

JAN 15 1926

DATE

1. NAME ANDERSON, Robert *B.V.*SERIAL No. 3691825 ✓RANK Pvt. ✓

ORGANIZATION

Hqrs. Co. 809th Pioneer Inf. ✓& DIVISION *not shown*GRAVE LOCATION American Cemetery, St. Nazaire, Loire-Inf.

21

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

342

21

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL ~~BATTLE AREA~~ GRAVE LOCATION

342

StNazaire

Loire Inf.

As shown by original burial book,
of Cty. #21.

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

Not given

CONCENTRATED TO

Nothing of record.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Nothing of record.

DATE OF DEATH

Oct. 16, '18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Texas

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

None

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

None of record

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

Stanley J. Grogan

STANLEY J. GROGAN, Capt. Inf. USA.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Sept. 18, 1922

35

21

Block C

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Oise-Aisne American Cemetery #608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne)

CEMETERY

3

A. G. O.

JAN 16 1926

WORLD WAR DIV.

AUDITED BY

*K.M.
8/3*

rme.

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 16, 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.



GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Anderson 3691825 Robert B
 (Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
 Pvt 1st Co 809th Pioneer Inf
 (Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL. Oct 17-1918

PLACE OF BURIAL. St Nazaire Fr

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

American Base Cemetery #21

GRAVE NUMBER. A-342

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes to be replaced Cross? by cross

Headboard? Bottle?

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:

REPORTED BY:

Chap Willard O Muzum pet Lt
 (Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be forwarded to Adj. Gen'l., G. H. Q., A. E. F.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Anderson 3691875 Robert B
 (Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
 Pvt Hq Co 809th Pioneer Inf
 (Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... Oct 17-1918

PLACE OF BURIAL... St Nazaire Fr

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

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O. Q. M. G.
MAIL & RECORD BRANCH

File 293 - Anderson, Robert (608)

Subject Plt. - Hdq. Co. - 809th Pioneer Inf.

29/243

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB- HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Anderson</i>	<i>And</i>	3	1 4 4
<i>Robert</i>	CEMETERY <i>608</i>	1	2
BURIED	GRAVE <i>35</i>	2	35
	ROW <i>21</i>	2	21
	BLOCK <i>C</i>	1	3
STATE	<i>Iowa</i>	2	49
RANK	<i>Priv.</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>Inf</i>	2	51
ORGANIZATION	<i>809</i>	3	809
ARM	<i>Prison</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>Remarried</i>	1	3
NAME <i>Mrs Estella B Taylor</i>		3	
<i>1924 G 113th St</i>	STATE	2	
<i>Los Angeles, Calif.</i>	COUNTY	2	
RESIDENCE	CITY <i>Los Angeles</i>	3	
<i>Mother dead</i>	<i>Widow</i>	1	5
RELATION		1	
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>No</i>	1	2
NATIVITY		1	
RACE	<i>BLACK</i>	1	2
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

AUDITED
MAR 30 1932
of

QM 293 A-M
Anderson, Robert (OA) x

May 24, 1932

Mrs. Estella B. Taylor,
1924 E. 113th Street,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Madam:

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 in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It will therefore be appreciated if you will advise whether or not the late Private Robert Anderson is survived by a stepmother or any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of 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 the parents of this late veteran.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:
Envelope.

KK

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

May 4, 1932.

Anderson, Robert (OA)x

Mrs. Estella B. Taylor,
1924 E. 113 Street,
Del Rio, Texas.

Unclaimed
Los Angeles Calif

Dear Madam:

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 therefore be appreciated if you will advise the date of death of the natural mother of the late Private Robert Anderson, and as to whether or not he 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 becoming eighteen years of age. If so, please furnish her name and address.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Robert
Encl.

Env.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Anderson, Robert Pvt. (O-A) x

April 12, 1932.

Mr. John James Anderson,
Del Rio,
Texas.

Dear Sir:

A 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 Robert 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.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

1 Encl.
Env.

*White
Remains Widow*

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Anders, Robert

Pvt., Co., 809th Pion Inf. Texas 508 AL

Date of mother's death? before 1918

Stepmother? } no record

Loco ?

XC-76 011

4/4/32 ✓

father (old 1918 address)

John James Anderson

Wad Rio Texas born

ms town. widow

Estella B. Taylor

1924 E. 113 st

Los Angeles
Cal

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Anderson, Robert 608 W

July 7, 1930

Mrs. Estella B. Taylor
1924 E. 113 Street
Del Rio, Texas.

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:
Envelope
Act
Amendment



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

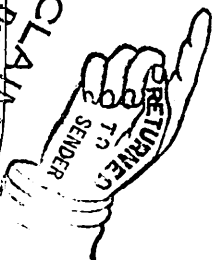
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Anderson, Robert
608

Aug. 27, 1929.

Mrs. Estella Anderson,
Box 640,
Del Rio, Texas.

Dear Madam:

*Unmarried
Widow*

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 20, 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:

*Remarried - Now
Estella B. Taylor
#1924 E. 113th st*

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.

no

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

no.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Anderson, Robert

June 20, 1929.

608
Pvt. Hdq. Co. 809th Pioneer Inf
Mrs. Estella Anderson, *Taylor*
Box 640,
Del Rio, Texas.
Remarried widow

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, entitled an Act "To enable the mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors and marines of the American forces now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries".

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late **Private Robert Anderson, Hdq. Co., 809th Pioneer Inf.** whose remains are now interred in the **Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France,**

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish her full name and address in order that action may be taken to extend an invitation to her 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 relationship is that of a stepmother, mother through adoption or a woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. In case you have 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,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Anderson, Robert

May 25, 1929.

Mrs. Estella Anderson,
Box 640,
Del Rio, Texas.

Taylor

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, entitled an Act "To enable the mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors and marines of the American forces now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries".

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late Private Robert Anderson, Hdq. Co., 809th Pioneer Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish her full name and address in order that action may be taken to extend an invitation to her 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 relationship is that of a stepmother, mother through adoption or a woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. In case you have 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.

2 incs.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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ANDERSON, Robert -- Pvt.

April 11, 1924

Mrs. Estella Anderson,

Box 649, The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the enclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested.
Dear Madam:

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,

Assistant.

1-Incl.
Record card.

O.Q.M.G.
Central Mail & File R. B. HAROLD

RD

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APR 12 1924
B.

Anderson,

(Surname.)

Robert

(Christian name in full.)

3,691,825

(Army serial number)

Pvt.

Hq. Co. 809 Inf. Pioneer Bn.

(Rank and organization)

State your relationship to the deceased

Wife

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?

no.

(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.)

sign by wife Mrs Estella B. Anderson

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Del Biv

yes

P.O. Box 648

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713

DUPLICATE

Drawn by
Gm. - 24
21 - 29

Checked by -
Gm.m. 10/1/20.

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name Anderson, Robert Ser. No. 3691825)
 (2) Rank Pvt. Organization Hdq. Co. 809th Pioneer Inf.) TYP. ILH
 (3) Date of death 10-16-18) CKR. A.N.

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

(4) Cause of death Lobar Pneumonia) TYP. SH
 (5) Grave No. 342 Row --- Plot A Square 2)
 Sect. --- CKR. HDP

II. FILES EXAMINATION

No Card

A. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases;

B. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD

Date of receipt none

(6) Relationship Wife
 (7) Name Mrs Estella B. Anderson
 (8) Address Box 640 Del Rio, Tex.
 (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? ---

7M 4-20-20

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.

No correspondence.

(13) A. G. O. Files EXAMINED by T.L. (Date) 4-21-20

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

No request for disposition(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by aa(Date) 4-21-20checked by
2.m.m. 10/1/20

(over)

*3/11/22 Examined
for Concentration
Camp - Aine "608"
att 3/21/22*

✓

III. FINAL ACTION

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

CENTRAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS SECTION

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

(17) Instructions that remains be left undisturbed _____

(18) Typed by _____ Checked by _____ (Date) _____



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

(19) Typed by _____ Checked by _____ (Date) _____

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

10/14/20 - Letter to wife for confirmation of instructions
10/28/20 - Letter from wife requests body remain in France
10-29-20-28
11-8-20

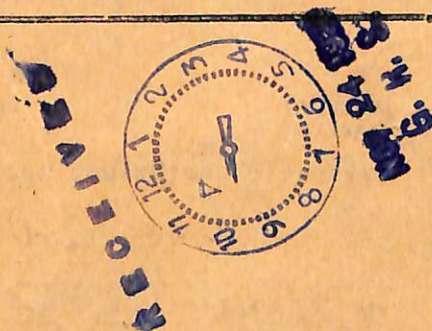
D. Dispatched (Date) _____ (Let. Trans. No. _____)

APR 26 1920

Part #2 Not to be returned Rd 8 10/2/20

Approved by _____

(Date) _____



DEC 22 1920

FORM 115 RETURNED BY HOBOKEN - BODY
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE. HK

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 7th, 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, Robert

10. Name

2. No. 3691825

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Hqs. Co. 809th Pioneer Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. 10-16-18

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. Lobar pneumonia

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 342 Sec.

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. No discrep.18. Cemetery American Cemetery19. Commune or town St. Nazaire20. Dept. or County Loire-Inf.21. Country France.22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 2123. Disinterred (Date) Nov. 7th, 1921By A. J. Harvey

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Robert AndersonSerial No. --Rank Pvt.Organization Hdqs. Co. 809th Pioneer Inf.25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? Yes

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).

Body tag checks. Full name on box with checks.27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features not recognizable.28. Nature of burial Wooden box and uniform.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? No discrep.30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov. 7th, 1921 By A. J. Harvey31. Casket sealed by A. J. Harvey

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

Fme.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-14516

32. Designation of body:

Name ANDERSON, Robert

Serial No. 3691925

Rank Pvt.

Organization Hqs. Co. 809th Pioneer Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne Amer. Cty. #608, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date)

Nov. 7th, 1921

By

A. J. Harvey

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

E. J. Riordan, Capt., QMC.

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

To point of Concentration

Oise-Aisne Amer. Cty. #608, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne

Convoyer

Jack Roberts

Signature Shipping Officer

S. D. Campbell

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

11/25/21

To Permanent Cemetery

Oise, Aisne, Am. Cty. #608

Convoyer

Jack Roberts

Signature Shipping Officer

S. D. Campbell

40. Received: Date

2 DEC 1921

G.R.S. Representative

G. F. WAUGH

41. Reinterred, Oise Aisne Cemetery Seringes et Nesles Aisne Sept. 18th 1922.

(Date)

42. Grave No.

35

Section

43. Plot

block C

Row

21

G.R.S. Representative

C. J. Blaks, Capt. QMC.

Jt.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date St. Nazaire, Cem. 21.

1. REMAINS OF

Nov. 7th, 1921
SERIAL NUMBERRANK ANDERSON, Robert
Pvt. ORGANIZATION Hqs. Co. 809 Pioneer Inf. 3691825

2. Disinterred (date):

From (give complete location):

Nov. 7th, 1921Gr. 342, Cem. 21.

By: Group

2

Unit

Sec. 7

3. Reburied (date):

Sept. 18th 1922.

In (give complete location):

Oise Aisne Cemetery Seringes et Nesles Aisne Sapt. Gr. 35 block C row 21

By: Group

Re-burial S

Unit

Lined casket.
Nature of reburial

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

Wooden box and uniform. Badly decomposed, features not recognizable.5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body Yes

On grave marker?

Yes

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

Full name on box and body tag checks.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Indiscernable due(b) Weigh, (estimated) to decomposition.(c) Hair—Color BlackQuantity FullCharacteristics Kinky

(d) Hair on face—Color

None

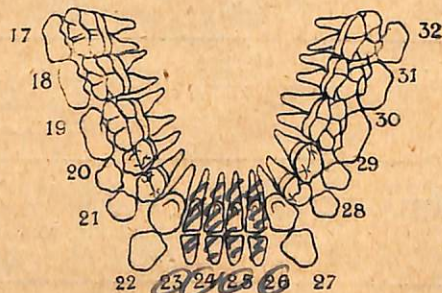
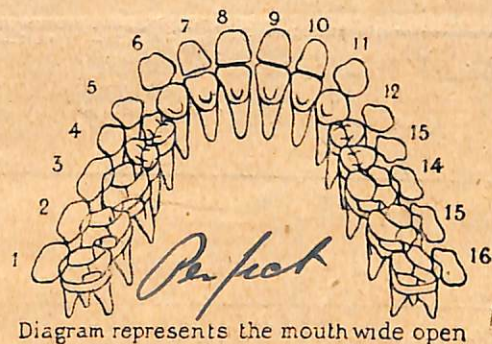
Location

Quantity

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

or missing parts None

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)

Indiscernable due to decomposition.Geo. S. Parker, checker.

7. Disinterment

supervised by

Approved;

(Title)

8. Reburial

Supervised by

Approved

(Title)

L. D. HaysBlake, Capt. CMC.

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 Questions 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), 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 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.

Capt. R. E. Shannon
I. M. Corps.
Hoboken, N. J.

Box, 640.
Del Rio, Texas.
October 28th, 1920.

Capehoff

Sir:

Respecting your inquiry with regards to my late
husband, Private Robt. Anderson Serial No. 3691825 Hdq
809th Pioneer Inf.

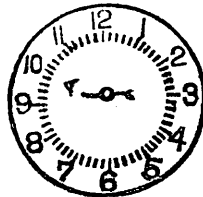
I beg leave to state, That his spirit has gone to its abode
and its my desire that his remains be left in France.

Thanking you for your consideration,

Very respectfully

Mrs. Estella B. Anderson
Box, 640.
Del Rio, Texas.

CEMETERIAL DIVISION



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October 14th, 1920.

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File No. 293.6 Cor.H.R., Gen.Div.
(Anderson, Robt.)

Mrs. Estella B. Anderson,
Box 640,
Del Rio, Texas.

Dear Madam:-

It is mandatory upon this office to secure your signature to a statement indicating whether you wish the remains of your late husband, Private Robt. Anderson, Serial No. 3691825, Hqs.Co. 809th Pioneer Inf. left in France, and if not, whether you desire the body to be returned to the United States and delivered to you, or interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va.

Your early reply, using the enclosed penalty envelope which requires no postage, will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General;

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, A.H.Corp.s.
Officer in Charge.

BY:

M.M.M.

C LAY S. WORICK,
Captain, A.G.D.

10/20/20

Noted on 10-27-20

Enclosed

Mailed-O.P.D.
OCT 14 1920

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G.R.S. Form #120
Shipping Inquiry.

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

J.M.S.
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APR 28 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.G.
TO: Mrs. Estella B. Anderson, Box 640, Del Rio, Tex.
SUBJECT: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Robert Anderson

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

Remains to be not returned to United Statesxxxxxxx
Interred

Shipped to

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 home for burial; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in France.

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			
Brothers			
Sisters			

Date

Signature

Address

Relationship

JUN 17 1920

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON

21-24

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.V.C.

TO: Mrs. Estella B. Anderson, Box 640, Del Rio, Texas.

SUBJECT: Remains of ~~Pvt. Robert Anderson.~~

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

If these 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			

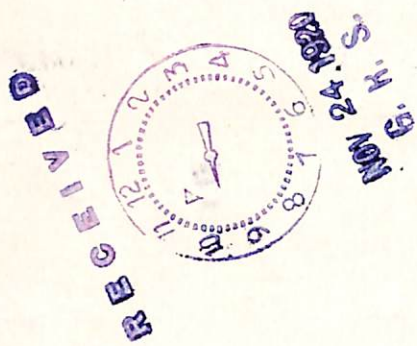
Date _____

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.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File--43488

Form 115
see 3/21/22
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I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name Anderson, Robert Ser. No. 3691825 TYP. ILH
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization HQ. Co. 809th Pioneer Inf. AW
 (c) Date of death 10-16-18 Cause of death Lobar Pneumonia LM

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

QES.

(a) Grave No. 342 Row -- Plot A Square 2 Sect. TYP. SH
 (b) Emerg. Address ---

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases.....no card..... CKR HDP.....

IV. Information on which advice to Europe in letter of transmittal was based:

A. G.O. Card: Wife Mrs. Estella B. Anderson, Box 640 Del Rio,
Tex., requests body be not returned to U.S. (H.S. 10-6-20.)

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on 192 (letter of transmittal on 4-16-1920

Par. 2 Not to be returned (QES.)

OCT 8 1920

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. 192 Filed 10-7-20

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of Relationship Desires Action taken
 and Source.....and name.....

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. NOV 24 1920 192

COUNTRY France
 G.R.S. FORM 115-A
 August , 1920

CEMETERY NO. 21

SHEET NO. 24

43488

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Anderson 3691825 Robert
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
1st Lt. 149 Co. 809th Pioneer Inf.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL. Oct 17-1918

PLACE OF BURIAL. St Nazaire Fr
(Give Cemetery, Town and Department.) Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.

American Base Cemetery # 21

GRAVE NUMBER. A-342

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes to be replaced Cross? by

Headboard? Bottle?

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:

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21 OCT 1918

REPORTED BY:

Chap Willard O. Kuzman 1st Lt.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)



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