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G.R.S. Form #114-B hw

To The A. G. C.

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1. *Soldier's Sig*
 NAME CROCKETT, Charlie A. *es OK* DATE Nov. 14, 1921
 SERIAL No. 1457672
 RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co. K, 139th Inf
& DIVISION 35
 GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Am. Romagne/s/Montfaucon 1232 sec 41
 CTY. NAME NUMBER

19 sec 41 1
 GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 15 Charpen try (Meuse).
 GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES 35SE 276.65N 302.65E.

CONCENTRATED TO 4.25.19. 19 41 1.
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne 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 Sept 26, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Mo.

F I MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none

h SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

Off Corp. 5-7-17
Reduced to Pvt. 7-21-18

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

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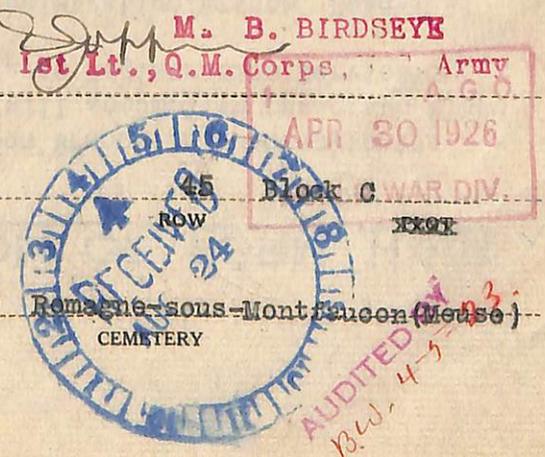
SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR M. B. BIRDSEYK
1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 11/14/21 8
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty #1232- Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse)
 CEMETERY

Major General
 The Adjutant General
 GRR

MAY 5 1926



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.



GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Crockett 1457672 Charles A.

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

Unknown

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL..... Oct. 8, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL... 273.8 - ~~301.5~~ 302.5

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

Map Vouziers 1:50,000 29th. Engrs. 1918

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:

REPORTED BY:

Chaplain Walsh

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

#9/26/18 ee 288
14/10/18/60m.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Crocket 1457672 Chas. A.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Oct 6 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL 302.5 x 76.6

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

Map Montfaucon

GRAVE NUMBER

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *yes* Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *yes*

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

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

REPORTED BY:

Thomas King Charlain
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Co K. 139th Infantry
35th Div.

CROCKETT, Charlie A. - I457672
Home : D E K A L B (Mo.)

" I was with Charlie A. Crockett while Co K. was advancing against heavy artillery and Machine gun fire. While, we were crossing a barbed wire entanglement Charlie was hit by two Machine gun bullets. One entering his left lung and the other striking him in the forehead. He advanced about two paces further and fell forward and died without moaning or uttering a word. This happened just before we crossed the Baunthe river south of Charpentry and Baulny, on the afternoon of September 26th , 1918.-

Informant : HELMAN, Charles H. - Sgt I457673
Co K. 139th Infantry
Home : WESTON, Mo.-

Emergency address :
Robert CROCKETT (Brother)
DEKALB (Mo.)

H.P.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: CROCKETT, Charles A.

Number: 1457672

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Unkn

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

4/25/19

Grave #15 B.A.Cty., CHARPENTRY, MEUSE

Map 35 S.E. E 302.65 N 276.65

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

4/25/19

Grave #19 Section #41 Plot #1

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY, #1232

ROMAGNE, MEUSE

1232

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

Burial good. Body buried in uniform. Body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

CONFIRMED No. D. 12373

Note:

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

Supervised by: Lt. J.C. Hanes

AEB.

C.O. Group _____ Unit _____



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BELONGS TO DEPARTMENT AND SERVICE

QM 293 A-M
Crockett, Charles A. (MA)

June 17, 1932

Mrs. Ida Frances Kerne,
Route #2,
Rushville, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

This office is making an earnest endeavor to communicate with all women who may be eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It is therefore requested that you advise whether or not your brother, the late Private Charles A. Crockett, is survived by a stepmother or any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of five years at any time prior to his reaching the age of eighteen, and if so, her name and address. It will be appreciated if you will also furnish the dates of death of your parents.

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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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 8, 1930.

Crockett, Charles A. 1232 S

Mrs. Ida Frances Kerns,
R.F.D. #1,
Platte County,
Weston, Mo.

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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Crockett, Charles A.
1232.

Sept. 4, 1929

Mr. Robert Crockett,
DeKalb, Mo.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 29, 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,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Crockett, Charles A.

June 29 1929.

Mr. Robert Crockett,
Dekalb, Mo.

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 brother of the late Pvt. Charles A. Crockett, Co.K, 139th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Mont faucon, Meuse, 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,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

CM 293 C-R

Crockett, Charles A. Pvt.

Aug. 1, 1923.

Mrs. Robert Crockett,
DoKalb,
Mo.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be advised that your letter of recent date has been referred to the Director of the Veterans' Bureau, Washington, D. C. in which office the matter of insurance is handled.

It is believed you can expect to hear from that office in the near future regarding the insurance of your late brother-in-law Pvt. Charles A. Crockett, Co. K, 138th Infantry.

Very truly yours,

LN

H. J. CONNER,
Assistant.

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ESM

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ESM*

O. Q. M. G.
Central Mail & Files Bn.

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AUG 2 1923
H. B.

QM 293 C-R

Crockett, Charles A. Pvt.

Aug. 1st 1923.

Director of the Veterans' Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires the inclosed letter from Mrs. Robert Crockett, DeKalb, Mo. be referred to your Bureau for reply regarding insurance of the late Private Charles A. Crockett, Co. K, 138th Infantry, #1457672.

The writer has been advised of this reference.

Very truly yours,

H. J. CONNER,
Assistant.

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Central Mail & Files Br.



AUG 2 1923
F. B.

War Dept.

Wash. DC

Dear Sir:

I am so glad to receive the letter with Private Charles A. Crockett grave No. and I thank you very much but I would love to know why we did not get any of his insurance and the other brother and sister did

I thank you very much

Mrs. Robert Crockett

De Kalb, Mo.

In reply refer to:
QM - 293 C-R

July 18, 1923.

Mr. Robert Crockett,
DeKalb,
Mo.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private Charles A. Crockett, Company K, 139th Infantry, is Grave 8, Row 45, Block C, 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.

O.Q.M.G.
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OSP-SS
Form No. 1009

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

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7/27/4

Harlow C.W.
NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER
CEMETERY NO. _____ DATE 7/27/4

Crockett, Charlie A., Pvt.
SERIAL NUMBER ORGANIZATION DATE OF DEATH
1457672 Co. K, 139th Inf. 9/26/18.

Copy forwarded to WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION
Adjustment Department
Date 6-25-21 DATE _____
N.M.

PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE RELATIONSHIP
Mrs. Ida Francis Kerns Sister
NO PLATE

ADDRESS
Rt. F. D. #2, Bushville, Mo.

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION RELATIONSHIP

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-H
Information requested *A.G.O.*

Date 4/20/21.

File No. Requisition

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

- a. Surname Crockett
- b. Christian name Charlie A.
or (Charles A.)
- c. Serial Number 1457672
- d. Organization Co. K, 139th Inf.
- e. Rank Pvt.
- f. Date of death 9/26/18.
- g. Cause of death K/A.
- h. Authority (C.O.#)
- i. Emergency address
Robert Crockett (brother)
- j. Relationship
Webb, Mo.

FILE

BODY DESCRIPTION
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age of 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 CHARTS
(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							

Noted on Form No. 115
Date 4-26-21

CWETERY NO: 1232-Sec. 41

SHEET NO: 40
TYPED BY: I.W.

H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.

BY: *H. J. Conner*
H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

Rec'd World War Div
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Rec'd 8 & 9 Div. A.G.O.
APR 22 1921

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Donnelly-7H - E Ploc. 4/23/21

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

Date: 4/20/21

U.S. Form B-7-2-21
Information requested

Assignment Made
4/20/21

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 555 E. D Street, Washington, D.C.
From: The Quartermaster General, U.S. Army, (Contract) Division, (SPECIAL)

FILE

Subject: Information requested for U.S.A.

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

- a. Service Record
- b. Organization Co. K, 135th Inf.
- c. Rank Pvt.
- d. Christian name (Charles or Charles A.)
- e. Serial number 12345
- f. Cause of death
- g. Date of death 2/26/18
- h. Authority (C.O.A.)
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship

PHYSICAL 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 of enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)
- g. Scar on right hand
- h. Scar on left hand
- i. Scar on right foot
- j. Scar on left foot

Date: 4/20/21
Signed: [Signature]

APR 25 1921

RECEIVED

H. E. ROBERTS
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.

H. E. ROBERTS
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.

1 G.R.S. form no. 33479

2 no 1457672

3 CROCKETT CHARLES A.

4 Prot. — —

5 — — —

6 A.E.F. Cemetery no 12

7 Charpentry manual

8 Grove no 15. Plot no 1

9 Cross.

10 yes — yes

11 $\frac{1}{2}$ kilo S. Charpentry Baulny
road. $\frac{1}{2}$ kilo S.W. Charpentry

1 kilo S.E. Baulny.

12 map 35 SE 276.8 N. 302.8 E.

13 Sketch no 78

Group unit 306 G.R.S.

George Dieckhoff



1 P.P. 3. from 203 11/19
2 No 1187 1919
3 BROOKETT CHARLES A.
4 Post. —
5 — —
6 P.P. 1. from 203 11/19
7 P.P. 2. from 203 11/19
8 P.P. 3. from 203 11/19
9 P.P. 4. from 203 11/19
10 P.P. 5. from 203 11/19
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12 P.P. 7. from 203 11/19
13 P.P. 8. from 203 11/19
14 P.P. 9. from 203 11/19

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4-19-21

(Date)

FORM 115 has been compiled on the following case:-

CEMETERY-NO. 1232 SECTION 41

FORM 115 Sheet No. 40

FA
(Initials)

OSP-SS
Form No. 1011.

S/2053/LML

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Crockett</i>	3	<i>3 8 5-</i>
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	<i>1</i>
	GRAVE	2	<i>08</i>
	ROW	2	<i>45</i>
	BLOCK	1	<i>3</i>
STATE	<i>Mo.</i>	2	<i>29</i>
RANK	<i>Priv</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>35</i>	2	<i>35</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>139</i>	3	<i>139</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>no</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME	<i>Kerns</i>	3	
STATE	<i>Mo.</i>	2	
RESIDENCE	<i>RT#3</i>	2	
	<i>Rushville, Mo.</i>	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>(Father died 5-26-12 no record)</i>	1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead (3-3-12)</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	

Sister

Audited
APR 22 1932

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Gm 293 a-m

Charles F. Crockett

Rushville Mo.

June 27-32

Captain Gm Corps
assistant

Kind Sir

Your letter of the 17
17 June. my brother
had no step mother
The dates of his parents
death mother

Marriah Crockett died
March 3. 1912

Father

Robert Crockett died

Aug 26. 1912

Mrs Ida Francis Kerns

Rushville

R.3.

Mo



QM 293 A-M
Crockett, Charles A. (MA)

June 17, 1932

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For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
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Enclosure:
Envelope.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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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.

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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:

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If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Mrs. I. da Francis Kern

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

R. 7 D-1
Weston, Mo-

DATE January 17, 1930

NAME RANK SERIAL ORGANIZATION DATE OF DEATH
Crockett, Charles A Pvt. 1457672 Co. K. 139th Inf. Sept 26, 1918

> Single man

STATE Missouri CTY. NO. 1232 GRAVE 8 ROW 45 BLOCK C

Check relationship Living - Deceased

MOTHER : :

STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service) : : :

NAME : : :

AND MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service) : : :

ADDRESS service) : : :

MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service) : : : _____

no WIDOW (Who has not remarried) : : : _____

Veterans Bureau Claim Number XO-71274
29/156/

2/21/30

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WASHINGTON

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Envelope.

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

ser.
1457672

1232

Xc 71274

Crockett, Char. A - Pot lot 139 of 35 Liv.
Date mother's death?

4 other living?

Sister - Mrs Ida F. Kerns, ~~Rt 1, Weston, Mo.~~ Rt 2, Rushville

Loco or SM? no record.

Ida born 1886

bet born 12-2-90 End. 8. 5-17

Parents died before 1918

Bro - born 1-14-75

mo

James Crockett
De Kalb - mo

James + Ida equal part

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 33479

(a) Name CROCKETT, Charles A. Ser. No. 1457672
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. K. 139th Inf.
(c) Date of death 9-26-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. hmp
CKR. [initials]

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

(a) Grave No. 19 Row ----- Plot 3 Sec. 41 TYP. hmp
(b) Emerg. Address Mr. Robert Crockett, (Brother) DeKalb. Mo.

III. Files of soldiers/dying from contagious diseases

CKR. [initials]

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt -----

(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. -----

Examiner's Initials ----- Date -----, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials ----- Date -----, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? -----

Examiner's Initials [initials] Date 4/19, 1920.

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checked
6-2-1921
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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 APR 27 1921, 1920

Sec. 41

Par. #2, Not To Be Returned (EW)

Crockett, Charles A.

IX. CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

R.P.
(B. A. N. R. 625-21) Mrs. Ma Francis
Kearney, (sister) R. F. N. # 2, Bushville,
Mo.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF CROCKETT^{es} Charles. A. SERIAL NUMBER 1457672

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. K, 139th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov 10, 1921 From (give complete location): gr 19, sec 41, plot 1

By: Group 4 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Nov 14th 1921 In (give complete location): Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Gr 8 block C row 45

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: body tag checks with records.

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

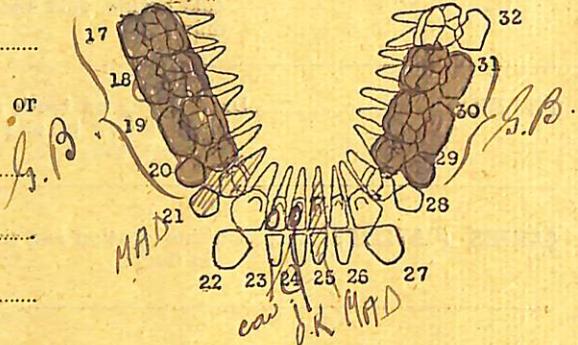
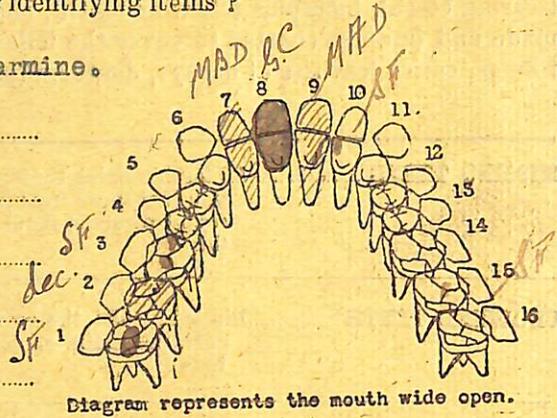
(d) Hair on face—Color do

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 P.P. Kierce

P.P. Kierce.

Approved: R.C. Worthington, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault

A. U. Dufault

Approved: James W. Younger, Capt. Q.M.C.
(Title)



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

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

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

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

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.
8. Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov 10 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 CROCKETT, Charlie A

10. Name

2. No. 1457672

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt

12. Rank

4. Org. Co.K, 139th Inf

13. Org.

5. D.D. Sept. 26 - 19

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA(b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 19 Sec. 41

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 1 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. None18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer19. Commune or town Romagne/s/Montfaucon20. Dept. or County Meuse21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 sec 4123. Disinterred (Date) Nov 10 1921By P P Kierce

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Charlie A CrockettSerial No. 1457672Rank PvtOrganization Co K 139 Inf25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? YesSignature J L White Junior Technical Assistant

J L White

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).

None27. Condition of body Badly decomposed features unrecognizable28. Nature of burial US Uniform burlap box29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov 10 1921 By P P Kierce31. Casket sealed by P P KierceSignature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) P P Kierce

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-16129

32. Designation of body:

Name ~~ERIKKX~~ ^{CS} Charlie A CROCKETT Serial No. 1457672

Rank Pvt Organization Co.K, 139th Inf

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Am. Romagne/s/Montfaucon 1232

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Nov 10 1921 By P P Kierce

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 [Signature]
R C Worthington Lt OMC

36. Remarks _____

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Nov 10 1921 cc

To point of Concentration Moruge Romagne

Convoyer W J Royed Signature Shipping Officer J. Gerald Cole
J. GERALD COLE
Captain, C. 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 _____

Convoyer _____ (Name) Signature Shipping Officer _____

40. Received: Date _____

G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Nov 14th 1921

(Date)

42. Grave No. 8 Section _____

43. ~~PIXIX~~ Block C Row 45

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G.R.S. Representative [Signature]
James W. Younger, Capt OMC.



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III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR. *Ed*

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
Sec. 41 { letter of transmittal on APR 27 1921 192
Par. #2, Not To Be Returned
Crockett, Charles A. (CW)
 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

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