

G.R.S. Form #114-B

CAUSE OF DEATH

K9a

FULL NAME... *BLANCHARD, Hugh C.*

RANK... *1st Lieut.* SERIAL... *officer*

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION... *Co. L, 104th Infantry* *26 Div.*

DATE OF DEATH... *7-18-1918*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME... *Mass*

AWARDS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED... *None*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION...	<i>10-17-1922</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>A</i>
	Date	Grave	Row	Block

MAY 9 1922

WORLD WAR DIV

24/292/EYS

Aisne-Marne American Cemetery # 1764
Cemetery

6/10/27 142

Date June 11, 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: Blanchard, Huey, C.

Number:

Rank: Lt.

Organization: Co. L, 104th Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit "B"

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

June 11, 1919

Plot-64 (Myers) at Belleau Aisne

Coord. 263.1N - - 175.85E

Grave 26.

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

June 11, 1919

National Cemetery at Belleau Woods, Aisne

Coord. 262.60N - - 176.04E

Plot-4, Sec. N, Grave 161.

1764

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

Body in poor condition.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? no

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

CONFIDENTIAL No. 2-0339

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 1918., after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by:

Sgt. Le. Turner

H. C. Mamerow
C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

file
4/16/27

Place Belleau, Aisne

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date June 11/21

1. REMAINS OF BLANCHARD, HUGH C. SERIAL NUMBER ---

RANK 1st Lt. ORGANIZATION Co. L. 104th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): June 11/el. Belleau, Aisne Amer. Cty. #1764 Gr. 161-N-4
From (give complete location):

By: Group Scott Unit Sect. 6

3. Reburied (date): June 11/el. Belleau, Aisne Amer. Cty. #1764 Gr. 161-N-4
In (give complete location):

By: Group Scott Unit 6 Nature of reburial Box & burlap

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
5 ft. earthen grave, wooden box, burlap, U S uniform
disintegrated, unrecognizable

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

Tag on body reads "Hugh C. Blanchard, 1st Lt. Co. L. 104th Inf. USA"

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

Written on top of box head: "Gr. 26 Blanchard," 1st Lt. bars on blouse.
Officers collar nam. "US-104 crossed rifles" Scapula on body.

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 determine

(c) Hair—Color Impossible to determine

Quantity Impossible to determine

Characteristics Impossible to determine

(d) Hair on face—Color Impossible to determine

Location Impossible to determine

Quantity Impossible to determine

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

missing parts) Teeth no. 3, 15, 32, missing

before death

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

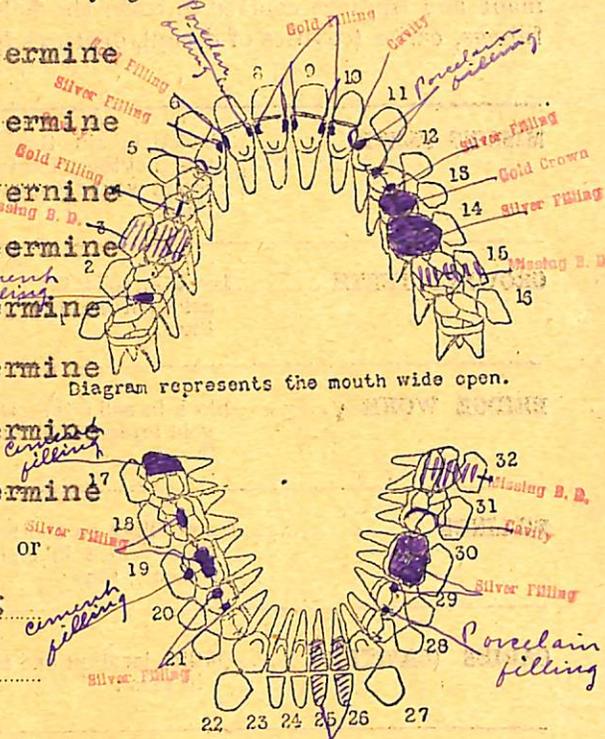
Head shattered

7. Disinterment supervised by E G Scott S.E.

Approved: J J Powers, 1st Lt. QMC
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by E G Scott S.E.

Approved: J J Powers, 1st Lt. QMC
(Title)



15-51657

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Blanchard		
	BLA	3	221
	Hugh C		
	CEMETERY 1764	1	4
BURIED	GRAVE 52	2	52
	ROW 2	2	02
	BLOCK A	1	1
STATE	Mass	2	25
RANK	1st Lt	1	1
DIVISION	26	2	26
ORGANIZATION	104	3	104
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL (Rem. to.)	Remarried	1	3
NAME	Harrington		
	11 H. St.	3	11
	Mrs Mignon		
	STATE Mass	2	25
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Suffolk	2	11
	CITY Canton	3	11
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Dead - since war	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

AUDITED

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Blanchard, Hugh C. - 1764 W

July 7, 1930

Mrs. Mignon Harrington
1053 West Street
Canton, Mass

Dear Madam:

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:

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

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
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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

Blanchard, Hugh C.
1764

Sept. 13, 1929

Mrs. Mignon Harrington
1053 West Street,
Canton, Mass.
R. F. D. #1.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated July 29, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

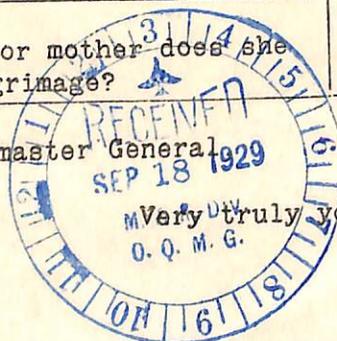
Widow has remarried

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.

His mother has died

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

For The Quartermaster General



Very truly yours,
O. Q. M. G.

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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Blanchard, Hugh G.

July 29th, 1929

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The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late First Lieutenant Hugh G. Blanchard, Co. L. 104th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Aisne-Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?

2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?

3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 12, 1929.

Blanchard, Hugh C.

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AT

Mrs Mignon Blanchard,
27 Buckminster St.,
Boston, Mass.

Rem. W. Mignon Harrington,
1053 West St.,
Canton, Mass.
R.F.D. #1.

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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,

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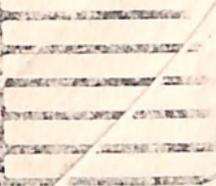
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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July 7, 1930

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|---|--|
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 8, 1927.

BLANCHARD, Hugh C., 1st Lt.,
Co. L, 104th Infantry.

Mrs. Mignon Blanchard,
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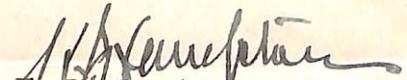
Dear Madam:

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 overseas military cemetery is to be maintained by the United States for all time. The graves will be permanently marked by white headstones inscribed with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves, as soon as possible, and without necessity 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 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,


K. J. Hampton,
Lt. Col. Q.M.G.
Assistant.

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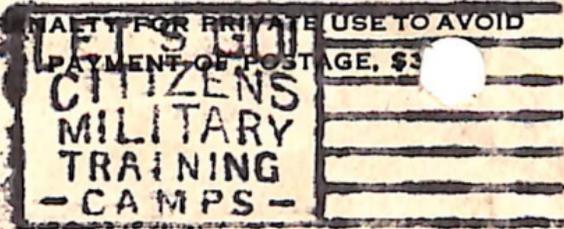
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4-21-27*

Office



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Mrs. Mignon Blanchard,
27 Buckminster St.,
Boston, Mass.

Soldier's  Overseas
Grave

Name Hugh C. Blanchard

Rank 1st Lieutenant

Organization Co. I, 104th Infantry

Grave No. 52 Row 2 Block A

Cemetery Aisne-Marne American Cemetery

Location Belleau, Aisne, France.

WAR DEPARTMENT
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QM 293 A-C

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Assistant.

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #7445

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

OK MATHS 5-4-21

(a) Name BLANCHARD, Hugh C. Ser. No. ---
(b) Rank 1st Lt. Organization Co. I, 104th Inf.
(c) Date of death 7/18/18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. EK

CKR. *3A*

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

(a) Grave No. 161 Row -- Plot 4 Sec. N TYP. EK

(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. H. C. Blanchard (wife) 27 Buckminster St., Boston, Mass.

(over)

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

CKR. *3A*

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

no card in file 2-19-21 PF

(a) Name _____ (b) Relationship _____

(c) Address _____

(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? _____

(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 PF Date 2-19-, 1920.

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

_____, dated _____

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

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials PF Date 2-19-, 1920.

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

No request for disposition E. A. same.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

Examiner's Initials PF Date 2-19-, 1920.

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 1764 SHEET No. 182

Checked 2/19/21

H-8-b-7-21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on _____, 1920

MAR 10 1921

Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned

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IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

B.A.W.R., Mrs. Mignon Blanchard,
(mother) 27 Buckminster St., Boston, Mass. 3/19/21
M.B.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #7445

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

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

No card in file. P.F. 2-19-21.
No request for disposition
— P.F. 5-6-21.

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on ---, 192
 letter of transmittal on ---, 192

Pat. #2 Not To Be Returned

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

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 1764 SHEET No. 182

H.S. 5-7-21

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Oct. 17, 1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

^{mem} Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BLANCHARD, Hugh C.

10. Name _____

2. No. --

11. No. _____

3. Rank 1st Lieut,

12. Rank _____

4. Org. Co. L. 104th Inf.

13. Org. _____

5. D.D. July 18th. 1918

14. (a) D.D. _____

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B. no discrep.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 161 Sec. N

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____

8. Plot 4 Row _____

16. Plot _____ Row _____

9. _____

17. no discrep.

18. Cemetery Aisne-Marne Amer.

19. Commune or town Belleau

20. Dept. or County Aisne.

21. Country France

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

1764

23. Disinterred (Date) Oct. 17, 1922

By C.P. Keating

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Hugh C. Blanchard

Serial No. _____

Rank 1st. Lieut.

Organization Co. L. 104th. Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? no On body? yes
(badly corroded)

W.D. Wall Jr.
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

W.D. Wall Jr.

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).

Bottle record agrees. Officer's insignia "E" 104 crossed rifles
"U-S" 1st. Lt. bars.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecog.

28. Nature of burial Burlap and wooden box.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? none

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Oct. 17, 1922 By C.P. Keating

31. Casket sealed by C.P. Keating

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor C.P. Keating)

ADMITTED BY
8412
6/28/26

C.P. Keating

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-31202XX
~~XXXXXXXX C-31361~~

32. Designation of body:

Name Hugh C. BLANCHARD. Serial No. _____

Rank 1st Lieut. Organization Co. I. 104th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Aisne-Marne Amer.Cty.1764, Belleau, Aisne.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Oct. 17, 1922 By C.P.Keating

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 *O. E. Davis*
O. E. Davis, 1st.Lt.QMC

36. Remarks

Body disc (badly corroded) shows:
"1st.Lt. 104th.Inf."

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Oct. 17, 1922

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 Oct. 17, 1922

To Permanent Cemetery Aisne Marne Cem.1764, Belleau (Aisne)
(Name)
Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer *O. E. Davis*
O.E.Davis, 1st.Lt.QMC

40. Received: Date _____

G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred Oct.17,1922,Aisne-Marne Cem.1764,Belleau(Aisne)
(Date)

42. Grave No. 52 Section _____

43. Plot BLOCK A Row 2

G.R.S. Representative *W.D. Cleary*
W.D.Cleary
Lt.,Chaplain,USA.

Place Belleau (Aisne)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Oct.-17, 1922

1. REMAINS OF BLANCHARD, Hugh C SERIAL NUMBER
RANK 1st.Lieut. ORGANIZATION Co. I. 104th.Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Oct. 17, 1922. From (give complete location): Gr. 161, Sec. N. Pl. 24. Cem. 1764.
By: Group 2 Unit Aisne Marne

3. Reburied (date): Oct. 17, 1922 In (give complete location): Gr. 52, Block A, Row 2, Aisne- arne Cem. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)
By: Group re-burial group Unit Nature of Reburial Lined casket

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

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body? yes On grave marker? no
(badly corroded)
(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
Bottle record agrees.
Officer's insignia "104 crossed rifles" "U.S." "1st.Lt. Bars.

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

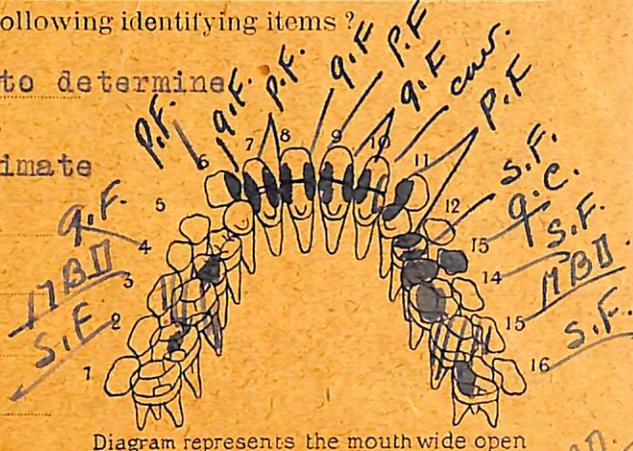
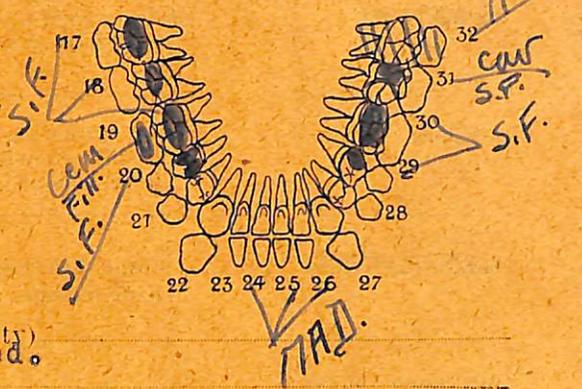


Diagram represents the mouth wide open

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



(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)
Fractures: Skull shattered.
Missing parts: None visible.
W.D.Wall Jr. Checker

7. Disinterment supervised by [Signature] Approved: O.E. Davis, 1st Lt. QMC
C.P. Keating S.E. (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by [Signature] Approved: W.D. Cleary
L.D. Hays (Title) Lt., Chaplain, USA.

C. 28316
Please rush.

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

Harlow C.W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER	CEMETERY NO.	DATE
<u>Blanchard, Hugh G., 1st Lieut.</u>	<u>1764 - 182</u>	<u>2/21/21.</u>
SERIAL NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	

Co. L, 104th Inf.

Date of death - 7/18/18.

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department

DATE March 17, 1921.

Date 3/19/21 WEB

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Mignon Blanchard,

Mother

Address

27 Buckminster St., Boston, Mass.

S/709/LML

FROM. O. Q. M. G.
CEMETERIAL 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 2/21/21.

File No. Requisition.

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 Blanchard ✓

f. Date of death 7/18/18. ✓

b. Christian name Hugh C. ✓

g. Cause of death K/A. ✓

c. Serial Number ---

h. Authority (C.O.#)

d. Organization Co. L, 104th Inf. ✓

i. Emergency address
ms. Mignon Blanchard
27 Barkminster St., Allston
Mass.

e. Rank 1st Lieut. ✓

j. Relationship wife

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

MAR 21 1921

FILE

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

BY: *H. J. Conner*

H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut., Q.M.G.

C.W.

CHEMISTRY NO: 1764

SHEET NO: 182

TYPED BY: I.W.

S/713/LML

FILE

7445

Grave location Blank

Blanchard, none, Hugh C.

1st Lieut. Co. L 104th Inf.

21st July 1918

Belleau

S.E. of town of Belleau. Map Chateau Thierry, June 29, 1918 Eschelle de 1-20000, Coordinates 175:8-263:1. Junction of road from Torcy-Belleau and Belleau-Bouresches.

Grave No. , , Non

579

Identification Tags:

..... Yes
..... No

CMR. BELLEAU (AISNE)

(0-34) SHT. 49 N.E. COORD { E- 175.8
N- 263.1 }

Reported By:

Lt. Allen Evans Jr., Chaplain
104th Infantry.

16 OCT 1918

7445

File No:.....

Blanchard, H.C.

Lieut. Co.L, 104th, Inf.

Date of Death: _____

File No:.....

Date Buried: _____

Cemetery: _____

Grave No: 1 Sect: _____

Commune (No.: 34..) Belleau

Dept: _____ / Aisne Map: 49NE

Coordinates: E175.75, N263.41

Remarks: _____

Sketch No: 2

NP _____ CROSS _____ ED BD _____ BTTL _____

Ident. Tag on Gr. Lid: _____ b.w.b. _____

Authority: _____

SEP 1918

B. 142

7. IDENTIFICATION TAGS. - Mention of square tags omitted. Two aluminum tags to be worn habitually. (G.O. 30, G.H.Q.A.E.F., 1918.)

IDENTIFICATION TAGS, DISPOSITION OF. - In case of death one tag is to be buried with remains. The duplicate is to be securely fastened to the name peg or stake used as temporary marker. (G.O. 30, G.H.Q.A.E.F., 1918.)

8. G. R. S. ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL. - "Needs in personnel can be secured by using convalescent and disabled soldiers for this work." (Cable C-in-C, Dec. 30, 1917.)

Continental List No. RY-1627
Daily Report No. _____

Classification

Adjustment

CEMETERY DIVISION
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
REGISTRATION SECTION

Date Sept. 2, 1920.

MEMORANDUM:

To: Registration Files Sub-Section.

Subject: Adjustments made on Registration Files.

FILE

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

	CORR.	ADD. DATA		CORR.	ADD. DATA
File Number			Date of Burial		
Name			Date of Reburial		
Serial Number			Burial Information		
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Organization			Notified Nearest Relative		✓
Cause of Death		✓	Blue Card thrown out		✓
Date of Death		✓	White Card set up		✓
Casualty Cablegram Number		✓			

O.K. Alphabetical Files 9-7-20-ew
~~O.K. Organization Files~~ _____
~~O.K. State Files.~~ _____

FILE

✓ Cemetery Audit Department
 Investigation & Adjustment Dept.

By H. Schadt

3 Cards attached.

FROM: Q. M. G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room 1131

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

WAR DEPARTMENT

Address Reply To
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE & STORAGE
Munitions Building

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE
WASHINGTON

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

Date June 14, 1920

File No. 7445 Registration.

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

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- ✓ b. Christian name Hugh C. ✓ g. Cause of death k/a
- ✓ c. Serial number -- ✓ h. Authority (C.C.#) 213
- ✓ d. Organization Co. L, 104th Inf. ✓ i. Emergency address Mrs. H.C. Blanchard
27 Buckminster St.
Boston, Mass.
- ✓ e. Rank 1st. Lt. ✓ j. Relationship (wife)

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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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Classification _____
Adjustment _____

CEMETERY DIVISION
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
REGISTRATION SECTION

JUN 17 1920

Date _____

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Serial Number			Burial Information		✓
Rank			Nearest Relative		
Organization			Notified Nearest Relative		✓
Cause of Death			Blue Card thrown out		
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O.K. Alphabetical Files H. E. S. 6-21-20

O.K. Organization Files _____

~~O.K. State Files~~ _____

Card Dept.
Cemetery Audit Department
Investigation & Adjustment Dept.

By A. Saffer

5 Cards attached.

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FROM: G. R. S. Officer, Paris.

FILE NO. 7445.

TO: Chief, G. R. S., (Registration Branch), Tours,

DATE June 17th. 1919.

SUBJECT: Location, grave of:

NAME **BLANCHARD, Hugh**

SERIAL NUMBER

RANK **Lieut.**

ORGANIZATION **Co. "L" 104th Inf. 26 Div.**

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with records?	1. BLANCHARD, Hugh C. 1st Lieut. Co. "L" 104th Infantry
2.	Date of death:	2. 7.18.1919
3.	Grave location:	3. Grave #26, American Battle Area Cemetery, Commune of Belleau, Belleau, Department Aisne.
4.	Who reported burial?	4. Lieut. Allen Evans, Jr., Chaplain, 104th Infantry.
5.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	5. Yes.
6.	How is grave marked?	6. No information
7.	Identification tags:	7 No information
	(a) Buried with Body?	a ----
	(b) Attached to grave Marker?	b ----
8.	Emergency address:	8. Mrs H.C. Blanchard (wife) 27, Buckminster St., Boston, Mass.
9.	Has above been notified? (Give Date)	9. Yes December 6, 1918.

REMARKS: **Forwarded to Chief G.R.S., June 17th. 1919.**

Requested by **BURKE, Miss Anna - #16 Ave. Wagram, Etoile Service Club, PARIS.**

European address **#16 Ave. Wagram, Etoile Service Club - PARIS -**

Relationship to deceased **Friend**

Inquirer informs: **Boston Mass.**

Checked by