

G.R.S. Form #114-B

CAUSE OF DEATH

*Drowned*

FULL NAME.....

**Brennan, Patrick J.**

RANK.....

**Private**

*1cl*

SERIAL.....

**552314**

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION.....

**Company I 38th Infantry**

*L*

*3rd Div*

DATE OF DEATH.....

**6/17/28**

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME.....

*NY*

EDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED.....

*none*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....

**12/12/22**

**48**

**3**

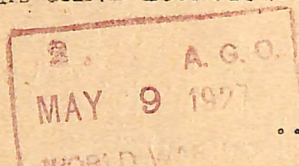
**B**

Date

Grave

Row

Block



**1764**

Cemetery

24/292/EYS

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HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Brennan</i>	<i>BRE</i>	3	<i>285</i>
<i>Patrick J</i>	CEMETERY <i>1764</i>	1	<i>4</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>48</i>	2	<i>48</i>
	ROW <i>3</i>	2	<i>03</i>
	BLOCK <i>B</i>	1	<i>2</i>
STATE	<i>New York</i>	2	<i>37</i>
BANK	<i>P 7 C</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>3rd</i>	2	<i>03</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>38</i>	3	<i>038</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL <i>(Sister)</i>	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Brennan</i>	<i>BRE</i>	3	<i>285</i>
<i>Miss Beatrice</i>	STATE <i>New York</i>	2	<i>37</i>
<i>125 Taylor St</i>	COUNTY <i>Westchester</i>	2	<i>11</i>
<i>Astoria, N. Y.</i>	CITY <i>Astoria</i>	3	<i>101</i>
RELATION <i>mother</i>	<i>mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER <i>no</i>		1	
ELIGIBILITY <i>Head</i>	<i>Head</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO. <i>PS</i>	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

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QM 293 A-M  
Brennan, Patrick J. AM

September 12, 1932.

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The enclosed self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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

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1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

*No His Mother is Dead*  
*Carryen Co Roscommon*  
*Ireland*

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

If so, give her name and address:

*No. Single*

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?

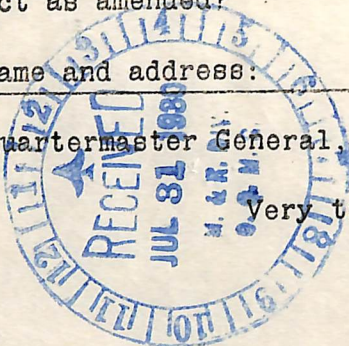
If so, give her name and address:

*No Sister*  
*The above address*

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:  
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*A. D. Hughes*  
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Write answers in space below

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

~~No~~  
My Brother never was married

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 father and Mother

He is Dead in Ireland  
or never Had Stepmother

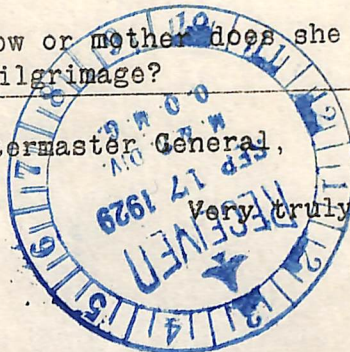
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Nearest Relative to Him

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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*John T. Harris*  
JOHN T. HARRIS,  
Major, Q. M. Corps,  
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June 12, 1929.

Brennan, Patrick J.

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JUN 13 1929  
Q.M.G. & R.D. DIV.  
JUN 9 1929

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov.29,1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BRENNAN, Patrick J. 10. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. No. 552314 11. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Rank Pvt. *1/c.* 12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Org. Co. L. 38th Inf. 13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. D.D. 6/16/18 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. C.D. Drowned *(Body recovered)* (b) D.B. no discrepancy

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 63 Sec. W 15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. Plot 2 Row \_\_\_\_\_ 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_ 17. no discrepancy

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) Nov.29,1922 By C.P. Keating

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Patrick J. ~~Bur~~ Brennan Serial No. 552314  
 Rank Pvt. Organization Co.L,38th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? yes On body? yes (corroded)

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.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

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? no

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov.29,1922 By C.P. Keating

31. Casket sealed by *9/21/27 subs* C.P. Keating

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

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. ~~XXXXXX~~ C-31408

32. Designation of body:

Name Patrick J. BRENNAN. Serial No. 552314

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. L. 38th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Nov.29,1922 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 A.E.Dewey, 1st Lt., QMC.

36. Remarks none

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Nov.29,1922

To point of Concentration \_\_\_\_\_

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ (Name) 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 \_\_\_\_\_

To Permanent Cemetery Aisne-Marne Cem.1764,Belleau(Aisne)

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ (Name) Signature Shipping Officer A.E.Dewey, 1st Lt., QMC

40. Received: Date Dec 12 1922

G.R.S. Representative \_\_\_\_\_

41. Reinterred Dec. 12, 1922 Aisne Marne Cem 1764

42. Grave No. 148 (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. Plot Block B Row 3

G.R.S. Representative W.D. Cleary

**W. D. CLEARY**  
**LT. CHAPLAIN USA**

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Belleau (Aisne)

Date Nov. 29, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF BRENNAN, Patrick J. SERIAL NUMBER 552314  
RANK Pvt. 102 ORGANIZATION Co. I, 38th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov. 29, 1922. From (give complete location): Grave 63, Sec. W, Plot 2, Cem. 1764.  
By: Group 1 Unit F.S.I, Aisne-Marne Cem.

3. Reburied (date): December 12, 1922 In (give complete location): Gr. 48 Row 3 Blk B Cem 1764 Aisne-Marne  
By: Group reburial group Unit lined casket  
Nature of Reburial Nature of Reburial

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

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body? Yes On grave marker? Yes  
(corroded)  
(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :  
Bottle record agrees.

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 "

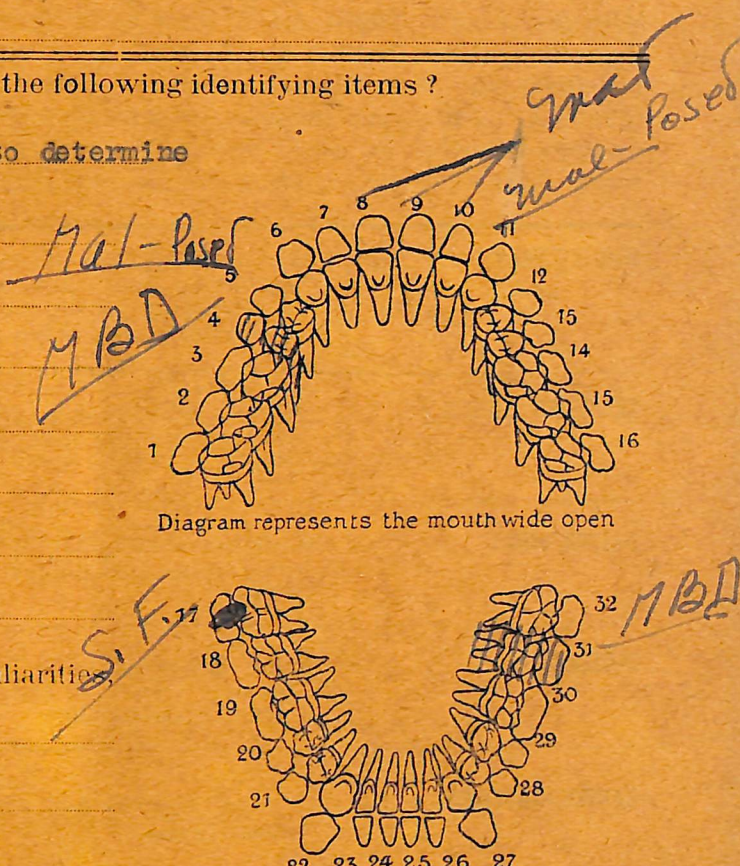
Location "

Quantity "

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

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

Left humerus missing.



V.D. Wall Jr. Checker.

7. Disinterment supervised by C.P. Keating  
C.P. KEATING, S.E.

Approved: A.E.D.  
A.E. DEWEY, 1st Lt. MC.

(Title) W.D. Cleary

8. Reburial supervised by L.B. Hays

Approved: W. D. CLEARY  
LT. CHAPLAIN USA

(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></p>	<p>All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :</p>	 <p>TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
<p><b>CROWNED TEETH</b></p>	<p>Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :</p>	 <p>GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN</p>
<p><b>BRIDGE WORK</b></p>	<p>Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus :</p>	 <p>GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<p><b>FILLINGS</b></p>	<p>Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :</p>	 <p>SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
<p><b>CARIES (CAVITIES)</b></p>	<p>Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</p>	 <p>CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED DECAYED</p>
<p><b>DENTURES (PLATES)</b></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.

*[Handwritten signature]*

# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #5759

## I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BRENNAN, Patrick J. Ser. No. 652314  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I, 38th Inf.  
 (c) Date of death 6/17/18 (d) Cause of death Drowned, body recovered.

TYP. evs

CKR. [Signature]

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

(a) Grave No. 63 Row - Plot 2 Sec. W TYP. evs  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Beatrice Kyle (Sister) 62 18th Ave., Astoria, Long Island, N. Y.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases - CKR. [Signature]

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

Date of receipt -

(a) Name Mrs Beatrice Coyle (b) Relationship Sister  
 (c) Address 62-18 Ave Astoria  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No  
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at -  
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. -  
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. -

Examiner's Initials 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

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

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

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 1764

SHEET No. 230

G. R. S. Form No. 115  
Amended Apr. 16, 1920

3-7729

Make Form No. 114

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

MAR 18 1921

CARDED

Check D. O. L.  
3-16-21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made \_\_\_\_\_, 1920.

RECEIVED.

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_, 1920.

APR 28 1921

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on \_\_\_\_\_  
letter on \_\_\_\_\_, 1920

CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
OVERSEAS 1920  
POST SUB-SEC.

MAR 28 1921

Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned

mc4

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

ACTION TAKEN.

Desires body be \_\_\_\_\_

Body to be shipped to \_\_\_\_\_

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*B.A.W.R. Miss Beatrice Brennan (sister)  
62 - 18<sup>th</sup> Ave., Astoria, P.D. N.Y.  
(3-16-21) el*

Discrepancies .....

Name .....

Rank .....

Discrepancies

Name .....

Rank .....

Serial No. ....

Org. ....

Remarks

*Fitterhoff*

A.G.O. Card & Corr. .... *2-19-21*

Discrepancies

Name .....

Rank .....

Serial No. ....

Org. ....

Remarks

G. R. S. Corr. ....

Discrepancies

Name .....

Rank .....

Serial No. ....

Org. ....

Remarks

Checkers .....

Discrepancies

Name .....

Rank .....

Serial No. .... *17.840 sent*

*2-23-21*

Org. ....

Remarks



*checked 2/21*

*2-19-21*

*C-25630*  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CEMETERY DIVISION  
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

*Please rush*

Harlow C.W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Brennan, Patrick J., Pvt.

1764 - 230

2/23/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

652314

Co. L, 38th Inf.

Date of death - 6/17/18.

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Copy forwarded to  
Adjustment Department

DATE March 12, 1921.

Date 3-16-21-cl

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Miss Beatrice Brennan,

Sister

Address

62 18th Ave., Astoria, L.I., N.Y.

S/709/LML

# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #5759

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BRENNAN, Patrick J. Ser. No. <sup>5 2.6.9.</sup> ~~452314~~ <sup>3-16-21</sup> } TYP evs  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. L, 38th Inf. }  
 (c) Date of death 6/17/18 (d) Cause of death Drowned, body recovered. }

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

(a) Grave No. 63 Row     Plot 2 Sec.     TYP. evs

(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Beatrice Kyle (Sister) 62-18th Ave., Astoria, Long Island, N. Y. CKR.    

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases     CKR.    

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

*A. G. Osford - Mrs. Beatrice Boyle, sister, 62-18 Ave., Astoria, —, desires body be not returned*  
*ABR 3/18/21*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on    , 192  
 letter of transmittal on MAR 10 1921, 192

*Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned*

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., MAR 22 1921, 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source.	Relationship and name.	Desires.	Action taken.

APR 28 1921

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

COUNTRY     CEMETERY No.     SHEET No.    

MAR 18 1921 *A. L.*

Place \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: BRENNAN, Patrick J.

Number: 552314

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Co. L, 38th Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group \_\_\_\_\_

Unit \_\_\_\_\_

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Disinterred (Date) Oct. 29, 1919. From: (Give complete location)

Civilian Cemetery Courboin.

Reburied (Date) Oct. 30, 1919. in: (Give complete location)

Grave 63, Section W, Plot 2, Belleau No. 1764

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

Complete body.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes.

What other means of identification were found on the body?

French cross over grave "Drowned June 16th, 1918".

Note:

CONFIRMED No. D. 20040

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, G.R.S.

Supervised by: F.M. Van Matter,

Capt. Inf.

C.O. Group. \_\_\_\_\_

Unit \_\_\_\_\_

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place BELLEAU. AISNE. 1764.

Date 6.3.21

1. REMAINS OF BRENNAN, ~~IRVINE~~ PATRICK J SERIAL NUMBER 552314

RANK PVT ORGANIZATION CO. L. 38th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : 6.3.21 From (give complete location) :

Gr 63 Sect W Plot 2

By : Group BOSSE Unit FIELD SECTION # 7

3. Reburied (date) : 6.3.21 In (give complete location) :

Gr 63 Sect W Plot 2

By : Group BOSSE Unit FIELD SECTION # 7 Nature of reburial BURLAP & PINE BOX

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

BADLY DECOMPOSED FEATURES UNRECOGNIZABLE

U.S. UNIFORM. BURLAP AND PINE BOX.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? YES On grave marker ? YES

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

BODY DISC GAVE NAME RANK AND ORG. SER.NO. WAS CORRODED.

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

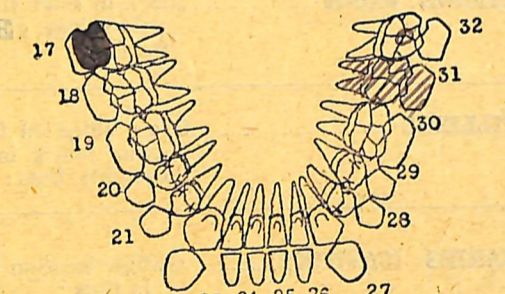
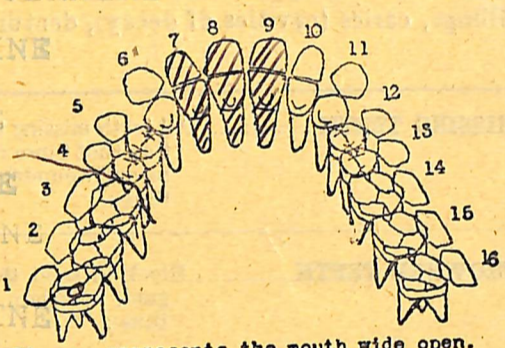
Location IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE

Quantity IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE

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

missing parts) IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE

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



1, 32, cav. extra tooth between 3 & 4. 7, 8, 9, mis. a.d. 17, al. fil. 31, ext.

10-51068






7. Disinterment supervised by Harry V. Bosse Approved : A. E. Dewey, 1st Lt. OMC.

8. Reburial supervised by Harry V. Bosse Approved : A. E. Dewey, 1st Lt. OMC.  
wdw.fh (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), bicuspid (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 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 align="center">GOLD CROWN      PORCELAIN CROWN</p>
<p><b>BRIDGE WORK</b> ..... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :</p>	 <p align="center">GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE      GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<p><b>FILLINGS</b> ..... Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :</p>	 <p 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 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.



Co. I. 38th. Inf.  
3rd. Division.

BRENAN, Patrick J.-Pvt. 552314

Died 17 June 1918. He was found dead, face down, in creek near Courboin, France. He had evidently slipped and broke his neck. Death was pronounced in the line of duty. There are no members of the company who have witnessed this accident.

No informant given.

Not signed.

EB.

Brennan,

Patrick J.

552,314

(Surname.)

Pvt.

(Christian name in full.)

Co L . 38th Inf.

(Army serial number.)

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

Sister

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:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mrs Beatrice Boyle

(Number and street or rural route.)

62 : 18 ave astoria

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Letter Sent to:

Mrs. Beatrice Coyle  
62 18th Ave.,  
Astoria, N.Y.

232 - 730  
1764 - 230

2-19-21

Known by PT

checked  
H/V

2-19-21

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Nov. 4, 1919.

Brennan, #552314, Patric J.

Pvt. Co. L, 38th Inf.

Disinterred from Cemetery #255 and  
reburied in Grave #63, Section W,  
Plot #2, of Cemetery #1764, Belleau,  
(Aisne). ✓

Letter from Chief, G.R.S., AF in F.

F167

652314

DATE

Jan 22-19

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CASE OF.

Patrick J.  
Brennan

TAKEN BY

George Wolf

See # a  
Signature



Name Brennan, Patrick J

Rank Pvt. Co. L { Corps } 384 U.S. Inf  
{ Regt. }

Date of Death 6/16/18

Place

Cause

Date of Burial 6/16/18

Grave No. 8

Cemetery Courboin (Aisne) French

Identified by { Tag }  
{ Papers }  
{ Clothing }

List of Effects

Field Record Made by

Unit 303 Graves Registration Service  
Company

Hqrs. 3<sup>d</sup> Div

29 JUN R.QU

For additional data use reverse side

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1. G. R. S. Form 1. Hq. G. R. S. File

2. Soldier's No.

3. BRENNAN, PATRICK J.  
Surname (In Block Letters) First Name and Initials

4. Pvt. L  
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. June 16, 1918  
Date of Death Cause, if known

6. June 16, 1918  
Date of Burial Cemetery

7. COURBOIN AISNE  
Town or Commune (In Block Letters) Department

8. 9 20  
Grave No. 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

255

12. Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

RBH  
928

Signed

GROUP N° 2

Unit 303 G. R. S. S.  
Group Unit G. R. S. S.



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

Harlow C. W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Brennan, Patrick J., Pvt.

1764 - 230

2/23/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

5 26.9.  
3-10-21  
652314

Co. 4, 36th Inf.

Date of death - 6/17/18.

FILE

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

NOTED FORM 115

DATE 3-16-21-Cl

DATE

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Miss Beatrice Brennan

Sister

Address

62 - 18<sup>th</sup> ave., Astoria, L. I. N. Y.

S/709/LML

Adjustment Made  
5-19-1922

File No. 5759

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Headquarters 38<sup>th</sup> Infantry

18 June 1918

From: Chaplain J. B. Peters, 38<sup>th</sup> Infantry

To: Chief of Graves Registration Service.

Subject: Death and burial of Patrick J. Brennan Pot. Co. "L" 38<sup>th</sup> Inf.

Co. "L" 38<sup>th</sup> Inf.

1. Pot. Patrick J. Brennan drowned June 16, 1918; buried in French Cemetery in rear of Catholic Church at Louviers, France.

2. No personal effects were found on the body of Pot. Brennan.

3. Pot. Brennan's grave has been marked as directed in G. O. # 30 G. H. I. R. E. F.

John B. Peters  
Chaplain 38<sup>th</sup> Infantry



