

FULL NAME BAKER, Claude Albert ✓

RANK Seaman 2/c ✓ SERIAL 135-06-67

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION (U.S.N.) ✓

DATE OF DEATH 12/3/17, U.S. Naval Air Station, Montchic, Lacanau, Gironde, France ✓

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Tennessee ✓

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. none issued.

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION. 5/6/22 17 2 C
Date Grave Row Block

Suresnes, #34

Cemetery

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REC'D WORLD WAR DIV.

↑ AUG 22 1924

Baker Claude A + Pot 137 of 59.
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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

BAKER, Claude Albert.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Sea-2. Moutchic-Lacanau.
(Rank.) Gironde, France (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL February 23, 1918.
Cemetery of Lacanau.

PLACE OF BURIAL Gironde, France.

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

GRAVE NUMBER

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? Yes.

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? No.

Was one fastened to name peg or painted on cross.
stake used as a grave marker?

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

REPORTED BY:

George B. Blum, A. Surg., U.S.N.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB- HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Baker,</i>	<i>Bak</i>	3	<i>219</i>
<i>Claude Albert</i>	CEMETERY <i>34</i>	1	<i>6</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>17</i>	2	<i>17</i>
	ROW <i>2</i>	2	<i>02</i>
	BLOCK <i>C</i>	1	<i>3</i>
STATE	<i>Tenn.</i>	2	<i>48</i>
RANK	<i>Sea. 2cl</i>	1	<i>6</i>
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ORGANIZATION	<i>X</i>	3	<i>XXX</i>
ARM	<i>X</i>	1	<i>X</i>
MARITAL <i>(Father)</i>	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Baker, Wm.</i>		3	
<i>National Sanatoriums, Bayl</i>	STATE	2	
<i>W. Tenn.</i>	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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ACCEPTANCE		1	
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X 8 524 Baker, Albert Claude

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mail ret. from Father Wm. Boyd Baker

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~~National Military Home, Hampton, Va.~~

National Sanatorium

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

October 7, 1932.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Baker, Claude Albert (Sur)

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Hampton, Va.

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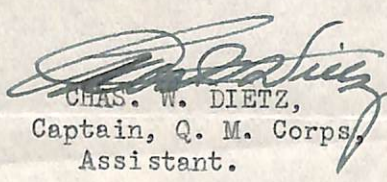
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.
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DATE 2/8/30

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
BAKER, Claude Albert	Seaman 2/c	1350667	U.S.N	12/3/17

STATE	Tennessee	CTY. NO.	34	GRAVE	17	ROW	2	BLOCK	C
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	<i>XC 83-24</i>
	MOTHER	:	:	:	<i>no record. Dead</i>
	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	<i>Father:</i>
NAME		:	:	:	<i>Wm Boyd Baker.</i>
AND	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	<i>National Sanatorium</i>
ADDRESS		:	:	:	<i>Active</i>
	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	<i>Optional</i>
		:	:	:	<i>military Home</i>
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	:	:	:	<i>Hampton Va</i>
	<i>Single man</i>	:	:	:	<i>2/12/31</i>
		:	:	:	<i>no one elig.</i>

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WORLD WAR DIVISION
PERSONNEL RECORDS SECTION

.....1929

TO

Father
Navy
Mr. Wan Baker
Gen. Del.
Knopville, Tenn

MIM # 53

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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September 13, 1929.

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August 9, 1929.

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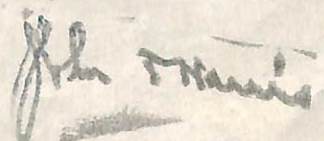
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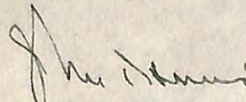
Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-C

IN REPLY REFER TO

BAKER, Claude Albert - Seaman 2cl

December 23, 1925

Mr. William B. Baker,
Sparrows Point,
Md.

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L.W. Redington

L.W. REDINGTON,
Major, Q.M.G.,
Assistant.



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Baker Charles Albert

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YOUR MAIL TO	
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**Soldier's Overseas
Grave**

Name Claude Albert Baker

Rank Seaman, Second class

Organization U.S. Naval Air Station

Grave No. 17 Row 2 Block C

Cemetery Suresnes American Cemetery

Location Suresnes, Seine, France

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INDEX SHEET

Letter

SYNOPSIS

From Bu. of Navigation

To QMG

Returning G.R.S. Forms 114-B regarding deceased Navy personnel
of the World War-advising corrections made.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293 Europe (Verification)

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INSTRUCTIONS.—Under "Synopsis" make brief entry showing date of communication and from whom received and synopsis sufficient to identify the papers. When these index sheets become numerous under a subject they will be entered on the consolidated index sheet and then destroyed.

3-6642

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BAKER, Claude Albert Ser. No. _____)
 (b) Rank Sea-2 c Organization USN Air Station) TYP. EML
 (c) Date of death 12/2/19 of death Reasoning) CKR DS
 (d) Cause of death 6-9-22 DS

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

(a) Grave No. 1 Row --- Plot Amer. Sect. ---) TYP. ILH
 (b) Emerg. Address Wm B Baker, Father, Sparrows Point

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No card) CKR EP

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name No card in file (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 mm Date 4-30 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 _____ Date _____ 1920

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes - aa

Examiner's Initials aa Date 5-1 1920

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY NO. 657

SHEET NO. 1

9

G.R.S. Form #115

Amended April 6, 1920.

Make Form #114

Rechecked
3-2-21

Concentrated into P.A.C. 34

10-27-21
transcript for
concentration business 34

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 **MAY 6 1920** 1920

IX.

C O R R E C T I O N S

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

DATE 5/6/221. NAME BAKER, Claude Albert SERIAL No. _____RANK Seaman 2nd Class ORGANIZATION _____GRAVE LOCATION French Cty. (Amer. Plot) Lacanau (Gironde) 857
CTY. NAME NUMBER1 Amer. 858

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL ~~BATTLE AREA~~ GRAVE LOCATION 1 Lacanau, (Gironde)
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.COORDINATES None.CONCENTRATED TO (Died) Dec. 3, 1917. 1
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOTLacanau, (Gironde)

857

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

W. R. Nichols, Major, C.A.C.3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 5/6/22 17 2 C
DATE GRAVE ROW Block PLOTSuresnes American Cty # 34. Suresnes Saine.
CEMETERYAUDITED BY
5/10/22

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Lacanau #857,Date Sept. 26, 1921.1. REMAINS OF BAKER, Claude Albert SERIAL NUMBER RANK Seaman 2nd Class ORGANIZATION 2. Disinterred (date) : Sept. 26, 1921 From (give complete location) :Amer. Pl. 858Grave #1, Cem. #857.By : Group 3 Unit Section 73. Reburied (date) : May 6th 1922. In (give complete location) :Grave 17, Row 2, Block C, Cty 34, Suresnes.By : Group special Unit Nature of reburial metallic casket and shipping case.

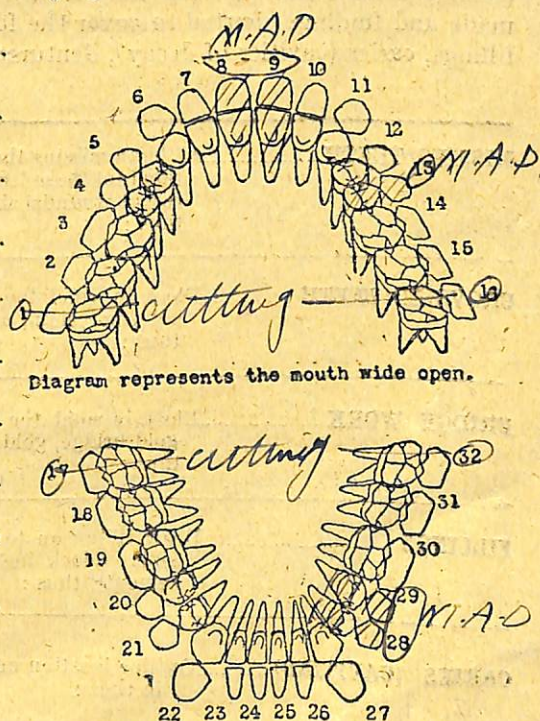
4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :

Wooden box, Navy Uniform.Badly decomposed.Features not recognizable.5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? No On grave marker ? Yes

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

As he was one of two enlisted men, as the other was fully identified by tag, we have presumed that this is the correct body by elimination.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) indiscernable(b) Weight (estimated) due to decomposition.(c) Hair—Color light brownQuantity unknownCharacteristics straight(d) Hair on face—Color none visibleLocation noneQuantity none(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) Indiscernable due to decomposition.L. R. Knasin, checker.7. Disinterment supervised by B. P. Fair Approved : B. P. Fair(S. D.) Campbell, Capt., Q.M.C.8. Reburial supervised by Charles P. Keating Approved : H. S. SmithCharles P. Keating Chief Sup. Emb.H. S. SMITH, Chaplain.(Title) 

D-60312

To be prepared in triplicate.

Lacanau #857,

DATE

Sept. 26, 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 BAKER, Claude Albert

10. Name

2. No.

11. No.

3. Rank Seaman 2nd Class

12. Rank

4. Org.

13. Org.

5. D.D. Dec. 3, 1917

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D.

(b) D.B.

~~No discrepancy~~

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 1 Sec.

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot Amer. 858 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17.

~~No discrepancy~~18. Cemetery French (Amer. Plot)19. Commune or town Lacanau20. Dept. or County Gironde21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 85723. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 26, 1921By B.F. Fair

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Baker, Claude Albert

Serial No.

Rank Seaman 2nd Class

Organization

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

Yes

No

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

L.R. Khasin

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).

As he was one of two enlisted men, as the other was fully identified by tag, we have presumed that this is the correct body by elimination.

27. Condition of body

Badly decomposed. Features not recognizable.

28. Nature of burial

Wooden box and Navy uniform.

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

Sept. 26, 1921

By

B.F. Fair31. Casket sealed by B.F. Fair

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

B.F. Fair

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C - 2542

32. Designation of body:

Name BAKER, Claude Albert Serial No. _____

Rank Seaman 2nd Class Organization _____

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery SURESNES AMERICAN CEMETERY #34

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) _____ By _____

Sept. 26, 1921 B.F. Fair

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 S.D. Campbell

36. Remarks S.D. Campbell, Capt., Q.M.C.

None

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) _____

Sept. 26, 1921.

To point of Concentration

Convoyer B. L. Thompson Bassens, Gironde. (Name) _____

Signature Shipping Officer S.D. Campbell

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 26 SEP 1921 S.D. Campbell, Capt., Q.M.C.

By G.R.S. Representative W. R. NICHOLS
Major C. A. G.

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Oct 14 1921

Paris Morgue

Cemetery

(Name)

Jack Roberts

Signature Shipping Officer W. R. Nichols

te

entative

May 6th 1922.

(Date)

Section

17

2. Cty 34, Suresnes.

Block C

Row

G.R.S. Representative H. S. Smith

H.S. SMITH, Chaplin.

39 (a)

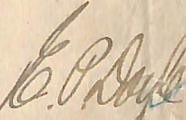
Received at Paris Morgue, October 17, 1921.


H. L. WARD,
Major, Q.M.C.

39 (b)

Shipped from Paris Morgue, May 6th 1922. To Permanent
Cemetery No. 34, American, Suresnes (Seine) by Shipping Officer,
Convoyed by: Arthur De Wasch

~~H. L. WARD,~~
~~Major, Q.M.C.~~


E. P. DOYLE
Capt. QMC

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

BAKER, Claude Albert.

(Surname.)

(Number.)

(First Name and Initials.)

U.S.N. Air Station,

Sea-2.

Mouthic-Lacanau,

(Rank.)

Gironde, France (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL February 23, 1918.

Cemetery of Lacanau,

PLACE OF BURIAL Gironde, France.

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

GRAVE NUMBER

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? Yes.

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? No.

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Painted on cross.

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

FILE

15061 Rgn

REPORTED BY:

George B. Summary, A. Surg. U.S.N.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

G. R. S. F O R M 8 - W - A

95207

FORWARDED TO

Marine Corps

✓ Adjutant Generals Office

5-1-22

Date

G.R.

Initials

C.C. C.D. E.A. D.D. Requested ?

S-3651-KP.

FILE

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.R.S. Form 2-W-A

Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 5-1-22

File No. 95207

Registration.

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, Graves Registration Service,
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 Baker	f. Date of death Dec. 3, 1917
b. Christian name Claude Albert	g. Cause of death Drowning
c. Serial Number	h. Authority (C.O.#) cable IL 1807 from Sims 12-5-17
d. Organization U.S.N. Air Stat.	i. Emergency address father, Wm. B. Baker, Sparrows Point, Md.
e. Rank Sea-2	j. Relationship

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

a. Age of 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

Note: Remains to be permanently interred Cem. 34, Suresnes.

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

CEMETERY NO:

SHEET NO:

TYPED BY: R

BY:

Charles J. Wynne
Charles J. Wynne,
Captain, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

S/3310/LML

Form att. G.R.S.