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1. NAME BLAKELY, George W. SERIAL No. 2652106

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION & DIVISION, Co.D. 327th Lab.Bn.

GRAVE LOCATION Amer. Dijon, Cote d'Or # 14
CTY. NAME NUMBER

130 Enl.
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 130 (Enl.pl. Dijon (Côte d'Or))
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES E.298.5 N.59.5 (Lambert Zone Nord)

CONCENTRATED TO Not 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~~ Jan 31, 1919

~~STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME~~ Fr.

~~MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED~~ None

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Not of record

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR W.H. Quarterman
W.H. QUARTERMAN, CAPT. F.A., Supervisor Area N°4

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION June 21, 1922 10 20 Block A.
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

St-Mihiel Amer. #1233, Thiaucourt (M-et-M)



Received A. G. O. MAY 14 1925

REC'D MAY 15 1925
Major General, Adjutant General, MAY 9 1925

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

BRADLEY 2652106 George
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

Pvt. 327th Lab Bn Co. "D"
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: Base Hospital No. 103

CAUSE OF DEATH: Actue pulmonary tuberculosis

DATE OF BURIAL: Feb. 1st, 1919

PLACE OF BURIAL: Dijon Cote, d'Or France

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

Municipal Gemetire Annexe Polygone AA

GRAVE NUMBER: 130

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? 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:

NEAREST RELATIVE: Mrs. Elma Jones

ADDRESS: Dawson Ga.

RELATIONSHIP: Mother

REPORTED BY:
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

H. H. Van Kirk, Major, W. G.
This portion to be forwarded to Central Records Office, A. G. O., A. E. F.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Blakely</i>	<i>BLA</i>	3	<i>2 0 2 1</i>
<i>George W.</i>	CEMETERY <i>1233</i>	1	<i>3</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>10</i>	2	<i>10</i>
	ROW <i>20</i>	2	<i>20</i>
	BLOCK <i>A</i>	1	<i>1</i>
STATE	<i>Ga</i>	2	<i>10</i>
RANK	<i>Pvt</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>QMC</i>	2	<i>57</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>327</i>	3	<i>327</i>
ARM	<i>Lab Bn</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL <i>(Widow dead)</i>	<i>yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NAME		3	<i>0 5 7</i>
RESIDENCE	STATE <i>Ga</i>	2	<i>11</i>
	COUNTY	2	<i>37</i>
	CITY	3	<i>020</i>
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead</i>	1	<i>16.</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE	<i>BLACK</i>	1	<i>2</i>
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
. TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
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CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Blahely</i>	3	<i>2 2 1</i>
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	<i>3</i>
	GRAVE	2	
	ROW	2	
	BLOCK	1	
STATE		2	
RANK		1	
DIVISION		2	
ORGANIZATION		3	
ARM		1	
MARITAL		1	
NAME		3	
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Widow</i>	1	<i>5</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Read</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	<i>Black</i>	1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
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ACCEPTANCE		1	

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1233 - Geo. W. Blakely
Pvt. Co. D. 327 Inf.

el - 167084

Widow - Deceased

Mother dead

Not on
milit. list


WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Blakely, George W 1233-11

June 19, 1930

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,
RFD #A, Box 93,
Dawson, Georgia



Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

February 10, 1930

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Blaboly, George W. 1233

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,
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Dawson, Ga.

Dear Madam:

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The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Pvt. **George W. Blaboly, Co. D, 327th Labor Bn., whose remains are now interred in the St. Eihiel American Cemetery, Thiancourt, Haute-st-Moselle, 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
Blakely, George W.

May 27, 1929.

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,
R.F.D. #A, Box 93,
Dawson, Ga.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Private George W. Blakely, Co. D, 327th Labor Bn., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Envelope.

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

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QM 293 A-M

October 21, 1930

Blakely, George W. Pvt 1233 M

Mrs. Emma A. Jones
R.F.D. "A", Box 93
Dawson, Georgia

Dear Madam:

A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age Condition of health
4. Do you speak English?	
5. What other language do you speak?	

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Blakely, George W 1253-M

June 19, 1930

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,
RFD #A, Box 93,
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Dear Madam:

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

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

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

February 10, 1930

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Blakely, George W. 1233

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,
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Dawson, Ga.

Dear Madam:

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The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Pvt. George W. Blakely, Co. D, 327th Labor Bn., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, 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?

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1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
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For The Quartermaster General,

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

August 28, 1929.

Blakely, George W.
1238

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,
P.F.D. #A, Box 93,
Dawson, Ga.

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.

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

Write answers in space below

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
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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

Blakely, George W.

May 27, 1929.

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R.F.D. #A, Box 93,
Dawson, Ga.

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

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IN REPLY REFER TO ~~QM 293 A-C~~
BLAKELY, George W., Pvt.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

February 18, 1924

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,
R.F.D. #4, Box 93,
Dawson, Georgia.

Dear Madam:

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. L. Foster

R. L. FOSTER
Assistant.

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Record card.

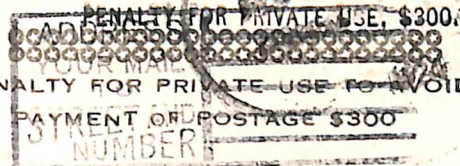
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WAR DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



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Dawson

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,

R.F.D. #4, Box 93,

Dawson,



Soldier's  Overseas
Grave

Name George W. Blakely

Rank Private

Organization Company D, 327th Labor Battalion

Grave No. 10 Row 20 Block A

Cemetery St. Mihiel American

Location Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France

Blakely

George W.

2,652,106

(Surname.)

Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt.

Co D 327th Lab Bn

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(Yes or no.)

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

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

BLAKELY, George W., Pvt.

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Very truly yours,

1-Incl.
Record card.

Assistant.

MPK

R. L. FOSTER

MPK



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File No. 95232

2/21/22
2/22/22
Concentration
St. Michel 1233
att 4/8/22

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BLAKELY, George W. Ser. No. 2652106) TYP. EML
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. D. 327th Labor Bn.) CKR. 1-2-22
(c) Date of death 1-31-19 of death Pulmonary Tuberculosis)
(d) Cause

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

(a) Grave No. 130 Row --- Plot American Extension Enlisted Sect.) TYP. EML
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Emma A. Jones (mother), RFD #A, Box 93, Dawson, Ga.

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases, Card agrees with (a)) CKR. Yes

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

(a) Name No card in file Date of receipt _____
(b) Relationship _____
(c) Address _____
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? _____
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____

DISPOSITION SERVICE:

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U.S. _____

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

Examiner's Initials YB Date 5-12-1920

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

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

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials a-a Date 5-12-1920

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes - MMS
Examiner's Initials MMS Date 5-12-1920

COUNTRY FRANCE
G.R.S. Form #115
Amended April 6, 1920

CEMETERY NO. 14

SHEET NO. 32

FORM #115 COMPLETED
H-1-3-137
CARDED

Make Form #114

Rechecked by KCP
12-18-20

VII. G.R.S. FORM No. 114 made....., 1920

Typed by....., Checked by....., 1920



VIII. FINAL ACTION:

(cable on....., 1920
Following advice forwarded to Europe by-
(letter on *Dec 4*....., 1920

Par. # 2 Not to be returned - JEH

CORRECTIONS

IX. Change of advice	Action taken
Desires body be.....	
Body to be shipped to.....	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

(1) To be returned to sender...
(2) To be returned to sender...
(3) To be returned to sender...
(4) To be returned to sender...
(5) To be returned to sender...
(6) To be returned to sender...
(7) To be returned to sender...
(8) To be returned to sender...
(9) To be returned to sender...
(10) To be returned to sender...

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 26, 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

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1. Name BLAKELY, George W.

10. Name

2. No. 2652106

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co.D. 327th Lab.Bn.

13. Org.

5. D.D. Jan. 31st.19

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. Pulmonary tuberculosis

(b) D.B. None.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 130 Sec.

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot Enl. Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. None.

18. Cemetery Amer

19. Commune or town DIJON

20. Dept. or County Cote d'Or

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 14

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov. 26, 1921.

By W. R. Tomlinson.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name BLAKELY, George W.

Serial No.

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co D, 327th Lab.Bn.Gr. XB
130

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

Thos. A. Pace *partly corroded*
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

THOS PACE.

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

No effects found. Form 16a accomplished. Disc on body partly corroded reads (George W. Blakely-----)Disc on cross, (George W. Blakely 2662196)

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial Buried in uniform and in wooden box.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? No.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov. 26, 1921. By W.R. Tomlinson.

31. Casket sealed by W.R. Tomlinson.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

W. R. Tomlinson
W. R. TOMLINSON

AUDITED BY
134. F-15-2

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-17610

32. Designation of body:

Name George W. BLAKELY Serial No. 2652106

Rank Pvt. Organization Co.D. 327th Lab. Bn.

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Nov. 26, 1921. By W. R. Tomlinson.

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 D. E. Lowry
D. E. LOWRY, 1st Lt. QMC. bjm

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Nov. 26, 1921.

To point of Concentration Dijon (Cote d'Or) France.

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer Capt. Q.M.C.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 10 NOV 1921

To Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel (1233) Thiaucourt (M et M)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer W. R. BUCKLEY, Capt. QMC.

40. Received: Date 5 DEC 1921

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

41. Reinterred: June 21 1922

(Date)

42. Grave No. 10 Section _____

43. ~~Plot~~ Bk. A Row 20

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

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Nov. 26, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BLAKELY, George W.

SERIAL NUMBER 2652106

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co. D, 327th Lab. Bn.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov. 26, 1921. From (give complete location): Gr. 130

Amer. Mil. Cem. # 14. Dijon (Cote d'Or)

By: Group 1.

Unit 4.

3. Reburied (date): June 21 1922

In (give complete location): Gr. 10 Bk. A Row 20

By: Group Reburial

Unit

Casket & shipping case

Nature of reburial

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

Buried in uniform and in wooden box. Badly decomposed, recognition impossible.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes, partly corroded. On grave marker? Yes.

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

No effects found. X

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Unable to determine.

(b) Weight (estimated)

(c) Hair—Color Black

Quantity Normal.

Characteristics Short and kinky

(d) Hair on face—Color none

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) No. 3, MBD. No. 9, MAD. No. 15, Cavity. None visible.

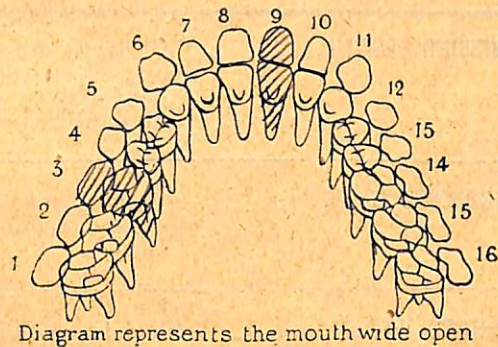
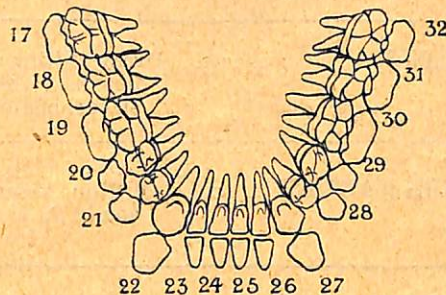


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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7. Disinterment supervised by W. R. TOMLINSON

Approved: D. E. LOWRY, 1st Lt., QMC. bj m

8. Reburial supervised by H L Kramer

Approved: A E Dewey, 1st Lt., QMC

Blakely, George W.

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Reg. Co. D. 327th Lab. Bn.

follow up letter sent to
Mrs. Emma A. Jones,

R. F. D. A. Box 93

Dawson, Ga.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON,

August 12, 1919

Dear Madam:

This is the second request for information concerning this matter that has been sent to you. Inasmuch as no reply has been received to the first request it is presumed you did not receive it, and as the information indicated on the inclosed card is necessary to complete the records it will be appreciated if you will fill in and return the card at the earliest practicable date.

P. C. HARRIS,
The Adjutant General.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
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WASHINGTON

MAY 25 1920

14-32

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
TO: Mrs. Emma A. Jones. RFD #A, Box 93, Dawson, Ga.
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. George W. Blakely.

The records of this office show that you have ~~requested their~~

~~remains~~ Made no Request.

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:

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow			
Soldier's Children	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
	3.		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
Sisters			

Date..... Signature.....

Address..... Relationship.....

Note:- Instructions on the reverse side of this sheet should be carefully read

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WAR DEPARTMENT
GENERAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE,
Pier #2, Hoboken, New Jersey.

January 19, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Gen. Div. Cor. Branch,
(BLAKELY, George W.)

Mrs. Emma A. Jones,
RFD #4, Box 93, Dawson, Ga.

Dear Madam: -

In order to complete the records of this office and before final disposition of the remains of your son, the late George W. Blakely, Serial Number 2652106, Private, Co. D. 327th Labor Battalion, can be determined, it is necessary that you state definitely whether or not he is survived by a widow, children or father, and if so, kindly furnish name and address of each.

If the late soldier is not so survived, it is requested that you inform this office of your wishes as to disposition of the body, stating whether you wish it 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.

Your early reply, will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

By:

J. F. BUTLER,
1st Lieutenant, Infantry

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Bakely 2662106 George W.
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. 327th. Lab. Bn. Co. "D"
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF BURIAL Base Hospital No. 103.

CAUSE OF DEATH Actue pulmonary
tuberculosis

DATE OF BURIAL Feb. 1st, 1919

PLACE OF BURIAL Dijon Cote, d'Or France.

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

Municipal Cemetary Annexe Polygone
AA.

GRAVE NUMBER: .. 130

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? 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:

NEAREST RELATIVE: REVIEWED ~~1/1~~ Elma Jones.

ADDRESS: Dawson Ga.

RELATIONSHIP: Mother.

REPORTED BY:

H. H. Van Kirk
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

H. H. Van Kirk, Major, M. C.

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

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Capt.

File #95232

5-24-19.

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: **BIENKLEY** *Blakley*
 () Number: **2662106** *2652, 1061*
 () First Name: **George W.**
 () Rank: **Pvt.**
 () Company: **D.**
 () Organization: **327th. Inf. Bn.**
 () Date of Death: *Jan. 31, 1919*
 () Cause: **OVER** *Pulmonary*
 () Place: *B. H. #103, A.E.F. Tuberculosis*

Location of hospital:

Number " "

Class " "

() Relative: *Elma Jones*() Relationship: *Mother*() Address: *Gr.*() Authority: *Commanding Officer*Cablegram No.: *4592* *subp 18.*

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: *N.S. Y*

Buried 2-1-19.

Cty. 14,

Fr. Civ. Cty. Despejoces, Dijon, Cote D'Or)

Reported by G. R. S.

Cause: Acute pulmonary
tuberculosis.

AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES.
BASE HOSPITAL NO. 103.
A.P.O. NO. 721.

95232

February 1st, 1919.

From: Commanding Officer?
To: Graves Registration Bureau, AEF.
Subject: Report of Death:

File
#95232

1. Name: George Blenkley.
2. Rank: Private.
3. Company: "D"
4. Regiment or Regiment: 327th, Laboring Battalion.
5. Date of Death: January 31st, 1919.- 8:15 A.M.
6. Cause of Death: Acute pulmonary tuberculosis.
7. Autopsy Findings: Serous Pericarditis, Pulmonary Tuberculosis Bilateral Tuberculous Enteritis. Infarcts of Kidneys Chronic Cholecystitis.
8. Place of Burial : Dijon, Cote d'Or, France.
9. Cemetery: Municipal Cemetire Annexe, Polygone AA.
10. Grave Number: 130.
11. Age: 22 Years.
12. Address of Nearest Relative: Dawson Georgia.
13. Nearest Relative: Mother, Elma Jones.

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*Mrs Emma Jones
R-#1*

Mrs. Emma A Jones.

R.F.D. # A

Box 93

Boston,

Georgia.



AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES.
BASE HOSPITAL NO. 103
A.P.O. NO. 721.

February 1st, 1919.

From: Commanding Officer.

To: Graves Registration Section Hdqrs., SOS. AEF.

Subject: Report of Burial.

- File 95232*
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 2. Rank: Private.
 3. Company: "D"
 4. Regiment of Corps: 327th Laboring Battalion.
 5. Date of Death: January 31st, 1919 - 8:15 A.M.
 6. Cause of Death: Acute pulmonary tuberculosis.
 7. Place of Death: Base Hospital No. 103 AEF.
 8. Date of Burial: February 1st, 1919 - 2 P.M.
 9. Name of Cemetery: Municipal Cemetery Annexe, Polygone AA.
 10. In what town and department: Dijon, Cote d'Or, France.
 11. Number of Grave: 130
 12. Marking of Grave: By bottle containing data. Peg on side of which was placed identification tag.
 13. Was original tag buried with body? Yes. Placed between undershirt and O.D. shirt.
 14. Disposition of Duplicate Tag? Duplicate tag fastened to side of burial peg, as per Art. (5), Par. 4, G.O. #30, G.H.Q., A.E.F., February 15th, 1919.
 15. Nearest Relative of Deceased: Elma Jones.
 16. Relationship and address: Mother, Dawson Georgia.

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