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

Sincerely yours,

P. L. KOOB 1st It., QMC Officer-in-Charge SJ Unit

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Cpl. Val K. O'Kane

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Portland, Oregon

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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

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Personal property which was lost or abandened by the above named during a change of station, and which was recently received at this Bureau, is being forwarded to you for safekeeping bending the return of the owner.

When delivery has been made, please acknowledge receipt by signing one copy of this let by in the space provided below, returning that copy to this Bureau. For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelop which requires no postage.

Please be assured that this letter is in no way a casualty message. Its sole purpose is to place the property in your cystody for safekeeping.

Your converation in signing this ther and retained it promotly will be appreciated.

Incl--Envelope

I agree to safely keep and store the above-mer bloned personal property and to deliver it to the owner or to the Army Effects Bureau, Manage City, Missouri, upon reduct.

(Signature of Bailee) (Date)

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Date 7 April 1993 Hospital	
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Place of Burial	
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Signed Sam B. Plyle	
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Summary Court-Martial ARMY SERVICE FORCES KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

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601 Hardosty Avenuo
Kansas City 1, Missouri Dato 3 August 1945
SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the offects of
(Maile of diffoased) (Army Sorial Number)
(Organization, hrmy or Sorvice) who died
on the day of april , 19 45, at European area
TO: 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 Dopot, 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, offects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.
b. Local debtors ewed decedent's estate \$, of which the sum of was collected. (If nothing was found due of collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl)
c. Decedent ewed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See inclosed receipt , Incl.)
d. Disposition of decodent'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)
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KCQM Dopot, dated 25 Soptombor 1945, the application or affidavit of
for the offects of the above-named de-
coased soldier, or person subject to military law, new in the possession of the
United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;
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(Signature of Summary Court Officer)
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RTB: AC: sm August 13, 1945

Mrs. Margaret J. O'Kane 4038 N E Cleveland Street Portland, Oregon

Dear Mrs. O'Kane:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your husband, Corporal Val K. O'Kane.

I am inclosing a check for \$14.45, representing funds which belonged to him. The remainder of the property, consisting of snapshots and personal papers, is 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 husband.

Yours very truly,

C. B. QUINN 2nd Lt., QMC Chief, Files Branch

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