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1. NAME BURTON, Henry N.

SERIAL No. 3068513

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION & DIVISION Co., B. 34th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Amer. Dijon, Cote d'Or

7th Div # 14

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

451

Enl.

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 451 (Enl.pl.) DIJON (Côte d'Or)

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES E.298.5 N.59.5 (Lambert Zone Sud)

CONCENTRATED TO Not of record

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.

DATE OF DEATH

Sept. 21, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Texas

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Not of record

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

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CEMETERY

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GRAVE

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CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

W. H. Quarterman

W. H. QUARTERMAN, CAPT. F.A., Supervisor Area N°4

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION June 12th, 1922 31 16 Block A.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT



St-Mihiel Amer. #12 33, Thisucourt (M-et-M).

CEMETERY

Robert O. Davis, Major General.

The Adjutant General.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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

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

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

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

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Burton, **3068513** **Henry N.**
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private **Co. B** **34th Infantry**
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL **September 22, 1918.**

PLACE OF BURIAL **Municipal Cemetery of**

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

Rejoies, Polygone No. 4, Dijon,

Cote d'Or, France.

GRAVE NUMBER **451**

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? **yes**

Headboard? Bottle? **yes**

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:

Wm. W. Burton

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

Lieut.-Col. BASE HOSPITAL No. 17

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

A. P. O. No. 721, American E. F.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	BURTON	3	2 12 0
BURIED	CEMETERY 1233	1	3
	GRAVE 31	2	31
	ROW 16	2	16
	BLOCK a	1	1
STATE	Texas	2	49
RANK	Port	1	2
DIVISION	7	2	07
ORGANIZATION	34	3	034
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	no	1	2 km
NAME	Burton	3	2 12 0
RESIDENCE	STATE Texas	2	50
	COUNTY Blanco	2	50
	CITY Blanco	3	XXX
RELATION	mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Bad	1	2
NO. OF SONS		1	
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ACCEPTANCE	no	1	2
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Burton, Henry N. (STM)

July 11, 1932

Mrs. Cynthia Ann Burton,

Llano, Texas.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933? _____
(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

QM 293 AM
Burton, Henry N. (St H)

August 5, 1952

Mrs. Cynthia Ann Burton,
Llano,
Texas.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to the form letter recently sent you from this office, advising that you are unable to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private Henry N. Burton, during the summer of 1953.

It is deeply regretted that you do not feel able to take advantage of the offer of the Government at this time. However, it is hoped that you will reconsider and decide to visit your son's grave next year. Should you later desire to make the journey next year, it is requested that you notify this office, and arrangements will be made for you.

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Assistant.

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Dear Sir I cant come I am
to old and feeble
aont loode Give me

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

No
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

Mrs Cynthia Ann

Burton

(St-M)
Burton, Henry H.
Llano Co:

Llano Texas
Aug. 21, 31.

Mr. A. D. Hughes.
Dear Sir:

I received your letter the other day, in regard to the pilgrim spoke of my coming over there. I have been invited to ever one of them, but I can not come as my health want allow me to come.

I haven't received any thing. Only invited over there.

yours truly,
Mrs. Cynthia Anna
Burton
Llano Texas.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Burton, Henry M. (St.-M) M

August 6, 1931

Mrs. Cynthia Anna Burton,
Llano,
Texas.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to form letter forwarded you under recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, wherein you advise that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage during the year 1932.

Competent personnel will be provided to care for the mothers and widows from the time of their arrival in New York until their return thereto. Medical attendants and all other necessities will be arranged for and in the event you decide to make a pilgrimage, you are assured everything possible will be done for your care and welfare. During the summers of 1930 and 1931 many mothers of advanced age and in poor health made the pilgrimage and appear to have benefited therefrom.

Your name is being placed on the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make a pilgrimage in 1933. However, should you change your mind in view of the above, and desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM
Burton, Henry N. Pvt (StM) M

June 13, 1931.

Mrs. Cynthia Ann Burton,
~~400 W. Milton St.~~
Austin, Texas.

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Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

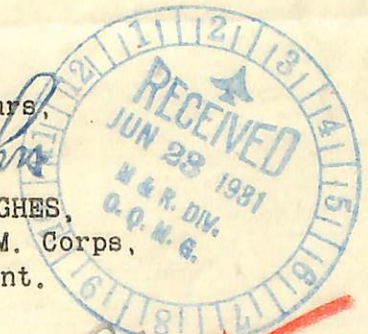
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This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?

No ✓
Write answer here

over
Mrs Cynthia Ann Burton
Sign here

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my health want permit me
to go.

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO
BURTON, Henry H. Pvt (SGM) M
DM-283-AM

Mrs. Cynthia Ann Burton
400 E. Winton St.
Lubbock, Texas

[Handwritten signature]

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

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For the Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,
[Signature]
A. D. HUGHES
Captain, U. S. Army
Assistant

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?
Write answer here

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

Burton, Henry N. 1233 M

June 7, 1930
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Mrs. Cynthia Ann Burton
~~400 W. Milton Street~~
~~Austin, Texas.~~

Llano, Texas

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1931, to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all mothers and widows who are not making the pilgrimage in 1930, regardless of whether or not they have expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Assistant.



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931?

No
(Write answer here)

Mrs Cynthia Ann Burton
(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Burton, Henry N. 1253--M

March 21, 1930

**Mrs. Cynthia Ann Burton,
400 West Milton Street,
Austin, Texas.**

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes)	(No) Other language (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE February 8, 1930

NAME	Single	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Burton Henry N		Pvt	3068513	Co B 34th Inf	Sept 21 1918

STATE	Texas	CTY. NO.	1233	GRAVE	31	ROW	16	BLOCK	A
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>	
	MOTHER	X	Xc 97722 2/13 W
NAME	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)		
AND	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)		(M)
ADDRESS	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)		Mrs. Cynthia Ann Burton, 400 West Milton St., Austin, Tex.
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)		

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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QM 293 A-C

Burton, Henry H

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

May 27, 1929.

Mr. W. W. Burton,
400 W. Milton St.,
So. Austin, Tex.

Dear Sir:

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

late Private Henry H. Burton, Co. B, 54th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel Cemetery, Mihaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France. The records of this office show that you are the father of the

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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QM 293 AM
Burton, Henry H. (St M)

August 5, 1952

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(Sign here) _____

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August 6, 1931

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Write answer here

Sign here

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Burton, Henry N. 1233 M

June 7, 1930
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Mrs. Cynthia Ann Burton
400 W. Milton Street
Austin, Texas.

Dear Madam:

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

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March 21, 1930

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

August 28, 1929.

Burton, Henry M.
1233

Mr. W. W. Burton,
400 W. Milton St.,
So. Austin, Tex.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated May 27, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:
2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.
3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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QM 293 A-C

IN REPLY REFER TO
Burton, Henry N

May 27, 1929.

Mr. W. W. Burton,
400 W. Milton St.,
So. Austin, Tex.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Private Henry N. Burton, Co. B, 34th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

For your reply, you may use the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JOHN T. HARRIS,
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QM 293 A-C

BURTON, Henry N., Pvt.

February 18, 1924

Mr. W. W. Burton,
400 West Milton St.,
South Austin, Texas.

The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to ~~Dear~~ enclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested.

This American military cemetery is one of those to be maintained by the United States for all time in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of dignified design, with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. 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.

Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. For the future, these graves will be perpetually maintained by the Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

1-Incl.
Record card.

Assistant.

R. L. FOSTER

O. Q. M. G.
CENTRAL MAIL ROOM.



FEB 18 1924

R. O. C.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 30, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BURTON, Henry N.

10. Name _____

2. No. 3068513

11. No. _____

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank _____

4. Org. Co. B. 34th Inf.

13. Org. _____

5. D.D. Sept. 21; 1918

14. (a) D.D. _____

6. C.D. Broncho Pneum.

(b) D.B. None.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 451 Sec. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____

8. Plot Enl. Row _____

16. Plot _____ Row _____

9. _____

17. None.

18. Cemetery Amer.

19. Commune or town Dijon

20. Dept. or County Cote d'Or

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 14

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov. 30, 1921.

By A. R. Cheney.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Henry M Burton

Serial No. _____

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co. B, 34th Inf. Gr. 451

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

Glenn C. Dorsey
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

GLENN C. DORSEY.

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).

Batt containing burial record found on body.

No effects found. Form 16a accomplished.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial Buried in uniform and in 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. 30, 1921 By A. R. Cheney.

31. Casket sealed by A. R. Cheney.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

A. R. CHENEY.

AUDITED BY
2518/16/23

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-17616

32. Designation of body:

Name Henry N. BURTON Serial No. 3068513
Rank Pvt. Organization Co.B. 34th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery St/ Mihiel Amer.#1233, Thiaucourt, M-et-M.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Nov. 30, 1921. By A. R. Cheney.

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. L. Fain*
R. L. FAIN, CAPT. QMC. bjm

36. Remarks _____

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Nov. 30, 1921.

To point of Concentration Dijon (Cote d'Or) France.
(Name
Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer Capt. QMC.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____
By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Nov. 30, 1921.

To Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel(1233) Thiaucourt (M et M)
(Name
Convoyer C. L. Rieley Signature Shipping Officer *W. R. Buckley*
W. R. BUCKLEY, CAPT. QMC.

40. Received: Date 5 DEC 1921
G.R.S. Representative *F. B. Daniels, Capt. 2MC*

41. Reinterred June 12th. 1922 (Date)

42. Grave No. 31 Section _____

43. ~~Plot~~ Blk. A Row 16

G.R.S. Representative *A E Dewey*
A E Dewey 1st Lt. QMC

Place Dijon (Cote d'Or)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Nov. 30, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BURTON, Henry N. SERIAL NUMBER 3068513

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. B, 34th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov. 30, 1921. From (give complete location) Gr. 451

Amer. Mil. Cem. 14. Dijon (Cote d'Or) France.

By: Group 3. Unit 4.

3. Reburied (date): June 12th. 1922 In (give complete location): Gr. 3I Blk. A Row 16

By: Group Reburial Unit _____ Nature of reburial Casket & shipping case

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

Buried in uniform and in wooden box. Badly decomposed, recognition impossible.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes, On grave marker? Yes.
corroded.

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

No effects found. *Bottle containing burial seal found in bag Alt*

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Unable to determine.

(b) Weight (estimated) -

(c) Hair—Color Unable to determine.

Quantity _____

Characteristics None.

(d) Hair on face—Color None.

Location None.

Quantity None.

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None.

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) Teeth even and regular.

None.

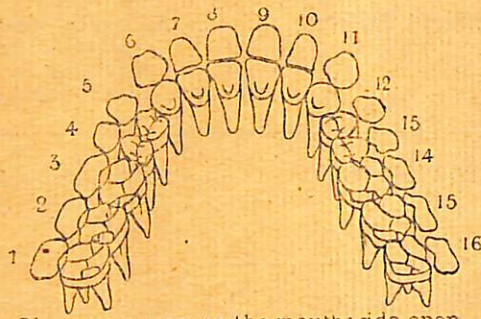
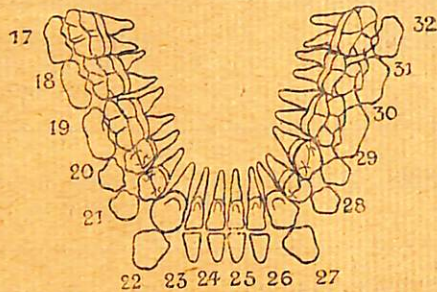


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



7. Disinterment supervised by A. R. Cheney

A. R. CHENEY.

Approved: _____
GCD.

R. L. FAIN,

(Title) Capt. Q.M.C. bjm

8. Reburial supervised by H L Kramer

H L Kramer

Approved: _____

A E Dewey

(Title) Ist. Lt. QMC

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:



CROWNED TEETH Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:



BRIDGE WORK Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:



FILLINGS Draw 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.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File No. 22112

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BURTON, Henry N. Ser. No. 3068513)
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B. 34th Inf.) TYP. EML
 (d) Cause) CKR. _____
 (c) Date of death 9-21-18 of death Broncho Pneumonia)

5/21/22 Examined
For Concentration
St. Michael 7233
att 7/8/22

ii. Registration Card:- (Check Reg. Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.)

(a) Grave No. 451 Row - - Plot Amer. Sect. - -) TYP. HDP
 (b) Emerg. Address W.W. Burton, (Father) Kingsland, Texas.

iii. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No Card) CKR. ES

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD: Date of receipt _____

No card in file
 (a) Name _____ (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. _____
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U.S. _____

SEE SUPPLEMENTARY REMARKS
 Examiner's Initials TPB Date 5-12-1920

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

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

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials a. a. Date 5-13-1920

VI. G.R.S. Files - Correspondence - shows as follows: _____

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes

Examiner's Initials GR Date 5-17-1920

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY NO. 14 SHEET NO. 51

G.R.S. Form #115

Amended April 6, 1920.

Make Form #114

rechecked
12/18

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 Dec 4....., 1920)

Par # 2 not to be returned yet

C O R R E C T I O N S

IX.

Change of advice	Action taken
Desires body be.....	
Body to be shipped to.....	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*Form 120 6-30-20 W.W. Burton
father, nearest of kin, 400 W. Milton
St. South Austin, Texas, requests
body remain in France. Dec. 7-6-20*

JOR

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON

MAY 25 1920

Rush Answer

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.

TO: Mr. W. W. Burton, Kingsland, Texas.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Henry N. Barton

Remain in France

The records of this office show ~~that your request to be~~
~~expressed~~ *your request to be*
not expressed

Henry N. Barton

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

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

3 Remain in France

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

*Noted on Form No. 115
7-6-20*

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow			
Soldier's Children	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
	3.		
Father	<i>W. W. Barton</i>		
Mother	<i>E. A. Barton</i>		
Brothers	1. <i>W. O. Barton, G. W. Barton</i>		
(Name oldest first)	2. <i>L. D. Barton, B. H. Barton</i>		
Sisters	<i>Mrs. J. E. Boston</i>		
Date	<i>June 27/1920</i>	Signature	<i>W. W. Barton</i>
Address	<i>50 Austin</i>	Relationship	<i>Wife</i>

Note:- Instructions on the reverse side of this sheet should be carefully read before filling out this paper.

HJM

(OVER)

The transfer of bodies will be made entirely at Government expense.

June 27 1920

W W Burton

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W. C. and B. of Burton
 405 W. Alton St
 Austin Texas
 W. C. and B. of Burton

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Burton, 3068513 Henry N.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private Co. B 34th Infantry
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL September 22, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL Municipal Cemetery of

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

Pejoces, Polygone No. 4, Dijon,
Cote d'Or, France.

GRAVE NUMBER 451

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

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:

ED
OSP SS.

Handwritten signature and initials in blue ink, possibly "A. P. O. No. 721"

REPORTED BY: *August H. Dean*
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

Lieut. - Co. BASE HOSPITAL No. 17.
This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service.
A. P. O. No. 721, American E. F.

30 SEP 1918

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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES.
BASE HOSPITAL NO. 17.
A. P. O. NO. 721.

September 22, 1918.

From: Commanding Officer.

To: Graves Registration Section, Hqrs., SOS., American E. F.

Subject: Report of Burial.

1. Name: Henry N. Burton.
2. Rank: Private.
3. Company: "B".
4. Regiment or Corps: 34th Infantry.
5. Date of Death: September 21, 1918.
6. Cause of Death: Broncho pneumonia. In line of duty, not result of own misconduct.
7. Place of Death: Base Hospital No. 17, American E. F.
8. Date of Burial: September 22, 1918 - 2 P. M.
9. Name of Cemetery: Municipal Cemetery of Pejoces, Polygone No. 4.
10. In what Town and Department: Dijon, Cote d'Or, France.
11. Number of Grave: 451.
12. Marking of Grave: By bottle containing data. Peg on side of which was placed identification tag.
13. Was original tag buried with body? Yes. Placed between undershirt and O. D. Shirt.
14. Disposition of Duplicate Tag? Duplicate tag fastened to side of burial peg, as per Art. (5), Par. 4, G. O. #30, G. H. Q., A. E. F., February 15, 1918.
15. Nearest Relative of Deceased: W. W. Burton,
16. Relationship and Address: Father, Kingsland, Texas.

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

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Angus McLean
Angus McLean,
Lieut.-Col., M. C.,

30 SEP 1918

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7. Autopsy Findings: Above diagnosis verified. Autopsy
performed by Central Medical Department Laboratory.
8. Place of Burial: Dijon, Cote d'Or, France.
9. Cemetery: Municipal Cemetery of Pejoces, Polygone No.4.
10. Grave Number: 451.
11. Age: 27 years.
12. Address of Nearest Relative: Kingsland, Texas.
13. Nearest Relative: Father, W. W. Burton.

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