

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Allen 3488112 Arthur
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Co "A" 26th Inf.
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: Field of battle

CAUSE OF DEATH: Killed in action

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct 11 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: Field of battle

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

Int'l Gym 1-50,000 03.7
80.3

Dept Meuse France

GRAVE NUMBER: 4

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? yes

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? yes

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: Roberts Williams

Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer

This portion to be forwarded to Central Records Office, A. G. O., A. E. F.

Co. A, 26th Inf
1st Division.

"I was never
was struck by
again."

3488112.

4th, 1918 when he
not see him

ward P. Pvt. 4196039
h Infantry.
ve., Brooklyn, N.Y.

Baxter,
26th Infantry.

AFB.

(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL

Oct. 10, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL

Field of battle

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

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Dept. Meuse France

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GRAVE NUMBER

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Cross?

Yes

Headboard?

Bottle?

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4th, 1918 when he
not see him

Edward F. Pvt. 4196039
th Infantry.
Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y.

Baxter,
26th Infantry.

REPORTED BY:

Roberts Williams

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Co. A, 26th In
1st Division.

"I was never
was struck by a
again."

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Co. A, 26th In
1st Division.

"I was not
was struck by a
again."

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cpl A Co 26th Inf
(Rank). (Organization)
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If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks
should be given here:
NEAREST RELATIVE: Eldridge G. G. G.
ADDRESS: 10913 Cedar Ave. Clinton, N.Y.
RELATIONSHIP: Friend
REPORTED BY: Robert Williams
Chaplain 26th Inf
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

This portion to be forwarded to Central Records Office, A. G. O., A. E. F.

3488112.

4th, 1918 when he
did not see him

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th Infantry.
Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y.

Baxter,
26th Infantry.

Co. A, 26th Infantry.
1st Division.

ALLEN , Arthur, Cpl. 3488112.

"I was next to him during the advance on October 4th, 1918 when he was struck by a shell. As we were going forward I did not see him again."

Informant: Cahill, Edward F, Pvt. 4196039
Co. A, 26th Infantry.
Home: 99 Roger Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y.
3-4-19.
Signed: Stuart A. Baxter,
1st Lieut., 26th Infantry.

AHB.

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HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Allen</i>	<i>ALL</i>	3	<i>1 2 2</i>
BURIED <i>Arthur</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
	GRAVE <i>30</i>	2	<i>30</i>
	ROW <i>29</i>	2	<i>29</i>
	BLOCK <i>D</i>	1	<i>4</i>
STATE	<i>Ark</i>	2	<i>03</i>
RANK	<i>Priv</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>3</i>	2	<i>03</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>38</i>	3	<i>038</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Allen</i>	<i>ALL</i>	3	<i>1 2 2</i>
<i>Mrs. Mary Ann</i>	STATE <i>Ark</i>	2	<i>03</i>
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>White</i>	2	<i>73</i>
	CITY <i>Pangburn</i>	3	<i>+ + +</i>
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	<i>yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Bad</i>	1	<i>2</i>
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Allen Arthur (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs Mary Ann Allen
Pangburn, Ark

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries Of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

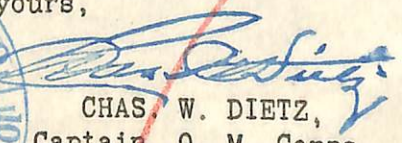
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In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

NO
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

Mrs Mary Ann Allen

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Allen, Arthur Pvt. (M-A) M

June 9, 1931.

Mrs. Mary Ann Allen,
Pangburn, Ark.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?

NO
Write answer here

Mrs Mary Ann Allen
Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Allen, Arthur Pvt 1232 M

October 9, 1930

Mrs. Mary Ann Allen
Pangburn
Arkansas

Dear Madam:

A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	NO
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	NO
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age 75- Condition of health Bad
4. Do you speak English?	Yes
5. What other language do you speak?	None

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 7, 1930.

Allen, Arthur-1232 N

Mrs. Mary Ann Allen,
Pangburn, Ark.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1931, to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all mothers and widows who are not making the pilgrimage in 1930, regardless of whether or not they have expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Allen, Arthur 1232 -M

Mrs. Mary Ann Allen,
Pangburn, Arkansas.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years) 44	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No)	Other languages (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Allen, Arthur

Aug. 13, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Ann Allen,
Pangburn, Ark.

Dear Madam:

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 mother of the late Pvt. Arthur Allen, Co. M, 38th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return 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?

Never Was married

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. Will you make the pilgrimage

NO

Am not able to go

For the Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Allen, Arthur

Mrs. Mary A. Allen,
Pangburn, Arkansas.

Mother
Mary Ann Allen,
Pangburn, Ark.
June 29, 1929.

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Dear Madam:

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".

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Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish her full name and address in order that action may be taken to extend an invitation to her to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is 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,

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Envelope.

John T. Harris

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



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DATE 3/2/22

1. NAME ALLEN, Arthur

SERIAL No. 1588211

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co.M. 38th Inf.

DIVISION

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse Argonne American, Romagne/s/Montfaucon, Meuse. 1232, Sec. 15

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

55

Sect. 15

2

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

16 Bac

Romagne,

Meuse

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35 NE 284.8 N 308.4 E

CONCENTRATED TO 4/11/19

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Sec 15

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DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse Argonne Cemetery

1232

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

Data concerning any identification found on remains when concentrated, such as collar insignias, letters, broken bones, missing parts, etc.

Tag on body

DATE OF DEATH Oct 9 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Ark

data F-1. MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

ccg

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

M. B. BIRDSEYE

1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

3/2/22

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Block D.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. 1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY

B.W. 3/17/23



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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, Headquarters, 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, statement 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.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Allen 1588211

Arthur

(Surname).

(Number).

(First Name and Initials).

Cor

(Rank).

Co M 38th Inf

(Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: Hill 240.

CAUSE OF DEATH: Killed in action.

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct. 26, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL: Near hilltop, 1 kilometer

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

E. by S. from Romagnu church. Coord pts:

84.50-08.20 Group de Canaves de Jir map.

GRAVE NUMBER: 13

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes

Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

James B. Ostergren, 1st Lt and Chaplain

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

O. Q. M. G.
MAIL & RECORD BRANCH

File 293 - Allen, Arthur

Subject Pvt. - Co. M - 38th Infantry

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

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CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO OW 208 A-M
Allen, Arthur Pvt. (1-A) M

June 9, 1931.

Mrs. Mary Ann Allen,
Pangburn, Ark.

Dear Madam:

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Assistant.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?

Write answer here

Sign here

QM 293 A-M

October 9, 1930

Allen, Arthur Pvt 1232 M

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Pangburn
Arkansas

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The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age Condition of health
4. Do you speak English?	
5. What other language do you speak?	

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, U. S. Corps,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 7, 1930.

Allen, Arthur-1232 M

Mrs. Mary Ann Allen,
Bangburn, Ark.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Allen, Arthur 1232 -M

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2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No) Other language (Specify language spoken)	

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Allen, Arthur

Aug. 13, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Ann Allen,
Pangburn, Ark.

Dear Madam:

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 mother of the late Pvt. Arthur Allen, Co. M, 38th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return 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?

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. Will you make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

Pangburn Ark

July 7-29

Dear Sir in reply to your
request of Auther Allen
has no widow he never
was married his mother
^{now} Ma Allen is to feeble to
make the trip sincerely

Mrs Ma Allen



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 20, 1929.

Allen, Arthur

Mrs. Mary A. Allen,
Pangburn, Arkansas.

Dear Madam:

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 mother of the late Pvt. Arthur Allen, Co. M, 38th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish her full name and address in order that action may be taken to extend an invitation to her to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is 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,

2 incs.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

Allen

(Surname)

Arthur

(Christian name in full.)

1,588,211

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co M, 38th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

no

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery?

(Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mary A Allen

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713

Orig let sent to-
Mary Ann Allen, (mother)
Pangburn Ark.

Drawn by 7A
1232 Sep 15 - 2
3 - 21

checked by 7A
3-28-21

In reply refer to:
293 C-R

June 6, 1923.

Mrs. Mary A. Allen,
Pangburn,
Ark.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that
Private Arthur Allen, Company H, 38th Infantry,
the permanent grave of
is Grave 30, Row 29, Block D, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery,
Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), 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 main-
tained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting
place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

RD

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23/236/ARK

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

Central Mail & Files Bldg



JUN 11 1923
P.O.C.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 89898

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name ALLEN, Arthur Ser. No. 1588211
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. M, 38th Inf.
 (c) Date of death 10-9-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. B
 CKR. 30

II. REGISTRATION CARD.—(Check Reg., Card Inf. against Loc., Ind., Inf.):

(a) Grave No. 55 Row OK 3/29/21 B Plot 2 Sec. 15 TYP. B
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mary A. Allen (mother) Pangburn, Ark.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases / / / / / / / / / / CKR. 30

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD: OK 3/29/21 B Date of receipt None

(a) Name Mary A Allen (b) Relationship mother
 (c) Address omitted
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. _____

(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

Examiner's Initials JD Date 3-28, 1920.

V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from _____

_____, dated _____

confirming request in Par. IV., item _____, above, or requesting that _____

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials JD Date 3-28, 1920.

VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE—shows as follows:

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes

Examiner's Initials JD Date 3-28, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 15 SHEET No. 2

CARDED

H-5-4-12-21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made

Typed by

Checked by

, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on

, 1920

letter on

, 1920

Section #15

Par # 2 - Not to be returned - RD

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.	ACTION TAKEN.
Desires body be	
Body to be shipped to	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

Location Index

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

A.G.O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

CA nos w sent 3/24/21

Checkers

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

S/1357/LML

*Ed checked
70.3.28.21*

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II. REGISTRATION CARD.—(Check Reg., Card Inf. against Loc., Ind., Inf.):

(a) Grave No. 55 Row 3/29/20 Plot 2 Sec. 15 TYP. B
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mary A. Allen (mother) Pangburn, Ark.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases / / / / / / / / / / CKR 30

IV. Information on which advice to Europe in letter of transmittal was based:

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 letter of transmittal on 4/6/21, 192
Section # 15
par # 2 - not to be returned - AD

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., APR 14 1921, 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source.	Relationship and name.	Desires.	Action taken.

VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., APR 28 1921, 192

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Mar 1, 1922.1. REMAINS OF ALLEN, Arthur SERIAL NUMBER 1588211.RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. M. 38th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): From (give complete location):

Mar 1, 1922gr 55, sec 15, plot 2. Cty. 1232.By: Group 6 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): In (give complete location):

Mch. 2nd 1922 Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Gr. 30 block D row 29By: Group Re-burial 8 Unit unlined casket.
Nature of reburial

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:

wooden box and burlap and U.S. uniform. badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes. On grave marker? nocorroded.

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:

plaque on body "Arthur Allen 1588211"

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine.do

(b) Weight (estimated)

do

(c) Hair—Color

Quantity

do

Characteristics

do

(d) Hair on face—Color

do

Location

do

Quantity

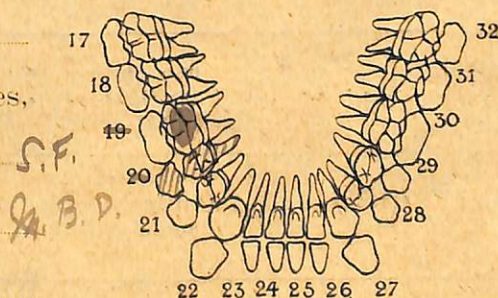
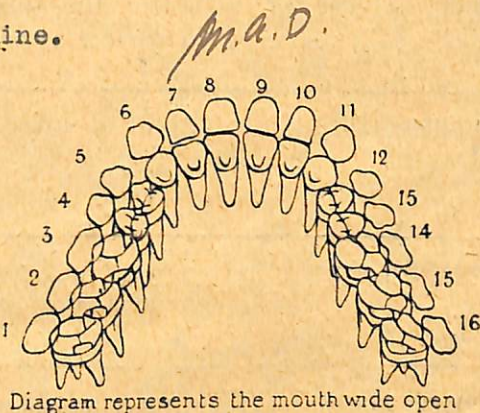
do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities,

or missing parts)

do

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)

none visible.7. Disinterment
supervised by

Roy M. Perry
R.M. Perry.

Approved:

Geo. C. Bland
Geo. C. Bland 1st Lt. Q.M.C.
(Title)

8. Reburial

Supervised by

W. B. Heild
W. B. Heild

Approved:

A. E. Dewey
A. E. Dewey, 1st. Lt. Q.M.C.
(Title)

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".

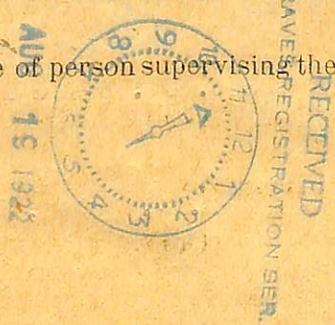
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying 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:	
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:	
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	
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.



Romagne 1232

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE

March 1 1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

Time.

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name ALLEN, Arthur

10. Name

2. No. 158821

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co.M. 38th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. 10-9-18

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B.

None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 55Sec. 15

15. Grave No.

Sec.

8. Plot 2

Row

16. Plot

Row

9.

17.

18. Cemetery Meuse Argonne American.19. Commune or town None Romagne/s/ Montfaucon.20. Dept. or County Meuse.21. Country France.22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232, Sec. 15

23. Disinterred (Date)

By

March 1 1922Roy M Perry

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name

Arthur Allen

Serial No.

158821

Rank

Pvt

Organization

Co M 38 Inf

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker?

On body?

E. J. Rasch Yes Feb
Corroded
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

E J Rasch

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

Plaque on body Arthur Allen 1588211

27. Condition of body

Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial

Box US Uniform Burlap

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above?

None

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date

By

March 1 1922Roy M Perry

31. Casket sealed by

Roy M Perry

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

Roy M Perry

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No.

32. Designation of body:

Name Arthur ALLEN

Rank Pvt.

Organization

Co. M. 38th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse Argonne American, 1232, Romagne/s/Montfaucon, Meuse.

Romagne 1232

Roy M Perry

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) March 1 1922 By

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 Geo C Bland 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

March 1 1922

cc

To point of Concentration

Morgue Romagne

Convoyer

P H Doran

(Name)

Signature Shipping Officer

J. F. Spann
Capt. QMC

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery

(Name)

Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred

Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232

Feb 2nd 1922.

42. Grave No.

Section

43. BLOCK

30

Row

20

G.R.S. Representative

A. R. Dewey, 1st Lt. QMC.

jt.

Date 6, MAY 1919.REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: ALLEN, ArthurNumber: 1588211Rank: Unkn.Organization: Unkn.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

11, April 1919.Grave# 16, B/ A CEMETERY, ROMAGNE, MEUSE.Map 35 NE E 308.4 N 284.8

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

11, April 1919.Grave# 55, Sec. 15, Plot 2.AMER. B/A CEMETERY 1232, ROMAGNE, MEUSE.Map 35 NE E 308.16 N 284.87

Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:

Body buried in uniform, Body badly decomposed.Was one identification tag found upon the body? YesWhat other means of identification were found on the body? None.

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 1918., after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Lieut. Caswell.R. H. ROSENTHAL2nd Lieut. Q.M.C.U.S.A.C.O. Group Unit

89878

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

ALLEN, 158821, Arthur
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

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

PLACE OF DEATH: Unaccounted for since
October 10th 1918

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL:

PLACE OF BURIAL:

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

GRAVE NUMBER:

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?

Headboard?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: Unknown

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

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FILE

1st Ind.

File No. 293.8 Gen. Div. -#89898 -(ALLEN, Arthur).
From: C. Q. M. C., Cemeterial Division, March 9, 1921. To: The
Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Streets, N. W., Washington, D.C.

1. Returned. The records of this office show Private
Arthur ALLEN to have been buried, (date not given) in Grave #16,
American Battle Area, Cemetery #1718, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse
and to have been disinterred and reburied April 11, 1919 in Grave #55,
Section #15, Plot #2, Argonne American Cemetery #1232, Romagne-sous-
Montfaucon, Meuse.

2. The records of this office do not afford any infor-
mation relative to the date or cause of death or date of original
burial, name of Chaplain or burial officer who buried Private Allen.

3. The following named soldiers were buried in the
immediate vicinity of the original grave location of Private Allen:

Grave #14, DARNELL, John W. #733197, Pvt. 1/c, Co. H, 5th Inf.
K/A 10/14/18.
Grave #15, PARK, Anson J., #734252, Cpl. Co. H, 6th Inf.
K/A 10/14/18.
Grave #18, WHITE, Marison, #734316, Pvt. 1/c, Co. M, 6th Inf.
K/A 10/12/18.
Grave #19, WAGERS, Lawrence, #552748, Pvt. Co. M, 36th Inf.
K/A 10-3-18 D. B. 10-26-18.

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

By:

M. H. GREENLEY,
Captain, Q. M. C.

FWW

Inv. SS
Inv. & Adj

MAILED

MAR 11 1921

G.R.S.

CASE NO. ALIEN, Arthur 1,588,211 Pvt. Co. M. 38th Inf.
 Name Serial # Rank & Org.

	Sources	of Information
A	Registration Cards 5x8 4x6	F Prep. of Data Files Form 16 Forms 1-A
B	Administrative Files	G Photographic field records
C	Communal Lists & Sketches	H A. G. O.
D	A.R.C. Searchers Reports Chaplains Reports	I Engineers Maps
E	Location Index File	J Misc. Info. to be found in Administrative Files. E series slips, Etc.

REASON FOR INVESTIGATION

A.G.O. Inquiry.

A. W/C gives: Allen, Arthur 1,588,211
 Pvt. Co. M. 38th Inf K/A 10-9-18, no D.B.
 Buried Grave #16, Amer. B/A Cty. #1718, Re-
 buried 4-11-19 Grave #55, Sec. 15, plot 2,
 Argonne Amer. Cty. #1232.

F. see below.

B. G.L.B. gives: Unaccounted for since
 10-10-18. 1st. Ind. signed by Philip T Fry
 Capt. 38th Inf. gives: "Pvt. Arthur Allen was
 reported MIA 10-10-18. no further information
 available at this office.

G. A.R.O. Photo. D-35913 gives:
~~Allen, Arthur~~

Arthur Allen
U.S.A.

C. Unnecessary to search.

H. No record.

D. No record.

I. Unnecessary to search.

E. Unnecessary to search.

J. No record.

SUMMARY

Form 1-A D-9423 for first confirmed burial gives: ALLEN, Arthur 1,588,211, org., rank,
 and D.B. Unknown, Form 16 for reburial gives: Body buried in uniform, body badly
 decomposed. Tag on body. no other means of identification.

The following soldiers are buried near Pvt. Allen's first confirmed burial.

Grave #14, DARNELL, John W. 733197 Pvt. 1/cl. Co. H 6th Inf K/A 10-14-18

Grave #15, PARK, Anson J. 734252 Cpl. Co. M. 6th Inf K/A 10-14-18

Grave #18, WHITE, Marison 734526 Pvt. 1/cl. Co. M. 6th Inf K/A 10-12-18

Grave #19, WAGERS, Lourance 552748 Pvt. Co. M. 38th Inf K/A 10-9-18 D.B. 10-26-18

Grave #55, Sec. 15, plot 2, Argonne Amer. Cty. #1232 now marked as stated in par. G.
 it is requested that marking be changed to: Arthur Allen, 1,588,211 Pvt. Co. M. 38th Inf.
 K/A 10-9-18

Action Requested Memo. to A.G.O. and change
 of inscription.

P.A. Cogan
 Investigator

Corr. Handled By _____

Date Completed _____

Checked By SWC

Adjusted By serial # corrected

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

1109

PLEASE

EXPEDITE

Infant. & Adj. Section
Infant. Unit.
WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON

G R.S. Form 8-W-A

Information requested of A.G.O.

File No. *89898* Registration.

Date *3/2/21*

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

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

Subject: Information required for G R.S.

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

a. Surname

Allen

f. Date of death

Oct 9, 1918

b. Christian name

Arthur

g. Cause of death

K. I. A.

c. Serial number

158821 or 1588211

h. Authority (C.C.#)

411-17 Sub 24

d. Organization

C. M. 38th Inf.

i. Emergency address

*Mary Anne Allen
Banglown Ark.*

e. Rank

Pvt.

j. Relationship

Mother

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

a. Age at enlistment

b. Color of eyes

c. Color of hair

d. Height

e. Weight

f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment. (Old fractures or breaks)

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
upper right upper left

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left

L. ROGERS,

Quartermaster General, U.S.A.,

H. J. CONNER,

Captain, Q.M.C.

Rec'd S & S Div., A.G.O.

MAR 5 1921 6

AG201 (Allen, Arthur)WW

March 1, 1921.

Date and place of burial.

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

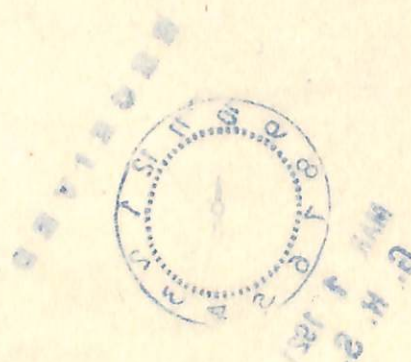
1. Under date of November 29, 1920, you advised this office that the case of Private Arthur Allen, #1,588,211, Company M, 38th Infantry, was under detailed investigation, upon the completion of which, a report would be forwarded:

2. The records indicate that the report referred to above has never been received, and in order to enable this office to complete the record of Private Allen, it is requested that this case be expedited.

By order of the Secretary of War:

I. Erwin

Adjutant General.



1st Ind.

C.O.CO."M" 38th Inf. 15th March 1919
To. Chief, Graves Registration Service

1. Pvt Arthur Aller was reported
missing in action Oct. 10th 1918.
No further information is available
at this office.

Philip T. Fry
Philip T. Fry
Captain 38th Infantry



89898
FILES.

November 29, 1920.

293.8 Cem. Div. - #89898 Registration.

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army (Cemeterial Division).
To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Streets, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.
Subject: Case of Private Arthur Allen #1588211, Company M, 38th Infantry.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of communication from your office, dated November 23, 1920, requesting information in regard to the grave location of the above named soldier. ✓

2. It is necessary to institute a detailed investigation in this case, results of which may not be reached for some time, due to the nature of the work and limited personnel.

3. When definite information is discovered in this case same will be forwarded.

FWW

H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, Q.M.G. *FWW*

By:

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November 23, 1920.

SUBJECT: Date and place of burial.

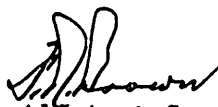
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To: The Quartermaster General of the Army,
Washington, D. C.

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1. A report is desired by this office relative to the date and place of burial, and if reburied, the date of original burial of Private Arthur Allen, #1,588,211, Company M, 38th Infantry, or any additional information which your records afford from which this office may ascertain the date of death.

By order of the Secretary of War:


Adjutant General.

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