

7887 GRAVES DETACHMENT

APO 757

943 unk St. Avold X-837 *ms*

Attached hereto are case papers for an approved unidentifiable case which are considered to be of investigative importance. Records of this headquarters indicate these case papers were not previously forwarded to OQMG for:

UNKNOWN X - 837 St Avold

(POC) ST AVOLD

*Since
20 Feb 51
J. W. B. W.*

REBURIAL

REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

21 April 1945

Date

Unknown American X-72
Last Name

(R 108 102)
First

837
Initial

Unk.
Rank

Unknown
Serial No.

Unknown

Unit

Unknown

Organization

Vic. Bensheim, Fr. B 108 102 Est.
Place of Death

15 December 1944
Date of Death

G.S.W. Throat and Mt. Arm
Cause of Death

1600 hrs. 10 April 1945
Time and Date of Burial

U S Mil Cem Bensheim Ger M622218
Name of Cemetery

Ger M622218
Name or Coordinates of Location

1005
Grave Number

24
Row Number

Plot Number

TW

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?

A-5412 found in Overcoat
S-5271 found in O. D. Pants

SEE Reverse

What means of identification were buried with the body?

QAC Form 1-GRS in sealed bottle buried with body

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

Who is buried on:

Deceased's Right:

Daker, Ernest

32267152 Est.

253 Inf.

Organization

1004
Grave No.

Deceased's Left:

Reiley, Thoma S.

2-1295672 Capt.

10 A.I.B.

1006
Grave No.

Lt. Phillip H. Walter

606th S.I.C. P. Co.

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 Unknown

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

None

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

J. E. HAWKINS, 1st Lt, 300 16 31 S.R. Co.

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 :

Est. Height : 5'11" Laundry Marks :
 Est. Weight : 180 lbs. Number of Rifle :
 Color of Eyes : Wear Glasses ?
 Color of Hair : Dark Brown 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.

Fingerprinted by Sgt. J. Richardville
 606th G. R. Co.

Tooth Chart taken by Sgt. Stanley Zwilinger
 46th G. R. Co.

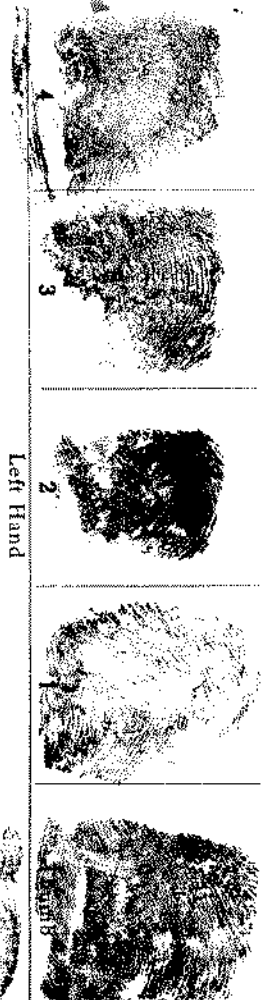
Body Badly Decomposed

Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc. :

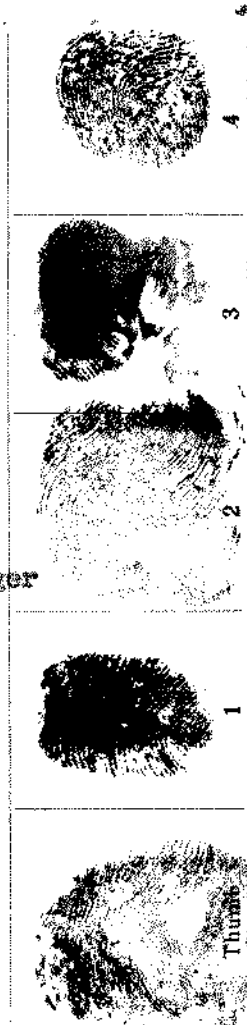
G.I. Pants Size 31-33
 Woolen Drawers 34
 Combat Shoes 11-D
 Field Jacket 20 M

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.

Disinterred from Common Grave
 Vicinity Gumbheim, France R 108 102



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

Indicate : missing natural teeth by X ; crowns by O ; fillings by □ ;
 Bridges by C linking anchor teeth ; replacements by artificial teeth X

Characteristics : Decayed Lt. Upper # 5 and 6
broken to gum

Other Data : All fillings are of silver

RESTRICTED
HEADQUARTERS SEVENTH ARMY
APO 758 U.S. ARMY

HFK/jkb

AG 293.QM

27 June 1945

SUBJECT: Additional Information.

TO : Commanding General
Com Zone, ETOUSA
APO 887, U.S. Army

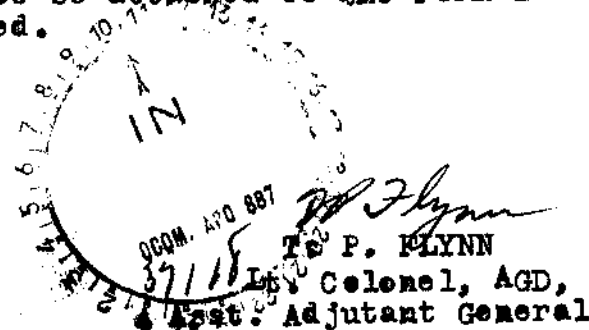
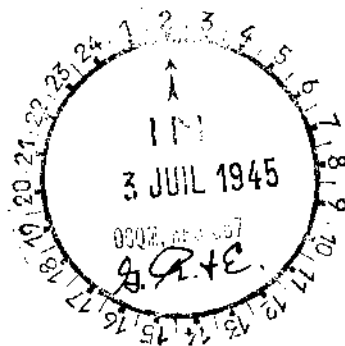
MR-E-002M

1. Inclosed herewith correspondence pertaining to Unknown American X-72, Plot G, Row 24, Grave 1005, U.S. Military Cemetery Bensheim, Germany.

2. Request this correspondence be attached to QMC Form 1-GRS for the above mentioned deceased.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl;
a/s



RESTRICTED

R E S T R I C T E D

HEADQUARTERS
46TH QUARTERMASTER GRAVES REGISTRATION COMPANY
APO 758 U.S. ARMY

6 June 1945

SUBJECT: Unknown American X-72 (R-108-102), Plot G, Row 24, Grave 1005,
US Military Cemetery at Bensheim, Germany.

TO : Commanding General, 42nd Infantry Division, APO 411, US Army.
ATT: AG Casualty.

1. The remains of an Unknown American were disinterred from a common grave, accomplished by the enemy, located in the vicinity of Gamsheim, Germany the estimated date of death being between 5 and 15 January 1945.

2. The following data pertaining to deceased was obtained:


Estimated height 5'11"
Estimated weight 180 lbs.
Hair - Dark Brown.
CD Pant size 31X33
Wool drawers size 34.
Combat boots size 11D
Field jacket size 38R.

3. A tooth chart of the decedent's teeth was accomplished a copy of which is inclosed.

4. The Laundry Mark, "A-5412" found upon deceased's overcoat.

5. In the light of the foregoing, request that records of your Division be checked with a view towards the possible identity of the deceased.

6. Direct reply to this headquarters with the least practicable delay is requested.


M. J. DeKORF
Captain, QMC
Commanding.

1 Incl:
Tooth Chart of dec.

R E S T R I C T E D

CONFIDENTIAL

AG 704 GEMHI
(6 Jun 45)

1st Ind.

HEADQUARTERS 42D INFANTRY DIVISION, APO 411, U S ARMY, 19 JUNE 1945.

TO: Commanding Officer, 46th QM Graves Registration Co, APO 758, U S Army.

1. Records of this division have been checked unsuccessfully in an effort to identify the deceased.

2. One member of this division has the laundry mark A-5412 but this soldier is present for duty. In this EM's organization, however, there still remain eight men who have been reported and remain missing in action. Data listed in paragraph 2 of basic communication does not particularly apply to any of these men.

3. There are no tooth charts on record by which identification can be made.

4. Request information as to whether remains have been interred or whether there is a possibility of viewing remains to determine if subject could be one of eight men mentioned in paragraph 2 of this indorsement.

For the Commanding General:

Roland A. Lemay
ROLAND A. LEMAY
Captain, MGD
Asst Adj Gen

1 Incl: n/c.

CONFIDENTIAL

AIRMAIL

10 February 1950

3146
GWS Bureau (T/L 4463)

SUBJECT: Identification of World War II Decedent

TO: Chief, Registration Division
7661 Graves Registration Detachment
APO 50, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. Reference is made to Transmittal Letter No. 4463 dated 4 November 1949, forwarding Certificates of Unidentifiability of Remains.

2. This Office approves the classification of Unknowns X-197 and X-6263, interred in United States Military Cemetery St. Avold, France as Unidentifiable.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

T. H. MOSE
Lt. Colonel, GPO
Memorial Division

Holden:cam
Clements
RMB

JMH

TSC

AIRMAIL

X-197
X-6263
15016000

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 U S ARMY

RRE 295

25 October 1949

(Date)

293 Unknown France X-837 (St. Avoird)

CERTIFICATE OF UNIDENTIFIABILITY OF REMAINS

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X- 837, Plot BBB,
Row 12, Grave 141, USMC, St. Avoird, France,
have been reviewed and it is the opinion of the Board of Review, this
headquarters, that sufficient evidence is not available to establish
the identity of the deceased concerned, therefore, these remains should
be classified as unidentifiable.

2. Report of Reprocessing of remains was forwarded to the Office
of The Quartermaster General by Transmittal Letter No. 2648, dated
5 February 1948.

3. Remarks:

Case reviewed by undersigned Members of the Board of Review:

Col. H. P. Henry O-12589

Lt. Col. E. D. Mulvanity O-359598

Capt. E. F. Price, Jr. O-1588236

Received 3 FEB 1950 **QMG**
Not identifiable from
information presently
available

File - NAT
J. P. Harkley
HQ Branch
Feb 6 1950

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

72 # 4463

25 October 1949
(Date)

RRE 293

CERTIFICATE OF UNIDENTIFIABILITY OF REMAINS

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X - 837, Plot BBB
Row 13, Grave 141, USMC St Avold, France

have been reviewed and it is the opinion of this Office that sufficient evidence is not available at the present time to establish the identity of the deceased concerned. The remains concerned should be classified as unidentifiable at the present time.

2. Report of Reprocessing of remains was forwarded to your Office by Transmittal Letter No. 2648, dated 5 February 1949.

3. Remarks:

3 FEB 1950

Received _____ OQMG
Not identifiable from
information presently
available

Case reviewed by undersigned Members of the Board of Review:

[Signature]
Col. H.P. HENRY, O-12589 OMC

[Signature]
Lt. Col. E.D. MULVANY, O-359598 OMC

Major R. BERGER, O-251736 ORD

Capt. Jack C. HAYES, O-1577297 OMC

[Signature]
Capt. E.F. PRICE, Jr., O-1588236 OMC

~~17290-251736-01-00000, O-1577297~~ OMC

Parker

Incl #1

AIRMAIL

FORM 293

1st Ind.

CMS European

SUBJECT: Certificates of Unidentifiability of Remains
Transmittal letter #4463

Department of the Army, GPO, Washington 25, D. C., 29 November 1949

TO: Commanding General, American Graves Registration Command
European Area, APO 58, c/o Postmaster, New York, New York

1. This Office approves the classification of Unknown X-7445, USMC St. Ivo, France, as Unidentifiable.
2. Unknowns X-6404 and X-6568 were suspended to your Headquarters by letter dated 5 November 1949.
3. The remaining Unknowns listed on basic communication will be the subject of a later communication.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

6 Incls v/c

T. H. WET
Lt. Colonel, CMS
Memorial Division

Rico/lt
Foy
REB

3146 JRS Europe
TL #4463

1949-11-29
 (ST
 P. 1949-11-29)

REB
TEC

AIRMAIL

1. FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Unk. France X-837 (St. Avelo)

SYNOPSIS

2. TYPE OF DOCUMENT: Letter 3. DATE: 21 Nov. 1949
4. FROM: OQMG
5. TO: CO, QMA, ECRG, (AGO), Missouri
6. SUBJECT: Disposal of Personal Effects
Unknown X-837, Plot BBB, Row 12, Grave 141
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7. DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 332.3 - Kansas City
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msb

INSTRUCTIONS.—Enter after the above headings information as follows:

1. File classification under which this cross-index sheet is to be filed.
2. Appropriate term, such as: "ltr," "memo," "1st Ind," etc.
3. Date of Document.
- 4 and 5. Enter either or both, as applicable.
6. Brief and comprehensive synopsis of the content or subject matter.
7. File classification under which the document is filed.

FORM 29E

1st Ind

Unknown X-837 (St. Avold, France)
SUBJECT: Fingerprint Comparison

Dept of the Army, G-2, Washington 25, D. C., 4 October 1949

TO: CG, AGSC, European Area, APO 88, c/o PW, New York, New York

1. Fingerprints submitted for Unknown X-837, St. Avold, France, have been compared by the Federal Bureau of Investigation with those on file for the seven (7) deceased listed in basic communication, but were not found to be identical.

2. In the event that additional information becomes available to your Headquarters which may be of assistance in the identification of subject Unknown, it should be forwarded to this Office at the earliest practicable date.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

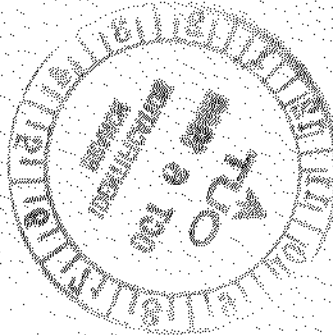
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Adm Sec

VHarvey
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T. H. WETZ
Lt Col, G-2
Memorial Division

REB
TEC

*Note:
Please make
copies on each
make name.*



A I R M A I L

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

RME 200.2 - Unknown X-837
(St. Avold)

22 August 1949

SUBJECT: Fingerprint comparison

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

Request that fingerprints on Report of Burial for Unknown X-837, Plot RFB, Row 12, Grave 141, USMC St. Avold, France, be compared with those for the following casualties and this office notified of results obtained:

✓	LOTT,	Johnnie E.	Pfc.	34207254
✓	McDONALD,	Gordon J.	Pfc.	12154784
✓	NULL,	Kenneth J.	Pfc.	33706191
✓	SAENZ,	Manuel	Pvt.	39566632
✓	HIDELHOCH,	Gilbert J.	Pfc.	16113015
✓	KIDSEY,	William W.	Pfc.	37743728
✓	PEELER,	Franklin H.	Pfc.	20454924

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

C. W. STEINSIEK
Capt **CMC**
Actg Asst Adj Gen

A I R M A I L

Handwritten note:
X-837 (St. Avold)

MEMO ROUTING SLIP		No. USE FOR APPROVALS, DISAPPROVALS, CONCURRENCES, OR SIMILAR ACTIONS	
1	NAME OR TITLE The Quartermaster General	INITIALS	CIRCULATE
	ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION Memorial Division	DATE	COORDINATION
2	ATTN: Major Sekowski		FILE
	Rm. 1E624, Pentagon		INFORMATION
3	<i>Mrs. Harway</i>		NECESSARY ACTION
	<i>Eden, dec</i>		NOTE AND RETURN
4			SEE ME
			SIGNATURE
REMARKS			
<p>The fingerprints of Unknown X 837, report of Burial dated 21 April 1945 have been compared with the attached list and found <u>not</u> to be identical.</p> <p>1 Incl: Report of burial dated 21 April 1945.</p>			
FROM NAME OR TITLE WOODLAND/mmg/1C712		DATE 29 Sep.49	
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION PAB DISCIP. SEC. Pentagon		TELEPHONE 71461	

NME FORM NO 95 Replaces DA AGO Form 895, 1 OCT 48 1 Apr 48, which may be used.

16-48487-2 GPO

MEMO ROUTING SLIP

NEVER USE FOR APPROVALS, DISAPPROVALS, CONCURRENCES, OR SIMILAR ACTIONS

1	NAME OR TITLE <i>Mr. Woodland</i>	INITIALS	CIRCULATE
	ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION <i>Absentee Unit, PAB</i>	DATE	COORDINATION
2	<i>1-C-712</i>		FILE
			INFORMATION
3			NECESSARY ACTION
			NOTE AND RETURN
4			SEE ME
			SIGNATURE

REMARKS

For fingerprint comparison as requested on attached sheet.


FROM NAME OR TITLE <i>A. J. Sekowski Maj. Gen.</i>	DATE <i>9-6-49</i>
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION <i>gms - Pent Liaison</i>	TELEPHONE <i>1-C-675 6679</i>

NME FORM NO 95
1 OCT 48 Replaces DA AGO Form 595, 1 Apr 48, which may be used.

16-48487-8 GPO

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

DUE, HOUR AND DATE _____

1 NO.	2 FROM--	3 TO--	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE																					
1	Ident Sec Ident Br Mem Div	Disciplin- ary Sec PA Br Rm-1A-678 THRU: Major Sekowski	2 Sept 1949	293 Unk X-837, St Avold (Fingerprint Comparison) 1. Report of Burial for Unknown X-72, USM Cemetery Bensheim, Germany, now designated X-837, St Avold, France, with attached fingerprints, is forwarded with request that comparison be made with those on file for the fol- lowing seven casualties: <table data-bbox="727 632 1354 856"> <tr><td>LOTT, Johnnie E.</td><td>Pfc</td><td>34207254</td></tr> <tr><td>MC DONALD, Gordon J.</td><td>Pfc</td><td>12154784</td></tr> <tr><td>NULL, Kenneth J.</td><td>Pfc</td><td>33706191</td></tr> <tr><td>SAENZ, Manuel</td><td>Pvt</td><td>39566632</td></tr> <tr><td>HIMELHOCH, Gilbert J.</td><td>Pfc</td><td>16113015</td></tr> <tr><td>KINSEY, William W.</td><td>Pfc</td><td>37743728</td></tr> <tr><td>PEELER, Franklin H.</td><td>Pfc</td><td>20454924</td></tr> </table> 2. It is requested that this Office be advised of the findings, together with return of the inclosed Report of Burial for X-72. <div data-bbox="1101 1003 1321 1150" style="text-align: right;">  BARRY 2462 </div> 1 Incl Rpt of Burial Unk X-72 Bensheim, Germany	LOTT, Johnnie E.	Pfc	34207254	MC DONALD, Gordon J.	Pfc	12154784	NULL, Kenneth J.	Pfc	33706191	SAENZ, Manuel	Pvt	39566632	HIMELHOCH, Gilbert J.	Pfc	16113015	KINSEY, William W.	Pfc	37743728	PEELER, Franklin H.	Pfc	20454924
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V HARVEY
D HANDES

1	USMC ST. AVOLD FRANCE Plot B Row 30 Grave 46 Reburied on: 17 Nov. 1949 <i>Chief O'Keefe</i>				DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE	
	SECTION A - FRED O. KELSO NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED			DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3574 00000		DATE 15 01 48 DAY MONTH YEAR
NAME UNKNOWN X-000837			SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	ARM	DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR
CEMETERY ST AVOLD - METZ					0	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 3503 80 CODE DIST. PT.
PLOT BBB	ROW 12	GRAVE 141	COUNTRY FRANCE		CAUSE OF DEATH 6	
SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN						
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. AVOLD, FRANCE (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)				NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN		
SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION						
NAME UNKNOWN X-000837		SERIAL NUMBER		RANK	DATE OF DEATH Est 15 Dec 44	DATE DISTINTERRED 20 Apr 48
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS GRS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER GRS		ORGANIZATION UNKNOWN		RELIGION Unk	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY Eldo J Henry <i>Embalmer</i> NAME AND TITLE	
SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT						
NATURE OF BURIAL Uniform			CONDITION OF REMAINS <i>Completely disarticulated. No flesh. Left Calnus and Talus missing.</i>			
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION Report of burial found in bottle is unreadable.						
MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1 None						
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET						
DATE 22 Apr 48			BY Eldo J Henry <i>Embalmer</i>			
CASKET SEALED BY Eldo J Henry <i>Embalmer</i>			EMBALMER (Signature) <i>Eldo J Henry</i>			
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED			All markings, tags and plates verified by Bruce E Blair 1st Lt OMC			
DATE 22 Apr 48			BY Eldo J Henry <i>Embalmer</i>			
I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.						
				<i>Bruce E Blair</i> Bruce E Blair 1st Lt OMC 337 Q ¹ Bn		SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR
					FILE 23 DEC 1948 REPAIRATION BRANCH MEM. DIV. <i>Shaves</i>	
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report OMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.						

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED			
FROM USMC ST AVOLD, FRANCE		TO OIC NEUVILLE, BELGIUM	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER CPL JOHN A MOUNTFORD 3910862B	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>[Signature]</i> FRANK B. [unclear] LT FA	DATE 28 Oct 49	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER E.E. Stout, 1st Lt., CE	DATE
2. SHIPPED			
FROM Lido Remains Storage Area		TO USMC, St. Avold, France	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE Truck		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER E.E. Stout, 1st Lt., CE	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 (BY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER)		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER ST. AVOLD, FRANCE	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

SFQIG 293
Unknowns - X-68 and 72
Germany (Bensheim)

4 September 1945

2193 Unknown, X-68. Bensheim (Res. unknown)

SUBJECT: Identification of Unknown Deceased

TO : Commanding General, COMZONE
European Theater of Operations
APO 887, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York
FOR: The Quartermaster

1. The fingerprints submitted for Unknowns X-68 and 72, US Military Cemetery, Bensheim, Germany, Plot G, Row 18, Grave 876, and Row 24, Grave 1005, respectively, have been compared, insofar as possible, but have not been identified.

2. It is noted that Unknown X-72 was removed from a common grave. Identity of the others disinterred from that grave, with organization and any information available to your headquarters, should be forwarded to this office without delay.

3. A list of personnel known to have been missing or killed, and for whom reports of burial have not been received, should be obtained from the organizations known to have been in the areas where the remains of subject Deceased were recovered, and forwarded to this office at the earliest practicable date, as an aid to identification of the Unknowns.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

C. C. PIERCE
Captain, MC
Assistant

X-72

JJP
11/16

X 203 Unknown, X 72 Bensheim (Res. unknown)

FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Unk. X-72, Germany

INDEX SHEET
SYNOPSIS

Letter

30 May 1945

FROM: OOMG
TO: F. B. I., Dept. of Justice
ATTN: J. Edgar Hoover
THRU: Status Review & Det., Casualty Br. A.G.O.

SUBJ: Fingerprints of Unknown Deceased.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293 - Unknown (Misc.) Germany

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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)

D.D.# 2284 dated 28 Feb 47

Unknown X - 837
Cemetery St. Avoild, France
Plot BBB Row 12 Grave 141

Date reprocessed :

1. ~~20 Dec 47~~ 9 Dec 47
(Hour) (Date)

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

(Sheet, scale and serials used)

3. Remains ~~recovered~~ disinterred ~~by~~ and reprocessed by Mobile Team #1, 1st. Zone
(Name and organization)

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>Remnants of</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>Remnants of</u>		
Undershirt, Cotton	<u>None</u>		
Trousers, HBT	<u>None</u>		
* Trousers, Wool OD	<u>None</u>		

FEB 20 1948
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Belt, web None

Drawers, wool Remnants of

Drawers, cotton None

Leggings, wool None

Socks, cotton None

* 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: L.Humerus - 36.4 L.Femur - 49.2
L.Ulna - 27.8 L.Tibia - 29.9
L.Radius - 26.1 L.Fibula - 39.3

Age UTD Height Est 5' 11" 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, pocks, freckles)

Build UTD
(Large, fat, thin, muscular)

Hair Light brown slightly wavy 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 **UTB**
(Large, medium, small) (Small, large, full)

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

Chin **UTD**
(Prominent, receding, pointed, dimples, double)

Jaw **UTD** Circumference of head in inches **21 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**
(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 were received in a skeletal form, wrapped in a mattress cover. Clothing was found in the debris, no clothing marks found. Burial Bottle found and reburied with remains, in a UK box. Tag found. Fluoroscopic Report was negative. Estimated weight of remains : 20 lbs.

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.

Woodrow W. Wolf
WOODROW W. WOLF
(Officer's Name)

CAPT
Rank

QMG
Service

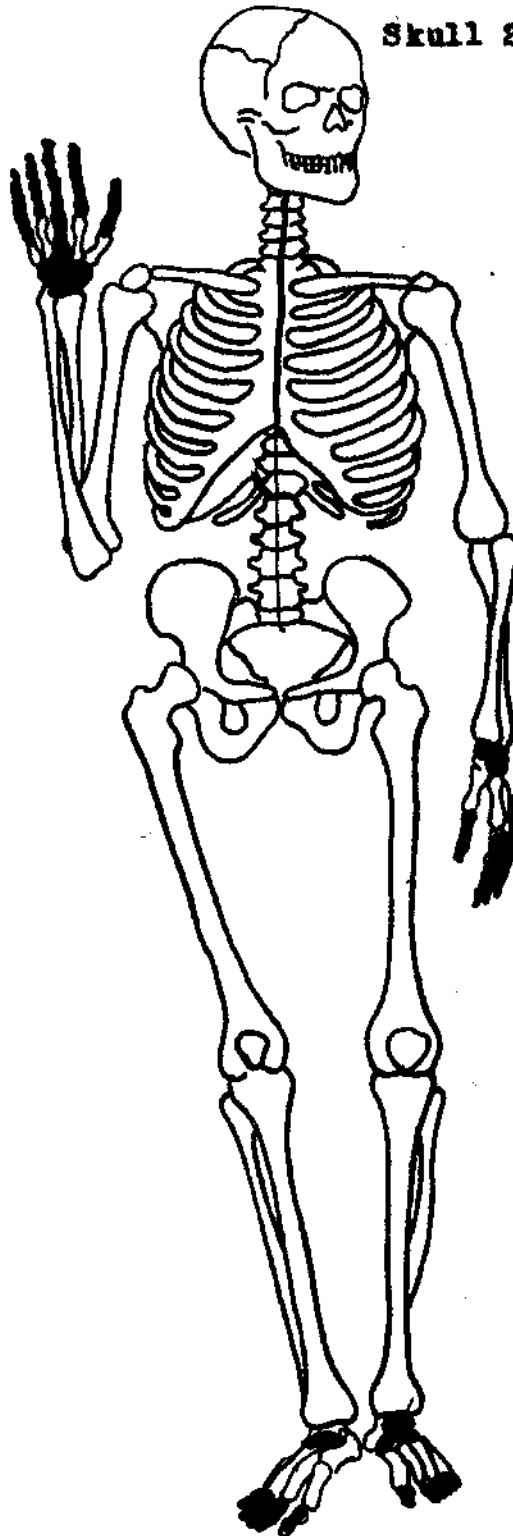
OPERATIONS OFFICER
(Organization)

SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)

RIGHT

LEFT



HUMERUS 36.4 cm

RADIUS 26.1 cm

ULNA 27.8 cm

FEMUR 49.2 cm

FIBULA 39.3 cm

TIBIA 39.9 cm

CHART "A"

Est Height : 5' 11"

G. R. & E. DIV.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER
H.Q. COM. ZONE, ETOWNA

TOOTH CHART

9 Dec 47

Date

Unknown X - 837

Unk

Unk

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

Serial No.

Unit

Organization

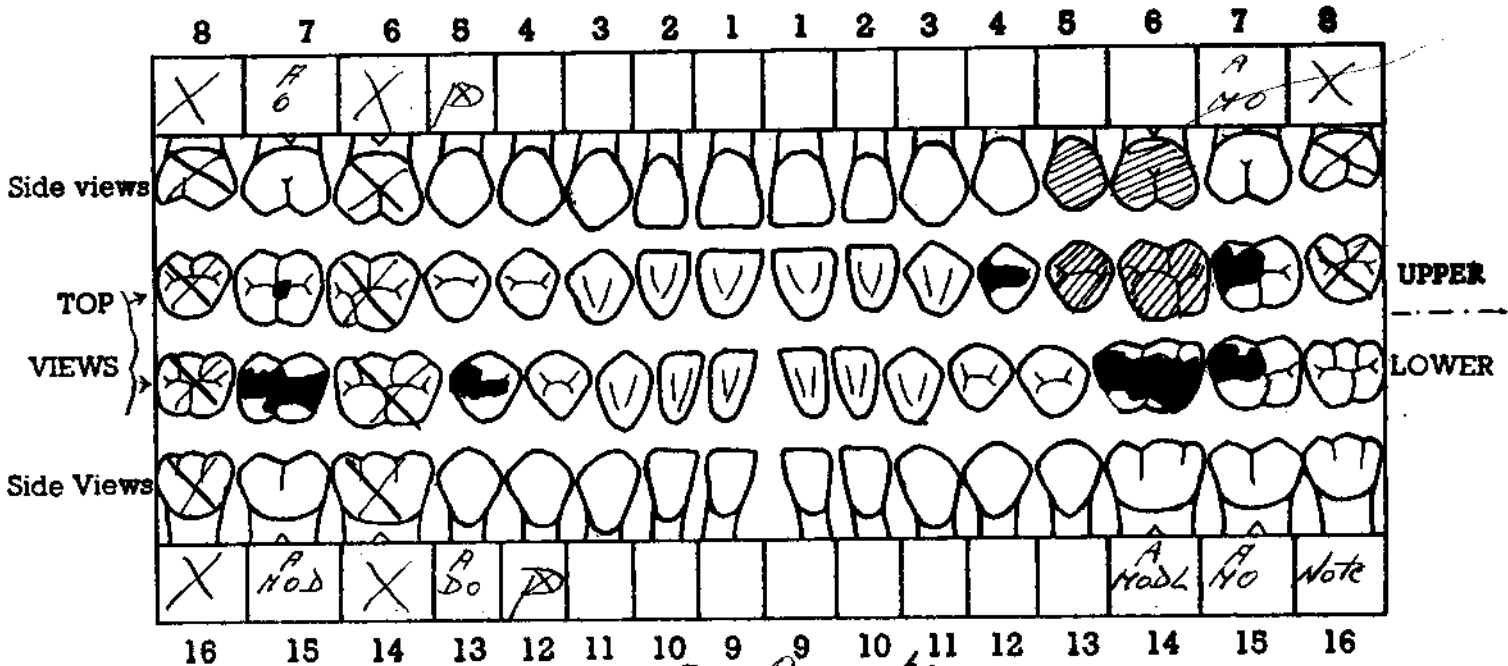
Place of Death

Date of Death

Cause of Death

Right

Left



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), bicuspids (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.

IVOR J FOSMO
2nd Lt Inf
WOODROW W WOLF
CAPT QMC OPER OFF

/s/ Ivor J Fosmo
Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

Woodrow W Wolf
Verified by G. R. S. Officer

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



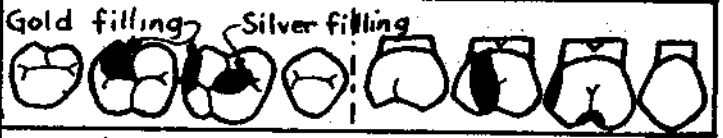
CROWNED TEETH... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus :



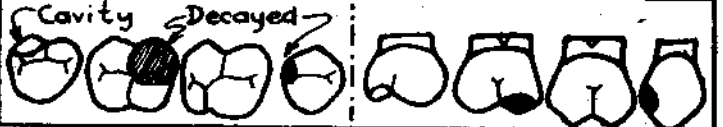
BRIDGE WORK... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :



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

- P - Posthumously missing
- ⊗ - Broken or chipped
- Spaces : L-5-7 : 5mm
- R-13-15 : 9mm
- R-4 has rotated 1/16 of a turn distally
- L-9 has a facial version
- L-11 has rotated 1/8 of a turn distally
- L-16 is a very small tooth (milk tooth)
- Lower incisors have a slight lingual version

- Color : Dull ivory
- Size : Average
- Alignment : Good.

REPORT OF BURIAL

SEP 22 1945

TM 10-630 AND AR 60-1845

UNKNOWN American ~~72~~ X-837 (R108102) Unk. Unk.

Vic. Bensheim, Fr. R108102 Est. 15, December 1944 GSW. Throat and Rt. Arm

Place of Death: 0500 23 SEP 45
Date of Death: 15 DEC 44
Cause of Death: GSW
Time and Date of Burial: 141
Name of Cemetery: US Mil Cem St. Avold France 0260584
Grave Number: 141
Row Number: 18
Plot Number: BBB
Type of Marker: TM

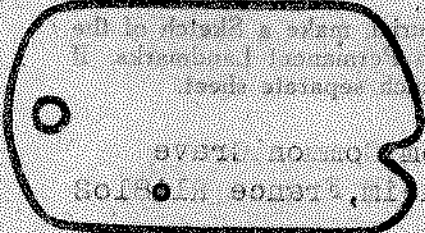
Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes No Attached to Marker Yes No

If No Identification Tags: A-5412 found in overcoat
S-5271 found in O.D. pants
How were remains identified? See Reverse.

What means of identification were buried with the body?
QMC Form 1-GRS in sealed bottle buried with body.
Previously buried in Bensheim Germany
Plot G Row 24 Grave 1005

To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left: X-72
Who is buried on: Coker, Bryant Pvt. 38267429 253 Inf. 140
Deceased's Right: Conroy, Thomas E. O-1295672 Capt. 1951 I.B. 142
Deceased's Left: Sgt. Philip C. Walter 606th QM G.R.Co.

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 Addresses: Name, Address, Religion: Unknown

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same: None

Disinterring Officer: R H KERSHAW 1st Lt. 48th QM GR CO.
Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

REINTEGRATING OFFICER,
GERALD L. ...
1ST LT. ...

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

REBURIAL

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

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

21 April 1945
Date

Unknown American X-72 (R 108 102)
Last Name First Initial

Unk.
Rank

Unknown
Serial No.

Unknown
Unit

Unknown
Organization

Vic. Gamsheim, Fr. R 108 102, Est. 15, December 1944, G.S.W. Throat and Rt. Arm
Place of Death Cause of Death

U S M H Com Bensheim, Ger M 622218

1603 hrs. 10 April 1945
Time and Date of Burial

Name of Cemetery

Name or Coordinates of Location

1005 24
Grave Number Row Number

Plot Number

TW
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?

A-5412 found in Overcoat
S-5271 found in O. D. Pants

SEE Reverse

What means of identification were buried with the body?

QMC Form 1-GRS in sealed bottle buried with body

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

Who is buried on:

Deceased's Right:

Coker, Bryant 38267429 Pvt. 253 Inf. 1004
Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Deceased's Left:

Conboy, Thomas E., 0-1295672 Capt., 19 A.I. B... 1006
Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Sgt. Philip G. Walter 606th QM G. R. Co.
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 Unknown

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

None

FBI - WC # 347 D
Rawl.

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

Verified by G. R. S. Officer

J. E. HAWKINS, 1st Lt, QMC 46 QM G.R. Co.

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 :

Est. Height : 5'11" Laundry Marks :
 Est. Weight : 180 lbs. Number of Rifle :
 Color of Eyes : Wear Glasses ?
 Color of Hair : Is Tooth Chart Attached ?
 Race : Dark Brown

(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.

Fingerprinted by Sgt. J. Richardville
 606th QM G. R. Co.

Tooth Chart taken by Sgt. Stanley Zwillinger
 46th QM G. R. Co.

Body Badly Decomposed

Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc. :

O.D. Pants Size 31-33
 Woolen Drawers 34
 Combat Shoes 11-D
 Field Jacket 38 R

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

Indicate : missing natural teeth by X ; crowns by O ; fillings by □ ; Bridges by ◯ linking anchor teeth ; replacements by artificial teeth X

Characteristics : Deceased Lt. Upper # 5 and 6 broken to gum

Other Data : All fillings are of Silver

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.

Disinterred from Common Grave
 Vicinity Gamsheim, France R 108 102

W.H. H. in 7.039
Woodland/War Dept.
13 June 1949

Pentagon Liaison
 SEP. 6 1949
 Mem. Div. OQMG