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WAR DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Abicht, George 1232 August 30, 1929.

Mr. Frank Abicht, 1017 S. 7th St., La Crosse, Wisc.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 27, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

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2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

of any Kind his In other is dead and his father never remarrie

Survived by a widow or mother does she sire to make the pilgrimage?

STP 11 1029

For The Quartermaster General,

M. & H. DIV.

Very truly yours,

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

0. Q. M. G.

Act of Congress Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C Abicht, George - 1232 Bro

July 3, 1930.

Mr. Frank Abioht, 1017 S 7th St. La Crosso, Wisc.

Dear Sir:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

| 1. | Is the deceased survived by a mother? | |
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| | If so, give her name and address: | |
| | 2 has a widow | |
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| | If so, give her name and address: | |
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| 3. | Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended? | |
| | If so, give her name and address: | |

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures: Envelope Act Amendment

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

WAR DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C Abight, George

June 27, 1929.

Mr. Frank Abloht, 1022 South St., La Crosse, Visc.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the brother of the late Private George Abicht. Co. L. 16th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cay., Romagne-sous-Hontfaucon, Meuse, Prance.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

In reply refer to: 293 C-R

July 6, 1923.

Mr. Frank Abicht, 1525 Famun St., IsCrosse, Wisc.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private George Abicht, Company I, 16th Infantry, is Grave 19, Row 34, Block B, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Mouse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner, Assistent,

23/236/ARK

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| II. | REGISTRATION CARD.—(Check Reg., Card Inf. against | Loc., Ind., Inf.): | |
| | (a) Grave No. 89 Row Plot | 2 Sec. 33 T | YP. DMA |
| | (b) Emerg. Address Frank Abicht (brothe | r) 1325 Farmum St., L | acrosse, Wisc |
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| VII. | G. R. S. Form No. 114 made, 1920. |
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| VIII. | Final Action: |
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| | PANAGRAPH 2 - NOT . O DE RETURNED a.P. |
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| IX. | CORRECTIONS CHANGE OF ADVICE. ACTION TAKEN. |
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| X. | Suspension Remarks: GRS garry Rel: Frank Abicht brother, |
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March 31, 1922. 293.8 C-R #82114 (Abicht, George Pvt.)Cty.1232-Sec.33-Sht.1-208 The Quartermaster General, U.S. Army (Graves Registration Service). Mr. Frank Abicht, 1017 S. 7th Street, La Crosse, Wisconsin. Disposition of Remains. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 23, 1922, stating that you desire the remains of your late brother, Private George Abicht, Company L, 16th Infantry, returned to this country for final burial. In reply thereto this office regrets to advise you that it is now too late to comply with this request, as our records contain your previous request that the remains of the deceased be left in France for permanent burial and instructions were issued accordingly. The Secretary of War designated August 15, 1921 as the date beyond which no changes in requests, relative to the return of a body, would be considered. This date was delayed as long as possible in view of the progress of the work in France and after being made was given wide publicity through the newspapers and other available agencies in an effort to advise all interested. It is in view of this policy that the above decision is necessary. The American Cemetery of the Meuse-Argonne, Romagnesous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, in which the remains of your brother are interred, is a permanent American cemetery and the grave will be marked by a suitable headstone and will be perpetually cared for by the United States Government in a careful and reverent manner. By authority of the Quartermaster General: Date 2 3 1 2 445 CHARLES J. WYNE . Captain, Q. M. C. 0.0 HUR

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

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| I. LOCATION INDEX CARD: | |
| (a) Name ABICHT, George Ser. No. 283375 TYP. TYP. | |
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| (b) Rank Organization (c) Date of death 10/4/18 (d) Cause of death K/A | |
| II. REGISTRATION CARD.—(Check Reg., Card Inf. against Loc., Ind., Inf.): | |
| (a) Grave No. 89 Row Plot 2 Sec. 33 TYP. IMA | |
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| VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J.,, 1 | 92 |
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| VII. Supplementary Requests. | |
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| VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. | 192 |
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G. R. S. Form. No. 16-A Contration Case. Place Ro gne sous Montfaucon. REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL Date Dec 3rd 1921. 1. Remains of ABICHT, George Serial Number 283375 RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co L 16th Inf. From (give complete location): 2. Disinterred (date): Dec. 3rd 1921 Grave89 Sec 37 Plot 2. Cem. 1232. In (give complete location): 3. Reburied (date): Dec, 3rd, 1921, Grave 19, Rew 34, Block B, Cemetery 1232, Unlined Casket 4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable. Unigorm burlap and box. AMB AMB On peg over body? Yes. (b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: George Abicht. 283375 Pvt Co. L. 16th Inf. None. 6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? (a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine. (b) Weight (estimated) do (c) Hair—Color do MBD-4 Quantity _____do Characteristics do . Caol (c (d) Hair on face—Color do Location.....do Quantity _____do (e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None visible. (f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) None visible. 7. Disinterment H.H.FOSTER. Approved: supervised by 8. Reburial Approved supervised by ... A. U. Dufault, Title) James

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the corresponding numbered space. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

- 1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
- 2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
- 3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
- 4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
- 5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".
- (b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.
- 6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

| MISSING TEETH. All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus: | OOTH MISSING |
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| CROWNED TEETH | |
| BRIDGE WORK | GOLDAND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE |
| FILLINGS Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus: | SHEASE LING GOLD LITTING |
| CARIES (CAVITIES)Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus: | OFCAYED DECAYED DECAYED |

DENTURES (PLATES)Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."

^{7.} Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.

^{8.} Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE December 5, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

| DIS | ISINTERMENT COMPARATIVE REPORT | | | | |
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| Rec | ords of G.R.S. Headquarters. | Disc | repancy found upon exhumation of body | | |
| 1. | Name ABICHT, George | 10. | Name | | |
| 2. | No. 283375. | 11. | No. | | |
| 3. | Rank Pyt. | 12. | Rank | | |
| 4. | Org. Co.L., 16th Inf. | 13. | Org. | | |
| 5. | D.D.Oct. 4 th18 | 14. | (a) D.D. | | |
| 6. | C.D. KIA | | (b) D.B. | | |
| | | Disc | crepancy found upon disinterment | | |
| 7. | Grave No. 89 Sec. 33 | 15. | Grave No. Sec. | | |
| 8. | Plot 2 Row | 16. | Plot Row | | |
| 9. | | 17. | | | |
| 18. | Cemete Meuse-Argonne American | 19. | Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfauc | | |
| 20. | Dept. or County Meuse | 21. | Country France. | | |
| 22. | G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232.Sec.33 | | UA-1 | | |
| | Disinterred (Date) Dec. 3, 1921 | Ву | H.H. Foster | | |
| 24. | Inscription on grave marker: | | | | |
| | Name ABICHT, George | Ser | ial No. 263375 | | |
| | Rank Pvt. | Orga | anization Co. L, 16th Inf. 1/1/22 | | |
| 25. | Was identification disc found on grave | mark | er? Yes On body? Yes | | |
| | | | John H. (rous) not | | |
| | | | Signature Junior Technical Assistant | | |
| | PARATION | | | | |
| 26. | What other means of identification were identification on body, give description | on of | body? (If no disc or other means of body in detail). | | |
| | None Tag on peg over | | | | |
| 27. | Condition of body Decemposed; unrec | ogni | zable. | | |
| 28. | Nature of burial Uniform, burlap and | box | | | |
| 29. | Any discrepancy noted upon examination quoted above? | of b | ody, as compared with G.R.S. records | | |
| 30. | Body prepared and placed in casket: Dat | te | Dec. 5, 1921 By H.H.Foster | | |
| 31. | Casket sealed by H.H. Foster | | A Company of the Comp | | |
| | Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor | | N. N. Fratis | | |

| SHII | PMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-18022 | _2 |
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| 32. | Designation of body: | |
| | Name George ABICHT Serial No. 283375 | |
| | Rank Pvt. Organization Co.L., 16th Inf. | |
| 33. | Consigned to: | |
| | Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty.# 1233 Romagne-sous-Montfauc | on Me |
| 34. | Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec. 3, 1921 By H.H.Foster | |
| 35. | I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct. | |
| | Signature of G.R.S. Inspector R.C. WORTHINGTON, | 1 |
| 36. | Remarks None | |
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| 37. | Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) December 3, 1921. | - |
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| | To point of Concentration Morgue, Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232. | |
| | Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer Gerald | Col |
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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Abicht, 283375, George (Number). (First Name and Initials). (Surname).

Pvt. (Rank). Ce. L. 16th Inf. (Organization).

S. Exerment. PLACE OF DEATH:...

Killed in Action CAUSE OF DEATH

Oct. 15., 1918.

PLACE OF BURDAL S. Exerment. ...

(Give Cemetery, Town and Department). Map reference specify clearly what stape stused.

Name

Cross?...Yes

Bottle? . :

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes.

Was one fastened to name pe stake used as a grave marker

Yes

If name unknown and tags missing, description should be given l

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY

Records Office, A. G. O., A. E. F.

82114 Card Dept. G.R.S. Form No. 8; Central Reserts Licison. Meme For: G.R.S. representative, C.R.D. Information required for G.R.S. SUBJECT: Items checked are to be completed: 1. Surnanc: ABICHT Number: 283375 First name: George Rank: Private Company: L Organization: 16th Infantry Date of death: Case: Place: Location of hospital: "Jrank abieht hip: Brother 1325 Farrum A Labross Number : Class Rolative: Rolationship: Address: authority: 465 C.blogram No: Telegram from: dated: Reported to Washington: C.C. Nos: (Underscore the "official" C.C.) Romarks: Show prosent status on reverse side.

CHARLES C. PIERCE, Lieut.-Colonol, Q.M.C., US.A.

Initials of Reporter:

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March 31, 1922.

293.8 U-R #82114 (Abicht, George Pvt) Cty; 1232-Sec. 33-3ht-112086.
The Guartermaster General, U.S. Army (Graves Registration Service).
Mr. Frank Abicht, 1017 S. 7th Street, La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Disposition of Remains.

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- 1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 23, 1922, stating that you desire the remains of your late brother, Private George Abicht, Company L. 16th Infantry, returned to this country for final burial. In reply thereto this office regrets to advise you that it is now too late to comply with this request, as our records contain your previous request that the remains of the deceased be left in France for permanent burial and instructions were issued accordingly.
- 2. The Secretary of War designated August 15, 1921 as the date beyond which no changes in requests, relative to the return of a body, would be considered. This date was delayed as long as possible in view of the progress of the work in France and after being made was given wide publicity through the newspapers and other available agencies in an effort to advise all interested. It is in view of this policy that the above decision is necessary.
- 3. The American Cemetery of the Meuse-Argonne, Romagnesous-Montfeucon, Department of Meuse, in which the remains
 of your brother are interred, is a permanent American cemetery and the grave will be marked by a suitable headstone
 and will be perpetually cared for by the United States
 Government in a careful and reverent manner.

By authority of the Quartermeeter General:

OHARLES J. WYNE. Captain, Q. M. C.

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March 23 rd 19 8 2. Dear Sir In regards to bringing bodies back from over seas I'm would like to ask in regards to my brothers body if we could have his body brought back and what the expense would be He was buried at exmert Ardenes His name is George abient Army serial number 283 375 le 2. 16 Inf World you please let me Rune in regards of having his body brought back Drie 3/21/22. azs. Atio Bro. Mank abieht 1017 So. 7th La brosse GRAVES RESIDENTIAL SER

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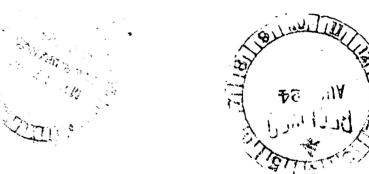
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| LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF |
| (Surname). (Number) (First Name and Initials). |
| (Rank). Co. L. 16th Inf. (Organization). |
| PLACE OF DEATH: S. Exerment. |
| CAUSE OF DEATH: Killed in Action |
| DATE OF BURIAL: Oct |
| PLACE OF BURNAL S. Exerment. |
| (Give Cemetery, Town and Department). Map reference must specify clearly what map is used. |
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| S |
| GRAVE NUMBER:7 |
| HOW MARKED: Name Peg?Cross? |
| Headboard? Bottle? |
| IDENTIFICATION TAGS: |
| Was one buried with body?Yes |
| Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Y'56 |
| If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here: |
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| NEAREST RELATIVE: |
| ADDRESS: |
| RELATIONSHIP: |
| REPORTED BY: |
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| (Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer). |
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

- 1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.
- 2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Head-quarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.
- 3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.
- 4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statment to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.



Place Neufchateau, Wosges, Data 21st June 1919 .

REPORT OF DISINGRAINT AND REBURIAL

| emains of: | MINITE 283375 |
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| NAME: ABICHT George | CENTURATION: Co I 16th Inf. |
| HANK: Ukn | |
| DESING LINE OF AND REBURIAL MA | DE BY CHOUP: UNIT: |
| DISINTERED: (Date) | FROM: (Give complete location) |
| 7th June 1919 | Grave ISOLATED. |
| ф | EXERMONT ARDENNES. |
| | 35 NE. E 301.4 N 280.5 |
| REBURIED (Date) | IN: (Give complete location) |
| 7th June 1919. | Grave 89 sec 33 plot 2. |
| | ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY. # 1232. |
| | ROAMGNE. MEUSE. |
| Burial good. In | ginal burial and condition of body upon disinterment: uniform Badly decomposed. |
| was one identification tag | found upon the body? Yes |
| What other means of identi | found upon the body? Yes fication were found on the body? None. |
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| sent to the Effects Depot efter being carefully exa | nt, effects are found on bodies, they will be promptly, direct, as is required by G. O. 170, G.H. Q, 1918, mined for clues of identity in doubtful cases, notation reported to the Chief, Graves Registration Service. R. H. ROSENTHAL |
| Supervised by: Lt. St | and Lieut. Q.M.C.U.S.A. |