

TYPE OF REPORT  
☐ INITIAL    ☐ SUPPLEMENTAL (Reason)

Imprint Identification Tag If Possible.  
DO NOT TYPE

SECTION 1. - IDENTIFICATION.

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

SERVICE NUMBER

HARBURN, Richard A.

Unknown

GRADE

ORGANIZATION

BRANCH OF SERVICE

Capt.

2 SQDN, SAAF

South African Air Force

RACE

RELIGION

COUNTRY (If not U.S.)

White

Meth.

South Africa

PLACE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH

Previously Reported

Previously Reported

Previously Rptd

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY (1, 2, or none)

IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE ALL MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse)

Prev. Rptd.

Previously Reported

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?

☐ YES    ☐ NO

Prev. Rptd.

COMPLETED TOOTH CHART WILL BE ATTACHED HERETO.

LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME. IF LETTERS FOUND, INCLUDE NAME OF ADDRESSEE AND WRITER. GIVE OWNER OF WALLET, ETC.

Previously Reported

SECTION 2. - BURIAL (If other than in established cemetery, furnish overlay and attach)

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

United Nations Military Cemetery Tanggok, Korea RP 0896

DATE OF BURIAL

HOUR

BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other)

TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER

PLOT NO.

ROW NO.

GRAVE NO.

16 Feb 1952

1100

Canvas Square

Cross

13

1

441

WAS THIS A REBURIAL?

IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE.

☐ YES    ☒ NO

PLOT NO.

ROW NO.

GRAVE NO.

TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY

PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES

IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINER BURIED WITH BODY

Protestant

SHAW Capt.

IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY.

IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER

☐ YES    ☒ NO

Previously Reported

☐ YES    ☐ NO

REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO LEFT (When viewed from foot of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

GRADE

SERVICE NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

GRAVE NO.

Previously Reported

REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO RIGHT (When viewed from foot of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

GRADE

SERVICE NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

GRAVE NO.

Previously Reported

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT

SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT

This Report prepared by GR Div.

John C. Cook



### SECTION 3. - UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS

INSTRUCTIONS: Great care will be taken to record the most minute clues for the future identification of remains. Fill in anatomical characteristics below, and any other clues under "other" such as shoe size, Social Security number; position of body in airplanes, vehicles, and tanks; and serial number of airplanes, vehicles and tanks.

HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR OF EYES	COLOR OF HAIR	WHERE BODY WAS FOUND (Grid Coordinates)
UNDETERMINED		UNDETERMINED		
BIRTHMARKS, SCARS, OR TATTOOS				LAUNDRY MARKS
None Noted				None Noted
WEAPON(S) WITH SERIAL NUMBER(S)				
None				

OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES (Including other remains recovered or associated with this remains).

#### REMARKS:

The time of interment should be 1100 hours with Captain Shaw conducting burial rites, per letter from 21 Squadron, South African Air Force, APO 970, 14 March 1952.

### SECTION 4. - FINGERPRINTING - FINGERPRINTS OF ALL REMAINS MUST BE TAKEN

IMPRINT ALL FINGERS AND THUMBS (or as many as possible) IN THE PROPER SEQUENCE. Fingers should be clean, dry and not over-inked. Missing fingers should be noted in the proper individual finger blocks. Impressions MUST be recorded in the proper order.

RIGHT HAND				
1 RIGHT THUMB	2 RIGHT INDEX FINGER	3 RIGHT MIDDLE FINGER	4 RIGHT RING FINGER	5 RIGHT LITTLE FINGER
LEFT HAND				
6 LEFT THUMB	7 LEFT INDEX FINGER	8 LEFT MIDDLE FINGER	9 LEFT RING FINGER	10 LEFT LITTLE FINGER

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REMARKS

## NAME AND ARMY SERIAL NUMBER

HARBURN, Richard A.

GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	AGE	RACE	NATIVITY	SERVICE, YEARS
Capt	2 Sqdn SAAF		White	South Africa	

LOCATION WHERE TAGGED:

K-46 Korea

DATE

HOUR

11 Feb

1952

1630

DIAGNOSIS: IF INJURY, STATE HOW, WHEN, WHERE INCURRED

Severe result of aircraft crash. Charred  
Torso and bits of skull and extremities  
removed from crash.

LINE OF DUTY: Yes

TREATMENT GIVEN:

A TRUE COPY:

DONALD BERMAN  
1st. Lt. Inf.

TETANUS TOXOID: DOSE

TIME:

OR

ANTITETANIC SERUM: DOSE

TIME:

MORPHINE: DOSE

TIME:

DISPOSITION:

DATE

HOUR

United Nations Cemeter.

Pusan

SIGNATURE, WITH RANK:

/s/ J. P. A. Venter Capt.

W. D., A. G. O. Form No. 8-26

1 October 1944

16-15434-2 ☆ GPO



SUPPLEMENTAL

RECORD

RELIGION:- Methodist

Identity tags found with body in  
aircraft wreck.

/s/ J.P.A. Venter, Capt.

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FILE

ALLIED

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## REPORT OF INTERMENT

DATE OF REPORT

16 Feb. 1952

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HARBURN, Richard A.

SERVICE NUMBER

Unknown

GRADE

Capt.

ORGANIZATION

2 SQDN. SAAF

BRANCH OF SERVICE

South African  
Air Force

RACE

White

RELIGION

Neth.

COUNTRY (If not U.S.)

South Africa

PLACE OF DEATH

K-46, Korea

CAUSE OF DEATH

Decapitation, charring of body and  
extremities.

DATE OF DEATH

Est. 11 Feb. 52

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON  
BODY (1, 2, or none)

One (1)

IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE ALL MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified,  
fill in section 3 on reverse)

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?

☒ YES 2 ☐ NO (GRS)

COMPLETED TOOTH CHART WILL BE ATTACHED HERETO.

LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME. IF LETTERS FOUND, INCLUDE NAME OF ADDRESSEE  
AND WRITER. GIVE OWNER OF WALLET, ETC.

No personal effects found on remains.

## SECTION 2. - BURIAL (If other than in established cemetery, furnish overlay and attach)

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

United Nations Military Cemetery Tanggok, Korea NP 0896

DATE OF BURIAL

16 Feb. 1952

HOUR

1000

BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name  
of other)

Canvas Square

TYPE OF GRAVE  
MARKER

Cross

PLOT NO.

13

ROW NO.

1

GRAVE NO.

441

WAS THIS A REBURIAL?

☐ YES ☒ NO

IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE.

PLOT NO.

ROW NO.

GRAVE NO.

TYPE OF RELIGIOUS  
CEREMONY

Protestant

PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES

HESTER

Capt.

IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICA-  
TION DATA AND CONTAINER BURIED WITH BODYIDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED  
WITH BODY.☒ YES 2 ☐ NO (GRS)IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED  
TO MARKER☒ YES 1 ☐ NO (GRS)REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO LEFT (When viewed from foot  
of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

STAATS, Robert L.

GRADE

2nd Lt.

SERVICE NUMBER

Unknown

ORGANIZATION

2nd Sqdn.  
SAAF

GRAVE NO.

440

REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO RIGHT (When viewed from foot  
of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

Empty Grave

GRADE

SERVICE NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

GRAVE NO.

442

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT

M. F. DUNLEY 1st Lt. Inf.

SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT

Donald Berman  
DUNLEY 1st Lt. Inf.

DD FORM 551

1 JUL 51

REPLACES QMC FORM 1042, REV.

1 APRIL 1946, WHICH IS OBSOLETE.

HARBURN RICHARD A  
UNKNOWN



## SECTION 3. - UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS

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HEIGHT <b>Undetermined</b>	WEIGHT <b>Undetermined</b>	COLOR OF EYES <b>Undetermined</b>	COLOR OF HAIR <b>Undetermined</b>	WHERE BODY WAS FOUND (Grid Coordinates) <b>Not stated</b>
BIRTHMARKS, SCARS, OR TATTOOS <b>None Noted</b>			LAUNDRY MARKS <b>None Noted</b>	
WEAPON(S) WITH SERIAL NUMBER(S) <b>None</b>				

OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES (Including other remains recovered or associated with this remains).

No clothing received with or on remains.

## REMARKS:

ID. tag found with remains received from E-46, Airfield. Organization, Name, rank, cause and place of death taken from HMT. signed by J.P.A. Venter, Capt. MC. attached Affidavit signed by J.P.A. Venter Capt., and acknowledge by signature (illegible) states that two (2) ID. tags were found with remains, processed. Processing of remains at 9th Army Mortuary reveals one (1) ID. tag with remains, and no serial number found on tag.

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## RIGHT HAND

1 RIGHT THUMB	2 RIGHT INDEX FINGER	3 RIGHT MIDDLE FINGER	4 RIGHT RING FINGER	5 RIGHT LITTLE FINGER
<b>NOT FINGERPRINTED</b>				

## LEFT HAND

6 LEFT THUMB	7 LEFT INDEX FINGER	8 LEFT MIDDLE FINGER	9 LEFT RING FINGER	10 LEFT LITTLE FINGER
<b>NOT FINGERPRINTED</b>				

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REMARKS



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16 FEB. 52

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HARBURN, Richard A.

SERVICE NUMBER

UNKNOWN

GRADE

CAPT.

ORGANIZATION

2 SQDN. SAAF

BRANCH OF SERVICE

SOUTH AFRICAN  
AIR FORCE

RACE

WHITE

RELIGION

METH.

COUNTRY (If not U.S.)

SOUTH AFRICA

PLACE OF DEATH

K-46,  
KOREA

CAUSE OF DEATH

Decapitation, Charring  
of Body + limbs & extremities

DATE OF DEATH

EST.  
11 Feb. 1952IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON  
BODY (1, 2, or none)① ~~ONE~~ TWO ONE

IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE ALL MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse)

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?

☒ YES ☐ NO

(2) TWO GRS

COMPLETED TOOTH CHART WILL BE ATTACHED HERETO.

LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME. IF LETTERS FOUND, INCLUDE NAME OF ADDRESSEE AND WRITER. GIVE OWNER OF WALLET, ETC.

NO PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND

## SECTION 2. - BURIAL (If other than in established cemetery, furnish overlay and attach)

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

Tanggok

DATE OF BURIAL

16 FEB. 52

HOUR

1000

BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other)

CANVAS SQUARE

TYPE OF GRAVE  
MARKER

CROSS

PLOT NO.

13

ROW NO.

1

GRAVE NO.

441

WAS THIS A REBURIAL?

☐ YES ☒ NO

IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE

PLOT NO.

ROW NO.

GRAVE NO.

TYPE OF RELIGIOUS  
CEREMONY

Prot.

PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES

CAPT. HESTER

IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINER BURIED WITH BODY

IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED  
WITH BODY☒ YES ☐ NO

IGRS

IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED  
TO MARKER☒ YES ☐ NO

IGRS

REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO LEFT (When viewed from foot of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

STAATS, ROBERT L.

GRADE

2nd Lt.

SERVICE NUMBER

UNK.

ORGANIZATION

2nd Sqdn.  
S.A.A.F.

GRAVE NO.

440

REMAINS BURIED IN GRAVE TO RIGHT (When viewed from foot of grave), NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

Empty GRAVE

GRADE

SERVICE NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

GRAVE NO.

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT

Bernie Kernbacher

B.A.

SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT

P. C. Wilburn C. Stiles

DD FORM  
1 JUL 51

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HARBURN, RICHARD A.  
UNKNOWN



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HEIGHT <i>Undet.</i>	WEIGHT <i>Undet.</i>	COLOR OF EYES <i>Undet.</i>	COLOR OF HAIR <i>Undet.</i>	WHERE BODY WAS FOUND (Grid Coordinates) <i>none stated</i>
BIRTHMARKS, SCARS, OR TATTOOS <i>NONE NOTED</i>				LAUNDRY MARKS <i>NONE NOTED</i>
WEAPON(S) WITH SERIAL NUMBER(S) <i>NONE NOTED</i>				

OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES (Including other remains recovered or associated with this remains).

*NO CLOTHING RECEIVED WITH OR ON REMAINS*

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<i>REMAINS NOT FINGERPRINTED</i>				

### LEFT HAND

6 LEFT THUMB	7 LEFT INDEX FINGER	8 LEFT MIDDLE FINGER	9 LEFT RING FINGER	10 LEFT LITTLE FINGER
<i>REMAINS NOT FINGERPRINTED</i>				

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REMARKS *Tag Found Remains Rec'd from K 46 Air Field, Korea. Tagged at K 46 Air Field. ORGN, RANK Cause & place of death taken from E.M.T. signed by J. P. Venter, Capt. M.C. Attached AFFIDAVIT signed by Capt. J. P. Venter and acknowledged by [Signature] legible STATES that TWO C.A.S.D.*

*No serial number I.D. Tag.*

*Tags were found w/ remains. PROC. 8th Army Mortuary Reveals (D)*



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# IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN Harburn, Richard A. Capt. A.S.N. Unknown			2. DATE OF REPORT 16 Feb. 52.	
3. NAME OF CEMETERY Tanggok	4. PLOT 13	5. ROW 1	6. GRAVE 441	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT. REINTERMENT

## PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT Undet.	9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT Undet.	10. COLOR OF HAIR Undet.	11. RACE White
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12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS  
 one I.D. Tag found with remains: Harburn, Richard A. ~~Death~~  
~~EMT~~ accompanying remains: Harburn, Richard A. Capt.  
 Affidavit " " states: Harburn, R. A.

13. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF TATTOOS OR SCARS ON BODY AND OR SUCH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES  
 none noted

14. WAS BODY BURNED ? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	TO WHAT EXTENT ? Body charred beyond recognition.
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15. WAS BODY MANGLED ? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	TO WHAT EXTENT ? See skeletal chart <del>decomposition, both arms &amp; legs missing, only small portions</del> of arms & legs these recovered.
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16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS  
 none noted

17. LIST EVERY ITEM OF CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND, SHOWING THE TYPE, COLOR, SIZE, MARKINGS, SERVICE, ETC. (If laundry marks are indistinct such notation should be made and specimen forwarded through channels for examination when facilities are not available in the area)

~~none~~ No clothing found on or with remains.



## IDENTIFICATION DATA

1. REMAINS OF <del>UNKNOWN</del> HARBURN, Richard A. Capt. ASN: Unknown				2. DATE OF REPORT 16 Feb. 1952	
3. NAME OF CEMETERY UN Military Cemetery Tangkok, Korea		4. PLOT 13	5. ROW 1	6. GRAVE 441	7. DATE OF DISINTERMENT --- REINTERMENT ---
PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION					
8. ESTIMATED WEIGHT Undetermined		9. ESTIMATED HEIGHT Undetermined		10. COLOR OF HAIR Undetermined	11. RACE White
12. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF ANY OFFICIAL IDENTIFICATION FOUND WITH REMAINS  One ID. tag found with remains: HARBURN, Richard A. EMT. accompanying remains : HARBURN, Richard A. Capt. Affidavit accompanying remains state: HARBURN, R. A.					
13. GIVE DESCRIPTION OF TATTOOS OR SCARS ON BODY AND OR SUCH INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM OTHER SOURCES  None Noted					
14. WAS BODY BURNED ? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		TO WHAT EXTENT ? Body charred beyond recognition.			
15. WAS BODY MANGLED ? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		TO WHAT EXTENT ? See skeletal chart.			
16. DESCRIBE EVIDENCE OF HEALED FRACTURES AND BONE MALFORMATIONS  None Noted					
17. LIST EVERY ITEM OF CLOTHING, EQUIPMENT AND PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND, SHOWING THE TYPE, COLOR, SIZE, MARKINGS, SERVICE, ETC. (If laundry marks are indistinct such notation should be made and specimen forwarded through channels for examination when facilities are not available in the area)  No clothing found on or with remains.					



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TOOTH CHART

HARBURN, Richard A. SN: Unk. Capt.

MISSING TEETH: ALL TEETH MISSING THROUGH EXTRACTION (NOT THOSE FRACTURED OR DISPLACED BY RECENT WOUNDS) SHOULD BE "X" D OUT AND LABELED THUS:

Plot 13, Row 1, Grave 441

UN Military Cemetery Tangkok, Korea

CROWNED TEETH: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD PORCELAIN SILVER OR GOLD AND PORCELAIN), THUS:

BRIDGE WORK: BLOCK IN SOLID AND CROWN OF TOOTH (LABEL GOLD BRIDGE, GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE), THUS:

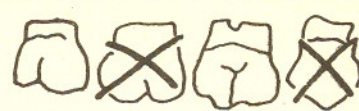
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CARIES (Cavities): OUTLINE LOCATION AND SIZE OF CAVITY, SHADE IN THUS:

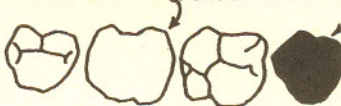
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SIDE VIEW

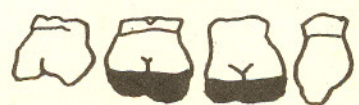
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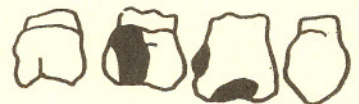
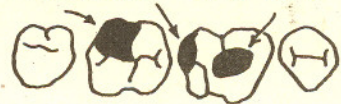
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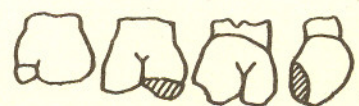
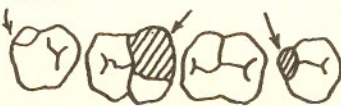
GOLD BRIDGE



GOLD FILLING SILVER FILLING



CAVITY DECAYED



RIGHT

LEFT

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

SIDE VIEWS

SIDE VIEWS

TOP VIEWS

UPPER

LOWER

SIDE VIEWS

16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

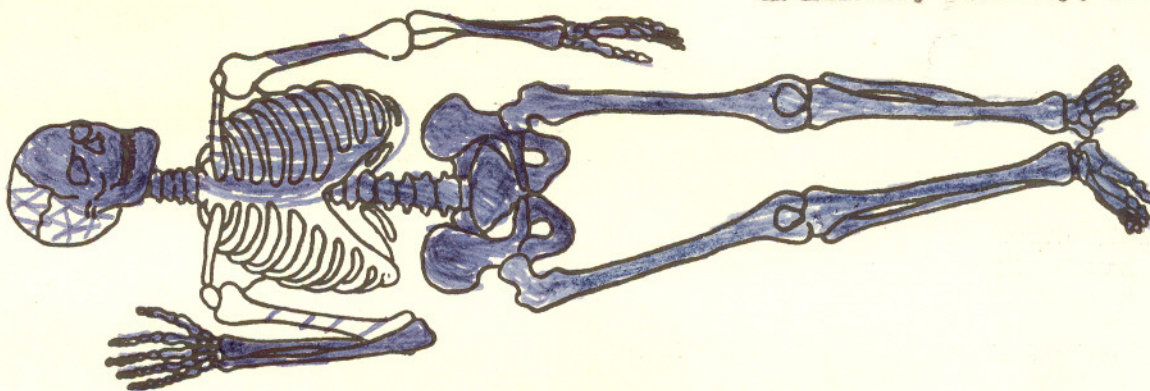
DENTURES (Plates): DRAW DIAGRAM OF RELATIVE SIZE AND SHAPE OF PLATE, BLOCK IN TEETH ATTACHED AND INDICATE RETAINING CLASPS ON NATURAL TEETH WITH THE WORD, "CLASP."

MANDIBLE & MAXILLA MISSING



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19. BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT COVERED

HARBURN, Richard A. SN: Unknown Capt. Plot 13, Row 1, Grave 441  
UN Military Cemetery, Tanggok,  
Korea



20. MASS BURIAL CERTIFICATE (IF APPLICABLE)  
(Wherein segregation in whole or parts is impossible)

I Certify that the Group Remains Consist of Parts of \_\_\_\_\_ Decedents Based on the Presence of One or More of the Follow-  
ing Anatomical Parts : NUMBER

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

21. REMARKS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

I Certify that I Have Personally Viewed the Remains of Deceased and that All Resulting Information Has Been Recorded to  
the Best of My Knowledge

TYPED NAME, GRADE, ARM OR SERVICE, AND ORGANIZATION

PFC Bennie E. Kornbacher

SIGNATURE

*Bennie E. Kornbacher*



AFFIDAVIT.

I, Temporary Captain JOHANNES PETRUS VENTER, South African Medical Corps, Permanent Force, attached to the South African Air Force, in South Korea, duly sworn, states:-

I am Medical Officer attached to No. 2 Squadron, S.A.A.F., stationed at K-10 airfield, South Korea.

On 11 February, 1952, I proceeded to K-46 airfield from K-10. From the airfield, I went to the wreck of a crashed and burnt out F-51 aircraft with South African markings and with No. 375 visible, in the company of the Detachment Commander, Captain J.S. Montgomery. At 16.30 hours I removed the Charred remains of a human body from the wreckage. The body was charred beyond recognition, decapitated and both arms and legs missing. Bits of charred legs and arms were found with the rest of the body and also bits of the human skull. Two Identity tags with "Captain R.A. Harburn Meth" on them were found with the body.

/s/ J. P. A. Venter Captain

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/t/ J. P. A. VENTER. Captain

THE DEPONENT ACKNOWLEDGES THAT HE KNOWS AND UNDERSTANDS THE CONTENTS OF THIS AFFIDAVIT.

SWORN BEFORE ME AT K-10 AIRFIELD THIS....14th...DAY OF.....February.....1952.

.....(signature illegible).....CAPTAIN : P.F.,  
EX OFFICIO JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

(COPY)



AFFIDAVIT.

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/s/ J. P. A. Venter Captain

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/t/ J. P. A. VENTER. Captain

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(signature illegible)  
.....CAPTAIN : P.F.,  
EX OFFICIO JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

(COPY)



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HARBURN, Richard A.

SN: Unknown

Capt.

Plot 13, Row 1, Grave 441

UN Military Cemetery Tanggok, Korea

## SKELETAL CHART

S&R#

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED)

RIGHT

LEFT

SKULL \_\_\_\_\_ Ins

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
Est Age \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs


Est Height \_\_\_\_\_

Condition of Remains

 - Missing

 - Burned

 - Fractured

 - Shattered

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HARBURN, Richard A.



HEADQUARTERS  
2D LOGISTICAL COMMAND (C)  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER  
APO 59

WFD/hjw

QM 293

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Reports of Interment

25 FEB 1952

TO: Office of the Quartermaster  
Headquarters, Eighth U.S. Army Korea  
APO 301  
ATTN: GPO

1. Transmitted herewith are eight (8) reports of interment pertaining to remains interred at United Nations Military Cemetery, Tanggok, Korea in the following plots, rows, and graves:

<u>PLOT</u>	<u>ROW</u>	<u>GRAVE</u>
13	1	441
16	10	660
16	11	661
19	7	1048
19	7	1049
23	12	1683
41	1	3611
41	1	3612

2. Request acknowledgement of receipt by indorsement hereon.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER:

8 Incls:  
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Delivered from K-10 air strip  
14 February 1952  
at 1600 hours

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>SERVICE NUMBER</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>
Harburn, Richard A.	Captain	Unknown	South African