

FULL NAME BRYANT, Rossie

RANK Pvt. SERIAL 2465605

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Co. G, 369th Inf. 95

DATE OF DEATH Sept 28/18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Va

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. none

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION. Date 8 Grave 27 Row A Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232 Cemetery

Rec'd World War Div. 5 MAR 30 1928

4 A. G. O. FEB 19 1926 WORLD WAR DIV.

Robert G. Davis, Major General, The Adjutant General. Iva

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O. Q. M. G.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Bryant 2465-08 Prossie
.....
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private Co G. 369
.....
(Rank.) (Organization.)

Sept 29 - 1918
DATE OF BURIAL.....

Amie
PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

*French Military Cemetery 2507th
east of Evacuation Hospital
Amie 3 Marine Dept.*

276
GRAVE NUMBER.....

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Both
Was one buried with body? *Left on by French*

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker?

If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

*Name plate put on
peg*

REPORTED BY:

Chaplain Wm. J. Bacon 52 CAS
.....
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Bryant, Rossie	3	2 8 12
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	1
	GRAVE	2	8
	ROW	2	27
	BLOCK	1	1
STATE	Va.	2	54
RANK	Priv.	1	2
DIVISION	93	2	93
ORGANIZATION	369	3	369
ARM	Inf.	1	1
MARTIAL	no.	1	2
NAME	newcome, Mrs Laura	3	
RESIDENCE (Sister) Winton, N. C.	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Dead	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE	BLACK	1	2
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

AUDITED

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QM 293 A-M
Bryant, Rossie (MA) x

May 20, 1932

Mrs. Laura Newsome,
Winton,
North Carolina.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to office letter of July 16, 1930, relative to your eligibility to visit the grave of your brother, the late Private Rossie Bryant, under the loco parentis clause of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended. To date no reply has been received, and it will therefore be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

1. Dates of death of parents of this late veteran.
2. Did you provide Private Bryant with food, clothing and shelter for five years at any time prior to his reaching 18 years of age?

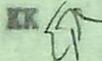
A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:
Envelope.

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Bryant, Rossie C 96 649 Pvt. Co. G, 369th Inf. Va.
Negro

Date of mother's death? *June 1918*

SM?

Loco?

} no record

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to S. Mrs Laura Newsome

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Winton - N. C

QM 293 A-M
Bryant, Rossie 1232 LP X

July 16, 1930

Mrs. Laura Newsome,
R. F. D. #3, Box #100
Akoskie, North Carolina.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of July 10 advising that you stood in loco parentis to the late Rossie Bryant.

Section 4 (a) of the Act of March 2, 1929, was amended under date of May 15, 1930, to read in part as follows: "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the soldier, sailor, or marine becoming eighteen years of age".

In order to satisfy the legal requirements, it will be necessary for you to furnish as proof of the relationship, in loco parentis, the affidavits of at least two persons not related to you.

In the event you believe yourself eligible, under this provision of the law, to make the pilgrimage, it is requested that the enclosed forms be completed and returned to this office in order that your eligibility under the Act may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Act-Amendment.
Aff. Forms.
Envelope.
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A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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Ahaski n e,
July 10, 1930

Dear Sir

Bryant, Rassie
didnt have no mother
his mother was dead
and it left me to act
as a mother for him
yours truly

Mrs. Laura Newcome

R.R. 3, Box 100

Noted on
"Loco" card



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 7, 1930

Bryant, Rossie 1232-S

Mrs. Laura Newsome
R.F.D.#3, Box 114
Akoskie, N. C.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

no

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

If so, give her name and address:

no

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

If so, give her name and address:

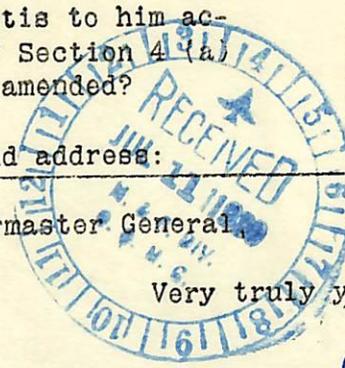
*Laura Newsome
R.F.D. 3 Box 114
Akoskie N.C.*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
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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

Bryant, Rossie

August 21, 1929

Mrs. Laura Newsome,
R. F. D. #3, Box 114,
Akoskie, N. C.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, entitled an Act "To enable the mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors and marines of the American forces now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries".

The records of this office show that you are the sister of the late Pvt. Rossie Bryant, Co. G. 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

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

no

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. 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~~ *no*

no

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bryant, Rossie

June 27, 1929.

Mr. Burren Bryant,
RFD #75,
Handsom, Va.

(Sister)
Mrs Laura Newsome
R.F. #3 - Box 114
Akoskie
N. Car,

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Dear Sir:

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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,

Very truly yours,

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JOHN T. HARRIS,
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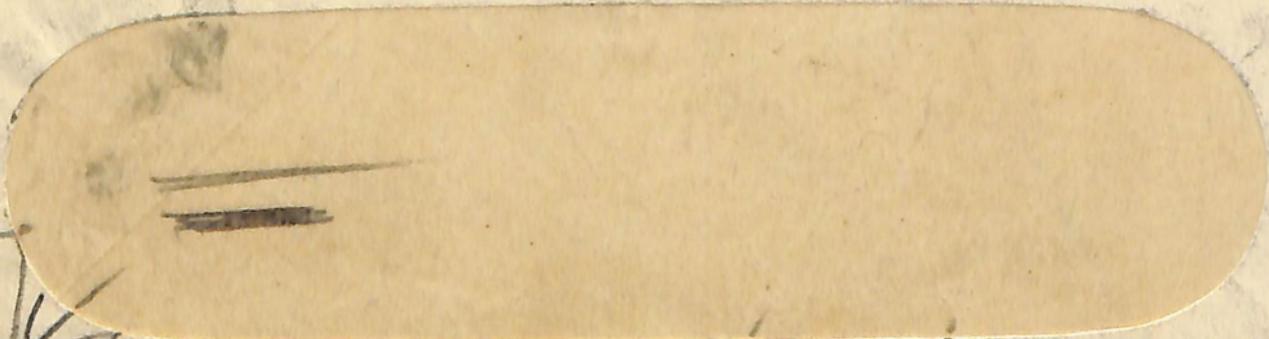
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Bryant, Rossie (MA) x

May 20, 1932

Mrs. Laura Newsome,
Winton,
North Carolina.

Dear Madam:

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1. Dates of death of parents of this late veteran.
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For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Enclosure:
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QM 293 A-M
Bryant, Rossie 1232 LP

July 16, 1930

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R. F. D. #3, Box #100
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Very truly yours,

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Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 7, 1930

Bryant, Rossie

1232-S

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bryant, Rossie

August 21, 1929

Mrs. Laura Newsome,
R. F. D. #3, Box 114,
Akoskie, N. C.

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The records of this office show that you are the **sister of the late Pvt. Rossie Bryant, Co. G. 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.**

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The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Private Rossie Bryant, Co. G., 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

In reply refer to:
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Dec. 1, 1922.

Miss Laura Bryant,
R. F. D. # 75,
Hanson, Va.

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

the late Rossie Bryant, Private, Company G,
369th Infantry, is Grave 8, Row 27, Block A, Meuse-Argonne American
Cemetery, ~~Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Department of War, 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, 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 main-
tained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting
place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

DEC 2 1922

G.R.S.

H. J. CONNER,
Assistant.

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Bryant, Rossie

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

2,465,605

(Army serial number.)

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Pvt. Co. G, 369th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(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)

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

RETURN UNCLAIMED

DATE 10/24/21

1. NAME BRYANT, Rossie SERIAL No. 2465605

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. G, 369th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Fr. Military Cty. Amer. Plot. Auve, (Marne) #266
CTY. NAME NUMBER

51 2 Amer.
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Not known
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Nothing of record

CONCENTRATED TO Not known
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Nothing of record
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

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DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

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Captain Q.M.C.

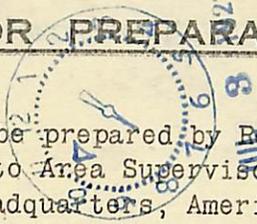
3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 10/24/21 8 27 A--- A-7-
DATE GRAVE ROW Block PLOT

AUDITED BY

*M.M.E -
11-4-22*

Meuse Argonnae American Cty 1232 Romagne sous Montfaucon
CEMETERY

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 I6, 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.

Place Auve Marne

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 15, 1921

1. REMAINS OF BRYANT, Rossie. SERIAL NUMBER 2465605.

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. G, 369th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Sept. 15, 1921. From (give complete location): Gr. 51, Row 2, Pl. Am. Cem. 266.

By: Group FOUR Unit FSS.

3. Reburied (date): Oct. 24, 1921. In (give complete location): Meuse-Argonne Cty. #1232 Gr. 3, Bl. A, row 27.

By: Group Reburial S Unit Nature of reburial Unlined Casket.

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

Uniform and pine box, badly decomp. recog. imp.

badly corroded

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

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

2 Fr. reburial plaques 276 276 Tag on ~~grave~~ body reads "2465605

badly corroded.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp. to det

15, 16 MAD. 2, 3, 8, 9, 14 cavity.

(b) Weight (estimated) imp. to det

(c) Hair—Color imp. to det

Quantity imp. to det

Characteristics imp. to det

(d) Hair on face—Color imp. to det

Location imp. to det

Quantity imp. to det

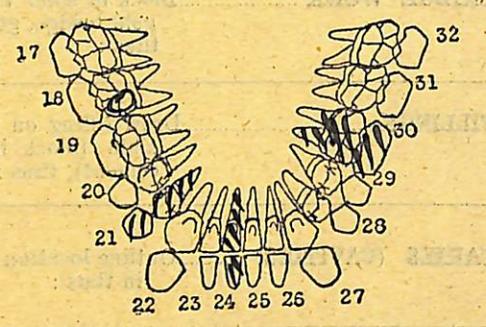
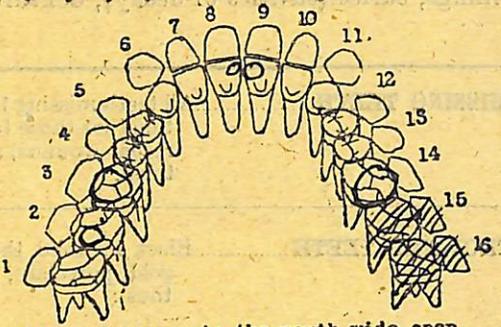
(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or

missing parts) imp. to det

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

21, 30 MBD. 24 MAD. 18 cavity.

Right leg fractured below knee.



D-60327

7. Disinterment supervised by Joseph S. Hughes Approved: J. B. Robinson

(Title) 1st Lt. CAC.

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault Approved: James W. Younger

(Title) JAMES W. YOUNGER, CAPT., Q.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 TEETHAll teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :	
CROWNED TEETHBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :	
BRIDGE WORKBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :	
FILLINGSDraw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :	
CARIES (CAVITIES)Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :	
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.

DATE Sept 15-21

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 BRYANT, Rossie

10. Name

2. No. 2465605

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co G, 369th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. Sept. 28th

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. DOW

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 51 Sec.

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot Amer. Row 2

16. Plot Row

9.

17. None.

18. Cemetery Fr. Milit. Amer. Plot

19. Commune or town Auve

20. Dept. or County Marne

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 266

23. Disinterred (Date) Sept 15-21

By J.S. Hughes

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Rossie Bryant.

Serial No.

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co. G. 369th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? No On body? Yes

wk

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

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).

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial uniform and pine box.

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

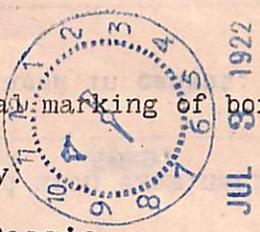
30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept 15-21 By J.S. Hughes

31. Casket sealed by J.S. Hughes

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

Joseph Hughes

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GRAVES REGISTRATION



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-8650

32. Designation of body

Name BRYANT, Rossie Serial No. 2465605

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. G, 369th Inf.

33. Consigned to: Officer in Charge Operations,

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept 15-21 By I.S. Hughes

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 J.S. Robinson, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

36. Remarks French reburial plaque 276-276

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Sept 15-21

To point of Concentration Romagne sous Montfaucon, Meuse.

Convoyer James Flynn Signature Shipping Officer J.P. Glandon Capt. Q.M.C.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date Sept 16 1921

G.R.S. Representative W. J. ...

41. Reinterred: Oct. 24, 1921. Meuse-Argonne Cty. #1232

42. Grave No. 8 Section

43. Plot Bl. A Row 27.

G.R.S. Representative JAMES W. YOUNGER, CAPT., Q.M.C.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #43881

*10/14/21 Intranet
for Necr-Argonne
1232
11-2-21
AES*

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BRYANT, Rossie Ser. No. 2465605
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co.G, 369th Inf. TYP. egp
(c) Date of death 9-28-18 (d) Cause of death DWR1A CKR. *[Signature]*

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

(a) Grave No. 51 Row 2 Plot Amer. Sec. -- TYP. egp
(b) Emerg. Address Burren Bryant (father) ^{Humpton} Humpton, Va. Box #75.

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

no card in file H.P. 1-11-21
Date of receipt

(a) Name Relationship
(b) Relationship
(c) Address
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.?
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S.

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SOLE & ISO SENT TO HL' BULLON BLANET' HUMPTON' ATLANTA'

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

Examiner's Initials Date, 1920.

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

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

no correspondence

Examiner's Initials H.P. Date 1-11, 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 1-12, 1920.

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 266 SHEET No. 8

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

Consolidated into P. A. C. 1232

CARDED

MA 2-1-21

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

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on Jan. 19, 1921, ~~1920~~

Par #2 Not to be returned (als)

IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: Form # 120 sent to Mr. Burren Bryant, Hampton, Virginia.
returned unclaimed. H-2/26/21/ap

War Risk-E.A. Mr. Burren Bryant-father-Box 75, Hampton, Va.
(H-5/6/21-RM)

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

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HOBOKEN, N.J.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER	CIVILIAN NO.	DATE
Bryant, Rossie	266-8	3/1/21
SERIAL NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	Date of Death.
2465605	Co. G., 369th Inf.	9/28/18

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department

Date 4-25-21 926

DATE _____

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

Mr. Burren Bryant (Father)

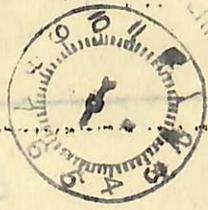
RELATIONSHIP

Address

Box 75 - Hampton, Va (Em Address)

Cor. Sec.

GENERAL DIVISION



APR 29 1921

GENERAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.

MAR 8 1921

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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

Hoboken, N. J.

3-1200

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

FEB 15 1921

To: Mr. Burren Bryant, Hampton, Va. (Box 75)

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Rossie Bryant, Ser. No. 2465605, Co. G, 369th Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named
no request has been made for the disposition of his remains.

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? _____

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Sisters (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		

Date _____

Signature _____

Address _____

Relationship _____

Address _____ Date _____, 1921

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MAIL UNIT

JUL 5 1921

Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-section

I, the undersigned, am the _____ 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 _____
(Name.)

_____ (R. R. station.) _____ (State.)

3. To be returned to the U. S. and buried in _____ National Cemetery.
4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Signature _____

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.

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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.

ROCKY, N.J.

OFFICE OF THE U. S. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
CENTRAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER	CITIZENSHIP NO.	DATE
Bryant, Rossie	266-8	3/1/21
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2465605	Co. G., 369th Inf.	9/28/18

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

DATE

RELATIONSHIP

Address

Cor. Sec.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Bryant 2465.08. Prossie
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private Co G 369.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Sept 29 - 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL Aune

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

French Military Cemetery 25076
east of Evacuation Hospital
Aune Marne Dept.

GRAVE NUMBER 276

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Peg Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Both Was one buried with body? Left on by French.

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker?

If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

Name plate put on peg.

REPORTED BY:

Chaplain Wm J. Bacon S.2. C.A.C.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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2. Soldier's No. 465605

BRYANT

ROSSIE

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

4. Pvt. G 369th Inf.
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. D of W
Date of Death Cause, if known

6. Sept. 29, 18. French Military
Date of Burial Cemetery

7. AUVE MARNE
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

8. French #276
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

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

10. Buried with Body? Yes Attached to Grave Marker? No Identification Tags On Coffin

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

C.M.E. (C-) 1st. COORD

12. Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed. Sgt. J. J. Miller

280-1-2 Group 3 Unit 302 G. E. S.

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

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PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$ 300.

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

American Expeditionary Force

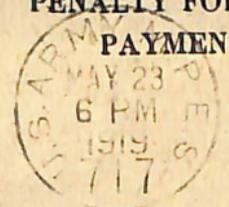
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.



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*Do not
return to
the
Address*

Mr. Burron Bryant
Hampton,
Va.
Box 75.



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Bryant, Rossie - Deceased

WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON.

APR 26 1919

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Mr. Burren Bryant,
Box 75
Hampton, W. Va.

AGO CARD
RETURNED
UNCLAIMED

Dear Sir:

The War Department desires to ascertain the wishes of the families of officers, enlisted men, and civilian employees regarding the permanent disposition of the bodies of those who have died overseas.

The original plan of the Department was to deliver the body in every case at the home address of the deceased to the person legally entitled to dispose of the remains. A desire has been expressed, however, in numerous instances to have the body remain abroad, and General Pershing is likely soon to enter into negotiations with the French and Allied Governments with the view of establishing permanent cemeteries for members of the American Expeditionary Forces. Marshal Petain in a most courteous letter has informed General Pershing that "France would be happy and proud to retain the bodies of the American victims who have fallen upon her soil."

A bill is now before Congress for the establishment of "Fields of Honor" abroad, which will insure future care by the United States Government as national cemeteries are now cared for. Burials have been made heretofore in cemeteries of the Allied nations or at or near the battle field in land set apart for this purpose as a cemetery, and religious services in accordance with the rites of the Protestant, Catholic, or Hebrew faith have been held at the grave.

In case the remains of a deceased soldier are returned to the United States they will be interred either at the former home of the deceased or at a national cemetery, according to the wishes of the one authorized to direct the disposition of the remains, and all expenses, including transportation, casket, shipping case, flag, and the preparation of the remains for shipment, will be paid by the United States. Hire of a hearse and other burial expenses incurred at the home of the deceased may be paid, on application by the relatives, by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Treasury Department.

In order that the proper disposition of the remains may be made, and that such disposition be directed by the person entitled to do so, the War Department will recognize the right to direct the disposition of remains in the following order:

In the case of an unmarried man—

- (1) Father; (2) mother, if father is dead; (3) brother, if both parents are dead; (4) sister, if both parents are dead and there are no brothers.

In the case of a married man—

- (1) Wife; (2) parents or children and other relatives in order set forth above.

It is desired that the information indicated on the inclosed card be furnished concerning the person named thereon at the earliest practicable date. If the card is received by some one not authorized to direct the disposition to be made of the remains, please deliver this circular and the card to the person who is entitled to do so.

The Department is unable to state when it will be possible to begin the removal of the remains of the soldiers, but the information requested is being collected at this time in order that there may be no delay when the time comes for such removal.

In returning the card please use the inclosed addressed penalty envelope, which requires no postage.

Very respectfully,

P. C. HARRIS,
The Adjutant General.