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Bradburn, Fred H., 34 263 739
Plot C, Row 18, Grave 68
USMC St. Avoird, France

27 April 1949

American Battle Monuments Commission
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

There is inclosed a copy of remarks taken from correspondence received in our office from Mr. and Mrs. James L. Bradburn, parents of the late Private First Class Fred H. Bradburn.

The parents make request in these remarks regarding the information they desire inscribed on the headstone which will mark the grave of their son. There is also inclosed a copy of the letter from this office to Mr. and Mrs. Bradburn.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES F. SMITH
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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Incl. *JFS*
Cy rmkgs from Mr. and Mrs.
Bradburn, w/cc of OQMG reply

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27 April 1949

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Bradburn

Blue Ridge, Georgia

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Bradburn:

Your letter pertaining to the remains of your son, the late Private First Class Fred H. Bradburn, has come to my attention.

A copy of your remarks pertaining to the inscription you desire on the headstone which will mark the grave of your son has been made for our records and a copy of these remarks have been forwarded to the American Battle Monuments Commission, Room 713, 1712 "G" Street, Northwest, Washington 25, D. C., for direct reply to you regarding your request in this matter.

Please do not hesitate to call upon us at any time if you believe we can assist you further.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES F. SMITH
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

JFS
[Signature]

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Encl.
Ltr dtd 6 Apr 49

CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (<i>Cemetery and Country</i>)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (<i>Cemetery and Country</i>)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
USMC, St. Avold, France	C	18	68
ADDRESSEE MR. MISS and James L. Bradburn MRS.	ADDRESS (<i>Street, City, State</i>) Blue Ridge, Ga.		
RELATIONSHIP Parents			

NAME OF DECEDENT (*Last, First, Middle*)
 Bradburn, Fred H.

PARAGRAPHS (<i>Sequence</i>)	ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS
165a	<p>A copy of your remarks pertaining to the inscription you desire on the headstone which will mark the grave of your son has been made for our records and a copy of these remarks have been forwarded to the American Battle Monument Commission, Room 713, 1712 "G" Street, Northwest, Washington 25, D.C. for direct reply to you regarding regarding your request in this matter.</p> <p>166E Incl Ltr. dtd 6 April 1949 (typist make copy of remarks for our file) Letter to Am. Battle Mon. Commission—see address above. Letter to Am. Battle Mon. Commission—see address above.</p> <p>Gentlemen:</p> <p>There is inclosed a copy of remarks taken from a letter written correspondence received in our office from Mr. and Mrs. James L. Bradburn, parents of the late _____.</p> <p>The parents make request in these remarks regarding the information they desire inscribed on the headstone which will mark mark the grave of their son. There is also inclosed a copy of letter from this office to Mr and Mrs. Bradburn.</p> <p>Incls Cpy of Remarks Cpy of ltr e/d</p>

GRADE

Pfc

SERIAL NUMBER
 34 263 739

ANALYST INITIALS AND DATE MRJ 4-26-49	TYPIST INITIALS	REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE
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All we want on the headstone is the soldiers name the date of death and
that he is the son of Lawson Bradburn and Zillie Bradburn.

/s/ Lawson and Zillie Bradburn (Parents)

Copy for 293
Bradburn, Fred H.
SN 34 263 739

6 April 1949

(Pfc Fred H. Bradburn, ASN 34 263 739
Plot C, Row 18, Grave 68
Headstone: Cross
St. Avold (France) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mr. James L. Bradburn
Blue Ridge, Georgia

Dear Mr. Bradburn:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country. Customary military funeral services were conducted over the grave at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be transferred, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and supervision of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstone. The headstone will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating where appropriate, organization, State, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of headstone or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interments are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. You may rest assured that this final interment was conducted with fitting dignity and solemnity and that the grave-site will be carefully and conscientiously maintained in perpetuity by the United States Government.

Sincerely yours,

H. FELDMAN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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Pfc. Fred E. Bradburn, 34 263 739
Plot A, Row 3, Grave 60,
United States Military Cemetery
Andilly, France

28 July 1948

Mr. James L. Bradburn
Route #2
Blue Ridge, Georgia

Dear Mr. Bradburn:

Since the dispatch of the Letter of Inquiry "Request for Disposition of Remains", it has been necessary to designate the United States Military Cemetery St. Avold, France, as the permanent resting place for those deceased now interred in the United States Military Cemetery Andilly, France.

The remains of your loved one will be interred in the United States Military Cemetery St. Avold, located twenty-three miles east of Metz, France, instead of Epinal France as previously advised. When final interment has been accomplished, you will be advised of the exact grave location.

Sincerely yours,

G. A. HORIKAN
Major General, GMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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G. A. HORIKAN

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USMC, ST. AVOLD, FRANCE Buried at deceased Location HIPPER GERHARDT J
 Plot C, Row 18, Grave 68 36036584 S SG
 Date reburied: 29 Jan 49 **DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE**

W. R. Bell
 SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED DEWEY R. BELL
 1st Lt., CAV DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3504 00297
 DATE 15 06 48
 DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME BRADBURN FRED H SERIAL NUMBER 34263739 RANK PFC ARM 1
 DATE OF DEATH
 DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY ANDILLY - LAY ST REMY DISPOSITION OF REMAINS
 1 3503 80
 CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT ROW GRAVE COUNTRY CAUSE OF DEATH
 A 3 60 FRANCE 1

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. AVOLD, FRANCE
 NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN FEB 3 1949
 JAMES L. BRADBURN (FATHER)
 BLUE RIDGE, GEORGIA (Flag sent)

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME SERIAL NUMBER RANK DATE OF DEATH DATE DISINTERRED
 IDENTIFICATION TAG ON ORGANIZATION RELIGION IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY
 REMAINS MARKER USAGF

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL CONDITION OF REMAINS

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION SEE ATCHD WORK SH FILE
 10 MAY 1949

MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1
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REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE CASKET SEALED BY Thomas E Jones, Embalmer
 EMBALMER (Signature) Thomas E Jones

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED Thomas E Jones
 DATE 19 Aug 48 BY Embalmer SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY All markings, plates, & tags verified by: D. H. TACKETT, 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: D. H. TACKETT, 1st Lt, OMC
 SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

RECORD OF CONTINGENT ISSUES

QMC FORM REV 15 MAR 46 1194

FINAL LETTER SENT 6 APR 1949

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM 10/5 Andilly	TO St. Avold
KIND OF CONVEYANCE Truck	NAME OF CONVOYER L. McKinley cpl.
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>[Signature]</i> Elmer R. King, 1st Lt. Inf.	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>[Signature]</i>
DATE AUG 15 1948	DATE

2. SHIPPED

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

3. SHIPPED

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

4. SHIPPED

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

5. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER Blue Ridge, Georgia
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER
DATE	DATE

6. SHIPPED

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

7. SHIPPED

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

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

**SECTION A —
 NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED**

DIRECTIVE NUMBER

DATE

NAME BRADBURN FRED H		SERIAL NUMBER 34263739	RANK PFC	ARM 1	DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR
CEMETERY		DISPOSITION OF REMAINS			DAY MONTH YEAR
PLOT A	ROW 3	GRAVE 60	COUNTRY ANDILLY FRANCE	CODE	DIST. PT.
					CAUSE OF DEATH

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 BRADBURN FRED H	SERIAL NUMBER 34263739	RANK Pfc	DATE OF DEATH Est: 14 Sept 1944	DATE DISTINTERRED 14 June 1948
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER	ORGANIZATION	RELIGION P	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY W R BAILEY, EMBALMER.	
NAME AND TITLE				

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL MILITARY CLOTHING	CONDITION OF REMAINS SKETAL STAGE FRACTURED: SKULL RIGHT HUMERUS, RIGHT ULNA, RIGHT RADIUS, LEFT TIBIA.
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION NONE	
MINOR DISCREPANCIES NONE	

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET transfer box	<i>W. R. Bailey</i> W R BAILEY, EMBALMER
DATE 14 June 1948	BY
CASKET SEALED BY	EMBALMER (Signature)
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY All markings, plates & tags verified by:

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

James B Johns
JAMES B JOHNS 1st Lt Inf 337 QM SV EN
 SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

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

2. SHIPPED

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

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	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

5. SHIPPED

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

6. SHIPPED

FROM	TO		
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER	CAUSE OF DEATH CODE	DATE
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

7. SHIPPED

FROM	TO		
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER	CAUSE OF DEATH CODE	DATE
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

QUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, ^{kin an} ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

Pfc. Fred H. Bradburn, 34 263 739
Plot A, Row 3, Grave 60,
United States Military Cemetery
Andilly, France

29 July 1947

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B		D	

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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

If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

PART I

I, James L. Bradburn & Zilley Bradburn

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

- WIDOW WIDOWER SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER MOTHER BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD

RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) Father and Mother

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

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

(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

3. BE RETURNED TO _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY) THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)

(Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)

YES NO

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

Pvt. Fred H. Bradburn, 34 263 737

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PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremony desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

James J. Road Run
 (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)
Ellie Road Run
 (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

Blue Ridge, Ga.
 (STREET AND NUMBER)
Blue Ridge, Ga.
 (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 25th day of August, 1947, at city (or town) of Blue Ridge, county of Fannin, and State (or Territory or District) of Georgia

D. W. Crawford
 (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public Georgia State at Large
 (OFFICIAL TITLE)

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

PART II RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE _____, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED
(PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP)
NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.
THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

_____ (DATE)

_____ (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) _____ (STREET AND NUMBER)

_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) _____ (CITY AND STATE)

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

_____ (DATE)

_____ (SIGNATURE) _____ (STREET AND NUMBER)

_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) _____ (CITY AND STATE)

Pfc. Fred H. Bradburn, 34 263 739
Plot A, Row 3, Grave 60,
United States Military Cemetery
Andilly, France

29 July 1947

Mr. James L. Bradburn
Route #2
Blue Ridge, Georgia

Dear Mr. Bradburn:

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

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

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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19 October 1946

Mr. James L. Bradburn
Route #2
Blue Ridge, Georgia

Dear Mr. Bradburn:

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The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your son, the late Private First Class Fred H. Bradburn, A.S.N. 34 263 739.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery Andilly, plot A, row 3, grave 60. You may be assured that the identification and interment have been accomplished with fitting dignity and solemnity.

This cemetery is located fifteen miles northwest of Nancy, France, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

The War Department has now been authorized to comply, at Government expense, with the feasible wishes of the next of kin regarding final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your loved one. At a later date, this office will, without any action on your part, provide the next of kin with full information and solicit his detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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GRAVES REGISTRATION
FORM NO. 1
(Revised 1 Sept. 1943)

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

16 Sept. 1944

Date

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Last Name
Bradburn
Unk

First
Fred

Initial
H

Rank
Pfc.

34263739

Serial No.

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31st Trk. Bn.

Organization

KIA

Unit
Toul, France

Date of Death
App. 14 Sept. 1944

Cause of Death

Place of Death
15 Sept. 1944

Name of Cemetery
1730 U.S. Mil. Cem. No. 1

Name or Coordinates of Location
Andilly, France

Time and Date of Burial
60

Name of Cemetery

Name or Coordinates of Location

Grave Number

Row Number
3

Plot Number
A

Type of Marker
Cross

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

If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

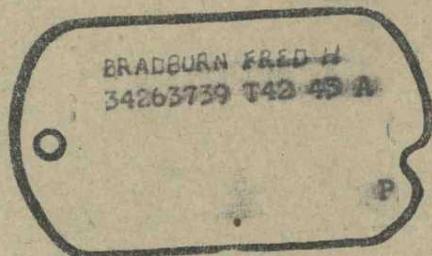
What means of identification were buried with the body?

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

Who is buried on:	Nicholas Yawordki	32193624	Pfc.		59
Deceased's Right:	Name	Serial No.	Rank	Organization	Grave No.
Deceased's Left:	Foster F. Gagnon	32642639	Pfc.		61
	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 Zillie T. Bradburn
Name

Rt. 2, Blue Ridge, Ga.
Address

Religion Protestant

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

- Billfold
- 5 photos
- Ring
- Knife
- Cig. lighter
- \$ P.O.M.O. Rec. (\$230.00)
- 7 souvenir coins
- No Currency

FILE
DEC 26 1944

W. Nugent
Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial
WILLIAM E. NUGENT
1st Lt. QMC

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

Dick

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

7
8
2
1
Thumb

Right Hand

4
3
2
1
Thumb

TOOTH CHART

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

Sketch of the location area.

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293 Bradburn, Fred H.
M.I.

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

258793

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

JRM:VJ:wp
April 24, 1945

Mr. James Lawson Bradburn
Route 2
Blue Ridge, Georgia

Dear Mr. Bradburn:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your son, Private First Class Fred H. Bradburn.

These effects, contained in one package, are being forwarded to you. If delivery is not made within thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer action may be instituted.

As previously indicated, personal property is transmitted by this Bureau for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

Extending every sympathy, I am

Sincerely yours,

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

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mr. James Lawson Bradburn

SHIP TO:

Route 2

PFC Fred H. Bradburn

Blue Ridge, Georgia

Effects of:
Name 34263739

ASN 258793 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 24 April 1945
JRM:VJ:ek

Mildred Blawar
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

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

 Remove G.I.
 Note discrepancy in
 Films removed
 Diary removed
 Laundry removed

ROUTING:

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

REMARKS:

1 pkg

Fracked FRACKED
Est. Exp. Chgs.
Est. Frt. Chgs.
No. of packages

APR 28 1945

mt
Shipping Clerk

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SHEET <u>1</u> SHEETS	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BOX NUMBER <u>Box 9</u>	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES		MISSING
TALLY NUMBER <u>7148</u>	INVENTORY DATE <u>9-apr-45</u>	CASE NUMBER <u>258793</u>	P O W
EFFECTS OF <u>FRED H. BRADBURN</u>	RANK <u>Plt</u>		ABANDONED
A.S.N. <u>34263739</u>	ORGANIZATION <u>31st Inf Div Br</u>		
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION <u>#1 pkg.</u>			

CLOTHING	PERSONAL ITEMS	CONTAINERS
BELT	BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION	BAGS, CLOTH
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BRUSHES	BAGS, TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH.	CAMERAS	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY) <u>w-e</u>
COATS	GLASSES	CASE
FOOTWEAR, PR.	KNIVES	FOOTLOCKER
GLOVES, PR.	LIGHTERS	KIT, SEWING
HANDKERCHIEFS	MISC. INSIGNIA	KIT, TOILET
HEADWEAR	MISC. ITEMS	KIT, WRITING
JACKETS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	PAPERS AND MISC.
OVERCOATS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	BOOKS
SCARFS	PIPES	BOOKS, ADDRESS
SHIRTS	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	BOOKS, NOTE
SOCKS, PR.	RIBBONS, DECORATION	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
TIES	RINGS	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)
TOWELS	TOBACCO	FILMS
TROUSERS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	LETTERS
TRUNKS, PR.	WATCH	PAPERS, PERSONAL
UNDERWEAR	WINGS	PHOTOS
		SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
		SHORT SNORTER
		SOUVENIRS
		SOUVENIR MONEY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

REMARKS: no information checked ATTACHMENTS: FORM #54 FORM #100

Inventory of effects
S. R. Log

C.A.T. <u>(mother)</u> <u>Lillie J. Bradburn</u> <u>R. 2. Blue Ridge, Ga.</u>		WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE <u>1279</u>	STORED BY <u>ll</u>	DATE SHIPPED <u>APR 28 1945</u>	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
INVENTORIED BY <u>Lann</u>	PACKED BY <u>Shearer</u>	CHECKED BY <u>GB</u>	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
			DIARY REMOVED
			LOCKED STORAGE
			LAUNDRY REMOVED
			FILM REMOVED <u>mt</u>

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NAME BRADBURN, FRED A.

PFC
3739

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
		9	7148
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
GRB			

EX. QM Form 48

BRADBURN FRED H
34263739 T42 43 A

INVENTORY OF PERSONAL EFFECTS

US Mil. Cem. #1 Andilly, France
16 Sept. 1944 (Date)

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of:

Bradburn Fred H. Pfc 34263739
(Last Name) (First Name) (MI) (Rank) (ASN)

TO: Effects Quartermaster, Communication Zone, APO _____
US Army

The above named individual of _____
(Unit) Unk

31st Trk Bn. was reported _____
(Organization) (Status-Killed, MIA, KIA)

_____ about 14 Sept. 1944.
(Date)
Hospitalized, etc.)

Designated Beneficiary if information readily accessible _____

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

Billfold ✓
5 Photos ✓
Ring ✓
Knife ✓
Cig. lighter ✓

Class 1
3 Postal MO rec. \$230.00 ✓
7 Souvenir coins ✓

NO CURRENCY

Money in the amount of _____ has been turned into _____
(Name of _____
Finance officer and symbol number) . Form WDFD 38 enclosed.

Names and addresses of any Banks in which accounts may be carried:

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects, secured
by me, of the above named individual and that they were forwarded to the
Effects Depot by _____ on _____ 1944.
(Rail, Truck, etc.) (Date)

Name W. Nugent

Rank & ASN WILLIAM C. NUGENT
1st Lt.

Organization QMC

Any additional pertinent information:

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Serial No. 34263239 Name BRADBURN, FRED H.
Grade PFC Rank _____
Organization USA
Address _____
Nearest Relative LILLIE T. BRADBURN - MOTHER
Address RT 2 - BLUE RIDGE - GA
Killed in Action YES Died of Disease _____
Date _____ Hospital _____
Battle Area _____ Information _____
Place of Burial V.S.M.I. CEM. #1 - KADILLAC
Point of Coordination _____
Description of Body _____
Members Missing _____
Signed Pfc [Signature]
A-3-60

JRM:DW:ms

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

Case No. 258793

Date 9 April 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

Fred H. Bradburn, 34,263,739 late a
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)

Private First Class, Infantry who died
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)

on the 14 day of September, 19 44, at European Area.

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

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City, Mo, pursuant to S.O., 228, Hq., KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

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

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

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

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

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 4 April 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters, KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of James Lawson Bradburn for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, James Lawson Bradburn of (name of person found entitled)

Route 2, Blue Ridge State of (Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)

Georgia, is the father of the (Relationship or Capacity)

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

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

JOHN R. MURPHY, Colonel, Q.M.C.
(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mr. James Lawson Bradburn

Route 2

Blue Ridge, Georgia

Effects of:
Name

Pfo. Fred H. Bradburn

ASN

34,263,739

Case No.

258,793 D

Wt.

JRM:DW:ms
DATE 9 April 1945

V. Trussell
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

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 Amount _____
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 Films removed
 Diary removed
 Laundry removed

ROUTING:

Accounting Branch
 Warehouse Division
 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

1 pkg

REMARKS:

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Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages 1

APR 16 1945

M. S. S.
Shipping Clerk

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PACKAGE DESCRIPTION #1 pkg.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY 258793	DECEASED MISSING P.O.V. ABANDONED
NAME Fred W. Bradburn		TALLY NO. 7040
A.S.N. 34263729 RANK Pfc		INV. DATE 22 Mar 1945
		ORG. No. OF PKGS. 1
		BOX NO. 3
		SHEET OF 1 SHEETS
		ORGANIZATION Co B 31st Tank Bn

BELT	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	WINGS
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	CLOTHING	BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	BRACELET IDENT.	BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY)
COATS	BRUSHES	CASE
FOOTWEAR, PR.	COMBS	FOOTLOCKER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
GLOVES, PR.	GLASSES	1 KIT, SEW, TLT, OR WRITING
HANDKERCHIEFS	KNIVES	BOOKS
HEADWEAR	LIGHTERS	BOOKS, ADDRESS
JACKETS	WISC. INSIGNIA	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
OVERCOATS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	DIAPY (REMOVED FOR DUP)
SCARFS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	FILMS
SHIRTS	PIPES	LETTERS
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TIES	RIBBONS, DECORATION	PHOTOS
TOWELS	RINGS	SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
TROUSERS, PR.	TOBACCO	SHORT SHORTER
TRUNKS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	SOUVENIRS
UNDERWEAR	WATCH	SOUVENIR MONEY
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

REMARKS

Rechecked
 No information

ATTACHMENTS

FORM #54

FORM #100

Inventory

G.A.T.

None

WAREHOUSE SPACE

182

STORED BY

[Signature]

DATE SHIPPED

APR 16 1945

G.I. REMOVED

SHORTAGE ON REVERSE

IDENT. TAGS REMOVED

DIARY REMOVED

LOCKED STORAGE

LAUNDRY REMOVED

FILM REMOVED

PACKED BY

Gormley

CHECKED BY

[Signature]

#43 OR ADDITIONAL

258793

JRM:DW:ms
April 9, 1945

Mr. James Lawson Bradburn
Route 2
Blue Ridge, Georgia

Dear Mr. Bradburn:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your son, Private First Class Fred H. Bradburn.

This property, consisting of a toilet kit, is being forwarded to you in one package.

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

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

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

Yours very truly,

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

REGISTERED

ARMY & NAVY
FORM 1

and General Army Department Inventory Form

TO: _____

18 September 1944

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of:

Bradburn Jed W PFC 34263729
(Last Name) (First Name) (MI) (Rank) (ASN)

To: Effects postmaster, Communication Zone, 30 _____
Location of the Inventory U.S. Army

The above named individual of Company B Third Dist
(Unit)

Tank Battalion was reported Killed
(Organization) (Status)

about 11 September 1944

Designated beneficiary if information partly accessible

- 1 Toilet article kit ✓
- 1 Mirror ✓
- 1 Soap box ✓
- 1 Comb ✓

- Copies of this form should be reproduced locally, pending availability of supply for issue upon requisition.

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ANNEX A (Cont'd)

Money in the amount of _____ has been turned into

_____ Form 1042-28
(Name of Financial Office and Symbol Number)

enclosed.

DATE

1944

10

1944

1944

Name and address of any Bank in which proceeds may be carried:

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects, _____
secured by me, of the above named individual and that they were for-
warded to the Effects Dept by _____
(Rail, Truck, etc.)

18 September

1944

NAME *Claude G. ...*

RANK & ASS *Capt. O-1010131*

ORGANIZATION *Company B 31st ...*

Any additional pertinent information:

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NAME			
BRADBLOWN, FRED W.		PFC	
BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
	2	3	7040
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
PKG.			

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BRADBLOWN, Fred W. Pfc

34263729

Deceased

Shipped to K.C. 17 nov 44 T/O PD-481

Ctn.

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BRADBURN, FRED, H.

34263739

Deceased

Shipped to K.C.

25, Nov. 44

T/o PD 50I

P.E.B.

