

REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

25 Oct. 1944
Date

Reaves Lacy H.

Unk.

34 306 532

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

Serial No.

Unk.

Unit

507 AAA Int

82nd A/b

Organization

Graignes France

11 June 1944

KIA

Place of Death

Date of Death

Cause of Death

17 July 1944 (Reburial)

Blosville

France

Time and Date of Burial

Name of Cemetery

Name or Coordinates of Location

133

7

S

Cross

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?

(See correspondence attached)

What means of identification were buried with the body?

GRS Form #1 as Unknown X-65

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

Who is buried on:

Deceased's Right:

Lloyd Grady W. 34303937

Unk.

Unk.

134

Name

Serial No.

Rank

Organization

Grave No.

Deceased's Left:

Murray Harry W. 20454264

Unk.

Unk.

132

Name

Serial No.

Rank

Organization

Grave No.

Signature of 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

Name

Address

Religion **Protestant**

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

None

To correct Burial Report Unknown X-65

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

MAURICE WHITNEY
Lt. Col., GRS

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ATTACHMENT C-2, COMPANY "B"

1st ECA Regiment

APO 658

HKW/is

7 August 1944

SUBJECT: Identification of U. S. Army Personnel

TO : Officer in charge, Graves Registration Section, U.S. Army.

1. We enclose eight (8) dog tags, a New Testament and miscellaneous papers and a cigarette lighter which have today been handed to us by a civilian.

2. The tags and papers, etc., were removed from the bodies of eight (8) American soldiers, seven (7) enlisted men and an officer from whose body the Testament and other papers were removed.

3. The civilian tells us that these soldiers were Parachutists who landed at Graignes, the bodies being removed by civilians from water close by the Church at that place on June 11, 1944. Shortly after the bodies had been removed, the civilian population had to be evacuated, and have only just returned to find that the bodies had been removed.

For the Commanding Officer;

HUGH K. WALKER,
Capt. R. A. (Br.)
Deputy, Legal & Fiscal

Incls;

1st Ind. PR/cas
Hq, 610th QM Gr. Reg. Co., APO 350, U. S. Army, 22 August 1944

TO: Chief, Graves Registration Section, 56th QM Base Depot, APO 562.

Attention basic communication.

POOLE ROGERS
Captain, QMC
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GRD-293. Ltr. 56th QMBD to GR & E Div. CCQM - Sub: Ident. of US Army Personnel
Cont'd 25 October 1944.

b. Unknown X-68: (Clothing mark T-5218) Identified as Travers,
Thomas J., 12 065 218 by comparison with identification tag with clothing mark.

c. Unknown X-69: (Body partially burned) After eliminating X-68
and X-67 the remaining unidentified were X-65 and X-69. Of the two remaining
identification tags, Reaves and Rushing, the tag of Rushing showed definite
evidence of having been burned where as no such evidence showed on the tag of
Reaves by which evidence was used in identifying X-69 as Rushing, Jesse J.,
6 969 574.

d. Unknown X-67: (Clothing marks H-3888) Identified as Humphries,
Shuford N., 34 123 888 by comparison with identification tag with clothing mark.

4. The identification tags have been withdrawn for proper disposition.
The Testament and papers referred to in attached letter as being removed from
the officer (Maxwell, Lowell C., 01 321 322) are forwarded herewith.

For the Commanding Officer:

MAURICE WHITNEY
Lt. Col., QMC
Chief, Graves Registration Div.

3 Incls.

- 1 - Ltr. Det. C-2, Co. B, 1st ECA Regt.
- 2 - Effects, (Maxwell, Lowell C.)
- 3 - Corrected Burial Reports
Reaves, Lacy H.
Travers, Thomas J.
Rushing, Jesse J.
Humphries, Shuford N.

HEADQUARTERS
56th QUARTERMASTER BASE DEPOI
APO 562, U.S. ARMY

GRD-293.

Reaves, Lacy H.

25 October 1944

SUBJECT: Identification of U. S. Army Personnel

TO : CG., Com Zone ETO, APO 887, U. S. Army
ATTN: Graves Registration & Effects Div., OCQM
THRU: Channels.

1 Attention is invited to attached letter, Det. C-2, Co. B, 1st BCA Regt., 7 August 1944, inclosing the following listed eight (8) identification tags removed from the remains of deceased at Graignes.

Allen, Marvin H.	18 081 002
Humphries, Shuford N.	34 123 888
Maxwell, Lowell C.	01 321 322
Murray, Harry W.	20 454 264
Reaves, Lacy H.	34 306 532
Rushing, Jesse J.	6 969 574
Sass, Peter	13 125 064
Travers, Thomas J.	12 065 218

2. Information obtained from Burial Reports show that the remains of these eight (8) men were removed from coordinates 422:778 and reburial in Blosville Cemetery as indicated below:

<u>PLOT</u>	<u>ROW</u>	<u>GRAVE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>REMARKS</u>
S	7	132	Murray, Harry W.	20 454 264	(Identified by Pay Book)
S	7	133	X-65 (Body decomposed, water soaked Pay Book buried with remains)		
S	7	135	X-68		(Clothing mark T-5218)
S	7	137	Maxwell, Lowell C.	01 321 322	(Identified by one identification tag)
S	7	138	Allen, Marvin H.	18 081 002	(Identified by Pay Book)
S	7	139	Sass, Peter	13 125 064	(Identified by Pay Book)
S	7	140	X-69		(Body partially burned)
S	7	141	X-67		(Clothing mark H-3888)

3. In view of the evidence set forth above, the four (4) original burials as Unknowns have been identified as indicated below and corrected Report of Burial (GRS Form No. 1) prepared and submitted herewith.

a. Unknown X-65: (Body decomposed, water soaked Pay Book buried with remains) Remains were disinterred 22 October 1944 and no record of Pay Book found. By process of elimination remains are identified as Reaves, Lacy H., 34 306 532.

1	Interred 14 Febr ^y 1949 G-13-37- USMC. St Laurent <i>C.H. HIEMSTRA</i> 1/LT Inf, interring Officer				DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE	
	SECTION A - NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED			DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3508 04080	DATE 15 12 47 DAY MONTH YEAR	
NAME <i>REAVES LACY H</i>		SERIAL NUMBER 34306532	RANK PFC	ARM 1	DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR	
CEMETERY BLOSVILLE - CARENTAN				1	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 3505 80 CODE DIST. PT.	
PLOT S	ROW 7	GRAVE 133	COUNTRY FRANCE		CAUSE OF DEATH 1	
SECTION B - CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN						
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. LAURENT, FRANCE			NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN LOU M. REAVES (MOTHER) - 1 MAR 1949 ROUTE #6 FAYETTEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA Flag sent			
SECTION C - DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION						
NAME REAVES LACY H.		SERIAL NUMBER 34306532	RANK UKN	DATE OF DEATH 11 JUNE 1944	DATE DISTINTERRED 8 DECEMBER 1947	
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER		ORGANIZATION USAGF	RELIGION P	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY W. J. SMITH, 1st. LT. CE. NAME AND TITLE		
SECTION D - PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT						
NATURE OF BURIAL UNIFORM			CONDITION OF REMAINS ADV DECOMPOSITION			
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION NONE						
MINOR DISCREPANCIES I NONE						
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET						
DATE 27 JANUARY 1948			BY W. T. BUSH			
CASKET SEALED BY W. T. BUSH			EMBALMER (Signature) <i>W. T. Bush</i>			
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED			SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY			
DATE 27 Jan 48 BY R. COOK			JOHN PALYOK, 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.						
				<i>John Palyok</i> JOHN PALYOK, 1st. LT. FA. FILE SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR		
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.						

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM USMC BLOSVILLE		TO CASKETING POINT A, CHERBOURG	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER PVT JAMES STRANGE	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>W. T. Dailey</i> W. T. DAILEY, CAPT. OMC.	DATE 26 Jan 48	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>E. N. Ciampo</i> E. N. CIAMPO, 1st. LT. FA.	DATE 26 Jan 48

2. SHIPPED

FROM CASKETING POINT A., CHERBOURG		TO CASKETING POINC B., ST. LAURENT.	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER Pfc Jack Fagan	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>E. N. Ciampo</i> E. N. CIAMPO, 1st. LT. FA.	DATE 22Mar48	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>D. A. Mackenzie</i> D. A. MACKENZIE, CAPT. INF.	DATE 22Mar48

3. SHIPPED

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

4. SHIPPED

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

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

6. SHIPPED

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

7. SHIPPED

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

RECEIVED
 RECORDS BRANCH
 JAN 12 15 AM '48
 MILITARY DIVISION

RRE Form #43
20 Sep 48

Attached hereto correspondence and/or other identifying media of possible archival value, pertaining to:

<u>REAVES</u>	<u>LACY</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>PFC</u>	<u>34306532</u>
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Initial)	(Rank)	(ASN)

Subject remains have been permanently interred overseas in the United States Military Cemetery ST LAURENT

STATION FILE

Incl #

DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED

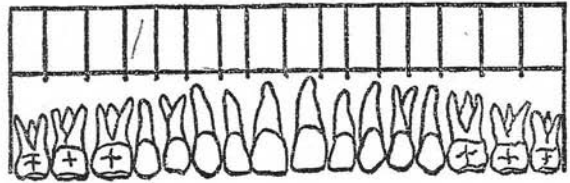
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) <i>PEAVES LARRY D</i>		GRADE <i>PO2</i>	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER <i>1202 0100</i>
ORGANIZATION <i>ARMY</i>		RACE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CREED <i>WHITE</i>	FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable) <i>NONE</i>
DATE OF DEATH/MIA <i>12 FEB 48</i>	CAUSE OF DEATH <i>KILLED IN ACTION</i>	PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA <i>GRAINVILLE FORT</i>	
DATE OF FOD			
HEIGHT <i>67 1/2</i>	WEIGHT <i>139</i>	COLOR EYES <i>BROWN</i>	COLOR HAIR <i>BROWN</i>
			SHOE SIZE <i>9 C</i>
DENTAL CHART <i>9 JUNE 42</i>			
UPPER RIGHT 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 <i>(8 circled)</i>		UPPER LEFT 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	
LOWER RIGHT 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9		LOWER LEFT 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 <i>(14 circled)</i>	
X = Extracted		O = Carious	
		1 = Carious Non-Restorable	
FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS <i>NONE</i>		TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK <i>NONE</i>	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION <i>12 FEB 48</i> <i>ATTACHED 2 FORM 79</i>			

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*REPORT OF DENTAL SURVEY

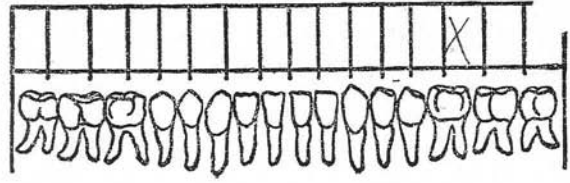
UPPER TEETH

Right 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 Left



LOWER TEETH

Right 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 Left



CLASS II

Occlusion ✓: Calculus: Slight, Medium, Heavy
Periodontoclasia None
Dental foci suspected: Yes No
Other conditions None

Date 7/29, 1943

James A.

Dental Corps, U. S. A.

*Restorable carious teeth by O
Nonrestorable carious teeth by /
Missing natural teeth by X

Teeth replaced by denture (horizontal line)

X	X	X
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Teeth replaced by fixed bridge (oval to include abutments)

○	X	○
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X-RAY FOR OBSERVATION

PULPITIS
PERICORONITIS
ABS. PERI.

CALCULUS

CLASS # R 11

RIGHT 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9

8 7 6 X X 1
over

LEFT 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

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REGISTER OF DENTAL PATIENTS AT

AAB, Alliance, Nebraska

(1) SURNAME (2) CHRISTIAN NAME *28*

Reaves, Lacy H. 34306532

(3) RANK (4) COMPANY (5) REGIMENT OR STAFF CORPS
 Pvt Hqs 3rd Bn 507th Archt

(6) AGE, YEARS (7) RACE (8) NATIVITY (9) SERVICE, YEARS
 22 W MO 1 yr

(10) DISEASE OR INJURY WITH LOCATION, COMPLICATIONS, SEQUELAE, ETC.	(11) DATES AND NATURE OF TREATMENTS AND OPERATIONS	(12) RESULTS AND REMARKS
Pari Abs R-5	No Amos Inf 7/29/43 Sutures removed 8/5/43	OT IT OT IX-IV OT

J. Walter H. Grier
 Dental Corps, U. S. A.

REGISTER OF DENTAL PATIENTS AT

CAMP SHANKS, NEW YORK

DENTAL CLINIC NO. *27*

34306532

SURNAME CHRISTIAN NAME
Reaves, Lacy H

RANK CO. REGIMENT OR STAFF CORPS
Pvt Hqs 0500-FF

AGE RACE NATIVITY SERVICE
22 W MO 14/12

DISEASE OR INJURY WITH LOCATION, COMPLICATIONS, SEQUELAE, ETC.	DATES AND NATURE OF TREATMENTS AND OPERATIONS	RESULTS AND REMARKS
		CRS RI M S <i>11/26 RIT</i> <i>11/28 I + IV</i> <i>Archibald</i> <i>Country</i>

DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) REAVES, LACY H.		GRADE PFC	PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER 34 306532
ORGANIZATION 509 PARA. INF. 82nd A/B		RACE WHITE	CREED PROTESTANT
DATE OF DEATH/MIA 11 JUNE '44	CAUSE OF DEATH KILLED IN ACTION	PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA GRAIGNES, FRANCE	
DATE OF FOD	HEIGHT 67$\frac{1}{2}$"	WEIGHT 139	COLOR EYES BROWN
		COLOR HAIR BROWN	SHOE SIZE 9C

DENTAL CHART

9 JUNE '42

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FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS NONE	TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK NONE
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION 12 FEB. '21	

MAY 3 1948

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A. C. Moore

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE SUBSECTION
RECORDS SECTION
MEMORIAL DIVISION

Reaves, Lacy H.	Pfc
Blosville, France, S, 7, 133	
ASN 34 306 532	

30 October 1947
(Date)

SUBJECT: Remains to be interred in a Permanent Overseas Cemetery, per instructions from the Next of Kin.

The Remains of Reaves, Lacy H., Pfc
(Name) (Rank)

34 306 532, buried in Blosville, France, S,
(ASN) (Cemetery) (Plot)

7, 133, are to be interred in a Permanent Military
(Row) (Grave No.)
Cemetery Overseas; per authority:

Remains to be left overseas in St. Laurent-Sur-Mer, France. See Page 1 of OQMG
Form 345 for signature of Mrs. Lou M. Reaves, Mother, Route #6, Fayetteville,
North Carolina.

St. Laurent, France

DLB pnc
FEB 18 1948

Roole Rogers (initials)
POOLE ROGERS,
CAPTAIN, QMC

Aded, R. Jones
11/28/47 *hit*

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PART REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

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

BUDGET BUREAU No. 49-R277.

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Pfc. Lacy H. Reeves, 34 306 532
 Plot B, Row 7, Grave 133,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Bloisville, France MB

DATE:

17 September 1947
 A
 B

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" 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 a 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, Mrs Lacy M Reeves
 (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

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

- WIDOW
- WIDOWER
- SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER
- MOTHER
- BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- 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

 (NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)
- 3. BE RETURNED TO _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY), THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (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.)

None
 Overseas form accepted
 1/12 Lewis

FILE
 18 NOV 1947
 P. Rodgers

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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 11 Dec 1944

trs. 4632

FULL NAME <u>Reaves, Lacy H.</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 34 306 532	GRADE PFC			
HOME ADDRESS Fayetteville, N. C.		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry	DATE OF BIRTH 12 Feb 21			
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 11 Jun 44			
STATION OF DECEASED European Area	DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 9 Jun 42		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS			
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Lou M. Reaves, mother, Rt #6 Fayetteville, N. C. ✓						
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Lou M. Reaves, mother, same as above Miss Kay Reaves, sister, same as above						
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
						X X

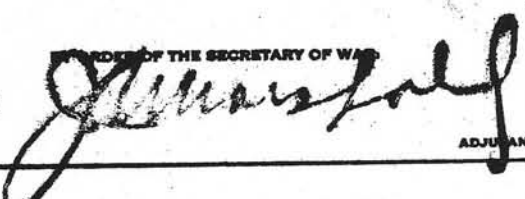
ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

ON PARACHUTE PAY

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Dept to have been in a missing in action status on 6 Jun 44 until such absence was terminated on 3 Dec 44, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death ~~was received~~ on 11 Jun 44, was received by the Secretary of War from a commander in the European Area.

COPIES FURNISHED:		
S. G. O.	F. B. I.	F. O., U. S. A.
2. O. Q. M. G.	O. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		A. G. 201 FILE

BATTLE
 NON-BATTLE

ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR

 ADJUTANT GENERAL

164,378

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
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YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
											X	X	

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G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	A. G. 201 FILE

BATTLE
 NON-BATTLE

BY *[Signature]*
 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
REAVES LACY H		34306532			PFC	INF	ETO
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FRANCE	06	JUN	44	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 LOU M REAVES	MOTHER	2 AUG 44
NO. AND NAME OF STREET--CITY--STATE		
ROUTE NUMBER SIX FAYETTEVILLE		NORTH CAROLINA

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ACCT. AREA	CASUALTY STATUS	ORIGINAL CAS. DATE			MESSAGE NO.	LATEST CAS. DATE			REFERENCE AREA	CREW POS.	RESIDENCE		COMP	RACE											
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HEADQUARTERS 82D AIRBORNE DIVISION, APO 469, U. S. Army, 21 August 1944.

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

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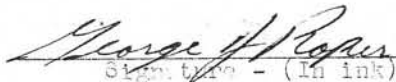
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No personal effects.

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of the subject's effects and that effects were shipped to Effects QM, HHCUSA, APO #507, 3-14, U. S. Army by delivery to Effects IN 32d A/B Div..

APC 460 USA on 2 August 1944.


Signature - (In ink)

(Block Letters) { GEORGE J. RODAR
{ Capt., 507th Pacht Inf.
{ Rank and organization

SPQYG 293
Reaves, Lacy H.

1 April 1946

Mrs. Lou M. Reaves
Route #6
Fayetteville, North Carolina

Dear Mrs. Reaves:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished the burial location of your son, the late Private First Class Lacy H. Reaves, A.S.N. 34 306 532.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, Blosville, France, plot S, row 7, grave 133.

This cemetery is located twenty miles northwest of St. Lo, twenty-four miles southeast of Cherbourg and five miles north and slightly west of Carentan, all in France, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

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

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General



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Pfc. Lacy H. Reaves, 34 306 532
Plot S, Row 7, Grave 133,
United States Military Cemetery
Bosville, France

17 September 1947

Mrs. Lou M. Reaves
Route #6
Fayetteville, North Carolina

Dear Mrs. Reaves:

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.

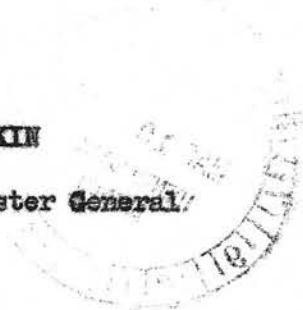
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Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH



9 May 1949

Pfc Lacy H. Reaves, ASN 34 306 532
Plot G, Row 13, Grave 37
Headstone: Cross
St. Laurent (France) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mrs. Lou M. Reaves
Route #6
Fayetteville, North Carolina

Dear Mrs. Reaves:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country. Customary military funeral services were conducted over the grave at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be transferred, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and supervision of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstone. The headstone will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating where appropriate, organization, State, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of headstone or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interments are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. You may rest assured that this final interment was conducted with fitting dignity and solemnity and that the grave-site will be carefully and conscientiously maintained in perpetuity by the United States Government.

Sincerely yours,

H. FELDMAN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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