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23 March 1949 (Date)

#### CERTIFICATE OF UNIDENTIFIABILITY OF REGLINS

	The records pertaining to Unknown X-5445, Plot V,
Row	12 , Grave 285 , USLC NEUVILLE, Belgium
hav	e been reviewed and it is the opinion of this Office that sufficient
evi.	dence is not available at the present time to establish the identity
of	the deceased concerned. The remains concerned should be classified
as 1	unidentifiable at the present time.
	Report of Reprocessing of remains was forwarded to your Office
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AGRC FORM No. 11 Revised 16 Sept. 1946 Formely "Check List of Unknowns")

### IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST

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

		Unl	cnown X - 5445	
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2.	Place of death Plateau nea (Name of closest tow wL-1906		(Coordinates and letter Pr	
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	Remains recovered or disinterred by	!	Name and organization)	•
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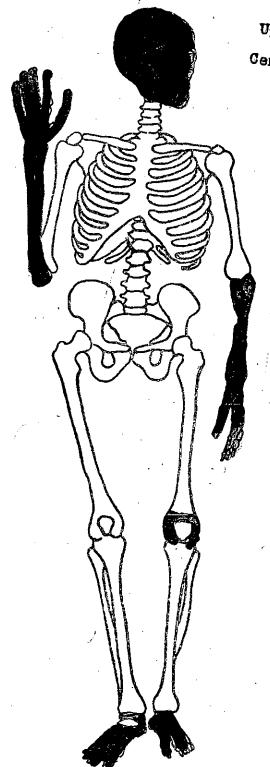
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### SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)



Unknown X-5445

Cemetery Neuville en Condroz, Belgium (VK-390187)

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SECTION A — GENERAL									
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b. Is Sketch attached?	,,,	·,·······							
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a. What information was contained thereon? <b>No records</b>
b. Where was the information obtained? No records
c. By whom? . What is the date of death? Est: March 1945
a. Give basis Fighting took place there at that time.  . What is the cause of death? Est: Small arms fire
b. Give basis Close fighting took place in this area  What is the date of buriel? Not buried
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b. Give basis Remains found there.
Where were the reamains found? Plateau near Serrig, Ger. Coords wL-1906
a. By whom? Baptiste Wasser, #29 Saarholzbach, Ger.
b. Is sketch attached? Yes
Was a casket used? No Who furnished the casket?
Type of casket How marked?
Who made the burial Not buried (Civilian, American Mil. or German Mil.)
a. What are the names and addresses?
CTION B — AIR CORPS DECEASED (To be completed only if deceased is believed to be a member of the AAF).
Were remains found in the plane wreckage? DOES NOT APPLY.
a. Give location in plane from which the bodies were removed
(Tail gunner, pilot, radio, turret, etc., or front, side of plane)
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	Had bombs been released price in the crash?
27.	Does specific time and date or crash correspond with date of death of above named deceased?
	Number of planes in formation prior to crash
29.	State precise time and date of plane crash (Night?) (Day?)
30.	Were parachutists seen? How many? Escaped?
	Prisoners?
SEC	CTION C — ARMORED CORPS DECEASED (To be completed only if deceased is believed to have been a member of the Armored Force).
31	Were remains found in wreckage of a tank? DOBS NOT APPLY.
,	a. Give specific position in tank from which deceased was removed
	(Radio man, driver, assistant driver or front, side, or back)
	b. Near wreckage?
32.	Location of destroyed tank-must be investigated. Give complete results of investigation. (If removed, state when and by whom)
	a. Type of tank
	b. Markings and/or name of tank
٠	c. Numbers on motors, machine guns, ammunition, instruments, etc
33.	What was the type of enemy action that resulted in the tank's disablement?
34.	Did tank explode?  Burn?
35.	Number of tanks in immediate vicinity at time of disablement
36.	Does specific time and date of disablement correspond with date of death of above named deceased?
37.	Precise time and date of destruction of tank (Night?) (Day?)
	Did any of the crew members escape?
	TION D — OTHER BRANCH (To be filled out if B & C are not applicable).
39.	Did death occur from any other means? (i. e., truck, jeep, mines, drowning, or small arms fire) Small arms f
	If so, give complete and thorough results of the interrogation.
	a. Are all certificates and statements of people who possessed knowledge of the case attached?
	State the specific clues and evidence that were obtained in securing the name and facts regarding the above listed deceased (See attached narrative)
	TION E — GENERAL (To be completed by investigation in all cases)
	Were personal effects recovered by the investigating team?
	If not, state reason Could not be found
	a. Were identification tags found at the time of death? Unknown
	Where? By whom?

If deceased is not identified, personal effects will not be forwarded to PE Depot, but will remain with this form until final identification is made, or investigation is abandoned.

	b. Were personal effects found as the time of death? Unknown
	Where? By whom?
	Present disposition Unknown
	c. Was deceased identified by living members of the crew at the time of death?
•	d. Did Cemetery Register or cross indicate the immunization shot?
`42	. Was Deceased given first aid? <b>Unknown</b> If so, where?
	By whom?
43.	. Was deceased evacuated to a German civilian hospital? <b>No</b>
	Where? Names of people concerned
44.	. Is it possible on surface investigation to obtain from civilian sources a physical description of the deceased?
<b>4</b> 5.	. Is it possible on surface investigation to obtain from civilian sources the condition of the remains?
	Remains decomposed (Burnt? Decapitated? etc)
46.	Do facts surrounding death show any evidence that it might be an atrocity case? No
	a. If so, give basis for positive assumption
******	b. If so, has higher headquarters been notified?
47.	Was case previously investigated? No By whom?
	When?
48.	Give full names, addresses, and information obtained from each person interviewed Baptiste Wasser
	#29 Saarholzbach, Germany
49.	Are all positive statements regarding identification and particulars surrounding death attached?
	Has any information been given concerning isolated burials in the area outside the immediate vicinity?
	Was investigation preceded by anvanced publicity?
	(If special investigation, give case number)
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	(Use attached, sheets if necessary)
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- 1. Baptist Wasser, # 29 Sparholsbach, Gerseny, found seven (7) remains in the Vackelfels district near Serrig, Gerseny (wi-1906) while executing his duties as an assistant forest ranger. Wasser found the remains in April 1966 and informed the French Military Government.
- 2. Sixteen (16) remains have previously been disinterred from this platest in midsterer 1946. Wasser informed the disinterring terms of the remaining seven (7) deceased, but the terms refused to enter the creates it was believed to be mined at that thee. This area was completely cleared of mines in July, august 1946. Fighting took place in this area in March 1945. It is believed by master that the soldiers were killed by small arms fire. Arm SS troops which fought in this area. The remains were not buried and were completely decomposed.
- 3. A thorough search was aude during distinterring for identification with negative results.

facaed P. Boone MANIE P. BOME U.S. Civ. Spl. Inv. Baptist Wasser Saarhölzbach Haus Nr. 29 hb. Saarhölzbach, 14. April 1947

### AUSSAGE

Im April 1946 wurde mir mitgeteilt, dass auf Wackelsberg zahlreiche Tote yon den Kampfen her lägen. Als Forstgehilfe ging ich dienstlich in die angegebene Begend und fand viele Leichen in Minenfeldern, darunter auch die sieben (7) amerikanischen Soldaten.

Ich meldete dies sofort der französischen Militarregierung und den deutschen Behorden. Daraufhin kamen auch zuerst französische Soldaten, dann im August Amerikaner

die jedoch wegen der Minengefahr nichts zur Entfermung unternahmen.

Nachdem ich mit deutschen Gefangenen und einem französischen Offizier die gröbste Minengefahr beseitigt hatte, kamen im August nochmals etwa 15 amerikanische Soldaten mit 2 Wagen und entfernten sechszehn (16) amerikanische Leichen. Wohin sie diese gebracht haben, ist mir nicht bekannt. Anschliessend fand ich dann noch diese anderen sieben (7) amerikanischen Leichen, was ich auch sofort meldete. Erst jetzt kam aus Karlsruhe ein amerikanischer Offizier und nahm sich dieses Falles an.

gez. Baptist Wasser.

Baptist Wasser Saarholzbach House # 29

Saarholzbach, 14 April 1947

### STATEMENT

In April 1946 I was informed that on the mountain called "Wackelsberg" numerous deceased soldiers who were killed during the fighting in this area were lying about. As a forster's assistant I went on duty to the given location and found many bodies in mine fields. Among the bodies were seven (7) American soldiers.

I informed the French Military Government and the German authorities immediately. As a result, first French soldiers came and then in August Americans who could not take any steps to remove the bodies because the area was heavily mined.

After the area was swept of mines by German POW's and a French officer, a team of 15 American soldiers came with two cars and evacuated sixteen (16) American deceased. I do not know where the bodies were taken. Just after this I found those other above mentioned seven (7) bodies that I reported immediately. At present an American officer came from Karlsruhe and took over the bodies.

s/ Baptist Wasser.

I certify that this is a true translation of the above to the best of my ability.

HILDE BOHLER Interpreter

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