

LIST OF PAPERS

File under No. 293

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Barrett, Wm. A.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 3-6788

SERIAL NUMBER	FROM—	DATE	TO—	SYNOPSIS
2-23-39	ARCHIVES AND CLAIMS BRANCH WASHINGTON Q. M. DEPOT FT. MYER, VA.	1-30-39	<i>Miss O'Reilly</i>	<i>for Memorial.</i>

QM 293 A-M

Barrett, Wm. A.

February 18, 1939

Mr. John F. Barrett, Captain of Detectives,
Drawer 360,
Pottsville, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of January 16, 1939 to the War Department has been referred to this office for necessary attention as to the place of burial of the late Wm. A. Barrett.

The records of this office show that the remains of the late Wm. A. Barrett are interred in the Mesue-ArgonneAmerican Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France in Grave 21, Row 25, Block F.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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AG 201 Barrett, William A.
(1-16-39)WW.

1st Ind.

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War Dept. A. G. O., January 26, 1939. To The Quartermaster General, Wash-
ington, D.C.

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2. This communication has been acknowledged and the writer advised of its transmittal.

By order of the Secretary of War:

1 incl.
Copy of letter



K 9 1/2
Adjutant General.

*Neuve-Angonne Amer. Cem.
Strasse 21, Row 25, Block 7.
Romagne-sons-Montfaucon, Meuse.
France*

AG 201 Barrett, William A.
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K. G. Hoge

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Copy of letter



Adjutant General.

AG 201 Barrett, William A.
(1-16-39)WW A.S.# 2,338,084

hck - 8/3

January 26, 1939.

John F. Barrett, Captain of Detectives,
Drawer 360,
Pottsville, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of recent date relative to the burial place of sergeant William Aloysius Barrett, Company B, 4th Infantry, who was killed in action October 13, 1918.

I have sent your letter to the office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., as matters of this nature come under the jurisdiction of that office.

Very truly yours,

E. S. ADAMS

Major General,
The Adjutant General.

By: K. G. HOGE

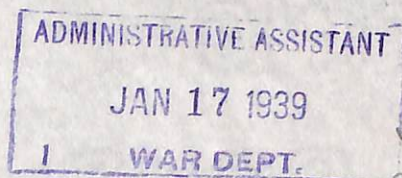
Pottsville Penna.,
January 16, 1939 .

War Department,
Washington D.C.

Gentlemen:

Will you please furnish me with the source of in-
-formation relative to the location of the burial-place of
Sergeant William Aloysius Barrett, Co. " B " 4th United States
Infantry, killed in action in France October 13, 1918?

This information was supplied our family at one
time but has long since been mislaid and lost. I plan to
visit France this summer to visit his grave and desire the
necessary information for that purpose.



JFB:M

Yours very truly,

John F. Barrett
John F. Barrett, Captain of Detectives,
Drawer 360
Pottsville, Penna.

Received A. G. O. JAN 17 1939

WORLD WAR DEPT
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G.R.S. Form #114 B

DATE 10/26/21

1. NAME BARRETT, William A. SERIAL No. 2338084

RANK Sgt. ORGANIZATION Co. B, 4th Inf. & DIVISION

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse Argonne Amer. Romagne/s/Montfaucon 1232 sec 67

CTY. NAME NUMBER

111 sec 67 3

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 1 (Isola.) (Near Cunel) Bricelles-sur-Meuse

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT. Meuse

COORDINATES 35NE 285.3N 311.5E

CONCENTRATED TO 6/17/19 111 Sec 67 3

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne 1232

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on body and cross

DATE OF DEATH Oct 13 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Penn.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None

Data form 1

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE	GRAVE	ROW	PLOT	CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR M. B. BIRDSEYE *M. B. Birdseye*

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

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 10/26/21 21 25 F

DATE GRAVE ROW Block -PLOT

Rec'd World War I
APR 4 1928

AUDITED BY

J. M. Le
4-20-23
WMD

Meuse Argonne American Cty # 1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

CEMETERY A. G. O.

AUG 11 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

W 4-11-28

CC 318 RLT 194
GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

B
..... *Barratt* *2339084* *Private*
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

..... *Pvt.* *Co. B. 4th Infantry*
(Rank.) (Organization)

DATE OF BURIAL *November 11, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL *Cune 1*

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

Montfaucon Map 150,000

85.7 - 11.5

GRAVE NUMBER *2*

HOW MARKED : Name Peg? Cross? *Yes*

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS :

Was one buried with body? *Yes*

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

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

REPORTED BY :

G. B. Council
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Co B, 4th Infantry.
3rd Division.

Barrett, William A. -Sgt.2338084.

Sergeant Barrett was killed in action on or about 12, October 1918, in the Argonne Forest. He was killed by a sniper, being shot through head. Death was instant.

Informant. Morrill, Arthur.J.--Pvt.2357285.
Co B, 4th Infantry.
Home.....not given...
Signed. Arthur J. Morrill. Pvt. Co B.
4th Infantry.

G.C.C.

CODE SLIP

104999

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME Barrett	BAR	3	218
WILLIAM A BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 21	2	21
	ROW 25	2	25
	BLOCK 7	1	6
STATE	Penn	2	44
RANK	Bgt	1	2
DIVISION	3	2	03
ORGANIZATION	4	3	004
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	no	1	2
<i>Sister</i> NAME		5	218
Mrs Bridget Duffy	STATE	2	44
43 So. Shamokin St.	COUNTY	2	47
Shamokin, Pa.	CITY	3	22
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER <i>(Stepmother dead 1926)</i> <i>John dead</i>		1	
ELIGIBILITY <i>no loco</i>	Lead	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
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Accepted
APR 8 1932
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CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Barrett</i>		
	<i>Bar</i>	3	21 ⁰ / ₈
Wm. A.	CEMETERY	1	1
BURIED	GRAVE	2	
	ROW	2	
	BLOCK	1	
STATE		2	
RANK		1	
DIVISION		2	
ORGANIZATION		3	
ARM		1	
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	2
NAME		3	
<i>Mother & father dead</i>	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
<i>No 1000</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Stepmother (1926)</i>	1	3
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead</i>	1	4
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
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APR 8 1982
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 3, 1930.

Barrett, Wm. A. 1232 F

Mr. Patrick Barrett,
c/o Mrs. Bridgett Duffy,
43 S. Shamokin St.,
Shamokin, Pa.

Dear Sir:

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

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

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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

no loco
single
mother dead
father dead
stepmother died
10-3-1926
13-11-10-30

QM 295 A-C
Barrett, William A.

October 2, 1929.

Mrs. Bridget Duffy,
43 S. Shamokin St.,
Shamokin, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage of the Gold Star Mothers and Widows to Europe.

In reply you are advised that the Act of March 2, 1929, provides that invitations for a pilgrimage shall be extended to only the mothers and widows of the members of the military or naval forces of the United States who are buried in the cemeteries in Europe. The Act does not permit the transfer of the invitation to any other person. It is, therefore, regretted to have to advise that you are not eligible under the law to make the pilgrimage to your brother's grave.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

SC/p

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barrett, William A.

August 30, 1929.

Mr. Patrick Barrett,
39 E. Sunbury St.,
Shamokin, Penna.

Dear Sir:

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 father of the late Sgt. William K. Barrett, Co. B, 4th. Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, 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.
4. Does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

No

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Mrs Budget Huffy
43 S. Shamokin St
Shamokin Pa
yes. Sister

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope



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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Barrett, William A.

Mr. Patrick Barrett,
Sagon, Penna.

7C 104999
8-14-29

Dear Sir:

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".

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

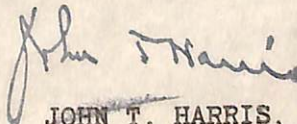
Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.


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

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

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Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-C
Barrett, William A.

October 2, 1929.

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For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

U. S. M. G. M. C. R. DIV.

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Ans. C. M. S. 11/1

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barrett, William A.
1232

Sept. 12, 1929

Mr. Patrick Barrett,
39 E. Sunbury St.,
Shamokin, Penna.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Aug. 30, 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,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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The records of this office show that you are the father of the late **Sgt. William K. Barrett, Co. B, 4th. Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, 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:

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For The Quartermaster General,

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Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

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Mr. Patrick Barrett,
Sagon, Penna.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Envelope.

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

Barrett,

William ~~Aloysius~~

2,338,084

Dup

(Surname.)

Sgt.

(Christian name in full.)

Co B 4th 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:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Patrick Barrett
Sagon Pa

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713

Drawn by H. L.
1232-sec. 67-8
5-18-21

checked by
E. S. - 19-21

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QM 293 C-R

Sept. 18, 1923.

Mr. Patrick Barrett,
Sagon,
Pa.


Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the permanent grave of ^{Sergeant Patrick A. Barrett, Company B, 4th Infantry,} Block F, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagnous-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, 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.

You are assured in effecting removal of the remains, the utmost care and reverence were exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed 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. H. CHEAL,
Assistant.

WPR

In

O.Q.M.G.
Central Mail & Files B.



SEP 19 1923
H. H.

23/592/ARK

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #54700

(a) Name BARRETT, William A. Ser. No. 2338084
(b) Rank Sgt. Organization Co. B, 4th Infantry
(c) Date of death 10/13/18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. DMA
CKR. B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 111 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 67 TYP. DMA
(b) Emerg. Address Partick Barrett (father) Sagon, Pa.

III. Files of soldiers/dying from contagious diseases/ CKR. B. J.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Patrick Barrett (b) Relationship Father
(c) Address Sagon, Pa.
(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 J.L. Date 5-18-, 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:

7/2
No request for disposition
(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes, J. L.

Examiner's Initials J.L. Date 5-18-, 1921

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 67 SHEET No. 8

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 192

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 192

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
Sec. #67 letter on **JUN 2 1921**, 192

Par. 2 Not To Be Returned

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IX.

REMARKS

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Oct. 26, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BARRETT, William A.
 2. No. 2338084
 3. Rank Sgt.
 4. Org. Co. B, 4th Inf.
 5. D.D. Oct. 13th
 6. C.D. KIA

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 111 Sec. 67
 8. Plot 3 Row _____
 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery Meuse Argonne Amer.

19. Commune or town Romagne/s/Montfaucon

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 sec 67

23. Disinterred (Date) Oct. 26, 1921.

By E. J. Renouard.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name William A. Barrett.

Serial No. 2338084

Rank Sgt.

Organization Co. B, 4 Inf.

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

E. J. Rasch
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant
E. J. Rasch.

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 Box, US uniform and burlap.

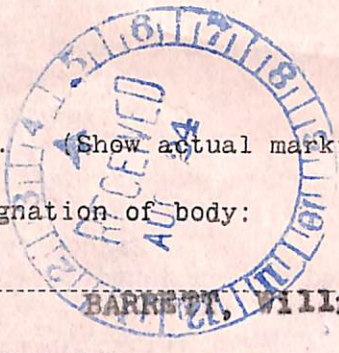
29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Oct. 26, 1921. By E. J. Renouard

31. Casket sealed by E. J. Renouard.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) E. J. Renouard
E. J. Renouard.

MAILED BY



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-15235

32. Designation of body:

Name BARNETT, William A. Serial No. 2338084

Rank Sgt. Organization Co. B, 4th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse Argonne Amer. Romagne/s/Montfaucon 1232

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Oct. 26, 1921. By H.J. Renouard.

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. H. Dewey, 1st Lieut. Q.M.C.

36. Remarks None.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Oct. 26, 1921. d

To point of Concentration Morgue, Romagne.

Convoyer W.J. Royed. Signature Shipping Officer G. J. [Signature] Captain, Q.M.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 Signature Shipping Officer (Name)

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Oct. 26, 1921 Meuse-Argonne Cty. #1232 (Date)

42. Grave No. 21 Section

43. Plot 11. F Row 25

G.R.S. Representative JAMES W. YOUNGER, CAPT., Q.M.C.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Oct. 26, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BARRETT WILLIAM A. SERIAL NUMBER 2358084
RANK Sgt. ORGANIZATION Co., B. 4th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Oct. 26, 1921. From (give complete location):
Gr. 111 sec 67 pt 3, Cem., #1232.

By: Group Renouard Unit Sec. 1

3. Reburied (date): Oct. 26, 1921 In (give complete location):
Meuse-Argonne Cty. 1232 Gr. 21, Bl. F., row 25.

By: Group Reburial S Unit _____ Nature of reburial
Unlined Casket.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
box, U.S. uniform wrapped in burlap disarticulated features unrecognizable.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:
None

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

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

(b) Weigh, (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color None

Quantity None

Characteristics None

(d) Hair on face—Color None

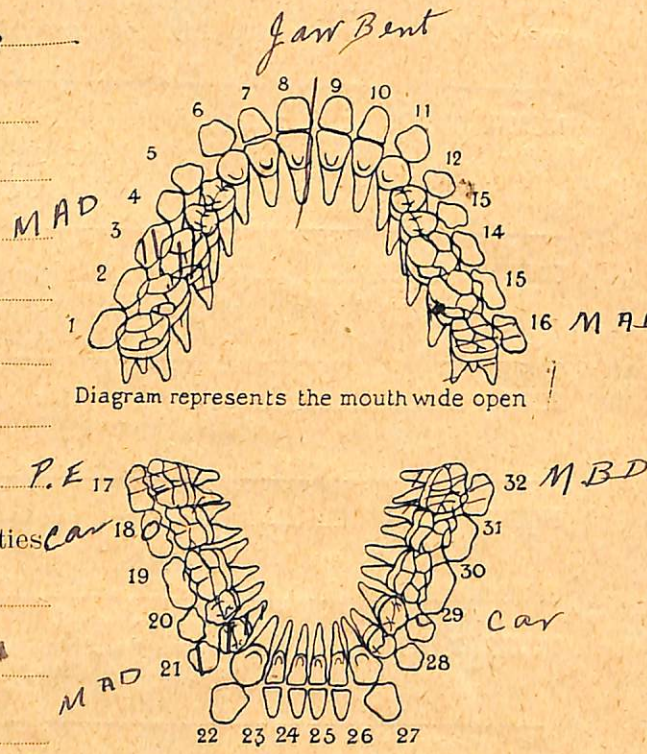
Location None

Quantity None

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

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

top xray on skull shattered.



7. Disinterment supervised by E. J. Renouard S.D. Approved: A. E. Dewey
A. E. Dewey 1st. Lt. QMC
(Title)

8. Reburial Supervised by A. J. Dufault Approved: James W. Younger
A. J. DUFALT. (Title) JAMES W. YOUNGER,
CAPT., U.S.A.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Barrett 2338084

Wm. A.

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

Pvt.

Co. B. 4th Infantry

(Rank.) (Organization)

DATE OF BURIAL... November 11, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL... Cunel

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

Montfaucon Map 150,000

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GRAVE NUMBER... 2

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? Yes

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Yes

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

Briettes-sorthouse (meuse)

230 35NE 311.5

N 285.7

REPORTED BY:

Handwritten signature: G. J. Conner

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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1. G. R. S. Form No. 1. 2338084 Hq. G. S. File

2. Soldier's No.

3. Barrett William A.
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Pvt. B 4th. Inf.
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5.
Date of Death Cause, if known

6. Isolated
Date of Burial Cemetery

7. Briouilles Meuse
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

8. 1737
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg? 1 Cross? Headboard? Bottle?
Check Method of Marking

10. Buried with Body? Attached to Grave Marker? 1
Identification Tags

11. If name unknown and tags missing, give marks and description.

Briouilles-sur-Meuse

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12. "A" sketch 88
Map reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

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13. P Blk 4-08
Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Lt. Caswell

GROUP No. 4 Signed

PROV. UNIT "A" G.R.S. Group Unit G. R. S.