

293 UNK. X-73

FRANCE (ANDILLY) 145eg

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

RRE 293

8 June 1949
(Date)

CERTIFICATE OF UNIDENTIFIABILITY OF REMAINS

1. The records pertaining to Unknown X - 73, Plot M
Row 7, Grave 153, USMC ANDILLY, 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. 2126, dated 28-12-46.

3. Remarks:

Received 1 JUL 1949
Not identifiable from information presently available
OQMG

Case reviewed by undersigned Members of the Board of Review:

Col. H.P. HENRY, O-12589

QMC

Lt. Col. E.D. MULVANY, O-359598

QMC

Major R. BERGER, O-251736

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Capt. Jack C. HAYES, O-1577297

QMC

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

QMC

1/Lt. Edward E. STOUT, O-1594512

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Incl #1

AGRC
FORM No. 11
Revised 5 January 1946

CHECK LIST OF UNKNOWNNS

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

Unknown X - 73
Cemetery **Andilly - France.**
Plot **Unk.** Row **Unk.** Grave **153**

M 7

1. ~~XXXXXX~~ **Reprocessed 19 Nov. 1946.**
(hour) (date)
2. Place of death _____
(name of closest town) (coordinates and letter Prefex, maps)
3. Remains ~~recovered~~ or disinterred by **Central Identification Point Strasbourg France.**
(Sheet, scale and serials used) (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).**

Clothing Markings Sizes Indicate unusual markings
Color wear, tear, repairs, etc.

Item	Markings	Sizes	Indicate unusual markings Color wear, tear, repairs, etc.
*Headgear none (type)			
Raincoat none			
Overcoat none			
Jacket, Field none			
Jacket, Combat none			
Mackinaw none			
Sweater none			
Jacket, HBT none			
*Shirt, Wool OD none			
Undershirt, Wool none			
Undershirt, Cotton none			
Trousers HBT none			
*Trousers, Wool OD none			

Belt, Web **none**Drawers, Wool **none**Drawers, Cotton **none**Leggins, Wool **none** (Note unusual lacing)Socks, Cotton **Yes, Remnants of one sock***Shoes **S-D** (type) **Service type**Overshoes **none**Web Equipment (Type) **none**(Other item) **none**(Other item) **none**

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

6. Chevrons or Insignia **none**
(type & location : shirt, jacket, coat, helmet)*Shoulder Patch **none**7. Does clothing indicate that deceased was a member of the Air, Ground or Naval Forces
UTD8. Description of Remains :
Age **Utd** Height **Est. 5'10"** Weight **Est. 175Lbs** Description of wounds **none found**Bandages or dressings **Utd** Scars **Utd**
(length, width, location)Tattoos **Utd**
(Number, location — illustrate on sep, page)Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks **Utd**
(yes-no; description, location)Sunburn or tan, other than hands & face **Utd**Complexion **Utd**
(light, med. dark, clear, pimples, pocks, freckles)Build **Utd**
(large, fat, thin, muscular)Hair **none found**
(color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight, whorls, or definite parting).

Hair **none found**
(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 **missing**
(white, size, unevenness, spacing, noticeable crowns, fillings, extract).

Chin **missing**
(prominent, receding, pointed, dimple, double)

Jaw **missing** Circumference of head in inches **missing**
(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)

Utd
(extent and quantity of hair)

Hands **Utd**

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

Utd
(Unusual characteristics of fingernails)

Chest **Utd**
(size of nipples, color, quantity & extent of hair, largo, small normal)

Back **Utd** aist **Utd**
(quantity & extent of hair) (size of navel, appendectomy, amount)

Utd Circumcision **Utd** Pubic hair **none found**
(quantity & color of hair) (yes-no) (color)

Hernioplasty **Utd**
(yes-no; location)

Legs **Utd**
(inseam, muscular, knock-kneed, bowed, normal, quantity, color & extent of hair)

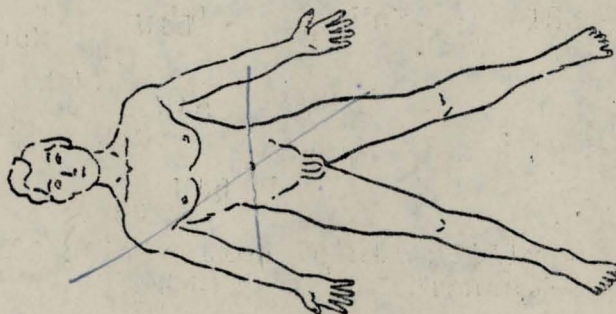
Feet **too decomposed**
(size, corns, callouses, flat)

Toes **too decomposed**
(slender, straight, crooked, overlap)

Evidence of healed fractures **none found**
(nose, arms, legs, etc.)

9. Black out parts of body not received at cemetery :

See attached chart.



10. Have fingerprints been placed on Report of Interment **no**
(yes-no)

If not, explain **missing**

11. Has tooth chart been prepared **no** If not, explain **missing**
(yes-no)

12. Remarks : **X-Ray not needed, as only few bones remains. No teeth.**

No burial bottle. Nothing else found. Remains arrived in small rough wooden box, inside of burial box. Nothing found to warrant Chemical Laboratory Examination. Estimated weight of remains recovered 15 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.

Robert A. Salvador

ROBERT A. SALVADOR *h.l*

Captain Inf.

Rank Service

Central Identification Point

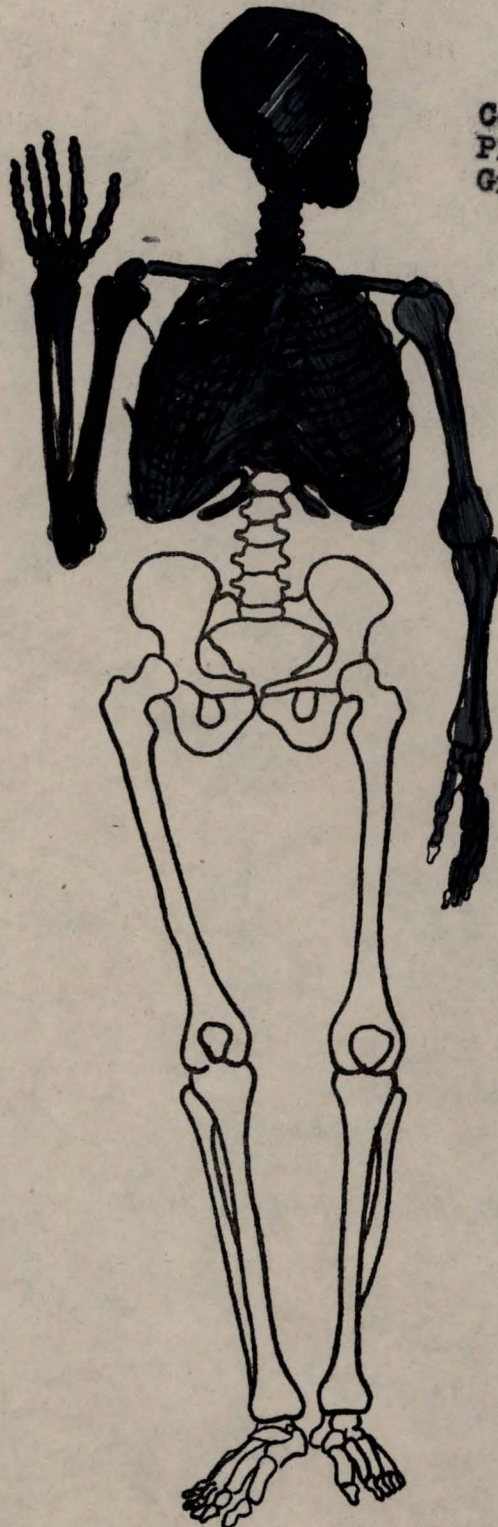
Organization

SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)

X-73

Cemetery Andilly - France.
Plot Unknown, Row Unknown, 7
Grave 153.



CHECK LIST FOR ~~DISINTERMENT~~ UNBURIED REMAINS

(accompany Report of Burial)

Only Part I should be completed, if identification tags are available. Both Part I & II should be completely filled out if identification tags are not available. If information is unavailable, so indicate.

PART I (Positive Identification)

1. UNKNOWN X-73 Unk. Unk. Unknown
(Full name of deceased) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)
2. State if identification tags were attached to remains, how many and where attached. No identification tag
3. Give exact location from which disinterred, furnishing coordinates and map series used. Remains found unburied at Moulins les Metz, France (U-812578) on bank of Moselle River.
NOTE: ATTACH OVERLAY SHOWING EXACT LOCATION OF ISOLATED GRAVE TYING LOCATION IN WITH PERMANENT LAND MARKS.
4. Full name of cemetery (if buried in an organized cemetery) None
5. Approximate or established date of death (state which & give basis for date selected) Unknown
6. Approximate or established date of burial (give basis for date established) None
7. Manner in which grave was marked and all information contained on the marker None
8. List personal effects found in possession of civilian or unauthorized military personnel, furnishing name and address of individuals concerned None
9. Names and addresses of all persons questioned concerning death of burial and information each furnished (contact local Mayor, priest, cemetery caretaker, those responsible for burial and any other possessing important information)

Personnel at 45th Hospital Train barracks.

PART II (Doubtful or Undetermined Identification)

10. Fill in any information available regarding name, rank, ASN, or organization (Check cemetery records and office) _____
11. Unobtainable Unobtainable Unobtainable Unobtainable
(Est Height) (Est weight) (Color of Hair) (Eyes)
12. Give description of facial feature and body characteristics if possible, including the presence of scars, moles, circumcision, tattoos, length of hair, presence of mustache or beard, etc Unobtainable

13. Give as detailed description as possible of condition and amount of remains Approx. 35 lbs. of remains. Remains consisted only of pelvic region and lowers extremities. Both legs broken completely in two and badly mangled. Remains severely decomposed

14. Give probable cause of death, type, location of wounds (is there evidence that body was burned?)

Unobtainable

15. Give minute description of all effects, clothing & shoes, including clothes markings & size, as well as shoe size. List each item of clothing, with a description of any unusual cuts, design markings, pockets, colors, patches, etc. Also list, with detailed descriptions, all effects without intrinsic value, such as guns, food, soap, papers, letters, tobacco etc. giving brands when applicable:

1 pr. US Army Service Shoes - Size 8D -

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

None

(Type) (ID Serial No.) (Organization) (Serial No.)

(Type of each gun)

17. Give exact location of remains in vehicle before removal

None

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

None

19. List names of all other deceased persons buried in the vicinity. Also give available information concerning the cause & place of death of each that may assist in identification of those remains.

None

20. Other pertinent information which would aid in establishing identity

None

Investigation

(Individual in Charge of ~~Investigation~~) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization)

Virgil F. Simason -

Sgt. 35422995 3049 QM GR Co.

12 August 1945

(Date)

HEADQUARTERS
 AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
 EUROPEAN AREA
 APO 58 US ARMY

8 June 49

Date

93 unk France X- 23 (andilly)
 SUBJECT: Unidentifiable Remains

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

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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

 /s/
 /t/
 /s/ E.D. MULVANITY
 /s/ E.F. PRICE Jr.
 /s/ DEWARD E. STOUT

Received 1 JUL 1949 CGMG
 Not identifiable from
 information presently
 available

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 file 6 Sept 49
 M. Blaine
 Stout

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/s/ E. D. Mulvanity
/t/ E. D. MULVANITY
Lt Col., QMC

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E. F. Price, Jr.
E. F. PRICE, JR.
Capt., QMC

Edward E. Stout
EDWARD E. STOUT
1/Lt, CE

Received 16 June 49 OQMG
Not identifiable from
information presently
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USMC, ST. AVOLD, FRANCE Buried at deceased Le BURNHAM HALE R
Plot A, Row 21, Grave 55 39461174 PFC
Date reburied: 4 Jan 49 **DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE**
Right: **PLOTTED BY WIMBERLY**

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED: DONALD H TACKETT 1st Lt. QMC
DIRECTIVE NUMBER: 3504 00000
DATE: 15 06 48
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME: UNKNOWN SERIAL NUMBER: X-000073 RANK: Q ARM: Q
DATE OF DEATH: DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY: ANDILLY - LAY ST REMY
DISPOSITION OF REMAINS: 0 3503 80
CODE DIST. PT.

LOT: M ROW: 7 GRAVE: 153 COUNTRY: FRANCE
CAUSE OF DEATH: 6

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE: ST. AVOLD, FRANCE
NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN: (BY ADMINISTRATIVE DECISION)

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME: SERIAL NUMBER: RANK: DATE OF DEATH: DATE DISINTERRED:
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON: ORGANIZATION: UNKNOWN RELIGION: IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY:
 REMAINS MARKER NAME AND TITLE:

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL: CONDITION OF REMAINS:

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION: SEE ATCHD WORK SHIT

MINOR DISCREPANCIES: 1
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE: BY: CASKET SEALED BY: EMBALMER (Signature):
Geo W. Lowry, Embalmer

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED: SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY: All markings, tags and plates verified by:
DONALD H. TACKETT, 1st Lt. QMC

DATE: 30 Aug 48 BY: Geo W. Lowry

I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.
Final casketing by:

DONALD H. TACKETT, 1st Lt. QMC, Zone 3 HQ SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

NAT FILE RECORDS ANNOTATED DATE APR 11 1949 NAME R & R BR.

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM <i>SAINT AVOLD, FRANCE</i>		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE <i>TRUCK</i>		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>[Signature]</i>	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>[Signature]</i>	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

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER

DATE

DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME

SERIAL NUMBER

RANK

ARM

DATE OF DEATH

UNKNOWN X-000073

Q

DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

CODE DIST. PT.

LOT

ROW

GRAVE

COUNTRY

CAUSE OF DEATH

M 7 153 ANDILLY FRANCE

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME

SERIAL NUMBER

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

DATE DISINTERRED

UNKNOWN

X-000073

15 July 48

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

ORGANIZATION

RELIGION

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY

- REMAINS *
- MARKER

NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

CONDITION OF REMAINS Disarticulated. Skull & mandible missing. Most major bones fractured and/or missing.

Remnants of Military Clothing

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

GRS. Tag found on marker " UNKNOWN X-73"

MAJOR DISCREPANCIES

No Identification tag found with remains

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET Transfer box

DATE 15 July 48

BY

JOHN D. REGAN, Embalmer

CASKET SEALED BY

EMBALMER (Signature)

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY

XXXXXXXXXXXX All markings, tags & plates verified by:

DATE BY

I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct. / except casketing

Ernest A. Foote
ERNEST A. FOOTE, CAPT. FA, DET "A" AGRC.

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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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

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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

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SPQYG 293
Unknown X-73
(Andilly) France

1 December 1945

SUBJECT: Identification of Unknown Deceased

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

1. Reference is made to report of burial for Unknown X-73, interred 13 August 1945 in the U. S. Military Cemetery Andilly, France (U-650190) Plot M, Row 7, Grave 153. Date of death is unknown. Remains were found unburied at Moulins-les-Metz, France (U-812578) on the bank of the Moselle River. No clues to identity of deceased were available.

2. It is requested that a list of all Army personnel reported missing or killed in action, in vicinity of Moulins-les-Metz, France, and for whom no burial reports have been received, be obtained from the organizations known to have been in the area at that approximate time, and list forwarded to this office at the earliest practicable date.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:



ARTHUR S. ROSENGARD
2nd Lt., QMC
Assistant

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