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To The A. G. O.

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G.R.S. Form #114-B

OCT 5 - 1926

FULL NAME BARNES, George H.

RANK Pvt. SERIAL 1574658

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Sup.Co., 146th F.A.

*41 0k with
32 Div all*

DATE OF DEATH *Oct 23 1918.*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *Ky.*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED: *None*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 14 4 H

Date Grave Row Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232

Cemetery

*997
83*

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OCT 5 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

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Numbers?

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Barnes 1574658 George H.
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. 3rd Bn HQ 146 F.A.
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: French Hospital
Maujouy, Meuse.

CAUSE OF DEATH: GSW Head

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct. 24, 1918.

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

American Section of French Cemetery
at Maujouy, Meuse.

GRAVE NUMBER: 901

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? No Cross? Yes

Headboard? No Bottle? No

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:

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: *Chas B Lore*

CHAS. B. LORE

Capt. Q. M. C.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

This portion to be forwarded to Central Records Office, A. G. O., A. E. F.

Place Senoncourt, #150.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date April 27, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BARNES, Geo SERIAL NUMBER 1574556 and 1574568 See 5-B

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Bty. E. 146th F.A.

2. Disinterred (date): April 27, 1921 From (give complete location): Gr#11 Plot B. Row 4

By: Group 2 Unit 2

3. Reburied (date): April 27, 1921 In (give complete location): Gr#11 Plot B Row 4.

By: Group 2 Unit 2 Nature of reburial wooden box and burlap

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

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: discrepancies attached. Body tag has two serial numbers.

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? impracticable
(a) Height (actual measurement) indiscernable due to decomposition to take tooth chart. without mutilation.

(b) Weight (estimated) decomposition

(c) Hair—Color indiscernable

Quantity none

Characteristics indiscernable

(d) Hair on face—Color indiscernable

Location indiscernable

Quantity none

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) indiscernable due to decomposition.

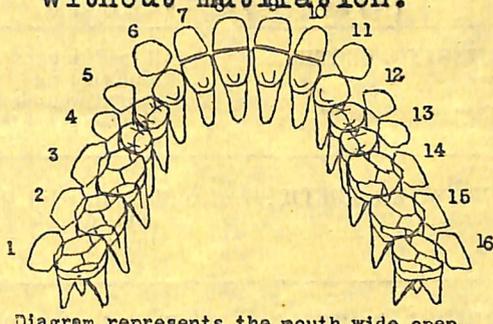
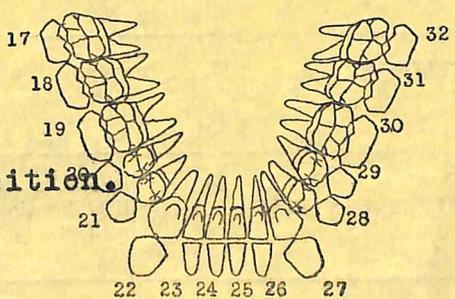


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) indiscernable due to decomposition.

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7. Disinterment supervised by W.R. Tomlinson

Approved: O.E. Davis
O.E. Davis 1st Lt. Q.M.C.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by W.R. Tomlinson

Approved: O.E. Davis
O.E. Davis 1st Lt. Q.M.C.
(Title)

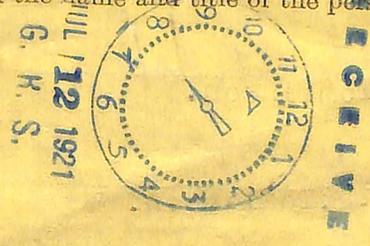
INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

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.

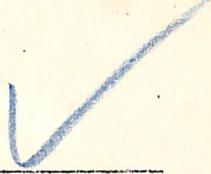
1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial 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 TEETHAll teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:	
CROWNED TEETHBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	
BRIDGE WORKBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:	
FILLINGSDraw 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.



CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	BARNES	3	218
BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 14	2	14
	ROW 4	2	04
	BLOCK 10	1	8
STATE	154	2	20
RANK	Pvt	1	2
DIVISION	41	2	41
ORGANIZATION	146	3	146
ARM	2a	1	3
MARTIAL	no	1	2
NAME	BARNES	3	218
RESIDENCE	STATE Ky	2	20
	COUNTY Jefferson	2	56
	CITY Louisville	3	030
RELATION	mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Bad	1	2
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	no	1	2
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Barnes George H (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs F E Barnes
633 Ervay Ave
Louisville Ky

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.

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)



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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Barnes, George H. Pvt. (M-A) M

June 11, 1931.

Mrs. F. E. Barnes,
633 Ervay Avenue,
Louisville, Ky.

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.

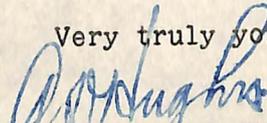
To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "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.

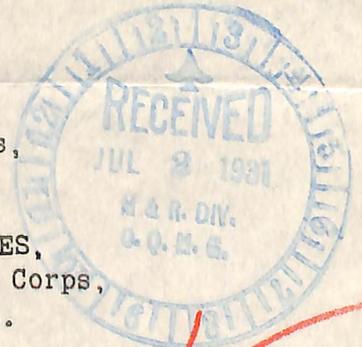
This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?

No.

Write answer here

Mrs F. E. Barnes.
Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Barnes, George H. 1232 M

June 6, 1930.

Mrs. F. E. Barnes,
633 Ervay Ave.,
Louisville, Ky.

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.

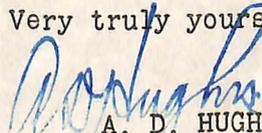
To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank 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,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.



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

No. ✓
(Write answer here)

Mrs Florence Eleanor Barnes,
(Sign here)

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Barnes, George H. 1232 M

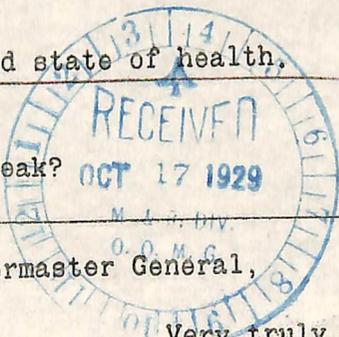
Mrs. F. E. Barnes,
633 Ervay Ave.,
Louisville, Kentucky.

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)
		<i>No.</i>
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
		<i>No.</i>
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)
		<i>No.</i>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <i>55</i> (Years)	Health <i>Poor</i> (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - <i>yes</i> (Yes) (No)	Other language (Specify language spoken)



For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

John T. Harris
JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, 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

Barnes, George H.
1232

September 4, 1929.

Mrs. F. E. Barnes,
510 E. Ormsby Ave.
Louisville, Ky.

Dear Madam:

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:

*Deceased was
never married.*

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.

*Survived by Mother
Present address
633 Erway Ave
Louisville Ky.*

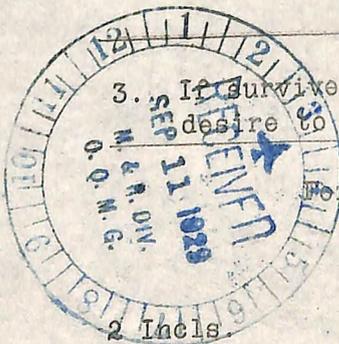
3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

*Mother does not
desire the pilgrimage.*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

John Harris
JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, 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

June 29, 1929.

Barnes, George H.

Mrs. F.E. Barnes,
518 E. Ormsby Ave.,
Louisville, Ky.

Dear Madam:

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 mother of the late Private George H. Barnes, Supply Co., 146th F.A., 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 widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish her full name and address in order that action may be taken to extend an invitation to her to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since re-married 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,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

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July 7, 1932

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(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

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Write answer here

Sign here

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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Barnes, George H. 1232 H

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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,

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

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

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, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

W.F.B.
Barnes, George Howell

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

1,574,658

(Army serial number.)

~~Art. Art Cp Shelby June Repl Draft~~

(Rank and organization.)

Sup. Co. 146th. I.A.

State your relationship to the deceased

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.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mrs Florence Eleanor Barnes

578 E. Arnsby Ave.

(Number and street or rural route.)

Louisville Kentucky

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Checked
1-10-21

R. C. Harris
The Adjutant General.

Dear Sir-

If a national
Cemetery is established in France I
desire that my son rest there. If not
I wish him laid to rest in a national
Cemetery in U. S. A. Respectfully -

Examined by
A.C. 1-10-21
150-2

Mrs Florence Elenor Barnes.

In reply refer to:
293.8 C-4 443289

Feb. 10, 1923.

Mrs. F. E. Barnes,
518 E. Ormsby Ave.,
Louisville, Ky.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private George E. Barnes, Supply Company, 145th Field Artillery, is Grave 14, Row 4, Block H, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery at 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, 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.

MAILED

Very truly yours,

FEB 10 1923

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

LN

G.R.S.

DATE March 27th 1922.

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1. NAME BARNES, George H. SERIAL No. 1574658
1574556

RANK Pvt, ORGANIZATION Sup. Co. Btry B, 146th F.A.

GRAVE LOCATION French Mil, Cty. SENONCOURT (Meuse) #150
CTY. NAME NUMBER

11 GRAVE 4 ROW B PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Not known
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Nothing of record

CONCENTRATED TO Not known
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Nothing of record
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Wm M. Cline **Wm M. CLINE**
Captain Q.M.C.

rhj

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION March 27th 1922. 14 GRAVE 4 ROW H
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

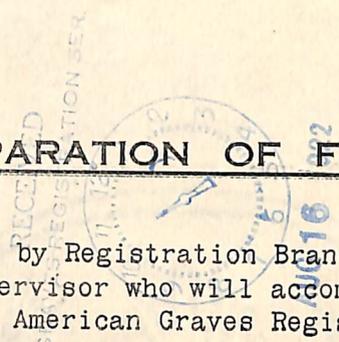
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Meuse-Argonne American Cty. #1232, ROMAGNE-sous-MONTFAUCON (Meuse)

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY
SEB 12/12/22

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 I6, 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.

Place SENONCOURT, (Meuse).

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Nov. 8, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BARNES, George H. SERIAL NUMBER 1574658
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION ~~Bty. E.,~~ 146th F.A.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov. 8, 1921. From (give complete location):
Grave 11, Plot B., Row 4, Cemetery 150.

By: Group _____ Unit _____

3. Reburied (date): _____ In (give complete location):
March 27, 1922 Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232. Gr. 14, Bl. H, Row 4.

By: Group Reburial S Unit _____ Nature of reburial Lined casket.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
Burlap; badly decomposed; recognition impossible.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:
No effects. Bottle record agrees.

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

- (a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine
- (b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate
- (c) Hair—Color None visible
 Quantity None
 Characteristics None visible
- (d) Hair on face—Color None visible
 Location None visible
 Quantity None
- (e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None visible

Cavity 3, 8, 9, 13.
MBD. 14, 19, 20, 30.

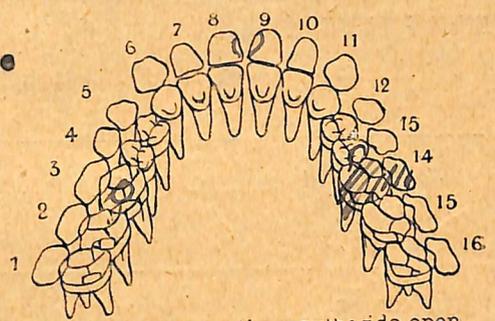
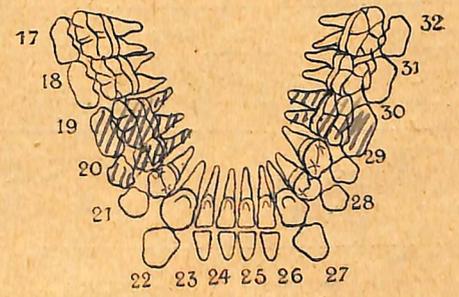


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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

7. Disinterment supervised by H. L. HURLBUT.

Approved: W.H. Roach, 1st Lt. QMC.
(Title)

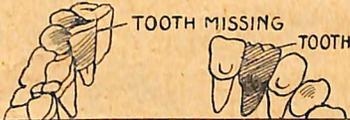
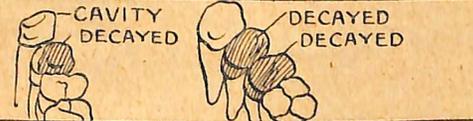
8. Reburial supervised by W.B. Shields

Approved: H. Joffe, 1st Lt. QMC.
(Title)

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), bicuspids (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.



RECEIVED

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 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

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1. Name BARNES, George H.
 2. No. ~~1574556~~ 1574658
 3. Rank Pvt.
 4. Org. ^{Sup. Co} Btry E, 146th F.A.
 5. D.D. Oct 23rd,
 6. C.D. DOWRIA?

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 11 Sec. _____
 8. Plot B Row 4
 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery French Mil,
 20. Dept. or County Meuse
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. #150

19. Commune or town SENONCOURT
 21. Country France

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov. 8, 1921.
 24. Inscription on grave marker:

By H. L. HURLBUT.

Name BARNES, George H.
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. 1574556
 Organization Bty. E., 146th F.A.

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

[Signature]
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

S. I. Talmage.

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. Bottle record agrees.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed; recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial: Shroud.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? Disc on body reads: Geo Barnes, 1514556, 1574658, Two Serial numbers.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov. 8, 1921 By H.L. Hurlbut.

31. Casket sealed by _____

H. L. Hurlbut.
 Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

[Signature]

H.L. Hurlbut.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. 12940



32. Designation of body: Officer i/c Operations.

Name BARNES, George H, Serial No. 1574556

Rank Pvt, Organization Btry E, 146th F.A.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Arg, Amer. Cty. #1232, ROMAGNE-s-MONTFAUCON (Meuse)

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Nov. 8, 1921. By H.L. Hurlbut.

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 W.H. Roach, 1st Lt. QMC.

36. Remarks None.

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

To point of Concentration Verdun, (Meuse).

Convoyer James Flynn. Signature Shipping Officer W.H. Roach, 1st Lt. QMC.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Nov. 8, 1921.

By G.R.S. Representative I. A. Luke, Capt., F.A.

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Nov 23, 1921

To Permanent Cemetery Meuse Argonne 1232

Convoyer O Seeliger Signature Shipping Officer R. Richard DS, 1st Lt QMC

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232, March 27, 1922.

(Date)

42. Grave No. 14 Section

43. Plot Bl. H. KIXX. Row 4

G.R.S. Representative I. H. Joffe, 1st Lt. QMC.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
~~WASHINGTON~~
HOBOKEN, NJ.

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FEB 17 1921

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.
 To: **Mrs. Florence Elenor Barnes, 518 E. Ormsby Ave., Louisville, Ky.**
 SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. George H. Barnes, Ser. No. 1574658 Sup. Co. 146th F.A.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named soldier remain in France.

OP

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

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

If all blank spaces below are not filled out, it will necessitate a return of this paper and a SERIOUS DELAY in the shipment of this body. State in each case WHETHER or not these relatives are STILL LIVING.

Was soldier married? -----

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow -----			
Soldier's children. { (Name oldest first.)	1 -----		
	2 -----		
	3 -----		
Father -----			
Mother -----			
Brothers. { (Name oldest first.)	1 -----		
	2 -----		
	3 -----		
Sisters. { (Name oldest first.)	1 -----		
	2 -----		
	3 -----		

Handwritten in red:
 H-20/19/21
 [Signature]

Date -----

Signature -----

Address -----

Relationship -----

IMPORTANT.—CAREFULLY read instructions before filling out this paper.

Feb 27

1921

I, the undersigned, am the Mother and nearest living next of kin of the within-named

(Relationship.)

soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

2. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to~~

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General Division
Overseas Postal Sub-Section

(Name.)

(R. R. station.)

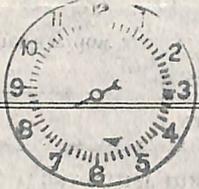
(State.)

3. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and buried in~~ National Cemetery.

4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH

Signature Mrs Florence Eleanor Barnes



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.

2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.

3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT of kin IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.

4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest next of kin in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.

5. 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.

6. If YOU are not the nearest next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.

7. If YOU are not the nearest living next of kin and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.

8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.

9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

NOTE.—INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS will be issued by this office upon the properly executed authority of the legal next of kin in each case. The widow is the first person having disposition of the remains of her husband. Should there be no widow or children, the father and, in turn (upon his decease), the mother, is the proper authority. The brothers, in order of seniority, and then the sisters in order of seniority, if there are no brothers, rank next in authority to decide. Under an opinion rendered by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, if a widow has remarried she forfeits her right, and the next of kin as given above will make decision.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

6226

File #43289

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BARNES, George H. Ser. No. 1574556
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Bty. E, 146th F.A.
(c) Date of death 10/23/18 (d) Cause of death DWRIA

TYP. HB
CKR. Jc

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

(a) Grave No. 11 Row 4 Plot B Sec. TYP. HB
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. J. E. Barnes (mother) 518 E. Ormsby Ave. Louisville, Ky.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

CKR. Jc

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Mrs. Florence Elvira Barnes (b) Relationship mother
(c) Address 518 E. Ormsby Ave. Louisville, Ky.
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? in
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S.
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S.

Examiner's Initials Date 1-8, 1920.

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

Reverse of card. Mrs. Florence Elvira Barnes, dated confirming request in Par. IV., item; above, or requesting that

By a national cemetery is established in France, I desire that my son rest here. If not I wish him laid & rest in a national cemetery in U.S.A.

Examiner's Initials Date 1-8 1920.

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

Mrs. Florence E. Barnes. address above (2-28-19) asks details death & burial

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes att

Examiner's Initials Date 1-10-21, 1920.

COUNTRY France

CEMETERY No. 150

SHEET No. 2

CARDED 2/4/21 J.L.

Exhumed
for
Museum - Argonne 1232
att 2/14/22

4-25-21 JEN
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VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by _____

Cemeterial Division, 1920.
Overseas Project Sub-Section

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on _____, 1920
letter on **JAN 25 1921**, 1920



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Par. #2, Not To Be Returned

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IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.	ACTION TAKEN.
Desires body be _____	
Body to be shipped to _____	FORM 115 RETURNED BY HOBOKEN - BODY TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.
	APR 15 1921
	<i>ABP</i>

ville, Ky

(518 E. Ormsby Ave., Louis-

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: 2/27/21 F-120 Mrs. Florence E. Barnes, (mother), furnishes no

information asto next of kin, requests that body remain in France. H-3/7/21-rmj

*Letter 3-22-21 - Mrs Florence E. Barnes -
mother - deceased was unmarried & father is
dead - address - 518 E. Ormsby Ave - Louisville
Ky - A 3-28-21 MKS*

*4-1-21 Hoboken advises mother
her wish will be complied with*

2/27/21

WAR DEPARTMENT
QUARTERMASTER CORPS
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
PIER 2, HOBOKEN, N. J.

April 9, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div.Cor.Br.

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O.Q.M.G.,
Washington, D. C.

SUBJECT: Return of Record - Cemetery #150.
Transmittal Memorandum Number H - 3022.

1. The records pertaining to the following case is returned herewith, it having been definitely determined that the body is to remain in Europe:

REFERENCE NO:

- 2 Barnes, George H., Private, Serial Number 1574658, Supply Company, 146th Field Artillery.

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,
Officer in Charge.

BY:

F. C. Pallas
F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

1 Incl.

R- 4-18-21

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April 1st, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Gen. Div. Cor. Br.
(Barnes, George H.)

Mrs. Florence E. Barnes,
518 E. Ormsby Avenue,
Louisville, Kentucky.

Dear Madam:

Receipt of your letter of recent date, relative to the disposition of the remains of your son, the late George H. Barnes, Private, Serial No. 1574658, Sup. Co., 146th F.A., is acknowledged.

In accordance with your desire, the remains of the late soldier will be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery. You are assured that the grave site will always be maintained as a fitting memorial of the late soldier's sacrifice.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q.M. Corps,
Officer in charge.

BY:

F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

Mailed-O.P.D.
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Noted on Form 115

Date 4-25-21 JEX

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Louisville Ky.

Feb 22 - 61.

R. E. Shannon

Captain, I. M. Corps.

Officer in Charge -

Dear Sir:

In answer to inquiry of
Feb 17 - I state that my son -
Private George Howell Barnes was
not married. His father,
W. B. Barnes, Sr. died Nov 11 - 1910.

Very Respectfully

Mrs Florence E. Barnes.

518 E. Crimby Ave.

Louisville Ky.

Noted
H 3-78
msd

WAR DEPARTMENT

5/4/7/21
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QUARTERMASTER CORPS
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
PIER 2, HOBOKEN, N. J.

March 17, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem. Div., Cor. Br.
(Barnes, George H.)

Mrs. Florence E. Barnes,
518 E. Ormsby Ave.,
Louisville, Kentucky.

Dear Madam:

Receipt of the Department's Shipping Inquiry Form #120, executed by you, is acknowledged.

The Department regrets the necessity of having to again address you in this matter, but is desirous of being assured that no relative entitled to a voice in the disposition of the remains of the late George H. Barnes, Private, Serial Number 1574658, Sup. Co. 146th F.A., is denied an opportunity of expressing his or her wishes.

It is, therefore, desired that you kindly inform this office at your earliest convenience whether the late soldier is survived by widow, children or father, and if so, please furnish the name and address of each.

The Department desires to convey to you renewed assurance of its sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R.E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q.M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

CEMETERIAL DIVISION



MAR 24 1921

By:

J. F. Butler
J. F. BUTLER,
1st Lieut., Infantry.

8/4/7/21
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March 17, 1921.

File No. 293,8 Com. Div., Cor. Br.
(Barnes, George H.)

Mrs. Florence E. Barnes,
518 E. Ormsby Av.,
Louisville, Kentucky.

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By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. J. HANNON,
Captain, C. S. Corps,
Officer in Charge.
By:

J. P. BUTLER,
1st Lieut., Infantry.

MAILED
MAR 19 1921
COR. BR. G. R. S.

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Division of Quartermaster
General
Washington

MAR 19 1921

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Barnes 1574658 George H. ✓
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt ✓ 3rd Bn HQ 146 F.A. ✓
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: French Hospital
Maujouy, Meuse.

CAUSE OF DEATH: GSW Head ✓

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct. 24, 1918 ✓

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

American Section of French Cemetery
at Maujouy, Meuse.

GRAVE NUMBER: 901 ✓

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? No Cross? Yes ✓
Headboard? No Bottle? No

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:

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: *Chas. B. Lore*
CHAS. B. LORE

Capt. Q. M. C.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

Adjustment Made
JAN 24 1921

WAR. DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

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

Date 1/11/21

File No. Requisition,

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

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 Barnes *OK*
- b. Christian name George H. *OK*
~~(George Howell)~~
- c. Serial Number 1574556 *OK*
(1574658) *OK*
- d. Organization Bty. E, 146th F.A. *OK*
~~(Art. Cp. Shelby June Repl. Drft.)~~
- e. Rank Pvt. *OK* Sup. Co. 146th A.I.
- f. Date of death 10/23/18
- g. Cause of death DWRIA *OK*
- h. Authority (C.O.#)
- i. Emergency address Mrs. F. E. Barnes
578 E. Armistead Ave.
Louisville, Ky.
- j. Relationship (Mother)

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
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WY 8-1-12-21

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

BY: *H. J. Conner*
H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut., Q.M.G.

CEMETERY NO: 150

SHEET NO: 2

TYPED BY: JBC

S/713/LML

Rec'd World War Dept
Date 1/12/21

Rec'd 3 & 8 Div., A.G.O.
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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

Reference-43289

May 8th 1919.

FROM : Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO : Mrs Florence E. Barnes, 518 East Ormsby Ave. Louisville,
Kentucky
SUBJECT: Private George H. Barnes, Bat. E. 146th Field Art.
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 901, American Plot, French
Military Cemetery Moujouy, at SENONCOURT, Department of
MEUSE. The grave location has not as yet been confirmed
by the field force of this Service, but the notification
of burial has been made to us, as herein stated, and is
officially entered.

By direction:

(Enclosures G.R.S.:0
(10-B, .004)

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

MBD-cb

LITE Per

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



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

FILE NUMBER 43289

FROM:- *A.P.E.*

DATE *2/23/19.*

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:

NAME

BARNES, GEORGE

NUMBER

RANK

PVT.

ORGANIZATION

146th F.A.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	1. BARNES. 1574556. George H. Pvt. Bat. E, 146th Fld.Art.
2.	Date of Death.	2. 10-23-18.
3.	Cause and place of death.	3. DWRIA.
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	4. 300.
5.	Date buried.	5. 10-24-18.
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required.	6. Grave #901, Cty.French, Amer. Plot, 'Maujoy', Senoncourt, (Meuse) <i>Cty 150</i>
7.	Who reported burial.	⑦ <i>Charles BLORE Capt 2MC.</i>
8.	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.	⑧ <i>No</i>
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	9. Cross.
10.	Report as to Identification Tags.	10. One buried with body .One attached to grave marker.
11.	Who is nearest relative?	11. <i>[Blank]</i>
12.	Has N/R been notified? (Give Date)	<i>[Blank]</i>
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	<i>[Blank]</i>
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	<i>[Blank]</i>

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

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Louisville Ky February 28th, 1919.

RE: Pvt. George Barnes died of wounds Oct. 23, 1918.

Formerly of Hdqs. Detch. 3rd Bn.
146 F.A. AEF.
Engaged 1917.

Office of the Chief Quartermaster, A.E.F.
Graves Registration Service France.

Sir:

I am the Mother of the above named man, who as stated above, died of wounds late in October. I am most anxious to secure some information regarding my son's death and particularly of his place of burial, and the services, if any, that were held. I do not know where my son was at the time of his death. He had been in France since June, but I had received very few letters from him, and he none from me.

I shall greatly appreciate any information that you can send me.

Yours very truly,

Mrs. Florence E. Barnes.
Mrs. Florence E. Barnes,
518 East Ormsby Ave. Louisville Ky.