

G.R.S. Form #114-B

2793

MAR 10 1926

DATE FEB. 11, 1922.

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1. NAME

BRINK, Martin

SERIAL No. 1829168

RANK

Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co. C. 320th Inf.

DIVISION 80

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse. 1232 - 19

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

135 Sec. 19.

3

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

49- Plot 13

Bohinourt

Meuse

COORDINATES

B.A. Cty.

646

CONCENTRATED TO

4-30-19

135

Sec 19

3

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

1232

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

DATE OF DEATH

Sept 30/18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

mick

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Feb. 11, 1922.

33

24

Plot 8

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

AUDITED BY

M. M. E.
3-21-23

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. 1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

CEMETERY

Robert C. Davis,
Major General
The Adjutant General
By *[Signature]*
MAR 15 1926

MAR 11 1926
A. G. O.
WORLD WAR DIV.

RECEIVED
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
AUG 16 1952

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.

MAR 17 26
M. R. BRANCH
Q.M.C.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Brink, 1829168 Martin none

(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private

Co. "C" 320 Inf.

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Sept. 28, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL Bothincourt

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

Map = Montfaucon

Scale = 1/50,000

Block = 18-76

GRAVE NUMBER 9

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross? Yes

Headboard? Yes 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:

Luther W. Clark
Luther W. Clark

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Co C, 320th Infantry.
80th Division.

BRINK, Martin.-Pvt.I829168.
Died of wounds; Sept. 28,1918.

Place of death;- Near Bethincourt.

Grave location;- Bethincourt map Montfaucon Scale 1/50,000 Block I8-76
Grave # 9.

Signed statement of eyewitness.

All records forwarded with Service Record, cannot furnish any information.

Informant;- James.L.Willard.
Captain. 320th Infantry.

Killed by shell fire.

Informant;- Irwin X.Patton.

Emergency address.
Michael Brink. (Father)
Box 332, Girard, Ohio.

From records of Major^{2d} Carl.H.Tobey adjutant 80th Division.
G.C.C.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Brink</i>	<i>BRL</i>	3	<i>2 8 9</i>
<i>Martin</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>33</i>	2	<i>33</i>
	ROW <i>24</i>	2	<i>24</i>
	BLOCK <i>B</i>	1	<i>2</i>
STATE	<i>Mich.</i>	2	<i>26</i>
RANK	<i>Priv.</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>80</i>	2	<i>80</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>320</i>	3	<i>320</i>
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL	<i>MB</i>	1	<i>2</i>
<i>Father</i> NAME <i>Brink</i>		3	
<i>Michael</i>	STATE <i>Pa.</i>	2	
RESIDENCE <i>R7D. #2</i>	COUNTY <i>Butler</i>	2	
<i>New Sheffield, Pa</i>	CITY <i>Butler</i>	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>Father</i>	1	<i>3</i>
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead</i>	1	<i>6</i>
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

Brink, Martin 1232 F

July 8, 1930

Mr. Michael Brink
R. F. D. #2,
New Sheffield, Pa

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:

he was unmarried

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Brink, Martin
1232

August 30, 1929.

Mr. Michael Brink,
~~129 S. 18th St.,~~
~~S. S. Pittsburg, Pa.~~

R.F. # 2

New Sheffield, Pa. (Beaver Co)
~~Beaver Co~~

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 28, 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:

No

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.

No, mother dead

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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June 28 , 1929.

Brink, Martin

Mr. Michael Brink,
129 S. 16th St.,
S.S. Pittsburg, Pa.

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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,

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

32644
In reply refer to:
293 G-R

Brink, Martin

June 12, 1923.

Mr. Michael Brink,
129 South 18th St.,
Pittsburg, Pa.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of *Private Martin Brink, Company C, 320th Infantry,* is Grave 33, Row 24, Block B, 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 a 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.

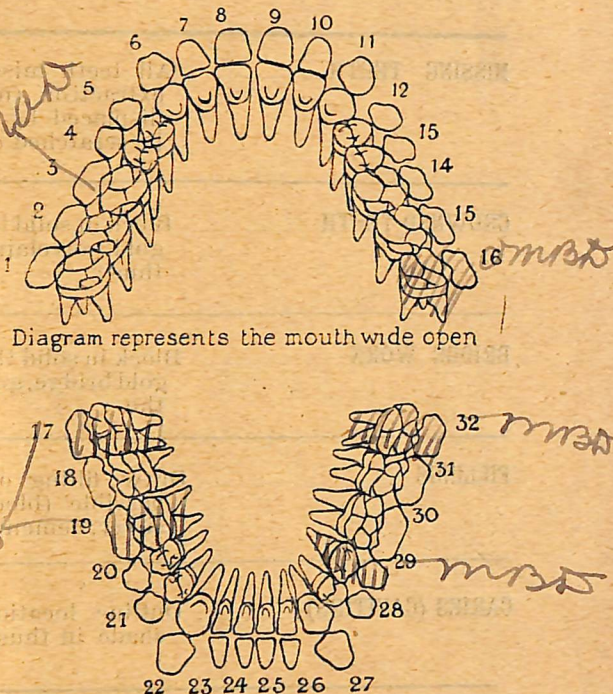
RD
702
23/236/ARK

Place Argonne 1232.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Feb 10, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF BRINK, Martin. SERIAL NUMBER 1829168
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. C. 320th Inf.
2. Disinterred (date): Feb 10, 1922 From (give complete location): gr 135, sec 19, plot 3. cty. 1232.
 By: Group Russell. Unit sec 1
3. Reburied (date): February 11, 1922 In (give complete location): Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232, Grave 33, Block "B" Row 24
 By: Group reburial 3. Unit Nature of reburial Unlined casket
4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: wooden box and burlap and U.S. uniform. body decomposed, unrecognizable.
5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes. On grave marker? yes.
 (b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: tag on body reads, Martin Brink 1829168.
6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items?
 (a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine.
 (b) Weight (estimated) do
 (c) Hair—Color do
 Quantity do
 Characteristics do
 (d) Hair on face—Color do
 Location do
 Quantity do
 (e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) do
 (f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) none visible.



7. Disinterment supervised by C. V. Russell. Approved: R. Richards, 1st Lt. M.C.
 C.V. Russell. (Title)
8. Reburial supervised by W. B. Shield. Approved: A. E. Dancy,
 W. B. Shield. (Title) 1st Lt., M.C.

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

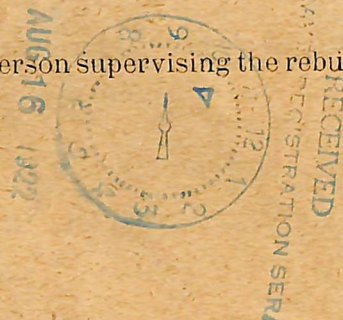
Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

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.

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

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.



To be prepared in triplicate.
memDATE Feb 10 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 BRINK, Martin

10. Name

2. No. 1829168

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. C. 320th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. Sept. 30th. 1918

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. DOW

(b) D.B.

None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 135 Sec. 19

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 3 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17.

None18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer.19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon20. Dept. or County Meuse21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 - 1923. Disinterred (Date) Feb 10 1922By C V Russell

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Martin BrinkSerial No. 1829168Rank PvtOrganization Co C 320th Inf25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? YesRex M Moody
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

Rex M Moody

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).

Body identified by tags27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable28. Nature of burial Wooden box US Uniform burlap29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Feb 10 1922 By C V Russell31. Casket sealed by C V RussellSignature of Embalmer, (Supervisor C V Russell)C V Russell

AUDITED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No. C-22070

32. Designation of body:

Name Martin BRINK.

Serial No. 1829168

Rank Pvt.

Organization

Co. C. 320th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. 1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Feb 10 1922

By C V Russell

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

R Richards 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Feb 10 1922

cc

To point of Concentration

Morgue Romagne

Convoyer W J Royed

Signature Shipping Officer

Geo C Bland 1st Lt. 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

(Name)

Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 February 11th, 1922.

(Date)

42. Grave No. 33

Section

Block

43. Plot R.

Row 24

G.R.S. Representative

A. E. Dewey,
1st Lt., Q.M.C.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #32644

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BRINK, Martin Ser. No. 1829168
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. C, 320th Inf.
 (c) Date of death 9-30-18 (d) Cause of death DWRIA.

TYP. als
 CKR. 13. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 135 Row -- Plot 3 Sec. 19 TYP. als
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Michael Brink, (Father) 129 S. 18th St., Pittsburg, Pa.

III. ~~Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases/~~ CKR. 13. J.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Mr. Michael Brink (b) Relationship father
 (c) Address Girard (Ohio) P.O. Box 332
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at France

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

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

Examiner's Initials PF Date 3-30-, 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 3-30-, 1920.

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

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

Examiner's Initials PF Date 3-30-, 1920.

COUNTRY

FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 19

SHEET No. 11

CARDED

4-5 4-13-21

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 4-6-21
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Location Index

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

A.G.O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Checkers

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

checked
3-30-21

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File #32644

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BRINK, Martin 1829168
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 Pvt. Co.C, 320th Inf. } TYP. _____
 (b) Rank _____ Organization _____
 9-30-18 DWR1A. }
 (c) Date of death _____ (d) Cause of death _____

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

135 -- 3 19 als
 (a) Grave No. _____ Row _____ Plot _____ Sec. _____ S.S.TYP. _____
 Mr. Michael Brink, (Father) 129 S. 18th St., Pittsburgh, Pa.
 (b) Emerg. Address _____
 // // // // // // // // // // //

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases _____ CKR. 13. J.

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 Section 19 letter of transmittal on 4-8-1921
 Par. 2. Not to be returned (J.E.V.)

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., APR 15 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

COUNTRY

CEMETERY No. _____

SHEET No. _____

Brink, -

(Surname.)

Martin

(Christian name in full.)

1,829,168

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co C, 320th Inf

(Rank and organization)

State your relationship to the deceased

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

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

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)

Mr. Michael Brink
P.O. Box 332, Girard, Ohio.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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Place NEUFCHATEAUDate 3rd., June, 1919REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: BRINK, MartinNumber: 1829168Rank: Pvt.Organization: C. Co. 320th. Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

30th., April, 1919Grave #49 B.A.C., Bethincourt, Meuse.Map 35 S.E. E. 317.75 N. 274.65

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

30th., April, 1919Grave #135 Section #19 Plot #3ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY #1232ROMAGNE, MEUSE.

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

BURIAL GOOD. BODY BURIED IN UNIFORM AND BLANKET. BADLY DECOMPOSED.Was one identification tag found upon the body? YES.What other means of identification were found on the body? NONE.

Note:

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

Supervised by: LT. GRANT.

HS.

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CONFIRMED No. 10808
R. H. ROSENTHAL
2nd Lieut. O. M. G. U. S. A.
C.O. Group Unit

Date: 27th June 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

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Reburied (Date)

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30th April 1919

Grave #135 Section 19 Plot #3

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY #1325

ROMANUS, MEUSE.

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

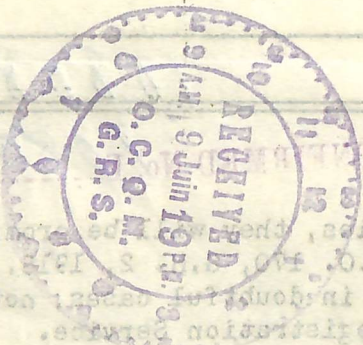
BURIAL GOOD. BODY BURIED IN UNIFORM AND BLANKET. BODY DISCOVERED.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? YES.

What other means of identification were found on the body? NONE.

Note:

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Supervised by: LT. GRANT

R. H. ROSENTHAL

and Lieut. G. H. G. 4
G.O. Group

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Brink, 1829168 Martin none
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private Co. "C" 320 Inf.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Sept. 28, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL Bethincourt

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

American Plot

Map = Montfaucon

Scale = 1/50,000

Block = 18-76

GRAVE NUMBER 9

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross? Yes

Headboard? Yes 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:

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REPORTED BY:

Luther W. Clark

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service

File 32644

City 646

2. Soldier's No. 1829168

Brink Martin

3. Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

Pvt. C 320th. Inf.

4. Rank Company Regt. or Corps

9/28/18

5. Date of Death Cause, if known

9/29/18

A.E.F.

6. Date of Burial Cemetery

Bethincourt

Meuse

7. Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

49

8. Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg? 1 Cross? Headboard? Bottle? 0
Check Method of Marking10. Buried with Body? 1 Attached to Grave Marker? 1
Identification Tags

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

12. "A" sketch #10
Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

J. M. Aninsman, Sgt. 1/c

Group 2 Unit A G. R. S.



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

q. G. R. S. File

2. Soldier's No. 1829168

3. BRINK Martin
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Pvt. C 320 Inf.
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Sept. 28, 1918 XXXXXX
Date of Death Cause, if known

6. XXXXXX Battle Area
Date of Burial Cemetery

7. BETHINCOURT Meuse
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

8. 53 XXXXXX
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

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

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

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

Sketch No. 22

12. Verdun SE 35 E317.64-N274.84
Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. XXXXXX
Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed E. F. Fiene

Group 1 Unit 311 G. R. S.

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OSPFS Cty. No. 1232

Sec. 19 case no 11 *BER*

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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

Martin Brink

June 29th 1919

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO: Captain Peter P. Michalek, 20th Field Artillery, Headquarters
Company, Fifth Division, A.P.O. 745, A.E.F.
SUBJECT: Private Martin Brink, Company C, 320th Infantry.

1. In reply to your letter of inquiry, with reference to the regretted death of this soldier, according to the records at these Headquarters he is buried in the American Battle Area Cemetery at BETHINCOURT, department of the MEUSE.

2. The grave, which is # 49, is marked by the regulation cross to which is attached one of the identification tags of this soldier the other being attached to the body.

3. It is probable by this time that the body of this soldier has been exhumed and removed to the American Concentration Cemetery at ROMAGNE SOUS MONTFAUCON, although the official notice of the transfer of this body has as yet not been received in this office.

4. In regard to your inquiry for a photograph of grave of the above named soldier, you are advised that photographs are at the present time being taken of the graves of all the American dead in France and will be distributed to the nearest relative of each deceased soldier at an early date. This will be done through the Bureau of Communication American Red Cross, National Headquarters Washington D.C. Formal applications for these photographs are not necessary.

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CHARLES C. PIERCE
Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

(Encl. G.R.S.10-B:)

CCP/sp.

AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

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

(Encl. G.R.S. 10-B.)

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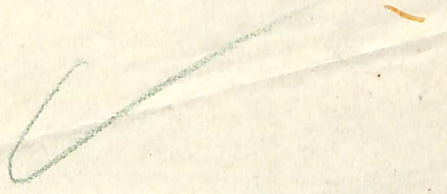
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CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.
Chief, G.R.S.

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GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

June 18th 1919

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TO: Capt. Peter P. Michalek 20th P.A. Fifth Division Headquarters Co A.P.O
745.
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CHARLES.C. PIERCE.
Colonel Q.M.C., U.S.A.

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DIVISION

Harris Co. A.P.O. 745.
1 June - '19.

From : Capt. Peter P. Michalek, 20th F9
To: Graves Registration Information Bureau.
Subject: Location of Grave.

I request that a tracing or
some other information regarding the
location of the grave of my cousin,
Martin Brink, 1829168, be furnished
me.

Peter P. Michalek.



NAME **Brink, Martin.**

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ORGANIZATION

SERIAL NUMBER

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with records?	1. Pub Co C 320 Inf 1829168
2.	Date of death?	2. 9/30/18
3.	Cause and place of death?	3. DWR 90 a
4.	Has this been reported on Casualty Cablegram, if so, give reference.	4. ec# 286
5.	Date of burial?	5. none
6.	Grave Location:	6. Grave #49 Plot-B
7.	Who reported burial?	7. amer O/A by Berhinson
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	8. yes
9.	How is grave marked?	9. Cross
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	10. a. yes B. yes (Father)
11.	Emergency address:	11. Mr Michael Brink 129 S. 18th St Pittsburg, Pa
12.	Has above been notified? (Give date)	12. yes 12/13/18

ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

Flowers, flags, etc. (Par. #5, Bul. 10-B)	Effects (G.R.S. Form No. 7&7-A)
Monuments (Par. #6, Bul. 10-B)	Accrued Pay (G.R.S. Forms Nos. 19 & 22)
Disinterments (Par. #8, Bul. 10-B)	Liberty Bonds (G.R.S. Forms Nos. 21 & 22)
Circumstances of death (G.R.S. Form No. 6)	War Risk Insurance (G.R.S. Forms Nos. 20 & 22)
Photographs requested (File 004.5)	Disposition of Remains (a) Return to U.S. (Form 25)
Grave Location	(b) Remain in France (Form 24)
	(c) Miscellaneous (Letter)

Remarks: