

To The A. G. O.

G.R.S. Form #114-B

JAN 15 1926

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FULL NAME... CHRISTENSEN, Edward J. ✓ *Spl. Sig.*

RANK... Pvt. ✓ *1cl* SERIAL 549478 ✓

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION... Company A, 38th Infantry ✓ *3rd Div*

DATE OF DEATH... ✓ *Aug 6, 1918*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME... ✓ *N. J.*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED... ✓ *none shown*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION... 11/10/25 36 10 C
Date Grave Row Block

Oise-Aisne American Cemetery # 608
Cemetery

Robert O. Davis,
Major General,
The Adjutant General,
By *cee*

rec'd World War Div

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WORLD WAR DIV.

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Co. "A" 38th Infantry,
3rd Division.

CHRISTENSEN, Edward. Pvt. 549478.
Home.

The above named soldier was killed while the 38th Infantry was in Reserve on the Vesle River in August. He was in a dugout with Sgt. William Temple, Landrum Allen, a man of the name of Mann and Johnson all of Company "A" 38th Infantry. Dugout was hit directly by six inch shell killing all but Pvt. Alla who died the following day. I as First Sgt. of Company A helped to dig out Pvt. Allen and also the other men, but on finding nothing could be done for them we buried them in the same hole.

Informant. Robinson, Frank N. Pvt. 549412.
Co. "A" 38th Infantry.
Home: Newton Ctr. Mass.

Signee by Informant.

CODE SLIP

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✓

HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Christensen	3	388
	Edward J.		
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	2
	GRAVE	2	36
	ROW	2	10
	BLOCK	1	3
STATE	N. J.	2	35
RANK	Private	1	2
DIVISION	3	2	03
ORGANIZATION	38	3	138
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	no	1	2
NAME	Bowman	3	255
	Marian C.		
RESIDENCE	Conlogue Ave So. Amboy N. J.	2	35
	(Adopted Mother)		
RELATION	Mother	3	102
OTHER	(no SM)	1	1
ELIGIBILITY	(no loc)	1	6
NATIVITY	dead	1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP		1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
29/514/EAB		1	

AUDITED

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Sm?

late parents death?

No son
per

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 12, 1930

Christensen, Edward J.

308-AM

Mrs. Marie Lund
390 Prospect St.
South Amboy, N. J.

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.

Adopted Mother
died 9-4-29

Real Mother dead

Admin of Est.

Marian C Bowman

Conlogue Ave.,

South Amboy,

N. J.

9-18-30

390 Prospect St.
South Amboy, N. J.
June 28, 1924

War Dept.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to your letter,
I state that there is no
widow or mother of the
deceased Edward J. Christensen
Pvt., Co A, 38 Inf. and his
adopted mother is unable
to go.



Respectfully yours,
Marie Lund.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 24 , 1929.

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So. Amboy, N.J.

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The records of this office show that you are the **adopted Mother of the late Edward J. Christensen, Pvt., Co. A, 38th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Risle, 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.

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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QM 293 A-C

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CHRISTENSEN, Edward J. - Pvt.

April 1, 1926

Mr. John S. Lund,
390 Prospect St.,
South Amboy, N.J.

Dear Sir:

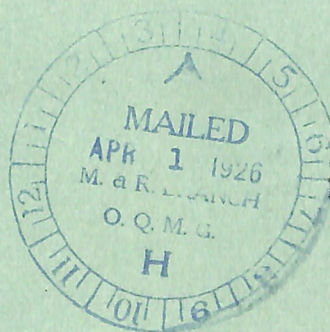
The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the inclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested.

This American overseas military cemetery is to be maintained by the United States for all time. The graves will be permanently marked by white headstones inscribed with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves, as soon as possible, and without necessity 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 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,

1 Incl.
Record card.



L.W. REDINGTON,
Major, Q.N.C.,
Assistant.

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CLAIM NUMBER NOT KNOWN
CALL WAR RISK FOR NEXT OF KIN

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CHRISTENSEN, Edward J. 549478
Pvt. Co. A, 38th Infantry.

Only E/A on file is
Mr. & Mrs. John S. Lund (Adopted-parents)
390 Forspect St. South Amboy, N.J.

V.B. E.A. same as
above 1-20-26
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QM 293 A-C

Christensen, Edward, J. Pvt.

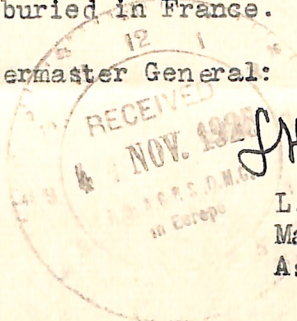
1st Ind.

War Dept., OQMG, Washington, D. C., Oct. 23, 1925--To Chief, AGRS, QMC., in Europe.

1. Unknown U. S. Soldier, U-2457, has been identified as the late Pvt. Edward J. Christensen, 549478, Co. A, 38th Inf.

2. The body is to remain buried in France.

By order of The Quartermaster General:



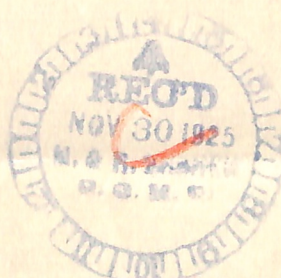
L.W. Redington
L.W. REDINGTON,
Major, Q.M.C.,
Assistant.

293 Christensen, Edward J.

2nd Ind.

Hqrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C., in E., 20 rue Molitor, Paris, France, Nov. 16, 1925. To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. In compliance with above instructions, forwarded herewith are G.R.S. Forms 114-A, 16-A and 1-A covering permanent concentration of the remains of this late soldier in Grave 36, Row 10, Block C, Oise-Aisne American Cemetery.



Wm. O. Smith
Wm. O. Smith,
Lieut. Col., Q.M. Corps,
Chief.



3 encls.

encl. 1-Form 114-A

encl. 2-Form 16-A

encl. 3-Form 1-A.

293
Christensen

Edward J.

HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE Q.M.C. IN EUROPE
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF THE SERVICE
20 RUE MOLITOR

IN REPLYING
PLEASE ADDRESS:
CHIEF, AMERICAN GRAVES
REGISTRATION SERVICE.

FILE NO. 293 U-2457.
X-293 Christensen, Edward.

PARIS, FRANCE Sept. 25, 1925.

Subject : Recovery.

To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. Forwarded herewith is G.R.S. Form 16-A for the remains of Unknown U.S. Soldier U-2457 located by the Research personnel of this office.

2. This body was found in a trench with three others -- Pvt. John Johnson, Pvt.1/cl. Emmett Mannix and Unknown U.S. Soldier U-2456, on which recovery reports are being forwarded by separate communications. According to information received from your office, Sgt. Temple, Pvt.1/cl. Mannix, Pvt. Johnson and Pvt. Christensen were buried together. As a compass was found on the remains of U-2456, indicating this body may be that of Sgt. Temple, it is thought that U-2457 may be the remains of Pvt. Edward Christensen, 549478, Co.A, 38th Inf., the other man reported buried with these three. As no dental information is of record here, definite recommendation cannot be made. U-2457 is the body of a tall man, the tallest of the four. It is requested that this office be informed of result of comparison of data shown on attached Form with information on hand in your office.

3. Following personal effects found on body are forwarded herewith:

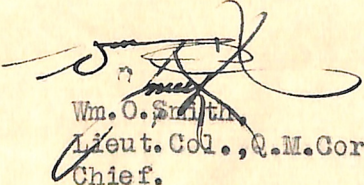
2 Razors
2 Pocket knives
1 French 2-sou piece.

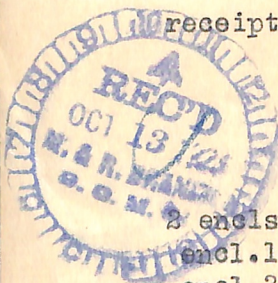
4. These remains are being held in the Oise-Aisne mortuary pending receipt of advice from your office as to identification and disposition.

2 encls.

encl.1-Form 16-A

encl.2-envelope containing personal effects listed in par.3.


Wm. O. Smith,
Lieut. Col., Q.M. Corps,
Chief.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 10, 1925

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 CHRISTENSEN, Edward J. 10. Name
- 2. No. 549478 11. No.
- 3. Rank Pvt. 12. Rank
- 4. Org. Co.A, 38th Inf. 13. Org.
- 5. D.D. Aug.6,1918. 14. (a) D.D.
- 6. C.D. KIA. (b) D.B. None discrepancies.

Trench in bottom of stone quarry. Commune of Courville (Marne). Map Fismes 1/20000. N-282.295 E-205.580. Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. Sec. 15. Grave No. Sec.
- 8. Plot Row 16. Plot Row
- 9. 17. No discrepancies.

- 18. Cemetery --- 19. Commune or town Courville
- 20. Dept. or County Marne 21. Country France
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. ---
- 23. Disinterred (Date) Sept.11,1925 By William Penman, Investigator.
- 24. Inscription on grave marker: (No grave marker)

Name Serial No.
Rank Organization

- 25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? No On body? No
- 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).
Collar ornaments, "USNA329", "crossed rifles C", "US", and "38 crossed rifles A", found with remains. Crucifix found on body. Two(2) razors, one scratched "KYZAR", two(2) pocket knives, and one(1) French 2-sou piece found with remains forwarded.
- 27. Condition of body Flesh of body entirely decomposed - skeleton only.
Buried 7 ft. deep with three(3) other deceased American soldiers.
- 28. Nature of burial in parts of OD US uniform, and field shoes size 9E.
- 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 Sept.13,1925 By G.T.Parker
- 31. Casket sealed by G.T.Parker

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

G.T. Parker
G. T. PARKER.

AUG 12 1925

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-33019.

32. Designation of body:

Name CHRISTENSEN, Edward J. Serial No. 549478

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. A, 38th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne American #608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne).

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept. 13, 1925 By G.T. Parker

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. T. PARKER, Caretaker.

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

To point of Concentration

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred in Oise-Aisne American Cemetery No. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne), Nov. 10, 1925.

(Date)

42. Grave No. Thirty-six (36) Section

43. Plot/ BDOCK 'C' Row Ten (10)

G.R.S. Representative G. T. PARKER, Caretaker.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place

September 13th, 1925.

Date

~~UNKNOWN U. S. SOLDIER, No. U-2457.~~

1. REMAINS OF CHRISTENSEN, Edward J.

SERIAL NUMBER 549478

RANK

Pvt.

ORGANIZATION

Co.A. 38th Inf.,

2. Disinterred (date) :
Sept. 11th, 1925.

From (give complete location) : Trench in bottom of a stone quarry situated near the top of a hill facing toward St. Gilles (Marne), which town is about 1/2 of a mile to the north, with three (3) other deceased soldiers, Cms. de Courville (Marne) Map Pismes 1/20000 N-282,295 E-205,580.

By : Group William Penman, Investigator Unit Chateau/Thierry-Soissons Sector.

3. Reburied (date) Nov. 10, 1925.

In (give complete location) :

Grave Thirty-six (36), Row Ten (10), Block (C), Oise-Aisne American Cemetery No. 608.

By : Group G.T. Parker, Caretaker. Unit _____ Nature of reburial GRS casket, case, sheet & blanket.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment : Buried 7 feet deep with three (3) other deceased American soldiers, in parts of OD US uniform, and field shoes size 9E. Flesh of body entirely decomposed - skeleton only.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks : Collar ornaments, "USNA329", "crossed rifles D", "US", and "38 crossed rifles A" found with remains. Crucifix found on body. Two (2) razors, one scratched "KYZARS", two (2) pocket knives, and one (1) French 2-sou pieces found with remains - forwarded.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) A tall man.

Project and uneven.

(b) Weight (estimated) Imp. to est.

(c) Hair—Color None visible.

Quantity --

Characteristics --

(d) Hair on face—Color --

Location --

Quantity --

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Long, thin face, with pointed prominent lower jaw. Front teeth project outward, and uneven.

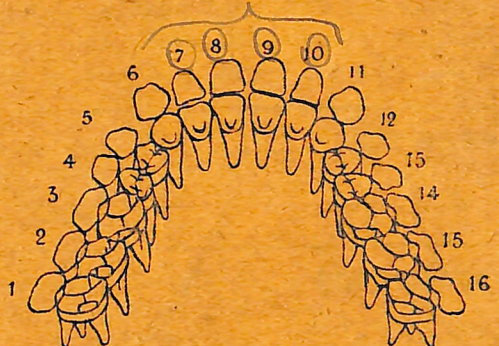
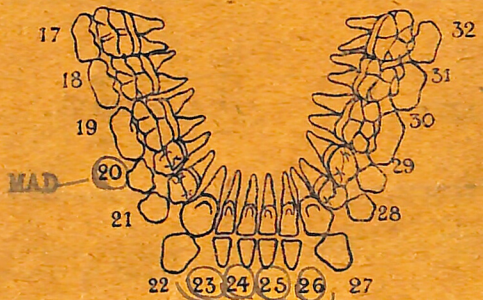


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) Three (3) pelvic bones shattered. Right clavicle shattered. Right femur shattered-upper third. Several ribs and vertebrae fractured.

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7. Disinterment supervised by William Penman,
WILLIAM PENMAN,
Investigator.

Approved : William Penman,
WILLIAM PENMAN,
Investigator.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by G. T. PARKER,
G. T. PARKER,
Caretaker.

Approved : G. T. PARKER,
G. T. PARKER,
Caretaker.
(Title)

GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE
WASHINGTON

CLAIMS DIVISION

November 5, 1925.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

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Graves Registration Section,
War Department,
Washington, D.C.

Sirs:

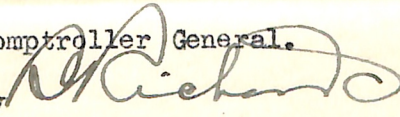
You are advised that the personal effects of the late Edward J. Christensen are being forwarded to the parents as of this date. A carbon copy of communication is enclosed for your files.

Respectfully,

J.R. McCARL

Comptroller General.

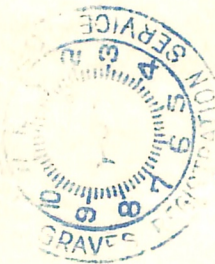
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COMM. 293-Christensen, Edward J.



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November 5, 1925.

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Graves Registration Section,
War Department,
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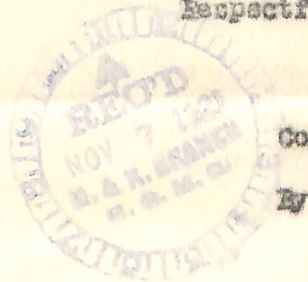
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Encl.

November 5, 1925.

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JWR-711

John S. and Marie Lund,
390 Prospect St.,
South Amboy, N.J.

Sir and Madam:

This office is in receipt of your communication of November 1, 1925, in which you request the personal effects of your late son, Edward J. Christensen, who was a Private 1c., Co. A, 38th Inf., and in compliance with your request you are advised that the personal effects of your deceased son received in this office consist of two razors, two pocket knives, and one French 2-sou piece. Said effects are being forwarded by separate registered package. You will please acknowledge receipt thereof for which purpose an official envelope requiring no postage is enclosed.

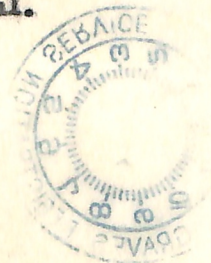
Respectfully,

J.R. McCARL
Comptroller General.

By

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Christensen, Edward, J. Pvt.

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War Dept., OQMG, Washington, D. C., Oct. 23, 1925--To Chief, AGRS, QMC.,
in Europe.

1. Unknown U. S. Soldier, U-2457, has been identified as the
late Pvt. Edward J. Christensen, 549478, Co. A, 38th Inf.

2. The body is to remain buried in France.

By order of The Quartermaster General:

L. W. REDINGTON,
Major, Q. M. C.,
Assistant.

LN *see*
CS *see*
GR *S.R.*
WPR

Noted by Statistical Clerk.

Date

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QM 293 A-C

Christensen, Edward, J. Pvt.

Oct. 23, 1925.

Mrs. Marie Lund,
390 Prospect St.,
South Amboy, N.J.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General is pleased to inform you that the search for the remains of adopted-son, the late Pvt. Edward J. Christensen, Company a, 38th Infantry, has been successful.

Private Christensen's body was recovered from an isolated grave in the Commune of Courville, Marne, France, and ~~is~~ now in the mortuary in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Department of Aisne, France, awaiting permanent interment in this cemetery, where repose the bodies of hundreds of his comrades whose graves will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a most careful and reverent manner.

Upon receipt of a report from the European Office regarding the permanent grave location, you will be advised.

You may expect to receive the personal effects, found on the remains of this soldier, from the General Accounting Office, Claims Division, Washington, D. C., within a short time.

Very truly yours,

L. W. BEDINGTON,
Major, Q. M. C.,
Assistant.

LN *LN*
CS *CS*
WPR



QM 293 A-C

Christensen, Edward, J. Pvt.

Oct. 23, 1925.

General Accounting Office,
Claims Division,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

The Quartermaster General desires that the inclosed personal effects found on the remains of Unknown U.S. Soldier, U-2457, identified as the late Pvt. Edward J. Christensen, 549478, Co. A, 38th Inf., be submitted to your office for transmission to the next of kin, Mrs. Marie Lund, (adopted-mother) 390 Prospect St., South Amboy, N.J.

Kindly furnish this office a copy of the letter of transmittal.

Very truly yours,

L. W. REDINGTON,
Major, Q.M.C.,
Assistant.

LN *Lu*
CS *Lu*
WPR

1 incl.
envelope with effects.



293 U-2457.
X-293 Christensen, Edward.

Sept. 25, 1925.

Subject : Recovery.

To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. Forwarded herewith is G.R.S. Form 16-A for the remains of Unknown U.S. Soldier U-2457 located by the Research personnel of this office.

2. This body was found in a trench with three others -- Pvt. John Johnson, Pvt.1/cl. Emmett Mannix and Unknown U.S. Soldier U-2456, on which recovery reports are being forwarded by separate communications. According to information received from your office, Sgt. Temple, Pvt.1/cl. Mannix, Pvt. Johnson and Pvt. Christensen were buried together. As a compass was found on the remains of U-2456, indicating this body may be that of Sgt. Temple, it is thought that U-2457 may be the remains of Pvt. Edward Christensen, 549478, Co.A, 36th Inf., the other man reported buried with these three. As no dental information is of record here, definite recommendation cannot be made. U-2457 is the body of a tall man, the tallest of the four. It is requested that this office be informed of result of comparison of data shown on attached Form with information on hand in your office.

3. Following personal effects found on body are forwarded herewith:

2 Razors
2 Pocket knives
1 French 2-sou piece.

4. These remains are being held in the Oise-Aisne mortuary pending receipt of advice from your office as to identification and disposition.

2 encls.
encl.1-Form 16-A
encl.2-envelope containing personal effects listed in par.3.

Wm. O. Smith,
Lieut. Col., Q.M. Corps,
Chief.



Place Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Serin-et-Nesles (Aisne).

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date September 13th, 1925.

1. REMAINS OF UNKNOWN U. S. SOLDIER, No. U-2457. SERIAL NUMBER 549478
 RANK pt ORGANIZATION Co A 38th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Sept. 11th, 1925. From (give complete location): Trench in bottom of a stone quarry situated near the top of a hill facing toward St. Gilles (Marne), which town is about 1/4 of a mile to the north, with three (3) other deceased soldiers, Cmc. de Courville (Marne) Map Fismes 1/20000 N-282.295 E-205.580.
 By: Group William Penman, Investigator Unit Chateau Thierry-Soissons Sector.

3. Reburied (date) _____ In (give complete location): _____
 By: Group _____ Unit _____ Nature of reburial _____

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: Buried 7 feet deep with three (3) other deceased American soldiers, in parts of OD US uniform, and field shoes size 9E. Flesh of body entirely decomposed - skeleton only.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: Collar ornaments, "USNA329", "crossed rifles D", "US", and "38 crossed rifles A" found with remains. Crucifix found on body. Two (2) razors, one scratched "KYZAR", two (2) pocket knives, and one (1) French 2-sou pieces found with remains - forwarded.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) A tall man.

Project and uneven.

(b) Weight (estimated) Imp. to est.

(c) Hair—Color None visible.

Quantity ---

Characteristics ---

(d) Hair on face—Color ---

Location ---

Quantity ---

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Long, thin face, with pointed prominent lower jaw. Front teeth project outward, and uneven.

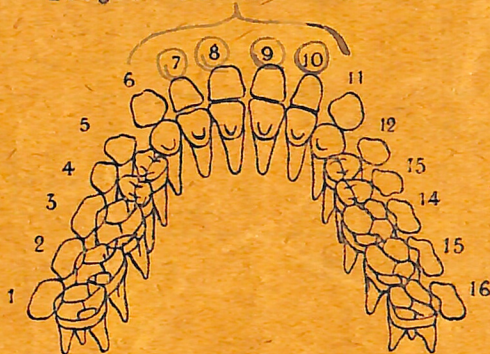
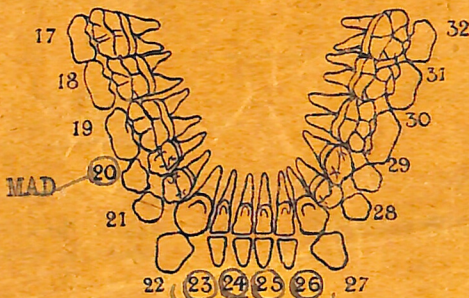


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) Uneven 22063
Three (3) pelvic bones shattered. Right clavicle shattered.
Right femur shattered—upper third. Several ribs and vertebrae fractured.

7. Disinterment supervised by William Penman Approved: William Penman
WILLIAM PENMAN, Investigator. (Title) Investigator.

8. Reburial supervised by _____ Approved: _____
 (Title) _____

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA.

File 16927

I. Location Index Card

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(b) Rank ~~Private~~ Pvt. Organization Co. A - 38th Inf. TYP. -----
(c) Date of Death 8/6/18 (d) Cause of Death x/a CKR. -----

II. Registration Card

(a) Grave No. Morgue 608 Row ----- Plot ----- Sec. ----- Block -----
(b) Emerg. Address John Lund (Friend) 390 Prospect St. South Ambry N.J.

III. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

(a) Name Mrs. Marie Lund (b) Adopted Mother
(c) Address 390 Prospect St. South Ambry, N.J.
(d) Remains to be brought to U.S.? No
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U.S. at -----
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Examiner's Initials PD Date 10/21/25

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----- U.S. Civil War Service Record -----

Christensen, Edward

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

549478
~~3559~~ 123

(Army serial number.)

Pvt. Co A, 38th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Adopted Mother

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)

Marie Lund

(Number and street or rural route.)

390 Prospect St South Andover

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card. *N.J.* 3-6713

Mem.

5H9.478

FILE UNDER NO. 293. - Christensen, Edward J.
Pvt. Co. A., 38th Inf.

July 24, 1925.

INDEX SHEET

SYNOPSIS

Letter,

From - OQMG.,

To - Chief, AGRS, m QMG, in Europe,
Paris, France.

Inviting attention to inclosed copies of correspondence on file in this office, which may assist in the investigation to locate bodies of above named deceased soldier - killed near St. Gilles. Emmet Mannix was also killed.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293. - Mannix, Emmet
#1936042, Co. A, 38th Inf.

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INSTRUCTIONS.—Under "Synopsis" make brief entry showing date of communication and from whom received and synopsis sufficient to identify the papers. When these index sheets become numerous under a subject they will be entered on the consolidated index sheet and then destroyed.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Christensen, Edward, J. Pvt,
Co. A, 38th Inf.

May 22, 1925.

Mr. Lawrence E. Carpenter,
De Graff, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

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Very truly yours,

R. P. Harbold

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*Pvt. Christensen was killed on the
night of Aug. 6. Was in same dugout
with Mannis, Johnson, Christensen and Allen
Lawrence E. Carpenter*

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*St. C. 4/27/25
Toledo, Ohio*

Christensen

Clifffield, Va.

May 26, 1925.

Mr. R. P. Harbald,
Major, C.M.C.,
Washington.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter concerning the boys missing I am indeed very glad to give you all the information I can concerning them. I know all of them but there is only five of them that I can tell about their death, that is the following ones were all killed together at the same time. Christensen, Edward, J. Pvt., Temple, William, S. Sgt., Johnson, Johnnie, Pvt. All of Co. A, 10th Inf. and were all three killed at the same time by a shell from the German Artillery one evening about sun down in what looked like had been an old rock quarry near Kibbles Prance, on the ~~Alamo river~~ I was laying within 8 or 10 feet of them when they were killed, they were standing down in a trench like place, and were badly torn up. Also covered up with dirt the shell seemed to hit the hill near their heads. And covered them almost entirely up. I was Cpl. of the Squad and Temple was Platoon Sgt. It was near a very large cemetery. and was just outside a small town but I can't recall the name of it. We started trying to get them out with our entrenching tools but now they were all torn to pieces and couldn't do anything with them. And just then got orders to move onward, and had to leave them and I have often wondered if they were ever found, there were also two others killed by the same shell. Pvt. Mack from Toledo Ohio and Pvt. Landrum Allen who was badly wounded and died before getting to the Hospital. I don't just remember the day but it was near the 10th of August 1918. I don't know where any of these boys were buried but I do know they were killed at this place all together and I will see if I can locate the place better on the map and the name of the town near where they were killed and will write you letter with I could give some more information about the boys I would like to know if any of these boys were found if not they are buried in that hole and I will do my best to give you some more information from some papers I have at home as I am not at home now but will let you know soon.

Yours truly,

W.C. Caldwell

Ex-Sgt.

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Letter from him
5/30/25 states
Veele River

Mannix, Emmet

Co. A, 38th Inf.

Yours of May 26th. 1925.

The above named soldier was killed on the event of Aug. 6th. about dark in the same hole with privet Christensen, Johnson, Sargent Temple also Private Allen who died before getting to the hospital. We had orders to be ready to move on and was just waiting the word to go when an enemy shell hit in on these men. I was laying within eight or ten feet of them when they were killed. It was near three of our kilometers south of the Vesle River in what looked had been an old rock quarry, on the fact of a hill facing the enemy near a very large cemetary. I am sure these men were killed in this hole for I was left as a guide when our company moved on toward the front to guide company F 38th Inf. into this place where we had just left. I showed the captain of the said company where these men were in the hole. I dont know whether they were ever took up or not and re-buried. The place to the best of my knowledge is a 150 or 200 yards from the road near by, but some trees here and there, and as as I remember just south of the place the road forked. One runing east and the other north.

Informant: W.O.Caldwell
Co.A, 38th Inf.

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A.G. 201 Christensen, Edward J. 1st Ind.
(5-22-25) WW.

AL-LES 1-206.

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(d) No chaplain's report.

(e) Following are the names and addresses requested:

✓ Lynn V. Bates,
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By order of the Secretary of War:

Edward J. Christensen
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*Ms
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO ~~QM 293~~ A-C

Christensen, Edward, J. Pvt.
Co. A, 38th Inf.

May 22, 1925. 1050

SUBJECT: Investigation.

TO: The Adjutant General,
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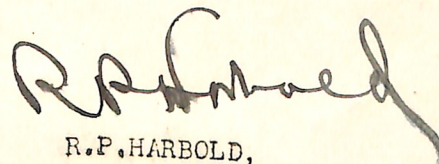
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For The Quartermaster General:

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R.P. HARBOLD,
Major, Q.M.C.,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 202 A-6

Quarters, Edward J. Post,
Co. A, 38th Inf.

May 22, 1935

SUBJECT: Investigation

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

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locate the grave of the soldier named above, it is requested that you
furnish as much of the following information as possible:

- (a) Local Board and Registration Serial Number
- (b) Any descriptive information available as to the death
and burial place
- (c) Place of birth and other vital records
- (d) Company's Adjutant's Report
- (e) Name and address of S Corporal and S Sergeant
in organization as of date of death of the soldier

For the Quartermaster General:

Approved A. O. MAJ 23 1935

R. G. ...

THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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Adjutant's Report
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Co. A, 38th Inf.

May 22, 1925

Mr. John Lund,
390 Prospect St.,
S. Amboy, N.J.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the investigations which are being conducted with a view towards locating the graves of the Unlocated World War Dead, are proving successful in many cases where sufficient identifying marks can be secured. To assist in the investigation work, it will be appreciated if you will secure, if possible, a chart from the dentist who may have performed dental work for the soldier named above, prior to enlistment. The chart should include crowns, fillings, bridges, and extractions, if any. Should you be unable to obtain a chart, kindly report which teeth you recall crowned or filled.

Any information, sketches or descriptions which you may have received from comrades or officers, regarding the death and burial of this soldier, or which you may now secure from the Local Legion Post, may be of valuable aid in locating his grave, and it will be appreciated if you will forward same to this office.

You may be assured that everything possible will be done by the Department to bring the case to a successful conclusion.

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

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- (c) Kind of grave; land marks,
- (d) A sketch, showing the burial place,
- (e) Names of those soldiers buried in adjoining graves,
- (f) Name of Chaplain conducting the burial,
- (g) Any other data which you think might assist in the identification.

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

Very truly yours,

R. P. HARBOLD,
Major, Q.M.C.,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT

PURCHASE, STORAGE, AND TRAFFIC DIVISION
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE

WASHINGTON

✓ 293
Christensen

Edward J.

2/18/22

Memorandum for

for Adm. Files

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8 AVRIL 1918

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

CHRISTENSON, 549478, Edward
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. Co. A 38th., Infantry
(Rank). (Organization).

FILE

PLACE OF DEATH: Near St. Gilles, France

CAUSE OF DEATH: Shell Fire.

DATE OF BURIAL: Unknown

PLACE OF BURIAL: Unknown

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

GRAVE NUMBER: Unknown

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Unknown
Was one buried with body?

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

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

St. Gilles (name)

78 34 SW. COORD
NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS: Unknown

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Edward Harra
Capt. 38th In

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

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RELATIONSHIP: Edward Harrah

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FROM: O. Q. M. G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room 2442

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

S-3448/MB

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A

Information requested of A.G.O.

Date

Feb. 4, 1922

File No. **16927** Registration.

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cometerial Division)

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D.C.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed. Request confirmation of all information shown.

- a. Surname **Christensen**
- b. Christian name **Edward J.**
- c. Serial Number **549478**
- d. Organization **Co. A, 38th Inf.**
- e. Rank **Pvt**
- f. Date of death **8/6/18**
- g. Cause of death **K/A**
- h. Authority (C.O.#) **252**
- i. Emergency address **John Lund**
- j. Relationship **390 Prospect St**
Friend So. Ambey, N.J.

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age of enlistment **18 yrs. 11 mos.**
- b. Color of eyes **Blue**
- c. Color of hair **Light Brown**
- d. Height **5 ft. - 11 1/4 in.**
- e. Weight **170 lbs.**
- f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

~~DENTAL CHARTS~~

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

- a. Strike out teeth missing
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| | | | | | | | | lower right | | | lower left | | | | | | |

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S. 1/4 R. Forehead
S. 6 X 1 R. Lower abdomen
S. 1/2 R. Buttock
S. 1/2 R. Ribs

H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.

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SHEET NO:
TYPED BY:

BY: *Charles J. Wynne*
Charles J. Wynne,
Captain, U.S.A.

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Archives Branch, A. G. O.

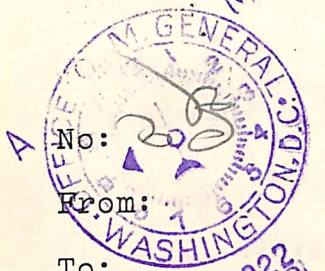
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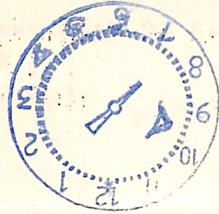
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WAR DEPARTMENT
PURCHASE, STORAGE, AND TRAFFIC DIVISION
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE
WASHINGTON



No: 200
From:
To:
Subject:

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Adj. made 4/17/20
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WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, March 22, 1920

IN REPLY 201(Christensen, Edward J) WW
REFER TO LFC-O'H-H-102

From: The Adjutant General of the Army.

To: The Quartermaster General of the Army, Washington, D.C.

Subject: Date of death of Edward J. Christensen, #549,478,
Pvt., Co. A, 38 Inf. ✓

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2. For purposes of identification, you are advised that the records show that the deceased was enlisted September 13, 1917, and the name of the person to be notified in case of emergency was given as John Lund, friend, 390 Prospect St., South Amboy, N.J. ✓

By order of the Secretary of War.

P. C. Harris
The Adjutant General
Per *CB*

FILE ✓

WAR DEPARTMENT

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON, March 28, 1920

120-0-H-R-102
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From: The Adjutant General of the Army.

To: The Quartermaster General of the Army, Washington, D.C.

Subject: Date of death of Edward J. Christensen, #342,478

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1. Upon investigation, it has been ascertained that the date of death of the above named man heretofore communicated to you, in error, was September 6, 1918 is the correct date.

2. For further identification, you are advised that the records show that the deceased was enlisted September 18, 1917, and the name of the person to be notified in case of emergency was given as John Lund, friend, 330 Prospect St., South Amboy, N.J.

By order of the Secretary of War.

The Adjutant General
For

March 22, 1920

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The Adjutant General
Per

FILE

March 22, 1920

1920-0-11-2-102
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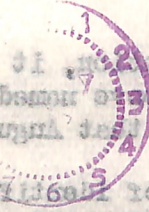
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The Adjutant General

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Classification
Adjustment

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
REGISTRATION SECTION

Date 4-17-20

MEMORANDUM:

To: Registration Files Sub-Section.

Subject: Adjustments made on Registration Files.

1. Changes as checked have been made in the Registration Files which will necessitate a corresponding change in the Classification Files.

	CORR.	ADD. DATA		CORR.	ADD. DATA
File Number			Date of Burial		
Name <u>5X8</u>	✓		Date of Reburial		
Serial Number			Burial Information		
Rank			Nearest Relative		
Organization			Notified Nearest Relative		
Cause of Death			Blue Card thrown out		
Date of Death			White Card set up		
Casualty Cablegram Number					

FILE

O.K. Alphabetical Files T.P. 4-21-20

~~O.K. Organization Files~~

~~O.K. State Files~~

Cemetery Audit Department
Investigation & Adjustment Dept.

By V.B. Brown

1 Cards attached.