

8 JUN 1948 LIST

DUPLICATE

CHECK TYPE REQUIRED  
(See Instructions attached)

- UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE
- FLAT MARBLE MARKER
- FLAT GRANITE MARKER
- BRONZE MARKER (NOTE RESTRICTIONS)

APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER

(Please make out and return in duplicate)

ENLISTMENT DATE

APR 12 - 1942

SERIAL No.

18081002

DISCHARGE DATE

PENSION No.

FLAT MARBLE

EMBLEM (Check one)

- CHRISTIAN
- HEBREW
- NONE

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

293 ALLEN, MARVIN H.

STATE

TEXAS

RANK

CPL

COMPANY

U. S. REGIMENT, STATE ORGANIZATION, AND DIVISION

USA

507 Paratroopers  
3rd Battalion

DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year)

Nov. 10 - 1942

DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Year)

JUNE 11 - 1944

NAME OF CEMETERY

Hillcrest

LOCATION (City and State)

Waxahachie, Texas

SHIP TO (I CERTIFY THE APPLICANT FOR THIS STONE HAS MADE ARRANGEMENTS WITH ME TO TRANSPORT THE STONE FROM THE FREIGHT STATION TO THE CEMETERY)

Rudolph Funeral Home, Waxahachie, Texas  
W. B. Rudolph - Owner  
(SIGNATURE OF CONSIGNEE)

NEAREST FREIGHT STATION (City and State)

Same

POST OFFICE ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

Waxahachie, Route #1

DO NOT WRITE HERE

FOR VERIFICATION

JUN 4 1948

ORDERED

B/L

SHIPPED

I certify this application is submitted for a stone for the unmarked grave of a veteran.

I hereby agree to assume all responsibility for the removal of the stone promptly upon arrival at destination, and properly place it at the decedent's grave at my expense.

Charlie B. Albin M-1027-100

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

DATE OF APPLICATION

ADDRESS (Street, City, State)

Route 1, Waxahachie, Texas.

FOR ORD. 21 JUN 1948

FILE

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the type headstone or marker requested by the applicant will be permitted at the grave.

(Be sure you have noted what type is indicated by applicant on form)

HILLCREST BURIAL PARK, INC.

*Wm. R. ...*

(Signature of superintendent, sexton, or caretaker)

Date *May 29, 1948*

16-11453-4

Return to: OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL,  
MEMORIAL DIVISION,  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

FLAT MARBLE MARKER

Below you will find a copy of the inscription taken from the OFFICIAL RECORDS as it will appear on the flat marble marker you ordered. CHECK IT CAREFULLY before the stone is manufactured. Check the INSCRIPTION, NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY. Check with CEMETERY OFFICIALS and make sure a government flat marble marker will be allowed at grave. Check NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON to whom stone is to be shipped. After you have CORRECTED ANY ERRORS, sign and return promptly in the inclosed envelope which requires no postage.

UNTIL YOU RETURN THIS SLIP THE FLAT MARBLE MARKER CANNOT BE ORDERED. DO NOT DELAY-SIGN & RETURN TODAY.

INSCRIPTION: LATIN CROSS

*Paratroopers*

MARVIN H ALLEN / TEXAS / CPL  
NOV 10 1922

INFANTRY / WORLD WAR II /  
JUNE 11 1944

SHIP TO: W R RUDOLPH, OWNER  
RUDOLPH FUNERAL HOME  
ROUTE 1  
WAXAHACHIE  
FOR: TEXAS

R. R. STATION:

R. R. STATION:

APPLICANT: CHARLIE B ALLEN  
ROUTE 1  
WAXAHACHIE  
TEXAS

CEMETERY: HILLCRE  
WAXAHACHIE  
TEXAS

JUN 11 1948

FILE 81 JUL 1948  
*M Donahue*  
*AD*

OQMG FORM  
Rev. 1 NOV. 45 312a

APPROVAL AND ACCEPTANCE

*Charlie B. Allen*  
SIGNATURE

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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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INSCRIPTION: LATIN CROSS

MARVIN H ALLEN / TEXAS / CPL  
NOV 10 1932

SHIP TO: W F RUDOLPH, OWNER  
RUDOLPH FUNERAL HOME  
ROUTE 1  
WAXAHACHIE  
FOR: TEXAS

APPLICANT: CHARLIE B ALLEN  
ROUTE 1  
WAXAHACHIE  
TEXAS

APPROVAL AND ACCEPTANCE

SIGNATURE



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# CERTIFICATE

(AR 30-1830)

W W II  
J. W. FAULDS  
Col., F. D.  
F. O. U. S. A.  
MAY 1948

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

## PART A - CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY

PAID

**A**

### REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF INTERMENT EXPENSES

(PLEASE READ EXPLANATION ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE COMPLETING FORM)

NAME OF DECEDENT	GRADE	SERIAL NUMBER	COMPONENT
ALEN MARVIN H	CPL	18081002	USAGF

**VALID**

I certify that the sum of \$ 75.00 was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the interment of the remains of the above named decedent in the below named cemetery.

INSERT NAME OF CEMETERY <u>HILLCREST BURIAL PARK</u>	CITY OR COUNTY <u>WAXAHACHIE</u>	STATE <u>TEX.</u>
<b>INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM</b> 1. Fill in as required and sign four copies. THIS FORM NOT TO BE SIGNED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR. 2. Return four copies to: DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY FORT WORTH QUARTERMASTER DEPOT FORT WORTH 1, TEXAS	SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT <u>Lo B Allen</u>	ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (City, Street or RFD, and State) <u>WAXAHACHIE ROUTE 1, TEX</u>
	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT <u>FATHER</u>	DATE <u>5-18-48</u>

## PART B - NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY

**B**

### REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES

(PLEASE READ EXPLANATION ON REVERSE SIDE BEFORE COMPLETING FORM)

NAME OF DECEDENT	GRADE	SERIAL NUMBER	COMPONENT

I certify that the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the transportation of the remains of the above named decedent from and to the following places:

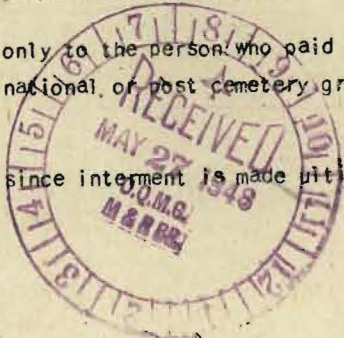
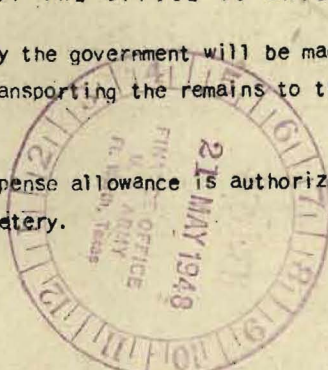
INSERT CITY OR TOWN (OR ADDRESS NOT IN A CITY OR TOWN) FROM WHICH REMAINS WERE SHIPPED	INSERT NAME AND LOCATION OF NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY TO WHICH REMAINS WERE SHIPPED
<b>INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSON SIGNING THIS FORM</b> 1. Fill in as required and sign four copies. THIS FORM NOT TO BE SIGNED BY FUNERAL DIRECTOR. 2. Return four copies to:	SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT
	ADDRESS OF CLAIMANT (City, Street or RFD, and State)
RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT	DATE

EXPLANATION OF PART A - CIVILIAN OR PRIVATE CEMETERY

1. When the remains are delivered for interment in a civilian or private cemetery, you are responsible for paying all interment expenses. In this connection, you are entitled to the allowance mentioned in paragraph 2 below.
2. An amount not to exceed \$75 is allowed by the government toward actual interment expenses when final interment of the remains is in a private or civilian cemetery. No allowance is authorized toward interment expenses when interment is in a national or post cemetery.
3. The \$75 maximum allowance by the government toward interment expenses includes but is not limited to the payment of one or more of the following items: hearse hire from the railroad station to your home, the funeral home, church, cemetery, or any other place designated by you; vault; church services; newspaper notices; transportation for friends and relatives to and from cemetery; and the services of a funeral director.
4. Reimbursement by the government is made only to the person who paid from his personal funds the expenses of or incident to interment to a private or civilian cemetery. Receipted bills are not required to accompany this form. Any expenses over and above the \$75 maximum must be borne by the person who incurred or paid the additional expenses.

EXPLANATION OF PART B - NATIONAL OR POST CEMETERY

1. When the remains are delivered to you at government expense prior to burial in a national or post cemetery, you are responsible for all additional expenses necessary to deliver the remains from that point to the national or post cemetery grave site. However, you may be entitled to an allowance for the cost of transporting the remains from your home to the national or post cemetery grave site subject to the conditions outlined in paragraph 2, below.
2. Reimbursement of transportation expenses is allowed only when the cost to the government to deliver the remains to you is LESS than what it would have cost the government to deliver the remains direct to the national or post cemetery of final interment. However, the amount which you may be allowed (the difference between cost of delivery to you and cost of delivery by the government direct to the national or post cemetery) may not exceed the amount actually expended by you to deliver the remains to the cemetery grave site. WHETHER OR NOT YOU WILL BE GRANTED AN ALLOWANCE IS DEPENDENT UPON AN AUDIT OF THIS REQUEST. IN ANY EVENT YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED OF ANY ALLOWANCE DUE YOU BY THE OFFICE TO WHICH THIS FORM IS SENT.
3. Reimbursement by the government will be made only to the person who paid from his personal funds for transporting the remains to the national or post cemetery grave site.
4. No interment expense allowance is authorized since interment is made ultimately in a national or post cemetery.



MAY 20 1948

# RECEIPT OF REMAINS

DISTRIBUTION CENTER

FORT WORTH QUARTERMASTER DEPOT FORT WORTH TEXAS

ROUTINE

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO: RUDOLPH FUNERAL HOME  
307 WEST FRANKLIN STREET  
WACAHACHIE TEXAS

REMAINS OF LATE CPL MARVIN H ALLEN SERIAL NUMBER 18081002 BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT ON TRAIN NUMBER FIVE HUNDRED SEVEN BURLINGTON ROCK ISLAND RAILROAD LEAVING FORT WORTH EIGHT ZERO FIVE AM 13 MAY AND DUE TO ARRIVE WACAHACHIE STATION NINE FORTY NINE AM RAILROAD TIME 13 MAY . REQUEST YOU MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL AND THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO NEXT OF KIN.

DUANE H HALLETT  
1ST LT., USAF

MAY 14 1948

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE REMAINS OF THE ABOVE-NAMED DECEASED

THIS 14 DAY OF APRIL 1948

*Stafford A. Downey*  
WITNESS (Escort)

*Rudolph Funeral Home*  
CONSIGNEE

*File  
not  
333 am  
18 June  
W. M. Miller  
R.H.*



DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

NY 005 R

SECTION A —  
NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER  
3508 00066

DATE  
15 11 47  
DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME <b>ALLEN MARVIN H</b>			SERIAL NUMBER <b>18081002</b>	RANK <b>CPL</b>	ARM <b>1</b>	DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR
CEMETERY <b>BLOSVILLE - CARENTAN</b>						DISPOSITION OF REMAINS <b>8500 10</b> CODE DIST. PT.
PLOT <b>S</b>	ROW <b>7</b>	GRAVE <b>138</b>	COUNTRY <b>FRANCE</b>		CAUSE OF DEATH <b>1</b>	

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE <b>RUDOLPH FUNERAL HOME 307 WEST FRANKLIN STREET WAXAHACHIE, TEXAS</b>	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN <b>MR. CHARLIE B. ALLEN (FATHER) ROUTE #1 WAXHACHIE, TEXAS</b>
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SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME <b>Allen, Marvin H.</b>	SERIAL NUMBER <b>18081002</b>	RANK <b>Cpl</b>	DATE OF DEATH <b>UTD</b>	DATE DISTINTERRED <b>8 December 1947</b>
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER	ORGANIZATION <b>USAGF</b>	RELIGION <b>Prot.</b>	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY <b>WILLIAM J. SMITH</b> 1st Lt, CE NAME AND TITLE	

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL <b>Uniform</b>	CONDITION OF REMAINS <b>Advanced decomposition</b>
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION <b>Burial Report found.</b>	

MINOR DISCREPANCIES 1  
**None.**

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET BY  
DATE **16 January 1948** BY **H. F. Pergande**

CASKET SEALED BY  
**H. F. Pergande** EMBALMER (Signature)

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED  
DATE **16 Jan 48** BY **H. B. Ryder Jr.** SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY  
**JOHN Palyok Jr., 1st Lt, FA**

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

**JOHN Palyok Jr., 1st Lt, FA**  
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

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

# RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

## 1. SHIPPED

FROM <b>USMC Blosville, France</b>		TO <b>Casketing Point A, Cherbourg, France</b>	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE <b>Truck</b>		NAME OF CONVOYER <b>Tech 4 Bennie P. Kovalski</b>	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>W. T. Dingley</i> <b>W. T. DINGLEY, Capt, OMC</b>	DATE <b>10 Jan 48</b>	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>John Palyok Jr</i> <b>JOHN PALYOK JR, 1st Lt, FA</b>	DATE <b>10 Jan 48</b>

## 2. SHIPPED

FROM <b>Casketing Point A, Cherbourg, France</b>		TO <b>Port Unit, Cherbourg, France</b>	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE <b>Truck</b>		NAME OF CONVOYER <i>William Lachy</i>	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>John Palyok Jr</i> <b>JOHN PALYOK JR, 1st Lt, FA</b>	DATE <b>10 Jan 48</b>	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>John E. Hendry Jr</i> <b>JOHN E. HENDRY JR, Maj, CAC</b>	DATE <b>10 Jan 48</b>

## 3. SHIPPED

FROM <b>Port Unit Cherbourg</b>		TO <b>NYPOE</b>	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE <b>USAT MC CARLEY</b>		NAME OF CONVOYER <b>Robert V. Schneider 1st Lt TC</b>	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>John E. Hendry Jr</i> <b>John E. Hendry Jr, Major CAC</b>	DATE <b>10 Mar 48</b>	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>Robert V. Schneider</i>	DATE <b>10 Mar 48</b>

## 4. SHIPPED

FROM <b>NYPOE</b>		TO <b>NYPOE</b>	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER <i>William Lachy</i>	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>L. McKinnon</i> <b>COLONEL, T. G.</b>	DATE <b>APR 5 1948</b>

## 5. SHIPPED

FROM <b>NYPOE</b>		TO <b>NYPOE</b>	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE <b>PLAN</b>		NAME OF CONVOYER <i>Woodward</i>	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>L. McKinnon</i> <b>COLONEL, T. G.</b>	DATE <b>APR 10 1948</b>	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>H. C. Saunders</i> <b>H. C. SAUNDERS, Capt, OMC</b>	DATE <b>4-13-48</b>

## 6. SHIPPED

FROM <b>2 1 138 FRANCE</b>		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>CVBERLVI</i>	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

## 7. SHIPPED

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

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable symbol above or preceding the address.

# WESTERN UNION

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JOSEPH L. EGAN  
PRESIDENT

SYMBOLS

- DL = Day Letter
- NL = Night Letter
- LC = Deferred Cable
- NLT = Cable Night Letter
- Ship Radiogram

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D.WH25 25 GOVT COLLECT=WAXAHACHIE TEX 29 119P

DUANE H HALLETT 1ST LT AC=

QUARTERMASTER DEPOT FTW=

THIS IS TO CONFIRM ORIGINAL INSTRUCTION TO DELIVER REMAINS OF THE LATE MARVIN H ALLEN TO RUDOLPH FUNERAL HOME

307 WEST FRANKLIN WAXAHACHIE TEX=

CHARLIE B ALLEN.

307.

NY 005 R

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

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# MESSAGEFORM

MESSAGE CENTER No.	TRANSMITTING MEANS	CRYPTOGRAPH OR CLEAR TEXT NY 005 R
CALLS V	STA. SER. No. NR	PRECEDENCE
TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS DAY LETTER		ORIGINATOR
DATE-TIME GROUP		GROUP COUNT GR
ACTION	INFORMATION	EXEMPT OPERATING SIGNALS

SPACE ABOVE FOR SIGNAL CENTER ONLY

FROM (Originator) Ft. Worth Quartermaster Depot, Ft. Worth 1, Tex

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**ACTION TO:**

- MR. CHARLIE B. ALLEN, DLR AND REPORT ANY CHARGES
- ROUTE I
- WAXAHACHIE, TEXAS

PRECEDENCE FOR	
ACTION	INFORMATION
<input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL MESSAGE	
REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE	
IDENTIFICATION	CLASSIFICATION

**INFORMATION TO:**

THIS HEADQUARTERS HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT THE REMAINS OF LATE  
**CPL. MARVIN H. ALLEN** ARE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES.  
 RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE INDICATE YOU WISH REMAINS DELIVERED TO  
**RUDOLPH FUNERAL HOME, 307 WEST FRANKLIN STREET WAXAHACHIE TEXAS**  
 PLEASE INSTRUCT FUNERAL DIRECTOR TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT RAILROAD STATION UPON  
 ARRIVAL. WE REGRET IT IS NOT POSSIBLE AT THIS TIME TO GIVE YOU A DEFINITE  
 DELIVERY DATE HOWEVER THREE DAYS PRIOR TO SHIPMENT FROM THIS DEPOT YOUR  
 FUNERAL DIRECTOR WILL BE NOTIFIED BY TELEGRAM OF RAIL ROUTING AND SCHEDULED  
 TIME REMAINS WILL ARRIVE AT RAILROAD STATION. HE WILL BE REQUESTED TO PASS  
 THIS INFORMATION TO YOU SO THAT YOU MAKE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS. REMAINS  
 WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT. WITHIN 48 HOURS OF DATE OF THIS  
 MESSAGE PLEASE CONFIRM BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO FORT WORTH QUARTERMASTER DEPOT  
 ABOVE DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS OR SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS. PLEASE BE  
 ADVISED THAT IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO COMPLY AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE WITH  
 ANY DESIRED CHANGES IN DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE EXPIRATION  
 OF THE 48 HOUR PERIOD. YOUR PROMPT COOPERATION WILL GREATLY ASSIST THIS  
 OFFICE IN MAKING FINAL DELIVERY. IF YOU SHOULD DESIRE MILITARY HONORS AT

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FROM: (Originator)

ACTION TO:

INFORMATION TO:

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION	
ACTION	PRECEDENCE FOR INFORMATION
<input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL MESSAGE	
REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE IDENTIFICATION	CLASSIFICATION

FUNERAL YOU SHOULD ASK ANY LOCAL PATRIOTIC OR VETERANS ORGANIZATION TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS. PLEASE INCLUDE FULL NAME OF DECEASED IN REPLY TELEGRAM.

DUANE H. HALLETT  
1st Lt., A. C.

MAR 29 1948

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INSPECTION CHECKLIST  
(FOR USE AT OVERSEAS PORT, U.S. PORT, AND DISTRIBUTION CENTER)

NAME ALLEN MARVIN, H		RANK CPL	SERIAL NUMBER 18081002 <span style="color: red; font-size: 1.2em;">44-317</span>
SOURCE USMC BLOSVILLE - CARENTAN FRANCE		CONSIGNEE RUDOLPH FUNERAL HOME 307 WEST FRANKLIN STREET, WAXAHACHIE, TEXAS	
SHIPPING CASE - General Appearance (Check ONLY Discrepancies)		CONDITION OF SHIPPING CASE (Check one)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY			
FINISH (Exterior)		REMARKS	
FINISH (Interior)			
HANDLES			
HANDLE BOLTS			
STENCILING - NAMEPLATE			
HEALTH PERMIT MARKER			
HEALTH PERMIT NUMBER			
CASKET - General Appearance (Check ONLY Discrepancies)		CONDITION OF CASKET (Check one)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY			
FINISH (Exterior)		REMARKS	
HANDLES AND FASTENINGS			
STENCILING - NAMEPLATE			
CAM LOCKS (Sealing)			
ODOR OR MOISTURE			
ROUTED THROUGH			
<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY OPERATING ROOM		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REPAIR SHOP	
CONDITION OF REMAINS		CASKET REPAIRED	
<input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
NECESSARY DISINFECTION (Explain)		CASKET EXCHANGED	
		<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
		SHIPPING CASE REPAIRED	
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
		SHIPPING CASE EXCHANGED	
		<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	
		REMARKS	
TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF MORTICIAN	SIGNATURE OF INSPECTOR
			1430 56-48 <i>Stanley P. McCarty</i>
REMARKS			

DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) <i>ALLEN, MARVIN H.</i>	GRADE <i>CPL.</i>	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER <i>18 081 002</i>
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ORGANIZATION <i>HQ &amp; HQ Co. 3<sup>rd</sup> BN 507<sup>th</sup> PARA. INF.</i>	RACE <i>WHITE</i>	CREED <i>PROTESTANT</i>	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)
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DATE OF DEATH/MIA <i>11 JUNE '44</i>	CAUSE OF DEATH <i>KILLED IN ACTION</i>	PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA <i>FRANCE</i>
DATE OF FOD		

HEIGHT <i>7 1/2</i>	WEIGHT <i>180</i>	COLOR EYES <i>BLUE</i>	COLOR HAIR <i>BROWN</i>	SHOE SIZE <i>10 1/2 D</i>
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DENTAL CHART

*12 APR. 1942*

UPPER RIGHT

<i>X</i>	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
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UPPER LEFT

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	<i>X</i>
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LOWER RIGHT

<i>X</i>	15	14	13	12	11	10	9
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LOWER LEFT

9	10	11	12	13	14	15	<i>X</i>
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X=Extracted

O=Carious

1=Carious Non-Restorable

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS

*NONE*

TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK

*NONE*

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION *BORN: 9 NOV. 1922*

*VAT  
Zim*

MAY 3 1948

*a.c. me*

*Ident. Br*

AIR MAIL

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OQMS (European)

1st Ind

Dept. of the Army, OQMS, Washington 25, D. C., 5 May 1948

TO: Commanding General, American Graves Registration Command  
European Area, APO 58, c/o Postmaster, New York, New York

Inclosed herewith are OQMS Form 371 in duplicate, with dental  
information requested on personnel listed in basic communication.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

11 Incls (in dup)  
1-2 OQMS Form 371  
3-11 OQMS Form 371  
w/photo attach.

T. H. MEZE  
Lt. Colonel, OQMS  
Memorial Division

AIR MAIL

X293  
Allen, Marvin H. 1808/002



# REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

DATE:

Cpl. Marvin H. Allen, 18 081 002  
 Plot 8, Row 7, Grave 138,  
 United States Military Cemetery  
 Elouville, France

22 September 1947

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**DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE**

**NOTE.**—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.

If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

## PART I

I, Charlie Berry Allen

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

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

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

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS.
2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

Hillcrest Cemetery Waxahachie, Texas  
 (NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

3. BE RETURNED TO \_\_\_\_\_, THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT \_\_\_\_\_  
 (FOREIGN COUNTRY) (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT \_\_\_\_\_  
 (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)

(Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)

- YES  NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

The name etc is correct

*AD proc. 18 NOV. 47*

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**PART I (Continued)**

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral certificates desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)		

OR

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
W. R. Rudolph, Rudolph Funeral Home			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
307 W. Franklin St.,	Waxahachie, Texas	Ellis	Texas
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.	
Waxahachie, Texas	Waxahachie, Texas	99	

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

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
Allen	Minnie	Marjorie	Mother
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
Route # 1	Waxahachie	Ellis	Texas

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

None

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

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

Charlie Berry Allen (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)      Route # 1 (STREET AND NUMBER)  
Charlie Berry Allen (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)      Waxahachie, Texas (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 6 day of October, 1947, at city (or town) of Waxahachie, county of Ellis, and State (or Territory or District) of Texas

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

J. Foy Couch  
 (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)  
Notary Public for Ellis County, Texas  
 (OFFICIAL TITLE)  
J. Foy Couch

**PART II—RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY**

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE \_\_\_\_\_, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED  
(PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP)  
NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.  
THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

_____	_____ (DATE)
(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)	(STREET AND NUMBER)
_____	_____
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	(CITY AND STATE)

**PART III**

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

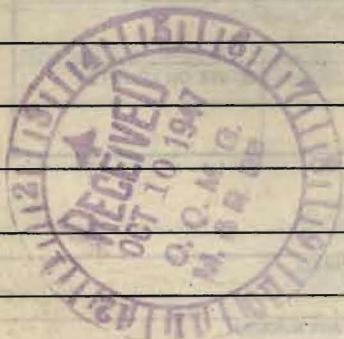
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

_____	_____ (DATE)
(SIGNATURE)	(STREET AND NUMBER)
_____	_____
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	(CITY AND STATE)

ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

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

RECORDS BRANCH  
Oct 10 6 58 PM '17  
MEMORIAL DIVISION



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
Office of The Quartermaster General  
Washington 25, D. C.

In reply refer

to

3 November 1947

~~QMG 293~~

Allen, Marvin H.

SH 18 081 002

SUBJECT: Personal Effects of

the late Corporal Marvin H. Allen

TO : Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot  
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri  
ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

For necessary action.

The remains of Corporal Allen were originally buried in an isolated grave and information is not of record as to whether any personal effects were found on his body. 293 makes no mention of personal effects.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL LARKIN:

1 Incl:  
Undtd ltr fr Mrs. C. B. Allen

for  
Maj. G. B. KEGLEY, Lt. Col., QMG  
Major, QMC  
Field Service Division

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Dear Sir:

Do they really no  
whos body they are sending  
back home when they send  
them.

Our son was reported  
missing 6 mo. before they  
claimed to no he was killed  
Will they actually no they  
are sending his body home.

He was a 507 paratrooper  
in the invasion of Normandy.

<sup>he was</sup>  
CPL Morris H. Allen, 18081082

<sup>293</sup>  
he was supposed to be buried  
at Plot S, Row 7, Grave 138  
Blossville, France.

We never did received



any of his things I  
have tried ever thing I  
no + I cannot get  
any satisfactory about  
him or his things.

Please answer this & let  
me no if you can.

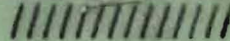
Just worried mother.

Mrs C. B. Allen  
Waxahachie Tex.  
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY



OSGMP 293  
Allen, Marvin H.  
SN 18 081 003

28 October 1947

Mrs. C. B. Allen  
Route #1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

Your letter pertaining to the remains of your son, the late Corporal Marvin H. Allen, has come to my attention.

I wish to inform you that your son was identified by his individual pay record. Every precaution is taken to preserve the completed identification of our heroic dead.

Whenever removal and reburial elsewhere becomes necessary, all records and evidence of identity are again exhaustively examined under the direct supervision and control of especially trained military personnel. Thus, the positive identity of the remains is carefully and accurately verified and constantly preserved.

Your inquiry concerning the personal effects of your son will be the subject of a further communication.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COMBS  
Major, OMC  
Memorial Division

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at 4 18 PM '47  
C. O. M. G.  
& RECORDS BRANCH

cc: Mr. Arrowsmith

CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Mr.  
Miss.  
Addressee: Mrs. C. B. Allen Mother  
Relationship  
State Route #1  
City, State Waxahachie, Texas '47  
Date letter  
Cemetery  
Temporary: \_\_\_\_\_  
Permanent: \_\_\_\_\_  
Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

Decedent:

ALLEN  
Last  
MARVIN  
First  
#  
Initial  
RANK  
ASN  
18081002

PARAGRAPHS  
(sequence)

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Analyst Typist Reviewer Modifications OKed

WAR DEPARTMENT *of the Army*  
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

1	NAME OR TITLE Chief, Memorial Division, CQMG Room 2035, Tempo B Building	INITIALS JEJ	CIRCULATE
	ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION Washington, D.C.	DATE	CONCURRENCE
2			FILE
			INFORMATION
3			NECESSARY ACTION
			NOTE AND RETURN
4			SEE ME
			SIGNATURE
REMARKS			
Forwarded for your attention.			
1 Inclosure Ltr undated			
<i>Ass. Chief Clerk</i>			
FROM NAME OR TITLE Pers Ac Br. I & C Unit Cas Sec		DATE 8 Oct '47	
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION JEJ 5E 773 The Pentagon		TELEPHONE 4653	

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Cpl. Marvin H. Allen, 18 081 002  
Plot B, Row 7, Grave 138,  
United States Military Cemetery  
Blosville, France

22 September 1947

Mr. Charlie Allen  
Route #1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mr. Allen:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN  
Major General  
The Quartermaster General

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QMGMF 293  
Allen, Marvin H.  
SN 18 081 002

Address Reply To  
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
Attention: Memorial Division

21 May 1947

Mrs. C. B. Allen  
Route Number One  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

We thank you for your letter concerning your son, the late Corporal  
Marvin H. Allen.

The Official Report of Burial discloses that the remains of your son  
were interred in Plot S, Row 7, Grave 138, in the United States Military  
Cemetery, Elosville, France, located twenty-five miles southeast of Cher-  
bourg, France.

Our continued sympathy is with you in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMES  
Major, QMC  
Memorial Division

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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

MAY 21  
MEMORIAL DIVISION  
RECORDS  
BRANCH  
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MAIL ROOM

Dear Sir:

We had a fire &  
lost all records of our  
son cemetery & all.

Please send us some  
information such as  
the name & location of  
the cemetery, number  
of plot, row & grave.

his name was

Warrin Hubert Allen 1889 1002

he was in 507 paratroopers.

He was in the invasion of France  
& was killed the 11 of June in Normandy.

Thank you very much. his mother.

Mrs C. B. Allen

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CORRESPONDENCE ACTION WORK SHEET

Send Letter to MRS. C. B. Allen Mother  
Relationship  
Route #1

ADDRESS Waxahachie, Texas

Army Serial Number 18 081 002 Rank Cpl.

OPENING PARAGRAPH: (62-1) 62-2 62-3 62-4

BURIAL INFORMATION: (6) 6A 7 8 9 10 10A 11 12 12A 13 13A  
14 14A 14B 15 16 17 20 21 22 22B

Temp. Cem. 5 7 138 USMC Blossville France  
Perm. Cem. Plot Row Grave Name of Cem. City and Country

RETURN OF REMAINS: 78 79 81 82

OTHER PARAGRAPHS 23 24 26 27 28 29 30 35 36 40 41 42  
43 51 53 54 55 56 57 58 58A 60 61 63A  
63B 65 65A 65B 65C 65D 66 67 68 68A 69 70  
73 74 76 84 85

INDORSEMENTS: To AG (47 71) To Ch of Chap (48 71)  
To Other Agencies: (71)

PERSONAL EFFECTS: 50 64

SUSPEND \_\_\_\_\_ days

Copy of letter to AGO and Identification Section\*

TEMPORARY CHANGE OF ADDRESS \* \* PERMANENT CHANGE OF ADDRESS  
BUCK SLIP TO RECORDS SECTION  
COPY TO ADJUTANT GENERAL

Dates of Letters for which Copies are Necessary to AAF:

OTHER:

CLOSING PARAGRAPH: (62-5) Regret Delay \*

Gary Jew  
Letter to be Dated Analyst Typist Reviewer

\* Note: Circle paragraph numbers and/or starred phrases that are applicable.

NAME OF DECEASED

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

MIDDLE INITIAL

Allen, Maxine A.

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23 September 1946

Mr. Charlie Allen  
Route #1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mr. Allen:

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The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your son, the late Corporal Marvin H. Allen, A.S.N. 18 081 002.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the United States Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France, Plot S, Row 7, Grave 138. You may be assured that the identification and interment have been accomplished with fitting dignity and solemnity.

This cemetery is located twenty-five miles southeast of Cherbourg, France, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

The War Department has now been authorized to comply, at Government expense, with the feasible wishes of the next of kin regarding final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your loved one. At a later date, this office will, without any action on your part, provide the next of kin with full information and solicit his detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN  
Major General  
The Quartermaster General

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MAIL & RECORDS SECTION  
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**DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED**

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) <i>293</i> <b>ALLEN, MARVIN H.</b>		GRADE <b>CPL.</b>	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER <b>18-081002</b>
ORGANIZATION <del>Hq. F.A.G. Co.</del> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> BN 507<sup>th</sup> PRCHT. INF</b>		RACE <b>WHITE</b>	CREED <b>PROTESTANT</b>
DATE OF DEATH/MIA <b>11 JUNE '44</b>		CAUSE OF DEATH <b>KILLED IN ACTION</b>	PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA <b>FRANCE</b>
DATE OF FOD			
HEIGHT <b>71 1/2</b>	WEIGHT <b>180</b>	COLOR EYES <b>BLUE</b>	COLOR HAIR <b>BROWN</b>
			SHOE SIZE <b>10 1/2 D.</b>

INDUCTION DENTAL CHART DATE **12 APR. 42**

UPPER RIGHT <b>X</b> 7 6 5 4 3 2 1	UPPER LEFT 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 <b>X</b>
LOWER RIGHT <b>X</b> 15 14 13 12 11 10 9	LOWER LEFT 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 <b>X</b>

**X = Extracted      O = Carious      1 = Carious Non-Restorable**

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS <b>NONE</b>	TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK <b>NONE</b>
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION **BORN: 9 NOV. 1922**



DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)		GRADE	PARENT SERIAL NUMBER
ORGANIZATION		RACE	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (if applicable)
DATE OF DEATH	CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OR DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA	
DATE OF BOD			
HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR EYES	COLOR HAIR
		SHOE SIZE	

INDUCTION DENTAL CHART DATE

UPPER RIGHT	UPPER LEFT
8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
LOWER RIGHT	LOWER LEFT
16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9	9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

X = Extracted      0 = Casted      1 = Crown Non-Restorable

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS	TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION



SPQYG 293  
Allen, Marvin H.  
18 081 002

12 October 1945

Mrs. C. B. Allen  
Route #1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

Reference is made to your letter requesting information concerning your son, the late Corporal Marvin H. Allen.

The official report of interment received in this office reveals that the remains of your son were interred in the United States Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France, Plot S, Row 7, Grave 138. This cemetery is located approximately twenty miles northwest of St. Lo, twenty-four miles southeast of Cherbourg and five miles north and slightly west of Carentan, all in France.

In view of the fact that the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, has been designated to receive and ship the personal effects of deceased personnel overseas, a copy of your letter has been forwarded to that office for direct reply. This action has been taken in order to expedite reply and eliminate duplication of effort.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your son.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN  
Major, QMC  
Assistant

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HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES

MEMO RECEIVING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

	NAME OR TITLE	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	INITIALS
				DATE
1	EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU			
2	KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI			
3				

For necessary action.

PIERCE

Orig. fwd. to K. C. by this office, GIB

2- Incl.  
Cy ltr dtd October  
Cy ltr e/d

*ask*

FROM:	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
	J. K.			12 Oct 45
MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION BRANCH, TEMPO "C" WASHINGTON 25, D. C.				TELEPHONE

W. D., A. G. O. Form 6115  
1 October 1944

This Form supersedes W. D., A. G. O. Form 6115, 23 March 1944,  
which may be used until existing stocks are exhausted.

25-37607-6250



Dear Sir:

I am trying to find  
out where my so was buried.  
He was killed June 11. 44, in  
Normandy France. his name.  
Cpl. <sup>223</sup> Marrin Hubert Allen 18081002  
H.Q.S. Co. 3rd. B.N. 507 Parach. Inf. APO. 514  
New York.

Will you please tell me where he  
is buried & if you can tell me  
why I havent received his  
personal things I havent  
received any thing only that  
he was killed that date.

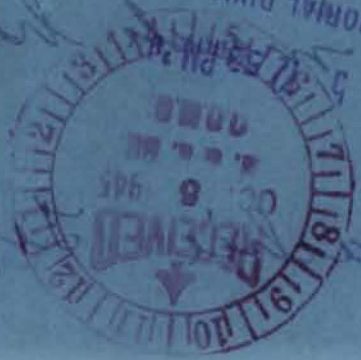
He was missing 6 mo.  
Thank you so much. his mother.

Mrs C. B. Allen  
P. 1 Wapakoneta Texas.

Dear Sir:  
 I am trying to find  
 out where you are buried.  
 It was killed from H. H. in  
 Formosa, France. His name  
 Capt. William Herbert Allen 18081003  
 H.P. 2. Co. 2nd B. K. 501 Parach. Regt. A.P.O. 514  
 New York.

Will you please tell me when he  
 is buried & if you can tell me  
 why a burial record was  
 forwarded through the  
 nearest army office only that  
 he was killed that date.

MEMORIAL DIVISION  
 OCT 6 9 45 AM '45  
 GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION  
 Mrs. C. H. Allen  
 1. A. 1



**REPORT OF BURIAL**

TM 10-630 AND AR 50-1815  
**REBURIAL**

39524  
18 July 1944  
Date

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Allen Marvin H. Pfc 18081002  
Serial No.

Unknown 507 Para Inf Regt Unknown  
Organization

France Unknown 11 JUNE 1944 KIA  
Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death

17 July 1944 (Reinterred) Blossville France  
Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location

138 7 S Peg  
Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes  No  Attached to Marker Yes  No

If No Identification Tags  
How were remains identified? IDENTIFIED BY SOLDIERS INDIVIDUAL PAY RECORD

DISINTERRED FROM COORD: 422:778

Identification accepted 9-23-46  
What means of identification were buried with the body? a m Coffin

GRS FORM # 1

To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on: Sass, Peter (NMI) 13125064 Pvt 101st A/B Div 139  
Deceased's Right: Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Deceased's Left: Maxwell, Lowell C. O-1321322 Officer 82nd A/B Div 137  
Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Signature or Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.



If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

Emergency Addressee Unknown

Address

Religion Unknown

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same:

NONE

**REBURIAL**

Previously buried in isolated grave located at

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

F. A. GREGOLICH Verified by G.R.S. Officer  
Capt., QMC

Ine #1

# DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

Take Fingerprints of Both Hands. If unable to obtain a complete set of Fingerprints, Take Those You Can, and fill in the following:

- |                |                          |
|----------------|--------------------------|
| Height:        | Laundry Marks:           |
| Weight:        | Number of Rifle:         |
| Color of Eyes: | Wear Glasses?            |
| Color of Hair: | Is Tooth Chart Attached? |
| Race:          |                          |

(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart, if no medical personnel present, fill in a tooth chart below.) In space below, locate, and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc.

Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc.:

Left Hand

2

1

Thumb

Right Hand

2

1

Thumb

## TOOTH CHART

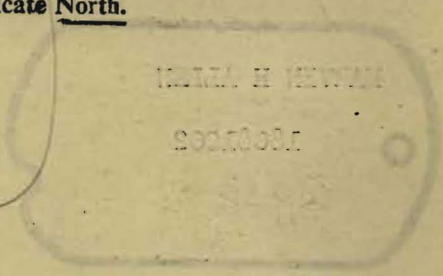
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Other Data: \_\_\_\_\_

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 11 Nov 1944

FULL NAME <u>Allen, Marvin H.</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <u>18 081 002</u>		GRADE <u>Cpl.</u>									
HOME ADDRESS <u>Waxahachie, Texas</u>		ARM OR SERVICE <u>Infantry</u>		DATE OF BIRTH <u>9 Nov 1922</u>									
PLACE OF DEATH <u>European Area</u>		CAUSE OF DEATH <u>Killed in action</u>		DATE OF DEATH <u>11 June 44</u>									
STATION OF DECEASED <u>European Area</u>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <u>12 Apr 1942</u>		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES									
				YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS							
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)  <u>Mrs. Marjorie Allen, mother, Rt. #1, Waxahachie, Texas</u>													
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Marjorie Allen, mother, Rt. #1, Waxahachie, Texas</u> <u>Mr. Charlie Allen, father, same as mother's.</u>													
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
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ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

\*Jump Status.

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 11 June 44, until such absence was terminated on 7 November 44, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from the Commanding General of The European Area.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

*James W. Rankart*  
ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

REPORT OF DEATH

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ADJUTANT GENERAL

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

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—BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

NAME				SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE
ALLEN MARVIN H				18081002	CPL	INF	ETO
PLACE OF CASUALTY		DATE OF CASUALTY			FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	TYPE OF CASUALTY	SHIPMENT NUMBER
FRANCE		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	J	MIA	141

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING PERSON AS THE ONE TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND THE OFFICIAL TELEGRAPHIC AND LETTER NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE SENT TO THIS PERSON. THE RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, IS SHOWN BELOW. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT NECESSARILY THE NEXT-OF-KIN OR RELATIVE DESIGNATED TO BE PAID SIX MONTHS' PAY GRATUITY IN CASE OF DEATH

MR.-MRS.-MISS—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST NAME	RELATIONSHIP	DATE NOTIFIED
Mrs Marjorie Allen	Mother	3 Aug 44 lkt
NO. AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE		
Route Number One Waxahachie Texas		

REMARKS:

CORRECTED COPY



ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED  FORM 43  AG 201 REQ

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED  OR CHARGED TO  DATE

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO  YES  (AS INDICATED BELOW):

FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	TYPE	DATE AND AREA	E. A. NOTIFIED

FORWARDED TO  SPEC. IDEN.  TELEGRAM  WOUNDED  LETTER  CORRES.  S. R. & D.  CERTIF.  M. & M.  NON-DEL.

REPORT NOT VERIFIED  NO FORM 43  NO CAS. BR. FILE  CHECKED BY  REVIEWED BY

THIS SPACE FOR USE OF MACHINE RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.

ACCT. AREA	CASUALTY STATUS	ORIGINAL CAS. DATE			MESSAGE NO.	LATEST CAS. DATE			REFERENCE AREA	CREW POS.	RESIDENCE		COMP	RACE											
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MEM/KD/fkw  
18 November 1947

Mrs. C. B. Allen  
Route #1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

A copy of your letter to The Quartermaster General concerning your son, Corporal Marvin H. Allen, has just been referred to this Bureau for reply, relative to his personal effects.

Our records do not indicate that any property for Corporal Allen has been received at this Bureau. There is on file here a report from his last organization which indicates that none of his property was left in the unit area prior to his entering combat. I cannot give you any information concerning property which your son may have had in his possession at the time of casualty, since none has been received here; however, it is very unlikely that any effects were recovered.

I fully realize your desire in wanting to obtain any property which belonged to your son, and sincerely wish I were able to render a more favorable reply.

Sincerely yours,

M. E. MOHR  
Major, QMC  
Effects Quartermaster



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
Office of The Quartermaster General  
Washington 25, D. C.

In reply refer

3 November 1947

to QMGOD 293

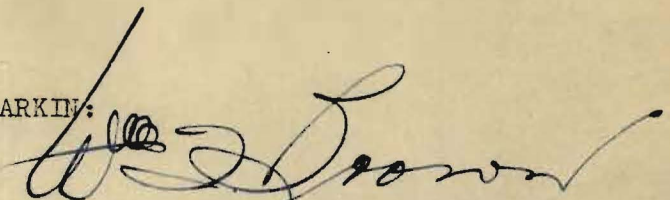
Allen, Marvin H.  
SN 18 081 002

SUBJECT: Personal Effects of **the late Corporal Marvin H. Allen**

TO : Commanding Officer, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot  
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri  
ATTENTION: Effects Quartermaster

For necessary action. The remains of Corporal Allen were originally buried in an isolated grave and information is not of record as to whether any personal effects were found on his body. 293 makes no mention of personal effects.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL LARKIN:



WM. T. BROWN, Lt. Col., QMC  
for GUY B. KEGLEY  
Major, QMC  
Field Service Division

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Undtd ltr fr Mrs. C. B. Allen

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ALLAN WILSON  
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ALLAN WILSON, late Corporal, U.S. Army

ALLAN WILSON, late Corporal, U.S. Army  
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

The remains of Corporal Allan Wilson were  
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MAIL & RECORDS SECTION

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Listed by Mrs. C. E. Wilson

COPY

Dear Sir:

Do they really no whos body they are sending back home when they send them.

Our son was reported missing 6 mo. before they claimed to no he was killed. Will they actually no they are sending his body home. He was a 507 paratrooper in the invasion of Normandy. He was Cpl. Marvin H. Allen, 18,081,002 he was supposed to be buried at Plot S, Row 7, Grave 138, Blossville, France. We never did receive any of his things. I have tried ever thing I no & I cannot get any satisfactory about him are his things.

Please answer this & let me no if you can.

Just worried mother.

/s/ MRS. C. B. ALLEN

Waxahachie, Texas

Route 1

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Dear Sir:

Do they really no when body they are sending back from when they send

them.

Our son was reported missing 8 mo. before they claimed to no he was  
killed. Will they actually no they are sending his body home. He was a  
Boy Scoutmaster in the invasion of Normandy. He was Sgt. Marvin H. Allen.  
18,081,000 he was supposed to be buried at Plot B, Row V, Grave 138, Bioso-  
ville, France. We never did receive any of his things. I have filed every  
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Please answer this & let me no if you can.

Just worried mother.

Ms/ Mrs. C. B. Allen

Waxahatchie, Texas

Route 1

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MEM/WC/ar  
22 October 1946

Mrs. C. B. Allen  
Route 1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

This is in reference to your letter of recent date concerning personal property of your son, Corporal Marvin H. Allen.

As you were informed previously, our records show no receipt of any personal effects marked as belonging to your son.

Since he was an Infantryman, likely he carried all his belongings on his person. As he was first reported Missing in action, apparently nothing in his possession at the time of the casualty was found.

In spite of precautions, it was sometimes impossible to recover personal property in battle areas because of severity and inevitable confusion of combat operations or the presence of enemy souvenir hunters prior to the time the United States military personnel could reach the scene and find, identify and safeguard the property.

I realize and appreciate your keen desire to receive the personal effects of your loved one, and sincerely regret the fact of their non-receipt.

Yours very truly,

M. E. MOER  
Major, OMC  
Asst. Effects Quartermaster

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Dear Sir:

I am writing you to see if you can tell me something about my son who got killed in the invasion of Normandy June 11.

We havent ever received any thing of his they just said he got killed, why havent we received his things. he was Cpl. Marvin Hubert Allen  
1888/1882

HQS. Co. 3rd. BN. 507 Parach. INF.

Hoping you can tell me something, his mother.

Mrs C. B. Allen  
Waxahachie Tex.  
A. I.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
KANSAS CITY, MO.  
OCT 11 1946

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES

MEMO ROUTING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

	NAME OR TITLE	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	INITIALS
				DATE
1	EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		
2	KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI			
3				

For necessary action.



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Cy ltr e/d

FROM:	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
	J. K.			12 Oct 45
	MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION BRANCH, TEMPO "C" WASHINGTON 25, D. C.			TELEPHONE

W. D., A. G. O. Form 0115  
1 October 1944

This Form supersedes W. D., A. G. O. Form 0115, 23 March 1944,  
which may be used until existing stocks are exhausted.

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INQUIRY CLAIM

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Dear Sir:

I am trying to find out where my son was buried. He was killed June 11, 44 in Normandy France. his name Cpl. Marvin Hubert Allen 18081002 H.Q.S. Co. 3rd B. N. 507 Parcht. Inf. APO 514 New York Will you please tell me where he is buried & if you can tell me why I haven't received his personal things I havent received any thing only that he was killed that date.

He was missing 6 mo.

Thank you so much his mother

/s/ Mrs. C. B. Allen

R. 1 Waxahachie, Texas

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\s/ Mrs. C. E. Allen

R. I Waxhatche, Texas

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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OCT 15 1945

SPQYG 293  
Allen, Marvin H.  
18 OBI 002

12 October 1945

Mrs. C. B. Allen  
Route #1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

Reference is made to your letter requesting information concerning your son, the late Corporal Marvin H. Allen.

The official report of interment received in this office reveals that the remains of your son were interred in the United States Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France, Plot S, Row 7, Grave 138. This cemetery is located approximately twenty miles northwest of St. Lo, twenty-four miles southeast of Cherbourg and five miles north and slightly west of Carentan, all in France.

In view of the fact that the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, has been designated to receive and ship the personal effects of deceased personnel overseas, a copy of your letter has been forwarded to that office for direct reply. This action has been taken in order to expedite reply and eliminate duplication of effort.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your son.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. PRENN  
Major, QMC  
Assistant

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18 OCT 1945  
ALLAN, HARVIN H.  
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12 October 1945

Mr. C. E. Allen  
House #1  
Washburn, Kansas

Dear Mr. Allen:

Reference is made to your letter requesting information concerning your son, the late Corporal Harvin H. Allen.

The official report of information received in this office reveals that the remains of your son were interred in the United States Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France, Plot 5, Row 7, Grave 138. This cemetery is located approximately twenty miles northwest of St. Lo, twenty-four miles southeast of Cherbourg and five miles north and slightly west of Carantou, all in France.

In view of the fact that the Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quarter-master Depot, 601 Broadway Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, has been designated to receive and ship the personal effects of deceased personnel overseas, a copy of your letter has been forwarded to that office for direct reply. This action has been taken in order to expedite reply and eliminate duplication of effort.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your son.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. FURBER  
Major, GIC  
Assistant



OCT 15 1945

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RTB:KD:wa  
October 17, 1945

Mrs. C. B. Allen  
Route # 1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

This acknowledges your recent letter relative to the personal effects of your son, Corporal Marvin H. Allen.

We have carefully checked our records and regret to state that we have not received any information regarding his belongings.

All War Department agencies are under instruction to send the personal effects of military personnel to the Army Effects Bureau for disposition. In view of this fact, and due to the lapse of time it is unlikely that any of his effects were recovered.

Anticipating your disappointment, I am sorry to convey this report; however, please be assured if we later receive any information regarding his belongings you will be promptly notified.

Yours very truly,

HARRY NIEMIEC  
2nd Lt., QMC  
Chief, Correspondence Branch

INQUIRY CLERK

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Wax. Tex.  
Nov. 9. 45

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Dear Sir:

I am writing to see if you can help me find my sons personal things we havent even received a thing of his & I wish he had something of his own.

He was.

~~was~~ Cpl. Morris Hubert Allen

18081002

A.P.S. Co 3rd. B.N. 507 Pacht. Inf.

APO. 514 2/6 P.M. New York, N.Y.

He was killed June 11. 44

in the invasion of France

in Normandy.

Right after he was killed they said they would send his personal things but

information later & we  
have waited & we  
have not received any  
thing. I do hope you  
can tell us something.  
Hubert's Mother.

Mrs C. B. Allen  
Wapakachil Texas  
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MINNAPOLIS CITY, MINN.  
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ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT  
601 HARDESTY AVENUE  
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

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IN REPLY REFER TO \_\_\_\_\_

JHM:MD:leb  
March 12, 1945

Mrs. M. Marjorie Allen  
Route #1  
Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

Thank you for the information furnished the Army Effects Bureau in regard to your son, Corporal Marvin Hubert Allen.

I am sorry to report that the Army Effects Bureau has not yet received any of your son's property.

Inasmuch as War Department agencies overseas have been instructed to forward effects of deceased military personnel to this Bureau for disposal, it is reasonable to assume that Corporal Allen's property will ultimately be received here. However, due to transportation difficulties encountered, it is impossible to determine accurately the time of arrival.

As matters relating to the circumstances of casualties are under the jurisdiction of The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C., it is suggested that you may contact that official for any available information.

Immediately upon receipt of any property of your son, prompt disposal will be made.

Yours very truly,

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





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

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IN REPLY REFER TO \_\_\_\_\_

JRM:SMT:bb  
 10 January 1945

*[Handwritten signature]*

Mrs. M. Marjorie Allen  
 Route #1  
 Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Mrs. Allen:

Thank you for your letter of recent date.

In reference to communication of the Army Effects Bureau, you failed to mention the name of your son.

In order that we may take the necessary action, I shall appreciate your filling in the information requested below and returning this letter to the Army Effects Bureau.

For your convenience there is inclosed a self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Yours very truly,

*[Signature: F. A. Eckhardt]*  
 F. A. ECKHARDT  
 Captain Q.M.C.  
 Assistant

1 Incl.-Env.

SOLDIER'S NAME Allen Marrin Hubert  
 (LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)

ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 18081062



ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU  
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT  
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

10 January 1945  
3:00 PM

Mr. M. Maxtorie Allen  
Box 71  
Waxahatchie, Texas

Dear Mr. Allen:

Thank you for your letter of recent date.  
In reference to communication of the Army Effects Bureau, you failed to mention the name of your son.  
In order that we may take the necessary action, I shall appreciate your filling in the information requested below and returning this letter to the Army Effects Bureau.

For your convenience, please use the self-addressed envelope which needs to be returned to the Army Effects Bureau.



KANSAS CITY, MO.

JAN 1 5 1945

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU  
KANSAS CITY, MO. 64101  
18081002

name: *H. Allen*  
IMMEDIATE ACTION

Dear Sir:

I am writing you about my son who was killed June 11, 1944 in France I haven't received his personal things yet.

Are any thing about his death.

Can you tell me wather they will send them to me or wather I should write, wont they tell me something about his death.

Thank you.

*file  
Feb. 21*

Mrs M. Marjorie Allen  
Wapakachie Texas  
A. I.

*[Faint, illegible handwriting on lined paper]*



KANSAS CITY, MO.

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EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER U.K.  
DEPOT G-14  
United States Army

HGL/jg

15th October, 1944.

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventories of Effects.

TO : The Effects quartermaster, Kansas City QM Depot,  
601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri.

1. The attached Inventories have been on hand at this office for 30 days or more; the effects to which they refer have never been received by this office. It is believed the effects may have been erroneously forwarded direct to your office, to the beneficiary; or to the Effects quartermaster in France. In view of the fact that we are unable to contact the Units to ascertain disposition of the effects, and that ultimately all effects will be received by your office, we are forwarding these forms for your records.

2. The method of handling Form 54's at this office is that all Form 54's are checked against effects on hand. Where effects have been received, such forms will be forwarded by letter of transmittal to your office giving information as to the disposition of the effects, and at the expiration of one month, if no effects are received, the forms will be transmitted to your office in accordance with paragraph 1.

R. J. MOULTON.  
Lt. Col. QMC.  
Effects Q M U.K.

Incls: Inventories and  
List in duplicate.

*Handwritten signature*

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**R E S T R I C T E D**

201 - Allen, Marvin H.

1st Ind.

ENL/wjm

HEADQUARTERS 82D AIRBORNE DIVISION, APO 469, U. S. Army, 16 August 1944

TO: Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, APO 871, U. S. Army.

~~EXHIBIT~~



*G. B. B.*  
G. B. B.



*[Handwritten signature]*

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507TH PARACHUTE INFANTRY  
APO 230, U.S. ARMY



AUG 4  
Date

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventory of Personal Effects.  
TO : Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, Depot G-14, APO 507  
U. S. Army.

Transmitted herewith in accordance with Adm. Cir # 80,  
dated 25 Oct 1943, Hq. SOS, ETOUSA, is inventory of Effects con-  
cerning subject named below.

ALLEN                      M ARVIN                      H.                      Cpl.                      18081002  
(Last Name)                      (First Name)                      (MI)                      (Rank)                      (A.S.N.)                      (Control  
No.) (For  
us of Efi  
ects AM  
ETOUSA)

Organization Hq. Co. 3rd Bn., 507th Parcht Inf.  
(UNIT ----- Unit Branch of Service)

\*Status. (~~Deceased~~ Missing in Action, ~~Prisoner of War~~) on the 11  
day of June 19 44.

Designated Beneficiary (With Address)  
Mrs. Marjorie Allen (Mother)  
Route #1,  
Waxahachie, Texas

Cl. II Assets: Cash found in effects, less cost of money order in-  
closed herewith.

U.S.M.O. } None Amt } \_\_\_\_\_ U.S.M.O. \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Amt \$ \_\_\_\_\_

U.S.M.O. } \_\_\_\_\_ Amt \$ \_\_\_\_\_ U.S.M.O. \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Amt \$ \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Official Check \$ None Amt \_\_\_\_\_ Bank \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name & Branch)

#Bank Accounts None

#Debtors None

#Creditors None

#Inclosed is No 1 nclosures  
(Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks  
Describe fully)

REMARKS (if any)

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\*Strike out words no applicable.  
#Negative report where applicable.

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INVENTORY OF EFFECTS  
(Attach extra sheets if necessary)

**No personal effects**

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of the subject's effects and that effects were shipped to Effects QM, ETCUS, APO #507, G-14, U. S. Army by delivering to Effects QM 82d A/B Div.

APC 469 USA on 4 Aug 1944.

George J. Roper  
Signature - (In ink)

(Block Letters) { George J. Roper  
Capt, 507th Preht Inf.  
Rank and organization