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PERSONNEL FILE

ANDREW SLAVIN

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Interred 9 April 1948 D-9-32 USMC, St Laurent		721 LH	
DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE			
C.H. HIEMSTRA 1/4t Inf. Interment Officer			
SECTION A— NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3572 01789	DATE 15 04 48 DAY MONTH YEAR
NAME SLAVIK ANDREW J		SERIAL NUMBER 35306808	RANK TEC5 1
CEMETERY ST ANDRE - EVREUX		DAY MONTH YEAR 1 3505 80	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 1 3505 80 CODE DIST. PT.
PLOT D	ROW 5	GRAVE 98	COUNTRY FRANCE
SECTION B— CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN		CAUSE OF DEATH 2	
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. LAURENT, FRANCE		NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN MRS. MARY S. SLAVIK (WIFE) 2101 HALSTEAD AVENUE LAKEWOOD, OHIO	
SECTION C— DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION			
NAME SLAVIK, Andrew J.		SERIAL NUMBER 35306808	RANK T/5
DATE OF DEATH 27 July 1948		DATE DISINTERRED Flag sent 9 April 1948	
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS GRS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER GRS	ORGANIZATION USAGF	RELIGION UNK	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY W.G. STRAUBE EMB NAME AND TITLE
SECTION D— PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT			
NATURE OF BURIAL REMNANTS OF O.D. UNIFORM		CONDITION OF REMAINS Multiple Fractures, parts missing	
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION NONE			
MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1 NONE			
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASES XXXXX Transfer Case			
DATE 29 July 1948	BY W.G. STRAUBE	EMBALMER (Signature)	
CASKET SEALED BY ROY HALFORD		SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY All markings tags and plates verified by J.D. HAGER CAPT Inf	
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED DATE 6/10/48 BY R.A. HEURICH		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 copies of the entries on the interment Directive which contains the signatures of the persons whose names are typed hereon.	
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.		SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR J BOYD 2/Lt FILE	
Douglas A. Vice Renge Capt Inf		NAME (Typed Name)	

6 June 1949

T/5 Andrew J. Slavik, ASN 35 306 808
Plot B, Row 9, Grave 32
Headstone: Cross
St. Laurent (France) U.S. Military Cemetery

Mrs. Mary S. Slavik
2101 Halstead Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Slavik:

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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PRE Form #43
20 Sep 48

Attached hereto correspondence and/or other identifying media of possible archival value, pertaining to:

SLAVIK Andrew J TFC 5 35306808
(Last Name) (First Name) (Initial) (Rank) (ASN)

Subject remains have been permanently interred overseas in the United States Military Cemetery ST LAURENT

Incl #

FILE

13. Give as detailed description as possible of condition and amount of remains
The body, badly decomposed, was intact except for left jaw.

14. Give probable cause of death, type & location of wounds (is there evidence that body was burned) Yes, Body was severely burned, apparently left jaw had been shot away.

15. Give minute description of all effects, clothing & shoes, including clothes, markings & sizes, as well as shoe size. List each item of clothing, with a description of any unusual cuts, design markings, pockets, colors, patches, etc. Also list, with detailed descriptions, all effects without intrinsic value, such as gum, food, soap, papers, letters, tobacco, etc., giving brands when applicable: Upon disinterment the only personal effects remaining on body was leather Religious Medal of Our Savior Christ (Scapular). All other personal effects were turned over by the French to Civil Affairs of Chartres on 17 October 1944.

16. Give description of any vehicle found in the area that could be connected with the death of the deceased

Half Track USA 4.065.130.S-7438-108 38th Armd Inf. Bn.
(Type) (WD Serial No.) (Organization) (Serial No. & Type)

Body was taken from this vehicle.
of each gun)

17. Give exact location of remains in vehicle before removal
Plain wooden coffin, no symbols or signs.

18. If buried in a coffin, give description and markings

19. List names of all other deceased persons buried in the vicinity. Also give available information concerning the cause & place of death of each that will assist in identification of those remains Register No. 795 ADAMS. GANTHER, O. Pvt., ASN 34254168, 38 Armd. Inf. Bn. Adams died at La Villette on 16 August 1944 about 30 yards from vehicle #USA 4.065.130.S-7438-108. Also there is an unidentified body buried in the cemetery. French report that this body was in the assistant drivers seat of same vehicle. Investigation of vehicle disclosed presence of burned identification tag giving the following information: Edward A. Swanson 37198342.

20. Other pertinent information which would aid in establishing identity
See attached sheet.

Paul G. Peden (Individual in Charge of Disinterment) 1st Lt (Rank) 0-1594418 (ASN) 3058 W MGRCO (Organization)

3RD PLATOON

30 January 1945
(Date)

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CHECK LIST FOR DISINTERMENTS
(To accompany Report of Reburial)

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Only PART I should be completed, if identification tags are available.
Both PART I & PART II should be completely filled out if identification tags are not available.

If information is unavailable, so indicate.

Register No. 796

PART I
(Positive Identification)

1. SLAVIK, ANDREW, J. T/5th 35306808 38th Armd. Inf. Bn.
(Full name of deceased) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)
2. State if identification tags were attached to remains, how many, and where attached No identification tags were found by investigator.
3. Give exact location from which disinterred, furnishing coordinates and map series used Map Series Coordinates 422069

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NOTE: ATTACH OVERLAY SHOWING EXACT LOCATION OF ISOLATED GRAVE TYING LOCATION WITH PERMANENT LANDMARKS.

4. Full name of cemetery (if buried in an organized cemetery) Cemetery at St. Prest (Eure-et-Loir) France.
5. ~~Approximate~~ established date of death (state which & give basis for date selected) 16 August 1944 according to information as seen by the investigator in the records at the town hall of St. Prest.
6. ~~Approximate~~ established date of burial (give basis for date established) 18 August 1944 According to the above named records.
7. Manner in which grave was marked and all information contained on the marker Plain cross above grave without symbols or signs. A soldier's steel helmet resting on the grave had no markings.
8. List personal effects found in possession of civilian or unauthorized military personnel, furnishing name and address of individuals concerned All personal effects of deceased including the radio operator's license were turned over by the French to the Civil Affairs of Chartres 17 October 1944.
9. Names and addresses of all persons questioned concerning death or burial and information each furnished (contact local mayor, priest, cemetery caretaker, those responsible for burial and any other possessing important information) Mayor of St. Prest, Mr. Bidard: Furnished information concerning questions 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, and 8. Secretary of Mayor, Mr. Bouloungue: Verified Mayor's Statement. Madam Bouret, St. Prest: Used as an interpreter. Mr. Bourgeois, Henri, St. Prest: Buried the deceased soldier. See Supplemental sheet.

PART II
(Doubtful or Undetermined Identification)

10. Fill in any information available regarding name, rank, ASN, or organization (Check cemetery records and office) SLAVIK, ANDREW, J. T/5th. ASN 35306808, 38 Armd. Inf. Bn., according to Radio Operator's license, which was found in left rear trouser pocket.
11. Unavailable Unavailable Unavailable Unavailable
(Est Height) (Est Weight) (Color of Hair) (Color of Eyes)
12. Give description of facial features and body characteristics if possible, including the presence of scars, moles, circumcision, tattoos, length of hair, presence of mustache or beard, etc. Condition of body beyond recognition.

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Register No. 796

SLAVIC, ANDREW, J. T/5 35306808 38th Armd. Inf. Bn.

Supplementary Sheet

1. There were buried, at "Cemetery of St. Prest", three American soldiers. Standing at the foot of the graves and counting from left to right, we found, Adams, in grave one, who was positively identified by his identification tag which was still around his neck. In grave two, we found the second complete corpse. This body was Slavik according to M. Bourgeois Henri of St. Prest who had recovered the body from the drivers seat of vehicle #4.065.130.S-7438-1C8; M. Bourgeois had buried all Three of the American soldiers. He testified and pointed out the third grave to be that of an unknown American soldier who was retrieved from the same vehicle, but he testified (and as was seen by investigator when third grave was uncovered) that there remained only one meter of this unknown soldier.
2. Found with the remains were two lengths of identification tag chain in the chest although no one interviewed had any knowledge of tags being found.
3. A minute piece of burned cloth showed the letter "S" stamped on it. This may have been the first letter of his name or part of the manufacturers mark.
4. In an attempt to make a tooth chart it was found that all of the upper and lower left half of the jaw were missing. Refer to tooth chart on GR Form #1. After cleaning teeth they were seen to be of a yellow tint indicating that the man smoked. The teeth on the right jaw were still in place with one missing. The condition of the gums showed this to have been previously extracted.
5. According to the records of the OCQM the three men, Slavik, Adams, and Swanson are shown as MIA on 16 August 1944.

*Earl E. Ridgeway
2nd Lt. P.M.C.*

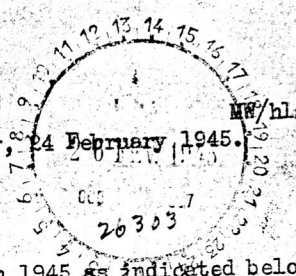
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1st Ind.

ID: OCGM, Hq. Com Z, ETO, APO 887, U.S. Army.
NAME _____ GRADE _____ ASN _____ ORGN _____

Investigation made and results thereof:

Reg. No. 796
(GRE (St. Andre D-5-98) 1st Ind. MW/hls
Hq., 1st QM Group, Com Z ETO, APO 562, U.S. Army, 24 February 1945.
TO: CG., Com Z ETO, APO 887, U.S. Army.
ATTN: GR & E Division, OCGM.



1. Remains disinterred and reburied 31 Jan 1945 as indicated below:
SLAVIK, Andrew J. 35306808 St. Andre Plot D, Row 5, Grave 98.
2. Burial report check list, and investigation report attached hereto.

Incls: a/s



Maurice Whitney
MAURICE WHITNEY
Lt. Col., OMC
Commanding.

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HEADQUARTERS
COMMUNICATIONS ZONE
EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
Office of the Chief Quartermaster
APO 887

REGISTER NO. 796



Q-CM 293.9

CEB/ea
(S:22 Jan 1945)
22 Dec 1944

SUBJECT: Isolated Burials.

To: Graves Registration Officer, Brittany Base Section,
APO 517, U.S. Army.

1. The following information was received at this office concerning
(military) (~~personnel~~) believed interred in your section:

NAME: SLAVIK, Andrew J. GRADE: T/5 ASN: 35306808 REG: 38 Armd Inf.
(Last) (First) (Initial) Bn.
CAUSE OF DEATH: Burnt in a car.
PLACE OF PRESENT BURIAL: St-Prest (Eure-et-Loir). Grave No.2.
DATE OF PRESENT BURIAL:
MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION:
REPORTED BY: Mayor of St-Prest, thru DIR OF FR MIL CEM (11622)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: The body was found burnt at the wheel of a car
numbered USA 4.065.130.S.- 7438 ICS.
Papers were handed over to Civil Affairs in Chartres.

Inclosed are four copies of check list for disinterments.



2. It is requested that body be removed to the nearest established
U.S. Military Cemetery and GR Form #1 be attached to this correspondence and
returned to this headquarters.

3. If body is not located or has been previously disinterred, request
details be furnished this office under proper heading on reverse side of this
letter.

Incl.:

4 Copies as stated.

*Rec 30 Dec 44
1:40 PM
1944*

B. Rosaler
BENY ROSALER
XXXXXX
MEX Colonel, GIC,
Chief, Graves Registration & Effect Division.

Département
SARTRE-LOIR

Canton
de CHARTRES-NORD

Commune
de SAINT-PREST

REPUBLIQUE FRANÇAISE

AA m 11 622 796

Feuille de renseignements concernant une
Tombe militaire de nationalité américaine.

NOM SLAVIK

Prénoms Andrew J.

Né le ?

à ?

Indications militaires

Grade +
Régiment

no matricule 35.306.808.

No) de la tombe: 2 -

Cause de la mort trouvé carbonisé au volant d'une voiture
immatriculée: USA. 4.065.130.S. - 7438.1C.8

Origine des renseignements et si possible noms des témoins

M. Bourgeois pompier
M. Boulogne secrétaire de mairie.

Documents ayant servi pour l'identification

Papiers du défunt remis avec les objets personnels recueillis
au Bureau des affaires civiles américaines à Chartres

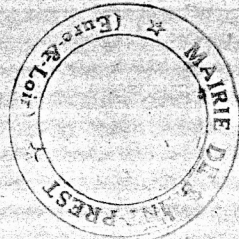
Adresse de la famille.

Inconnue -

St-Prest le 16 octobre 1944

Le Maire.

Bidard



Papers and personal effects found on the body were
turned over to US Civil Affairs in Chartres

OR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

T/5 Andrew J. Slavik, 35 306 808
Plot D, Row 3, Grave 98,
United States Military Cemetery
St. Andre, France

18 June 1947

A		C	
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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, MARY S. SLAVIK

(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*) _____

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. LAURENT, 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 _____, THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
- (FOREIGN COUNTRY) (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.)

NONE

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QMGR 293
Slavik, Andrew J.
A.S.N. 35 306 808

2 May 1947

Mrs. Mary Slavik
2101 Halstead Avenue
Lakewood 7, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Slavik:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery St. Andre, France, in which your husband, the late Technician Fifth Grade Andrew J. Slavik, is buried.

It is my sincere hope that you may gain some solace from this view of the surroundings in which your loved one rests. As you can see, this is a place of simple dignity, neat and well cared for. Here, assured of continuous care, now rest the remains of a few of those heroic dead who fell together in the service of our country.

This cemetery will be maintained as a temporary resting place until, in accordance with the wishes of the next of kin, all remains are either placed in permanent American cemeteries overseas or returned to the Homeland for final burial.

Sincerely yours,

1 Incl ✓
Photograph

G. A. HORKAN
Brigadier General, QMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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SPQYG 293

ml Slavik, Andrew J. S.N. 35306808 T/5

1st Ind.

ASF, OQMG, Washington, D. C.

13 October 1945

TO: Office, Chief of Chaplains, Washington, D. C.

1. For necessary action to so much of basic communication as pertains to your office.

2. The following is furnished for your information:

Cemetery	Grave	Plot	Row
U. S. Military Cemetery, St. Andre, France Religious preference	98	D	5

Unknown FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

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Incl:
copy ltr e/d

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

JLP
ed

Basic ltr.

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OQMG
RECORDS SECTION

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T/S Andrew J. Slavik, 35 306 808
Plot D, Row 5, Grave 98,
United States Military Cemetery
St. Andre, France

18 June 1947

Mrs. Mary Slavik
2101 Halstead Avenue
Lakewood 7, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Slavik:

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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D. C. M. C.
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

Lakewood #7, Ohio
September 20, 1945

Graves Registration Section
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D.C.

Gentlemen:

Please furnish me with the plot and cemetery
number of my husband who was killed in action
August 16, 1944.

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Cpl. Andrew J. Slavik #35306808
Co. C - 38th Armored Infantry Bn.
A.P.O. 257
c/o P.M. New York, N.Y.

Killed in France, August 16, 1944.
Buried in St. Andres Cemetery.

Could you give me the name of his chaplain too?

Thank you.

Yours truly,

Mrs. A. J. Slavik

Mrs. A. J. Slavik
2101 Halstead Ave.
Lakewood #7, Ohio

SFQYG 293
Slavik, Andrew J.
SN 35 306 808

13 October 1945

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Mrs. A. J. Slavik
2101 Halstead Avenue
Lakewood 7, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Slavik:

Acknowledgement is made of your letter requesting information concerning your husband, the late Technician 5th Grade Andrew J. Slavik.

The official report of interment received in this office reveals that the remains of your husband were interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, St. Andre, France, plot D, row 5, grave 98. This cemetery is located approximately fifteen miles southeast of Evreux and fifteen miles northeast of Dreux, both in France.

For information concerning the Chaplain who officiated at the burial of your husband, a copy of your letter has been forwarded to the Office, Chief of Chaplains, Washington, D. C., for direct reply, as that office has charge of such matters.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your husband.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN
Major, QMC
Assistant

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Copy

JLP

REPORT OF BURIAL

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:

Name of Decedent: **ANDREW J. SLAVIN**
 Social No.: **35308808**
 Date of Burial: **31 January 1944**
 Place of Burial: **St. Andrew's**
 Name of Cemetery: **St. Andrew's**
 Cause of Death: **Unknown**
 Height: **5' 10"**
 Weight: **150**
 Color of Eyes: **Blue**
 Color of Hair: **Brown**
 Race: **Caucasian**
 Type of Markers: **None**
 Burial with Body: **Yes**
 Attached to Marker: **No**

Laundry Marks: **None**
 Number of Ribs: **None**
 Wear Glasses?: **No**

If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart, if no medical personnel present, fill in a tooth chart below, and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc.

Disposition of Identification Tags: **Noted**

How were remains identified? **Through a Radio Operators License found in the deceased left rear pants pocket by Mr. Henri, undertaker at St. Andrew's. The license was turned over to the Civil Affairs detachment at Chartres. This statement was also verified by the mayor of St. Andrew's. Note below, any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, etc.**

Who is buried on:
 Deceased's Right: **Hollman W. O-622509 2nd Lt 33rd Fld Sq**
 Deceased's Left: **Stricker, H. O-824710 " " 403th Ftr Gp**

Signature or Name, Rank, and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial: **None**

TOOTH CHART

If this is an Isolated Burial, make a Sketch of the Location, oriented with Permanent Landmarks. If more space needed attach separate sheet.

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

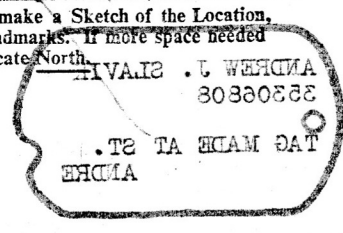
All personal effects turned over to the Civil Affairs detachment at St. Andrew's. Chartres, by the civil authorities at St. Andrew's.

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Upper															

Indicated: missing natural teeth by X; crowns by C; fillings by F; Bridges by B; missing upper teeth; replacements by artificial teeth X
 by C missing lower teeth; replacements by artificial teeth X

Charge Operative: **None**
 Other: **None**

Emergency Address: **Unknown**
 Address: **Unknown**
 Religion: **Catholic**



Handwritten: **78**
REPORT OF BURIAL
31 January 1944

GRAVES REGISTRATION
FORM NO. 1
(Revised 1 Sept. 1945)

RESTRICTED
REPORT OF BURIAL

Registration No 796

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

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RSM/bs
31 January 1945
Date

SLAVIK ANDREW J. T/5 35306808
Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.

38th Armored Infantry Battalion CD B 7th Armrd Division
Unit Organization

St. Prest, E & L, France 16 Aug 1944 Burns, Body charred
Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death

1500 hrs 31 January 1945 St. Andre U.S. Mil. Cemetery R 270560
Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name of Coordinates of Location

98 5 " D " Cross
Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

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

If No Identification Tags Tag made at St. Andre Tag made at St. Andre at chd to marker
How were remains identified?

Through a Radio Operators License found in the deceased left rear pants pocket by Mr Henri, undertaker at St. Prest. After identification was made the license was turned over to the civil affairs detachment at Chartres. This statement was also verified by the mayor of St. Prest Mr Bidaird, and Mr Boulonge, secretary to the mayor. The records of the deceased show that he was listed as missing in action 16 Aug 1944.

Identification Tag made at St. Andre

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

IDENTIFICATION ACCEPTED

Who is buried on: Hollman N. 0-693209 2nd Lt 355th Ftr Gp 99
Deceased's Right: Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Deceased's Left: Stricker, H. 0-824770 " " 405th Ftr Gp 97
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.

ANDREW J. SLAVIK
35306808
TAG MADE AT ST. ANDRE

Emergency Addressee: Unknown
Name: Unknown
Address: Unknown
Religion: Unknown Catholic

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

All personal effects turned over to the Civil Affairs Det at Chartres, by the civil authorities at St. Prest.

REBURIAL

St. Prest, Eure & Loire, France

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial: REX S. MORGAN 2nd Lt 3049 QM Gr Reg Co

RESTRICTED Verified by G.R.S. Officer

Table with columns for Name, Address, Religion, and other details. Includes handwritten notes and a signature.

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SLAVIC, ANDREW J. T/5 35306808 38th Armd. Inf. Bn.

293 Slavik Andrew Supplementary Sheet

1. There were buried, at "Cemetery of St. Prest", three American soldiers. Standing at the foot of the graves and counting from left to right, we found, Adams, in grave one, who was positively identified by his identification tag which was still around his neck. In grave two, we found the second complete corpse. This body was Slavik according to M. Bourgeois Henri of St. Prest who had recovered the body from the drivers seat of vehicle #4.065.130.S-7438-108; M. Bourgeois had buried all Three of the American soldiers. He testified and pointed out the third grave to be that of an unknown American soldier who was retrieved from the same vehicle, but he testified (and as was seen by investigator when third grave was uncovered) that there remained only one meter of this unknown soldier.

2. Found with the remains were two lengths of identification tag chain in the chest although no one interviewed had any knowledge of tags being found.

3. A minute piece of burned cloth showed the letter "S" stamped on it. This may have been the first letter of his name or part of the manufacturers mark.

4. In an attempt to make a tooth chart it was found that all of the upper and lower left half of the jaw were missing. Refer to tooth chart on GR Form #1. After cleaning teeth they were seen to be of a yellow tint indicating that the man smoked. The teeth on the right jaw were still in place with one missing. The condition of the gums showed this to have been previously extracted.

5. According to the records of the OCQM the three men, Slavic, Adams, and Swanson are shown as MIA on 16 August 1944.

Paul E. Robinson
2nd Lt DMC

✓ 293 Slavik, Andrew J.

July 17-45
D.C.

13. Give as detailed description as possible of condition and amount of remains
The body, badly decomposed, was intact except for left jaw.
14. Give probable cause of death, type & location of wounds (is there evidence that body was burned)? Yes, Body was severely burned, apparently left jaw had been shot away.
15. Give minute description of all effects, clothing & shoes, including clothes markings & sizes, as well as shoe size. List each item of clothing, with a description of any unusual cuts, design markings, pockets, colors, patches, etc. Also list, with detailed descriptions, all effects without intrinsic value, such as gum, food, soap, papers, letters, tobacco, etc., giving brands when applicable: Upon disinterment the only personal effects remaining on body was leather Religious Medal of Our Savior Christ (Scapular). All other personal effects were turned over by the French to Civil Affairs of Chartres on 17 October 1944.
16. Give description of any vehicle found in the area that could be connected with the death of the deceased
Half Track USA 4.065.130.S-7438-108 38th Armd Inf. Bn.
 (Type) (WD Serial No.) (Organization) (Serial No. & Type)
Body was taken from this vehicle.
 of each gun)
17. Give exact location of remains in vehicle before removal
Plain wooden coffin, no symbols or signs.
18. If buried in a coffin, give description and markings
19. List names of all other deceased persons buried in the vicinity. Also give available information concerning the cause & place of death of each that may assist in identification of those remains Register No. 795 ADAMS, GAYTHEER, O. Pvt., ASN 34254188, 38 Armd. Inf. Bn. Adams died at La Villette on 16 August 1944 about 30 yards from vehicle #USA 4.065.130.S-7438-108. Also there is an unidentified body buried in the cemetery. French report that this body was in the assistant drivers seat of same vehicle. Investigation of vehicle disclosed presence of burned identification tag giving the following information: Edward A. Swanson 37196342.
20. Other pertinent information which would aid in establishing identity
See attached sheet.

Barth B. Berman 2nd LTJG-1594418 30580MGR 60
 (Individual in Charge of Disinterment) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)
3RD PLATOON
3 January 1945
 (Date)

CHECK LIST FOR DISINTERMENTS

(To accompany Report of Burial)

Only **PART I** should be completed, if identification tags are available.
 Both **PART I & PART II** should be completely filled out if identification tags
 are not available.

If information is unavailable, so indicate.

Register No. 796

PART I

(Positive Identification)

1. SLAVIK, ANDREW, J. T/5th 35306808 38th Armd. Inf. Bn.
 (Full name of deceased) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)
2. State if identification tags were attached to remains, how many, and where attached. No identification tags were found by investigator.
3. Give exact location from which disinterred, furnishing coordinates and map series used. Map Series Coordinates 422069

NOTE: ATTACH OVERLAY SHOWING EXACT LOCATION OF ISOLATED GRAVE TYING LOCATION WITH PERMANENT LANDMARKS.

4. Full name of cemetery (if buried in an organized cemetery).
Cemetery at St. Prest (Eure-et-Loir) France.
5. ~~Approximate~~ established date of death (state which & give basis for date selected) 16 August 1944 according to information as seen by the investigator in the records at the town hall of St. Prest.
6. ~~Approximate~~ established date of burial (give basis for date established).
18 August 1944 According to the above named records.
7. Manner in which grave was marked and all information contained on the marker. Plain cross above grave without symbols or signs. A soldier's steel helmet resting on the grave had no markings.
8. List personal effects found in possession of civilian or unauthorized military personnel, furnishing name and address of individuals concerned. All personal effects of deceased including the radio operator's license were turned over by the French to the Civil Affairs of Chartres 17 October 1944.
9. Names and addresses of all persons questioned concerning death or burial and information each furnished (contact local mayor, priest, cemetery caretaker, those responsible for burial and any other possessing important information). Mayor of St. Prest, Mr. Bidard: Furnished information concerning questions 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, and 8. Secretary of Mayor, Mr. Bouloungue: Verified Mayor's Statement. Madam Bourret, St. Prest: Used as an interpreter. Mr. Bourgeois, Henri, St. Prest: Buried the deceased soldier. See Supplemental sheet.

PART II

(Doubtful or Undetermined Identification)

10. Fill in any information available regarding name, rank, ASN, or organization (Check cemetery records and office). SLAVIK, ANDREW, J. T/5th; ASN 35306808, 38 Armd. Inf. Bn., according to Radio Operator's license, which was found in left rear trouser pocket.
11. Unavailable Unavailable Unavailable Unavailable
 (Est Height) (Est Weight) (Color of Hair) (Color of Eyes)
12. Give description of facial features and body characteristics if possible, including the presence of scars, moles, circumcision, tattoos, length of hair, presence of mustache or beard, etc.
Condition of body beyond recognition.

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

DATE 2 May 1945 GHJ

REPORT OF DEATH

FULL NAME <u>Slavik, Andrew J.</u>				ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 35 306 808				GRADE TEC 5																							
HOME ADDRESS Lakewood, Ohio				ARM OR SERVICE INF				DATE OF BIRTH 16 Nov 08																							
PLACE OF DEATH European Area				CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action.				DATE OF DEATH 16 Aug 44																							
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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

207237

—BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME		SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE
SLAVIK ANDREW J		35306808	TEC5	INF	ETO
PLACE OF CASUALTY	DATE OF CASUALTY		FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER
FRANCE 9	16	AUG 44		MIA	175

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING PERSON AS THE ONE TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND THE OFFICIAL TELEGRAPHIC AND LETTER NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE SENT TO THIS PERSON. THE RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, IS SHOWN BELOW. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT NECESSARILY THE NEXT-OF-KIN OR RELATIVE DESIGNATED TO BE PAID SIX MONTHS' PAY GRATUITY IN CASE OF DEATH

MR.-MRS.-MISS—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST NAME	RELATIONSHIP	DATE NOTIFIED
MRS MARY SLAVIK	WIFE	3 Sept 44 GMT
NO. AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE		
2101 HALSTEAD AVENUE	LAKEWOOD	OHIO

REMARKS:

CORRECTED COPY



ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED _____ FORM 43 _____ AG 201 REQ _____

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED _____ OR CHARGED TO _____ DATE _____

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO _____ YES _____ (AS INDICATED BELOW):

FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	TYPE	DATE AND AREA	E. A. NOTIFIED

FORWARDED TO SPEC. IDEN. TELEGRAM WOUNDED LETTER CORRES. S. R. & D. CERTIF. M. & M. NON-DEL.

REPORT NOT VERIFIED _____ NO FORM 43 _____ NO CAS. BR. FILE _____ CHECKED BY _____ REVIEWED BY _____

THIS SPACE FOR USE OF MACHINE RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.

ACCT. AREA	CASUALTY STATUS	ORIGINAL CAS. DATE			MESSAGE NO.	LATEST CAS. DATE			REFERENCE AREA	CREW POS.	RESIDENCE		CCMP	RACE											
		DAY	MO.	YR.		DAY	MO.	YR.			STATE	COUNTY													
34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59

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207237 ✓

GHG:MH:gk ✓
June 12, 1945

Mrs. Mary Slavik ✓
2101 Halstead Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Slavik;

I have your recent inquiry regarding the personal effects of your husband, Technician Fifth Grade Andrew J. Slavik.

It is regretted that no other property of your husband has been received here. All of his property received at this Bureau has been sent you.

So that you may better understand the difficulties encountered in the recovery of personal effects, I am inclosing an information circular on the subject.

I wish to assure you that in the event additional property is received at a later date, it will be forwarded promptly.

Yours very truly, ✓

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

49
1 Incl--
Form 51 ✓
Mick

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

207,237

DATE 2 May 1945 38J

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WD AGO FORM 52-1
1 FEBRUARY 1945

THIS FORM SUPERSEDES WD AGO FORM 52-1, 1 DECEMBER 1944,
WHICH MAY BE USED UNTIL EXISTING STOCKS ARE EXHAUSTED.

Lakewood #7, Ohio
May 25, 1945

Army Service Forces
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Effects Bureau
601 Hardesty Ave.
Kansas City 1, Missouri

INQUIRY CLERK

Subject: Ref: 207237

Att: Capt. G. I. Newman, Q.M.C.
Asst. Chief, Adm. Division

Dear Captain Newman:

This is a letter of inquiry regarding the remainder of the personal property belonging to my husband T/5 Andrew J. Slavik #35306808, killed in action August 16, 1944.

Up to this time I have received only the envelope containing the damaged personal papers, a chain, souvenir money and a holy medal. In your 4th paragraph of letter dated April 20th, you state in the first sentence "I regret to advise that included among your husband's effects are a chain, souvenir money, and personal papers which are damaged."

Please advise me if you have any more of his property and if so, please send to me.

Thank you for your kind and prompt attention.

Yours truly,

Mrs. Mary Slavik

Mrs. Mary Slavik
2101 Halstead Ave.
Lakewood #7, Ohio

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

(S-7-3-45)
JRM:MH:dw
May 3, 1945

In Reply Refer To: 207,237

Mrs. Mary Slavik
2101 Halstead Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Slavik:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some personal effects belonging to your husband, Technician Fifth Grade Andrew J. Slavik.

This property is being forwarded to you in one envelope and should reach you in the near future.

My action in transmitting the property does not, of itself, vest title in you. The items are forwarded in order that you may act as gratuitous bailee in caring for them pending the return of the owner, who has been reported missing in action. In the event he later is reported a casualty, and I sincerely hope he never is, it will be necessary that the property be turned over to the person or persons legally entitled to receive it.

When delivery has been made, I shall appreciate your acknowledging receipt by signing one copy of this letter in the space provided below, and returning it to this Bureau. For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my hope for the safe return of your husband.

Yours very truly,

P. L. KOOB

P. L. KOOB
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Officer-in-Charge
S¹ Unit

Incl--
Envelope

Receipt acknowledged:

Mrs. Mary Slavik
(Signature of bailee)

May 14, 1945
(Date)

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Mary Slavik

SHIP TO:

2101 Halstead Avenue

T/5 Andrew J. Slavik

Lakewood, Ohio

Effects of:

Name

35306808

ASN

207.237 M

Case No.

Wt.

DATE

3 May 1945

JRM:MH:dw

E. Burton

FCR: 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:

Franked ~~FRANKED~~

Est. Exp. Chgs. _____

Est. Frt. Chgs. _____

No. of packages 7

MAY 10 1945

MC

Shipping Clerk

NAME

SLAICK, ANDREW J 35306808

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
		3	6999
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
ENVELOPE			

Eff. QM Form 48

SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY

DECEASED MISSING P.O.W. ABANDONED

BOX NUMBER 3 ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES 1

TALLY NUMBER 6999 INVENTORY DATE 29 Mar 45 CASE NUMBER 207,237 W

EFFECTS OF Andrew J. Slavik RANK

A.S.N. 35306808 ORGANIZATION

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION # 1 En

CLOTHING	PERSONAL ITEMS	CONTAINERS
<input type="checkbox"/> BELT	<input type="checkbox"/> BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION	<input type="checkbox"/> BAGS, CLOTH
<input type="checkbox"/> BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	<input type="checkbox"/> BRUSHES	<input type="checkbox"/> BAGS, TRAVEL
<input type="checkbox"/> CLOTH, WASH COATS	<input type="checkbox"/> CAMERAS	<input type="checkbox"/> BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY) CASE
<input type="checkbox"/> FOOTWEAR, PR.	<input type="checkbox"/> GLASSES	<input type="checkbox"/> FOOTLOCKER
<input type="checkbox"/> GLOVES, PR.	<input type="checkbox"/> KNIVES	<input type="checkbox"/> KIT, SEWING
<input type="checkbox"/> HANKERCHIEFS	<input type="checkbox"/> LIGHTERS	<input type="checkbox"/> KIT, TOILET
<input type="checkbox"/> HEADWEAR	<input type="checkbox"/> MISC. INSIGNIA	<input type="checkbox"/> KIT, WRITING
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<input type="checkbox"/> SOCKS, PP.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	<input type="checkbox"/> BOOKS, PILOT LOG
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		<input type="checkbox"/> STATIONERY
		<input type="checkbox"/> TESTAMENTS
		<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

*1 - chain

[Handwritten signature]

DAMAGED

REMARKS: 12933 plow st.
Lakewood, Ohio
metropolitan Concrete Co.
E. 40th. + Lakeside
Cleveland, Ohio

ATTACHMENTS: 3 - statements

C.A.T. none *(* belt)*
MC

WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
	DIARY REMOVED
DATE ENTERED	INDEX OR
	FILED

ADDITIONAL REMARKS STORED BY

Lakewood #7, Ohio
April 24, 1945

Army Effects Bureau
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

Ref: 207237

Gentlemen:

I have your letter of the 20th regarding personal property belonging to my husband, T/5 Andrew J. Slavik, missing in action since August 16th, 1944.

I would appreciate your returning all of this ^{personal} property including the damaged papers, etc., to me at my home address. As I work every day I won't be home to receive it but my mother, Mrs. Mary Skufca will sign for it. If you would rather I sign for it personally, please send it to my business address listed below.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Mary Slavik

Mrs. Mary Slavik
2101 Halstead Ave.
Lakewood #7, Ohio

or

Mrs. Mary Slavik
c/o Viking Air Conditioning Corpn.
5600 Walworth Ave.
Cleveland #2, Ohio

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

207237

(S-5-20-45)

JRM:CH:lc

April 20, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

Mrs. Mary Slavik
2101 Halstead Avenue
Lakewood, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Slavik:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some personal property belonging to your husband, T/5 Andrew J. Slavik.

Since our records indicate that he is missing in action, it is desired that some close relative receive this property for safe-keeping pending the return of the owner, or the receipt of additional information. I sincerely hope that he may later be reported safe.

If you will please confirm your address, the property will be forwarded to you at Government expense. At the same time, a receipt will be mailed for your signature.

I regret to advise that included among your husband's effects are a chain, souvenir money, and personal papers which are damaged. Please say whether you want these items sent with the remainder of the property. It is our desire to refrain from sending any articles which would be distressing, yet, at the same time, we do not feel justified in removing the items without your consent.

Your reply may be made at the foot of this letter, if desired, and mailed in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Yours very truly,

G. I. NEWMAN
Captain Q.M.C.
Asst. Chief, Adm. Division

Département
d'EURE-&LOIR
CHARTRES-NORD
Commune
de SAINT-PREST

Extrait du registre des décès pour l'année 1944

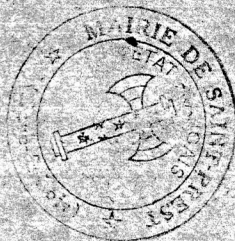
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Décès de
ANDREW J. SLAVIK
16 août 1944

Le seize août mil neuf cent quarante quatre vers
quinze heures, est décédé, lieu dit la Côte de la Villette
ANDREW J. SLAVIK militaire de l'armée américaine,
numéro matricule 35 306 308 porteur d'une licence
d'opérateur radio à l'unité 49.357. Dressé le dix-sept
août mil neuf cent quarante quatre, seize heures trente
minutes sur la déclaration de Michel BOULOGNE, trente
neuf ans, Instituteur, domicilié en cette commune, qui
lecture faite a signé avec nous, Henri BIDARD, Président
de la Délégation spéciale, officier de l'Etat civil de
la Commune de Saint-Prest.....

Pour copie conforme,

Saint-Prest le six septembre mil neuf cent quarante
quatre.....



Bidard

EXTRACT FROM THE REGISTER OF DEATHS FOR THE YEAR 1944

On 16 August 1944, about 3 PM, is dead at Cote de la Villette, Andrew J. Slavik, a soldier of the American Army, number 35 306 808, bearing radio operator's license in unit 49.357. This account has been written on 17 August 1944 at 4 PM on the declaration of Michel Boulogne, aged 39, teacher, residing at Saint-Prest, who, after this account was read to him, has signed this declaration with us, Henri Bidard, President of the Special Delegation, officer in charge of vital statistics for the community of Saint-Prest. This copy is certified to be correct, 6 September 1944.

s/ Bidard