

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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FULL NAME **ANDERSON, John**

RANK **Pvt.** SERIAL **2703000**

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION **Co. H, 349th Inf. 88th Div.**

DATE OF DEATH **October 15, 1918.**

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME **Iowa.**

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MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. **None.**

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION. **22 16 A.**
Date Grave Row Block
Romagne, Cty. 1232.

Cemetery

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NEAREST RELATIVE: **Eric Anderson**
ADDRESS: **R.F.D. Mt. Ayre, Iowa.**
RELATIONSHIP: **'Brother!'**
REPORTED BY: **Luther Malnberg**
Luther Malnberg 1st. Lt. & Chaplain.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)
350th Inf

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Searcher: **Knauf, Arthur. L. Capt. 349. Inf.**

Emergency address:
Winterset, Iowa.

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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Anderson, ⁸⁰⁰ **2703143,** **John**
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt **Co "H" 349th Inf**
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: **Bellefagny, Haute-Alsace**

CAUSE OF DEATH: **Broncho-Pneumonia**

DATE OF BURIAL: **October 17, 1918**

PLACE OF BURIAL: **Traubach le Haute**
Haute-Alsace

(Give Cemetery, Town and Department). Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.

GRAVE NUMBER: **37**

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? **Yes** Cross? **No**

Headboard? **No** Bottle? **No**

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? **Yes**

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? **Yes**

If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

NEAREST RELATIVE: **Eric Anderson**

ADDRESS: **R.F.D. Mt. Ayre, Iowa.**

RELATIONSHIP: **'Brother'**

REPORTED BY: *Luther Malmborg*

Luther Malmborg 1st Lt. & Chaplain.
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Co. "H". 349th. Infantry.
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ANDERSON, John. Pvt. 2703000.
Home: R.F.D. #1 Winterset, Io

Pvt. Leander Erickson # 3679233, Co. "H". 349th. Infantry. Home address R.F.D. #1 - Box #3 Stanton, Iowa, was sick in the same hospital that Pvt. John Anderson was, and states that he was told by one of the attendants or Ordelys that Pvt. Anderson had died. I do not find any members of this company to have been near him.

Death occurred at Bronsweiller, Alsace, France, in Hospital.

Hospital report states:
Cause of death Broncho-Pneumonia. Died in line of duty.

Informant: Knauf, Arthur L. Capt. Co. H.
349th. Infantry.
Home: Jamestown, N.D.

Searcher: Knauf, Arthur L. Capt. 349. Inf.

Emergency address:
Winterset, Iowa.

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Trench-le-Haut, France.
Place

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Dec. 7, 1920

1. REMAINS OF John Anderson SERIAL NUMBER 2703000

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. H. 349th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Dec. 7, 1920 From (give complete location): Grave #37, Cem. #526

By: Group #4 Unit #2

3. Reburied (date): Dec. 7, 1920 In (give complete location): Grave #3, Cem. #526.

By: Group #6 Unit #3. Blanket, uniform and pine Nature of reburial box

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:

Body badly decomposed. Features not recognizable.

Uniform and blanket.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes On grave marker? Yes.

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:

None.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) about 5 ft. 10 inches.

(b) Weight (estimated) about 135 lbs.

(c) Hair—Color Apparently Black

Quantity

Characteristics

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible.

Location

Quantity

(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.

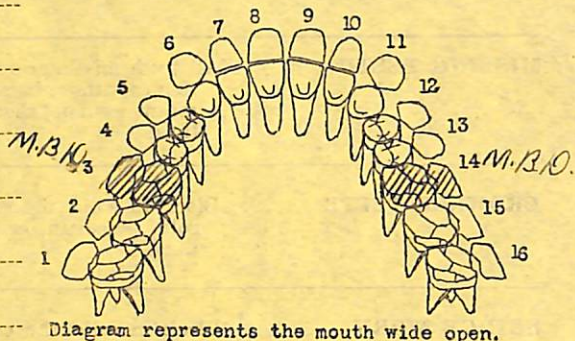
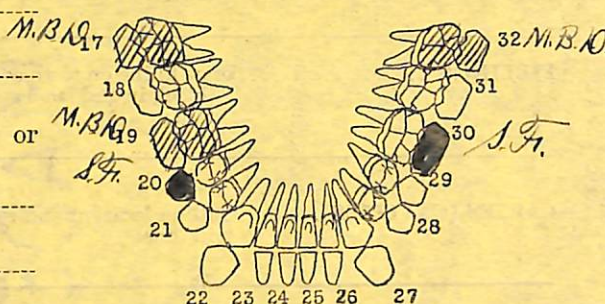


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



7. Disinterment supervised by Norval K. Tubler

Approved: O.B. Balboagh Major M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by Harry E. Strong

Approved: O.B. Balboagh Major M.C.






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.

<p>MISSING TEETH.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:</p>	 <p>TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
<p>CROWNED TEETH.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:</p>	 <p>GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN</p>
<p>BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:</p>	 <p>GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<p>FILLINGS.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:</p>	 <p>SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
<p>CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:</p>	 <p>CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED DECAYED</p>

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.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE	
NAME	Anderson	AND	3	1 4 4
BURIED	CEMETERY	1232	1	1
	GRAVE	22	2	22
	ROW	16	2	16
	BLOCK	A	1	1
STATE	Iowa		2	16
RANK	Pvt		1	2
DIVISION	88		2	88
ORGANIZATION	349		3	349
ARM	CO		1	1
MARTIAL	no		1	2
NAME	Anderson		3	1 4 4
RESIDENCE	Mr. Eric (Bro.)		2	
	Mount Ayr, Iowa		2	
			3	
RELATION			1	
OTHER			1	
ELIGIBILITY			1	
NATIVITY			1	
RACE			1	
ENGLISH			1	
ATTENDANT			1	
HEALTH			1	
NO. OF SONS			1	
DATE OF TRIP			1	
ACCEPTANCE			1	

M. & F. living in Sweden in 1920 M. since deceased No Sons No SM

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QM 293 A-M
Anderson, John (MA)

January 27, 1933.

Mr. Eric Anderson,
Mount Ayre,
Iowa.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to office letter of April 12, 1932, in which you were requested to furnish information in order that it might be determined whether or not there is any woman eligible to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private John Anderson, at the expense of the Government.

As 1933 is the last year for which the pilgrimages are authorized an earnest endeavor is being made to communicate with all women who may be eligible. It will therefore be appreciated if you will advise whether or not your brother is survived by a stepmother or any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to his reaching the age of eighteen, and if so, her name and address. It is requested you also furnish the dates of death of your parents.

A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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QM 293 A-M
Anderson, John Pvt. (M-A)

April 12, 1932.

Mr. Eric Anderson,
Mount Ayre,
Iowa.

Dear Sir:

An earnest endeavor is being made by this office to communicate with all mothers and widows who may be eligible to make a pilgrimage to the American cemeteries of Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It will be appreciated if you will advise the date of death of the natural mother of the late Private John Anderson, and whether or not he is survived by a stepmother or any other woman who may have held the status of loco parentis to him for a period of five years prior to his becoming eighteen years of age. If so, please furnish her name and address in order that she may be communicated with relative to the pilgrimage.

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For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Anderson, John 1252 B

July 7, 1930

Mr. Erie Anderson
Mount Ayre, Iowa.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

2. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not remarried?

If so, give her name and address:

3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
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Act
Amendment

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Anderson, John
1232

August 30, 1929.

Mr. Erie Anderson,
Mount Ayre, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 27, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

Not married

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

She is dead

3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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J. T. Harris
JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.



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The records of this office show that you are the brother of the late Private John Anderson, Co. H, 349th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

For your reply, you may use the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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MAIL & RECORD BRANCH

File 293 - Anderson, John (1232)
Subject Priv. - Co. A. - 349th - Infantry

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QM 293 A-M
Anderson, John (MA)

January 27, 1933.

Mr. Erie Anderson,
Mount Ayre,
Iowa.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to office letter of April 12, 1932, in which you were requested to furnish information in order that it might be determined whether or not there is any woman eligible to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private John Anderson, at the expense of the Government.

As 1933 is the last year for which the pilgrimages are authorized an earnest endeavor is being made to communicate with all women who may be eligible. It will therefore be appreciated if you will advise whether or not your brother is survived by a stepmother or any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to his reaching the age of eighteen, and if so, her name and address. It is requested you also furnish the dates of death of your parents.

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Mount Ayre,
Iowa.

Dear Sir:

An earnest endeavor is being made by this office to communicate with all mothers and widows who may be eligible to make a pilgrimage to the American cemeteries of Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It will be appreciated if you will advise the date of death of the natural mother of the late Private John Anderson, and whether or not he is survived by a stepmother or any other woman who may have held the status of loco parentis to him for a period of five years prior to his becoming eighteen years of age. If so, please furnish her name and address in order that she may be communicated with relative to the pilgrimage.

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August 30, 1929.

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Dear Sir:

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Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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Anderson, John 1282 B

July 7, 1930

Mr. Eric Anderson
Mount Ayr, Iowa.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

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If so, give her name and address:

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Very truly yours,

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The records of this office show that you are the brother of the late Private John Anderson, Co. H, 849th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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OM 293 A-C
ANDERSON, John. --- Pvt.

January 19, 1924

Mr. C.A. Anderson,
Egorlanda,
Satela, Sweden.

Dear Sir:

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,

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Record card.

Q.M.G.
Central Mail & Files Bg

R.L. FOSTER
Assistant.

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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 6, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF ANDERSON, John SERIAL NUMBER 2703000

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. H, 349th. Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Sept. 6, 1921. From (give complete location): Gr. No. 3

French Military Cemetery # 526 Traubach-le-Haut. (Alsace)

By: Group 1. Unit Sect. No. 4.

3. Reburied (date): In (give complete location):

Nov. 2, 1921. Row 16, Block A, Grave 22, Cem. 1232.

By: Group Reburial S. Unit..... Nature of reburial Unlined Casket.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:

Buried in wooden box in blanket and in uniform. Body badly decomposed, recognition impossible.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes. On grave marker? Yes.

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:

No effects found.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Unable to determine.

(b) Weight (estimated) Unable to determine.

(c) Hair—Color light brown.

Quantity normal.

Characteristics straight.

(d) Hair on face—Color None.

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.

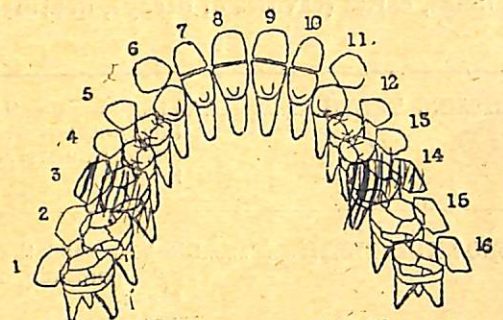
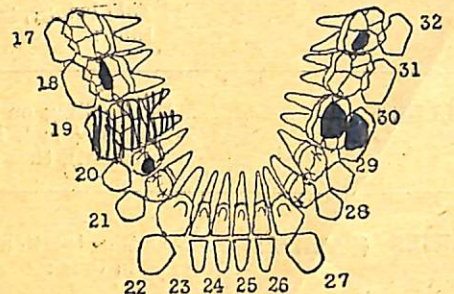


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



No. 3, 14, 19, M.B.D. No. 17, 32, Not cut. No. 18, 20, 30, 31, S.F.






7. Disinterment supervised by W. R. TOMLINSON. Approved: C. J. BLAKE, (Title) Capt. Q.M.C. bjm.

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault, Approved: James W. Younger (Title) Captain, Q.M.C.

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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), bicuspid (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

MISSING TEETHAll teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :	
CROWNED TEETHBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :	
BRIDGE WORKBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :	
FILLINGSDraw 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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Sept. 6, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name Anderson, John

10. Name _____

2. No. 270300011. No. 27031433. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank _____

4. Org. Co. H. 349th Inf

13. Org. _____

5. D.D. 10-15-18

14. (a) D.D. _____

6. C.D. DOD

(b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 3 Sec. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____

8. Plot _____ Row _____

16. Plot _____ Row _____

9. _____

17. None.18. Cemetery French Military19. Commune or town Traubach-le-Haut20. Dept. or County Alsace21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 52623. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 6, 1921.By: W. R. Tomlinson.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name John Anderson.Serial No. 2703000Rank Pvt.Organization Co. H, 349th, Inf. Gr. 325. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes. On body? Yes.Thos. A. Page
Signature Junior Technical AssistantTHOS A. PAGE.

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).

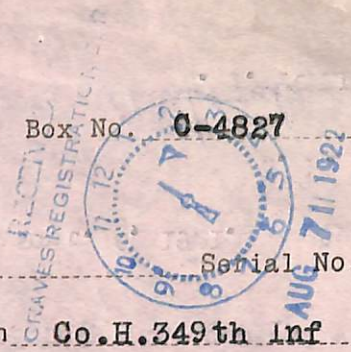
No effects found, Form 16a accomplished. Reburial record on body. Collar ornament of (Co. H, 349th, Inf.) on uniform.27. Condition of body Bally decomposed, recognition impossible.28. Nature of burial Buried in uniform blanket and in wooden box.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? See No. 11.30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept. 6, 1921. By W. R. Tomlinson.31. Casket sealed by W. R. Tomlinson.

AUDITED BY Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

W. R. Tomlinson
W. R. TOMLINSON.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No. **0-4827**



32. Designation of body:

Name **Anderson, John**

Serial No. **2703000**

Rank **Pvt**

Organization **Co. H. 349th Inf**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Argonne Amer. Cty #1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Sept. 6, 1921.** By **W. R. Tomlinson.**

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

G. J. Blake

G. J. BLAKE, Capt. G.M.C.

bjm.

36. Remarks

Disc on body and on cross read (John Anderson U.S.A. 2703143)

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Sept. 6, 1921.**

To point of Concentration **Belfort (Terr. de Belfort)**

(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer

Capt. G.M.C.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date **Sept. 17, 1921.**

To Permanent Cemetery **Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse)**

(Name)

Convoyer **RAY HALL,** Signature Shipping Officer *W. R. Buckley*

W. R. BUCKLEY, Capt. G.M.C.

40. Received: Date **Sept. 21, 1921**

G.R.S. Representative *James W. Younger*

41. Reinterred **Meuse Arg. Cemetery.** (Date) **Nov. 2, 1921.**

42. Grave No. **22.** Section _____

43. ~~Plot~~ Block **A.** Row **16.**

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G.R.S. Representative

James W. Younger
**James W. Younger
Captain, G.M.C.**

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN Graves REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C., IN EUROPE
8, AVENUE D'ENA,

File No. 293.9 Disp.Cem.#526. - 1

PARIS Feb. 26, 1921.

From: Chief.

To: Quartermaster General of the Army, Munitions Bldg.,
Washington, D.C., U.S.A.

Subject: Disposition of remains of Pvt. John Anderson, No.
2703000, Co. "H", 349th Inf., Cem.#526, Trabach-
le-Haut, Alsace, France.

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1. With reference to your letter, dated December 14, 1920, (File #526 Reg.Sec.Cem.Div.) to this office, wherein you directed that we communicate with the next of kin of the above deceased soldier, you are advised that reply has been received from Mr. C.A.Anderson, Bgorlanda, Satela, Sweden, indicating that he desires the remains of his son to be left in France for permanent interment in a National Cemetery.

2. There is enclosed herewith for your records copy of the letter from this office to Mr. Anderson, advising him that his wishes are a matter of record and will be complied with.

WSE/BB
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H.F. Rethers
H.F. Rethers,
Colonel, Q.M.C.

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., D. O. M. G.
File # 293.9
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Anderson, John

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File No. 293.9 Disp.Com.#526.

Feb. 26, 1921.

Mr. C.A.Anderson,
Egorlanda,
Satela,
Sweden.

Dear Sir:-

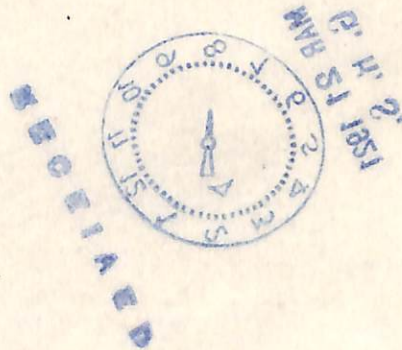
Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated February 2nd, 1921 indicating that you desire the remains of your son, Private John Anderson, #2703000, Company "H", 349th Infantry, to be left in France for permanent burial in an American National Cemetery.

We are pleased to inform you that your wishes have been made of record and will be complied with. When the remains have been placed in a Permanent Cemetery in France, you will be advised as to its location.

Yours sincerely,

K.
WSE/BB

Chas. A. Morrow,
Captain, Q.M.C.



Office Project Sub-Section
Normal Division

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RECEIVED

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

Copy

Hoboken, N. J.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Anderson, John

526 - 1

11/23/20

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

2703000

Co. H. 349th Inf.

Date of death - 10-15-18

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE 12-3-20

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

J. E. Anderson

Mother

Address

Parkland, Washington.

S-709/MB

*Copy 2
This is work 2 - to Hoboken
emergency address
for this man*

ADJUSTMENT MADE
FILE JAN 4 - 1920
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FILE
 CEMETERY DIVISION
 REGISTRATION SECTION

January 18 1922

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

, CASE OF:

Co. H., 349th Inf.,
 ORGANIZATION (Old)

ANDERSON 2703000 John Pvt.,
 (Name)

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st, Reb.	12/7/20	526	D- 30224
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

(Note: In the above spaces below double line fill in ONLY the new date and data correcting previous information)

BY: Miss Cannon

Card.,
 (Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
 on Organization
 File Card:

By B
 S/3324/LML

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Anderson, 2703143, John
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

Pvt Co "H" 349th Inf
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: Bellenagny, Haute-Alsace

CAUSE OF DEATH: Broncho-Pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: October 17, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: Traubach le Haute Haute-Alsace
(Give Cemetery, Town and Department). Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.

GRAVE NUMBER: 37

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross? No

Headboard? No Bottle? No

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Yes

If name unknown and tags missing description and marks should be given here:

NEAREST RELATIVE: Eric Anderson

ADDRESS: R.F.D. Mt. Ayre, Iowa

RELATIONSHIP: 'Brother'

REPORTED BY: Luther Malmberg

Luther Malmberg 1st Lt. & Chaplain
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer) 350th Inf

1 NOV Recd

This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service.

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

FILE NUMBER 43328

FROM:-

DATE: 3/14/19

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:

NAME Anderson, John

NUMBER: 2703143

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co H 549 Inf

NO	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	① yes (2703000)
2.	Date of Death.	② 10-15-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	③ Pneumonia
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	④ # 300
5.	Date buried.	⑤ 10-17-18
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required.	⑥ @TY: # 526 Lane # 37 Cty: TR. TRAUBACH (ALSACE)
7.	Who reported burial?	⑦ Luther. Malmberg, 1st Lt. & Chaplain. 330th Infantry
8.	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.?	⑧ - No
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	⑨ N.P.
10.	Report as to Identification Tags.	⑩ One buried with body One attached to grave marker.
11.	Who is nearest relative?	⑪ Mr. ERIC ANDERSON (FATHER) MOUNT AYRE, IOWA.
12.	Has N/R been notified? (Give Date)	⑫ Yes 12-21-18

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

FILE

File 3/15/19

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

Return to France
 Argonne 1232
 10-11-21
 10-26-21

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File No. 43328

(a) Name ANDERSON, John Ser. No. 2703000
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. H. 349th Inf.
 (c) Date of death 10/15/18 (d) Cause of death Pneumonia.

TYP. als.
CKR. als.

II. REGISTRATION CARD.—(Check Reg., Card Inf. against Loc., Ind., Inf.):

(a) Grave No. 37 Row - Plot - Sec. - TYP. als.
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Eric Anderson (father) Mount Ayre, Iowa.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

NO CARD

CKR. als.

no card in file 10-11-20 mks

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name _____ (b) Relationship _____
 (c) Address _____
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? _____
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. _____
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

see report

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____, 1920.

V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from _____

_____, dated _____
 confirming request in Par. IV., item _____, above, or requesting that _____

no correspondence

Examiner's Initials mks Date 10-11, 1920.

VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE—shows as follows: _____

No request for disposition. G. A. said

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes mks

Examiner's Initials mks Date 10-11, 1920.

COUNTRY France.

CEMETERY No. 526

SHEET No. 1.

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acc 10/12/21
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VII. G. R. S. Form No. _____, 1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION: **NOV 5 20**

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on **11-1 -**, 1920

*Par. 2 Not to be returned ^{msg} 11-2-20
AlbP.*

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SECTION

CHANGE OF ADVICE.	ACTION TAKEN.
Desires body be _____	
Body to be shipped to _____	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *11-16-20 Form #120 Eric Anderson (brother) Mt. Airy, Iowa wishes body left in France. Father in Sweden. 11-25-20 WCRA. gives Mrs. Marie Anderson, mother, Parkland Washington, 12-3-20 Letter to G.R.S. in Europe requesting disposition of remains. L. Peters 2/26/21 W/P requests body left in permanent owner City and Frank. ^{dat. 12/14/20} _{CB 3/24/21}*

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
CEMETERY DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

HOBOKEN, N.J.

Please Push.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

ANDERSON, John

526-1-~~BT~~

11/23/20.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

DATE OF DEATH:

#2703000

Co. H, 349 Inf.

10-15-18

*copy fwd. to
Adi
12-18*

C-106738

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE

12/3/20

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Marie Anderson

Mother

Address

Parkland, Washington

Cor. Sec.

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

NOV 8 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q. M. C.
To: Mr. Eric Anderson, Mount Ayr, Iowa.
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. John Anderson, Ser. No. 2703000.
Co. H. 349th Inf.

The records of this office show that ~~you have requested that his body~~ ~~no request has been~~
~~made as to the disposition of his remains.~~

Remain in Europe

If these are not the correct instructions, please correct them. Make corrections on reverse side of this sheet.

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Major, U. S. A.

If all blank spaces below are not filled out, it will necessitate a return of this paper and a **SERIOUS DELAY** in the shipment of this body. State in each case WHETHER these relatives are STILL LIVING.

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Was soldier married? - <i>no.</i>			
Soldier's widow - <i>none</i>			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
1. <i>none</i>			
2. <i>none</i>			
3. <i>none</i>			
Father <i>C. A. Anderson</i>	<i>Bjorlanda Satela</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Sweden</i>
Mother <i>Mrs. " "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Iowa</i>
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)			
1. <i>Eric Anderson</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Mount Ayr</i>	<i>Iowa</i>
2. <i>Carl " "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>
3. <i>Gustave " "</i>	<i>Bjorlanda Satela</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>Sweden</i>
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)			
1. <i>Anna " "</i>	<i>Kotborg</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>
2. <i>Hanna " "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>
3. <i>" " "</i>			

Date *Nov 16 1920*

Signature *Eric Anderson*

Address *Mount Ayr Iowa*

Relationship *Brother*

CENTRAL DIVISION



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McAys Iowa Nov 16, 1920.

I, the undersigned, am the Brother and nearest living relative of the within-named

(Relationship.)

soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

1. ~~As stated on first page of this sheet.~~
2. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to _____
(Name.)

(R. R. station.) _____
(State.)~~
3. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and buried in _____ National Cemetery.~~
4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Signature Eric Anderson

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instruction as to the disposition of a body are not received from the nearest relative within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.
2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.
3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT of kin IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. If YOU are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
7. 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.
8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
CEMETERY DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB- SECTION

HOBOKEN, N.J.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER
ANDERSON, John

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

526-1-57

11/28/20.

SERIAL NUMBER

#2703000

ORGANIZATION

Co. H, 349 Inf.

DATE OF DEATH:

10-15-18

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Address

Cor. Sec.

December 14th, 1920.

FILE NO: 293.9 (ANDERSON, John)

FROM: The Graves Registration Service, Hoboken, New Jersey.

TO: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Paris, France.

SUBJECT: Data relating to deceased soldier whose next of kin resides in a Foreign country.

1. The following information concerning deceased soldier named below, whose next of kin resides in Europe is furnished to permit your office to obtain the latest desires and comply if practicable.

CEMETERY

526 - 1 ANDERSON, John, Private, 2703000, Company H., 349th Infantry. Mr. C. A. Anderson, (father) Bgorlanda, Satela, Sweden. Mr. Eric Anderson, (brother) Mt. Ayr, Iowa, requests body to remain in France, November 16th, 1920.

lab, *Ress*
R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,
Officer in Charge.

ED/lab

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RS
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March 24, 1921.

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mrs. Levis, Preparation of Data Dept.,

CASE OF: PVT. JOHN ANDERSON, 2703000,
Co. H, 349th Inf.,
Cty. #526.

Letter from Rethers states that father
desires permanent burial in France.

F. E. BOLAND,
Clerk in Charge,
Overseas Project Subsection.

File No. 293.9 Disp.Cem.#526.

Feb. 26, 1921.

From: Chief.

To: Quartermaster General of the Army, Munitions Bldg.,
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C.L. SAMPSON

H.F. Rethers,
Colonel, Q.M.G.



