

To The A. G. O.

23

G.R.S. Form #114-B

3841

Alias case. Enlisted under name of ROBERTS, Louis

JAN 15 1926

FULL NAME *ago records carried* as ARBUTZ, Ludwig *mark sig.*

293

RANK... *1st Lt.* Private

SERIAL... 280336

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION... *32nd Div G* Company A, 126th Infantry

DATE OF DEATH... *Aug 4 '18*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME... *Michigan*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED... *None*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION...

7

28

C

Date

Grave

Row

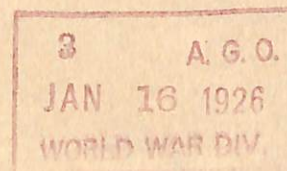
Block

608

Cemetery

K.H.  
1/3  
24/292/EYS

World War Div.  
Dec 1 1927



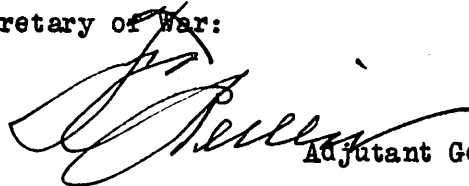
1st Ind.

WW AI/1-206

War Department, A.G.O., December 5, 1927. To: The Quartermaster General.

The records of this office show that Ludwig Arbutz, A.S.#280336, held rank of private first class at time of death.

By order of the Secretary of War:

  
Adjutant General.

OK 0143  
1518



CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB- HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Arbuz</i>	<i>Arb</i>	3	<i>182</i>
<i>Ludwig</i>	CEMETERY <i>608</i>	1	<i>2</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>7</i>	2	<i>07</i>
	ROW <i>28</i>	2	<i>28</i>
	BLOCK <i>C</i>	1	<i>3</i>
STATE	<i>Trich</i>	2	<i>26</i>
RANK	<i>Pfc</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>32</i>	2	<i>32</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>126</i>	3	<i>126</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Gambacz</i>	<i>Gau</i>	3	<i>718</i>
<i>Mrs. Veronika</i>	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
<i>Mother died 1896</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Stepmother</i>	1	<i>3</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Foreign</i>	1	<i>4</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE 29/514 <i>Country</i>	<i>Poland</i>	1	<i>10</i>

AUDITED

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C O D E S L I P

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NAME <i>Arbutz</i>	<i>Arb</i>	3	<i>1 8 2</i>
<i>Ludwig</i>	CEMETERY <i>605</i>	1	<i>2</i>
BURIED	GRAVE	2	
	ROW	2	
	BLOCK	1	
STATE		2	
RANK		1	
DIVISION		2	
ORGANIZATION		3	
ARM		1	
MARITAL		1	
NAME		3	
	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Head</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

DATE 8/13/31

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Arbutz, Ludwig	PFC	280336	Co A 126th Inf	8/4/18

STATE	CTY. NO.	GRAVE	ROW	BLOCK
	608	7	28	C

	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>	
NAME	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MOTHER	: : <u>1896</u> : :	<i>Veronika garbacz</i> <i>Wenglin Powiat Janow</i> <i>pub' - Lublin</i> <i>Russian Poland</i> <i>Sister</i> <i>Josefa 3 garbaczow</i> <i>Plesza</i> <i>Wies 3 dzechowice</i> <i>gmina Zabludow</i> <i>Lubelski</i> <i>Powiat Janow</i> <i>Lubelski</i> <i>Woj Lubelski</i> <i>Poland</i>
AND	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	
ADDRESS	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	
	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	: : :	

Veterans Bureau Claim Number XC 32208  
29/156

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

DATE 7/20/29

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
ARBUTZ, Ludwig	Pvt. 1/cl	280336	Co. A. 126th Inf.	8/4/18

STATE	CTY. NO.	GRAVE	ROW	BLOCK
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ceased

XC-32208

Walenty Garbacz,  
Wes Lysa, Poczta Zaklikow,  
Janow, Prov of Lublin,  
Poland

WIDOW

(Who has not remarried)

Veterans Bureau Claim Number \_\_\_\_\_

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

DATE 7/20/29

NAME RANK SERIAL ORGANIZATION DATE OF DEATH  
ARBUTZ, Ludwig Pvt. 1/cl 280336 Co. A. 126th Inf. 8/4/18

STATE CTY. NO. 608 GRAVE 7 ROW 28 BLOCK C

Check relationship

Living - Deceased

XC-32 205

MOTHER

STEPMOTHER (For the  
year prior to com-  
mencement of service)

MOTHER THRU ADOPTION  
(For the year prior  
to commencement of  
service)

MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS  
(For the year prior to  
commencement of service)

WIDOW  
(Who has not remarried)

E. COMPENSATION CLAIMS OF

1. Total Regional Case

2. New claims filed

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-C

(Arbutz, Ludwig)

December 3, 1926

Mr. Andrew G. Arbutz,  
Lepo,  
Poland, Russia.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the inclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested.

This American overseas military cemetery is to be maintained by the United States for all time. The graves will be permanently marked by white headstones inscribed with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves, as soon as possible, and without necessity for special action or request on the part of relatives.

Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised by those who performed this sacred duty. For the future, these graves will be perpetually maintained by the Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

F. H. POPE,  
Colonel, Q.M.G.,  
Assistant

1 Incl.  
Record card.

ESM *Some work*



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*file 5/8/27 261*



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-C

(Arbutz, Ludwig)

December 3, 1926

Mr. Michał Garbatz Jeampol,  
powiat Stanisławow,  
Halopolska, Poland.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

Gr. 220

Date 11-28-23

SUBJECT: Information required for Cemeterial Division.

TO: The Adjutant General of the Army, World War Division, Washington, D.C.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed:

a. Surname Arbuthnot f. Date of death Aug. 5, 1918  
Roberts 8-4-18  
 b. Christian name Louis g. Cause of death KA  
Ludwig  
 c. Serial number 280336 h. Authority \_\_\_\_\_  
g  
 d. Organization Co. H, 126 Inf i. Emergency Address \_\_\_\_\_  
g  
 e. Rank Pvt. j. Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

## BODY DESCRIPTION:

a. Date of enlistment Sept. 20, 1917 d. Height 62 inches  
 b. Age at enlistment 22 yrs. e. Weight 132 lbs.  
 c. Color of hair Light brown f. Fractures or breaks none shown

## DENTAL CHARTS:

Mobilization.

Local Board.

X 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
 Upper right Upper left  
 X 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
 Lower right Lower left

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



For the Quartermaster General:

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R. L. F.  
Assistant.

23/767/ARK

REC'D WORLD WAR DIV.  
2 NOV 28 1923

293  
Arbuthnot, Ludwig



Date May 20/19REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name:

~~Louis Roberts~~ *Arbats Ludwig*

Number: 280336

Rank:

Pvt.

Organization: ~~None~~Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 1 Unit 304Disinterred (Date) May 20/19 From: (Give complete location)

From Grave #220 Cemetery #21- Forsberg.

33SE E200;8 N282.4Reburied (Date) May 20/19 in: (Give complete location)

Grave #54 Section N. Cemetery #18 Fismes (Marne)

Map #34 R<sub>o</sub>ims. SW. 286.25N-205.75E

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

Buried 5 feet deep- Body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes and one on cross.

What 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, P.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.

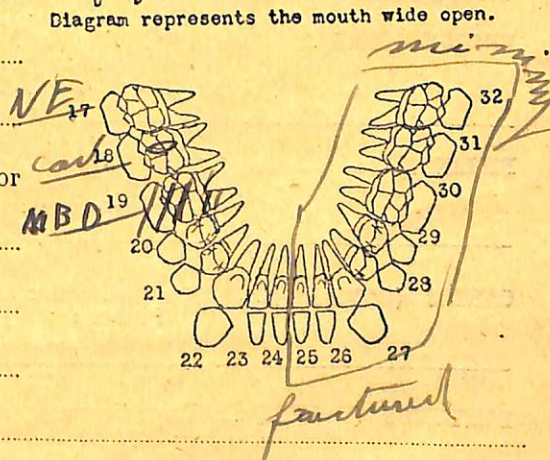
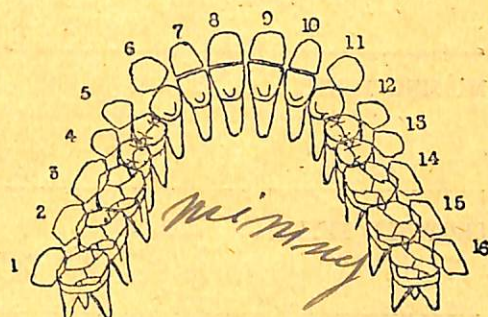
Supervised by Cpl. C.A. Gammon1st. Lt. Oscar W. Forsberg.  
C.O. Group 1 Unit 304



## REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Fismes Cam 617.Date Jan 28-221. REMAINS OF ARBUTZ, Ludwig SERIAL NUMBER 280336RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. Am 126th Inf.2. Disinterred (date): Jan 28-22 From (give complete location): Grave 54, Sec N, Plot 2, Cam 617.By: Group 6 Unit Sec 7.3. Reburied (date): Aug. 14, 1922 In (give complete location): Gr. 7, Block C, Row 28, Oise-Aisne Cam. 608, Seringes et Nesles (Aisne)By: Group re-burial group Unit ----- Nature of reburial Lined casket4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:  
In burlap and wooden box. Badly decomposed recognition impossible5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes On grave marker? No  
Corroded(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: Bottle record reads Reburial of Robert Louis, 541899, Co. F, 7th Inf. from Gr 54, Sec. N, Plot 2 to Gr 54, Sec N, Plot 2, Group Avery Sec #7, AGRS. Remarks: Both body and cross tag has serial No. reading "280336. Rosary beads on body.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp to det.(b) Weight (estimated) -----(c) Hair—Color -----Quantity -----Characteristics -----(d) Hair on face—Color -----Location -----Quantity Imp to det.(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None visible(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) -----Head shattered. Upper jaw missing.7. Disinterment supervised by H. H. FosterApproved: R. Richards, 1st Lt., QMC  
(Title)8. Reburial supervised by H. H. FosterApproved: C. J. Blake  
(Title) Capt., QMC.



## 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), bicuspid (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 :



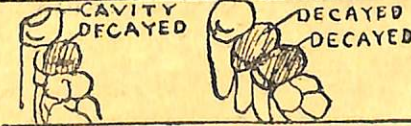
**BRIDGE WORK**.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :



**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.



Date Apr. 1, 1919REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: Arbutz, Ludwig  
Mrs Louis RobertsNumber: 280336Rank: Pvt.Organization: NoneDisinterment and Reburial made by Group 1 Unit 304Disinterred (Date) Apr. 1, 1919 From: (Give complete location)From 283.50 N 202.80 E Mt St Martin (Aisne)Map #33 Soissons S.E. Sketch #107-Forsberg. Grave #2Reburied (Date) Apr. 1, 1919 in: (Give complete location)Grave No. 220 Cemetery #21 Chery Chartreuve (Aisne)Map #33 Soissons S.E. 282.40 N 20080 E

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

Buried 18 inches deep--- Body badly decomposedWas one identification tag found upon the body? ~~None~~ two tags found on body

What other means of identification were found on the body?

Body disinterred as unknown-- identified As Louis Roberts by tags  
found on body

## 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, R.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: Sgt. James E. Murff1st. Lieut. Oscar W. Forsberg  
C.O. Group 1 Unit 304



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**GRAVE REGISTRATION BLANK.**

**LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF**

*Roberts - 280336 - Louis*  
 (Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL

*Aug. 7, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL

*3 15 S South*

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

*7 miles East of  
Main road.*

GRAVE NUMBER

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?

Cross?

Headboard?

Bottle?

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:

CMMB

*H. Gilles (Marne)*

(C-78)

*3450*

COORD

*E. 205*

*283*

*Approved*

REPORTED BY:

*W. F. Dault, Chaplain 125<sup>th</sup> Inf.*

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

ARBUTZ, 280336, Ludwig

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

Pvt. Co. A 126th., Infantry

(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: .....

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?.....Cross?.....

Headboard?.....Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?.....

Is 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: .....

ADDRESS: .....

RELATIONSHIP: .....

REPORTED BY: .....

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer):

This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service

Not Member  
Co. A 126th Inf  
Capt. Lawrence H. Brown  
126th Inf. Co. A

CLAIM NUMBER NOT KNOWN  
ARBUTZ, 380336, Ludwig-CORRECT

or

ROBERTS, 380336, Louis  
Pvt. Co. A, 126th Inf.

Q.-32208

Carried on the records of this office as correct name

Bre. Michael Garbatz

~~was~~ Jezupol, pericat Stanis  
Malopolska, Poland.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Jan 28-22

## REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT mg COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name ARBUTZ, Ludwig

10. Name \_\_\_\_\_

2. No. 280336

11. No. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_

4. Org. Co.A. 126th Inf.

13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_

5. D.D. Aug. 4th 1918

14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_

6. C.D. KIA(b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 54 Sec. N

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_

8. Plot 2 Row \_\_\_\_\_

16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_

9. \_\_\_\_\_

17. None18. Cemetery Amer.19. Commune or town Fismes20. Dept. or County Marne21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 61723. Disinterred (Date) Jan 28-22By H.H.Foster

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Arbutz, Ludwig.Serial No. 280336Rank Pvt.Organization Co.A, 126th Inf.25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? No On body? YesFred C. Lemant  
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

## PREPARATION

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).

Bottle record found (Data on Form 16-A). Rosary beads on body.27. Condition of body Badly decomposed recognition impossible.28. Nature of burial Wooden box and burlap.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Jan 28-22 By H.H.Foster31. Casket sealed by H.H.Foster

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

N. N. Foster



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-22934

32. Designation of body:

Name Ludwig ARBUTZ Serial No. 280336

Rank Pvt. Organization Co.A. 126th Inf

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne Amer.#608, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Jan 28-22 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.G. Richards, 1st Lt., MC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

To point of Concentration

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

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 Oise Aisne Amer Cty 608 Seringes et Nesles Aisne

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

R.G. Richards, 1st Lt., MC

40. Received: Date FEB 1 1922

G.R.S. Representative R.H. Woods

41. Reinterred, Aug. 14, 1922, Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes et Nesles (Aisne)  
(Date)

42. Grave No. 7 Section

43. Plot BLOCK C Row 28

G.R.S. Representative

C.J. Blake.  
Capt., QMC.

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ROBERTS, Louis  
ARBUTZ Ludwig

280336

Co.A, 126th Inf. DD 8-4-18

Please ask AGO under which  
name above soldier is carried.

He enlisted under the name of  
ROBERTS, Louis

5-27-24  
D-61181

L.D.L.

AGO-5/28/24.  
This soldier is carried under  
the name of  
"ARBUTZ, Ludwig

While it is customary to  
carry name given as Alias  
this is an exception and  
file is under the real name.

EA-Walientz Arbutz.(Brother)  
Tipo Lublin, Poland.

BW.

*BW*



# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 10260

## I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name Robert Louis (alias) ARBUTZ, Ludwig Ser. No. 280336 TYP. db  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. A. 126th Inf. CKR. B. J.  
 (c) Date of death 8-4-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

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

(a) Grave No. 54 Row -- Plot 2 Sec. N TYP. db  
 (b) Emerg. Address Andrew G. Arbutz, (Father) - Lepo, Poland, Russia.  
8th a - May 2, 1921 as found (Est. 6.29.21)

## III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

CKR. B. J.

## IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name \_\_\_\_\_ (b) Relationship \_\_\_\_\_  
 (c) Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (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 \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_, 192

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

\_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_  
 confirming request in Par. IV., item \_\_\_\_\_, above, or requesting that \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner's Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_, 192

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

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner's Initials MB Date 6/29/21, 192

COUNTRY France

CEMETERY No. 617

SHEET No. 1715



# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 10260

## I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name *Roberts, Louis (alias)* ARBUTZ, Ludwig Ser. No. 280336 } TYP. db  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. A. 126th Inf. }  
 (c) Date of death 8-4-18 (d) Cause of death K/A } B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 54 Row Plot 2 Sec. N TYP. db

(b) Emerg. Address Andrew G. Arbutz, Father (Ed. 6-29-21)

8. W. A. May 2, 1921 Confirms (Ed. 6-29-21) - Lepa, Poland, Russia. B. J.  
 III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR.

## 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 , 192

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

COUNTRY

CEMETERY No.

SHEET No.



May 23, 1921.

REVISED REPORT ON CTY. #617

#617-

American Cty. Pismes, Marne,

Last report 5-17-21 (With 4 suspensions)

5-23-21 - "Unknown" Grave 129, Sect. G.

now identified as Jack Reese Conf. W.C. case

Grave 54 Sec. N. was previously incorrectly

reported Louie Roberts - Serial 541899 -

This burial belonged to Ludwig Arbutz - Serial

280336, (Alias Louie Roberts) Burial now

reported under correct name Ludwig Arbutz.

BURIALS				
W.C.		B.C.		
con.	Uncon.	Unk.	Con.	Uncon

1530	0	157	21	0
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-1				
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Cemetery #617 now reads  
(With 4 suspensions)

1531	0	156	21	0
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10260

from

86308

87728



CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
REGISTRATION BRANCH  
Inquiry & Correspondence Section  
Registration Section  
Overseas Project Section

Date 12-7-21

TO:

CAPTAIN WYNNE

MR. HUGHITT

MR. MAHAR

MR. HARLOW

MISS BOLAND

MR. SCOTT

MISS MCMILLEN

MRS. RUTH

MISS MINOGUE

WAR PLANS

REVISION ARMY REGULATIONS

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

CONGRESSIONAL & SPECIAL REPLY  
GENERAL REPLY

INVESTIGATION & ADJUSTMENT  
AUDIT  
CARDS

COMPILATION OF DATA  
STATISTICS

Return to 74a

From 6484

Action  
Adjustment  
Approval  
Copies  
Correction  
Draft of letter  
Investigation & Report  
Note (need not return)  
Note and Return  
Papers in Case  
Personal Conference  
Remark  
Reply  
Returned  
Signature

Preparation of Reply for Signature of  
Secretary of War  
Quartermaster General  
Colonel P. Enrose  
Lt. Col. Davis, O.R.C.  
Captain Wynne  
Lieutenant Corner

(see other side)



GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

FROM : ADJUTANT GENERAL.

TO : C.O.Co. A 126th., Infantry

SUBJECT : Information for Burial Register.

1. You are directed to transmit without delay to the Chief, Graves Registration Service, the information indicated on enclosed Grave Location Blank as necessary for the completion of official records.

By Command of General Pershing:

Robert C. Davis  
Adjutant General.

Note: ☐

In case this item is checked, you will note hereon:

Nearest relative of deceased:

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_



File No.

4th Ind.

MG/.

Hqrs., Area #2, American G.R.S., CHATEAU-THIERRY, (Aisne). November 14, 1921.

To: Chief, A.G.R.S., QMC., in Europe, Paris.

Received, Veterans' Div., O. O. M. G.  
File 293.8  
#10260

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1. Returned, complied with.



*G.F. Waugh*

G.F. WAUGH,  
Major, Inf.  
Supervisor, Area #2.

✓ 461. Cem. #617.

5th Ind.

*HW/mva.*

Hqrs., American G.R.S., QMC., in Europe, 8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris. November 14,

1921. To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. Returned, inviting attention to preceding indorsement.

FILE

*H.F. Rethers*  
H.F. RETHERS  
Colonel, QMC.  
Chief.



2nd Ind.

FILE NO. 293.8 Cem. Div. - #10260 - (ARBUTZ, Ludwig).  
From: O. Q. M. G., Cemeterial Division, October 21, 1921 - To: Chief,  
American Graves Registration Service, Q. M. C. in Europe, 8 Avenue  
d'Iena, Paris, France.

1. Returned, with the information that LUDWIG ARBUTZ  
is the correct name for the soldier buried in Grave #54, Section N,  
Plot #2, American Cemetery #617, Fismes, (Marne), the name of Louis Roberts  
being an alias.

2. It will be noted that this soldier's serial number is  
#280336. Our records show the grave of Private Louie Roberts, #541899,  
Company F, 7th Infantry to be unlocated. However, our files show this  
soldier was buried near Cierges and that all bodies buried in this  
immediate vicinity were concentrated into the Argonne American Cemetery  
#1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, (Meuse).

By authority of the Acting Quartermaster General:

RECORDED

NOV 1921  
Hq. Dr.  
O.S. Q.M.G.  
Europe



*Charles J. Wynne*

CHARLES J. WYNNÉ,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps.

FILE

✓ 461. Cem. #617.

3rd Ind.

QAG  
RM/nwa.

Hqrs., American G.R.S., Q.M.C., in Europe, Operations Division, 8 Avenue d'Iena,  
Paris. November 4, 1921. To: Supervisor, Area #2, Chateau Thierry (Aisne).

1. Forwarded for preparation of new aluminium strips, correction  
of the records of your office and change of inscription on the cross in  
compliance with instructions contained in basic communication.

2. When these instructions have been complied with so state by  
indorsement hereon.



*G. V. S. Quackenbush*

G. V. S. QUACKENBUSH  
Lieut. Col., Q.M.C.,  
Chief, Operations Division



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON.

*Ln*

U.S. A.G.R.S. in Europe. 461 Cum # 617.

In Answer Refer to File No. ....

July 19, 1921.

No: 293.8 Cem. Div.- #10260 - Registration.  
From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division).  
To: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Paris, France.  
Subject: Case of Private Ludwig ARBUTZ, #280336, Co. A, 126th Infantry.



1. It is requested that the inscription on the marker erected over Grave #54, Plot #2, Section N, American Cemetery #617, Fismes, (Marne) be corrected to correspond with the records of this office which show:

Private Ludwig ARBUTZ, #280336,  
Company A, 126th Infantry  
Date of Death.....8-4-18.

By authority of the Quartermaster General :

*Charles J. Wynne*

CHARLES J. WYNNIE,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps.

FILE

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., U. S. A. G.  
File # 293.8 #10260



461. Cem. #617.

1st. Ind.

Hqrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8, Avenue d'Iena, PARIS. August 11th. 1921. - To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, WASHINGTON, D.C.

1. Returned.  
2. Form #1-A. on file in this Office and original inventory submitted by Supervisor, Area #2, shows burial in Grave #54, Plot #2, Sect. N. Cemetery #617, FISMES, (Marne) to be that of Louis ROBERTS, #541899, Pvt. Co. F. 7th. Infantry.

3. It is, therefore, requested this Office be further advised as to identity of soldier buried in this grave in view of discrepancy between our records and the records of your Office.

*W. C. Johnson*  
W. C. JOHNSON,  
Lt. Col. Q.M.C.  
Acting Chief.

*Arbutz, Ludwig*  
*Roberts, Louis*



461. Cem. #617.

5th Ind.

HW/mwa.

Hqrs., American G.R.S., QMC., in Europe, 8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris. November 16, 1921. To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. Returned, inviting attention to preceding indorsement.

H. F. BETHERS  
Colonel, QMC.  
Chief.



Roberts, Louis (alias) 280336

Put 1cc G-126 drug

Arbutz, Ludwig.

435 = L. G. 11/18 - 8/7/18 -

1ST BURL.CEM

656 = Amer 13/a Cty

Chery - Chastreuve, Aisne

(over)

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name may { Roberts, Lewis  
Arbutz, Ludwig

Name appears on



First carried as

Roberts, Lewis  
on Mr. Andrew S. Arbutz - (Father) Erroneously  
Lepo, Poland, # files  
Russia

0960 FILE

For further data see Casualty Files



10/19/21.

Memo to Mr. Good.

FILE

Case of:

ARBUTZ, 280336 Ludwig

Pvt. Co. A, 126th Inf.

*File 10260.*

Subject: Correct inscription.

Reference 1st Ind. (8/11/21) it is recommended that Europe be advised that Basic Communication (7/19/21) contains correct inscription for Grave 54, Sec. N, Plot 2, Amer. Cty. #617, Fismes, Marne.

Louie Roberts, Pvt. Co F, 7th Inf. 541899, whose name appears in error on the cross of above grave has grave unlocated. His name no doubt is confused with that of Pvt. Louis Roberts 280336 Co. A, 126th Inf. ~~with this name being the alias for~~ Ludwig Arbutz, Pvt Co. A, 126th Inf. serial 280336.

G.R.S. Form 16 (D-7303) shows <sup>original</sup> burial of Arbutz to be Unk. in grave 2. Mt. St. Marti, Aisne. and later reburied to grave 220, Chery, Chartrauve, Aisne. Two tags found at disinterment identifying the body as Louis Roberts 280336/.

Another Form ( D- 20653) shows this body reburied from grave 220, to grave 54, Sec N, Plot 2, Amer. Cty. Fismes, Marne. Tag on the body and on the cross.

G.R.S. files show Louie Roberts to have original burial near town of Cierges and bodies from this section were concentrated to Cty. 1232.

Investigator  
B.C. Owen.

*B.C. Owen*

FILE



HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN GLOVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C., IN EUROPE  
8, AVENUE D'ENNA, PARIS

November 2, 1921

File No.

From: Chief,

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

Subject: Acknowledgment of Correspondence.

Receipt this date is acknowledged of the following  
correspondence from your office:

~~Letter~~ )  
dated: October 21, 1921  
2nd Indorsement )

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div. - #10260 (Arbutz, Ludwig)

Subject: Case of Pvt. Ludwig Arbutz, #280336, Co.A,  
126th Infantry

Name: Ludwig Arbutz

DMK.

H. F. BETHERS,  
Colonel, Q.M.C.

FILE



HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN Graves REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C., IN EUROPE  
8. AVENUE D'ENNA, PARIS

August 5, 1921

File No.

From: Chief,

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

Subject: Acknowledgment of Correspondence.

Receipt this date is acknowledged of the following  
correspondence from your office:

Letter )

dated: July 19, 1921

~~Indorsement~~ )

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div. - #10260 - Registration

Subject: Case of

Name: Pvt. Ludwig Arbutz

DMK.

*H. F. Rethers*  
H. F. RETHERS,  
Colonel, Q.M.C.



FILE

2nd Ind.

FILE NO. 293.8 Com. Div. - #10260 - (ARBUTZ, Ludwig).  
From: O. Q. M. G., Cemeterial Division, October 21, 1921 - To: Chief,  
American Graves Registration Service, O. M. C. in Europe, 8 Avenue  
d'Iena, Paris, France.

FILE

1. Returned, with the information that LUDWIG ARBUTZ  
is the correct name for the soldier buried in Grave #54, Section H,  
Plot #2, American Cemetery #617, Fismes, (Marne), the name of Louis Roberts  
being an alias.

2. It will be noted that this soldier's serial number is  
#280336. Our records show the grave of Private Louis Roberts, #541899,  
Company F, 7th Infantry to be unlocated. However, our files show this  
soldier was buried near Clerges and that all bodies buried in this  
immediate vicinity were concentrated into the Argonne American Cemetery  
#1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, (Meuse).

By authority of the Acting Quartermaster General:

Inv & Adj

CHARLES J. WYNNIE,  
Captain, O. M. Corps.

FWW:BG

*FWW*  
*OTC*

FILE

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OCT 21 1921

CEMETERIAL DIV.  
O. Q. M. G.



FILE

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Aug 11 1921  
Q. M. C.

461. Cem. #617.

1st. Ind.

HW/m.

Hqrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8, Avenue d'Iena, PARIS. August 11th. 1921. - To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, WASHINGTON, D.C.

1. Returned.

2. Form #1-A, on file in this Office and original inventory submitted by Supervisor, Area #2, shows burial in Grave #54, Plot #2, Sect. N. Cemetery #617, FISMES, (Marne) to be that of Louis ROBERTS, #541899, Pvt. Co.F. 7th. Infantry.

3. It is, therefore, requested this Office be further advised as to identity of soldier buried in this grave in view of discrepancy between our records and the records of your Office.

G.V.S. QUACKENBUSH.

F. C. JOHNSON,  
Lt. Col. Q.M.C.  
Acting Chief.



*Investigation*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

Date 9/24/21.

File No. Registration.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., 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. ~~ROBERTS~~ *Arbutz* f. Date of death. *Aug 4/18*  
b. Christian name. ~~Louis~~ *Ludwig* g. Cause of death. *435/*  
c. Serial number. *280336* h. Authority (C. C. No.) *435.* *477/26.*  
d. Organization. *Co. G 126th Inf.* i. Emergency address. *Mr. W. Arbutz, Lipsa, Lublin, Poland.*  
e. Rank. *Pvt. 1/cl.* j. Relationship. *Brother*

BODY DESCRIPTION.

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

a. Age at enlistment.  
b. Color of eyes.  
c. Color of hair.

**FILE**

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.

d. Height. *Mar Risk states that the death compensation of this soldier has been*  
e. Weight. *disallowed (2/11/21.) because he was erroneously reported dead.*  
f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment. (Old fractures or breaks.) *Will you please look into this case to see if such is true. Roberts is the alias of Arbutz, Ludwig? E.A given as Poland. for both. We have a record from AGO that this soldier is dead. Can you identify these as the same man - and which is the real name? And is he alive? no*

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

By

*H. J. Conner*

H. J. CONNER,

*Captain, Q. M. C.*  
Rec'd Work Division

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REC'D MAIL SECTION  
W. W. Div., A. G. O.

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*B. Owen*



FILE

July 19, 1921.

293.8 Cem. Div.- #10260 - Registration.

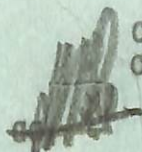
The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division).  
Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Paris, France.

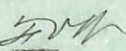
Case of Private Indwig ARBUTZ, #280336, Co. A, 126th Infantry.

1. It is requested that the inscription on the marker erected over Grave #54, Plot #2, Section N, American Cemetery #617, Fismes, (Marne) be corrected to correspond with the records of this office which show:

Private Indwig ARBUTZ, #280336,  
Company A, 126th Infantry  
Date of Death.....8-4-18.

By authority of the Quartermaster General :

 CHARLES J. WYNNE,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps.

  
FW

Inv. & Adj.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON  
June 30, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div. #10260 - Registration.

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From: Office of the Quartermaster General, Chief, Cemeterial Division, (GRS)  
Munitions Building, 19th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D. C.

To: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe,  
8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris, France.

Subject: Change of Inscription on Grave Marker.

1. It is requested that the inscription on the marker erected  
over grave # 54, plot 2, Section N, Cty. # 617.

American Cemetery, Fismes, Marne

be corrected to correspond with the records of this office which show

Private Ludwig Arbutz, #280336 Co. A 126th Infantry

Date of data 6/4/18

2. When this has been done, write the Red Cross Photographic  
Section in order that another photograph may be taken of the grave with  
the correct inscription.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

GEORGE H. PENROSE,  
COLONEL, Q. M. C.  
~~CHARLES E. FENCE~~  
~~Colonel, V. S. Army~~  
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

CMV/ms

Inv. S.S.

Inv. & Adj. Dept.

Inv. SECTION CONTROL *M. M. P.*  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

June 30, 1921.

~~File No.~~ 293.8 ~~Cem. Div.~~ #10260 - Registration.  
~~File No.~~ ~~Registration.~~

From: Office of the Quartermaster General, Chief, Cemeterial Division, (GRS)  
Munitions Building, 19th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D. C.

To: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe,  
8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris, France.

Subject: Change of Inscription on Grave Marker.

1. It is requested that the inscription on the marker erected  
over grave # 54, plot 2, Section IV, Cty. # 612.

~~American Cemetery, Pigeon, Meuse~~

be corrected to correspond with the records of this office which show

~~Private Ludwig Arbath, #280336 Co. A, 126th Infantry~~

Date of death 8/4/18

2. When this has been done, advise the Red Cross Photographic  
Section in order that another photograph may be taken of the grave with  
the correct inscription.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

GEORGE H. PENROSE,  
COLONEL, Q. M. C.  
~~Chief, Cemeterial Division.~~  
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

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WASHINGTON

June 30, 1921.

~~File No. 235.9 Gen. Div. 210260 - Registration.~~  
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From: Office of the Quartermaster General, Chief, Cemeterial Division, (GRS)  
Munitions Building, 19th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D. C.

To: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe,  
8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris, France,

Subject: Change of Inscription on Grave Marker.

1. It is requested that the inscription on the marker erected  
over grave # 13, plot 2, Section 11, Cty. # 517.

~~American Cemetery, Dijon, France~~

be corrected to correspond with the records of this office which show

~~Private Irving Arden, 1288221 Gen. Div. 210260~~

Date of death 9/4/19

2. When this has been done, advise the Red Cross Photographic  
Section in order that another photograph may be taken of the grave with  
the correct inscription.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

GEORGE H. PENROSE,  
COLONEL, Q. M. C.

~~CHARLES C. PEECE,~~  
~~CHIEF, CEMETERIAL DIVISION,~~  
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

CMN/ms  
Inv. S.S.  
Inv. & Adj. Dept.

One copy to A.R.C.

S/1286/LML

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

June 30, 1921.

File No. 235.3 Gen. Div. 410260 - Registration.  
Registration.

From: Office of the Quartermaster General, Chief, Cemeterial Division, (GRS)  
Munitions Building, 19th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D. C.

To: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe,  
8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris, France.

Subject: Change of Inscription on Grave Marker.

1. It is requested that the inscription on the marker erected  
over grave # 24, plot 2, Section II, Cty. # 627.

American Cemetery, Vienna, Norme

be corrected to correspond with the records of this office which show

Private Louis Arden, 4200324 Co. A, 120th Infantry

Date of death 9/4/20

2. When this has been done, advise the Red Cross Photographic  
Section in order that another photograph may be taken of the grave with  
the correct inscription.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
Colonel, U.S. Army,  
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

CMV/ms  
Inv. S.S.  
Inv. & Adj. Dept.

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CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTION

May 16, 1921.

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Co. A, 126th Inf.ORGANIZATION (Old)ARBUTZ, 280336, Ludwig

(Name)

Pvt.

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

## ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

(Note: In the above spaces below double line fill in ONLY the new data and data correcting previous information)

5 X 8 White Card File #10260 cancelled in favor of White Card File #10260 same name.

BY: Margaret K. McCarthy

Investigation and Adjustment  
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card:

By ML

S/1105/LML



FROM: O.C.M.G.  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
Munitions Building  
Room 1109

PLEASE  
EXPEDITE

G. R. S. Form 8-W-A  
Information requested of A. G. O.

INVESTIGATION AND ADJUSTMENT DEPARTMENT

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

WASHINGTON  
MAY 16 1921

File No. 10260 Registration. **FILE**..... Date May 2, 1921.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., 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. ARBUTZ *OK* ☒ f. Date of death. 8/4/18 *OK*  
☒ b. Christian name. Ludwig *OK* ☒ g. Cause of death. K/A *OK*  
☒ c. Serial number. 280336 ☒ h. Authority (C. C. No.) 228 (*Determined*)  
☒ d. Organization. Co. A, 126th Inf. *OK* ☒ i. Emergency address. Andrew G. Arbutz, (*over*)  
☒ e. Rank. Pvt. *OK* ☒ j. Relationship. (Father) Lepo, Poland, Russia.

**BODY DESCRIPTION.**

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

**DENTAL CHARTS.**

(See physical report of examination prior to enlistment.)

a. Age at enlistment.

a. Strike out teeth missing:

b. Color of eyes.

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

c. Color of hair.

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

d. Height.

e. Weight.

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

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

By

*H. J. Conner*  
H. J. CONNER,  
1st Lieut. *Captain, Q. M. C.*

*Donnelly - Enms*  
*EPS - 118 - 5/10/21*  
mkm

Mr. Wilson

*1000 words with 100*  
*Date MAY 2 1921*



FROM: O.Q.M.G.  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
Munitions Building  
Room 1109

PLEASE  
EXPEDITE

INVESTIGATION AND ADJUSTMENT DEPARTMENT.

G. R. S. Form 8-W-A  
Information requested of A. G. O.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON

Date May 2, 1921.

File No. 10260 ~~86308~~ Registration.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., 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. ROBERTS ✓  
✓ b. Christian name. Louis ✓  
✓ c. Serial number. 280336  
✓ d. Organization. Co. G, 126th Inf. ✓  
✓ e. Rank. Pvt. 1/c ✓  
✓ f. Date of death. 8/7/18 ✓  
✓ g. Cause of death. DWRIA ✓ (m.c. - K9a)  
✓ h. Authority (C. C. No.) 435 ✓ and certified cc 477  
✓ i. Emergency address. Andrew Garbucz, ✓  
Lepa Poland, Russia. ✓  
✓ j. Relationship. (Father) ✓

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.

By

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

H. J. CONNER,  
1st Lieut. ~~Captain~~ Q. M. C.

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Mr. Wilson

World War Div.  
MAY 9 1921



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OFFICE OF  
THE CHIEF ENGINEER  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

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Received A. G. 7 FEB 9 1920  
REC'D Mr. Andrew Garbucz,  
Lepa, Poland, Russia.  
FEB 10 1920

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The Adjutant General,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

Disposal of remains.



AGG CARD  
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WAR DEPARTMENT,  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE. SBN-H-283.  
WASHINGTON.

December 3, 1919.

NO CARD  
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Mr. Andrew Carbucz,  
Lepa, Poland, Russia.

Dear sir:

The War Department desires to ascertain the wishes of the families of officers, enlisted men, and civilian employees regarding the permanent disposition of the bodies of those who have died overseas.

The original plan of the Department was to deliver the body in every case at the home address of the deceased to the person legally entitled to dispose of the remains. A desire has been expressed, however, in numerous instances to have the body remain abroad, and General Pershing is likely soon to enter into negotiations with the French and Allied Governments with the view of establishing permanent cemeteries for members of the American Expeditionary Forces. Marshal Petain in a most courteous letter has informed General Pershing that "France would be happy and proud to retain the bodies of the American victims who have fallen upon her soil."

A bill is now before Congress for the establishment of "Fields of Honor" abroad, which will insure future care by the United States Government as national cemeteries are now cared for. Burials have been made heretofore in cemeteries of the Allied nations or at or near the battle field in land set apart for this purpose as a cemetery, and religious services in accordance with the rites of the Protestant, Catholic, or Hebrew faith have been held at the grave.

In case the remains of a deceased soldier are returned to the United States they will be interred either at the former home of the deceased or at a national cemetery, according to the wishes of the one authorized to direct the disposition of the remains, and all expenses, including transportation, casket, shipping case, flag, and the preparation of the remains for shipment, will be paid by the United States. Hire of a hearse and other burial expenses incurred at the home of the deceased may be paid, on application by the relatives, by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Treasury Department.

In order that the proper disposition of the remains may be made, and that such disposition be directed by the person entitled to do so, the War Department will recognize the right to direct the disposition of remains in the following order:

In the case of an unmarried man—

- (1) Father; (2) mother, if father is dead; (3) brother, if both parents are dead; (4) sister, if both parents are dead and there are no brothers.

In the case of a married man—

- (1) Wife; (2) parents or children and other relatives in order set forth above.

It is desired that the information indicated on the inclosed card be furnished concerning the person named thereon at the earliest practicable date. If the card is received by some one not authorized to direct the disposition to be made of the remains, please deliver this circular and the card to the person who is entitled to do so.

The Department is unable to state when it will be possible to begin the removal of the remains of the soldiers, but the information requested is being collected at this time in order that there may be no delay when the time comes for such removal.

In returning the card please use the inclosed addressed penalty envelope, which requires no postage.

Very respectfully,

P. C. HARRIS,  
The Adjutant General.