

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

1. NAME DEFREES, Albert C. SERIAL No. 2175959

RANK Cpl ORGANIZATION Co.C 353rd Inf.

**DIVISION 89**

GRAVE LOCATION St.Mihiel Amer.Cty. Thiaucourt M&M 1233

CTY. NAME NUMBER

196 Sec.15 4

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION #50, Bruley, (M et M)

*213-a. Plot B*

*Auth. 1st Reg. 7/24 - Cty Corresp. 1233.*

COORDINATES 214.75 N 363.5 E

CONCENTRATED TO 6/3/19 169 Sec 15 4

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

St. Mihiel Cty. Thiaucourt (M et M) 1233

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

Data concerning any identification found on remains when concentrated, such as collar insignias, letters, broken bones, missing parts, etc.  
Tag on body and cross. *13 (auth. Cas. List from SVA and other records)*

DATE OF DEATH Sept. 17, 1918  
Kans

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Data form 1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

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*Walter F. Brown*  
**WALTER F. BROWN**

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Captain, Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

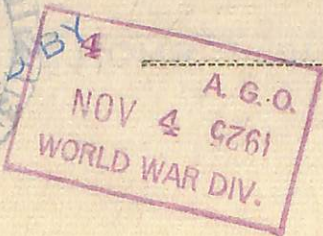
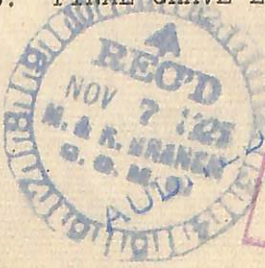
3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION August 21, 1922 15 7 Block B

DATE GRAVE ROW Major G. PLOT

The Adjutant General  
By *e L R*

St. Mihiel Cemetery #1233  
CEMETERY

NOV 0 - 1925



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.
2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.
3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.
4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form I6, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

died W.P. 9/13/18. 264  
**GRAVE LOCATION BLANK**

*Debroce*

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

*DEBROCE* 2175959 ALBERT G.  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

*Cpl.* *Co. C, 353 Inf.*  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *Sept. 11, 1918.*

PLACE OF BURIAL *American Cemetery #108.*

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

GRAVE NUMBER *219*

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

Headboard? .. Bottle? ..

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *yes*

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:

*[Signature]*  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>DeFrees</i>	3	456
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>1233</i>	1	3
	GRAVE <i>15</i>	2	15
	ROW <i>7</i>	2	07
	BLOCK <i>B:</i>	1	2
STATE	<i>Kansas</i>	2	18
RANK	<i>Cpl.</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>89</i>	2	89
ORGANIZATION	<i>353</i>	3	353
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>no</i>	1	2
NAME	<i>DeFrees</i>	3	456
RESIDENCE	STATE <i>Kansas</i>	2	15
	COUNTY <i>...</i>	2	52
	CITY <i>Tonganoxie, Kansas</i>	3	xxx
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	1
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Head</i>	1	6
NATIVITY	<i>Head 1924</i>	1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

**AUDITED**

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**WAR DEPARTMENT**  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 9, 1930.

Defrees, Albert C. 1233 F

Mr. Sjoerd De Frees,  
Tonganoxie, Kansas.

Dear Sir:

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

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

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

No

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

If so, give her name and address:

No

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

If so, give her name and address:

No

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:  
Envelope  
Act  
Amendment



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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

August 29, 1929.

DeFrees, Albert C.  
1233

Mrs. Johanna DeFrees,  
R.F.D. #1,  
Ackerland, Kans.

Dear Madam:

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

*he was not married*

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.

*His mother died*

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

*5 years ago  
by <sup>deceased</sup> Goord De Frees.  
Father of deceased*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is 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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Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M  
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November 12, 1931.

SUBJECT: Correction in Headstone Listing.

TO: Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe, 20 rue  
Molitor, Paris, France.

1. It is requested the headstone listing be corrected and the  
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Albert C. Defrees - Corpl. - 353 Inf. - 89 Div. - Kansas - Sept. 13, 1918

2. It is requested this office be advised when action has been  
taken.

For The Quartermaster General.

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H.Q.A.G. I.S.  
in Europe  
*A. D. Hughes*  
A. D. HUGHES,  
Captain, Q.M. Corps,  
Assistant.

293 Defrees, Albert, C. Cty. #1233. Ist. Ind.

Hdqrs., American G.R.S., in Europe, 20 rue Molitor, Paris, France, Jan. 6,  
1932 - TO: The Quartermaster General of the Army, Washington D.C.

1. Correction as above directed has been made.

*R.H. Jordan*  
R. H. Jordan,  
Lt. Colonel, Q.M. Corps,  
Chief.

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Captain, Q.M. Corps,  
Assistant. 0

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CORRECTION IN DATE OF DEATH.

Grave 15, Row 7, Block B, St.Mihiel American Cemetery

Albert C. Defrees - Corpl. - 353 Inf. - 89 Div. - Kansas - Sept.13, 1918

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QM 293 A-C

DEEREES, Albert C. - Cpl.

March 1, 1924

Mr. Sjoerd De Erees,  
R.F.D. #1,  
Ackerland, Kansas.

Dear Sir: The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the inclosed 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.

O. Q. M. G.  
CENTRAL MAIL ROOM.  
Assistant.  
R. L. FOLGER



MAR 1 1924  
B. O. C.

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FILE UNDER NO. 293 Defrees, Albert G. *O.K.*

1/21/24

## INDEX SHEET

### SYNOPSIS

Letter

From: Q.M.C.O.  
To: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.O., in Europe.

Re: discrepancies in grave locations, Sebastopol American Cemetery.

*See Cty. Corresp. 1233. 1st Ind. 2/1/24.  
Recd 2/19/24*

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293 Sebastopol American Cemetery

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INSTRUCTIONS.—Under "Synopsis" make brief entry showing date of communication and from whom received and synopsis sufficient to identify the papers. When these index sheets become numerous under a subject they will be entered on the consolidated index sheet and then destroyed.

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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Aug 21 1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name DEFREES, Albert C.

10. Name

2. No. 2175959

11. No.

3. Rank Cpl.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. C 353rd Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. 9-13-18

14. (a) D.D. none

6. C.D. D.O.W.

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 196 Sec. 15

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 4 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. none

18. Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer.

19. Commune or town Thiaucourt

20. Dept. or County M&M

21. Country France

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

1233

23. Disinterred (Date) Aug 21 1922

By C P Keating

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Albert C. Defrees

Serial No. 2175959

Rank Cpl.

Organization CO C 353 rd inf

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

Signature C P Keating Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

Tag on body reads-- "Albert C. Defrees, Cpl. 2175959".

27. Condition of body badly decomposed features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial wooden box and uniform

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 Aug 21 1922 By C P Keating

31. Casket sealed by C P Keating

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

C P Keating

MMB

AUDITED BY  
\$48 10/13/23

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C - 29634

32. Designation of body:

Name Albert C. DEFREES Serial No. 2175959

Rank Cpl Organization Co. C 353rd Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer. Cty. Thiaucourt M&M 1233

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Aug 21 1922 By C P Keating

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]*

O E Davis 1 Lt QMC

36. Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

none

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Aug 21 1922

To point of Concentration \_\_\_\_\_

(Name)

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer \_\_\_\_\_

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 St Mihiel Amer Cty 1233 Thiaucourt France

(Name)

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer \_\_\_\_\_

O E Davis 1 Lt QMC

40. Received: Date \_\_\_\_\_

G.R.S. Representative \_\_\_\_\_

41. Reinterred AUGUST 21, 1922

(Date)

42. Grave No. 15 Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. ~~Plot~~ Bk. B Row 7

G.R.S. Representative *[Signature]*

A.E. DEWEY, 1st, Lieut, QMC

**REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL**

Place **Thiaucourt France**

Date **Aug 21 1922**

1. REMAINS OF **DEFREES Albert C.** SERIAL NUMBER **2175959**

RANK **Cpl.** ORGANIZATION **Co C 353rd Inf**

2. Disinterred (date): **Aug 21 1922** From (give complete location): **GR, 196 Sec. 15 Pl. 4 Cam 1233**

By: Group **3** Unit **Section L.**

3. Reburied (date): **AUGUST 21, 1922** In (give complete location): **Gr. 15, Row 7, Bk. B**

**Cemetery 1233, Thiaucourt, (M ET M)**

By: Group **Reburial** Unit **In casket and shipping case** Nature of Reburial

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

**wooden box and uniform**

**badly decomposed features unrecognizable**

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? **yes** On grave marker? **yes**

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

**Tag on body reads--" --bert C. Defrees, Cpl. # 2175959".**

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) **Imp. to Det.**

(b) Weight (estimated) **do**

(c) Hair—Color **do**

Quantity **dp**

Characteristics **do**

(d) Hair on face—Color **do**

Location **do**

Quantity **do**

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) **none visible**

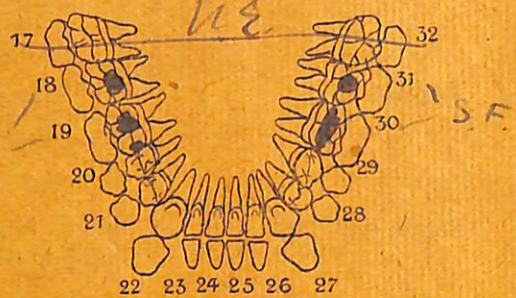
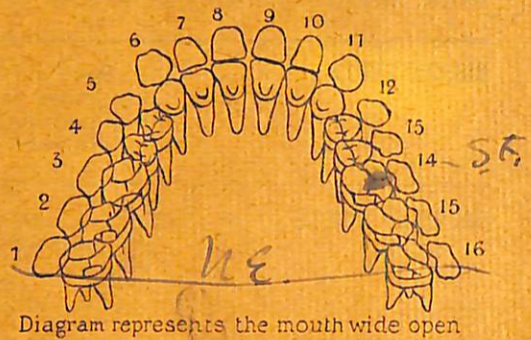
**silver fillings—14-18-19-30-31.**

**Not erupted—1-16-17-32.**

**missing after death--25.**

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

**left femur amputated.**



7. Disinterment supervised by **C P Keating**

**C P Keating**

Approved: **O E Davis 1 Lt QMC**  
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by **H. L. Kramer**

**H. L. KRAMER**  
**CONCENTRATION**

Approved: **A. E. DE WEX**  
(Title) **1st Lt, Lieut, 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 #22394

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD: (3-25-21) ce

(a) Name DEFREES, Albert G. Ser. No. 2175959

(b) Rank Cpl. Organization Co. C, 353rd Inf.

(c) Date of death 9/13/18 (d) Cause of death dwria

TYP. evs  
CKR. B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 196 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 15 TYP. evs

(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Johanna DeFreese (Mother) RFD #1, Ackerland, Kans.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases (2-24-21) ce

CKR. B. J.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Johanna DeFreese (b) Relationship Mother

(c) Address RR 1 - Ackerland - Kans.

(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 mrs Date 2-3-21, 1920.

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

dated

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

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials mrs Date 2-3-21, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

Examiner's Initials PF Date 2/3-1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 1233

SHEET No. 885

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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 **FEB 18 1921**, 1920

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Par. 2 Not to be returned.

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IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*7-1-20 - no date - Sjoerd De Grees -  
father - NK - Ackerland - Kansas - Lease in  
Europe - H 7/20/21 - eccu.*



O.E.  
TO: - REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

FILE NUMBER

22394

From:-

A.R.C.

Date: 1-10-19

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:

NAME

Alfred FREES

NUMBER

RANK

Cpl

ORGANIZATION

Co C. 353rd Inf

No	Question	Reply
1	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	1. Yes.
2	Date of Death	2. Sept. 13, 1918.
3	Cause and place of death	4. CC 264.
4	Number of Casualty Cablegram	d c
5	Date buried	6. Toul Meurthe-et-Moselle.
6	Grave Location (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required	
7	Who reported burial	
8	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.	8. YES
9	Report as to Identification Tags	
11	Who is nearest relative?	
12	Has N/R been notified? (Give date)	
13	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	
14	What is the Photograph No?	

E-1

In Reply, all Proper names to be printed in BRAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

Defrees Albert C. 2,175,959  
(Surname.) (Christian name in full.) (Army serial number.)  
Pvt Cpl Co C 353rd Inf.  
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased mother

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? no  
(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) Johanna De: Frees

B. B. 11 Ackland, Kansas.  
(Number and street or rural route.) (City, town, or post office.) (State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

check 2764

2-3-21

Drawn by MKS

1233-885

2-3-21

August 13th, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Gen.Div.Cor.37.

Mr. Sjoerd Deffrees,  
R.R.#1,  
Ackerland, Kansas.

Re: Deffrees, Albert G., Cpl.,  
Serial No. 2175959,  
Co.C, 353rd Inf.

Dear Sir:—

Our Shipping Inquiry Form #120, of recent date, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France for burial in a permanent American cemetery has been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

The Cemeterial Division, Washington, D.C., will furnish you the grave location in the permanent American cemetery as soon as possible after the body has been placed therein.

The Department desires to renew its previous expression of sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

MAILED  
AUG 16 1921  
COR. BR. G. R. *sm* BY:

R. B. SHANNON,  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

P. C. PALLAS, *sm KS*  
Executive Assistant.  
*JF*

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August 17th, 1921

His Hon. W. B. ...

Mr. ...  
R.R. ...  
...

Re: The ...  
Serial No. ...  
Co. ...

Dear Sir:-

Our shipping inquiry form #100, of recent date, regarding the  
the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in place for  
burial in a permanent national cemetery has been forwarded to the  
General Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington,  
D.C., for necessary action.

The General Division, Washington, D.C., will furnish you the  
grave location in the permanent American cemetery as soon as possible  
after the body has been placed there.

The Department desires to renew its previous expression of  
sympathy in your bereavement.

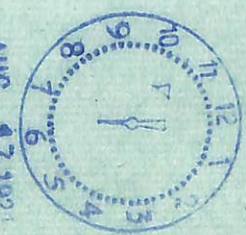
By authority of the Quartermaster General.

W. B. ...  
Quartermaster General  
Office in Charge

W. D. ...  
Executive Assistant

MAILED  
AUG 16 1921  
COR. BR. G. R. S. ...

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*M.M. Mh*

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

APR 15 1921

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

To: Mrs. Johanna De Frees, R.R.#1 Ackerland, Kans.

SUBJECT: Remains of Cpl. Albert C. De Frees, Ser. No. 2175959 Co. C. 353rd Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named  
soldier remain in Europe

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,  
Colonel, Q. M. C.

If all blank spaces below are not filled out, it will necessitate a return of this paper and a SERIOUS DELAY in the shipment of this body. State in each case WHETHER or not these relatives are STILL LIVING.

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

Was soldier married? \_\_\_\_\_

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

*noted 11/20/21*

APR 25 1921

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned, am the \_\_\_\_\_ and nearest living next of kin of the within-named  
(Relationship.)

soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:  
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

2. To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name.)

(R. R. station.)

(State.)

3. To be returned to the U. S. and buried in \_\_\_\_\_ National Cemetery.

4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

*To remain in Europe is correct*

Signature *Sjoerd H. Frees*

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.**

1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.

2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.

3. This paper **MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT OF KIN IN THE ORDER** shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.

4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest next of kin in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.

5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the **LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN** of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.

6. If YOU are not the nearest next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.

7. If YOU are not the nearest living next of kin and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper **AT ONCE** and mail to this office.

8. You are requested to return this paper **AT ONCE** in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.

9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

NOTE.—INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS will be issued by this office upon the properly executed authority of the legal next of kin in each case. The widow is the first person having disposition of the remains of her husband. Should there be no widow or children, the father and, in turn (upon his decease), the mother, is the proper authority. The brothers, in order of seniority, and then the sisters in order of seniority, if there are no brothers, rank next in authority to decide. Under an opinion rendered by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, if a widow has remarried she forfeits her right, and the next of kin as given above will make decision.

AMV DEPARTMENT

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Pt NEUFCHATEAU

Date 7th June 1919.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of: DEFREES C

Name: DEFREES Albert G.

Number: 2175959

Rank: Corporal

Organization: Co C, 353rd Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Disinterred (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ From: (Give complete location)

3rd June 1919.

Grave #213A A.E.F. CEMETERY

SEBASTOPOL, M ET M 69 NE 363.5 E 214.75 N

Reburied (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ in: (Give complete location)

3rd June 1919.

Grave #196 Sec #15 Plot #4

ST MIHIEL AMERICAN CEMETERY #1233

THIAUCOURT, M ET M.

1233

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

Burial good, buried in burlap, body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? **Yes**

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

Note:

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

Supervised by: Lt. Conway

cmf.

C.O. Group 2nd Lieut. R. H. ROSENTHAL Unit U.S.A.

CONFIRMED No. 10427

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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

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DEFREES 2175959 ALBERT G.

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

Cpl. Co. C, 353 Inf.

(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Sept. 14, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL American Cemetery #108.

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

GRAVE NUMBER 219

HOW MARKED : Name Peg? Cross? yes

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS :

Was one buried with body? yes

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 :

108

REPORTED BY :

M. B. [Signature]

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

21 SEP Rcu

2nd Lt. G. M. C.

File #22394

Feb. 5, 1920

Gr. #196

Research Section.

Card Dept.

G.R.S Form No. 8-W; Central Records

Liaison. Form 1 shows

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

✓ Surname: ~~Leffers~~ Defrees  
 ✓ Number: ~~2175959~~ 2175959  
 ✓ First name: ~~Albert~~ Albert G.  
 ✓ Rank: ~~Cpl.~~ Cpl.  
 ✓ Company: ~~Co. C.~~ Co. C.  
 ✓ Organization: ~~353rd Inf.~~ 353rd Inf.  
 ✓ Date of death: ~~9/13/18~~ 9/13/18  
 ✓ Cause: ~~DWRIA~~ DWRIA  
 Place: ~~blud of wounds~~

Location of hospital:

Number " " Class " "

Emergency address: Mrs. Johanna Defrees, R. F. D. #1, Ackerland, N. Dak.

Relationship: Mother

Authority:

Cablegram No: 264. Q. Q.

Telegram from:

dated:

Reported to Washington:

✓ C.C. Nos.

(Underscore the "official" C.C.)

Remarks: Buried Sept. 14, 18. Amer. Cemetery #108 - Grave No. 219. Mtds. CHARLES C. PIERCE, Colonel, O.M.C., U.S.A.

Information taken from NS-3404/ME master card

2-7-20

204 - 779.7.40.10

Pop. 1, 1930  
Gr. 1233, Gr. 196

File 42234

Research Section  
G.S. Form No. 8-W; Central Records

Form 1-A, D-10427 shows:

Cemetery #1233,

Grave #196

Name: Deferees, Albert G.

Subject: Information required for G.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

~~Place:~~  
~~Cause:~~  
~~Date of death:~~ 9/13/18  
~~Organization:~~ 33rd Inf.  
~~Company:~~ Co. C  
~~Rank:~~ Cpl.  
~~First name:~~ Albert G.  
~~Number:~~ 115333  
~~Signature:~~ Deferees

Location of hospital:

Number " "  
Class " "

Emergency address

Relationship:

Authority:

Serial No. 24-2-21

Issued from:

dated:

Reported to Washington:

C. C. Hoe.

(Inspector the "official" C.C.)

Remarks:

CHARLES C. PINFOLD

Colonel, G.S., U.S.A.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army  
Washington

FROM: C. M. G.  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
Munitions Building  
Room 1128

PLEASE  
EXPEDITE

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G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0  
Information requested of A.G.O.

File No. 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.R.S.

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

- a. Surname Defrees ✓
- b. Christian name Albert G. or (Albert C.) ✓
- c. Serial Number 2175959 ✓
- d. Organization Co. C, 353rd Inf. ✓
- e. Rank Cpl. or (Pvt.) ✓
- f. Date of death 9/13/18. ✓
- g. Cause of death DWRIA. ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#) 204
- i. Emergency address Mrs. Johanna Defrees
- j. Relationship Mothers Rt. 1, Ackersland Conn.

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

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									lower right					lower left	

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C.W.  
CEMETERY NO: 1233

SHEET NO: 885  
TYPED BY: I.W.

S/713/LML

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

BY:

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army  
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0  
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 2/4/21.

File No. Requisition.

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.R.S.

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

- a. Surname Defrees ✓
- b. Christian name Albert C. or (Albert C.) ✓
- c. Serial Number 2175959 ✓
- d. Organization Co. C, 353rd Inf. ✓
- e. Rank Cpl. or (Pvt.) ✓
- f. Date of death 9/13/18. ✓
- g. Cause of death DWR1A. ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#) 204
- i. Emergency address Mrs. Johanna Defrees
- j. Relationship Mother Rt. 1, Ackersland Conn.

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

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

BY:

H. J. CONNER,  
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

C.W.  
CEMETERY NO: 1233

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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G.R.S. Form No. 121

22394  
File # 22394

Classification  
Adjustment \_\_\_\_\_

CEMETERY DIVISION  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
REGISTRATION SECTION

Date 6-9-20

MEMORANDUM:

To: Registration Files Sub-Section.

Subject: Adjustments made on Registration Files.

1. Changes as checked have been made in the Registration Files which will necessitate a corresponding change in the Classification Files.

	CORR.	ADD. DATA		CORR.	ADD. DATA
File Number			Date of Burial		
Name			Date of Reburial		
Serial Number			Burial Information		
Rank			Nearest Relative		✓
Organization			Notified Nearest Relative		✓
Cause of Death			Blue Card thrown out		
Date of Death			White Card set up		
Casualty Cablegram Number					

O.K. Alphabetical Files K.E.S. 6-14-20  
O.K. Organization Files \_\_\_\_\_  
O.K. State Files. \_\_\_\_\_

Cemetery Audit Department  
✓ Investigation & Adjustment Dept.  
By Paul Bond

1 Cards attached.

American Expeditionary Forces  
Headquarters Services of Supply  
Office of the Chief Quartermaster-Amer. E.F.  
Graves Registration Service  
France.

February 7, 1919.

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E. F.  
TO: Home Communication Section, American Red Cross, Paris.  
SUBJECT: Corporal Alfred DeFrees, Co. C., 353rd Inf.

- (1) In reply to your letter of inquiry, relative to the location of the grave of the above named soldier, beg to advise you that the records here show that Corporal DeFrees' body was interred in the AMERICAN CEMETERY at TOUL, in the DEPARTMENT-MEURTHE-et-MOSELLE.
- (2) This information is furnished for the official use of the American Red Cross only, and may not be communicated to the public.
- (3) In accordance with your request, Washington has been advised of the above facts.

By direction CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., A.E.F.

per MAURICE B. DIX,  
Captain, American Red Cross,  
Representative assigned to  
Graves Registration Service.

MBD/im.

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

Hq. G.R.S. File

2. Soldier's No. 2175959

3. Defrees

Surname

Albert G.

First Name and Initials

4. Cpl.

Rank

C.

Company

353 Inf.

Regt. or Corps

5. Sept. 14, 1918.

Date of Death

Cause, if known

6. Sept. 14, 1918.

Date of Burial

Sebastopol.

Cemetery

7. Sebastopol.

Town or Commune

M. et M.

Department

8. 219 213-A

Grave No.

Plot No. or Letter

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

10. Buried with Body? \_\_\_\_\_ Attached to Grave Marker? **Yes**.  
Identification Tags

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

12. \_\_\_\_\_  
Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. \_\_\_\_\_  
Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Group **Hqrs** Unit **301**. G.R.S.

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25 SEP 1918

To: Capt. M.B.Dix, Graves Registration  
Bureau, A.P.O. 717, Am.E.F.  
AMERICAN RED CROSS

Paris, ..Dec...20,..1918.

*1-1079*  
Name of Soldier: Alfred Defrees.

Rank: Corporal.

Company: C.

Regiment: 353rd Infantry.

Forward Burial Report to  
"Bureau of Communication" for  
Washington.

Burial report required for Paris.

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

Burial information for the American Red Cross.  
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Soldier's name : DeFrees, Alfred  
Rank : Corporal  
Organization : Co. C., 353rd Inf.  
Date of Death : 9-13-18  
Place of Burial : American Cemetery at Toul, in the  
Department of the Meurthe-et-Moselle.

Reference number :

22394

(All communications regarding this Grave location should  
quote the above reference number and be addressed to : -  
Chief, Graves Registration Service  
Headquarters Service of Supply  
Office of the Chief Quartermaster  
American E. F.  
France.)

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

For Washington.

File  
✓