

293 BROWNLEE, ELMO 34,131,578 T/5 EUR ARPA CAV (MISS) '44 hjs

868

*Handwritten:*  
7944  
Storage

092-70A-0001  
8/8  
9/16:00-1-1

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

293

Brownlie, Elaine

T/5

34,131,378

FW,

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

USMC HENRI CHAPPELLE		31-1544		IRR	
PLOT F. ROW 10 GRAVE 47		RIGHT: JERRY J GIORDANO		32751097	
DATE OF BURIAL Sep 2 1948		DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE		LEFT: ALOIS J MICA	
CHAPLAIN VERIFIED BY		<i>Bryunch</i>		37377931	
SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER		DATE	
HENRI - CHAPELLE EUPEN		1240 01878		15 04 48 DAY MONTH YEAR	
NAME BROWNLEE ELMO		SERIAL NUMBER 34131378		RANK T/5	
CEMETERY HENRI - CHAPELLE EUPEN		ARM 1		DATE OF DEATH	
PLOT OF C. ROW GRAVE COUNTRY		NAME OF COMRADES		DISPOSITION OF REMAINS	
A 4 77 BELGIUM		10		1 1201 80 CODE DIST. PT.	
SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN		FLAG SENT 4 Sep 1948			
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE		NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN			
HENRI-CHAPELLE, BELGIUM		FANNIE M. BROWNLEE (WIFE) ROUTE #1, BOX 216 DREW, MISSISSIPPI			
SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION					
NAME ELMO BROWNLEE		SERIAL NUMBER 34131378		RANK T/5	
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON		ORGANIZATION		RELIGION	
<input type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER		USAGF		P	
DATE OF DEATH 2 OCT 44		DATE DISTINTERRED 15 OCT 47		IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY	
				WALTER POINSKI, 1/LT 562 QM SV CO NAME AND TITLE INF	
SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT					
NATURE OF BURIAL		CONDITION OF REMAINS			
MATTRESS COVER		CRANIAL POST MORTEM			
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION					
NO CLOTHING - NO CONFLICTING EVIDENCE					
MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1					
NONE					
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET		BY <i>Raymond G. Johnson</i>			
DATE 29 OCT 47		HARRIE D. NELSON, EMB. SUPV.			
CASKET SEALED BY		EMBALMER (Signature) <i>Raymond G. Johnson</i>			
HARRIE D. NELSON, EMB. SUPV.		HARRIE D. NELSON, EMB. SUPV. FOS PROV			
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED		SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY			
DATE 29 OCT 47 BY JOHN SHINKO CLERK RECORDER		HARRIE D. NELSON, EMB. SUPV.			
I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.					
		SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR <i>Raymond G. Johnson</i>			
		RAYMOND G. JOHNSON, 1ST LT., INF			
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.					
RECORD OF CUSTODIAN TRANSFER					
RECORDS ASSIGNED DATE 19 Nov 48 NAME <i>J.R. Proctor</i> R + R - BR.					

CHANGE

O. S. BY N.O.K. FINAL LETTER SENT 5 NOV 1948

QMC FORM REV 15 MAR 46 1194  
*Encl 1*

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

### 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		
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

#### 7. SHIPPED

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

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

293

Repatriation Records Branch  
Disinterment Locator Section  
Office of the Quartermaster General  
Department of the Army  
Washington 25, D.C.

DATE: March 9, 1948

FROM: (Miss) Edna Mattox

SUBJECT: <sup>293</sup> BROWNLEE, Elmo, T/5  
34 131 378

Next of Kin: Mrs. Fannie M. Brownlee  
Old Address Rt. 1, Box 216, Drew, Miss.  
New Address: Same

Your Reference: RR Br: QMGMM 293

In compliance with your request of February 11, 1948 for an investigation in connection with the disposition of the remains of this deceased serviceman we submit the following information:

1. OQMG Form 345  has been submitted by Fannie M. Brownlee Widow  
(Name) (Relationship)

will be  
on March 2, 1948  
(Date)

2. \_\_\_\_\_  has relinquished disposition authority.  
 has remarried.  
 is deceased.  
 is incompetent.

3.  We have been unable to locate.

Remarks:

HS:mc

*Edna Mattox*

(Miss) Edna Mattox  
Director, Home Service  
Southeastern Area

*File - now  
16 Mar 48  
HS Cunningham*

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526



TO:

FROM:

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

(VP) [Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

[Faint text]

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

Burial of  
T/5 Elmo Brownlee, 34131378  
Plot A, Row 4, Grave 77  
American Military Cemetery  
Henri Chapelle, Belgium

7 May 1947

Mrs. Fannie M. Brownlee  
Route #1, Box 216  
Drew, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Brownlee:

Reference is made to the "Letter of Inquiry - Disposition of Remains" sent to you about 45 days ago, requesting you to complete and mail the "Request for Disposition of Remains" form.

Since no reply has been received, you are again respectfully urged to return this completed form at the earliest possible date in order to avoid any unnecessary delay in the final disposition of the remains of your loved one.

Due to the tremendous amount of work involved in carrying out final burial arrangements for all of the deceased Americans of World War II, this program must proceed cemetery by cemetery in each area of the world.

The cemetery in which the remains of your loved one are buried is expected to be evacuated in the near future. In the absence of any reply from you by that time, the Government will assume that you have no objection to the final burial of the deceased in a permanent American Military Cemetery Overseas.

Sincerely,

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

MER

**URGENT DEMANDER 6-4-47**

tj

MAY 7 2 26 PM '47  
M&R SR  
OCHG

**REGISTERED**  
1349963



Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

6  
QMGMR 293  
Brownlee, Elmo  
A.S.N. 34 131 378

14 January 1947

Mrs. Fannie M. Brownlee  
Route #1, Box 216  
Drew, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Brownlee:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, in which your husband, the late Technician Fifth Grade Elmo Brownlee, 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.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

G. A. HORKAN  
Brigadier General, QMG  
Assistant

1 Incl  
Photograph

70  
JUN 17 10 59 AM  
MAIL & RECORDS DIVISION

AS

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

T/5 Elmo Brownlee, 34 131 378  
Plot A, Row 4, Grave 77,  
United States Military Cemetery  
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

3 March 1947

Mrs. Fannie M. Brownlee  
Route #1, Box 216  
Drew, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Brownlee:

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

- 5x Enclosures
- 1. Pamphlet (Options)
- 2. Disposition Form
- 3. Envelope
- 4. Pamphlet (Cemeteries)

FEB 26 PM '47  
& R BR

mmf

71 11

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

280241

*Done*  
JRM:DW:erw  
April 2, 1945

Mrs. Fannie Mae Brownlee  
Route 1 Box 216  
Drew, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Brownlee:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your husband, Technician Fifth Grade Elmo Brownlee.

I am inclosing eighty-one cents in coin which was received here with his effects. The remainder of the property is being forwarded to you in one carton.

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 husband.

Yours very truly,

A. G. SCHUMACHER  
1st Lt. Q.M.C.  
Asst. Chief, Admin. Division

1 Incl--  
Coins

68

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

WV

att

8 November 1948

793

Tec/5. Elmo Brownlee, ASN 34 131 378  
Plot F, Row 10, Grave 47  
Headstone: Cross  
Henri-Chapelle U. S. Military Cemetery

Mrs. Fannie M. Brownlee  
Route #1, Box 216  
Drew, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Brownlee:

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, the central address of which is Room 713, 1712 "G" Street, N. W., Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interment and beautification activities are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. However, upon completion thereof, due notice will be carried by the press.

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,

THOMAS B. LARKIN  
Major General  
The Quartermaster General

csb

Nov 8 1948  
U.S. ARMY  
MIL. & RESERVE

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Fannie Mae Brownlee

SHIP TO:

Route #1, Box 216

T/5 Elmo Brownlee

Drew, Mississippi

Effects of:

Name

34131376

ASN

280241 D

Case No.

WT.

JRM:DW:crw

DATE 2 April 1945

*Dorothy M. Watts*  
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:

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

*4/5/45 mg*

*file*

*10/10*

REMARKS:

Franked **FRANKED**  
Est. Exp. Chgs. \_\_\_\_\_  
Est. Frt. Chgs. \_\_\_\_\_  
No. of packages \_\_\_\_\_

*April 1945*  
*mk*

Shipping Clerk

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

280,241

United States Post Office

CLASS

IN REPLYING  
MENTION INITIALS AND DATE

Rt. 1 Box 216  
Drew, Mississippi  
April 25, 1945

War Department  
Army Effect Bureau  
Kansas City (1) Mo.

Dear Sir:

A few days ago I received the personal belongings, which was supposed to be my husbands' ( T/5 Elmo Brownlee ASN 34131378 Troop B-87th Cav. Rcn Mecz Sq. APO. 257 C/o Postmaster New York) who was reported killed in action October 2, 1944. By some mistake I got a Medical soldiers' belongings. Not one article that I got can be identified.

Please recheck and give me information concerning this matter.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

*Mrs Fannie Mae Brownlee*

*Case # 280241*

*Note: Property returned inventoried as Ynk. 3146*

*Rec'd 6-21-45  
Fidelity Trust*

*Shipped to  
sent to ship  
returned to  
copy received*

**SCREENED**  
*4-27-48 ER*

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

WA  
ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Fannie Mae Brownlee

Route 1, Box 216

Drew Mississippi

SHIP TO:

T/5 Elmo Brownlee

Effects of:

Name

34131378

ASN

280241 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE JRM:KB:crw  
27 April 1945

*Kathryn Bell*

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.

*[Handwritten initials]*

*1 pkg*

REMARKS:

Franked           
Est. Exp. Chgs.          **APR 30 1945**  
Est. Frt. Chgs.           
No. of packages   1  

         *mk*  
Shipping Clerk

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

280241

JRM:KB:crw  
April 26, 1945

Mrs. Fannie Mae Brownlee  
Route 1, Box 216  
Drew, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Brownlee:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your husband, Technician Fifth Grade Elmo Brownlee.

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

43

83

KB



Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

*MB*

SPQYG 293

Brownlee, Elmo

*Rm* \_\_\_\_\_

21 July 1945

Mrs. Fannie Mae Brownlee  
Route 1, Box 216  
Drew, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Brownlee:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished the burial location of your husband, the late Technician Fifth Grade Elmo Brownlee.

The records of this office disclose that he is interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery #1, Henri Chapelle, Belgium, plot A, row 4, grave 77.

This cemetery is located approximately 7 miles southwest of Aachen, Germany, and is under the care and supervision of our military personnel.

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

Sincerely yours,

E. B. GREGORY  
Lieutenant General  
The Quartermaster General

djh

*Original by*

GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION

JUL 21 3 51 PM '45

MEMORIAL DIVISION

*CD*

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

In Reply Refer To RR Br: QGM 293 Brownlee, Elmo, Tec 5., 34 131 378  
Plot A, Row 4, Grave 77  
United States Military Cemetery  
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

11 February 1948

**P R I O R I T Y**

Miss Edna Mattox, Director of Home Service  
Southeastern Area, American Red Cross  
230 Spring Street, Northwest  
Atlanta 3, Georgia

Dear Miss Mattox:

The Next of Kin of the above captioned deceased wife  
(relationship)

Mrs. Fannie M. Brownlee, Route #1, Box 216, Drew, Mississippi  
(name) (address)

has failed to return a Form 345 indicating disposition instructions for the remains.

It is respectfully requested that the attached QGM Form 345 be properly accomplished by the Next of Kin and legal documents obtained through assistance of your representative if appropriate, be furnished this office. In the event you are unable to secure disposition instructions from the Next of Kin, it is further requested that a statement of the action taken by your representative be furnished this office for use as a basis for final disposition of remains of the decedent.

It is recommended that in contact with the Next of Kin mentioned above, they first be queried as to whether or not they have submitted the appropriate form, as it may have been mailed to this office since receipt by you of this request.

Sincerely yours,

JOHN O. HYATT  
Colonel, QM  
Memorial Division

2 Incls.

reg

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 28 October 1944

RF 4627

FULL NAME <b>Brewalee, Elmo</b>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <b>34,131,378</b>	GRADE <b>T/5</b>
HOME ADDRESS <i>hs</i> <b>Macel, Mississippi</b>		ARM OR SERVICE <b>Cavalry</b>	DATE OF BIRTH <b>1 Apr 1918</b>
PLACE OF DEATH <b>European Area</b>	CAUSE OF DEATH <b>Died of wounds received in action.</b>		DATE OF DEATH <b>2 Oct 1944</b>
STATION OF DECEASED <b>European Area</b>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <b>9 July 1941</b>	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS <b>over 3 years</b>
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <b>Mrs. Fannie Mae Brewalee, wife, Rt #1, Box #216, Drew, Miss.</b>			
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <b>Mrs. Fannie Mae Brewalee, wife, Rt #1, Box #216, Drew, Miss. J. T. Brewalee, father, Macel, Miss. Declined to designate an alternate beneficiary.</b>			
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY	OWN MISCONDUCT
YES	NO	YES	NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE	IN FLYING PAY STATUS
YES	NO	YES	NO
OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)			
YES	NO	YES	NO
		X	X

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

COPIES FURNISHED:			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BATTLE	BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE WAR <i>James W. Reinhart</i> ADJUTANT GENERAL
S. G. O.	F. B. I.	F. O., U. S. A.	<input type="checkbox"/> NON-BATTLE	
2. O. C. M. G.	O. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE		
		A. G. 201 FILE		

6 NOV 1944  
*File my*

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU  
INVENTORY

*u*

280241

CASE NO.

TYPED BY

pm

DATE

STATUS

deceased

NAME

Elmo Brownlee

A.S.N.

34131378

RANK

ORGANIZATION

AMOUNT

\$0.81

ACCOUNT NO.

*Coins in Sep 21/28/45 mg*

LIST NO.

cz f 166

VALUABLES SHIPPED

REMARKS

DATE 4/5/45

BY mg

ACCOUNTING INVENTORY

MAR 1 1945

MAR 1 1945

Eff. QM Form 11a (10 Feb 45)

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

S. CYG 293  
Brownlee, Elmo

*293 Brownlee, Elmo 34, 131, 378* 12 June 1946

Mrs. Fannie M. Brownlee  
Route #1, Box 216  
Brew, Mississippi

Dear Mrs. Brownlee:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your husband, the late Technician Fifth Grade Elmo Brownlee, A.S.N. 34 131 378.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the United States Military Cemetery, Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, plot A, row 4, grave 77.

This cemetery is located approximately seven miles southwest of Aachen, Germany, five miles northwest of Eupen and eight miles east of Liege, both in Belgium, 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 your feasible wishes 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 you with full information and solicit your detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN  
Major General  
The Quartermaster General

BWZ

JUN 11 5 27 PM '46  
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

R E S T R I C T E D

October 29 1944

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of: T/5 Elmo (NMI) Brownlee,  
34131378 87th Ren Bn 7th Armored Division  
DOW about October 2 1944.

TO: Effects Quartermaster, Communication Zone

Designated Beneficiary not readily accessible.

Inventory of Effects

1	pr	Shoes	
1		Cap, od	✓
1		Corn Pipe	✓
1		Metal Soap Container	✓
1	bar	Ribbons	✓
2		(1)US (1)INF Insignia	✓

No money  
Names and addresses of any banks not known

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects, secured by me, of the above individual and that they were forwarded to the Effects Depot by truck on October 29 1944.

*H. A. Pickford*

H. A. PICKFORD  
1st Lt. QMC O-1016270  
Headquarters 7th A.D.

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

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

RESTRICTED

# REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

46786

3 October 1944

Date

66

293

Brownlee Elmo NMI T/5 34131378  
 Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.

Co B., 87th Rec.  
 Unit Organization

Holland-11st Evac. Hosp. 2 Oct 1944 Pen W-Skull  
 Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death

1400 4 October 1944 Henri Chapelle #1 705352  
 Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location

77 4 A 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  
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:

Deceased's Right: Urban 36592003 Pvt 246 Engr 78  
 Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Deceased's Left: Clark 39237840 Pvt Unknown 76  
 Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Signature or Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.



If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

Emergency Addressee \_\_\_\_\_ Name

\_\_\_\_\_ Address

Religion P

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

~~Personal effects accounted for by 608th AM Gr Reg Co.~~

None found on body

HARRY DUBROV, 1st Lt.  
 Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

DEC 26 1944

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

RESTRICTED

Inc #9

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

### 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.:

4		4
3		3
2		2
1		1
Thumb		Thumb
Left Hand		Right Hand

#### TOOTH CHART

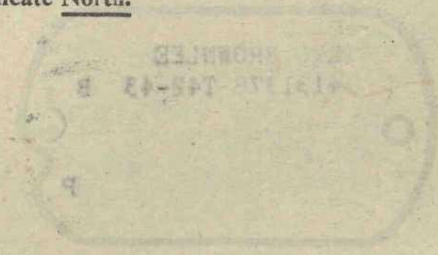
	Deceased's Left															
	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Upper	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Lower																

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.





EQMCZ Form # 2

Tally-in No: TIP-289

TALLY IN -- INVENTORY RECORD

NAME: Brownlee, Elmo ~~AME~~ RANK: T/5 ASN: 3413/378

CONSIGNOR:       /      

ORGANIZATION: 87<sup>th</sup> Cav. Rec. Sq.

DATE: 12 Dec 44 CASE NO:       /       PARCEL: PEB. STATUS: MIA

ITEMS	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS

N INVENTORIED: Pfc ~~Tanner~~ WHSE SPACE:         
TYPE CONTAINER:



Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

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

Case No. 280241

Date 31 March 1945

JRM:DW:erw

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

Elmo Brownlee, 34131378 late a  
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)

Technician Fifth Grade, Cavalry who died  
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)

on the 2 day of October, 1944, 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., KQCM Dep. 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 decedent's 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 26 March 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters, KQCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of \_\_\_\_\_

Mrs. Fannie Mae Brownlee 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, Mrs. Fannie Mae Brownlee of  
(Name of person found entitled)

Route #1, Draw State of  
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)

Mississippi, is the Widow 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

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION <i>#7 pkg</i>	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY <i>280,241</i>	DECEASED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MISSING <input type="checkbox"/> P.O.W. <input type="checkbox"/> ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/>
NAME <i>Elmo Brownlee</i>		TALLY NO. <i>7260</i>
A.S.N. <i>34131378</i>	RANK <i>T/5</i>	INV. DATE <i>14 Apr 45</i>
		ORG. NO. OF PKGS. <i>1</i>
		BOX NO. <i>7</i>
		SHEET OF <i>1</i> SHEETS
		ORGANIZATION <i>87 Cav Recon Sq</i>

BELT	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	WINGS
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	CLOTHING	BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	BRACELET IDENT.	BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY) <i>u/c</i>
COATS	BRUSHES	CASE
FOOTWEAR, PR.	CAMERAS	FOOTLOCKER
GLOVES, PR.	GLASSES	KIT, SEW, TLT, OR WRITING
HANDKERCHIEFS	KNIVES	BOOKS
HEADWEAR	LIGHTERS	BOOKS, ADDRESS
JACKETS	MISC. INSIGNIA	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
OVERCOATS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DUR)
SCARFS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	FILMS
SHIRTS	PIPES	LETTERS
SOCKS, PR.	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	PAPERS, PERSONAL
TIES	RIBBONS, DECORATION	PHOTOS
TOWELS	RINGS	SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
TROUSERS, PR.	TOBACCO	X SHORT SNORTER <i>✓</i>
TRUNKS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	SOUVENIRS
UNDERWEAR	WATCH ( <i>curlet 1 packet</i> )	X SOUVENIR MONEY <i>✓</i>
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

*File*

REMARKS *wife Mrs. Jannie Mae Brownlee Rte #1 Box 216 Drew, Miss.*

ATTACHMENTS

FORM #54

FORM #100

*Inventory removed*

*1 Form 28 removed*

*1 St Label ✓*

C.A.T. <i>none</i>	WEIGHT	G.I. REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE <i>184</i>	STORED BY <i>ME</i>	X SHORTAGE ON REVERSE <i>✓</i>
INVENTORIED BY <i>Curtis</i>	DATE SHIPPED	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
PACKED BY <i>[Signature]</i>	<b>APR 30 1945</b>	DIARY REMOVED
	CHECKED BY <i>[Signature]</i>	LOCKED STORAGE
	#43 OR ADDITIONAL <i>✓</i>	LAUNDRY REMOVED
		FILM REMOVED

*mk*

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

*40 French Francs.*

U. S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

I certify that the above listed items were not in the containers inventoried by me:

*Curtis*

INVENTORY CLERK

*Nolan*

SUPERVISOR

G. J. REMOVED

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

BROWNLEE, ELMO T/5 34131378 KIA

1 bag

Rec. 1 Nov 44

Shipped to eqm, apo 887, 3 Nov 44



Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

BROWNLEE, Elmo

T/5

34131373

Deceased

T/O PD 417

Shipped to K.C. 24 Nov. 44

ARC, Bag



Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

BROWNLEE, Elmo

34131378

KIA

\$ 0.81

F.166

C.V.585 KNOBELOCH, W. MAJ., F.D.

280241

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

EQMCZ Form #4

NAME : BROWNLEE, ELNO, ASN: 34131378  
RANK : T/5  
UNIT :  
STATUS : KIA.  
REMARKS : P.E.B. CASE NO:

Shipping List No: RD418 Whse Sp:  
Date Shipped : 13 DEC.  
Destination : KS.

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

SHEET <u>1</u> OF <u>1</u> SHEETS	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY	DECEASED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BOX NUMBER <u>7</u>	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES <u>1</u>	MISSING <input type="checkbox"/>
TALLY NUMBER <u>6915</u>	INVENTORY DATE <u>17-Mar-45</u>	POW <input type="checkbox"/>
EFFECTS OF <u>ELMO BROWNLEE</u>	CASE NUMBER <u>280241</u>	ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/>
A.S.N. <u>34131378</u>	ORGANIZATION <u>87th Rec Bn 7th Arm. Div</u>	RANK <u>T-5</u>
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION		

# 1 Ch

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

free  
val

REMARKS: <u>No Information</u>	ATTACHMENTS: <u>Inventory</u>	FORM #54	FORM #100
--------------------------------	-------------------------------	----------	-----------

C.A.T. <u>None</u>	WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE <u>538</u>	STORED BY <u>Lu</u>	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
INVENTORIED BY <u>Max Elvie</u>	DATE SHIPPED <u>Apr 6 1945</u>	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
PACKED BY <u>Yeado</u>	CHECKED BY <u>LB</u>	DIARY REMOVED
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> #43 OR ADDITIONAL	LOCKED STORAGE
		LAUNDRY REMOVED
		FILM REMOVED

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

I certify that the above listed items were  
not in the containers inventoried by me:

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

NAME

BROWNLEE, ELMO

T.5

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
		7	6915
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
FE BAG			

Eff. QM Form 48

Drew. Miss.  
Feb. 29, 1948

Dear Mrs. Jones.

The family has agreed to leave his body  
Over Sea, in American Cemetery.

yours truly  
Mrs Lammie Mae Browder  
Box 216, Route 1.  
Drew. Miss.

TE05  
Elmo Browder

OK

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526



Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

Brownlee James MII 3/131378  
(Last Name)(First)(Initial) (ASN)

late a T/5 87th Cav Recon Sq.  
(Grade) (Orgn or arm or service)

who died on the 2 day of Oct 19

- Wallet ✓
- Watch Pocket ✓
- wristwatch ✓
- Souv Coins ✓
- Pen ✓
- Photos ✓
- Shortsnorter

40 French Francs ○

I certify that the effects of Class I and those of Class II have been delivered to the effects depot and that all funds have been delivered to the Finance Officer.

RAYMOND L. DENNIS,  
1st Lt., OIC.



Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

Serial No. 34131378 Name Brownlee, Elmo (NMI)  
Grade T/5 Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization 877th Cav. Rec. Sq.  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Nearest Relative \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Killed in Action  Died of Disease \_\_\_\_\_  
Date 2 Oct. 1944 Hospital 41st Evac. Hosp  
Battle Area Holland Information \_\_\_\_\_  
Place of Burial \_\_\_\_\_  
Point of Coordination \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Body \_\_\_\_\_  
Members Missing \_\_\_\_\_  
Signed \_\_\_\_\_

71P-289

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

NAME BROWNLEE, ELMO T/5 1378

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
		7	7260
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
GRB			

Eff. QM Form 48

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

~~MRS FANNIE MAE BROWNLEE~~  
NAME - UNIDENTIFIED #1 *280,241*  
Postage pd. *0250*  
MRS. FANNIE MAE BROWNLEE, RFD #1  
BOX #216 DRELS, MISS.

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
RETURNED			9128
REFUSED			
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
CTN		<i>[Signature]</i>	

Eff. QM Form 48

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526



Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

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

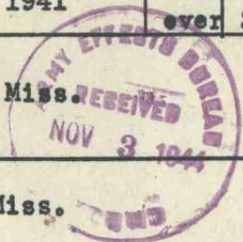
280241

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 28 October 1944

RF 4627

FULL NAME <b>Brewalee, Elme</b>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <b>34,131,378</b>	GRADE <b>T/5</b>
HOME ADDRESS <b>Macel, Mississippi</b>		ARM OR SERVICE <b>Cavalry</b>	DATE OF BIRTH <b>1 Apr 1918</b>
PLACE OF DEATH <b>European Area</b>	CAUSE OF DEATH <b>Died of wounds received in action.</b>		DATE OF DEATH <b>2 Oct 1944</b>
STATION OF DECEASED <b>European Area</b>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <b>9 July 1941</b>	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS <b>over 3 years</b>
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <b>Mrs. Fannie Mae Brewalee, wife, Rt #1, Box #216, Drew, Miss.</b>			
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <b>Mrs. Fannie Mae Brewalee, wife, Rt #1, Box #216, Drew, Miss. J. T. Brewalee, father, Macel, Miss. Declined to designate an alternate beneficiary.</b>			
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY	OWN MISCONDUCT
YES	NO	YES	NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE	IN FLYING PAY STATUS
YES	NO	YES	NO
OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)			
YES	NO		



ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

COPIES FURNISHED:			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BATTLE	BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR <i>James W. Reinhart</i> ADJUTANT GENERAL
S. G. C.	F. B. I.	F. O., U. S. A.	<input type="checkbox"/> NON-BATTLE	
Z. O. C. M. G.	G. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU CASUALTY BRANCH FILE		
G. A. C.	VET. ADMIN.	A. G. 201 FILE		

Declassified in accordance with D.O. 13526

Do not send home -