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***INDIVIDUAL DECEASED
PERSONNEL FILE***

Sherron, Hocutt

48

USMC: Henri-Chapelle

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	SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER		DATE		RILEY: JOHN R RYAN		37682010		
NAME		SERIAL NUMBER		RANK		ARM		DATE OF DEATH			
SHERRON HOCUTT D		34253038		CPL		1		5 4 48		DAY MONTH YEAR	
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SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN		FLAG SENT	
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE		NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN	
HENRI-CHAPELLE, BELGIUM		23 Jul 48 BRANTLEY HOCUTT SHERRON (FATHER) ROUTE #4 DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA	

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION					
NAME		SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISTINTERRED
SHERRON HOCUTT D		34253038	CPD	7/10/44	3 NOV 47
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON		ORGANIZATION		RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER		USAGF		P	ROBERT C MALLORY, 1/LT INF 537 QM SV CO NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT	
NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS
UNIFORM AND MATTRESS COVER	RIGHT HUMERUS FRACTURED. HEAD CRUSHED, BODY COMPLETE!

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION
TANKER'S CLOTHING IN TROUSERS. S# 3038 FOUND ON BELT. FULL NAME AND ASN

MINOR DISCREPANCIES
NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET	
DATE 5 NOV 47	BY RAY E BOWER EMB SUPV
CASKET SEALED BY	EMBALMER (Signature) RAY E BOWER EMB SUPV 562 QM SV CO
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY
DATE 5 NOV 47 BY KENDEL B RISER CLERK RECORDER	RAY E BOWER EMB SUPV

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

RAY E BOWER EMB SUPV

RAYMOND G JOHNSON 1/LT INF

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

1 Prepare Discrepancy Report GMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies

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MEMORIAL DIVISION
REPATRIATION BRANCH
RECORDS SECTION

293 Sherron, Hocutt D.

DATE 25 September 1950

Cpl 34 253 038

SUBJECT: Correct Name, Rank and Serial Number of Decedents.

1. The official spelling of name, the rank, and the serial number of Army World War II Decedents is determined by the Adjutant General's Office.

2. The name, rank and serial number of subject decedent has been verified with the Adjutant General's Office this date to be correct as shown below:

NAME: Sherron, Hocutt D.
RANK: T/5
ASN: 34 253 038

3. Paragraph #6, Memorial Division, Information Bulletin #11, dated 20 May 1949, Subject: "Minor Changes in Name, World War II Decedents," is quoted below for information.

"Memorial Division records pertaining to a decedent for whom a minor change in name is made as herein provided will be maintained under the official name of the decedent, as shown on AGO or similar records. However, in all subsequent correspondence with the next of kin, including final grave location letter, the spelling desired by the next of kin will be used."

C. H. Odenwalder
C. H. ODERWALDER
CAPT, QMC
Chief, Record Section

PER: QMG Form 1936

FROM: AGO

DATED: 22 September 1950

NAME: G. M. Brock

NAT
FILE
RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE SEP 25 1950
NAME H. F. Bond
REPAT BR MEM DIV

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

TO: PENTAGON LIAISON SECTION, MEMORIAL DIVISION		DATE 22 August 1950	
FROM (Branch and Section) Record Section Repat Br Mem Div	REQUESTED BY Sharpe (amb)	TEL. EXT. 71600	ROOM NO 2645 "B"
NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle Initial) Sherron, Hocutt D.	RANK Cpl	SERIAL NUMBER 34 253 038	

INFORMATION REQUIRED

SUBJECT: CLARIFICATION OF DISCREPANCY IN RANK

1. It is requested that a clarification be furnished this Office pertaining to the correct rank of the above decedent, whose rank appears on records this Office as follows:

AGO Report of Death dated 28 October 1944 _____ T/5 ✓
 Letter to Field to correct rank, dated 10 December 1946 _____ Cpl
 AGO Roster of WW II Deceased _____ T/5 ✓

2. It is further requested that a corrected Report of Death be furnished this Office if the present one is found to be in error.

INFORMATION FURNISHED

DPRB

22 Sept 50

Correct rank is T/5.

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FILE
RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE SEP 25 1950
NAME G. M. Booth
Repat BR. MEM. DIV.

PENTAGON LIAISON SECTION OFFICER (Signature) *R.*

DONALD A RENNER
CAPT QMO *(E. M. ...)*

15 September 1948

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Cpl Hocutt D. Sherron, ASN 34 253 038
Plot B, Row 18, Grave 12
Headstone: Cross
Henri-Chapelle U. S. Military Cemetery

Mr. Brantley Hocutt Sherron
Route #4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Sherron:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country.

Customary military funeral services were conducted over the grave at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be transferred, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and supervision of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstone. The headstone will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating where appropriate, organization, State, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of headstone or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, the central address of which is Room 713, 1712 "G" Street, N. W., Washington 25, D. C.

While interment and beautification activities are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. However, upon completion thereof, due notice will be carried by the press.

You may rest assured that this final interment was conducted with fitting dignity and solemnity and that the grave-site will be carefully and conscientiously maintained in perpetuity by the United States Government.

Sincerely yours,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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D. O. M. C.
REC'D

QMGMF 293

Sherron, Hocutt D., 34 253 038

~~Plot J, Row 2, Grave 21~~

USMC Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

2 July 1948

Mr. Brantley H. Sherron
Route #4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Sherron:

An inquiry has been received recently from Mrs. Margaret H. Paris, Home Service Secretary, American Red Cross, Durham County Chapter, Suite 306, Health Department Building, Durham, North Carolina, pertaining to the remains of your son, the late Technician Fifth Grade Hocutt D. Sherron.

It is my sincere hope that you may gain some solace from the inclosed photograph of the United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, in which your son was buried. Here, in carefully maintained, dignified and peaceful surroundings, rest a few of the remains of our heroic dead.

Please be assured of my continued sympathy in your great loss.

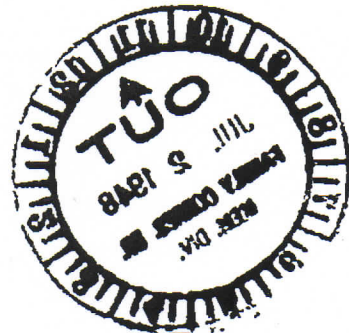
Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

1 Incl.
Photograph

cc: Mrs. Margaret H. Paris

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Addresssee: ^{Mr.} Mrs. Brantley H. Skerron father
State Route #14 Relationship
City, State Durham, N. C. Date letter '47

Cemetery
Temporary: _____

Permanent: X 2 21 USMC Henri Chapelle, Belgium
Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

PARAGRAPHS (sequence) -- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

163-7 -- from Mrs. Margaret H. Paris, Home Service Secretary American Red Cross, Durham County Chapter, Suite 306, Health Department Building, Durham, North Carolina, --

175 Line 2, para 2, USMC Henri - Chapelle, Belgium.

166-m Incl. Photograph

c. s. To: Margaret H. Paris (see address above)

Decedent: Skerron
Last
Skerron
First
H.
Initial
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Rank
7/5
ASN
34253138

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Modifications

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AMERICAN RED CROSS

DURHAM COUNTY CHAPTER

SUITE 306, HEALTH DEPARTMENT BLDG

DURHAM, N C

TELEPHONE J-0931

DANIEL K EDWARDS
CHAIRMAN

MRS LOUISE A. SEMMES
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

June 24, 1948

Office of the Quartermaster General
Memorial Division
War Department
Washington 25, D. C.

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RE: SHERRON, Hocutt D., Cpl.

34 253 038
(Deceased)

Father: Mr. Brantley H. Sherron
Route # 4
Durham, N. C.

Dear Sir:

Would you kindly furnish this office with a picture of the Permanent American Military Cemetary in Belgium, at the request of the father of the above named deceased serviceman.

Thank you for your cooperation and help at your earliest convenience.

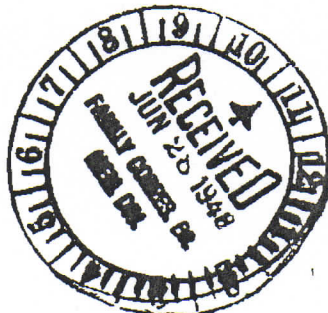
Sincerely yours,

Margaret H. Paris

Mrs. Margaret H. Paris
Home Service Secretary

Miss Mary Belle Clark
Home Service Social Worker

MBC:sn



REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

Cpl Hocutt D. Sherron, 34 253 038
 Plot J, Row 2, Grave 21,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

13 February 1948

333 P, 3/23/48
 Austin

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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NOTE.—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.
 If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

PART I

I, Brantley Hocutt Sherron (Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)
 (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

- WIDOW
- WIDOWER
- SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER
- MOTHER
- BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

- 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS.
- 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

 (NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)
- 3. BE RETURNED TO _____, THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
 (FOREIGN COUNTRY) (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)
- 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
 (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)
 (Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)
 YES NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

NONE

CHANGE

N.A.T.
 422
 Capt. Rogers
 4/7/48

NO D. P. M.
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 D.C. 13498

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PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections
I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U S A, OR COUNTRY
		TELEPHONE NO

OR
I AS THE NEXT OF KIN DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U S A, OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NO	

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD ' IS

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U S A, OR COUNTRY

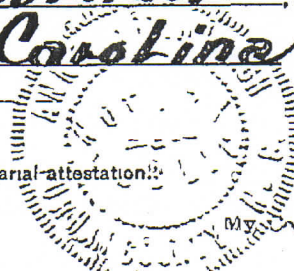
REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4 *)

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD " I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief

Brentley Howard Sherman Route # 4
(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) (STREET AND NUMBER)
Brentley Hocutt Sherman Durham, North Car.
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 17th day of March, 1948, at city (or town) of Durham, county of Durham, and State (or Territory or District) of North Carolina



Anne Martin Lynch
(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public
(OFFICIAL TITLE)

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.

Repatriation Records Branch
Disinterment Locator Section
Office of the Quartermaster General
Department of the Army
Washington 25, D.C.

DATE: March 26, 1948

Jms 293
Sherron, Hocutt D., Cpl.

~~34-253 038~~

Plot J, Row 2, Grave 21

SUBJECT: U. S. Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

FROM: (Miss) Edna Mattox

Next of Kin: Brant H. Sherron
Old Address Route #4, Durham, N. C.
New Address:

Your Reference: QMGM 293

In compliance with your request of Feb. 13, 1948 for an investigation in connection with the disposition of the remains of this deceased serviceman we submit the following information:

1. OQMG Form 345 has been submitted by Brant H. Sherron father
(Name) (Relationship)

will be
on March 23, 1948
(Date)

2. _____ has relinquished disposition authority.

has remarried.

is deceased.

is incompetent.

3. We have been unable to locate.

Remarks: Our Durham, N. C. Chapter worker assisted the next of kin to complete Form 345 which was mailed your office on March 23. We believe that you will be interested in the reason for delay in completing this service. The father of
Edna Mattox
(Miss) Edna Mattox
Director, Home Service
Southeastern Area

(over)

*File - NAN
G. Kennedy
L01-MC-2
31-Mar-48*

the deceased serviceman, who is listed as next of kin, received your original communication but told our chapter worker he did not complete it as he was unable to make up his mind as to final disposition of his son's remains. Also the father had heard through a relative who was near the place of the serviceman's death when it occurred that Cpl. Sherron was riding on an ammunition truck when he was killed due to its bombing. The father had some question as to whether or not there was anything left of his son's remains to inter.

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

In Reply Refer To RR Br: ⁶ OSIAM 293 Sherron, Hecutt D., Cpl., 34 253 038
Plot J, Row 2, Grave 21
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

13 February 1948

P R I O R I T Y

Miss Edna Mattox, Director of Home Service
Southeastern Area, American Red Cross
230 Spring Street, Northwest
Atlanta 3, Georgia

Dear Miss Mattox:

The Next of Kin of the above captioned deceased father
(relationship)

Mr. Brent H. Sherron, Route #4, Durham, North Carolina
(name) (address)

has failed to return a Form 345 indicating disposition instructions for the remains.

It is respectfully requested that the attached OQAG Form 345 be properly accomplished by the Next of Kin and legal documents obtained through assistance of your representative if appropriate, be furnished this office. In the event you are unable to secure disposition instructions from the Next of Kin, it is further requested that a statement of the action taken by your representative be furnished this office for use as a basis for final disposition of remains of the decedent.

It is recommended that in contact with the Next of Kin mentioned above, they first be queried as to whether or not they have submitted the appropriate form, as it may have been mailed to this office since receipt by you of this request.

Sincerely yours,

JOHN O. HYATT
Colonel, QMG
Memorial Division

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MEMORIAL DIVISION

Form 8511
Rev. 1-4-40

RETURN RECEIPT

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original number of which appears on the face of this Card.

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(Signature or name of addressee)

2 [Signature]
(Signature of addressee or agent should enter addressee's name on line ONE above)

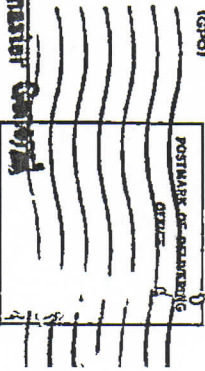
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REGISTERED MAIL
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Burial of
T/5 Hocutt D. Sherron, 34253038
Plot J, Row 2, Grave 21
US Military Cemetery
Henri Chapelle, Belgium

9 May 1947

Mr. Brant H. Sherron
Route #4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Sherron:

Reference is made to the "Letter of Inquiry - Disposition of Remains" sent to you about 45 days ago, requesting you to complete and mail the "Request for Disposition of Remains" form.

Since no reply has been received, you are again respectfully urged to return this completed form at the earliest possible date in order to avoid any unnecessary delay in the final disposition of the remains of your loved one.

Due to the tremendous amount of work involved in carrying out final burial arrangements for all of the deceased Americans of World War II, this program must proceed cemetery by cemetery in each area of the world.

The cemetery in which the remains of your loved one are buried is expected to be evacuated in the near future. In the absence of any reply from you by that time, the Government will assume that you have no objection to the final burial of the deceased in a permanent American Military Cemetery Overseas.

Sincerely,

G. A. HORKAN
Brigadier General, GPO
Chief, Memorial Division

MGR



RETURN RECEIPT DEMANDED G.O.M.R.

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QMGR 293
Sherron, Hocutt D.
A.S.N. 34 253 038

16 January 1947

Mr. Brant H. Sherron
Route #4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Sherron:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, in which your son, the late Technician Fifth Grade Hocutt D. Sherron, is buried.

It is my sincere hope that you may gain some solace from this view of the surroundings in which your loved one rests. As you can see, this is a place of simple dignity, neat and well cared for. Here, assured of continuous care, now rest the remains of a few of those heroic dead who fell together in the service of our country.

This cemetery will be maintained as a temporary resting place until, in accordance with the wishes of the next of kin, all remains are either placed in permanent American cemeteries overseas or returned to the Homeland for final burial.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

1 Incl
Photograph

G. A. HORKAN
Brigadier General, QMC
Assistant

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Sec. 5, Mount D. Sherron, 34 253 030
Plot 7, Row 2, Grave 21,
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

3 March 1947

Mr. Ernest H. Sherron
Route #4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Sherron:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the maintenance and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option B, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 90 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS R. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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MAR 3 2 27 PM '47
- Enclosures
1. Pamphlet (Options)
2. Disposition Form
3. Envelope
4. Pamphlet (Cemeteries)

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REQUEST FOR PREPARATION OF LETTER
FOR 293 INFORMATION

12/2/46

NAME

796
SHERRON HOCUTT D.

SERIAL NUMBER

3425303817

LETTER TO

FIELD

NAME

RANK

FIRST LETTER INCORRECT TO
THE FLD. ON RANK.

ASN

ORGANIZATION

NEXT OF KIN

LATEST ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

DATE OF DEATH

CEMETERY

PLOT

ROW

GRAVE

MISCELLANEOUS

SPECIAL CHECKER (Signature)

M. Kalam

FORM 314.6
Graves Registration
(European, U. S. Misc.)

10 December 1946

SUBJECT: Burial Records.

TO: Commanding Officer
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
APO 887, c/o Postmaster
New York, N. Y.

1. Request the burial reports and grave markers for the following decedents, interred at the United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, be changed to read as underrecorded.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK/ GRADE</u>	<u>SERIAL NO.</u>	<u>PLOT</u>	<u>ROW</u>	<u>GRAVE</u>	<u>ORGANIZATION</u>
David, Lawrence A.	<u>Pvt</u>	42064231	CGU	7	136	
Dierauer, William T.	<u>Sgt</u>	31177757	HH	1	10	<u>Co I 12 Inf Egt 4 Inf Div</u>
Goss, William C.	<u>S/Sgt</u>	38284442	PF	7	139	
Harrison, John W.	<u>Pvt</u>	37694517	B-4	7	137	
Moore, Neal K.	<u>Sgt</u>	38043828	AAA	4	64	<u>Co H 33 Armd Egt 3 Armd Div</u>
243 Sherron, Hocutt D.	<u>Cpl</u>	34253038	J	2	21	

2. The records of this office have been reverified with the records of The Adjutant General, War Department, and have been found to be correct as indicated above.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMC
Assistant.

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

In Reply Refer To
QMGMR 314.6
Graves Registration

(European) *715 mac*

SUBJECT: Burial Records *con*

26 November 1946

TO : Commanding Officer
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
APO 887, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. Request the burial reports and grave markers for the following decedents be changed to read as underscored:

Cemetery: United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK/ GRADE</u>	<u>SERIAL NO.</u>	<u>DATE OF DEATH</u>	<u>PIOT</u>	<u>ROW</u>	<u>GRAVE</u>	<u>ORGANIZATION</u>
Gorman, John J.	Cpl	32 752 717	-	J	3	55	<u>Co C</u> <u>18th Inf Regt</u> <u>1st Inf Div</u>
<i>X293</i> Sherran, Hocutt D.	<u>Tec/5</u>	34 253 038	-	J	3	21	

2. The records of this office have been reverified with the records of The Adjutant General, War Department, and have been found to be correct as indicated above.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Martin G. Riley
MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMC
Assistant

REPATRIATION
RECORDS BRANCH

22 NOV. 1946

DATE TEC-5

NAME S HERRON HOGUTT D

SERIAL NO. 34253038

CEMETERY HENRI CHAPELLE ^{BELGIUM}

PLOT J

ROW 2

GRAVE 21

LETTER FIELD

RANK

FILE

26 NOV 1946

W. J. ...
MAT

EDITH CAPLAN
SPECIAL CHECKER

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SPQYG 293

Sherron, Hocutt D.

S. N. 34 253 038

31 July 1945

Mrs. Violet Sherron
Route #4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mrs. Sherron:

Acknowledgement is made of your letter referred to this office, in which you request burial information concerning your son, the late Technician Fifth Grade Hocutt D. Sherron.

The official records of this office show that the remains of your son were interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery #1, Henri Chapelle, Belgium, Plot J, Row 2, Grave 21. With reference to other larger cities the approximate location of Henri Chapelle, Belgium is seven miles southwest of Aachen, Germany, five miles northwest of Eupen and eight miles east of Liege, Belgium.

This office regrets, sincerely, the delay in answering your letter and wishes to extend its deepest sympathy in the loss of your son.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR L. WARREN
Colonel, QMC
Assistant.

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REC 2 21 45
JUL 2 1945

REC 2 2 13 PM '45
MEMORIAL DIVISION

CCP
CCP

70

SPQDK 220.87 (279040)

1st Ind.

JRM:AP:wh

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue,
Kansas City 1, Missouri, 24 April 1945

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

1. For direct reply to so much thereof as pertains to your office.
2. Mrs. Sherron has been informed of this reference.

For the Commanding Officer:

G. H. Galvin, Jr.
 G. H. GALVIN, JR.
 Captain Q.M.C.
 Chief, Administrative Division

K

293 Sherron Stewart D

APR 25 1945

GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION

APR 26 4 52 PM '45

MEMORIAL DIVISION



APR 26 2 25 PM '45
MEMORIAL DIVISION

C-O-P-Y
KCQMD
AP:wh

Durham, N. C.
April 11, 1945

Army Service Forces
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Effects Bureau
Kansas City 1, Missouri

Dear Sir:

I would like for you to send me all the information you can about my son, Cpl. Hocutt D. Sherron, 34253038, A.P.O. # 257. I would like to know where he was buried and the graveyard, etc. He was killed in Holland, Oct. 7, 1944. I certainly would appreciate all the information you can give me about him.

I would like to have all of his personal belongings.

Hoping to hear from you real soon.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ His mother,
Mrs. Violet Sherron

My address:

Mrs. Violet Sherron
Route 4
Durham, North Carolina

RESTRICTED
REPORT OF BURIAL
LHM-10-630 AND AR 30-1815

12970487
11 October 1944
Date

<u>198</u> Sherron	Hocutt	D	Gpl	34253038
Last Name		First	Initial	Serial No.
Co A 31tk Bn		7th Armd Div.		Organization
XXXX Germany		Est 7 October 1944		KIA Shell Frag head
Place of Death		Date of Death		Cause of Death
11 October 1944		Henri Chapelle Cem #1		705352
Time and Date of Burial		Name of Cemetery		Name or Coordinates of Location
21		J		Cross
Grave Number	Row Number	Plot Number		Type of Marker
21	2			

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

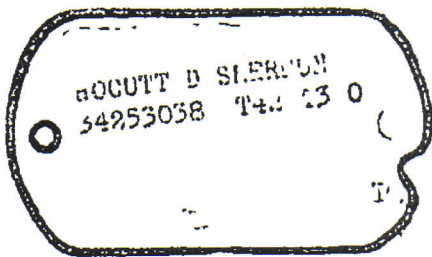
If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

What means of identification were buried with the body?

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

Who is buried on:	<u>Williams</u>	<u>20361567</u>	<u>Pvt</u>		<u>22</u>
Deceased's Right:	Name	Serial No	Rank	Organization	Grave No.
Deceased's Left:	<u>Beginning of row</u>				
	Name	Serial No	Rank	Organization	Grave No.

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




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

Emergency Addressee _____ Name _____

Address _____

Religion P

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same:


 Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial
HARRY DUBROV, 1st Lt. QMC
RESTRICTED
 Verified by G.R.S. Officer
 FILE
 NOV 29 1944
 1944

4	
3	
2	
1	
Thumb	

Left Hand

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: | Laundry Marks: |
| Weight: | Number of Rifle: |
| Color of Eyes: | Wear Glasses? |
| Color of Hair: | Is Tooth Chart Attached? |
| Race: | |

(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.

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

4	
3	
2	
1	
Thumb	

Right Hand

TOOTH CHART

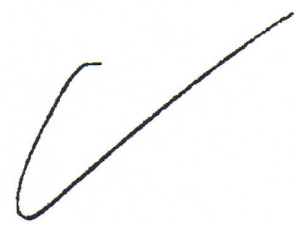
		Deceased's Left								Deceased's Right									
		8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
Upper	Lower	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		

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

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.



WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
 WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 28 Oct. 1944
MEJ/4624

FULL NAME Sherron, Hocutt, D.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 34 253 038	GRADE Tec. 5										
HOME ADDRESS <i>hs</i> Durham, North Carolina		ARM. OR SERVICE Inf.	DATE OF BIRTH 14 March 1917										
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 7 Oct. 1944										
STATION OF DECEASED European Area	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 2 March 1942		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS										
EMERGENCY ADDRESSES (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Violet Sherron, mother, Route # 4, Durham, North Carolina													
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Violet M. Sherron, mother, same as above. Mr. Brant H. Sherron, father, " " "													
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
											X		

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

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S. O. O.	F. D. I.	F. O. U. S. A.	
E. O. C. M. O.	O. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU CASUALTY BRANCH FILE	
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	A. G. 201 FILE	

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

[Signature]
 ADJUTANT GENERAL

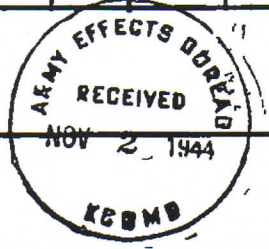
**WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.**

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REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 28 Oct. 1944
MS/4624

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HOME ADDRESS Durham, North Carolina		ARM OR SERVICE Inf.		DATE OF BIRTH 14 March 1917	
PLACE OF DEATH European Area		CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 7 Oct. 1944	
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BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Violet M. Sherron, mother, same as above. Mr. Brant H. Sherron, father, " " "					
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW) X					



ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

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		A. G. 201 FILE

BATTLE
 NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

J. C. Curl

ADJUTANT GENERAL

279040

GHG:JFH:nd
June 18, 1945

Mr. Brent H. Sherron
Route 4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Sherron:

The Army Effects Bureau has received additional property of your son, Technician Fifth Grade Hocutt D. Sherron, consisting of funds in the amount of \$3.13. A check for this sum is inclosed.

As previously indicated, such property is forwarded for distribution in accordance with the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

Sincerely,

C. B. QUINN
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief, Files Branch

1 Incl—Check

547

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: Mr. Brant H. Sherron

Route #4

Effects of:
Name T/5 Hocutt D. Sherron

Durham, North Carolina

ASN 34253038

Case No. 279040 D

It.

DATE 18 June 1945
GHG:JFH:md

D. Wallace
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 102766
- Amount \$5.13 *me*
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove C.I.
 Note discrepancy in _____
 Films removed
 Diary removed
 Laundry removed

85478 dk

ROUTING:

1 Accounting Branch *ev*
Warehouse Division
2 Files Branch, Adm. Div

102766

279040

June 20 45

Brant H. Sherron

3.13

~~Three and 13/100~~

REMARKS:

Franked _____
Est. Exr. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages _____

Shipping Clerk

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

279.040

CASE NO.

TYPED BY

Manville

DATE

5-1-45

STATUS

Deceased

NAME

Sherron, Hocutt D.

A.S.N.

34253038

RANK

Cpl.

ORGANIZATION

Unknown

AMOUNT

3.13

LIST NO.

F-169

REMARKS

ACCOUNT NO.

102766

PAID-Check No. 85478

ACCOUNTING INVENTORY

Summary Court-Martial
ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

JRM:JFH:bjm
Case No 279,040
Date 1 June 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of

Hoott D. Sherron 31253038 1. to
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial No.)
Technician Fifth Grade Infantry 1. to
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)
on the 7 day of October, 1944, at European Area

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington 25, D.C.

1. Complying with A.P. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City Mo. Pursuant to S.O., 223 Hq, KCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedent's camp or quarters, effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none, of which the sum of \$ none was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. .)

c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ none which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent (See inclosed receipt , Incl)

d. Disposition of decedent's effects (less money paid creditor, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the Quartermaster Corps, at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial FINDING below)

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 31-May 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 223, Headquarters KCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of

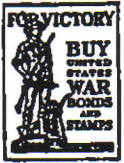
Mrs. Violet Sherron for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.P. 112, Brant H. Sherron of (Name of person found entitled)

Route #4, Durham State of
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)
North Carolina, is the father of the
(Relationship or Capacity)

above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)
JOHN R. MURPHY, Colonel, Q.M.C.
(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT-MARTIAL



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

279040

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

GHG:JFH:dn
June 4, 1945

Mr. and Mrs. Brant H. Sherron
Route # 4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Sherron:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your son, Technician Fifth Grade Hocutt D. Sherron.

These effects are being forwarded to you in one package.

If, by any chance, the property has not reached you at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me and tracer will be instituted.

The action of this Bureau in transmitting personal effects does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient. Such property is forwarded for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

P. L. KOOB
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Unit

279040

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:
T/5 Hocutt D. Sherron

Mr. Brant H. Sherron

Route #4

Durham, North Carolina

Effects of:
Name

34253038

ASN

279,040 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 2 June 1945

GHG:JFH:bjm

Sherron
ICR. Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

 Inclose Bureau Check
 Acct. No.
 Amount
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

 Remove C.I.
 Note discrepancy in
 Files received
 Bill received
 Label received

ROUTING:

 Accounting Branch
 1 Warehouse Division
 2 Files Branch, Adm. Div

REMARKS:

"SHIP DAMAGED ITEM"

1 p/ce
 Franked 8 1945
 Est. Exp. Chgs.
 Est. Frt. Chgs.
 No. of Packages

mk
 Shipping Clerk

Pilgr

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION: # *10.10g*

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY

279,040

DECEASED MISCINE

P.O.W. ABANDONED

TALLY NO. *7260*

TRV. DATE *14 Apr 45*

ORIG. NO. OF PKGS. *1*

BOX NO. *7*

SHEET OF *1* SHEETS

ORGANIZATION *31st Tank Bn*
Armed Div

NAME *Houatt D. Sherron* ✓
A.S.N. *34253038* ✓ RANK *Epl* ✓

BELT	TOILET & WASHCLOTHS	WINGS
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	CLOTHING	BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	BRACELET IDENT.	RIFLE FOLD, AND MONEY
COATS	BRUSHES	CASE
FOOTWEAR, PR.	CAMERAS	FOOTLOCKER
GLOVES, PR.	GLASSES	KIT, SEW, TLT, OR WRITING
HANDKERCHIEFS	KNIVES	* BOOKS ✓
HEADWEAR	LIGHTERS	BOOKS, ADDRESS
JACKETS	MISC. INSIGNIA	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
OVERCOATS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DUR)
SCARFS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	FILMS
SHIRTS	PIPES	LETTERS
SOCKS, PR.	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	PAPERS, PERSONAL
TIES	KNIFONS, DECORATION	PHOTOS
TOWELS	RINGS	SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
TROUSERS, PR.	TOBACCO	SHORT SNORTER
TRUNKS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	SOUVENIRS
UNDERWEAR	WATCH <i>Waltham Elgin</i>	SOUVENIR MONEY ✓
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

REMARKS *Home*

R.F.D. 4 Durham N.C.

ATTACHMENTS

FORM #54

FORM #100

M.R. Sub ✓
Inventory ✓

DAMAGED

* Second hand missing very dirty on face of watch.

C.A.T. *home*

WAREHOUSE SPACE *1812*

INVENTORIED BY *B. Cant*

PACKED BY *[Signature]*

STORIED BY *[Signature]*

CHECKED *[Signature]*

WEIGHT	G.I. REMOVED
	X SHORTAGE ON REVERSE ✓
	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
	DIARY REMOVED
DATE SHIPPED	LOCKED STORAGE
<i>JUN 8 1945</i>	LAUNDRY REMOVED
#43 OP ADDITIONAL	FILM REMOVED

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SPOTAGER

U. S. GOV. CHECK SHEET

watch

QUANTITY

115 female frames
SN 211-515

DATE

SYMBOL

UNIT

I certify that the above listed items were
not in the container inventoried by me

B. Caputo
INVENTORY CLERK

X. [Signature]
SUPERVISOR

C.I. REMOVED

NAME SHERRON, H. CPL 3C

BAY	/ PALLET	BOX	TALLY
		7	7260

TYPE OF PKG	WHSE SPACE	INVENTORIED
PE BAG		

EX. QM Form 43

Opt

H. Sherron

7/1/23 3038
34/25 3038

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

The following listed effects
were found on Cpl
(Rank)

Snerron, Hocutt D 34253038
(Name) (ASN)
Est 10-8-44
31 Tank Bn 7 Armd Div
(Orgn) (Date Died)

Buried at HenriChapelle # 1
and effects forwarded to
Effects QM.

- Pen ✓
- Watch ✓
- Soc Sec Card ✓
- 2 Wallet w/photos ✓
- Prayer Book ✓
- Watch 1 - 0
- Pen 0
- Lighter ✓
- 10 Souv Coin ✓

155 French Francs 0

10 October 1944
ARWIN W LISIBS
Capt FD
SN 211-515


HARRY DUBROV, 1ST LT, QMC



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO 279040

JRM:AP:wh
April 24, 1945

Mrs. Violet Sherron
Route # 4
Durham, North Carolina

Dear Mrs. Sherron:

This refers to your letter of April 11, making inquiry regarding the personal effects of your son, Technician Fifth Grade Hocutt D. Sherron.

I am sorry to report that the Army Effects Bureau has not yet received any of your son's property. All War Department agencies are under instruction to forward the personal effects of military personnel to this Bureau for distribution, and it is reasonable to assume that his effects ultimately will arrive.

It is our intention to forward your son's property promptly upon receipt here, unless of course, he is survived by a widow. If so, please furnish her complete name and mailing address; also the name and address of his father, if he is living.

For your convenience in replying, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Matters pertaining to burial are under the jurisdiction of The Quartermaster General, Memorial Division, Washington 25, D. C., Therefore, a copy of your letter has been forwarded to that official for further reply direct to you.

Yours very truly,

HARRY NIEMIEC
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief, Correspondence Branch

1 Incl--
Envelope

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Army Service Forces
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Efforts Bureau
Kansas City 1, Missouri

Durham, N C
April 11, 1945 CP

279,040

WJ
rec'd 4-20-45
ms

Dear Sir

I would like for you to send me all the information you can about my son, Cpl. Hocutt D. Sherron, 34253038 A. P. O. # 257. I would like to know where he was buried and the graveyard, etc. He was killed in Holland, October 7, 1944. I certainly would appreciate all the information you can give me about him.

I would like to have all of his personal belongings.

Hoping to hear from you real soon.

Sincerely yours
His Mother

Mrs. Violet Sherron

My address:

Mrs Violet Sherron

Route 4

Durham, North Carolina

SPQDK 220.87 (279040)

1st Ind.

JRM:AP:wh

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue,
Kansas City 1, Missouri, 24 April 1946

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

1. For direct reply to so much thereof as pertains to your office.
2. Mrs. Sherron has been informed of this reference.

For the Commanding Officer:

G. H. GALVIE, JR.
Captain Q.M.C.
Chief, Administrative Division