

Anderson

Charley E

713,659



Pvt (Surname)

(Christian name in full.)
377th Aero Sqdn

(Army serial number.)

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased none

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? no
(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery? }
(Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

629 Wheeler St
(Number and street or rural route.)

Santa Rosa
(City, town, or post office.)

Calif.
(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Listed as Charles E. Anderson

DATE June 2nd 1922.

1. NAME ANDERSON, Charles E.

SERIAL No. 713659

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION 377 Aero Sqdn.

GRAVE LOCATION British Military Cty. DURRINGTON (Wilts) England 169

323

5

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

CONCENTRATED TO

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Brookwood (England)

107-B

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

Data concerning any identification found on remains when concentrated, such as collar insignias, letters, broken bones, missing parts, etc.

Tag on body destroyed by corrosion. Metal plaque found on box cover:

"713659, Charles Einar Anderson 377 Aero Squadron, Died Oct. 30, 1918"

DATE OF DEATH 10-30-18

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Calif

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED No record

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

L. O. Mathews

L. O. MATHEWS, Lieutenant Colonel

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION June 2nd 1922.

11

DATE

GRAVE

Block

ROW

PLOT

Brookwood American Cem. #107-B, BROOKWOOD, Surrey, England.

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY B.W. 4-2-23

Forester

Charles Einar Anderson prepared app for Army Comp.

WORLD WAR DIV.
MAY 21 1927

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form I6, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

Anderson, Chas. 3534

P.H. # 713659

377 Aero. Squad.

W. P.

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

3534

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID
PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$300.

Anderson, Charlie E.

Pnt. # 7,3659

377 Aero. Squadron

Died in England ¹⁰/₃₀/₁₈

All papers sent
to Washington.

Body not rec'd.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME Anderson	AND	3	1 4 4
charlie E.	CEMETERY 107-E	1	7
BURIED	GRAVE 11	2	11
	ROW 3	2	03
	BLOCK 0	1	3
STATE	Calif	2	04
RANK	Pvt	1	2
DIVISION	A.S.	2	44
ORGANIZATION	377	3	377
ARM	Aero Sq.	1	2
MARITAL	no	1	2
NAME Anderson	AND	3	1 4 4
Elma Adelfina	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
No loco	CITY	3	
RELATION	mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Foreign	1	4
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT			
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
29/514	Sweden	2	08

AUDITED
MAR 18 1933

U.S. Countries

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DATE May 6, 1929.

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
ANDERSON, Charlie E.	Pvt.	713659	377th Aero Squadron	10-30-18

STATE California CTY. NO. 107-E GRAVE 11 ROW 3 BLOCK C

Check relationship Living - Deceased

XC 127 050
5/15/29

Relationship	Living	Deceased
MOTHER <i>com + ins</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>no widow -</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Mother:

Mrs. Elma Adelfina Anderson
Box 38 Handen pr
Stockholm Sweden

2-21-33

NAME
AND
ADDRESS

Single

Veterans Bureau Claim Number _____

K.
QM 293 A-C

ANDERSON, Charles E. - Pvt.

April 24, 1924

Mrs. Elm Anderson,
Ostgotagatan 87-III,
Stockholm, Sweden.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the inclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested.

This American military cemetery is one of those to be maintained by the United States for all time in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of dignified design, with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. For the future, these graves will be perpetually maintained by the Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

R.P. HARBOLD
Assistant.

RD
FOL

1-Incl.
Record card.

APR 24 1924
B.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to:
293 C-R

June 15, 1923.

Miss Viola Welch,
405, 8th Street,
Santa Rosa, Calif.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Pvt. Charles E. Anderson, 377th Aero. Sqdn., is No. 11, Row 3, Block C, Brookwood American cemetery, Brookwood, Surrey, England.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

MM

23/236/ARK


H. J. Corner,
Assistant.

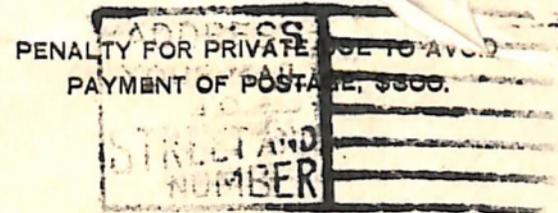
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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



Miss Viola Welch,

~~405 Eighth St.,~~

Santa Rosa, Calif.

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H. J. Canner,
Assistant.



JUN 15 1923

23/236/ARK

H. B.



Gerrington Hill

Gerrington -

Wiltshire,

England

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTSI. DATA COMPILATIONA. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name ANDERSON, Charles E., Ser. No. 713659)
) TYP. IAB
 (2) Rank Pvt. Organization 377th Aero Squad.)
) CKR. S.S.
 (3) Date of death 10-30-18)

B. Registration Card:- (Check Reg. Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.)

(4) Cause of death Aeroplane Accident) TYP. TW
)
 (5) Grave No. 323 Row 5 Plot --- Sect. ---) CKR. ALS

II. FILES EXAMINATION

A. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No Card

B. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD Date of receipt None

(6) Relationship None

(7) Name Viola Welsh

(8) Address 629 Wheeler Street, Santa Rosa, California

(9) Desires remains brought to U. S.? No

(10) Desires remains brought to U. S. and interred in National Cemetery at _____

(11) If brought back, what shipping instructions? U.S. 1-12-20

C. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE Date of communication _____

(12) Does correspondence Change or qualify request as made on A.G.O. card?
 If so, specify such information. _____

(13) A. G. O. Files EXAMINED by Weg (Date) 9/12/20

D. (14) G R. S Files - Correspondence. (Has reference been made to File No. Cancellation memos.? yes) Does such correspondence, if containing request for disposition, reconcile with that of A. G. O.? no
 (Specify "Yes or "No".) If "No", give date of communication, the name, address, and relationship and substance of request.
No request for disposition
MAC 2/17/20

(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by _____ (Date) _____

III. FINAL ACTION

A. MEMORANDUM to D. M. O. in E. made (Date)

(16) Removal of Remains (within custody of G.R.S.) to.....

(17) Instructions that remains be left undisturbed

(18) Typed by Checked by *at* (Date) *3/8/20*

B. G. R. S. FORM NO. 114 made (Date)

(19) Typed by Checked by (Date)

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

9/4/20 Ind. to Europe to leave body in England 9/16/20

D. Dispatched (Date) (Let. Trans. No. **MAR 9 1920**)

Approved by

(Date)

Place Durrington, Wiltshire,

Date May 11, 1922.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF ANDERSON, Charles E. SERIAL NUMBER -----
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION 377 Aero Sqdn. 713659

2. Disinterred (date) : May 11, 1922, Gr. 323, Row 5, Cem.169, Durrington, Eng., Brit. Mil.
 From (give complete location):

By : Group 4 Unit British Isles.

3. Reburied (date) June 2, 1922 In (give complete location) : Grave 11, Block C, Row 3, Plot Amer., Brookwood Cty, Surrey, England
 By : Group Special Unit _____ Nature of reburial Standard metallic casket & shipping case.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
Wooden box and shroud. Badly decomposed. Feature unrecognizable.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? Yes, corroded On grave marker ? No.

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
Metal plaque found on box cover "713659, Charles Einar Anderson, 377 Aero Squadron, Died Oct. 30, 1918"

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items ?

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color Apparently dark brown

Quantity Medium head

Characteristics Apparently straight

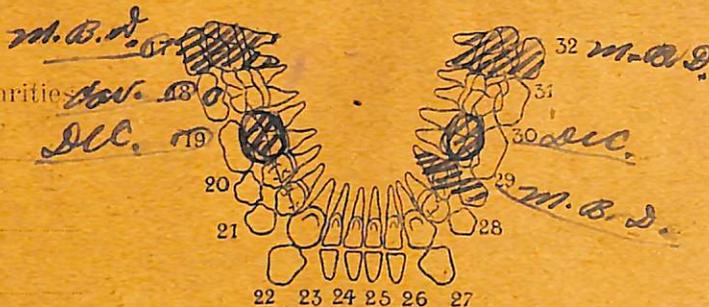
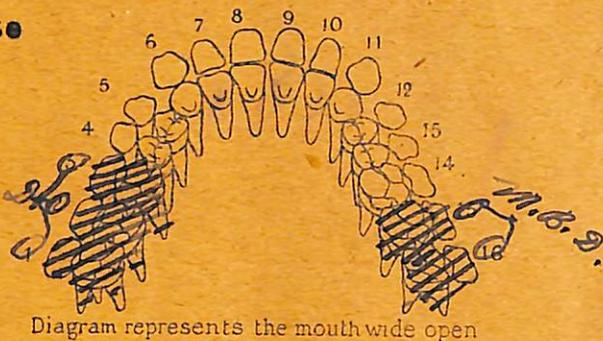
(d) Hair on face—Color None visible

Location None

Quantity None

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities

or missing parts) None visible



(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)
None visible

L.D.Hays, Checker.

7. Disinterment supervised by A.W. Taggart, Sup.Emb.

Approved: R.F.O'Leary,
 (Title) 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by Frank L. Marx, Foreman.

Approved: C. J. Blake
 (Title) Captain, Q. M. Corps, U. S. Army

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.

2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.

3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.

4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.

5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".

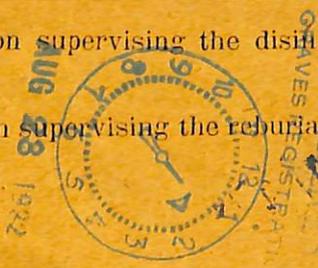
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No 6.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

MISSING TEETH	All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:	
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:	
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	
DENTURES (PLATES)	Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp"	

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.

8. Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **C-28872**

32. Designation of body:

Name **Charles E. ANDERSON** Serial No. **213659**

Rank **Pvt.** Organization **377 Aero Sqdn.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Brookwood American Ctry. 107-E BROOKWOOD (England)**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **May 11, 1922** By **A.W. Faggart**

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

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector **R.F.O. Leary, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.**

36. Remarks **None.**

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **May 11, 1922.**

To point of Concentration **Southampton**

Convoyer **James Flynn** Signature Shipping Officer **R. F. O'Leary, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.**

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date **May 12, 1922.**

By G.R.S. Representative **Walter F. Brown, Capt. Q.M.C.**

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date **31/5/22**

To Permanent Cemetery **Brookwood Amer. Cem. 107-E, Brookwood, England.**

Convoyer **James Flynn** Signature Shipping Officer **R.F.O'Leary, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.**

40. Received: Date **1 JUN 1922**

G.R.S. Representative **A. Blake**

41. Reinterred **Brookwood Ctry, Surrey, England.** **June 2, 1922.** (Date)

42. Grave No. **11** **Section Block C**

43. Plot **American** Row **3**

G.R.S. Representative **A. Blake**

C. J. BLAKE
Captain, Q. M. Corps, U. S. Army

AUDITED BY

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE May 11, 1922.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY
DISINTERMENT



Jo.

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters. Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

- 1. Name ANDERSON, Charles E.
- 2. No. 713659
- 3. Rank Pvt.
- 4. Org. 377 Aero Sqdn.
- 5. D.D. Oct. 30th 1918
- 6. C.D. Died of Aeroplane accident
- 10. Name No discrepancy
- 11. No. _____
- 12. Rank _____
- 13. Org. _____
- 14. (a) D.D. _____
- (b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 323 Sec. _____
- 8. Plot _____ Row 5
- 9. _____
- 15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 16. Plot _____ Row _____
- 17. No discrepancy

- 18. Cemetery British Military Cty.
- 19. Commune or town DURRINGTON
- 20. Dept. or County Wilts.
- 21. Country England
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 169

23. Disinterred (Date) May 11, 1922 By A.W. Taggart

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Charles Einar Anderson America Serial No. 713659

Rank Pvt. Organization 377 Aero. Sqdn.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? No. On body? Yes, corroded.

L. D. Hays
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

Metal plaque found on box cover " 713659 Charles Einar Anderson 377 Aero Squad

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden box and shroud.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date May 11, 1922 By A.W. Taggart

31. Casket sealed by A.W. Taggart

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) A.W. Taggart

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON.

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169- 1-13

MAR 25 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
TO: Viola Welch, 629, Wheeler St., Santa Rosa, Cal.
SUBJECT: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Charles E. Anderson.

Records of this office show your request to be as follows:

Remains to be not returned to the United States ~~Interred~~

~~Shipped to~~

Please send same to deceased mother address below.

If any modifications of the foregoing are desired please write same fully on the other side of this sheet.

The nearest living relative may choose between, (1) return of remains to homes for burial; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in ~~France~~ Europe.

You are requested to fill out the following without delay and return in enclosed penalty envelope, which does not require postage.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE
Colonel, U.S. Army.

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Widow			
Children (Name oldest first)			
Father			
Mother ✓	<i>Elma Anderson, Stgotagatan 87</i>	<i>Stockholm</i>	<i>Sweden</i>
Brothers			
Sisters	<i>Stgotagatan 87-III</i>		

Date *Apr 9/20*

Signature *Viola P Welch*

Address *405-8th St.*

Relationship *none*

169-1

April 19, 1920.

File No: 293.8 Reg. Sec., Cem Div.
293.3 (Anderson, Charles E.)

FROM: Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division)

TO: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q. M. G.
in Europe.

SUBJECT: Supplementary information on:

- (1) Magdalen Hill Cemetery, #73-E, Winchester, Hants, England.
- (2) British Military Cemetery #169, Durrington, Wilts, England.
- (3) Brookwood Cemetery, Brookwood, England.

The following information is furnished with the request that you ascertain of the nearest of kin their desires as to disposition of remains of soldiers named:

1. Reference, item 519, paragraph 2, office letter of March 19th (File No. 73-E Reg. Sec., Cem. Div.), transmitting data and advice on Magdalen Hill Cemetery, #73-E, Winchester, Hants, England - Private John G. Sandquist (3751674), Company L, 343rd Infantry. Mr. Carl A. Sandquist, brother, has confirmed his previous request that the body of Private Sandquist be not returned to the United States and gives the name and address of the mother, the nearest of kin, as follows: Mrs. Anna Swensson, Osjobol, Smaland, Sweden.

2. Reference, paragraph 2, office letter of March 9th (File No. 169 Reg. Br. G. R. S.), transmitting data and advice on British Military Cemetery, #169, Durrington, Wilts, England - Cook Doman Van Caesele, (1069066), 314th Aero Squadron. Mr. Paul Van Caesele, brother, has confirmed his previous request that the body of Cook Van Caesele be not returned to the United States, and gives the name and address of the father, the nearest of kin, as follows: Mr. Edward Van Caesele, Stroosbrugge, Maldeghem, Belgium.

3. Reference, paragraph 2, office letter of March 9th, (File No. 169 Reg. Br. G. R. S.), transmitting data and advice on British Military Cemetery, Durrington, Wilts, England - Private Charles E. Anderson, (713659), 377th Aero Squadron. This office has been advised the name and address of the mother, the nearest of kin, of Private Anderson as follows: Mrs. Nina Anderson, Getgotagaton 87 - III, Stockholm, Sweden.

4. Reference, item 6, paragraph 2, office letter of March 13th (File No. 107-E Reg. Sec., Cem. Div.) transmitting data and advice on Brookwood Cemetery, #107-E, Brookwood, England, - Corporal Phillip

Simunjak (2059460), Company B 343rd Infantry. Attached is G. R. S. Form #120 filled out by Mr. Steve Klevich, brother-in-law, confirming his previous request that the body of Corporal Simunjak be not returned to the United States, on which will be found the name and address of the mother, nearest of kin.

5. Reference, item 18, paragraph 2, office letter of March 13th, (File No. 107-E, Reg. Sec., Gen. Div.), Brookwood Cemetery, Brookwood, England - Private Simon C. Iverson (2274745) Co. A 316th Ammunition Train. Mr. Matt Arneson, uncle, has confirmed his previous request that the body of Private Iverson be not returned to the United States and gives the name and address of the father, the nearest relative, as follows: G. Iverson, Lillehammer, Norway.

6. Reference, office letter of March 4th, (File No. 1530 Reg. Br. G. R. S.), transmitting data and advice on St. Johns Cemetery, # 1530, Worcester, England - Private Frank H. Randle (1270993) Co. B 104th Engineers. Mrs. Sarah Griffin, grandmother, has confirmed her previous request that the body of Private Randle be not returned to the United States and gives the name and address of the father, the nearest relative as follows E. J. Randle, St. Johns, Worcester, England.

It is understood that compliance with requests for transportation of bodies for burial in European Countries, may be influenced by the agreements and understandings between European Nations regarding burials of military dead; or by the provisions of local laws and regulations. Therefore, in case the expressed desire of the nearest relative cannot through the operation of such forces, be complied with, a brief report in each case is requested.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, U. S. Army,
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

By:

E. E. Davis,
Executive Assistant.

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Records Dept.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY 169-1
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON

JUN 12 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.G.
TO: Viola P. Welch, 405-8th St., Santa Rosa, Calif.
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Charles E. Anderson.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body be Not returned to the United States.

The instructions are not the correct instructions, please change them. Make changes on reverse side of this sheet.

The nearest living relative may choose between, (1) return of the body to any address in the United States; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in France.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, U.S. Army.

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow			
Soldier's Children	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
	3.		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
Sisters			

*and now sent to same address
6/29/20*

Date _____ Signature _____

Address _____ Relationship _____

Note:- Instructions on the reverse side of this sheet should be carefully read before filling out this paper. (OVER)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

1. This paper **MUST** be signed by the person who is the **NEXT** of kin in the order shown in the square on other side of this sheet.
2. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest living relatives in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
3. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the legally appointed guardian of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.
4. If **YOU** are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
5. If **YOU** are not the nearest living relative and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper **AT ONCE** and mail to this office.
6. You are requested to return this paper **AT ONCE** in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
7. Use the enclosed envelope - pay no postage.

C O P Y

H E A D Q U A R T E R S
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C., IN EUROPE.
8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris.

May 14, 1920.

169-1.

FILE NO: 293.9 Dispositions.
From: Chief
To: Mrs. Elma Anderson, Ostgotagatan 87 - 111, Stockholm, Sweden.
SUBJECT: Disposition of the remains of Pvt. Charles E. Anderson.

1. The United States Army requests a statement from you as to your wishes regarding the disposition of the remains of Pvt. Chas. E. Anderson (713659) 377th Aero Squadron. The American Government is prepared to:

- (a) Return the body to the United States for reburial in a National Cemetery.
- (b) Give the body decent and permanent burial in a National Cemetery in France.
- (c) Sent the body to your own address for burial.

2. Please return this letter with a note expressing your preference, and action will be taken accordingly.

By Direction:

CHAS. A. MORROW,
Major, Q.M.C.,
Executive Officer.

OFFICE OF THE MILITARY ATTACHE.
American Legation.
Stockholm, Sweden.

July 21, 1920.

FROM:—Military Attache, American Legation, Stockholm, Sweden.

TO: Chief, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service,
Q.M.C., in Europe, 8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris.

SUBJECT: - Letters re Disposition of Remains, deceased U.S. Soldiers.

1. Returned herewith are three letters received from your office to be forwarded to the addressees.

2. This office addressed letters, requesting the desired information, to each of these people, but without result. The letter addressed to "Mrs. Elma Anderson, Ostgotagatan, 87-111, Stockholm, Sweden" was returned since she was "Unknown at that address". Regarding the other two letters nothing has been heard from either one.

WILLIAM M. COLVIN
Major, Military Attache,
Per C.S. Strom.

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Hqrs., A.G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris, France. Aug. 5th, 1920. To: Quartermaster General of the Army, Washington, D.C.

1. Forwarded. Referring to your letter of April 19th, 1920, this is to advise you that in the cases of Private John C. Sandquist (3751674) Co. L, 343rd Infantry, buried in Magdalen Hill Cemetery #73-E, Private Charles E. Anderson (713659) 377th Aero Squadron, buried in Burrington Cemetery #169 and Private Simon C. Iverson (2275745) Co.A. 316th Ammunition Train, buried in Brookwood Cemetery, it has been impossible to secure a reply from the next of kin, as indicated by the attached correspondence.

2. It is suggested that under the circumstances, these bodies be left in France for permanent burial and action will be suspended awaiting confirmation from your office.

H.F. Rethers,
Colonel, Q.M.C.,
Chief.

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and endorsement.

292.8 (General)

C. Q. M. G., Cemeterial Division, Washington, D. C. September 4, 1920.
To: Chief, A. C. R. S., C. M. G., in Europe, 8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris, France.

1. Returned. Inasmuch as the persons given as Emergency addresses in these cases have indicated their desire that these bodies remain in England, it is requested that the bodies be not returned to the United States.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES G. PIERCE,
Major, U. S. Army,
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

By:

G. M. HUEBNER,
1st Lieut., Col. Corps.

OSP-SB
Cor. Stat. Dept.

3 encls.

TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

Date 7/7/20.

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME *Anderson, C. E*

Serial Number

RANK *Private*

ORGANIZATION

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	1-no. Anderson, Charles E
2.	Date of Death.	377 Aero Squadron 713659
3.	Cause and place of death.	2-10-30-18
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	3-Aeroplane accident
5.	Date buried.	4. CC-316
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	5-10-30-18 ✓ 6 Grave 323, Row 5 British Mil. Ch. 167 Durrington, Wilts (England)
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	10 - no record 10 - " "
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	
12.	Has been notified? (Give date)	11- Mrs Violet Welch 703 Johnson St Santa Rosa Cal
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	12-2-18-19
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	14-E-675
15.	Inquiry made by? <i>Amer. Legion London</i>	Released by Information Control Dept.DirectoryCards 5x8Cards 4x6

N.B. All Proper names to be typewritten, or printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

Date 6/29/20

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME Anderson, C. E

Serial Number

RANK Plut

ORGANIZATION

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11.	Complete Emergency Address?	11-Mrs Vera Melby Friend 703 Johnson Santa Rosa Cal
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13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	14 E-675
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15.	Inquiry made by? <u>Amey, Legum, London Post</u> <u>35, Ebury Pl</u> <u>London S.W. 1.</u>	Eff

N.B. All Proper names to be typewritten, or printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

THE AMERICAN LEGION.

LONDON POST NO. 1.

35 Eaton Place,
London, S.W.1.

DAS/EMM
June 15th 1920.

Central Graves Registration Service,
War Department,
Washington, D. C., U.S.A.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Sirs,

I am enclosing photographs of the graves of the following Americans buried over here, with the request that you will please forward them to the next-of-kin of the boys in each instance.

Pte. 1/Cl W. Henne, Shrewsbury Cemetery, Shrewsbury.
Pte. R. Bamwell, " " "

These graves were decorated by Major-General Sir John Headlam, K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O., his daughter, and friends. His address is Cruck Meole House, Hanwood, near Shrewsbury.

Sgt. 1/Cl Chas. Breuer, Durrington, Wiltshire.
Cpl. W. T. Henry, " "
✓ Pvt. D. Van Caeselle, " "
Pvt. C. E. Anderson, " "
1st Lt. R. J. Griffith, Amesbury, "
Pte. Ernest Conner, " "

These graves were decorated by Mr. Gibson Fahnstock, Carlton Mansions, East Cliff, Bournemouth, his wife, and two little sons.

Respectfully,

(sgd) Don A. Smith,

FOR THE COMMITTEE.

11 Encls:

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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

Reference - 54280.

April 23rd, 1919.

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO: Home Communication Section, A.R.C., Paris.
SUBJECT: Pvt. Charles E. Anderson, 377th Aero Squadron, American E.F.

Further to your letter of inquiry, with reference to the burial of the above mentioned soldier, I beg to inform you that as the result of inquiry instituted by these headquarters, a report has been received from the field force of this Service to the effect that burial took place in Durrington Cemetery at SALISBURY, ENGLAND.

By direction

CHARLES C. PIERCE
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

MBD-88.

per

MAURICE B. DIX,
Captain, American Red Cross,
Representative assigned to
Graves Registration Service.

Hdqs. Graves Registrat. Service
Quartermaster Corps
American Expeditionary Forces

54280
January 14, 1919.

Reference #54280

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American Expeditionary Forces
TO: Home Communication Section, A.R.C., Paris.
SUBJECT: Private Charles E. Anderson, 377th Aero Squadron

In reply to your inquiry of November 27th, 1918, with respect to place of burial of above named soldier, beg to advise that the Graves Registration Service has not as yet succeeded in obtaining definite burial information. Every possible effort will be made to locate the grave, and as we secure the desired facts in the case, you will be notified.

By direction CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., A.E.F.

per


MAURICE B. DIX,
Captain, American Red Cross,
Representative assigned to
Graves Registration Service

MBD/in.

File No. 54280.

TO: - REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

File Number: 54280

From: - *Information Clerk*

Date: 12-14-18

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:-

NAME *Anderson Charles E.*

NUMBER 713659

RANK *Pr.* ORGANIZATION *377th Aero Squadron.*

No.	Question	Reply
1	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	N.B. All proper names to be printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS ① yes.
2	Date of Death	② 10-30-18
3	Cause and place of death	③ Aeroflane accident
4	Number of Casualty Cablegram	④ #3/6
5	Date buried	
6	Grave location (a) complete record required (b) name of cemetery or commune only required.	
7	Who reported burial?	
8	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.	
9	Report as to grave marker.	
10	Report as to identification tags.	
11	Who is nearest relative?	⑪ Mrs. Viola Welch (Grindel) 703 Johnson St. Santa Rosa, Calif.
12	Has M/R been notified (give date)?	
13	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record).	⑫ no.
14	What is the photograph No.?	

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ADRESSE TÉLÉGRAPHIQUE :
"AMCROSS"

In replying please address | Prière d'adresser la réponse au

4, PLACE DE LA CONCORDE

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PARIS, Nov. 27, 1918

From: Home Communication Section
To: Capt. Dix, Graves Registration Service, A P. O 902
Subject: Pilot Charles P. Anderson, 98th Aero Squad.

Our records would show the above named aviator missing in action since September 18th. We have received a report from Borne that Aviator Charles Codman advises that Pilot Anderson's plane was brought down in flames north of Conflans.

Would you be good enough to inform us if Lt. Anderson's grave has been located.

MFR/EM

Home Communication Section
Bureau of Home & Hospital Service

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To

**BURIALS IN PERMANENT
CEMETERIES.**

G.I. Form No. _____

Report No. _____

Sheet No. _____

Oct. 30th

No. of Cemetery _____

Date ~~Nov. 4th~~, 1918.

Place of Cemetery Durrington, Salisbury.

Place of death _____

Disposal of Tags _____

Name Anderson, Charles, Einar. 713659 Rank Private.

Regiment and Company 377th Aero Squadron.

Nature of marking Grave No. 323

Disposal of Personal Effects _____

Signed:

Joseph E. Vandagriff

Joseph E. Vandagriff
Chaplain.

Officer in charge.

Inspecting for Chaplains Service.

NOTE.—Soldiers of Jewish faith to be checked thus in left hand margin : \triangle

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To

Form No.

BURIALS IN PERMANENT

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Sheet No.

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1918.

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INDERS

Charles E.

Private

377th Aero Squadron

Burial information required for Inquiry Section ARC

Died 10-30-18
Aeroplane Accident.

Buried 10-30-18

Durrington Cty. Salisbury, England.

NR: Miss Viola Welch (friend) 2-18-19
703 Johnson St., Santa Rosa, Calif.

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TIME OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

AUTHORITY FOR RECORDING DEATH

TIME OF NOTIFICATION

PLACE OF DEATH

NAREST RELATIVE—NAME

ADDRESS

PERSON NOTIFIED

DISPOSAL OF TAGS

No.

DATE OF INTERMENT

INFORMATION GRAVE