

To The A. G. O.

146

FEB 18 1926

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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Brashear, Sampson B. - Iowa

FATHER REFERS TO SON'S NAME AS Sampson B. BRASHEAR DATE 11/7/21.

2/2/27

1. NAME BRASHER, Samson B. SERIAL No. off

RANK 2nd Lieut. ORGANIZATION Co. A, 358th Inf.

& DIVISION 90

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne, Amer. Cty, ROMAGNE-sous-MONTFAUCON #1232 sec 55

CTY. NAME (Meuse) NUMBER

39 GRAVE 55 1

Sec 55 PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 80 Bac. Cunel, Meuse

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35 NE 285.6 N 309.8 E

CONCENTRATED TO 5/10/19 39 Sec 55 1

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne Cemetery 1232

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on body and cross.

DATE OF DEATH Oct 24/18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Ky

data F-1. MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

ccg. DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

Jeff
M. B. BIRDSEYE

1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 11/7/21 14 17 A.

DATE GRAVE ROW Block ~~PKK~~

AUDITED BY

M. M. E.
4-14-28

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. #1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucou (Meuse)

4
FEB 19 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

5
MAR 30 1928
WAR DIV.

Major General
The Adjutant General, Ia
Wa 2/24/26

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.



GRAVE LOCATION BLANK
 01 307 012

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF
 BRASHEAR, Sampson (Number) (First Name and Initials)
 2nd Lt. 358th Inf (Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: Killed in action

CAUSE OF DEATH: Killed in action

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct 27, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL: Cemetery, N. of Cunel
 (Give Cemetery, Town and Department). Map references must
 specify clearly what map is used.

Map: Montfaucon; 85.5-09.8

GRAVE NUMBER: 65

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? yes
 Cross? no
 Headboard? no
 Bottle? no

IDENTIFICATION TAGS: yes
 no

Was one buried with body? yes
 no

Was one fastened to name peg or
 stake used as a grave marker? yes
 no

If name unknown and tags missing, description and mark
 should be given here?

NEAREST RELATIVE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

RELATIONSHIP: _____

REPORTED BY: J. Fitzgibbon, 1st Lt. 358th Inf.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

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

STAMPED

C. L. TRINISSBUR. - 2nd Lt,
 Infantry

March 11 1919

Johnson, Otto, - CPL 2851327
 Co. A 358th Infantry
 Minneapolis Mann 326 Monroe St.
 N. E.

on 11/24/18 CT 364
 near Madeline Farm in Argonne Secti
 ony started shelling about six
 it about two yards ahead of Lt.
 and his body. The Lt. dropped
 and laid down on his back I spoke
 died in a few minutes was bur-
 ose where killed.

BRASHEAR, SAMSON, B. - 2nd Lieut.

Co. A. 358th Infantry
90th Div

BRASHER, SAMSON, B. - 2nd Lieut.

Killed in action 11/24/18 CT 364

The company was entering woods near Madline Farm in Argonne Sector. We were in rear of Company enemy started shelling about Six A.M. on Oct. 24th 1918 a shell hit about two yards ahead of Lt. Brasher small shrapnell penetrated his body. The Lt. dropped himself at one side of the road and laid down on his pack I spoke to him but he did not answer, He died in a few minutes Was buried in Cemetery near at Cunel close where killed.

Informant: Johnson, Otto, - Cpl 2851327
Co. A 358th Infantry
Home: Minneapolis Minn 326 Monroe St.
N. E.
March 11 1919

Signed: C. L. LEINSSEUR. - 2nd Lt,
Infantry

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Brashear	3	281
BURIED	Sampson		
	B.		
	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 14	2	14
	ROW 17	2	17
	BLOCK A	1	1
STATE	Ky	2	20
RANK	1st Lt	1	1
DIVISION	90	2	90
ORGANIZATION	358	3	358
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	Mo	1	2
NAME	Brashear	3	
	H.P.		
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
	Brassfield Ky.		
RELATION	Other	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Dead	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	

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Brashear, Sampson B. 1232 B

July 8, 1930

Mr. H. P. Brashear
Brassfield, Kentucky

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

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

If so, give her name and address:

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?

If so, give her name and address:

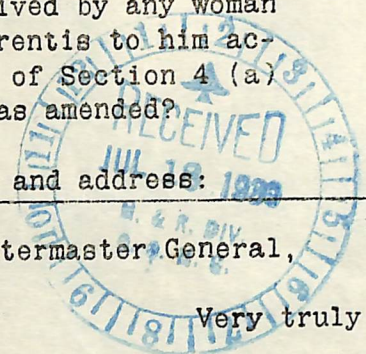
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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



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Mr. H. P. Brashear

Brassfield
Ky.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE January 17, 1930

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Brashear, Sampson B.	2nd Lt.	Officer	Co. A. 358th Inf.	Oct. 24, 1918

STATE	CTY. NO.	GRAVE	ROW	BLOCK	A
Kentucky	1232	14	17		

NAME AND ADDRESS	Check relationship	Living	-	Deceased	e-82886 1/21 W
		:	:	:	
	MOTHER	:	:	✓ :	
	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	
	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	
	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	:	:	:	
	<u>Single man</u>	:	:	:	

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156/

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Brashear, Samson B.

June 27, 1929.

Mr. James N. Brashear,
Viper, Kentucky.

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 father of the late 2nd Lieut. Samson B. Brashear, Co. A., 358th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, 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,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Brashear, Samson B.
1232

August 30, 1929.

Mr. James N. Brashear,
Viper, Kentucky.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 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.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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Very truly yours,

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

Brashear,

(Surname)

Sampson B.

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

2nd. Lt.

Co. A. 358th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased *father*

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?

(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:

Duplicate

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

*James N. Brashear Sr.
Viper Ky.*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-0713

(over)

We desire his
remains placed
in a national
cemetery in France.

Respectfully
James W. Brashear

Order of the Court #699

Drawn by
1232 See 55-18
5-26-21

checked
5-27-21

In reply refer to:
QM - 295 C-R

August 11, 1923.

Mr. James N. Brashear,
Viper,
Ky.

Dear Sir: Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of

2nd Lieutenant Samson B. Brashear, Company A,
356th Infantry, is Grave 14, Row 17, Block A, Meuse-Argonne American
Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The 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.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.



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file
8082/2/27

Place NEUFCHATEAU

Date 13th June 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Brasher Sampson B.

70218

Name: BRASHEAR Sampson B.

Number

Rank: 2nd Lt.

Organization Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group:

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

from (give complete location)

6 10th May 1919

Grave No. 80 B/A Cty.

CIMET. MEUSE

35NE. 309.8E 285.6N.

Reburied (Date)

to: (give complete location)

10th May 1919

Grave No. 39 Sect. 55 Plot. 1

1232

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY # 1938

POMAGNE MEUSE

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

Burial good Buried blanket Body badly decomposed

Was any identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

CONFIRMED No. D

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found on 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 of identity in doubtful cases, notation thereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Lt. Caswell

R. H. ROSENTHAL

2nd Lieut. O.M.C.U.S.A.

PHH

G.O. Group Unit

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 70218

3/4 Exhumed
3/21
1/22
Concentration # 1282
Inmate - Argonne 1282
Att 3/20/22

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BRASHER, Samson B. Ser. No. -
(b) Rank 2nd Lt. Organization Co. A, 358th Inf.
(c) Date of death 10-24-18 (d) Cause of death k/a

TYP. b
CKR. [initials]

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

(a) Grave No. 39 Row - Plot 1 Sec. 55 TYP. b
(b) Emerg. Address Mr. Preston T. Brasher (brother) Viper, Ky.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases / / / CKR. [initials]

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name James N. Brasher, Sr. (b) Relationship Father
(c) Address Viper, Ky.
(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. In national Cemetery in France.

Examiner's Initials [initials] Date 5-26-21, 192

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

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

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____, 192

VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE—shows as follows: Preston T. Brasher, Viper,

Ky., 4-29-19, requests information concerning condition body would be in, if returned.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes

Examiner's Initials [initials] Date 5-26-21, 192

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-sec. 55 SHEET No. 18

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 192

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 192

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
letter on **JUN 7 1921**, 192

See #55-

Par. 2 Not To Be Returned

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IX.

REMARKS

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov 7 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	<u>BRASHER, Samson B.</u>	10. Name	
2. No.	<u>-----</u>	11. No.	
3. Rank	<u>2nd Lieut.</u>	12. Rank	
4. Org.	<u>Co, A, 358th Inf.</u>	13. Org.	
5. D.D.	<u>Oct 24th, 1918</u>	14. (a) D.D.	
6. C.D.	<u>KIA.</u>	(b) D.B.	<u>None</u>

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No.	<u>39</u>	Sec.	<u>55</u>	15. Grave No.		Sec.	
8. Plot	<u>1</u>	Row		16. Plot		Row	
9.				17.			<u>None</u>

18. Cemetery	<u>Meuse-Argonne, Amer.</u>	19. Commune or town	<u>ROMAGNE-sous-MONTFAUCON</u>
20. Dept. or County	<u>Meuse</u>	21. Country	<u>France</u>
22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No.	<u>#1232 sec 55</u>		

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov 7 1921 By A C Dawe

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name	<u>Samson B Brasher</u>	Serial No.	<u>-----</u>
Rank	<u>2nd Lt.</u>	Organization	<u>Co A 358 Inf</u>

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

Clarence J Hughes
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

Clarence J Hughes.

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).

Officer's insignia, Lt Bar US and Inf; Tag on body, partially corroded. Tag on marker reads: Sampson B Brasher, 2nd Lt.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial Officer's uniform, burlap wooden box.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov 7 1921 By A C Dawe31. Casket sealed by A C Dawe.

AUDITED BY

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) A. C. Dawe

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No. **C-14165**

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32. Designation of body:

Name **BRASHER, Samson B.**

Serial No. -----

Rank **2nd Lt.** Organization **Co, A, 358th Inf.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Meuse-Argonne, Amer. Cty #1232, ROMAGNE-sous-MONTFAUCON (Meuse)**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Nov 7 1921** By **A. C. Dawe**

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 *H S Harpole*
H S Harpole, Lt QMC

36. Remarks -----

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Nov 7 1921** **cc**

To point of Concentration **Morgue Romagne** (Name -----)

Convoyer **W J Royed** Signature Shipping Officer *G F Spann*
G F Spann, Capt. QMC.

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

By G.R.S. Representative -----

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date -----

To Permanent Cemetery -----

Convoyer ----- (Name -----) Signature Shipping Officer -----

40. Received: Date -----

G.R.S. Representative -----

41. Reinterred **Meuse-Argonne Cty. 1232** (Date **Nov. 7, 1921**)

42. Grave No. **14, Block A, Row 17** Section -----

43. Plot ----- Row -----

G.R.S. Representative *GEO. C. BLAND*
GEO. C. BLAND
1st Lt. QMC dmd



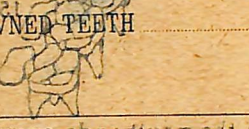





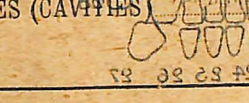

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Questions 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the [body] was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".

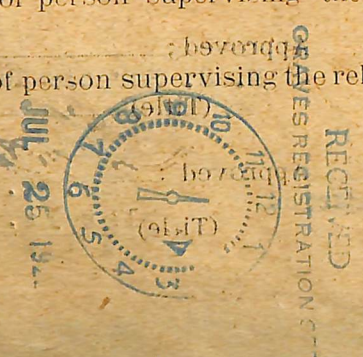
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No 6.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

<p>MISSING TEETH</p> 	<p>All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
<p>CROWNED TEETH</p> 	<p>Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN</p>
<p>BRIDGE WORK</p> 	<p>Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<p>FILLINGS</p> 	<p>Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
<p>CARIES (CAVITIES)</p> 	<p>Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED DECAYED</p>
<p>DENTURES (PLATES)</p>	<p>Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp"</p>	

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.

8. Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 70218

See Form 115
att 3/10/22

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD: ^A ^P

(a) Name BRASHER, Samson B. Ser. No. -
 (b) Rank 2nd Lt. Organization Co. A, 358th Inf. } TYP. b
 (c) Date of death 10-24-18 (d) Cause of death k/a } 30

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

(a) Grave No. 39 Row - Plot 1 Sec. 55 TYP. b
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Preston T. Brasher (brother) Viper, Ky.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases ////// CKR. CKR

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 { letter of transmittal on JUN 7 1921, 192

Sec # 55
Par. 2 Not To Be Returned
mt.

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source.	Relationship and name.	Desires.	Action taken.
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VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. _____, 192

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Brashear, Sampson
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

2nd Lt. 358th Inf
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Killed in action*

DATE OF BURIAL: *Oct 27, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *Cemetery N. of Cunel*
(Give Cemetery, Town and Department). Map references must specify clearly what map is used.

Map *Montfaucont, 85.5-09.*

GRAVE NUMBER: *85*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *yes* Cross? *1*
Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS: *yes*

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?

OMME, Cunel (Meuse)

NEAREST RELATIVE: *(C 249 BILT 35 N.E. COORD E-309.8 N 285.5)*

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:
F. Fitzgibbon, 1st Lt. 358th Inf.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)



249-1144

Communal List No. _____
Daily Report No. _____

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2. Soldier's No.

3. Brashear Sampson B.
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials4. 2nd Lt. Inf.
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Date of Death Cause, if known

6. B. A. C.
Date of Burial Cemetery7. Cunel Meuse
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department8. 80 ~~#~~ F
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter9. Name Peg? Cross? 1 Headboard? Bottle?
Check Method of Marking10. Buried with Body? Attached to Grave Marker?
Identification Tags

11. If name unknown and tags missing, give marks and description.

12. "A" sketch 35
Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed... Lt. Caswell

GROUP No. 4 Group..... Unit..... G. E. S.

PROV. UNIT "A" C



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2nd Ind.

AOI:F

Chief, Graves Registration Service, Hq. S.O.S., A.E.F., Mar. 20, 1919 - To: G.O., 214th
Co, M.P.C., A.P.O. 915, A.E.F. Returned.

1. Records of this office show Lieut. Samson B. Brasher, Co A, 358th Inf.,
to have been killed in action October 24, 1918. Place of burial shown in 1st
interment. Grave marked by cross. One identification attached to marker,
and one tag buried with body.

CHARLES C. PIERCE
Lieut. Colonel, G.M.C., U.S.A.

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214th.Co.MILITARY POLICE CORPS,

LUNEVILLE, FRANCE.

FEBRUARY, 28, 1919.

FROM: CO 214th Co. M.P. C., A. P. O. 915.

TO: CHIEF, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, A.P.O. 731.

SUBJECT: Location of the grave of 2nd Lieut. Sampson B. Brashear.

1. Will you please give me the location of the grave of 2nd. Lieut. Sampson B. Brashear, as I am very anxious to visit his grave.

Frank Horn,
Captain, A. P. M.

1st Ind.

Graves Registration Officer, Neufchateau Area #1, A.E.F., March 4th, 1919 - To:
Chief, Graves Registration Service, A.P.O. 717, A.E.F.

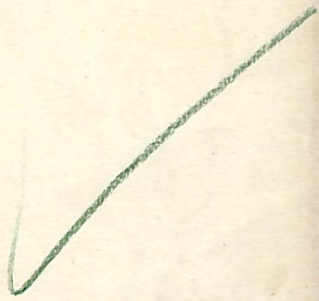
1. Forwarded, for necessary action.

2. Records at this office show Second Lieutenant Sampson B. Brashear buried in Grave 80, Battle Area Cemetery, in the commune of Cunel (Meuse), Plot F; Map Verdun, 35 N.E., East 309.8, North 285.6.

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CHESTER E. STATEN
MAJOR Q.M.C.
G. R. OFFICER.

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No Card

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Viper, Ky.

April, 29, 1919

The Adjutant General
Washington, D. C.

Am in receipt of a letter from your office asking what disposition should be made of the body of Lieut. Sampson B. Brashear and before deciding I wish ^{to} ask in what condition it would be possible for you to return the body would you have to burn the body and return the ashes, if not would not his body be decomposed by this time, it is according to the condition his remains would be in when returned

Yours for information
Preston J. Brashear

Received Enlisted Division
MAY 8 1919

Received A.G.O. MAY 8 1919

BR. 293.8 Brashear, Sampson B. (Lieut)

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A.G. 293.8 Brashear, Sampson B.
RT-S-359

May 8, 1919.

Mr. Preston F. Brashear,
Viper, Kentucky.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of April 29, 1919, I beg to advise you that it is rather difficult for us to answer your inquiry as to what condition the body of Lieutenant Sampson B. Brashear would be in upon its return to the United States, as this office has no information as to the conditions under which he was buried. However, we wish to assure you that it will be returned in as good condition as possible. Although the policy has not been definitely decided it is believed that each body will be placed in a metallic casket. But as it is not known how soon the work of transferring bodies will be begun it can not be stated the condition in which they will be returned.

The Government makes no provisions for cremation, but will return the body and the family may make whatever disposition they wish.

Very truly yours,

Adjutant General
In Charge of Office.

Per.

L. S. Chappellear,

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5-8-1919



