

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: | Laundry Marks: |
| Weight: | Number of Rifle: |
| Color of Eyes: | Wear Glasses? |
| Color of Hair: | Is Tooth Chart Attached? |
| Race: | |

(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart, if no medical personnel present, fill in a tooth chart below.) In space below, locate, and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc.

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

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.

TOOTH CHART

| | | Deceased's Left | | | | | | | |
|-------|---|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 8 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Upper | 8 | | | | | | | | |
| | 7 | | | | | | | | |
| Lower | 8 | | | | | | | | |
| | 7 | | | | | | | | |

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

Characteristics: _____

Other Data: _____

Left Hand

2

1

Thumb

Right Hand

2

1

Thumb

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

25 July 1944

Date

293

CHOQUETTE,

WALTER

L

Pvt

19071264

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

Serial No.

507th Parachute Infantry Regiment

Unit

Organization

France

13 June 1944

KIA

Place of Death

Date of Death

Cause of Death

24 July 1944

Blosville

France

Time and Date of Burial

Name of Cemetery

Name or Coordinates of Location

138

7

T

Cross

Grave Number

Row Number

Plot Number

Type of Marker

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

If No Identification Tags

How were remains identified?

REBURIAL

Disinterred from Coord: 422:752

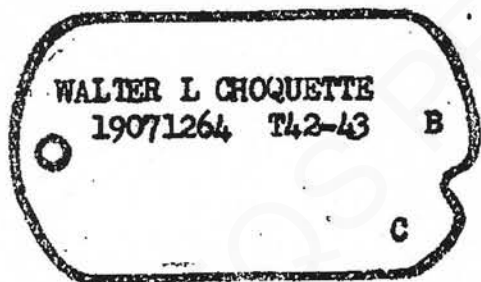
What means of identification were buried with the body?

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

Who is buried on:

| | Name | Serial No. | Rank | Organization | Grave No. |
|-------------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------|--------------------------|------------|
| Deceased's Right: | Casan, Jesus | 39405908 | Unk | Unk | 139 |
| Deceased's Left: | Broussard | 34074612 | Sgt | 507 Para Inf Regt | 137 |

Signature or Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.



If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

Emergency Addressee **Unknown** Name

Address

Religion **Catholic**

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

None **REBURIAL**
Previously buried in isolated grave located
at Coord. 422-752.

A TRUE COPY:

JOSEPH E. McCLUSKEY
1st Lt, Inf

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

s/ **F. A. Greulich**
t/ **F. A. GREULICH**
Capt, OMC

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

Handwritten signature: T. Butler

interred 18 August 1949
#-22-32, U.S.A. LAURENT
DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

John J. Andrews
JOHN J. ANDREWS
1st Lt Inf. Interring Officer

| | | |
|---|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED | DIRECTIVE NUMBER 2508 00846 | DATE 15 06 49 DAY MONTH YEAR |
|---|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|

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|----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|----------|-----------|---------------|
| NAME CHOQUETTE WALTER L | SERIAL NUMBER 19071264 | GRADE PVT | ARM 1 | RACE 1 | RELIGION 2 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|----------|-----------|---------------|

| | | | | |
|------------------------------|-----------|----------|--------------|--|
| CEMETERY BLOSVILLE FRANCE | PLOT 7 | ROW 7 | GRAVE 138 | DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 3505 60 CODE DIST. CTR. |
|------------------------------|-----------|----------|--------------|--|

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

| | |
|--|--|
| NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. LAURENT, FRANCE | NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN GLADYS CHOQUETTE (MOTHER) 521 1/2 WEST SILVER STREET BUTTE, MONTANA |
|--|--|

SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION *Flag sent 18 August 1949*

| | | | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| NAME CHOQUETTE, Walter L. | SERIAL NUMBER 19071264 | GRADE UTD | DATE OF DEATH 9 December 1947 | DATE DISINTERRED |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|------------------|

| | | | |
|--|-----------------------|-------------------|--|
| IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER | ORGANIZATION USAGF | RELIGION Cath. | IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY JOHN H. CLARK, 2d Lt QMC NAME AND TITLE |
|--|-----------------------|-------------------|--|

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

| | |
|----------------------------------|--|
| NATURE OF BURIAL O.D. Uniform | CONDITION OF REMAINS Advanced decomposition |
|----------------------------------|--|

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION
None

MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.)
None

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

| | |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| DATE 27 January 1948 CASKET SEALED BY W.T. BUSH | BY W.T. BUSH EMBALMER (Signature) |
|---|--------------------------------------|

| | |
|---|--|
| DATE 27/1/48 CASKET BOXED AND MARKED BY H.B. RYDER | SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY CHARLES MISSIGMAN, Morgue Supervisor |
|---|--|

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

I certify that the entries on this form are true JOHN PALYOK JR 1st Lt F.A.
SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR

REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS on Copy No. 4 of this Disinterment Directive which contains the signatures of the persons whose names are typed hereon.

John J. Andrews
1st Lt Inf.

DATE 3/2/49
NAME *W. T. Bush*
SR. REG. DIV.

544

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

| | | | |
|--|------------------------|---|------------------------|
| FROM USMC BLOSVILLE | | TO Casketing Point A. Cherbourg | |
| KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK | | NAME OF CONVOYER SGT AGOSTINO | |
| SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER W.T. DAILEY, CAPT OMC | DATE 26/1/48 | SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER E.N. CIAMPO, 1st Lt, F.A. | DATE 26/1/48 |

2. SHIPPED

| | | | |
|--|------|--|------|
| FROM Casketing Point A. Cherbourg | | TO USMC St Laurent | |
| KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK | | NAME OF CONVOYER | |
| SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER E.N. CIAMPO, 1st Lt, F.A. | DATE | SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER D.A. MAC KENZIE CAPT INF | 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 COLLE? HOWLYNY | DATE |

6. SHIPPED

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------|------|
| FROM USMC BLOSVILLE | | TO USMC CHATELAIN (NOISES) | |
| 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 |

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WAR DEPARTMENT

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

Corrected Report. WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
Original issued 12 Oct 44*

DATE 19 Jan 45, dr/4627

REPORT OF DEATH

| | | | | | |
|--|----|---|----|---|----|
| FULL NAME Choquette, Walter L. | | ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 19 071 264 | | GRADE Pvt | |
| HOME ADDRESS Butte, Montana | | ARM OR SERVICE Infantry | | DATE OF BIRTH 29 Aug 21 | |
| PLACE OF DEATH European Area | | CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action | | DATE OF DEATH *13 Jun 44 | |
| STATION OF DECEASED European Area | | DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 4 Mar 42 | | LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS | |
| EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Galdys Choquette, mother, 521 1/2 West Silver St., Butte, Montana ✓ | | | | | |
| BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Gladys Choquette, mother,) same as above Mr. Hugh Choquette, brother,) | | | | | |
| INVESTIGATION MADE? | | IN LINE OF DUTY | | OWN MISCONDUCT | |
| YES | NO | YES | NO | YES | NO |
| | | | | | |
| WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS | | AUTHORIZED ABSENCE | | IN FLYING PAY STATUS | |
| YES | NO | YES | NO | YES | NO |
| | | | | X | |
| OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW) | | | | | |
| YES | NO | | | | |
| X* | | | | | |

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

BATTLE NON-BATTLE

*Jump status

*Correction in date of death

Date of death original forwarded as 6 Jun 44.

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| | | A. G. 201 FILE |

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR
James W. Pinkart
ADJUTANT GENERAL

File 719

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THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 18 Oct. 44
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| YES | NO | YES | NO | YES | NO | YES | NO | YES | NO | YES | NO | YES | NO |
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REPORT OF DEATH

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| YES | NO | | |

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
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James W. Pinkney
 ADJUTANT

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

—BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

| | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--|--|------------------|---------------|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| NAME | | | | SERIAL NUMBER | | GRADE | ARM OR SERVICE | REPORTING THEATRE |
| CHOQUETTE WALTER L | | | | 19071264 | | PVT | INF | ETC. |
| PLACE OF CASUALTY | | | DATE OF CASUALTY | | FLYING OR JUMPING STAT | TYPE OF CASUALTY | SHIPMENT NUMBER | |
| FRANCE | | | DAY | MONTH | YEAR | J | MIA | 141 |

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING PERSON AS THE ONE TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY. AND THE OFFICIAL TELEGRAPHIC AND LETTER NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE SENT TO THIS PERSON, THE RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, IS SHOWN BELOW. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT NECESSARILY THE NEXT-OF-KIN OR RELATIVE DESIGNATED TO BE PAID SIX MONTHS' PAY GRATUITY IN CASE OF DEATH

| | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--------------|--|---------------|
| MR.-MRS.-MISS—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST NAME | | | RELATIONSHIP | | DATE NOTIFIED |
| MRS GLADYS CHOQUETTE | | | MOTHER | | 1 AUG 1944 |
| NO. AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE | | | | | |
| 521 1/2 WEST SILVER STREET BUTTE MONTANA | | | | | |

REMARKS:

CORRECTED COPY



ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED FORM 43 AG 201 REQ

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED OR CHARGED TO _____ DATE _____

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO YES _____ (AS INDICATED BELOW):

| FILE NO. | MESSAGE NO. | TYPE | DATE AND AREA | E. A. NOTIFIED |
|----------|-------------|------|---------------|----------------|
| | | | | |

FORWARDED TO SPEC. IDEN. TELEGRAM WOUNDED LETTER CORRES. S. R. & D. CERTIF. M. & M. NON-DEL.

REPORT NOT VERIFIED NO FORM 43 NO CAS. BR. FILE CHECKED BY *Edmond King* REVIEWED BY _____

THIS SPACE FOR USE OF MACHINE RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.

| ACCT. AREA | CASUALTY STATUS | ORIGINAL CAS. DATE | | | MESSAGE NO. | LATEST CAS. DATE | | | REFERENCE AREA | CREW POS. | RESIDENCE | | | | COMP | RACE | | | | | | | | | |
|------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----|-----|-------------|------------------|-----|-----|----------------|-----------|-----------|--------|----|----|------|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| | | DAY | MO. | YR. | | DAY | MO. | YR. | | | STATE | COUNTY | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 34 | 35 | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 41 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 45 | 46 | 47 | 48 | 49 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 53 | 54 | 55 | 56 | 57 | 58 | 59 |

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FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Choquette, Walter L. (19071264)

I N D E X S H E E T

S Y N O P S I S

Letter

6 Jan. 1945

FROM: OCMG.
TO: A.G.O., ASF.
ATTN: Capt. Hennessey, Status Review & Determination, Casualty Br.

SUBJ: Report of Reburial.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293 - Unknown, 39517, France

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(Basic: Ltr. Hqs USMARS, TSE, ETO, (Rear) APO 887, (23 August '45), File GRSC (Blovville A-4-61), Subject: Corrections to Reports of Burial.)

QMSYC 314.6 *Graves Reg* 3rd Ind.

~~to~~ European Area *n.s. info*

Cor to Reports of Int
WD, OQMG, Washington 25, D. C. 14 August 1946

TO: Commanding Officer
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
APO 887, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

1. AGO Report of Death and Report of Interment on file this headquarters reflect date of death of Jerome R. Ekl, Sergeant, 34339593 to be 27 July 1944.

2. Report of Interment on file indicate remains of Private Walter L. Choquette, 19071264 has been reburied in Plot T, Row 7, Grave 138, in United States Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France. Remains of Private First Class James G. Mindrup, 37536168 are also buried in Plot T, Row 8, Grave 144, United States Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France according to Report of Interment on file in this office.

3. Request clarification of these discrepancies in Theater records and OQMG records.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Incls:
n/o

MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMG
Assistant

X 293

Choquette Walter L. (POA) 19071264

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

at

In Reply Refer To
QCMB 293
Choquette, Walter L.
S.N. 19 071 264

11 February 1947

SUBJECT: Report of Burial
TO : **Commanding Officer**
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
APO 887, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

Request a duplicate Report of Burial be forwarded this office for the following decedent:

NAME: **Choquette, Walter L.**
RANK: **Private**
SERIAL NUMBER: **19 071 264**
DATE OF DEATH: **6 June 1944**
PLACE OF DEATH: **European Area**
PLACE OF BURIAL: **Bliesville, France - Fleury**
FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

RECORDS BRANCH AND
MEMORIAL DIVISION
FEB 14 1947
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FEB 14 3 08 PM '47
QCMB M&R BR

MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMC
Assistant

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VD
BF

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

In Reply Refer To
QMGR 293
Choquette, Walter L.
S.N. 19 071 264

14 February 1947

SUBJECT: Report of Burial

TO : Commanding Officer
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
APO 887, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York

Request a duplicate Report of Burial be forwarded this office for the following decedent:

NAME: Choquette, Walter L.

RANK: Private

SERIAL NUMBER: 19 071 264

DATE OF DEATH: 6 June 1944

PLACE OF DEATH: European Area

PLACE OF BURIAL: Bloisville, France - Plot T - Row 7 -
Grave 138

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Martin G. Riley
MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMC
Assistant

File _____
Date 1 April 47
Virginia Dougherty
NA

Att. to go. ltr B/K
2/14/47

Basic Ltr OQMG dtd 14 February 1947, QMGMR 293 sub: Report of Burial.

293 RRE (Choquette, Walter L. - 19 071 264) 1st Ind.

Hq, American Graves Registration Command, European Theater Area, APO 887, U S Army, 6 March 1947.

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

In compliance with basic request true copy of Report of Interment for subject decedent is forwarded.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Joseph E. McCluskey
JOSEPH E. McCLUSKEY
1st Lt., Inf
Actg Asst Adj Gen

Incl: a/s

File _____
Date 1 Apr 47
Virginia Dougherty
NA

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Washington 25, D. C.

In Reply Refer To
QMGR 314.6
Graves Registration
(European)

23 November 1946

*U. S. Misc
corr*

SUBJECT: Burial Records

TO : **Commanding Officer
American Graves Registration Command
European Theater Area
APO 687, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York**

1. Request the burial reports and grave markers for the following decedents be changed to read as underscored:

Cemetery: **United States Military Cemetery Bloisville, France**

| NAME | RANK/ GRADE | SERIAL NO. | PLOT | ROW | GRAVE | ORGANIZATION |
|------------------------------------|----------------|------------|------|-----|-------|---|
| Carlis, Doc J. | <u>PTO</u> | 35 337 008 | G | D | 177 | |
| Chaba, Frank | <u>Pvt</u> | 53 579 164 | H | D | 178 | <u>Co. "B" 13th Inf Regt 15th Arty Div</u> |
| <i>293</i> Chagnette, Walter L. | <u>Pvt</u> | 19 072 964 | F | F | 150 | <u>Bn Co. 507th Provt Bde 15th Arty Div</u> |

2. The records of this office have been reverified with the records of The Adjutant General, War Department, and have been found to be correct as indicated above.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Martin G. Riley
MARTIN G. RILEY
Major, QMC
Assistant

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REP. TRI. TION RECORDS B RANCH

7 NOV 46

DATE

NAME CHOQUETTE WALTER L

SERIAL NO 19071264 PVT

CEMETERY BLOSVILLE FR

PLOT T

ROW 7

GRAVE 138

LETTER FIELD

Correct Records to Read

RANK

ORG

~~DOB 13 JUNE 44~~

[Signature]
SPECIAL CHECKER

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MEMO ROUTING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

| | NAME OR TITLE | ORGANIZATION | BUILDING AND ROOM | INITIALS |
|---|----------------|--------------|-------------------|----------|
| 1 | Liaison Branch | OPC DIVISION | | DATE |
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1. Senator Wheeler should be informed that Mrs. Gladys Choquette, 521 $\frac{1}{2}$ West Silver Street, Butte, Montana, was informed on 15 March 1945 that the remains of her son were interred in the American Cemetery, Blosville, France, Grave 138, Row 7, Plot T.

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| FROM: | NAME | ORGANIZATION | BUILDING AND ROOM | DATE |
|-------|--------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|-----------|
| | MEMORIAL DIV PLANNING & REGISTRATION | | | 11 May 45 |
| | BR. TEMPORARY C, WASHINGTON, D. C. | | | TELEPHONE |

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

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To the following in order indicated:

GPO 16-34260-3

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|---|---|------------|
| 1 | Dir., Memorial Division OQMG, Room 1007, Tempo C, Washington 25, D. C. | (Initials) |
| | (Name or title) (Organization) (Building and room) | (Date) |
| 2 | | |
| 3 | | |

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1. For necessary action.

2. Private Walter L. Choquetts,
19,071,264, was killed in action on 13 June 1944
in France.

gsw

John T. Wynn,
Major, A.G.O.

1 Incl.
Ltr dtd 14 Feb 45.



From Family Relations, Composite Group #1
Room 2827, Munitions Building.

(Name)

(Organization)

(Building and room)

1-Mar 45
(Date)

(Telephone)

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HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES

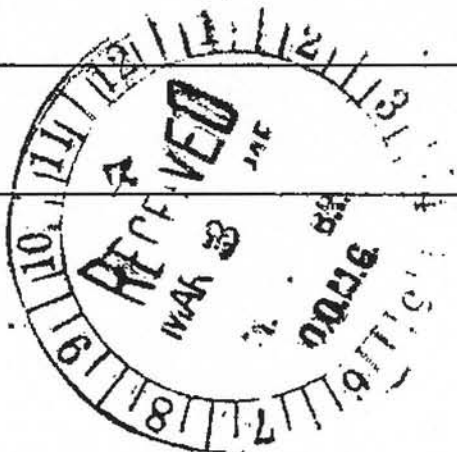
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To the following in order indicated:

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GPO 16-34260-3

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|---|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 2 | (Organization) | (Building and room) |
| 3 | | (Date) |



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|---------------------|-------------|
| From | (Date) |
| (Name) | (Telephone) |
| (Organization) | |
| (Building and room) | |

Case # 39517
Blountville

CG

Destroy case folder # 39517
Blountville.

Ident. as:

Choquette, Walter L.,
19071264

SPQY# 293
39517, France

893 Choquette, Walter L

6 January 1945

191071264

SUBJECT: Report of Reburial.

TO : The Adjutant General, ASF, Washington, D. C.

ATTENTION: Capt. Hennessey, Status Review & Determination,
Casualty Branch, 4602 Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. In accordance with telephonic request from your office,
photostatic copy of GRS Form #1, covering reburial for Private Walter
L. CHOQUETTE, 19071264, is forwarded for your information.

For The Quartermaster General:

C. C. PIERCE,
Captain, Q.M.C.,
Assistant.

JAN 5 8 53 AM '45
MEMORIAL DIVISION

1 Incl:
Photostatic copy of GRS Form #1.

893 Choquette, Walter L 191071264

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(DO NOT REMOVE THIS MEMORANDUM FROM PAPERS)

WAR DEPARTMENT, O.Q.M.G.

Chesquette, Walter

DATE: 24 October 1944. FILE NO: 293 Leo RED NO: 9555

SUBJECT: Communication from Senator Wheeler.

FROM: Liaison Branch, OP&C TO: Memorial Division

- NOTE: 1. Acknowledgment has not been sent to the Member of Congress, stating that a full reply will be sent ~~has~~ as soon as practicable.
2. The OM General desires that replies to Congressional inquiries be EXPEDITED.
3. Please furnish to Liaison Branch, Organization Planning & Control Division, information on which to base reply.
4. Attach all records necessary for intelligent action.

MEMORIAL DIVISION
10 AM

HUNT

DATE: 26 October 1944 FILE: 293 Chesquette, Walter Leo

FROM: Memorial Division. TO: Liaison Branch, OP&C Div.

Senator Wheeler should be informed that a burial report has not, as yet, been received in this office for Pvt. Chesquette. It sometimes takes many months for such reports to be received and since Pvt. Chesquette was killed on 6 June 1944, sufficient time has not elapsed to warrant receipt of that information. However, the Senator will be further informed when such information is received.

The Adjutant General is charged with matters pertaining to the death of military personnel. Copies of the Senator's correspondence are, therefore, being transmitted to that official for consideration and direct reply to you.

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HARBOLD

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*no record in file
10-26-44
C.B.*

The Adjutant General, Washington, D. C., Rm. 3058 Munitions Bldg.

293 Choquette, Walter Leo

26 October 1944.

Memorial Division, OCSG.

Rm. 1007 Tempo C

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Attached is a copy of letter to the Honorable Burton K. Wheeler, United States Senator, who has been informed of this reference, for reply to so much thereof as pertains to the correct date of death of the late Pvt. Walter Leo Choquette, 19,071,264, who was reported missing in action and subsequently on 6 June 1944 reported killed in action.

For The Quartermaster General:

R. P. HAROLD,
Colonel, Q. M. C.,
Assistant.

EAS
EAS
MAD

Incls:

Cpy ltr dtd 19 Oct 44 to Senator Wheeler.

Cpy reply, this office.

May 1 2 25 1944
Harold



CORRECTIONS AND ADDITIONS TO BURIAL REPORTS AS TAKEN FROM AG CAS CARD *

CEMETERY **BLOSVILLE** PLOT **T** ROW **7** GRAVE **138**

NAME : **CHOQUETTE, WALTER L**

RANK : **Pvt**

ASN : **19 071 264**

ORGANIZATION : **Hq Co. 507th Pecht Inf. 17th Arbn Div**

DATE OF DEATH : **- - -**

PLACE OF DEATH : **- - -**

CAUSE OF DEATH : **- - -**

* & letter **QMGR 314.6** **26 November 1946**
See: **CARLIN, Deo J** **G-9-177**

FR 23/12/46

(Signature)

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. Gladys Choquette

Effects of:

Pvt. Walter L. Choquette

521 1/2 West Silver Street

Name

19071264

Butte, Montana

ASN

157194 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 11 April 1945

JRM:VJ:co

Mildred Blanas

FOR: 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:

1 pkg

FRANKED

Franked
Est. Exp. Chgs.
Est. Frt. Chgs.
No. of packages 1

APR 16 1945

M/S

CHOGUETTE, WALTER L

1264

NAME

| BAY | PALLET | BOX | TALLY |
|--------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| 32 | 71 | 630 | 7304 |
| TYPE OF PKG. | WHSE SPACE | INVENTORIED | |
| CTN | | | |

157194

PACKAGE DESCRIPTION

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY

DECEASED
MISSING
P.O.W.
ABANDONED

TALLY NO. 7304

INV. DATE 31 Mar 45

CRIG. No. OF PKGS. 1

BOX NO.

SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS

ORGANIZATION
509th Bckt Coy

1 PKT

NAME WALTER L. CHOQUETTE
A.S.N. 19071264 RANK PVT.

| | | | |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| BELT | TOWEL | WASHCLOTHS | WINGS |
| BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY) | CLOTHING | | BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL |
| CLOTH, WASH | BRACELET IDENT. | | BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY) |
| COATS | BRUSHES | | CASE |
| FOOTWEAR, PR. | COMBS | | FOOTLOCKER |
| GLOVES, PR. | GLASSES | | KIT, SEW, TLT, OR WRITING |
| HANDKERCHIEFS | KNIVES | | BOOKS |
| HEADWEAR | LIGHTERS | | BOOKS, ADDRESS |
| JACKETS | MISC. INSIGNIA | | BOOKS, PILOT LOG |
| OVERCOATS | PEN, FOUNTAIN | | DIARY (REMOVED FOR DUB) |
| SCARFS | PENCIL, MECHANICAL | | FILMS |
| SHIRTS | PIPES | | LETTERS |
| SOCKS, PR. | RELIGIOUS ARTICLES | | PAPERS, PERSONAL |
| TIES | RIBBONS, DECORATION | | PHOTOS |
| TOWELS | RINGS | | SHOE SHINE ARTICLES |
| TROUSERS, PR. | TOBACCO | | SHORT SHORTER |
| TRUNKS, PR. | TOILET ARTICLES | | SOUVENIRS |
| UNDERWEAR | WATCH | | SOUVENIR MONEY |
| | | | STATIONERY |
| | | | TESTAMENTS |
| | | | U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT) |

U.S. MONEY

REMARKS Mother
Mrs Gladys Choquette
521 1/2 W. Silver St.
Butte, Montana

ATTACHMENTS FORM #54 FORM #100

Inventory

C.A.T. none

WAREHOUSE SPAC 1334

STORED BY JCM

INVENTORIED BY Fleming

APR 16 1945

PACKED BY Smith

CHECKED BY [Signature]

| | |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| WEIGHT | G.I. REMOVED |
| | SHORTAGE ON REVERSE |
| | IDENT. TAGS REMOVED |
| | DIARY REMOVED |
| DATE SHIPPED | LOCKED STORAGE |
| | LAUNDRY REMOVED |
| X #43 OR ADDITIONAL | FILM REMOVED |

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

U. S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

I certify that the above listed items were not in the containers inventoried by me:

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED

507TH PARASHUTE INFANTRY
APO 230, U.S. ARMY

30 July 1944
Date

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventory of Personal Effects.

TO : Effects Quartermaster, ETCUSA, Depot G-14, APO 507,
U.S. Army.

Transmitted herewith in accordance with Adm. Cir. # 80, dated 25 Oct. 1943, Hq. GCS, ETCUSA, is inventory of effects concerning subject named below.

Choquette, Walter L., Pvt., 19071264
(Last Name) (First Name) (LT) (Rank) (A.S.N.) (Control No.)
(For use of Effects Qk. ETCUSA)

Organization Hq & Hq Co 507th Parach Inf.,
(UNIT - - - - - 1st Branch of Service)

*Status. (Deceased, Missing in Action, ~~Returned to Duty~~) on the 6th
day of June 19 44.

Designated Beneficiary (With Address)
Mrs. Gladys Choquette (Mother)
521 1/2 W. Silver St.
Butte, Montana

Cl. II Assets: Cash found in effects; less cost of money order inclosed here-
with.

U.S.M.O. # None. Amt. \$ U.S.M.O. # Amt \$

U.S.M.O. # Amt \$ U.S.M.O. # Amt \$

U.S. Official Check # None. Amt. Bank
(Name and Branch)

#Bank Accounts None.

#Debtors None.

#Creditors None.

#Inclosed is: No Inclosures.
(Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks, Describe Fully)

REMARKS (if any)

*Strike out words not applicable.
#Negative report where applicable.

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS
(Attach extra sheets if necessary)

- 16 Photos ✓
- 1 Pr Glasses ✓
- 1 Wallet ✓
- 2 Knives ✓
- 1 Pipe ✓
- 1 Pen ✓

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of the subject's effects and that effects were shipped to Effects QM. ETCUSA, A.P.O. 507, G-14, U.S. Army by delivering to Effects QM., 82d A/B Div APC, 459 USA.,
on 30 July 1944.

George J. Roper
Signature (In ink)

GEORGE J. ROPER }
} (Block letters)
Cspt., 507th Frcht Inf.
Rank and Organization



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

JRM:VM:pw
 November 30, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO ~~157,194~~ Mc

Mrs. Gladys Choquette
 521½ West Silver Street
 Butte, Montana

Dear Mrs. Choquette:

This refers to your recent letter inquiring about the personal effects of your son, Private Walter L. Choquette.

I am sorry to report that the Army Effects Bureau has not yet received any of your son's property. There is inclosed an information circular which will give you some idea of the time which may elapse before personal effects arrive here from overseas.

You will note from Paragraph 3 of the circular that this Bureau needs certain information in order to make disposition of property. You may furnish the necessary information at this time, if you wish, so that your son's effects may be forwarded promptly upon receipt here.

For your convenience, there is inclosed a self-addressed return envelope which needs no postage.

I wish to express my sincere regret of the circumstances prompting this correspondence.

Yours very truly,

B. B. FRIESS
 Administrative Assistant
 Army Effects Bureau

2 Incls--
 Form 76
 Envelope

1124
Vmk

Nov. 19, 1944
Butte, Montana

Dear Sir:

15719400

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Would you please send the personal effects of my son Pvt. Walter Leo Choquette 19071264, who was killed in France ~~or~~ during the invasion. I ~~my~~ particularly desire ~~the~~ ^{two} books of poetry of which he was very fond, he also had a wrist watch & ring.

I will appreciate receiving these possessions of my beloved son.

Sincerely yours.

Mrs. Gladys Choquette
521 1/2 West Silver Street
Butte, Montana

for
for

Dec. 18, 1944
Butte, Montana

12/26
JMC

15719407 JW
from

Army Effects Bureau
Quartermaster Depo:

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Dear Sir:

I wrote you sometime ago about obtaining the possessions of my son Pvt. Walter Leo Choquette ¹⁹⁰⁷¹²⁶⁴ who was killed in France on the 6th of June 1944. I received your kind reply, + the information you ask for, I am giving you here.

(A) My son was never married.

(B) I, his mother, Mrs. Gladys Choquette
521 1/2 West Silver Street, Butte, Montana

(C) There is no executor or administrator, and I, his mother, am the person who his insurance is for.

Sincerely yours
Mrs. Gladys Choquette
521 1/2 West Silver Street
Butte, Montana



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

JRM:VJ:co
April 11, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 157194

Mrs. Gladys Choquette
521 $\frac{1}{2}$ West Silver Street
Butte, Montana

Dear Mrs. Choquette:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some property of your son, Private Walter L. Choquette.

This property, consisting of a cloth bag and a billfold, is being sent you.

If, for some reason, it has not been received at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer may be instituted.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

P. L. KOOB
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Unit

14

Butte, Montana

Oct. 19, 1944

Senator B. K. Wheeler,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Senator Wheeler:

I received your & Mrs.

Wheeler's kind letter of sympathy when my son Walter was reported missing. I have since then received a telegram from the War Dept. that he was killed on June 6, you have so kindly offered your service, and I write you now to ask if it would be possible for you to get more information for me, you see, I have a letter from a friend of my sons who was on the same transport plane, & he states he & Walter were together in the first few days of the invasion & that Walter got a slight leg wound & was taken to their ~~and~~ station, & later the enemy captured the station, & that he & the company felt sure Walter was a prisoner, what has me so up set is the

fact that Walter was alive for the first
few days of the invasion, & if he was
killed it was later than June 6, & the
War Dept. can't be sure of his death if
they don't have the right date, ~~was~~ would
it be possible to find out how he died,
was it from the leg wound, did they find
his body, did he have a burial service, it
seems I can move rest till I have some
proof of his death. Walter was a paratrooper.
I have two other boys in the Navy.

If you would help me in this, I
will be very grateful to you.

The boy's name & address is Pvt.
Walter Leo Chozette, ¹⁹⁰⁷¹²⁶⁴ Hq. Hq. Co. 507 Para-
troop Inf. A.P.O. 514 c/o P.M. New York, N.Y.

Sincerely yours
Mrs. Gladys Chozette
521½ West Silver St.
Butte, Montana

BURTON K. WHEELER, MONT., CHAIRMAN
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 ERNEST W. MC FARLAND, ARIZ.

United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON INTERSTATE COMMERCE

M. W. MITCHELL, CLERK

October 23, 1944

My dear General Gregory:

Enclosed is a letter I have received from Mrs. Gladys Choquette of Butte, Montana requesting information concerning her son Pvt. Walter Leo Choquette, 19071264, who was reported missing in action and subsequently on 6 June 44 reported killed in action.

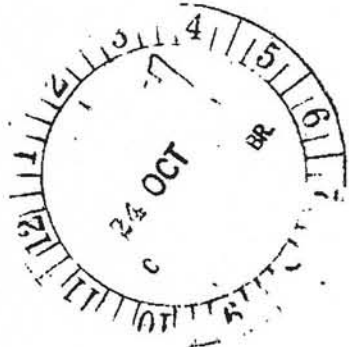
I would appreciate your consideration of the enclosure and its return for my files when it has served its purpose.

Cordially yours,

B. K. Wheeler

BKW/
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Encl.

Maj. Gen. E. B. Gregory
 The Quartermaster General
 Army Service Forces
 War Department
 Washington, D. C.



293
 Choquette, Walter Leo, 19071264

293 Choquette, Walter Leo (Ago)
SPAC 193
(Choquette, Walter Leo, Pvt.)

31 October 1944.

W. H. R.
Honorable Burton K. Wheeler,
United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Senator:

Reference is made to your inquiry in behalf of Mrs. Gladys Choquette, Butte, Montana, who desires information regarding the death and burial of her son, Private Walter Leo Choquette, 19071264, who was reported missing in action and subsequently on 6 June 1944 reported killed in action.

Although Private Choquette died on 6 June 1944, a burial report has not, as yet, been received in this office. You are assured, however, that as soon as that information is received, you will be further informed.

The Adjutant General is charged with matters pertaining to the death of military personnel and your inquiry has, therefore, been transmitted to that Officer for further direct reply to you.

I wish to express through you to Mrs. Choquette my deepest sympathy in her great sorrow.

Very truly yours,

EE bh
[Signature]
JVH/bh
Ex. 2644.
E. B. GREGORY,
Major General,
The Quartermaster General.

JVH
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DCO
Cleared
31 Oct 44
CO - JESSIE W. BR.
DCMG

293 Choquette, Walter Leo (19,071,264)

Butte, Montana

Feb. 14, 1944

Major General J. A. Ulio
War Dept. Washington D.C.

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My dear Sir:

I wish

to thank you for the attention
you have given, to procure for
me some facts on the death
of my son Walter Choquette.

I am most grateful to you, &
hoped I may soon hear details of
his burial.

Sincerely yours
Gladys Choquette

PQYG 293
Choquette, Walter L.
S.N. 19,071,264

15 March 1945

Mrs. Gladys Choquette
521¹/₂ West Silver Street
Butte, Montana

Dear Mrs. Choquette:

The Adjutant General has forwarded your letter to this office for necessary reply, relative to the burial of your son, the late Private Walter L. Choquette.

The official report of interment received in this office shows that the remains of your son were interred in the American Cemetery, Bloisville, France, Grave 138, Row 7, Plot T.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your son.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

MAYO A. DARLING
Lt. Colonel, QMC
Assistant

MAR 15 1945
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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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SPOEL 293
(Choquette, Walter L.,
Pvt.)

12 May 1945.

✓ 201 Honorable Burton K. Wheeler,
United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Senator:

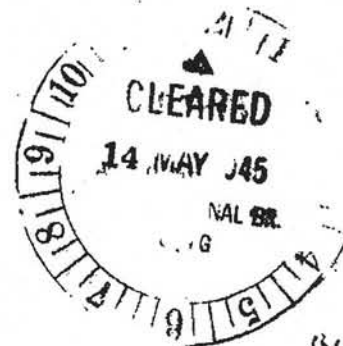
Further reference is made to your inquiry in behalf of Mrs. Gladys Choquette, Butte, Montana, regarding the burial of her son, Private Walter L. Choquette, who was killed in action.

Mrs. Choquette was informed in a letter from this office that the remains of her son were interred in the American Cemetery, Bloisville, France, in Grave 139, Row 7, Plot T. She may be assured that her son was buried with the utmost respect and reverence, with an appropriate ceremony conducted at the grave by an Army Chaplain. The cemetery is well cared for and under the immediate supervision of our military authorities. A temporary marker has been erected, with a fitting inscription thereon, and the grave has been properly recorded.

It is sincerely hoped that this information will be of some comfort to Mrs. Choquette in her great sorrow.

Very truly yours,

C. L. CORBIN,
Major General, A.U.S.,
Acting The Quartermaster General.



Pvt. Walter L. Choquette, 19 071 264
Plot T, Row 7, Grave 138,*
United States Military Cemetery
Blosville, France

12 September 1947

Mrs. Gladys Choquette
521½ West Silver Street
Butte, Montana

Dear Mrs. Choquette:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LAWREN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

Incis.

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SEP 17 1947
O.D.
MAIL RECORDED