

G/A

USMC Neuville e. condroz
 Plot: C Row: 38 Gr: 4
 Date of Burial: 2 May 50
 Verified by GRS Officer
 M.R. Swart, Capt QMC

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A —
 NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER
 3574 18321

DATE
 08 03 50

NAME
 LAYE HENRY M JR

SERIAL NUMBER
 0-552664

GRADE
 2 LT

ARM
 1

DAY MONTH YEAR
 1 1 1

CEMETERY
 ST AVOLD FRANCE

PLOT ROW GRAVE
 4-A 7 83

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS
 1202 80

CODE DIST. CTR.

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN FLAG SENT 2 May 50

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE
 NEUVILLE-EN-CONDROZ, BELGIUM

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
 HENRY M. LAYE, SR. (FATHER)
 BOX 217
 SENECA, SOUTH CAROLINA

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME SERIAL NUMBER GRADE DATE OF DEATH DATE DISTINTERRED

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

ORGANIZATION

USAGF

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 ATTACHED SHEET

MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.)

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE

BY

BY

CASKET SEALED BY

EMBALMER (Signature)

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

SHIPPING ADDRESS 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.

SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR

REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

PREV. UNKNOWN X-6146

FILE

RECORDS ANNOTATED

DATE

NAME

BR. MEM. DIV.

FINAL LETTER SENT 19 JUN 1950

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UNIT TELLER 25X1 T 2000 1022 RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER REC-014

1. SHIPPED

FROM BKEA* DIKNOVA X-0140		TO BENOWS VMDVATED	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE M210NCHOM2		NAME OF CONVOYER BTH2	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

2. SHIPPED

FROM BKEA		TO BENOWS VMDVATED	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE CYREL BOXED YND WYKED		NAME OF CONVOYER SHIPPING YDOWE22 ASSHED BA	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

3. SHIPPED

FROM BENOWS VMDVATED YND WYKED IN CYREL		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

4. SHIPPED

FROM OTHER WEYH2 OF IDENTIFICATION		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

5. SHIPPED

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

6. SHIPPED

FROM MELAIGGE-EN-COMDROX* BEGEM		TO HENBA M* GYAE* 2B* (EATHEK)	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

7. SHIPPED

FROM GYAE HENBA N 7B		TO HENBA M* GYAE* 2B* (EATHEK)	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER

DATE

DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME

SERIAL NUMBER

RANK

ARM

DATE OF DEATH

LAYE, Henry M. Jr

0-552664

2/Lt

DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY

ST AVOLD

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT

ROW

GRAVE

COUNTRY

4A

7

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FRANCE

CAUSE OF DEATH

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 DISTINTERRED

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

ORGANIZATION

RELIGION

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY

☐ REMAINS☐ MARKERLtr-Hq AGRC RRE 200.2 dtd
13 Oct 49

NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

CONDITION OF REMAINS

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

SEE ATTACHED WORK SHEET

MINOR DISCREPANCIES

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE

BY

CASKET SEALED BY

EMBALMER (Signature)

Elijah H Fields, Embalmer

Elijah H Fields

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

All markings, tags and
plates verified by

18 Oct 49 Elijah H Fields

M R Swart, Capt QMC

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.

M R Swart, Capt QMC, 7887 AGRC Hq Gp

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM USMC St Avoird, France		TO OIC Neuville, Belgium	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE Truck		NAME OF CONVOYER Pfc Vito M Biondo, RA 12305611	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>Frank B. Callaghan</i> Frank B. Callaghan 1st Lt FA FA	DATE 25 Oct 49	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

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

Section A		Directive Number		Date	
Name & Burial Location of deceased		3574			
		Day	Month	Year	
NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	RANK	ADM	Date of death	
UNKNOWN	X-006146				
		Day	Month	Year	
CEMETERY		Disposition of Remains			
ST. AVOLD		Poll-Doubtful			
PLOT	ROW	GRAVE	Country	Code Dist. Pt.	
4A	7	83	France	Cause of Death	

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 - 006146			3 August 1948
Identification Tag on Remains	Organization	Religion	Identification verified by	
Marker			Millard H. Mc Whorter, Embalmer.	
			Name & Title	

Section D - Preparation of Remains for Shipment

Nature of Burial	Condition of Remains
O.D. Uniform	Missing left Clavicle, fractured right Femur Skeletal Form. No Flesh. Disarticulated
Other Means of Identification	
None	
Minor Discrepancies	
No Report of Burial or Identification Tag found with Remains.	
Remains prepared and placed in transfer Box	Millard H. Mc Whorter
Date 14 October 1948.	By Millard H. Mc Whorter, Embalmer
Casket Sealed by	Embalmer (Signature)

Casket _____ Marked _____ All markings, tags and plates verified _____

Date _____ By _____

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

Rafael Ruiz
Rafael T. Ruiz, 1st Lt FA 7857 AGRC Zone 3 Hq.

Signature of GRS Inspector (Grade & Orgn).

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

QMC Form 1194 - This form modified by. Hq Third Zone, AGRC, EA, APO 58 US ARMY

Dated 4 March 1948

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RRE Form #43
20 Sep 48

Attached hereto correspondence and/or other identifying media of possible archival value, pertaining to:

LAYE	Henry	M. Jr.	2/Lt	0-552664
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Initial)	(Rank)	(ASN)

Subject remains have been permanently interred overseas in the United States Military Cemetery USMC Neuville

Incl #

STATION FILE

UNKNOWN X-6146
 REINTERRED U.S. MIL CEM.
 ST. AVOLD AAAA-7-83

NOTICE OF DISINTERMENT
 (Avis d'Exhumation)

GRS-GZ Form No.8

Date: 29th April 1946.

The below listed U.S. deceased personnel have this date been disinterred from the location as shown and have been evacuated to:

U.S. Military Cemetery St. Avold, France. (Q-260584) for reburial.

La personne Americaine decedee, ci-dessous indiquee, a ete a cette date exhumee du lieu indique et a ete evacuee dans un :

Cimetiere Militaire Americain a St. Avold, France. pour etre re-enterree.

Unknown <u>X-6146</u> 2nd Lt.	Unk.	Sessenheim, France. Bas-Rhin
		Eur. Rd. Mp. Sh. 87 Sc. 1:200,000 (R-1922)
(Name)	(Rank)	(ASN)
(Nom)	(Grade)	(N.M)
		(Place of disinterment)
		(Lieu d'Exhumation)

If communal cemetery, show Plot, Row and Grave No, if available.

Si le lieu d'exhumation est un cimetiere communal, indiquer l'endroit, le No du chemin et celui de la tombe, s'il y a lieu.

Francis Cirsky

Pvt. F.D. Cirsky
 (Officer or NCO in charge of disinterment)

535th QM. Group AGRC, 3rd Field Command.
 (Organization)

OCQM-GR&E Div

CHECK LIST FOR UNKNOWNNS

UNKNOWN X- 6148
 CEMETERY St. Avoird, France
 PLOT AAAA ROW 7 GRAVE 83

Arrived at cemetery 1436, 8 May 46 From UPP, 3rd Field Command
 (hour) (date) (collecting point)

Place of death Sessenheim BAS-RHIN, France, Eur Rd Map Sh No 87, 1:200,000 (R-1922)
 (name) (coordinates & landmarks)

Evacuated to cemetery by G P P 535 QM Gr
 (name and organization)

Remains recovered by 3049 th QM Gr Co
 (name and organization)

Is load list attached Are names of deceased found in same
 (yes-no)

area as this Unknown started Are circumstances described which
 may indicate organization of the deceased If only part
 of a body was received, was a careful
 search made for other parts of Unknown
 (yes-no)

If remains come from vehicle, plane, etc:
 (type of vehicle or plane)

nickname serial number organization or symbols

Crew list
 (names of other deceased and positions in which found)

If a tank, which hatches were free and available for escape use

If organization to which vehicle or plane was assigned or if names
 of all other deceased are not known, give detailed information
 concerning vehicle or plane

(parts of markings or symbols) (burned)

(pierced by shell fire - where) (found in town, field, by road)

(damaged by mine explosion) (names of men who escaped)

(description of other vehicles or planes in area)
 Detailed description of personal effects

(Indicate exact pocket

or part of body where found)

Belt, Web

Drawers, Wool One

Drawers, Cotton

Leggings, Wool (Note unusual lacing)

Socks, Cotton

*Shoes (Type)

Overshoes

Web Equipment (Type)

(Other item) One OD shirt, One pair OD pants, One pair HBT Pants,

(Other item)

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

6. Chevrons or

Insignia Two 2nd Lts Bars, One Set of crossed rifles Insignias.
(Type & location; shirt, jacket, coat, helmet)Shoulder Patch UTD7. Does clothing indicate that deceased was a member of the Air, Ground or Naval Forces. UTD

8. Description of Remains:

Age UTD Height 5'11" Weight 145 Description of wounds UTDBandages or dressings UTD Scars UTD
(Length, width, location)UTD 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 UTDComplexion UTD
(Light, med, dark, clear, pimples, pox, freckles)Build UTD
(Large, fat, thin, muscular)Hair LT Light brown, Straight.
(Color, length, quantity, wavy, straight, whorls, or definite parting).

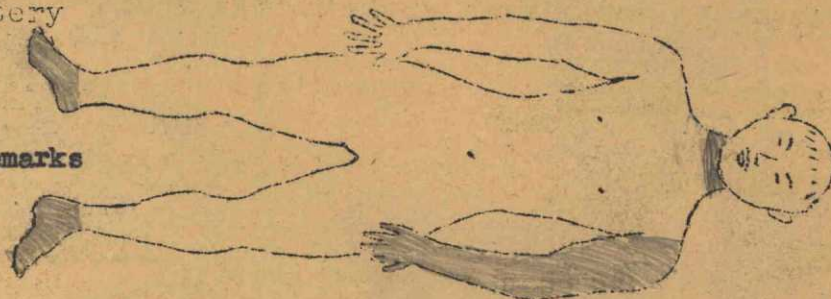
ANNEX #4

Banddages or dressings UTD Scars UTD length, width
UTD
 (location) Tattoos UTD
 (number, location-illustrate on sperate page)
 Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks UTD
 (yes-no) (description)
 location UTD
 Sunburn or tan, other than hands and face UTD
 Tobacco stain on fingers or teeth Seetooth chart
 (designate where, extent)
 Complexion UTD
 (light, med, dark, clear, pimples, pocks, freckles)
 Build UTD
 (large, fat, thin, muscular)
 Hair Light brown
 (color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight, whorles, or
UTD
 definite parting, baldness, widows peak, other characteristics)
 Sideburns UTD Eyebrows UTD
 (color, setting, shape) (color, bushiness,
UTD Mustache UTD Beard or goatee UTD
 across nose (color, size, shape) (length, heavy, light,
UTD Eyes UTD
 color, extent) (color, setting, shape)
 Nose UTD Ears UTD
 (size, shape, straight) (size, set close or far from
UTD Forehead UTD Mouth UTD Lips UTD
 head) (high, wide, wrinkled) (large, med, small) sm, lge
 Teeth Seetooth chart
 (white, size, unevenness, spacing, noticeable crown, fillings, miss'g)
 Chin UTD Cheekbones UTD
 (prominent, receding, pointed, dangle, double) (high, normal)
 Jaw UTD Circumference of head in inches 21"
 (large, small, normal) (hat band)
 Neck UTD Larynx UTD
 (size, long, short, normal, wrinkled) (prominent, normal)
 Shoulders UTD Arms UTD
 (broad, straight, small, rounded) (length, muscular, color)
UTD
 Extent & quantity of hair (vaccination scar, size of wrists)
 Hands UTD
 (large, small, normal, calloused noticeably) (marks on fingers
UTD
 indicating that rings were worn)
UTD

Fingers UTD
 (short, thick, long, slender; size of knuckles) (missing
UTD
 fingers or joints) (unusual characteristics of fingernails)
 Chest UTD
 (size at nipples; color, quantity & extent of hair; large, small,
UTD Back UTD Waist Est 32"
 normal) (quantity & extent of hair) (size at naval, appendectomy,
UTD Circumcized UTD Pubic hair Brown
 amount & color of hair) (yes-no) (color)
 Hernioplasty UTD Legs UTD
 (yes-no) (location) (inseam) (muscular; knock-
UTD
 kneed, bowed, normal) (quantity, color & extent of hair)
 Feet UTD Toes UTD
 (size; corns; callouses; flat) (Slender, straight, crooked, etc.)
 Evidence of healed fractures UTD
 (nose, arms, legs, etc.)

Black out parts of body not
 receives at cemetery

See Remarks



Have photographs been made and attached No If not, explain Body too badly decomposed
 (yes-no)
 Have fingerprints been placed on GRS #1 No If not, explain Body too badly decomposed
 (yes-no)
 Has tooth chart been prepared Yes If not, explain (yes-no)

Remarks:

Body in last stage of decomposition.

Bars and Inf Ins. Found.

William D. Lawson III 2nd Lt Inf
535 Quartermaster Group
 Signature of GRO and Organization

G. R. & E. DIV.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER
HQ. COM. ZONE, ETOUSA

ORIGINAL
UNKNOWN X-6146
REINTERRED U.S. MIL. CEM.
ST. AVOLD AAAA-7-83

TOOTH CHART

4 May 1946

Date

Unknown X- 6146

Last Name

First

Initial

Unknown

Rank

Unknown

Serial No.

Unknown

Unknown

Sessenheim, Bas-Rhin, France

Place of Death

Est. Jan. 1945

Date of Death

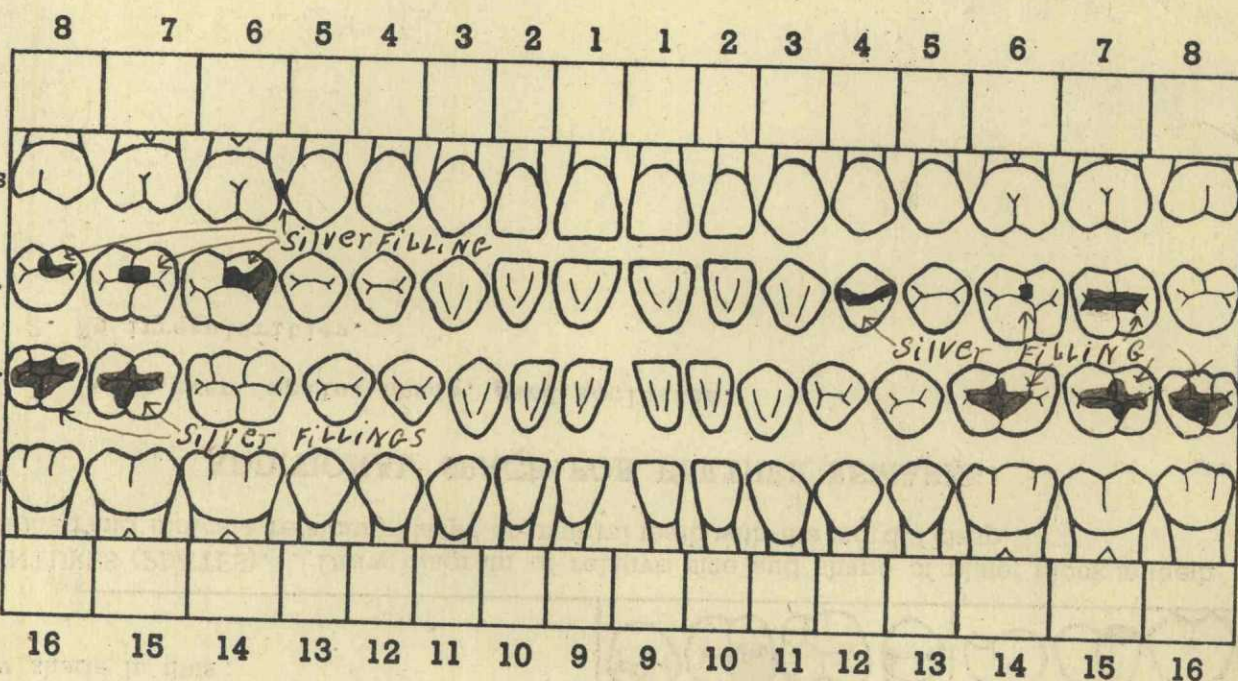
Unknown

Organization

Cause of Death

Right

Left



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), bicuspid (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.

John A. Trent S.M.
John A. Trent S.M.

Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart
William D. Lawson III 2nd Lt Inf.

Verified by G. R. S. Officer

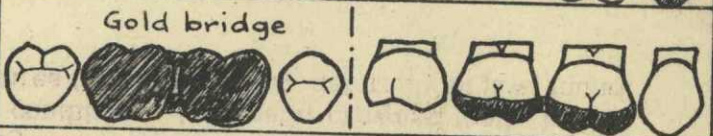
MISSING TEETH... All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be "X" 'd out and labeled, thus :



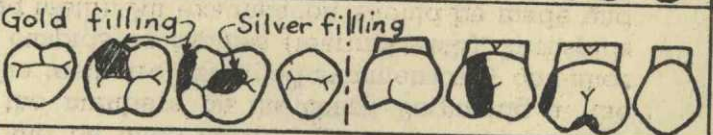
CROWNED TEETH... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus :



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

1. Teeth even, medium shade, good occlusion.
2. No irregularities.

19 June 1950

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2nd Lt Henry M. Laye, Jr., ASN O 552 664
Plot C, Row 38, Grave 4
Headstone: Cross
Neuville-en-Condroz, Belgium
United States Military Cemetery

Mr. Henry M. Laye, Sr.
Box 217
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mr. Laye:

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, Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interments are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. 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,

H. FELDMAN
Major General, USA
The Quartermaster General



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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

2/Lt Henry M. Laye, Jr., O 552 664
 Plot AAAA, Row 7, Grave 83
 United States Military Cemetery
 St. Avoird, France

6 February 1950

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

A		C	
B		D	

NOTE.—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.
 If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

PART I

I, Henry M. Laye, Sr.

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

- ☐ WIDOW ☐ WIDOWER ☐ SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
☒ FATHER ☐ MOTHER ☐ BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
☐ RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

- ☒ 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS. Neuville, Belgium
☐ 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

- ☐ 3. BE RETURNED TO _____, THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
 (FOREIGN COUNTRY) (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

- ☐ 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
 (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)
 (Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)
☐ YES ☐ NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

NoneUnit 7-6146DD not donedated 3-7-50L. L. Scott

FINAL LETTER SENT 19 JUN 1950

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PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME		MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS		TELEPHONE No.

OR I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS		TELEPHONE No.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY

REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4.)*

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY M. LAKE SR. (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) Boy 217 (STREET AND NUMBER)
SENECA, SOUTH CAROLINA (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this _____ day of _____, 19____, at city (or town) of _____, county of _____, and State (or Territory or District) of _____

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.

(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)

(OFFICIAL TITLE)

PART II—RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE _____, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED
(PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP)
NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.
THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

_____ (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)	_____ (DATE)
_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	_____ (STREET AND NUMBER)
	_____ (CITY AND STATE)

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

_____ (SIGNATURE)	_____ (DATE)
_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	_____ (STREET AND NUMBER)
	_____ (CITY AND STATE)

ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

All remarks and information entered here will be considered as part of the Notarial Attestation.



QMGMW DEPT OF ARMY WASH DC ARROWSMITH X-5057

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MR HENRY M LAYE SR
BOX 217
SENECA SOUTH CAROLINA

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CHARGE GRAVES WW II

REFERENCE REMAINS YOUR LATE SON COMMA SECOND LIEUTENANT HENRY M LAYE JR
0552664. YOUR UNSIGNED DISPOSITION FORM HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND ACCEPTED
FOR PERMANENT OVERSEAS BURIAL. YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED AT A LATER DATE
OF EXACT GRAVE LOCATION. END

CAPT VOGL
Memorial Division
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3 mar 50*

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REFERENCE REMAINS YOUR LATE SON COMMA SECOND LIEUTENANT HENRY M LAYE JR
0525004. YOUR UNDESIGNED DISPOSITION WORK HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND ACCEPTED
FOR PERMANENT OVERSEAS BURIAL. YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED AT A LATER DATE
OF EXACT GRAVE LOCATION. END

CAPT VOGL
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MR HENRY M LAYE SR
BOX 217
SENECA SOUTH CAROLINA

REQUEST FOR NEW LETTER OF INQUIRY <i>Telegram</i>			
TO LETTER OF INQUIRY SECTION REPATRIATION RECORDS BRANCH		FROM	
NAME OF DECEASED (First, Middle, Last) <i>LAYE, Henry M., Jr.</i>		GRADE <i>2/Lt.</i>	SERIAL NUMBER <i>0552664</i>
GRAVE LOCATION			
CEMETERY <i>St. Arnold Dancer</i>	PLOT <i>4A</i>	ROW <i>7</i>	GRAVE <i>83</i>
LETTER OF INQUIRY TO BE SENT TO: MR. MISS MRS. <i>Henry M. Laye, Jr.</i>		RELATIONSHIP <i>Father</i>	
ADDRESS			
STREET <i>Box 217</i>		CITY AND STATE <i>Seneca, South Carolina</i>	
AUTHORITY FOR LETTER OF INQUIRY AND REMARKS			
<p><i>Please advise NOK that his unsigned reply form has been accepted and remains will accordingly be permanently interred overseas.</i></p> <p>Reference is remains your late son 2/Lt Henry M Laye, Jr., 0552664. Your unsigned disposition form has been received and accepted for permanent o/S burial. You will be notified at a later date of exact grave location.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3 March 1950</p> <div style="text-align: right;">  FILE <i>Slaughter</i> <i>NAT</i> <i>6 Mar. 50</i> <i>RECEIVED</i> <i>FAMILY DATA</i> </div>			
DATE <i>3 March, '50</i>		CLERK'S SIGNATURE <i>Slaughter</i>	

QMCMP 293

Laye, Henry M., Jr.
SN O 552 664

6 February 1950

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Laye, Sr.
Box 217
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Laye:

We promised to communicate with you upon receipt of information concerning the remains of your son, the late Second Lieutenant Henry M. Laye, Jr.

The official report of burial has been received and discloses that the remains of your son were originally buried in an isolated grave at Sessenheim, (Bas Rhin), France, but were later disinterred by our American Graves Registration Personnel, and reinterred in Plot AAAA, Row 7, Grave 83, in the United States Military Cemetery St. Avold, located twenty-three miles east of Metz, France.

The remains have been properly identified, casketed and are being held in above ground storage pending disposition instructions from the next of kin, either for return to the United States or for permanent burial in an overseas cemetery.

According to our records the identification of the remains of your son was established through favorable comparison of tooth charts made for the deceased with those maintained in Army dental records for your son. Comparison was also made of physical characteristics, with favorable results, namely the estimated height, weight and color of hair for the deceased compared favorably with the height, weight and color of hair listed in Army records for your son. In addition to this evidence the 2/Lt bars, Officer's Infantry insignia and type of clothing found on the remains were in agreement with your son's rank and branch of service. Furthermore, the date and place of death as given on the official report of burial are in agreement with the records in the Adjutant General's Office for your son.

Pursuant to authority granted under Public Law 368, 80th Congress, the Secretary of the Army has established the order of precedence among relatives eligible to direct final disposition of a decedent's remains. Accordingly, the widow has prior disposition authority unless she was separated, divorced or has remarried. In either of these events the right of disposition automatically reverts to the parents, the father having precedence over the mother.

QMCMF 293

Laye, Henry M., Jr.

SN O 562 664

6 February 1950

Inasmuch as proof of the remarriage of your son's widow has been received in this office, we are inclosing informational pamphlets regarding the Return of World War II Dead Program, including a Disposition Form on which the father may indicate his desires in this matter. Upon receipt of the properly completed form, you may be assured that the Department of the Army will attempt to comply with your instructions as indicated thereon.

In order that this office may take immediate action toward the final disposition of the remains of your son, it is urged that the father complete the inclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail it to this office, without delay, in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

May I extend my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

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J. F. VOGL
Captain, QMC
Memorial Division

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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET				NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle) Laye, Henry M., Jr.
PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE	
PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country) USMC St. Avoild, France	PLOT AAAA	ROW 7	GRAVE 83	
ADDRESSEE MR. MISS Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Laye, Sr. MRS.	ADDRESS (Street, City, State) Box 217 Seneca, South Carolina			
RELATIONSHIP parents				
PARAGRAPHS (Sequence)	ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS			
	<div>FORM LTR "A"INITIAL LOI</div> <div>Para. 1-----omit - insert the following: We promised to communicate with you upon receipt of information concerning the remains of your son, the late Second Lieutenant Henry M. Laye, Jr.</div> <div>Para. 2-----Line 2 - an isolated grave at Sessenheim, (Bas Rhin), France 4 - Plot AAAA, Row 7, Grave 83, USMC St. Avoild, -----</div> <div>Para. 3-----Line 2 - being held in above above ground storage ----- According to our records the identification of the remains of your son was established through favorable comparison of tooth charts made for the deceased with those maintained in Army dental records for your son. Comparison was also made of physical characteristics, with favorable results, namely the estimated height, weight and color of hair for the deceased compared favorably with the height, weight and color of hair listed in Army records for your son. In addition to this evidence the 2/Lt bars, Officer's Infantry insignia and type of clothing found on the remains were in agreement with your son's rank and branch of service. Furthermore, the date and place of death as given on the the official report of burial are in agreement with the records in the Adjutant General's Office for your son.</div> <div>Para. 4 Pursuant to authority granted under Public Law 368, 80th Congress, the Secretary of the Army has has established the order order of precedence for among relatives eligible to direct the final disposition of a decedent's remains. Accordingly, the widow has prior disposition authority unless she was separated, divorced or has remarried. In either of these events the right of disposition automatically reverts to the parents, the father having precedence over the mother. Inasmuch as proof of the remarriage of your son's widow has been received in this office, we we are inclosing informational pamphlets regarding -----(continue with para. 5 and reword to indicate that father should complete 345)</div>			
ANALYST INITIALS AND DATE 3 Feb 50		TYPIST INITIALS		REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE

Paras 6 ----(reword to indicate that father should complete 345)

Para. 7 -----

Incls:

Note action sheet for lg ltr to Effects QM

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

In Reply refer to QMGEF 293

6 February 1950

Laye, Henry M., Jr.
SN O 552 004

SUBJECT: Identification of former UNKNOWN deceased

TO: Commanding Officer
Quartermaster Activity
Kansas City Records Center
Kansas City 1, Missouri
Attn: Effects Quartermaster

1. The remains which were previously interred as UNKNOWN X 0140
Plot AAAA, Row 7, Grave 03, USMC St. Arvid, France
have been identified by a GRS Field Board of Review as those of Second
Lieutenant Henry M. Laye, Jr., O 552 004
whose Next of Kin, according to the records of this Office, is Mr. Henry M.
Laye, Sr. - Father - Box 217, Senece, South Carolina

2. The identification has been approved by this Office.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL FELD:AN:

J. F. VOGL
Captain, QMC
Memorial Division

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~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ CHARGE GRAVES WW II

FOR USE IN FINAL DISPOSITION REMAINS LATE 2/LT HENRY M LAYE JR XC 3 860 784. ADVISE
BY TELEGRAM ADDRESS OF WIDOW AND HER MARITAL STATUS END

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Laye, Henry M. Jr., O-552 664 2 FEB 50

J. F. VOGL
Captain, QMG, Memorial Division

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

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DUE, HOUR AND DATE

1 NO.	2 FROM—	3 TO—	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
2	Rec Sec Repat Br Mem Div	Chief Repat Br Corr Sec IN TURN Resol Sec	27 Jan 50	<i>293 Laye, Henry M. Jr.</i> For necessary action. <i>0572664</i> For annotation of 333 Card. Send to M & R upon completion of case. Incl 293 file for LAYE, Henry M., Jr. <i>ODENWALDER</i> 73836 <i>Thomas</i> 71672 <i>mlg</i>
3	Chief Repat Br Corr Sec Mem Div	Chief Repat Br Resol Sec Mem Div	6 Feb 1950	1. Forwarded herewith is 293 file for LAYE, Henry M., Jr. 2. Combination grave location - LOI and letter to Effects QM have been dispatched. Incl n/c <i>ZIEG</i> 4428 <i>Harris</i>

Slough
NPT
6 Mar. 50
Accompany Section
Army Center, Inc.

THIS FORM WILL REMAIN PART OF THE OFFICIAL FILE

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
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DUE, HOUR AND DATE _____				
1 NO.	2 FROM—	3 TO—	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
1	Chief Ident Br Mem Div	Repat Br Resol Sec Records Unit IN TURN Corres Sec	25 Jan 50	<p>1. Attached case files forwarded for necessary correction of records and deflagging.</p> <p>2. All records in Ident. Section have been amended and the Field notified by radio.</p> <p>1. For necessary Grave Location Letter to NOK.</p> <p>2. For dispatch of notification to Effects QM.</p> <p>1 Incl: 293 file for Laye, Henry M., Jr. 2/Lt., O-552664</p> <p>METZ 74059</p> <p><i>Barry</i> HARRY 2462</p>

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32171030 BERNARD R J BARAB 0796643 ARTHUR R DAVENPORT JR 14118129 WILLIAM L
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TO OFFICE OF THE QM MEMORIAL DIV WASHDC

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PRIORITY. REURTEL 2/LT HENRY M LAYE CMA JR CMA XC-3 860 784 PD FORMER
WIDOW CMA SARA LOUISE RICHARDSON CMA 501 SOUTH FAIRPLAY ST CMA
SENECA CMA SOUTH CAROLINA CMA REMARRIED NOVEMBER 10 CMA 1946 PD
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NAT
6 Mar 50*

Laye, Henry M., Jr.

2nd Lt

O-552 004

Date of birth:
10 Nov 22

XC - 3860784

Br. Off. - 5

Re remarriage of widow

11-10-46

*Rec'd from
QM Liaison
1 Feb 50
DH*

✓ Called QM Liaison
30 Jan 50
DH

James Parker

IDENTIFICATION CHECK LIST			DATE 23 January 1950	
UNKNOWN X- NO. OR OTHER DESIGNATION	CEMETERY	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
X - 6146	USMC., St. Avold, France	AAAA	7	83
IDENTIFIED AS <u>LAYE, HENRY M., Jr., 2/Lt., O-552664</u> <u>Infantry</u>				
ITEM	FAVORABLE	UNFAVORABLE	UNKNOWN	
DATE AND PLACE OF DEATH	X			
CAUSE OF DEATH	X			
DENTAL CHART	X			
COLOR HAIR	X			
ESTIMATED HEIGHT	X			
ESTIMATED WEIGHT	X			
SCARS, FRACTURES, ETC.			X	
LAUNDRY MARKS			X	
SHOE SIZE			X	
TYPE CLOTHING & Insignia	X ¹		X	
IDENTIFICATION TAG			X	
PERSONAL EFFECTS				
STATEMENT OF CIVILIANS	X			
ENEMY RECORDS			X	
EMERGENCY MEDICAL TAG			X	
PAY BOOK (EM/OFF.)			X	
SIGNED STATEMENT OF IDENTITY			X	
Other Disinterments	X ²			

REMARKS

¹ 2/Lt's bars and Officer's Infantry insignia found with the remains of Unknown X-6146 are in agreement with the rank and branch of service of Lt. Laye. Case History attached to Corrected Report of Burial states that a check of unresolved casualty rosters reveals Lt. Laye to be the only officer killed in the vicinity of Sessenheim who is still unaccounted for. A check of the Unresolved Casualty Roster in this Office shows Lt. Laye to be the only officer carried for the 232nd Infantry Regiment.

² Records in this Office indicate there are four additional Unknowns disinterred from Sessenheim who are still to be identified. Of these, three (X-5454, X-5455 and X-7023 Neuville) were recovered from tanks near Sessenheim and therefore can be eliminated from consideration. The remaining Unknown, X-6140 St. Avold, cannot be favorably associated with Lt. Laye.

Unknown X-6133 St. Avold has been identified by the Field as Pfc. Bernard H. McGowan 16126533, also a member of the 232nd Infantry Regiment who was KIA on the same date as Lt. Laye and was also recovered at Sessenheim.

File-NAT
J. Parker
Id. Branch
24 Jan 50

QM PENTAGON LIAISON:

Request furnish SR & D Report for:

Laye, Henry M., Jr., 2/Lt., O-552664 *INF.*
 KIA 19th January 1945 near Sessenheim, France

with particular emphasis on any details relating to the actual
 circumstances of death, i.e., the portion of the body which might
 have been struck by the shell fragments.

J. Parker
 Ident - 72947
 18 Nov 1949

From:	TO:	DATE:
QM-Pent	Ident	19
Liaison	Br	Jan
Adm Br	Mem Div.	1950
Mem Div.		

Inclosed herewith is all the available information
 obtained from DPRB 201-File, Army Ground Forces
 Historical files, AGO Casualty files pertaining
 to the death of LAYE, Henry M., Jr., 2nd Lt.,
 O-552 664, killed in action 19 January 1945.
 No S.R. & D. Report available for the above Officer.

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EM-ASN: 14116091

NAME: LAYE, HENRY M. JR. ASN: 0-552664 RANK: 2nd Lt.

ENLISTMENT:

PHYSICAL AT TIME OF INDUCTION: DATE: 31 Aug. 1942RACE: WhiteRELIGION: PRESBYTERIANBORN: Nov. 10, 1922PLACE: SENECA, South CAROLINAWEIGHT: 141HEIGHT: 69 in.EYES: BLUEHAIR: BLONDCOMPLEXION: BuddySHOE SIZE: 10-CFRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS
NONETATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARKS
NONE

FORM 79's - NONE

DENTAL - APRIL 10, 1942RightLeft

Upper

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

Lower

16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

Teeth: Indicate restorable carious teeth by circling; nonrestorable carious teeth by /; missing natural teeth by X.

ORGANIZATION:

Co. K '232nd INF. REGT.

KIA - 19 JANUARY 1945 IN FRANCE

ON
PENTAGON LIAISON
A.E.A. DIV.

*CORRECTED REPORT

Original dated 2 45

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

REPORT OF DEATH mo 3627

DATE 24 September 1945

FULL NAME Laye, Henry M. Jr.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0552664	GRADE 2nd Lt.
HOME ADDRESS Seneca, South Carolina		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry	DATE OF BIRTH 10 Nov 22
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH *19 Jan 45
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 27 Jun 44	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Mrs. Sara L. Laye, wife, Depot St., Seneca, S. C.			
BENEFICIARY (Name, relationship, and address) On 14 Jun 43, while an enlisted man he designated as benef: Henry M. Laye, Sr., father, 515 E. Main St., Seneca, S. C. Ina A. Laye, mother, same as above			
INVESTIGATION MADE YES NO		IN LINE OF DUTY YES NO	OWN MISCONDUCT YES NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS YES NO		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE YES NO	IN FLYING PAY STATUS YES NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
OTHER PAY STATUS (Specify below) YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		BATTLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NON-BATTLE	
ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT			

*Mrs. Sara L. Laye, wife, Depot St., Seneca, S. C. (Not designated) (No break in service)

Combat Infantryman;

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 19 Jan 45 until such absence was terminated on 15 Feb 45, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from a Commander in the European Area.

*Previously reported date of death 10 Jan 45.

CORRECTED COPY

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

J. M. S. Self

ADJUTANT GENERAL

ON
PENTAGON LIAISON
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AG 201 Laye, Henry M., Jr.
PC-N ETO 041

16 February 1945

Mrs. Sara L. Laye
Depot Street
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Laye:

It is with profound regret that I confirm the recent telegram informing you of the death of your husband, Second Lieutenant Henry M. Laye, Jr., 0552664, Infantry, who was previously reported missing in action on 19 January 1945 in France.

An official message has now been received which states that he was killed in action on the date he was previously reported missing in action. Recently provisions were made whereby there will be sent directly to the emergency addressee or the next of kin a letter containing further information about each person who dies overseas in the service of our country, and if this letter has not already been received, it may be expected soon.

I realize the burden of anxiety that has been yours since he was first reported missing in action and deeply regret the sorrow this later report brings you. May the knowledge that he made the supreme sacrifice for his home and country be a source of sustaining comfort.

My sympathy is with you in this time of great sorrow.

Sincerely yours,

J. A. ULIO
Major General
The Adjutant General

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AG 301 Lave, Henry M., Jr.
PO-M ETO 041

16 February 1945

Mrs. Sara L. Lave
Depot Street
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Lave:

It is with profound regret that I confirm the recent telegram informing you of the death of your husband, Second Lieutenant Henry M. Lave, Jr., OSS2364, Infantry, who was previously reported missing in action on 19 January 1945 in France.

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L. A. ULIO
Major General
The Adjutant General

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232ND INFANTRY REGIMENT

After Action Report

At 0710, 18 January 45, the enemy attacked Sessenheim, encircling the town. Company B withdrew to the south edge of the woods, and at 1500, again counter-attacked. At 1650 Sessenheim was taken, and the counterattack moved into Dengolsheim, where it encountered heavy opposition. The Germans infiltrated in force during the night, severing communications between the Company B elements. Lacking anti-tank weapons and ammunition, the elements withdrew under heavy artillery, mortar, and automatic fire through the woods to Schirrhoffen, early the morning of 19 January 45.

At 1730 on 19 January 45 under the command of Col. McNAMEE, troops consisting of elements from the 103d Division, a battalion of the 79th Division with armored reinforcements were committed on a large scale attack to relieve the situation, but could not gain ground because of heavy opposition. That night the 232d Infantry was ordered into Corps Reserve, and withdrew in orderly fashion through the Haguenau woods to Bossendorf. On 20 January the Regimental CP moved from Camp d'Oberhoffen to Mon Fre de Birklach. At 1730, 21 January, the Regimental CP at Bossendorf was established, with the regiment deployed in that town; Cannon and Anti-Tank Companies, in Wickersheim; and the train bivouac, in Walshausen.

On 23 January 45, the reorganization of all personnel was completed. Equipment clothing, and ordnance shortages on requisition were partially restored. Anti-aircraft defenses and road blocks, with twenty-four hours guard on all roads, were established. The regimental, Battalion, and Special Troops Commanders, as well as the Regimental Officers and men, held general discussions and critiques of combat experiences. The reconnaissance of the VI Corps areas were completed as well as the plans for the probable employment of the regiment to counterattack or strengthen front line defenses. Battle drill and other combat activities were concurrent, in order to increase the combat efficiency and to assimilate changes brought about by reorganization of troops.

LAYE, Henry M. Jr.

2nd Lt.

O-552 664

Company "K"

232nd Infantry Regiment

Killed in action

19 January 1945

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32ND INFANTRY REGIMENT

After Action Report

At 0710, 18 January 45, the enemy attacked Bessenheim, encircling the town. Company B withdrew to the south edge of the woods, and at 1500, again counter-attacked. At 1800 Bessenheim was taken, and the counterattack moved into Bessenheim, where it encountered heavy opposition. The Germans infiltrated in force during the night, severing communications between the Company B elements. Lack of anti-tank weapons and ammunition, the elements withdrew under heavy artillery, mortar, and automatic fire through the woods to Schiltbach, early the morning of 19 January 45.

At 1730 on 19 January 45 under the command of Col. McMAHON, troops consisting of elements from the 103d Division, a Battalion of the 10th Division with armored reinforcements were committed on a large scale attack to relieve the situation, but could not gain ground because of heavy opposition. That night the 32nd Infantry was ordered into Corps Reserve, and withdrew in orderly fashion through the Haguenau woods to Bessenheim. On 20 January the Regimental CP moved from Camp d'Obertal to Mon Ste de Birkbach. At 1730, 21 January, the Regimental CP at Bessenheim was established, with the regiment deployed in that town; Cannon and Anti-Tank Companies, in Wickenheim; and the train division, in Walsheim.

On 22 January 45, the reorganization of all personnel was completed. Equipment clothing, and ordnance shortages on requisition were partially re-stored. Anti-aircraft defenses and road blocks, with twenty-four hour guard on all roads, were established. The regimental, Battalion, and Special Troops Commanders, as well as the Regimental Officers and men, held general discussions and critiques of combat experiences. The reconnaissance of the VI Corps areas were completed as well as the plans for the probable employment of the regiment to counterattack or strengthen front line defenses. Battle drill and other combat activities were concurrent, in order to increase the combat efficiency and to assimilate changes brought about by reorganization of troops.

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Sub Lt.

LAW, Henry M. Jr.

32nd Infantry Regiment

Company "K"

19 January 1945

Killed in action

Lipalan
JAN 18 1950

NO
ORIGINAL
1. 074

DENTAL

Unknown X- 5454 (Neuville)
Plot V, Row 12, Grave 293

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

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

NO TEETH
FOUND

R-16
R-15
R-14
R-13
R-12
R-11
R-10
R-9

L-9
L-10
L-11
L-12
L-13
L-14
L-15
L-16

Reprocessed: 2 May 1947
Remains recovered from a tank
near Sessenheim, France.
Est. weight: of remains: 2 lbs.

CHART

NAME McGOWAN, BERNARD H.
Pvt., 16126533

* R-8 X
R-7
R-6 oA
R-5
R-4
R-3
R-2
R-1

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

R-16 X
R-15 oA
R-14
R-13
R-12
R-11
R-10
R-9

L-9
L-10
L-11
L-12
L-13
L-14 oA
L-15
L-16 X

Forms 79 dated 12 Nov. 43 and 24 Mar 44

*Induction Record dated 21 Sept 42

Height: 6' 1"

Weight: 182

Hair: Blond

Shoe size: 10D

DENTAL

Unknown X-5455 (Neuville)
Plot U, Row 12, Grave 300

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

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

NO TEETH
FOUND

R-16
R-15
R-14
R-13
R-12
R-11
R-10
R-9

L-9
L-10
L-11
L-12
L-13
L-14
L-15
L-16

Reprocessed: 1 May 1947
Remains recovered from a tank
near Sessenheim, France.
Est. weight of remains: 1½ lbs.

DENTAL

Unknown X- 7023 (Neuville)
Plot EE, Row 6, Grave 128

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

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

NO TEETH
FOUND

R-16
R-15
R-14
R-13
R-12
R-11
R-10
R-9

L-9
L-10
L-11
L-12
L-13
L-14
L-15
L-16

Reprocessed: 1 December 1947
Remains recovered from tank near
Sessenheim.

Accepted as Unidentifiable:
18 May 1949.

DENTAL

Unknown X- 6140 (St. Avoild)
Plot Y, Row 9, Grave 107

R-8 _____
R-7 _____ doA
R-6 _____ modLA
R-5 _____ doA
R-4 _____
R-3 _____
R-2 _____
R-1 _____

L-1 _____
L-2 _____
L-3 _____
L-4 _____ modA
L-5 _____
L-6 _____ moA, loA
L-7 _____
L-8 _____

R-16 _____
R-15 _____ oA
R-14 _____ X
R-13 _____
R-12 _____
R-11 _____
R-10 _____
R-9 _____

L-9 _____
L-10 _____
L-11 _____
L-12 _____
L-13 _____ doA
L-14 _____ oA
L-15 _____ oA
L-16 _____

T/C dtd. 2 May 1946
Est. height: 6' (Orig R/B)
Est. weight: 120 (Orig R/B)
Trousers and shirt marked
"D-8919"

DENTAL

Unknown X- 6133 (St. Avelo)
Plot Y, Row 9, Grave 104

R-8		
R-7		
R-6		
R-5		Maxilla
R-4		Missing
R-3		
R-2		
R-1		

L-1		
L-2		
L-3		
L-4		
L-5		
L-6		Maxilla
L-7		Missing
L-8		

R-16	MSD
R-15	oA
R-14	oA
R-13	
R-12	
R-11	carie - fil
R-10	MSD
R-9	MSD

L-9	MSD
L-10	MSD
L-11	MSD
L-12	
L-13	oA
L-14	oA
L-15	oA
L-16	MSD

T/C dated 2 May 1946
Remnants of infantry clothing.

Identified by the Field as
Pfc. Bernard H. McGowan
16126533.

DENTAL CHART

Unknown X- 6146 (St. Avoild)
Plot AAAA, Row 7, Grave 83

NAME LAYE, HENRY M., Jr.
2/Lt., O-552664

R-8 oA
R-7 oA
R-6 moA
R-5
R-4
R-3
R-2
R-1

R-8 oA
R-7
R-6
R-5
R-4
R-3
R-2
R-1

L-1
L-2
L-3
L-4 oA
L-5
L-6 oA
L-7 oA
L-8

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

R-16 oA
R-15 oA
R-14
R-13
R-12
R-11
R-10
R-9

R-16 oA
*R-15 restorable
R-14
R-13
R-12
R-11
R-10
R-9

L-9
L-10
L-11
L-12
L-13
L-14 oA
L-15 oA
L-16 oA

L-9
L-10
L-11
L-12
L-13
L-14
L-15
L-16 oA

T/C dated 20 April 1948
Est. height: 5' 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
Est. weight: 145 (Orig R/B)
Hair: Medium Brown (orig shown as
Light Brown)
3 2/Lt's bars and 1 set of Officer's
crossed rifles found with remains.

Form 79 dated 18 February 1944.
Height: 5' 9"
Weight: 147
Hair: Blond
Shoe size: 10C
ESN: 14116091

*Shown only on WD AGO Form 165 dated
15 April 1942.

AGRC FORM No. 11
Revised 16 Sept. 1946
Formerly "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)

Proc. by: *C. A. Rice*
L. R. Heindt
R. J. Miller
Clerk: *A. G. Richardson*

E. O. # 779

Unknown X *6146*
Cemetery *St. Armand, France*
Plot *AAAA* Row *7* Grave *83*

Date reprocessed
1. Arrived at cemetery *20 Apr. 1948*
(Hour) (Date)

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

(Sheet, scale and serials used)

3. Remains *reprocessed* recovered or disinterred by *Mobile Team #1, I.S.*
(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	(Type)		
Raincoat		<i>None</i>	
Overcoat			
Jacket, <i>Tanker's</i>		<i>One</i>	
Jacket, Combat			
Mackinaw		<i>None</i>	
Sweater			
Jacket, HBT		<i>One</i>	
* Shirt, Wool OD		<i>One</i>	
Undershirt, Wool		<i>One</i>	
Undershirt, Cotton		<i>None</i>	
Trousers, HBT		<i>One</i>	
* Trousers, Wool OD		<i>None</i>	

X-6146

Belt, web NoneDrawers, wool One

Drawers, cotton

Leggings, wool

Socks, cotton

* Shoes (type)

Overshoes One

Web Equipment (type)

(Other item)

(Other item)

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

Chevrons or

Insignia (Type & location; shirt, jacket, coat, helmet)

Shoulder Patch

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

6. Description of Remains:

		L. Humerus 33.8	L. Femur 41.0
		L. Radius 24.6	L. Tibia 38.0
		L. Ulna 26.7	L. Fibula 39.0

Age UTD Height Est. 5'11 1/2" Weight UTD Description of wounds UTDBandages or dressings None Scars (Length, width, location)

Tattoos (Number, location — illustrate on separate page)

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

Sunburn or tan, other than hand and face UTD

Complexion (Light, medium, dark, clear, pimples, pocks, freckles)

Build (Large, fat, thin, muscular) UTDHair Medium brown 2" long, slightly wavy (Color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight, whorls, or definite parting)Hair UTD (Baldness, widows peak, distinctive cutting or other characteristics)Sideburns (Color, setting, shape) Mustache UTD Beard or (Length, heavy)

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Goatee (Light, color, extent)

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

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

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

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

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

Jaw (Large, small, normal) Circumference of head in *cm. 52.0* inches (Hat band)

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

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

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

Fingers (Unusual characteristics of fingernails)

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

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

Back (Quantity and extent of hair) Circumcision *UTD* (Yes-no) Pubic Hair *Light brown* (Color)

Hernioplasty (Yes-no; location)

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

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

Evidence of healed fractures *None* (Nose, arms, legs, etc.)

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

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7. Have finger prints been placed on Report of Interment? No (Yes-No)If not, explain Fingers missing8. Has tooth chart been prepared? Yes (Yes-No) If not, explain

9. Remarks: Remains received in skeletal form with large amount
remains of flesh in last stage of decomposition. Clothing found on
remains bore no markings. Teeth found in skull and
mandible. Skull was disarticulated. Report of Burial found.
No GRS tag found. Estimated weight of reprocessed
remains: 50 pounds. Estimated height: 5'8 1/2"

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.

No evidence of old or
healed fractures or
amputations.

LAWRENCE R. FEINDT
 (Officer's Name)

SP6
 Rank

AGRC
 Service

MOBILE TEAM #1, I.S.
 (Organization)

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Albert L. Richardson

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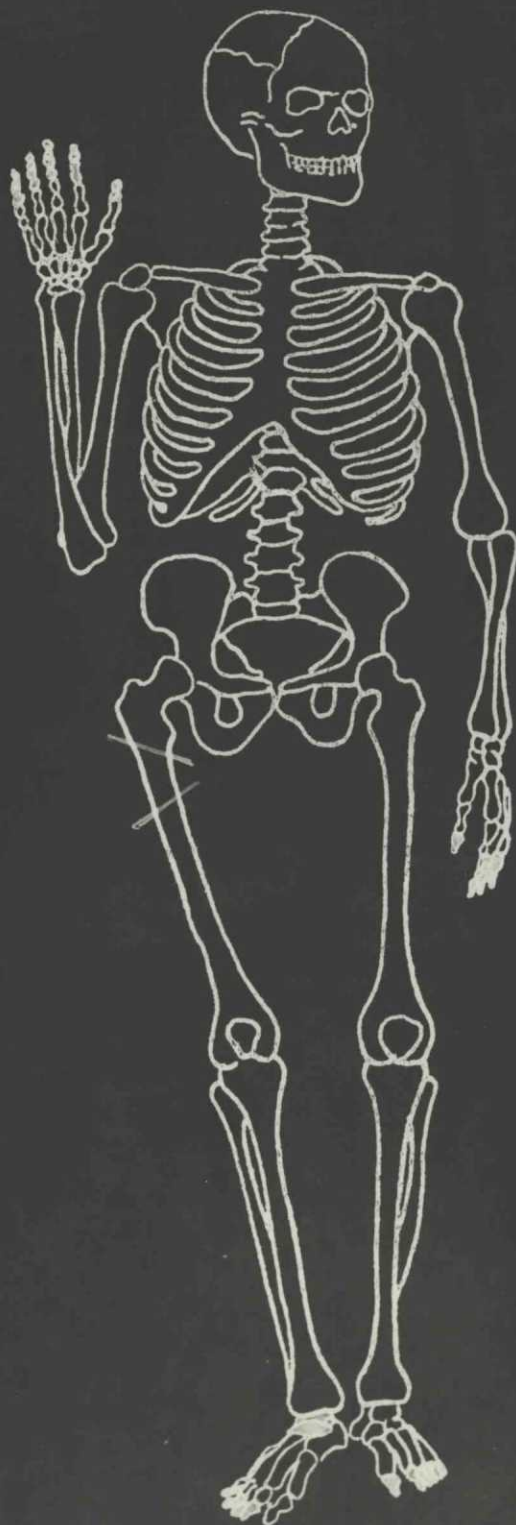
USMC ST. HOLID

20 APRIL 1948

SKELETAL CHART

PLOT AAAA Row 1 GRAVE 85

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED AT CEMETERY)



HUMERUS 33.8

RADIUS 24.6

ULNA 26.7

FEMUR 47.0

TIBIA 38.8

FIBULA 39.0

EST. HEIGHT - 5'8 1/2"

CHART "A"

182x

JPL

TOOTH CHART

PLOT- AAAA

Row - 7

E.O. # 779

GRAVE - 83

USMC - ST. AVON

20-APRIL-48

Date

UNK

Grade

UNK

Serial No.

Last Name

First

Initial

Unit

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
	A O	A O	A MO									A O		A O	A O	
Side views																
TOP																
VIEWS																
Side Views																
	A O	A O												A O	A O	A O
	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

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), bicuspid (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.

Insufficient space
for remarks



See Reverse

Quar J. Fama

SP #7 Dac

Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

Verified by G. R. C. Officer

ET FORM 1-22 (29 AUG. 46)

(OLD GRAVE REGISTRATION FORM 1-A)

AGL (3) 10-46-50M-6912-1207

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



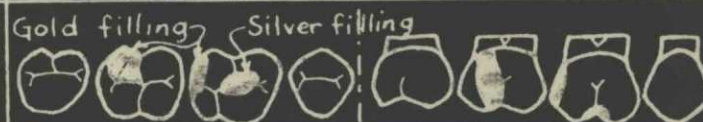
CROWNED TEETH... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus :



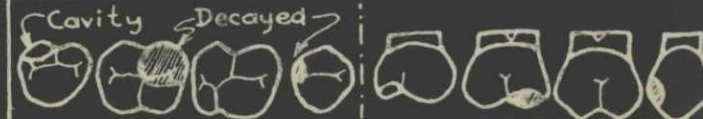
BRIDGE WORK... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :



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



COLOR = DULL IVORY
SIZE = AVERAGE
ALIGNMENT = GOOD

MAXILLA

L-8 = FACIAL VERSION.

MANDIBLE

R-11 = LINGUAL VERSION

R-10 = ROTATED $\frac{1}{10}$ OF A TURN DISTALLY AND HAS A LINGUAL VERSION.

L-11 = LINGUAL VERSION.

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UNKNOWN X-6146
 REINTERRED U.S. MIL. CEM.
 ST. AVOLD AAAA-7-83

AGRC Form #10 (Revised)
 1 January 1946

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REPORT OF INVESTIGATION AREA SEARCH

3. May. 46
 Date

NAME Unknown X-6146 RANK Unknown ASN Unknown
 ORGANIZATION Unknown
 MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION None

(All statements above this line will be completed, upon final processing, by the clerical staff at the unit processing point)

SECTION A GENERAL (To be completed by investigators in all cases)

1. Was positive identity acquired for the deceased through the surface investigation? No If so, state the following

a. NAME RANK ASN
 b. ORGANIZATION

2. Was partial identification established? No If so, state the facts as to whom you believe the deceased to be:

a. NAME Unknown RANK Unk. ASN Unk.
 b. ORGANIZATION Unknown

3. NAMES OF OTHER DECEASED BURIED IN IMMEDIATE VICINITY

3 Unknown bodies in common grave
 (Use reverse side for listing of crew members from MACR)

A. Date of above burials 5th of Feb. 1945. Common Graves? Yes

4. Dated Approx. 18th of Jan. 1945.

5. Name and type of cemetery Civilian
 (Military or Civilian)

6. Map Coordinates of the Cemetery Eur. Rd. Mp. Sh. 87 Sc. 1:200,000 (R-1922)

a. Town Sessenheim Country France

7. Give exact location in cemetery of the remains.

a. Section Row 1 Grave 3

b. Is sketch attached? Yes

8. If remains are not located in a cemetery, give exact location.

a. Town Coordinates

b. Is sketch attached?

c. Is area mined?

9. How is the grave marked? With a cross.

10. If grave is marked with cross, give the exact markings thereon

Names of 14 Australian Soldiers

- a. From what source was this information obtained?
(Identification tags, personal effects)
- b. By whom?
11. Where are the cemetery records? No records.
(Town hall, cemetery, burgermeister's effice)
- a. What information was obtained thereon? None
- b. Where was the information obtained? From caretaker of cemetery
- c. By whom?
12. What is the date of death? Approx. 18th of Jan. 1945.
- a. Give basis Germans re-took town at that time.
13. What is the cause of death? Unknown
- a. Give basis
14. What is the date of burial? 5th of Feb. 1945.
- a. Give basis Cemetery caretaker's statement.
15. What is the place of death? Sessenheim Coords See 6.
- a. Give basis Where fighting took place.
16. Where were the remains found? See 15. Coords See 6.
- a. By whom? German military
- b. Is sketch attached? No
17. Was a casket used? No Who furnished the casket?
Type of casket How marked?
18. Who made the burial? Civilian with German supervisor
(Civilian, American Mil or German Mil)
- a. What are the names and addresses?
Mr. Ernest Fechter, cemetery caretaker
- b. Are certificates and statements attached? Yes
- SECTION B - AIR CORPS DECEASED (To be completed only if deceased is believed to be a member of the AAF).
19. Were remains found in the plane wreckage?
- a. Give location in plane from which the bodies were removed
(Tail gunner, pilot, radio turret, etc., or front, side, of plane)
- b. Near wreckage?
20. Scene of crash must be investigated. Give complete results of investigation (if removed, state when and by whom)
- a. Type of plane
- b. Markings and/or name of plane

c. Give numbers on motors, machine guns, instruments, radios or other equipment: _____

21. How did crash occur? _____ Anti-aircraft _____
 Enemy planes? _____ Collision? _____
22. Did plane explode in the air? _____ On the ground? _____
23. Did plane burn in the air? _____ On the ground? _____
24. What was the direction of the flight? _____
25. What was the civilian opinion regarding the destination of the plane? _____
26. Had bombs been released prior to the crash? _____
27. Does specific time and date of crash correspond with the date of death of above named deceased? _____
28. 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? _____

SECTION 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? _____
- a. Give specific position in tank from which deceased was removed _____
 (Radio man, driver, asst driver or..front, side, or back)
- b. Near wreckage? _____
32. Location of destroyed tank 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 _____
- 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?)
38. Did any of the crew members escape? _____ Prisoners? _____

SECTION 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) _____

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? _____

40. State the specific clues and evidence that were obtained in securing the name and facts regarding the above listed deceased _____

SECTION E - GENERAL (To be completed by investigation in all cases)

41. Were personal effects recovered by investigating team No

If not, state reason Personal effects taken by Germans.

- a. Were identification tags found at the time of death? Unknown

Where? _____ By whom? _____

Present disposition _____

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 abandoned.

- b. Were personal effects found at the time of death? Unknown

Where? _____ By whom? _____

Present disposition _____

- c. Was deceased identified by living members of the crew at the time of death? No

- d. Did Cemetery register or cross indicate the immunization shot? No

42. Was deceased given first aid? Unknown If so, where? _____

By whom? _____ Are statements from the medical people attached? _____

43. Was deceased evacuated to a German hospital? Unknown

Where? _____ Names of the people concerned _____

44. Is it possible on surface investigation to obtain from civilian sources a physical description of the deceased? No

45. Is it possible on surface investigation to obtain from civilian sources the condition of the remains? No

(Burnt? Decapitated? etc)

46. Do facts surrounding death show any evidence that it might be an atrocity case? Unknown

- 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 _____

Mr. Ernest Fechter, Cemetery caretaker of Sessenheim

49. Are all positive statements regarding identification and particulars surrounding death attached? Yes
50. Has any information been given concerning isolated burials in the area outside the immediate vicinity? Yes

51. Was investigation preceded by advanced publicity? Yes

(If special investigation, give case number) _____

52. Give brief narrative The grave in the cemetery is a common grave with four Americans and fourteen Australians in the same grave. As you face the grave the Americans occupy the three feet on the right side. When bodies are to be exhumed I would advise that exhumation team contact Ernest Fechter, caretaker of cemetery
(Use attached sheets, if necessary)
for he made the burial and should know just where to dig.

Rudolph

Rudolph Albert

Signature of Interpreter

French Civilian

Rank

ASN

535th QM. Group AGRC.

Organization

Kulp

Charles F. Kulp

Signature of Investigator

T/5

Rank

42088926

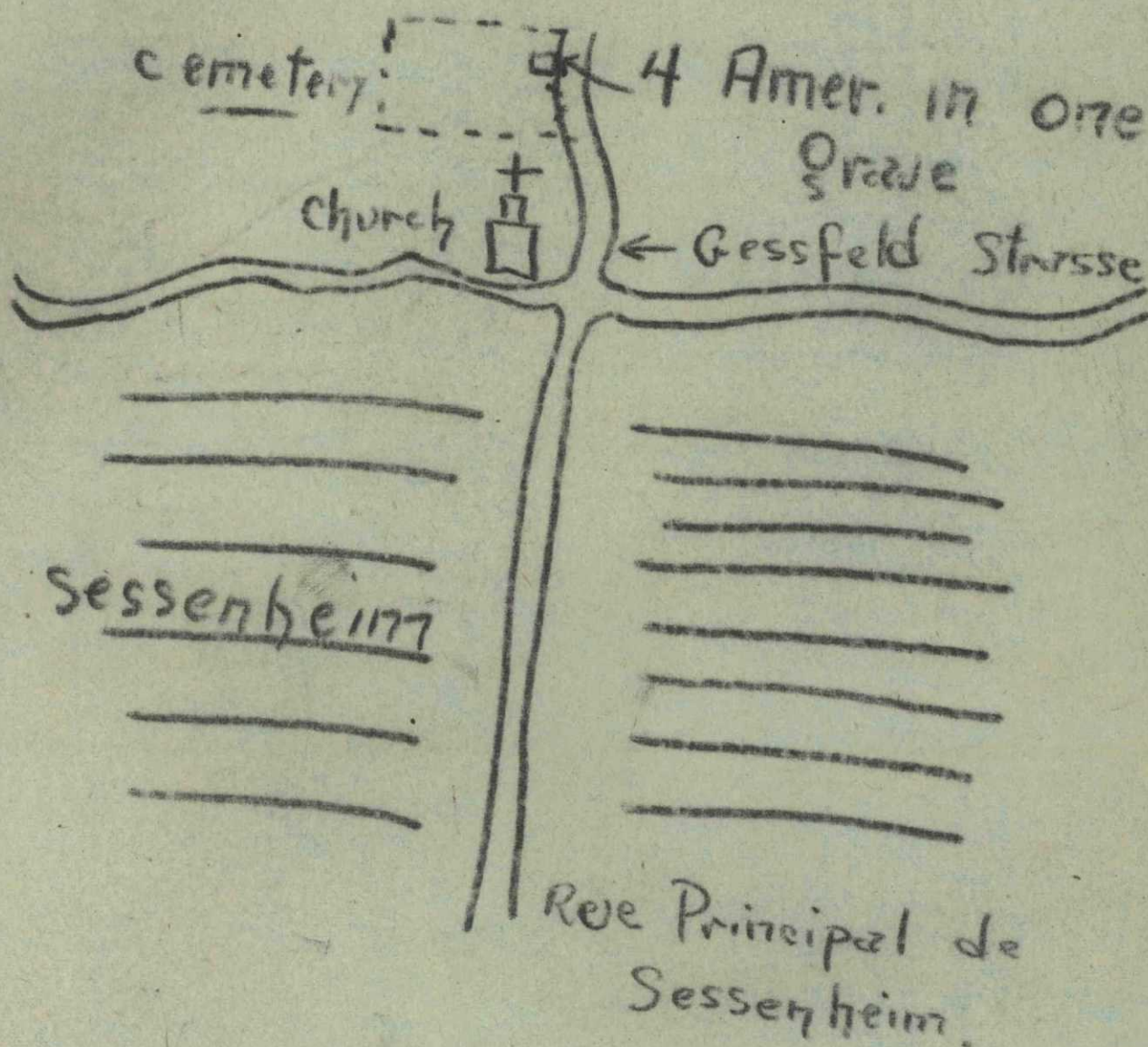
ASN

535th QM. Group AGRC. 3rd Field Command.

Organization

UNKNOWN X-6146
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ST. AVOLD AAAA-7-83

Sessenheim
E.R.M. - Se. 87 - 1209,000
(R-1922)



KNOWN I-6146
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STATEMENT

I certify that there are four Americans bodies buried in the cemetery of Sessenheim. These are the only Americans buried within the premises of the cemetery. As to their identity, I have no idea who they are and I also certify that I know of no one who knows the identity of any of them.

Sessenheim, the 29th of March 1948.

/S/ Pechter Ernest
Cemetery caretaker.

A True Copy.

Thomas M. Shedden

Thomas M. Shedden
1st Lt. T.C.
535th QM. Group.

CASE HISTORY

UNKNOWN No 6146U.S. Military Cemetery Saint Avold

The remains of Unknown X-6146 (USMC St. Avold) were recovered from civilian cemetery located at Sessenheim, France. 2nd Lt bars and Officer's Infantry insignia were found on clothing of X-6146. A check of unresolved officer casualties revealed only one officer reported in the vicinity of Sessenheim, France. This was 2nd Lt Laye. Dental records for Lt Laye were obtained and compared against tooth chart prepared for X-6146 and found to be similar. Estimated height and color of hair as indicated for X-6146 also agree favorably with that of Lt Laye. Estimated date and place of death of X-6146 in agreement with AG Casualty records for Lt Laye. Finding no contradictory information these remains are being identified as those of: LAYE, Henry M., 2nd Lt., O-552664 of the 232nd Infantry Regiment, 42nd Infantry Division.

JUN 30 1948

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

RRE 200.2

Date 24 JUN. 1948

SUBJECT: Reprocessing of Remains

TO: The Quartermaster General
2nd & T Sts. S.W.
Washington 25, D.C.

The remains of X-6146
interred in Plot AAAA, Row 7, Grave 83, USMC St-Avoid
France, have been reprocessed and the information
not previously forwarded to your Headquarters is herewith submitted.

Jacket Tanker's : One

Jacket HBT

Shirt, wool OD : One

Undershirt, wool : One

Trousers, HBT: One


Drawers, wool : One

Est. height : 5' 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

Hair : Medium brown 2" long, slightly wavy

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL :

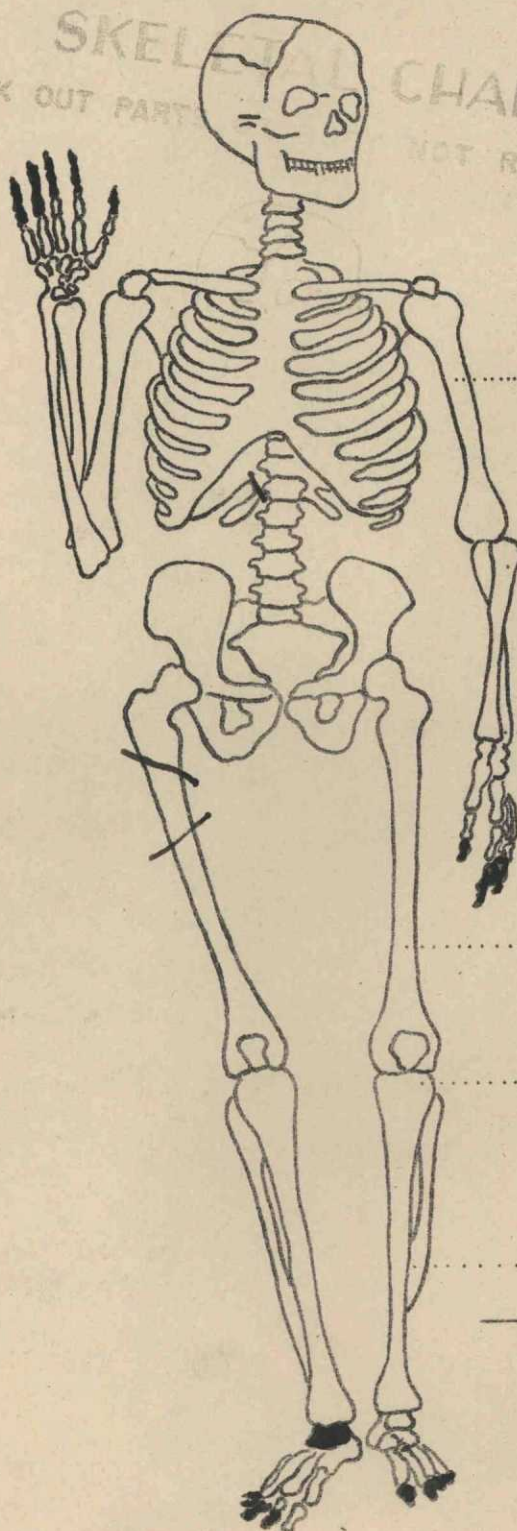
2 Incls : 1.Skeletal Chart
1.Tooth Chart


BERNARD E. CARROLL
WOJG AUS
Actg Asst Adj Gen.

X-6146
USMC St-Avoid
20 April 1948
Plot AAAA, Row 7,
Grave 83

SKELETAL CHART

(BLACK OUT PARTS OF BODY NOT RECEIVED)



33.8 CM. HUMERUS

24.6 CM. RADIUS

26.7 CM. ULNA

47.0 CM. FEMUR

38.8 CM. TIBIA

39.0 CM. FIBULA

5' 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ESTIMATED HEIGHT

PROCESSED BY: _____

lot AAAA
Row 7
Grave 83

E.O# 779
USMC St-Avoid

TOOTH CHART

20 April 48

X-6146	Unk	20 April 48
Last Name	Grade	Date
First	Unk	Unk
Initial	Serial No.	
Unit	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	
	A	A	A									A		A	A		
	O	O	MO									O		O	O		
Side views																	
TOP																	
VIEWS																	
Side Views																	
	A	A												A	A	A	
	O	O												O	O	O	
	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	

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), bicuspid (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.

Certified True Copy:

Bernard E. Carroll
BERNARD E. CARROLL
WOJG AUS

/s/ Ivor J. Fosmo

Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

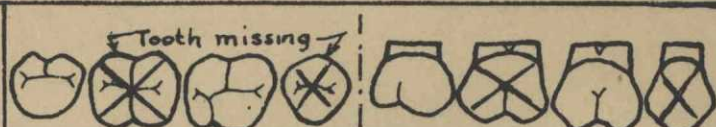
Verified by G. R. C. Officer

ET FORM 1-22 (29 AUG. 46)

(OLD GRAVE REGISTRATION FORM 1-A)

AGL (3) 10-46-50M-6912-1207

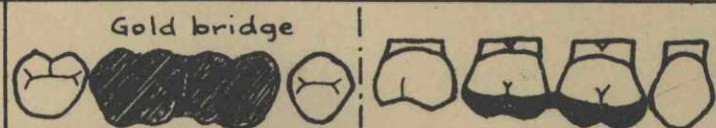
MISSING TEETH... All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be "X" 'd out and labeled, thus :



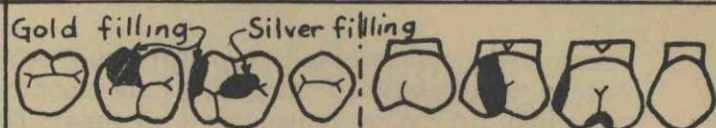
CROWNED TEETH... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, Silver or gold and porcelain), thus :



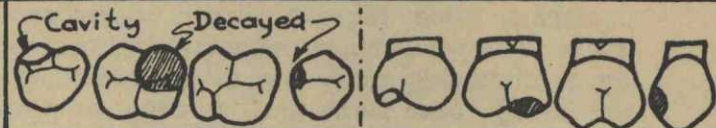
BRIDGE WORK... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :



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

Color Dull Ivory
Size Average
Alignment Good

Maxilla

L-8 Favial Version

Mandible

R-11 lingual version

R-10 rotated 1/16 of a turn distally and has a lingual version

L-11 lingual version

UNKNOWN X-6146
REINTERRED U.S. MIL. CEM.
ST. AVOLD AAAA-7-83

Sessenheim
ERM. - SC 87-1:200,000

(R-1922)

cem. [] 4 Amer. in one common
grave

church []

Gessfeld Strasse

Sessenheim

Main Road thru
Sessenheim

G. R. & E. DIV.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER
HQ. COM. ZONE, ETOUSA

UNKNOWN X-6146
REINTERRED U.S. MIL. CEM.
ST. AVOLD AAAA-7-83

TOOTH CHART

4 May 1946
Date

Unknown X-6146
Last Name

First

Initial

Unknown
Rank

Unknown
Serial No.

Unknown
Unit

Unknown
Organization

Sessenheim, Bas-Rhin, France
Place of Death

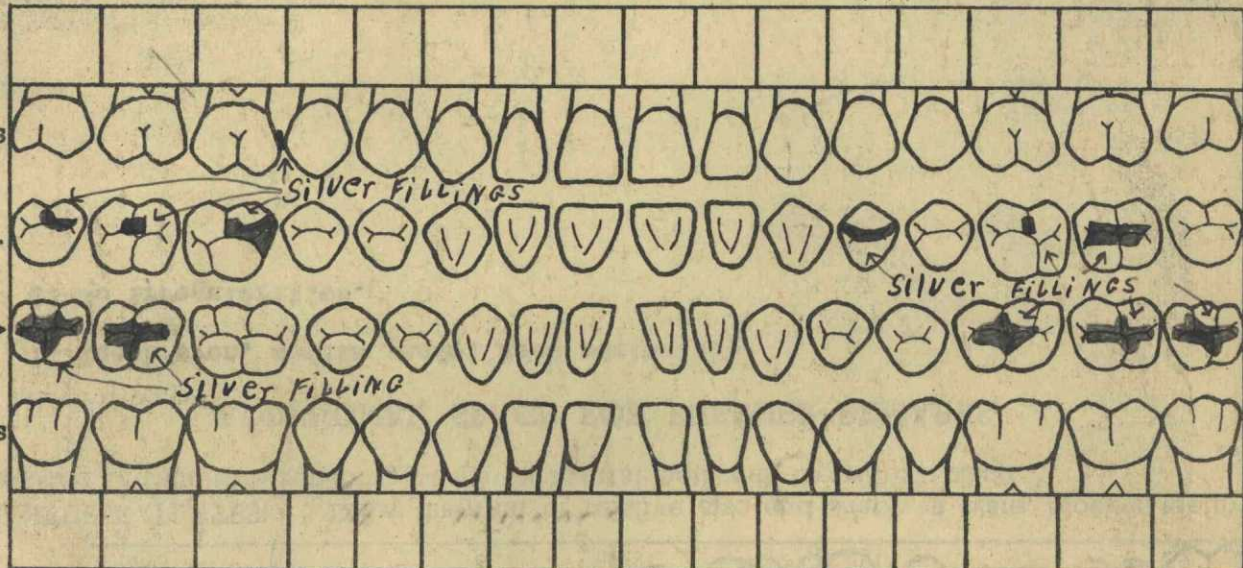
29 Jan. 1945
Date of Death

Unknown
Cause of Death

Right

Left

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



16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

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John A. Trent S.M.

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Signature of Officer or other person who prepared Tooth chart

William D. Lawson III Lt Inf.
535th Quartermaster Group

Verified by G. R. S. Officer

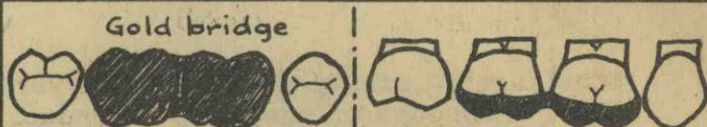
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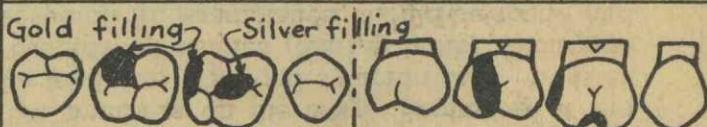
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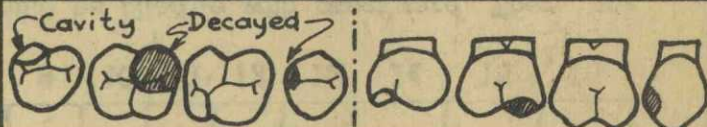
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DENTURES (PLATES)... Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER REMARKS

1. Teeth even, medium shade, good occlusion.
2. No irregularities.

OCQM-GR&E Div

CHECK LIST FOR UNKNOWNNS

UNKNOWN X- 6146
 CEMETERY St. Avold, France
 PLOT AAAA ROW 7 GRAVE 83

Arrived at cemetery 1436, 8 May 46 From UPP, 3rd Field Command
 (hour) (date) (collecting point)

Place of death Sessenheim BAS-RHIN, France, Bar Rd Map Sh No 57, 1:200,000 (2-1922)
 (name) (coordinates & landmarks)

Evacuated to cemetery by G P P 535 Gt Gr
 (name and organization)

Remains recovered by 3049 th Gt Gr Co
 (name and organization)

Is load list attached Are names of deceased found in same
 (yes-no)

area as this Unknown starred Are circumstances described which
 may indicate organization of the deceased If only part
 of a body was received, was a careful
 search made for other parts of Unknown
 (yes-no)

If remains come from vehicle, plane, etc:
 (type of vehicle or plane)

nickname serial number organization or symbols

Crew list
 (names of other deceased and positions in which found)

If a tank, which hatches were free and available for escape use

If organization to which vehicle or plane was assigned or if names
 of all other deceased are not known, give detailed information
 concerning vehicle or plane

(parts of markings or symbols) (burned)

(pierced by shell fire - where) (found in town, field, by road)

(damaged by mine explosion) (names of men who escaped)

(description of other vehicles or planes in area)
 Detailed description of personal effects
 (Indicate exact pocket

or part of body where found)

Belt, Web

Drawers, Wool One

Drawers, Cotton

Leggings, Wool (Note unusual lacing)

Socks, Cotton

*Shoes (Type)

Overshoes

Web Equipment (Type)

(Other item) One OD shirt, One pair OD pants, One pair HBT Pants,

(Other item)

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

6. Chevrons or
Insignia Two 2nd Lts Bars, One Set of crossed rifles Insignias.

(Type & location; shirt, jacket, coat, helmet)

Shoulder Patch UTD

7. Does clothing indicate that deceased was a member of the Air, Ground or Naval Forces. UTD

8. Description of Remains: Est

Age UTD Height 5'8" Weight 145 Description of wounds UTD

Bandages or dressings UTD Scars UTD
(Length, width, location)UTD Tattoos UTD
(Number, location-illustrate on sep. page)Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks UTD
(Yes-no; description, location)

UTD

Sunburn or tan, other than hands & face UTD

Complexion UTD
(Light, med, dark, clear, pimples, rocks, freckles)Build UTD
(Large, fat, thin, muscular)Hair ~~Blk~~ Light brown, Straight.
(Color, length, quantity, wavy, straight, whorls, or definite parting).

ANNEX #4

Banddages or dressings Scars length, width
 (location) Tattoos (number, location-illustrate on sperate page)
 Outstanding moles, warts or birthmarks (yes-no) (description)
 location
 Sunburn or tan, other than hands and face
 Tobacco stain on fingers or teeth (designate where, extent)
 Complexion (light, med, dark, clear, pimples, pocks, freckles)
 Build (large, fat, thin, muscular)
 Hair (color, length, quantity, curly, wavy, straight, whorles, or
 definite parting, baldness, widows peak, other characteristics)
 Sideburns Eyebrows (color, bushiness,
 (color, setting, shape)
 Mustache Beard or goatee (length, heavy, light,
 across nose (color, size, shape)
 Eyes (color, setting, shape)
 color, extent)
 Nose Ears (size, set close or far from
 (size, shape, straight)
 Forehead Mouth Lips sm, lge
 head) (high, wide, wrinkled) (large, med, small)
 Teeth (white, size, unevenness, spacing, noticeable crown, fillings, miss'g)
 Chin Cheekbones (high, normal)
 (prominent, receding, pointed, demple, double)
 Jaw Circumference of head in inches (hat band)
 (large, small, normal)
 Neck Larynx (prominent, normal)
 (size, long, short, normal, wrinkled)
 Shoulders Arms (length, muscular, color)
 (broad, straight, small, rounded)
 Extent & quantity of hair (vaccination scar, size of wrists)
 Hands (large, small, normal, calloused noticeably) (marks on fingers
 indicating that rings were worn)

Fingers (short, thick, long, slender; size of knuckles) (missing fingers or joints) yes unusual characteristics of fingernails)

Chest (size at nipples; yes color, quantity & extent of hair; large, small, normal) Back (quantity & extent of hair) Waist (size at new 32 appendectomy amount & yes color of hair) Circumcised (yes no) Pubic hair (no r)

Hernioplasty (yes-no) (location) Legs (inseam) yes muscular; knock-kneed, bowed, normal) (quantity, color & extent of hair)

Feet (size; corns; yes callouses; flat) Toes (Slender, yes straight, crooked, etc.)

Evidence of healed fractures (nose, arms, legs, etc.)

Black out parts of body not receives at cemetery



Have photographs been made and attached (yes-no) If not, explain _____

Have fingerprints been made on GRS #1 Body too badly decomposed If not, explain (yes-no) _____

Has tooth prints been made Body too badly decomposed If not, explain (yes-no) _____

Remarks:

Body in last stage of decomposition.

Bars and Inf line, found.

William D. Layson III 2nd Lt Inf
512 Cavalry Group
 Signature of GRO and Organization

CRC 200

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FRANCE 52

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
STAFF COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE
GCT (Z) TIME
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TEL & CAB SECTION

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
STAFF COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE
GCT (Z) TIME

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REF AGRC FIVE FIVE FIVE SIX

ATTN MEMORIAL DIVISION

REQ LATEST DENTAL INFO INDICATING FILLINGS FOR SECOND SLASH LT HENRY

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M LAYE JUNIOR CMA ZERO FIVE FIVE TWO SIX SI FOUR PD END AGRRE RAGUSE

CFN LAYE

22/1501Z AUG

File

20 Sept. 1949

G. W. ROGERS

Capt., QMC

Identification Branch

RECORD ATTACHED

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AIRMAIL

QMGMS 293
Laye, Henry M. Jr.
SN O 552 664

21 September 1949

SUBJECT: Additional Information

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

1. Reference is made to your radio AGRC 5556 dated 22 August 1949.
2. Inclosed herewith is photostat copy of Form 79 for 2nd Lt. Henry M. Laye Jr., O-552664, enlisted serial number 14116091.
3. WD AGO Form 165 dated 15 April 1942 indicates restorable teeth R-15. WD AGO Form 63 dated 29 March 1944 indicates restorable teeth R-8, 16, L-16.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

1 Incl
Photo of Form 79

T. H. METZ
Lt. Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

GWR

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AIRMAIL

ELM-175



OQMG FORM 638
REV 1 APR 48

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	Iden. Br. Search Info. Sec. Mackenburg	Admin. Pentagon Liaison	31 Aug. 1949	Radio #7380 Request all available dental information for Laye, Henry M., Jr., O-552664. SWR Rogers 72000
2	QM Penta- gon Liaison	Iden Br Search Info	13 Sept 1949	TWX forwarded 8 Sept 49. Form 79 attached. B.J.V. Sekowski 6679 E.M.D. Dyer 73090

293 LAYE, HENRY M., JR. O-552664
MD

FILE

SEP 20 1949
G. W. Rogers
Capt., QMC
Identification Branch

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
INTRA-OFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

DATE HOUR AND DATE

MESSAGE

Urgent 7380

Reference to all available records information for
Loye, Henry J., G-303000

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SEP 30 1949
Br. A. Evans
Capt. GNC
Identification Branch

Pentagon Liaison
SEP 11 1949
Mem. Div. OQMG

THIS FORM WILL REMAIN IN THE OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

O.C.
5 REGISTER OF DENTAL PATIENTS AT

DENTAL CLINIC NO. 2, 3rd S.T.R.

(1) SURNAME (2) CHRISTIAN NAME
Lave, Henry M. 14116091
(3) RANK (4) COMPANY (5) REGIMENT OR STAFF CORPS
Cpl. 3rd S.T.R.
(6) AGE, YEARS (7) RACE (8) NATIVITY (9) SERVICE, YEARS
21 W S. C. 8/12

(10) DISEASE OR INJURY WITH LOCATION, COMPLICATIONS, SEQUELAE, ETC.				(11) DATES AND NATURE OF TREATMENTS AND OPERATIONS		(12) RESULTS AND REMARKS	
Exam.				2-18	1944	Ad. Cl. II	JRT
Car. R-16							
Car. L-16							
Car. R-8				21	OA	II to IV	FCF

Dental Corps, U. S. A.

Form 79—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, U.S. A.
(Revised Feb. 24, 1941)

GPO 16-20622

*REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY

1A

UPPER TEETH

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

LOWER TEETH

Right								Left							
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

CLASS II to IV

Occlusion _____: Calculus: Slight, Medium, Heavy

Periodontoclasia _____

Dental foci suspected: Yes No

Other conditions _____

Date Feb - 18, 19 44Capt J B Thompson
Dental Corps, U. S. A.

*Restorable carious teeth by O
 Nonrestorable carious teeth by /
 Missing natural teeth by X

Teeth replaced by denture
(horizontal line)

X	X	X
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Teeth replaced by fixed bridge
(oval to include abutments)

O	X	O
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16-20622

FOR MAJ SEKOWSKI QM LN URNR 52 1 SEP ON HENRY M LAYE JR 14116091 &
Q552664 WD AGO FORM 165 DTD 15 APR 42 RESTORABLE TEETH R 15 WD AGO
FORM 63 DTD 29 MAR 44 RESTORABLE TEETH R 8 16 L 16 1 FORM 79 BEING
SENT

WATER DEM PERS REG BR AGO SL 08 SEP 48

101-07

IDENTIFICATION DATA

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL			ARMY SERIAL NUMBER		GRADE
Laye, Henry M. Jr.			O-552 664 14 116 091		2d Lt
HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR EYES	COLOR HAIR	SHOE SIZE	DATE OF DEATH
69 inches	147	Blue	Blond	10 C	19 Jan 45

LAST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (Give complete designation)

Co K. 232d Inf, APO 17797, c/o PM, NY, NY.

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA

Killed by shell fragments in the vicinity of Sessenheim, France.

LIST ALL CAMPS IN WHICH STATIONED IN U.S. PRIOR TO SERVICE OVERSEAS, WITH INCLUSIVE DATES AT EACH.

STATION	DATES

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS

None

TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTH MARKS

None

DENTAL CHART taken from WD AGO Form 63 dtd 29 Mar 44

(8) 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

UPPER RIGHT

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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UPPER LEFT

(16) 15 14 13 12 11 10 9

LOWER RIGHT

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 (16)

LOWER LEFT

X - EXTRACTED

0 - CARIOUS

/ - CARIOUS NON-RESTORABLE

REPORT OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

(See AR 40-100 and 40-105)

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Instructions.—Unless otherwise prescribed, this form will be used for all physical examinations of officers, nurses, or warrant officers; applicants for appointment as such in the Regular Army, National Guard, or Officers' Reserve Corps, and enrollment in the Reserve Officers' Training Corps. Use typewriter if practicable. Attach plain additional sheets if required.

1. Last name Lave First name Henry Middle initial M. Jr. Serial number 14116091

2. Grade Corporal Organization and arm or service 5th Co., 3d STR Age 21 Years of service 0

3. Nature of examination Appointment Component of Army AUS

4. Typhoid vaccination: No. series completed 1 Last series July 19 43

5. Date of last smallpox vaccination July 1943 Type of reaction Immune

6. Other vaccination or immunity tests Tetanus toxoid 1943

7. Medical history Measles in 1941. Mumps and whooping cough in childhood.

8. Eyes Normal

Distant vision: Right 20/ 20 correctible to 20/ by 4

(Snellen type) Left 20/ 20 correctible to 20/ by 4

Near vision: Right J# 1 correctible to J# by 4

(Jaeger type) Left J# 1 correctible to J# by 4

Refraction ¹ (under cycloplegic): Right Normal Left

Color perception (red and green) ² Normal

9. Ears Normal

Hearing (low conversational voice): Right 20 /20. Left 20 /20. Audiometer (percent loss): Right Left

10. Nose and throat Normal

11. Teeth: ³ Right (Examinee's) Left Indicate: Restorable carious teeth by O; nonrestorable carious teeth by /; missing natural teeth by X.

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

16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

Remarks, including other defects Recommend early dental treatment. Classification II

Prosthetic dental appliances None

12. Posture Good Figure Medium Frame Medium

(Excellent, good, fair, bad) (Slender, medium, stocky, obese) (Light, medium, heavy)

13. Temperature 98.6 Height 69 inches. Weight 147 pounds. Chest: Rest 35 inches; inspiration 37 inches; expiration 33 inches. Abdomen 27 inches.

14. Cardiovascular system: Heart Normal

Blood pressure: S. 128, D. 81 Pulse: Rate—Sitting 78 Immediately after exercise 102

Two minutes after exercise 80 Character Full and regular

Arteries Soft and compressible Varicose veins None

15. Respiratory system Normal

16. X-ray of chest Negative

17. Skin and lymphatics Normal Endocrine system Normal

18. Bones, joints, and muscles Normal Feet Normal

19. Abdominal viscera Normal

20. Hernia None Hemorrhoids None

¹ Appointment, promotion, retirement, annual, active duty, special.² Regular Army, National Guard, Officers' Reserve Corps, Reserve Officers' Training Corps.³ If annual physical examination, record only for past year.⁴ If annual physical examination, record only distant and near vision, and state whether defect is properly corrected.⁵ When indicated.⁶ Not required for annual physical examination.⁷ If rejected for appointment in Regular Army because of malocclusion, send plaster models to the Surgeon General.⁸ Required for candidates for commission.

21. Genito-urinary system Normal
22. Nervous system Normal
23. Laboratory procedures: Kahn¹ Negative Wassermann¹ ---
Urinalysis: Sp. gr. 1.014 Albumin Negative Sugar Negative
Microscopical (if indicated)¹ Negative
Other laboratory procedures None
24. Remarks on defects not sufficiently described None

25. Corrective measures, or other action recommended None
26. Is the individual permanently incapacitated for active service? No
If yes, specify defect
27. If applicant for appointment: Does he meet physical requirements? Yes Do you recommend acceptance with minor physical defects? --- If rejection is recommended, specify cause
28. Examinee states he is not drawing a pension, disability allowance, or compensation or retired pay from the U. S. Government.
If yes, state disability

DISPENSARY
3D STU TNG REGT
FT BENNING, GA.
(Place)

29 MARCH 44
(Date)

H. A. Adams
H. A. ADAMS, (Name and grade) MAJOR, MEDICAL Corps.
C. B. Mattheis
C. B. MATTHEIS, (Name and grade) 1ST LT, MEDICAL Corps.
J. W. Yablonsky
J. W. YABLONSKY, (Name and grade) 1ST LT, MEDICAL Corps.
1st Ind.²

Headquarters
To the Commanding General
Remarks and recommendations

(Name)
(Grade) (Organization and arm or service)
Commanding

2d Ind.²
19 To The Adjutant General.

¹ Required for candidates for commission.
² State action taken on recommendations of the board. If incapacitated for active service, state whether action by retiring board is recommended.

293 FILE		DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED		
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) Laye, Henry M., Jr.		GRADE 2/Lt	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER 0 552 664	
ORGANIZATION Co K 232 Inf Regt 42 Inf Div	RACE White	CREED	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable) 14 116 091	
DATE OF DEATH/MIA 19 Jan 45	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in Action	PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA By shell fragments in the vicinity of Sessenheim, France		
DATE OF FOD				
HEIGHT 69"	WEIGHT 147	COLOR EYES Blue	COLOR HAIR Blond	SHOE SIZE 10 C
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FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS		TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK		
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION Age: 22				

FILE

MAY 21 1948

E. J. Sullivan, 1st Lt., QMG
IDENTIFICATION BRANCH

QMGMF 293
Laye, Henry M., Jr.
SN O-552 664

19 August 1947

Mrs. H. M. Laye
Box 217
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Laye:

Your letters pertaining to your son, the late Second Lieutenant Henry M. Laye, Jr., have come to my attention.

With deep regret I must inform you that, as yet, information pertaining to the burial of the remains of your son has not been received in this office.

Units of the American Graves Registration Service are continuing their intensive search of the area in which he died. An inquiry is being made to obtain their latest information pertaining to the possible recovery and reburial of the remains of your son. Please rest assured that information in response to this inquiry will be communicated to you immediately upon its receipt in this office.

I greatly regret the delay in answering your letter and wish to extend my deepest sympathy in the loss of your son.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

MEMORIAL DIVISION

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REPAIRATION
RECORDS BRANCH

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Mr. _____
Miss. _____
Addressee: Mrs. E. M. Lape mother
Relationship _____
State Box 217
City, State Seneca, S.C. '47
Date letter _____
Cemetery _____
Temporary: _____
Permanent: _____
Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

PARAGRAPHS
(sequence)

-- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

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JK

Analyst Typist Reviewer

Modifications

OKed

11/25
Decedent: Lape
First King
Initial W. W.
Rank 2nd Lt.
ASN 0-553668

File
8-19-47
JB

F-8

TO: Identification Section

Case name Laye, Henry M., Jr., 0552664

Request situation paragraph, and cemetery if appropriate, applicable to this case.

JL
2608 "B"
7.21.47

Burial information not of record in this
section this date.
Suggest this file be sent to Records Section for 371.
8/11/47
Grant

Tab A

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO QMGME 095

Laye, Mrs. H. M.

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

24 June 1947

293 Laye, Henry M. 0-552664

Mrs. H. M. Laye
Box 217
Seneca, South Carolina

MB

Dear Mrs. Laye:

Your letter concerning your son has been received.

In order to furnish you with the desired information it will be necessary that you forward to this office the full name, rank, and serial number of your son.

Sincerely yours,

Richard B. Coombs
RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

11125

Dear Sir:

My son's full name was
293 Henry M. Laye, Jr, 0552669

Co K 232 Inf APO 17797

Postmaster N.Y. N.Y.
His wife has remained.
Thanked

Mrs H. M. Laye

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MB
A/2

WAR DEPARTMENT

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

IN REPLY, REFER TO
ORIGINAL NO.

Lave, Mrs. H. M.

24 June 1947

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

Mrs. H. M. Lave
Box 217
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Lave:

Your letter concerning your son has been received.

In order to furnish you with the desired information it will be
necessary that you forward to this office the full name, rank, and
serial number of your son.

Sincerely yours,

Richard B. Coombs
Major, GSC
Memorial Division

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Laye, Mrs. H. M.

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Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

24 June 1947

Mrs. H. M. Laye
Box 217
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Laye:

Your letter concerning your son has been received.

In order to furnish you with the desired information it will be necessary that you forward to this office the full name, rank, and serial number of your son.

Sincerely yours,

26
RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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RBC

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O. C. M. G.
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH



✓ 095 Laye, H. M. (Mrs.)

24 June 1947

Attention: Memorial Division
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Address Reply To

Laye, Mrs. H. M.

OMGMT 092

Seneca, South Carolina
Box 217
Mrs. H. M. Laye

Dear Mrs. Laye:

Your letter concerning your son has been received.
In order to furnish you with the desired information it will be
necessary that you forward to this office the full name, rank, and
serial number of your son.

Sincerely yours,

Memorial Division
Major, GNC
RICHARD B. COOMBS



RECEIVED
JUN 24 1947
WAR RELLOCATION AUTHORITY

Handwritten signature: H. M. (Laye)

CORRESPONDENCE ACTION WORK SHEET

095
Send Letter to Mrs. H. M. Lape Relationship Mother

ADDRESS Box 217, Seneca, South Carolina

Army Serial Number _____ Rank _____

OPENING PARAGRAPH: (62-1) son 62-2 62-3 62-4

BURIAL INFORMATION: 6 6A 7 8 9 10 10A 11 12 12A 13 13A
14 14A 14B 15 16 17 20 21 (22) 22B son.

Temp. Cem. _____
Perm. Cem. _____
Plot Row Grave Name of Cem. City and Country

RETURN OF REMAINS: 78 79 81 82

OTHER PARAGRAPHS 23 24 26 27 28 29 30 35 36 40 41 42
43 51 53 54 55 56 57 58 58A 60 61 63A
63B 65 65A 65B 65C 65D 66 67 68 68A 69 70
73 74 76 84 85

INDORSEMENTS: To AG (47 71) To Ch of Chap (48 71)
To Other Agencies: (71)

PERSONAL EFFECTS: 50 64

SUSPEND _____ days

Copy of letter to AGO and Identification Section*

TEMPORARY CHANGE OF ADDRESS * PERMANENT CHANGE OF ADDRESS
BUCK SLIP TO RECORDS SECTION
COPY TO ADJUTANT GENERAL

Dates of Letters for which Copies are Necessary to AAF:

OTHER:

CLOSING PARAGRAPH: 62-5 Regret Delay *

Letter to be Dated MRJ Analyst Typist Reviewer

* Note: Circle paragraph numbers and/or starred phrases that are applicable.

NAME OF DECEASED

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

MIDDLE INITIAL

file
6/24/47
LMR

6-10-47



INDUSTRIAL LIFE & HEALTH
INSURANCE COMPANY

HOME OFFICE

ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Seneca, S.C.
May 30, 1947.

Quartermaster General;
Washington 25, D.C.

0001971

Dear Sirs:

Please send me information
concerning the return of the dead
of the war. I had a son killed
in France, and I wanted to have
his body returned.

Thanking you,

Mrs H. M. Laye

Box 217

Seneca, S.C.

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JAN 10 1948
U.S. ARMY
HONOLULU DIVISION

INDUSTRIAL LIFE & HEALTH
INSURANCE COMPANY



James B. C.
May 30, 1947



*For information of Bureau;
Washington, D.C.*

Dear Sir:
*Enclosed for return of the Bureau
is the report of the field
of the W.A. I. and a copy of the
report of the field.*

REGISTRATION AND
RECORDS BRANCH
JUN 5 3 57 PM '47
MEMORIAL DIVISION

*Very truly,
Sincerely,
James B. C.*

26 OCT 1949

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND
EUROPEAN AREA
APO 58 US ARMY

IDENTIFICATION
RECOMMENDED

LAYE, Henry M. Jr. ----- 2/Lt ----- 0-552664
(Name) (Rank) (ASN)
previously buried as Unknown X - 6146, USMC St Avold, France
Identification accepted in accordance with Letter, File AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47)
D-M, War Dept., TAGO, 9 April 47, subject: Establishment of Boards of Review for
Identification of Unknown Dead Overseas, by the following members of the Board
of Review, established by Par. 5, SO # 16, Hq, A.G.R.C., dated 3 Feb 49,
amendment, Par 2, SO # 32, dated 18 Mar 1949, Hq, A.G.R.C., and SO # 43, dated
19 April 1949, Hq, A.G.R.C.

Col. H.P. HENRY, 0-12589 QMC Lt.Col. E.D. MULVANNITY, 0-359598 QMC

Major Roger BERGER, 0-251736 ORD Captain Jack C. HAYES, 0-1577297 QMC

Captain E.F. PRICE Jr., 0-1588236 QMC 1/Lt. Edward E. LUTZ, 0-1595665 QMC
1/Lt. Gaylord E. LUTZ, 0-1595665 QMC

IDENTIFICATION
RECOMMENDED

APPROVED

23 Jan 50
J. H. Metz Lt. Col. QMC

File 50
27 Jan 50
J. Johnson

REPORT OF BURIAL
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 :
Weight :
Color of Eyes :
Color of Hair :
Race :

Laundry Marks :
Number of Rifle :
Wear Glasses ?
Is Tooth Chart Attached ?

(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.

Disposition of Identification Tags : Buried with body Yes ☐ No ☐
If No Identification Tags Previously Buried as Unknown X-Only (See Avoids) ☐
How were remains identified?
Identified through: (1) Similarity of tooth chart of-
fained for X-Only & that of Lt. Lave. (2) Lt. Lave's & color of hair as in-
dicated for X-Only agree favorably with those of Lt. Lave. (3) Lt. Lave's
Officer's initials inscribed on clothing of X-Only in agreement with
What means of identification were buried with the body?
(A) Ref. date & place of death of Lt. Lave.
Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs,
probable organization of deceased, etc.:

Left Hand

Right Hand

Who is buried on :
Deceased's Right :
Deceased's Left :

Thumb

Ground Forces
Organization :
Rank :
Serial No. :
Name :
BOUCHINO

Ground Forces
Organization :
Rank :
Serial No. :
Name :
MINNOM

TOOTH CHART

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.

Deceased's Left

Deceased's Right

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

Characteristics :
Other Data

Upper

Lower

Emergency Address

Address

Religion

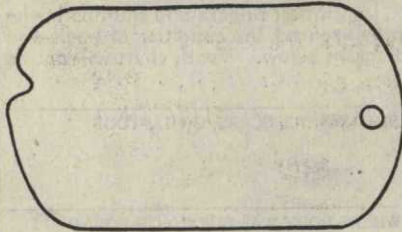
Unknown

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

Previously buried in isolated grave
located at: SESSNHEIM, (Ras Rhin) France
Sh. 27, 1/200.000 (R-1222)

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WD QMC FORM 1042
(Rev. 1 Apr. 1945)
(Supersedes GRS Form 1)REPORT OF INTERMENT
(AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)DATE OF REPORT
8 May 1946Imprint Identification Tag If Possible.
DO NOT TYPE

Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.

NAME (Last, first, middle initial)

Unknown X-6146 ^{Print} LAYE, HENRY M. Jr.

SERIAL No.

- Unknown -
0-552664

GRADE

- Unknown - 2/Lt.

ORGANIZATION

Unknown

BRANCH OF SERVICE

Ground Forces

RACE

Unknown

RELIGION

Unknown

IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD, GIVE
NAME OF COUNTRY

PLACE OF DEATH

Sessenheim, BAS-RHIN,
France.

CAUSE OF DEATH

Unknown

DATE OF DEATH

Est Jan 45

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address)

Unknown

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY
(1, 2, or none)

None

IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse)

Ident. by field. approved by Col. Metz 23 Jan. 50. efb

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED? (Yes or no)

Yes

See B/R dated 7 Oct 49

LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME

(3) Three 2nd Lts. Bars

(1) One Set of Officers crossed rifles Insignias.

(Forwarded to Effects Depot)

Section 2.—BURIAL. If other than in established cemetery, furnish sketch and map coordinates on reverse.

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

US Military Cemetery (Q-260584) St. Avoird, France

DATE OF BURIAL	HOUR	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other)	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER	PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
8 May 1946	1430	Casket	Temp wooden cross	AAAA	7	83
WAS THIS A REBURIAL? (Yes or no)	IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY. AND LOCATION OF GRAVE			PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
Yes	Sessenheim, BAS-RHIN, France. Eur Rd Map Sheet No 87, 1:200,000 (R-1922)			Isolated Grave		
TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY	PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES		IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODY			
General Service	Captain, O.A. RUSHER, 0528621		One copy of WD QMC Form 1042 placed in Burial bottle and buried with remains.			
IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or no)	IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no)					
No	Yes, Embossed Plate					
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial)			RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE No.
MINNON, MIKE JR.			UNK	33037912	Ground Forces	82
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial)			RANK	SERIAL No.	ORGANIZATION	GRAVE No.
BOCCHINO, JAMES A.			UNK	33934697	Ground Forces	84
SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT			SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT			
William D. Lawson III 2nd Lt Inf 535 Quartermaster Group			RALPH W. SLEATOR, MAJOR, INF. THIRD FIELD COMMAND			


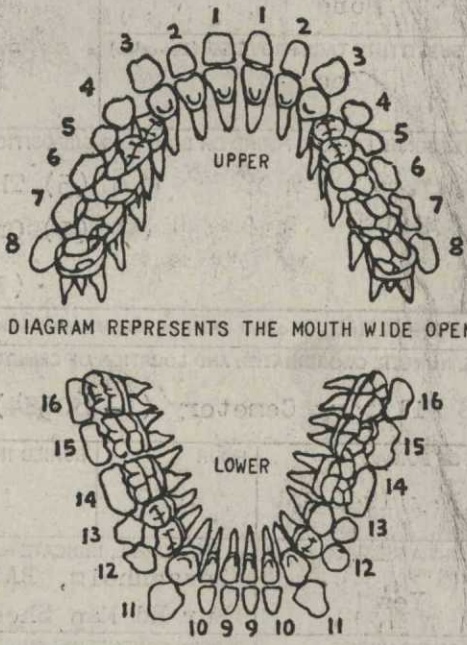




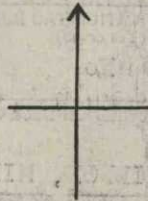
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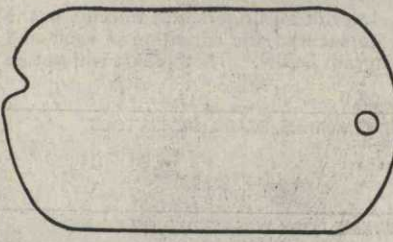
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		Section 3.—UNIDENTIFIED REMAINS.				
LEFT LITTLE FINGER	INSTRUCTIONS: (a) Great care will be taken to record the most minute clues for the future identity of unidentified remains. Fill in anatomical characteristics below, and any other clues under "Other," such as shoe size, social security number; position of body found in airplanes, vehicles, and tanks; and serial numbers of airplanes, vehicles, and tanks. (b) A fingerprint, or prints, are the most valuable of all clues. Imprint all fingers and thumbs in the chart at left, or as many as possible. If no fingerprint or prints can be secured, the condition of each and every tooth will be indicated on the tooth chart in accordance with diagram below. Tooth chart will not be accomplished if one or more fingerprints are secured.					
LEFT RING FINGER	HEIGHT Est 5' 8"	WEIGHT UTD	COLOR OF EYES UTD	COLOR OF HAIR UTD	BIRTHMARKS, SCARS, OR TATTOOS UTD	
LEFT MIDDLE FINGER	WEAPON AND SERIAL No. None		LAUNDRY MARKS None		WHERE BODY WAS BURIED OR FOUND	
LEFT INDEX FINGER	OTHER IDENTIFICATION CLUES 93) Three 2nd Lts Bars (1) One Set of Officers crossed rifles insignias.					
LEFT THUMB	FILLINGS  SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING		 UPPER LOWER DIAGRAM REPRESENTS THE MOUTH WIDE OPEN			
RIGHT THUMB	CAVITIES  CAVITY DECAYED					
RIGHT INDEX FINGER	MISSING TEETH  TOOTH MISSING					
RIGHT MIDDLE FINGER	CROWNED TEETH  PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN					
RIGHT RING FINGER	BRIDGE WORK  GOLD BRIDGE					
RIGHT LITTLE FINGER	FURNISH SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE AND COORDINATES FOR BURIAL IN OTHER THAN ESTABLISHED CEMETERY 					
REMARKS: Attached: Form II Checklist for Unknowns and Form IA Tooth Chart. Too badly decomposed for fingerprints and portions of one hand missing. Est weight of remains, 145lbs						

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WD QMC FORM 1042 (Rev. 1 Apr. 1945) (Supersedes GRS Form 1)		REPORT OF INTERMENT (AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)		DATE OF REPORT 8 May 1946	
Imprint Identification Tag If Possible. DO NOT TYPE		Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.			
		NAME (Last, first, middle initial) Unknown X-6146 LAYE, HENRY M. Jr.		SERIAL No. Unknown - - - - -	
		GRADE Unknown 2/Lt.	ORGANIZATION Unknown	BRANCH OF SERVICE Ground Forces	
		RACE Unknown	RELIGION Unknown	IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD, GIVE NAME OF COUNTRY	
		PLACE OF DEATH Sessenheim, BAS-RHIN, France.		CAUSE OF DEATH Unknown	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Unknown					
IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY (1, 2, or none) None		IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse) Ident. by field. approved by Col. Metz 23 Jan. 50. efb See B/R dated 7 Oct 49			
WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?(Yes or no) Yes					
LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME (3) Three 2nd Lts. Bars (1) One Set of Officers crossed rifles Insignias. (Forwarded to Effects Depot)					
Section 2.—BURIAL. If other than in established cemetery, furnish sketch and map coordinates on reverse.					
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DATE OF BURIAL 8 May 1946	HOUR 1430	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other) Casket	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER Temp wooden cross	PLOT No. AAAA	ROW No. 7 GRAVE No. 83
WAS THIS A REBURIAL? (Yes or no) Yes	IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE Sessenheim, BAS-RHIN, France. Bur Rd Map Sheet No 87, 1:200,000 (R-1922)			PLOT No.	ROW No. GRAVE No. Isolated Grave
TYPE OF RELIGIOUS CEREMONY General Service	PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES Captain, O.A. RUSHAN, 0528621		IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODY One copy of WD QMC Form 1042 placed in Burial bottle and buried with remains.		
IDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH BODY (Yes or no) No	IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO MARKER (Yes or no) Yes, Embossed Plate				
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) MINNION, MIKE JR.		RANK UNK	SERIAL No. 33037912	ORGANIZATION Ground Forces	GRAVE No. 82
BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial) BOGCHINO, JAMES A.		RANK UNK	SERIAL No. 43934697	ORGANIZATION Ground Forces	GRAVE No. 84
SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT William D. Dwyer III 2nd Lt Inf 535 Quartermaster Group		SIGNATURE OF OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT OT 11800 43807 MAJOR, INF. 1st Field Command			
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Original dated 23 b 45

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

REPORT OF DEATH

no 3627

DATE 24 September 1945

FULL NAME Laye, Henry M. Jr.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0552664		GRADE 2nd Lt.	
HOME ADDRESS Seneca, South Carolina		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry		DATE OF BIRTH 10 Nov 22	
PLACE OF DEATH European Area		CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH *19 Jan 45	
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 27 Jun 44		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Mrs. Sara L. Laye, wife, Depot St., Seneca, S. C.					
BENEFICIARY (Name, relationship, and address) On 14 Jun 43, while an enlisted man he designated as benef: Henry M. Laye, Sr., father, 515 E. Main St., Seneca, S. C. Ina A. Laye, mother, same as above					
INVESTIGATION MADE YES NO		IN LINE OF DUTY YES NO		OWN MISCONDUCT YES NO	
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS YES NO		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE YES NO		IN FLYING PAY STATUS YES NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
OTHER PAY STATUS (Specify below) YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO					
ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT *Mrs. Sara L. Laye, wife, Depot St., Seneca, S. C. (Not designated) (No break in service) Combat Infantryman; The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 19 Jan 45 until such absence was terminated on 15 Feb 45, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from a Commander in the European Area. *Previously reported date of death 10 Jan 45.					

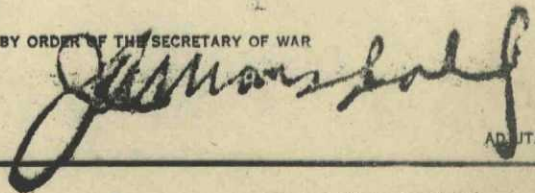
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ADJUTANT GENERAL

WD AGO FORM
JUN 1945

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EDITION OF 1 FEBRUARY 1945 MAY BE USED.

WAR DEPARTMENT

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH eg/3709

DATE 23 Feb 45

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INVESTIGATION MADE?	IN LINE OF DUTY	OWN MISCONDUCT	WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS	AUTHORIZED ABSENCE	IN FLYING PAY STATUS	OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

☒ BATTLE ☐ NON-BATTLE

*Bene con't.

Mrs. Sara L. Laye, wife, Depot St., Seneca, S. C. (Not designated) (No break in service)

Combat Infantryman.

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S. G. O.	F. B. I.	F. O., U. S. A.
2. O. G. M. G.	O. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		A. G. 201 FILE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR.

ADJUTANT GENERAL

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1 DECEMBER 1944THIS FORM SUPERSEDES WD AGO FORM 52-1, 29 MAY 1944, WHICH
STOCKS ARE EXHAUSTED.

5 MAR 1945



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Original dated 23 Feb 45

WAR DEPARTMENT
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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Ina A. Laye, mother, same as above

INVESTIGATION MADE		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (Specify below)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

*Mrs. Sara L. Laye, wife, Depot St., Seneca, S. C. (Not designated) (No break in service)

Combat Infantryman;

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 19 Jan 45 until such absence was terminated on 15 Feb 45, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from a Commander in the European Area.

*Previously reported date of death 10 Jan 45.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

[Signature]

ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

430567

REPORT OF DEATH eg/3709

DATE 23 Feb 45

FULL NAME Laye, Henry M. Jr.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0552664		GRADE 2nd Lt.									
HOME ADDRESS Seneca, South Carolina		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry		DATE OF BIRTH 10 Nov 22									
PLACE OF DEATH European Area		CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 10 Jan 45									
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 27 Jun 44		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS									
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Sara L. Laye, wife, Depot St., Seneca, S.C.													
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) On 14 Jun 43 while an enlisted man he designated as beneficiaries: Henry M. Laye Sr., father, 515 E. Main St., Seneca, S.C. Ina A. Laye, mother, same as above*													
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

☒ BATTLE ☐ NON-BATTLE

*Bene con't.

Mrs. Sara L. Laye, wife, Depot St., Seneca, S. C. (Not designated) (No break in service)

Combat Infantryman.



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G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		A. G. 201 FILE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR.

James H. Self
ADJUTANT GENERAL

430,567

WPH:GC:vl
February 18, 1946

Mrs. Sara L. Laye,
Depot Street.
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Laye:

1.90

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IN REPLY REFER TO

KANSAS CITY 17 MISSOURI
801 HUNDELL AVENUE

KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPT
ARMY SERVICE FORCES

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAUORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. Sara L. Laye

2nd Lt. Henry M. Laye, Jr.

Depot Street

Seneca, South Carolina

Effects of:

Name

O-552664

ASN

430567 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 22 October 1945

RTB: IH:bjm

FOR: Boyer
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.

REMARKS:

"SHIP DAMAGED PROPERTY"

Franked _____
 Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
 Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
 No. of packages 2

Shipping Clerk mt

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L-2664E

LAUNDRY INVENTORY
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

L-2664E

DRY CLEANING		Do not use		LAUNDRY		Do not use	
1	TRUNKS, SWIM	✓	30	1	2	SHIRTS, WOOL	✓
	LEGGINGS				2	SHIRTS, WOOL	✓
	BATHROBES					TROUSERS, COTTON	
	BED ROLL					TIE, COTTON	
	COMFORTER					UNDERSHIRTS, COTTON	
						SHIRTS, DRESS, COTTON	
						DRAWERS, COTTON	
						SWEATSHIRTS, COTTON OR WOOL	
						DRAWERS, WOOL	
						SOCKS, COTTON, PR.	
						SOCKS, WOOL, PR.	
						PAJAMA TOPS	
						PAJAMA BOTTOMS	
						FATIGUES, 1 PC., COTTON	
						FATIGUES, TOPS, COTTON	
						FATIGUES, TROUSERS, COTTON	
						FATIGUES, CAP	
						BELT, COTTON	
						TOWEL, HAND	
					2	TOWEL, BATH	✓
						CLOTH, WASH	
						GLOVES, COTTON	
						JACKET, FIELD	
						SUPPORTERS, ATHLETIC	
						HANDKERCHIEFS	
						SCARFS, COTTON	
						CASE, PILLOW	
						TRUNKS, GYM	
						SHEETS, COTTON	
						BAGS, BARRACKS	

TALLY NO.	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS.	EXAMINING DATE	BOX NO.	SHEET	OF	SHEETS
		Oct. 45				
NAME			A. S. N.			
Henry M. Lave, Jr.			0552664			
ORGANIZATION			RANK		CASE NO.	
			2/Lt.			
WAREHOUSE SPACE		EXAMINED BY	SUPERVISOR'S OK		LAUNDRY REMOVED	
2p91		Cane	✓		FROM	
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION		LISTED BY			FOOTLOCKER	
Cm		Wimber				
10-11-45		CHECKED BY	DATE		BY WHOM	
		Danson	OCT 30 1945			
		CHECKED AND PACKED BY				
		RC				

142102

ATTACHMENTS		EFFECTS INVENTORY		STATUS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INBOUND INVENTORY		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		<input type="checkbox"/> DECEASED	
<input type="checkbox"/> G. R. OR SUB GR LABEL				<input type="checkbox"/> MISSING	
<input type="checkbox"/> WILL OR POWER OF ATTY.				<input type="checkbox"/> P. O. W.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TALLY IN FORM 43				<input type="checkbox"/> ABANDONED	
<input type="checkbox"/> TALLY IN FORM 43				<input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN	
BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL		BELT		OVERCOATS	
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)		BOOKS, ADDRESS		PAPERS, PERSONAL	
BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)		BOOKS, PILOT LOG		PENCIL, MECHANICAL	
BOOKS		BRUSHES		PEN, FOUNTAIN	
BRACELET, IDENT.		CASE		PHOTOS	
CAMERAS		CLOTH, WASH		PIPES	
CLOTHING		COATS		RINGS	
MISC. ARTICLES		FOOTLOCKER		SCARFS	
RELIGIOUS ARTICLES		FOOTWEAR, PR.		SHIRTS	
RIBBONS, DECORATION		GLASSES		SOCKS, PR.	
SHORT SNORTER		GLOVES, PR.		STATIONERY	
SOUVENIR MONEY		HANDKERCHIEFS		TIES	
SOUVENIRS		HEADWEAR		TOBACCO	
TESTAMENTS		JACKETS		TOILET ARTICLES	
TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS		KITS		TOWELS	
U. S. MONEY (AMOUNT)		KNIVES		TROUSERS, PR.	
WATCH		LETTERS		TRUNKS, PR.	
WINGS		LIGHTERS		UNDERWEAR	

CONTAINERS ADDRESSED TO

None

INFORMATION

Wife
Mrs. Sarah Louise Lape
Depot Street
Spartanburg, South Carolina

NAME AND STATUS VARIATIONS

CROSS REFERENCE

Added in Henry M. Lape.
Inventory shows Henry
M. Lape, Jr.

CHECK	REC'D BY	NUMBER	BUREAU CHECK
MONEY ORDER			TRANSMIT ORIGINAL
BOND		SYMBOL	ORIG. REG. MAIL
TRAV. CHECK		AMOUNT	TO G. A. O.
FOREIGN CURRENCY			MUTILATED
U. S. CURRENCY			TO ISSUING AGENCY
		DATE	
		BANK OR PLACE OF ISSUE	
		PAYEE	
		REMITTER OR DRAWER	

TALLY NO.	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS.	EXAMINING DATE	BOX NO.	SHEET
		1 Oct. 45		OF SHEETS
NAME		A. S. N.		
Henry M. Lape, Jr.		0552664		
ORGANIZATION		RANK		
		2/26		
WAREHOUSE SPACE		EXAMINED BY		
412X		Cani		
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION		PACKED BY		
#1000		Henry		
WEIGHT		INSPECTED BY		
30		BC		
		STORED BY		
		DATE		
		OCT 30 1945		
		BY WHOM		
		M		

NAME LAYE, HENRY M. LT. 2664

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
44	12		2934
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
BOX			

Eff. QM Form 43

HEADQUARTERS 232D INFANTRY
APO 411, c/o Postmaster New York, N. Y.

23 March 1945
(Date)

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of Laye, Henry M., Jr.
(Last name, first name, MI)
0552664 2d Lt KIA
Army serial number, Grade, Status-KIA, MIA, DOW, WIA, etc.)

TO : Effects Quartermaster, Communication Zone, ETO USA
(Thru 7th Army Class 2 Quartermaster Depot, APO 758)

1. The above named individual of Co K, 232d Infantry was
(Unit)
reported KIA about 19 January 1945 at
(KIA, MIA, DOW, etc.) (Date)
or near Scherrhoffen, France WBL322
(Town and coordinates)

2. The designated beneficiary is Mrs. Sara Louise Laye (wife)
(Name and address)
Depot Street, Seneca, South Carolina

3. Inventory of effects:
See Attached Sheet

4. Money in the amount of \$ _____ has been turned in to

(Name, rank, ASN and Symbol Number of Finance Officer)

5. I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects,
secured by me, of the above named individual, and that they were for-
warded to the Quartermaster, 7th Army on 24 April 1945.
(Date)

Perry N. Riley
PERRY N. RILEY, O-430667
Captain, 232d Infantry
Personal Effects Officer
(Name, rank and ASN of
forwarding Officer)

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

Laye, Henry M., Jr. 0552664 2d Lt.

1-Val Pack ✓
 1-Pr. Trousers, Pink ✓
 1-Blouse, Officers' w/insignia ✓
 1-Pr. Trousers, gabardine, w/belt ✓
 1-Pr. Trousers, CKC ✓
 2-Shirts, CKC ✓
 1-Jacket, Field ✓
 1-Shirt, Pink ✓
 1-Shirt, gabardine ✓
 1-Pr. Trousers, OD ✓
 1-Shirt, OD ✓
 3-Neckties, CKC ✓
 1-Cap, Garrison, CKC ✓
 2-Caps, Garrison, OD, one w/2nd Lt Bars ✓
 2-Towels, bath ✓
 1-Towel, huck ✓
 1-Clock, alarm (St. Regis), broken ✓
 2-Undershirts, cotton ✓
 9-Letters ✓
 2-Razors, safety ✓
 1-Pr. Tweezers ✓
 1-Kit, Toilet, leather, Zipper ✓
 1-Pipe, Monterey ✓
 3-Insignia, Infantry ✓
 1-Insignia, 2d Lt. ✓
 1-Tag, Drivers Permit ✓
 1-WD AGO Form #55 ✓
 1-WD AGO Form #63 ✓
 1-Pr. Trunks, Swimming ✓
 1-Pr. Slippers, bedroom, in leather pouch ✓
 1-Pr. Slippers, bathroom ✓
 1-Pr. Shoes, Civilian ✓
 1-Pr. Boots, Combat ✓

430567 ✓

RTB: IH:bjm
October 22, 1945

Mrs. Sara L. Laye
Depot Street
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Laye:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your husband, Second Lieutenant Henry M. Laye, Jr. ✓

These effects, contained in two cartons, 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 officer's legal residence. ✓

Sincerely yours, ✓

P. L. KOOB
1st Lt., QMC
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Branch

me
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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: Mrs. Sara L. Laye

Effects of:

Name 2nd Lt. Henry M. Laye, Jr.

ASN 2552664

Case No. 430567 D

Wt.

DATE 1 October 1945
RTB:GC:mw

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

☒ Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 130169
Amount \$1.90
☒ Inclose "Valuables" item
Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G. I.
Note discrepancy in _____
Films removed
Diary removed
Laundry removed

150826 emh

ROUTING:

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

130169

430567

VALUABLES SHIPPED

October 1

45

Sara L. Laye

DATE

1.90

BY

One and 90/100

REMARKS

Franked
Est. Exp. Chgs.
Est. Frt. Chgs.
No. of package

Shipping Clerk

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

MAY 11 1945

MB

430,567

CASE NO.

TYPED BY

dg

DATE

6/4/45

STATUS

DEC

NAME

Henry M. Laye, jr

A.S.N.

0-552664

RANK

2nd Lt

ORGANIZATION

AMOUNT

1.90

ACCOUNT NO.

130169 REP

LIST NO.

F-270

PAID-Check No.

150826

REMARKS

A C C O U N T I N G I N V E N T O R Y .

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

CASE NO.

430,567
md.

TYPED BY

jc

DATE

6/26/45

STATUS

DEC

NAME

Henry M. Laye

A.S.N.

0552664

RANK

2nd Lt.

ORGANIZATION

AMOUNT

0.19

ACCOUNT NO.

LIST NO.

F 264

REMARKS

VALUABLES SHIPPED

DATE

BY

A C C O U N T I N G I N V E N T O R Y

430567

RTB:GC:mw
October 1, 1945

Mrs. Sara L. Laye
Depot Street
Seneca, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Laye:

I am inclosing a check for \$1.90, and coins in the amount of \$0.19, representing funds of your husband, Second Lieutenant Henry M. Laye, Jr. I am also inclosing some pictures which belonged to him.

No other property belonging to him has been received at the Army Effects Bureau to date.

Our action in transmitting funds does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient. Such property is forwarded for distribution according to the laws of the state of decedent's legal residence.

Money ordinarily is sent from overseas by mail in advance of other effects; therefore, it is probable that additional belongings of decedent will reach this Bureau at a later date. As it is intended to forward any such property to you promptly upon receipt here, I ask that you please notify this Bureau if there is a change in your address within the next few months.

Sincerely,

A. G. SCHUMACHER
Captain, QMC
Asst. Chief, Adm. Division

Incls--
Check
Coins
Pictures

MS

FEK/mc 549

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

IN REPLY REFER TO:

AG 201 Laye, Henry M. Jr.
(22 June 45) PC-R

430567
MB

22 June 1945

JUN 30 1945

SUBJECT: Personal Effects

TO: Effects Quartermaster, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot,
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri

Inclosed are personal effects of Second Lieutenant Henry M. Laye, Jr.,
0552664, deceased, for disposition.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL SOMERVELL:

FEK
Adjutant General

1 Incl.
Envelope

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

IN REPLY TO
AG 201 Leave, Henry M. Jey, Jr.
(22 June 45) PG-1

22 June 1945

SUBJECT: Personal Effects

TO: Effects Quartermaster, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot,
601 Hendricks Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri

Inclosed are personal effects of Second Lieutenant Henry M. Jey, Jr.,
0382564, deceased, for disposition.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL SCHEMEL:

W. H. Scheemel
Adjutant General

1 Incl.
Envelope

RECEIVED BUREAU
KANSAS CITY, MO.
JUN 27 1945