

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

1. NAME BERRY, George L. SERIAL No. 4235712

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. B, 548th Labor Bn.  
& DIVISION not shown.

GRAVE LOCATION American Cty., Chateauroux, Indre. 31  
CTY. NAME NUMBER

136

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 136 Chateauroux Indre  
As shown on AGRS Form 1-A dated 11/12/20 GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Not given

CONCENTRATED TO None of record  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

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 Nothing of record December 29, 1918.

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME North Carolina.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none shown.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS None of record  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Stanley J. Grogan  
STANLEY J. GROGAN, Captain, Infantry.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION June 9th 1922 17 15 Block A  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

St. Mihiel American No. 1233, Thiaucourt  
CEMETERY

AUDITED BY  
MAY 9 1925  
The Adjutant General  
MAY 9 1925

World War Div  
MAY 9 1925

# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

*Berry* 4235772 *George*  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

*Private* *O.B.* 348 *Salv. Div.*  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *December 31, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL *Chateauxoux*

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

*O.F. Cemetery no 31*

*Chateauxoux, Indre*

*Official map*

GRAVE NUMBER *136*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *Yes* Cross? *Yes*

Headboard? ..... Bottle? *Yes*

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:

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REPORTED BY:

*R.S. Brown, Captain*  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Berry	3	2 5 <sup>0</sup> 8
BURIED	George E.		
	CEMETERY 1233	1	3
	GRAVE 17	2	17
	ROW 15'	2	15'
	BLOCK A	1	1
STATE	NC	2	38
RANK	Pvt	1	2
DIVISION	QMC	2	57
ORGANIZATION	348	3	348
ARM	Lab Bn	1	1
MARITAL	Father no	1	2
NAME	Berry	3	2 5 8
RESIDENCE	Mr. John	2	31
	Rt # 11, Box # 66	2	65
	C. Wilmington, N.C.	3	153
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Head	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
	29/514/		

**AUDITED**

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*File*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Berry, George E. 1233 F

July 7, 1930

7/8/30

Mr. John Berry  
R. #1, Box 66  
E. Wilmington, N. C.

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.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

No Mother is dead

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

If so, give her name and address:

No  
No  
Never married  
No

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?

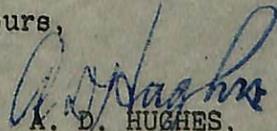
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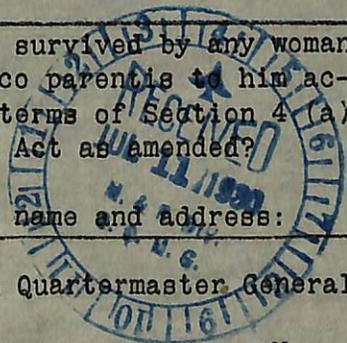
None

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:  
Envelope  
Act  
Amendment

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





WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Berry, George E.

September 16, 1929.

Mr. John W. Berry,  
R. F. D. #1, Box 66,  
East Wilmington, N. C.

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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.

4. Does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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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

August 28, 1929.

Berry, George E.  
1233

Mrs. Laura Anna Berry,  
R.F.D. #1, Box #66,  
East Wilmington, N.C.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated May 27, 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.

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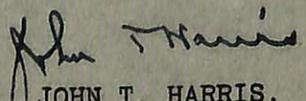
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For The Quartermaster General,

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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Berry, George E.

May 27, 1929.

Mrs. Laura Anna Berry,  
R.F.D. #1, Box #66,  
East Wilmington, N. C.

*(7)*  
*John W. Berry,*  
*R.F.D. #1*  
*Box 66*

*XC 117 915*  
*9-6*

Dear Madam:

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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 re-married it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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For The Quartermaster General,

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Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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For The Quartermaster General,

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

Berry,

(Surname.)

George E

(Christian name in full.)

4,235,712

(Army serial number)

Pvt

Co B 348 Labor Bn

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

*Mother*

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?

*yes*

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

*Mrs Laura, A. Berry,  
Wilmington N.C. R.F.D.#1. Box 66*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by J.W.

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2-18-21

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OSP SS.

2/19/21 E.S.

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Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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QM 293 A-C

April 16, 1924

BERRY, George E., Pvt.

Mr. John W. Berry,  
R.F.D. #1, Box 66,  
Wilmington, N. C.

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  
Assistant.

1-Incl.  
Record card.

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APR 16 1924

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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 17, 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BERRY, George E.  
 2. No. 4235712  
 3. Rank Pvt.  
 4. Org. Co. B. 348th Labor Bn.  
 5. D.D. Dec. 29 1918  
 6. C.D. Lobar Pneu.

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 136 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 17. none

18. Cemetery American Cemetery,

19. Commune or town Chateauroux,

20. Dept. or County Indre.

21. Country France.

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. INDX 31

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov. 17, 1921

By J.F. MEYER

24. Inscription on grave marker:

George R. Berry  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Pvt.  
 Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Organization Co. B, 348th. Lab Bn

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

P. L. de Montoya  
 Signature P. L. de Montoya 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).

~~XXXXXXXX~~ bottle record agrees form

27. Condition of body entirel decomposed

28. Nature of burial wooden box and no clothing.

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 Nov. 17, 1921 By J.F. MEYER

31. Casket sealed by J.F. MEYER

AUDITED BY  
252 9-8-21  
 Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) \_\_\_\_\_  
 mo.

Joseph F Meyer  
 J.F. MEYER

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-16652.

32. Designation of body:

Name George E. BERRY Serial No. 4285712

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B. 348th Labor Bn.

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Nov. 17, 1921 By J.F. MEYER

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 S.H. HUNSICKER  
S.H. HUNSICKER, 1st Lt. QMC

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

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

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

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

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

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Nov 30th 1921

To Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer Cty 1233 Thiaucourt (M et M)  
Convoyer R.E. Williams Signature Shipping Officer A.M. Jackson, Capt. CAC. (Name)

40. Received: Date 6 - DEC 1921

G.R.S. Representative F B Daniel, Capt. 2 MC.

41. Reinterred June 9th, 1922. (Date)

42. Grave No. 17 Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. Plot Block A. Row 15

G.R.S. Representative A. E. Dewey  
A. E. Dewey, 1st Lt. QMC.

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date November 17 1921

1. REMAINS OF Berry George E. SERIAL NUMBER 4235712  
RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co B 348th Labor Bn

2. Disinterred (date): November 17, 1921 From (give complete location): Gr. 136 Cemtery 31

By: Group 1 Unit Sec 5

3. Reburied (date): June 9th, 1922. In (give complete location): Gr 17. Row 15. Block A.

By: Group \_\_\_\_\_ Reburial Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Nature of Reburial Casket and shipping Case.

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

wooden box and without clothing

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

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

bottle record in grave agrees with form

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 black

Quantity small quantity

Characteristics kinky (negro)

(d) Hair on face—Color impossible to determine

Location -do

Quantity -do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) none visible

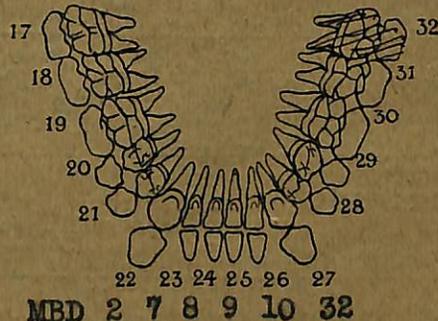
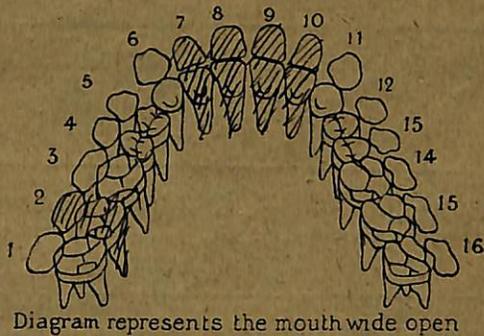
(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)

none visible

R L De Montoz on Checker WRM

7. Disinterment supervised by J F Meyer Approved: S H Hunsicker  
Supervising Emb. (Title) 1st Lieut QMC

8. Reburial supervised by H L Kramer Approved: A E Dewey  
Supervising Emb. (Title) 1st Lt. QMC



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

77979  
77979  
File #111011

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BERRY, George E. Ser. No. 4235712 )  
 (b) Rank Private Organization Co. B, 348th Labor Bn. ) TYP. HDP  
 (c) Date of death 12-29-18 (d) Cause of death Broncho Pneumonia ) CKR EmL

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

(a) Grave No. ----- Row ----- Plot ----- Sect. ----- ) TYP. ILH  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs Laura Ann Berry, (Mother), Route #1, Box #66, East  
Wilmington, N. C. ) CKR EmL

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases:

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Mrs. Laura A. Berry (b) Relationship Mother  
 (c) Address Wilmington, N.C. R.F.D. #1 Box 66  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? yes  
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at yes  
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U.S. ---

**SEE SUSPENSION REMARKS**

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

Examiner's Initials AB Date 5-17- 1920

V.

A.G.O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from Mrs Laura Ann Berry  
Wilmington, N.C., dated Jan. 10, 1919.  
 confirmed request in Par. IV. item ---, above, or requesting that  
Stating: If possible would like to  
have body.

Examiner's Initials MM Date 5-17- 1920

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

no request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Mrs. M. H. S.

Examiner's Initials MAS Date 5-17- 1920

*Rechecked E.M.  
2/19/21*

77979  
 3/13/22  
 for Concentration  
 at 3/29/22

VII. G. R. S. FORM No. 114 made May 19th, 1920

Typed by HJM

Checked by AD

May 19th 1920

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by- ( cable on 1 1920  
letter on May 25 1920

~~To be returned~~

*Loganair entrance  
5/19/20*

IX. CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE	ACTION TAKEN
Desires body be	
Body to be shipped to	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*7.6.22.20*

Telegram 6-17-20, from John W. Berry, Wilmington, N.C., father & nearest of kin, requests that body remain in Europe - 6-21-20 f.

*Overseas advised to leave body in France by proposed cable # 102 June 25-1920 MCB*

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

51-10

MAY 21 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.

TO: Mrs. Laura A. Berry, Wilmington, N. C. R. F. D. #1. Box 66

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. George E. Berry

*Rush Answer*  
*Telegram 6-17-20*  
*Father requests body remain in Europe.*

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

*Remain in Europe*

Shipped to- Quartermaster General,

Graves Registration Service, Hoboken, N. J.

Interred in- Arl. Nat. Cem. Arlington, Va.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

Noted on Form No. 115  
Date 6-21-20  
CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
Colonel, U.S. Army.

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	<i>Overseas advised to leave</i>		
<i>No Widow</i>	<i>No Children body in France by proposed cable #102</i>		
Soldier's Children	<i>Mr. John W. Berry 6-25-20</i>		
(Name oldest first)	<i>Mrs. Laura Ann Berry</i>		
Father	<i>Julius, Louis, John, and Arthur Berry</i>		
Mother	<i>Mary Nixon, Fannie Bayfield, Katty Jones, Laura Berry</i>		
Brothers	<i>Mrs. Laura A. Berry</i>		
(Name oldest first)	<i>Mother</i>		
Sisters			

Date 5/27/20

Signature Mrs. Laura A. Berry

Address Mrs. Laura A. Berry Relationship Mother

Note:- Instructions on the reverse side of this sheet should be carefully read before filling out this paper.

*The transfer of bodies will be made entirely at government expense.*



Dear Sir Since it has been so long  
it is my request for his body to  
remain where it is

Yours Truly  
Mrs L. A. Berg

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

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

CHARGE TO  
GOVERNMENT RATE

# WAR DEPARTMENT TELEGRAM

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

WASHINGTON

June 14, 1920.

John W. Berry,

R. F. D. #1, Box 66,

Wilmington, N. C.

Necessary that you as father of late Private George E. Berry  
state whether you desire body returned to United States and  
buried National Cemetery, shipped to you or remain in Europe. In this case  
no other than your wish is desired. Telegram signed by you  
necessary. Wire immediately, Government expense. **A-612-G**

ROGERS  
Quartermaster General

## NIGHT

OFFICIAL:

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

BY:

C. D. ANNIS,  
1st Lieut. Q.M. Corps,  
Chief, Overseas Project Sub-Section.

OSP:SS

Compl. Dept.

FILE NO: 293.3-Reg.Sec.Cem.Div. ( Berry, George E. )

*Handwritten signature in red ink*

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Day Message	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a day message. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

# WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM



CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Day Message	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a day message. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

RECEIVED AT COMMERCIAL NAT'L BANK BLDG., 14th & G STS., N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C. ALWAYS OPEN

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ROGERS QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WASHINGTON DC

I DESIRE THAT THE BODY OF LATE PRIVATE GEORGE E BERRY REMAIN WHERE IT IS

JOHN W BERRY.

RECEIVED

*Overseas advised to leave body in France by proposed cable #102, June 25, 1920*



JUN 17 1920  
G. K. S.

Noted on Form No. 115  
Date *6-21-20*

CHARGE TO  
GOVERNMENT RATE

# WAR DEPARTMENT TELEGRAM

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

WASHINGTON

June 14, 1920.

John W. Berry,

R. F. D. #1, Box 66,

Wilmington, N. C.

father

Private George E. Berry

Necessary that you as \_\_\_\_\_ of late \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ state whether you desire body returned to United States and  
buried National Cemetery, shipped to you or remain in Europe. In this case  
no other than \_\_\_\_\_ <sup>your</sup> wish is desired. Telegram signed by you  
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ROGERS  
Quartermaster General

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Chief, Cemeterial Division.

BY:

*CDM*  
C. D. ANNIS,  
1st Lieut. Q.M. Corps,  
Chief, Overseas Project Sub-Section.

OSP:SS

Compl. Dept.

FILE NO: 293.3-Reg.Sec.Cem.Div. (

Berry, George E. )

CHARGE TO  
GOVERNMENT RATE

# WAR DEPARTMENT TELEGRAM

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

WASHINGTON

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**one**

OSP:SS  
Compl. Dept.  
FILE NO: 293.3-Reg.Sec.Cem.Div. (Berry, George E. )



REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G.R.S.

Discrepancy found upon examination of body

1. Name BERRY, George E.  
 2. No. 4235712  
 3. Rank Pvt.  
 4. Org. Co. B. 348th Labor Bn.  
 5. D.D. 12/29/18  
 6. C.D. Broncho Pneumonia

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sect. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sect. \_\_\_\_\_  
 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 17. \_\_\_\_\_

18. Cemetery Amer. Cem.  
 19. (Commune or Town) Chateauroux  
 20. (Dept. or County) Indre.  
 21. (Country) France.  
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 31  
 23. Disinterred (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ By \_\_\_\_\_  
 24. Inscription (Name) \_\_\_\_\_ SERIAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 on \_\_\_\_\_ ORGANIZATION \_\_\_\_\_  
 Grave Marker (RANK) \_\_\_\_\_  
 25. Was Identification Disc 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)

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.....  
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.....

32. DESIGNATION (Name BERRY, George E. Serial No. 4235712  
OF (.....  
BODY (Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B. 348th Labor Bn.  
Quartermaster General, (Arl. Nat. Cem.) Arlington, Va.  
33. CONSIGNEE - Name.....  
Address Graves Registration Service, Hoboken, N. J.

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..... Sign. Shpg. Officer.....

38. Received at Point of concentration (Date).....

Sign. Receiving Officer.....

39. Shipped from Point of Concentration (Date).....

To (Port)..... Convoyer.....

Sign. Shipping Officer.....

40. Received European Port (Date).....

Signature of G.R.S. Representative.....

41. Shipped to (U.S. Port)..... On (Boat).....

(Sign. Shpg. Officer)

Date..... Convoyer.....

42. Received (Date)..... By G.R.S. Rep. ....

(Signature)

43. Shipped to destination (Date)..... )B/L or Express Order No. ....

Convoyer..... )Shpg. Officer.....

CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTION

**FILE**

March 2 1922

MEMO FOR:  
Cards Department.

1.  
CASE OF:

**FILE**

Co. B., 348th Lab. Bn.,  
ORGANIZATION (Old)

BERRY 4235712 George E., Pvt.,  
(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.		31	D- 50102
1st Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

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

BY: Miss Lannon

Card ,  
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card:

By AB.  
S/3324/LML

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concentrated  
from.

111011.

**FILE**

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# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Berry 4235772 George  
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials.)

Private C.B. 348 Lab. Bu.  
(Rank) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL December 31, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL Chateaux

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

A.F. Cemetery no 31  
Chateaux, Indu.

Official map

GRAVE NUMBER 136

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?  Cross?

Headboard?  Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

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REPORTED BY:  
R.S. Brown, Chaplain US  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

File #111011-77979

BERRY George E

Place of Death

E/A

When grave location is recorded, note same on this card and forward to the Files Department, to have papers drawn, and forwarded to the Inquiry Branch for proper action. 2/13/20.

Inquirer: Corres. Nov.19,1919.  
Mrs.Laura A.Berry, RFD.#1,Box 66,East Wilmington,NC.

GRAVE LOCATION: Grave 136, American E. r., Chateauroux, Indre., Cemetery 31

Investigation Section. Adm. Dept.  
24/20.

G.R.S Form No. 8-W; Central Records  
Liaison.

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~~11011~~

Memo For: G.R.S. representative, C.R.O.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

One George E. Berry.

✓ Surname: Berry  
✓ Number: 4,235,712  
✓ First name: George. E.  
✓ Rank: Plt  
✓ Company: Co. B, 348 Lab. Bn.  
✓ Organization: 348 Lbn.  
✓ Date of death: Dec. 29, 1918.  
✓ Cause: Crunch's Pneumonia  
✓ Place: Post Infirmary  
Post Montpelier  
at 738  
Location of hospital:

Number " "  
Class " "

✓ Emergency address Laura Ann Berry  
Postel. Bx 166  
Wilmington N. C.  
Relationship:  
mother

Authority:

✓ Cablegram No: C.C. 409 1/6/19  
Telegram from: \_\_\_\_\_

dated:

Reported to Washington;  
C.C.Nos.

(Underscore the "official" C.C.)

Remarks:

**REVIEWED**  
**OSP SS**

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

*Mulvey*  
2-26-20

NS-3404/MB

Rec'd World War Div

Date: 2/25/20

FROM: O.Q.M. [REDACTED]  
CIMITERIAL DIVISION  
Munitions Building  
Room

PLEASE  
EXPEDITE

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 2/24/21

File No. Requisition.

(SPECIAL)

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

a. Surname **Berry,** <sup>OK</sup>

f. Date of death **12-29-18** <sup>OK</sup>

b. Christian name **George E.** <sup>OK</sup>

g. Cause of death **Broncho Pneumonia** <sup>OK</sup>

c. Serial Number **4235712**  
**(4235772)** <sup>OK</sup>

h. Authority (C.O.#)

d. Organization **Co. B 348th Labor Bn**

i. Emergency address

e. Rank **Private** <sup>OK</sup>

j. Relationship **Mother.**

*Laura Ann Berry  
RR #1, Box 66,  
E. Wilmington, N.C.*

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)

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

**Adjustment Made**

**APR 22 1921**

File No. ....

**77979**

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

CEMETERY NO: 431 12

BY:

SHEET NO: 10  
TYPED BY: zs

*H. J. CONNER*  
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

*Donnelly M.D.*  
AP Sect  
2-26-21.

8/713/LML

*Rec'd World War Div*  
Date .....

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Classification

Adjustment

CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
REGISTRATION SECTION

File # 77-979

**FILE**

Date 8-11-20

MEMORANDUM:

To: Registration Files Sub-Section

Subject: Adjustments made on Registration Files

1. Changes as checked have been made in the Registration Files which will necessitate a corresponding change in the Classification Files.

	CORP.	ADD. DATA		CORP.	ADD. DATA
File Number			Date of Burial		
Name			Date of Reburial		
Serial Number			Burial Information		
Rank			Nearest Relative		
Organization			Notified Nearest Relative		
Cause of Death			<sup>White</sup> Blue Card thrown out 4x6	0	0
Date of Death			White Card set up		
Casualty Cablgram Number					

O.K. Alphabetical Files A.E.S. 8-13-20

O.K. Organization Files \_\_\_\_\_

O.K. State Files \_\_\_\_\_

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OSP SS.**

Cemetery Audit Department  
 Investigation & Adjustment Dept.

By Helen R Myers

3 Cards attached.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
WASHINGTON  
November 19, 1919.

77979

Mrs. Laura A. Berry,  
R.F.D.#1, Box 66  
East Wilmington, N.C.

1.- In reply to your inquiry, you are advised that the  
grave of: **George E. Berry,**

has not yet been registered in this office, but investigations  
are being made, the result of which will be communicated to  
you as soon as possible.

2.- Please do not be discouraged by the failure, thus far,  
to secure the information you desire. Each day witnesses the per-  
fecting of records in cases not heretofore reported, and we have  
hope of sending you comforting assurances in due time.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
Colonel, Q.M. Corps,  
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

CCP/jad  
/aan

NS-3405-mr.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE & STORAGE  
WASHINGTON

ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

\_\_\_\_\_ Circumstances of Death  
(Par. #2, Bul. 10-C-W)

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Flowers, Flags, etc.  
(Par. #6, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ War Risk Insurance  
(G.R.S. Form 111)

\_\_\_\_\_ Monument  
(Par. #8, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ Photographs  
(Par. #11, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ Discrepancies in Inscription  
(Par. #9, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ Permanent Burial In  
(a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)

\_\_\_\_\_ Personal Effects  
(G.R.S. Form 111)

(b) Other Countries

\_\_\_\_\_ Accrued Pay  
(G.R.S. Form 111)

\_\_\_\_\_ Return of Bodies From  
(a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)  
(Par. #12, Bul. 10-C-W)  
(b) Other countries

\_\_\_\_\_ Maintenance  
(Par. #7, Bul. 10-C-W)

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
*Send form 109*  
\_\_\_\_\_

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.

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

Date 11/27/19

FROM: - INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME *Berry, George E.*

Serial Number

RANK ORGANIZATION

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	<p><i>No Record</i></p> <p><i>J</i></p> <div data-bbox="1215 1522 1528 1753" style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px; transform: rotate(-5deg); display: inline-block;"> <p>REVIEWED OSP. SS.</p> </div> <p><i>3rd research 11/19/19 G.F.G.</i></p> <p>Released by Information Control Dept. Directory Cards 5 x 8 Cards 4 x 6</p> <p><i>2nd research 11/18/19</i></p> <p><i>MLB</i></p>
2.	Date of Death.	
3.	Cause and place of death.	
4.	Number of Casualty vCablegram.	
5.	Date buried.	
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	
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?	
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	
12.	Has above 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 No.?	
15.	Inquiry made by?	

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

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OSP SS.

East Wilmington  
5/2/19. N.C.

Dear Sir

I was noted by Charles  
C. Pierce as for information for  
photograph of graves to address  
The Chief.

I would be more than proud for  
you to send me the photo of my  
son's grave, as Georl. E. Berry  
died the 29<sup>th</sup> of Dec. 1918. Please let  
me hear from you soon

Yours Truly

Mrs Laura A. Berry R.F.D #1 Box 66  
East Wilmington N.C.

Drawn by J.D.

31-10

2-18-21

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2/19/21  
EM

POSTAL TELEGRAPH - COMMERCIAL CABLES

CLARENCE H. MACKAY, PRESIDENT.

TELEGRAM

DELIVERY NO.

RECEIVED AT  
EVANS BUILDING  
1418 NEW YORK AVENUE  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
TELEPHONE: MAIN 6800

The Postal Telegraph-Cable Company (Incorporated) transmits and delivers this message subject to the terms and conditions printed on the back of this blank.

This is a fast Day Telegram unless otherwise indicated by signal after the number of words:—"N. L." (Night Lettergram) or "Nite" (Night Telegram).

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WILMINGTON NC JAN 10 1232P

HARRIS, THE ADJT GENL

WASHN DC

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TELEGRAM RECD ADVISING DEATH PRIVATE GEO. E. BERRY STATING WHERE  
HE IS AND IF BURIED IF POSSIBLE WOULD LIKE HAVE  
BODY.

MRS. LAURA ANN BERRY

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RECEIVED MISS. DIV.  
JAN 14 1919

Rec'd Cas. Div.

JAN 10 1919

FILE  
Date ..... Sig. ....

*C. E. 2938 - Berry, George  
Part of B3  
Part 201  
1095  
Berry, Laura Ann*

293.8 - Berry, Geo. E.  
Misc. Div.

January 14, 1919.

Mrs. Laura Ann Berry,

Wilmington, North Carolina.

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your telegram relative to the death of George E. Berry, late Private, Company B, 348th Labor Battalion, Quartermaster Corps, I beg leave to inform you that the records of the Department show that he died of lobar-pneumonia, December 29, 1918, overseas.

You are advised to communicate with the Officer in Charge, Graves Registration Service, Tours, France, for any information as to the place of burial, etc., of your son.

With reference to the returning to the United States of the body of your son, attention is invited to the enclosed Memorandum of Information.

Permit me to express to you the deep sympathy of the Department on account of the loss of your son, and to commend you for the great sacrifice which you have made to the cause for which your boy gave his life.

Very sincerely yours,

J. O. Ashburn

Adjutant General

BDC.  
1 Incl.

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OS&P SS.

Date 1-14-19 Sig. JAB

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OS&P SS.

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RECORDS OF CASUALTY DIVISION

(NAME) George E. Berry Pvt  
(ORGANIZATION) Co. B 348 Inf Bn 4 Mc

REMARKS FOR DUTY CHANGES. ~~Army 3118~~

CASUALTY REPORT. Died of Lobai Pneum Dec 29

HOSPITAL RECORD. 18

NO LATER RECORD AT CASUALTY DIVISION WITH THIS

Date 1/10 ... Dem (See report)

REMARKS.

Misc File  
Date 1/1/58

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**FILE**

File This Under # 111011

*File  
M.H.S.*

# MEMORANDUM TO FILES DEPARTMENT

--REGISTRATION BRANCH--

TRANSFER ALL PAPERS

FROM:

File # 111011 (Cancelled) ✓

*Benny, George E.  
Benny, George E.*

TO:

File # 77979 ✓

*6 ty 31*

By: Helene Myers

adjustment Section

Dept. \_\_\_\_\_

Date 8-11-20

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Papers Transferred By: ERSK. P/17/20