

G.R.S. Form #114 B

JAN 21 1926

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1. NAME BARNETT Ben SERIAL No. 233766
 RANK Sgt. 1/c1 ORGANIZATION Co C. 302 State Rgt.
 GRAVE LOCATION Amer Cty. Le Relecq-Kerhuon Finistere 533
 CTY. NAME NUMBER

171-D

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Gr 266-C Row 11 Pt A Cem. 533 Le Relecq-Kerhuon

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

(Form 1-A Jan 13/19)

(Fin.)

COORDINATES None given on form from which data is taken.

CONCENTRATED TO May 27/20 171-D 7 A
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Le Relecq-Kerhuon533

CEMETERY

(Form 16 May 28, 1920)

CTY. NUMBER

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

Disintegrated tag was found with body. Also bottle with complete identification was found with body. (Form 16 May 27, 1920)

DATE OF DEATH April 19

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS None STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Utah
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

I. A. LUKECaptain. F. A.

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION July 22, 1922 5 31 Block D
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Oise-Aisne American Cemetery #608, SERINGES-ET-NESLES (Aisne)

CEMETERY

Rec'd World War Div.

5 JAN 13 1928

WORLD WAR DIV.

At one time 1st Lt. Same org.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

BARNETT

233786

BEN

(Surname.)

(Number.)

(First Name and Initials.)

SGT 1st

851 TRANS CORPS

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL..... April 2 1919.

PLACE OF BURIAL..... KERHUON CEMETERY (Age 27)

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

(Rel: Protestant)

GRAVE NUMBER..... 266C.

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

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

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:

REPORTED BY:

Robert W. Van...
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Place Kerhuon, France.Date May 27, 1920

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: Ben Barnett

Number: 233766

Rank: Sgt. 1 Cl.

Organization: Co. C, 302 Steve.

Disinterment and Reburial made by: Sec III

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

May 27, 1920Gr 266 G, Plot A, Row 11, Cem. 533

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

May 27, 1920Gr 171D, Plot A, Row 7, Cemetery 533Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: Pine box and uniform. Body badly decomposed.Was one identification tag found upon the body? YesWhat other means of identification were found upon the body? Bottle withcomplete identification was also found with body. Identification disc wasRemarks: completely disintegrated.Supervised by [Signature]

Zone Commander

W. 30030

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB- HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>BARNETT</i>	<i>B A R</i>	3	<i>218</i>
BURIED <i>Bew</i>	CEMETERY <i>608</i>	1	<i>2</i>
	GRAVE <i>5</i>	2	<i>05</i>
	ROW <i>31</i>	2	<i>51</i>
	BLOCK <i>8</i>	1	<i>4</i>
STATE	<i>Utah</i>	2	<i>52</i>
RANK	<i>1st Sgt</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>Trans. Corps</i>	2	<i>62</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>851</i>	3	<i>XXX</i>
ARM	<i>U. C.</i>	1	<i>x</i>
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Barnett (father)</i>		3	
<i>Wm. G.</i>	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
<i>122 Troup Ave.,</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION <i>Kansas City, Mo mother</i>		1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY <i>WV/</i>	<i>Dead (1-3-29)</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE	<i>BLACK</i>	1	<i>2</i>
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
. TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
<i>29/514/</i>			

Audited
FEB 4 1932
VO

REP

Barnett Ben OA x
1st Sgt 851st Co Transp Corps

233766

vd

MOTHER

Died 1-3-29

WIDOW

Single

XC-193193

LOCO

SM

Flat:
Father. (recruits camp)

Wm. I. Barnett

122 Troop Air
Kansas City
Kans.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Barnett, Ben (OA) Mx

October 2, 1931.

Mrs. Hattie Barnett,
812 Garfield St.,
Lawrence, Kans.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. To date information has not been received as to whether or not you desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, in honor of the deceased veteran named above.

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

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

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl:
Env.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Barnett, Ben Cpl (OA) M x

July 1, 1931.

Mrs. Hattie Barnett,
812 Garfield St.,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Madam:

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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,

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

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

Write answer here

Sign here

QM 293 A-M

May 5, 1931.

Barnett, Ben (OA) M x

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812 Garfield St.,
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Dear Madam:

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Kindly advise as to whether or not the late Corporal Ben Barnett was married and 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.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barnett, Ben 608-M

June 19, 1930

Mrs. Hattie Barnett,
812 Garfield Street,
Lawrence, Kansas

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.

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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?

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barnett, Ben 698

February 10, 1930

Mrs. Hattie Barnett,
812 Garfield St.,
Lawrence,
Douglas Co., Kansas.

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 Sgt, first class, Ben Barnett, Co. C, 302nd Stevedores, whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

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.

For The Quartermaster General,

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Act of Congress
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JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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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.

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Barnett, Ben (OA) Mx

October 2, 1931.

Mrs. Hattie Barnett,
812 Garfield St.,
Lawrence, Kans.

Dear Madam:

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1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
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3. Do you speak English?	
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Sign here

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?

Write answer here

Sign here

QM 293 A-M

May 5, 1931.

Barnett, Ben (OA) M x

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barnett, Ben Cpl. (OA) M x

May 5, 1931.

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Dear Madam:

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.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?

2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage
in the calendar year 1931?

3. Please give your age and state your
health.

4. Do you speak English?

5. What other language do you speak?

Age
Condition of Health

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:

Envelope
Act
Amendment

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

QM 293 A-M

October 21, 1930

Barnett, Ben Cpl 608 M

Mrs. Hattie Barnett
812 Garfield Street
Lawrence, Kansas

Dear Madam:

A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

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For The Quartermaster General:

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Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barnett, Ben 608-M

June 19, 1930

Mrs. Hattie Barnett,
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(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

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

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The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Sgt, first class, Ben Barnett, Co. C, 302nd Stevedores, whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barnett, Ben
608

Aug. 27, 1929.

Mrs. Hattie Barnett,
812 Garfield St.,
Lawrence, Kans.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 20, 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:

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.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

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Sergeant, first class Ben Barnett, Co. C, 302nd Stevedores, whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

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

Barnett Ben 233,766
(Surname.) (Christian name in full.) (Army serial number.)
Sgt 1cl Co C 302 Stevedore Regt
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased Mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? No

If remains are brought to the United States, do you } I don't know
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 do not desire them brought here
(Name of person to receive remains.) (Express office.) (Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.) (City or town.) (State.)

(Sign here) Mrs Hattie Barnett

812 Haffield St Lawrence
(Number and street or rural route.) (City, town, post office.) (State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713
(over) Kans.

Letter sent to
812 Warfield St,
Lawrence, Kans.

Examined by G.D.
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1-6-21

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REVIEWED
OSP SS.

QM 293 A-C

April 12, 1924

BARNETT, Ben Sgt. 1/cl.

Mrs. Hattie Barnett,
812 Garfield Street,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Madam:

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.

R. P. HARBOLD
Assistant.

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III. FINAL ACTION

A. MEMORANDUM to D. M. O. in E. made (Date)

(16) Removal of Remains (within custody of G.R.S.) to

(17) Instructions that remains be left undisturbed

(18) Typed by Checked by (Date)

B. G. R. S. FORM NO. 114 made (Date)

(19) Typed by Checked by (Date)

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

Form 120 6-22-20 Hattie Barnett, mother
812 Sarfield St. Lawrence, Kansas.
requests body remain in France.
OK'd by FCP. EC. 8-6-20

D. Dispatched (Date) (Let. Trans. No. **MAR 31 1920**)

Approved by

(Date)

W. R. 7-19-20 gives E.G.
Mrs. Hattie Barnett, Mother,
812 Sarfield St., Lawrence, Kansas.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Oct., 6, 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 BARNETT, BEN
 2. No. 233766
 3. Rank Sgt. 1cl
 4. Org. Co.C 302nd Stevedore Rgt.
 5. D.D. 4-1 -19
 6. C.D. Tuberculosis Pulmonary

10. Name _____
 11. No. _____
 12. Rank _____
 13. Org. _____
 14. (a) D.D. _____
 (b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 171D Sec. _____
 8. Plot _____ Row _____
 9. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. _____

18. Cemetery Amer.
 20. Dept. or County Finistere
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 533

19. Commune or town Le Relecq-Kerhoun
 21. Country France

23. Disinterred (Date) Oct., 6, 1921By W C Follmer

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Ben Barnett
 Rank Sgt. 1st cl.

Serial No. None
 Organization Co.C.302d Steve.Regt.

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

Jenssen
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

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).

Bottle record reads: "Ben Barnett, Sgt. 1st cl. Co.C. 302d Steve.Regt. Base Hospital No.65."

27. Condition of body Decomposed. Features unrecognizable28. Nature of burial Wooden box, US uniform and blanket29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Oct., 6, 1921 By W C Follmer31. Casket sealed by W C Follmer

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

702 11/14/24

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-10035

32. Designation of body:

Name Barnett, Ben OUG Serial No. 233766

Rank Sgt. 1cl Organization Co.C 302nd Stevedore Rgt.

33. Consigned to:

OISE-AISNE AMER. CEM.No 608, SERINGES & NESLES (AISNE)
(Corrected per Letter, Hdqrs., AGRS., Oct. 25, 1921)

Name of Permanent Cemetery Aisne-Marne Amer.Cem. #1764 Belleau Aisne

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Oct., 6, 1921 By W C Follmer

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

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector R F O'Leary, 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Oct., 6, 1921

To point of Concentration Brest (Morgue)

Convoyer Roy Truax Signature Shipping Officer R F O'Leary, 1st Lt. QMC

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Oct., 6, 1921

By G.R.S. Representative M B Birdseye, 1st Lt. QMC

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery OISE-AISNE AMER. CEM.No 608, SERINGES & NESLES (AISNE)

Convoyer J. B. Ball Signature Shipping Officer WALTER F. BROWN

40. Received: Date Captain, Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

G.R.S. Representative G. F. WAUGH, 608, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)
July 22, 1922. Oise-Aisne Cem

41. Reinterred

42. Grave No. 5, Block D. (Date) 31 Section

43. Plot Row

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G.R.S. Representative

C. J. Blake Captain, QMC

Place Karhuon #533

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Oct., 6, 1921

1. REMAINS OF Barnett, Ben SERIAL NUMBER 233766
 RANK Sgt. 1st cl. ORGANIZATION Co. C. 302d Stevedore Regt.

2. Disinterred (date): Oct., 6, 1921 From (give complete location): Gr. 171-D

By: Group 3 Unit Sec. 6

3. Reburied (date): July 22, 1922 In (give complete location): Grave 5, Blk. D, Row 31, Oise-Aisne Cam. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)

By: Group Blanket and metallic casket. Unit Nature of reburial

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

Decomposed. Features unrecognizable. Wooden box, US uniform and blanket

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

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

Bottle record reads: "Ben Barnett, Sgt. 1st cl. Co. C. 302d Steve. Regt. Base Hospital No. 65"

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp. to det.

(b) Weight (estimated) Imp. to det.

(c) Hair—Color black

Quantity short

Characteristics kinky

(d) Hair on face—Color none visible

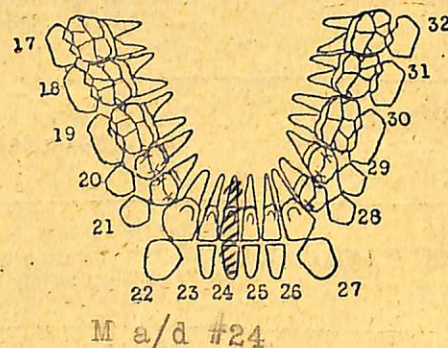
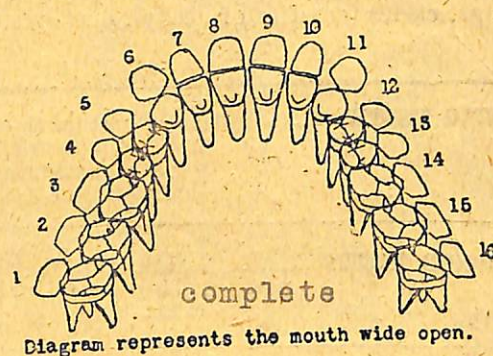
Location none visible

Quantity none visible

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Imp. to det.

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

none visible



7. Disinterment supervised by L. D. Hays

Approved: R. F. O'Leary, 1st Lt. QMC
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by L. D. Hays, Checker

Approved: C. J. Blake
(Title) Captain, QMC

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
REGISTRATION SECTION

FILE

January 26

1922

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Co. C. 302nd Stevedores
ORGANIZATION (Old)BARNETT 233766 Ben., Sgt. 1/cl.
(Name)

FILE

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st. Reb.		533	D-30030
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

(Note: In the above spaces below double line fill in ONLY the new date and data correcting previous information)

BY: Miss Jannon
Card.,
(Department)
5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
on Organization
File Card:

By 13
S/3324/LML

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE



QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON D.

CEMETERIAL DIVISION



AUG 13 1920
G. K. S.

Laurence Kans

Aug 9 1920

yours to hand Hattie Barnett
this is the letter I have sent to
that office ~~and~~ I have in hand
the last letter my boy wrote before
he taken sick and after that
I never heard no more till he
was dead I received his flatment
from february till June and I
have not received nothing since
his nurse note and told me that
his tablet set and his pocket Book
with 25 dollars in it was started
to me but I have not received
it yet I say leave my Boy
body rest where it is it is my
heart that tells yours truly

812 Fairfield St
Mrs Hattie Barnett
Laurence Kans



AUG 19 1920
G. H. R.

You have failed to furnish this office the names and addresses of those persons indicated by the blue arrow on the enclosed form.

You are requested to furnish this office at the earliest practicable moment the name and address of each of those persons indicated by the blue arrow. If those persons are not living you should so state on the attached form and return the same at once to this office, otherwise there will be an endless and unnecessary delay in the handling of this case. Prompt action is necessary.

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

JUL 31 1920

Rush Answer
533-10

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
TO: Mrs. Hattie Barnett, 812 Garfield St., Lawrence, Kansas
SUBJECT: Remains of Sgt. 1.cl. Ben Barnett.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his
body be left in France.

NOTE

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.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	<i>Soldier has no widow</i>		
Soldier's Children (Name oldest first)	1. <i>he was not married and has no</i> 2. <i>Children</i> 3. <i></i>		
Father			
Mother	<i>Hattie Barnett please leave his body there</i>		
Brothers (Name oldest first)	1. <i>he has no Brother</i> 2. <i></i>		
Sisters	<i>2 older than he was and both married</i>		
Date	<i>Aug 9, 1920</i>		
Address	<i>812 Garfield St</i>		
Relationship	<i>Mother</i>		
Note: Instructions on the reverse side of this sheet should be carefully read before filling out this paper.			

(OVER)

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION.

C-193193

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Sgt. 1st. Ben Barnett

533-10

7/5/20

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

233,766

Co. C. 302 Stevedores Regt

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE July 19, 1920

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

Mrs. Hattie Barnett

RELATIONSHIP

Mother

812 Garfield St., Lawrence, Kansas

Address:

NS-8438/JC

BOND

100

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

JUL 1 1920

553-10

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

TO: Mrs. Hattie Barnett, 812 Garfield St., Lawrence, Kansas

SUBJECT: Remains of Sgt. 1. cl. Ben Barnett.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his
body be left in France.

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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.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow			
Soldier's Children 1.			
(Name oldest first) 2.			
3.			
Father			
Mother			
Brothers 1.			
(Name oldest first) 2.			
Sisters			

Date

Signature

Address Relationship

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

(OVER)

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON

533-10

JUN 18 1920

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

TO: Mrs. Hattie Barnett, 812 Garfield St., Lawrence, Kansas.

SUBJECT: Remains of Sgt. 1/cl. Ben Barnett.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his
body be Not returned to United States.

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.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, U.S. Army.Noted on Form No. 115
8-6-20

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow			
Soldier's Children (Name oldest first)	1. Non 2. Non 3. Never Married	and had no children	
Father	don't know nothing		
Mother	yes Hattie Barnett	Lawrence	Kans.
Brothers (Name oldest first)	1. Non 2.		
Sisters	2 Gracie Barnett mom's	Stemens, California	
Date	June 29 1920	Signature	Hattie Barnett

Address 812 Garfield Lawrence Relationship mother

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

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

G.R.S. Form #120
Shipping Inquiry.

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

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MAR 26 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.G.
TO: Mrs. Hattie Barnett, 812 Garfield St., Lawrence, Kansas.
SUBJECT: Disposition of remains of Sgt. 1/cl Ben Barnett

Records of this office show your request to be as follows:

Remains to be not returned to United States ~~Interred~~

~~Shipped to~~

no change

If any modifications of the foregoing are desired please write same fully on the other side of this sheet.

The nearest living relative may choose between, (1) return of remains to homes for burial; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in France.

You are requested to fill out the following without delay and return in enclosed penalty envelope, which does not require postage.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Widow			
Children (Name oldest first)			
Father			
Mother			
Brothers			
Sisters			

Date

Signature

Address

Relationship

Lawrence Kansas,

Mich. 28, 1920

Kind Sir

Many thanks to you for informing me about
my son but I'd rather he be left where
he is.

Mrs. Mattie Barnett

RECEIVED



APR 12 1920
G. H. S.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

BARNETT

233766

BEN

(Surname.)

(Number.)

(First Name and Initials.)

SGT 1c1

851 TRANS CORPS

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... April 2 1919.

PLACE OF BURIAL... KERHUON CEMETERY (Age 27)

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

(Rel: Protestant)

GRAVE NUMBER... 266 C.

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

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

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:

REPORTED BY:

Albert F. Vonham
Burial Officer

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Registration Card No. 102046

4-14-19

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

SUBJECT: Information required for G R S.

I. Items checked are to be completed:

- () Surname: BARNETT
() Number: 233766
() First name: Ben
() Rank: Sgt 1/c
() Company: C.
() Organization: 302nd Stevedores
() Date of death: 4-1-19
() Cause:
() Place:

Location of hospital:

Number » »

Class » »

(✓) Relative: Hattie Barnett

(✓) Relationship: Mother

(✓) Address: 812 Garfield St

() Authority:

Cablegram No: 498

Telegram from: Lawrence

dated:

() Reported to Washington:

C.C. Nos:

(Underscore the "official" C.C.)

() Remarks:

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

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

Initials of reporter: