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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED	DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3508 04735	DATE 15 01 48 DAY MONTH YEAR
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NAME STACHOWSKI EDWIN J	SERIAL NUMBER 35343780	RANK PVT	ARM 1	DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR 5 10 08
CEMETERY BLOSVILLE - CARENTAN				DISPOSITION OF REMAINS CODE DIST. PT. 1 08
PLOT E	ROW 5	GRAVE 84	COUNTRY FRANCE	CAUSE OF DEATH 2

SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE KANIEWSKI & SON FUNERAL DIRECTOR 614 SOUTH ARNOLD STREET SOUTH BEND, INDIANA	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN JOSEPH STACHOWSKI (FATHER) 1119 WEST FORD STREET SOUTH BEND, INDIANA
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SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME STACHOWSKI EDWIN J.	SERIAL NUMBER 35343780	RANK Pvt	DATE OF DEATH Unknown	DATE DISINTERRED 17 Dec 1947
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER	ORGANIZATION USAGF	RELIGION Catholic	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY R.W. GANSEL 1st Lt. NAME AND TITLE	

SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL UNIFORM	CONDITION OF REMAINS Advanced Decomposition
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION I.D. Tags with remains	
MINOR DISCREPANCIES / NONE	

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET	
DATE February 2 1948	BY H.A. GENTZEL
CASKET SEALED BY H.A. GENTZEL	EMBALMER (Signature) <i>H.A. Gentzel</i>
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY JOHN PALYOK Jr. 1st Lt. FA
DATE 2.2.48	BY

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

John Palyok Jr
JOHN PALYOK Jr. 1st Lt. FA
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

7746

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM H.S. M.C. PROSULIF	TO CANTONING POINT A CHERBOURG
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>W. Stanley</i> W. STANLEY C. ST. MC	DATE 28 Jan. 1948
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>E. N. Campo</i> E. N. CAMPO 1st Lt. FA	
DATE	

2. SHIPPED

FROM CANTONING POINT A CHERBOURG	TO Port Unit Cherbourg
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>E. N. Campo</i> E. N. CAMPO 1st Lt. FA	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>W. Stanley</i> W. STANLEY C. ST. Major CAC	
DATE	

3. SHIPPED

FROM CHERBOURG PORT UNIT	TO NYPE
KIND OF CONVEYANCE USSS LAWRENCE VICTORY	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER JOHN E. HENDRY JR. MAJ. CAC	DATE 26 April 48
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>Joseph L. Carroll</i> JOSEPH L. CARROLL, 1st Lt. MC	
DATE APR 26 1948	

4. SHIPPED

FROM	TO NYPE
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>James L. McKinnon</i> JAMES L. MCKINNON COLONEL, T. C.	
DATE 7 MAY 1948	

5. SHIPPED

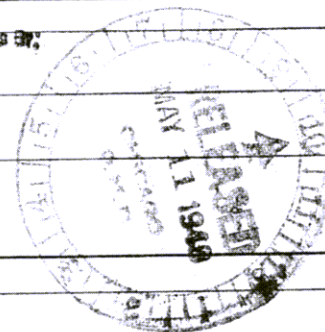
FROM NYPE	TO de # 8
KIND OF CONVEYANCE Train	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER JAMES L. MCKINNON COLONEL, T. C. PORT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	DATE MAY 9 1948
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>J. A. Benton</i> J. A. BENTON Captain, QMC	
DATE MAY 11 1948	

6. SHIPPED

FROM	TO Chief, Operations Sq;
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE	

7. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	
DATE	



45 34 37 60 STACHOWSKI, E.B.

Serial No. _____ Name _____
Grade _____ Rank _____
Organization _____
Address _____
Nearest Relative Bertha V. Stachowski
Address Rt. #2 Box 21 Mishawaka, Ind.
Killed in Action Died of Disease _____
Date _____ Hospital _____
Battle Area _____ Information _____

Place of Burial _____
Point of Coordination _____
Description of Body _____
Members Missing _____

T. J. [Signature]
Signed _____

F-5-84

Serial No. 35343780 Name Stachowski, Edwin J

Grade Pvt. Rank

Organization 83rd Inf.

Address

Nearest Relative Mrs Rose P. Stachowski (mother)

Address 1119 W. Ford St. South Bend, Ind.

Killed in Action Yes Died of Disease

Date 7/2/44 Hospital

Battle Area Information

Place of Burial Monarch Cemetery

Point of Coordination

Description of Body

Members Missing

Signed Abraham Szyb Pfc.

FORWARDED COPY TO OFFICE OF
 QUARTERMASTER GENERAL WASHINGTON, D. C.
 ATTN: HDQRS., A. G. R. S.

CERTIFICATE

(AR 30-1830)

FORM II
 CONTROL NO. 7746

1. FILL IN EITHER PART A OR PART B; NOT BOTH.
2. USE PART A WHEN INTERMENT IS IN A CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY.
3. USE PART B WHEN REMAINS ARE DELIVERED TO HOME OR OTHER PLACE PRIOR TO BURIAL IN A NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY.

PART A - CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY

A REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF INTERMENT EXPENSES (PLEASE READ EXPLANATION ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE COMPLETING FORM)			
NAME OF DECEDENT STACHOWSKI, EDWIN J.	GRADE PVT.	SERIAL NUMBER 35343780	COMPONENT US ARMY
I certify that the sum of \$ <u>160.00</u> was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the interment of the remains of the above named decedent in the below named cemetery.			
CLAIM VALID-REPAID JUN 1 1948 CCC			
INSERT NAME OF CEMETERY Notre Dame Cedar Grove Cemetery	CITY OR COUNTY South Bend,	STATE Indiana	
INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM 1. Fill in as required and sign four copies. THIS FORM NOT TO BE SIGNED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR. 2. Return four copies to: Chicago Depot American Graves Registration Div. 1819 W. Pershing Rd. Chicago 9, Illinois		SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT JOSEPH STACHOWSKI <i>Joseph Stachowski</i>	
		ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (City, Street or RFD, and State) 1119 W. FORD ST., SOUTH BEND, INDIANA	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT FATHER
			DATE 5/27-48

PART B - NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY

B REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES (PLEASE READ EXPLANATION ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE COMPLETING FORM)			
NAME OF DECEDENT	GRADE	SERIAL NUMBER	COMPONENT
I certify that the sum of \$ _____ was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the transportation of the remains of the above named decedent from and to the following places:			
INSERT CITY OR TOWN (OR ADDRESS NOT IN A CITY OR TOWN) FROM WHICH REMAINS WERE SHIPPED		INSERT NAME AND LOCATION OF NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY TO WHICH REMAINS WERE SHIPPED	
INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM 1. Fill in as required and sign four copies. THIS FORM NOT TO BE SIGNED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR. 2. Return four copies to: F. O., U. S. ARMY, CHICAGO, ILL.		SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT	
		ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (City, Street or RFD, and State)	
		RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT	DATE
			PAID ON 16143 JUN 16 1948
		MONEY ACCOUNTS OF R. K. LeBROU,	

RECEIPT OF REMAINS
DAY LETTER

DISTRIBUTION CENTER AGR DIV., CHICAGO QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
1819 W. PERSHING RD., CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

KANIEWSKI & SON FUNERAL DIR.
614 S. ARNOLD ST.
SOUTH BEND, IND.

ROUTINE

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO:

REMAINS OF THE LATE PVT. EDWIN J. STACHOWSKI
BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT. ON TRAIN NUMBER 20,
G. T. W. RR.
LEAVING CHICAGO 9:40 AM C.S.T. THURSDAY 20 MAY 1948
AND DUE TO ARRIVE SOUTH BEND, IND., 11:40 AM C.S.T. THURS. 20 MAY 1948
REQUEST THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY INFORM THE NEXT OF KIN AND MAKE ARRANGEMENTS
TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL. REFER TO CONTROL NUMBER 7746

CARROLL J. GRINNELL
LT. COL. Q.M.C.

REPATRIATION
RECORDS BRANCH
JUN 1 4 44 AM '48
MEMPHIS DIVISION

UNDERSIGNED DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE REMAINS OF THE ABOVE-NAMED DECEASED
THIS 15 DAY OF May, 1948

Joseph T. [Signature]
WITNESS (Escort)

Kaniewski - Son
CONSIGNEE

REV. 18B

GP

File
Not
Annotated
9 June 48
M. [Signature]
R. [Signature]

INSPECTION CHECKLIST

NAME Stachowski, Edwin J	RANK Pvt	SERIAL NUMBER 35343780
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NEXT OF KIN	ADDRESS
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SHIPPING CASE - General Appearance <i>(Check ONLY Discrepancies)</i>	CONDITION OF SHIPPING CASE <i>(Check One)</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY
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FINISH (Exterior) FINISH (Interior) HANDLES HANDLE BOLTS STENCILING - NAMEPLATE	REMARKS
	INSPECTED BY: <i>[Signature]</i>

CASKET - General Appearance <i>(Check ONLY Discrepancies)</i>	CONDITION OF CASKET <i>(Check One)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY
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FINISH (Exterior) HANDLES AND FASTENINGS STENCILING - NAMEPLATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CAM LOCKS (Sealing) ODOR OR MOISTURE	REMARKS <i>(2) stripped cam fasteners only at head & one on right side of casket</i> INSPECTED BY: <i>[Signature]</i>
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ROUTED THROUGH

<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY OPERATING ROOM	<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY REPAIR SHOP
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CONDITION OF REMAINS <input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY	CASKET REPAIRED <i>Touch up Paint J. Pross</i> <input type="checkbox"/>
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NECESSARY DISINFECTION <i>(Explain)</i>	CASKET EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/>
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SHIPPING CASE REPAIRED <input type="checkbox"/>	SHIPPING CASE EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/>
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REMARKS <i>New Cam Locks & Oil Grease</i>	
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TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF MORTICIAN	TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF INSPECTING OFFICER
				<i>5/19/48</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>

REMARKS

INSPECTION

STORAGE LOCATION				PASS. LIST NUMBER 008
FLOOR	SECTION	BAY	STORAGE NUMBER 897	

STAMP INCOMING OR OUTGOING <i>Outgoing</i>	CONTROL NUMBER 7746
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SOUTH BEND IND MAY 4 1948 1222P

CHICAGO QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

ATTN CARROLL J GRINNELL LT COL QMC CHIEF AGR DIV

REGARDING CONTROL #7746 EDWIN J. STACHOWSKI NO CHANGE IN

INSTRUCTIONS FOLLOW ORIGINAL RECORD

JOSEPH STACHOWSKI.

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MESSAGEFORM

MESSAGE CENTER NO.

TRANSMITTING MEANS

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PRECEDENCE

TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

ORIGINATOR

DATE TIME GROUP

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DAY LETTER**WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS**

ACTION

INFORMATION

EXEMPT

OPERATING SIGNALS

GROUP

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SPACE ABOVE FOR SIGNAL CENTER ONLY

FROM: (Originator) AGR DIV., CHICAGO QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
1819 W. PERSHING RD., CHICAGO, ILL.

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

ACTION TO:

- . JOSEPH STACHOWSKI
- . 1119 WEST FORD STREET
- . SOUTH BEND, INDIANA

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ANY
CHARGESPRECEDENCE FOR
ACTION INFORMATION ORIGINAL MESSAGEREFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE
IDENTIFICATION CLASSIFICATION

INFORMATION TO:

THIS HEADQUARTERS ADVISED REMAINS OF LATE **PVT. EDWIN J. STACHOWSKI**
 ARE ENROUTE TO UNITED STATES. RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE INDICATE YOU WISH REMAINS
 DELIVERED TO **KANIEWSKI & SON, FUNERAL DIR., 614 S. ARNOLD ST., SOUTH BEND, INDIANA.**
 PLEASE CONFIRM ABOVE DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS WITHIN 48 HOURS OR SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY
 INSTRUCTIONS BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO CHICAGO QUARTERMASTER DEPOT CHICAGO ILLINOIS.
 THIS IS YOUR FINAL OPPORTUNITY TO CHANGE DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS AT GOVERNMENT
 EXPENSE. IMPOSSIBLE TO GIVE YOU DEFINITE DELIVERY DATE. THREE DAYS PRIOR TO
 SHIPMENT FROM THIS DEPOT YOUR FUNERAL DIRECTOR WILL BE NOTIFIED BY TELEGRAM OF RAIL
 ROUTING AND SCHEDULED TIME OF ARRIVAL AT RAILROAD STATION WHERE HE WILL BE REQUESTED
 TO ACCEPT REMAINS ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT AND TO INFORM YOU TO COMPLETE
 FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS. YOUR COOPERATION WILL GREATLY ASSIST THIS OFFICE. IF YOU
 DESIRE MILITARY HONORS AT FUNERAL YOU SHOULD REQUEST LOCAL PATRIOTIC OR VETERANS
 ORGANIZATION TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS. IN TELEGRAM REPLY REFER TO CONTROL NUMBER
7746 AND NAME OF DECEASED.

CARROLL J. GRINNELL
 LT. COLONEL, QMC,
 CHIEF, AGR DIV.

REV. 4E

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

SIGNATURE

AUTHORIZATION

ORIGINATING AGENCY

SYMBOL

DATE-TIME GROUP

OFFICIAL TITLE

PAGE OF

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

4/22/48

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

DATE:

Pvt Edwin J. Stachowski, 35 343 780
Plot E, Row 5, Grave 84,
United States Military Cemetery
Blosville, France

Previously acc. Rec. 16
2 April 1948 (F-2)

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DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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PART I

I, Joseph Stachowski

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

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

- 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.
- 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

Cedar Grove Cemetery, South Bend, Indiana

(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

(FOREIGN COUNTRY)

PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____

(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.)

08-5100 NONE

DA # 04735

Recd. 3/12/48

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Name _____
 Action _____
 Date _____
 Accounting Section _____
 Family Care Branch _____

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			
Kaniewski and Son Funeral Home Vince Kaniewski			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
614 Arnold Street	South Bend	St. Joseph Co.	Indiana
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS		TELEPHONE No.
New York Central Station			4-6631

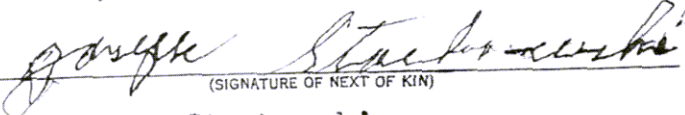
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
Stachowski	Rose	M.	Mother
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
1119 W. Ford Street	South Bend	St. Joseph	Indiana

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

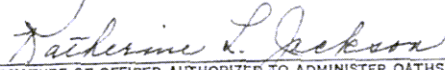
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I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.


(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)
Joseph Stachowski
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

1119 W. Ford Street
(STREET AND NUMBER)
South Bend, Indiana
(CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 15 day of April, 1948, at city (or town) of South Bend, county of St. Joseph, and State (or Territory or District) of Indiana


(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public
(OFFICIAL TITLE)

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

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

Pvt Edwin J. Stachowski, 35 343 780
 Plot B, Row 5, Grave 84,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Bliesville, France

5 November 1947

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DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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PART I

I, Joseph STACHOWSKI

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

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

- | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW | <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWER | <input type="checkbox"/> SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD | <input type="checkbox"/> DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FATHER | <input type="checkbox"/> MOTHER | <input type="checkbox"/> BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD | <input type="checkbox"/> SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (<i>Specify</i>) _____ | | | |

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.
2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY
CEDAR GROVE CEMETERY NOTRE DAME, INDIANA
(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.)

NONE

Coded 30 Jan 48

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PART I (Continued)

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 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
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
		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			
KANIEWSKI & SON FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
614 S. ARNOLD ST	So. BEND 08	ST. JOSEPH	INDIANA
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.	
UNION TERMINAL	614 S. ARNOLD ST	4-6631	

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
MRS. ROSE STACHOWSKI	ROSE		MOTHER
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
1119 W. FORD ST	SOUTH BEND	ST. JOSEPH	INDIANA

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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.

X Joseph Stachowski (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) 1119 W. FORD ST (STREET AND NUMBER)
MR. JOSEPH STACHOWSKI (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) SOUTH BEND 19, IND (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 12th day of November, 1947, at city (or town) of South Bend, county of St. Joseph, and State (or Territory or District) of _____

Edmund Meredith (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
Notary Public (OFFICIAL TITLE)

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.
Notary Commission Expires, June 12, 1949

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

293

Pvt. Edwin J. Stachowski, 35 343 780
 Plot B, Row 5, Grave 84,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Bloisville, France

12 September 1947

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DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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, _____ (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN) _____ (Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

- | | | | |
|--|----------------------------------|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW | <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWER | <input type="checkbox"/> SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD | <input type="checkbox"/> DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FATHER | <input type="checkbox"/> MOTHER | <input type="checkbox"/> BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD | <input type="checkbox"/> SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 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.
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 _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY), THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (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.)

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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.

	<small>(DATE)</small>
<small>(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)</small>	<small>(STREET AND NUMBER)</small>
<small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	<small>(CITY AND STATE)</small>

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
Stachowski	Joseph	-
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
Father		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY
1119 W. Ford St.	South Bend	Indiana

<i>Bertha R. Stack</i> <small>(SIGNATURE)</small>	October 6, 1947 <small>(DATE)</small>
Mrs. Bertha R. Stack <small>(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</small>	R. R. #2 - Box #21, <small>(STREET AND NUMBER)</small>
Mishawaka, Indiana <small>(CITY AND STATE)</small>	

ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

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

Oct. 5, 1947

Gentlemen:

After carefully reading the booklet entitled "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead" I feel that I am not to be considered the next of kin to Private Edwin J. Stachowski, in view of the fact that we were divorced previous to the time the deceased entered the Armed Forces. Our son, James, being only ten years of age and a minor, would automatically be excluded.

In order to clarify any questions which might arise, I might call your attention to the fact that, because of business reasons, I found it necessary to legally change my name from Stachowski to Stack. This will explain the difference in names.

I have fully discussed the return of Private Stachowski's body with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Stachowski, and it is their desire to have the body of their son returned to this country for final internment in a local cemetery. In view of the fact that I am not the next of kin, it will, of course, become necessary for you to forward the proper application blank and additional papers and letters to his family.

I thought it advisable to make the above explanation as there is, no doubt, some confusion because of the divorce, name change, etc. If I can be of any assistance to you at any time regarding burial plans, etc. please feel free to call on me at any time and I will be glad to be of whatever assistance possible. My relationship with the family of Edwin Stachowski is a very friendly one and I am certain that you can be assured of their full cooperation as well as mine.

I would appreciate very much if immediate arrangements could be made to forward the necessary forms to the Stachowski family as they are quite anxious to have their son's body returned.

Bertha R. Stack
Mrs. Bertha R. Stack

O. Q. M. G. ROUTING SLIP

Date _____

From _____

EXECUTIVE OFFICE

Intelligence
Technical Information

FISCAL DIVISION

FUEL AND LUBRICANTS DIVISION

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DIVISION

Library
Mail and Records
Office Service
Provost Marshal
Publications

INTERNATIONAL DIVISION

~~MEMORIAL DIVISION~~

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Operations
Requirements
Research and Development

MILITARY TRAINING DIVISION

ORGANIZATION PLANNING AND CONTROL DIVISION

Congressional
Field Progress
Organization Planning
Statistics

PERSONNEL DIVISION

Civilian
Employee Relations
Military
Personnel Authorization

PROCUREMENT DIVISION

Clothing and Textile Branches
Equipment and General Supplies
Legal
Production Service
Service

SERVICE INSTALLATIONS DIVISION

Administrative
Laundry
Maintenance and Equipment
Reclamation
Remount

STORAGE AND DISTRIBUTION DIVISION

Army Exchange
Clothing and Equipage
General Supplies
Procedures and Stock Accounting
Redistribution and Disposal
Stock Control
Storage
Unit Equipment

SUBSISTENCE DIVISION

WQMD Transportation Officer
Building Commandant

Record Attached ✓
Record Charged
Remarks

*sent
5-2-46
11:30
Hant*

*Rec'd
5-2-46
4:50
Hant*

11/6

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**WAR DEPARTMENT
ARMY SERVICE FORCES**

TRANSMITTAL SHEET

31 January 1946 rsi

TO	The Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.	
	(Service, division, or organization)	(Location)
DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED COMMUNICATION	(Branch or unit)	(Attention)
	Hon. Robert A. Grant, House of Representatives	25 Jan 46
	(Originator)	(Addressee) (Date)
	Private Edwin J. Stachowski, 35 343 780	(File No.)
FROM	Demobilized Personnel Records Branch, St. Louis 20, Mo.	
	(Service, division, or organization)	(Location) (Telephone)

Attached communications forwarded for appropriate action in lieu of inquiry regarding burial.

FOR THE ADJUTANT GENERAL:

J. H. Laughlin
Adjutant General

2 Incls

1. Copy ltr fr Cong.
dtd 25 Jan 46
2. Copy ltr 31 Jan 46

293 A. Stachowski, Edwin J. Stachowski, Robert G. (Rep)

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

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*Corrected report for date of death
 Orig fwd 8 Aug 1944

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE **23 November 1944**
 MI/oes/4624

FULL NAME Stachowski, Edwin J.				ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 35 343 780				GRADE Pvt					
HOME ADDRESS South Bend, Indiana				ARM OR SERVICE INF				DATE OF BIRTH 29 May 1906					
PLACE OF DEATH European Area				CAUSE OF DEATH KILLED IN ACTION				DATE OF DEATH *1 July 1944					
STATION OF DECEASED European Area				DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 13 Oct 1942				LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES			YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS
								1	8	20			
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Rose P. Stachowski, mother, 1119 W. Ford St., South Bend, Ind													
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski, wife, RR #2 Box 31, Mishawaka, Ind. Mr. James Stachowski, son, same as above Mrs. Rose P. Stachowski, mother, 1119 W. Ford St., South Bend, Ind.													
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
												X	

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

Beneficiary continued:
 Miss Dorothy Stachowski, sister, same as mother's

*Previously reported 2 July 1944.

*File 11/30/44
 MB.*

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

[Signature]

ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 8 Aug. 1944
IRN/4884/ DTD

FULL NAME <u>Stachowski, Edwin J.</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <u>35,343,780</u>	GRADE <u>Pvt.</u>										
HOME ADDRESS <u>South Bend, Indiana</u>		ARM OR SERVICE <u>Inf.</u>	DATE OF BIRTH <u>29 May 1906</u>										
PLACE OF DEATH <u>European Area</u>	CAUSE OF DEATH <u>killed in action</u>		DATE OF DEATH <u>2 Jul 1944</u>										
STATION OF DECEASED <u>European Area</u>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <u>13, Oct. 1942</u>	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS <u>1 6 20</u>										
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Rose P. Stachowski, mother, 1119 West Ford St. South Bend, Indiana</u>													
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INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO

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[Signature]

ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

170917

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 8 Aug. 1944

15H/4884/ P10

FULL NAME <u>Stachowski, Edwin J.</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <u>35,542,760</u>	GRADE <u>priv.</u>								
HOME ADDRESS <u>South Bend, Indiana</u>		ARM OR SERVICE <u>Inf.</u>	DATE OF BIRTH <u>28 May 1906</u>								
PLACE OF DEATH <u>European Area</u>	CAUSE OF DEATH <u>killed in action</u>		DATE OF DEATH <u>2 Jul 1944</u>								
STATION OF DECEASED <u>European Area</u>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <u>13. Oct. 1942</u>	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS <u>2 8 20</u>								
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INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
										X	

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ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

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REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 23 November 1944
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INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES
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				

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

Beneficiary continued:
Miss Dorothy Stachowski, sister, same as mother's
*Previously reported 2 July 1944.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

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ADJUTANT GENERAL

EDWIN J STACHOWSKI
35343780 742-43 A

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AE 600-550)

(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

late a Pvt 83rd Div
(Grade) (Organization or arm or service)

who died on the unknown day of July, 1944

CLASS I—Saber, insignia, decorations, medals, campaign badges, watches, manuscripts, and other articles valuable chiefly as keepsakes.

NUMBER	ARTICLES	*PACKAGE NUMBER
	Pen, fountain ✓	
	Pencil, mech ✓	
	Ring ✓	
	Knife, pocket ✓	
	Watch, wrist ✓	
	Picture folders ✓	
	Socila Security Card ✓	
	Insignia (US & Inf) ✓	
	Registration card ✓	
	Key ✓	
	Souvenir coins ✓	

*To be filled out only in case of shipment to The Adjutant General.

CLASS II—Other effects

NUMBER	ARTICLES
	CURRENCY: 250 Francs 0

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski

202 Pythian Building

Effects of: Pvt. Edwin J. Stachowski
Name

South Bend 2, Indiana

35343780

ASN

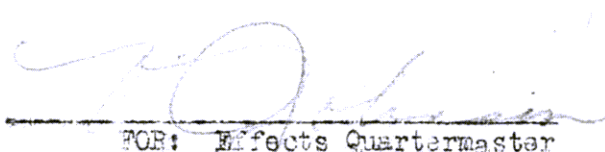
170917 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 9 April 1945

JRM:VJ:ek


FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

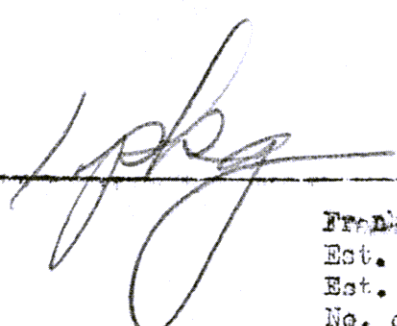
 Inclose Bureau Check
 Acct. No.
 Amount
 Inclose "Valuables" items
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

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

ROUTING:

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

REMARKS:


 Freight
 Est. Exp. Chgs.
 Est. Pkt. Chgs.
 No. of packages

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

Edwin J. Stachowski, 35343780 late a
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)

Private, Infantry who died
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)

on the 1st day of July, 19 44; at European Area.

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department 25, D.C.

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City, Mo., pursuant to S.O., 228, Hq., KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedents camp or quarters, effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none, of which the sum of \$ none was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. none.)

c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ none, which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See inclosed receipt none, Incl. none.)

d. Disposition of decedent's effects (less money paid creditors, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the Quartermaster Corps, at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial FINDING below)

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 30 January 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters, KCQM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski of (Name of person found entitled)

Rural Route 2, Box 21, Mishawaka State of (Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)
Indiana, is the Widow of the (Relationship or Capacity)

above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

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SHORTAGES

Currency - 250 Francs

U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

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

Crawford
INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

S.I. REMOVED

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski
Rural Route #2, Box #21
Mishawaka, Indiana

Effects of:
Name Pvt. Edwin J. Stachowski
ASN 35343780
Case No. 170917 D
Wt.

DATE January 31, 1945

REMARKS: JRM:NM:slb

46088
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 43247
Amount \$5.04
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

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

ROUTING: Signature
 Accounting Branch
 Warehouse Division
 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

3 pm

43247

170917

46088 emh

ew

February 1 45

Bertha R. Stachowski

5.04

Five and 04/100

1 pkg

Major Q.M.C.
Asst.

REMARKS:

Franked **FRANKED**
Est. No. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages _____

FEB 9 1945

FEB 2 1945

mk
Shipping Clerk

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AR 600-550)

J. W.

Stachowski Edwin J

(Last Name)(First Name) (Middle Initial)

35343780 late a Pvt.
(Army serial number) (Grade)

Co C 531 Inf. who died
(Organization or arm or service)

on the 9 day of July, 1944

CLASS I - Saber, insignia, decorations, medals, campaign badges, watches, manuscripts, and other articles valuable chiefly as keepsakes.

NUMBER:	ARTICLES	*PACKAGE NUMBER
3	Prayer book	✓
2	Missals	✓
2	gRS SOX	✓
1	Kit sewing	✓
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:

*To be filled out only in case of shipment to The Adjutant General.

CLASS II - Other effects

NUMBER:	ARTICLES

RECEIVED BY TELETYPE

STATUS :

UNKNOWN
DECEASED
MIA
HOSP

REF NO. _____
DATE OF REPORT _____
REPORTING OFFICE _____
REPORTING OFFICER _____

NAME: John William Smith

UNIT: 1st Airborne Division

CONSIGNOR: _____

NO. _____

1 - 1st Airborne Division
2 - 1st Airborne Division
3 - 1st Airborne Division

REV. BY: [Signature]

WHSE SP. CL: _____

SHEET <u>1</u> OF <u>1</u> SHEETS	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BOX NUMBER <u>3</u> <i>Pal 9</i>	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES <u>1</u>		MISSING <input type="checkbox"/>
TALLY NUMBER <u>5854</u>	INVENTORY DATE <u>22 Jan 45</u>	CASE NUMBER <u>170,917</u>	ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/>
EFFECTS OF <u>Edwin J. Stachowski</u>	RANK <u>Pvt 1st</u>		
A.S.N. <u>2248780</u>	ORGANIZATION <u>Co. G. 231 Inf.</u>		
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION			
CLOTHING			
PERSONAL ITEMS			
CONTAINERS			
BELT	BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION	BAGS, CLOTH	
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BRUSHES	BAGS, TRAVEL	
CLOTH, WASH	CAMERAS	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)	
COATS	GLASSES	CASE,	
FOOTWEAR, PR.	KNIVES	FOOTLOCKER	
GLOVES, PR.	LIGHTERS	✓ KIT, SEWING	
HANDKERCHIEFS	MISC. INSIGNIA	KIT, TOILET	
HEADWEAR	MISC. ITEMS	KIT, WRITING	
JACKETS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	PAPERS AND MISC.	
OVERCOATS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	X BOOKS	
SCARFS	PIPES	BOOKS, ADDRESS	
SHIRTS	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	BOOKS, NOTE	
X SOCKS, PR.	RIBBONS, DECORATION	BOOKS, PILOT LOG	
TIES	RINGS	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)	
TOWELS	TOBACCO	FILMS	
TROUSERS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	LETTERS	
TRUNKS, PR.	WATCH	PAPERS, PERSONAL	
UNDERWEAR	WINGS	PHOTOS	
		SHOE SHINE ARTICLES	
		SHORT SMOOTHER	
		SOUVENIRS	
		SOUVENIR MONEY	
		STATIONERY	
		TESTAMENTS	
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)	

REMARKS:

ATTACHMENTS:

FORM #54

FORM #100

(Wife) -
 Mrs. Bertha U. Stachowski
 Rt 2 -
 Box 21 -
 Mishawaka - Ind.

1 Inventory
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C.A.T. (Wife)

Mrs. Bertha U. Stachowski

Rt 2 - Box 21 -

Mishawaka, Ind.

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

IN REPLY REFER TO: 170917

JRM:NM:md
January 15, 1945

Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski
R. R. #2, Box #21
Mishawaka, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Stachowski:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter inquiring about the personal effects of your husband, Private Edwin J. Stachowski.

Information on file at this Bureau indicates that your husband's effects will be available for release to you in the near future.

I realize your desire to receive these effects, and assure you that they will be forwarded at the earliest possible date.

Yours sincerely,

F. A. ECKHARDT
Captain Q.M.C.
Assistant

Mishawaka, Indiana
Jan. 7, 1945

Effects Quartermaster,
Effects Quartermaster Depot,
Kansas City, Missouri

Gentlemen:-

Re: Stachowski, Edwin J.
AC - 3,657,147

The writer would appreciate your advising, if possible, final disposition of the personal effects of my husband, Private Edwin J. Stachowski, who was killed in action in France on July 1st.

Neither Private Stachowski's mother, Mrs. Rose Stachowski, nor the wife, Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski, have ever been advised of the whereabouts or final disposition of his effects and therefore, we would appreciate any information which you may have available at this time. We fully realize the tremendous task before you at this particular time, however, we feel certain you can appreciate our feeling of anxiety to learn all we can about the loved one who will never return, therefore, anything you can do for us at this time will be deeply appreciated.

Thanking you in advance for your early reply, I
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Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski
Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski

Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski,
R. R. #2 - Box #21,
Mishawaka, Indiana

OR

Mrs. Rose Stachowski
1119 W. Ford St.,
South Bend, Indiana

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

JRM:NM:slb
 January 31, 1945

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IN REPLY REFER TO: 170917

Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski
 Rural Route 2, Box 21
 Mishawaka, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Stachowski:

This has reference to our letter of January 15, informing you that the property of your husband, Private Edwin J. Stachowski, would be available for release in the near future.

I am inclosing a check for \$5.04, representing funds belonging to him. The remainder of the property is being forwarded to you in one package.

If, by any chance, the property has not reached you at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me and tracer will be instituted.

The action of the Army Effects Bureau in transmitting personal effects does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient. Such property is forwarded for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

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

Yours very truly,

F. A. ECKHARDT
 Captain Q.M.C.
 Assistant

1 Incl--Check

South Bend, Indiana
March 21, 1945

Army Service Forces
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot
Army Effects Bureau
601 Hardesty Ave.
Kansas City 1, Mo.

Attention: Captain F. A. Eckhardt (QMC Assistant)

Gentlemen:-

Re: Edwin J. Stachowski (deceased)
#170917

Thank you for your letter of March 16th in which you advise that you have received some additional personal property of Private Edwin J. Stachowski.

I would greatly appreciate your forwarding all of his personal effects to my attention at the following address:

(Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski
202 Pythian Bldg.,
South Bend 2, Indiana)

Your records at present indicate that all correspondence is to be directed to my home address at R. R. #2 - Box #21, Mishawaka, Indiana. This is entirely correct, however, in this particular instance, I would very much appreciate your forwarding Private Stachowski's personal effects to the South Bend address as indicated above.

Thank you kindly for your prompt attention.

Yours very truly,

Bertha R. Stachowski
Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski

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

(S-4-16-45)
JRM:WM:1b
March 16, 1945

170917

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski
Rural Route #2, Box #21
Mishawaka, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Stachowski:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional personal property of your husband, Private Edwin J. Stachowski.

I regret to advise that included among your husband's effects are miscellaneous insignia which are damaged, apparently by bloodstains. I shall appreciate it if you will indicate whether you desire these items forwarded with his property.

For your convenience in replying, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which requires no postage.

Yours very truly.

F. A. BERNARDT
Captain QMC
Assistant

1 Incl—Envelope



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

JEM: R: jm
April 10, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 170917

Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski
202 Pythian Building
South Bend 2, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Stachowski:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your husband, Private Edwin J. Stachowski.

These effects, contained in one package, 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 soldier's legal residence.

Extending every sympathy, I am

Sincerely yours,

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

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CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

25 January 1946

The Adjutant General
War Department
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Re: Stachowski, Edwin J.
KC - 3,657,147

The above identified veteran was killed in
action in France on July 1, 1944.

Will you please furnish me with a report
of all the details you have available regarding his death
as well as the place of burial.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Robert A. Grant
Robert A. Grant

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AGHD-C 201 Stachowski, Edwin J.
(25 Jan 46)

31 January 1946

Honorable Robert A. Grant
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Grant:

The Adjutant General has directed me to reply to your letter of 25 January 1946 in which you request additional information regarding the death of Edwin J. Stachowski.

The casualty message received from the Commanding General of the European Theater of Operations stated that Private Edwin J. Stachowski, Army serial number 35 343 780, Infantry, was killed in action 1 July 1944 in France. Additional records have now been received which confirm this report and show that he died as the result of a gunshot wound of the left chest. Unfortunately, no further details regarding his death were given.

The Quartermaster General of the Army, Washington 25, D. C., has jurisdiction over matters pertaining to the burial of military personnel who die overseas, and that officer has been advised of your inquiry in connection therewith.

Sincerely yours,

CHARLES D. CARLE
Colonel, AGD
Commanding

SPJYZ 293

(Stachowski, Edwin J.
Pvt.)

7 February 1946.

Honorable Robert A. Grant,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Grant:

The Adjutant General has forwarded to this office, for further reply, your inquiry relative to the burial location of Private Edwin J. Stachowski.

The official records disclose that the remains of Private Stachowski were interred in the United States Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France, Grave 84, Row 5, Plot E. This cemetery is located approximately twenty miles northwest of St. Lo, twenty-four miles southeast of Cherbourg and five miles north and slightly west of Carentan, all in France.

It may be a consolation to the family to know that plans are being formulated to return the remains of our honored dead to the legal next of kin, who will be contacted by this office, after legislation has been enacted, to ascertain their wishes as to the final disposition of the remains of their loved ones. All expenses incident to the preparation, casketing and shipment to the place thus designated will be borne by the Government.

The Acting Quartermaster General, Major General C. L. Corbin, desires to extend through you to the family his deepest sympathy in the loss their son.

FOR THE ACTING THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Very truly yours,

LLOYD G. HANLEY,
Lt. Colonel, Q.M.G.,
Assistant.



Case No. 1306

Handwritten notes:
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Handwritten notes:
to
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Pvt. Edwin J. Stachowski, 35 343 780
Plot E, Row 5, Grave 84,
United States Military Cemetery
Blosville, France

12 September 1947

Mrs. Bertha R. Stachowski
Rural Route #2, Box 21
Mishawaka, Indiana

Dear Mrs. Stachowski:

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. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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Pvt Edwin J. Stachowski, 35 343 780
Plot E, Row 5, Grave 84,
United States Military Cemetery
Blosville, France

5 November 1947

Mr. Joseph Stachowski
1119 West Forj Street
South Bend, Indiana

Dear Mr. Stachowski:

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THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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