

JAN 15 1926

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DATE

1. NAME **BIS, Ignac** ✓ SERIAL No. **29492** ³⁹⁴⁹²

RANK **PFC** ✓ ORGANIZATION **Co.F. 9th Inf.** ✓

GRAVE LOCATION **Amer.Cty. PLOISY (Aisne) #593**

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

28 sec K.

1

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION **205 Parcy-Tigny (Aisne)**

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

CONCENTRATED TO **5-17-19** **28** **Sec. K.** **1**

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

American
CEMETERY

#593.
CTY. NUMBER

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

Information in paragraph 2 taken from Form 1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE OF DEATH **July 18, '18**
DATE FROM GRAVE **HE CAME** ROW **New York** PLOT CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED **none**
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

G.F. Waugh
G.F. WAUGH, Major, inf., Supervisor, Area § 2.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION **September 12, 1922** **1** **16** **Block C**

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Oise-Aisne American Cemetery #608, Seringes-et-Nesles

CEMETERY

A. G. O.

(Aisne).

JAN 16 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

AUDITED BY

Km 1/2

Date. May 17 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT & REBURIAL

Remains of Name ~~LENCE~~ BIS *IGNAC* Number *2* 59492
 Rank UNKNOWN Organization Co F 9th Inf.

Disinterment Reburial made by Group... 2 Unit, B

Disinterred (Date) May 17 1919 From (Give complete location)

Grave # 203 per sketch # 6 Military Cemetary # 594 Percy Tigny Aisne.
 CRD 294.9 178.9 Soissons # 33 S E

Reburied (Date) May 17 1919 in (Give complete location) Grave # 28 Plot 1
 SEC K

Military Cemetary Floisy Aisne.
 CRD 290.95 174.95 Soissons # 33 N E

593

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

Badly Disintergrated Wrapped in burlap.

Was one ident. Tag found upon the body Yes and one tag on cross.

What other means of ident. were found on the body.... None.

11346
11346
CONFIRMED No D

Supervised by Sgt 1st Cl A H Mac Callum

A J Triggs
A J Triggs 2 Lt Q M C
G. O. Group 2 Unit B

1594



X
19/9/2

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Bis</i>	<i>Bis</i>	3	<i>299</i>
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>608</i>	1	<i>2</i>
	GRAVE <i>1</i>	2	<i>01</i>
	ROW <i>16</i>	2	<i>16</i>
	BLOCK <i>C</i>	1	<i>3</i>
STATE	<i>New York</i>	2	<i>37</i>
RANK	<i>Priv. 1st.</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>2</i>	2	<i>02</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>9</i>	3	<i>009</i>
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Bis-Mrs</i>	<i>BIS</i>	3	<i>299</i>
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Foreign</i>	1	<i>4</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH			
ATTENDANT			
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	<i>Country Poland</i>	1	
<i>29/514/</i>	<i>Poland</i>	2	<i>10</i>

AUDITED

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE February 10 1930

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Bis Ignac	PFC	39492	Co F 9th Inf	July 18 1918

STATE	New York	CTY. NO.	608	GRAVE	1	ROW	16	BLOCK	C
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
NAME	MOTHER <i>ius</i>	:	✓	:	<i>mother.</i>
AND	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	<i>Mrs. Helena Bis</i>
ADDRESS	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	<i>Commune of Lizany</i>
	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	<i>House 780, District of Krosno.</i>
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	:	:	:	<i>Poland.</i>
	<i>Single man</i>	:	:	:	<i>1-18-33</i>

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156

C 201168

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bis, Ignac.

June 20, 1929.

Bis
Mr. Ignac Bis,
West Warren, Mass.

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 *uncle of* the late Private, first class Ignac Bis, Co. F, 9th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

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

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

For your reply, you may use the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
~~Bis, Ignac~~
608

Aug. 27, 1929.

Mr. Jacob Bis,
West Warren, Mass.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated ~~June 20, 1929~~ making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

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2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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Envelope.

Handwritten initials

QM 293 A-C

May 13, 1924

BIS, Ignac Pvt. 1/cl.

Mr. Jacob Bis,
West Warren,
Mass.

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

Very truly yours,

1-Incl.
Record card.

R. P. HARBOLD
Assistant.
MAY 13 924

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Duplicate.

2
39,492

Bis Ignac

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt. Co. F, 9th. Infantry.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

Jacob Bis Uncle

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

no
(Yes or no.)

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

no
(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Jacob Bis
West Warren Mass.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by - VOTR

593-107

10-4-20

checked

all 10-21-20

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec. 7, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

ml Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BIS, Ignac10. Name No discrepancy2. No. 29492

11. No. _____

3. Rank PFC

12. Rank _____

4. Org. Co.F.9th Inf

13. Org. _____

5. D.D. 7-18-18

14. (a) D.D. _____

6. C.D. 5/a

(b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 28 Sec. K

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____

8. Plot 1 Row _____

16. Plot _____ Row _____

9. _____

17. No discrepancy18. Cemetery Amer.19. Commune or town PLOISY20. Dept. or County Aisne21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. #59323. Disinterred (Date) Dec. 7, 1921By James McGourty

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name BIS, Ignac

Serial No. _____

Rank PfcOrganization Co.F, 9th Inf.25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes. On body? No.Bernard J. Black
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).

Body found under proper cross.27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.28. Nature of burial Burlap and U.S. uniform.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None.30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Dec. 7, 1921 By Jas. McGourty31. Casket sealed by James McGourty

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

James McGourtyAUDITED BY
10/21/21

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-19286

32. Designation of body:

Name Ignac BIS Serial No. 29492

Rank PTC Organization Co.F. 9th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Aise-Aisne, Amer. Cty #608, SERINGES-et-NEZLES (Aisne)

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec. 7, 1921 By Jas. McGourty

35. I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector J.J. Powers, 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks None.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec. 7, 1921.

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 Dec. 7, 1921.

To Permanent Cemetery Aise-Aisne Amer. Cem. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne) (Name)

Convoyer Frank Atwell Signature Shipping Officer Glenn A. Ross, Capt. QMC

40. Received: Date 8 DEC 1921

G.R.S. Representative G. F. WAUGH

41. Reinterred 9/12/22, Aise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne) (Date)

42. Grave No. 1, Blk. C Section _____

43. Plot _____ Row 16

G.R.S. Representative G. J. Blake, Capt. QMC

Place PLOISY (Aisne)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Dec. 7, 1921

1. REMAINS OF BIS Ignaz SERIAL NUMBER 29492
 RANK Pfc. ORGANIZATION Co. F. 9th. Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : Dec. 7, 1921 From (give complete location) : Gr. 28, Pl. 1. Sec. k. Amer. Cam. 593, PLOISY (Aisne)

By : Group 1 Unit F.S.8

3. Reburied (date) 9/12/22, In (give complete location) : Gr.1, Blk.C.Row 16
Oise-Aisne Cem.608, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)

By : Group reburial group Unit metal lined Nature of reburial casket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
Burlap and uniform.
Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
body found under proper cross.

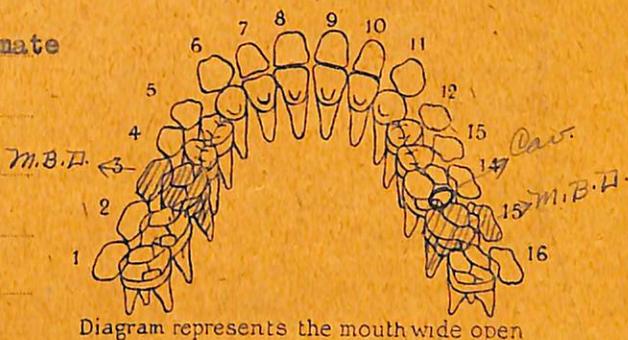
6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items ?

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color none visible

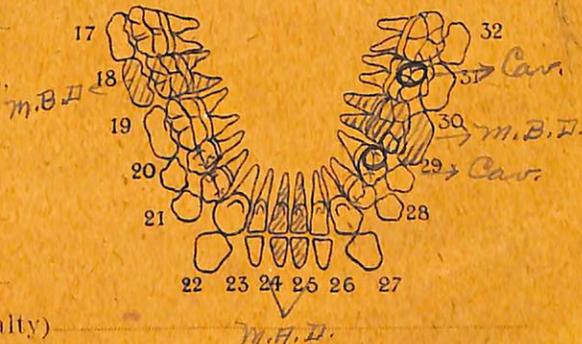
Quantity
 Characteristics



(d) Hair on face—Color none visible

Location
 Quantity

(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

Checker: B. J. Black,

7. Disinterment supervised by James McGourty, S.S. Approved J.J. Powers, 1st Lt. QMC Insp.
 (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by L.D. Hays Approved C.J. Blake, Capt. QMC
 (Title)

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 75043 (16-10)

(a) Name BIS, Ignac Ser. No. 39492
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/c Organization Co. F. 9th Inf.
 (c) Date of death 7/18/18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. EK
 CKR. 923

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

(a) Grave No. 28 Row --- Plot 1 Sec. K TYP. EK
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Jacob Bis (uncle) West Warren, Mass.

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Jacob Bis (b) Relationship uncle
 (c) Address West Warren Mass
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? no
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at ---
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. ---

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

Examiner's Initials BBP Date 10-4-, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials BBP Date 10-4-, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes at

Examiner's Initials at Date 10-19, 1920.

COUNTRY France

CEMETERY NO. 593

SHEET NO. 107

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
FOOT LOCKER, N.J.

Handwritten mark

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

JAN 24 1922

TO: Mr. Jacob Bis, West Warren, Mass.

SUBJECT: Remains of Private 1/01, Ignaco Bis, Serial No. 29492, Co.F. 9th Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body remain in France.

If these are not the correct instructions, please correct them. Make corrections on second page.

The nearest relative may choose between (1) return of the body to any address in the United States; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., or any other National Cemetery; or (3) remain in Europe. All removals are at Government expense.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lt.Col., U.S.A.

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 WEATHER these relatives are STILL LIVING.

NAME OF	NO.	STREET	TOWN	STATE
Was soldier married?				
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.

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3/4/5/22

March 26, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Com. priv. Cor. Br.
(BIS, Igan)

Mr. Jacob Bis,
West Warren, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly inform this office at your earliest convenience whether the late Ignas Bis, Private, First-Class, Serial Number 29492, Company E, 9th Infantry, is survived by widow, children, father, mother, brother, or sister, and if so, furnish the name and address of each.

This information is desired in order that the Department may be assured that the proper person to determine the disposition of the remains of the late soldier is given an opportunity of expressing his or her wishes.

If the late soldier is not survived by any of the above mentioned relatives, please state whether you still desire the body left in France in a permanent American Cemetery, returned to the United States and shipped to you at government expense, or interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia.

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

Your early reply will be appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,
Officer in Charge.

Handwritten initials
MAILED - G.P.D.
MAY 26 1921

BY:

J. F. BUTLER,
Captain, Infantry.

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MAY 26 1921

RECEIVED

COMPILED BY DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD: File # 75043
2-10-19
 (a) Name BIS, Ignac Ser. No. 39492 TYP. EX
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/c Organization Co. F. 9th Inf.
 (c) Date of death 7/18/18 Cause of death K/A

II. REGISTRATION CARD.-(Check Reg., Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.):
 (a) Grave No. 28 Row -- Plot 1 Sect. K TYP. EX
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Jacob Bis (uncle) West Warren, Mass.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR ACK

IV. Information on which advice to Europe in letter of transmittal was based:
Uncle Jacob Bis - West Warren Mass
Does not desire return of remains

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on 12/16 192
 (letter of transmittal on 12/16 192

Part 2 - Not to be returned 12/16/20 JB
DEC 30 1920

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. 5-2- 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. 5-2- 192

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Ignac, Bis 39492

Name.....

Rank.....Co.....(Corps) 9th Inf.
(Regt)

UNKNOWN.

Date of Death.....

~~Place~~ **PARCY TIGNY AISNE.**

Grave, k/a **B/a etc**

Date of Burial.....

Grave No. 203

~~AMERICAN SOISSONS, S.E. NO. 33, 284.9~~

~~Cemetery~~

Identified by (Tag)
(Papers)
(Clothing)

List of Effects.....

GROUP No. 3

Field Record Made by **Prof. Unit B. G. R.**

Company....Graves Registration Service

For additional data use reverse side

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OCT 13 1920

ROOM: O. Q. M. G.
CEMETERY DIVISION
Conditions Building
Room 1128
75043
PLEASE
EXPEDITE

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

Special

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0
Information required of A.G.O.

Date Oct. 11, 1920

File No. Registration.

Adjustment Made

NOV 5 1920

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.

File No. 75043

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

- a. Surname **Bis, Ignac** ✓
- b. Christian name **Ignac** ✓
- c. Serial Number **39492 29,492**
- d. Organization **Co. F. 9th Inf.** ✓
- e. Rank ~~Pvt.~~ **or Pvt. 1/c** ✓
- f. Date of death **7-18-18** ✓
- g. Cause of death **K/A** ✓
- h. Authority (C.C.#) **506-30**
- i. Emergency address **Jacob Bis
West Warren, Mass**
- j. Relationship **Uncle.**

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. ~~Particular~~ 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								

FILE

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

CEMETERY NO: 593

BY:

SHEET NO:
TYPED BY: FFD

H. J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~
1st Lieut. U. S. A.

T 8-713/MB

*Donnelly m 8 @ H 341 W,
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1st Ind.

File No: 293.8 Cem. Div. - #75043 Registration.
From: C.C.M.G., Cemeterial Division, November 3, 1920. To: The Adjutant
General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D.C.

1. Returned, with the information that the records of this office show Private 1st class Ignac Bis to have been buried, date not given, in grave 208, American Cemetery #594, Percy Tigny, Aisne, and to have been disinterred and reburied May 17, 1919 into grave 28, section K, plot 1, American Cemetery #593, Ploisy, Aisne; one identification tag buried with the body and one attached to grave marker.

2. There is no record of the date of death or date and place of original burial of this soldier having been reported by the G.R.S. operatives.

3. The following named soldiers were reported buried in the immediate vicinity of the original grave location registered for Private Bis:

Wolaver, William W. Sgt. 18th Co. 5th Marines - K/E - 7/18/18

Balkow, #39256, Walter, Pvt. C.F. 9th Inf. - K/A - 7/18/18

McCormick, #120130, James J. Gunnery Sgt. M.G. Co. 6th Marines, K/A 7/19/18.

4. No further information available.

H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General.

By:

Inv. D.S.
Inv. & Adj.

DA

M. N. GURLEY,
Captain, C.M.G.
Assistant Executive
Cemeterial Division.

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May 25, 1920

Date and Place of burial.

The Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

The records on file in this office show Pvt. 1st
Class Ignac Bis, #39,492, Company F, 9th Infantry,
buried, date and cause of death to be determined.
No report of burial.

A report from the original burial report is desired,
showing date of burial and any other information that
may aid in determining the date of death.

By order of the Secretary of War.

F R Brown
Adjutant General.

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CASE OF Bis, Ignac 39492 C. F. 9th Inf
 Name Serial # Rank & Org.

	Sources	of Information
<u>A</u>	Registration Cards 5x8 4x6	Prep. of Data Files Form 16 Forms 1-A
<u>B</u>	Administrative Files	Photographic field records
<u>C</u>	Communal Lists & Sketches	A. G. O.
<u>D</u>	A.R.C. Searchers Reports Chaplains Reports	Engineers Maps
<u>E</u>	Location Index File	Misc. Info. to be found in Administrative Files, E series slips, Etc.

REASON FOR INVESTIGATION

A. G. O. letter dated 5/25/20 requesting burial report

<u>A.</u> <u>X/C</u> giv's: - <u>Bis, Ignac 39492 Ost 1/18</u> <u>C. F. 9th Inf X/A 7-18-18 Buried Grav #203</u> <u>Amer. C/A. City 594, Paray Tigny, Aisne</u> <u>Reburied 5-17-19 Grav #28, Sec. K, Plot 1</u> <u>Amer. City 593, Plancy, Aisne. One tag on body</u> <u>& one in grave marker.</u>	<u>F.</u> <u>see other side</u>
<u>B.</u> <u>G. R. & formal</u> giv's: - <u>Ignac, Bis 39492</u> <u>9th Inf. D. B. unknown. X/A. Place of</u> <u>Burial Paray Tigny, Aisne. Grav #203</u> <u>City. 594.</u>	<u>G.</u> <u>Photo. of 11419 giv's: -</u> <u>Ignac Bis</u> <u>Post C. F. 9th Inf</u> <u> Died July 1918.</u>
<u>C.</u> <u>unnecessary to search</u>	<u>H.</u> <u>A. G. O. letter dated 7/30/18 determined</u> <u>above soldier X/A 7-18-18</u>
<u>D.</u> <u>no record</u>	<u>I.</u> <u>unnecessary to search</u>
<u>E.</u> <u>see other side</u>	<u>J.</u> <u>no record</u>

SUMMARY

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Action Requested

memos. to A. G. O.

P. G. Logan
Investigator

Corr. Handled By

Date Completed 11-1-20

Checked By msf

Adjusted By Casals not adj.

Par E. & F.

Form 1A for first confirmed burial in grave #203 Amer.
City. Percy Sigry, Aiene. City # 594 grave! -

Bis, Ignac 39492 Post Cr. 7. 9th Inf. D. B 8-9-18
grave #203 Cross. Tag B.W. B???. On grave marker Yes.

The following men are buried near Post Bis.

grave #202. Wolover, William W. Sgt. 18th Cr. 5th Marine
D. D 7-21-18. K/A

grave #204 Balkow 39256 Walter Post Cr. 7. 9th Inf.
D. D 7-18-18 K/A

grave #205 Mc Cormick 120130 James J. Gurney Sgt.
M. G. Cr. 6th Marine D. D 7-19-18. K/A

Form 16 for reburial grave: - "Body disintegrated,
wrapped in burlap. One tag on body + one on grave
marker".

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

Date 11-1-20

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME BIS, Ignac Serial Number 39492

RANK ORGANIZATION
Pvt. 1/cl. Co. F. 9th Inf.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	(1) Yes.
2.	Date of Death.	(2) 7-18-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3) K/ A.
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	(4) 506 SP 30
5.	Date buried.	(5) no record.
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave #203, Amer. B/A Cty. #594 Parcy Tigny, Aisne. Reburied 5-17-19 Grave #28, Sec. K. Plot 1, Amer. Cty., #593, Ploisy, Aisne.
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	(9) Cross.
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(10)a. yes. b. yes.
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	(11) Mr. Jacob Bis, Uncle West Warren, Mass.
12.	Has been notified? (Give date)	(12) F-107 6-4-20
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	(14) F-11419
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	
15.	Inquiry made by?	Released by Information Control Dept.Directory xxx Cards 5x8Cards 4x6

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

P.A.C.

OCT 11 1920

FROM: O. Q. M. G.
CEMETERY DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room 1123

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

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date Oct. 8, 19

File No. **75043** Registration.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

- a. Surname **Bis** ✓
- b. Christian name **Ignac** ✓
- c. Serial Number **39492 39492** ✓
- d. Organization **Co. F. 9th Inf.** ✓
- e. Rank **Pvt. 1/c** ✓
- f. Date of death **7/18/18** ✓
- g. Cause of death **K/A** ✓
- h. Authority (C.C.#) **WD determined**
- i. Emergency address **Jacob Bis, West Warren, Mass.**
- j. Relationship **(Uncle)**

BODY DESCRIPTION or ~~(Pvt.)~~
(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 |

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

BY: *H. J. Conner*
H. J. CONNER,
~~Quartermaster General~~
1st. Lieut. Q. M. G.

CEMETERY NO: 593
SHEET NO: 107
TYPED BY: GAB

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OCT 11 1920

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

Special

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0
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Date Oct. 8, 1920

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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 *Bis* ✓
- b. Christian name *Ignac* ✓
- c. Serial Number *39492* ✓
- d. Organization *Co. F. 9th Inf.* ✓
- e. Rank *Pvt. 1/c* ✓
- f. Date of death *7/18/18* ✓
- g. Cause of death *K/A* ✓
- h. Authority (C.C.#) *WD determined*
- i. Emergency address *Jacob Bis, West Warren, Mass.*
- j. Relationship *(Uncle)*

BODY DESCRIPTION *or (Pvt.)*
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

DENTAL CHARTS
(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

- a. Age of enlistment
- b. Color of eyes
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- d. Height
- e. Weight
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- a. Strike out teeth missing

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

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BY: *H. J. Conner*
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~~Quartermaster~~
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE
WASHINGTON

Special
Date May 13, 1920.
Rec'd War Dept. May 14 1920
Date

File No. 75043 Registration.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.P.S.

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

- a. Surname *IGNAC Bis*
- b. Christian name *Bis Ignac.*
- c. Serial number *39492*
- d. Organization *Co F. 9 Inf.*
- e. Rank *Pvt 1cl*
- f. Date of death *undetermined*
- g. Cause of death *K29 K/A*
- h. Authority (C.C.#) *(506) (2, 2)*
- i. Emergency address *Joseph Bis West Warren Mass.*
- j. Relationship *Uncle.*

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 CHART

(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							

normally - wear

6-3-20 to 3-1-20

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Date
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H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, U. S. A.,
Director of Purchase & Storage.

By:

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

EGR 2-201

IN REPLY
REFER TO

201(Bis, Ignac)WW

July 30, 1920.

*Adj. made
8-3-20
JK*

From: The Adjutant General of the Army
To: The Quartermaster General of the Army,
Washington, D. C.
Subject: Notification of Death

1. Upon investigation it has been ascertained by the War Department that Private 1st Class Ignac Bis, #39,492, Company F, 9th Infantry, who was previously reported as buried, date and cause of death to be determined, was killed in action July 18, 1918. A notation to that effect has been placed upon the official records.

2. It appears from the records that the deceased was enlisted June 9, 1917, and gave the name of the person to be notified in case of emergency as Mr. Jacob Bis, uncle, West Warren, Mass.

By order of the Secretary of War:

P. C. Harris
The Adjutant General.
Per: *M. J. K.*

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10-10-19

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

To: The Adjutant General's Office of the Army
Washington, D. C.
Subject: Identification of Death

1. Upon investigation it has been ascertained by the War Department that the following information was furnished to the Adjutant General's Office by the War Department on August 1, 1920, in connection with the identification of the remains of the deceased soldier, who was previously reported as missing, and who was killed in action on August 1, 1918. It is noted that the official records of the War Department show that the remains of the deceased soldier were buried in the cemetery at the location of the battle of the Marston, and that the name of the deceased soldier was listed in the records of the War Department as being killed in action on August 1, 1918. It is noted that the official records of the War Department show that the remains of the deceased soldier were buried in the cemetery at the location of the battle of the Marston, and that the name of the deceased soldier was listed in the records of the War Department as being killed in action on August 1, 1918.

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