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MEMORIALIZATION OF NON-RECOVERABLE
REMAINS OF WORLD WAR II

THIS FILE HAS BEEN AUDITED FOR NON-RECOVERABILITY

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

ADAMS, LEONARD E

RANK

PFC

SERIAL NUMBER

35 899 388

ARM OF SERVICE

ARMY

DATE OF DEATH

21 JAN '45

AREA OF DEATH

FRANCE

NAME OF AUDITOR

MAPLES

DATE

6 JUNE '51

NAME OF REVIEWER

KINKEAD

DATE

6 JUNE 51

REMARKS

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CONTROLLED CASE

NAME <i>[Handwritten Signature]</i> ADAMS, LEONARD E.		GRADE PFC	SERIAL NO. 35 899 388
DO NOT TAKE ANY ACTION ON THIS CASE OR RELEASE INFORMATION FROM THIS FILE WITHOUT THE CONCURRENCE OF:			
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NON-RECOVERABLE REMAINS REEXAMINATION OF RECORDS		
AREA OF DEATH European, vicinity of Reipertswiller, France		CASE NUMBER 16030
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) 242 Adams, Leonard E.	RANK Pfc	SERIAL NUMBER 35 899 388
IN THE COURSE OF THIS REEXAMINATION IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF DEATH WERE SUCH THAT: (Check appropriate box)		
<input type="checkbox"/> THE REMAINS OF THE DECEDENT COULD NOT HAVE BEEN RECOVERED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> THE REMAINS OF THE DECEDENT COULD HAVE BEEN RECOVERED. HOWEVER, AFTER REVIEW OF THE FOLLOWING IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT EVIDENCE DOES NOT EXIST TO CONTRADICT A FINDING OF NON-RECOVERABILITY:		
1. 293 FILE OF DECEDENT		INITIALS OF ANALYST E.M.
2. GEOGRAPHICAL CLUE INDEX FILE OF UNKNOWNNS RECOVERED FROM APPROPRIATE AREA, COMPARED WITH DECEDENT		E.M.
3. OTHER DOCUMENTS OR SOURCES		
REMARKS		
✓ MAN File 7 MAY 1951 <hr/> <i>J. Miller</i> <hr/> Identification Branch		
RECOMMEND APPROVAL		APPROVED
NAME OF CASE ANALYST <i>E. Miller</i>	CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION	CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>M. J. Edwards</i>
		DATE

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NON-RECOVERABLE CASE RECORD OF REVIEW AND APPROVAL	NUMBER 16030 (1)
	AREA OR ZONE(S) European

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) Adams, Leonard E.	RANK Pfc	SERIAL NUMBER 35 899 388
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THE ATTACHED PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND THE FINDINGS OF NON-RECOVERABILITY OF THE REMAINS OF THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUAL(S) ARE APPROVED. (Corrections in name, rank, and/or serial number have been effected when appropriate.)

Individual Case

IN THE COURSE OF THIS REVIEW THE FOLLOWING SOURCES OF INFORMATION HAVE BEEN EXAMINED FOR ADDITIONAL CLUES. COPIES OF ANY DOCUMENTS BELIEVED MATERIAL TO THE CASE ARE ATTACHED FOLLOWING THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW.

1. 293 FILE OF SUBJECT(S)	INITIALS OF ANALYST	(CROSS OUT THOSE NOT APPLICABLE) a. REPORT OF DEATH UNKNOWN TO DEATH UNKNOWN TO DEATH	INITIALS OF ANALYST
3. A - Z FILE OF KNOWN INTERMENTS IN U.S. MILITARY CEMETERIES, ISOLATED LOCATIONS, AND SEA BURIALS	VAT	4. GEOGRAPHICAL CLUE INDEX FILE OF UNKNOWN RECOVERED FROM APPROPRIATE AREA	VAT
5. ALPHABETICAL INDEX OF "BELIEVED TO BE" AND TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED UNKNOWN	VAT	6. ALPHABETICAL FILE OF FORMER UNKNOWN NOW IDENTIFIED	VAT
7. OTHER DOCUMENTS OR SOURCES	None		

THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES HAVE BEEN FOUND TO BE SUBSTANTIALLY AS PRESENTED IN THE ATTACHED PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW, WITH THE FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONS:

KIA on 21 January 1945 in the vicinity of Reipertswiller, France

**NAI
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7 MAY 1951
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NAME OF CASE ANALYST <i>Vincent A. Thomas</i> Vincent A. Thomas/cwt	CASE TO BE FORWARDED TO _____ FOR CONSIDERATION OF NOTIFICATION TO INTERESTED PARTIES.
RECOMMEND APPROVAL CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>W. A. Wolf</i> W. A. WOLF	APPROVED. CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION <i>Mary A. Edwards</i> MARY A. EDWARDS, 1/LE QMC
	CHIEF, IDENTIFICATION BRANCH <i>Thomas E. Cox</i> THOMAS E. COX, Capt QMC
	DATE 4 May 1951

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EXHIBIT "A"
 ROSTER TO ACCOMPANY NON-SPECIFIC BOARD
 FINDINGS OF NON-RECOVERABILITY
 (Department of Bas-Rhin, France)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>ASN</u>
Ackerley, Fred	Sgt	38 468 424
Adams, Leonard E.	Pfc	38 589 388
Baham, Tony	Pfc	38 173 919
Bassett, Jay	Pfc	38 475 236
Belter, Frank J.	Pfc	36 833 083
Bonebrake, Otis E.	1/Lt	0-1 318 408
Bowen, Sanford K.	Pfc	35 308 473
Braaten, Bjarne	Pfc	36 275 766
Bridges, Daniel E.	Pfc	34 008 313
Brooks, Kenneth A.	Pfc	42 155 608
Brown, Clossie D.	Pfc	35 831 035
Brown, Millie W.	T/5	37 234 109
Brucker, Lawrence E.	Pfc	18 029 254
Bryant, Elvis W.	Cpl	12 164 481
Buchanan, Omer A.	Pfc	34 605 292
Bunde, Maurice (NMI)	Pvt	37 249 613
Callahan, George S.	Pfc	36 765 523
Caron, Roger H.	Pfc	31 374 950
Chambers, James W.	Pvt	38 528 947
Chambers, Mylett E.	T/4	32 584 042
Christmann, Robert L.	Sgt	19 186 994
Cole, Hood E.	Pfc	34 834 714
Colline, Vito J.	Pfc	32 738 853
Colton, George D.	Pfc	12 211 806
Condley, Mack E.	Pfc	38 852 590
Corcoran, Earle E.	Pvt	39 286 307
Corvin, Estle E.	Pfc	33 660 153
Crane, Allen C.	Cpl	20 831 899
Dillard, James E.	Pfc	33 658 417
Dolence, Albin J.	T/5	35 529 870
Donlay, Paul C.	T/5	37 221 474
Drake, Henry E.	T/4	38 105 053
Dufrene, Silas J.	Pvt	38 656 044
Durba, John	Pfc	32 663 911
Du Vall, Robert L.	Pfc	19 012 974
Entwisel, Robert E.	Sgt	16 112 055
Erdman, Sidney L.	Pfc	36 113 576
Fein, Irwin S.	S/Sgt	33 280 144
Fetty, Harry J.	Pvt	35 760 984
Finch, Milton	Pvt	34 396 736
Flores, Alcario V.	Pfc	39 853 364
Ford, Charles D., Jr.	Pvt	15 027 967
Forkner, Leonard C.	Pfc	16 156 151
Frazier, William R., Jr.	Pfc	34 775 115
Golden, James J.	Pfc	35 519 899

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Gordon, John W.	Pfc	36 262 898
Gosselin, Edward J.	1/Lt	0-1 016 676
Grant, Gerald	T/5	32 576 678
Green, Earl K.	S/Sgt	19 145 599
Grendell, Thurland R.	Pfc	35 384 472
Griffith, Floyd A.	Pvt	35 563 016
Gross, Anthony J.	Pvt	36 254 311
Grunkemeyer, Billie W.	T/5	37 479 568
Gunn, Paul A.	Pfc	31 353 920
Hall, Herman	Pfc	35 931 942
Hardy, Edward L.	Pfc	38 584 048
Helgott, Harold S.	Pfc	32 961 749
Heydt, Lloyd I.	Sgt	33 075 592
Himelhoch, Gilbert J.	Pfc	16 113 015
Hofman, Donald	Pfc	36 453 467
Hunter, Arthur W.	Pfc	35 928 976
Jacks, Worley D.	Pfc	35 087 716
Johnson, Artie	Pfc	34 166 777
Johnson, Edward E.	Pvt	34 850 980
Judah, Clifford A.	Pfc	34 795 464
Kessler, Clarence W.	Pfc	33 850 379
Kieffer, William J.	Pvt	13 060 244
Kilcheski, John J.	Pfc	32 526 603
Kinsie, William W.	Pfc	37 743 728
Kirkham, Benjamin G.	Pvt	34 809 828
Knight, James E.	S/Sgt	6 398 206
Lane, Clinton M.	Sgt	37 266 186
Lapides, Leonard H.	Pfc	37 511 823
Lopez, Jesse	Cpl	39 693 997
Lucas, John W.	Pfc	34 574 526
Mahoney, Jeremiah P.	Pvt	36 651 256
Marinero, Dominick F.	T/5	31 422 588
Martin, Francis P.	Pfc	33 457 416
Martinez, Daniel	Pfc	38 014 413
Martinez, Jose V.	Pvt	37 361 988
McCartney, James B.	Pvt	37 346 034
McConnell, Willie E.	Pfc	33 214 067
McDonald, Richard W.	Pvt	37 415 819
Metcalf, James R.	Sgt	20 128 584
Minnis, Jessie C., Jr.	Pfc	34 920 167
Murphy, Joseph T.	Pvt	6 702 194
Nagy, George	Pvt	36 742 668
Nash, Henry L.	T/4	24 273 724
Null, Kenneth J.	Pfc	33 706 191
Numes, Joseph	Pvt	31 069 875
O'Malley, John L.	Cpl	36 975 661
Owens, Joseph H.	T/Sgt	33 076 669
Pasco, Carl L.	S/Sgt	36 613 244
Peeler, Franklin H.	Pfc	20 454 924
Pelletier, Herve O.	Pfc	11 056 931
Penton, Wallace V.	Pfc	37 008 635

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Polson, Reuben W.	Cpl	37	263	340
Radney, Irwin C.	Pvt	32	545	280
Reider, Ralph L.	Pfc	33	829	542
Repke, Arthur C., Jr.	T/4	36	533	456
Robling, Everett E.	Sgt	35	570	398
Rotunno, James	S/Sgt	32	204	944
Saentz, Manuel	Pvt	39	566	632
Sajda, Stephen R.	Pfc	33	182	360
Salisbury, Glenn W.	Pfc	39	929	129
Schadke, Bernhard W.	Pvt	38	080	030
Sherry, Arthur W.	Pvt	36	901	309
Skarow, Nicholas Jr.	Pvt	42	143	062
Smith, Lowell D.	Pfc	36	984	783
Snyder, Earl M.	T/4	33	369	971
Starziski, John	Pfc	33	362	873
Stevens, Robert B.	Pfc	33	390	096
Stromock, John	S/Sgt	33	101	073
Summers, Richard P.	Pfc	42	062	954
Tague, Philip J.	Pfc	12	128	194
Taylor, Le Roy J.	S/Sgt	38	393	170
Thomason, Marion F.	Pvt	20	804	432
Thompson, William M.	Cpl	35	518	927
Tinsley, Fred P.	Sgt	34	592	218
Vance, Mose E.	Pfc	34	775	933
Vollmerr, John C.	Pfc	39	170	851
Wallace, Robert D.	Pfc	33	398	563
Walsh, Rudolph	Pvt	35	778	771
Wasson, John T.	T/4	39	685	227
Weinberg, Stanley H.	Pfc	12	113	860
Weitzel, Elmer	Pfc	36	988	510
Werner, James H.	Pvt	36	275	352
Wiggins, Edward	Pfc	34	434	868
Wilder, Johnnie C.	T/5	34	265	793
Wygol, George C.	Pfc	39	900	587
Yangula, Frank J.	Pfc	33	775	980

The Roster and other pertinent papers received from the Field are filed in the 293 file of Sgt Fred Ackerley, 38 468 424.

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HEADQUARTERS
7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
OPERATIONS DIVISION
APO 757 (Liege) US ARMY

Proceedings of Board of Review appointed in accordance with letter AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47) D-M, War Dept, TAGO, 9 April 1947.

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1. The Board convened pursuant to par 4, SO 139, Headquarters, 7887 Graves Registration Detachment, APO 757, US Army, 15 November 1950, at Liege, Belgium on 30 November 1950.

2. Members present:

GEORGE GUNDERMAN, Jr., Major, QMC

C. W. STEINSIEK, Captain, QMC

JOHN A. BOUTIN, 2nd Lt., QMC

3. PURPOSE: To review and determine, from evidence presented, the non-recoverability of the remains of World War II dead lost in the geographical area described below:

a. Department of Bas Rhin, France.

4. FINDINGS:

a. General and/or individual Area Search and Recovery operations have been completed in the above area from July 1947 to 10 July 1950.

b. List of persons lost in subject area whose remains are determined non-recoverable is attached as Exhibit "A". This list contains one hundred twenty eight (128) names.

c. It has not been possible to associate definitely any of the persons listed in Exhibit "A" with any of the unknown remains recovered from the area.

d. Reference is made to OQMG Forms 371, Missing Aircraft Reports, After Action Reports, Missing Reports, Status Review and Determination Reports, Statements of Survivors and Witnesses, Narrative Reports of Field Investigations previously forwarded for resolved casualties lost in the area: On file in the Office of The Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D. C.

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Non-Recoverable Board Proceedings Cont'd

e. Reference is also made to Narrative Report of Field Investigation, dated 10 July 1950, attached.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS: That the remains of the decedents listed in Exhibit "A" be determined non-recoverable.

S/ George Gunderman, Jr.
GEORGE GUNDERMAN, Jr.
Major QMC
Member

s/ C. W. Steinsiek
C. W. STEINSIEK
Captain, QMC
Member

s/ John A. Boutin
JOHN A. BOUTIN
2nd Lt. QMC
Member

A TRUE COPY:

C. C. Wasson
C. C. WASSON
Capt QMC

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7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
APO 757 (LIEGE) US ARMY

15 November 1950

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4. PAC, Ltr., WD-AGO-S 293.9, dtd 9 Apr 47, Subject: "Establishment of Boards of Review for Identification of Unknown Dead Overseas", and par 118 b, SR 830-110-5, DA, dtd 2 Mar 49, a Board of O's as follows is hereby apt to meet at the call of the President thereof, for the purpose of reviewing case records pertaining to the Identification of Deceased. Determination of non-recoverability of Remains and for the purpose of reviewing Major Discrepancy cases:

- LT COL EDWARD D. MULVANITY, O 359 598, QMC., President
- MAJOR JAMES C. MacFARLAND, O 1 576 321, QMC.,
- MAJOR GEORGE GUNDERMAN, Jr., O 1 289 071, INF/QMC.,
- CAPT CLYDE W. STEINSIEK, O 1 040 311, QMC.,
- CAPT LEWIS A. McAMIS, O 1 543 042, MSC/QMC.,
- CAPT JOHN M. NEFF, O 1 055 924, QMC.,
- CAPT ALLAN L. LAWSON, O 1 288 075, QMC.,
- 1ST LT ROBERT W. GANSEL, O 1 599 085, QMC.,
- 2D LT JOHN A. BOUTIN, O 947 298, QMC.,

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BY ORDER OF COLONEL AMLONG:

EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr.,
CAPT., QMC,
Adjutant

OFFICIAL:

A TRUE COPY:

s/t/ EDWARD F. PRICE, Jr.,
CAPT., QMC
Adjutant.

Robert S. Lay
ROBERT S. LAY
Maj QMC

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<i>MB</i> ADAMS, Leonard E	<i>12</i> Pfc	35 899 388	
BOWEN, Sanford K	Pfc	35 308 473	<i>P</i>
BROWN, Clossie D	Pfc	35 831 035	<i>✓</i>
CORVIN, Estle E	Pfc	33 660 153	<i>✓</i>
FLORES, Alcaric V	Pfc	39 853 364	<i>✓</i>
GORDON, John W	Pfc	36 453 467	<i>✓</i>
HOFMAN, Donald	Pfc	36 453 467	<i>✓</i>
MAHONEY, Jeremiah P	Pvt	36 651 256	<i>✓</i>
MARTIN, Francis P	Pfc	33 457 816	<i>✓</i>
NINNIS, Jessie C Jr	Pfc	34 920 167	<i>✓</i>
ROTUNNO, James	S/Sgt	32 204 944	<i>✓</i>
WALSH, Rudolph	Pvt	35 778 771	<i>✓</i>

Bas Rhin # 8981

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HEADQUARTERS
7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT
REGISTRATION DIVISION
APO 757 (Liege) US ARMY

10th July 1950

NARRATIVE OF INVESTIGATION

I. AUTHORITY AND MATTERS INVESTIGATED

Pursuant to verbal instructions, Chief Operations Division, a thorough sweep and search operation was conducted in the Forests of BITCHE and INGWILLER, (Moselle and Bas Rhin), France.

II. FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES.

The project which forms the contents of this report had been so organized as to group all of the unresolved casualties from the below listed towns into one geographical area and to sweep this area as a whole. The towns which formed the group were:

BITCHE - ENCHENBERG	GOETZENBRUCK
REIPERTSWILLER	ROTHBACH
WILDENGUTH	OFFWILLER
ALTHORN	WINGEN
WIMMENAU	KINDWEILER
PHILLIPSBOURG	BANSTIEN
NIEDERBRONN	OBERMUEHLTHAL
LICHTENBERG	ZINSWILLER
MEISENTHAL	BAERENTHAL
LEMBERG	

All of these towns had been previously investigated by routine interrogation methods but an actual physical search of the forests which surrounds them and where the actual action took place had thus far not been made, despite the fact that almost without exception all previous recoveries had been made in the forest.

III. FINDINGS

On the 12th June, 1950, three complete teams started a month long search in the BITCHE INGWILLER forest area. The forest was divided into three sectors and each investigator

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Narrative of Investigation

10th July 1950

was assigned a sector. In each case, information was obtained from the respective Forest Guards as to where the heaviest fighting took place and where the Allied positions were located. Then began a methodical step by step examination of the terrain. Fox-holes were opened and searched and anything that looked like a grave was opened. All German unknowns were disinterred and an approximate total of two hundred thirty German deceased were thus checked. One American remains was found at BITCHE (Evac. No S R - 612) buried as a German unknown.

IV. CONCLUSION.

Attention is invited to list below which includes all of the unresolved casualties which were the subject of the search operation just completed, a total of fifty-five (55). See appendix # 1.

From this same geographical area, thirty seven (37) unidentifiable unknowns were recovered and seven (7) identifiable unknowns, making a total of forty-four (44) of the unresolved casualties which can be accounted for if not identified. At the writing of this report, all possible investigation of the BITCHE-INGWILLER forest and the towns within its perimeter has been exhausted and the operation terminated.

V. RECOMMENDATION

On the basis of the findings and in conclusion, it is recommended that all of the above listed unresolved casualties be worked as non-recoverable.

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY

James C. MacFarland
JAMES C. MacFARLAND
Major QMC
Registration Division

/s/t HOWARD E. EPHRAIM
DA Civ. Investigator
S-R #1)

/s/t HAROLD E. WARNER
DA Civ. Investigator
S-R # 10

/s/t CLAUDE BALL
1st Lt F.A.
S-R # 8

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APPENDIX # 1REIPERTSWILLER

<u>CASE #</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>SERIAL #</u>
5640	ANDRE William L.	Pfc	35 925 915
-	WALTERS Ellis J.	T/4	37 129 785
-	LIZENBY William G.	Pvt	36 984 955
5784	BUCHANAN Omer A.	Pfc	34 605 292
8981	ADAMS Leonard E.	Pfc	35 899 388
-	BOWENS Sanfora K.	Pfc	35 308 473
-	BROWN Clossie D.	Pfc	35 831 035
-	CHOW, Hime Y.	Sgt	34 891 913
-	CORVIN Ester E.	Pfc	33 660 153
-	FLORES Alcario V.	Pfc	39 853 364
-	GORDON John W.	Pfc	36 626 898
-	HOFMAN Donald	Pfc	36 463 467
-	MAHONAY Jeremiah P.	Pvt	36 651 256
-	MARTIN Francis P.	Pfc	33 457 416
-	MINNIS Jessie C. Jr.	Pfc	34 920 167
-	NUNES Joseph	Pvt	31 069 875
-	ROTUNNO James	S/Sgt	32 204 944
-	WALSH Rudolph	Pvt	35 778 771

WINGEN

5506	Mc CLUSKEY Paul E.	2/Lt	0- 816 900
12764	CRANE Allen C.	Cpl	20 831 899

ROTHBACH

11100	O'MALLEY John L.	Cpl	36 975 661
5763	GARON Roger H.	Pfc	31 374 905
-	GREEN Earl K.	S/Sgt	19 145 599
-	REPKE Arthur C. Jr.	T/4	36 533 456

OFFWILLER

9110	WALLACE Albert J.	Pfc	33 784 109
12715	LUCAS John W.	Pfc	34 574 526

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LICHTENBERG

10147	JACKS Worley D.	Pfc	35 087 716
9110	WADLOW Homer D.	Pvt	37 638 135

WILDENGUTH

5655	NULL Kenneth J.	Pfc	33 706 191
-	VANCE Mose E.	Pfc	35 775 933
5625	SKAAR Robert L.	Pvt	36 845 252
-	YOUNG John F.	Pfc	37 516 472

WIMMENAU

5554	MC CARTNEY James B.	Pvt	37 346 034
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ALTHORN

5737	CROSSLAND Arthur W. Jr.	Pfc	44 025 156
-	QUINN Robert J.	Pvt	42 177 802
-	SVEC Robert J.	Pvt	37 748 205
-	WALDEN Johnie L.	Pvt	38 633 572

PHILLIPSBURG

12709	RUSLEY Sig.	T/Sgt	39 612 867
9724	HATCH Stewart H.	Pfc	31 301 636

NIEDERBRONN

10855	GOODRICH John S.	Pfc	39 197 588
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OBERMULTHAL

8774	MALDONADO Dolores L. Jr	Sgt	39 157 513
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MEISENTHAL

12344 SIPLE Clayton L. Pfc 36 168 398

GOETZENBRUCK

5388 GOPPERT Arthur O. Pfc 31 468 492

LEMBERG

5440 LLOYD Maurice E. Pfc 36 774 991
 12726 PASCHALL Guillion R. Pfc 34 979 034

ZINSWILLER

8774 COLLINE Vito J. Pfc 22 733 853

BANNSTEIN

11634 BATES Charlie T/5 38 286 573

KINDWEILLER

9110 SMITH Lowell D. Pfc 36 984 783

BITCHE - ENCHENBERG

5998 WILLIS Robert W. Pfc 37 357 968
 12202 RICHTER Herbert R. Pvt 20 229 636
 5628 MAGUIRE John O. Pvt 31 502 999
 - HOLL Richard L. Pfc 35 064 223
 10083 THORNTON Robert L. S/Sgt 34 573 833
 - PULKAS Walter W. Pvt 36 456 254
 5806 BLACK James W. Pfc 33 837 051

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(Bas-Rhin)
8981

Wildenguth (township of
Reipertswiller)

STATEMENT

27 August 1947

I, the undersigned, Schmidt Philippe, Mayor of the Commune, declare that since your last investigation made a few weeks ago, no remains of American soldiers were found in the territory.

All the bodies found in this territory were reported and removed by your service.

I cannot give any information in regard to the soldier:

Pfc Corvin, Estle E. 33 660 153

The territory of our commune is completely de-mined.

/s/ Schmidt

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Mayor's seal.

CERTIFIED A TRUE TRANSLATION:

JEAN P. DITEN
French Civilian
Translator.

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AIRMAIL

AS

QMGS 293
Adams, Leonard E.
SN-35 899 388

1 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 5555 dated 22 August 1949.
2. All available dental information for Pfc Leonard E. Adams, 35899388 was furnished your headquarters per letter this Office dated 16 June 1949, file QMGS 293, GRS (European), subject: Additional Information, in reply to your radio AGRC 3222 dated 17 May 1949.

FOR THE ACTING THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

T. H. METZ
Lt Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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The following information is being furnished to you for your information and for the information of the various offices of the Department of Defense. This information was obtained from the files of the Department of Defense and is being furnished to you for your information and for the information of the various offices of the Department of Defense.

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Reference is made to your letter of the 1st of August 1949.

New York New York
The 22nd of August 1949
Enclosed you
will find a copy of the report of the
Committee on the

TO: Commanding General
Department of Defense

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New York, New York
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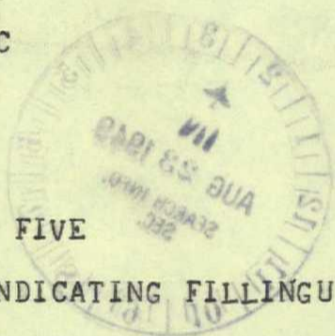
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IDENTIFICATION SECTION
 MEMORIAL DIVISION

IDENTIFICATION DATA

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL <i>ADAMS LEONARD E</i>			ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <i>35-899-388</i>		GRADE <i>Pfc.</i>
HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR EYES	COLOR HAIR	SHOE SIZE	DATE OF DEATH

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

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA

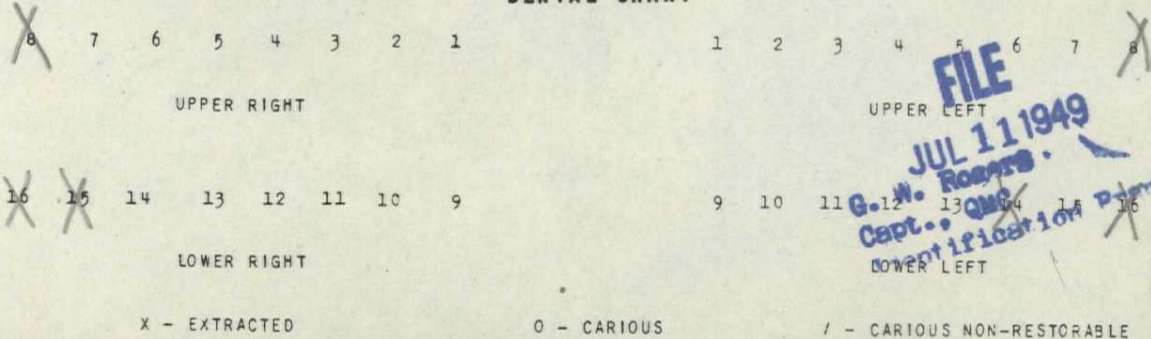
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STATION	DATES

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS
Simple fracture, left elbow - age 13

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IDENTIFICATION SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION

IDENTIFICATION DATA

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL	UNIT SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE
W. A. M. C.	247-819-322	010
DATE OF DEATH	DATE OF DEATH	DATE OF DEATH
LIST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (LOCAL, COUNTY, NATIONAL)		
PLACE OF DEATH OR LAST STATION - CITY		
LIST ALL CAMPS OR OTHER STATIONS TO WHICH TO BE SENT OVERSEAS WITH INCLUSIVE DATES & FROM		
STATION	DATE	

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16 June 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 3222 dated 17 May 1949.
2. Forwarded herewith is all available dental information pertaining to the following:

<i>X 293</i>	Adams, Leonard E.	Pfc.	35 899 388
	Gordon, John W.	Pfc.	36 626 898
	Null, Kenneth J.	Pfc.	33 706 191
	Olsen, Harold B.	Pfc.	36 883 692
	Rice, Daniel	Pvt.	39 717 458
	Summers, Richard P.	Pfc.	42 062 954

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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

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TO OQMG WASHDC
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FROM HQ AGRC PARIS
MSG NO. AGRC 3222
D. T. G. 171039Z
ACTION QMG
MC IN NO. 68198

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PASS TO MEMORIAL DIV

REQUEST THIS OFFICE BE FURNISHED ALL AVAILABLE DETAILED
INFORMATION FOR CLN PFC ^{293 35899388} LEONARD E ADAMS CMA THREE FIVE EIGHT NINE NINE
THREE EIGHT EIGHT SMCLN PFC JOHN W GORDON CMA THREE SIX SIX TWO SIX
EIGHT NINE EIGHT SMCLN PFC KENNETH J NULL CMA THREE THREE SEVEN ZERO
SIX ONE NINE ONE SMCLN PFC HAROLD B OLSEN CMA THREE SIX EIGHT EIGHT
THREE SIX NINE TWO SMCLN PVT DANIEL RICE CMA THREE NINE SEVEN ONE
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Last Name <i>Adams</i>		First <i>Leonard</i>	Initial <i>E.</i>	ASN <i>35 899 388</i>	Grade <i>Pfc</i>
Height <i>69"</i>	Weight <i>142</i>	Color Eyes <i>Brown</i>	Color Hair <i>Brown</i>	Shoe Size	Date of Death <i>21 Jan 45</i>

Last Organization to which attached or assigned (Give complete designation)

Hq. Co 3rd Bn. 157th Inf. Apr 45

Place of Death or place last seen if MIA

Reipertswiller, France

List all camps in which stationed in U.S. prior to service overseas, including inclusive dates at each.

STATION	DATES
<i>Hq. Benj. How. Ind.</i>	<i>Dec 43</i>
<i>Cp Shelby, Miss</i>	<i>Dec 43 - July 43</i>
<i>Hq. Geo. W. Meade</i>	<i>July 43 -</i>

Fractures and/or Breaks	Tattoos and/or Birth marks
<i>Not of record</i>	<i>Not of record</i>

DENTAL CHART - *22 Nov. 43*

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Indicate dentures, bridgework, etc., if shown

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Armed Forces' Original
 D. S. S. Form 221
 12-22-43 DEP

65TH INF DIV., SHELBY, MISS.
 12-22-43 DEP 12-43 PAR 5 SO 315

Local Board No. 1
 Vermillion County
 NOV 13 1942
 Courthouse
 Newport, Indiana

**REPORT OF
 PHYSICAL EXAMINATION AND INDUCTION**

First examination Second examination Third examination Fourth examination
 (To be filled in by local board clerk. Check number of examination made by local board)

SECTION I.—GENERAL (To be filled in by the local board clerk from the Selective Service Questionnaire, D. S. S. Form 40. Write "none" opposite the questions where no information is given. Do not leave any question blank.)

(To be filled in by
 Armed Forces)
35899388
 (Armed Forces Serial No.)

1. Name (page 1) Leonard Elkins Adams
 (First) (Middle) (Last)
2. Address (page 1) Dana Vermillion Indiana
 (Street or rural route) (Town or city) (County) (State)
3. Social Security No. (Series I, line 5) 310-10-2153 4. Registrant's order number (page 1) S-1576
5. Physical or mental defects or diseases (Series II, line 1) None
6. Treatment at an institution, sanitarium, or asylum (Series II, line 2) no
 (Yes or no)
7. Education completed (Series III): Elementary school 8 High school 2 1/2 Vocational school, college, or university 4
 (Number years completed) (Series III): school (County) (State)
8. Occupation: (a) Title of present job (Series IV, line 2 (a), or Series V, line 1) Shipping clerk
 (b) Duties (Series IV, line 2 (b)) Inspect boxes of out going parts
 (c) Title of last job, if unemployed (Series IV, line 3)
9. Years experience in this work (Series IV, line 2 (c), or Series V, line 2) 1 wk.
10. Income (Series IV, line 2 (d)): Average weekly earnings \$ 20.00
 (Weekly, monthly, annual)
11. Employment class (Series IV, line 2 (e)): Permanent employee ; Temporary employee ; Apprentice ; Independent worker ;
 Unpaid family worker ; Employer ; Student (Series IV, line 4 (a))
12. Business of present employer (Series IV, line 2 (g)) Shipping out parts for General Motors
13. Marital status (Series VII, line 1): Single ; Widower ; Divorced ; Married, not separated ; Married, separated
14. Number of dependents (Series VII, line 3 (a) fifth column except N. C.'s plus line 4 (a) fifth column)
15. Birthplace (Series IX, line 1) Dana Indiana U.S.A.
 (Town or city) (State) (Country)
16. Birth date (Series IX, line 2) January 3 1920
 (Month) (Day) (Year)
17. Race (Series IX, line 3): White ; Negro ; Other (specify)
18. Citizenship: United States citizen (Series IX, line 4) yes; Declarant alien (Series IX, line 7) no
 (Yes or no) (Yes or no)
19. Previous U. S. military service (Series XII): None ; Army ; National Guard ; Navy ; Marine Corps ; Coast Guard
20. Type of discharge (Series XII): Specify
21. Date of registrant's affidavit (top of page 8) 21 August 1941
 (Day) (Month) (Year)

Do Not Enter Anything in This Column

RESIDENCE
 State
 County
 Place inducted
 DATE INDUCTED
 Day
 Month
 Year
 Source
 Nativity
 Year of birth
 Race/citizenship
 Education
 Occupation
 Marital

INSTRUCTIONS

1. An original and three copies of this form will be prepared for each registrant called up for physical examination. The original is designated as the Armed Forces' Original; the first carbon copy, the National Headquarters' Copy; the second carbon copy, the Surgeon General's (Army)—Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (Navy)—Commandant Marine Corps (M. C.) Copy; and the third carbon copy, the Local Board's Copy. Instructions are contained on each copy.
2. Forms of men rejected by the armed forces will be marked "Rejected by the Armed Forces" in large letters at the top of page 1.
3. If the registrant is not sent to the induction station of the armed forces, or is rejected by the induction station of the armed forces, this original will be filed, along with "Local Board's Copy" (3d copy), in the registrant's Cover Sheet (Form 53).
4. For registrants accepted by the induction station of the armed forces: If inducted by the ARMY, this original accompanied by F. B. I. Military Fingerprint Card will be forwarded from induction station to The Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.; if inducted by the NAVY or COAST GUARD, this original will be forwarded through the Main Recruiting Station to the Bureau of Navigation, Washington, D. C.; if inducted by the MARINE CORPS, this original will be sent to the Commandant, Headquarters, U. S. Marine Corps, Washington, D. C.
5. Fingerprints are required only on this original and only for registrants who are inducted. If inducted by ARMY, prepare F. B. I. Military Fingerprint Card.

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SECTION IV.—PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RESULTS—Continued.

78. I CERTIFY that the above-named registrant was carefully examined, that the results of the examination have been correctly recorded on this form and that to the best of my knowledge and belief—

(a) Leonard Elkins Adams is physically and mentally qualified for general military service.
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(b) _____ is physically and mentally qualified for general military service
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

after the satisfactory correction of the following remediable defects: _____

This registrant would have been accepted for general military service had the remediable defects herein specified been remedied at the time of this examination.

(c) _____ is physically qualified for limited military service only by
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

reason of _____

(d) _____ is physically qualified for limited military service after the
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

satisfactory correction of the following remediable defects: _____

This registrant would have been acceptable for limited military service had the remediable defects herein specified been remedied at the time of this examination.

(e) _____ is physically and/or mentally disqualified for military service by reason of
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(f) _____ is disqualified for military service because of _____
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

(g) Signature W. L. Strohmenger (h) Title LIEUT. M.C. USNR
Medical Examiner.

(i) Name typed or stamped W. L. STROHMENGER

79. (a) Leonard Elkins Adams was this date inducted for (general; ~~REGULAR~~ [strike out inapplicable word] military service into the (fill in appropriate Service, such as Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard) _____
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

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(b) _____ was this date rejected for service in the (fill in appropriate
(Enter name of registrant if this subsection is applicable)

service, such as Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard) _____ of the United States.

(c) Place Indianapolis, Indiana (d) Signature _____

(e) Date Nov. 22, 1945 (f) Name typed or stamped M. S. ALEXANDER 2ND LT. AUS.
(Grade and organization)

SECTION V.—LOCAL BOARD CHANGE IN CLASSIFICATION AFTER EXAMINATION BY THE INDUCTION STATION OF THE ARMED FORCES.

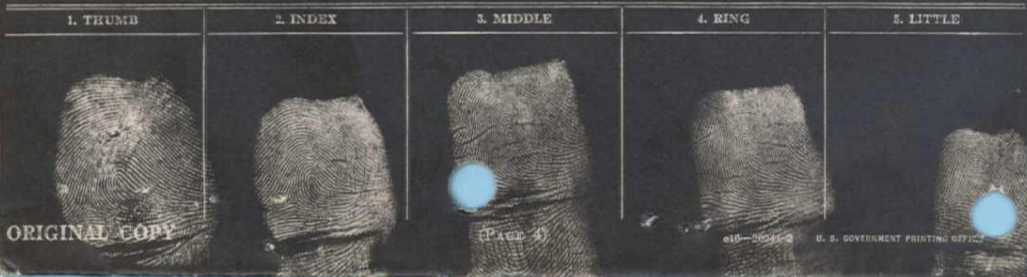
80. (a) Based on the entries in (a), (c), (d), (e), or (f) of Item 78, above, the Local Board has changed the above-named registrant's classification to Class _____

(b) Based on the entries in (b) of Item 78, above, the Local Board has retained the above-named registrant in Class _____

(c) Place _____ (d) Date _____

(e) Signature of member of local board _____

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SECTION II.—REPORT OF LOCAL BOARD EXAMINING PHYSICIAN AND LOCAL BOARD CLASSIFICATION.

22. If registrant's answer to Item 6 above is "yes," when and for what ailment(s) _____
23. Is registrant now or previously an enrollee in the Civilian Conservation Corps: No ; Yes
24. Serological test (syphilis): Date 11-18-42 Result neg
Second serological test (syphilis): Date 9-7-43 Result neg
25. Examining physician's remarks _____
26. (a) Do you find that the above-named registrant has any of the defects set forth in Part I of the List of Defects (Form 220)?
(If in doubt, answer "no," and give details.) NO If answer is "yes," describe the defects, in order of significance
(Answer yes or no)
- (b) Do you find that the above-named registrant has any of the defects set forth in Part II of the List of Defects (Form 220)?
(If in doubt, answer "no," and give details.) NO If answer is "yes," describe the defects, in order of significance
(Answer yes or no)
- (c) I have examined the above-named registrant in accordance with Selective Service Regulations.
- (d) Signature of examining physician [Signature] C. M. ZINK, M.D.
- (e) Place Newport Vermillion Indiana (f) Date 11-12-42
(Town or city) (County) (State)
27. (a) This Local Board has classified the above-named registrant in Class 1-A
- (b) Signature of Member of Local Board [Signature] Raymond B. Madlock
- (c) Place Newport Vermillion Indiana (d) Date 11-18-42
(Town or city) (County) (State)

SECTION III.—NEAREST RELATIVE, PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARY (To be filled out at the induction station of the armed forces for only those registrants accepted for military service.)

- A. Nearest relative and person to be notified in case of emergency:
28. Nearest relative Zina G. Adams
(Other than wife or minor child. Name in full)
29. Relationship Mother 30. Address None Dana, Indiana
(Number and street or rural route; if none, so state) (City, town, or post office) (State or country)
31. Person to be notified in case of emergency Suzanne A. Adams
(Name in full)
32. Relationship Wife 33. Address 4922 E. Orion St. Indianapolis, Indiana
(If friend, so state) (Number and street or rural route; if none, so state) (City, town, or post office) (State or country)
- B. Designation of beneficiary:
34. The persons eligible to be my beneficiary are designated below:
- (1) Suzanne A. Adams 4922 E. Orion St. Indianapolis, Indiana
(Full name of wife; if no wife, or if she is deceased or divorced, so state) (Wife's full address)
- (2) None
(Full name and address of each minor child and each dependent child over 21 years of age. If there are no children, so state. If the address is the same as the wife's, so state. Do not repeat address)
35. In the event of my leaving no widow or child, or their decease before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary the dependent relative whose name, relationship, and address are shown below:
- (3) Zina G. Adams (Mother) None Dana, Indiana
(If designation of beneficiary is declined, man must state in own handwriting: "I decline to designate any person as my beneficiary")
36. In the event of the death or disqualification of the last-named dependent relative before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary the dependent relative whose name, relationship, and address are shown below:
- (4) Franklin Elkins (Uncle) same as above.
(If beneficiary is named in line 35 but naming of alternate is declined, man must state in own handwriting: "I decline to designate an alternate beneficiary")
37. Signature of registrant [Signature] Elkins Adams
(First name) (Middle name) (Last name)
38. Witnessed at Indianapolis, Indiana on Nov. 22, 1943
- [Signature] G. E. Clapper Sgt., 1583RD S.U.
(Signature of witness attesting) (Name of witness typed) (Grade and organization)

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SECTION IV.—PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RESULTS: (All Items Must Be Filled In. Indicate Normal or None Where Applicable. To Be Filled Out by the Medical Board at the Induction Station of the Armed Forces.)

39. Eye abnormalities none

40. Ear, nose, throat abnormalities none

41. Mouth and gum abnormalities none

42. Teeth: (a) Indicate restorable carious teeth by circling; nonrestorable carious teeth by /; missing natural teeth by X.

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	X	X	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	X	15	X					

(b) Remarks, including other defects none

(c) Prosthetic dental appliances none

(d) Remediable dental defects none

43. Skin normal

44. Varicose veins none

45. Hernia none

46. Hemorrhoids none

47. Genito-urinary (non-venereal) normal

48. Venereal diseases none

49. Feet normal

50. Musculoskeletal defects none

51. Abdominal viscera normal

52. Cardiovascular system normal

53. Lungs normal

54. Chest X-ray neg.

55. Mental normal

56. Nervous system normal

57. Endocrine system normal

58. Other defects and/or diseases or other remarks none

59. Summary of defects in order of significance none

60. Vision, without correction:
 (a) Right eye 20/20
 (b) Left eye 20/20

61. Vision, with correction:
 (a) Right eye
 (b) Left eye
 62. Color perception* normal

63. Hearing:
 (a) Right ear 15/15
 (b) Left ear 15/15

64. Height 69 inches.

65. Weight 142 pounds.

66. (a) Girth, at nipples; inspiration 35 inches.
 (b) Girth, at nipples; expiration 31 inches.
 (c) Girth, at umbilicus 27 inches.

67. Posture:
 Good Fair Poor

68. Frame:
 Heavy Med. Light

69. Color of hair brown

70. Color of eyes brown

71. Complexion medium

72. Pulse, sitting 90

73. Pulse, after exercise*

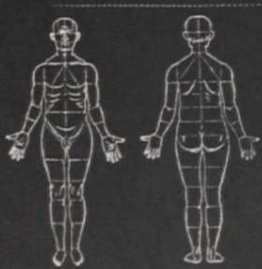
74. Pulse, 2 minutes after exercise*

75. Blood pressure:
 (a) Systolic 140
 (b) Diastolic 60

76. Urinalysis:
 (a) Specific gravity 1.015
 (b) Albumin neg.
 (c) Sugar neg.
 (d) Microscopic*

77. Other data:

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* When indicated.

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IDENTIFICATION SECTION
 MEMORIAL DIVISION

IDENTIFICATION DATA

LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL Adams, Leonard E.			ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 35 899 388		GRADE P F C
HEIGHT 69"	WEIGHT 142	COLOR EYES Brown	COLOR HAIR Brown	SHOE SIZE 8 1/2 - C	DATE OF DEATH 21 Jan 1945

LAST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (Give complete designation)
Headquarters Company, 3d Bn, 157th Infantry APO 45, c/o PM, New York, N.Y.

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA
Near Reipertswiller, 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
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DENTAL CHART Taken from DSS Form 221, 22 Nov 1943



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LOWER RIGHT								LOWER LEFT							

X - EXTRACTED O - CARIOUS / - CARIOUS NON-RESTORABLE

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293 FILE <i>70</i>		DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECORDED OR IDENTIFIED			
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) <i>293 Adams, Leonard E</i>		GRADE <i>PFC</i>	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER <i>35899388</i>		
ORGANIZATION <i>INF Hq. Co. 3rd BN. 157th INF</i>	RACE <i>white</i>	CREED	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)		
DATE OF DEATH/MIA	CAUSE OF DEATH <i>Kia</i>	PLACE OF DEATH OR-PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA <i>Reipertswiller, FRANCE</i>			
DATE OF FOD <i>JAN 21-1945</i>					
HEIGHT <i>64"</i>	WEIGHT <i>142</i>	COLOR EYES <i>Brown</i>	COLOR HAIR <i>Brown</i>	SHOE SIZE	
DENTAL CHART					
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X = Extracted		O = Carious		1 = Carious Non-Restorable	
FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS <i>NONE</i>			TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK <i>NONE</i>		
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION					
<p>FILE MAY 28 1948 E. J. Collins, 1st Lt., USA IDENTIFICATION BRANCH</p>					

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Phone MAIN 5- 5204

20 September 1946

Memorial Division
Office of the Quartermaster General
2nd and Q Streets, S.W.
Washington, D. C.

Attention: Capt. Lewin

Gentlemen:

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QMGYG 293
Adams, Leonard E., Est.
ASN 35 899 388

Address Reply To
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Attention: Memorial Division

9 October 1946

Mrs. Suzanne A. Adams
4922 East Orion Street
Indianapolis, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Adams:

This office has been contacted by "Kin Seeking Missing Military Personnel, Inc." and requested to furnish you with all available information concerning the identification and location of the remains of your husband, the late Private First Class Leonard E. Adams, SN 35 899 388.

In an effort to obtain the latest information concerning the search for his remains this office cabled the European Theater of Operations requesting all information which the Graves Registration Service in that area might have.

I regret to inform you that the reply to our cable was unfavorable and the remains of your husband have not been recovered. In the event that additional information becomes available you may be sure that you will be informed without delay.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Very truly yours,

THOMAS F. LEWIN
Captain, QMC
Assistant

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RECORDS BRANCH
MEMORIAL DIVISION
Oct 9 4 47 PM '46

copy furnished:
"Kin Seeking Missing Military Personnel, Inc."

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Office of The Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D. C.

In Reply Refer To QMFG 080
Kin Seeking Missing
Military Personnel, Inc.

26 September 1946

Mr. J. Ras Conway, President
Kin Seeking Missing Military Personnel, Inc.
44 Court Street, Suite 1012
Brooklyn 2, New York

Dear Mr. Conway:

This is in reply to your letter of 20 September 1946, in which you requested the latest status concerning the recovery of the remains of a list of deceased military personnel be furnished to the next of kin with copies of the correspondence forwarded to your office. You will find inclosed, copies of correspondence furnished to the next of kin of the following listed deceased persons:

Jacobs, Leslie W., 2d Lieut.	SN O-2 056 602
Burns, Robert J., T/4	SN 12 214 778
Blackman, Abraham M., S/Sgt.	SN 32 057 116
Birenbach, Melvin, S/Sgt.	SN 32 812 613
Egan, John F., Jr., S/Sgt.	SN 12 021 398
Crowl, Walter R., 2d Lieut.	SN O 757 609
Outrons, Samuel J., T/5	SN 32 194 764
Clark, Bryce M., T/4	SN 36 202 566

Letters concerning the status of the recovery of the remains of the following listed personnel were dispatched to the families of the deceased on the dates listed:

Chancellor, Clifton E., Sgt.	SN 34 426 156	20 September 1946
Long, Maurice E., Flight Officer.	SN T 131 545	19 September 1946
Rogers, Ralph T., Capt.	SN O-1 639 567	13 September 1946
Mars, Leonard D., Pfc.	SN 32 877 242	12 September 1946
Borseth, William A., Jr., Pfc	SN 37 547 395	22 August 1946

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QMGG 080
Kin Seeking Missing
Military Personnel, Inc.

26 September 1946

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Because of the recent date of these letters, it does not appear advisable to again forward them information which can only be a repetition of the previous letter.

On the personnel listed below our records do not indicate a Report of Interment and in order to obtain such information we are cabling our forces in the field requesting them to make every possible effort to furnish us the information relative to the identity and the location of these remains:

Cook, Eugene C.	SN O 777 127
Toppert, Allen D.	SN 36 628 908
Contrera, Salvatore	SN 32 903 095
Heaney, Donald J.	SN 36 785 322
Berry, Milford A.	SN O 531 337
Boseling, Wilbur R.	SN O 669 175
Molinari, Frank J.	SN 32 967 255
Hagerty, James W.	SN 13 167 406
Adams, Leonard E.	SN 35 899 388
Clifton, John R., Jr.	SN 16 111 512
Hofmann, Roger P.	SN O 825 171
Bolino, Silvio A.	SN 32 878 896

You may be assured that if information becomes available to this office concerning the above listed persons, the next of kin will be informed without delay.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

s/ Thomas F. Lewin

THOMAS F. LEWIN
Captain, QMC
Assistant

8 Incls:

- #1 - Cy ltr to Mr. Clarence S. Clark
- #2 - Cy ltr to Mr. Nichols Cutrone
- #3 - Cy ltr to Mr. Wm. F. Crowl, II
- #4 - Cy ltr to Mr. John F. Egan
- #5 - Cy ltr to Mrs. Jean Birenbach
- #6 - Cy ltr to Miss Ethel Blackman
- #7 - Cy ltr to Mr. Edward J. Burns
- #8 - Cy ltr to Mrs. Louise W. Jacobs

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CMC 013

From Paris

MSG NO AGRC - 2671

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TO: THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

FROM: HQ AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND APO 887 US ARMY 031546Z

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REF NR AGRC 2671 UNCLASSIFIED/ RE TARE WILLIAM XRAY WILLIAM CHARLIE LOVE FOUR SEVEN SEVEN SIX THREE CMA NO CURRENT INFORMATION AVAILABLE ADDING CLUES TO PROBABLE AREAS WHERE REMAINS MAY BE RECOVERED PD ONLY ABLE GEORGE CASUALTY CARDS ON ADAMS AND CLIFF)XXXXX CLIFTON PD MISSING AIR CREW REPORT ZERO DASH TWO CMA EIGHTH AIR FORCE CMA SHOWS HOFMANN AS MEMBER OF AIR CREW OF PLANE DEPARTING FROM UNSTATED LOCATION ON TWO JANUARY NINETEEN FORTY FIVE PD PLANE NOT HEARD FROM OR SEEN SUBSEQUENT TO TAKE OFF PD END AGRE

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cc: *Capt. Lewin.*

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1. It is requested that the following message be sent - PRIORITY UNCLASSIFIED - to Commanding General, Western Base Section, Paris, France, pass to Commanding Officer, American Graves Registration Command, European Theater Area, Versailles, France.

"REQUEST RADIO REPORT ALL CURRENT INFORMATION CONCERNING RECOVERY AND INTERMENT FOR FOLLOWING NAMED MEN:

ADAMS, LEONARD E. SN 35 899 388
CLIFTON, JOHN R., JR. SN 16 111 512
HOFMANN, ROGER P. SN 0 825 171.

2. Initials of officer submitting memorandum - JBC - Extension 4652.

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 22 Jan 1946 rmr/3609

FULL NAME Adams, Leonard E.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 35 899 388	GRADE PFC
HOME ADDRESS Dana, Indiana		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry	DATE OF BIRTH 3 Jan 40
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 21 Jan 45
STATION OF DECEASED European Area	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 22 Nov 43		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Mrs. Suzanne A. Adams, Wife, 4922 East Orion Street, Indianapolis, Indiana			
BENEFICIARY (Name, relationship, and address) Suzanne A. Adams, Wife address shown above Zina G. Adams, Mother, Dana, Indiana Franklin Elkins, Uncle, Dana, Indiana			
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			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BATTLE <input type="checkbox"/> NON-BATTLE

*Combat Infantryman Badge per GO #1, Hq. 157th Inf. dated Jan 15, 1945.
 Effective 1 Dec 44.

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Dept. to have been in a missing in action status from 21 Jan 45 until such absence was terminated on 15 Jan 46, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War.

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 JAN 28 1946
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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

Harriet F. Whelan
 ADJUTANT GENERAL