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1. LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL RINK TOM J			2. ARMY SERIAL NO. 39 343 501		3. GRADE PFC	4. ARM OR SERVICE FA	5. COMPONENT AUS	
6. ORGANIZATION 787 FA BN			7. DATE OF SEPARATION 28 FEB 46		8. PLACE OF SEPARATION SEPARATION CENTER FORT LEWIS WASH			
9. PERMANENT ADDRESS FOR MAILING PURPOSES OREGON RT 1 BOX 1002 KLAMATH FALLS KLAMATH CO				10. DATE OF BIRTH 15 SEP 25		11. PLACE OF BIRTH ALDEN OKLAHOMA		
12. ADDRESS FROM WHICH EMPLOYMENT WILL BE SOUGHT SEE 9				13. COLOR EYES GREY	14. COLOR HAIR BROWN	15. HEIGHT 5'10"	16. WEIGHT 175 LBS.	17. NO. DEPEND. NONE
18. RACE WHITE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NEGRO <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (specify) <input type="checkbox"/>		19. MARITAL STATUS SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (specify) <input type="checkbox"/>		20. U.S. CITIZEN YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		21. CIVILIAN OCCUPATION AND NO. STUDENT HIGH SCHOOL X-02		

MILITARY HISTORY

22. DATE OF INDUCTION 12 JAN 44		23. DATE OF ENLISTMENT		24. DATE OF ENTRY INTO ACTIVE SERVICE 2 FEB 44		25. PLACE OF ENTRY INTO SERVICE PORTLAND OREGON	
SELECTIVE SERVICE DATA YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	26. REGISTERED YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	27. LOCAL S.S. BOARD NO. 2	28. COUNTY AND STATE KLAMATH ORE		29. HOME ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENTRY INTO SERVICE SEE 9		
30. MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALTY AND NO. RIFLEMAN 745				31. MILITARY QUALIFICATION AND DATE (i.e., infantry, aviation and marksmanship badges, etc.) SHARPSHOOTER M1 RIFLE COMBAT INFANTRY-/ MANS BADGE			
32. BATTLES AND CAMPAIGNS ARDENNES RHINELAND CENTRAL EUROPE							
33. DECORATIONS AND CITATIONS DISTINGUISHED UNIT BADGE PURPLE HEART MEDAL WITH ONE BRONZE OAK LEAF CLUSTER * VICTORY MEDAL GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL EUROPEAN AFRICAN MIDDLE EASTERN SERVICE MEDAL							
34. WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION E A M E 25 NOV 44 31 DEC 44							
35. LATEST IMMUNIZATION DATES SMALLPOX TYPHOID TETANUS OTHER (specify) FEB 44 JUN 45 AUG 44 NOV 45 TYPH				36. SERVICE OUTSIDE CONTINENTAL U. S. AND RETURN DATE OF DEPARTURE DESTINATION DATE OF ARRIVAL 22 OCT 44 E A M E 2 NOV 44 10 FEB 46 U S A 20 FEB 46			
37. TOTAL LENGTH OF SERVICE CONTINENTAL SERVICE FOREIGN SERVICE YEARS MONTHS DAYS YEARS MONTHS DAYS 0 8 28 1 3 28			38. HIGHEST GRADE HELD PFC		39. PRIOR SERVICE NONE		
40. REASON AND AUTHORITY FOR SEPARATION CONVENIENCE OF GOVERNMENT RR 1-1 (DEMOBILIZATION) AR 615-365 15 DEC 44							
41. SERVICE SCHOOLS ATTENDED NONE						42. EDUCATION (Years) Grammar High School College 8 2 0	

PAY DATA

43. LONGEVITY FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS 2 1 17			44. MUSTERING OUT PAY TOTAL THIS PAYMENT \$ 300 \$ 100		45. SOLDIER DEPOSITS None	46. TRAVEL PAY \$ 23.90	47. TOTAL AMOUNT, NAME OF DISBURSING OFFICER 213.90 WALTER S BURK MAJOR FD
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INSURANCE NOTICE

IMPORTANT IF PREMIUM IS NOT PAID WHEN DUE OR WITHIN THIRTY-ONE DAYS THEREAFTER, INSURANCE WILL LAPSE. MAKE CHECKS OR MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO THE TREASURER OF THE U. S. AND FORWARD TO COLLECTIONS SUBDIVISION, VETERANS ADMINISTRATION, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

48. KIND OF INSURANCE Nat. Serv. U.S. Govt. None X		49. HOW PAID Allotment Direct to V. A. X		50. Effective Date of Allotment Discontinuance 28 FEB 46	51. Date of Next Premium Due (One month after 50) 31 MAR 46	52. PREMIUM DUE EACH MONTH \$ 6 40	53. INTENTION OF VETERAN TO Continue Continue Only Discontinue X	
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54. 55. REMARKS (This space for completion of above items or entry of other items specified in W. D. Directives)
LAPEL BUTTON ISSUED
ASR SCORE (2 SEP 45) 55
INACTIVE SERVICE ERC 12 JAN 44 TO 2 FEB 44
* GO 3 HQ INF DIV 3 JAN 45 & GO 92 HQ 80 INF DIV 2 DEC 44

56. SIGNATURE OF PERSON BEING SEPARATED Tom J. Rink		57. PERSONNEL OFFICER (Type name, grade and organization - signature) H M SEBASTIAN MAJOR AGD H M Sebastian	
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SEPARATION QUALIFICATION RECORD

SAVE THIS FORM. IT WILL NOT BE REPLACED IF LOST

This record of job assignments and special training received in the Army is furnished to the soldier when he leaves the service. In its preparation, information is taken from available Army records and supplemented by personal interview. The information about civilian education and work experience is based on the individual's own statements. The veteran may present this document to former employers, prospective employers, representatives of schools or colleges, or use it in any other way that may prove beneficial to him.

1. LAST NAME—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE INITIAL RINK, TOM J.			MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS		
			10. MONTHS	11. GRADE	12. MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALTY
2. ARMY SERIAL No. 39 343 501	3. GRADE Pfc	4. SOCIAL SECURITY No. Unknown	4	Pvt	Basic Tng. Infantry 521
5. PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS (Street, City, County, State) Rt. 1 Box 1002 Klamath Falls Klamath County, Oregon			21	Pfc	Rifleman 745
6. DATE OF ENTRY INTO ACTIVE SERVICE 2 Feb 44	7. DATE OF SEPARATION 28 Feb 46	8. DATE OF BIRTH 15 Sep 25			
9. PLACE OF SEPARATION Ft. Lewis, Washington					

SUMMARY OF MILITARY OCCUPATIONS

13. TITLE—DESCRIPTION—RELATED CIVILIAN OCCUPATION

RIFLEMAN: As a member of the 80th Infantry Division was assigned to a rifle company. Saw combat in France, Belgium, Germany, Austria and Czechoslovakia. Fired a rifle at enemy personnel. Helped attack, capture and hold enemy positions. Used all Infantry weapons including rifles, hand grenades, and all small arms. Was thoroughly familiar with the use of the bayonet and the techniques of hand to hand combat. Used all available cover and camouflage. Was twice wounded in action.

MILITARY EDUCATION

14. NAME OR TYPE OF SCHOOL—COURSE OR CURRICULUM—DURATION—DESCRIPTION

None

CIVILIAN EDUCATION

15. HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED 2 yrs H S	16. DEGREES OR DIPLOMAS None	17. YEAR LEFT SCHOOL 1943	OTHER TRAINING OR SCHOOLING	
18. NAME AND ADDRESS OF LAST SCHOOL ATTENDED Klamath Union High School Klamath Falls, Oregon			20. COURSE—NAME AND ADDRESS OF SCHOOL—DATE Arc Welding: Vocational School Klamath Falls, Oregon 1943	21. DURATION 3 months
19. MAJOR COURSES OF STUDY Academic				

CIVILIAN OCCUPATIONS

22. TITLE—NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER—INCLUSIVE DATES—DESCRIPTION

STUDENT, HIGH SCHOOL: Attended Klamath Union High School, Klamath Falls, Oregon from 1941 to 1943. Took algebra 1 yr. geometry 1 yr. wood shop 1 yr. English, civics, general science, geography.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

23. REMARKS

None

24. SIGNATURE OF PERSON BEING SEPARATED	25. SIGNATURE OF SEPARATION CLASSIFICATION OFFICER <i>J. Andrus</i>	26. NAME OF OFFICER (Typed or Stamped) J. ANDRUS 1st Lt. Inf.
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