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\*USMC Neuville ex Condroz  
Plot: C Row: 5 Gr: 45  
Date of Burial: 19 Apr 50  
Verified by GRS Officer  
M.R. Swart, Capt OMC

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED  
DIRECTIVE NUMBER: 1260 01875  
DATE: 15 08 48  
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME: UNKNOWNX-005483  
SERIAL NUMBER: UNKNOWNX-005483  
GRADE: J  
ARM: 0  
RACE: 6  
RELIGION:

GEMETERY: NEUVILLE BELGIUM  
PLOT: W 12  
ROW: 279  
GRAVE: 1202 80  
DISPOSITION OF REMAINS: 1202 80  
CODE DIST. CTR.

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN NO FLAG SENT

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE: NEUVILLE-EN-CONDROZ, BELGIUM  
NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN: These remains are unidentifiable and are to be permanently interred. HQ, AGFC, 11 DEC 49.  
(BY ADMINISTRATIVE DECISION) (23)

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME: UNKNOWN X-005483  
SERIAL NUMBER: UNKNOWN X-005483  
GRADE: UNKNOWN  
DATE OF DEATH: 7 DEC 1948  
DATE DISINTERRED: 7 DEC 1948  
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON:  REMAINS EMB  MARKER EMB  
ORGANIZATION: UNKNOWN  
RELIGION: UNK  
IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY: STUART W REID 1st Lt INF  
NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL: UNIFORM  
CONDITION OF REMAINS: CRUSHED SKULL. FRACTURED MANDIBLE, R/SCAPULA, R/FIBULA; MAXILLA MISSING. SKELETAL FORM

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION: REPORT OF BURIAL FOR X5483

MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report OMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.): NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN ~~CASKET~~ TRANSFER CASE

DATE: 17 DEC 1948 BY: CLARENCE R TOMPKINS EMBALMER

CASKET SEALED BY: GEORGE R REED  
EMBALMER (Signature): GEORGE R REED LICENSED EMBALMER

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED: ROBERT D MC CLELLAN  
DATE: 17 FEB 49 BY: CLERK RECORDER  
ALL TAGS, MARKINGS AND PLATES VERIFIED BY: ROGER E LEWIS CAPT CAV

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

STUART W REID 1st Lt INF  
SIGNATURE OF AGRS DIRECTOR

REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: I CERTIFY that the typed names appearing above are the same as the original signatures on the No. 4 copy of F-1194 concerned  
FILE RECORDS ANNOTATED DATE: 7 Dec 50 NAME: R.W. Johnson Rebat BR. MEM. 1

Raymond G Johnson 1ST LT INF  
QMC FORM REV 11 FEB 48 1194 AW  
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HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND  
EUROPEAN AREA  
APO 58 US ARMY

RRE 293

16 August 1949

(Date)

CERTIFICATE OF UNIDENTIFIABILITY OF REMAINS

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X - 5483 , Plot W  
Row 12 , Grave 279 , USMC NEUVILLE, Belgium ,  
have been reviewed and it is the opinion of this Office that sufficient  
evidence is not available at the present time to establish the identity  
of the deceased concerned. The remains concerned should be classified as  
unidentifiable at the present time.
2. Report of Reprocessing of remains was forwarded to your  
Office by Transmittal Letter No. 2387 , dated 5-8-47 .
3. Remarks: Tooth chart for remains has been compared with available  
dental records for all unresolved casualties in the same map sheet with negative  
results. Efforts to associate subject remains with unresolved casualty or casual-  
ties by all other means have proven negative.

J. LAWSON

Case reviewed by undersigned Members of the Board of Review:

Col. H.P. HENRY, O-12589

QMC

Lt. Col. E.D. MULVANY, O-359598 QMC

Major R. BERGER, O-251736

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Capt. Jack C. HAYES, O-1577297 QMC

Capt. E.F. PRICE, Jr. O-1588236

QMC

1/Lt. Edward E. STOUT, O-1594512 CE

Received in file # 4237  
Not identifiable from  
information presently  
available  
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**TOOTH CHART**

3 June 1947

Date

UNKNOWN X-5483

Unknown

Unknown

Last Name First Initial

Rank

Serial No.  
A.G.F.

Unknown

Hurtgen Forest, Germany

Est. November 1944

Organization

BTE: K.I.A.

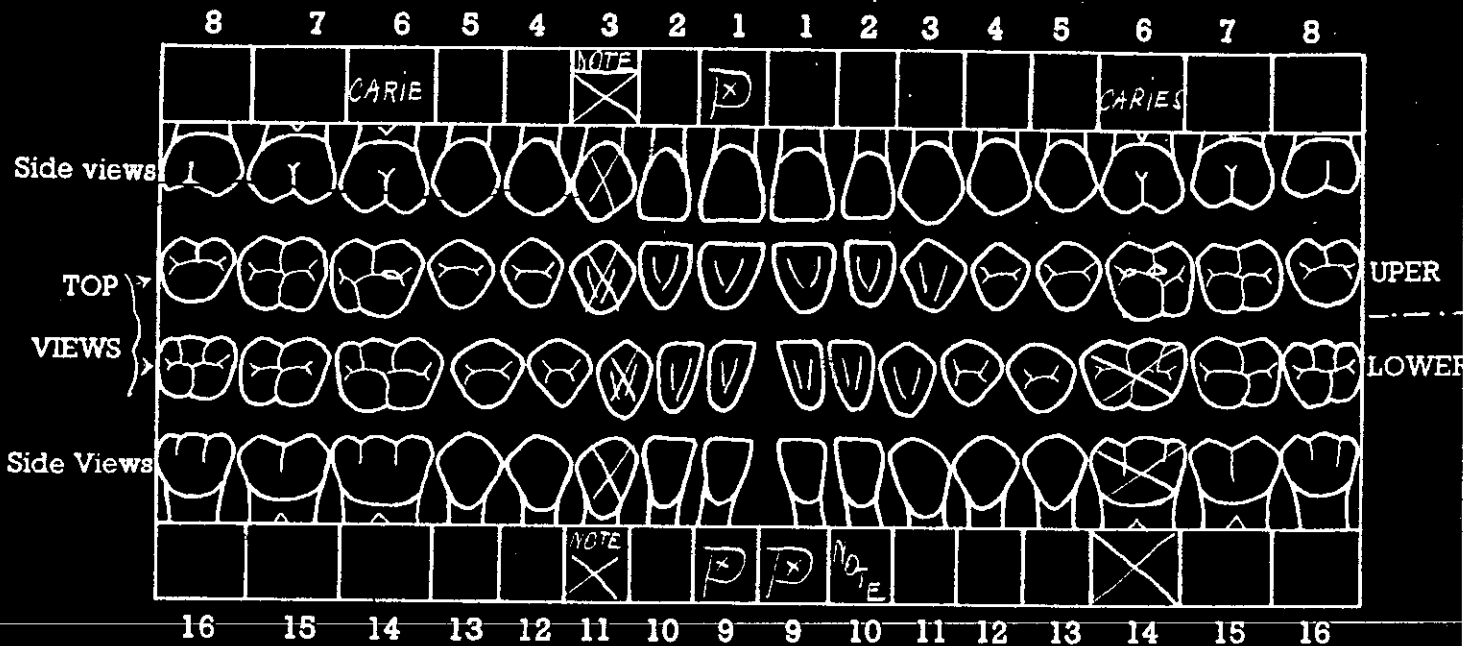
Place of Death

Date of Death

Cause of Death

Right

Left



See Remarks

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), bicuspid (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.

*Harold J. Wheeler No 9*

Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

*Ernest C. Gaddy*

Verified by G. R. S. Officer

ERNEST C. GADDY  
 CWO USA C.I.P.

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



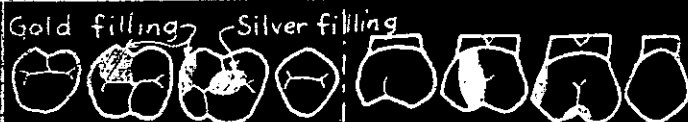
**CROWNED TEETH...** Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus :



**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 remaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."

**ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER REMARKS**

Medium size teeth, chalky white.  
 Posthumously missing R1,9; L1.  
 Spaces R12-10,3mm; L10-12,5mm; L13-15,10mm; R2-4,5mm.  
 L11 unerupted before death.  
 R10 distal version.  
 R11 part of a deciduous tooth socket remains; the true R11 was unerupted before death.  
 R3 unerupted before death.  
 L2 rotated distally 1/8 turn and is inclined facially.  
 R2 slightly rotated distally.  
 Brown lingual stain.  
 Calculus - slight.  
 No fillings.

# REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

## AREA SEARCH

ATTENTION DIV. AG.R.C.  
FOR USE IN  
CASUALTY CLEARANCE

AGRC Form 10 (Revised) 26 June 1947  
Date  
1 January 1946  
NAME UNKNOWN X-5483 RANK Unknown ASN Unknown  
ORGANIZATION Unknown A.G.F.  
MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION None

(All statements above this line will be completed, upon final processing, by the clerical staff at the unit processing point.)

### SECTION A — GENERAL (To be completed by investigators in all cases)

1. Was positive identity acquired for the deceased through the surface investigation? If so, state the following information:

a. NAME RANK ASN

b. ORGANIZATION

2. Was partial identification established? NO If so, state the facts as to whom you believe the deceased to be:

a. NAME UNKNOWN RANK UNKNOWN ASN UNKNOWN

b. ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN

3. NAMES OF OTHER DECEASED BURIED IN IMMEDIATE VICINITY NONE

(Use reverse side for listing of crew members from MACR)

a. Date of above burials NOT BURIED Common Graves?

5. Name and Type of Cemetery (Military or Civilian)

6. Map Coordinates of the Cemetery

a. Town Country

7. Give exact location in cemetery of the remains.

a. Section Row Grave

b. Is sketch attached?

8. If remains are not located in a cemetery, give exact location.

a. Town GERMETER Coordinates WF-0230

b. Is Sketch attached? YES

c. Is area mined? NO

9. How is the grave marked? NOT BURIED

10. If grave is marked with cross, give exact markings thereon NOT BURIED

a. From what source was this information obtained? (Identification tags, personal effects)

1. By whom

11. Where are the cemetery records? REMAINS NOT BURIED

(Town Hall, cemetery, burgermeister's office)

- 26. Had bombs been released prior to the crash? .....
- 27. Does specific time and date of crash correspond with date of death of above named deceased? .....
- 28. Number of planes in formation prior to crash .....
- 29. State precise time and date of plane crash ..... (Night?) (Day?)
- 30. Were parachutists seen? ..... How many? ..... Escaped? .....

SECTION C — ARMORED CORPS DECEASED (To be completed only if deceased is believed to have been a member of the Armored Force).  
**DOES NOT APPLY**

- 31. Were remains found in wreckage of a tank? .....
- a. Give specific position in tank from which deceased was removed .....  
 (Radio man, driver, assistant driver or . . . front, side, or back) .....
- b. Near wreckage? .....
- 32. Location of destroyed tank must be investigated. Give complete results of investigation. (If removed, state when and by whom) .....
- a. Type of tank .....
- b. Markings and/or name of tank .....
- c. Numbers on motors, machine guns, ammunition, instruments, etc .....
- 33. What was the type of enemy action that resulted in the tank's disablement? .....
- 34. Did tank explode? ..... Burn? .....
- 35. Number of tanks in immediate vicinity at time of disablement .....
- 36. Does specific time and date of disablement correspond with date of death of above named deceased? .....
- 37. Precise time and date of destruction of tank ..... (Night?) (Day?)
- 38. Did any of the crew members escape? ..... Prisoners? .....

SECTION D — OTHER BRANCH (To be filled out if B & C are not applicable).

- 39. Did death occur from any other means? (i. e., truck, jeep, mines, drowning, or small arms fire) ..... **YES**  
 If so, give complete and thorough results of the interrogation. .... **YES**
  - a. Are all certificates and statements of people who possessed knowledge of the case attached? .....
- 40. State the specific clues and evidence that were obtained in securing the name and facts regarding the above listed deceased ..... **FORESTER HUBERT HILGER, AACHEN, JUELICHERSTRASSE # 354**

SECTION E — GENERAL (To be completed by investigation in all cases)

- 41. Were personal effects recovered by the investigating team? ..... **NO**  
 If not, state reason ..... **NONE COULD BE FOUND**
  - a. Were identification tags found at the time of death? ..... **UNKNOWN**  
 Where? ..... **UNKNOWN** By whom? .....
  - Present disposition ..... **UNKNOWN**

If deceased is not identified, personal effects will not be forwarded to PE Depot, but will remain with this form until final identification is made, or investigation is abandoned.

- b. Were personal effects found at time of death? UNKNOWN  
 Where? \_\_\_\_\_ By whom? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Present disposition UNKNOWN
- c. Was deceased identified by living members of the crew at the time of death? UNKNOWN
- d. Did Cemetery Register or cross indicate the immunization shot? REMAINS NOT BURIED
42. Was Deceased given first aid? UNKNOWN If so, where? \_\_\_\_\_  
 By whom? \_\_\_\_\_ Are statements from the medical people attached? \_\_\_\_\_
43. Was deceased evacuated to a German civilian hospital? NO  
 Where? \_\_\_\_\_ Names of people concerned \_\_\_\_\_
44. Is it possible on surface investigation to obtain from civilian sources a physical description of the deceased? NO
45. Is it possible on surface investigation to obtain from civilian sources the condition of the remains? YES  
THE REMAINS CONSIST OF DRY BONES  
 (Burnt? \_\_\_\_\_ Decapitated? etc) \_\_\_\_\_
46. Do facts surrounding death show any evidence that it might be an atrocity case? NO  
 a. If so, give basis for positive assumption \_\_\_\_\_  
 b. If so, has higher headquarters been notified? \_\_\_\_\_
47. Was case previously investigated? NO By whom? \_\_\_\_\_  
 When? \_\_\_\_\_
48. Give full names, addresses, and information obtained from each person interviewed  
HUBERT HILGER, AACHEN, JUELICHERSTRASSE # 354
49. Are all positive statements regarding identification and particulars surrounding death attached? YES
50. Has any information been given concerning isolated burials in the area outside the immediate vicinity? NO
51. Was investigation preceded by advanced publicity? YES  
 (If special investigation, give case number) \_\_\_\_\_
52. Give Brief Narrative SEE ATTACHED NARRATIVE
- (Use attached, sheets if necessary)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Interpreter

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Rank ASN

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Organization

*Floyd Heckathorne*  
**Floyd Heckathorne**  
 Signature of Investigator

**Cpl RA-33923333**  
 Rank ASN

**Hq & Hq Det 164 QM. En.**  
 Organization

- a. What information was contained thereon? **NOT BURIED**
- b. Where was the information obtained?
- c. By whom?
12. What is the date of death? **ESTIMATED NOVEMBER 1944**
- a. Give basis **HEAVIEST FIGHTING TOOK PLACE AT THAT TIME**
13. What is the cause of death? **PRESUMED TO BE SHRAPNEL OR SMALL ARMS FIRE**
- b. Give basis **AREA WAS DESTROYED BY ARTILLERY**
14. What is the date of burial? **NOT BURIED**
- a. Give basis **REMAINS WERE FOUND LYING ON TOP OF THE GROUND**
15. What was the place of death? **HURTGEN FOREST, DISTRICT # 20 C** Coords **WF-0230**
- b. Give basis **REMAINS WERE FOUND THERE**
16. Where were the remains found? **HURTGEN FOREST, DISTRICT # 20 C** Coords **WF-0230**
- a. By whom? **FORESTER HUBERT HILGER, AACHEN, JULICHERSTRASSE # 354**
- b. Is sketch attached? **YES**
17. Was a casket used? **NOT BURIED** Who furnished the casket?
- Type of casket How marked?
18. Who made the burial **REMAINS NOT BURIED**  
(Civilian, American Mil. or German Mil.)
- a. What are the names and addresses?

## SECTION B — AIR CORPS DECEASED (To be completed only if deceased is believed to be a member of the AAF).

19. Were remains found in the plane wreckage? **DOES NOT APPLY**
- a. Give location in plane from which the bodies were removed
- (Tail gunner, pilot, radio, turret, etc., or front, side of plane)
- b. Near wreckage?
20. Scene of crash must be investigated. Give complete results of investigation (if removed, state when and by whom).
- a. Type of Plane
- b. Markings and/or name on plane
- c. Give numbers on motors, machine guns, instruments, radios or other equipment:
21. How did crash occur? Anti-aircraft
- Enemy Planes? Collision?
22. Did plane explode in the air? On ground?
23. Did plane burn in the air? On ground?
24. What was the direction of the flight?
25. What was the civilian opinion regarding destination of plane?



NARRATIVE  
ON GERMETER, GERMANY CASE

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This disinterring team recovered the remains lying on the surface of the ground. The remains consisted of dry bones and G.I. equipment. The woods around the place of death are destroyed by Artillery.

The deceased is believed to have been killed by shrapnel or small arms fire in November 1944 when the heaviest fighting took place in the Hurtgen Forest.

No Identification tags could be found on the remains.

*Floyd Heckathorne*  
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Cpl. RA-33923333

Erklärung

Am 15. Mai 1947 fand ich während meiner Arbeit als Holschneidger in Huertgenwald (Raffelsbrand, Distrikt # 20 C) die Ueberreste eines amerikanischen Soldaten. Die Ueberreste bestanden aus trockenen Knochen und Soldatenausruestung, welche auf ebener Erde lagen. Eine Erkennungsmarke war nicht dabei. Ich zeigte die Stelle einem Kommando des amerikanischen Graeberdienstes und sie stellten die Ueberreste kurz danach sicher.

s/ Hubert Hilgers

Statement

On the 15 May 1947 in course of my regular duty as woodcutter in the Hurtgen-Forest I found the remains of an American soldier in District # 20, Raffelsbrand. The remains consisted of dry bones and G.I. equipment which were lying on the surface of the ground. No identification tags could be found on the remains. I showed this place to an investigation team of the American Graves Registration Command and they evacuated the remains shortly after.

s/ Hubert Hilgers

I herewith certify that this is a true translation of the above to the best of my ability.

*Werner Kinon*  
Werner Kinon  
German Interpreter

A TRUE COPY

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*Ivor J. Fosmo*  
IVOR J. FOSMO  
2/Lt Inf  
G. R. Officer

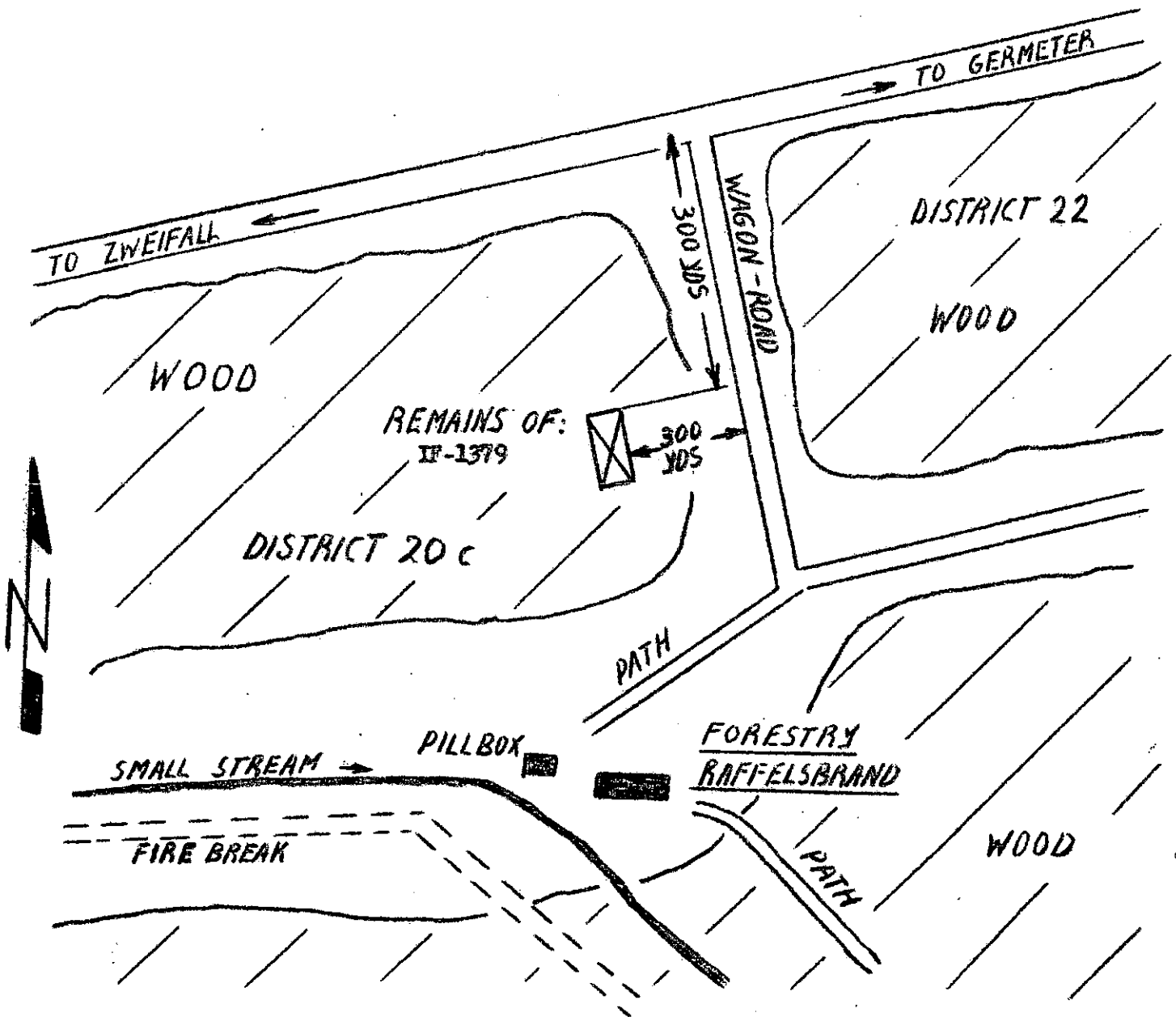
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(Exhibit "A")

Map : Germany 1/100 000  
Sheet : S I  
Coord : (WF-0230)  
Town : Germeter, Germany  
Sketch by : Heinz Bertram  
(German Interpreter)

NOT TO SCALE

# HUERTGEN FOREST



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**IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST**

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

-5483

Unknown  Neuville en Condroz, Belgium  
 Cemetery \_\_\_\_\_  
 Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_ Grave \_\_\_\_\_

**Date processed:** 3 June 1947

1. Arrived at cemetery \_\_\_\_\_
2. Place of death Hurtgen Forest, Germany, District # 20 C  
(Hour) (Date)  
WF-0230 Name of closest town \_\_\_\_\_ (Coordinates and letter Prefix, maps)  
(Sheet, scale and serials used)
3. Remains recovered or disinterred by 164 QM Bn  
(Name and organization)
4. Evacuated to Cemetery by Subordinate Identification Point, Margraten, Hollan  
(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	<b>None</b>		
Raincoat	<b>Remnants of one (1)</b>		
Overcoat	<b>None</b>		
Jacket, Field	<b>None</b>		
Jacket, Combat	<b>None</b>		
Mackinaw	<b>Remnants of one (1) - wool O.D.</b>		
Sweater	<b>None</b>		
Jacket, HBT	<b>None</b>		
* Shirt, Wool OD	<b>Remnants of one (1)</b>		
Undershirt, Wool	<b>None</b>		
Undershirt, Cotton	<b>None</b>		
Trousers, HBT	<b>Remnants of one (1) pair</b>		
* Trousers, Wool OD			

Belt, web ..... **None**

Drawers, wool ..... **None**

Drawers, cotton ..... **None**

Leggings, wool **canvas, one (1) remnants of.**

Socks, cotton ..... **None**

\* Shoes ..... (type) **None**

Overshoes ..... **None**

Web Equipment ..... (type) **None**

(Other item) **Glove, right, leather palm.**

(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?

**GROUND FORCES**

6. Description of Remains :

Age **Utd** Height **Est: 6' 1 1/2"** 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, pocks, freckles)

Build ..... **Utd**  
 (Large, fat, thin, muscular)

Hair ..... **Brown, 1 1/2 in. curly.**  
 (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)

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 ..... **Crushed**  
 (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 ..... **Utd**  
 (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 ..... **Utd**  
 (Nose, arms, legs, etc.)

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

7. Have finger prints been placed on Report of Interment? No  
(Yes-no)  
If not, explain Too decomposed

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

9. Remarks Case consists of dry bones and clothing remnants with but not on body. Teeth charted. Nothing found to warrant Chemical Laboratory Examination. Height estimated. Fluoroscopic Examination: negative. Present estimated weight of processed remains: 20 Lbs. Due to insufficient evidence, this case is classified "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)

**CWO**

Rank

**USA**

Service

**Central Identification Point.**

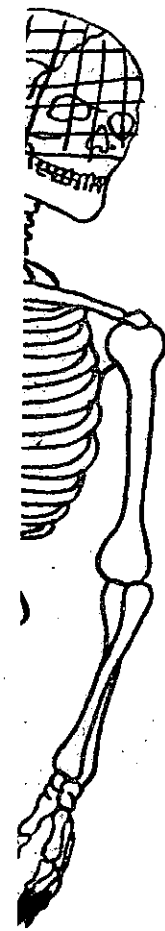
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IF-1379  
Neuv le en Condroz, Belg  
Unknown X-6483

# FATAL CHART

BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)



35.4cm

27.3cm

29.2cm

49.3cm

40.2cm

cm

ght: 6' 1/2"

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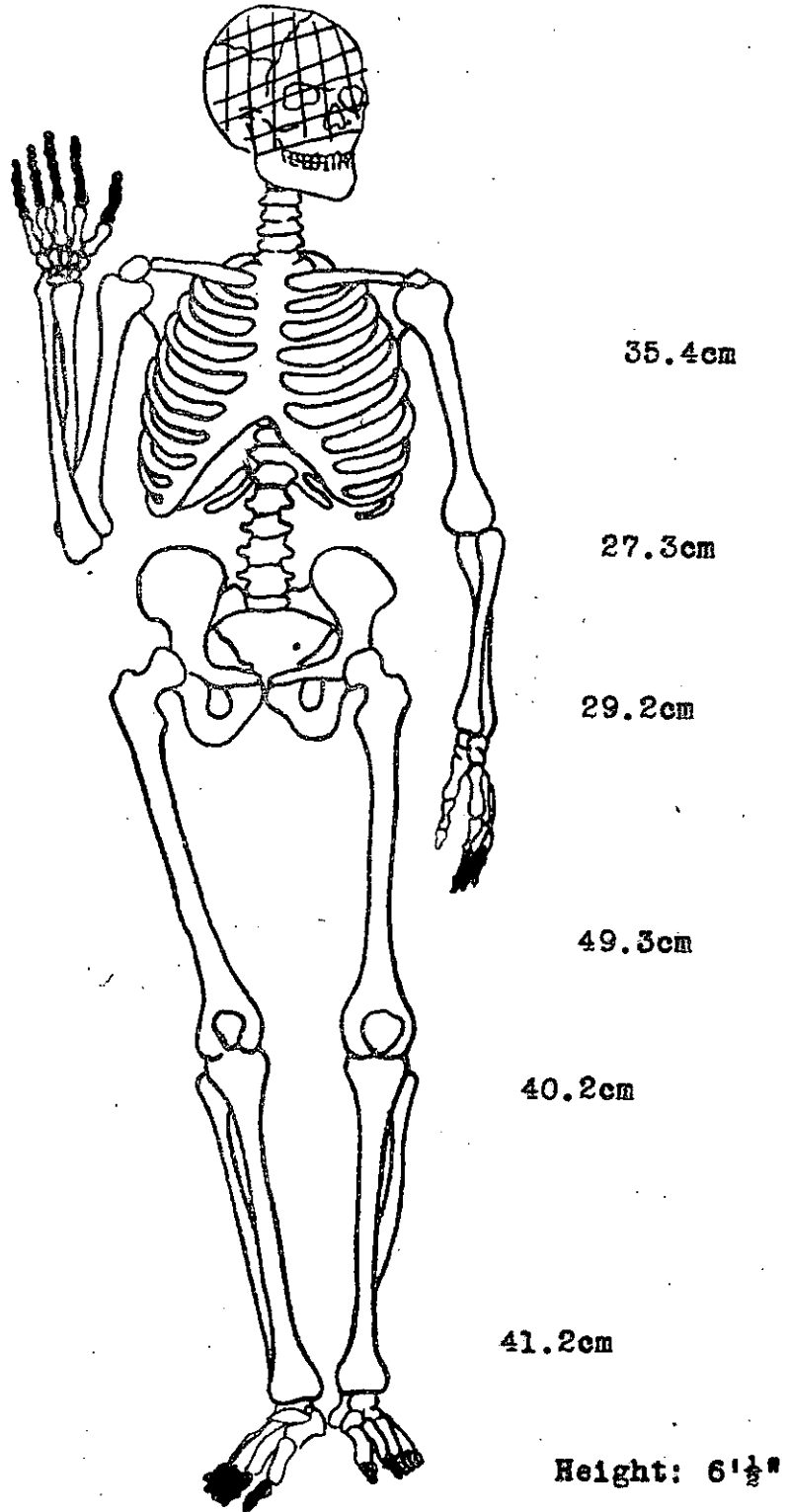
**USA**  
Service

**Central Identification Point.**  
(Organization)

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Neuv le en Condroz, Belgium  
Unknown X-5483

# SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)

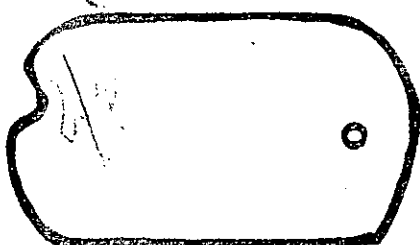


WD OMC FORM 1042  
Rev 1 Apr. 1946  
(Supersedes GRS Form I)

REPORT OF INTERMENT  
(AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)

Date of report  
4 June 1947

Imprint Identification Tag if Possible  
DO NOT TYPE



SECTION I. IDENTIFICATION

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)		Serial number
Unknown X-5483		Unknown
Grade	Organization	Branch of service
Unknown	Unknown	AGF
Race	Religion	If other than U. S. dead, Give name of country.
Unknown	Unknown	

Place of death Hurtgen Forest, Germany District #20 C	Cause of death BTB: KIA	Date of death Est. Nov 1944
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Emergency addressee (Name, Relationship and Address.)  
Unknown

Identification tags found on body (1, 2, or None) None  
If no tags found on body, describe means of identification.  
If unidentified fill in section 3 on reverse.

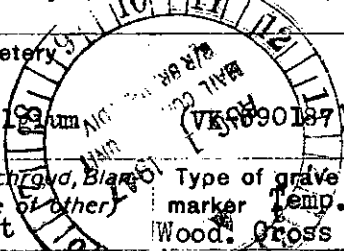
Were substitute tags provided (Yes or No) Yes  
None

List personal effects found on body and disposition of same  
None

SECTION 2. BURIAL If other than in established cemetery furnish sketch and map coordinates on reverse.

Name, Number, Coordinates and location of cemetery

USMC, Neuville-en-Condroz, Belgium



Date of burial	Hour	Buried in (School, Club, etc., or name of other)	Type of grave marker	Plot no.	Row no.	Grave no.
12 June 1947	1500	Casket	Wood. Cross	W	12	279

Was this a re-burial (Yes or No) No	If a re-burial, indicate Name, Number, coordinates of previous cemetery, and location of grave remains found on surface of ground in Hurtgen Forest, Germany District #20 C WF-0230	Plot no.	Row no.	Grave no.
			Unburied	

Type of religious ceremony Joint P, C & H	Person conducting burial rites Chaplains Rusher, Saatman & Lepchivcher	If identification tags not used, describe identification data and containers buried with body
Identification tag buried with body (Yes or No) No	Identification tag attached to marker (Yes or No) GRS	

Report of Burial

Body buried on deceased left, Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)	Rank	Serial number	Organization	Grave No.
Unknown X-5482	Unk	Unk	Unk	280
Body buried on deceased right, Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)	Rank	Serial number	Organization	Grave No.
Berman, Stuart	Unk	12206341	Unk	278

Signature of person preparing report RAYMOND G. JOHNSON 1st Lt Inf CIV	Signature of GRS officer verifying report T. D. ECKOLS Major Inf
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## SECTION 3. UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS

## INSTRUCTIONS

(a) Great care will be taken to record the most minute clues for the future identity of unidentified remains. Fill in anatomical characteristics below, and any other clues under "Other" such as shoe size, social security number; position of body, found in airplanes, vehicles and tanks; and serial numbers of airplanes, vehicles and tanks.

(b) A fingerprint, or prints, are the most valuable of all clues. Imprint all fingers and thumbs in the chart at left, or as many as possible. If no fingerprints or prints can be secured, the condition of each and every tooth will be indicated on the tooth chart in accordance with diagram below. Tooth chart will not be accomplished if one or more fingerprints are secured.

Height Est. 6' $\frac{1}{2}$ "	Weight UTD	Color of eyes UTD	Color of hair Brown, $1\frac{1}{2}$ " long, curly	Birthmarks, scars or tattoos UTD
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Weapon and serial number None	Laundry marks None	Where body was buried or found Hurtgen Forest, Germany
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For tooth chart see attached Form I-A.

RKEMARS According to narrative of Disinterring Team, this deceased was found by a German woodcutter, HUBERT HILGER, of Aachen, Germany. No details concerning this deceased could be obtained.

Processing of this deceased at Subordinate Identification Point #2, Margraten, Holland, revealed no positive identifying clues.

In view of insufficient evidence this case is classified "Unknown."

Furnish sketch and map reference and coordinates for burial in other than established cemetery



Remarks Form #11, Check List, and Form I-A, Tooth Chart, accomplished. Unable to obtain fingerprints because of decomposition. Estimated weight of remains recovered; 20 lbs.