

HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
(PACIFIC ZONE)  
APO 958

BOARD PROCEEDING)  
NUMBER 21 )

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PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF REVIEW

1. Proceedings of the Board of Review which convened at APO 958 pursuant to paragraph 2, Special Orders #25, American Graves Registration Service, Pacific Zone, APO 958, dated 1 March 1948.

2. The Board met pursuant to the foregoing order at 1300 hours, 14 May 1948, at APO 958, Building 70-C.

3. Members present at meeting:

Lt. Colonel Harrie E. Hoxie, O-225642, OMC, President  
Major Ralph E. Hollister, O-222238, USAF, Member  
Captain James B. Harris, O-400913, OMC, Member

4. Members absent:

Captain John L. Murphy, O-1585944, OMC (excused)  
Captain Joseph E. Wilson, O-480334, OMC (excused)  
1st Lt. William S. Byers, O-1588470, OMC (excused)

5. Purpose: To review and determine in all cases, from evidence presented, the non-recoverability of remains referred to AGRS (PAZ) Headquarters.

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#34. The case of 2nd Lt Gerald D. Coleman, O-806220, AAF; 2nd Lt John E. Jurica, Jr., O-813010, AAF; 2nd Lt Martin B. Unger, O-814450, AAF; 2nd Lt James F. Lind, O-754917, AAF; T/Sgt Robert P. Wegener, 35283528, AAF; S/Sgt James R. Lykens, Jr., 33479095, AAF; T/Sgt James R. Hurd, 13121851, AAF; Sgt John R. McCullough, 39293812, AAF; S/Sgt Romeo Tetremait, 20113352, AAF, and S/Sgt Bill J. Williams, 17038239, AAF, AGRS (PAZ) Case No. 2501, crew members aboard a B-24J which was lost with all personnel aboard while on a combat mission to Yap Island on 25 June 1944, was considered and all evidence studied. It was unanimously resolved that the remains be declared non-recoverable."

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54. The Board adjourned 1415 hours.

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