

02 Listed as Burtie F. Atkins

Francis middle name but no request for name to appear on marker

12306

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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DATE

1. NAME ~~ATKINS, Burtie Francis~~ SERIAL No. 3130797

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co.B. 364th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Amer. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, #1232, Sec. 25

CTY. NAME Meuse. NUMBER

182 Sec. 25 4
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 11 B 42 Charpentry (Meuse).

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES 35SE 276.92N 3 03.16E

CONCENTRATED TO 4.23.19 182 25 4.

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne 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 and cross.

DATE OF DEATH

F 1
SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

hb STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR M. B. BIRDSEYE
1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 6-24-22 13 41 G

DATE GRAVE ROW Block PLOT

Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery No. 1232.

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY
B.W. 3-24-23

A.G.O.
AUG 31 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

SEP 2 1926

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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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M & R BRANCH
Q. Q. M. C.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Attain 3130797 Bartle F.

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

Pvt. H.G.

(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct. 4, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: Just north of the road

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

Leading out of Charenton, about 50 Yds

from said town.

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:

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Charles A. Wald

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

2 sons — ATKINS, WM. H., buried in 1232 also.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB- HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Atkins	3	1 12 0
BURIED	Buried	1	1
	CEMETERY 1232	1	
	GRAVE 13	2	13
	ROW 41	2	41
	BLOCK 4	1	7
STATE	Idaho	2	12
RANK	Pvt	1	2
DIVISION	91	2	91
ORGANIZATION	364	3	364
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	no	1	2
NAME	Atkins	3	1 18 0
RESIDENCE	Mrs. Henrietta	2	12
	STATE Idaho	2	
	COUNTY Boundary	2	11
	CITY Bonners Ferry	3	XXX
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER	Father	1	1
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Bad	1	2
NO. OF SONS	2	1	2
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	no	1	2
	Age		60

AUDITED

JUN 20 1932

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Sept. 6, 1932.

Atkins, Burtie (MA)

Atkins, Wm. H. (MA)

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bommers Ferry, Idaho.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

In order that your desires may be of record, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage
in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No")

*I desire of course to go
but will not be able*

2. Please state your age and condition
of health:

Age:

Health:

60 years old

very poor

3. Do you speak English?

yes

4. What other language do you speak?

none

Mrs Henrietta Atkins
Sign here

NOTE CAREFULLY, THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE WHICH YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE
PILGRIMAGE, AND THERE IS NO PROVISION OF LAW FOR A MONEY ALLOWANCE INSTEAD.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

✓ Atkins Purdie (MA)
Atkins Wm E (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs Henrietta Atkins
Bonners Ferry Idaho

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.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

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.

2 Encls.

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 QM 293 A-M

Atkins, Burtin MA M

December 16, 1931.

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry, Idaho

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to form letter forwarded you under recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, wherein you advise that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage during the year 1932.

Competent personnel will be provided to care for the mothers and widows from the time of their arrival in New York until their return thereto. Medical attendants and all other necessities will be arranged for and in the event you decide to make a pilgrimage, you are assured everything possible will be done for your care and welfare. During the summers of 1930 and 1931 many mothers of advanced age and in poor health made the pilgrimage and appear to have benefited therefrom.

Your name is being placed on the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make a pilgrimage in 1933. However, should you change your mind in view of the above, and desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

November 2, 1931

Atkins, Burtie M-A M
Atkins, William H. M-A M

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry,
Idaho

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. In your reply to the recent inquiry as to whether or not you desired to make a pilgrimage in 1932, you advised you were undecided.

In view of the fact that steamship reservations must be made several months in advance, it is essential that this office know how many mothers and widows must be arranged for. It is possible that you may have made your decision by this time. It is therefore requested that you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage. In the event you state you desire to make the journey in 1932 and circumstances prevent your making the pilgrimage, it is requested you notify this office as promptly as possible.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage
in 1932?

No

2. Please state your age and condition
of health:

Age: *5-8 yrs*
Health: *very poor*

3. Do you speak English?

yes.

4. What other language do you speak?

No other

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins
Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

I would like very much to go and see the boys graves, but I am not able, nor never will be

Encl: *Mrs. Henrietta Atkins*
Env.

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



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

November 2, 1931

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Atkins, Burtie M-A M
Atkins, William H. M-A M

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry,
Idaho

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. In your reply to the recent inquiry as to whether or not you desired to make a pilgrimage in 1932, you advised you were undecided.

In view of the fact that steamship reservations must be made several months in advance, it is essential that this office know how many mothers and widows must be arranged for. It is possible that you may have made your decision by this time. It is therefore requested that you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage. In the event you state you desire to make the journey in 1932 and circumstances prevent your making the pilgrimage, it is requested you notify this office as promptly as possible.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Atkins, Wm. H. Pvt. (M-A) M
Atkins, Burtie Pvt. (M-A) M

June 9, 1931.

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry, Idaho

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?

Undecided
Write answer here

Henrietta Atkins
Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

June 3, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293.A-C

Atkins, Burtiel232 M
Atkins, Wm. H.

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry, Idaho.

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

I do not now
feel that I
will be able. ✓

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

(Write answer here)

Henrietta Atkins
(Sign here) Over

There is no Mother but what would like at some time, or other go over, and see the graves of their Sons, but I do not now feel that I will ever be able to make the trip.

But I sincerely hope that some other War Mother that makes the trip, will see the graves of my Two Sons, and write me of them on their return home. (William H. Atkins)

(And,
Burtie F. Atkins)

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Atkins, Burtie)
Atkins, William H.) 1232 M

February 4, 1930.

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry, Boundary Co., Idaho.

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. 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)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes)	(No) Other language (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.
Act
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Atkins, Burtie F.

June 29, 1929.

Mr. Marion D. Atkins,
Bonners Ferry, Idaho

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Private Burtie F. Atkins, Co. B, 364th 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 mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins of Bonners Ferry,
Idaho, is the Mother of Burtie F. Atkins
Co B. 364th Inf

Yours very Res^{ly}

Marion D. Atkins

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Sept. 6, 1932.

Atkins, Burtie (MA) ✓
Atkins, Wm. H. (MA)

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry, Idaho.

Dear Madam:

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In order that your desires may be of record, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No")	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl:
Env.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Atkins Burtie (MA)
✓ Atkins Wm H (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs Henrietta Atkins
Bonners Ferry Idaho

Dear Madam:

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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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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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 QM 293 A-M

Atkins Burdick (MA)
Atkins Am H (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs Henrietta Atkins
Bonanza Ferry Idaho

Dear Madam:

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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 QM 293 A-M

Atkins, Burtin MA M

December 16, 1931.

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry, Idaho

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to form letter forwarded you under recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, wherein you advise that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage during the year 1932.

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Competent personnel will be provided to care for the mothers and widows from the time of their arrival in New York until their return thereto. Medical attendants and all other necessities will be arranged for and in the event you decide to make a pilgrimage, you are assured everything possible will be done for your care and welfare. During the summers of 1930 and 1931 many mothers of advanced age and in poor health made the pilgrimage and appear to have benefited therefrom.

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Your name is being placed on the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make a pilgrimage in 1933. However, should you change your mind in view of the above, and desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

November 2, 1931

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Atkins, Burtie M-A M
Atkins, William H. M-A M

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonners Ferry,
Idaho

Dear Madam:

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in 1932?

2. Please state your age and condition
of health:

3. Do you speak English?

4. What other language do you speak?

Age:
Health:

Sign here

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
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Atkins, Burtie F.) 1232 M
Atkins, William H.)

February 4, 1930.

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bonnere Ferry, Boundary Co., Idaho.

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. 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)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes)	(No) Other language (Specify language spoken)

For the Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Act
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Atkins, Burtie 1232 M

Mrs. Henrietta Atkins,
Bommers Ferry, Idaho.

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)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No)	Other language (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.
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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

Atkins, Bartie F.

June 29 1929.

Mr. Marion D. Atkins,
Bonneville Ferry, Idaho

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Private Bartie F. Atkins, Co. B, 364th 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 mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.

Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

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28-7-1

FROM : Sgt. J.W. Sharp, C.R.O. Representative.
TO : Central Records Office, Welfare Department.
SUBJECT : Location of graves.

NAME Atkins, Burtie F 3130797 FILE NO.
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co B 364th Inf.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with records?	Yes
2.	Date of death.	10-4-18 KIA CC 456 SP 183 and CC 458 SP 1
3.	Date of burial.	10-5-18.
4.	Grave location.	Qty 1074 Grave 2 Plot 1 American cemetery Charpentry, Meuse.
5.	How is grave marked?	Cross
6.	Identification tags.	
	(a) Buried with body?	Yes
	(b) Attached to grave marker?	Yes

REMARKS:

Submitted by: _____

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Atkins, Burtie F.

In reply refer to:
293 C-R

June 25, 1923

Mr. Marion D. Atkins,
Bonners Ferry,
Idaho.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that
the permanent grave of ~~Private Bertie E. Atkins, Company B, 364th~~
the permanent grave of Row 41, Block G, 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,

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

RD

23/236/ARK

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Jan 19 1922

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 <u>ATKINS, Burtie Francis</u>	10. Name _____
2. No. <u>3130797</u>	11. No. _____
3. Rank <u>Pvt.</u>	12. Rank _____
4. Org. <u>Co. B. 364th Inf.</u>	13. Org. _____
5. D.D. <u>10-4-18</u>	14. (a) D.D. _____
6. C.D. <u>KIA</u>	(b) D.B. <u>None</u>

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. <u>182</u> Sec. <u>25</u>	15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
8. Plot <u>4</u> Row _____	16. Plot _____ Row _____
9. _____	17. <u>None</u>
18. Cemetery <u>Meuse-Argonne Amer.</u>	19. Commune or town <u>Romagne-sous-Montfaucon</u>
20. Dept. or County <u>Meuse.</u>	21. Country <u>France</u>
22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. <u>1232, 88.25</u>	
23. Disinterred (Date) <u>Jan 19 1922</u>	By <u>Edmo Maire</u>

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Burtie Francis AtkinsSerial No. 3130797Rank PvtOrganization Co B 364 Inf25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? YesSignature C. Smyth O'Meara
Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

C Smyth O'Meara

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).

None27. Condition of body Badly decomposed features unrecognizable28. Nature of burial US Uniform, burlap and box29. 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 19 1922 By Edmo Maire31. Casket sealed by Edmo Maire.Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor Edmo Maire.)

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No. **C-20659**



32. Designation of body:

Name **Burtie Francis ATKINS**

Serial No. **3130797**

Rank **Pvt.**

Organization **Co.B. 364th Inf.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Meuse-Argonne Amer.#1232,
Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date)

Jan 19 1922

By

Edmo Maire

35. I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector

R C Worthington
R C Worthington 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks

Jan 19 1922

cc

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

To point of Concentration

Morgue Romagne

Convoyer

W J Royed

(Name

Signature Shipping Officer

G F Spann
G 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 Cem. 1232.

June 24, 1922.

(Date

42. Grave No.

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Section

43. Plot

Block

G

Row

41

G.R.S. Representative

I. H. Joffe
I. H. Joffe, 1st Lt. QMC.

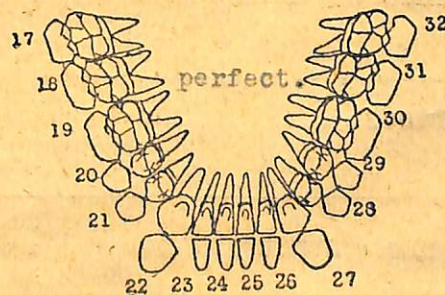
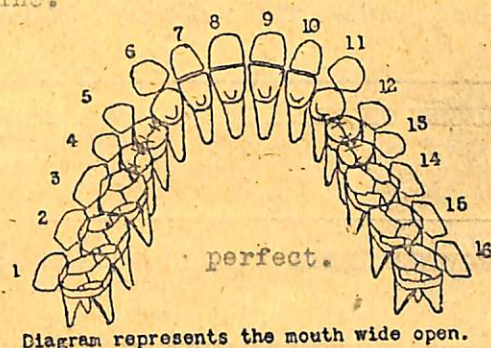
Remains of Pvt. William H. Atkins, #3135281, Co.C. 22nd Engrs.,
grave 20, Plot J. Row 1, Cty. 531, to be concentrated into Romagne,
and buried alongside Pvt. Burtie Francis Atkins (Brother), per letter
OQM.G. 5.18.21.

Place Romagne Morgue.Date Wooden Jan 19, 1922.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF ATKINS, Burtie Francis SERIAL NUMBER 3130797RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. B. 364th Inf.2. Disinterred (date): Jan 19, 1922. From (give complete location): gr 182, sec 25, plot 4. Cty. 1232.By: Group Maire. Unit sec 13. Reburied (date): June 24, 1922. In (give complete location): Grave 13, Block G, Row 41, Cem. 1232.By: Group Dufault. Unit Reb. Nature of reburial unlined casket.4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: wooden box and burlap and U.S. uniform. body decomposed, unrecognizable.5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes. On grave marker? yes.(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: body tag agrees.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine.(b) Weight (estimated) do(c) Hair—Color doQuantity doCharacteristics do(d) Hair on face—Color doLocation doQuantity do(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) do(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) none7. Disinterment supervised by E. Maire. Approved: R.C. Worthington, 1st Lt. J.M.C.8. Reburial supervised by A.U. Dufault. Approved: L.H. Joffe, 1st Lt. CMC.

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:



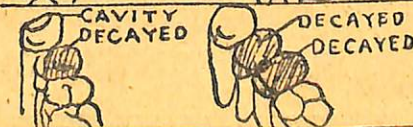
BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:



FILLINGS.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:



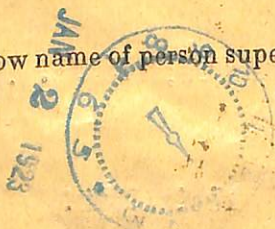
CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



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.



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 94881

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name ATKINS, Burtie Francis Ser. No. 3130797 } TYP. B
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B, 364th Inf. } CKR. 30
 (c) Date of death 10-4-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

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

(a) Grave No. 182 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 25 TYP. B
 (b) Emerg. Address Marion D. Atkins (father) Bonners Ferry, Idaho.

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Marion D. Atkins (b) Relationship Father
 (c) Address Bonners Ferry, Idaho
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? Yes
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at No

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. Marion D. Atkins
Bonners Ferry Idaho
G. H. Ex. N. W. Vel. Bonners Ferry Idaho
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. -

Index sheet A.G. 293.8 Examiner's Initials JD Date 4-6-, 1920.

V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from Mr. H. Atkins father, dated 4-14-19

confirming request in Par. IV., item two rows above, above, or requesting that named & Mr. Henry be returned at same time

Examiner's Initials JD Date 4-6-, 1920.

VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE—shows as follows: Let. 7/14/19 Marion D Atkins father

Bonners Ferry Idaho remains body of same
and Mr. Henry be returned at same time
 (a) Cancellation memos referred to Cemetery 531 - (43.1) yes

Examiner's Initials JD Date 4-6-, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 25 SHEET No. 5

JUN 2 1921 - at

checked 4-13-21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on 5/18/21, 1920.
Sec. # 25.

Par. 2 - Not to be returned, but buried
beside brother.
mest.

IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

Letter 5/14/20 to Europe
advising that father requests
bodies of Pvt. Wm. H. Atkins & 1st
Bertie Atkins be buried side by side
in France. D.B.

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1/31/21 - Holoken acknowledges father's
communication dated 1/17/21 advising
his wish will be complied with.

2/10/21 E.P.

mest 5-17-21

.....Discrepancies.....
Name.....
Rank.....
Serial No.....
Org.....
Remarks 4-6-21

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A.G.O. Card & Corr.....
.....Discrepancies.....
Name.....
Rank.....
Serial No.....
Org.....
Remarks

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G. R. S. Corr.....
.....Discrepancies.....
Name.....
Rank.....
Serial No.....
Org.....
Remarks

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Checkers.....
.....Discrepancies.....
Name.....
Rank.....
Serial No.....
Org.....
Remarks

8W 4-7-21
checked
4/7/21
LH

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 94881

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name ATKINS, Burtie ~~Francis~~ Ser. No. 3130797
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B, 364th Inf. TYP. B
 (c) Date of death 10-4-18 (d) Cause of death K/A 370

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

(a) Grave No. 182 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 25 TYP. B
 (b) Emerg. Address Marion D. Atkins (father) Bonners Ferry, Idaho.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases /// // // // // // // // CKR. 370

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 5/18/21, 192
Sec. # 25.
Par. 2, not to be returned, but buried beside
brother. mcN.

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. _____

Atkins

(Surname.)

Burtie F.

(Christian name in full.)

3,130,797

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co B 364 Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

Father

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

yes

(Yes or no.)

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

no

(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:

Marion D. Atkins

(Name of person to receive remains.)

G.H. Western union

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

Marion D. Atkins Bonners Ferry Idaho

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Marion D. Atkins

Bonners Ferry Idaho

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

HA
K/H
M/H
M/H

Drawn by JAT
1232 - Sec 25 - 5
40 - 21

Date June 2nd, 1919.REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: ATKINS, Burtie F.Number: 3130797Rank: Pvt.Organization: UnknDisinterment and Reburial made by Group Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

23rd April 1919Grave #2, B/A CemeteryCHARPENTRY MEUSEMap 35 SE R. 303.16 N 276.92

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

23rd April 1919Grave #182, Sec. 25, Plot 4.ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY NO. 1232ROMAGNE MEUSE

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

Buried in uniform Body badly decomposed Burial good.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: Lt. LewisR. H. ROSENTHAL2nd Lieut. O. M. C. U. S. A.
C.O. Group Unit

H. O'K

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CONFIRMED No. D

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Atkins 3130797 *Burtie F.*
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. *M. G.* *364*
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *Oct 3 - 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL

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

Map Montfaucon
76.8 X 3.3

GRAVE NUMBER *12*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *Je* Cross? *Je*

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *Je*

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

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

OMME. Baulny (Meuse)
(C-214) SHT. 35.8E COORD { E 303. N 276.8

REPORTED BY:

John F. Walsh Chap. 1st Lt.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be forwarded to Adj. Gen'l., G. H. Q., A. E. F.



Communal List No. 6
Daily Report No. 6

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

atkins 3130797 *Burtie F.*
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Priv. *M.G. 364*
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *Oct 5 + 1918*

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

map Montfaucon
76-8 X 303

GRAVE NUMBER *12*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *Yes* 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:

CMME. 13. Bulny (Meuse)
(C-214) SHIT. 35 SE. COORD E. 303
N. 276.8

REPORTED BY:

John F. Kwalch Chap 16 Inf
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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- 1 G. R. S. form no 1
 - 2 no 3130767 **8217**
 - 3 ATKINS BURTIE F.
 - 4 Pvt. — —
 - 5 — —
 - 6 A. E. F. Cemetery no 9
 - 7 Charpentry manse
 - 8 Grave no 2. plot no 1
 - 9 cross.
 - 10 yes — yes.
 - 11 H. M. W. Charpentry Boulmy
road. 100 M. W. Charpentry
 - 12 map 35 SE. 276. 9 N. 303. 2 E.
 - 13 Sketch no 75
- Group 4 Unit 306 URS.

George Diekhoff

ABsk
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Card Dept.

94881.

MEMO FOR : G.R.S. representative, C.R.O.

SUBJECT : Information required for G R S.

I. Items checked are to be completed :

- ☐ Surname : ATKINS
☐ Number : 3130797
☐ First name : Burtie Francis
☐ Rank : Private
☐ Company : B.
☐ Organization : 364th Infantry
☒ Date of death :
☒ Cause :
☐ Place : *not known*

Location of hospital :

- Number " "
 Class " "
☒ Relative : *Marion D Atkins*
☒ Relationship : *Father*
☒ Address : *Bonnero Ferry Idaho*

- ☐ Authority :
 Cablegram No : 458 sub.par. 1
 Telegram from : *456* " " *183*

dated :

- ☐ Reported to Washington :
 C.C. Nos :

(Underscore the "official" C.C.)

- ☐ Remarks :

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut-Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

Initials of reporter :

4/17/01
(Date)

FORM 115 has been compiled on the following case:-

CEMETERY NO. 1232 SECTION Q-5

FORM 115 Sheet No. 6

SH
(Initials)

CEMETERY DIVISION
REGISTRATION SECTION

April 18 1921

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Company B. 364th InfantryORGANIZATION (Old)ATKINS 3130797 Burtie Francis Private
(Name)

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 **Burtie F.**

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	File 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)

BY: Helen A. SouderAdjustment

(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
on Organization
File Card:

By mgs

S/1105/LML

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

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

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

Date 4-7-21

File No. Requisition

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division) **(SPECIAL)**
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 **ATKINS, OK** f. Date of death **10-4-18 OK**
✓ b. Christian name **Burtie Francis** g. Cause of death **K/A OK**
or **(Burtie F.) OK** h. Authority (C.O.#)
c. Serial Number **3130797 OK** i. Emergency address **Marion P. Atkins**
d. Organization **Co. B, 364th Inf. OK** j. Relationship **Borness Perry Idaho**
e. Rank **Pvt. OK** Father

BODY DESCRIPTION
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

DENTAL CHARTS
(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

- a. Age of enlistment
b. Color of eyes
c. Color of hair **Adjustment Made**
d. Height **APR 21 1921**
e. Weight
f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)
- a. Strike out teeth missing
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8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left
- File No.
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Apr 8 - 4/8/21

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

CEMETERY NO: **1232-500.25**
SHEET NO: **5**
TYPED BY: **WH.**
BY: **H. J. CONNER,**
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.
APR 8 1921
APR 8 1921

8/18/20

Mr Houghton:

Please attach this paper to
Case of: Pvt Burke Atkins # 3130797
Co. B, 364th Inf. Cty #12312

Thanks - Stam

94881
1232
May 14, 1920.

FILE NO: 293.3 Reg. Sec., Cem. Div.
(Atkins, Burtie & William H.)

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

TO: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

SUBJECT: Reburial of bodies of Burtie & William H. Atkins.

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., O. O. M. G.
File # 293.3

1. For your information and such favorable consideration as you find practicable, you are advised that Marion Douglas Atkins, father of Private William H. Atkins, #3135281, Company C, 22nd Engineers, and Private Burtie Atkins, #3130797, Company B, 364th Infantry, whose remains are buried in Cemetery 531, Labezellec, Finistere and American Cemetery at Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) respectively, desires those bodies buried side by side in France.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

BY:

E.E. DAVIS,
Executive Assistant.

OSP:SS
Cor. & Stat. Unit.

1 Incl. Office Letter to Mr. M.D. Atkins, May 11, 1920.

Atkins, Burtie - 94881
Atkins, William H - 27177

FILE.

May 14, 1920.

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By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

*Correspondence
attached to # 27177*

TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

Date

4/23/20.

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME *Atkins, Burtie Frances*

Serial Number

RANK

ORGANIZATION

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	(1). Yes. (Pot, Co. B, 364 th Inf Ser. #3130797),
2.	Date of Death.	(2). 10/4/18.
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3). K/A.
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	(4). 458 SP-183,
5.	Date buried.	(5). 10/5/18.
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6). Grave 2, Am. Cty. 1078 Char Pentry, (Meuse) Re: - 4/23/19. Grave 182, Sec. 25, Plot 4, Argonne - Amer. Cty. 1232 Romagne-Sous-Montfaucon (Meuse).
7.	Who reported burial?	(10) - a. Yes,
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	(10) - b. Yes.
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	(11). Marion P. Atkins, (father) Bonners Ferry, Idaho.
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(12). 3/19/19. 1/22/20.
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	(14). D-35292
12.	Has been notified? (Give date)	
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	
15.	Inquiry made by?	

N.B. All Proper names to be typewritten, or printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

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American E.F., Commanding General, Hq. S.O.S., - 29 May 1919 - To: C.-in-C.,
S.H.Q., American E.F.

1. Returned, inviting attention to the relative distance between the two cemeteries in which these bodies are buried. It will be seen that considerable practical difficulty might develop in endeavoring to comply with the request that both bodies be shipped to arrive home at the same time.
2. It is recommended, that the writer be advised the request has been made of record in the Graves Registration Service for such favorable consideration as may be found practicable after decision has been made as to the final disposition of the bodies of American E.F. dead.
3. Return of papers for file with the Graves Registration Service is requested.

RED/ed.

W. D. CONTOR,
Brigadier General, U.S.A.
Commanding.

FILE

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE.

May 27, 1919.

MEMORANDUM FOR: Major Davis.

1. Reference request for the return of two brothers to the United States at the same time, it is believed that requests of this kind should be favorably acted upon.
2. It is recommended that when the time for disinterment comes, that the body burried in the Forward Area be disinterred and shipped to Lambezellec Cemetery, Brest, and burried in the same grave with the brother, in order that both remains may be taken back at the same time.
3. It is not believed that requests of this character will be very numerous, and it is recommended that it be done whenever requested.

HJC/mws.

CHARLES C. NIERCE.
Lieut. Colonel, G.H.C., U. S. A.
Chief, G.R.S.

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE.

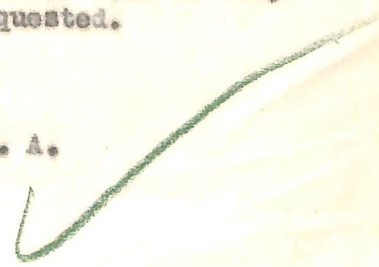
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CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut. Colonel, Q.M.C.; U. S. A.
Chief, G.R.S.



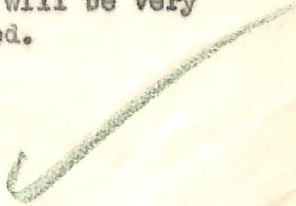
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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE.

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Lieut. Colonel, Q.M.C.; U. S. A.
Chief, G.R.S.



HJC/nws.

File #94881.

AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

May 14th 1919.

FROM : Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO : Pvt. Stephen A.D. Atkins, 23rd Co. 20th Engineers, American E.F.
SUBJECT: Burtie F. Atkins, Company B. 364th Infantry, American E.F.

In reply to your letter of inquiry, with reference to the regretted death of this soldier, according to the records at these headquarters he is buried in Grave #2-Plot #1, American Battle Area Cemetery at CHARPENTRY, department of the MEUSE.

By direction:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

(Enclosures-G.R.S.:)
(10-B. .004.5:)

Per

MAURICE B. DIX,
Captain, American Red Cross
Representative assigned to
Graves Registration Service.

MBD/mt.

271 77 94881
1st. Ind.

293.8. Atkins, William H.
Atkins, Burtie F.

War Department, A.G.D. May 6, 1919. To the Commanding General. A.E.F.
for remark in the case of Burtie F. Atkins, Private #3130797, Co.
B. 364th. Infantry and William H. Atkins, Private, #3135281, Co. O
22nd. Engineers.

By order of the Secretary of War.

Adjutant General.

2nd. Ind

G.H.Q. American E.F. France. May 23, 1919. To-Commanding General,
S.O.S. Chief, Graves Registration Service.

For remark.

By command of General Pershing.

Adjutant General.

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NAME

Burtie F Atkins

FILE NUMBER

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SERIAL NUMBER

RANK

ORGANIZATION

Co B 364th Inf

NO.

QUESTION

REPLY

1. Do particulars of soldier given above agree with records?

① yep (3130797) PVT.

2. Date of Death

3. Grave Location:

③ City #1074 Lane #2 Plot 1.
City: Amer. BIA. CHARPENTRY, Meuse.

4. Who reported burial?

5. Confirmed by G.R.S.?

⑤ yep.

6. How is grave marked?

7. Identification Tags:

(a) Buried with Body?

(b) Attached to grave marker?

8. Emergency address:

9. Has above been notified? (Give date).

B

ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

Flowers, flags etc.
(Par. #5, Bul. 10-B)

Effects (G.R.S. Form Nos
7 & 7-A)

Monuments (Par. #6, Bul.
10-B)

Accrued Pay (G.R.S.
Forms 19 & 22)

Disinterments (Par. #8,
Bul. 10-B)

Liberty Bonds
(G.R.S. Forms 21 & 22)

Circumstances of death
(G.R.S. Form No. 6)

War Risk Insurance
(G.R.S. Forms 20 & 22)

Photograph requested
(File 004.5)

Disposition of Remains
(a) Return to U.S.) Form 23

Grave Location *Ch. de*

(b) Remain in France Form 24

(c) Miscellaneous letter

REMARKS:

BK 7

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Wrapper Ind.

Graves Registration Officer, Neufchateau Area #1, A.E.F., Apr. 29, 1919. To.
Chief, Graves Registration Service, Hdqrs. S.O.S., A.P.O. 717, A.E.F.

1. Forwarded for necessary action.
2. Information on record at these headquarters shows Burtie F. Atkins,
... #3130797, ... buried in grave #2, Battlearea Cemetery, ...
Commune Charpentry ... Department Meuse ... Map reference, map
number 35 S.E. ... East ... 303.16 ... North ... 276.92 ...

Charles J. Wynne
CHARLES J. WYNNE
Captain, Q.M.C., U.S.A.
Asst Gr. Reg. Officer.

Req No. 2298

File 94881

ATKINS, -Burtie F.

Ok/K

94881
Bonners Ferry,
Idaho.

April 14, 1919.

Adjutant General.

Dear Sir.

You sent me cards to fill out in regard to the sending of my two boys home that are dead in France.

Burtie Frances Atkins, Co.-B, 364th. Inf. Serial No. 3130797
who is buried in American Cemetery, No. 1074, Grave #2, Plot 1, Meuse France
and William Henry Atkins, Co.-O 5th. Bat. 22nd. Engineers, Serial
no. 3135281, who is buried at Lambazellec Finistere, France.

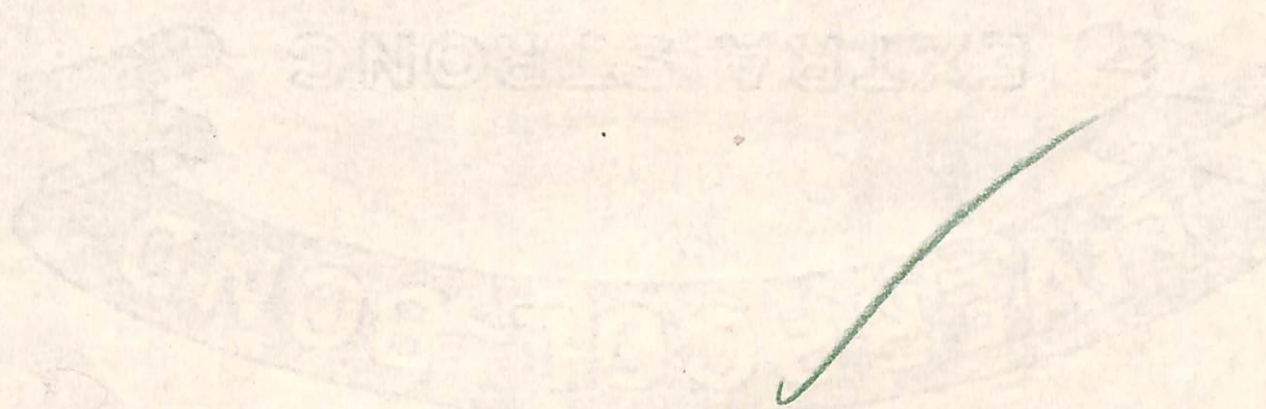
I would like very much if when they are sent back that they both come at the same time, if it be possible for it to be arranged, that way, it may be a little inconvenient, as one is in the Eastern part and one in the Western part of France.

Could this be done without too much trouble? It would very much shorten the worry for me and their Mother.

Yours very Res'ly,

Marion D. Atkins.

(their Father)



Index Number

INDEX SHEET

AG 293.8 Atkins, William H.

4/14/19

Requesting that the bodies of his two sons, Burtie Francis Atkins and William Henry
Atkins, be returned to the United States at the same time.

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293.8 Atkins, Burtie L.

Show classification number and date of communication on first line, drop two spaces, show source of communication and to whom addressed, then drop two spaces again and give a brief synopsis of subject matter sufficient to identify the document.

BACKING SHEET

SUBJECT

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A.G.O. 295.8

ATLANTIC, DOLLAR



ON ACTIVE SERVICE
WITH THE
AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

55341

March 25th 1919

H. R. S.

to happy Muese,
En-Argone.

Sirs: -

I have been searching
for my Brother for some
time and have heard that
there is a grave in your
district with the name on
it is. Burtie F. Atkins. That
is my Brother's name I
do not know his number
on his tags. Can you give me
his no. also tell me the company
he was in. He was in ~~the~~
Co B. 364th cluft. The last
I heard of him.

Please give me an early reply,
and oblige

Pat Stephen A. Atkins

23rd to 20th Engin American Co. F.
France.

~~87176~~
94881

Feb 22, 1919.

Central Records Office
Bourges

Retel Crooks 2345 period Records show Pvt Burtie F Atkins 3130797
MG Co 364th Inf buried by Chaplain John FX Walsh 16th Infantry period
Records show burial information only.

O. B.

CARSON.

C.M. NOETZEL
2nd Lieut., QMC.
ACL/ WK
10:50 AM

Copy to;
T & C
G R S
Sgt Daly Original

File
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✓

TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

FILE NUMBER

FROM:-

DATE:

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:-

NAME *Atkins, Bartie F.*

NUMBER *3130797*

RANK *Pvt.*

ORGANIZATION

Co B 364th Inf

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	① Yes. M.G. Co.
2.	Date of Death.	②
3.	Cause and place of death.	③
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	④
5.	Date buried.	⑤ 10-5-18
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required.	⑥ Commune #214 BAULNY, MEUSE. 35 SE { E 303 N 276.8
7.	Who reported burial.	⑦ John. F. X. WALSH. Chap 16. Inf
8.	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.	⑧ yes
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	⑨ - Cross
10.	Report as to Identification Tags.	⑩ 1 with body 1 used as marker
11.	Who is nearest relative?	⑪
12.	Has N/R been notified? (Give Date)	⑫
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	⑬
14.	What is the Photograph No?:	⑭

N.B. All Proper names to be printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

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No 7000

2/21/19
Blue Card

Signal Corps, United States Army.
Telegram.

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Received at

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BOURGES FEB 20 1919

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

TOURS

CRO KS 2345 WIRE NAME AND ORGANIZATION BURIAL OFFICER IN CASE
PVT BURTIE F ATKINS 3130797 CO B 364TH INF ALSO IF BURIAL WAS
MADE FROM FIELD OR HOSPITAL

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RECEIVED

20 FEB 1919

O. C. Q. ...
G.R.S.

Handwritten signature

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