

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

9 August 1949
Date

AG 9000-1-1000-661
SUBJECT: Unidentifiable Remains

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

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X- 661, Plot FF,
Row 11, Grave 129, USMC St. Avold, France 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. 2648, dated 6-2-48. No
further information is available.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Case reviewed by undersigned Members of the Board of Review:

/s/ E. D. Mulvanity
/t/ E. D. MULVANITY
Lt Col QMC

Roger Berger
ROGER BERGER
Maj ORD

Edward E. Stout
EDWARD E. STOUT
1/Lt CE

Received 15 SEPT 49 QMG
Not identifiable from
information presently
available

*NAN
file 15 Sept 49
C. Schmitt
Ident B1*

T.W. #216
C1

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
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NRE 293

9 August 1949
(Date)

CERTIFICATE OF UNIDENTIFIABILITY OF REMAINS

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X - 661, Plot FF
Row 11, Grave 129, USMC ST. AVOLD, France
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. 2648, dated 6-2-48.
3. Remarks:

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

ORD

Capt. Jack C. HAYES, O-1577297

QMC

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

QMC

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

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Received 15 SEPT 49 OQMG

Not identifiable from
information presently
available

Incl #2

AIRMAIL

QMCMT 293
Unknown X-661
(St. Avold)

1st Ind.

Department of the Army, OCMG, Washington 25, D. C.

28 July 1949

TO: Commanding General, American Graves Registration Command, European Area, APO 58, c/o Postmaster, New York, New York

1. Fingerprints submitted for Unknown X-661, USMC St. Avold, France have been compared by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, insofar as possible, with negative results.

2. In the event additional information becomes available to your Headquarters, which may be of assistance in the identification of subject unknown, it should be forwarded to this Office at the earliest practicable date.

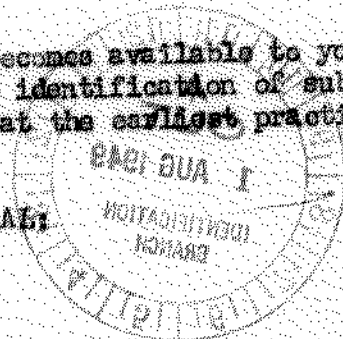
FOR THE ACTING THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Incl not received

cc: Adm Sec
smv: VHarvey
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T. H. METZ
Lt. Colonel, OMC
Memorial Division

AIRMAIL



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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

RRE 200.2 - Unknown X-661
(St.Avoid)

9 June 1949

SUBJECT: Comparison of Fingerprints

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

It is requested that the fingerprints on copy of Report of Burial for Unknown X-661, Plot FF, Row 11, Grave 129, USMC St.Avoid, France, be compared with those on file in the Department of the Army and with those of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and this office be informed of any results that may be obtained.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl:
Cy Report of Burial
for Unknown X-661

C.W. STEINSIEK
Capt QMC
Actg.Asst Adj Gen

C O P Y

DISPOSITION FORM

AGPO-D

Identity of fingerprints

To The Quartermaster General
Memorial Division
ATTN: Major Sekowski
Rm 1D778, Pentagon

From Personnel Actions Br. AGO Date 18 July 49

Lt. Col. Meredith/4814

A search of the fingerprint files in the Federal Bureau of Investigation fails to disclose any record for UNKNOWN X-63 and UNKNOWN X661.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATION:

2 Incls:
n/c

for Signed-R.A.Meredith
RALPH MERO, COLONEL, AGD
Chief, Personnel Actions Br. AGO

COPY

1	USMC St. Avold Plots: D Rows: 11 Gr: 33 Date of Burial: Verified by GRS Officer <i>[Signature]</i>		DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE	
	SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3574 00000	DATE 15 01 48 DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME UNKNOWN X-000661		SERIAL NUMBER X-000661	RANK	ARM Q	DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR
CEMETERY ST AVOLD - METZ				DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 0 3503 80	CODE DIST. PT.
PLOT FF	ROW 11	GRAVE 129	COUNTRY FRANCE		
					CAUSE OF DEATH 6

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. AVOLD, FRANCE (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN These remains are unidentifiable and are to be permanently interred. (Hq. AGRC-15 Dec 49) (M)
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SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME UNKNOWN X- 000661	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK Unk	DATE OF DEATH	DATE DISTINTERRED 29 Jun 48
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER GRS	ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN	RELIGION Unk	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY Elijah H Fields, Embalmer NAME AND TITLE	

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL Mattress cover	CONDITION OF REMAINS Head missing except mandible. Body disarticulated. In skeletal form.
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION Report of Burial found with remains	

MINOR DISCREPANCIES *1*

None

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET . . .

DATE 6 Jul 48	BY Elijah H Fields, Embalmer
CASKET SEALED BY Elijah H Fields, Embalmer	EMBALMER (STRIP OFF) <i>[Signature]</i> Elijah H Fields
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED 6 Jul 48	DATE BY Elijah H Fields, Embalmer
SEPPING/CASSETT VERIFIED BY All markings, plates & tags verified by: <i>[Signature]</i> Bruce E Blair, 1st Lt OMC	

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

Final casketing by
[Signature]
Bruce E Blair, 1st Lt OMC

NAT
FILE
Zone 3 Hq
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR
[Signature]
7h-2-3650358
NAME
WARRINGTON
BR. MEM. DIV.

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM USMC ST AVOLD, FRANCE		TO OIC NEUVILLE, BELGIUM	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER CPL VINCENT P MATOZZO RA 32707810	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>Frank B Callaghan</i> FRANK B CALLAGHAN 1st Lt YA	DATE 15 Oct 48	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER E. E. STOUT, 1ST LT, CE	DATE

FROM LIDO REMAINS STORAGE AREA		TO CEMETERY SUPERINTENDENT USMC ST. AVOLD, FRANCE	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER E.N. HEISBY, 1ST LT, QMC.	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>Frank B Killian</i> FRANK B. KILLIAN, Supt	DATE 19 Apr 1950

3. SHIPPED

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

4. SHIPPED

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

5. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER 21st AVOLD SERVICE	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

6. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER 0 3203	DATE 00

7. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER 00000 12 01 48	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

INDEX NO. 293 Unk. X-661 France (St. Avold)

INDEX SHEET

SYNOPSIS

Est Ind.

6-17-46

FROM: ASF OQMG

TO: CO AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND EUROPEAN THEATER AREA APO 987
C/O PM NYK.

RE: QMC Form #1 GRS Report of Burial Transmittal Letter Number 1653

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FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Unk. X-661 France (St. Avoild)

I N D E X S H E E T

S Y N O P S I S

Letter

5 Nov 45

FROM: OCMG
TO: FBI
ATTN: J. Edgar Hoover
THRU: Status Review & Determination, Casul Br.

SUBJ: Fingerprints of Unk. Dec.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.
jpm

293 - Unk. X-540 France (St. Avoild.)

IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST

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

D.O.# 228, dated 23 Feb. 47

Unknown X 661
Cemetery St. Avold, France
Plot 77 Row 11 Grave 129

Date reprocessed

1. Arrived at cemetery 4 Dec. 47
(Hour) (Date)

2. Place of death _____
(Name of closest town) (Coordinates and letter Prefix, maps)

(Sheet, scale and serials used)

3. Remains ~~recovered~~ disinterred by and reprocessed by mobile team #1, 1st. Zone
(Name and organization)

4. Evacuated to Cemetery by _____
(Name and organization)

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

Item	Clothing Markings	Sizes	Indicate unusual markings color, wear, tear, repairs, etc.
* Headgear	<u>None</u> (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>		

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Belt, web **None**

Drawers, wool **None**

Drawers, cotton **None**

Leggings, wool **None**

Socks, cotton **None**

* Shoes (type) **None**

Overshoes **None**

Web Equipment (type) **None**

(Other item) **Remnants of OD blanket**

(Other item) _____

* 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	30.4	R. Ulna	-24.0	R. Tibia	-34.2
R. Radius	28.8	R. Femur	41.4	R. Fibula	-34.0

6. Description of Remains :

Age **UTD** Height **Est.** **UTD** Height **UTD** 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 **None**
(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 **Skull missing**
(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)

UTD
(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 **None**
(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.

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

If not, explain The deceased

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

9. Remarks Remains found wrapped in O.D. wool blanket, in Skeletal Form, Burial Report found. Est. weight: 18 lbs. Fluorescopic Examination negative.

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.

Woodrow W Wolf
WOODROW **L** **WOLF**
(Officer's Name)

CAPT QMG
Rank Service

OPERATIONS OFFICER
(Organization)

SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)

RIGHT

LEFT

HUMERUS..... 30.4cm

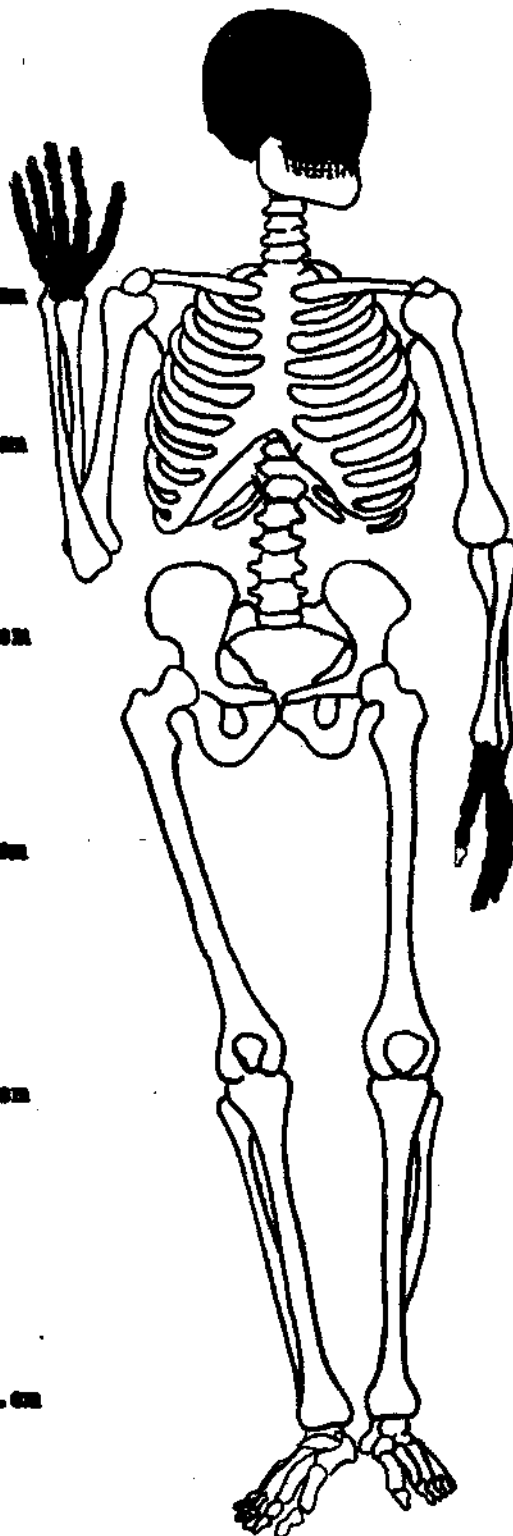
RADIUS..... 22.8cm

ULNA..... 24.0cm

FEMUR..... 41.4cm

TIBIA..... 54.8cm

FIBULA..... 34.cm



Est. HEIGHT 5' 5/8"

CHART "A"

G. E. & E. DIV.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER
H.Q. COM. ZONE, ETOUSA

TOOTH CHART

4 Dec. 47
Date

Unk X-661

Unk

Unk

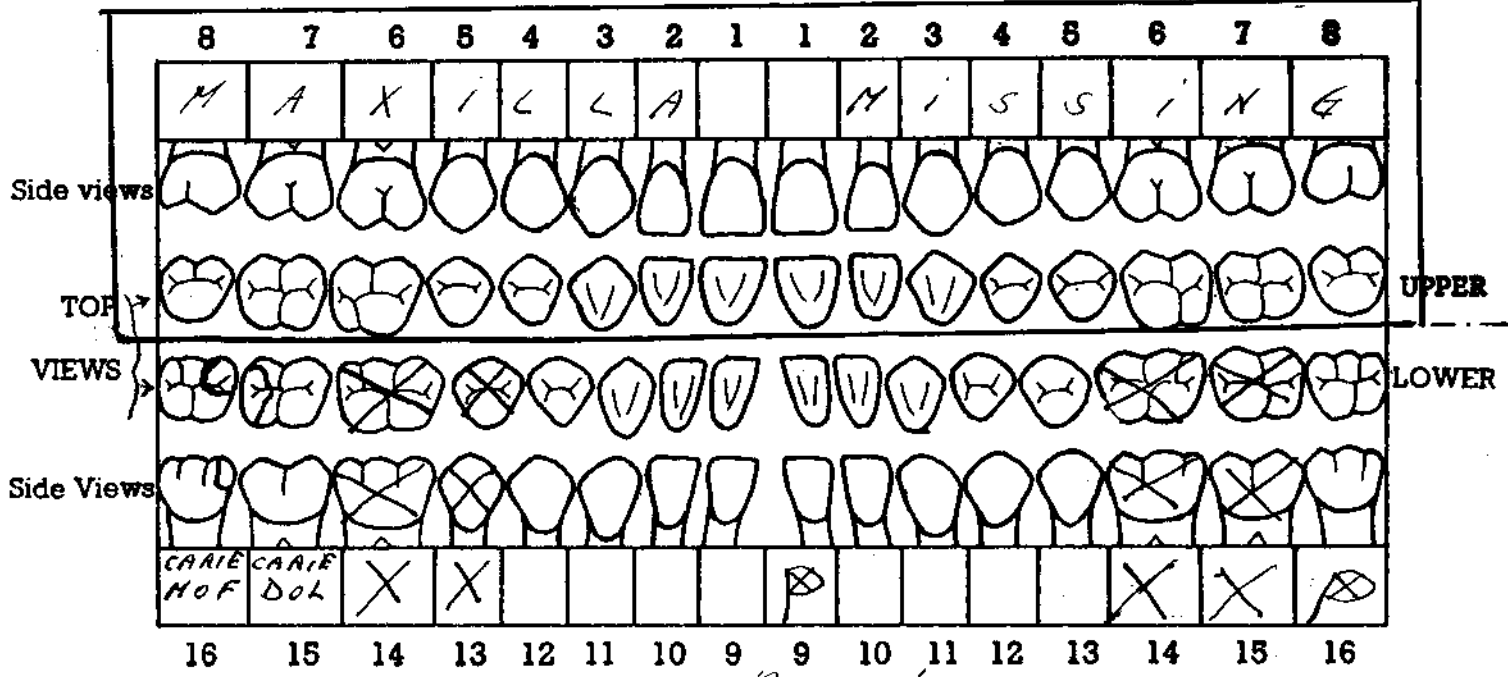
Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.

Unit Organization

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.

IVOR J. FOSMO
2nd Lt., Inf 15

/s/ Ivor J. Fosmo

Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

WOODROW W. WOLF
CAPT QMC OPER OFF

Woodrow W. Wolf
Verified by G. E. S. Officer

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

P = Posthumously missing

- Spaces: R-12-14-5mm.
- R-11-12-3mm.
- L-12-13-5mm.

- L-10 has rotated 1/16 of a turn distally.
- L-12 has rotated nearly 1/4 of a turn mesially.
- L-15 has rotated 1/4 of a turn mesially

Color: dull ivory
 Size: average
 Alignment: poor

Lower incisors has an extreme amount of calculus.

AIR MAIL

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

HEE 200.2 - Unknown X-661
(St. Avoild)

9 June 1949

SUBJECT: Comparison of Fingerprints

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

It is requested that the fingerprints on copy of Report of Burial for Unknown X-661, Plot FF, Row 11, Grave 129, USMC St. Avoild, France, be compared with those on file in the Department of the Army and with those of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and this office be informed of any results that may be obtained.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl:
Cy Report of Burial
for Unknown X-661

C. W. STEDESIEK
Capt QMC
Asst Asst Adj Gen

*Copy of BPR and original ltr
given to V. Harvey 21 Jun 49
for fingerprint comparison.*

*HEE 200.2
Unknown X-661
(St. Avoild) France*

REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1915

15 August 45

Date

UNKNOWN # X-661		Unk	Unk
Last Name	First	Rank	Serial No.
Unk		Unk	Unk
R-585910		Organization	
Marine, Infantry		Drowning	
Place of Death		Date of Death	Cause of Death
1639 11 Aug 45		25 July 45	Drowning
Time and Date of Burial		Name of Cemetery	Name or Coordinates of Location
US MIL CEM., St. Avoild, France			-260584
Grave Number	Row Number	Plot Number	Type of Marker
128	11	FF	Cross

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

If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

See Reverse side

What means of identification were buried with the body?

GR #1

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

Who is buried on	Anderson	20409872			130
Deceased's Right	Name	Serial No.	Rank	Organization	Grave No.
Deceased's Left	CARIATI	42139676			128
	Name	Serial No.	Rank	Organization	Grave No.

Sgt. G. J. Zaborowski, 48th Inf Co, GR

Signature of 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 Unk

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

None

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial
G. L. WORMER, 1st Lt., GAC
610 GR Co Verified by G.R.S. Officer

Incl # 2

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IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

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

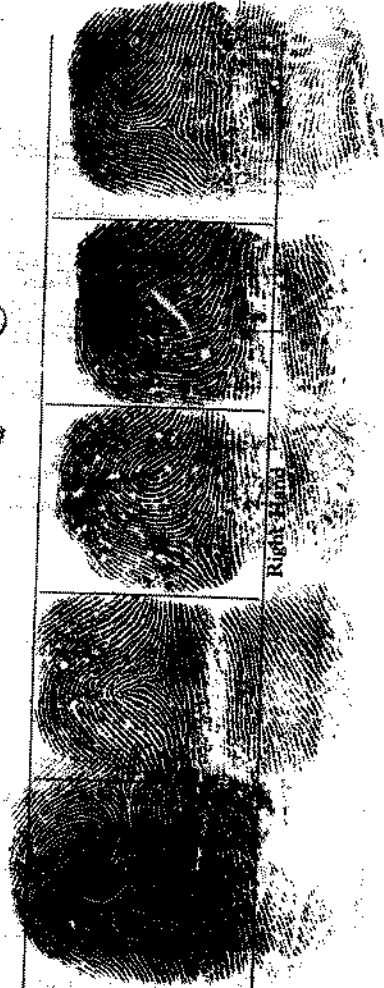
Height: Est 5'4"
 Weight: Est 150 lb.
 Color of Eyes:
 Color of Hair: Black
 Race:
 Laundry Marks:
 Number of Rifle:
 Wear Glasses?:
 Is Tooth Chart Attached?
 No. (Impossible)

(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.

Fingerprints only taken of right hand, as the skin of left hand was gone. Fingerprints taken by S/Cgt. Julian Alford, 46th GR Co.

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

Left Hand	4	
	3	
	2	
	1	
Thumb		



TOOTH CHART

		Deceased's Left														
Deceased's Right	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
		Deceased's Right														
Upper																
Lower																

Indicate: missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □; Bridges by C; 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.