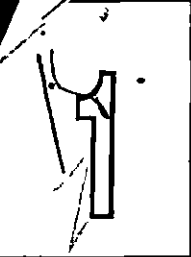


JLJ Paul



USMC HENRI CHAPPELLE  
 PLOT: B ROW: 2 GRAVE: 25  
 DATE OF BURIAL 18 Jun/48 **DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE**  
 VERIFIED BY *J. Hoffman*

TRIAL ON  
 MOUNT JAMES E EARNEST  
 34817113  
 LEFT EDWARD BERNARD  
 33784991

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		GRS OFFICER <i>J. Hoffman</i>	DIRECTIVE NUMBER 1240 00000	DATE 10   09   47 DAY   MONTH   YEAR
NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	ARM	DATE OF DEATH
	UNKNOWN X-000058		7	
CEMETERY HENRI CHAPELLE EUPEN				DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 1201   80 CODE   DIST PT.
PLOT	ROW	GRAVE	COUNTRY	CAUSE OF DEATH
M	9	178	BELGIUM	6

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

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE HENRI CHAPELLE, BELGIUM (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
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**SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION**

NAME UNKNOWN X-58	SERIAL NUMBER X-000058	RANK UNK	DATE OF DEATH UNK; BOB 26 OCT	DATE DISINTERRED 16 OCT 1947
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS GRS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER GRS	ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN	RELIGION UNK	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY <i>Marion K Cole</i> MARION K COLE, CAPT QMC 540 QM SV CO NAME AND TITLE	

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

NATURE OF BURIAL MATTRESS COVER	CONDITION OF REMAINS HEAD CRUSHED, MULTIPLE FRACTURES OF ALL LONG BONES EXCEPT R/HUMERUS SECTIONS MISSING.
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION PROCESSED.	GROUND FORCE CLOTHING FOUND W/REMAINS. BODY HAD BEEN PROCESSED.

MINOR DISCREPANCIES / Arm of service changed - Auth. 355 (Hq. AGRC)

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 28 OCT 1947 BY RAY E BOWER, EMB. SUPV.

CASKET SEALED BY RAY E. BOWER, EMB. SUPV.	EMBALMER (Signature) RAY E. BOWER, EMB. SUPV. 540 QM SV CO <i>Ray E Bower</i>
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED DATE 28-10-47 BY KENDEL B RISER, CLERK RECORDER	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY 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.

*Raymond G Johnson*  
 RAYMOND G JOHNSON, 1/LT INF  
 SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

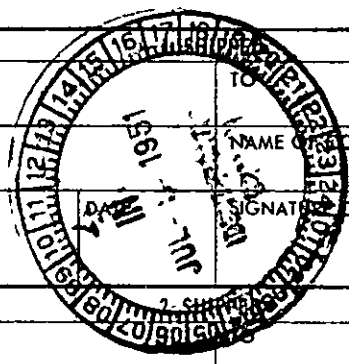
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

FILE  
 RECORDS ANNOTATED  
 DATE OCT 18 1948  
 NAME *Mark...*  
 R & R BR.

*No letter necessary*

# RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

961 7 8 2049



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SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

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HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND  
EUROPEAN AREA  
APO 58 US ARMY

AUG 24 1948

20 August 1948  
Date

SUBJECT: Unidentifiable Remains.

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

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X- 58, Plot M,  
Row 9, Grave 178, USMC Henri Chapelle 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. 2221, dated 5 March 1947. No  
further information is available.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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

Received TL # 2993-20 Aug 48 OQMG  
Not identifiable from  
information presently  
available

Incl #7

*W. J. Hamer*

27 Sept 48

OMGOD 293, ~~Unknown, Belgium, Plot EE, Row 3, Grave 59~~  
Kowalski, Erwin G., T/4

1st Ind

Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C., 28 May 1948

TO: Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Ave.,  
Kansas City 1, Missouri. ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

1. Report of Burial on file for Unknown X-58, Henri Chapello, Belgium, shows burial in Plot M, Row 9, Grave 178. No personal effects are listed for this deceased whose identity is still unknown.

2. Identification of Unknown X-169, Henri Chapello, Belgium, Plot EE, Row 3, Grave 59, was established through comparison of fingerprints, as T/4 Erwin G. Kowalski, ASN 36 131 426.

3. Personal effects listed on Burial Report for T/4 Kowalski are:

- |                                     |  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| 1 Key case                          | 1 Spectacle order form for             |
| Receipt                             | Erwin G. Kowalski, SN 36 131 426       |
| Religious articles                  | from Camp Reynolds, dated 6 June 1948  |
| 1 Wrist watch                       | signed Hugh J. McAdams, Capt., MCN 993 |
| 1 Pocket knife                      | 1 Letter                               |
| 1 Bracelet                          | 1 Key                                  |
| 1 Check                             | Pictures                               |
| 2 Money Orders (\$25.11; & \$40.00) | Souvenir money (1 note & 19 coins)     |
| \$20.00 U. S.                       |  |

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL LARKIN:

3 Incls:  
H/O

GUY B. HIGLEY  
Major, OMC  
Field Service Division

OMGOD 293, KOWALSKI, ERWIN G., T/4, ASN 36 131 426

*993 Sample - Belgium - SN 36 131 426*

Kansas City Quartermaster Depot  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU  
601 Hardesty Avenue  
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

HOC/ELR/mjo'c  
11 May 1948

In Reply Refer to QMDKG 335456 - 557389

SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Effects

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

1. Attention is invited to inclosed copy of overseas inventory of effects for X-58, Henri Chapelle, PLOT EE, GRAVE 59. The items listed were received here and processed as personal effects of T/4 Erwin G. Kowalski, 36131426, MD, deceased European Area, 26 November 1944. The items of personal effects were forwarded to Mrs. Ida Caroline Kowalski, Route #2, Alpena, Michigan, widow and appropriate recipient of effects.

2. No official report was received from your office to indicate that Unknown X-58 was identified as Sgt. Erwin G. Kowalski; however, report was received that Unknown X-169, Henri-Chapelle #1, Belgium, Plot EE, Row 3, Grave 59, was identified as T/4 Erwin G. Kowalski, 36131426, Medical Department.

3. Funds in the amount of \$20.00, as noted on the inclosed copy of overseas inventory, were received here from Depot Q290 under classification of X-58 (American). The Bureau deposited these funds with the U. S. Finance Office, in November 1945, pending official identification of the unknown decedent.

4. In order that Bureau records may be clarified in this case, it is requested that the following data be furnished:

- a. Information as to whether or not burial report is available, or identification established for Unknown X-58, Henri Chapelle, Plot EE, Grave 59.
- b. Verify report of identification for X-169, Henri Chapelle, Plot EE, Row 3, Grave 59.
- c. Information as to whether or not a list of items of personal effects recovered for X-169, Henri Chappelle, is available at your office and, if so, request copy thereof be furnished.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

/s/ H. O. CALDWELL  
Effects Quartermaster

3 Incls

1. AG ETO Form No. 26
2. GR Label
3. Cy WD FD Form 38

COPY

AGRC  
 FORM NO 11  
 Revised 5 January 1946

# CHECK LIST OF UNKNOWN

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

Unknown X -58  
 Cemetery **Henri Chapelle**  
 Plot **M** Row **9** Grave **178**

1 ~~Arrived at cemetery~~ **Reprocessed: 7 January 1947**  
 (Hour) (date)

2. Place of death (Name of closest town) (ordinates and letter Prefex maps)

Sheet, scale and serials used.

3. Remains ~~recovered or~~ disinterred by **Subordinate Identification Point Margraten**  
 (Name and organization)

**Cemetery (Holland)**

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	<b>None</b> (type)			

Raincoat **None**

Overcoat **O.D. marking "ALLEN" "A-8984", Size 38R**

Jacket, Field **None**

Jacket, Combat **None**

Mackinaw **None**

Sweater **None**

Jacket, HBT **None**

\*Shirt, Wool, OD **None**

Undershirt, Wool **None**

Undershirt, Cotton **None**

Trousers HBT **None**

\*Trousers, Wool OD **None**

Belt. Web **None**  
 Drawers. Wool **None**  
 Drawers. Cotton **None**  
 Leggings. Wool **None** (Note unusual lacing)  
 Socks. Cotton **None**  
 \*Shoes (type) **None**  
 Overshoes **None**  
 Web Equipment (type) **None**  
 (Other item) **O.D. wool gloves**  
 (Other item) **None**

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

6. Chevrons or Insignia **None**  
 (type & location, shirt, jacket, coat helmet)  
 Shoulder Patch **None**

7. Does clothing indicate that deceased was a member of the Air, Ground or Naval Forces  
**BTB: Ground Forces**

8. Description of Remains:

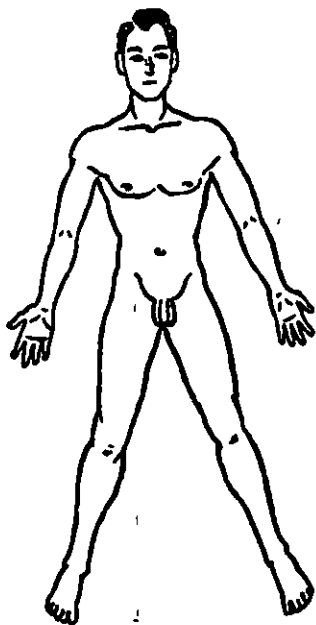
Age **UTD** Height **5' 10"** Weight **UTD** Description of wounds **UTD**  
 Bandages or dressings **UTD** Scars **UTD**  
 (Length, width location)  
 Tattoos **UTD**  
 (Number, location — illustrate on sep page)  
 Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks **UTD**  
 (yes no, description, location)  
 Sunburn or tan, other than hands & face **UTD**  
 Complexion **UTD**  
 (light, med, dark, clear, pimples, poeks, freckles)  
 Build **UTD**  
 (large, fat, thin, muscular)  
 Hair **UTD**  
 (color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight whorls, or definite parting)  
 Hair **UTD**  
 (baldness, widows peak distinctive cutting or other characteristics)

Sideburns	UTD (color, setting, shape)	Mustache	UTD (color, size, shape)	Beard or Goatee	UTD (length, heavy)
	light color, extent)				
Eyes	UTD (color, setting, shape)	Eyebrows	UTD		(color, bushiness, extent across nose)
Nose	UTD (size shape, straight)	Ears	UTD		(size, set close to or far from head)
Mouth	UTD (large, medium, small)	Lips	UTD		(small, large, full)
Teeth	See tooth chart (white size unevenness, spacing noticeable crowns fillings, extract)				
Chin	UTD				(prominent, receding pointed, dimple, double)
Jaw	UTD (large small, normal)	Circumference of head in inches	Crushed		(hat band)
Neck	UTD (size, length short, normal wrinkled)			Larynx	UTD (prominent, normal)
Shoulders	UTD (broad straight small, rounded)			Arms	UTD (length, muscular, color)
	(extent and quantity of hair)				
Hands	UTD				
Fingers	UTD				(sort, thick, long, slender, size of knuckles missing fingers or joints)
	(unusual characteristics of fingernails)				
Chest	UTD				(size of nipples, color quantity & extent of hair, large small, normal)
Back	UTD (quantity & extent of hair)	Waist	UTD		(size of navel, appendectomy amount)
	UTD (quantity & color of hair)	Circumcision	UTD (yes no)	Pubic hair	UTD (color)
Hernioplasty	UTD (yes-no; location)				
Legs	UTD				(inseam, muscular, knock-kneed bowed, normal, quantity, color & extent of hair)
Feet	UTD (Size corns, callouses flat)		Toes	UTD	(slender, straight crooked, overlap)
Evidence of healed fractures	UTD (None found) (nose arms legs etc)				



9. Black out parts of body not received at cemetery:

See attached chart



10. Have fingerprints been placed on Report of Internment

No  
Yes-no

If not, explain **Decomposed**

11. Has tooth chart been prepared

Yes  
Yes no

If not, explain

12 Remarks: Remains recovered in last stage of decomposition. Estimated weight: 30 Lbs. Fluoroscopic Examination: Negative. Markings found on overcoat; "ALLEN" "A-8984". Chemical Laboratory Examination: positive. Burial Report found in 50 cal. shell. 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

*Ellsworth T. Mac Intyre*  
ELLSWORTH T. MAC INTYRE  
Officers Name

Captain QMC.

Rank

Service

Central Identification Point  
Organization

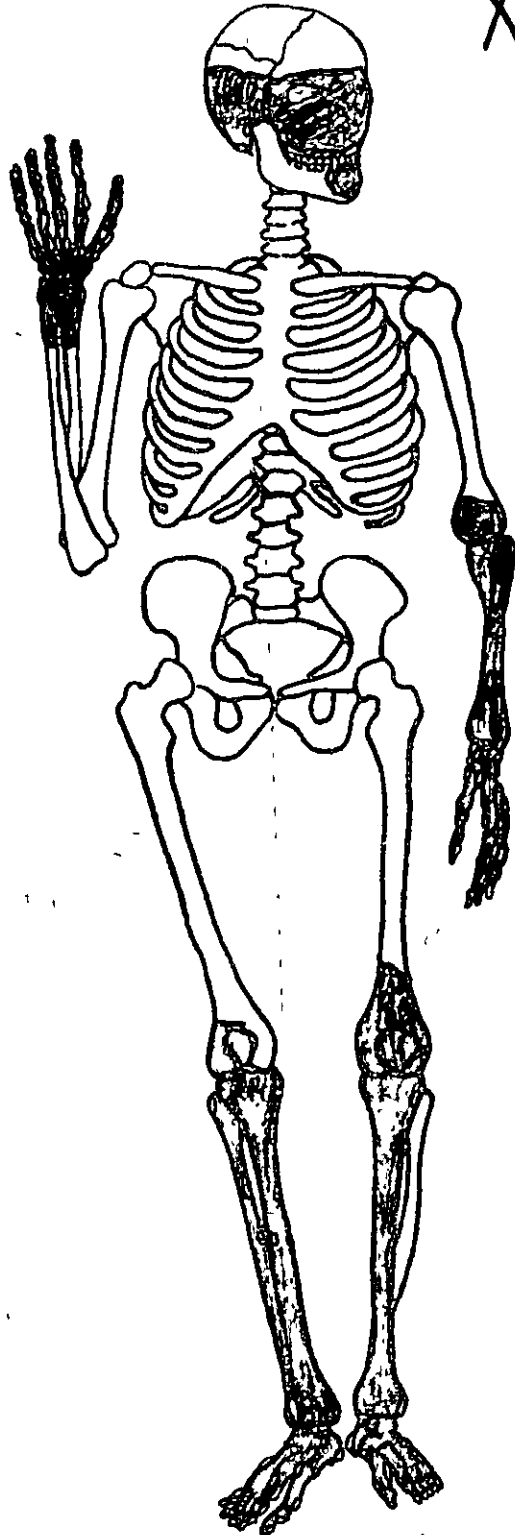
Unknown X-58

# SKELETAL CHART

Henri-Chapelle, France  
Plot M, Row 9, Grave  
178

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)

X-58



# TOOTH CHART

7 January 1947

Date

Unknown X-58, Henri Chappelle, France

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

Serial No.

Plot 11, Row 9, Grave 178

Unit

Organization

Place of Death

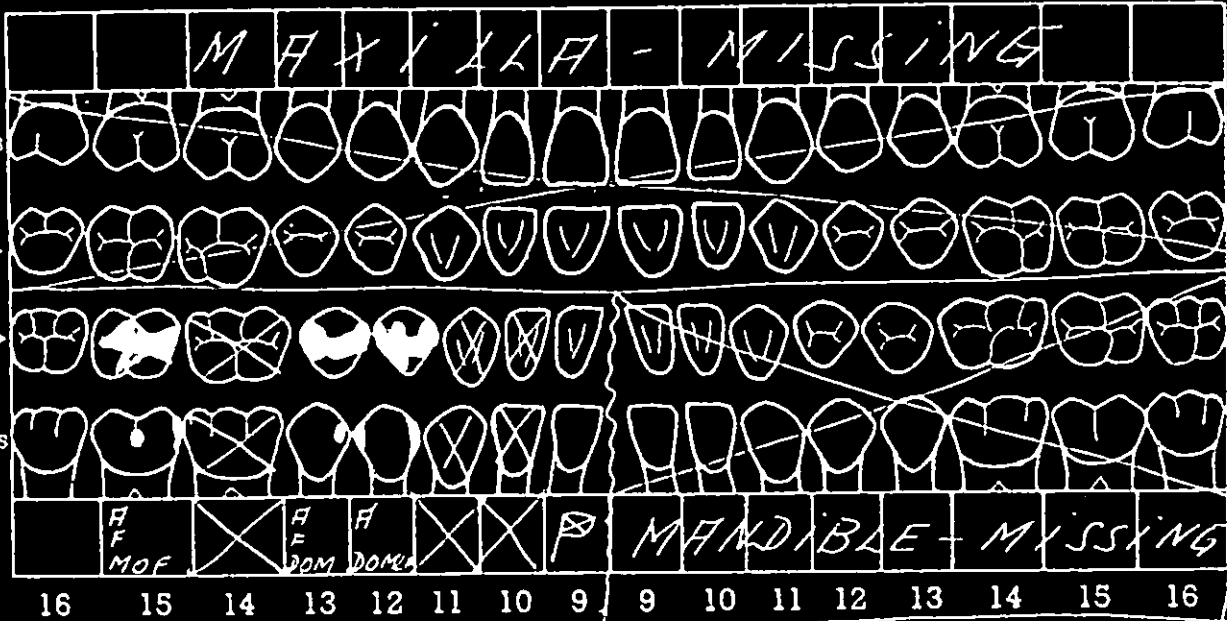
Date of Death

Cause of Death

Right

Left

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



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), 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.

*Harold J. Wheeler M.D.*

Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

ELLSWORTH T. MAC INTYRE, Captain MC. C.I.P.

Verified by G. R. S. Officer

*Ellsworth T. Mac Intyre*

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



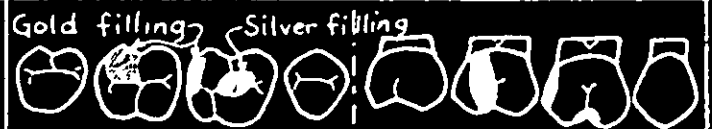
**CROWNED TEETH...** Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus :



**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

Small size, white teeth.  
 Posthumously missing - R9.  
 Alignment good.  
 Space R15-13, 8mm; R12-9, (est.) 4mm.  
 Socket of R9 has a distal version of approx. 45°.  
 Teeth clean.

IDENTIFICATION SECTION  
REPARATION RECORDS BRANCH  
MEMORIAL DIVISION

CATEGORY III CASE  
NO CLUES  
IDENTIFICATION IMPOSSIBLE  
AT PRESENT TIME

W A C R  
#7055

**REPORT OF BURIAL**

TM 10-638 AND AR 30-1815

13523630

26 October 1944  
Date

Unknown X-52 Unknown Unknown  
Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.

Unknown  
Unit Organization

Holland Unknown KIA Body burned decomp.  
Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death

26 October 1944 Henri Chapelle #1 705352  
Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location

178 9 M Cross  
Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

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

If No Identification Tags  
How were remains identified?

No identification available  
Evacuated by 607(GR)  
What means of identification were buried with the body?

GRS Form #1 and Embossed Tag in 50 cal shell

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

Who is buried on:

Deceased's Right: Robertson 42113686 Pvt 120th Inf 179  
Name Serial No Rank Organization Grave No.

Deceased's Left: Buffinger 36433638 T/5 95th FA 177  
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 Unknown

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

NO PE'S

HARRY DUBROV, 1st Lt. MC  
Verified by Officer or other person reporting burial

**RESTRICTED**

# 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.:

Left Hand


Right Hand


Thumb

Thumb

## TOOTH CHART

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