

NOV 27 1925

DATE

1. NAME BATES, Henry J. SERIAL No. 2846895

RANK PFC ORGANIZATION Co.F 353rd Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION St.Mihiel Amer.Cty. Thiaucourt M-et- M 1233
CTY. NAME NUMBER

150 Sec.14 3

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 5 Isolated - Luney M-et- M

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT. C-115

COORDINATES 57 SE E 3-4-4 N. 234.45

CONCENTRATED TO 6-16-19 150 Sec 14 3
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

St. Mihiel 1233
CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

DATE OF DEATH Sept. 12, '18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Ariz.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION July 20, 1922 21 6 Block C
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

St.Mihiel American No.1233, Thiaucourt
CEMETERY

NOV 30 1925

WORLD WAR DIV.

AUDITED BY

K.M.
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B

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Bates Henry J

(Surname.)

(Number.)

(First Name and Initials.)

Put

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL

Sept 15

PLACE OF BURIAL

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

Cornucopia map 49°34'-30°93'
1 mile N of
Lynch

GRAVE NUMBER

5C

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? *no*

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

2346895

REPORTED BY:

Wm J Carpenter
Chaplain 353 Inf

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Co. F, 353rd Inf.
89th Division

Bates, Henry K. - Pvt. 2846895
Home: Hayden, Ariz.

Killed in action Sept. 12, 1918.

Killed by piece of shell, September 12, 1918, just before crossing the German's front line trench, ahead and to the left of Limey, France, and is buried where he was killed.

Informant: Smith, Albert F. - Pvt. 2197282
Co. F, 353rd Inf.
Home: 833 Tenney
Kansas City, Kansas.

HG
Emergency address:
Thomas H. Dennis - friend.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Bates	3	210
BURIED	HENRY J.	1	3
	CEMETERY 1233	2	21
	GRAVE 21	2	06
	ROW 6	1	3
	BLOCK C	2	02
STATE	Ariz.	1	2
RANK	Pfc	2	89
DIVISION	89	3	353
ORGANIZATION	353	1	1
ARM	Inf	1	2
MARITAL	No	3	210
NAME	Bates	2	03
RESIDENCE	Mrs Edw. a.	2	72
	(mother dead)	3	XXX
RELATION	STATE Ark	1	3
OTHER	COUNTY Washington	1	1
ELIGIBILITY	CITY Brentwood	1	2
NATIVITY	8-mother	1	
RACE	father	1	
ENGLISH	no	1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF		1	
TRIP		1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

AUDITED
 JUN 20 1982
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bates, Henry J. 1233-SM

July 3, 1930.

Mrs. Edward A. Bates,
Box 3,
Brentwood, Ark.

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.

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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

August 27, 1929.

Bates, Henry J.
1233

Mr. Edward A. Bates,
~~Winkelman, Ariz.~~ *Brentwood, Ark.*
Box 3,

*S.M. unlig.
Married after death
of Veteran*

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated May 25, 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:

*No, Veteran never
was married.*

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

*None, writes married
veterans father since
veterans death.*

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

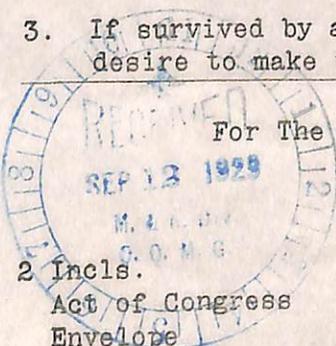
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope



Question answered by Mrs. E. A. Bates

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bates, Henry J.

May 26 1929.

Mr. Edward E. Bates,
Winkelman,
Ariz.

Dear Sir:

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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,

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

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Act of Congress.
Envelope.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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1233

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Ariz.

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For The Quartermaster General,

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Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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May 25 1929.

Mr. Edward B. Bates,
Winkelman,
Ariz.

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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MAY 27 11 13 AM '29
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Bates,

(Surname.)

Henry J.

(Christian name in full.)

2,846,895

(Army serial number.)

✓
Dup.

Pvt.

Co. ~~H~~³⁰³, 553rd 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 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.)

ce
(Sign here) *Edward A. Bates*

Winkelman Arizona
(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

W. H. Brown
L. H. Brown

Drawn by mks

1233-181

1-21-21

QM 293 A-C

BATES, Henry J., Pvt.1/cl.

March 10, 1924

Mr. Edward E. Bates,
Winkelman,
Arizona.

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.

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

R. L. FOSTER
Assistant.

MFK

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MAR 10 1924

Handwritten signature/initials

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 21832

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BATES, Henry J. Ser. No. 2845895
 (b) Rank Pvt. ^{1/2} Organization Co. F, 353rd Inf. TYP. OB
 (c) Date of death 9-13-18 (d) Cause of death K/A CKR. acu

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

(a) Grave No. 150 Row -- Plot 3 Sec. 14 TYP. OB
 (b) Emerg. Address Thomas H. Dennis, (Friend) G.D. Hayden, Ariz.
O.K. - a.g.o. (2-19-21) ee

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases --- CKR. acu

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

(a) Name Edward A. Bates (b) Relationship Father
 (c) Address Winkelman - Ariz.
 (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 mks Date 1-31-21, 1920.

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

_____, dated _____, confirming request in Par. IV., item _____, above, or requesting that _____
No correspondence

Examiner's Initials mks Date 1-31-21, 1920.

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

Aunt - Mrs. D. D. Winkelman
Tempe Ariz 10/31/18, asks details of death.
No request for disposition
yes. H
 (a) Cancellation memos referred to? _____

Examiner's Initials H Date 2-1-, 1920.

COUNTRY France. CEMETERY No. 1233 SHEET No. 181

CARDED

AP. 3/2/21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

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VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on _____, 1920

Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

FEB 18 1921

Par. #2, Not To Be Returned

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IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

ACTION TAKEN.

Desires body be _____

Body to be shipped to _____

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *3-2-21 Correctional letter to Europe should read: - "Bates, Henry J., Private 4c 2846895." 4/19/21 (E#120) Edward A. Bates father in law. 3-2-21. Winkelman Ariz requests that the body remain in Europe. 7/5/16/21 cms*

Place The Court, France,

Date July 20, 1922.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF BATES, Henry J. SERIAL NUMBER 2846895
RANK PTC. ORGANIZATION Co. F. 353rd Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : July 20, 1922 From (give complete location) : Gr. 150, Sec. 14, Plot 3, Com. 1 33.

By : Group 1 Unit 1

3. Reburied (date) July 20 1922 In (give complete location) : Gr. 21 Bk. C Row 6
Cty. 1233

By : Group reburial Unit Casket & shipping case Nature of reburial

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

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
No evidence found on body to disprove identity.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

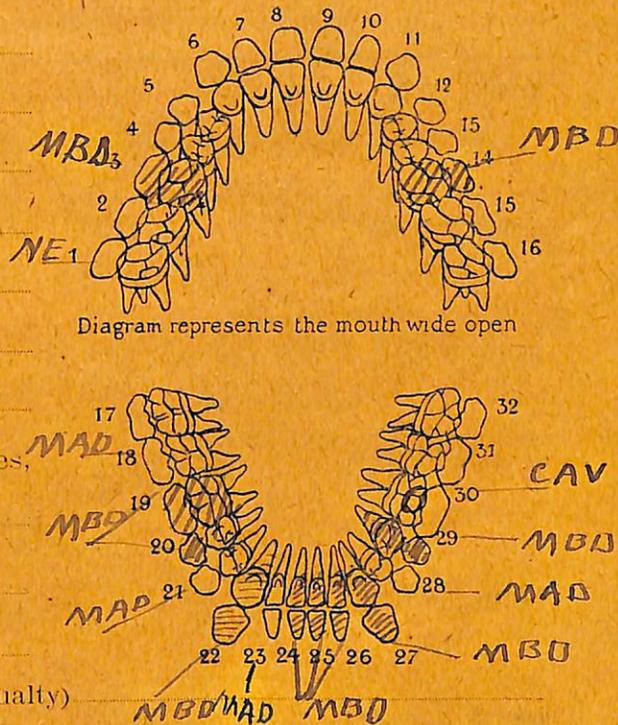
Quantity do

(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



7. Disinterment supervised by C. V. Russell
C. V. Russell

Approved : J. J. Powers
J. J. Powers, 1st Lt., M.C.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by H. L. Kramer
H. L. Kramer

Approved : A. E. Dewey
A. E. Dewey
(Title) 1st. Lt. M.C.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE July 20, 1922.

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 BATES, Henry J.
 2. No. 2846895
 3. Rank PFC
 4. Org. Co. F 353rd Inf.
 5. D.D. 9-12-18
 6. C.D. K.I.A.

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 150 Sec. 14
 8. Plot 3 Row _____
 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer.

19. Commune or town Thiaucourt

20. Dept. or County M-et-M

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1233

23. Disinterred (Date) July 20, 1922.

By C.V. Russell

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Henry J. Bates
 Rank PFC.

Serial No. 2846895
 Organization Co F. 353 Inf.

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

J.T. White
 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).

No evidence found on body to disprove identity.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden box U.S. 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 July 20, 1922. By C.V. Russell

31. Casket sealed by _____

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

MMB

C.V. Russell

10/27/23
Maw

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C - 28808

32. Designation of body:

Name Henry J. BATES Serial No. 2846895

Rank PFC Organization Co. F 353rd Inf.

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) July 20, 1922. By C.V. Russell

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

J.J. Powers
J.J. Powers, 1st Lt. QMC.

36. Remarks

NONE.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) July 20, 1922.

To point of Concentration

Convoyer _____ (Name) _____
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 St. Mihiel Amer 1233. Thiaucourt, France.

Convoyer _____ (Name) _____
Signature Shipping Officer *J.J. Powers*
J.J. Powers, 1st Lt. QMC.

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred July 20 1922 (Date)

42. Grave No. 21 Section

43. ~~PXX~~ Block C Row 6

G.R.S. Representative

A E Dewey
A E Dewey 1st Lt. QMC

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 21832

BATES,

Henry J.

2846895

(2-19-21) cl

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

Pvt. 1/2

Co. F, 353rd Inf.

O.K. (2-19-21) cl

OB

(a) Name..... Ser.No.....

9-15-18

K/A

TYP..... A.G.W

(b) Rank..... Organization..... Cause of death.....

(c) Date of death..... death.....

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OB

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

Thomas H. Dennis, (Friend) G.D. Hayden, Ariz.

(a) Grave No.....Row.....Plot.....Sect.....TP.....

(b) Emerg. Address.....

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases.....CKR..... A.G.W

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

.....

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (letter of transmittal on..... 1921)

Par. #2, Not To Be Returned

MAR 9 - 1921

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J..... 1921

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of Relationship and Source..... and name..... Desires..... Action taken.....

3-2-21 Correctional letter to Europe should read:-

"Bates, Henry J., Private 1/2 2846895" A.P. 3-2-21

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J..... 1921

COUNTRY G.R.S. FORM 115-A August, 1920 France.

CEMETERY NO. 1233

SHEET NO. 181

S/666/LML

PRECEDENCE 104

A.P. 372-21

May 31st, 1921.

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

Re: Bates, Henry J. Pvt. 1/c.
 Ser. No. 2846895, Co. F.
353rd Infantry.

Mr. Edward A. Bates,
 Winkelman, Ariz.

Dear Sir:-

Your shipping inquiry form dated April 19th, 1921, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery has been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

The Cemeterial Division, Washington, D.C., will furnish you the grave location in the permanent American Cemetery as soon as possible after the body has been placed therein.

The Department desires to renew its previous expression of sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

M
 Mailed - G.P.D.
 JUN 2 1921

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

BY:

F. C. PALLAS,
 Executive Assistant.

MCS/LL

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 JUN 1 1921
 EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON

APR 11 1921

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.

To: Mr. Edward A. Bates, Winkleman, Ariz.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. 1/cl. Henry J. Bates, Ser. No. 2846895, Co. F. 353rd Inf.

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

no change cms

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,
Colonel, Q. M. C.

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

Was soldier married? *no*

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow <i>has none</i>			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
2 <i>no</i>			
3			
Father <i>Edward A. Bates</i>			
Mother <i>not heard from since 1901</i>			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
2 <i>none</i>			
3			
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
2 <i>one address not none</i>			
3 <i>Edw. J. Bates</i>			



Noted stills cms. 7/5/1921

Date *April 19 - 1921*

Signature *Edward A. Bates*

Address *winkleman Arizona*

Relationship *father*

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JUN 4 1921

Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

I, the undersigned, am the father and nearest living next of kin of the within-named soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

2. To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to Mr Henry J Bates
(Name.)

(R. R. station.) (State.)

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

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

Signature Edward A Bates

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.
2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.
3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT OF KIN IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.
4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest next of kin in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.
6. If YOU are not the nearest next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
7. If YOU are not the nearest living next of kin and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

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

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

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Remains of :

NAME: BATES Henry J.

NUMBER: 2346895

RANK: Pvt

ORGANIZATION: Co F, 353rd Inf.

DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL MADE BY GROUP:

UNIT:

DISINTERMENTED: (Date)

FROM: (Give complete location)

16th June 1919.

Grave #5 Isolated

LIMEY, M ET M 52 SE 364.4 E 234.45 N

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REBURIED (Date)

IN: (Give complete location)

16th June 1919.

Grave #150 Sec #14 Plot #3

ST MIHIEL AMERICAN CEMETERY #1233

THIAUCOURT, M ET M.

1233

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? Yes.

What other means of identification were found on the body? None.

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Note:

If, upon disinterment, effects are found on bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot, direct, as is required by G. O. 170, G.H. Q, 1918. ARMED N° D After being carefully examined for clues of identity in doubtful cases, notation thereof will be made and reported to the Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Capt. Marx

cmf.

R. H. ROSENTHAL

2nd Lieut. G.M.C.U.S.A.

G.O. Group Unit

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Bates Henry J
.....
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Put
.....
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL..... Sept 15

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

Cornucopy map 49°34' - 30°93'
1 mile N 1
.....
.....

GRAVE NUMBER..... 5C

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:

.....
2-346895
.....

REPORTED BY: Wm Stupeter
Chaplain 353
.....
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

21 OCT 1941

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

2. Soldier's No. 2346875

3. Bates Henry S.
Surname First Name and Initials

4. Pvt. J. 353 Inf.
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Sept. 12/18 Kinda
Date of Death Cause, if known

6. Sept. 13/18
Date of Burial Cemetery

7. near Limey M. et M.
Town or Commune Department

8. 5 Row 1
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

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

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

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

CMME. Remenawilla (M. et M.)
(C-114) SHT 527831 COORD 6-364-1205

12. U-364-105 71235-30
Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. C-114
Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed _____

Group 2 Unit 307 G.R.S.

35 OCT 1918

FROM: O. Q. M. G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room 1128

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

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FILE

WAR DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

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

Date 2/3/21.

File No. Registration.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D.C.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

Adjustment Made
FEB 28 1921
File No. 21832

OK

OK

OK

OK

OK

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed, Request confirmation of all information shown.

a. Surname Bates *OK*

f. Date of death ~~9/25/18~~
or (9/12/18): *OK*

b. Christian name Henry J. *OK*

g. Cause of death K/A. *OK*

c. Serial Number ~~2845895~~
or (2846895) *OK*

h. Authority (C.O.#)

d. Organization ~~Co. F, 353rd Inf.~~
or (Co. H, 553rd Inf.) *OK*

i. Emergency address
Thomas H. Dennis

e. Rank Pvt. *1 cl*

j. Relationship *Hayden, Ariz*
friend

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Age of enlistment

a. Strike out teeth missing

b. Color of eyes

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
upper right upper left

c. Color of hair

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left

d. Height

e. Weight

f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

S.M.

Donnelly - m/c
Enl Pers Sect
2-4-21 W8

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

C.W.

BY:

H. J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut., Q.M.C.

CHEMISTRY NO: 1233

SHEET NO: 181

TYPED BY: I.W.

S/713/LML

Recd World War Div.
FEB 4 1921

6th & B Div., A.G.O.
FEB 4 1921 6

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Graves Registration Service
Quartermaster Corps
American Expeditionary Forces

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FILE

Reference #132-B

January 6, 1918

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E. F.
TO: Mrs. D. D. Winkelman, Tempe, Arizona.
SUBJECT: Private H. J. Bates, Co. F., 353rd Infantry, American E. F.

1. In reply to your letter dated October 31st, 1918, in respect of place of burial of the above mentioned soldier, information has been received here that Private Bates' body was interred in the Cemetery at Remenauville, in the Department of the Meurthe-et-Moselle.

2. This information has not as yet been confirmed by my officers in the field, but there is very little doubt that the grave is situated in the cemetery above named.

Free
[Signature]
per

by direction CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., A.E.F.

Maurice B. Dix,
Captain, American Red Cross,
Representative assigned to
Graves Registration Service.

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

File Number *132-B*

FROM:-

ARC
2183

Date: *12/15/18*

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:-

NAME *BATES H. J.*

NUMBER *2346495*

RANK *Pvt.* ORGANIZATION *C F*

353 INF

No.	Question	Reply
✓ 1	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	N.B. All Proper names to be printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS
2	Date of Death	(1) Henry J. Bates 2845895 Pvt. Co/ F. 353rd Inf.
3	Cause and place of death	
✓ 4	Number of Casualty Cablegram	(4) <i>#268.</i>
✓ 5	Date buried	(5) <i>5/9/18</i>
✓ 6	Grave location (a) Complete record required (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required	(6) No. 5 Row 1 Comm Remonaerville (m&m) SHP 52 N.E. E. 364.105 N. 235.31
✓ 7	Who reported burial?	(7) <i>Wm. S. Carpenter Chaplain 353rd</i>
✓ 8	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.	(8) <i>0</i>
9	Report as to grave marker	
10	Report as to identification tags	
11	Who is nearest relative?	
✓ 12	Has N/R been notified? (Give date)	(12) 12-5-18
13	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	
14	What is the photograph No.?	

RK
12/28/18

REPORT ON THE PROGRESS OF THE WORK DURING THE YEAR 1900

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No.	Position	Name
1	Director	...
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Musée de Marseille

Eng. 132 B Oct 31, 1918

Miss Perkins

grave

26 NOV 1918

Dear Sir:

Please if possible
give me the particulars of
the death of Private H. J. Bates
Co. F. 353 Infantry, A. E. F. 761
P.O. unit 761. he was killed
Sept 13th. I am his aunt,
his father's sister. So please
if possible let me know

Yours sincerely

Mrs. D. D. Winkelman

Tempe

Box 116, R. F. D. 1, Ariz

I have a son on the firing
line now, Walter H. Winkelman
and a nephew, Lee Acton,
with the Heavy Artillery