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G.R.S. Form #114-B

DEC 23 1925

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FULL NAME.. *Ben. sig.* **BENAVIDEZ, Moses** .....

RANK.. **PRIVATE** .....

SERIAL.. **1627272** .....

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION.. **Co. H, 110th Infantry** .....

DATE OF DEATH.. **7/29/1918** .....

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME.. **Colorado** .....

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED.. **none** .....

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.. **Re-numbered** .....

**Date** .....

**Grave**

**Row**

**Block**

**Cty. 608**

**Cemetery**

RECEIVED  
DEC 29 1925  
UNITED STATES  
Bw 6/7/24

Place Springes et Nesles

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date May 9 1921

1. REMAINS OF Benavides, Moses SERIAL NUMBER 1627272  
RANK Pol. ORGANIZATION None

2. Disinterred (date) : May 9 1921 From (give complete location) : Gr. 59 Sec F Plot 2 Can 608  
By : Group 6 Unit 3

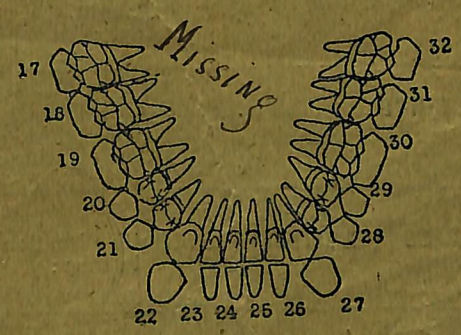
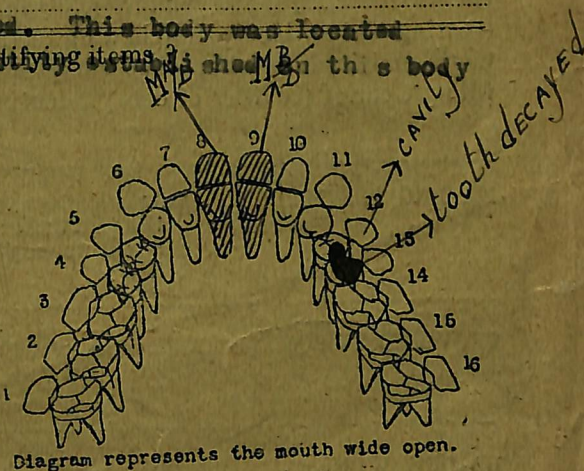
3. Reburied (date) : May 9th 1921 In (give complete location) : Gr. 222 22 Sec R Plot 1 Can 608  
By : Group 6 Unit 3 Nature of reburial wrapped in burlap

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :  
U. S. Uniform Gas mask and wrapped in burlap. Badly decomposed and disarticulated, features unrecognizable.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? No On grave marker ? No  
(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :

Corporal chevrons found on body. Grave marker over this grave originally indicated body of Nathan C Woomer interred. This body was located however in Gr. 51 Sec R Plot 1 following identifying items: shoes on the body

- (a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to measure
- (b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate
- (c) Hair—Color None visible  
Quantity see line "c"  
Characteristics see line "c"
- (d) Hair on face—Color None visible  
Location None  
Quantity None
- (e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None visible



(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) Bullet hole upper centre of forehead

7. Disinterment supervised by Harry E. Strong Approved: [Signature]

8. Reburial supervised by Harry E. Strong Approved: [Signature]

W-30634

Date June 11.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

2-16-21 filed with  
30000 lines  
Due 11/11/21  
1627272  
HBC  
11-23-22

Remains of: Bernard, Moses

Name: Nathan Woomer.

Number: 1240908.

Rank: Pvt

Organization: Co H 110th Inf.

Co H 110th Inf.  
Co C 110 Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit 304.

Disinterred (Date) June 11, 19. From (Give complete location) \_\_\_\_\_

Cemetery # 563 Grave 31. Roucheres, Aisne

Reburied (Date) June 11, 19. in: (Give complete location) \_\_\_\_\_

Cemetery # 608 Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne) Map 33 S.E.

Grave 59 Plot 2 Section F.

608

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

Buried 4 feet deep. Body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No. One on cr.

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

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CONFIRMED N.D.

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon the bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by G.O. 170, G.H.Q., 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: Sgt W W Darnell

1st Lt O W Forsberg.

C.O. Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit 304.

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	BEN AVIDEZ	3	254
BURIED	CYMETERY	1	2
	GRAVE	2	33
	ROW	2	25
	BLOCK	1	1
STATE	Colorado	2	05
RANK	Pvt.	1	23
DIVISION	28	2	28
ORGANIZATION	110	3	110
ARM	Inf.	1	1
MARITAL	no	1	2
NAME	Manzanares	3	254
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	05
	COUNTY	2	16
	CITY	3	007
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	3
ELIGIBILITY	Dead	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

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A.J. 405 Colorado Bldg  
Denver, Colo.

audited  
MAR 8 1932  
110

29/514/

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Benarides</i>	<i>Ben</i>	3	<i>25<sup>0</sup>4</i>
<i>Moses</i>	CEMETERY <i>608</i>	1	<i>2</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>33</i>	2	<i>33</i>
	ROW <i>25</i>	2	<i>25</i>
	BLOCK <i>a</i>	1	<i>1</i>
STATE	<i>Colo.</i>	2	<i>05</i>
RANK	<i>Put.</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>28</i>	2	<i>28</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>110</i>	3	<i>110</i>
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>no</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Benarides</i>		3	
<i>Mrs. Elvira</i>	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
<i>no adrs. given.</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Step-mother</i>	1	<i>3</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>no</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
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TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
<i>29/514</i>			

*audited*  
MAR 8 1932  
*VD*

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Xc 35-524 Benaridez, M.

date of Mothers death 1913

father died 7-9-27

Single

~~Lees~~ or Step-Mother ?

Elvira Benaridez  
married to nts father  
April 2 - 1919

Adm. Joe Benavidez.

Estate settled at fathers death.

active ad - (10-1-31)

A. T. Manzaneres  
405 Colorado Bldg  
Denver Colo.

Bunaridy m <sup>3/24</sup> 5-524  
5-524

m dead - single

~~Adm Joe Bunaridy  
1311-25 st  
Dunm~~

608 ✓ ~~Completed Case~~ Colo

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Elkison

Scott

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Examining Section No. 4  
AWARDS DIVISION



UNITED STATES VETERANS BUREAU

DENVER, COLO.

July 19, 1930

OFFICE OF REGIONAL MANAGER  
U. S. NATIONAL BANK BLDG.

THIS LETTER REFERS TO  
YOUR FILE NUMBER:

IN REPLY REFER TO: 1-2-12

The Quartermaster General  
War Department  
Washington, D. C.

BERNARIDEZ, Moses

*Bernarides*

Dear Sir:

Your communication of July 7, 1930, was brought into this office by Mr. Joe Benavidez who stated that he had no knowledge of the above named man whatsoever and would be able to give no information with regard to his next of kin.

The addressee further stated that he has never lived at 1311 25th Street, Denver, Colorado, and he does not believe that he is the person for whom the communication was intended. A check was made by this office of the city directory but only one Joe Benavidez was located therein he being the same person who delivered the communication to this office. There is however a John Benavidez who lives at 1307 32nd Street, Denver, Colorado. An investigation into the records of your office may indicate some other person to whom your communication may be addressed.



By direction,

J. A. REILLY  
Regional Adjudication Officer  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Benaridez, Moses 608 Adm  $\frac{1}{2}$

July 7, 1930

Mr. Joe Benavidezz  
1311 25th Street  
Denver, Colorado

Dear Sir:

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

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

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1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:  
Envelope  
Act  
Amendment

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

*John*  
1307  
37nd  
3737 Williams

*Duplicate*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

DATE March 13, 1930

NAME RANK SERIAL ORGANIZATION DATE OF DEATH  
Benavidez, Moses Pvt. 1627272 Co. H, 110th Inf. July 29, 1918

STATE Colorado CTY. NO. 608 GRAVE 33 ROW 25 BLOCK A

	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>	
	MOTHER	: : ✓	<u>10-35524</u>
	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	<u>3/5</u>
NAME	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION	: : :	
AND	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	<u>adm. of estate of</u>
ADDRESS	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	<u>Soldier: Joe Benavidez</u>
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	: : :	<u>1311-25th St</u>
	<u>Single man</u>	: : :	<u>Denver,</u>
		: : :	<u>Colo-</u>

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156/

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

**Benavidez, Moses**

July 30, 1929.

Mr. Joe Benavidez,  
1511 25th St.,  
Denver, Colo.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the administrator of the late Private Moses Benavidez, Co. H, 110th Inf., 28th Div., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address:
3. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

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

Benavidez, Moses.

June 20, 1929.  
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Adm of Soldier's Estate  
Joe Benavidez,  
1311 25th St. Denver, Colo.  
Mr. Felipe Benavidez,  
1403 Umatilla St.,  
Denver, Colo.

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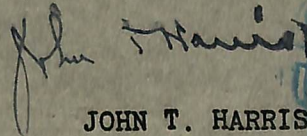
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

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LET TO AVOID PAYMENT OF  
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JUN 28 1929  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

NO ADDRESS, H-48

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JUN 25 12:00 PM 1929

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Benavidez, Moses  
608

Sept. 12, 1929.

Mr. Joe Benavidez,  
1311 25th St.,  
Denver, Colo.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated July 30, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below

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

For The Quartermaster General,

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Assistant.

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Q. M. G. M. & R. DIV.  
JOHN T. HARRIS,  
Major, Q. Corps,  
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BENAVIDEZ, Moses

July 8, 1925

Mr. Felipe Benavidez,  
1403 Umatilla St.,  
Denver, Colo.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the inclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested.

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

Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. For the future, these graves will be perpetually maintained by the Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

R. P. HARBOLD,  
Major, Q. M. G.  
Assistant.

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Record card.

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RECORDED, A.G.R.S., Q.M.C., IN EUROPE  
FILE No. 293 Benavidez, Moses

293 Benavidez

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Benavidez, Moses, Pvt.

Feb. 14, 1925.

SUBJECT: Discrepancies.

TO: Chief, AGRS, QMC. in Europe.

1. Unknown Soldier, S-60, buried May 9, 1921, from Grave. 59, Sec.F, Plot 2, Cty. 608, to Grave 22, Section R, Plot I, was identified as Pvt. Moses Benavidez, 1627272, Co. H, 110th Inf. Your office advised of the identification, December 15, 1922. The renumbering of cemetery shows the new number as Gr. 30, Row 24, Block A.

2. The new grave numbers submitted to this office for Cty. 608, records Unknown Soldier, S-60, Grave 59, Sec.F, Plot 2; new number Gr. 33, Block A, Row 24. vs ?

3. The correct grave number will be submitted.

By order of The Quartermaster General:

*R.P. Harbold*  
R.P. HARBOLD  
Major, Q.M.C.  
Assistant.

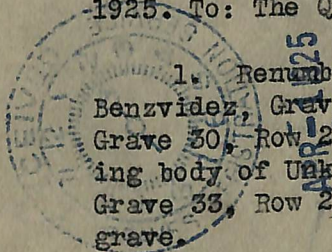


293 Benavidez, Moses.

1st Ind.

Hqrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C., in E., 20 rue Molitor, Paris, France, March 13, 1925. To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. Renumbering above mentioned is in error, supposed grave of Pvt. Benzvidez, Grave 51, Section R, Plot 1, having been given new number Grave 30, Row 24, Block A, whereas Grave 22, Section R, Plot 1, containing body of Unknown S-60, identified as being his, was given new number Grave 33, Row 25, Block A, and this soldier is carried as buried in that grave.



*Wm. O. Smith*  
Wm. O. Smith,  
Lieut. Col., Q.M. Corps,  
Chief.

*Noted  
4/6/25*

293 Benavidez, Moses.

1st Ind.

Hqrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C., in E., 20 rue Molitor, Paris, France, March 13, 1925. To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. Renumbering above mentioned is in error, supposed grave of Pvt. Benavidez, Grave 51, Section R, Plot 1, having been given new number Grave 30, Row 24, Block A, whereas Grave 22, Section R, Plot 1, containing body of Unknown S-60, identified as being his, was given new number Grave 33, Row 25, Block A, and this soldier is carried as buried in that grave.

*Woomer, Nathan  
returned to U.S.  
from this grave*



Wm. O. Smith,  
Lieut. Col., Q.M. Corps,  
Chief.

Benavidez,

(Surname)

Moses

(Christian name in full.)

1,627,272

(Army serial number.)

Pvt.

Co H 110th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

yes

(Yes or no.)

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

no

(Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

M Felipe Benavidez

Walsenburg Colo

Walsenburg Colo

(Number and street.)

Walsenburg

Colorado

(Sign here)

Felipe Benavidez

Walsenburg

Colorado

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

checked  
12/11/10

Drawn by PF

608-209

12-11

QM 293 A-C

Benavidez, Moses, Pvt.

Feb. 14, 1925.

SUBJECT: Discrepancies.

TO: Chief, AGRS, QMC. in Europe.

1. Unknown Soldier, S-60, buried May 9, 1921, from Grave. 59, Sec. F, Plot 2, Cty. 608, to Grave 22, Section R, Plot I, was identified as Pvt. Moses Benavidez, 1627272, Co. H, 110th Inf. Your office advised of the identification, December 15, 1922. The renumbering of cemetery shows the new number as Gr. 30, Row 24, Block A.

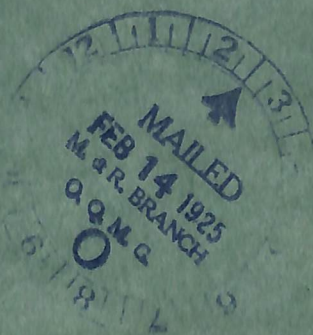
2. The new grave numbers submitted to this office for Cty. 608, records Unknown Soldier, S-60, Grave 59, Sec. F, Plot 2; new number Gr. 33, Block A, Row 24.

3. The correct grave number will be submitted.

By order of The Quartermaster General:

R. P. HARBOLD  
Major, Q. M. C.  
Asskstant.

LN  
GR  
WPR



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE January 24, 1928.

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 BENAVIDEZ, Moses *Colo.*

2. No. 1627272

3. Rank Pvt.

4. Org. Co. H, 110th Inf. 28th Div.

5. D.D. July 29, 1918

6. C.D. KIA.

10. Name \_\_\_\_\_

11. No. \_\_\_\_\_

12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_

13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_

14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_

(b) D.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 33 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_

8. Plot Block A Row 25

9. \_\_\_\_\_

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_

16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_

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

18. Cemetery Oise-Aisne

19. Commune or town Seringes-et-Nesles.

20. Dept. or County Aisne

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 608

23. Disinterred (Date) January 24, 1928

By H.E.N. Stine

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name BENAVIDEZ, Moses

Rank Pvt.

Serial No. 1627272

Organization Co. H, 110th Inf.

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

*H.E.N. Stine*  
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

27. Condition of body \_\_\_\_\_

28. Nature of burial Pine box and burlap

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? \_\_\_\_\_

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date January 24, 1928 By H.E.N. Stine

31. Casket sealed by H.E.N. Stine

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) *H.E.N. Stine*

H. E. N. Stine.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. \_\_\_\_\_

32. Designation of body:

Name **BENAVIDEZ, Moses** Serial No. **1627272**

Rank **Pvt.** Organization **Co. H, 110th Inf.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Oise-Aisne Cty., Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **January 24, 1928** By **C.E. Spahn**

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 *C. E. Spahn*  
**C.E. Spahn**

36. Remarks \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

To point of Concentration \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name)  
Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer \_\_\_\_\_

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date \_\_\_\_\_

By G.R.S. Representative \_\_\_\_\_

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date \_\_\_\_\_

To Permanent Cemetery \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name)  
Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer \_\_\_\_\_

40. Received: Date \_\_\_\_\_

G.R.S. Representative \_\_\_\_\_

41. Reinterred **January 24, 1928, Oise-Aisne American Cty.**  
(Date)

42. Grave No. **33** Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. Plot **Block A** Row **25**

G.R.S. Representative *William E. Moore*  
**William E. Moore, Superintendent.**

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date January 24, 1928.

1. REMAINS OF BENAVIDEZ, Moses SERIAL NUMBER 1627272.  
RANK Private. ORGANIZATION Co. H, 110th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): January 24, 1928. From (give complete location):  
Grave 33, Block A, Row 25.

By: Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

3. Reburied (date): January 24, 1928. In (give complete location):  
Grave 33, Block A, Row 25.

By: Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Nature of Reburial Box.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:  
Pine box & bur lap.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? \_\_\_\_\_ On grave marker? Il. Strip.

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

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Weight (estimated) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Hair—Color \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity \_\_\_\_\_

Characteristics \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Hair on face—Color \_\_\_\_\_

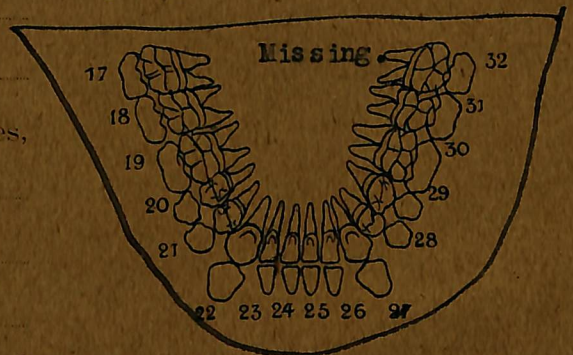
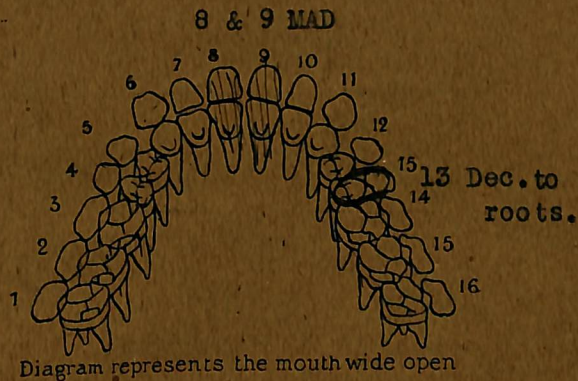
Location \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Coccyx missing. Right radius missing. Lower jaw missing. Left scapula and clavicle missing.



7. Disinterment supervised by H. Ernestine Approved: W. G. Moore

(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by Charles E. Spahr Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

(Title)

Reburied Grave 22, Plot 1, Sec. R. City 608

Authority D-30634 M.J.D. 11/29/22

# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

10273

### I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BENAVIDEZ, Moses <sup>ok (12-16)</sup> Ser. No. 1627272 } TYP. kk  
 (b) Rank Private Organization Co. H, 110th Infantry } CKR. X/B  
 (c) Date of death 7-29-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

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

(a) Grave No. 51 Row -- Plot 1 Sec. R TYP. vbb  
*Ident 12/11/29/22 Gr. 59, Plot 2, Sec F, Walsenburg, Colo.*  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Phillip Benavides (father) Barr, Colo.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases \_\_\_\_\_ CKR. X/B

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

Date of receipt \_\_\_\_\_  
 (a) Name Felipe Benavidez <sup>ok cont. (12-16)</sup> (b) Relationship Father  
 (c) Address Walsenburg, Colo.  
 (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. Felipe Benavidez  
Walsenburg, Colo.  
Exp. & Tele Offices Walsenburg, Colo.  
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner's Initials PF Date 12-11, 1920.

### V. A. G. C. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from \_\_\_\_\_

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

Examiner's Initials P. E. Lee Date 12-11, 1920.

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

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner's Initials E.M. Date 12-11, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. \_\_\_\_\_

SHEET No. 209

FORM 115 608 COMPLETED

1/22/21.7. L. CAPS

12/13/21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made 12-14, 1920.

Typed by Law, Checked by MEX, 12-14, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 1920  
letter on 1/15/21, 1920

Par. # 1. To be returned (EGL) 1-17-21

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.	ACTION TAKEN.
Desires body be <u>Set. 12/15/22 To Europe - Body reburied in Gr. 22 Plot. 1. Sec. R. is that of Pvt. Benavidez.</u>	
Body to be shipped to <u>"Body to remain"</u>	<u>RECEIVED 22/15/22</u>
<u>Identification 11-29/22 correct per. Land A report.</u>	
<u>Audit. 11-29-22. M. J. D.</u>	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

5/5/21 Telegram from Felipe Benavidez father. Denver Colo requesting that the body be interred in Arlington Nat. Cem. Va. Deceased soldier was unmarried 2/5/27/21 Cms

2/11/22 Europe advised, cable ref. no. assigned to Moses Benavidez ~~whose~~ has been cancelled and reassigned to an Unknown Soldier. 2/11/22 W. G. 7115 prepared for Unknown Soldier and following noted thereon:

ADJUSTMENT RECORD- 1-15-21 Letter of Transmittal - Europe advised that body of MOSES BENAVIDES recorded as buried in Grave 51, Plot 1, Sec. R. is to be returned. 11-7-21 Board of Review thru Audit Department amended records to show that NATHAN C. WOOMER is buried in Grave 51, Plot 1, Sec. R. while an UNKNOWN SOLDIER is reported in Grave 59, Plot 2, Sec. F, previously reported WOOMER. Case of BENAVIDES is suspended without grave location. 11-17-21 Form 115 covering BENAVIDES was cancelled and filed Case of Unknown Soldier takes the cable reference number (209) of the cancelled case of BENAVIDES. D.B. 2-5-22.

BB 2/7/22

Discrepancies

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Org. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks:

*Ea guis Benavides*

A. G. O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Org. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: *Ea name + town*

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Org. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks:

Checkers

Discrepancies

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Org. \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks:

*8-11-11 sent AJO 12-13*  
*check 11/20*

Place Seringes et Nogles

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date May 9 1921

1. REMAINS OF *Bernardez, Moses* Unknown U. S. Soldier S U 60 SERIAL NUMBER 1627272 None

RANK *Pvt.* None ORGANIZATION *Co H 110th Inf* None

2. Disinterred (date): May 9 1921 From (give complete location): Gr. 59 Sec F Plat 2 Cem 608

By: Group 6 Unit 3

3. Reburied (date): May 9th 1921 In (give complete location): Gr. 222 22 Sec R Plat 1 Cem 608  
Pinebox and wrapped

By: Group 6 Unit 3 Nature of reburial in burlap

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:  
U. S. Uniform Gas mask and wrapped in burlap. Badly decomposed and disarticulated, features unrecognizable.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:  
Corporal chevrons found on body. Grave marker over this grave originally indicated body of Nathan C Woome interred. This body was located however in Gr. # 51 Sec R Plot 1. No identity established on this body

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to measure

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color None visible

Quantity see line "e"

Characteristics see line "e"

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible

Location None

Quantity None

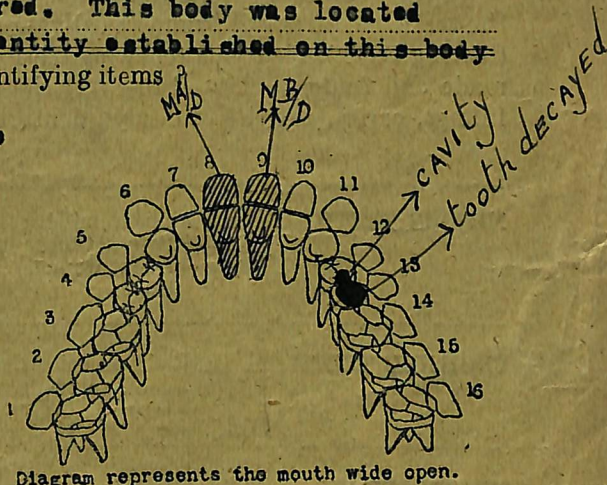
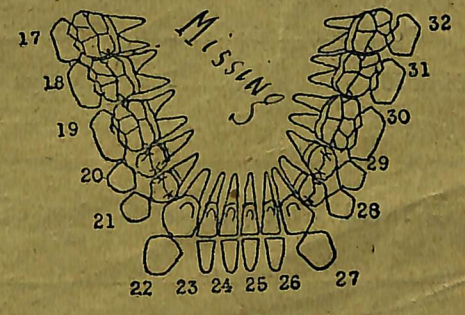


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) Bullet hole upper 20 448  
centre of forehead

7. Disinterment supervised by *Harry E Strong*  
H. E. Strong.

Approved: *C. J. Blake*  
C. J. Blake Capt. QMC  
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by *Harry E Strong*  
H. E. Strong

Approved: *C. J. Blake*  
C. J. Blake Capt. QMC  
(Title)

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

0

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name *ok (12-16)* **BENAVIDEZ, Moses** Ser. No. **1627272**  
 (b) Rank **Private** Organization **Co. H, 110th Infantry**  
 (c) Date of death **7-29-18** Cause of death **K/A**

TYP *vlt*  
*WB-*

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

(a) Grave No. *Grave unlocated* Row *51* Plot *59* Sect. *R* TYP *vbb*  
*see 11/11 2 Ident. 11-29-22 Grave 59 - Plot 2 - Sec F - Walsenburg, Colo*  
 (b) Emerg. Address **Phillipp Benavides (father) Ferr, Colo.**

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

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

*A.G.O. Card: Felipe Benavidez (father) Walsenburg, Colo, requests remains returned to U.S. and shipped to him at above address. (E&S) 1-17-21*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on..... 192 (letter of transmittal on *1/15*) 1921

*Par. #1. To be returned (E&S) 1-17-21.*

**JAN 26 1921**

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken
<i>2/11/22</i>	<i>Europe</i>	<i>advised cable ref. no. assigned to Moses Benavides has been cancelled and reassigned to an Unknown Soldier</i>	<i>2/11/22 1119 S&amp;S</i>
		<i>Case reburied in Gr. 22 Plot 1 - Sec. R.</i>	

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J..... *8-24-1921*

ADJUTANT GENERAL- 1-15-21 Letter of Transmittal - Europe advised that body of UNKNOWN BEHAVIORS recorded as buried in Grave 51, Plot 1, Sec. B, is to be returned. 11-7-21 Board of Review thru Audit Department amended records to show that NATHAN C. WOODRUFF is buried in Grave 51, Plot 1, Sec. B, while an UNKNOWN SOLDIER is reported in Grave 50, Plot 2, Sec. B, previously reported WOODRUFF. Case of BEHAVIORS is suspended without grave location. 11-17-21 Form 115 covering BEHAVIORS was cancelled and filed. Case of Unknown Soldier takes the cable reference number (209) of the cancelled case of BEHAVIORS. D.B. 2-5-22.

SB  
2/7/22

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

14272

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G. R. S.

Discrepancy found upon examination of body.

1. Name BENAVIDEZ, Moses

10. Name .....

2. No. 1627272

11. No. ....

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank .....

4. Org Co. H, 110th Inf.

13. Org .....

5. D. D. 7/29/18

14. (a) D. D. ....

6. C. D. K/A

15. (b) D. B. ....

Discrepancy found upon disinterment.

7. Grave No. 51

15. Grave No. ....

Sec. R

Sec. ....

*Ident. Grave 59, Sec 2, Plot 4,*

8. Plot 1

16. Plot .....

Row .....

Row .....

9. ....

17. ....

18. Cemetery American Cty.,

19. Commune or town Seringes et Nesles,

20. Department or county Aisne,

21. Country France

22. G. R. S. Headquarters Code No. 608

23. Disinterred .....

By .....

(Date.)

24. Inscription on grave marker { Name..... Serial No. ....  
Rank..... Organization .....

25. Was identification disk found on grave marker?..... On body?.....

Signature of Junior Technical Assistant.

(The following space is reserved for notations to be made by office Chief Graves Registration Service.)

Ref. Cable No. 209

PREPARATION

- 26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disk or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).....
- 27. Condition of body.....
- 28. Nature of burial.....
- 29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G. R. S. records quoted above? .....
- 30. Body prepared and placed in casket..... (Date.) By.....
- 31. Casket sealed by .....

Signature of Embalmer (Supervisor).....

SHIPMENT (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. 27987

- 32. Designation of body { Name BENAVIDEZ, Moses Serial No. 1627272  
Rank Pvt. Organization Co. H, 110th Inf.
- 33. CONSIGNEE—Name Felipe Benavidez  
Address Walsenburg, Colo. (Exp. & Tel. Off. Walsenburg, Colo.)
- 34. Casket boxed and marked..... (Date.) By.....

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.....

36. Remarks.....

37. Shipped from cemetery..... (Date.) To..... (Point of concentration.)  
Convoyer..... Signature Shipping Officer.....

38. Received at point of concentration..... (Date.)  
Signature Receiving Officer.....

39. Shipped from point of concentration..... (Date.)  
To..... (Port.) Convoyer.....  
Signature Shipping Officer.....

40. Received European port..... (Date.)  
Signature of G. R. S. Representative.....

41. Shipped to..... (U. S. port.) On..... (Boat.)  
Date..... Convoyer..... (Signature of Shipping Officer.)

42. Received..... (Date.) By G. R. S. Representative..... (Signature.)

43. Shipped to destination..... (Date.) { B/L or Express Order No.  
Convoyer..... { Shipping Officer.....

In reply refer to:  
293.8 C-R #14272

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

October 23, 1922.

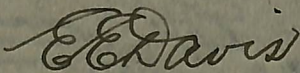
SUBJECT: Dental Chart.

TO: Mr. Felipe Benavidez, Walsenburg, Colo.

1. Referring to the case of your late son, Private Moses Benavidez, Company H, 110th Infantry, it is regretted to have to advise you that upon disinterment, the remains in the grave marked as that of your son, were found to be those of another soldier. It has, therefore, become necessary to institute a detailed investigation for the purpose of locating the remains of this late soldier. In order to assist in this investigation, it is requested that, if possible, you secure from a local dentist and forward to this office a chart showing all dental treatment, such as fillings, crowns, bridges, extractions, etc., performed for the deceased prior to his entry into the Service. With this information, together with data on file, the Department will endeavor to establish the identification of the remains of this deceased soldier.

2. Please use the enclosed envelope, which requires no postage, for your reply and be assured that this information will be appreciated by this office.

For the Quartermaster General:

  
E. E. DAVIS,  
Executive Assistant, G.R.S.

1 encl.  
envelope.

Denvecc 20th, 1922

Mr E.E. Devis  
Executive Assistant.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 23d, in regard to the identification of the late moses Benavides will say that up to the time of his enlistment, he had no dental treatment of any nature,

Yours Truly.

*Felipe Benavidez*

1403 Summit St

denver color

*Benavidez,  
Moses*

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., O. O. M. G.  
File # - 2938  
14272

In reply refer to:  
293.8 C-R #14272

*File*

Dec. 15, 1922.

SUBJECT: Identification.

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

1. It is the decision of this office that the body reburied in Grave 22, Plot 1, Section B, Ctry. 608, is that of Private Moses Benavides, #1527272, Co. H, 110th Infantry, and the records of your office should be adjusted accordingly.

2. The body of this soldier is to remain buried in France; Cemetery No. 608, Cable Reference No. 209.

By order of the Quartermaster General:

H. J. CONNER,  
Assistant.

LN  
ACK

MAILED

DEC 16 1922

G. R. S.

In reply refer to:  
293.8 C-R #14272

Dec. 15, 1922. *File*

Mr. Felipe Benavidez,  
1403 Umetilln St.,  
Denver, Colorado.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that receipt be acknowledged of your letter of December 11, 1922, wherein you request that the remains of your late son, Private Moses Benavidez, Co.H, 110th Infantry, remain permanently buried in France. You are advised that instructions will be issued that your wishes be complied with.

This office is gratified that you have confided the mortal remains of this late soldier to his Country's care. In the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery at Seringes-et-Nesles, Department of Aisne, France, he will rest with thousands of his comrades, forever under the flag of defense of which he gave his young life.

Very truly yours,

H.J. CONNER,  
Assistant.

MAILED

DEC 16 1922

G.R.S.

LN  
HCA

In reply refer to:  
293.8 C-R #14272

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

Dec. 1, 1922.

Mr. Felipe Benavidez,  
1403 Umetilln St.,  
Denver, Colorado.


Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be advised that the investigation conducted with a view towards establishing the identity of the remains of your late son, Private Moses Benavidez, Company H, 110th Infantry, has been successfully concluded and the records show that the body is now buried in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery at Seringes-et-Nesles, Department of Aisne, France.

There is on file a request made by you sometime ago, to the effect that you desire the remains returned to this country for burial in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va. Kindly advise this office as soon as possible, whether this is still your wish. In the event you do not now desire the remains returned, they will rest permanently in the above named cemetery, where you are assured the grave will be marked by an appropriate headstone and will be perpetually maintained by this Government in the most careful and reverent manner.

There is inclosed herewith envelope, which requires no postage and may be used for your reply.

Very truly yours,

  
E. J. CONNER,  
Assistant.

1 incl.  
envelope.

denver colo 12/14/22

I have made my mind to let  
the remains of my late son private Morde  
Benavidez, Rest just where they are

yours truly  
Felipe Benavidez



RECEIVED  
GRAVE REGISTRATION SER.



DEC 14 1922

Benavidez, Morde

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., O. Q. M. G.  
File # 1738  
12-17-22

In reply refer to:  
293.8 C-R #14272

*File*

Dec. 1, 1922.

Mr. Felipe Benavidez,  
1403 Umetillin St.,  
Denver, Colorado.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be advised that the investigation conducted with a view towards establishing the identity of the remains of your late son, Private Moses Benavidez, Company H, 110th Infantry, has been successfully concluded and the records show that the body is now buried in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery at Seringes-et-Nesles, Department of Aisne, France.

There is on file a request made by you sometime ago, to the effect that you desire the remains returned to this country for burial in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va. Kindly advise this office as soon as possible, whether this is still your wish. In the event you do not now desire the remains returned, they will rest permanently in the above named cemetery, where you are assured the grave will be marked by an appropriate headstone and will be perpetually maintained by this Government in the most careful and reverent manner.

There is inclosed herewith envelope, which requires no postage and may be used for your reply.

Very truly yours,

H. J. CONNER,  
Assistant.

MAILED

DEC 2 1922

G. R. S. LN HCH

1 incl.  
envelope.

*Suspend to 12/22/22*

November 23, 1922.

14272

Benavidez, Moses, Pvt.  
Pvt. Co. H, 110th Inf.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that Europe be advised of the identity of the above named deceased soldier reburied in grave 22, plot 1, Section R, Cty, 608. This body is to be returned to the U. S. according to the A. G. O. card.

H B Cairns  
H. B. Cairns,  
Investigator.

*Sumo*  
*11/27/22*

*note: will write Europe upon receipt of advice from father regarding remains.*

IDENTIFICATION OF INION

O P I N I O N

November 17, 1922

CASE OF Benavidez, Moses, Pvt. Co. H. 110th Inf. Serial 1627272

GRAVE 59 Plot 2, Section F, Cty 608. (30,000 Gr. 22 Pl. 1 Sec R. Cty 608.)

DECISION That the remains in this grave are those of the above named deceased soldier.

DENTAL CHART

Date of Enlistment		Report on Disinterment			
A.G.O.		Emergency Address		Miss A.D	
Missing	Dental Work	Dental Work	Missing B.D.	Dental Work	Miss A.D
U.R.					#8
U.L.	NONE MISSING	NO Dental Work	#9	#12, 13	
L.R.				M-I-S-S-I-N-G	
L.L.				M-I-S-S-I-N-G	

Above discrepancies can be accounted for as follows; Tooth #9 may have been extracted after enlistment.

BODY DESCRIPTION

A.G.O. Report	E/A Report	Report on Disinterment
Height		IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE
Weight		
Hair		
Fractures		

IDENTIFICATION TAGS

Found on Body	Found on Cross
No.	No.

OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS

Found on Body Cpl. chevrons found on body.

ORIGINAL BURIAL DATA

Body in this Grave concentrated from grave 31, Cty. 563. This man reported buried originally reburied grave 30, Cty 563. Organizations of other men buried around original location

A. G. O card Return to U. S.

HB Cairns Investigator

Concur: Sm Wheeler

APPROVED: J. G. ...

over

Form 1-A 9549 reported Benavidez in Cty. 563 grave 30, Nathan C. Woomer  
in grave 31. Either at time of concentration into Cty. 563 or 608  
it is my opinion these two bodies were buried each under the others  
grave marker. Woomer was identified under the marker of Benavidez  
in grave 51, Section R, plot 1, Cty. 608.

Searchers report states Benavidez was struck through the top  
of his head and killed. The remains under the marker of Woomer in  
grave 59, Section F, Plot 2, Cty. 608 shows a bullet hole upper center  
of forehead and lower jaw is missing therefore it is evident that this is  
the remains of Benavidez.

H. B. Cairns,  
Investigator.

CASE OF November 17,  
GRAVE Benavidez, Moses, Pvt. Co. H, 110th Inf. Serial 1627272  
DECISION 59 Plot 2, Section F, Cty 608. (30.000 Gr. 22 Pl. 1 Sec. R. Cty 608)

That the remains in this grave are those of the above named deceased soldier.

DENTAL CHART

Date of Enlistment		Report on Disinterment			
A.G.O.	Emergency Address	Missing B.D.	Dental Work	Miss A.D.	
Missing	Dental Work	Dental Work			
U.R.					#8
U.L.					
L.R.	NONE MISSING	Dental Work	#9	#12, 13	
L.L.					

Above discrepancies can be accounted for as follows: **MISSING**  
Tooth #9 may have been extracted after enlistment.

BODY DESCRIPTION

A.G.O. Report	E/A Report	Report on Disinterment
Height		
Weight		
Hair		IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE
Fractures		

IDENTIFICATION TAGS

Found on Body Found on Cross

No OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS No  
Found on Body

Opl. chevrons found on body.

ORIGINAL BURIAL DATA

Body in this Grave concentrated from  
This man reported buried originally grave 31, Cty. 563.  
Organizations of other men buried around reburied grave 30, Cty. 563.

H.B. Carns  
Investigator

A. G. O card Return to U. S.  
Concur:

APPROVED:

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*

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H. B. Cairns,  
Investigator.

In reply refer to:  
293.8 C-R #14272

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

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File

Nov. 2, 1922.

Mr. Felipe Benavidez,  
Walsenburg, Colorado.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desired that receipt be acknowledged of your letter of October 28th 1922, relative to the case of your late son, Private Moses Benavidez, Co.H, 110th Infantry. The information contained therein is appreciated by the Department.

Very truly yours,

J

E. E. DAVIS,  
Executive Assistant, G.R.S.

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MAILED

NOV - 2 1922

G.R.S.

In reply refer to:  
293.8 C-R #14272

*File*

October 23, 1922.

SUBJECT: Dental Chart.

TO: Mr. Felipe Benavidez, Walsenburg, Colo.

1. Referring to the case of your late son, Private Moses Benavidez, Company H, 110th Infantry, it is regretted to have to advise you that upon disinterment, the remains in the grave marked as that of your son, were found to be those of another soldier. It has, therefore, become necessary to institute a detailed investigation for the purpose of locating the remains of this late soldier. In order to assist in this investigation, it is requested that, if possible, you secure from a local dentist and forward to this office a chart showing all dental treatment, such as fillings, crowns, bridges, extractions, etc., performed for the deceased prior to his entry into the Service. With this information, together with data on file, the Department will endeavor to establish the identification of the remains of this deceased soldier.

2. Please use the enclosed envelope, which requires no postage, for your reply and be assured that this information will be appreciated by this office.

For the Quartermaster General:

*Suspend to 11/23/22*

*D*

E. E. DAVIS,  
Executive Assistant, G.R.S.

DS  
HCH

1 encl.  
envelope.

MAILED

OCT 23 1922

G.R.S.

October 14, 1922.

Benavidez, Moses, 1627272,  
Pvt. Co. H, 110th Inf.

Recommendation:

That a dental chart be requested of the E. A.

H. B. Cairns,  
Investigator.

*HBC*

*by J. J. Jones*

*see 608  
unknown Rouches,  
Aid 9531*

*D 9549  
D 20570*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

File No. 14272 Registration.

Date

10-13-22

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., 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. Benavides

f. Date of death.

7-29-18

b. Christian name. Moses

g. Cause of death.

11/A

c. Serial number. 1627272

h. Authority (C. C. No.)

d. Organization. Co H 110th Inf.

i. Emergency address.

e. Rank. Pvt

j. Relationship.

**BODY DESCRIPTION.**

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

a. Age at 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.)

**DENTAL CHARTS.**

(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.

all O.K. both A.S.O. + local board Per telephone consultation A.S.O. 10-13-22

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

By

H. J. CONNER,  
Captain, Q. M. C.

HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN ARMY REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C., IN EUROPE  
8. AVENUE D'IENA, PARIS

File No. 14272

May 3rd, 1922

From: Chief,

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

Subject: Acknowledgment of Correspondence.

Receipt this date is acknowledged of the following  
correspondence from your office:

Letter )  
dated: April 14, 1922

~~Indorsement~~ )

File No. 334 C. R. Cty.#608

Subject: Board of Review cases on which identity could not be determined.

Name: Pvt.Moses Benavidez ✓  
Pvt.Nathan C.Woomer  
etc...

sl.-



H. F. RETHERS,  
Colonel, Q.M.C.

Mr. Houghton:

Please file intact:

REPORT TO EUROPE

       on Board of Review Cases

Cty. No. 608-289 shows grave location of this  
soldier is unknown.

F. E. BOLAND.

Per

*RB*

*2/7/22*

*14272*  
**FILE**

SUBSEND TO May 15, 1922

Return to Mr. Houghton for consideration  
as to sending notification to relatives  
if body is not discovered during final  
concentration activities.

*Miss Leeds.*

FILE UNDER NO.

14272, Benavidez, Moses

## INDEX SHEET

### SYNOPSIS

See Board of Review letter dated 7/29/21 and reply thereto.  
The letter referred to above, which is held in this Department pending completion of its cases, will be filed in File #300.4, Board of Review, Cty. 608.

*DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.*

ECC

INSTRUCTIONS.—Under "Synopsis" make brief entry showing date of communication and from whom received and synopsis sufficient to identify the papers. When these index sheets become numerous under a subject they will be entered on the consolidated index sheet and then destroyed.

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FILE UNDER NO.

(Benavidez, Moses.) - File # 14272

## INDEX SHEET

### SYNOPSIS

See City Court records on #608

Gr. # 51, Sect 17, Plot 2

Gr # 59, Sect 4, Plot 2.

(11-4/21) Doc

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.

INSTRUCTIONS.—Under "Synopsis" make brief entry showing date of communication and from whom received and synopsis sufficient to identify the papers. When these index sheets become numerous under a subject they will be entered on the consolidated index sheet and then destroyed.

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HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C. IN EUROPE  
8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris.

July 11, 1921.

The Board met pursuant to the foregoing order at 2.00: P.M. this date.

PRESENT : All the members with the exception of Major G.F. Waugh, Inf.  
on D.S.

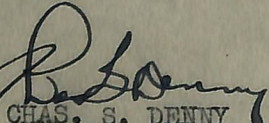
The case of Private Moses BENAVIDEZ, 1627272, Co. H, 110th Infantry, supposed to be buried in Grave #51, Section R, Plot #1, Cemetery #608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne) and whose body was not found, was investigated by the Board and the following documentary evidence considered: GRS Form #114; GRS Form #16-A, and Drawing showing relative position of graves in this row.

CONCLUSION : In Grave #51, under the marker of Pvt. Moses Benavidez, Co.H. 110th Infantry, was identified the body of Nathan C. Woomer, supposed to be buried in Grave #59, Section F, Plot #2. The body of Pvt. Benavidez was not found.

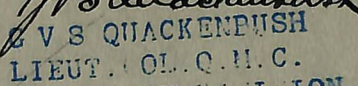
In Grave #59, Section F, Plot #2, under the marker of Nathan C. Woomer, a body was found bearing no means of identification and was reburied as Unknown S.60.

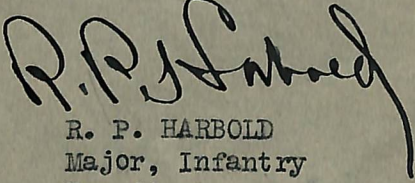
In view of the foregoing, the Board is of the opinion that a transposition might have existed between these two graves and concludes that the body exhumed from Grave #59, Section F, Plot #2, and reburied as Unknown S.60. might be that of Pvt. Benavidez, but that identity in this case cannot be safely assumed without more thorough comparison of original burial records.

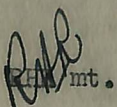
RECOMMENDATION : The Board recommends that this case be referred to the Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C. for decision.

  
CHAS. S. DENNY  
1st Lieut. C.A.C.  
Recorder

APPROVED

  
E. V. S. QUACKENBUSH  
LIEUT. COL. Q.M.C.  
OPERATION DIVISION.

  
R. P. HARBOLD  
Major, Infantry  
President

  
mt.

OPINION

Oct. 28, 1921

CASE OF Benavidaz, Moses, 1627272, Pvt., Co. H., 110th Infantry.

GRAVE #59, Sect. F, Plot 2, Amer. Cty. #608, Saringes at Nesles, Aisne.

DECISION ~~That Pvt. Benavidaz is not buried in this grave~~ *Insufficient*

*Data to identify*

DENTAL CHART

Date of Enlistment			Report on Disinterment		
A.G.O.		Emergency Address			
Missing	Dental Work	Dental Work	Missing B.D.	Dental Work	Miss A.D.
U.R.					#1
U.L.			#1	#4 Cavity #5 Decayed	
M O N E M I S S I N G					
L.R.					
M I S S I N G					
L.L.					

Above discrepancies can not be accounted for as follows: #1. UL MBD

BODY DESCRIPTION

A.G.O. Report	E/A Report	Report on Disinterment		
Height 5 ft 5 in.		Impossible to determine		
Weight 146 Lbs.		"	"	"
Hair Brown		"	"	"
Fractures None		"	"	"

IDENTIFICATION TAGS

Found on Body

Found on Cross

No

No

OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS

Found on Body

Cpl. chevrons found on body. Bullet hole upper centra of forehead.

ORIGINAL BURIAL DATA

Body in this Grave concentrated from Gr. #31, Amer. BA Cty. #563, Roncheres, Aisne  
This man reported buried originally

Organizations of other men buried around original location

This body can probably be identified at a later date by process of elimination.

Concur:

*Smwheeler*

*Dorothy E. Caldwell*  
Dorothy E. Caldwell  
Investigator

APPROVED:

*Donald R. Good*

*In and Adj.*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

*Special*

Date *10/8/21*  
~~9/19/21~~

File No. Registration.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., 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. *Benavidez* *f.* Date of death. *July 29/18.*
- b.* Christian name. *Moses* *g.* Cause of death. *K. I. a.*
- c.* Serial number. *16 27272* *h.* Authority (C. C. No.) *243.*
- d.* Organization. *Co H, 110th Inf.* *i.* Emergency address. *P. Benavidez (71*
- e.* Rank. *Pvt.* *j.* Relationship. *Father, Walsenburg, Colo.*

**BODY DESCRIPTION.**

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

- a.* Age at enlistment. *17 yrs 6 mo.*
- b.* Color of eyes. *Brown.*
- c.* Color of hair. *Brown.*
- d.* Height. *5-5 in.*
- e.* Weight. *146 lbs.*

**DENTAL CHARTS.**

(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 | <i>None missing</i> |
| Upper right     | Upper left.     |                     |
| 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 | <i>missing</i>      |
| Lower right.    | Lower left.     |                     |

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

*None shown.*

*Caldwell*

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

By

*H. J. Conner*

H. J. CONNER,  
Captain, Q. M. C.

World War Division

001 11 1921

*Donnelly M.F. 1st Lt.*  
*EP Sec. 10/11-21.*

FIELD RECORD

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

CONFIRMED

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Benavidz... 1627272... Moses...  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private... Co. ....  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Approximately Aug. 5/18.  
Reburied Battlefield Cemetery 8/20/18

PLACE OF BURIAL Battlefield Cemetery on Hill 230.

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

Fere-en-Tardenois Map 1:20000 approximately center of square bounded by co-ordinates 269-270 198-199. About 1 kilometer northwest of Roncheres, France. 1/4 kilometer southwest of Bois des Grimpettes.

GRAVE NUMBER... 30.

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?  Cross?  Yes

CMME. Roncheres (C-4) SHT. Headstone?  Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS: 33 SECOORD E. 198.52 3

Was one buried with body? Yes N. 269.58 8

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Yes Map 33 SF

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

Killed in action.

Field sketch No. 3-Wynne.

Charles J. Wynne

REPORTED BY: Charles J. Wynne.  
2nd Lt. Inf. U.S.A. Com'd'g.  
Group #1-Unit 304-Graves Reg. Ser.  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)  
(Sgt. Johnson)

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

21 SEP Reg

G.R.S. Form No. 8; Central Records Liaison.  
 Memo For: G.R.S. representative, C.R.O.  
 SUBJECT: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

( ) Surname: **BENAVIDEZ**  
 ( ) Number: **1627272**  
 ( ) First name: **Moses**  
 ( ) Rank: **Private**  
 ( ) Company: **"H"**  
 ( ) Organization: **110th. Infantry**  
 ( ) Date of death:  
 ( ) Cause:  
 ( ) Place:

Location of hospital:

Number " "  
 Class " "  
 (✓) Relative: **Mr. Philipp Benavidez**  
 (✓) Relationship: **Father**  
 (✓) Address: **Farr, Colo.**

( ) Authority:  
 Cablegram No:  
 Telegram from:

dated:

( ) Reported to Washington:  
 C.C. Nos:

( ) (Underscore the "official" C.C.)

( ) Remarks:  
 ( ) Show present status on reverse side.

CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
 Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

Initials of Reporter:

14272

WAR DEPARTMENT  
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army  
Washington.

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0

Information requested of A.G.O.

Date Dec. 13, 1920

File No.

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

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

Subject: Information desired for G.R.S.

*Special*  
*Adjustment Made*  
*DEC 20 1920*  
*File No. 14772*

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

- a. Surname *OK* Benavidez ~~or Benanides~~ f. Date of death 7-29-18 *OK*
- b. Christian name *OK* Moses *OK* g. Cause of death *K/A OK*
- M-* c. Serial Number 1627272 *OK* h. Authority (C.C.#)
- d. Organization Co. H. 110th Inf. i. Emergency address
- e. Rank *OK* Pvt. *OK* j. Relationship

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)

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

	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							

**FILE**

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

BY: *H. J. Conroy*  
H. J. CONROY,  
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C. *N*

CEMETERY NO: 608

SHEET NO: 209

TYPED BY: FFD

8-713/13

*Douilly - ass*  
*Ent Pers Sec*  
*8310 - 12-14-20*

Rec'd World War Div.  
Date.....  
*12 14 20*

14272

C° H. 110th Inf.  
28th Div.

BENOVIEDEZ, Moses, Pvt I627272

BENAVIEZ, MOSES

Date : July 30th 1918.

Place: Courmont Hill.

Time : 9.00 AM.

I was sent by Lt Ferguson of C° H. 110th Inf. to this man who was wounded and moaning. I could get to him. He was hit through the top of his head and killed instantly.

Informant : Coyle, John F. Pvt I239040  
C° H. 110 Inf.

Home : ?..

Searcher : Braden, A.G. 1st Lt.

HC

Name: **BENAVIDEZ, Moses** (1627272)

File No.:

Rank and Organization: **Pvt., Co.H., 110th.Inf.**

DD - 7/29/18

CD - K/A

Next of kin: **Mr. Felipe Benavidez, (father)**  
**Walsenburg, Colo.**

Transport:

Ship remains to:

Street and No.:

City:

Telegram sent:

ROUTING

SHIPPED

Attendant:

Train No.:

Time:

Date:

Station:

T. R. No. -----

----- Days rations.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
QUARTERMASTER CORPS  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
Pier 2, Hoboken, N. J.

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File 293.8

Correspondence Branch

MEMORANDUM For Cemeterial Branch, O. Q. M. G., Washington, D. C.

FROM: CEMETERIAL DIVISION, Graves Registration Service.

SUBJECT: National Cemetery Consignment.

- (1) NAME BENAVIDEZ, Moses SERIAL 1627272
- (2) RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. H., 110th. Inf.
- (3) SINGLE Yes MARRIED \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) DATE OF DEATH 7/29/18 CAUSE K/A
- (5) BURIAL PLACE IN EUROPE CEMETERY NO. 608 COUNTRY France
- (6) NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY Amer, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne
- (7) GRAVE NO. 51 ROW - PLOT 1 SECTION R
- (8) TO BE CONSIGNED TO U. S. NATIONAL CEMETERY Arlington,
- (9) AT Arlington, Va.
- (10) NEXT OF KIN AND ADDRESS Mr. Felipe Benavidez, FATHER  
Walsenburg, Colo.

608 - 209 mh

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

By: *J. Butler*  
J. F. Butler,  
Capt. Inf. *Tom*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
QUARTERMASTER CORPS  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
Pier 2, Hoboken, N. J.

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File 295.8

Correspondence Branch

MEMORANDUM For Cemeterial Branch, O. Q. M. G., Washington, D. C.

FROM: CEMETERIAL DIVISION, Graves Registration Service.

SUBJECT: National Cemetery Consignment.

- (1) NAME BENAVIDEZ, Moses SERIAL 1627272
- (2) RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. H., 110th. Inf.
- (3) SINGLE Yes MARRIED -----
- (4) DATE OF DEATH 7/29/18 CAUSE K/A
- (5) BURIAL PLACE IN EUROPE CEMETERY NO. 608 COUNTRY France
- (6) NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY Amer, Seringes-et-Neales, Aisne
- (7) GRAVE NO. 51 ROW ----- PLOT 1 SECTION R
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- (9) AT Arlington, Va.
- (10) NEXT OF KIN AND ADDRESS Mr. Felipe Benavides, FATHER  
Walsenburg, Colo.

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

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By:

J. F. Butler,

Capt. Inf.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
QUARTERMASTER CORPS  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
Pier 2, Hoboken, N. J.

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Correspondence Branch

MEMORANDUM For Cemeterial Branch, O. Q. M. G., Washington, D. C.

FROM: CEMETERIAL DIVISION, Graves Registration Service.

SUBJECT: National Cemetery Consignment.

(1) NAME BENAVIDES, Jesus SERIAL 1627272

(2) RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. H., 110th. Inf.

(3) SINGLE Yes MARRIED \_\_\_\_\_

(4) DATE OF DEATH 7/19/18 CAUSE K/A

(5) BURIAL PLACE IN EUROPE CEMETERY NO. 008 COUNTRY France

(6) NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY Amer. Springs-et-Neales, Alamo

(7) GRAVE NO. 51 ROW - PLOT 1 SECTION 2

(8) TO BE CONSIGNED TO U. S. NATIONAL CEMETERY Arlington,

(9) AT Arlington, Va.

(10) NEXT OF KIN AND ADDRESS Mr. Felipe Benavides, RELATION father  
Salisbury, Colo.

R. E. SHANNON,  
Captain, Q. M. C.

J. F. Butler,  
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**H. L. ROGERS**  
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, U. S. A.

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I certify that the following telegram is on OFFICIAL BUSINESS and necessary for the public service.

*J. F. Butler*

GOVERNMENT PAID (see note on back).

J. F. Butler, Capt. Inf.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Place Hoboken, N.J. Date \_\_\_\_\_, 192

To Mr. Felipe Benavidez,

Walsenburg, Colo.

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**GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE**

**If you desire to attend funeral  
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\* Note—All telegraph accounts pertaining to the War Department, except as may be otherwise directed, originating in the United States which are payable from funds of the Quartermaster Corps, will be paid in Washington, D. C. under the instructions of the Quartermaster General. (A. R. 1180, 1913.)

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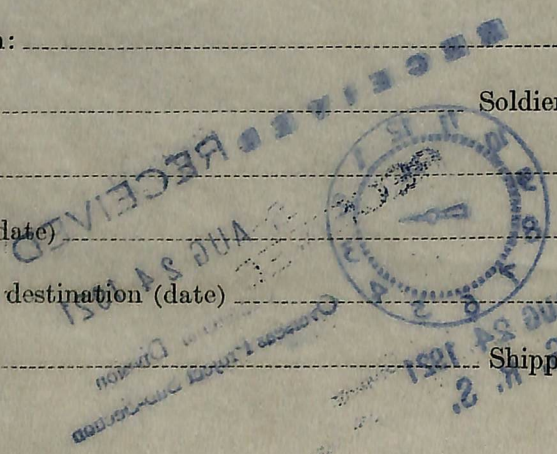
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Pier 2, Hoboken, N. J.

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Correspondence Branch

MEMORANDUM For Cemeterial Branch, O. Q. M. G., Washington, D. C.

FROM: CEMETERIAL DIVISION, Graves Registration Service.

SUBJECT: National Cemetery Consignment.

- (1) NAME BENAVIDES, Moses SERIAL 1527272
- (2) RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. H, 119th. Inf.
- (3) SINGLE Yes MARRIED \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) DATE OF DEATH 7/29/18 CAUSE K/A
- (5) BURIAL PLACE IN EUROPE CEMETERY NO. 008 COUNTRY France
- (6) NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY Amer. Spring-et-Maclos, Alais
- (7) GRAVE NO. 51 ROW \_\_\_\_\_ PLOT 1 SECTION B
- (8) TO BE CONSIGNED TO U. S. NATIONAL CEMETERY Arlington.
- (9) AT Arlington, Va.
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Walsenburg, Colo.

R. E. SHANNON,  
Captain, O. M. C.

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**Capt. Inf.**

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**Co. H., 110th. Inf.**

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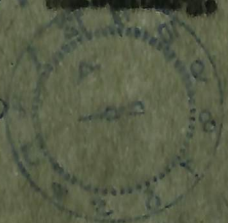
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- (2) RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. E., 110th. Inf.
- (3) SINGLE Yes MARRIED \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) DATE OF DEATH 7/27/18 CAUSE 1/2
- (5) BURIAL PLACE IN EUROPE CEMETERY NO. 008 COUNTRY France
- (6) NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY Amer. Spring-et-et-Nelson, Aisne
- (7) GRAVE NO. 15 ROW - PLOT 1 SECTION 2
- (8) TO BE CONSIGNED TO U. S. NATIONAL CEMETERY Arlington,
- (9) AT Arlington, Va.
- (10) NEXT OF KIN AND ADDRESS Mr. Felix Shannon, 1215 E. 1st St., Denver, Colo. RELATION FATHER

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**R. E. SHANNON,**  
Captain, Q. M. C.

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June 3rd, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Gen.Div.Cor.Br.  
(BENAVIDEZ, Moses )

Mr. Felipe Benavidez,  
Walsenburg, Colorado.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt of your telegram of recent date relative to the disposition of remains of your son, the late Moses Benavidez, Private, Serial Number 1627272, Co. H, 110th Infantry is hereby acknowledged.

In accordance with your desire, the body will be returned to the United States and interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia, and the grave location therein furnished you after interment.

It is regretted that no definite advice can be given at this time regarding the date of return of the remains, but you will be furnished telegraphic notice approximately ten days in advance of the arrival of the body at this port and notice will also be furnish you of the funeral at Arlington in ample time to permit of your attendance.

The Department desires to convey to you renewed assurance of sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. B. SHANNON,  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps.  
Officer in charge.

J. F. BUTLER,  
Captain, Infantry.  
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J F BUTLER CAPTAIN INFANTRY

HOBOKEN NEW JERSEY

MAY 6th, 1921.

MR. FELIPPE BENAVIDEZ  
WALSENBURG,  
COLORADO.

IS LATE PRIVATE ~~WIDOWS~~ BENAVIDEZ SERIAL NUMBER ONE-SIX-TWO-SEVEN-TWO-SEVEN-TWO SURVIVED BY WIDOW OR CHILDREN IF SO FURNISH NAMES AND ADDRESSES IF NOT STATE SPECIFICALLY THAT NONE ARE LIVING ALSO WHETHER YOU WISH BODY SHIPPED YOU UPON ARRIVAL UNITED STATES OR INTERRED NATIONAL CEMETERY ARLINGTON VIRGINIA. CR-470  
WIRE GOVERNMENT EXPENSE. ←

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
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*[Signature]*

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THE LATE PRIVATE MOSES BENAVIDEZ SERIAL NUMBER ONE SIX TWO SEVEN TWO SEVEN WAS UNMARRIED SURVIVED BY FATHER TWO BROTHERS AND ONE SISTER WE WISH THE BODY TO BE INTERRED IN NATIONAL CEMETARY ARLINGTON HIS FATHER

FELIPPE BENAVIDEZ.

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April 8th, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem. Div. Cor. Br.  
(Benavidez, Moses)

Mr. Felipe Benavidez,  
Walsenburg, Colo.

Dear Sir:

Kindly advise this office at your earliest convenience whether or not the late Moses Benavidez, Private, Serial No. 1627272, Co. H, 110th Infantry, is survived by widow or children, and if so, please furnish their names and addresses.

This information is necessary in order that the Department may be assured that the legal next of kin of the late soldier may have an opportunity of expressing his or her wishes relative to the disposition of the remains.

If the late soldier is not survived by any of the above mentioned relatives, please state this fact, and also whether you desire the body left in France and buried in a permanent American Cemetery, returned to the United States and delivered to you, or interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va.

The Department wishes to convey to you renewed assurance of its sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

BY:

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J. F. BUTLER,  
Captain, Infantry.

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Quartermaster General

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**WAR DEPARTMENT**  
**OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY**  
**CEMETERIAL DIVISION**  
**WASHINGTON**  
**Hoboken, N.J.**

JAN 31 1921

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

To: Mr. Felipe Benandez, Walsenburg, Colo.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Moses Benavidez, Ser. No. 1627272, Co. H, 110th Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named ~~soldier~~  
~~be returned to the United States and delivered to you at Walsenburg, Colo.~~

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

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

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

Was soldier married? \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow _____			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1 _____		
	2 _____		
	3 _____		
Father _____			
Mother _____			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1 _____		
	2 _____		
	3 _____		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1 _____		
	2 _____		
	3 _____		

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT.—CAREFULLY** read instructions before filling out this paper.

CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTION

FILE

11/7 1921

MEMO FOR:  
Cards Department.

1.  
CASE OF:

Co. H, 110th Inf.  
ORGANIZATION (Old)  
Benavidez, Moses  
(Name)

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.	G.L. as previously reported is erroneous.		Records have
1st Reb.	been adjusted to show no G.L. for this soldier.		D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

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

BY: Ethel G. Gawley

Inv. & Adj.

(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card:

By A.B.  
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