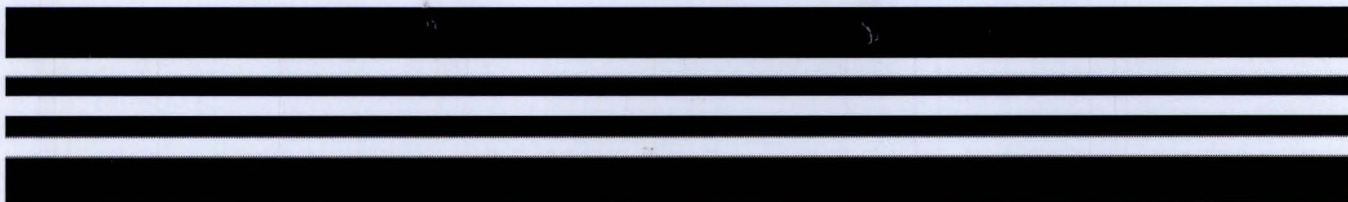
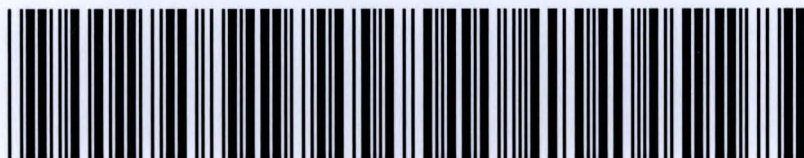


293 UNKNOWN X-46

LUXEMBOURG (HAMM) '46mls



### IDPF Segment Sheet



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GP-36-JK-86255  
X-46[LUXEMBOURGE]

Inventory: MG

Scan: AB

De-Prep: S. White

QC: LAC

7887 GRAVES DETACHMENT

APO 757

*943 unk Hamm X-46*

*ms*  
Attached hereto are case papers for an approved unidentifiable case which are considered to be of investigative importance. Records of this headquarters indicate these case papers were not previously forwarded to OQMG for:

UNKNOWN X-46, HAMM

(FOC) HAMM

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*27 Feb 51*

*M. Martin*

*Ad Sec*

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Company Report of Reburial

Only PART I should be completed, if identification tags are available.  
Both PART I & II should be completed if identification tags are not available.  
If information is unavailable, so indicate.

PART I  
(Positive Identification)

27 Feb.  
24 March 1945  
Date

1. UNKNOWN  
(Full name of deceased) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)

2. State if identification tags were attached to remains, how many, and where attached  
No tags

3. Give exact location from which disinterred, furnishing coordinates and map series used  
Map Ref Metz Sheet 13, Scale 1:50000 Coord (780513)

Approx 3 km North Jouy-aux-Arches-6 km south of Metz, France

NOTE: ATTACH OVERLAY SHOWING EXACT LOCATION OF ISOLATED GRAVE TYING LOCATION IN WITH PERMANENT LANDMARKS.

4. Full name of cemetery (if buried in an organized cemetery)  
Not in cemetery

5. Approximate or established date of death (state which & give basis for date selected)  
Unknown

6. Approximate or established date of burial (give basis for date established)  
Not buried

7. Manner in which grave was marked and all information contained on the marker  
No grave

8. List personal effects found in possession of civilian or unauthorized military personnel, furnishing name and address of individuals concerned  
No personal effects

9. Names and addresses of all persons questioned concerning death or burial and information each furnished (contact local Mayor, priest, cemetery caretaker, those responsible for burial and any others possessing important information).  
No civilians in this area knew about the body

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PART II  
(Doubtful or Undetermined Identification)

10. Fill in any information available regarding name, rank, ASN, or organization (Check cemetery records and office)  
none

11. 5'6" 160 to 170 lbs Unknown Unknown  
(Est Height) (Est Weight) (Color of Hair) (Color of Eyes)

12. Give description of facial features and body characteristics if possible, including the presence of scars, moles, circumcision, tatoos, length of hair, presence of mustache or beard, etc.

To be filled in at cemetery ( see additional information on Report of Burial)

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13. Give as detailed description as possible of condition and amount of remains All members present. No hair on skull. Impossible to recognize facial features. Body so badly deteriorated that it was hard to handle without same falling apart

14. Give probable cause of death, type & location of wounds (is there evidence that body was burned) Body not burned. Bullet wounds in middle of back, left rump and left thigh half way between knee and hip.

15. Give minute description of all effects, clothing & shoes, including clothes markings & sizes, as well as shoe size. List each item of clothing, with a description of any unusual cuts, designs markings, pockets, colors, patches, etc. Also list, with detailed descriptions, all effects without intrinsic value, such as gum, food, soap, papers, letters, tobacco, etc., giving brands when applicable:

To be filled in at cemetery ( see additional information on Report of Burial)

16. Give description of any vehicle found in the area that could be connected with the death of the deceased Does not apply

(Type) (WD Serial No.) (Organization) (Serial No. &

Type of each gun)

17. Give exact location of remains in vehicle before removal Does not apply

18. If buried in a coffin, give description and markings No coffin

19. List names of all other deceased persons buried in the vicinity. Also give available information concerning the cause & place of death of each that may assist in identification of these remains

none

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*E. R. De Weese*  
E. R. DE WEESE  
1st Lt. QMC  
609th QM Gr. Reg. Co.

20. Other pertinent information which would aid in establishing identity Body was found floating in water. It is possible death occurred a long distance from where it was picked up.

Henry Councilman 1st Sgt. 20518190 6018th QM G. R. Co.  
(Individual in Charge of Disinterment) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)

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HEADQUARTERS  
THIRD UNITED STATES ARMY  
APO 403

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AG 293.10 - GNMCQ-2

23 April 1945

SUBJECT: Unidentified Deceased Personnel. (Unknown X-46, Hamm)

THRU : Commanding General, First United States Army, APO 230,  
U. S. Army.

TO : Commanding General, 7th Armored Division, APO 257, US  
Army.

1. Attention is invited to the attached report of burial of Unknown X-46, US Military Cemetery No. 1, Hamm, Luxembourg. The remains of Johnie M. Bates, 14035681, and Unknown X-46 were recovered in the same area and both bodies were in an advanced state of decomposition. The shoe size, trousers size and description of wounds of Unknown X-46 is shown on the report of burial.

2. It is requested that a check be made in units under your command to obtain the names of men who are carried as MIA at the time and place at which Bates became a casualty, and a similar check for the names of men reported deceased but for whom no report of burial has been received. When the names are obtained it is requested that they be sifted on the basis of shoe size, trousers size and type of wounds. If the names of any men who might be identified with Unknown X-46 are discovered, it is requested that they be forwarded to this headquarters.

3. If information is not available for any of the men still unaccounted for, it is requested that their names be furnished in order that it may be obtained from the War Department in Washington.

For the Commanding General:

RECEIVED  
27 APR 1945  
U.S. Army  
HQ

*H A Engler*  
H. A. ENGLER,  
Captain, A. G. D.,  
Asst. Adjutant General

1 Incl: Report of Burial

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HEADQUARTERS FIRST UNITED STATES ARMY, APO 230,

2 MAY 1945

**A** TO: Commanding General, 7th Armored Division, APO 257.



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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

TO: Commanding General, 7th Armored Division, APO 257.  
FROM: Commanding General, 1st Infantry Division, APO 230.  
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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AG 704 (A) (Cas)  
(23 Apr 45)

2d Ind.

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Hq 7th Armd Div, APO 257, U. S. Army, 22 May 1945

To: Commanding General, Third U. S. Army, APO 403, U. S. Army  
(Attn: AG Casualty Division) (Thru Channels)

1. This headquarters has conducted an investigation with the view of determining the identity of Unknown X-46, and said investigation revealed the following:

a. That the 23d Armored Infantry Battalion was engaged in action during the period Johnie M. Bates became a casualty, in the vicinity of Dornot, France.

b. That the following named enlisted men of the 23d Armored Infantry Battalion were reported as being MIA, on dated indicated; as a result of this action:

- Pfc Ray H. Colvin, 36 199 254, Company "C", MIA 11 Sep 44
- S Sgt Crawford, James W, 34 254 893, Company "C", MIA 8 Sep 44
- Sgt Grant A. Fossum, 36 213 321, Company "C", MIA 11 Sep 44
- Pvt Lloyd Foy, 34 253 686, Company "B", MIA 10 Sep 44
- Pfc Edward H. Glarman, 39 023 910, Company "B", MIA 7 Sep 44
- Pfc William F. Halloran, 32 257 356, Company "C", MIA 11 Sep 44
- Pfc Arthur W. Havard, 34 272 679, Company "C", MIA 11 Sep 44
- Tec 5 James L McGaughy, 36 313 896, Bn Hq, MIA 11 Sep 44
- Pvt Paul E. Piskla, 33 543 449, Company "A", MIA 11 Sep 44
- Pfc John Ponsone, 34 192 303, Company "B", MIA 10 Sep 44
- Pfc Wilburn Underwood, 34 269 379, Company "B", MIA 10 Sep 44

c. That clothing records available have been checked and fail to agree with clothing sizes listed on Report of Burial for Unknown X-46.

2. It is the opinion of this headquarters that Unknown X-46 is undoubtedly one of the enlisted men listed in paragraph 1b, above.

3. The 23d Armored Infantry Battalion, crossed the Moselle River in the vicinity of Dornot, France, but were forced to withdraw across the river, and the enlisted men referred to became casualties during this period of operations.

4. It is requested that in the event Unknown X-46 is identified as one of the enlisted men listed in paragraph 1b, above, that this headquarters be furnished a copy of corrected Report of Burial.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:



*H. V. Cary*  
H. V. CARY

WOJG, USA

Assistant Adjutant General

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Myrtle Martin*

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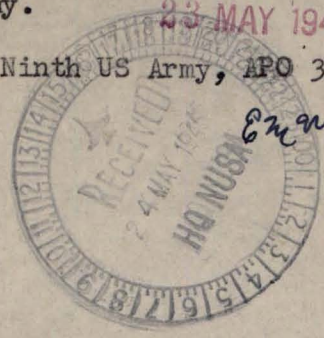
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HEADQUARTERS VII CORPS, APO 307, US Army.

TO: Commanding General, Rear Echelon, Ninth US Army, APO 339

23 MAY 1945



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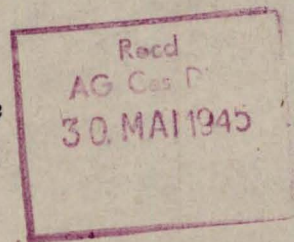
(23 Apr 45) (Unknown X-46, Hamm)

HQ, NINTH US ARMY, APO 339, US Army, 26 May 1945.

TO: CG, Third US Army, APO 403, US Army.

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M. J. B.



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*Per auth. AR 30-1815 C2*  
*myrtle martin*  
*27 Feb 51*

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HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND  
EUROPEAN AREA  
APO 58 US ARMY

RRE 293

26th January 1949  
(Date)

SUBJECT: Unidentifiable Remains.

TO: The Quartermaster General  
Memorial Division  
Washington 25, D.C.

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X - 46, Plot T  
Row 8, Grave 200, USMC HAMM, Luxembourg have been  
reviewed and it is the opinion of this office that insufficient  
evidence is available to establish the identity of this deceased,  
and that these remains should be classified as unidentifiable.

2. Report of Reprocessing was forwarded to your office  
by letter of transmittal No. 2558, dated 24 November 1947.  
No further information is available.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

*George L. Freeman*  
GEORGE L. FREEMAN  
1st Lt QMC  
Actg Asst Adj Gen

*293  
Cmk. Luxembourg (Hamm) X-46*

Received TL # 3437-47-649  
Not identifiable from  
information presently  
available **QMG**

*N. James  
Mr. Larkin  
3-18-49*

*Inc # 4*

AGRC FORM No. 11  
Revised 16 Sept. 1946  
Formerly "Check List  
of Unknowns")

# IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST

(To be completely filled out and attached to each copy  
of Report of Interment WD QMC Form 1042)

Unknown X-46  
Cemetery Hamm, Luxembourg  
Plot T Row B Grave 200

1. Date reprocessed: 4 Nov. 1947  
~~Arrived at cemetery~~ (Hour) (Date)

2. Place of death (Name of closest town) (Coordinates and letter Prefix, maps)  
(Sheet, scale and serials used)

3. Remains ~~recovered or~~ disinterred by Mobile Team Central Identification Point  
(Name and organization) AGRC EA

4. Evacuated to Cemetery by (Name and organization)

5. Description of clothing and equipment: (if clothes do not fit, obtain size from body measurements)

Item	Clothing Markings	Sizes	Indicate unusual markings color, wear, tear, repairs, etc.
* Headgear	<u>none</u>		
Raincoat	<u>none</u>		
Overcoat	<u>none</u>		
Jacket, Field	<u>none</u>		
Jacket, Combat	<u>none</u>		
Mackinaw	<u>none</u>		
Sweater	<u>none</u>		
Jacket, HBT	<u>none</u>		
* Shirt, Wool OD	<u>none</u>		
Undershirt, Wool	<u>none</u>		
Undershirt, Cotton	<u>none</u>		
Trousers, HBT	<u>none</u>		
* Trousers, Wool OD	<u>Remnants of</u>		

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Belt, web ..... none

Drawers, wool ..... none

Drawers, cotton ..... none

Leggings, wool ..... none

Socks, cotton ..... none

\* Shoes ..... 1 pair ..... (type) service size 7 1/2 D

Overshoes ..... none

Web Equipment ..... none ..... (type)

(Other item) ..... none

(Other item) ..... none

\* If body is nude, sizes of these items should be computed by measuring the remains

Chevrons or Insignia ..... none  
(Type & location; shirt, jacket, coat, helmet)

Shoulder Patch ..... none

Does clothing indicate that deceased was a member of the Air, Ground or Naval Force? UTD

6. Description of Remains :  
 Left Humerus: 33,7      Femur: 46,6  
 " Radius : 24,9      Tibia: 37,3  
 " Ulna: 26,7      Fibula: 37,2

Age UTD      Est. Height 5'7 5/8"      Weight UTD      Description of wounds UTD

Bandages or dressings UTD      Scars UTD  
 (Length, width, location)

UTD      Tattoos  
 (Number, location — illustrate on separate page)

Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks UTD  
 (Yes-no; description, location)

Sunburn or tan, other than hand and face UTD

Complexion UTD  
 (Light, medium, dark, clear, pimples, poeks, freckles)

Build UTD  
 (Large, fat, thin, muscular)

Hair none found  
 (Color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight, whorls, or definite parting)

Hair UTD  
 (Baldness, widows peak, distinctive cutting or other characteristics)

Sideburns UTD      Mustache UTD      Beard or UTD  
 (Color, setting, shape)      (Color, size, shape)      (Length, heavy)

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Goatee UTD ..... (Light, color, extent)

Eyes UTD ..... Eyebrows UTD .....  
 (Color, setting, shape) (Color, bushiness, extent across nose)

Nose UTD ..... Ears UTD .....  
 (Size, shape, straight) (Size, set close to or far from head)

Mouth UTD ..... Lips UTD .....  
 (Large, medium, small) (Small, large, full)

Teeth see tooth chart .....  
 (White, size, unevenness, spacing, noticeable crowns, fillings, extracts)

Chin UTD .....  
 (Prominent, receding, pointed, dimples, double)

Jaw UTD ..... Circumference of head in inches 21 3/4 .....  
 (Large, small, normal) (Hat band)

Neck UTD ..... Larynx UTD .....  
 (Size, length, short, normal, wrinkled) (Prominent, normal)

Shoulders UTD ..... Arms UTD .....  
 (Broad, straight, small, rounded) (Length, muscular, color, extent and quantity of hair)

Hands UTD .....

Fingers UTD .....  
 (Short, thick, long, slender, size of knuckles, missing fingers or joints)

.....  
 (Unusual characteristics of fingernails)

Chest UTD .....  
 (Size of nipples, color, quantity and extent of hair, large, small, normal)

Waist UTD .....  
 (Size of navel, appendectomy, amount, quantity, and color of hair)

Back UTD ..... Circumcision UTD ..... Pubic Hair blond .....  
 (Quantity and extent of hair) (Yes-no) (Color)

Hernioplasty UTD .....  
 (Yes-no; location)

Legs UTD .....  
 (Inseam, muscular, knock-kneed, bowed, normal, quantity, color and extent of hair)

Feet UTD ..... Toes UTD .....  
 (Size, corns, callouses, flat) (Slender, straight, crooked, overlap)

Evidence of healed fractures none .....  
 (Nose, arms, legs, etc.)

NOTE: Use attached charts "A" and "B" to indicate parts not received.

see attached chart

7. Have finger prints been placed on Report of Interment? no (Yes-no)

If not, explain fingers missing

8. Has tooth chart been prepared? yes (Yes-no) If not, explain

9. Remarks Remains received with small amount of decomposed flesh. Estimated weight 16 lbs. Fluoroscopic examination negative. Few remnants of clothing recovered, badly deteriorated, no markings evident. No GRS. tag found. Burial bottle found with remains. ( Re-Buried with remains) Nothing found to warrant Chemical Laboratory examination. Case remains " UNKNOWN ".

I certify that I have personally viewed the remains of subject deceased and all resulting information has been recorded to the best of my knowledge.

Ernest C. Gaddy  
ERNEST C. GADDY  
(Officer's Name)

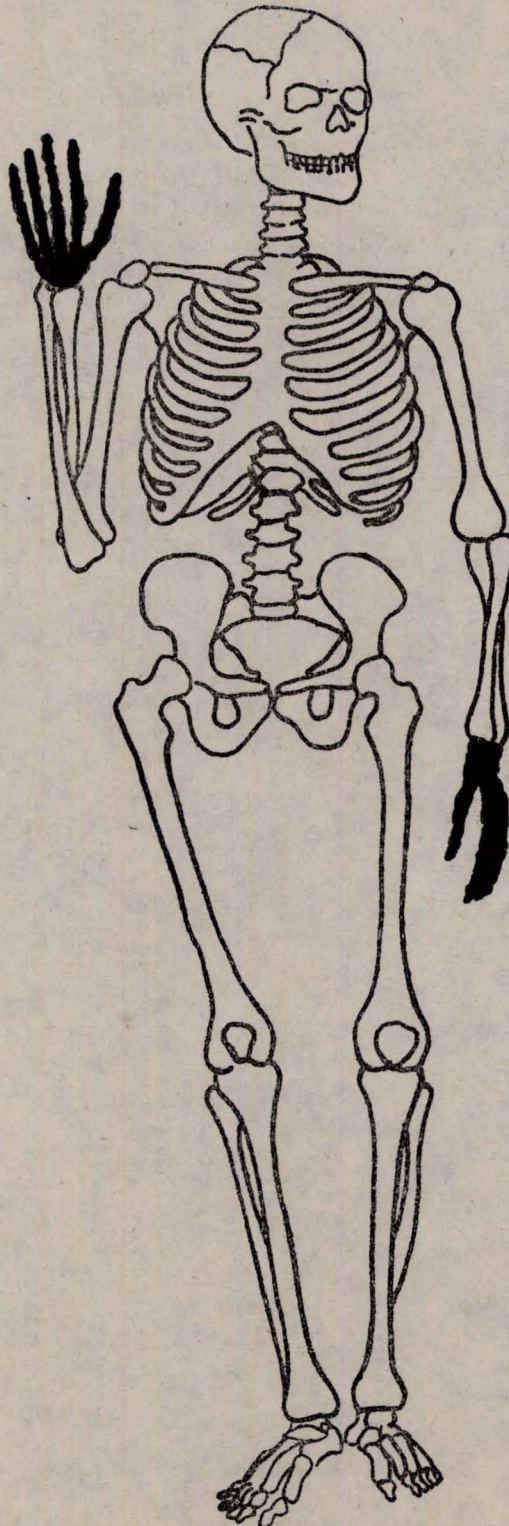
GWO USA  
Rank Service

Central Identification Point  
(Organization)

X-46  
Ham, Luxembourg  
Plot: T  
Row: 8  
Grave: 200

# SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)



Humerus: 33,7  
Radius: 24,9  
Ulna: 26,7  
Femur: 46,6  
Tibia: 37,3  
Fibula: 37,2

G. R. & E. DIV.  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER  
HQ, COM. ZONE, ETOUSA

11-46  
Name, Luxembourg  
Plot: T Row: 8  
Grave: 200

# TOOTH CHART

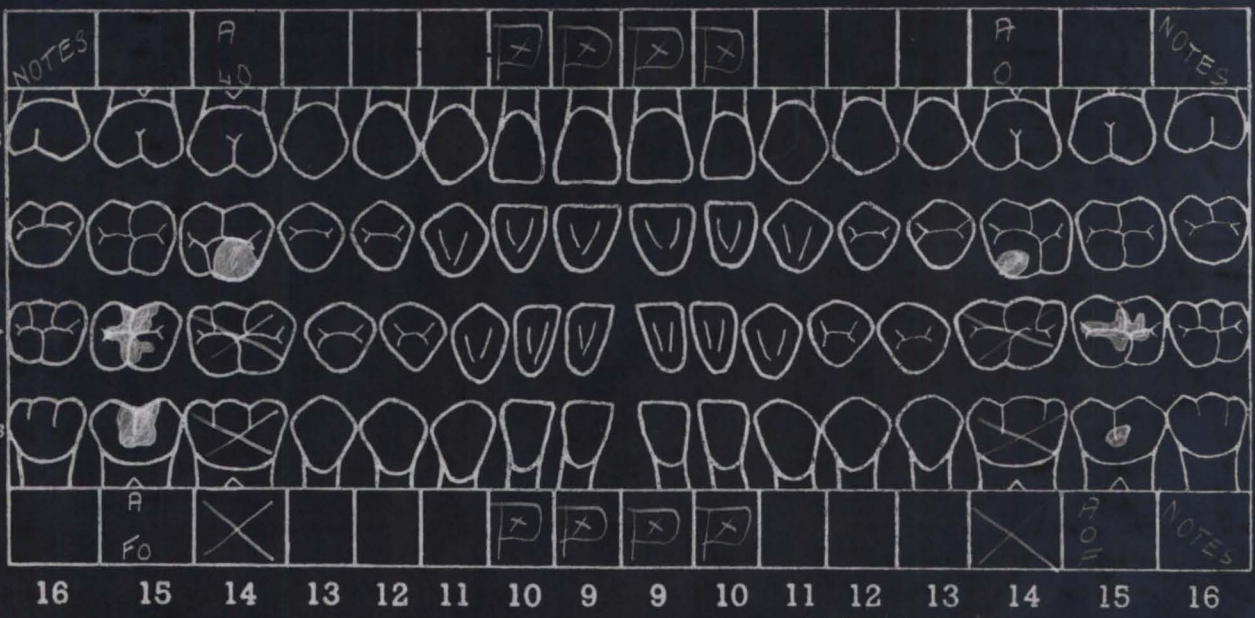
4 Nov 1947  
Date

11-46 Name, Luxembourg  
Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.  
Unit Organization  
Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death

Right

Left

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



This dental chart is very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found. See reverse side for illustrations.

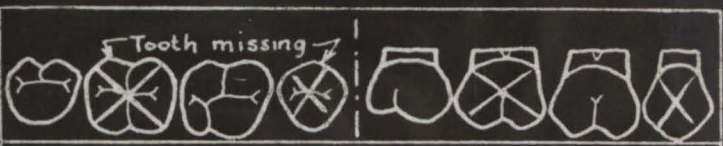
*Lawrence De Shaw*  
Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

*Ernest C. Gaddy*  
Verified by G. R. S. Officer

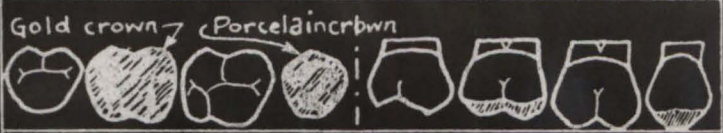
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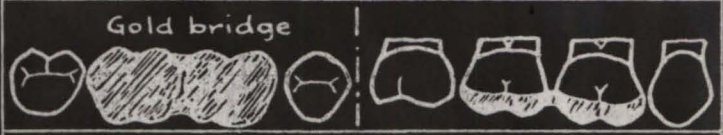
MISSING TEETH . . . All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be "X" 'd out and labeled, thus:



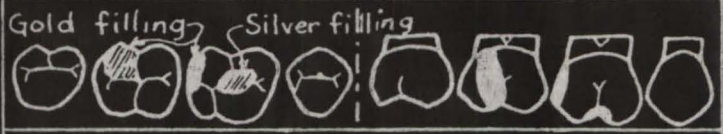
CROWNED TEETH . . . Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus:



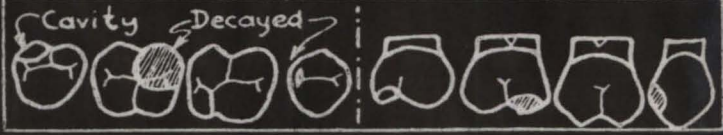
BRIDGE WORK . . . Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:



FILLINGS . . . Draw filling on tooth as accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:



CARIES (CAVITIES) . . . Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



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".

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER REMARKS

L 10 has an extreme mesial version.  
 R 8 and L 8 have a facial version.  
 R 4 and R 12 are rotated slightly distally.  
 R 13 is rotated 1/8 turn mesially.  
 Spaces: R 13-15, 2mm; L 13-15, 5mm.  
 Teeth are medium size and in good alignment.  
 Color is ivory.

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CHECK LIST ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

(To accompany Report of Reburial)

Only PART I should be completed, if identification tags are available.  
Both PART I & II should be completed if identification tags are not available.  
If information is unavailable, so indicate.

PART I  
(Positive Identification)

27 Feb. 1945  
Date

1. UNKNOWN *X-46 (Roman)*  
(Full name of deceased) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)

2. State if identification tags were attached to remains, how many, and where attached  
NO TAGS

3. Give exact location from which disinterred, furnishing coordinates and map series used  
Map Ref Metz Sheet 13, Scale 1:50000 Coord (780513)

Approx 3 km North Jouy-aux-Arches-6 km south of Metz, France

NOTE: ATTACH OVERLAY SHOWING EXACT LOCATION OF ISOLATED GRAVE TYING LOCATION IN WITH PERMANENT LANDMARKS.

4. Full name of cemetery (if buried in an organized cemetery)  
Not in cemetery

5. Approximate or established date of death (state which & give basis for date selected)  
Unknown

6. Approximate or established date of burial (give basis for date established)  
No buried

7. Manner in which grave was marked and all information contained on the marker  
No grave

8. List personal effects found in possession of civilian or unauthorized military personnel, furnishing name and address of individuals concerned  
No personal effects

9. Names and addresses of all persons questioned concerning death or burial and information each furnished (contact local Mayor, priest, cemetery caretaker, those responsible for burial and any others possessing important information).  
No civilians in this area knew about the body

RESTRICTED

PART II  
(Doubtful or Undetermined Identification)

10. Fill in any information available regarding name, rank, ASN, or organization (Check cemetery records and office)

11. 5'6" 160 to 170 lbs. Unknown Unknown  
(Est Height) (Est Weight) (Color of Hair) (Color of Eyes)

12. Give description of facial features and body characteristics if possible, including the presence of scars, moles, circumcision, tatoos, length of hair, presence of mustache or beard, etc.

To be filled in at cemetery ( see additional information on Report of Burial)

13. Give as detailed description as possible of condition and amount of remains  
All members present. No hair on skull. Impossible to recognize facial features. Body so badly deteriorated that it was hard to handle with out same falling apart.
14. Give probable cause of death, type & location of wounds (is there evidence that body was burned) Body not burned. Bullet wounds in middle of back, Left rump and left thigh half way between Knee and Hip.
15. Give minute description of all effects, clothing & shoes, including clothes markings & sizes, as well as shoe size. List each item of clothing, with a description of any unusual cuts, designs markings, pockets, colors, patches, etc. Also list, with detailed descriptions, all effects without intrinsic value, such as gum, food, soap, papers, letters, tobacco, etc., giving brands when applicable:  
To be filled in at cemetery ( see additional information on Report of Burial)
16. Give description of any vehicle found in the area that could be connected with the death of the deceased  
Does not apply  
(Type) (WD Serial No.) (Organization) (Serial No. & Type of each gun)
17. Give exact location of remains in vehicle before removal  
Does not apply
18. If buried in a coffin, give description and markings  
No coffin
19. List names of all other deceased persons buried in the vicinity. Also give available information concerning the cause & place of death of each that may assist in identification of these remains  
None

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*E. R. De Weese*  
E. R. DE WEESE

1st Lt. QMC

609th QM Gr.Reg.Co.

20. Other pertinent information which would aid in establishing identity  
Body was found floating in water. It is possible death occurred a long distance from where it was picked up.

Henry Councilman T/Sgt 20518190 3048th QM G.R.Co.  
(Individual in Charge of Disinterment) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)

DDMG FORM 356  
4 APR '46

TELEPHONE INFORMATION RECORD

DATE

TELEPHONE NUMBER AND BRANCH CALLED

NAME OF PERSON PLACING CALL

CASE UNDER INVESTIGATION (X or Case Number)

CEMETERY

4033

5195

INFORMATION REQUIRED

293  
File

Address of 23 Armd Inf Bn

DATE CALLED BACK

PERSON GIVING INFORMATION

INFORMATION RECEIVED

Bates, Johnnie idem. by tags  
K9a '11 Sept 1944 - buried 28 Feb 45 Plot T  
Row 9, sq. 241 Hamm, Lux.  
Jony, Aux. Arch. France  
23 Armd Inf. Bn (Est. 15 Mar 1944)  
23rd Armd Inf. Bn - Inactivated - N.Y.

USMC HAMM  
PLOT: C ROW: 6 GRAVE: 5  
DATE OF BURIAL 16 Feb/49 **DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE**

VERIFIED BY  
*W.R. Benton*

**SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED**  
GRS OFFICER  
DIRECTIVE NUMBER: 6020 00009  
DATE: 15 07 48  
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME: UNKNOWN  
SERIAL NUMBER: NX-000046  
RANK: [ ]  
ARM: [ ]  
DATE OF DEATH: [ ] DAY [ ] MONTH [ ] YEAR

CEMETERY: HAMM - LUXEMBOURG  
DISPOSITION OF REMAINS: 6001 80  
CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT: T ROW: 8 GRAVE: 200 COUNTRY: LUXEMBOURG  
CAUSE OF DEATH: 6

**SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN**

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE: HAMM, LUXEMBOURG  
NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN: (BY ADMINISTRATIVE DECISION)

**SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION**

NAME: [ ] SERIAL NUMBER: [ ] RANK: [ ] DATE OF DEATH: [ ] DATE DISTINTERRED: [ ]  
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON: [ ] REMAINS [ ] MARKER [ ] ORGANIZATION: UNKNOWN RELIGION: [ ] IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY: [ ] NAME AND TITLE: [ ]

**SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT**

NATURE OF BURIAL: [ ] CONDITION OF REMAINS: [ ]

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION: [ ]

MINOR DISCREPANCIES: 1  
**SEE ATTACHED WORK SHEET**

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET: [ ]

DATE: [ ] BY: [ ]  
CASKET SEALED BY: [ ] EMBALMER (Signature): [ ]

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED: [ ] SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY: [ ]  
DATE: [ ] BY: [ ]

I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

**NOT FILE REC ANNOTATED**

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR: *WIMBERLY* MAY 5 1949

1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

**NLN**

### RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

#### 1. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

#### 2. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

#### 3. SHIPPED

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KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

#### 4. SHIPPED

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SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

#### 5. SHIPPED

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SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

#### 6. SHIPPED

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KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

#### 7. SHIPPED

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KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

NO WORK SHEET

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED				DIRECTIVE NUMBER		DATE	
NAME				SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	ARM	DATE OF DEATH
UNKNOWN				X-000046		Q	
CEMETERY						DISPOSITION OF REMAINS	
						CODE	DIST. PT.
LOT	ROW	GRAVE	COUNTRY		CAUSE OF DEATH		
T	8	200	HAMM LUXEMBOURG				

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISTINTERRED
UNKNOWN	000046		15 OCT 44 EST.	25 MAY 48
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER	ORGANIZATION	RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY	
EMB GRS		UNKWN	CLYDE B. SPINKS, CAPT. FA NAME AND TITLE	

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS
UNIFORM	ADVANCED DECOMPOSITION. BODY COMPLETE

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION  
REPORT OF BURIAL FOR UNKNOWN X-46 FOUND ON REMAINS

MINOR DISCREPANCIES

NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASNET XXXX TRANSFER CASE

DATE BY ROY T. PATTERSON, EMBALMER

CASKET SEALED BY R JAMES MURRAY  
WO DIS. EMBALMER (Signature)

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED W E RAFFERTY JR.  
CLERK RECORDER SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY ALL MARKINS TAGS PLATES  
VERIFIED BY R E LEWIS CAPT. CAV.

DATE 9 July 1948 I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct. EXCEPT CASKETING

Signature: Antonio Teixeira  
ANTONIO TEIXEIRA, 2ND LT. INF.  
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

NOTATED  
WIMBERLY

### RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES

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

IN REPLY REFER TO SPQYG 293

Unknown X-46  
(Hamm) Lux. *embouring*

13 May 1946

SUBJECT: Identification of Unknown Deceased

TO : Organization Records Branch  
Records Administrative Center, AGO  
4300 Goodfellow Blvd.  
St. Louis 20, Missouri

1. This office is in receipt of a Burial Report for an Unknown deceased of our Armed Forces, who was killed 3 km. North of Jouy Auz Arches, France, Coordinates VP 780513, estimated date 15 October to 15 November 1944.

2. It is noted that the deceased was found floating in the water and it is possible that death occurred some distance from where the body was recovered.

3. It is requested that the records of the 23rd Armored Infantry Battalion be searched and a list of personnel reported to have been missing or killed in action approximately 15 October to 15 November 1944 be submitted to this office at the earliest practicable date.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

*FOR Donald Treganowan*  
ARTHUR S. ROSENGARD  
2nd Lt., QMC  
Assistant

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

MAY 10 1946



*file 11/19/46*

GRAVE REGISTRATION  
FORM No. 1  
(Revised 1 Sept. 1943)

# REPORT OF BURIAL

FM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

4 March 1945

Date

UNKNOWN X-46

Unknown

unknown

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

Serial No.

Unknown

Coord VP 780513

Unit

(estimated to be 15 Oct. to 15 Nov. 1944)

Organization

3 Km. north of Jouy -Aux-Arches, France

UNK 15

GSW middle of back

Place of Death

Date of Death

Cause of Death

1100 4 March 1945

US Military Cemetery, Hamm, Luxembourg

Time and Date of Burial

Name of Cemetery

Name or Coordinates of Location

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Cross

Grave Number

Row Number

Plot Number

Type of Marker

Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes  No  Attached to Marker Yes  No

If No Identification Tags Body was one of 6 American bodies brought to cemetery by How were remains identified? T/Sgt. Henry Councilman, 20518190 of 3048 QM G.R.Co.

All other bodies were identified. According to a check sheet accompanying this body there were no other bodies found in the same area as the deceased, however the load list shows another body, Johnnie M. Bates, 14035681, organization unknown, as having been picked up at Jouy Aux Arches, France, which is in the near vicinity vicinity of where deceased was recovered. The check sheet states however that deceased was found floating in water and it was possible death occurred a long distance from where body was picked up. Johnnie M. Bates' death was estimated at between Oct. 15th & Nov 15th, 1944 which is in the estimated death

To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left

Who is buried on: Deceased's Right: RUNYON 37024956 T/Sgt Co. B 302 Inf 94 Div. 199

Deceased's Left: END OF ROW

Signature or Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.

## NO IDENTIFICATION TAGS

If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

UNKNOWN X-46

Emergency Addressee Unknown

Name

Address

Religion Unknown

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same: period of the deceased.

( SEE OTHER SIDE FOR FURTHER REMARKS )

NO PERSONAL EFFECTS

RESTRICTED

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

For the Commanding Officer

E. R. DE WEESE

1st Lt. QMC

609th QM Gr.Reg.Co.

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

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### IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

Take Fingerprints of Both Hands. If unable to obtain a complete set of Fingerprints, Take Those You Can, and fill in the following:

Height: 5'6" estimate  
 Weight: 160-170lb est  
 Color of Eyes: Unknown  
 Color of Hair: Unknown  
 Race: White  
 Laundry Marks: no  
 Number of Rifle: none  
 Wear Glasses? unknown  
 Is Tooth Chart Attached? No

REMARKS

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(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart, if no medical personnel present, fill in a tooth chart below.) In space below, locate, and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc.

**PHYSICAL:** Deceased has been lying in water and body has badly deteriorated. No physical features can be recognized as the flesh on the face is gone, all hair is gone and flesh on body has all turned a dark color and large amounts have fallen off. Body measurements were not taken as they would not be true measurements as stomach, chest and arms have shrunk and flesh under the skin has deteriorated making the true measurements of the living person impossible. Deceased's teeth have fallen out and tooth chart is impossible. No fingerprints could be taken due to the conditions of body. No hair found on any part of the body. No scars, moles, deformities, etc. could be found. Not circumsized. Feet and remains of hands are normal as far as could be determined.

Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc.

Left Hand

Right Hand

Thumb

Thumb

#### TOOTH CHART

Deceased's Right	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	3	4	5	6	7	8
	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	3	4	5	6	7	8
Upper																	
Lower																	

Indicate: missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □; Bridges by ⊙; linking anchor teeth; replacements by artificial teeth X

REMARKS

Characteristics:

Other Data:

If this is an Isolated Burial, make a Sketch of the Location, oriented with Permanent Landmarks. If more space needed attach separate sheet. Indicate North.

Remains appear to be those of a thinly built person as shoulders are normal and there is no indication of heavy muscles. No fingerprints, toothchart or photographs taken.

**Clothing:** No marks found in any of the clothing.  
 GI shoes, size 7½D  
 OD trousers, size 31 x 33  
 OD shorts, no size found, could not be measured for size.  
 OD light wool socks, no size, could not be measured for size.