

MEMORIALIZATION OF NON-RECOVERABLE  
REMAINS OF WORLD WAR II

THIS FILE HAS BEEN AUDITED FOR NON-RECOVERABILITY

NAME (Last, First, Middle)

SIMPSON JACK M.

RANK

PVT

SERIAL NUMBER

37 454 639

ARM OF SERVICE

Army

DATE OF DEATH

6 JUNE 44

AREA OF DEATH

FRANCE

NAME OF AUDITOR

MANFIELD

DATE

APR 17 1951

NAME OF REVIEWER

RAGSDORF

DATE

19 APR 51

REMARKS

**CONTROLLED CASE**

|                          |              |                          |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| NAME<br>SIMPSON, Jack M. | GRADE<br>Pvt | SERIAL NO.<br>37 454 639 |
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**DO NOT TAKE ANY ACTION ON THIS CASE OR RELEASE INFORMATION FROM THIS FILE WITHOUT THE CONCURRENCE OF:**

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**IMPORTANT**

**THIS FORM MUST BE MAINTAINED ON TOP OF 299 FILE AT ALL TIMES UNTIL CANCELLED BY MEMORIAL DIVISION. ONLY THE "CONGRESSIONAL TOPPER", OQMG FORM 391, MAY BE PLACED OVER THIS FORM.**

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CMGMP 293  
Simpson, Jack M.  
SN 37 454 629

9 February 1951

*JL*

Mrs. Alberta H. Schmode  
300 East Fourteenth Street  
Scottsbluff, Nebraska

Dear Mrs. Schmode:

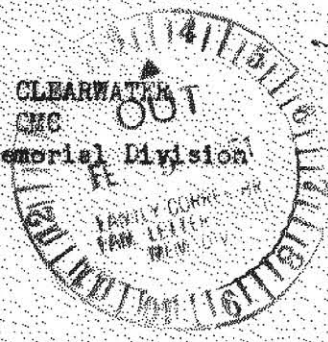
Several years have elapsed since the cessation of hostilities of World War II, which cost the life of your son, the late Private Jack M. Simpson.

It is with deep regret that your Government finds it necessary to inform you that further search and investigation have failed to reveal the whereabouts of your son's remains. Since all efforts to recover and/or identify his remains have failed, it has been necessary to declare that his remains are not recoverable.

Realizing the extent of your great loss, it is with reluctance that you are sent the information that there is no grave at which to pay homage. May the knowledge of your son's honorable service to his country be a source of sustaining comfort to you.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES B. CLEARWATER  
Colonel, MC  
Chief, Memorial Division



DLW  
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JFV

CMO

*RB*  
FEB 14 1951  
cc: DPRB  
Mailed Direct

**CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET**

|   |                               |     |       |
|---|-------------------------------|-----|-------|
| PREVIOUS BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country) | PLOT                          | ROW | GRAVE |
| PRESENT BURIAL LOCATION (Cemetery and Country)  | PLOT                          | ROW | GRAVE |
| ADDRESSEE<br>MR.<br>MISS<br>MRS.                | ADDRESS (Street, City, State) |     |       |
| <i>Alberta A. Schmode</i>                       | <i>300 E. 14th St.</i>        |     |       |
| RELATIONSHIP                                    | <i>Scottsbluff, Nebraska</i>  |     |       |
| <i>Mother</i>                                   |                               |     |       |

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle)  
*Ampleman, Jack W.*

GRADE  
*Int*

SERIAL NUMBER  
*37 4574 639*

| PARAGRAPHS (Sequence) | ADDITIONAL DATA — MODIFICATIONS |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| <i>110-A</i>          |                                 |
| <i>110-B</i>          |                                 |
| <i>110-C</i>          |                                 |

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| ANNYST INITIALS AND DATE<br><i>D. Bennett 2/7/51</i> | TYPYST INITIALS | REVIEWER INITIALS AND DATE |
|--|-----------------|----------------------------|

**REQUEST FOR INFORMATION**

|  |                                      |                                    |                           |
|--|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>TO:</b><br>PENTAGON LIAISON SECTION, MEMORIAL DIVISION                        |                                      | <b>DATE</b><br>26 January 1951     |                           |
| <b>FROM (Branch and Section)</b><br>Repat Br., Corres. Section                   | <b>REQUESTED BY</b><br>E. Puthorosky | <b>TEL. EXT.</b><br>54428          | <b>ROOM NO.</b><br>2519-B |
| <b>NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle Initial)</b><br>Simpson, Jack W (WW II) | <b>RANK</b><br>Pvt                   | <b>SERIAL NUMBER</b><br>37 454 639 |                           |

**INFORMATION REQUIRED**

Marital status and current address of widow  
Address of parents

**INFORMATION FURNISHED**

XC - 3951221

DO - 8, Ft. Snelling, St. Paul, Minn.

**Marital status and current address of widow:**

(Remarried 24 May 1948)  
Mrs. Shirley Mae Simpson Height  
112 West 18th Street  
Scottsbluff, Nebraska

**No other information pertaining to address of parents.**

PENTAGON LIAISON SECTION OFFICER (Signature) D. A. BENTEN  
MAJOR, GSC (R)  
GSC PENTAGON LIAISON

Short letter

Re your letter dated 2 June 45 requesting  
burial location.

Re M.S. reply dated 5 Sept 45 advising  
that burial information not received -  
inquiry being made - upon completion,  
will advise.

M. S. W.

1-205-51

For information regarding  
marital status of decedent's  
widow.

Bennett

NON-RECOVERABLE REMAINS REEXAMINATION OF RECORDS

|   |                             |
|---|-----------------------------|
| Area of Death<br>European, vic of St. Georges-de-Bohon, France. | Case Number<br>14839        |
| Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)<br>Simpson, Jack M.          | Rank<br>Pvt                 |
|   | Serial Number<br>37 454 639 |

In the course of this reexamination it has been determined that the circumstances of death were such that: (Check appropriate box)

- The remains of the decedent could not have been recovered
- The remains of the decedent could have been recovered. However, after review of the following it has been determined that evidence does not exist to contradict a finding of non-recoverability:

|   | INITIALS OF ANALYST |
|---|---------------------|
| 1. 293 File of Decedent   | <i>C.M.</i>         |
| 2. Geographical clue index file of unknowns recovered from appropriate area, compared with decedent | <i>C.M.</i>         |
| 3. Other documents or sources   |                     |

Remarks

NAB  
 File  
 JAN 24 1951  
*E.H.*  
 Identification Branch

| RECOMMEND APPROVAL                       |  | APPROVED   | Date |
|--|--|--|------|
| Name of Case Analyst<br><i>E. Miller</i> | Case Reviewer, Final Determination Section | Chief, Final Determination Section<br><i>C. C. ...</i> |      |

**NON-RECOVERABLE CASE  
RECORD OF REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

C NUMBER  
14839 (1)  
AREA OR ZONE(S)  
European

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) **Simpson, Jack M.** RANK **Pvt** SERIAL NUMBER **37 454 639**

THE ATTACHED PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND THE FINDINGS OF NON-RECOVERABILITY OF THE REMAINS OF THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUAL(S) ARE APPROVED. (Corrections in name, rank, and/or serial number have been effected when appropriate.)

Individual Case

IN THE COURSE OF THIS REVIEW THE FOLLOWING SOURCES OF INFORMATION HAVE BEEN EXAMINED FOR ADDITIONAL CLUES. COPIES OF ANY DOCUMENTS BELIEVED MATERIAL TO THE CASE ARE ATTACHED FOLLOWING THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW.

| 1. 293 FILE OF SUBJECT(S)  | INITIALS OF ANALYST | (CROSS OUT THOSE NOT APPLICABLE)   | INITIALS OF ANALYST |
|--|---------------------|--|---------------------|
|  | <i>RWH</i>          | 2. a. REPORT OF DEATH<br>b. FINDING OF DEATH<br>c. STATUS REVIEW & DETERMINATION | <i>RWH</i>          |
| 3. A - Z FILE OF KNOWN INTERMENTS IN U.S. MILITARY CEMETERIES, ISOLATED LOCATIONS, AND SEA BURIALS | <i>RWH</i>          | 4. GEOGRAPHICAL CLUE<br>INDEX FILE OF UNKNOWNNS RECOVERED FROM APPROPRIATE AREA  |                     |
| 5. ALPHABETICAL INDEX OF "BELIEVED TO BE" AND TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED UNKNOWNNS                     | <i>RWH</i>          | 6. ALPHABETICAL FILE OF FORMER UNKNOWNNS NOW IDENTIFIED                          | <i>RWH</i>          |
| 7. OTHER DOCUMENTS OR SOURCES  | None                |  |                     |

THE FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES HAVE BEEN FOUND TO BE SUBSTANTIALLY AS PRESENTED IN THE ATTACHED PROCEEDINGS OF THE FIELD BOARD OF REVIEW, WITH THE FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONS:

Killed in Action 6 June 1944, vicinity of St. Georges-de-Bohon, France.

Above-named decedent cannot be associated with Unknowns referred to on Operational Instructions #127 (Tab "A").

File  
JAN 24 1951  
*[Signature]*  
Identification Branch

NAME OF CASE ANALYST *[Signature]* CASE TO BE FORWARDED TO **Repatriation Branch, Correspondence Sec.**  
*Ruth Hutson/cwt* FOR CONSIDERATION OF NOTIFICATION TO INTERESTED PARTIES.

| RECOMMEND APPROVAL   |  | APPROVED  |                                  |
|--|--|---|----------------------------------|
| CASE REVIEWER, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION<br><i>[Signature]</i><br>W. A. WOLF | CHIEF, FINAL DETERMINATION SECTION<br><i>[Signature]</i><br>C. C. WASSON, Capt QMC | CHIEF, IDENTIFICATION BRANCH<br><i>[Signature]</i><br>THOMAS E. COX, Capt QMC | DATE<br><i>[Signature]</i><br>51 |



HEADQUARTERS  
7887 GRAVES REGISTRATION DETACHMENT  
REGISTRATION DIVISION  
APO 757 (Liege) US ARMY

Proceeding of a Board of officers appointed in accordance with letter AGAO-S 293.9 (27 Mar 47) D-M, War Dept, TAGO, 9 April 1947.

The Board convened pursuant to par 2, SO 108, Headquarters, 7887 Graves Registration Detachment, APO 757, US Army, 29 August 1950, at Liege, Belgium on 1 - SEPT 1950. The purpose of the Board was to determine the non-recoverability status of certain casualties now under jurisdiction of this command.

The Board reviewed report of investigation, statements of witnesses and other papers, contained in the files of 7887 Graves Registration Detachment, EA, pertaining to the case of the following named casualty/casualties, the remains of which have not been recovered. The case records and other data considered, are attached.

| CASE No. | NAME | GRADE | ASN |
|----------|------|-------|-----|
|----------|------|-------|-----|

See attached roster.

FINDINGS: The Board having carefully considered the evidence before it, finds the remains of said casualty/casualties are non-recoverable.

RECOMMENDATION: That the case concerning subject casualty/casualties be forwarded to the office of The Quartermaster General for final approval.

ROBERT D. MILLER, Lt Col, TC

JAMES C. MacFARLAND, Major, QMC

GEORGE GUNDERMAN, JR., Maj. QMC CLYDE W. STEINSIEK, Captain, QMC

HENRY F. MYERS, CWO, USA

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C  
(Basic: Ltr WD OQMG, QMGMK 293, Simpson, Jack M., 37454889, dated 28 April 1947)

RRE 293.9 (IB) 1st Ind

Hq American Graves Registration Command, European Area APO 58  
U S Army 10 December 1947

TO: The Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D. C.

1. Private Jack M. Simpson, 37 454 639, might possibly be associated with the Unknowns recovered from St Georges-de-Bohon, France (list attached).

2. Continued effort will be made to definitely associate an Unknown with the subject deceased.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

*E. D. Mulvanity*  
E. D. MULVANITY  
Lt Colonel QMC  
Actg Asst Adj Gen

Incl  
OQMG Form 371  
(see reverse side)

*NAN  
file 150000  
Coburn  
21/12/47*



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

28 APRIL 1947

In Reply Refer To  
QMCMR 293  
**SIMPSON, JACK M.**  
**SN 37454639**

SUBJECT: Additional Information That May Lead to the Recovery  
and Identification of Remains Not Yet Accounted For

TO: Commanding Officer  
American Graves Registration Command  
European Theater Area  
APO 887, c/o Postmaster  
New York, New York

1. There is attached hereto, in duplicate, OQMG Form 371  
(covering all available information in the Office of The Quartermaster  
General and is in addition to any previous information forwarded by  
this office to your headquarters) for the following deceased individual:

| <u>NAME</u>             | <u>GRADE</u> | <u>SERIAL NO.</u> |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| <b>SIMPSON, JACK M.</b> | <b>PVT</b>   | <b>37454639</b>   |

2. It is requested that information on the above deceased be  
furnished this office in accordance with the provisions of radio, this  
headquarters, No. WCL 37087, dated 13 December 1946.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Incl  
Form 371 (5 Cys)

*Martin G. Riley*  
MARTIN G. RILEY  
Major, QMC  
Memorial Division

23 October 1947

Tranche

293 FILE

## DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED

|   |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)<br><b>SIMPSON, JACK M.</b>   |  | GRADE<br><b>PVT</b>  | PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER<br><b>37454639</b> |
| ORGANIZATION<br><b>CO C<br/>501ST PRCHT INF</b>   | RACE<br><b>WHITE</b>                             | CREED<br><b>PROTESTANT</b>   | FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)     |
| DATE OF DEATH/M/M<br><b>6 JUN 44</b>  | CAUSE OF DEATH<br><b>KILLED IN ACTION</b>        | PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA<br><b>NEAR ST. GEORGES-DE-BOHON, FRANCE</b> |  |
| DATE OF FOD   |  |  |  |
| HEIGHT<br><b>5'9"</b>   | WEIGHT<br><b>140</b>                             | COLOR EYES<br><b>BLUE</b>  | COLOR HAIR<br><b>BROWN</b>               |
|   |  |  | SHOE SIZE<br><b>6 E</b>                  |
| DENTAL CHART  |  | <b>17 AUG 42</b>   |  |
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| X = Extracted   |  | O = Carious  |  |
|   |  | I = Carious Non-Restorable   |  |
| FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS   |  | TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK   |  |
| <b>NONE SHOWN</b>   |  |  |  |
| ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  |  |  |  |
| <b>AGE: 23</b>  |  |  |  |
| <b>OPERATIONAL INSTRUCTIONS #127</b>  |  |  |  |
| It is directed that a search of your files be made in order to associate an Unknown recovered from St Georges-de-Bohon with Private Simpson. If none are found, an investigation of the above location will be conducted in order to locate an isolated grave containing the remains of the above named casualty. |  |  |  |

DDMG FORM 371  
23 SEP 46

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16-49885-1

DATE FORWARDED TO FIELD

Records at Second Zone indicate that the village of St Georges de Bohon has been visited on several occasions in an effort to locate graves or unburied remains of American deceased. Local civilians in that area know of no isolated graves left in the area, but state that American troops recovered the bodies in 1944.

Records at this headquarters indicate that Pvt Simpson may be buried as one of the following unknowns:

|  |           |              |                                   |
|--|-----------|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| Unknown X-3 <i>Ident.</i>                | Blosville | Unknown X-49 | Blosville <i>No possible area</i> |
| Unknown X-15 <i>Group # Burial</i>       |           | Unknown X-90 | " <i>No possible area</i>         |
| Unknown X-18 <i>Group # Burial</i>       |           | Unknown X-4  | Ste Mere Eglise #1 <i>Ident.</i>  |
| Unknown X-21 <i>Ident.</i>               |           | Unknown X-22 | " " <i>no possible area</i>       |
| Unknown X-35 <i>no remains recovered</i> |           | Unknown X-66 | Ste Mere Eglise #2 <i>area</i>    |

BURIAL INFORMATION

|   |                        |                  |
|---|------------------------|------------------|
| NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)<br><i>293</i><br><i>Simpson, Jack M.</i> | ASN<br><i>37454639</i> | GRADE            |
| ORGANIZATION  |                        | DATE OF DEATH    |
| PLACE   | DATE OF BURIAL         | DATE OF REBURIAL |

REMARKS

*See X-3 Blountville*

*File 1-15-78*  
*gibson*

*X-3, 15, 18, 21, 35, 49, 90 Blountville*  
*X-4, 20, 66 Sta New Eglin*

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**IDENTIFICATION SECTION  
MEMORIAL DIVISION**

**IDENTIFICATION DATA**

|  |                      |                           |                                       |                          |                                   |
|--|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL<br><i>Simpson, Jack M.</i> |                      |                           | ARMY SERIAL NUMBER<br><i>37454639</i> |                          | GRADE<br><i>Pvt</i>               |
| HEIGHT<br><i>5 ft 9 in</i>   | WEIGHT<br><i>140</i> | COLOR EYES<br><i>Blue</i> | COLOR HAIR<br><i>Brown</i>            | SHOE SIZE<br><i>6-12</i> | DATE OF DEATH<br><i>6 June 44</i> |

LAST ORGANIZATION TO WHICH ATTACHED OR ASSIGNED (Give complete designation)  
*Co C, 501st Pch Inf*

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA  
*Near St. Georges-de-Bohon, France*

LIST ALL CAMPS IN WHICH STATIONED IN U.S. PRIOR TO SERVICE OVERSEAS, WITH INCLUSIVE DATES AT EACH.

| STATION                      | DATES                         |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <i>Ft Logan, Colo</i>        | <i>21 Aug 42 - 21 Aug 42</i>  |
| <i>Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.</i> | <i>23 Aug 42 - 23 Mar 43</i>  |
| <i>Cp Maxey, Tex</i>         | <i>23 Mar 43 - 19 May 43</i>  |
| <i>Cp Swift, Tex</i>         | <i>20 May 43 - 11 Sept 43</i> |
| <i>Ft Benning, Ga</i>        | <i>13 Sept 43 - 13 Oct 43</i> |
| <i>Cp McKail, N. C.</i>      | <i>13 Oct 43 - 21 Jan 44</i>  |

FROM: W.D. AGO CLINICAL RECORDS BRANCH  
NO RECORDS IN FILE

|                         |                            |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS | TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTH MARKS |
|                         |                            |

**DENTAL CHART** *17 Aug 42*

|                              |                              |
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| LOWER RIGHT                  | LOWER LEFT                   |

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*RECEIVED*  
*17 AUG 1942*

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Incl  
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E. D. MULVANITY  
Lt Colonel OMC  
Actg Asst Adj Gen



*file  
gt Wilson  
1-14-48*



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incl  
Form 371 (5 Cys)

MARTIN G. RILEY  
Major, QMG  
Memorial Division

REGISTRATION AND  
RECORDS BRANCH  
APR 29 2 26 AM '47  
MEMORIAL DIVISION

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293 FILE

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GRADE

PVT

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3745439

ORGANIZATION

CO C  
501ST FIGHT INF

RACE

WHITE

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PROTESTANT

FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)

DATE OF DEATH/MIA

6 JUN 44

CAUSE OF DEATH

KILLED IN ACTION

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA

NEAR ST. GEORGES-DE-  
DENON, FRANCE

DATE OF FOD

HEIGHT

5'9"

WEIGHT

140

COLOR EYES

BLUE

COLOR HAIR

BROWN

SHOE SIZE

6 E

## DENTAL CHART

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FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS

TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK

NONE KNOWN

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

AGE: 23

SPQIG 293  
Simpson, Jack M.  
S.N. 37,454,639

5 September 1945

Mrs. Alberta H. Schmode  
300 East 14th Street  
Scottsbluff, Nebraska

Dear Mrs. Schmode:

Reference is made to your letter in which you request information concerning your son, the late Private Jack M. Simpson.

It is regretted to have to advise you that, up to the present time, information pertaining to the burial of the remains of your son has not been received in this office. An inquiry is being made to ascertain information regarding the remains of all our deceased military personnel where burial information has not been received. Upon completion of this inquiry you will be advised as to the results.

This office regrets, sincerely, the delay in answering your letter and wishes to extend its deepest sympathy in the loss of your son.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR L. WARREN  
Colonel, QMG  
Assistant

W. D. A. Form No. 1113  
23 March 1945

HEADQUARTERS, ARI. SERVICE FORCES  
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

To the following in order indicated:

|   |  |  | (Initials) |
|---|--|--|------------|
| 1 | Director, Memorial Division, OQMG<br>Room 1007, Tempo C. Wash. 25, B. C. | (Name or title) (Organisation) (Building and room) | mbk        |
| 2 |  |  | (Date)     |
| 3 |  |  |            |

1. For necessary action.
2. Private <sup>293</sup> Jack M. Simpson, 37454639, killed in action 6 June 1944 in The European Area.

RECEIVED  
26 JUN 1945

From  
Cas. Br. Comp. V. 3807 Mun. Building

(Name) (Organization) (Building and room)

26 June 45  
(Date)  
3241

AGSO 201 Simpson, Jack M.  
(2 Jun 45) 37454639

26 June 1945

Mrs. Alberta M. Schrade  
300 East 14th Street  
Scottsbluff, Nebraska

Dear Mrs. Schrade:

Reference is made to your recent letter in which you requested information concerning your son, Private Jack M. Simpson.

It is deeply regretted that no information has been received in this office regarding your son's death. The report received stated only that he became missing in France on 6 June 1944 and was reported to have been killed in action on that same date, near St. Georges-de-Bohon, France.

The Quartermaster General, Washington 25, D. C., has jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to the burial and I am, therefore, forwarding a copy of your letter to that official for direct reply to your inquiry regarding this matter.

Please accept my continued sympathy in your bereavement.

Sincerely yours,

J. A. ULIO  
Major General  
The Adjutant General of the Army

June 2, 1945

Ref. AG 201 Jack M. Simpson  
PC-N ETO 107  
J. A. Ulio, Major General  
The Adjutant General  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Can you give me the following information?

Has my sons body been interred in an American cemetery in France?  
If so, where is it located and I would appreciate any other information  
you may have.

I have had nothing regarding him except that he was killed on  
June 6, 1944 at St Georges De Bohon ~~in France~~.

Sincerely yours,

Alberta H. Schmode

NO BURIAL

DIED 6 June 44

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

DATE 29 May 45 jmw

REPORT OF DEATH

|                                      |                                    |  |   |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| FULL NAME<br>Simpson, Jack M.        |                                    | ARMY SERIAL NUMBER<br>37454639                       | GRADE<br>Pvt  |
| HOME ADDRESS<br>Hill City, S. Dak.   |                                    | ARM OR SERVICE<br>Inf.                               | DATE OF BIRTH<br>19 Mar 21                              |
| PLACE OF DEATH<br>European Area      | CAUSE OF DEATH<br>Killed in action |  | DATE OF DEATH<br>6 June 44                              |
| STATION OF DECEASED<br>European Area |                                    | DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE<br>17 Aug 42 | LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES<br>YEARS MONTHS DAYS |

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)

Mrs. Alberta H. Schmode, Mother, 300 East 14th St., Scottsbluff, Nebr.

BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)

Mrs. Shirley M. Simpson, Wife, 1530 6th St., Gering, Nebr.  
Mrs. ~~XXX~~ Alberta H. Schmode, Mother, Same as MA.

| 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

BATTLE  NON-BATTLE

On Parachute Pay

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 6 June 44 until such absence was terminated on 9 Mar 45, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from a Commander in the European Area.

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| S. A. O.       | VET. ADMIN. | CASUALTY BRANCH FILE |
|                |             | A. G. DOI FILE       |

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

*C. L. Stewart*

ADJUTANT GENERAL



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

-BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT

|                   |                  |               |       |                        |                   |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------|-------|------------------------|-------------------|
| NAME              |                  | SERIAL NUMBER | GRADE | ARM OR SERVICE         | REPORTING THEATRE |
| JIMMPSON JACK M   |                  | 37454639      | PVT   | INF                    | ETO               |
| PLACE OF CASUALTY | DATE OF CASUALTY |               |       | FLYING OR JUMPING STAT | TYPE OF CASUALTY  |
|                   | DAY              | MONTH         | YEAR  |                        |                   |
| FRANCE            | 06               | JUN           | 44    | J                      | MIA               |
|                   |                  |               |       |                        | SHIPMENT NUMBER   |
|                   |                  |               |       |                        | 107               |

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 |
| MRS                    | ALBERTA    | H              | SCHNODD   | MOTHER       |
| NO. AND NAME OF STREET |            | CITY           | COUNTY    | STATE        |
| 300 EAST 14TH STREET   |            | SCOTTSBLUFF    |           | NEBRASKA     |

REMARKS:

CORRECTED COPY

28 JUN 44 WMM



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  
 REPORT NOT VERIFIED  NO FORM 43  NO CAS. BR. FILE  CHECKED BY *[Signature]* 27 June 44 REVIEWED BY *[Signature]*

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 | SERV. POS. | RESIDENCE |        | COMP | RACE |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----|-----|-------------|------------------|-----|-----|----------------|------------|-----------|--------|------|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
|            |                 | DAY                | MO. | YR. |             | DAY              | MO. | YR. |                |            | STATE     | COUNTY |      |      |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 34         | 35              | 36                 | 37  | 38  | 39          | 40               | 41  | 42  | 43             | 44         | 45        | 46     | 47   | 48   | 49 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 53 | 54 | 55 | 56 | 57 | 58 | 59 |

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

601 HARDESTY AVENUE  
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO 219,649

RTB:KD:geo  
August 8, 1945

Dear Mrs. Schmode:

I have your recent inquiry regarding the personal effects of your son, Private Jack M. Simpson.

It is regretted that the items about which you inquire were not received here. All of his property received at this Bureau has been sent you.

So that you may better understand the difficulties encountered in the recovery of personal effects, I am inclosing an information circular on the subject.

I wish to assure you that in the event additional property is received at a later date, it will be forwarded promptly.

Yours very truly,

1 Incl-  
Form 51

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

ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU  
601 Hardesty Avenue  
Kansas City 1, Missouri

(S-7-28-45)  
GHG:IB:prh  
May 28, 1945

In Reply Refer To: 219649

Mrs. Alberta H. Schmode  
300 East 14th Street  
Scottsbluff, Nebraska

Dear Mrs. Schmode:

The Army Effects Bureau is forwarding to you the following personal property, recently received here, belonging to your son, **Private Jack M. Simpson**.

One package and contents:

My action in transmitting the property does not, of itself, vest title in you. The items are forwarded in order that you may act as gratuitous bailee in caring for them pending the return of the owner, who has been reported missing in action. In the event he later is reported a casualty, and I sincerely hope he never is, it will be necessary that the property be turned over to the person or persons legally entitled to receive it.

When delivery has been made, I shall appreciate your acknowledging receipt by signing one copy of this letter in the space provided below, and returning it to this Bureau. For your convenience, there is inclosed an addressed envelope which needs no postage.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my hope for the safe return of your son.

Yours very truly,

P. L. KOOB  
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.  
Officer-in-Charge  
SJ Unit

Incl—  
Envelope

Receipt acknowledged:

Alberta H. Schmode July 31-1945  
(Signature of Bailee) (Date)

Eff. JM Form 205 (11 Apr 45)

(over)

Beatsbluff Neb.  
July 31, 1945

Lieut. P. L. Koob

Dear Sir:

I have not returned this receipt earlier, expecting to receive additional personal effects. My son, had a great deal more personal items than were sent to me. Is there any way they could be traced?

What about his uniform? Others have received uniforms and other clothing also dog tags.

I will greatly appreciate any information you can give me.

Sincerely yours

Alberta H. Schmade

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Alberta H. Schmode  
300 East 14th Street  
Scottsbluff, Nebraska

SHIP TO:  
Pvt. Jack M. Simpson

Effects of: **37454639**  
Name  
ASN **219649 M**  
Case No.  
Wt.

*file  
wb 8-7*

DATE 28 May 1945  
GHC:LB:prh

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inclose Bureau Check     | <input type="checkbox"/> Remove G.I.               |
| Acct. No. _____                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Note discrepancy in _____ |
| Amount _____                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Films removed             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inclose "Valuables" item | <input type="checkbox"/> Diary removed             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ship "Valuables" item(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Laundry removed           |

ROUTING:

- Accounting Branch
- 1 Warehouse Division
- 24 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

SHIP DAMAGED ITEM:

*1 pt*

JUN 1 1945

FRANKED

|                 |       |
|-----------------|-------|
| Franked         | _____ |
| Est. Exp. Chgs. | _____ |
| Est. Frt Chgs.  | _____ |
| No. of packages | _____ |

Shipping Clerk *MR*

|  |                               |  |                    |                                     |
|--|-------------------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| PACKAGE DESCRIPTION<br><br><i>Hand pkg</i> | ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY |  | DECEASED           |                                     |
|  |                               |  | MISSING            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
|  |                               |  | P.O.W.             |                                     |
|  |                               |  | ABANDONED          |                                     |
|  |                               |  | TALLY NO.          | 7609                                |
|  |                               |  | INV. DATE          | 8-May-45                            |
|  |                               |  | ORIG. NO. OF PKGS. | 1                                   |
|  |                               |  | BOX NO.            | 4                                   |
|  |                               |  | SHEET OF           | 1 SHEETS                            |
|  |                               |  | ORGANIZATION       | Coc, 501st<br>Prcht INF.            |

NAME Jack M. Simpson  
A.S.N. 37454639 RANK Pvt.

219,649

|                                  |   |   |
|----------------------------------|---|---|
| Belt                             | <b>POWELS &amp; VASROLOPHS</b>                            | <b>WINGS</b>  |
| <del>BELT MONEY (NO MONEY)</del> | <b>CLOTHING</b>   | <b>BAGS, CLOTH OR TRUNK</b>                               |
| Cloth, wash                      | <b>BRACELET IDENT.</b>                                    | <b>BIBBOLD. (NO MONEY)</b>                                |
| Coats                            | Brushes   | Case  |
| Footwear, Pr.                    | <b>CAMERAS</b>  | Footlocker  |
| Gloves, Pr.                      | Glasses   | <b>KIT, SEV. FLT. OR WRITING</b>                          |
| Handkerchiefs                    | Knives  | <b>ROBES</b>  |
| Headwear                         | Lighters  | Books, Address  |
| Jackets                          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>MISC. INSIGNIA</b> | Books, Pilot Log  |
| Overcoats                        | Pen, Fountain   | <b>DIARY (REMOVED FOR DRR)</b>                            |
| Scarfs                           | Pencil, Mechanical  | <b>FILMS</b>  |
| Shirts                           | Pipes   | Letters   |
| Socks, Pr.                       | <b>RELIGIOUS ARTICLES</b>                                 | Papers, Personal  |
| Ties                             | <b>RIBBONS, DECORATION</b>                                | Photos  |
| Towels                           | Rings   | Shoe Shine Articles                                       |
| Trousers, Pr.                    | Tobacco   | <b>SHORT SHORTER</b>                                      |
| Trunks, Pr.                      | Toilet Articles   | <b>SOUVENIRS</b> / <i>Wings, British</i>                  |
| Underwear                        | <i>MARCH NO NAME</i>                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>SOUVENIR MONEY</b> |
|                                  |   | Stationery  |
|                                  |   | <b>TESTAMENTS</b>   |
|                                  |   | <b>U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)</b>                                |

REMARKS *Wife* Mrs. Jack M. Simpson  
1530-6th Street  
Berling, Nebraska.

\* No name - NOT IN RUNNING ORDER

|                 |                        |            |           |                     |                                     |
|-----------------|------------------------|------------|-----------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| WAREHOUSE SPACE | 1153                   | STORED BY  | <i>SW</i> | DATE SHIPPED        | 1 JAN 1 1945                        |
| INVENTORIED BY  | <i>Lawson - Galvin</i> | CHECKED BY | <i>SW</i> | WEIGHT              |                                     |
| PACKED BY       | <i>S. H. Smith</i>     |            |           | G.I. REMOVED        |                                     |
|                 |                        |            |           | SHORTAGE ON REVERSE | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
|                 |                        |            |           | IDENT. TAGS REMOVED |                                     |
|                 |                        |            |           | DIARY REMOVED       |                                     |
|                 |                        |            |           | LOCKED STORAGE      |                                     |
|                 |                        |            |           | LAUNDRY REMOVED     |                                     |
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DAMAGED

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

U. S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

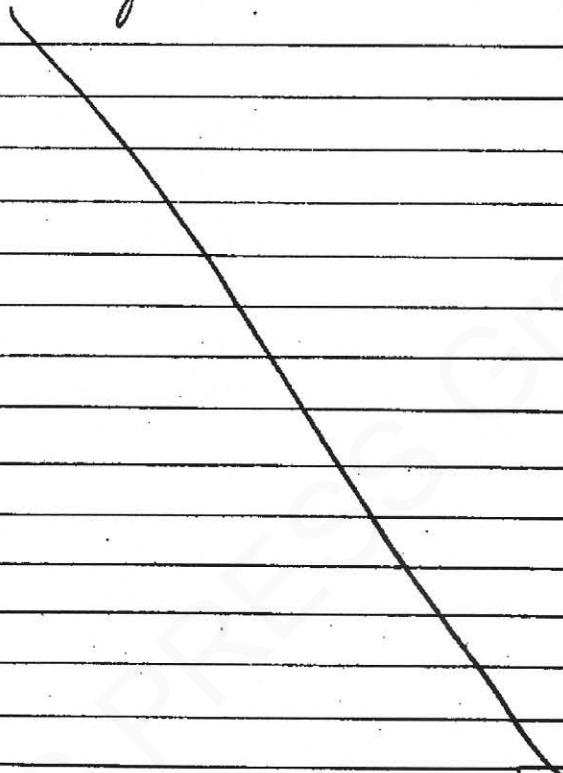
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AMOUNT

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I certify that the above listed items were not in the containers inventoried by me:

*Carroll Galvin*

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

Simpson, Jack M. 37454639  
a Pvt., Co C, 501st Prent Inf  
MIA 6th June 1944

CLASS I

letters ✓  
1 watch ✓  
coins ✓  
patches, parachute ✓  
1 wings, parachute, British ✓  
1 pack snapshots ✓  
1 Almanac, Spiritual ✓  
2 billfolds ①  
1 folder, picture ✓

Money      Specia.....\$.....  
              Notes.....\$.....

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all the effects of the above named and that the effects were delivered to the Effects Quartermaster ETOUSA, Warehouse Division, Stanley Warehouse, US Forces, Liverpool, Eng.

*Philip I. Evans*  
PHILIP I. EVANS,  
2d Lt., Infantry

APO 472 c/o Pm NY NY  
3 August 1944

WDAGO Forms No. 54



FORM 1-4-41-200

NAME **SIMPSON, JACK N.**

| BAY       | PALLET    | BOX      | TALLY       |
|-----------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| <b>61</b> | <b>34</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>7609</b> |

| TYPE OF PKG. | WHSE SPACE | INVENTORIED |
|--------------|------------|-------------|
| <b>CPH</b>   |            |             |

EE. QM FORM 1

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

801 HARDESTY AVENUE  
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO ~~219649~~

GHG:KD:ah  
7 June 1945

Pvt. Shirley M. Simpson  
c/o Mrs. M. D. Cross  
1530 6th Street  
Gehring, Nebraska

Dear Pvt. Simpson:

This refers to an inquiry received at the Army Effects Bureau from the Personal Affairs Officer written on your behalf regarding the personal effects of your husband, Pvt. Jack M. Simpson

Your husband's property which was received at the Army Effects Bureau, was recently forwarded directly to his mother, Mrs. Alberta H. Schmode, 300 East 14th Street, Scottsbluff, Nebraska. At that time our records indicated your husband was missing in action and his mother was shown as emergency addressee. Your name did not appear; therefore, the property was forwarded to Mrs. Schmode for storage and safekeeping pending return or change in his status.

Perhaps by contacting Mrs. Schmode, an equitable distribution of the property can be made.

Please accept my sympathy in the loss of your husband.

Sincerely yours,

HARRY NIEMIEC  
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.  
Chief, Correspondence Branch

ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
Fourth Service Command  
Third WAC Training Center  
Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia

SMP/hw

TWTC-PA

23 May 1945

SUBJECT: Request for Information

TO : Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City QM Depot, 601 Hardesty St.,  
Kansas City, Missouri.

1. Request information concerning personal effects of Jack M. Simpson, ASN-37454639.
2. Soldier was declared missing in action on 6 June 1944 and on 10 March 1945, enlisted woman was notified that the presumptive date of death had been set as 6 June 1944.
3. This information is requested on behalf of his wife, Pvt. Shirley M. Simpson, A-712230, presently undergoing basic training, this station.
4. In the event effects are received, please ship them to Pvt. Shirley M. Simpson, & Mrs. M. D. Cross, 1530 6th Street, Gehring, Nebraska, mother of enlisted woman.

*Shirley M. Phillips*  
SHIRLEY M. PHILLIPS,  
1st Lt., WAC,  
Personal Affairs Officer.