

Bardilli,

Roy

552,040

(Surname.)  
Pvt

(Christian name in full.)  
Co K 38th Inf

(Army serial number)

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased... father

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:

I advise burial on French soil with Catholic rites  
(Name of person to receive remains.) (Express office.) (Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Egadio Bardelli

3130 East 92nd St.  
(Number and street or rural route.)

Chicago, Ill.  
(City, town, or post office.)

Ill.  
(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

drawn by MH

1232-2ef38-7

4-29-21

The father expects to visit France  
in the near future and would like  
to learn, before leaving, the exact  
location where his son Roy is buried  
so that he can visit the grave.-

Letter sent 9/15  
MH

checked  
4/29/21  
MH

FR

To The A. G. O.

6293

G.R.S. Form #114-B

MAY 14 1926

DATE 12/15/21

1. NAME BARDELLI, Roy SERIAL No. 552040

RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co.K.38th Inf. DIVISION 3rd Div.

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse Arg. Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, 1232 Sec. 38

3 Sec. 38

1

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Romagne sous Montfaucon, Meuse

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35 NE 283.1 N 308.9 E

CONCENTRATED TO 6/7/19 3 Sec 38 1

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse Argonne Cemetery

1232

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Tagon body.

DATE OF DEATH Oct 9 - 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Illinois

data F-1.

EDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

ccg.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

W. D. Birdseye

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

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 12/15/21 13 20 D

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

Block

Block

AUDITED BY: M.J.S. - 6-4-23

Received MAY 20 1926 M.A.R. BRANCH

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Can. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) 1232 CEMETERY

MAY 15 1926 WORLD WAR DIV.

RECEIVED  
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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.

Co. K. 38th. Inf.  
3rd. Division.

BARDELLI, Roy.- Pvt. 552040

Killed in Meuse-Argonne Offensive 9 October 1919, by  
shell fire. Have no idea as to location of grave.

Informant: Sailer, Sherid.- Corp. 552024  
Co. K. 38th. Inf.

Home : 24 Devine St.  
Newark, N. J.

Signed : Sherid Sailer.

EB.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Bardelli</i>	<i>BAR</i>	3	<i>218</i>
BURIED <i>Ray</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
	GRAVE <i>13</i>	2	<i>13</i>
	ROW <i>20</i>	2	<i>20</i>
	BLOCK <i>12</i>	1	<i>4</i>
STATE	<i>Ill.</i>	2	<i>13</i>
RANK	<i>Prvt</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>3</i>	2	<i>03</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>38</i>	3	<i>038</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Bardelli</i>	<i>BAR</i>	3	<i>218</i>
<i>Natalie</i>	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
<i>Malone</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION <i>S</i>	<i>mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Foreign</i>	1	<i>4</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE <i>29/514</i>	<i>Italy</i>	1	
		2	<i>01</i>

AUDITED  
 MAR 27 1938  
*AM*

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~~Pvt~~ m-a.

Bardelli Roy  
Pvt  
38th Inf

XC 125959

correct

father died 11-22-28 - estate settled

Parents lived in Chicago - until 1920

m-natalina Bardelli - Italy

Single - no loco. 3-24-33

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Bardelli, Roy  
1232

September 4, 1929.

Mr. Egodis Bardelli,  
3130 E. 92nd St.,  
S. Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 29, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter 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? If so, give her complete address:

*No.*

2. 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.

*Mother's Name is*  
*Mrs. Natalie Bardelli*  
*Pistoia Casal Guido Italy.*

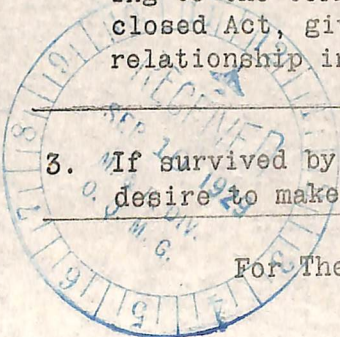
3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Incls.  
Act of Congress  
Envelope



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Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

In reply refer to:  
QM - 293 C-R

July 20, 1923

Mr. Egodis Bardelli,  
3130 East 92nd St.,  
South Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of

Private Roy Bardelli, Company K, 58th Infantry, is Grave 13, Row 20, Block D, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by 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 maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner,  
Assistant.



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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

61328

Remains of :

NAME: BARDELLI, Roy NUMBER: 552040  
RANK: Unkn. Private ORGANIZATION: Co. K 38th Inf.

DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL MADE BY GROUP: UNIT:

DISINTERMENT: (Date) FROM: (Give complete location)  
7th, June 1919 Isolated Grave

T ROMAGNE MEUSE

35 NE 308.9 E; 283.1 N.

REBURIED (Date) IN: (Give complete location)  
7th, June 1919 Grave #3 Sec. 38 Plot 1

1232

ARGONNE AMER. CTY. #1232.

ROMAGNE MEUSE

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

Burial good; buried in uniform; body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

What other means of identification were found on the body? None

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CONFIRMED No. D-10705

Note:

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

Supervised by: Capt. Edwards

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R. H. ROSENTHAL  
2nd Lieut. Q.M.C.U.S.A.  
C.O. Group Unit

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #61328



I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BARDELLI, Roy Ser. No. 552040
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. K, 38th Inf.
(c) Date of death 10-9-18 (d) Cause of death k/a.
TYP. HWL.
CKR. [initials]

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

(a) Grave No. 3 Row Row Plot 1 Sec. 38 TYP. HWL.
(b) Emerg. Address Mr. Egide Bardelli (Father) 3130 E. 92nd St., S. Chicago, Ill.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases/ CKR. [initials]

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Egodis Bardelli (b) Relationship Father
(c) Address 3130 East 92nd St., Chicago, Ill.
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S.
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S.

Examiner's Initials [initials] Date 4/29, 1921

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

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

Examiner's Initials Date, 192

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to?

Examiner's Initials [initials] Date 4/29, 1921

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 1232, Sec. 38 SHEET No. 7.





To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec. 14, 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 BARDELLI, Roy  
 2. No. 552040  
 3. Rank Pvt.  
 4. Org. Co.K.38th Inf  
 5. D.D. Oct. 9/18.  
 6. C.D. KIA

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 3 Sec. 38  
 8. Plot 1 Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 17. None.

18. Cemetery Meuse Arg. Amer

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfau

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 - Sec.38

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec. 14, 1921.

By E. B. Goodrich

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Roy Bardelli  
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. 552040  
 Organization Co. K, 38th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? No On body? Yes

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

J. L. White.

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).

None.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed; features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial US uniform, burlap and pine 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. 14, 1921. By E.B. Goodrich

Casket sealed by E. B. Goodrich

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor E. B. Goodrich)

E. B. Goodrich

AUDITED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box) Box No. **C-18485**

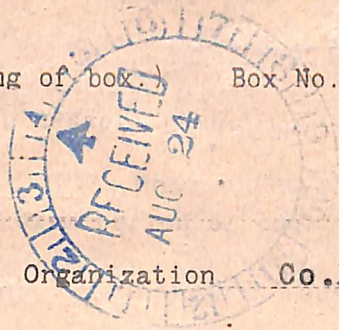
32. Designation of body:

Name **Roy BARDELLI**

Serial No. **552040**

Rank **Pvt**

Organization **Co. K. 38th Inf.**



33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Meuse Arg. Amer. Cty. #1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Dec. 14, 1921.** By **E. E. Goodrich**

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 **A. E. Dewey, 1st Lieut. QMC.**

36. Remarks **None.**

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Dec. 14, 1921.** **d**

To point of Concentration **Morgue, Romagne.**

Convoyer **W. J. Royed.**

Signature Shipping Officer

(Name **J. Gerald Cole**  
**GERALD COLE**  
Captain, G. A. C.

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

Convoyer

(Name  
Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred

**Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 (Date Dec 15th 1921**

42. Grave No.

**13**

Section

43. ~~Plot~~ Block

**D**

Row

**20**

G.R.S. Representative

**James W. Younger, Capt QMC.**

FR

jt.

Place Romagne 1232.

Date Dec 14, 1921.

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF BARDELLI, Roy. SERIAL NUMBER 552040

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. K 38th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Dec 14, 1921 From (give complete location): Gr 3, sec 28, plot 1, Cty. 1232.

By: Group 4 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Dec 15th 1921 In (give complete location): Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Gr 13 block D row 20

By: Group re-burial S Unit  Nature of reburial unlined casket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:  
wooden box and burlap; and uniform, badly decomposed, features not recognizable.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes. On grave marker? no

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:  
body tag partly corroded, reads: serial number only.

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 do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color o

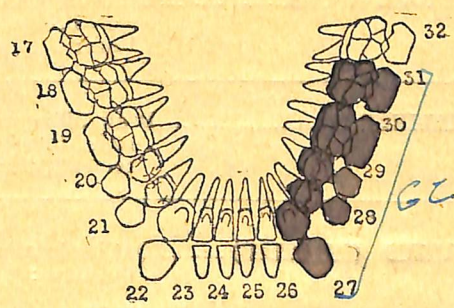
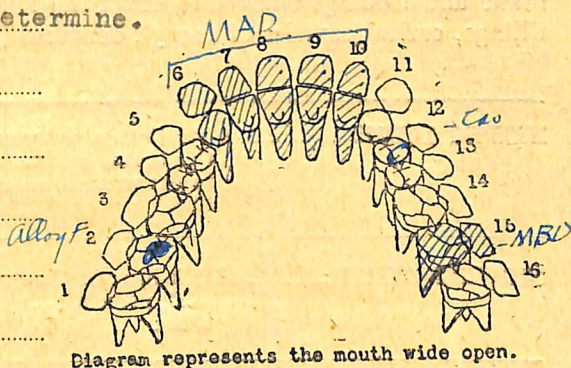
Location do

Quantity do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) do

do

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) none visible.








7. Disinterment supervised by E. E. Goodrich Approved: A. E. Dewey  
E. E. Goodrich. A. E. Dewey 1st Lt. Q.M.C.  
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault Approved: James W. Younger  
A. U. Dufault James W. Younger, Capt QMC.  
(Title) jt.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

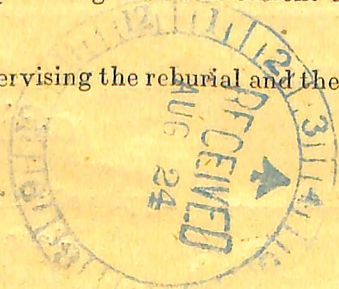
Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

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.

<p><b>MISSING TEETH</b>.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">TOOTH MISSING      TOOTH MISSING</p>
<p><b>CROWNED TEETH</b>.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD CROWN      PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN</p>
<p><b>BRIDGE WORK</b>.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE      GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<p><b>FILLINGS</b>.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">SILVER FILLING      GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING      GOLD FILLING</p>
<p><b>CARIES (CAVITIES)</b>.....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">CAVITY DECAYED      DECAYED</p>
<p><b>DENTURES (PLATES)</b>.....Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."</p>	

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.

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HWL. TYP. [Signature]

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III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR. [Signature]

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

[Dotted lines for handwritten information]

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on ..., 192
letter of transmittal on MAY 11 1921, 192

Sec. 38. PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED - AP

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

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

BARDEILI 552040 Roy

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

Pvt. Co. K. 38th Infantry

(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: Argonne Front.

CAUSE OF DEATH: Shell Fire.

DATE OF BURIAL: 11 October.

PLACE OF BURIAL: Unknown.

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

Near Montfaucon, France.

GRAVE NUMBER: Unknown.

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?  Cross?

Headboard?  Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *Montfaucon (Muese)*

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? *238 3556*

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

Service record forwarded to Effects Depot, they have home address

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: *James A. Sam*  
Capt. 38th Inf.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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September 20, 1919.

293.5 (Pvt. Roy Bardilli) C.R.S.

Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Mr. Egidio Bardelli, 5130 East 92nd St., Chicago, Ill.

Grave Location.

1.- Replying to your recent inquiry concerning the grave location of your son, Pvt. Roy Bardilli, Co.K, 38th Infantry, I beg to say that you were duly notified of the original grave location by my office in France under date of May 29, 1919.

2.- The body has, however, recently been transferred to our large concentration cemetery which is known as the Argonne American Cemetery at Romagne-Sous-Montfaucon, Department of the Meuse; Grave 3, Section 38, Plot 1.

3.- This removal was effected in pursuance of the policy of concentration, in which the forces of Great Britain, France and the United States have for some months been commonly engaged. The cemetery at Romagne is on a beautiful slope, which practically has its rear boundary on the famous Hindenburg Line. The bodies of some 26,000 of our heroic dead now lie entombed in this great cemetery, reserved for the sepulture of those whose sacrifice made the Argonne Campaign historic.

4.- Please let me assure you of my sympathy in your distress.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

CHARLES G. PIERCE,  
Colonel, G.M.C., U.S.A.  
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

CCP/jad

G. Q. M. C.  
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War Dep't., A. G. O., Sept. 15, 1919. To the Quartermaster General's Office, Ceme-  
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By order of the Secretary of War.

  
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Of notation on card.

The Father expects to visit France in the near future and would like to learn, before leaving, the exact location where his son Roy is buried, so that he can visit the grave.

Soldier:  
Roy Bardilli, Pvt.,  
Serial 552, 040,  
Co. K, 38th Inf.

Father:  
Mr. Egodio Bardelli,  
3130 East 92nd St.,  
Chicago, Ill.

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