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G.R.S. Form #114-B  
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To The A. G. O.

DATE 12/13/21

Service name

1. NAME DENTON, Oscar A. SERIAL No. 2182809

name also known as Denton, Oscar Alonzo

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. G. 28th Inf.

8 DIVISION 1st

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

CTY. NAME Meuse. NUMBER

116 Sec. 37 3  
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION No record  
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

No record

COORDINATES

CONCENTRATED TO 6/7/19 116 Sec 37 3  
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 DATE OF DEATH Oct. 6, 1918 data f-1/pfb

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME no

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

Robert O. Davis,  
Major General,  
The Adjutant General.  
By JUN 19 1926

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

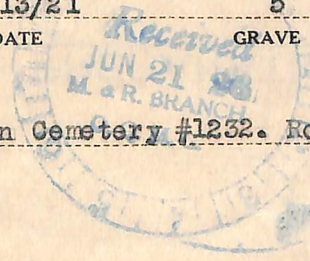
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

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

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 12/13/21 5 21 Block E.  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

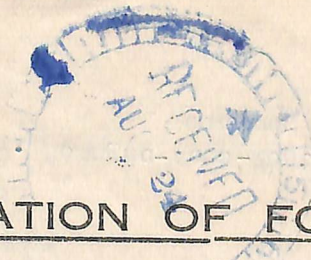
Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon. Meuse.



Rec'd World War Div  
5 APR 2 1928

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY  
B.W. 4-4-23  
98047-28



# 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.

HOW MUCH HE OWNED

DEATH

DIAISON

Co. G, 28th Infantry  
1st Division

DENTON Oscar - Pvt. 2182809

- a) October 6th. 1918, near Exermont, France. Killed.
- b) There is no one in the Company now that saw Pvt. DENTON killed or after he was killed.
- c) See A.
- d) Somewhere near Exermont, France.

Informant : Not given.

Signed : Richard E. POPE, 1st Lieutenant,  
28th Infantry.

J.R.

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Deaton,</i>	<i>dean</i>	3	45 <sup>04</sup>
<i>Oscar A.</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	1
BURIED	GRAVE <i>5</i>	2	05
	ROW <i>21</i>	2	21
	BLOCK <i>E</i>	1	5
STATE	<i>mo</i>	2	29
RANK	<i>Pvt.</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>1</i>	2	01
ORGANIZATION	<i>28</i>	3	028
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	1
MARITAL <i>(Ddn.)</i>	<i>Yes (Deceased)</i>	1	1
NAME <i>Wilson</i>		3	
<i>N.E.</i>	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
<i>Huggins, Mo.</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead</i>	1	6
NATIVITY		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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*M.A.N.* 29/514 *RS*

QM 293 A-M  
Denton, Oscar A. (MA)

April 25, 1932

Mr. H. E. Wilson,  
Huggins,  
Missouri.

Dear Sir:

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 the late Private Oscar A. Denton is survived by a stepmother or any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of five years 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 date of death of the mother of this late soldier.

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

Denton, Oscar A 1232-Gdn

July 8, 1930

Mr. N.E. Wilson,  
Huggins,  
Missouri

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:

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

DATE January 18, 1950

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Denton, Oscar A	Pvt.	2182809	Co. G. 28th Inf.	Oct. 6, 1918

STATE	CTY. NO.	GRAVE	ROW	BLOCK
Missouri	1232	5	21	E

<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>
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MOTHER

STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)

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

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

WIDOW (Who has not remarried)

:	:	:
:	:	✓
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
:	:	:
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*n.e. Wilson Gen of child  
Huggins, mo.*

NAME  
AND  
ADDRESS

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

*(married) W. dead*

Veterans Bureau Claim Number  
29/156/

2150.936     *1122*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Denton, Oscar A.

Aug. 13, 1929.

Mr. H. E. Wilson,  
Huggins, 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 <sup>may be able to furnish</sup> information concerning the next-of-kin of the late Pvt. Oscar A. Denton, Co. G, 28th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

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

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,

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  
Denton, Oscar A.

June 29, 1929.

Mrs. Maude Denton,  
Huggins, Mo.

*Seg. John*  
*W. E. Wilson 15-0936*  
*Huggins, Mo.*  
*7/29 1929*

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late Pvt. Oscar A. Denton, Co.G. 28th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother 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.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relationship is that of a stepmother, mother through adoption or a woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. In case you have remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Act of Congress.  
Envelope.



QM 293 A-M  
Denton, Oscar A. (MA)

April 25, 1932

Mr. N. E. Wilson,  
Huggins,  
Missouri.

Dear Sir:

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It is therefore requested that you advise whether or not the late Private Oscar A. Denton is survived by a stepmother or any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of five years 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 date of death of the mother of this late soldier.

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For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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APR 25 1932  
M&R  
Enclosure:  
Envelope.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Denton, Oscar A 1252-Gdn

July 8, 1930

Mr. N.E. Wilson,  
Huggins,  
Missouri

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.

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Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Denton, Oscar A. 1232

September 10, 1929

Mr. N. E. Wilson,  
Huggins, Mo.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Aug. 13, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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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

Denton, Oscar A.

Aug. 13, 1929.

Mr. H. E. Wilson,  
Huggins, Mo.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Denton, Oscar A.

June 29 , 1929.

Mrs. Maude Denton,  
Higgins, Mo.

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Very truly yours,

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Envelope.

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Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

In reply refer to:  
QM - 293 C-R

July 19, 1923.

Mrs. Maude Denton,  
Huggins,  
Mo.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private Oscar A. Denton, Company G, 28th Infantry, is Grave 5, Row 21, 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.



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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #110363

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DENTON, Oscar A. Ser. No. 2182809
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. G, 28th Inf.
(c) Date of death 10-6-18. (d) Cause of death k/a.
TYP. HWL.
CKR. S.M.

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

(a) Grave No. 116 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 37 TYP. HWL.
(b) Emerg. Address Maude Denton (Wife) Huggins, Mo.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR. S.M.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name no card in file for 4-29-21 (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 JGR Date 4-29-21, 192

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

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

Examiner's Initials Date, 192

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

(a) Cancellation memos referred to?

Examiner's Initials Date 4-29-21, 192

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 1232, Sec. 37 SHEET No. 43.

Checked MAM 5/9/21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made \_\_\_\_\_, 192

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_, 192

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 192  
letter on **MAY 10 1921**, 192

*Sec. # 37*

**Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned**

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IX.

**REMARKS**

WRITE NOTHING BELOW THIS LINE.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

DENTON Oscar A

21828 09

1. REMAINS OF..... SERIAL NUMBER.....  
RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co G 28 th Inf

2. Disinterred (date): Dec 13 1921 From (give complete location):  
Gr 116 Sec 37 Plot 3 Cem 1232

By: Group..... Unit.....

3. Reburied (date): ~~Dec 13 1921~~ In (give complete location):  
Dec. 13, 1921 Meuse-Argonne Cem. 1232, Gr 5, Row 21, 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:  
US UNIFORM BURLAP AND PINE BOX  
BADLY DECOMPOSED FEATURES UNRECOGNIZABLE

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? NO On grave marker? YES

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

IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE

(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).....

NONE VISIBLE

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

IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE

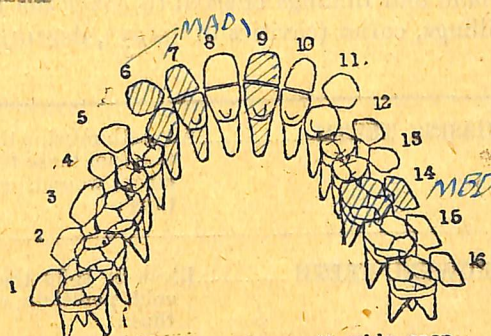
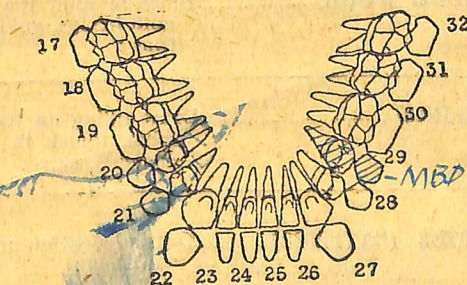


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



7. Disinterment supervised by Ed Devere

Approved: A E Dewey  
1st Lieut OMC  
(Title)






8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault

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

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

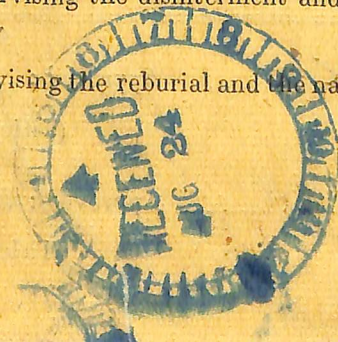
Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

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), 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.

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

10. Name \_\_\_\_\_

2. No. 2182809

11. No. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_

4. Org. Co. G. 28th Inf.

13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_

5. D.D. Oct. 6th. 18

14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B. None.

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Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 116 Sec. 37

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_

8. Plot 3 Row \_\_\_\_\_

16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_

9. \_\_\_\_\_

17. None.

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer.

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous

20. Dept. or County Meuse.

21. Country France

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

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec. 13, 1921.

By Ed. Lavelle.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Oscar A. Denton

Serial No. 2182809

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co. G. 28 Inf.

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

Signature J. L. White. 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).

~~Cross tag checks with records.~~

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed; features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial US uniform, and pine box.

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

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Dec. 13, 1921 By Ed. Lavelle.

31. Casket sealed by Ed. Lavelle.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) Ed. Lavelle.

RECEIVED



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-18609

32. Designation of body:

Name Oscar A. DENTON Serial No. 2182809

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. G. 28th 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 Hd. Lavell.

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

36. Remarks None.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec. 15, 1921.

To point of Concentration Horgue, Romagne. (Name J. Gerald Cole)

Convoyer W. J. Royce. Signature Shipping Officer J. GERALD COLE Captain, C. A. G.

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. 5 Section

43. ~~Plot~~ Block E Row 21

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

# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #110363

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DENTON, Oscar A. Ser. No. 2182809  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. G, 28th Inf.  
 (c) Date of death 10-6-18. (d) Cause of death k/a.

} TYP. HWL.  
 } S.M.

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

(a) Grave No. 116 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 37 TYP. HWL.  
 (b) Emerg. Address Maude Denton (Wife) Huggins, Mo.

III. ~~Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases~~ CKR. S.M.

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  
met

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. \_\_\_\_\_

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of :

NAME: DENTON Oscar A.

NUMBER: 2182809

RANK: Unkn

ORGANIZATION: Unkn

DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL MADE BY GROUP:

UNIT:

DISINTERMENTED: (Date)

FROM: (Give complete location)

7th June 1919.Isolated GraveFLEVILLE, ARDENNES 35 NE 301.4 E 282.3 N

REBURIED (Date)

TO: (Give complete location)

7th June 1919.Grave #116 Sec #37 Plot #3ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY #1232ROMAGNE, MEUSE.

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

Burial poor, body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body ?

No.

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

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Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found on bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot, direct, as is required by G. C. 170, G.H. Q. After being carefully examined for clues of identity in doubtful cases, notation thereof will be made and reported to the Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Capt. Edwards

cmf.

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

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

NAME: DEWITT OSCAR A.

NUMBER: 5182809

RANK: Captain

ORGANIZATION: United States Army

DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL MADE BY GROUP:

UNIT:

DATE: (Date)

FROM: (Give complete location)

7th June 1919

Isolated grave

REBURYING ADDRESS: 55 RUE DE LA SERRAIE

REMOVED (Date)

7th June 1919

Grave 4112 Rue de la Serraie

ARGENTINE AMERICAN COMPANY

NUMBER:

Report as to nature of original burial and date of body from disinterment:

Burial poor, body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No.

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

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From disinterment, effects are taken to the American Red Cross, Direct, and placed in the hands of the American Red Cross, Direct, for the purpose of being reburied in the cemetery of the American Red Cross, Direct, in the city of Paris, France.

H. W. ROBERTSON  
and Lieut. G. M. G. S. A.  
G.O. Group  
Unit



Approved by: Capt. ...

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from

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File# ~~110363~~ Card Dept.

6.11.19.  
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G.R.S. Form No. 8: ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ CONFIDENTIAL

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

*6/19/19*

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

- 1. Items checked are to be completed:
- ( ) Surname: **DETON**
- ( ) Number: **2182809**
- ( ) First Name: **Oscar A.**
- ( ) Rank:
- () Company: *None.*
- () Organization:
- () Date of Death:
- () Cause:
- () Place:

Location of hospital: **Over.**

Number " "  
Class " "

- () Relative:
- () Relationship:
- () Address:
- () Authority:
- Cablegram 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, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

Initials of Reporter:

*no record* **New Case.** 1-17-20 *[Signature]*

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Isolated grave Fleville, Ardennes.

Reported by G.R.S.

JUN 17 1919

*w/c*

*Special*

G.R.S Form 8-W; Central Records  
Card Section #3 Liaison.  
Jan 15, 1920

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

- ✓ Surname: Denton
- ✓ Number: 2182809
- ✓ First name: Oscar A
- ✓ Rank: Private
- ✓ Company: 86th I
- ✓ Organization: 28th Infantry
- ✓ Date of death: Oct. 6, 1918
- ✓ Cause: k/a Killed in action
- ✓ Place: Argonne Forest

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Location of hospital:

Number " "  
Class " "

✓ Emergency address *Maude Denton (wife)*  
*Higgins, Mo.*  
✓ Relationship: *wife.*

Authority:

✓ Cablegram No: 441 Sp 134  
Telegram from:

dated: *Dec. 2-1918.*  
✓ Reported to Washington: *Dec. 2-1918.*  
C.C.Nos.

✓ (Underscore the "official" C.C.)  
Remarks:

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

*Star*

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*PRICE*  
*1-17-20*

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Special

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

2/11/20

**FILE**

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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1. Items checked are to be completed:

- ✓ Surname: Deton
- ✓ Number: 2182809 *NR.# files*
- ✓ First name: Oscar A.
- ✓ Rank:
- ✓ Company:
- ✓ Organization:
- ✓ Date of death:
- ✓ Cause:
- ✓ Place: ✓

Location of hospital:

Number " "  
Class " "

✓ Emergency address

✓ Relationship:

Authority:

✓ Cablegram No:

Telegram from:

*Cannot identify in Cas. Div.*

dated:

Reported to Washington:

C.C.Nos.

(Underscore the "official" C.C.)

Remarks:

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

NS-3404/MB

*no record*

*Deton*

*12-14-20*

*Verified Daniel  
Blanchard Master cards*

4-29-21

(Date)

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