

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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MT

*Soldier's Sig.*

DATE Jan 16th, 1922.

1. NAME BAUMGARTNER, Frederick *Joseph* ✓

SERIAL No. 1907803 ✓

RANK PFC ✓

ORGANIZATION Co. K 327th Inf ✓

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagnes-Montfaucon 1232 Sec. 24

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

88

Sec. 24

2

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Montblainville, (Meuse)

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35 S.E. - N.275.1 \* E.302.5

CONCENTRATED TO

4/24-'19

88

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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.

DATE OF DEATH Oct 3, 1918 Tag on cross and body.

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Penna.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none of record

Data from Form #1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

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CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

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*John B. Birdseye*  
M. B. BIRDSEYE  
1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Jan 16th, 1922.

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Block C.

6.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty # 1232. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse)

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY

A. G. O.

APR 30 1926

WORLD WAR DIV.



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.





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## GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Baumgartner 1907803 Fred J.  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. Co K 327 Inf.  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Oct 3 - 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL Forge Farm France

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

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 map should be given here:

REPORTED BY:

Francis A. Lubinski Chaplain 327.  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J. - Priv. 1907803  
Address: 2234 N. Marchee St. Phila - Pa.

member of a detail of which I was in  
one, which is near Varennes, on the  
Germans were shelling this place very  
landed at the kitchen, instantly

COHEN, Harry - Sgt. 1907753  
C° K - 327th Infantry -  
Pulaski - Tennessee

BAILEY, Carl N. - 1st Lieut.  
327th Inf. Comd. C° K.

Address next of kin:  
Joseph BAUMGARTNER -  
Phila - Pa.

AL.



C° K - 327th Infantry -  
82nd Division.

BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J. - Priv. 1907803  
Home address: 2234 N. Marchee St. Phila - Pa.

Private Baumgartner was a member of a detail of which I was in charge. We pulled into La Forge Ferne, which is near Varennes, on the afternoon of October 3rd 1918. The Germans were shelling this place very heavy and one of the shells, which landed at the kitchen, instantly killed Baumgartner.

Informant: COHEN, Harry - Sgt. 1907753  
C° K - 327th Infantry -  
Home : Pulaski - Tennessee

Signed: BAILEY, Carl N. - 1st Lieut.  
327th Inf. Commdg. C° K.

Address next of kin:  
Joseph BAUMGARTNER -  
Phila - Pa.

AL.





## CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME Baumgartner	BAU	3	21 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
Frederick J	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
BURIED	GRAVE 28	2	28
	ROW 6	2	06
	BLOCK C	1	3
STATE	Penn	2	44
BANK	Pt 1/c	1	2
DIVISION	82	2	82
ORGANIZATION	327	3	327
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	no	1	✓
NAME Baumgartner	BAU	3	21 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>1</sub>
Mrs. Elizabeth Becker	STATE Penn	2	44
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Philadelphia	2	51
	CITY Philadelphia	3	220
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	no age	1	2 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>78</sub>

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QM 293 A-M  
Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph (MA)

July 23, 1932

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 No. Mascher Street,  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication of recent date advising that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private first class Frederick Joseph Baumgartner, during the summer of 1933.

It is deeply regretted that your health is not good and it is sincerely hoped that you will improve rapidly. Properly qualified personnel will be provided to care for the comfort and needs of the mothers and widows making the pilgrimage and doctors and nurses will be available. Should you make the trip you are assured that not only will all expenses be borne by the Government, but that everything possible for your comfort and welfare will be provided. During the time that pilgrimages have been conducted many women who were in poor health and of advanced age made the journey and appeared to have benefited by the sea air and the excellent care they received.

In the event your health improves sufficiently to enable you to take advantage of the offer of the Government in 1933, it is requested you so notify this office as soon as possible, in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M  
Baumgartner Frederick Joseph (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs Elizabeth B Baumgartner  
2234 No Mascher St  
Philadelphia Pa

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries Of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



CHAS. W. DIETZ,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

2 Encls.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

No  
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

*Health letter*  
*Unable to make pilgrimage  
on account of health.*

*Elizabeth B. Baumgartner*



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph Pvt. 1 cl (M-A) M June 11, 1931.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher St.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

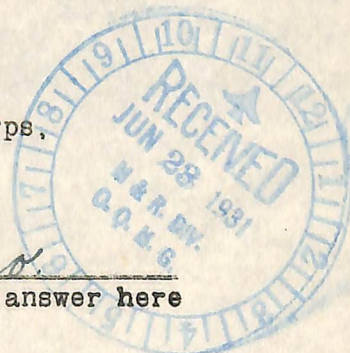
*A. D. Hughes*  
A. D. HUGHES,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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

*No.*

Write answer here

*Elizabeth B. Baumgartner*  
Sign here





✓  
2234 N. Mascher Street,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

January 21, 1931

Your file number: QM 293 A-M  
Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph 1232 M.

Major John T. Harris, Q.M. Corps,  
Office of the Quartermaster General,  
War Department,  
Washington, D.C.

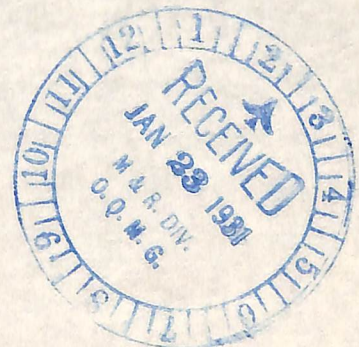
Dear Sir:

Answering your letter of January 16 in the  
above, my son, the late Private 1st Class Frederick  
Joseph Baumgartner, was not survived by a widow, child-  
ren, or descendants, he, my son, never having married.

Trusting that this information may meet your  
requirements, I am

Very truly yours,

*Elizabeth B. Baumgartner*  
Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner.





QM 293 A-M  
Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph 1232 M

January 16, 1931

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher Street,  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and correct, it is requested that you advise whether or not the late Private first class Frederick Joseph Baumgartner is survived by a widow, and if so, her name and address.

For your convenience in replying, there is enclosed, herewith, a self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure  
Envelope  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 6, 1930.

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph 1232 M

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher St.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1931, to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all mothers and widows who are not making the pilgrimage in 1930, regardless of whether or not they have expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? *No* ✓

(Write answer here)

*Elizabeth B. Baumgartner*  
(Sign here)



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph 1232 -M

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher Street,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	( <del>Yes</del> )	(No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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 76	Health <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	(Years)	(Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(No)
	Other language <i>German</i>	(Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.  
Act  
Envelope

*Mother too old to make Trip -  
this is second report forwarded*



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph  
1232

September 4, 1929.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher St.  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 29, 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?

*Mother*

*Mrs. Elizabeth Becker Baumgartner*

*No Mother too old 76 years of age*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*John T. Harris*

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

2 Incls.  
Act of Congress  
Envelope



Phila. Pa.

Oct 9, 1928

John T. Harris  
Asst. Major,  
Q. M. Corps.

Worthy Sir:

Enclosed find form  
as to Pilgrimage of War Mothers  
and Widows and regret delay  
in answering your request.

Mother Elizabeth Becker  
Baumgartner who is past 76  
years of age does not care to



made this trip for the family this affair which is very  
thoughtful of our Government officials yet to her  
at this age it would effect her health and the  
sorrowful thought bring too much grief.

Kindly make your records accordingly applying  
same to her deceased Son Frederick Joseph Baumgartner

1232 - G M 293 - A C

Truly yours.

Father of Deceased Joseph B. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Market St  
Phila., Pa.



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher St.,  
Phila., Pa.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, entitled an Act "To enable the mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors and marines of the American forces now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries".

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late 1st Class Private Frederick Joseph Baumgartner, Co. K, 327th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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.



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Baumgartner Frederick Joseph (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner  
2234 No. Mather St.  
Philadelphia Pa.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

2 Encls.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)



QM 293 A-M  
Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph (MA)

July 23, 1932

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 No. Mascher Street,  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication of recent date advising that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private first class Frederick Joseph Baumgartner, during the summer of 1933.

It is deeply regretted that your health is not good and it is sincerely hoped that you will improve rapidly. Properly qualified personnel will be provided to care for the comfort and needs of the mothers and widows making the pilgrimage and doctors and nurses will be available. Should you make the trip you are assured that not only will all expenses be borne by the Government, but that everything possible for your comfort and welfare will be provided. During the time that pilgrimages have been conducted many women who were in poor health and of advanced age made the journey and appeared to have benefited by the sea air and the excellent care they received.

In the event your health improves sufficiently to enable you to take advantage of the offer of the Government in 1933, it is requested you so notify this office as soon as possible, in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO ~~Q. 200 A.~~

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph Pvt. 1 cl (M-A) M June 11, 1931.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2231 N. Mather St.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

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This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Write answer here

Sign here



QM 293 A-M  
Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph 1233 M

January 16, 1931

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher Street,  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and correct, it is requested that you advise whether or not the late Private first class Frederick Joseph Baumgartner is survived by a widow, and if so, her name and address.

For your convenience in replying, there is enclosed, herewith, a self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Q. M. C. M. DIV.



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 6, 1930.

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph 1232 M

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher St.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1931, to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank space following the question.

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This letter is being sent to all mothers and widows who are not making the pilgrimage in 1930, regardless of whether or not they have expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? \_\_\_\_\_

(Write answer here)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Sign here)



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph 1232 -M

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher Street,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

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1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
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)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No)	Other language (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.  
Act  
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

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph  
1232

September 4, 1929.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher St.  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 29, 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

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher St.,  
Phila., Pa.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, entitled an Act "To enable the mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors and marines of the American forces now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries".

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late 1st Class Private Frederick Joseph Baumgartner, Co. K, 327th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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.



In reply refer to:  
293 C-R

June 23, 1923.

Mr. John M. Baumgartner,  
2234 North Mascher St.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Private 1/c Frederick Joseph Baumgartner,

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the  
Company I, 527th Infantry, is grave 28, Row 6, Block C, in the  
the permanent grave of  
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 a 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,

ED  
L

H. J. Conner,  
Assistant.

23/236/ARK

23 1923



## REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Jan 16, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF BAUMGARTNER, Frederick T. *T. J. J.* SERIAL NUMBER 1907803.  
 RANK Pvt. 1/c ORGANIZATION Co. K. 327th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Jan 15, 1922 From (give complete location): gr 88, sec 24, plot 2. Cty. 1232.

By : Group Maire. Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Jan. 26, 1922. Grave 28, Block C, Row 6, Cemetery 1232. In (give complete location):  
Unlined Casket  
 By : Group Reburial S Unit  Nature of reburial

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

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

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

body tag agrees.

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

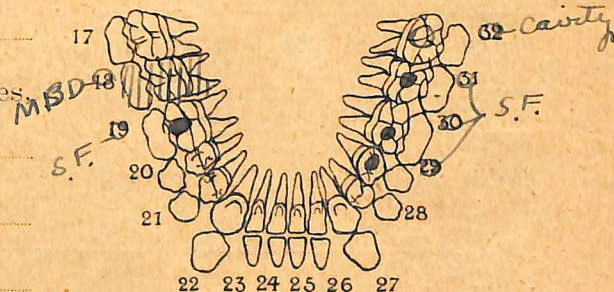
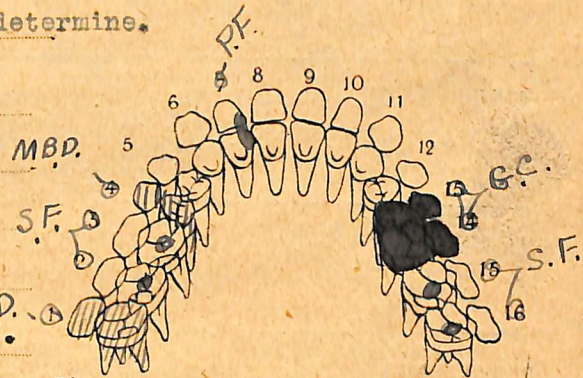
(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities  
 or missing parts) do

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



22 23 24 25 26 27

7. Disinterment  
 supervised by *Edmo Maire*

W. Maire.

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

8. Reburial  
 Supervised by *A. U. Dufault*  
JEL

A. U. Dufault,

Approved: *James W. Younger*  
James W. Younger,  
 (Title) Captain Q.M.C.

skull shattered.



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.  
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.

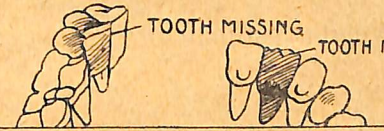




3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.

4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.

5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".

(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No 6.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspid (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

<b>MISSING TEETH</b>	All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:	
<b>CROWNED TEETH</b>	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	
<b>BRIDGE WORK</b>	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:	
<b>FILLINGS</b>	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	
<b>CARIES (CAVITIES)</b>	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	
<b>DENTURES (PLATES)</b>	Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp"	

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.

8. Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.

JUL 24 1922



GRAVES REGISTRATION



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Jan 16 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 BAUNGARTNER, Frederick *graph* 10. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. No. 1907803 11. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Rank PFC 12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Org. Co K 327th Inf 13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. D.D. 10-3-18 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. C.D. KIA (b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 88 Sec. 24 15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. Plot 2 Row \_\_\_\_\_ 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_ 17. None

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amr 19. Commune or town Romagne-s-Montfaucon  
 20. Dept. or County Meuse 21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 Sec. 24  
 23. Disinterred (Date) Jan 16 1922 By Edmo Maire

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Frederick T Baumgartner Serial No. 1907803  
 Rank PFC Organization Co K 327th Inf

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

*C. Smyth O'Meara*  
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

C Smyth O'Meara

## 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 US Uniform, burlap and 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 Jan 16 1922 By Edmo Maire

31. Casket sealed by Edmo Maire

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor *Edmo Maire*  
Edmo Maire



MT

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

RECEIVED  
GRAVES REGISTRATION CENTER



32. Designation of body:

Name

Frederick T Baumgartner

Serial No.

1907803

Rank

PFC

Organization

Co E 327th Inf

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery

Musee Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-s-Montfaucon 1232

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date)

Jan 16 1922

By

Eamo Haire

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

*[Signature]*

36. Remarks

A E Dewey 1st Lt. QMC

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

Jan 16 1922

cc

To point of Concentration

Morgue Romagne

(Name)

Convoyer

W J Royed

Signature Shipping Officer

*[Signature]*

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

G F Spanh, Capt. QMC

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, Musee Argonne Cemetery 1232. Jan. 16, 1922.

(Date)

42. Grave No.

28

Section

43. Plot

C

Row

6

G.R.S. Representative

JEL

James W. Younger,  
Captain Q.M.C.



# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

## I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #32553

(a) Name BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J. Ser. No. 1907803  
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/cl Organization Co. K, 327th Infantry  
 (c) Date of death 10/3/18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. DMA

CKR. Cl

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

(a) Grave No. 88 Row - Plot 2 Sec. 24 TYP. DMA  
 (b) Emerg. Address Joseph Baumgartner (brother) 2234 No. Mascher, Phila. Pa.

## III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

CKR. Cl

## IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Jos. B. Baumgartner (b) Relationship Brother  
 (c) Address 2234 N. Mascher St., Phila., Pa.  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? yes  
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at no

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. Jos. B. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher St., Phila., Pa.

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

Examiner's Initials MEH

Date 6/9/21

, 192

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

\_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_

confirming request in Par. IV., item \_\_\_\_\_, above, or requesting that \_\_\_\_\_

no correspondence

Examiner's Initials BER

Date 4-5-

, 1921

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

3/22/21  
Joseph B. Baumgartner,  
Brother, 2234 N. Mascher St., Philadelphia, Pa. Requests  
body remain in France. - John M. & Elizabeth B. Baumgartner,  
Parents, same address - Confirm this request.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes

Examiner's Initials BER

Date 4-5-

, 1921

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 24

SHEET No. 10

*3/22/21 Examined  
 for Concentration  
 for Muesi - Argonne  
 at 4/17/22  
 #1232*

*card in  
 6/9/21*

*1A*

*check 4-12-21  
 1232*



Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_, 192

## VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 192  
 letter on **MAY 17 1921**, 192

See 24

**PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED**

(H.A.S.)

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph

IX.

## REMARKS

Letter - 4/7/21 - Brother - Joseph B. Baumgartner - 2234 N.  
 Mascher St., Phila. Pa. - States mother & father are N/K.  
 Let. 4/12/21 from Eng. - To Brother - Acknowledging let. of 4/7.  
 BA WR of 4-5-21 - Mrs. Elizabeth Becker Baumgartner, (mother)  
 2234 Mascher St., Philadelphia, Penna. (7-14-21, JPB)  
 Let. 8-22-21, brother, Joseph B. Baumgartner,  
 2234 N. Mascher St., Phila. Pa., inquires whether  
 all bodies will be returned and advises that mother in  
 poor health and arrival of body would be fatal.  
 Let. 8/30/21 advises brother that only those bodies  
 requested returned will be returned. The Cty is a  
 permanent one and will be maintained by Gov. (Pnt-30-21).



Location Index

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

A:G.O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Checkers

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks



August 30, 1921

393.8-Com. 132553-(Baumgartner, Frederick J. Pvt. 1st cl.)

The Quartermaster General, U.S. Army, (Cometarial Division)

Mr. Joseph B. Baumgartner, 2334 N. Maccher St. Philadelphia, Pa.

Disposition of remains

1. In reply to your letter of August 22, 1921, you are advised that ~~rebuttable~~ to the effect that the remains of all soldier dead are going to be returned to this country, are in error. The remains are not returned only in those cases where the legal next of kin have definitely requested such action prior to August 15th 1921.

2. The body of the deceased is now interred in Grave 88, Section 24, Plot 2, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery. This cemetery will be perpetually maintained by this Government in the most careful and reverent manner.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

LN

CHARLES J. WYNNE,  
Captain, Q.M.C.

HW

Noted on Form No. 115  
Date Aug 30 - 21



C O P Y

City 1237 Dec 24  
Sheet 10  
April 1, 1921.

293.8-Cem. #32553 (Baumgartner, Frederick J. Pvt. 1/c).

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

To: Mr. Joseph B. Baumgartner, 2234 N. Mascher St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Subject: Permanent burial in France.

1. In reply to your letter of March 22, 1921, and the approval of your previous request by the parents of your brother, the late Private first-clatt Frederick J. Baumgartner, Company K, 327th Infantry, that his remains be permanently interred in France, you are advised that instructions will be issued that their wishes be complied with presuming that there is no one else entitled to direce disposition. If there is any such relative, using paragraph #5 of the enclosed bulletin as a guide, it is requested that you immediately advise this office to that effect.

2. The remains of the deceased are now interred in the Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, where the graves of our soldier dead will be perpetually maintained by the Government with the same degree of care and attention as is given the graves of our soldier dead interred in National Cemeteries in this country.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

MVB

CHARLES J. WYDIE,  
1st Lieut., Q.M.C.

HW

ASD



OSP-SS  
Form No. 1009

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

*Donee  
must*

Harlow C.W.  
NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Baumgartner, Frederick J., Pvt. 1/c.  
SERIAL NUMBER ORGANIZATION

1232-Sec.24 - 10 4/5/21.  
DATE OF DEATH

1907803

Co. K. 327th Inf.

10/3/18.

Copy forwarded to  
Adjustment Department

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Date 7-14-21 *1926*

DATE

*C-84968*

PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Elizabeth Becker Baumgartner  
**NO PLATE**

*Mother*

ADDRESS

2234 N. Marshell St., Philadelphia, Penna.

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION

RELATIONSHIP



See Form 115  
att 4/17/22

File #32553

Ser. No. 1907803

TYP.---



(a) Grave No. 88 Row    Plot 2 Sec. 24 TYP. DMA

(b) Emerg. Address Joseph Baumgartner (brother) 2234 No. Mascher, Phila. Pa.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases ..... CKR. *Q*

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 192  
 82-34 { letter of transmittal on **MAY 17 1921** \_\_\_\_\_, 192

(F.A.S.)

Baumgartner, Frederick Joseph  
VI. Form 145 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

CEMETERY No.

SHEET No.



Baumgartner

Frederick *Joseph* 1,907,803

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt 1st Cl

Co K, 327th Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

*Brother*

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:

*Jos. B. Baumgartner*

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

*2234 N. Marcker Street Phila, Penna.*

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

*Jos. B. Baumgartner*

*2234 N. Marcker Street Phila, Penna.*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713



3255-3  
1232-24-10  
no record

Qty. 232 sec. 24 sheet 10  
met 6/8/21



32553

# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Baumgartner 1907803 Ford J.  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. Co K 327 Inf  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Oct 3 - 1918

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

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:

CMME.

(C) SHT.

COORD

114 OCT - REG

REPORTED BY:

Lt. Francis A. Kubinski Chaplain 327 Inf  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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



32553

G.H.Q., American E.F.  
Adjutant General's Office.

FROM : Adjutant General.

To :

SUBJECT : Burial report.

I. Your report of the burial of

requires completion or correction as follows :

You have failed to state

- (a) Disposition of both tags.
- (b) Grave marking.
- ✓(c) Map reference. 1/5-00000
- ✓(d) Commune in which grave is located.
- ✓(e) Department in which grave is located.
- (f) Soldier's number.
- ✓(g) You have not sent a reliable sketch of the place of burial, as required by G.O. 30, G.H.Q , 1918.

An immediate completion of your report on reverse side hereof, will be sent to the Chief, Graves Registration Service, A.P.O. 717.

By Command of General Pershing :

ROBERT C. DAVIS,  
Adjutant General.



G.H.Q., American E.F.  
Adjutant General's Office.

FROM : Adjutant General.  
To : Francis A. Kulinski.  
SUBJECT : Burial report. ~~Chaplain~~ 327th Infantry.

I. Your report of the burial of  
Baumgartner, 1907803 Fred J.,  
Pvt. Co. K, 327th Infantry,  
requires completion or correction as follows:

You have failed to state

- (a) Disposition of both tags.
- (b) Grave marking.
- (c) Map reference. 1/50000
- (d) Commune in which grave is located.
- (e) Department in which grave is located.
- (f) Soldier's number.
- (g) You have not sent a reliable sketch of the place of burial, as required by G.O. 30, G.H.Q., 1918.

4/24/19-F2

An immediate completion of your report on reverse side hereof, will be sent to the Chief, Graves Registration Service, A.P.O. 717.

By Command of General Pershing :

ROBERT C. DAVIS,  
Adjutant General.



Date 2nd., June, 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: BAUMGARTNER, Fred J.

Number: 1907803

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Unkn

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

24th., April, 1919

Grave #1 ISOLATED MONTBLAINVILLE MEUSE

Map. 35 S. E. E. 302.5 N. 275.1

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

24th., April, 1919

Grave #88 Section #24 Plot # 2

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY #1232

ROMAGNE. MEUSE.

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

Burial good. Body buried in Uniform. Body slightly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

10744

CONFIRMED No. D

10744

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 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. Koming.

R. H. ROSENTHAL

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

G.O. Group Unit



**COPY**

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

<u>Harlow C.W.</u>		
NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER	CEMETERY NO.	DATE
<u>Baumgartner, Frederick J., Pvt. 1/cl.</u>	<u>1232-Sec. 24 - 10</u>	<u>4-5-21</u>
SERIAL NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
<u>1907803</u>	<u>Co. K, 327th Inf.</u>	<u>10-3-18</u>

Original Attached to  
Form 115

Date 1-18-22

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Mrs. Elizabeth Becker Baumgartner</u>	<u>Mother</u>
PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE	RELATIONSHIP

2234 N. Mascher St., Philadelphia, Penna.  
ADDRESS

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION	RELATIONSHIP
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ADDRESS

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**Adjustment Made**

**1 - 1922**

**File No. 32553**

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(Date)

FORM 115 has been compiled on the following case:-

CEMETERY NO. 1232 SECTION 24

FORM 115 Sheet No. 10

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OSP-SS  
Form No. 1011.

S/2053/LML



August 30, 1921

293.8-Gen. 32553-(Baumgartner, Frederick J. Pvt. 1st cl.)

The Quartermaster General, U.S. Army, (Compterial Division)

Mr. Joseph B. Baumgartner, 2334 N. Mascher St. Philadelphia, Pa.

Disposition of remains

File O. S. P. *Pm*  
8-30-21

1. In reply to your letter of August 23, 1921, you are advised that reports to the effect that the remains of all soldier dead are going to be returned to this country, are in error. The remains are not returned only in those cases where the legal next of kin have definitely requested such action prior to August 15th 1921.

2. The body of the deceased is now interred in Grave 86, Section 24, Plot 2, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery. This cemetery will be perpetually maintained by this Government in the most careful and reverent manner.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

LN

*Pm*  
CHARLES J. WYNNE,  
Captain, U.S.A.C.

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O. S. P.

Noted on Form No. 115  
Date *Pm 8-30-21*



STATUS OF CTY. #

1232-24

as of (Date)

8-26

Total Burials in Cty.

207

Letter of Trans. No. of Bodies to be returned.

121

Bodies in Storage

(Con. Center

1 at Romagne

Cable

8-10-21

( Port

1 at Antwerp

Cable

8-10-21

Operations to Commence

Week ending June 25, 1921.

Bodies returned

0

"

enroute

0

Th

OSP:SS  
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my mind and keep my ears  
deaf to any such rumors.

Gratefully yours

Joseph H B Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher St.

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Phila., Pa.

Brother of the deceased,

AUG 24 1921

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Date Aug - 30 - 21

Phila., Pa.

War Dept.

Office of the Quartermaster General.

File No. 293.8 Cem. # 32553 (Baumgartner, Frederick J.)  
(Pvt. 1/c)

Subject. Permanent burial in France.

Sir Charles J. Hymie, 1st Lieut., Q.M.G.

Referring to the above subject  
of Permanent burial in France  
the remains of the late Frederick  
Baumgartner 1st class Private  
please be advised that we have  
signed all papers covering

Recorded, Cemetery  
File # 32553  
Baumgartner, Frederick J.



your forms for permanent burial in France of the deceased,  
However. I have heard rumors that all the boys lost on the  
other side are to be brought here for burial I therefore ask  
you to kindly inform me if such be the case as I know  
that if my brother were brought here for burial my mother's  
health is such that it would cause her death from  
the excitement and mourning.

If you must forward the body I would like  
to know in advance so as to arrange and avoid any  
such condition. However I cannot understand the  
rumors as surely after going through the formality of  
arranging for permanent burial in France our dear Govern-  
ment are not going to change their plans.

Thanking you for a reply that I may relieve



CEMETERY DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTION

FILE

June 23, 1921.

## MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

## CASE OF:

Company K., 327th InfantryORGANIZATION (old)BAUMGARTNER, 1907803 Frederick J. Pvt. 1 Cl.(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 Frederick Joseph

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)

BY: Dan T. Dodson

Adjustment

(Department)5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card:

By Gray

S/1105/LML



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

April 12, 1921.

FILE

293.8 Cem. #32553 (Baumgartner, Frederick J. Pvt. 1/c)

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

Mr. Joseph B. Baumgartner, 2234 N. Mascher St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Private First Class Frederick J. Baumgartner.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 7, 1921, advising this office that the late Private First Class Frederick J. Baumgartner, Company K, 327th Infantry, was unmarried. Notation of this information will be made upon the records of this office.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

MR

MVB

CHARLES J. WYNNE,  
1st Lieut., Q.M.C.

HW

Received Form 115  
Date 4-14-21-74074

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Cemeterial Division  
Overseas Project Sub-Section



File No 293.8- Gen. # 32553 (Baumgartner Frederick J. Co. K)

Noted on Form 115

Date 4-14-21-7474.

Phila. Pa.

April 7, 1921

Quartermaster General

U. S. Army (Cemeterial Division)

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter

of April 1, 1921 as to Permanent  
burial in France of the remains  
of my deceased brother, Frederick  
J. Baumgartner 1st class Private  
Co. K. 327 Infantry you state  
as per our request which  
was signed by the Parents his  
remains would be interred.

Cemeterial Div. O. O. M. G.  
293.8-32553

Baumgartner, Frederick J.



in France presuming that there is no one else entitled  
to direct disposition, of which I was to inform you.

Please be advised that the deceased was not  
married and we have properly filled out all papers  
sent to us stating same and cannot see where could  
any one else claim his body. So kindly see that  
your records are all in accordance and hope  
that there has not been an error where some one  
else has set claim for his body for there is no one  
entitled to same but his parents. However as they are  
not in good health I have furnished my name for to  
act in their behalf and also my brother gave my name for  
to have all information sent to me due to our parents



health. Hoping that the  
records will now be  
entered accordingly and  
thanking you for your kind  
ness I remain

Respectfully yours,

Joseph B. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher St.  
Phila. Pa.

John M. Baumgartner Father of deceased 2234 N. Mascher  
Elizabeth B. Baumgartner Mother " " " " " "  
Phila., Pa.



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DIV. O. M. G.



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

PLEASE  
EXPEDITE

Adjustment Made  
JUN 23 1921

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Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army  
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-H  
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 4/5/21.

File No. Requisition

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

a. Surname Baumgartner OK

f. Date of death 10/3/18. OK

b. Christian name Frederick Joseph

g. Cause of death K/A. OK

c. Serial Number 1907803. OK

h. Authority (C.O.#)

d. Organization Co. K, 327th Inf. OK

i. Emergency address

e. Rank Pvt. 1/c. OK

j. Relationship Joseph Baumgartner

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

a. Age of enlistment

b. Color of eyes

c. Color of hair

d. Height

e. Weight

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

(Brother) 2234 Mascher St  
DENTAL CHARTS Philadelphia  
(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

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

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

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C.W.  
CEMETERY NO: 1232-Sec.24.

SHEET NO: 10  
TYPED BY: I.W.

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

BY: H. J. CONNER,  
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

April 1, 1921.

FILE

293.8-Cem. #32553 (Baungartner, Frederick J. Pvt. 1/c)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division).  
To: Mr. Joseph B. Baungartner, 2234 N. Mascher St., Philadelphia, Pa.  
Subject: Permanent burial in France.

1. In reply to your letter of March 22, 1921 and the approval of your previous request by the parents of your brother, the late Private First-class Frederick J. Baungartner, Company K, 327th Infantry, that his remains be permanently interred in France, you are advised that instructions will be issued that their wishes be complied with presuming that there is no one else entitled to direct disposition. If there is any such relative, using paragraph #5 of the enclosed bulletin as a guide, it is requested that you immediately advise this office to that effect.

2. The remains of the deceased are now interred in the Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, where the graves of our soldier dead will be perpetually maintained by the Government with the same degree of care and attention as is given the graves of our soldier dead interred in National Cemeteries in this country.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES J. WYNNIE,  
1st Lieut., Q. M. C.

HVB

HW

MAILED

APR 1 1921

G.R.S.

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4-8-21  
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*Original  
Copy  
Cemeterial Division*

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To: Inquiry Section.  
From: Overseas Project Sub-Section.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. 1232 (furnished by: ) (date )

Data sent Overseas  
Operations to commence (approx.)  
Operations to be completed (approx.)  
Bodies shipped from European Port  
Bodies arrived at Hoboken

II. CASE OF Baumgartner, Frederick J. Pvt 1 Cl. Co K 327 Inf 1907803

The following information was abstracted (Date) 3-26-21 from: files

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		Clk.	in OFFICE
A. G. O. Cards	Pm	Yes.	Shppg. Inquiry (sent )		
A.G.O. Corresp.			To		
G.R.S. Corresp. relative to disp.			OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

Aggo Card DESIRES as to Disposition.

Name of Relative	RETURN			REMAIN	SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt.	Int.		
Widow					
Children (Name oldest first)					
Father					
Mother					
Brothers		✓			
Sisters					

Body to be shipped to Jos. B. Baumgartner, 2234 N. Mascher St., Phila., Pa. was shipped (Date)

REMARKS City 1232. Not audited J.R. 3/26/21  
D.I.C-HCH



C O P Y

293.8 Cem. Div., #32553, BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J.

Phila. March 22, 1921.

File No. 293.8-Cem. File 32553 (Baumgartner Frederick J. Pvt.)

Subject. Private 1st class Frederick J. Baumgartner.

The Quartermaster General U. S. Army  
Cemeterial Division.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of Feb. 14, 1921, relative to the retention of the remains of my brother the late Private 1st Class Frederick J. Baumgartner, Company K - 327th Infantry in France, please note below the signatures of the Parents of the deceased confirming the retention of the remains in France as per arrangements of our Government for procuring cemeteries for the restoration of their dead during the war.

After careful consideration and of hearings from others we feel that we are taking the proper step as our Government the Good U.S.A. have gone and made such arrangements whereby the remains of the soldiers will be looked after for time indefinitely.

Thanking you for your kind attention and replies  
I remain with grief,

Gratefully yours

Joseph B. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher Street  
Phila., Pa.

We confirm the retention of the remains of our beloved Son in France.

John M. Baumgartner	Father, 2234 N. Mascher Street Phila., Pa.
Elizabeth B. Baumgartner	Mother, 2234 N. Mascher Street Phila., Pa.

*City 1232 not audited  
Am 3-26-21*



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293.8 Cem. Div., #32553, BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J.

Phila. March 22, 1921.

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St. Louis, March 1921. Co

File No. 293-8-Gen. File 32553 (Baumgartner, Frederick J. Pvt.)

Subject. Private 1st Class Frederick J. Baumgartner.

The Quartermaster General U. S. Army.  
Cemeterial Division.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter

of Feb. 14, 1921, relative to the  
retention of the remains of my  
brother the late Private 1st Class  
Frederick J. Baumgartner, Company  
K-227th Infantry in France,  
please note below the signatures

Noted on Form No. 115  
Date 4-5-21-C.E.R.  
Per C.H.

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File # 2938-#32553

Baumgartner, Fred J.

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of the Parents of the deceased confirming the retention of the remains in France under arrangements of our Government for procuring cemeteries for the restoration of their dead during the war.

After careful consideration and of hearings from others we feel that we are taking the proper step as our Government the Good U. S. A. have gone and made such arrangements whereby the remains of the soldiers will be looked after for time indefinitely.

Thanking you for your kind attention and replies  
Remain with grief.

Gratefully yours

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2234 N. Mascher Street  
Phila., Pa.

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John M. Baumgartner

Father, 2234 N. Mascher Street Phila., Pa.

Elizabeth B. Baumgartner

Mother 2234 N. Mascher Street Phila. Pa.



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Feb. 14, 1921.

293.8-Cem. File #32553 (Baumgartner, Frederick J., Pvt.1/c)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army (Cemeterial Division)  
To: Mr. Joseph B. Baumgartner, 2234 N. Mascher St., Philadelphia, Pa.  
Subject: Private 1st Class Frederick J. Baumgartner.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of recent date relative to the retention of the remains of your brother, the late Private 1st Class Frederick J. Baumgartner, Company K, 327th Infantry, in France. You are advised that it will be necessary before any action is taken on this case that the parents of this soldier confirm this request over their signature.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES J. WYNNE,  
JP 2nd Lieut., Q. M. C. JTG

MAILED  
FEB 15 1921  
G.R.S.



Phila., Pa.

Quartermaster General  
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir: Referring to the  
remains of my brother.

1st class Private Frederick J. Baumgartner

File No 293.8 Genl. # 32553 would

ask you to kindly leave the  
remains abroad as I have  
heard from several people  
as to the return of the remains  
to this Country have not been

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., O. O. M. G.  
File # 293.8 # 32553

Baumgartner, Fred J.



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and bring back such terrible thoughts that would  
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I feel that the remains of my brother would  
be well taken care of over there inasmuch as the  
Government have assured us of this whereas  
we his Parents, Sister & Brothers would do so  
yet after our departure who may care?

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Thanking you for your  
courtesy and feeling that  
I am taking the best step  
in this respect I remain

Respectfully yours,

Joseph D. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher St.

Phila. Pa.



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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
WASHINGTON

ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

2/8/21.

Baumgartner

..... Change of Address.  
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Instructions for Disposition of Remains.  
(Par. 7, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Monument.  
(Par. 10, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Photographs.  
(Par. 12, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Discrepancies in Inscription.  
(Par. 11, Bul. 10-F-W.)

✓ ..... Permanent Burial in—  
(a) France.  
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Personal Effects.  
(Par. 13 (a), Bul. 10-F-W.)  
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... (b) Other Countries.

..... Accrued Pay.  
(Par. 13 (b), Bul. 10-F-W.)  
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... Return of Bodies from—  
(a) France.  
(Par. 4, Bul. 10-F-W.)  
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Maintenance.  
(Par. 9, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... (b) Other Countries.

..... Liberty Bonds.  
(Par. 13 (c), Bul. 10-F-W.)  
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... Expenses of Shipment.  
(Par. 6, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... War Risk Insurance.  
Par. 13 (d), Bul. 10-F-W.)  
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... Conveying Bodies from Hoboken.  
(Par. 8, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... "Zone of the Interior."  
(Par. 5, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Permanent Cemeteries.  
(Par. 9, Bul. 10-F-W.)

Remarks: .....

NOTE—In addition to information furnished on Nos. 1, 6, 11, and 12, G. R. S. Form 101-A (Information Blank), supply data on the following:

Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15.

Analysis Clerk.



THIS MEMORANDUM MUST NOT BE REMOVED

FOLLOW UP NO 6 Date FEB 5 1921  
DATE FEB 8 1921

TO: 1. Inquiry Branch for reply:  
(a) ~~Forms 124 not necessary.~~  
(b) Form 124 attached.

2. Miss Barry

3. Miss Boland

4. Mrs. Cairns

5. Miss Critchett

6. Lt. Daniel

7. Mr. Deming

8. Mr. Good

9. Lt. Hanson

10. Mr. Hughitt

11. Mrs. Landman

12. Miss Olenin

13. Miss Rex

14. Mrs. Ruth

15. Mr. Saxton

16. ~~Miss Schlegel~~

17. \_\_\_\_\_

*Cty 1232*

*[Signature]*

*[Large checkmark]*



To: Inquiry Section.  
From: Overseas Project Sub-Section.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. 1232 (furnished by: SPAN) (date 2-7-21)  
Data sent Overseas none  
Operations to commence (approx.)  
Operations to be completed (approx.)  
Bodies shipped from European Port  
Bodies arrived at Hoboken 1907803

II. CASE OF Baumgartner, Frederick J. Pvt 1st Co T 327 Inf.  
The following information was abstracted (Date 2-7-21) from: file

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		Clk.	in OFFICE
A. G. O. Cards	SPAN	yes	Shppg. Inquiry (sent 210)		
A.G.O. Corresp.			To		
G.R.S. Corresp. relative to disp.			OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

also, card DESIRES as to Disposition.

Name of Relative	RETURN		REMAIN	SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt. Int.		
Widow				
Children (Name oldest first)				
Father				
Mother				
Brothers				
Sisters				

Body to be shipped to Jos. B. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher St. Philadelphia Penna  
was shipped (Date) 2-7-21

REMARKS

City 1232 Vol - Audited B&B 2/7-21  
O.K.-HCH



File Number

32553

Date

2-10-21

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME:

Baumgartner, Frederick J.

Serial Number

RANK:

Post 1/c

ORGANIZATION:

No.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records?	No - # 1907808 - Co. K - 327th Inf
2.	Date of death.	(2) 10-8-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3) 1/c.
4.	Number of casualty cablegram.	(4) 286
5.	Date buried.	(5) no record
6.	Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave 1, Isolated, C-170, Commune. Monthblainville, Meuse. (2) Re: 4-24-19. Grave 88, Sec. 24, Plot 2, Amer. Cty # 1232, Argonne Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	
9.	Report as to grave marker.	
10.	Identification tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(10) a - yes b - yes
11.	Complete emergency address?	(11) Joseph Baumgartner (Brother) 2284 No. Market, Philadelphia, Pa.
12.	Has been notified? (Give date.)	(12) 4-19-19 1-24-20-107
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 number?	(14) D-96128
15.	Inquiry made by.	

N. B.—All proper names to be typewritten, or printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

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.....X..... Confirmed.

..... Unconfirmed.

M. M. G.  
Rik.



C O P Y

293.8 Cem. #32553 BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J1

Phila. Pa.

Quartermaster General,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Refering to the remains of my brother. 1st class Private Frederick J. Baumgartner File No. 293.8 Cem. #32553 would ask you to kindly leave the remains abroad as I have heard from Several people as to the return of the remains to this country have not been cared for by the Friends of the deceased ones and it appears so many have forgotten all about the war.

However my parents have aged considerable since the death of my brother and I know if his remains were brought here would bring about a disastrous conditions to my parents as they would mourn so much and bring back such terrible thoughts that would not be good for them.

I I feel that the remains of my brother would be well taken care of over there Inasmuch as the Government have assured us of this wheras we his Parents, Sister and Brothers would do so yet after our departure who may care?

Thanking you for your courtesy and fealing that I am taken the best step in this respect. I remain,

Respectfully yours,

Joseph B. Baumgartner,  
2234 N. Mascher St.,  
Phila. Pa.

Copied by L.C.

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293.8 Cem. #32553 BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J1

Phila. Pa.

Quartermaster General,  
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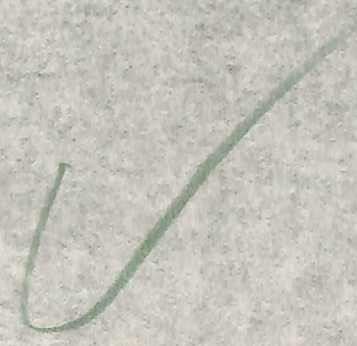
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2234 N. Mascher St.,  
Phila. Pa.





FILE  
File  
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January 18, 1921.

293.8 Cem. #32553 (Baumgartner, Frederick J., Private First Class)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division)  
To: Mr. Joseph B. Baumgartner, 2234 N. Mascher Street, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Subject: Disposition of remains.

1. In reply to your letter of January 1st, relative to the disposition of the remains of your brother, the late Private First Class Frederick J. Baumgartner, Company "K", 327th Infantry, you are advised that for this office to advise you what disposition to make of the remains of this soldier would be improper and tend to bring some criticism on this office, as this Service is, in a way, merely an agency for carrying out the wishes of the next of kin of our American soldier dead. The return of a body to this country or its retention in one of the permanent American cemeteries in France is purely a matter of sentiment.

2. The Argonne American Cemetery at Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, in which the remains of your brother are interred, has been designated as a permanent American Cemetery. This cemetery is the largest American Cemetery in France and will be of great historical interest as outside the fact that the men buried therein were all comrades in the great struggle for democracy, this cemetery is situated in practically the geographical center of the area covered by the operations incident to the Meuse-Argonne offensive. Elaborate plans for beautifying this resting place and for the erection of appropriate headstones have been formulated, and the graves will always receive tender care by this Government.

3. The return of a body to this country for burial in a national Cemetery or for private burial in the family plot in a cemetery of the former home of the soldier is no doubt a great comfort to many relatives and friends as they are thereby permitted to visit the last resting place of their loved one.

4. In leaving the body in France for permanent interment in one of the American cemeteries in that country or in the event that a body is buried in a National Cemetery in this country, it is well to remember that the grave will be under the tender care of this Government for time immemorial. Experience and observation is that burials made in family plots or private cemeteries are for some time the object of finest care but in the course of possibly two generations the graves become neglected.

MAILED

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

JAN 19 1921

G.R.S.

CHARLES J. WYNNE,  
2nd Lieut., Q.M.C.



File Number 32553

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

Date 1-8-21

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME:

Baumgartner, Frederick J.

Serial Number

RANK:

Pat. 1/c

ORGANIZATION:

C. R. - 327th Inf

No.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records?	No - # 1907803
2.	Date of death.	(2) 10-9-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3) 1/c
4.	Number of casualty cablegram.	(4) 286
5.	Date buried.	(5) no record
6.	Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave 1, Isolated, E-1702 Commune Montblainville (Meuse) ✓ (7) Reburied 4-24-19 Grave 88, Sec. 24, Plot 2. Argonne Amer. Cem. #1292, Rondagne. sou. Montfaucon, Meuse.
7.	Who reported burial?	(10) a - yes E - yes
8.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	(11) Joseph Baumgartner (brother) 2234 No. Marshen, Phila., Pa.
9.	Report as to grave marker.	(12) 4-19-19 1-24-20-107 ✓
10.	Identification tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(14) D-36128
11.	Complete emergency address?	
12.	Has been notified? (Give date.)	
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 number?	
15.	Inquiry made by.	

N. B.—All proper names to be typewritten, or printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

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X Confirmed. RIK  
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CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
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ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

1/7/21

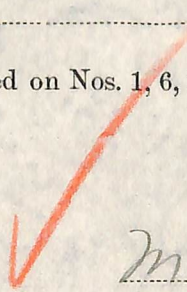
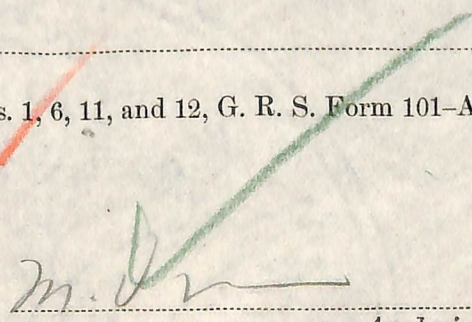
Baumgardner

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| ..... Change of Address.<br>(G. R. S. Form 106.)                                | ..... Instructions for Disposition of Remains.<br>(Par. 7, Bul. 10-F-W.)                                    |
| ..... Monument.<br>(Par. 10, Bul. 10-F-W.)                                      | ..... Photographs.<br>(Par. 12, Bul. 10-F-W.)   |
| ..... Discrepancies in Inscription.<br>(Par. 11, Bul. 10-F-W.)                  | ..... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanent Burial in—<br>..... (a) France.<br>(G. R. S. Form 106.) |
| ..... Personal Effects.<br>(Par. 13 (a), Bul. 10-F-W.)<br>(G. R. S. Form 111.)  | ..... (b) Other Countries.  |
| ..... Accrued Pay.<br>(Par. 13 (b), Bul. 10-F-W.)<br>(G. R. S. Form 111.)       | ..... Return of Bodies from—<br>..... (a) France.<br>(Par. 4, Bul. 10-F-W.)<br>(G. R. S. Form 106.)         |
| ..... Maintenance.<br>(Par. 9, Bul. 10-F-W.)                                    | ..... (b) Other Countries.  |
| ..... Liberty Bonds.<br>(Par. 13 (c), Bul. 10-F-W.)<br>(G. R. S. Form 111.)     | ..... Expenses of Shipment.<br>(Par. 6, Bul. 10-F-W.)   |
| ..... War Risk Insurance.<br>Par. 13 (d), Bul. 10-F-W.)<br>(G. R. S. Form 111.) | ..... Conveying Bodies from Hoboken.<br>(Par. 8, Bul. 10-F-W.)  |
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Remarks: .....

NOTE.—In addition to information furnished on Nos. 1, 6, 11, and 12, G. R. S. Form 101-A (Information Blank), supply data on the following:

Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15.

Analysis Clerk.



Baumgartner

G. R. S. Form #124  
Disposition Status -  
OFFICE MEMORANDUM. -

REGISTRATION SECTION.  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION.

File No. 82553  
OSPSS Ref. NO. 1232  
Follow-up No. 6

TO: Inquiry Section .  
From: Overseas Project Sub-Section.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. 1232 (furnished by: MBH) (date 1-6-21)

Data sent Overseas None  
Operations to commence (approx.) \_\_\_\_\_  
Operations to be completed (approx.) \_\_\_\_\_  
Bodies shipped from European Port \_\_\_\_\_  
Bodies arrived at Hoboken See # 1907803

II. CASE OF Baumgartner, Frederick J., Pvt. 1st. Co. K. 327th Inf.

The following information was abstracted (Date) 1-6-21 from: Files

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		CLK.	in OFFICE
A. G. O. Cards	<u>MBH</u>	<u>yes</u>	Shppg. Inquiry (sent _____)		
A.G.O. Corresp.	<u>=</u>		To _____		
G.R.S. corresp. relative to disp.	<u>=</u>		OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

Agocard.

DESIRES as to Disposition.

Name of Relative	RETURN.		REMAIN	SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt. Int.		
Widow				
Children (Name oldest first)		<u>V</u>		
Father				
Mother				
Brothers	<u>Jos. B. Baumgartner,</u> <u>2234 N. Marston St.,</u> <u>Phila, Penna.</u>			
Sisters				

Body to be shipped to Jos. B. Baumgartner, 2234 N. Marston St., Phila Penna. was shipped (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

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Date JAN 4 1921

FOLLOW UP NO 6  
DATE JAN 7 1921

TO:

1. Inquiry Branch for reply:  
(a) ~~Forms 124 not necessary.~~  
(b) Form 124 attached.

2. Miss Barry
3. Miss Birkett
4. Miss Boland
5. Mrs. Cairns
6. Miss Critchett
7. Lt. Daniel
8. Mr. Good
9. Mr. Grant
10. Lt. Hanson
11. Mr. Hughitt
12. Mrs. Landman
13. Miss Olenin
14. Miss Rex
15. Mrs. Ruth
16. Mr. Saxton
17. ~~Miss Schlegel~~
18. \_\_\_\_\_

*Baumgartner*  
*City 1232*



C O P Y

293.8 Cem. Div., #32553, BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J.

File No. 293-8 Cem. #32553  
(Baumgartner Frederick J. Private 1st class)

Jan. 1, 1920  
Phila., Pa.

Quartermaster General, U.S. Army  
Attention Chas. C. Pierce  
Lieut. Colonel U.S. Army,  
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

Worthy Sir:

In reply to your letter, addressed to the writer, of December 9, 1920 as to remains of deceased, stated above, my brother, I have been trying very hard to come to a decision, whether I should leave my brother's body, where you have buried him or have him brought to this country.

I might state that I have felt that it may be better to leave the remains where they are and I have been wondering if I could get a line from you so that you could give me thought and satisfy me that it would be best not to bring him to this country.

A man of your knowledge and experience of this matter could probably state a few words and satisfy myself. Can I at this time ask you to answer this letter whether it be advisable to leave the body over there.

If you believe it best kindly have your records read that the remains of my brother not be forwarded to America and I would ask you when informing of same, please state your thoughts for same.

I would appreciate very much a reply from you and offer my heartiest wishes to you for a Bright New Year, and hope that you may soon be able to complete this sympathetic work, which no doubt touches your heart.

*Cty 1232 not audited*  
*M.B.H. 1-6-21*  
Gratefully yours,

Joseph B. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher St.  
Phila., Pa.

Brother of Deceased:

Frederick J. Baumgartner 1st class Private Co. K 327 Infantry  
Interred in Grave 88, Section 24, Plot 2, Artonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse.

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File No. 293-8 Cem. # 32553

(Baumgartner Frederick J. Private 1st class)

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Phila., Pa.

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Baumgartner Frederick J.



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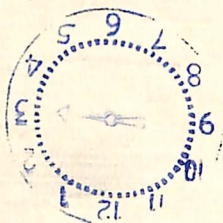
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soon be able to complete this  
sympathetic work, which  
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Gratefully yours,  
Joseph J. Baumgartner  
R. Mascher St.  
Chila., Pa

Brother of deceased:

Frederick J. Baumgartner 1st class  
Private Co. K 327 Infantry Interred  
in Grave 88, Section 24, Plot 12, Argonne  
American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-  
Montfaucon, Department of Meuse.



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293.8 Cem. Div., #32553, BAUMGARTNER, Frederick J.

File No. 293-8 Cem. #32553  
(Baumgartner Frederick J. Private 1st class)

Jan. 1, 1920  
Phila., Pa.

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Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse.

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December 9, 1920.

293.8-Cem.#32553-(Baumgartner, Frederick J. Private 1st class)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.  
To: Mr. Joseph B. Baumgartner, 2234 N. Mascher St., Philadelphia, Pa.  
Subject: Disposition of remains.

1. In reply to your letter of November 21, 1920, referred to this office by The Adjutant General of the Army, you are advised that the records of this office show that the remains of your brother, the late Private 1st class Frederick J. Baumgartner, Company K, 327th Infantry, are now interred in Grave 88, Section 24, Plot 2, Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse.

2. Many of the relatives of the American soldier dead have requested this office to permanently inter the remains of their loved ones in France and instructions have been issued to that effect. The remains of our soldier dead which are to be permanently interred in France, will be interred in permanent American Fields of Honor and in this connection your attention is invited to paragraph 9, of the inclosed Cemeterial Division Bulletin No.10-F-W.

3. It will be noted that the remains of your brother are now interred in one of the permanent American Fields of Honor. These permanent American Fields of Honor will always be maintained by the Government as National Cemeteries are maintained similar to the care and maintenance given them in the United States.

4. In view of this information, it is requested that you advise this office whether you desire the remains of the deceased interred in a permanent American Field of Honor in France, or returned to this country, either for private interment or burial in a National Cemetery. Upon receipt of this advice from you, instructions will be issued that your wishes be complied with, provided there is no relative whose legal right to direct disposition has priority over yours.

5. The present instructions on file in this office from you, that the remains of the deceased be returned to this country for private interment will remain unchanged awaiting further advice.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
Lieut. Colonel, U.S. Army,  
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

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November 21, 1920

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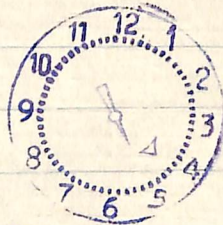
War Department  
The Adjutant General,  
Worthy Sir:

Kindly advise  
the writer just where the  
body of my deceased brother  
Frederick J. Baumgardner  
1st Class Private #1907803  
Company K 327 Infantry  
located and if it would  
be advisable to leave  
1232 not answered LRM 12-1-20

Baumgardner, Frederick

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his body over on the other side in preference to  
having same forwarded to this country.

I have heard and read that the graves  
of the dead soldiers, are being well taken care  
of and that the War Department have suggested  
that the families of these soldiers, leave the  
remains over there.

Would thank you very much for your  
thought in this respect and the location of  
the deceased body. I believe his reference # 32553.  
In appreciation of your attention to above I remain

Sincerely yours,

A Brother of the deceased.

Joseph B. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher St.  
Phila., Pa.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
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ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY 12-6-20

..... Change of Address.  
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Instructions for Disposition of Remains.  
(Par. 7, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Monument.  
(Par. 10, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Photographs.  
(Par. 12, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Discrepancies in Inscription.  
(Par. 11, Bul. 10-F-W.)

**Permanent Burial in—**

..... (a) France.  
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Personal Effects.  
(Par. 13 (a), Bul. 10-F-W.)  
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... (b) Other Countries.

..... Accrued Pay.  
(Par. 13 (b), Bul. 10-F-W.)  
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

**Return of Bodies from—**

..... (a) France.  
(Par. 4, Bul. 10-F-W.)  
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Maintenance.  
(Par. 9, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... (b) Other Countries.

..... Liberty Bonds.  
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(G. R. S. Form 111.)

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(Par. 6, Bul. 10-F-W.)

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(G. R. S. Form 111.)

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(Par. 8, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... "Zone of the Interior."  
(Par. 5, Bul. 10-F-W.)

✓ ..... Permanent Cemeteries.  
(Par. 9, Bul. 10-F-W.)

Remarks: *GL*

NOTE.—In addition to information furnished on Nos. 1, 6, 11, and 12, G. R. S. Form 101-A (Information Blank), supply data on the following:

Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15.

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Analysis Clerk.



Baumgartner

G. R. S. Form #124  
Disposition Status -  
OFFICE MEMORANDUM. -

REGISTRATION SECTION  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION

File No. 32543  
OSPSS Ref. No. 1232  
Follow-up No. H006

To: Inquiry Section.

From: Overseas Project Sub-Section.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. 1232 (furnished by: SPM) (date 12/1/20)

Data sent Overseas None

Operations to commence (approx.) W. M. C.

Operations to be completed (approx.) \_\_\_\_\_

Bodies shipped from European Port \_\_\_\_\_

Bodies arrived at Hoboken \_\_\_\_\_ # 1907803

II. CASE OF Baumgartner, Frederick J. Pvt 1st Co B. 337 Inf.

The following information was abstracted (Date) 12-1-20 from: File

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		CLK.	in OFFICE
A. G. O. Cards	<u>SPM</u>	<u>yes</u>	Shppg. Inquiry (sent <u>20</u> )		
A.G.O. Corresp.			To <u>_____</u>		
G.R.S. Corresp. relative to disp.			OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

R.S.O. cond DESIRES as to Disposition.

Name of Relative	RETURN		REMAIN	SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt. Int.		
Widow				
Children (Name oldest first)		<u>✓</u>		
Father				
Mother				
Brothers				
Sisters				

Joseph B. Baumgartner  
2234 N. Mascher St  
Philas. Penna

Body to be shipped to Jos. B. Baumgartner 2234 N. Mascher  
St. Philas. Penna was shipped (Date) 12-1-20

REMARKS Cty 1232 Not audited J. P. 11-30-20

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File Number 32553.

Date 12/7/20,

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME: Baumgartner, Frederick J. Serial Number 1907803.

RANK: Pvt. ORGANIZATION: Co. K, 327th Inf.

No.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records?	(1). Yes.
2.	Date of death.	(2). 10/3/18.
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3). K/17.
4.	Number of casualty cablegram.	(4). 286.
5.	Date buried.	(5). no record.
6.	Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6). Grave 1, Isolated Graves Commune. Montblainville, Re: 4/24/19. (Meuse) DC-170, Grave 88, Sec. 24, Plot 2, Argonne-Am. Cty. 1292, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (10)-a. yes. 6 (Meuse.) (10)-b. yes. (11). Joseph Baumgartner (Bro) 2234 N. Mascher, (12). 4/19/19. Phila., Pa. 1/24/20, (14). P-36128.
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	
9.	Report as to grave marker.	
10.	Identification tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	
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