

USMC Neuville Condroz
 Plot: C Rows: 1 Gr: 18
 Date of Burial: 6 May 50 **DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE**
 Verified by GRS Officer
 M.R. Swart, Capt OMC

SECTION A - *M. R. Swart*
 NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER
 1260 02578

DATE
 16 02 50
 DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME UNKNOWN X-6342

SERIAL NUMBER

GRADE

ARM 8

RACE 0

RELIGION 6

CEMETERY NEUVILLE BELGIUM

PLOT BB

ROW 5

GRAVE 110

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
 (BY ADMINISTRATIVE DECISION)
 These remains are unidentifiable and are to be permanently interred. (Reg.Div.-16 Mar 50)

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME

SERIAL NUMBER

GRADE

DATE OF DEATH

DATE DISTINTERRED

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN

RELIGION

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY

REMAINS

MARKER

NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

CONDITION OF REMAINS

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report OMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.)

KIND OF COMPANY

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE BY

CASKET SEALED BY

EMBALMER (Signature) *R. J. John*

DATE

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY *R. J. John*

DATE BY

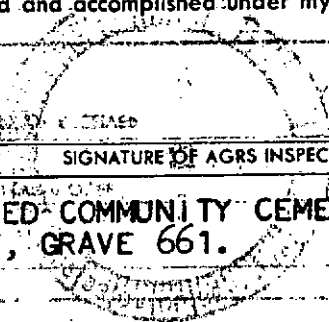
MEM. DIV.

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

SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR

REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
 REMAINS ARE UNIDENTIFIABLE. PERV. BURIED COMMUNITY CEMETERY, POW SECTION, NEUBURXDORF, GERMANY, PLOT POW, GRAVE 661.

SEE ATTACHED SHEET



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(10/28/50)

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DISINTERMENT OPERATIONS RECORD

SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER		DATE		
NAME		SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM	RACE	RELIGION
UNKNOWN		X-006342		8		
EMETERY		PLOT	ROW	GRAVE	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS	
NEUVILLE BELGIUM		BB	5	110	CODE	DIST. CTR.

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	GRADE	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISINTERRED
UNKNOWN	X-006342			1 DECEMBER 1948
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON	ORGANIZATION	RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY	
<input type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input type="checkbox"/> MARKER EMB		UNK	EDWARD E. STOUT 1ST LT, CE NAME AND TITLE	

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS
MATTRESS COVER.	SKELETAL STATE. MISSING RIGHT LEFT FIBULA, BOTH FEET, BOTH HANDS EXCEPT 6 BONES, 7 VERTEBRAE.

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION
 EMBOSSED PLATE UNK 6342. EMBOSSED PLATE BTB, GRAYS, ANDREW 36262997. REPORT OF BURIAL UNK 6342 GRAYS, ANDREW 36262997.

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

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

DATE 13 JANUARY 1949	BY FLOYD C. TESKE, EMBALMER
CASKET SEALED BY	EMBALMER (Signature)
GEORGE R. REED	GEORGE R. REED, LICENSED EMBALMER
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY TAGS, PLATES, MARKINGS
DATE 28 JAN 49 BY PVT DONALD L. GREGORY CLK RECORDER	VERIFIED BY: CLYDE B. SPINKS, CAPT, FA

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

JAMES M. FORESTER, 1ST LT, QMC
 SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR

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

Raymond G Johnson 1ST LT INF
 INDICATE RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER ON REVERSE SIDE *WS*

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER 1260 02578		DATE 16 02 50 DAY MONTH YEAR		
NAME UNKNOWN X-6312		SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM 8	RACE 0	RELIGION 6
CEMETERY NEUVILLE BELGIUM		PLOT BB	ROW 5	GRAVE 110	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 1202 80 CODE DIST. CTR.	

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE NEUVILLE-EN-CONDROZ, BELGIUM	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN (BY ADMINISTRATIVE DECISION)
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SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISINTERRED
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input type="checkbox"/> MARKER		ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN	RELIGION	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL	CONDITION OF REMAINS
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OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.)

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET	
DATE	BY
CASKET SEALED BY	EMBALMER (Signature)
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY
DATE	BY

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SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR

REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

REMAINS ARE UNIDENTIFIABLE. PERV. BURIED COMMUNITY CEMETERY, POW SECTION, NEUBURXDORF, GERMANY, PLOT POW, GRAVE 661.

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GRS European
(Nouvelle) Belgium

SUBJECT: Certificates of Unidentifiability of Remains
Transmittal Letter #4698

Department of the Army, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C. 31 January 1950

TO: Chief, Registration Division, 7887 Graves Registration Detachment,
APO 58, c/o Postmaster, New York, New York

1. This Office approves the classification of the Unknowns listed on basic communication as Unidentifiable with the following exception:

US Military Cemetery NEUVILLE-EN-CONDROE, Belgium
X-4888 Plot X Row 4 Grave 96 - Suspend

2. The Unknown listed above will be the subject of a separate communication.

3. Certificate of Unidentifiability for Unknown X-5725 is being returned to your headquarters under separate cover. Case remains recorded as an Unknown in this Office.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

7 Incls.
w/d

T. H. METZ
Lt. Colonel, QMG
Memorial Division

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rar/Rowinski
N. Farmer
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MRS Engsd
T/L 4698

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X 293
Belgium - 1 - 6342
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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVE REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 757 US ARMY

RFE 293

12 January 1950
(Date)

CERTIFICATE OF UNIDENTIFIABILITY OF REMAINS

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X - 6342, Plot BB, Row 5, Grave 110, USMC NEUVILLE, Belgium, have been reviewed and it is the opinion of the Board of Review, this headquarters, that sufficient evidence is not available to establish the identity of the deceased concerned, therefore, these remains should be classified as unidentifiable.

2. Report of Reprocessing of remains was forwarded to the Office of the Quartermaster General by Transmittal Letter No 2506, dated 13-10-47.

3. Remarks :

See Case History attached.

Case reviewed by undersigned Members of the Board of Review :

H. P. Henry
Col. H. P. HENRY, O-12589 QMC

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

Edward F. Price, Jr.
Capt. Edward F. PRICE, Jr., O-1588236 QMC

1st Lt. Gaylord E. LUTZ, O-1595665 QMC

Léodore Goulbeau
CWO Léodore GOULBEAU, W-2113434 USA

Received *#4698* *16 Jan 50* **QMG**
Not identifiable from
information **presently**
available *BR*
30 Jan 50

Incl #5

UNKNOWN NO. X-6342

CASE HISTORY

U.S. MILITARY CEMETERY

Neuville

(Location)

The remains of Unknown X-6342 were recovered from an isolated grave in the Community Cemetery, POW Section, Neuburxdorf, Germany. Estimated date of death: 5 May 1945. Cause of death: Unknown. Reinterred on 13 September 1947 Plot BB, Row 5, Grave 110 USMC Neuville,

According to Cemetery Records the subject remains were supposed to have been those of Pvt. Andrew S. Grays (GRZYS) 36262997, however, the tooth chart for X-6342 compared negatively with dental records for Pvt. GRZYS.

Dental records for all other unresolved casualties, reported to have been buried in the Neuburxdorf Cemetery, were compared with tooth chart for X-6342 with negative results.

Inasmuch as there is insufficient identifying data to associate subject remains with an unresolved casualty, it is recommended that this case be declared Unidentifiable.

R. Sugimoto
R. Sugimoto
Investigator
9 January 1950

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V-6342 fr fr - 661
5'9 1/2 1318 Crayp

Med. Br hairs
St. Br. pectin

70 restorations
L-1 - worn

#25. fr Br 664. Under
26. " 661. Under
27. 573 LDTAG
Lauric acid
L-1 - worn

G. R. & E. DIV.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER
10, COL. ZONE, FTOUSA

TOOTH CHART

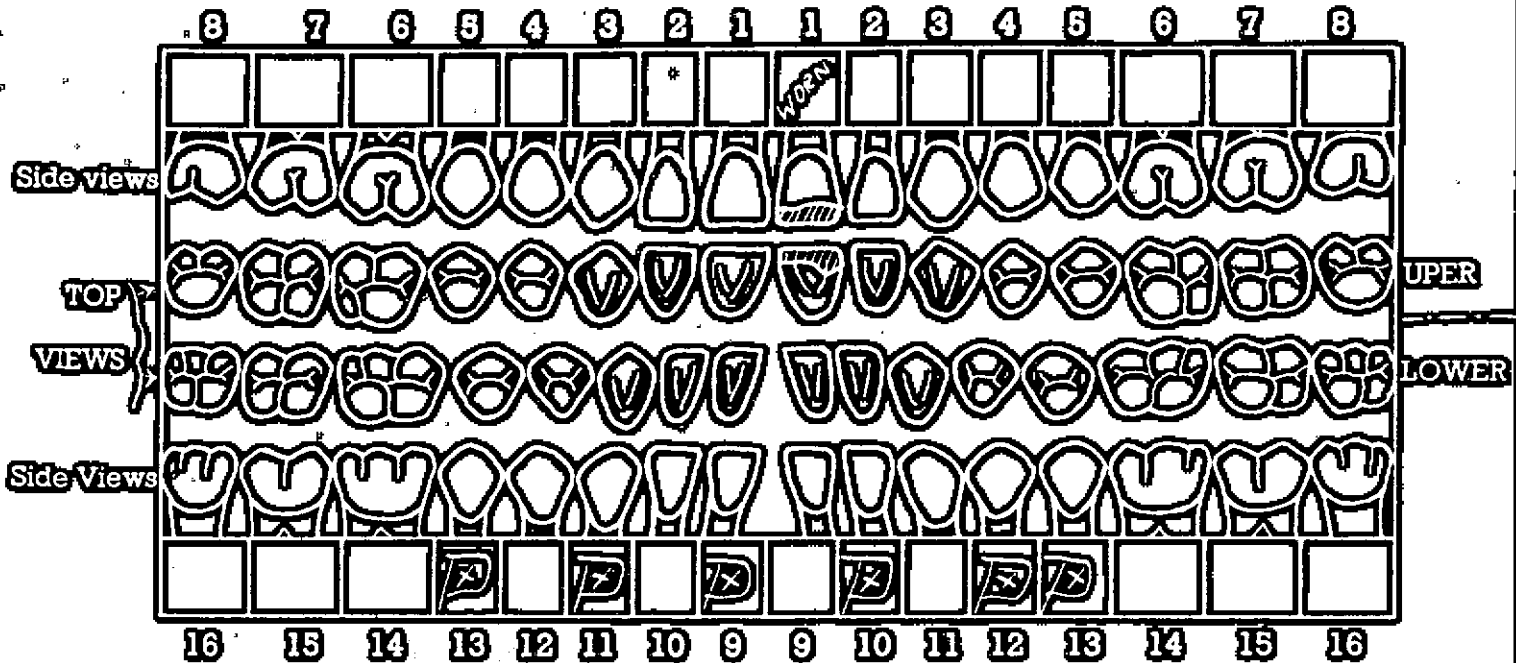
BTB: GRAYS, Andrew
36 26 2997

10 September 1947
Date

Unknown X-6342		Unknown	Unknown
Last Name	First	Rank	Serial No.
Unknown		Unknown	
Stalag 1VB Neuburxdorf, Germany		Est. 5 May 1945	Unknown
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), 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.

Edward [Signature] *16.9*
Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

Ernest C. Gaddy
Vernold by G. R. & E. Officer
ERNEST C. GADDY
C/O USA C.I.P.

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GRAVES REGISTRATION
FORM NO. 1-A

MISSING TEETH... All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be "X"ed 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

Worn off as indicated by shading, 14.
 No fillings in teeth present.
 Moderate abrasion of occlusal surfaces of teeth.
 Calculus moderate.

Medium sized teeth, in very good alignment, have been bleached white.

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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)

BIB: GRAYS, Andrew
36262997

Unknown X -6342
Cemetery Neuville en Condroz, Belgium
Plot BB Row 5 Grave 110

Date processed: 10 September 1947

1. ~~Arrived at cemetery:~~ _____
(Hour) (Date)
2. Place of death Staleg IVE, Neuburxdorf, Germany
(Name of closest town) (Coordinates and letter Prefix, maps)

(Sheet, scale and serials used)
3. Remains recovered or disinterred by 35th CB BN
(Name and organization)
4. Evacuated to Cemetery by Subordinate Identification Point #2, Neuville
(Name and organization) en Condroz, Belgium
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> (Type)		
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>None</u>		

Belt, web None

Drawers, wool None

Drawers, cotton None

Leggings, wool None

Socks, cotton None

* Shoes None (type)

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

R. Humerus: 34,2 R. Femur: 47,9 R. Radius: 25,3 R. Tibia: 37,6
R. Ulna: 27,5

6. Description of Remains:

Age UTD Est. Height 5' 9 1/2" Weight UTD Description of wounds UTD

Bandages or dressings None 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 Medium brown approx. 1" long
(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, thickness, 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"** (Hat band)
 (Large, small, normal)

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 **light brown**
 (Quantity and extent of hair) (Yes-no) (Color)

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

Legs **UTD**
 (Insetum, 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.

See chart

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 Remains received as B.T.B "Andrew Grays A.S.N. 36262997"
Remains received in skeletal form wrapped in a mattress cover.
Estimated weight of remains now: 12 lbs.
Fluoroscopic Examination unnecessary.
Nothing found to warrant Chemical Laboratory Examination.
As no contradictory evidence was found, these remains are
believed to be those of " Andrew Grays, A.S.N. 36262997", as
listed in Stalag Records and Cemetery records.

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
(Officer's Name)

CWO

Rank

USA

Service

CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION POINT

(Organization)

SKELETAL CHART

LF-2924
Neuville en Condroz,
Belgium (VK 390187)
Plot BB Row 5 Grave 110
Unknown X-6342
(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)

BTB: GRAYS, Andrew
36262997

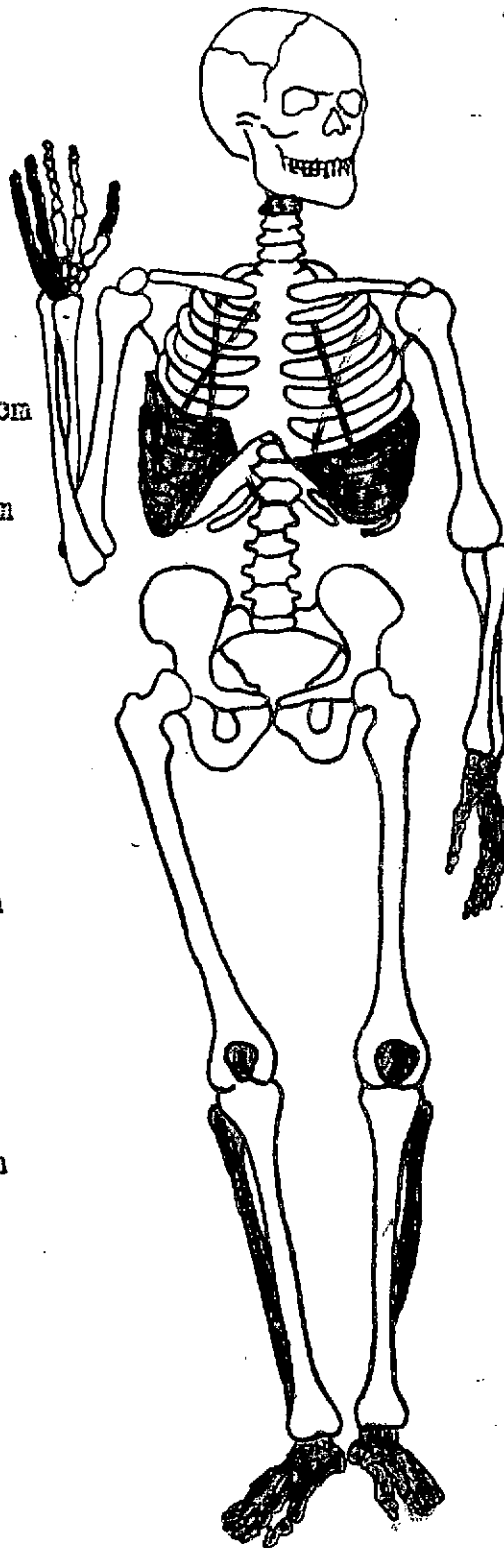
Humerus: 54,2cm

Radius: 25,3cm

Ulna: 27,5cm

Femur: 47,9cm

Tibia: 37,6cm



Estimated height: 5' 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

REPORT OF INVESTIGATION AREA SEARCH

Evacuation Number
1F 2924
Attention Registration
Division Hq. AGRC — for
use in Casualty Clearance

25 September 1947

AGRC Form 10 (Revised)

1 January 1946

NAME Unknown X-6342 RANK Unknown ASN Unknown
 ORGANIZATION Unknown
 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? No If so, state the following information:

a. NAME _____ RANK _____ ASN _____

b. ORGANIZATION _____

2. Was partial identification established? Yes If so, state the facts as to whom you believe the deceased to be:

a. NAME ANDREW GRAYS RANK Pvt ASN 36262997

b. ORGANIZATION 23rd Armd. Inf. Bn.

3. NAMES OF OTHER DECEASED BURIED IN IMMEDIATE VICINITY See attached Copy Cemetery register

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

a. Date of above burials _____ Common Graves? No

5. Name and Type of Cemetery P.O.W. Section of community Cemetery
(Military or Civilian)

6. Map Coordinates of the Cemetery N 52/E 83, 1: 250,000

a. Town Neuburxdorf Country Germany

7. Give exact location in cemetery of the remains.

a. Section P.O.W. Row _____ Grave 661

b. Is sketch attached? Yes

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

a. Town _____ Coordinates _____) Not applicable

b. Is Sketch attached? _____)

c. Is area mined? _____)

9. How is the grave marked? not marked

10. If grave is marked with cross, give exact markings thereon not applicable

not applicable

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

1. By whom _____

11. Where are the cemetery records? at the cemetery
(Town Hall, cemetery, burgermeister's office)

See attached extract

a. What information was contained thereon?

believed from Stalag records

b. Where was the information obtained?

Unknown

c. By whom?

25 May 1945

12. What is the date of death?

Cemetery records

a. Give basis

Unknown

13. What is the cause of death?

b. Give basis

Unknown

14. What is the date of burial?

a. Give basis

Stalag IV B Neuburxdorf

N 52/E 23

15. What was the place of death?

Stalag and cemetery records

Coords

b. Give basis

presumably stalag hosp.

16. Where were the remains found?

Unknown

Coords

a. By whom?

No

b. Is sketch attached?

Yes

Unknown

17. Was a casket used?

Wood

Who furnished the casket?

Type of casket

burial party of P.O.W.'s persons unknown

How marked?

Not marked

18. Who made the burial

(Civilian, American Mil. or German Mil.)

Unknown

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).

This section not applicable

19. Were remains found in the plane wreckage?

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?

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?

Prisoners?

SECTION C — ARMORED CORPS DECEASED (To be completed only if deceased is believed to have been a member of the Armored Force).

This section not applicable

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). Cause of

39. Did death occur from any other means? (i. e., truck, jeep, mines, drowning, or small arms fire)

If so, give complete and thorough results of the interrogation. **death unknown** 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 **Deceased listed as one of many American P.O.W.'s who died of general malnutrition, pneumonia, etc. while consined at Stalag IV B. Details of each individuals cause of death could not be ascertained**

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

41. Were personal effects recovered by the investigating team? **No** **disposition unknown**

If not, state reason

a. Were identification tags found at the time of death? **Unknown, quite probable**

Where? **Unknown** By whom? **Unknown**

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 the time of death? **probably**

Where? _____ By whom? **fellow - prisoners**

Present disposition **Unknown**

c. Was deceased identified by living members of the crew at the time of death? **Not applicable**

d. Did Cemetery Register or cross indicate the immunization shot? _____

42. Was Deceased given first aid? **Unknown** If so, where? _____

By whom? _____ Are statements from the medical people attached? **None**
available

43. Was deceased evacuated to a German civilian hospital? **Stalag hosp. in most cases.**

Where? **Neuburxdorf** Names of people concerned **Unknown**

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? **No**

(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 **Burgermeister**

Schenke of Neuburxdorf

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? **No - Soviet Zone**

(If special investigation, give case number) _____

52. Give Brief Narrative **See attached narrative**

(Use attached, sheets if necessary)

Signature of Interpreter

Rank ASN

Organization

Eric E. Ungar

ERIC E. UNGAR

Signature of Investigator

1st Lt. 13392351

Rank ASN

95th QM Bn. AGRC.

Organization

Question No. 52

At Neuburxdorf, Burgermeister Schenke at once went to get the records he had of the local burials, and from them I obtained the following information:

No.	Name	Rank	Occupation	Grave No.
1	Dick, Samuel		Farmer	547
2	Turton, Edgar	Cpl.(?)	Student	575
3	Franklin, Perry	Pvt.		578
4	Milchoefer, Robert	Pvt.		579
5	Fohrborn, Fritz	Pvt.		580
6	Nickel, Charles	S/Sgt.		583
	(Grave 582 was proved a Dane)			
7	Newman, Louis	Pvt.		586
8	Vaught, Edward	Pvt.		587
9	Denson, Lawrence	Pvt.		593
10	Edward, Robert	Pvt.		591
11	Mc Key, Hector	Pvt.		595
12	Duncan, Vernon	Pvt.		590
13	Van Duesen, George	Pvt.		597
14	Bacon, Ernest	Pvt.		598
15	Musgrave, Robert	Pvt.		600
16	McAndrews, George	S/Sgt.		601
17	Chase, Robert	Pvt.		602
18	Starkey, William	Pvt.		604
19	Northam, Willis	Pvt.		605
20	Haas, Herbert	Pvt.		606
21	Cooley, Joseph	Pvt.		607
22	Unknown			617
	(On our records: Hughes, Dwight,		died 13 March 45)	618
23	Unknown American		died 15 March 45	620
24	American or French		died 24 March 45	621
25	Unknown American		buried 31 March 45	621
	(On our records: Meyer, Clifford,		buried 21 March 45)	
26	Unknown American		buried 2 Apr. 45	622
	(On our records: Fatty, Victor		died 29 March 45)	
27	Unknown American		buried 5 Apr. 45	623
	(On our records: Lund, Elliot		died 5 Apr. 45)	

The following burials were made after Stalag IV B left here. All reports are missing. All that is noted, is based on statements of an English and French Capt.

28.	Unknown American	buried 28 Apr. 45	grave 639
	(On our records: Roeder, Wilbur,	died 26 Apr. 45)	
29.	Unknown American	buried 3 May 45	649
	(On our records: Summers, Bruce	died 30 Apr. 45)	
30.	Unknown American	buried 6 May 45	661
	(On our records: Grays(?) Andrew	died 5 May 45)	663
31.	Unknown French or Italian.	buried 8 May 45	
32.	Unknown American or Italian	buried 11 May 45	664
	(On our records: Mohr, Robert	died 7 May 45)	670
33.	Unknown English or Russian	buried 12 May 45	688
34.	Unknown English or Italian	buried 21 May 45	

Inspected cemetery.

Neuburxdorf-Cemetery

GERMANY

Map Coord. N 52 / E 82 1/250,000

Unused and
old Graves

Monument

OOO Hedge OOO

To Morgue and Gate

Unused

Other Graves

Unused Plot

Unused

572	599		670
574	600 MUSGRAVE		
575 TURTON	601 MCANDREWS	630	
576	602 CHASE	631	675
578 FRANKLIN	604 STARKLEY	632	
579 MICHOFER	605 NORTHAM	633	
580 ROHRBORN	606 TEAS	636	
581	607 COOLEY	637	
582	611		
583 UNKNOWN	612	639 ROEDER	
586 NEWMAN	617 HUGHES		
587 VAUGHN	618 UNKNOWN	641	
588	619		
589	620 UNKNOWN		
590 UNKNOWN	621 MEYER		
591 ENDEWARD	622 FATTY	650	
592	623 LIND	660	
593 DENSON	624	649 SUMMERS	
594	626		
595 MAC KAY	627	648	
596 DUNLAP	629	638	
597 VANDUSEN	635		
598 BACON			
			661 GRAYS
			672
			664 HOHR
			665
			696

NARRATIVE OF DISINTERMENT

NEUBURXDORF, GERMANY (N 52/B 83; 1/250,000)

7 - 8 th August. Disinterred in the community cemetery (Prisoner-of-War Section) of Neuburxdorf, Sachsen Province. The remains of twenty-eight deceased were disinterred.

The graves were located as shown on the attached sketch. We could not take the graves in order in the disinterring as it would have caused too many cave-ins. It was found that the basic documents listing the deceased by name, Stalag serial number, date of death, and grave number proved to be one hundred percent accurate. Of the total exhumations from the cemetery, sixteen were identified by dog-tags, every name agreeing with the cemetery records as to the number of the grave. Graves number 580, 582, 586, 620, 618 had no bodies in them. The boxes were still there but the German laborers stated that the British Team which had been there before us had disinterred the bodies in those graves. We made sure there were no remains in these graves or in the boxes which were in the graves by a very thorough examination of them all. The tops of the coffins had been smashed in and each of the five showed evidence of having contained bodies. In one, some hair still remained. We raised the coffins and dug under them without finding any trace of the bodies.

Although we had nothing in our records on graves 583 and 590, the cemetery records showed that Americans were buried in both graves. According to the cemetery records, grave 583 had an unknown American and grave 590 an American named Frank Gregory (Note: AGRC Cas. Lists contain no person by that name).

All of the remains were in fair condition with the exception of that in grave 622 (Victor Fatty) which was not buried in a box, and grave 593 (Lawrence Denson) which was under water.

The following remains were disinterred 7 August 1947:

<u>Body</u>	<u>Grave No.</u>	<u>Box No.</u>	<u>Name</u>
1	575	A-35	Unknown X-6363. Ident as <i>Tunton</i> ^{Edga}
2	578	A-36	Ident.Tag Franklin L. Perry
3	579	A-37	" " Robert Milchoefer
4	587	A-38	" " Raymond Vaught

<u>Body</u>	<u>Grave No.</u>	<u>Box No.</u>	<u>Name</u>
5	591	A-39	Ident.Tag Robert Endeward
6	590	A-40	Unknown X-6359-
7	595	A-41	Ident.Tag Hector Mackay
8	583	A-42	✓ Unknown X-6356
9	547	A-43	Ident.Tag Samuel Dick

The following were disinterred 8 August 1947

10	596	A-44	Ident.Tag Vernon Dunlap
11	598	A-45	Unknown ✓ - 636-2 <i>Ernest L. Bacon</i>
12	600	A-46	Unknown X-6351 <i>Magnus, Robert</i>
13	602	A-47	Ident.Tag Robert Chase
14	621	A-48	" " Clifford Meyer
15	622	A-49	PoW Ident.Tag Victor <i>Patty</i> <i>Id as Northam, Willis</i>
16	605	A-50	✓ Unknown X-6346 <i>Patty ??</i>
17	601	A-51	Ident.Tag George McAndrews
18	649	A-52	Unknown X-6344 <i>Id as Burnham, Bruce</i>
19	607	A-53	Ident.Tag Joseph Cooley
20	597	A-54	Unknown X-6348- <i>Id as Van Dusen, Geo</i>
21	623	A-55	Unknown X-6358 <i>Id as Lund, Elliot</i>
22	604	A-56	Ident.Tag William Starkey
23	639	A-57	✓ Unknown X-6349
24	636	A-58	Ident.Tag Herbert Haas
25	664	A-59-	✓ Unknown X-6347 <i>Gizys ??</i>
26	661	A-60	✓ Unknown X-6342
27	593	A-61	Ident.Tag Lawrence Denson
28	617	A-62	" " Dwight Hughes

We were quite positive that the British 56th Graves Concentration Unit had three American deceased and possibly two more, which are listed as unknown Americans on the cemetery records. The former mentioned three (3) deceased are as follows:

Rohrborn, Fritz P.o.W. No. 313601 IVB Grave No. 580
Listed in AGRC Unresolved Casualties as Rohrborn, Fritz J., Pvt.
DOC, 422 Inf., Jan. 7, 1945

Nickel, Charles, P.o.W. No. 338538 IVB Grave No. 582
Listed in AGRC Unresolved Casualties as Nickel, Charles E., Pfc.,
DOC, 393 Inf., Jan. 14, 1945

Newman, Louis, P.o.W. No. 318393 IVB Grave No. 586
Listed in AGRC Unresolved Casualties as Newman, Louis A., Pvt.,
DOC, 44 Eng. C., Jan. 16, 1945.

Graves No. 618 and 620 were also listed as unknown Americans on the cemetery records but have been previously evacuated with the above mentioned bodies.

After the team returned from the field to Berlin we payed a visit to the British 56th Graves Concentration Unit and explained the case of the five bodies which we believed them to have disinterred. They in turn opened their complete Neuburxdorf files for us. These files stated that they had disinterred forty-seven (47) British remains from this cemetery and that all the remains had also been identified. There was nothing in their records to show that they had had anything to do with the graves in question.

After leaving the British 56th Graves Concentration Unit we went to the French Bureau of Displaced Persons, Berlin-Halensee, to find out they had disinterred these remains by mistake. Here we found that the French have had no teams in Neuburxdorf as yet.

Another investigation will be made on this case in an endeavor to find out what became of these remains in question.

Sgt. Landis W. Jones
SGT. LANDIS W. JONES
DISINTERRING NCO

Burials of American Personnel
NEUBURXDORF Cemetery (Saxony)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CH. NAME</u>	<u>P.O.W. NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE OF DEATH</u>	<u>GRAVE NO.</u>
DICK	SAMUEL	50382.XIID	31 Aug. 44	547
TURTON	EDGAR	294562.IVB	30 Dec. 44	575
FRANKLIN	PERRY	317871.IVB	6 Jan. 45	578
MILCHOEFER	ROBERT	317872.IVB	6 Jan. 45	579
ROHRBORN	FRITZ	313601.IVB	7 Jan. 45	580
NICKEL	CHARLES	318538.IVB	14 Jan. 45	582
NEWMAN	LOUIS	318393.IVB	16 Jan. 45	586
VAUGHT	EDWARD	318600.OVB	19 Jan. 45	587
ENDEWARD	ROBERT	315765.IVB	23 Jan. 45	591
DENSON	LAWRENCE	315259.IVB	23 Jan. 45	593
McKAY	HECTOR	314073.IVB	26 Jan. 45	595
DUNLAP	VERNON	318588.IVB	27 Jan. 45	596
VENDEUSEN	GEORGE	316280.IVB	27 Jan. 45	597
BACON	ERNEST	315142.IVB	31 Jan. 45	598
MUSGROVE	ROBERT	318938.IVB	1 Feb. 45	600
McANDREWS	GEORGE	318520.IVB	1 Feb. 45	601
CHASE	ROBERT	315957.IVB	3 Feb. 45	602
STARKEY	WILLIAM	161008.IIA	7 Feb. 45	604
NORTHAM	WILLIS	320533.IVB	9 Feb. 45	605
COOLEY	JOSEPH	315287.IVB	13 Feb. 45	607
HAAS	HERBERT	316493.IVB	11 Feb. 45	606

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CH. NAME</u>	<u>P.O.W. NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE OF DEATH</u>	<u>GRAVE NO.</u>
HUGHES	DWIGHT	324535.IVB	13 Mar. 45	617
MEYER	CLIFFORD	318857.IVB	21 Mar. 45	621
FATTY	VICTOR	2428.IVG	29 Mar. 45	622
LUND	ELLIOT	320532.IVB	1 Apr. 45	623
ROEDER	WILBUR	319151.IVB	26 Apr. 45	639
SUMMERS	BRUCE	314627.IVB	30 Apr. 45	649
GRZYS (GRAYS)	ANDREW	316787.IVB	5 May 45	661
MOHR	ROBERT	316249.IVB	7 May 45	664
GREGORY	FADUK			590
UNKNOWN				620
UNKNOWN				583
UNKNOWN				618

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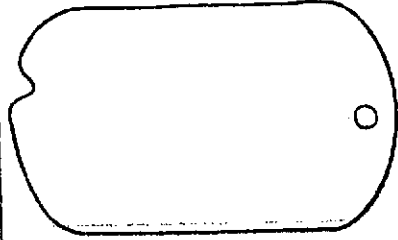
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(Supersedes GRS Form 1)

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

DATE OF REPORT

11 Sept. 1947

*Imprint Identification Tag If Possible.
DO NOT TYPE*



Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION. BTB: **Grays, Andrew**

NAME (Last, first, middle initial) **36262997**

SERIAL No.

Unk

Unknown X-6342

GRADE

Unk

ORGANIZATION

Unk

BRANCH OF SERVICE

Unk

RACE

Unk

RELIGION

Unk

IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD. GIVE
NAME OF COUNTRY

PLACE OF DEATH **Stalag IV B,
Neuburxdorf, Germany**

CAUSE OF DEATH

Unk

DATE OF DEATH

Est.
5 May 1945

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address)

Unk

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY
(1, 2, or none)

None

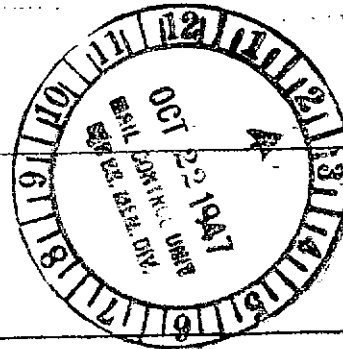
IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse)

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED? (Yes or no)

Yes

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. (VK-390187)

DATE OF BURIAL	HOUR	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other)	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER	PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
13 Sept. 1947	1500	Casket	Wdn Cross	BB	5	110

WAS THIS A REBURIAL?
(Yes or no)

Yes

IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE

**Community Cemetery, POW Section, Neuburxdorf,
Germany. N52/E83 1/250000**

PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
POW	-	661

TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY

General

PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES
Capt. Edward W. Prentis
Capt. Edwin W. Casey
Rabbi Lapchivcher

IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODY

**One copy of WD QMC Form 1042 placed
in burial bottle and buried with remains.**

IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or no)

No

IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no)

N

BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT: NAME (Last, first, middle initial)

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RANK

Unk

SERIAL No.

Unk

ORGANIZATION

Unk

GRAVE No.

111

BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT: NAME (Last, first, middle initial)

Unk X-6343

RANK

Unk

SERIAL No.

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ORGANIZATION

Unk

GRAVE No.

109

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT

ALBERT G. RICHARDSON

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IVOR J. FOSMO

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