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293

FULL NAME BARSHINGER, Blaine B.

RANK Cpl.

SERIAL 1794722

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Co.B. 315th Infantry

79th Div.

DATE OF DEATH 10-15-18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Pennsylvania

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED:

None

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 6-17-1922

19

25

A

Date

Grave

Row

Block

St. Mihiel American Cemetery 1233

Cemetery



Robert O. Davis,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.
By abc

MAY 28 1925

Rec'd World War Div
MAY 26 1925

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CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Bar</i>	3	218
	<i>Blaine B.</i>		
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>1233</i>	1	3
	GRAVE <i>19</i>	2	19
	ROW <i>25</i>	2	25
	BLOCK <i>A.</i>	1	1
STATE	<i>Pa.</i>	2	44
RANK	<i>Cpl.</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>79th</i>	2	79
ORGANIZATION	<i>315th</i>	3	315
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	2
NAME	<i>Bar</i>	3	218
	<i>Miss Marnie</i>		
RESIDENCE	STATE <i>Pa.</i>	2	44
	COUNTY <i>Perry</i>	2	50
	CITY <i>Marysville</i>	3	X
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	1
OTHER	<i>Father</i>	1	1
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Yes.</i>	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Bad</i>	1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	<i>No</i>	1	
29/514/EAB			

Audited
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Barshinger, Blaine B. (STM)

July 11, 1932

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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? No
(Write answer here)

(Sign here) Mrs. Minnie V. Barshinger

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June 13, 1931.

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



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no
Write answer here

Mrs. Minnie V. Barshinger
Sign here

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 6, 1930.

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? NO
(Write answer here)

Mrs Minnie V Barshinger
(Sign here)

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October 8 , 1929.

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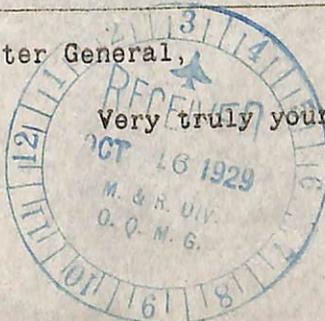
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3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age 69	Health (Good) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (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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Marysville 6/4/29

Dear sir the Mother of
Blain. B. Barshinger is
Minnie Vida Barshinger
He was never married
address Marysville Pa Box 262
yours Truly

Tolbert Nelson Barshinger
Marysville Pa Box 262



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Dear Sir:

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MAY 25 1929

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QM 293 A-C

BARSHINGER, Blaine B., Cpl.

February 14, 1924

Mr. Tolbert Nelson Barshinger,
262 Lincoln Street,
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Dear Sir: 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.

Assistant,

R. L. FOSTER

MFK



FEB 14 1924
B. O. C.

Barshinger,

(Surname)

Blaine B.

(Christian name in full.)

1,794,722

(Army serial number.)

Corp

Co B 315 Inf

(Rank and organization)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

yes

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery?

no

(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:

Tolbert Nelson Barshinger & dave Marysville Pa.

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

262 Lincoln Marysville

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

Penna.
(State.)

(Sign here)

Tolbert Nelson Barshinger

Lincoln st.

(Number and street or rural route.)

Marysville

(City, town, or post office.)

Penna

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by PF

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REVIEWED
OSP SS.

ALL 12-20

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec, 10, 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 BARSHINGER, Blaine B.
 2. No. 1794722
 3. Rank Cpl
 4. Org. Co. B 315th Inf.
 5. D.D. 10-15-1918
 6. C.D. Pneumonia

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 321 Sec. _____
 8. Plot _____ Row _____
 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery Amer. Mil.

19. Commune or town Mesves

20. Dept. or County Nievre

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 86

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec, 10, 1921.

By W.R. TOMLINSON

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name BLAINE B. BARSHINGER

Serial No. _____

Rank Cpl.

Organization Co. B. 315th Inf.

Gr. No. 321.

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

entirely corroded

Signature THOS A PACE 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).

No effects or means of identification found on body. Bodies on either side exhumed. No discrepancies.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Recognition impossible

28. Nature of burial Wooden box and uniform

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

30. Body prepared and placed in casket. Date Dec, 10, 1921. By W.R. TOMLINSON

31. Casket sealed by W.R. TOMLINSON

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor W.R. TOMLINSON)

AUDITED BY
S. J. 2/2/22

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C - 23946

32. Designation of body:

Name Blaine B. BARSHINGER Serial No. 1794722
Rank Cpl Organization Co. B 315th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer. Cty. #1233 Thiaucourt, M-et-M

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec, 10, 1921. By W.R. TOMLINSON

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

D.E. Lowry

D.E. LOWRY, 1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

36. Remarks Disc on cross roads: "Blaine B. Barshinger"

U.S.A. 1794722

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec, 10, 1921.

To point of Concentration Nevers, (Nievre)

(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 22 DEC 1921

To Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer Cty. 1233, Thiaucourt, (M et M)

(Name)

Convoyer R.L. HALL Signature Shipping Officer W.R. BUCKLEY, Capt. Q.M.C.

gbt

40. Received: Date 26 DEC. 1921

G.R.S. Representative J. D. Daniel, Capt, 2MC

June 17th 1922

41. Reinterred _____ (Date)

42. Grave No. 19 Section _____

43. Plot Block "A" Row 25

G.R.S. Representative

A. E. Dewey

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1st Lieut., Q.M.C.

DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Mesvres, (Nievre)

Date Dec, 10, 1921.

BARSHINGER, Blaine B.

SERIAL NUMBER 1794722

RANK Cpl.

Cpl.

ORGANIZATION Co. B. 315th Inf.

Co. B. 315th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) :

From (give complete location) :

Dec, 10, 1921. Grave 321, Amer Cty. 36, Mesvres, (Nievre)

By : Group

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Unit

Section 4.

3. Reburied (date)

June 17th 1922

In (give complete location) :

Grave 19 Block "A" Row 25
Casket & Shipping Case

By : Group

Reburial

Unit

Nature of reburial

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

Wooden box and uniform Badly decomposed,

Recognition impossible

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

On grave marker? Yes

entirely corroded

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

No effects found

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? MBD-18-19-20-

29-30-

(a) Height (actual measurement) Unable to determine

silver filling - 1-4-14

(b) Weight (estimated)

unable to estimate

(c) Hair—Color

apparently light brown

Quantity

unable to determine

Characteristics

apparently straight

(d) Hair on face—Color

none

Location

none

Quantity

none

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities,

or missing parts)

none visible

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

none visible

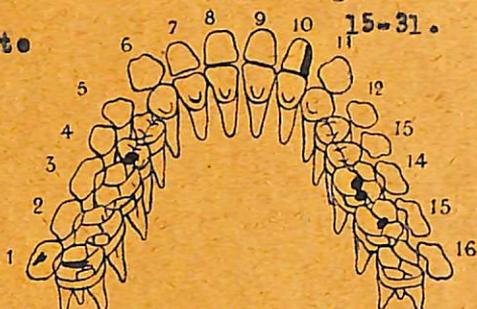
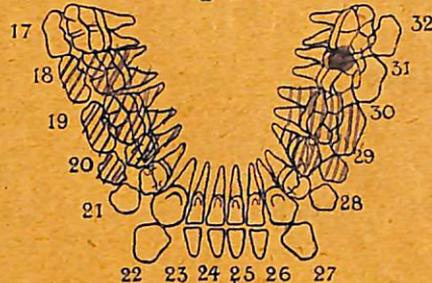


Diagram represents the mouth wide open

gold filling 10.



cavity 12.

7. Disinterment supervised by

gbt

W. R. TOMLINSON

Approved :

TAP.

D. E. LOWRY,

(Title) 1st, Lieut. QMC

8. Reburial supervised by

H. L. Kramer

H. L. Kramer

Approved :

(Title)

A. E. Dewey,
st Lieut., Q.M.C.

1400

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File No. 37490

Examined 3/24/22
Concentration 1233
St. Michael 4/18/22

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name **BARSHINGER, Blaine** Ser. No. **1794722**
(b) Rank **Corp.** Organization **Co. B. 315th Infantry**
(d) Cause **Pneumonia**
(c) Date of death **10-15-18** of death **Pneumonia**

TYP. **EMH**
CKR. **Q8**

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

(a) Grave No. **321** Row **---** Plot **---** Sect. **---**) TYP. **ILH**
(b) Emerg. Address **Galbert Barshinger, (Father), Lincoln St., Marysville, Penn.**

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; **No Card**) CKR. **EMH**

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt **None**

(a) Name **Galbert Nelson Barshinger** (b) Relationship **Father**
(c) Address **Lincoln St., Marysville, Penna.**
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? **Yes**
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at **Yes**

SEE SUSPENSION REMARKS

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U.S. **Galbert Nelson Barshinger, 262 - Lincoln St., Marysville, Pa. (Adams Ex. + Teleg., Marysville, Pa.)**

(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U.S. **---**

Examiner's Initials **gms** Date **5/21/** 1920

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

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

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____ 1920

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

no correspondence

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? **Yes - MHS**

Examiner's Initials **MHS** Date **5/22/** 1920

COUNTRY **FRANCE** CEMETERY NO. **86** SHEET NO. **33**

G.R.S. Form #115

Amended April 6, 1920.

Make Form #114

Checked off
OK 12-4-20

VII. G. R. S. FORM No. 114 made May 29, 1920

Typed by

KMB

Checked by

JOR

May 29, 1920

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by-

(cable on _____ 1920

(letter on 8/14 1920

*Par. # 2, Not to be returned (QuackB)
AP. 12/6/20*

IX. CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE	ACTION TAKEN
Desires body be	RECEIVED.
Body to be shipped to	DEC 29 1920
	CEMETERIAL DIVISION OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*Form 120- 6-24-20 from father, nearest of kin,
Talbert Nelson Bauslinger, 262 Lincoln St.
Marysville, Pa., Requests that body
remain in Europe. 7-1-20 F.*

**FORM 117 RETURNED BY HUBBARD BODY
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.**

DEC 29 1920

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

JUN 22 1920 86-33

JUN 7 1920

JOR

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
Barshinger,
TO: Mr. Tolbert Nelson, 262 Lincoln St., Marysville, Pa.
SUBJECT: Remains of Corp. Blaine Barshinger.

Push Answer

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body be returned to U. S.

Remain in France

~~Shipped to Mr. Tolbert Nelson Barshinger,
262 Lincoln St., Marysville, Pa.~~

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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.

Noted on Form No. 115

Date *7-1-20 J*

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

KMB

Was soldier married No

NAME OF NO. & STREET TOWN STATE

Soldier's Widow

Soldier's Children 1. *None*
(Name oldest first) 2.
3. *None*

Father

Mother

Brothers 1.
(Name oldest first) 2.

Sisters

Date *June 23, 1920*

Signature *Tolbert Nelson Barshinger*

Address *Marysville Lincoln St 262* Relationship *Father*

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.

over

Marysville Pa. June 15 1920

Office of Quartermasters General of Army

Graves Registration Service

Washington
D.C.

In reference to remains of Corp Blaine Barshinger who died in France.

After careful consideration of the matter of having my sons body returned to the United States it is my desire that his remains be kept in France. I therefore ask that you please cancel my request for having the body returned.

Yours truly,

Robert Nelson Barshinger
Father.

RECEIVED



JUN 17 1920
G. H. S.

JUN 24 1920



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

1. This paper MUST be signed by the person who is the NEXT of kin in the order shown in the square on other side of this sheet.
2. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest living relatives in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
3. 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.
4. If YOU are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
5. If YOU are not the nearest living relative and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
6. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
7. Use the enclosed envelope - pay no postage.

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from

69122

TOTAL COST OF DAY _____

, \$ _____

No. rations due _____, \$ _____

Savings, \$ _____

Short, \$ _____

Prepared by instructor _____

Prepared by first cook _____

Prepared by second cooks _____

Verified by _____

Instructor.

37490 6912 ✓
GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Barashinger 179422 Blair B.
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Cpl. Co. B. 315 inf.
(Rank). (Organization).

Base Hosp. 54
PLACE OF BURIAL:

Influenza
CAUSE OF DEATH:

Oct. 16 - 1918
DATE OF BURIAL:

Am. Army Cemetery
PLACE OF BURIAL:

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

Mesozo.
Dept. Nièvre
321
GRAVE NUMBER:

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

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:

Minnie Barashinger
NEAREST RELATIVE:

Maryville Pa.
ADDRESS:

Mother
RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

H. H. Borgen Cpl
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

69122

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Biddle 84385 John
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. 313th Infantry
(Rank) (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: U.S.A.B.H. 22

CAUSE OF DEATH: Broncho Pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: December 3, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL: U.S. Army Cemetery 27.

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

Merignac, Gironde

GRAVE NUMBER: 167

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? Yes

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

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NEAREST RELATIVE: Mrs. Addington

ADDRESS: 1441 S. Metral St., Lima, Ohio

RELATIONSHIP: Mother

REPORTED BY: *Clinton G. Lancaster*

1st. LT., Chaplain B.H. 22, A.E.F.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

BARSHINGER 1794722 Blaine

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

Cpl. Co. B. 315th Infantry

(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL:

PLACE OF BURIAL:

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

GRAVE NUMBER:

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

No information available

Franklin Cook Capt. 315th Inf.



~~Barshinger, Balin B~~ 179422

B 315 - Inf

Barshinger, Blaine B.
Capt Co B - 315 Inf -

202 (?)

1,794,722
D. Penn 1915

(hc)

1st Burial - Cem.

86 (unc)

OK
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FILE

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Name appears on



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For further data see Casualty Files

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
REGISTRATION SECTION

April 20, 1921.

~~122xxxx~~**FILED**

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Co. B, 315th Infantry

ORGANIZATION (Old)

BARASHINGER, 179422, Balin B.

Cpl.

(Name)

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.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

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

5 X 8 Blue Card File #69122 cancelled in favor of White Card File #37490

BARSHINGER, 1794722, Blaine B.

BY: Margaret K. McCarthyInvestigation & Adjustment
(Department)5 x 8 card was sent to file.Corrections made
on Organization
File Card:By smgc

S/1105/LML

Mr Wilson

Barstinger, Blaine B

Corp. # 1794922

Co B. 315th Inf

Laudman

12 - 4 - 20

ADJUSTMENT MADE

DEC 10 1920

FILE 37490

FILE

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Barshinger, Blaine B.

1794722

Cpl. Co. B, 315th Inf.

Barshinger CC 294 ALT 1/2

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Barshinger 179422 Blaine B.
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

France.

St. Michel

Cpl. Co. B. 315 inf.
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH Base Hosp. 54

CAUSE OF DEATH Pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL Oct. 16 - 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL Am. Army Cemetery

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

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Dept Meers

GRAVE NUMBER: 321

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE Minnie Barshinger

ADDRESS: Maryville Pa.

RELATIONSHIP: Mother

REPORTED BY: H. H. Bergen cpl

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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