

WAR DEPARTMENT.

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID  
PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$300.

Pvt. Co. B, 103rd Engrs.

BRADLEY, James G. Jr. #1254705

28935

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OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

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FOR INFO. V<sub>a</sub>

MEA

Name: **BRAWLEY, James C.** (1254705)

DD - 7/15/18

File No.: **22935**

Rank and Organization: **Pvt., Co. B., 103rd. Engrs**

CD - K/A

Next of kin: **Mrs. Mary J. Brawley, (mother)**  
**#1051 N. 44th. St., Philadelphia, Pa.**

Transport: **"WHEATON"** 7/2/21

Ship remains to:

Street and No.: **ABOVE**

City: **H - H**

Telegram sent:

ROUTING

SHIPPED

**CRRofNJ - Bound Brook**  
**P & R - dest**

Train No.:

Time:

Date: **JUL 13 1921**

Station:

T. R. No. -----

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HOBOKEN, N.J.

7/14/21

22935

CAPTAIN QM CORPS

MRS MARY L BRAWLEY  
1051 NORTH 44TH STREET  
PHILADELPHIA PENNSYLVANIA

REMAINS PRIVATE JAMES C BRAWLEY LEAVE JERSEY CITY JULY FOURTEENTH  
SIX FORTY TWO AM ARRIVE PHILADELPHIA PENNSYLVANIA VIA PHILADELPHIA  
AND READING RAILROAD

GRAVES REGISTRATION

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NEW YORK GENERAL INTERMEDIATE DEPOT  
NEW YORK NEW YORK

SPECIAL ORDERS

July 13, 1921 se

NO. 21.

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1. Under the provisions of paragraph 87, Army Regulations, Corporal W.L. Parriss, 16th Infantry, as Escort will proceed from Hoboken, N.J., to Philadelphia, Pa., on official business accompanying the remains of:

Cpl. John B. Allen, 560234, Co. L, 58th Inf.  
Cpl. Howard C. Bainbridge, 1784589, Co. B, 315th Inf.  
Capt. Hobart A. H. Baker, 141st Aero Sq.  
Pvt. James C. Brawley, Jr., 1254705, Co. B, 103rd Engrs.  
Pvt. Francis Leo Caville, 1235129, Co. A, 109th Inf.  
Pvt. Francis J. Crawford, 1239722, Co. B, 110th Inf.  
Pfc. John A. Dougherty, 1238103, Hq. Co., 109th Inf.  
Pfc. Bernard E. Fanean, 1240818, Co. G, 110th Inf.  
Capt. Louis H. Fielding, Co. E, 111th Inf.  
Pvt. George R. Gosner, 1237819, Co. M, 109th Inf.  
Pvt. Raymond E. Greeley, 1241950, Co. M, 110th Inf.  
Pfc. Vernon B. Heckroth, 7765, S.S.U. #506, U.S.AAS  
Pvt. Robert H. Hogg, 184191, Co. A, 101st Engrs.  
Pvt. William H. Houck, 1237625, Co. L, 109th Inf.  
Pvt. John E. Kelly, 1242971, Co. B, 111th Inf.  
Pvt. Walter J. Kirk, 1241963, Co. M, 110th Inf.  
Pvt. Louis H. Koehler, 3110994, Co. M, 316th Inf.  
Sgt. Adam W. Kowalski, 1236767, Co. H, 109th Inf.  
Pvt. Joseph Lewis, 3110127, Co. C, 315th Inf.  
Pvt. Charles A. McCormick, 1241307, Co. I, 110th Inf.  
Pvt. Ernest P. Morgan, 390324 Co. Sup., 120th F.A.  
Cpl. Thomas Murray, 1240445, Co. E, 110th Inf.  
Pvt. Thomas P. Noonan, 1242592, Hq. Co., 111th Inf.  
Pvt. Leon Roberts, 1252751, Bty. F, 108th F.A.  
Pvt. William H. Schmidt, 569973, Bty C, 10th F.A.  
Pfc. Clark Stewart, 1240891, Co. G, 110th Inf.

Upon completion of this duty Escort will return to Hoboken, N.J., and report to the Officer in Charge, Graves Registration Service. The Transportation Service will furnish transportation and the Finance Service will pay Escort a per diem allowance, in advance, at the authorized rate, (4 rations plus \$1.50), for one (1) day, as provided in paragraph 1223-(g), Army Regulations, it being impracticable for the Government to furnish subsistence in kind. The journey is necessary for the public service. (Q.M.C. Cemeterial).

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34 Capt. Shannon

1 CO of Escort

1 CO Casual Det.

1 Executive Hdqrs. N.Y.G.I.D.

1 file

By command of Brigadier General Hutcheson:

C.H. RICE,  
Major, Infantry, (D.O.L.)  
Executive Officer.

# LIST OF PAPERS

7-1849

File under No. 293.8

James C. Brawley, Jr. #1254705

3-6783

SERIAL NUMBER	FROM-	DATE	TO-	SYNOPSIS
	Fort Myer, Va.	3-28-28	Mr. McCreight	- Sectrist

Records from  
European Claims Unit  
Ft. Myer, Va. No. 1A.

*file*  
*9/2/28*  
*[Signature]*

Brawley,

(Surname.)

James C. Jr

(Christian name in full.)

1,254,705

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co B, 103rd Engr

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

*Mother.*

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

*Yes*

(Yes or no.)

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

*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:

*Mrs Mary J. Brawley 1618 N. 54th. W. Phila. Penna.*

(Name of person to receive remains)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

*He left this house, his father is living but we are separated, he lived with mother.*

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

*Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley.*

*1618 N. 54th. W. Philada. Penna.*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

deacon by ~~M.H.~~  
608-333  
12-11-20

checked  
12-13-20  
M.H.

10/10/18.

Nest Phila.  
Quartermaster General.

Dear Sir, I am

writing to you again in reference  
to my boys grave in France. I  
received a letter from you Aug. 26.  
and you said to write again about  
Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>. and perhaps you would  
have the location of his grave.

I do hope you have. as I have  
another one of my boys who will  
go in this next draft. and if so  
I would like to have the location

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so that. he could go see it, that is if he ever gets near where he is laid, I would like to have the information before this draft goes into effect. if you can possibly send it to me. also let me know if.

I have to make a claim for his body to be brought back to this country. or will the Government bring them back. after the war is over.

and also do I get a photo of his grave. I heard that there was a photo of his grave taken. I hope you will not think me foolish asking all these questions, but I loved my boy, he was the youngest of my 4 boys. I did hate to loose

him, but as his Lieutenant Colonel  
can tell you or the Major Bradford I  
gave him to his country with all my  
heart, thinking he might be wounded  
but never dreaming of being killed he  
was so good a shot with the gun.  
But God knew best and he did not  
suffer for which I thank God.

hoping he is in Heaven Dear Boy.

Will you kindly answer this soon.

You are to refer to file no. 293.3-A-Cem.

Sub. Burial Private J. C. Brawley Jr.

Co. B. 103 Engineers

A. E. H.



NOV 1918

293.3-A-Cemeterial.

October 14, 1918.

The Quartermaster General of the Army.

Mrs. Wm. J. Brawley, 1618 N. 54th Street, West Philadelphia, Pa.

Place of burial of Private James C. Brawley, Jr., Co.B, 103d Engrs.

1. Replying to your letter of the 10th instant requesting to be furnished the place of burial of your son, Private James C. Brawley, Jr., who was killed in action July 15, 1918, I regret to inform that it is impracticable to comply with your request as the report of interments in the cemeteries of the American Expeditionary Forces has not yet been received from the Chief of the Graves Registration Service in France.

R. E. WOOD,  
Acting Quartermaster General,

By:

H. R. Lemly,  
Major, Quartermaster Corps.

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293-3 Brawley James C.

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Oct 14 1918

Part B

103 Eng

July 15

Nest Phila

Aug 24. 1918

To. Quarter Master General.

Dear Sir, I have wrote to the war risk department. in referance to my son who was killed in action July 15 in France. his name and number is C 27962 Brawley Jr. James C. I want to know if there is any way we can have a special mark placed on my boys grave. if you think we can I would like to have something that we could indentify him when they.

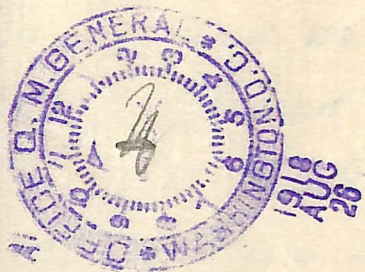
JH

are returning the bodies to this  
country.

Also can I get any of his person-  
al effects, which he had with  
him I would like them for little  
keepsakes. among us.

You will confer a favor on a  
sad and loving mother.

I remain very sincerely  
Mrs. Wm. J. Brawley  
1618 N. 54th St.  
West. Phila  
Penn.



In answer refer to file  
293.3-A-Cem.

August 26, 1918.

The Acting Quartermaster General.

Mrs. Wm. J. Brawley, 1618 N. 54th St., West Philadelphia, Pa.

Burial of Pvt. J. C. Brawley.

1. In reply to your letter of the 24th instant you are informed that the records of this office show that your son, Private James C. Brawley, Jr., Co.B, 103rd Engineers, was killed in action July 15, 1918. His grave in France will be carefully marked with a substantial headboard and the place of burial accurately registered for future identification should it be found practicable to bring the remains back to the United States. It is suggested that you again bring the matter of location of his grave to this office about October 15, 1918, at which time it is possible that information may be at hand.

R. E. Wood  
Acting Quartermaster General.

By:

H. R. Lemly  
Major, Q.M. Corps.

GMP

MAILED  
AUG 26 1918

293.3  
Brawley, James C.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

*Brawley - 1254705 - James C.*  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

*Pvt. - Co B - 103rd Eng.*  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *July 19th 1918.*

PLACE OF BURIAL *Bordeaux - Dept. Picardie*

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

*Cemetery - Bordeaux at white house  
cross roads in center of woods  
(49 means)*

GRAVE NUMBER *13.*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? ..... Cross?  .....  
Headboard? ..... Bottle? .....

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:

REPORTED BY:

*Cap. Fitcher - Capt. B. Chaplain 109th Inf.*  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

BRAWLEY James C. Pvt. 1254705

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St Aignan. He was hit by shrapnel

Informant : Graham Franklin Sgt  
1254740 Co.B. 103 Eng  
Camp Pontanezen Brest  
Home address : 26 Federal St  
Philadelphia Pa  
March 1st 1919

cap. Fletcher  
09th Inf.  
Katharine K. Barton , Searcher .

Butler, 1st Lieut.  
Febr. 19th 1919

Co. B. 10 3rd Engrs.

BRAWLEY James C. Pvt. 12547005

Killed July 15th 1918

Co. We were on the Marne July 16th near St Aignan. He was hit by shrapnel and killed instantly .

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Killed July 15, 1918.

Informant : Graham Franklin Sgt  
1254740 Co. B. 103 Eng  
Camp Pontanezen Brest  
Home address : 26 Federal St  
Philadelphia Pa  
March 1st 1919

Ref. 2-B-124 Above named soldier was killed July 16th, 1918 at St. Aignan. Buried J

Informant: Chap. Fletcher  
109th Inf.  
Dec Katharine K. Barton , Searcher .

V.M.

F. E. Brown - Searcher.

A. S.

Searcher : R.M. Butler, 1st Lieut.  
Febr. 19th 1919

A/A/

March 1st 1918  
Home address : 50 Federal St  
Camp Pontreueux Brest  
152440 Co. B. 103 Eng  
Informant : Captain Fletcher 284

and killed instantly.

He was on the line July 15th near at Aignou. He was hit by shrapnel.

Killed July 15th 1918

Co. B. 103 Eng.

BRAWLEY, James C. Jr. Pvt. 1254705.

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Killed July 15, 1918.

Ref. 2-B-124 Above named soldier was killed by shrapnel  
July 16th, 1918 at St. Aignou. Buried July 19th in Bois de Rouges.

Informant: Chap. Fletcher  
109th Inf.  
Dec. 19th, 1918.

F. E. Brown - Searcher.

A. S.

103rd Engrs Co B

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BRAWLEY Jr Pvt I254705

Killed in action July 15

Brawley was killed in action, I think by High explosive, at St Agnan, in the <sup>Marne</sup> sector, July 17th. We heard from his mother - she wrote to our Captain, and was informed by him of the details of his death. I saw him dead. He was unrecognizable when we buried him - had lain there for three days; but we knew it was he. He was buried in the valley of St Agnan. His grave was marked by a bottle with a slip of paper in it, with his name, rank, ect. written on it. There are other graves there - some in a group, some scattered.

Informant: GALLI Cesare Sgt I255923  
C° B, 103d Engrs.

Home address: 2101 Ave. O I/2 Galveston  
Tex.  
Mar. 1 1919

J.L.

Mildred Stanford, Searcher



Date June 7, 1919.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: Brawley, James C.

Number: 1254305<sup>7</sup>

Rank: Pvt Organization: ?

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 3 Unit 304

Disinterred (Date) June 4, 1919. From (Give complete location)

From Cem Sk # 16 Carr Grave 36 Map 49 N E N. 255.1 E. 197.26

Reburied (Date) June 4, 1919. in: (Give complete location)

~~Fed Cem Seringes et Nesles (Aisne ( Map 55 S.E. N. 275.4 E. 195.25~~

~~Grave 191 Plot 4 Section K.~~

*608*

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

Buried in trench 3 feet deep. Body badly decomposed.

*11856*

**CONFIRMED No. D.**

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No. one on cr.

What other means of identification were found upon the body? None.

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon the bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by G.O. 170, G.H.Q., 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 G. M. Mack

William N. Carr. 1st Lt

Place Seringes et Nesles

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date May 9/21

1. REMAINS OF BRAWLEY, JAMES C. Jr. SERIAL NUMBER 1254705

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Cc. B., 103rd Engrs.

2. Disinterred (date): May 9/21 From (give complete location):

Amer. Cty. Seringes et Nesles, #608, Gr. 191-K-4

By: Group Dave Unit Section 6

3. Reburied (date): In (give complete location):

By: Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Nature of reburial \_\_\_\_\_

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

5 ft. earthen grave, uniform, burlap, box, disintegrated, unrecognizable

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

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

Only means of identification cross over grave. All bodies in this row exhumed. Bodies exhumed from graves 189 and 193 on right and left identified.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) "

(c) Hair—Color "

Quantity "

Characteristics "

(d) Hair on face—Color "

Location "

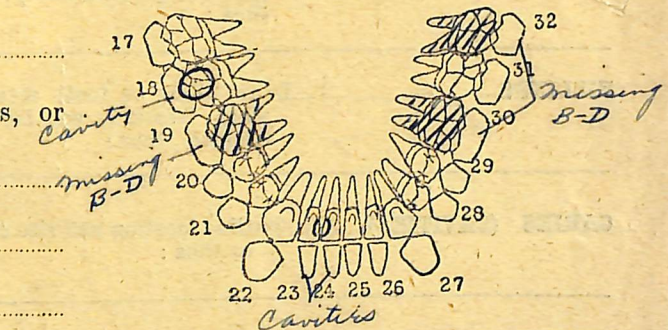
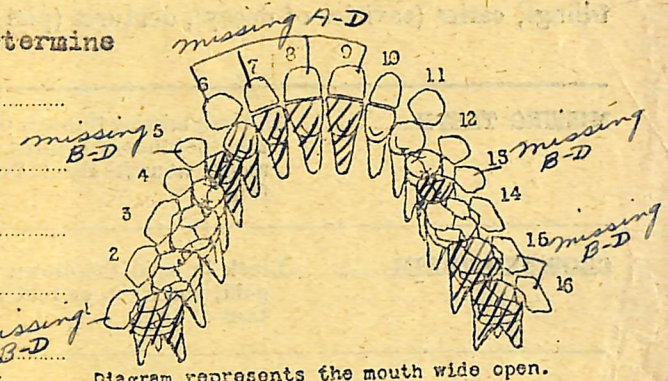
Quantity "

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or cavities) missing B-D

missing parts) Teeth 1-5-13-15-16-19-30-32

missing before death

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



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7. Disinterment supervised by A. C. Dave  
A.C. Dave, S.E.

Approved: [Signature]  
(Title) L.I. Peak, 1st Lt. A.S.






8. Reburial supervised by \_\_\_\_\_

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Title) \_\_\_\_\_

## 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 Question 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><b>MISSING TEETH</b>.....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><b>CROWNED TEETH</b>.....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><b>BRIDGE WORK</b>.....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      GOLDBRIDGE</p>
<p><b>FILLINGS</b>.....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><b>CARIES (CAVITIES)</b>.....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">CAVITY DECAYED      DECAYED DECAYED</p>
<p><b>DENTURES (PLATES)</b>.....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.

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

Hoboken, N. J.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Brawley, James C. Jr.

608 - 333

2/24/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

1254705

Co. B, 103rd Engrs.

Date of Death - 7/15/18.

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE March 21, 1921.

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley

Mother

Address  
1618 N. 54th St., Philadelphia, Pa.  
(1618)

S/709/LML

FILE

Original Forwarded  
to Hoboken  
Date 1/26/21

Adjustment Made  
5 1922

8369

File No. ....

**FILE**  
CENTRAL DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTION

October 20, 1921. ~~1921~~

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Co. B, 103rd Engrs.

ORGANIZATION (Old)

BRAWLEY, Jr. 1254705, James C.

Pvt.

(Name)

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK Pvt. 1/c

DATE OF DEATH 7/17/18

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

**FILE**

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

BY: M. K. McCarthy

Investigation and Adjustment  
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card:

By B

**U.S. WEATON**  
**COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA**

**CABLE Y700 CON 46**  
 File #8369

**I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:**

(a) Name BRAWLEY, James C. Jr. Ser. No. 1254705  
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/c <sup>(10-20-21)</sup> <sub>MEM</sub> Organization Co. B, 103rd Engrs. TYP. DMA  
 (c) Date of death 7/15/18 <sup>17</sup> <sub>(10-20-21)</sub> <sub>MEM</sub> (d) Cause of death K/A CKR. gd

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

(a) Grave No. 191 Row --- Plot 4 Sec. K TYP. DMA  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mary J. Brawley (mother) 1618 N. 54th st., Philadelphia, Pa.

**III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases** ----- CKR. gd

**IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:**

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley (b) Relationship Mother  
 (c) Address 1618 N. 54th St. W. Philadelphia, Penna  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? Yes  
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at No

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. Mrs. Mary J. Brawley 1618 N. 54th St. W. Philadelphia, Penna  
Exp & tele officers do (Boy lived with mother, who was separated from father.)  
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. -----

Examiner's Initials MH Date 12-11, 1920.

**V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE** shows communication from Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley

1051-N-44th St W. Phila. Pa., dated 11/3/19

confirming request in Par. IV., item d, above, or requesting that son's body

be sent to new home - 1051-N-44th St W. Phila Pa.

Examiner's Initials PT Date 12-11, 1920.

**VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE**—shows as follows: Mrs. Mary J. Brawley,

address above, (10-16-19) asks for grave location

(1-15-19) for picture of grave.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes att

Examiner's Initials att Date 12-13-, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 608 SHEET No. 333

*Handwritten notes:*  
 10-20-21  
 MEM

CONFIRMATION RECEIVED  
AND ACKNOWLEDGED

July 2  
July 3

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made 12/14, 1920.

Typed by FS, Checked by JRR, 12/14, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by  
cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 1920  
letter on 1-15-, 1920

*Par. #1. To be returned (Est) 1-17-21*

IX. CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: 2/7/21 - Form 120 - Mrs. Mary J. Brawley, (Mother)  
1051 N. 44th St., Philadelphia, Pa. wishes the body to be returned to the  
United States and shipped to her at 1051 N. 44th St., Penn. R.R., Pa.

Father is living but is separated from mother. H-2/17/21 MP  
*War Risk Beneficiary Lives -*  
*Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley (mother)*  
*1618 W. 4th St., Philadelphia, Pa. (H. 4-1-21 R.)*

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
RAIL BRANCH  
PIER #2, HOBOKEN, N.J.

PERSON AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE REMAINS:

Mrs. Mary J. Brawley, 1051 N. 44th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the remains of

Pvt. James C. Brawley, 1254705, Co.B, 103rd Engrs.

in a satisfactory manner and condition, ~~as shown on permit~~

this 14th day of July 1921

*David G. Frankson*

Signature of person authorized to receive remains

IMPORTANT

THIS RECEIPT MUST BE SIGNED BY PERSON AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE REMAINS. If person undertaker or other than one shown above have such person give you letter of authority signed by person authorized to receive remains before you deliver the remains to him.

TO BE FILLED IN BY ATTENDANT.

NAME W. P. Davis RANK Cap ORGANIZATION Co "A" 103rd Engrs

DESTINATION Philadelphia, Pa.

NUMBER 13173657

DATE RETURNED July 14, 1921

RETURN THIS RECEIPT TO ROOM 353, PIER #2, HOBOKEN, N.J.

Philadelphia, July 12<sup>th</sup> 1921

Superintendent

Capt. Liger

Please deliver the body of

Pvt. James C. Brawley.

to D. G. FRANKENFIELD & SONS, Undertakers.

Order of

Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley.

1057 Belmont Ave.

PREPARATION

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

..... none

27. Condition of body..... disintegrated, unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial..... 5 ft. earthen grave, uniform, burlap, 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..... May 9 /21..... By..... Dave group  
(Date)

31. Casket sealed by..... Dave group

Signature of Embalmer (Supervisor)..... A.C. Dave *A. C. Dave*

SHIPMENT (Show actual marking of box) Box No. .... 28052

32. Designation of body { Name ... Brawley, James G., Jr...... Serial No. .... 1254705  
Rank Pvt...... Organization Co. B, 103rd Engrs.

33. Consignee-Name..... Mrs. Mary J. Brawley

Address..... 1051 N. 44th St., W. Philadelphia, Pa. (Exp. & Tele. do)

34. Casket boxed and marked..... May 9 /21..... By..... Dave group  
(Date)

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..... *L. I. Peak*  
L. I. Peak, 1st Lt. A.S.

36. Remarks..... Only means of identification cross over grave. All bodies in this row exhumed. Bodies exhumed from graves 189 and 193 on right and left identified.

37. Shipped from cemetery..... (Date)..... To..... Mary Graymeyer No 1  
(Point of concentration)

Conveyer..... *R. P. ...*..... Signature Shipping Officer..... *A. B. Proctor*  
A. B. PROCTOR

38. Received at point of concentration..... (Date)..... Wm M. Cline  
Signature Receiving Officer..... Wm M. CLINE  
Captain Q.M.C.

39. Shipped from point of concentration..... (Date).....

To..... PORT OFFICER ANTWERP..... Conveyer..... *W. M. Cline*  
Wm M. CLINE

Signature Shipping Officer..... Captain Q.M.C.

40. Received European port..... Antwerp..... (Date)..... June 3

Signature of G.R.S. Representative..... *F. C. Johnson*  
F. C. JOHNSON, LT-COL., Q. M. C.

41. Shipped to..... Hoboken N. J..... on..... Wheaton.....  
(U.S. port.)..... (Boat.)

Date..... 19 JUN 1921..... Conveyer..... John F. Haylin  
(Signature of Shipping Officer.)

42. Received..... 7/13/21..... By G.R.S. Representative..... *J. F. Butler*  
(Date)..... (Signature)..... J. F. BUTLER  
CAPT. INFANTRY

43. Shipped to destination..... 7/13/21..... (Date)..... { B/L or Express Order No. ....  
Conveyer..... Shipping Officer.....

NOTED  
INDEX CARD

RECORDED  
JUN 6 1921  
Checked By..... *W. M. Cline*

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G.R.S.

DISCREPANCY found upon examination of body.

- |                                       |                   |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Name <u>Brawley, James C., Jr.</u> | 10. Name .....    |
| 2. No. <u>1254705</u>                 | 11. No. ....      |
| 3. Rank <u>Pvt. <i>1/c</i></u>        | 12. Rank .....    |
| 4. Org. <u>Co. B, 103rd Engrs.</u>    | 13. Org. ....     |
| 5. D.D. <u>7/15/18</u>                | 14. (a) D.D. .... |
| 6. C.D. <u>K/A</u>                    | 15. (b) D.B. .... |

none

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- |                                       |                              |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 7. Grave No. <u>191</u> Sec. <u>K</u> | 15. Grave No. .... Sec. .... |
| 8. Plot <u>4</u> Row <u>---</u>       | 16. Plot ..... Row .....     |
| 9. ....                               | 17. ....                     |

none

18. Cemetery American
19. Commune or town Seringes-Et-Nesles
20. Department or county Aisne
21. Country France
22. G.R.S. Headquarters Code No. 608
23. Disinterred May 9/21 By Dave group  
(Date)
24. Inscription Name Brawley, James C. Jr. 1254705  
on grave marker Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B, 103rd Engrs.
25. Was identification disk found on grave marker? yes On body? no

*L. J. Pringle*  
Signature of Junior Technical Assistant,  
L. J. Pringle

(The following space is reserved for notations to be made by office Chief Graves Registration Service.)

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

Hoboken, N.J.

FEB 1 1921

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.

To: Mrs. Mary J. Brawley, 1051 N. 44th St., W. Philadelphia, Pa.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. James C. Brawley, Jr., Ser. No. 1254705, Co. B, 103rd Engrs.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named be returned to the United States and delivered to you at 1051 W. 44th St., W. Philadelphia, Pa.

*no change*

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

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

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 WHETHER or not these relatives are STILL LIVING.

Was soldier married? No

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow	<i>Noted Form 115</i>		
Soldier's children: (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Father	<i>Wm. J. Brawley</i>	<i>888 Lex St</i>	<i>Phila Penna</i>
Mother	<i>Mary Jane Brawley</i>	<i>1051 West 44th</i>	<i>" "</i>
Brothers: (Name oldest first.)	1	<i>John A</i>	<i>" "</i>
	2	<i>Scott</i>	<i>" "</i>
	3	<i>Robert G.</i>	<i>" "</i>
Sisters: (Name oldest first.)	1	<i>Mary J.</i>	<i>520 Lancaster Ave Haverford Pa.</i>
	2	<i>Sara A.</i>	<i>Kansas City Mo.</i>
	3	<i>Elizabeth L.</i>	<i>1051 Belmont A. Phila Pa</i>

Date Feb. 7th 1921 Signature Mrs. Mary J. Brawley  
Address 1051 N. 44th St. Relationship Mother

Feb. 7th, 1921

I, the undersigned, am the Mother and nearest living next of kin of the within-named soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz: (Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

2. To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley (Name.) Penna. (State.)  
1051 N. 44th. Phila. Penna RR (R. R. station.)

3. To be returned to the U. S. and buried in his own National Cemetery.

4. ~~To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.~~

Signature Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.

2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.

3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT OF KIN IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.

4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest next of kin in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.

5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.

6. If YOU are not the nearest next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.

7. If YOU are not the nearest living next of kin and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.

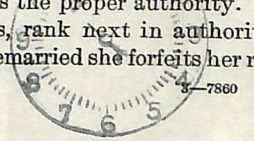
8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.

9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

REGISTRATION SERVICE

CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH

NOTE.—INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS will be issued by this office upon the properly executed authority of the legal next of kin in each case. The widow is the first person having disposition of the remains of her husband. Should there be no widow or children, the father and, in turn (upon his decease), the mother, is the proper authority. The brothers, in order of seniority, and then the sisters in order of seniority, if there are no brothers, rank next in authority to decide. Under an opinion rendered by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, if a widow has remarried she forfeits her right, and the next of kin as given above will make decision.



FEB 8 1921

DUE S.S. WHEATON

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

RADIO-700 CONS. 46

6P 7/3/21

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #8369

(a) Name BRAWLEY, James C. Jr. Ser. No. 1254705  
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/c Organization Co. B, 103rd Engrs. TYP DMA  
 (c) Date of death 7/15/18 Cause of death K/A

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

(a) Grave No. 191 Row Plot 4 Sect. K TYP DMA  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mary J. Brawley (mother) 1618 N. 54th st., Philadelphia, Pa.

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

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

*A.G.O. Card: Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley (mother) 1051 N. 44th St. W. Philadelphia, Pa. desires body returned to U.S. and shipped to her address. (Eel) 1-17-21*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 192) (Letter of transmittal on 1-15-1921)

*Par. #1. To be returned (Eel) 1-17-21.*

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. JAN 26 1921 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

*Checked 10-20-21 MKM*

COUNTRY \_\_\_\_\_ CEMETERY NO. \_\_\_\_\_ SHEET NO. \_\_\_\_\_

G.R.S. FORM 115-A August, 1920

FRANCE

608

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*1-12-21*

I. LOCATION

(a) Name  
(b) Address  
(c) Date of birth

II. IDENTIFICATION

(a) Social Security No.  
(b) Other identification

III. CHARACTER OF THE OFFENSE

IV. INTERESTS

*Handwritten notes in cursive script, including names and dates.*

V. REFERENCES

*Handwritten notes in cursive script.*

VI. REFERENCES TO BUREAU

VII. REFERENCES TO FIELD OFFICES

VIII. REFERENCES TO OTHER AGENCIES

*Handwritten notes in cursive script:*  
1618 N. 54th St. Philadelphia, Pa.  
Mrs. Mary Jane Brantley - (mother)  
1928 19 1/2

1928 19 1/2

(Brawley, James C. Pvt. )  
(Serial # 1254705 )

July 2nd, 1921.

Mrs. Mary J. Brawley,  
1051 N. 44th St.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:-

July 2nd

Private James C. Brawley

you

3.  
el

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

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

# WESTERN UNION



# TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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GRAVES

HD.

KINDLY HAVE BODY OF JAMES C BRAWLEY ONE TWO FIVE FOUR SEVEN

NAUGHT FIVE SHIPPED TO TEN FIFTY ONE NORTH FORTY FOURTH ST PHILA.

MRS MARY J BRAWLEY.

951AM.

HOBOKEN, N.J.

JUL 2 1921 10 46 AM

STANDARD  
SERVICE

JUN 30 1921

Mrs. Mary J. Brawley,  
#1051 N. 44th. St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Body of ~~Pvt. James C. Brawley, one two five four seven naught five~~  
JUL 11  
will arrive New York City about ..... and will be shipped to  
..... you .....

at Government expense, but not until you telegraph at Government expense, confirming above shipping instructions to—

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

J.F. Butler,  
Capt. Inf.

608 - 333 mh

Cause of Death: K/A Date of Death: 7/15/18

Country France Soldier's Serial No. 1254705

Co. B., 103rd. Engrs.

42. Received (date) 7/2/21

43. Shipped to destination (date) 7/13/21 B-L or Express Order No. ....

Convoyer ..... Shipping Officer .....

*Handwritten:* JMB/R/W

*Planned 92*  
*Push*  
*C-27962*

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
COMMERCIAL DIVISION  
OWNERSHIP PROJECT SUB-SECTION

HOBOKEN, N.J.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER	CITIZENSHIP NO.	DATE
Brawley, James C. Jr.	609-333	2/24/21
SERIAL NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	Date of Death.
1254705	Co. B., 103rd Engrs.	7/15/18

*Copy forwarded to*  
*Adjustment Department*  
*Date 3/26/21*

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE March 21, 1921.

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley,

Mother

Address

1618 N. 54th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Cor. Sec.

*Noted \$115*  
*H. 4-1-21*  
*R.*

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MAR 1 1921

CENTRAL DIVISION  
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
QUARTERMASTER CORPS

CEMETERIAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

ROOM 350, PIER 2, HOBOKEN, N. J.

April 18th, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div.Cor.Branch.  
( BRAWLEY, James C. Jr. )

Mrs. Mary J. Brawley,  
1051 N. 44th St.,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office indicate that your wishes with regard to the final disposition of the remains of the late soldier named below should be complied with and you are, therefore, informed that, pursuant to your request, the following instructions have been issued:

Remains of late James C. Brawley, Jr., Private, Serial No. 1254705, Company B, 103rd Engineers, to be returned to the United States and shipped to you at 1051 N. 44th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

About ten days prior to the arrival of the body in the United States you will be notified by telegraph and requested to confirm the above shipping instructions. You should immediately reply to such telegram, to avoid delay in the shipment of the body.

By order of the Quartermaster General:

R. E. SHANNON,  
Captain, Q.M.C.  
Officer in Charge.

3-7061

"MAILED"

By:

APR 18 1921

"COR. BR. G. R. S."

P. C. PALLAS,  
Executive Assistant.

FF/hf

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27/21

Lt. Col. C. C. Pirie,

*note*

Dear Sir you will notice  
that my husband is living but  
we are separated my boy lived  
with me, and wished his mother to  
have all belonging to him, but if I  
had passed on his father next. so  
I am sending you this word that  
you may understand this case.

Mrs. Mary Crawley.  
Mother of James C. Crawley.  
Co. B. 163<sup>rd</sup> Eng.



TREASURY DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON

# 8369

*201*

BUREAU OF  
WAR RISK INSURANCE

November 19, 1919.

Subject: Attached correspondence in re: Brawley, James C., Jr.

I-5938 Army

From: Compensation & Insurance Payments Section

IN REPLY REFER TO:

**FILE**

To: Adjutant General

*Brawley, James C.*

The attached copy of a letter from Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley, mother of the above-named, deceased soldier, relative to her change of address is forwarded for your attention.

R. H. HALLETT  
In Charge of Compensation &  
Insurance Claims Division.

JH-eps-12

By eb

RECD RECORDS BR. A. G. O. NOV 24 1919

*Received by PF  
608-333  
12-11*

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293,8 (Brawley, James C.) DR

December 6th, 1919.

Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley,  
1051 N. 44th St.,  
W. Philadelphia, Penn.

Dear Madam:

In response to your letter of November 3rd, concerning the removal of the remains of your son, the late Private James C. Brawley, Serial Number 1,254,705, Company B, 103rd Infantry, you are advised that a card filled out by you is on file and will be referred to when the general transfer of the remains to this country is begun.

Enclosed is a Memorandum of Information which sets forth the policy of the Department in regard to the removal of American dead from France.

Very respectfully,

P. O. Morris Per

1 incl.

The Adjutant General.

Per.

*Lib. etc*  
*12/6/19*  
*21201*

C O P Y

West Phila.  
11/3/19

Mr. Houlihan

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly transfer my war risk Insurance for me to my new address. Mrs. Mary J. Brawley, 1051 Belmont Ave., 44th St., W. Phila. Penna. My old address was 1618 N. 54th the residence my son was taken from, will you kindly let me know if I should notify the War Department so if they should happen to bring the body of our dear boys back that they would send to my new home. I sent word I wanted body returned to 1618 N. 54th. I thank you very much and hope that I am not troubling you to much.

Respectfully

(Signed) Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley

1051 N. 44th St.

W. Phila. Penna.

My son was James C. Brawley, Jr.

Co B. 103 Engineers, A. E. F.

A. H. 2938 Brawley, James C.

DO NOT USE SMALL SLIPS.

c 3-0856

{ Each clerk will sign his surname to step  
taken by him, adding his room number.  
Indicate dates thus: 4-8-18. }

DO NOT USE SMALL SLIPS.

THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE MEMORANDA.

James S. Brawley

Reburied in # 191, Sec 16,  
Plot 4 Sub. Cemetery #608  
Searings - et. Resles, Dept  
of the Airline.

HRC

Brawley, James C, Jr 1254700-

Put on 103 Engns

Card filled out by Mother "yes"

Mrs Mary J Brawley

1618 N 54th W. Phila Penna,

-R

THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE MEMORANDA.

Brawley, James C # 1254705-  
enl. at Phila Penn. Oct 4-1917  
assigned to Co. B. 103rd Engns  
killed in action - July 15-1918 in line  
of duty - July 15-1918  
E. G. Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley (mother).  
1618 no 54th St. W. Phila. Penn.

cod R. using E-  
11-28-19

Mr Perry:

I think this case should be classified.  
the enquiry is both relative as to bring-back from  
A. E. F. <sup>body</sup> of soldier - and also a request  
for change of address notation.

The first clause in the letter has evidently  
been passed on already by Bureau of War Pts

WR

Lee  
12/3/19  
4:15 pm

Lagow cross

BRAWLEY, JAMES. C. J.R.

1254705 PVT. Co. B. 103<sup>RD</sup> ENGRS.



Lagoon cross

BRAWLEY, JAMES. C. U.S.

1254705 PVT. Co. B. 103<sup>RD</sup> ENGRS.



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# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

*Brawley - 1254705 - James C.*  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

*Pvt. - Co B - 103rd Eng.*  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *July 19<sup>th</sup> 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL *Bois de Boulogne - Dept. Seine*

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

*Cemetery - Bois de Boulogne at white stone  
cross roads in center of woods -  
(49 means)*

GRAVE NUMBER *13*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? ..... Cross?   
Headboard? ..... Bottle? .....

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:

*Came Pauline (ain) C-85  
49 N.E. E199.V-NV4.1*

REPORTED BY:

*Chaplain, Capt. Fitcher, 109th Inf.*  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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1. G. R. S. Form No. 1.

Hq. G. R. S. File

2. Soldier's No. 54705

3. Brawley  
Surname (In Block Letters)

James C.  
First Name and Initials

4. Rank

Company

Regt. or Corps

5. 7/15/18  
Date of Death

Cause, if known

6. 7/14/18  
Date of Burial

St Agnes  
Cemetery

7. St Agnes  
Town or Commune (In Block Letters)

Madrid  
Department

8. 36  
Grave No.

19  
Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg?  Cross?  Headboard?  Bottle?   
Check Method of Marking

10. Buried with Body?  Attached to Grave Marker?   
Identification Tags

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

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12. Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed

CRISP W 2

Unit 903. G. R. S. G. R. S.

R.B.H.  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

IN REPLY REFER TO AG 201( Brawley, James C. Jr.) WASHINGTON

October 14, 1921.

SUBJECT: Correct date of death.

*Hu*

To: The Quartermaster General of the Army,  
Washington, D.C.

FILE

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., O. O. M. G.  
File # 293.8  
8369

*Brawley, James C.*

1. You are informed that after investigation it has been determined by this Department that Private 1st class James C. Brawley, Jr., serial number 1254705, Company B, 103rd Engineers, was killed in action on July 17, 1918, and any other date heretofore communicated to you is erroneous.

2. For purpose of identification, you are advised that the records show that the deceased was enlisted October 4, 1917, and the name of the person to be notified in the case of emergency was given as Mrs. Mary Jane Brawley, mother, 1618 North 54th Street, W. Philadelphia, Penna.

By order of the Secretary of War:

*J. E. ...*  
Adjutant General.

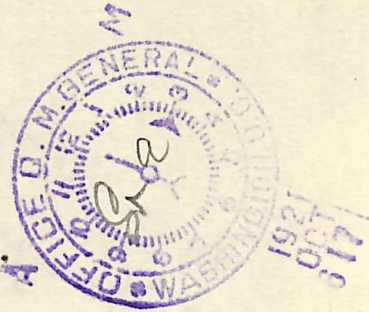
*adjustment made  
10-20-21  
File No. 8369*

*10-20-21  
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CEMETERIAL DIVISION



OCT 17 1921



[Faint, mostly illegible text, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page]

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

Date 12-6-19

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME *Brawley, James C*

Serial Number 1254705

RANK ORGANIZATION *C B 103 Eng*

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	1
2.	Date of Death.	2-7-15-18
3.	Cause and place of death	3-11/a
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram	5 not given
5.	Date buried	6-4-19
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	6- Was interred from Grave 36, Arden, B/Co, St. Agnan, Arden
7.	Who reported burial?	6 Reburied - 6-4-19 in
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	Grave 191 Plot 4 Sec. K
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	Fed. Cl. Surgeons -
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	Males (Arden) 608.
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	10a yes
12.	Has above been notified? (Give date)	10b yes
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	11 - Mary J. Brawley 1618 N 54th Phila, Pa
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	12-12-14-18
15.	Inquiry made by?	

*Cawley - 1388*

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293.3 (Brawley, James C., Jr., Pvt.)G.R.S.

Oct. 24, 1919.

Graves Registration Service.

Mrs. Mary J. Brawley, 1618 N. 54th St., W. Philadelphia, Pa.

Location of Grave.

1. Replying to your letter of the 16th instant I have to advise that the records of this office show Private James C. Brawley, Jr., #1254705, Co. B, 103rd Engineers, killed in action July 15, 1918, originally buried in Grave #36, American Cemetery, St. Agnan, Aisne, disinterred and reburied June 4, 1919 in Grave #191, Plot 4, Section K, American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne.

By authority of the Quartermaster General, Director of  
Purchase and Storage.

Charles C. Pierce,  
Colonel, Q. M. C.,  
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

By:

Charles J. Wynne,  
Captain, Q. M. C.,  
Graves Registration Service.

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G. R. S. MAILED

OCT 24 1919

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

Date Oct. 20th. 1919

FROM: - INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME **Brawley, James C., Jr.**

Serial Number

RANK **Private.**ORGANIZATION **Co. B. 103rd, Engineers**

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	1. Yes. #1254705.
2.	Date of Death.	2. 7-15-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	3. Killed in action
4.	Number of Casualty & Cablegram.	4. #216
5.	Date buried.	5. Not given
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	6. Disinterred from Grave #36, Amer. Cty. St. Agnan, Aisne. Cty. 682.  Reburied 6-4-19 in
7.	Who reported burial?	Grave 191, Plot #4, Sect. K, Amer. Cty. Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne.
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	Cty. #608.
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	10-a Yes. 10-b Yes
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	11. Mary J. Brawley, (Mother) 1618 N, 54th. St. Philadelphia, Pa.
12.	Has above been notified? (Give date)	
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	12. 12-14-18.
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	
15.	Inquiry made by?	

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Grave location, W. T. Phila

Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>.  
1919.

War Dept.  
Reg. of Graves.

Dear Sirs

Will you kindly  
let me know where and at  
what Cemetery my son was  
buried at. His name is

Private James C. Brawley Jr.

Co. B. 103 Engineers. He was  
killed July 15-1917. at the  
battle of the Marne.

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Jan. 1919.

Form. 004.5 forwarded April, 30, 1919.

Chief Gravs. Reg. Ser.

Dear Sir. I thank you  
very much. for your kindness  
and your kind sympathy in  
my bereavement. I certainly did  
lose one good and beloved boy.  
he was a devoted boy to me.  
therefore I am writing in the  
hopes of having a photo of his  
grave do you have any one  
who would take it for me I am  
willing to pay for it. I know he  
is buried in American Cem.

St. Aignou, where he fell but  
is that to far away from where  
the Photographer is located. I do  
hope I can have one taken if he  
is any where near by. Will you  
kindly let me know what the Charges  
are. and if it can be done.

Thanking you for same and  
wishing you all success. for a good  
picture,

I am very Sincerely.

Mrs. Mary J. Brawley.

1618 N. 54th.

N. Phila.

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P.S.

Thank you very much for your letter  
and answers.

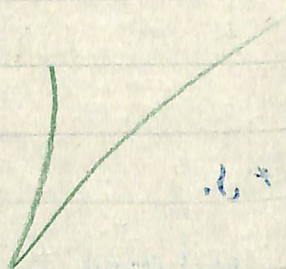
My Sons. name + Rank is.

Private James C ~~Brawley Jr.~~

Co. B. 103 Engineers

Am. E. Forces.

France.



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