

JUN 1 - 1926

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DATE 12/13/21

1. NAME BUTKA, Ludwik

SERIAL No. 2668740

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co.A. 146th Inf. 37 Div.

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse - Argonne Amer. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, #1232, Sec. 37

CTY. NAME

Meuse.

NUMBER

164

Sec. 37

4

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

11 Plot A Epinouvill Ivoiry, Meuse

COORDINATES Verdun 35 SE 278.3 N 308.16 E

CONCENTRATED TO

4/29/19

164

Sec 37

4

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse Argonne Cemetery

1232

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on cross and body.

DATE OF DEATH

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Sept 30, 1918 Pennsylvania

data F-1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none noted

ccg.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

M. B. BIRDSEYE 1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

12/13/21

26

13

Block E.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon. Meuse.

Major General

The Adjutant General

JUN 1 2 1926

Rec'd World War Div.

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AUDITED 4-4-23

JUN 9 1926 WORLD WAR DIV



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.



CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Burt</i>	3	^{12 12} <i>2-1-0</i>
	CEMETERY	1	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE	2	<i>26</i>
	ROW	2	<i>13</i>
	BLOCK	1	<i>5</i>
STATE	<i>Penn.</i>	2	<i>44</i>
RANK	<i>Priv.</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>37</i>	2	<i>37</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>146</i>	3	<i>146</i>
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL	<i>yes (Dead)</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NAME	<i>Burka</i>	3	
	<i>Stella (Daughter)</i>		
	<i>(90 1st. Nat. Bank, Guardian)</i>		
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
<i>Nanticoke, Pa.</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>no I.M. no Loco</i>	1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

AUDITED
APR 14 1932
RS

M. L. D.
29/514/PJ.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Butka, Ludwik 1232-D

July 8, 1930

Miss Stella Butka,
c/o First National Bank,
Nanticoke, Penn

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:

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

If so, give her name and address:

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:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

CAPITAL \$ 150,000.00 SURPLUS \$1,500,000.00

CHAS. A. SHEA, PRESIDENT
JOHN H. LECHER, VICE-PRESIDENT



WM. T. HARRIS, CASHIER
ED. MAKOWSKI, ASST. CASHIER

FRANK BEJZA, ASST. CASHIER

NANTICOKE, PA.

August 9th, 1929

War Department,
Washington, D.C.

Gentlemen:

Replying to yours next attached, I would advise our bank is the legal guardian of Stella Butka, minor child of Ludwig Butka. We would further advise the mother of Stella Butka is dead and that Ludwig has no mother or stepmother living. Therefore, there is no living person coming within the meaning of the law you refer to.

Yours very truly,

Wm. T. Harris
Cashier

H:L



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Butka, Ludwik

Aug. 6, 1929.

Stella

First National Bank,
Nanticoke, Pa.

Dear Sirs:

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 guardians of the child of the late Pvt. Ludwik Butka, Co. A, 146th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Mont-faucon, 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?

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.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

J. T. Harris

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

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Act of Congress
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Butka, Ludwik

June 29, 1929.

Miss Annie Butka,
117 E. Ridge St.,
Nanticoke, Pa.

*John of child of vet.
First National Bank,
Nanticoke,
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.

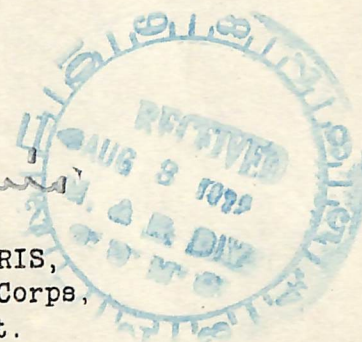
For your reply, you may use the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Envelope.

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



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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Manticoke, Pa.

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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

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Butka, Ludwik

Miss Annie Butka,
117 E. Hidge St.,
Nanticoke, Pa.

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".

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Butka, Ludwik

(Surname.)

Christian name in full.)

2,668,740

(Army serial number.)

Private, Co. A, 146th Infantry.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased. *Niece.*

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? *No.*

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery? } (Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Anna Butka
117 E Ridge St, Nanticoke, Pa.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card

Kraun by PF

4-29-21

1232 - Sec 37 - 23

checked
JS - 4-29-21

In reply refer to:
QM - 293 C-R

July 18, 1925.

Miss Annie Butka,
117 East Ridge St.,
Nanticoke, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private Ludwik Butka, Company A, 146th Infantry, is Grave 26, Row 13, Block E, 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 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.



JUL 18 1925
C.E.R.

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #79316

(a) Name BUTKA, Ludwik Ser. No. 2668740
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. A, 146th Infantry
(c) Date of death 9/30/18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. DMA
CKR. B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 164 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 37 TYP. DMA
(b) Emerg. Address Annie Butka (Niece) 117 E. Ridge St., Nanticoke, Pa.

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name Anna Butka (b) Relationship Niece
(c) Address 117 E - Ridge St. Nanticoke Pa
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? no
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____

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

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

Examiner's Initials PF Date 4-29-, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials PF Date 4-29-, 1920.

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

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

Examiner's Initials PF Date 4-29-, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-sec. 37 SHEET No. 23

Place Romagne 1232.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Dec 13, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BUTKA, Ludwig. SERIAL NUMBER 2668740
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. A. 146th Inf.

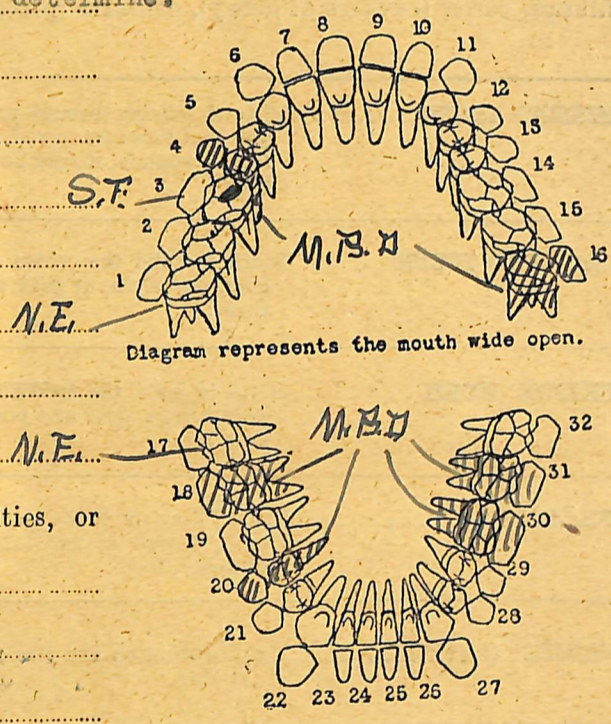
2. Disinterred (date): Dec 13, 1291 From (give complete location): gr 164, sec 37, plot 4, Cty. 1232.
By: Group 6 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Dec. 13, 1921 In (give complete location): Meuse-Argonne Cem. 1232, Gr 26, Row 13, Block E
By: Group Re-burial S 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 uniform, badly decomposed, features not recognizable.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes. On grave marker? Yes.
(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:
Tags show: Butka, Ludwig U.S.A. 2668740

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: F.B. Daniel
F.B. Daniel, Capt. U.S.M.C.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault

Approved: James W. Younger
James W. Younger
(Title) Captain, QMC

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".
 (b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.
6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspid (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

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:



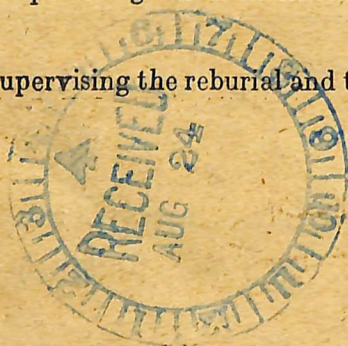
CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec. 13, 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 BUTKA, Ludwik
 2. No. 2668740
 3. Rank Pvt.
 4. Org. Co. A, 146th Inf.
 5. D.D. Sept. 30th 1918
 6. C.D. KIA

10. Name _____
 11. No. _____
 12. Rank _____
 13. Org. _____
 14. (a) D.D. _____
 (b) D.B. None.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 164 Sec. 37
 8. Plot 4 Row _____
 9. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. None.

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer.
 20. Dept. or County Meuse.

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon
 21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232, Sec. 37

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec. 13, 1921. By C.V. Russell

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Ludwik Butka
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. 2668740
 Organization Co. A, 146 Inf.

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

Signature E. J. Rasch Junior Technical Assistant

E. J. Rasch

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).

Tags show "Butka Ludwig USA 2668740".

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed; features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Box, US uniform and burlap.

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

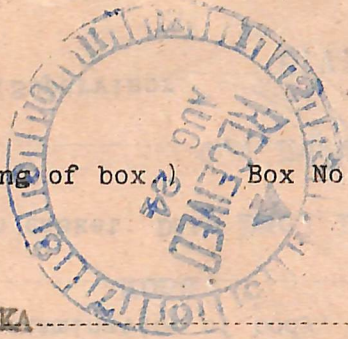
30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Dec. 13, 1921. By C.V. Russell

31. Casket sealed by C.V. Russell

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

C.V. Russell

AUDITED



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box) Box No. C-18597

32. Designation of body:
Name Ludwik BUTKA Serial No. 2668740
Rank Pvt. Organization Co. A. 146th Inf.

33. Consigned to:
Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer. #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec. 13, 1921. 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.
F. B. Daniel
Signature of G.R.S. Inspector F. B. Daniel, Captain, QMC.

36. Remarks None.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec. 13, 1921. d
To point of Concentration Morgue, Romagne.
(Name *J. Gerald Cole*)
Convoyer W. J. Royed. Signature Shipping Officer J. GERALD COLE
Captain, G. A. 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 _____
(Name _____)
Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

40. Received: Date _____
G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232 Dec. 13, 1921
(Date)

42. Grave No. 26 Section _____

43. ~~Plot~~ Block E Row 13

G.R.S. Representative *James W. Younger*
James W. Younger
Captain, QMC
mr

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

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File #79316

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 (c) Date of death 9/30/18 (d) Cause of death K/A } B. J.

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

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

Sec #37

Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned

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VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., _____, 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source.	Relationship and name.	Desires.	Action taken.
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VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., _____, 192

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

79316

Place NEUFCHATEAU

Date 3rd June 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: LUDWIK Butka

Number: 2668740

Rank: Unknown

Organization: Unknown;

Unit

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

29th April 1919

Grave # 11 B:A: CEMETARY

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35SE 308.16E 278.3N

Reburied (Date)

(Date)

in: (Give complete location)

29th April 1919

Grave # 164 Sec 37 Plot 4

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETARY # 1232

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CONFIRMED No. 1232

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

Burial good, buried in blanket body badly decomposed;

Was one identification tag found upon the body?

yes

What other means of identification were found on the body? None

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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 identify in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Lt. Howlitt;

r/s

R. H. ROSENTHAL

2nd Lieut. Q.M.C.U.S.A.

C.O. Group

Unit

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of: Unknown
 Name: LUDWIG BARTH
 Rank: Unknown
 Organization: Unknown
 Unit: Unknown
 Disinterment and Reburial made by Group: Unknown
 Date: 28th April 1919
 Place: SPRINGVILLE MUSEUM
 Grave # 11 in: CEMETERY
 Grave # 104 Sec 27 Plot A

Reported (Date): 28th April 1919
 in: SPRINGVILLE MUSEUM
 (Give complete location): GRAVE # 104 SEC 27 PLOT A

Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
 Burial good, buried in Vienna - body well preserved.
 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, they should be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as in report form, after being carefully examined for class to identify cases, notification thereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.
 Supervised by: PL. Howlett
 R. H. ROSENTHAL
 2nd Lt. Col. Q.M.G.S.A.
 G.O. Graves Unit

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE
G. MUNITZ BUILDING A

Invest. & Adj. Department.
Adj. Unit.

WAR DEPARTMENT

Information requested of A. S. OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE
WASHINGTON

Date 5/10/20

Handwritten: 100-100-100

File No. 79316 Registration.

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division).

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D. C.

Subject: Information required for G.P.S.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed. Request confirmation of all information shown.

- a. Surname ~~LUDWIK~~ *Butka*
- b. Christian name ~~Butka~~ *Ludwik*
- c. Serial number 26687400K
- d. Organization *Co. A. 146 Inf*
- e. Rank *Pvt.*
- f. Date of death *Sept. 30, 1918*
- g. Cause of death *Killed in action*
- h. Authority (C.C.#) *572-Sub 87*
- i. Emergency address *Annie Butka
117 E. Ridge st.
Nanticoke, Pa*
- j. Relationship *Wife*

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age at Enlistment
- b. Color of Eyes
- c. Color of Hair
- d. Height
- e. Weight
- f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment. (Old fractures or breaks)

DENTAL CHART

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
upper right								upper left							
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
lower right								lower left							

Handwritten checkmark

H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, U. S. A.,
Director of Purchase & Storage.

By:

Handwritten signature: H. J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
Captain, Q. M. C.

Rec'd World War
Date 5-13-20

REC'D S. O. A. O. 3. MAY 12 1920

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Hd. Qu. Pers. Sec.
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Cty. 955

Form No. 8; General Record of Service.
For: G.A.S. representative, G.R.S.
Information required for G.R.S.

11/19

Items checked are to be completed:

- () Surname: **LUDWIK.**
- () Number: **2668740.**
- () First name: **Butka.**
- () Rank:
- () Company:
- () Organization:
- () Date of death:
- () Cause:
- () Place:

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Location of hospital:

- Number " "
- Class " "
- () Relative:
- () Relationship:
- () Address:
- () Authority:
- C. logram No:
- Telegram from:



dated:

- () Reported to Washington:
- C.C. Nos:
- (UnderSCORE the "official" C.C.)
- () Remarks:
- () Show present status on reverse side.

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

Initials of Reporter:

No record
Edna Trueblood
Verified 7-1-20
C. Butka

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G.R.S. Form No. 8: Central Records Liaison.

Memo. For: G.R.S. representative. C.R.O.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

- () Surname: Butka
- () Number: 2668740
- () First Name: Ludwik
- () Rank: Pvt.
- () Company: "A"
- () Organization: 146th, Infantry.
- () Date of Death: 9-30-18.
- () Cause: K/A.
- () Place:

Location of hospital:

- Number " "
- Class " "
- () Relative: *Anna Butka*
- () Relationship: *Wife*
- () Address: *117 E. Bridge St.
Nanticoke, Penna.*
- () Authority: *Nanticoke, Penna.*
- Cablegram No.: 523 Sub. #9.
- Telegram from:

dated:

- () Reported to Washington:
C.C. Nos:

(Underscore the "official" C.C.)

- () Remarks:
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CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

Initials of Reporter: *EL*

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GRAVE LOCATION CARD

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Butka 2668740 Ludwik
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. Co. A, 146th, Infantry.
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL:

PLACE OF BURIAL:

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

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GRAVE NUMBER:

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

Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?.....

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?

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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Lone Tree Cemetery (American)

Soldier's No. 2668740

Soldier's Name. Ludwik, Butka

Cemetery, Lone Tree, American

Town or Commune, Ivory, State Meuse

Grave no 1

Cross, yes

Tag buried with body and one on cross

Grave located in cemetery, cemetery located in S. E. part of Ivory, 3 kilos due W fr Montfaucon. 268 N by 308 E. Map used Lambert Projection. Verdun S. E. 35

Signed. Cpl Frank Wisniewski
Group 1, GRS 306

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STATIONERY DEP'T. BANK OF AMERICA

FROM: ALEXANDER S. E. 22
CITY: LOS ANGELES, CALIF. 900
TO: S. E. BULL OF IACOLA, 2 KINGS AVE. N. W. WASHINGTON
D.C. 20004

RE: [illegible]

CLASS: [illegible]

CLASS NO: [illegible]

NAME OF COMPANY: IACOLA, STATE MEXICO

ADDRESS: [illegible]

PHONE NO: [illegible]

TELETYPE NO: [illegible]

CLASSIFICATION: [illegible]

G.R.S. FORM NO. 12

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

FROM : ADJUTANT GENERAL.
TO : C. O. Co. A, 146th, Infantry.
SUBJECT : Information for burial Register.

1. You are directed to transmit without delay to the Chief, Graves Registration Service, the information indicated on enclosed Graves Location Blank as necessary for the completion of official records.

By Command of General Pershing:

Robert C. Davis
Adjutant General.


Notes:

In case this item is checked, you will note hereon:

Nearest relative of deceased:

Relationship:

Address:



The organization to which this mail is addressed has been demobilized. The organization given on the return address is also disbanded, or is with the A. E. F. This mail is forwarded to the A. G. O. for disposition.

Graves Registration
Service, Q. M. C.

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Received A. G. O. SEP 27 1919

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ARMY REGISTRATION SERVICE
FOR THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCES

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Demobilized

The Commanding Officer,
Company A,
146th Infantry,
American E F.



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Cty # 1232

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MEMORANDUM TO FILES DEPARTMENT

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FROM:

File # 104281 (Cancelled) - Butka, Ludwik

TO:

File # 79316 ✓ Ludwik Butka
Butka, Ludwik.

By: Pearl Bond

Section

Registry Dept.

Date 5-26-20

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Sketch 16 Group 1 Unit 506 GRS,
One isolated grave (German) located just outside of cemetery, Graves located in cemetery.
Cemetery located in S.E. part of Ivory, 3 K. due W. from Montfaucon, 268 N. 508 E.
coded 508. 2- 278.3

1-2-----10 Plot 1
11-12-----19 Plot 2
1 German grave.

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Unknown (German)

Ludwik, Butka	2568740			
Babcock, Carl	1520238			
Paak, Arthur	53265	Cpl		
Cirwyski	278584			
Schroeder, August	2029425			
Petty, John				
Ryer, Edna	3 168658			
Griffin, Joseph B.	3098605			
Kicklighter, Charles	2314751			
Blaskner, Maudice	75722			
KEINATH? CONRAD J.	2094897	Pvt		
Wiertman, George	275670	Pvt	L	32nd Mich
Feasty, J. J.	1749242			
Patterson, Dewey	1522490			
Lillefloren, Ole	3128484			
Barcellona, Ciro	2406394			
Mikolagjozyki, Walter	1517190	Pvt	A	145
Geis, Edward		Pvt		136 MG
Alvin, Tyler	2563041			
Wheatley, Estres R.	1062944	Sgt 1/c		43 Bal.

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One isolated grave (German) located just outside of cemetery, Graves located in cemetery located in S.E. part of 1 Ivory, S.E. one W. from Northwood, 222 N. 222 E. coded 208-2-273-3
11-12----- 19 Plot 2
1-2----- 19 Plot 1
1 German Grave.

Unknown (German)	208240	✓
Ludwig, Walter	1820288	
Babcock, Carl	58280	(P)
Peak, Arthur	27804	
Griffin, Joseph B.	309800	
Schroeder, Albert	302422	
Griffin, Joseph B.	318858	
Rickert, Charles	321401	
Diamer, Maurice	75722	
KEINATHY CONRAD J.	200487	(P)
Warman, George	27870	(P) I 2nd Mich
Healy, J. J.	149222	
Patterson, Dewey	152240	
Muller, Olo	212484	
Barcelona, Giro	240230	
Nikolajewski, Walter	1817180	(P) A 1st
Gels, Edward	358 18	(P)
Alvin, Tyler	288041	
Whistley, Byron R.	108284	(P) I/O 48 1st

These are names of graves we located while we were on Littlefield, Tex. Feb. 1918
 (by one Calvin E. Smith, a chaplain of 51st Division.)

Graves by Church 1st Inf. Graves Cemetery by side of Hill.

Edna E. Bentley		
Alma Tyler	2505001	
Edward Stone		Pvt 1st Div.
Barclay, Ciro	2400000	
Lilliflora, Ole	2100000	
William, Doug	1800000	
F. Egan	1700000	
Malina Laine	2000000	✓
Carl Schuch	1500000	
1st Regt	00000	Cpl
Circuit		
John Sir Cyril	2700000	
August Schroeder	2000000	
Petty, John	2100000	
Joe E. Griffin	3000000	
Lawrence Blommer	70000	
Conrad J. Karpis	2000000	

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