

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

17 Nov. 1948
Date

SUBJECT: Unidentifiable Remains

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

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Row 4, Grave 64, USMC St. Laurent have been
reviewed and it is the opinion of this office that insufficient evidence
is available to establish the identity of this deceased, and that these
remains should be classified as unidentifiable.

2. Report of Reprocessing was forwarded to your office by
letter of transmittal No. 2569, dated 23/7/47. No
further information is available.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

/s/ George L. Freeman
/t/

Received 23 Nov. 1948 OQMG
Not identifiable from
information presently
available

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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL :

George L. Freeman
GEORGE L. FREEMAN
1st Lt Q.C.
Actg Asst Adj Gen

Incl #18

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Interred 11 December 1948
 17-13 USMC St Laurent
DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE
 DOUGLAS A. MAC KENZIE *Douglas MacKenzie*
 Capt. Inf. Cemetery Superintendent

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED
 DIRECTIVE NUMBER **3582 00000**
 DATE **10 09 47**
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME **UNKNOWN X-000027** SERIAL NUMBER **X-000027** RANK **8** ARM **8**
 DATE OF DEATH **6 June 44**
DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY **ST LAURENT BAVEUX**
 DISPOSITION OF REMAINS **3505 80**
CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT **A** ROW **4** GRAVE **64** COUNTRY **FRANCE**
 CAUSE OF DEATH **6**

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN
 NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE **ST. LAURENT, FRANCE (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)**
 NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION
 NAME **UNKNOWN X-000027** SERIAL NUMBER **Unk** RANK **Unk** DATE OF DEATH **6 June 44** DATE DISTINTERRED **17 Sept 47**
 IDENTIFICATION TAG ON REMAINS MARKER ORGANIZATION RELIGION **Unk** IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY **JOHN H. CLARK 2d Lt QMC NAME AND TITLE**

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT
 NATURE OF BURIAL **UTD** CONDITION OF REMAINS **Dry disarticulate skeleton**

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION **None**

MINOR DISCREPANCIES / **Arm of Service corrected-Authority 355 (Hq, AGRCP)**
 NAT FILE RECORDS ANNOTATED **APR 10 1948**

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET
 DATE **19 Sept 47** BY **JOHN A. BRICKLEY** NAME **D A MATTHEW**
BR. MEM. DIV.

CASKET SEALED BY **JOHN A. BRICKLEY** EMBALMER (Signature) *John A. Brickley*

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED **19 Sept 47** SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY **JOHN W. SHARP, 1st Lt, Inf**
 DATE BY **R. J. HODGE**

I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.
John W. Sharp
JOHN W. SHARP, 1st Lt, Inf
 SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

TOOTH CHART

1 July 1947

Date

Unknown X-27 buried at St. Laurent Cemetery, France

Last Name

First

Initial

Race

Period No.

Plot A, Row 4, Grave 64

Sex

Organization

Place of Death

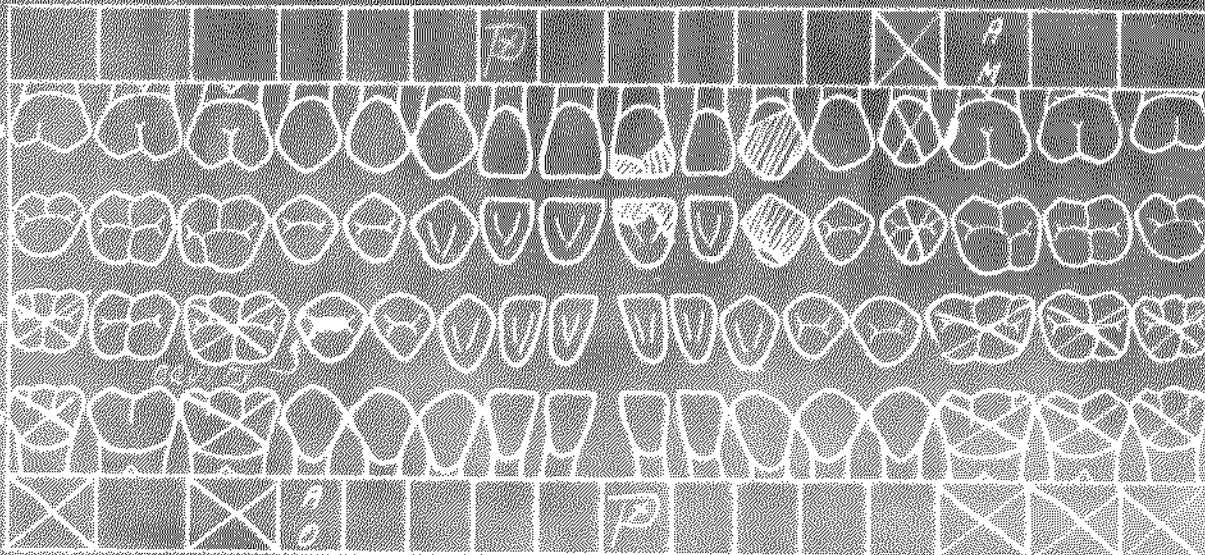
Date of Death

Cause of Death

Right

Left

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8



See Remarks

This dental chart is very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicusps (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found. See reverse side for illustrations.

Edward Sebastian M.D.
Frank G. Sabor
FRANK G. SABOR
C/O USA S.S.V.

MISSING TEETH... All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be "X" 'd out and labeled, thus:



CROWNED TEETH... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus:



BRIDGE WORK... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:



FILLINGS... Draw filling on tooth as accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:



CARIES (CAVITIES)... Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



DENTURES (PLATES)... Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp"

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER REMARKS

Posthumously missing R2 and L9.
 Spaces: R13-15, 11mm; L4-6, 2mm.
 Distal version, L8, 13.
 Mesial version L8.
 Teeth broken off as indicated by shading.
 Medium sized white teeth are in good alignment.

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IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST

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

Disinterment Directive # 62

Unknown X X-27

Cemetery St. Laurent, France

Plot A Row 4 Grave 64

1. Date reprocessed:
Arrived at cemetery 1 July 1947
(Hour) (Date)

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

(Sheet, scale and serials used)

3. Remains ~~recovered~~ or disinterred by Subordinate Identification Point, Carentan,
(Name and organization) France.

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

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

| Item | Clothing Markings | Sizes | Indicate unusual markings color, wear, tear, repairs, etc. |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------|--|
| * Headgear | <u>None</u> | | |
| | (Type) | | |
| Raincoat | <u>None</u> | | |
| Overcoat | <u>None</u> | | |
| Jacket, Field | <u>None</u> | | |
| Jacket, Combat | <u>None</u> | | |
| Mackinaw | <u>None</u> | | |
| Sweater | <u>None</u> | | |
| Jacket, HBT | <u>None</u> | | |
| * Shirt, Wool OD | <u>None</u> | | |
| Undershirt, Wool | <u>None</u> | | |
| Undershirt, Cotton | <u>None</u> | | |
| Trousers, HBT | <u>None</u> | | |
| * Trousers, Wool OD | <u>None</u> | | |

Belt, web None

Drawers, wool None

Drawers, cotton None

Leggings, wool None

Socks, cotton Remnants of one (1)

* Shoes None (type)

Overshoes None

Web Equipment None (type)

(Other item) None

(Other item) None

* If body is nude, sizes of these items should be computed by measuring the remains

Chevrons or Insignia None
(Type & location; shirt, jacket, coat, helmet)

Shoulder Patch None

Does clothing indicate that deceased was a member of the Air, Ground or Naval Force?
Utd

6. Description of Remains: Numerus 33.9 Ulna 28.5 Radius 26.2

Age Utd ^{Est.} Height 5'10" Weight Utd Description of wounds Utd

Bandages or dressings Utd Scars Utd
(Length, width, location)

Utd Tattoos
(Number, location -- illustrate on separate page)

Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks Utd
(Yes-no; description, location)

Sunburn or tan, other than hand and face Utd

Complexion Utd
(Light, medium, dark, clear, pimples, poeks, freckles)

Build Utd
(Large, fat, thin, muscular)

Hair Medium brown, straight, 1 1/2" long
(Color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight, whorls, or definite parting)

Hair Utd
(Baldness, widows peak, distinctive cutting or other characteristics)

Sideburns Utd Mustache Utd Beard or Utd
(Color, setting, shape) (Color, size, shape) (Length, heavy)

Goatee Utd
 (Light, color, extent)

Eyes Utd Eyebrows Utd
 (Color, setting, shape) (Color, bushiness, extent across nose)

Nose Utd Ears Utd
 (Size, shape, straight) (Size, set close to or far from head)

Mouth Utd Lips Utd
 (Large, medium, small) (Small, large, full)

Teeth See Tooth Chart
 (White, size, unevenness, spacing, noticeable crowns, fillings, extracts)

Chin Utd
 (Prominent, receding, pointed, dimples, double)

Jaw Utd Circumference of head in inches 20 1/2"
 (Large, small, normal) (Hat band)

Neck Utd Larynx Utd
 (Size, length, short, normal, wrinkled) (Prominent, normal)

Shoulders Utd Arms Utd
 (Broad, straight, small, rounded) (Length, muscular, color, extent and quantity of hair)

Hands Utd

Fingers Utd
 (Short, thick, long, slender, size of knuckles, missing fingers or joints)

(Unusual characteristics of fingernails)

Chest Utd
 (Size of nipples, color, quantity and extent of hair, large, small, normal)

Waist Utd
 (Size of navel, appendectomy, amount, quantity, and color of hair)

Back Utd Circumcision Utd Pubic Hair None found
 (Quantity and extent of hair) (Yes-no) (Color)

Hernioplasty Utd
 (Yes-no; location)

Legs Utd
 (Inseam, muscular, knock-kneed, bowed, normal, quantity, color and extent of hair)

Feet Utd Toes Utd
 (Size, corns, callouses, flat) (Slender, straight, crooked, overlap)

Evidence of healed fractures Utd
 (Nose, arms, legs, etc.)

NOTE: Use attached charts "A" and "B" to indicate parts not received.

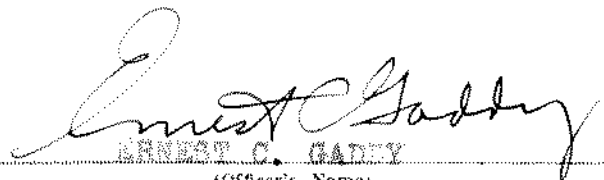
7. Have finger prints been placed on Report of Interment? No
(Yes-no)

If not, explain Too decomposed

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

9. Remarks Remains received, badly charred, wrapped in a wool CD blanket. No Markings found. Burial Report found. No GRS tag found. Fluoroscopic Examination: negative. Estimated weight of remains: 25 lbs. Nothing found to warrant Chemical Laboratory Examination.

I certify that I have personally viewed the remains of subject deceased and all resulting information has been recorded to the best of my knowledge.


ERNEST C. GADEY
(Officer's Name)

CWO ITCA
Rank Service

Central Identification Point
(Organization)

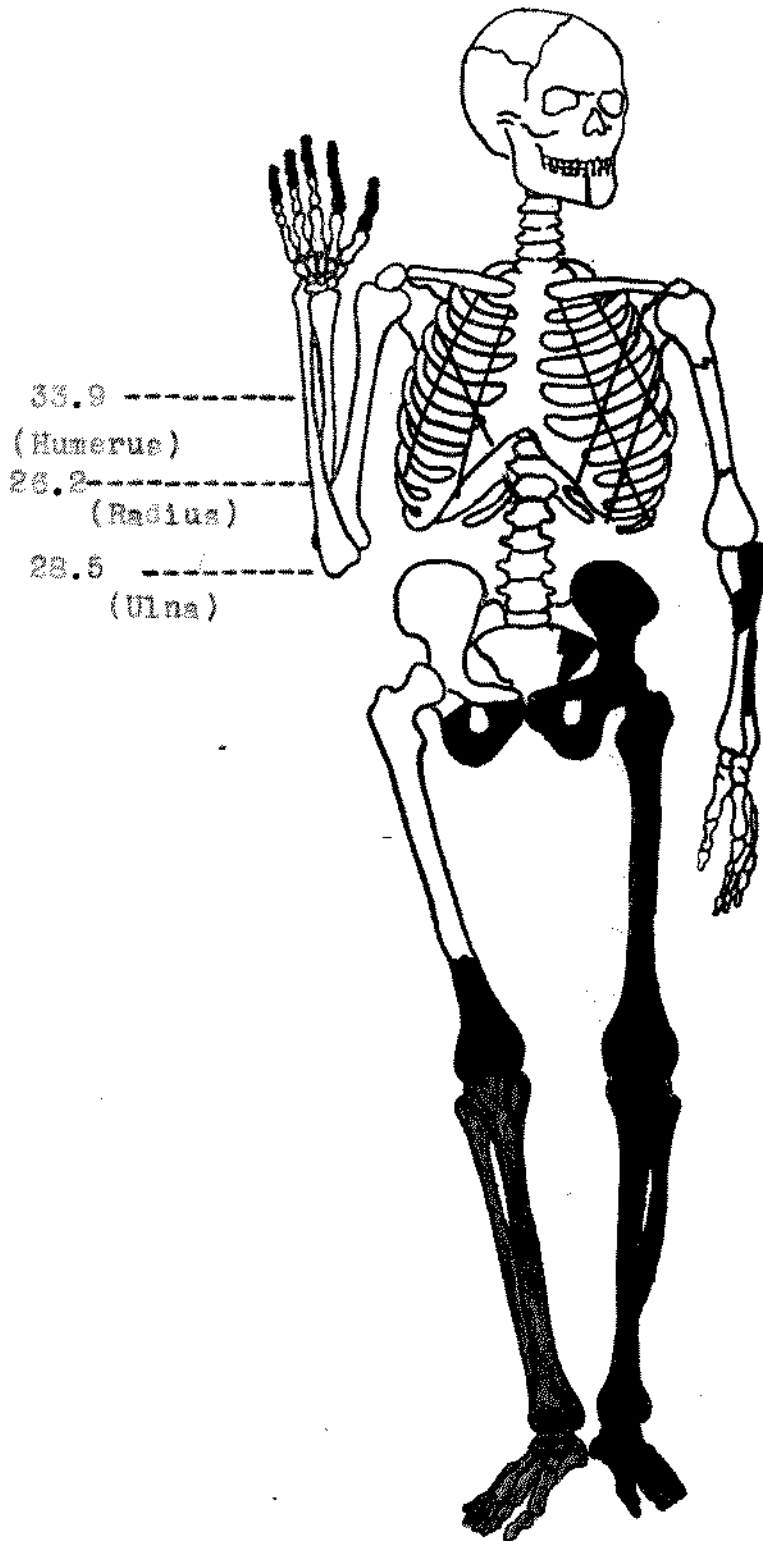
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St. Laurent, France

Plot A Row 4 Grave 64

SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)



X-91 (St. Laurent)

Reverse side of 371 for Pfc Paul Williams, 35638960, returned by field & sent to M&R 21 Jan 48, reads as follows:

"The following Unknowns at St Laurent may be associated with Col Arthur E. Stendel:

| | |
|-------|-------|
| X-27 | X-66 |
| X-32 | X-70A |
| X-46A | X-71 |
| X-60 | X-77 |
| X-62 | X-80 |
| X-63 | X-81 |
| X-64 | X-89 |
| X-65 | X-91" |

