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## S-Sgt Long Reported KIA

Staff Sergeant Winfield V. Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Long, of York road, Kings Mountain, who was reported by the War Department to be missing in action on August 12, 1943, has officially been declared dead, date of death established as August 2, 1944, according to a letter received by his parents from the War Department.

S-Sgt. Long served in the Air Corps as a tail-gunner and had three German planes to his credit at the time he was shot down in a raid on Ploesti Romania oil fields on August 1, 1943. Two months before he was shot down he was one of two persons to escape injury in a crash in England in which nine persons lost their lives.

He is survived in addition to his parents, by a brother, Clifford J. of Kings Mountain, who served with the 8th Infantry Division during the war.

The letter follows:

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"Dear Mr. and Mrs. Long: I am writing you relative to the previous letter from this office in which you were regretfully informed that a Finding of Death has been made in the case of your son, Staff Sergeant Winfield C. Long, 54,118, 630, Air Corps, and that the presumptive date of the his death had been established as 2 August '44.

"Under the revised provisions of the Missing Persons Act, the War Department is enabled to establish an actual date of death and issue an official report of death in any case where the circumstances under which that person became missing in action lead to no other logical conclusion.

The Missing Act Crew Report submitted by the 329th Bombardment Squadron, 93rd Bombardment Group, identifies your son as a crew member of a B-24 type aircraft which was lost on a combat mission to Ploesti, Romania on 1 August 1943. The crew consisted of ten members, one of whom parachuted to safety and has since returned to the United States, one who has been reported killed in action and the remaining eight, of whom your son was one, have been carried in the status of presumed dead. A statement included in the report show that two crew members of other aircraft saw your son's plane, flying at ground level, suddenly go into a climb at which time they saw one parachute emerge. Seconds later the climb ended in a stall and the plane nosed into a crash. The

gent Jack J. Neau, whose home address is 2818 Nashville Street, El Paso, Texas, submitted a report in which he stated that he bailed out at an altitude of between 100 and 200 feet after the plane had sustained several flak hits which caused serious damage and which set the aircraft afire. He further stated that the low altitude prevents bailing out and that it was his belief that all of the remaining crew members were killed in the crash. In view of these facts and the knowledge that more than three years have elapsed since he was reported missing in action, it may only be concluded that your son was killed in action at Ploesti, Romania, on 1 August 1943 when his plane sustained damage by flak and crashed while flying at an extremely low altitude. The records of the War Department have been amended accordingly.

"Pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 490, 77th Congress 7 March 1942 as amended, official reports will now be issued by the War Department which will indicate the actual date of his death as that shown above.

"My continued sympathy is with you in the great loss you have sustained.

"Sincerely yours,  
Edward F. Witsell, Major General,  
the Adjutant General of the Army."

**Letter To Editor**

"Dear Editor:  
"We wish to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Kings Mountain Fire Department for their quick work in extinguishing a blaze near our store Saturday morning.

"In just a matter of seconds after the alarm, Chief Grady King and his fine fighters were at the scene with their equipment in operation.

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