

D. J. [unclear]

FULL NAME BAILEY, James

RANK Pvt. SERIAL 2832752

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Co. B. 337th Infantry 85th Div.

DATE OF DEATH 11-11-18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Wisconsin

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. *None.*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....	6-24-1922	27	21	A
	Date	Grave	Row	Block

St. Mihiel American Cemetery 1233 Cemetery



Robert C. Davis,
Major General.
The Adjutant General.
By *ace*
MAY 28 1925

Rec'd World War Div?
MAY 26 1925

Reported cc 326 ~~200~~ 12/8

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

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..... **Bailey, James** #2832752
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

..... **Pvt., Co. B, 337th Inf.**
(Rank). (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH **H.S. Army Base Hospital #67,**.....
Mesves Hospital Center, Nievre.

CAUSE OF DEATH **Tuberculosis, Pulmonary,**.....
chronic, active, bilateral, (L).....

DATE OF BURIAL: .. **November 13th, 1918.**

PLACE OF BURIAL **American Military Cemetery,**.....

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

..... **Mesves, Nievre, France.**

GRAVE NUMBER: **601.**

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?..... Cross? **Yes.**.....

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

IDENTIFICATION TAGS: ..

Was one buried with body?..... **Yes.**.....

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker?..... **To Cross.**.....

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

NEAREST RELATIVE **Mrs. Emma Bailey,**.....

ADDRESS: **Florence, Wis.**

RELATIONSHIP: .. **Mother.**

REPORTED BY: **Vincent V. M. Beede**
..... **VINCENT V. M. BEEDE,**.....
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

Chaplain, A.R.C.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Bailey</i>	<i>Bai</i>	3	<i>219</i>
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>1233</i>	1	<i>3</i>
	GRAVE <i>27</i>	2	<i>27</i>
	ROW <i>21</i>	2	<i>21</i>
	BLOCK <i>A</i>	1	<i>1</i>
STATE	<i>Wisc</i>	2	<i>58</i>
RANK	<i>Priv</i>	1	<i>9</i>
DIVISION	<i>85</i>	2	<i>85</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>337</i>	3	<i>337</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL <i>Father</i>	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Bailey, Hays</i>		3	<i>219</i>
<i>Box 261</i>	STATE <i>Wisconsin</i>	2	<i>58</i>
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>Waushara</i>	2	<i>19</i>
<i>Florence, Wisc.</i>	CITY <i>Waupun</i>	5	<i>19</i>
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Read</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY	<i>Died 8-2-26</i>	1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	NO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE <i>29/514</i>	<i>Read</i>	1	<i>3</i>

AUDITED

APR 1 1932

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Bailey, James 1233 F

December 12, 1930

Mr. Hays Bailey,
Box #261,
Florence, Wisconsin.

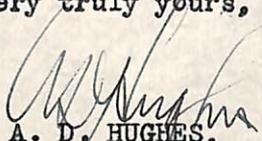
Dear Sir:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and correct, it is requested that you advise whether or not the late Private, James Bailey is survived by a widow, and if so, her name and address.

For your convenience in replying, there is enclosed, herewith, a self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,


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

Enclosure:
Envelope.

Private James Bailey was a single man.



*Yours truly,
Mr. Hays Bailey.*

W. H. ...

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 3, 1930.

Bailey, James 1233 F

Mr. Hays Bailey,
Box 261,
Florence, Wisc.

Dear Sir:

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

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

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

2. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not remarried?

If so, give her name and address:

3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

If so, give her name and address:

<i>no</i>

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON
July 29th
1929

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
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Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address.
3. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.
4. Does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

mother is dead

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bailey, James

May 25, 1929.

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Mrs. Emma Bailey,
P. O. Box 261,
Florence, Ala.

F. Mr. Hays Bailey
Box 261. Florence Wisc
Mother Died 8-2-26

Dear Madam:

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In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.



JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, ~~U. S. Army~~
Assistant.

QM 293 A-M
Bailey, James 1233 F

December 12, 1930

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Assistant.

Enclosure:
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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WAR DEPARTMENT
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July 29th
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|--|--|
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| 4. Does she desire to make the pilgrimage? | |

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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

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James Bailey, Pvt.

February 13, 1924

Mr. Hayes Bailey,
P.O. Box 261,
Florence, Wis.

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 military cemetery is one of those to be maintained by the United States for all time in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of dignified design, with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. 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.

Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised and more than willingly accorded 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,

1-Incl.
Record card.

Assistant,
R. L. FOSTER



FEB 13

B. O. C.

Bailey

James

2, 832, 752

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt. Co B,

337th Inf

James Bailey

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

Father and mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

No

(Yes or no.)

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

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

Florence (State.) Wis

(Sign here)

Hayes Bailey and Emma Bailey
P. Box 261 Florence Wis

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

REVIEWED.
OSP SS.

Met 12-4

Drawn by PF

FB-19

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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec. 8, 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BAILLEY, James
 2. No. 2832752
 3. Rank Pvt
 4. Org. Co.B 337th Inf.
 5. D.D. 11-11-18
 6. C.D. Pulmonary Tuberculosis

10. Name _____
 11. No. _____
 12. Rank _____
 13. Org. _____
 14. (a) D.D. _____
 (b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 601 Sec. _____
 8. Plot _____ Row _____
 9. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. None

18. Cemetery Amer.Mil.

19. Commune or town Neves

20. Dept. or County Nievre

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 86

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec. 8, 1921.

By EG. SCOTT

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name James Bailey

Serial No. _____

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co.B. 337th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? Yes

R. W. Saylor
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

R.W. SAYLOR

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).

No effects found

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Recognition impossible

28. Nature of burial Uniform and wooden box.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? none

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Dec. 8, 1921. By E.G. SCOTT

31. Casket sealed by E.G. SCOTT

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor E.G. SCOTT)

ADMITTED BY
100 8/21/23

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C - 23942

32. Designation of body:

Name James BAILEY Serial No. 2832752

Rank Pvt Organization Co. B 337th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer. Cty. Thiaucourt M-et-M 1233

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec, 8, 1921. By E.G. SCOTT

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 F. OVERHEISER, 1st, Lieut. QMC

36. Remarks None

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec, 8, 1921

To point of Concentration Nevers, (Nievre) (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 22 DEC 1921

To Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer. Cty. 1233, Thiaucourt, (M et M) (Name)

Convoyer R.L. HALL Signature Shipping Officer W.R. BUCKLEY, CAPT. QMC

40. Received: Date 26 DEC 1921

G.R.S. Representative J.B. Daniel, Capt. QMC

41. Reinterred: June 24 1922 (Date)

42. Grave No. 27 Section

43. PKKY Bk. A Row 21

G.R.S. Representative A E Dewey 1st. Lt. QMC

Place Mesvres, (Nievre)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Dec, 8, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BAILEY, James SERIAL NUMBER 2832752

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co.B. 337th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Dec, 8, 19 21. From (give complete location): Grave 601, Cem 86m Mesvres.

By: Group 5 Unit Section 4.

3. Reburied (date): June 24 1922 In (give complete location): Gr. 27 Bk.A Row 2I

By: Group Reburial Unit Casket & shipping case
Nature of reburial

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

Badly decomposed. Recognition impossible
uniform and wooden box.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes On grave marker? Yes

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

None

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Unable to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color none visible

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color none visible

Location none

Quantity none

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) none

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

none

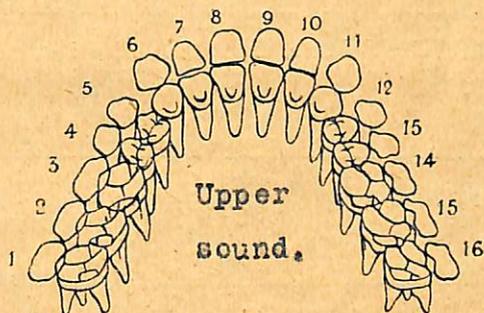
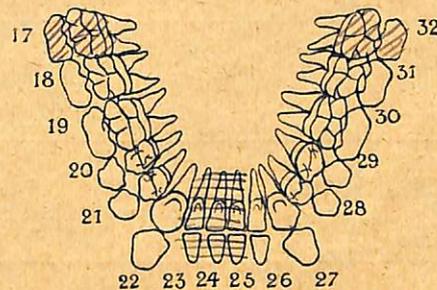


Diagram represents the mouth wide open
17-32-P.E. 23-24-25-MAD



7. Disinterment supervised by gbt

E. G. SCOTT

Approved:

RWS

F. OVERHEISER,
(Title) 1st. Lieut. QMC

8. Reburial Supervised by

H. L. Kramer

Approved:

A. E. Dewey
(Title) 1st. Lt. QMC

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File No. 57854

3/24/22
E. L. H. L. H. L.
for Concentration
Sgt. Michael 1233
att 4/13/22

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BAILLEY, James Ser. No. 2832752
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B. 337th Inf.
(d) Cause Pulmonary Tuberculosis
(c) Date of death 11-11-18 of death Pulmonary Tuberculosis

TYP. EML
CKR. [initials]

11. Registration Card:- (Check Reg. Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.)

(a) Grave No. 601 Row --- Plot --- Sect. --- TYP. EML
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Emma Bailey, Florence, Wisconsin.

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; Card agrees with (a) CKR. [initials]

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name James Bailey (b) Relationship Father
(c) Address P.O. Box 261, Florence, Wis.
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at ---
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U.S. ---
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U.S. ---

OK
M.H.

Examiner's Initials J.L. Date 5-21- 1920

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

dated ---, confirmed request in Par. IV. item ---, above, or requesting that

No Correspondence

Examiner's Initials J.L. Date 5/22/ 1920

VI. G.R.S. Files - Correspondence - shows as follows:

No request for disposition
Request. Photo of grave & belongings.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes M.H.S.

Examiner's Initials M.H.S. Date 5/22/ 1920

checked
M.H.S. 12-40

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 8/14 1920

Par. #2 not to be returned (macB)

AP 12/6/20

IX. CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE	ACTION TAKEN
Desires body be	
Body to be shipped to	
RECEIVED	
DEC 29 1920	
CEMETERIAL DIVISION OVERSEAS PROJECT NUMBER	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*Form 120 12/22/20. Hayes Bailey (Father, n. of K.)
Downcor, Wis., requests body remain in Europe.
1-6-21. F.L.*

**FORM 114 RETURNED BY MAIL
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.**

DEC 29 1920

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON

JUN 7 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.

Rush Answer

TO: Mr. Hayes Bailey, P.O. Box 261, Florence, Wisc.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. James Bailey

The records of this office show that you have requested that his
body be not returned to U. S.

no change

If these are not the correct instructions, please change them. Make changes on reverse side of this sheet.

The nearest living relative may choose between, (1) return of the body to any address in the United States; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in France.

Noted on Form No. 115

Date 1-6-21. J.L.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, U.S. Army.

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	Unmarried		
Soldier's Children	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
	3.		
Father	Hayes Bailey		
Mother	Emma Bailey		
Brothers	1. Frank Bailey; Lizzie Washburn (nee Bailey); Robert		
(Name oldest first)	2. Bailey; Zelpha Taff (nee Bailey); Myrtle Werder (nee Bailey)		
Charles Bailey; Henry Bailey; Dory Bailey; Emma Bailey;			
Sisters			

The transfer of bodies will be made entirely at government expense.

Date June 22, 1920

Signature Hayes Bailey

Address Florence Wisconsin Relationship Father

Note:- Instructions on the reverse side of this sheet should be carefully read before filling out this paper. (OVER) rg

X

As originally requested, I desire that my son be not brought to this country for burial.

JUN 25 1920



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

1. This paper MUST be signed by the person who is the NEXT of kin in the order shown in the square on other side of this sheet.
2. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest living relatives in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
3. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the legally appointed guardian of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.
4. If YOU are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
5. If YOU are not the nearest living relative and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
6. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
7. Use the enclosed envelope - pay no postage.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Bailey, James #2832752

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

Pvt., Co. B, 337th Inf.

(Rank). (Organization).

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DATE OF BURIAL: November 13th, 1918.

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RELATIONSHIP: Mother

REPORTED BY:

Vincent V. M. Beebe

VINCENT V. M. BEEBE,

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

Chaplain, A.R.C.

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

FILE NUMBER

FROM:-

A.R.C.

DATE:

1/29/19

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:

NAME:

BAILEY, JAMES

NUMBER:

RANK

PVT.

ORGANIZATION

Co B, 337th INF.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	(1) BAILEY, 2832752 James Pvt. Co. B., 337th. Inf.
2.	Date of Death	(2) 11-11-18
3.	Cause and place of death	(3) Pulmonary Tuberculosis
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram	(4) CC #326
5.	Date buried	(5) 11-13-18
6.	Grave Location (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required	(6) Grave No. 601 (Amer)Mesves (Nievre) #86
7.	Who reported burial	(7) <i>Vincent W. Beede</i>
8.	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.	(8) <i>No Chop + RC.</i>
9.	Report as to Grave Marker	(9) Grave Marker- Cross
10.	Report as to Identification Tags	(10) 1 tag buried with body. 1 tag attached to grave marker.
11.	Who is nearest relative?	(11) Mrs. Emma Bailey, (mother) Florence, Wise.
12.	Has N/R been notified? (Give Date)	(12) Notified 12-14-18
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.?	

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

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Liloune ^{USST} Miss Jan 9 1919
Chief graves Registration Service
Kind sirs

I received word of my Sons
Death Died November 11
Private James Bailey Co. B 337 inf.
Will you send me Photograph
of his resting Place and also
of his Belongings which will
Be Dear to me

With many thanks
Mrs. Emma Bailey

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G. R. S.

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HDQRS. GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
Quartermaster Corps
American Expeditionary Forces

February 7, 1919.

Reference-57854.

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E. F.
TO: Mrs. Emma Bailey, Florence, Wisconsin.
SUBJECT: Private James Bailey, Co. B, 337th Infantry, American
E. F.

1. In reply to your letter of January 9, 1919, in which you request photograph of your boy's grave, I have instructed one of the American Red Cross operators, assigned to this Service, to photograph his grave, which is Grave No. 601, American Cemetery at MESVES, Department of the NIEVRE. Immediately this is done, the negative will be forwarded to the Bureau of Communication, National Headquarters, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C., where your application for copy should be filed. Kindly note that no photographs are distributed from these headquarters.

2. Relative to personal effects, all communications in this respect should be addressed to the Adjutant General of the Army, Washington, D. C.

By direction

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., A.E.F.

(Enclosure-1)

per

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

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