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G.R.S. Form #114-B

To The A. G. O.

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OCT 5 - 1926

FULL NAME BASS, Arthur W.

RANK Pvt. SERIAL 3624821

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Co. K, 167th Inf. 42 Div

DATE OF DEATH 10-15-18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Pa.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 13 33 H
Date Grave Row Block

..... Meuse-Argonne Cty. 1232.
..... Cemetery

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8-3

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A. G. O.
OCT 5 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

AUDITED BY
R&W. 6-24-23

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

BASS

K

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

3624821 *Arthur W.*
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. *167 Inf Co K.*
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Killed in Action*

DATE OF BURIAL: *Nov. 1. 1918.*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *N. Bois de Romange.*

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

..... *Argonne Map 85.5-025*

GRAVE NUMBER: *4*

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:

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Charles Gunn Sgt
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

Co. K. 167th. Inf.
42nd. Division.

BASS, Arthur W.-Pvt. 3624821

On our attempt for Hill 288 Oct. 16, 1918 during the Meuse Argonne Offensive Pvt. Bass was hit by machine bullets during the heavy hand to hand fighting, killing him instantly he was buried close to the spot where he was killed on Hill 288.

Informant: Duffy, John H.-Pvt. 97937
Co. K. 167th. Inf.
Home : 603 Church St.
Mobile Ala.

Signed : ,Pvt. J. W. Duffy.

March 19th, 1919.

Date 25th June 1919REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.Remains of: XBAName BASS Arthur W.Number: 3624821

Rank _____ Organization: _____

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group _____ Unit _____

Disinterred (Date) _____ From: (Give complete location) _____

10th June 1919Isolated graveLANDRES-et-ST GEORGES ARDENNES35 NE E 303.1 N 285.5

Reburied (Date) _____ in: (Give complete location) _____

10th June 1919Grave 39, Sec. 107, Plot 1ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY # 1232ROMAGNE MEUSE

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

Burial good, buried in uniform, body badly decomposed.Was one identification tag found upon the body? YesWhat other means of identification were found upon the body? None

Note:

CONFIRMED No. D

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

Supervised by Lt PetersRRH. ROSENTHAL
2nd Lt. Col. G.S.A.

C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Bass	3	219
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	1
	GRAVE	2	13
	ROW	2	33
	BLOCK	1	8
STATE	Va	2	54
RANK	Pvt	1	2
DIVISION	42	2	42
ORGANIZATION	167	3	167
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	no	1	2
NAME	Pool	5	
Mr Lawrence P.	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
Adm. of Est. Richmond, Va	CITY	3	
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Dead	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	
29/514/PJ			

Adm. of Est.

Authenticated
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bass, Arthur W. 1232-Adm

July 3, 1930.

Mr. Lawrence P. Pool,
927 Hull St.,
Richmond, Va.

Dear Sir:

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1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

No-

If so, give her name and address:

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

No -Never Married.

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?

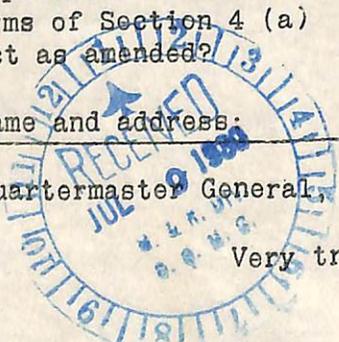
No-

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WORLD WAR DIVISION
PERSONNEL RECORDS SECTION

.....1929

TO

Sumner Appleton Jones
Same address
JG L

MIM # 53

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE November 26, 1929.

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Bass Arthur W.	Pvt.	3624821	Co. K, 167th Inf.	10-15-18

Single

STATE	CTY. NO.	GRAVE	ROW	BLOCK
	1232			

	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MOTHER	:	:	:	
	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	X 6124119
NAME	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION	:	:	:	
AND	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	" / 307
ADDRESS	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS	:	:	:	
	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WIDOW	:	:	:	
	(Who has not remarried)	:	:	:	

*Not married.
Adm. of Estate - Lawrence P. Pool
927 Hull St. Richmond, Va.*

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156/

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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August 12, 1929

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So. Richmond, Virginia

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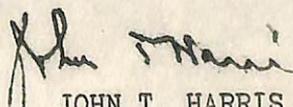
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Write answers in space below:

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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,

Very truly yours,


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

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No

No

No

For The Quartermaster General,

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John T. Harris

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Lawrence P. Bass,
927 Hull St.,
Richmond, Va.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bass, Arthur W.

June 29, 1929.

(Lead)
Mr. Lawson P. Bass,
922 McDonough St.,
So. Richmond, Va.

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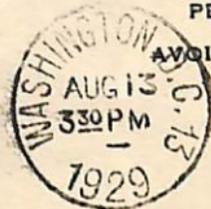
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In reply refer to:
QM - 293 C-R

July 23, 1923.

Mr. Lawson P. Bass,
922 McDonough St.,
South Richmond, Va.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private Arthur W. Bass, Company K, 167th Infantry, is Grave 13, Row 33, Block H, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

O.Q.M.G.
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JUL 23 1923

H.B.

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

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2nd Ind.

St

293 Base, Arthur W.

223-Varisco, Charles, Cpl.

Hqrs., Meuse-Argonne Cemetery, Romagne/s Montfaucou (Meuse) May 25th, 1923.
TO: Chief, AGRS., QMC., in E., 8, Avenue d'Iena, Paris (Seine).

1. The grave locations of the deceased American soldiers listed in basic communication are as follows:

VARISCO, Charles, 1380-14, Cpl. Co. E, 120th Infantry,
Grave 39, Block H, Row 33, Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232

OK BASS, Arthur W., 3624-21, Pvt. Co. K, 167th Infantry,
Grave 13, Block H, Row 33, Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232.

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E. P. Doyle
E. P. DOYLE,
Commanding.

File No: 293-8 Cty. 1232

3rd Ind.

HW.

Hqtrs. American G. R. S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8 Avenue D'Iena, Paris, May 28th, 1923. TO: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

1. Attention is invited to preceding indorsement with the request that G. R. S. Forms sent you in the case of Private Arthur W. Bass be corrected to show this soldier buried in Grave 13, Block H, Row 33, Meuse Argonne American Cemetery #1232.



R. P. Harbold
R. P. Harbold,
Chief.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 C-R

Bass, Arthur W.
Varisco, Charles.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 9, 1923.

RECORDED, A.G.R.S., Q.M.C., IN EUROPE
FILE NO. 293.8 Chy 1232

SUBJECT: Discrepancies.

TO: Chief, American Graves Registration Service,
Q.M.C. in Europe.

1. You are advised that the records of this office show that Pvt. Arthur W. Bass, 3624821, Co.K, 167th Inf. has been concentrated into Grave 39, Row 33, Block H, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery. Cpl. Charles Varisco, #1380814, Co.E, 128th Inf. has also been reported concentrated into the same grave location.

2. Information is requested as to the correct grave locations for these two soldiers.

By order of the Quartermaster General:

LN

H.J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
Assistant.



File No: *293.8 Chy. 1232*

1st Ind.

HW.

Hqtrs. American G. R. S., Q. M. C. in Europe, 8 Avenue D'Iena, Paris, May 24th, 1923. TO: Commanding Officer, Meuse Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

1. You are directed to advise this office by indorsement hereon with the least practicable delay correct grave locations of soldiers mentioned in basic communication.



R.P. Harbold
R. P. Harbold,
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CM 293 C-2

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Varisco, Charles.

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MAY 9 1923
B. O. G.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 20, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BASS, ARTHUR W. SERIAL NUMBER 3624821
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co., K, 167 Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Sept. 20, 1921. From (give complete location):
Gr. 39 sec 107 pt 1, Meuse-Argonne Cem., #1232.
By: Group Duriscoe Unit Sec. 1

3. Reburied (date): Sept 21 1921 In (give complete location):
Meuse Argonne Cemetery 1232 Gr. 39 Plot H Row 33
By: Group re-burial Unit Unit Nature of reburial unlined casket
Auth - Letter from Europe dated 9/25/23

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
IN U.S. uniform burlap and pine box, badly decomposed
features unrecognizable

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes On grave marker? Yes
Body tag reads: "3624821 - - - thin U.S. - A. 3"
(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) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to determine

(c) Hair—Color No hair on skull

Quantity None

Characteristics None

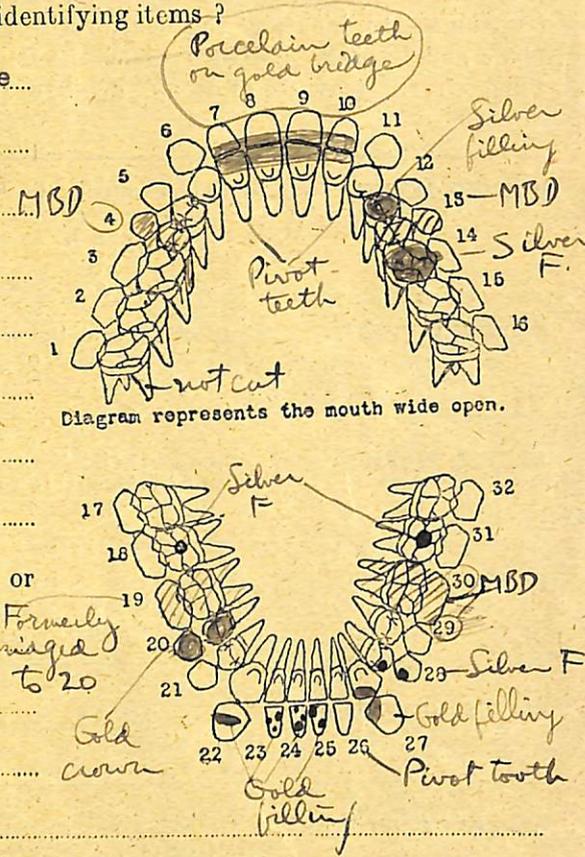
(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location None

Quantity None

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Impossible to determine

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



7. Disinterment supervised by W. G. Duriscoe Approved: R. G. Richard
W. G. Duriscoe S. E. R. G. Richard, 1st. Lt. QMC
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by _____ Approved: _____
(Title)

Sept. 20, 1921.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE

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 BASS, Arthur W.
 2. No. 3624821
 3. Rank Pvt.
 4. Org. Co. K, 167th Inf.
 5. D.D. Oct. 15th. '18
 6. C.D. K I A

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



Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 39 Sec. 107
 8. Plot 1 Row _____
 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery ARGONNE AMERICAN

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. #1232 Sec. 107

23. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 20, 1921.

By W. G. Durisoe.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Bass, Arthur W.
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. 3624821
 Organization Co. K, 167th Inf.
 Yes (stake) Yes

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

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).
None.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed; features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial U.S. uniform, burlap and pine box.

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

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept. 20, 1921. By W. G. Durisoe.

31. Casket sealed by W. G. Durisoe.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) W. G. Durisoe

AUDITED BY
M.F.R. - 5/7/20

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. 0-5821

32. Designation of body:

Name BASS, Arthur W. Serial No. 3624821

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. K, 167th. Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Argonne American #1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept. 20, 1921. By W.G. Durisoe.

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. Richards*

36. Remarks R. Richards, 1st Lt., QMC.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Sept. 20, 1921.

To point of Concentration Mergue, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse)

(Name)

Convoyer J. Gerald Cole 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 _____

To Permanent Cemetery _____

(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date _____

G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Sept. 21, 1921.

(Date)

42. Grave No. 29-13 Auth. letter from Europe dated 6/25/23 Section 207

43. BLOCK H Row 33

G.R.S. Representative *W. M. Cline*

W. M. Cline, Capt. QMC.

Jt.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 90227 ✓

(a) Name BASS, Arthur W. Ser. No. 3624821
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. K. 167th Inf. } TYP hmp
 (c) Date of death 10-15-18 (d) Cause of death k/a } CKR. AB

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

(a) Grave No. 39 Row ---- Plot 1 Sec. 107 TYP. hmp
 (b) Emerg. Address Lawson P. Bass. (father) 922 Mc Donnough St.,
So. Richmond, Va.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases/ CKR. AB

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name Lawson P. Bass (b) Relationship Father
 (c) Address 922 Mc Donnough St., Va.
 (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 PM Date 5-20-21, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____, 1920.

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

As request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes

Examiner's Initials PM Date 5-20-21, 1920. ✓

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232 Sec. 107 SHEET No. 13

Location Index

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Myer 5-20-21

A.G.O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial NO.

Org.

Remarks

2a
spelling of street
city omitted

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Checkers

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial no.

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Remarks

checked 21
70-5-23

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

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V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 letter of transmittal on JUN 4 1921, 192

Sec. # 107

Par. 2 Not To Be Returned

mcN.

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source.	Relationship and name,	Desires.	Action taken.
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VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. _____, 192

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

Dup ✓

Bass, .

Arthur W.

3,624,821

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt.

Co K 167th Inf.

(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
want 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:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Lawson P. Burt.

922
(Number and street or rural route.)

McBarronville
(City, town, or post office.)

Mo
(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn PM

1232 Sec 107-13

5-20-21

Checked
50-5-23-4

90227

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

Base LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Boss, *3624821*... *Arthur W.*
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt.... *167 Inf Co K.*
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: *W*

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Killed in Action*

DATE OF BURIAL: *Nov. 1. 1918.*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *N- Bois de Romange.*

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

Argonne Map 85.5-025

GRAVE NUMBER:

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:

CMME Sandres-et-St-Georges (Ordinance)

(C 331) 17 35 N.E COORD } E-302.5
N. 285.5

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Charles Gunn 1st Lt
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).



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Communal List No. _____

Daily Report No. _____

5-23-21

(Date)

FORM 115 has been compiled on the following case:-

CEMETERY NO. 1232 SECTION 107

FORM 115 Sheet No. 13

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(Initials)

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Form No. 1011.