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MAR 10 1926

DATE

1. NAME DESHAZO, Arthur

SERIAL No. 1871495

RANK PFC

ORGANIZATION

Co G 371st Inf

GRAVE LOCATION From Isolated Grave Monthois (Marne) *93 rd*

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

In Morgue at Romagne Cty. 1232 awaiting reburial

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION *Gr. 1*

Monthois (Marne)

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES 35SW, N280.66, E280.35

CONCENTRATED TO

Dec. 16/21

Morgue

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.

G.R.S. plaque

DATE OF DEATH *Sept 30, 1918*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *N.C.*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

rf

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR *M. B. Birdseye*

M. B. BIRDSEYE

1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Arm.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

3-17-22

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B

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

Block

PLOT

AUDITED BY

M. M. E.
1-15-23

Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery No. 1232.

CEMETERY

RECEIVED
GRAVES REGISTRATION SER
DEC 30 1925
WORLD WAR DIV.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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

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

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

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

MAR 16 26
M & R BRANCH
O. Q. M. G.

Robert C. Davis
Major General
The Adjutant General
By *CRP*
MAR 15 '66

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date December 16, 1921

1. REMAINS OF DESHAZO, Arthur SERIAL NUMBER 1371495

RANK Pvt. 1/c. ORGANIZATION Co. G, 371st Infantry.

2. Disinterred (date) :- December 15, 1921 From (give complete location) :- Isolated grave, Commune of Monthois, (Marne) - Map 35 S.W. - N. 230.56 - E. 230.35

By : Group J. T. Richards, Investigator Unit Area No. 1, (I. & R. Section)

3. Reburied (date) : In (give complete location) :

Reboxed in Morgue this day by Edino Maire & Group.

By : Group..... Unit..... Nature of reburial.....

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

Buried in grave marked by temporary cross bearing G.R.S. recheck plaque.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? No. On grave marker ? G.R.S. plaque reads: " DESHAZO -- Arthur

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

Small gold plated ring on remains turned into Inspector.

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

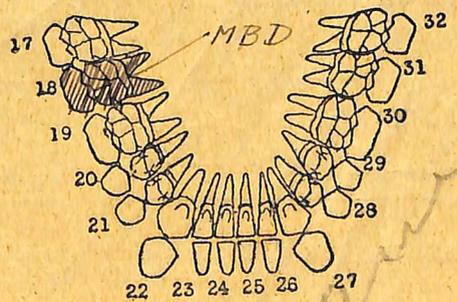
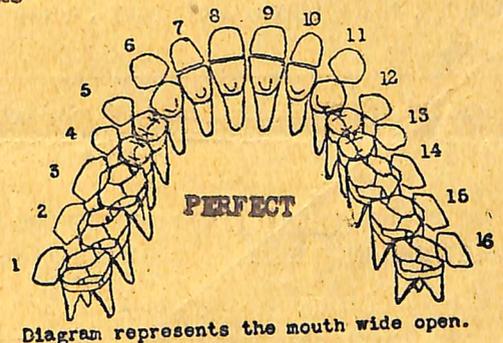
(d) Hair on face—Color..... do

Location..... do

Quantity..... do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Impossible to report.

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



7. Disinterment supervised by Edino Maire

EDINO MAIRE

Approved : A. E. Dewey

(Title)

A. E. DEWEY,
1st Lieut., Q.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by rhj

rhj - checked by Edino Maire

Approved :

(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>CROWNED TEETH.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :</p>	
<p>BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :</p>	
<p>FILLINGS.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :</p>	
<p>CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</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.



CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Desbays, Arthur</i>	<i>Des</i>	<i>45⁰9</i>
	CEMETERY	<i>1232</i>	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE	<i>38</i>	<i>38</i>
	ROW	<i>3</i>	<i>03</i>
	BLOCK	<i>B</i>	<i>2</i>
STATE	<i>N.C.</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>38</i>
RANK	<i>Priv 1/cl.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>93</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>93</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>371</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>371</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL	<i>No</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>
NAME	<i>Mrs Lallie Desbays</i>	<i>Des</i>	<i>45⁰9</i>
	STATE	<i>N.C.</i>	<i>38</i>
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	<i>Person</i>	<i>73</i>
	CITY	<i>Wardsdale</i>	<i>XXX</i>
RELATION	<i>Widower</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>Married</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Yes</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
NATIVITY		<i>1</i>	
RACE	<i>BLACK</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>
ENGLISH	<i>Yes</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
ATTENDANT		<i>1</i>	
HEALTH	<i>good</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
NO. OF SONS		<i>1</i>	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	<i>1</i>	
	YR.	<i>1</i>	
ACCEPTANCE	<i>No</i>	<i>1</i>	
	<i>Age</i>		

Audited
MAR 1 21932
L. P. B.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

July 13, 1932.

Deshazo, Arthur (MA) x

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo,
RFD #1
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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

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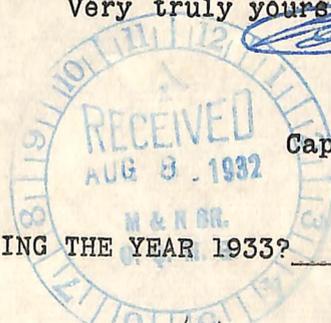
DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

No

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

Mrs. Sallie De Shazo



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Deshazo, Arthur (MA) Mx

September 30, 1931.

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Mrs. Sallie Deshazo,
R. F. D. #1,
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. To date information has not been received as to whether or not you desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, in honor of the deceased veteran named above.

In order that the records may be complete, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Deshazo, Arthur Pvt. 1 cl (M-2) Mx

June 20, 1931.

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo,
R. F. D. #1,
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Write answer here

Sign here

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

Deshazo, Arthur 1232 M

June 9, 1930

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo
R. F. D. #1
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

no ✓
(Write answer here)

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo
(Sign here)

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Deshazo, Arthur 1232 M.

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo,
R.F.D. #1,
Woodsdale, N.C.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

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

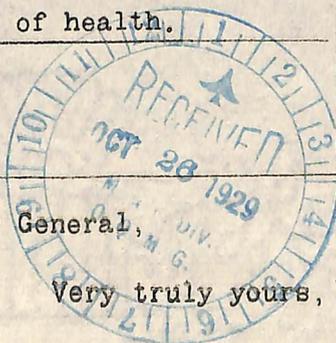
1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age 55 (Years)	Health (Good) (Box)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (Box)	Other language None (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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

Encl.
Act
Envelope



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Deshazo, Arthur

1232

September 4, 1929.

Mr. George Deshazo,
RFD #1,
Woodsdale, N. C.

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:

No

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.

Yes mother name

Sallie Deshazo,

Woodsdale, N. C.

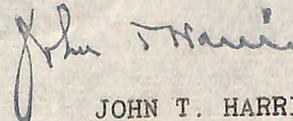
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3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

No

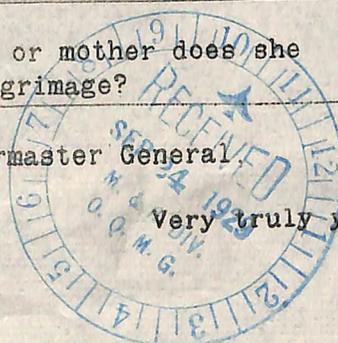
For The Quartermaster General

Very truly yours,



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

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Act of Congress
Envelope



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Deshazo, Arthur

Mr. George Deshazo
RFD #1, Wooddale, N.C.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Pvt. 1st Cl. Arthur Deshazo, Co. G, 371st 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 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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

July 13, 1932.

Deshazo, Arthur (MA) x

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo,
RFD #1
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Deshazo, Arthur (MA) Mx

September 30, 1931. gb

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo,
R. F. D. #1,
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. To date information has not been received as to whether or not you desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, in honor of the deceased veteran named above.

In order that the records may be complete, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl:
Env.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Deshazo, Arthur Pvt. 1 cl (M-S) Mx

June 20, 1931.

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo,
R. F. D. #1,
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Sign here

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JUN 22 11:11 AM '31
CORRESPONDENCE

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Deshazo, Arthur 1232 M

June 9, 1930

Mrs. S illie Deshazo
R. F. D. #1
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Deshazo, Arthur 1232 M.

Mrs. Sallie Deshazo,
R.F.D. #1,
Woodsdale, N.C.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.
Act
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

Deshazo, Arthur

1232

September 4, 1929.

Mr. George Deshazo,
RFD #1,
Woodsdale, N. C.

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

June 29, 1929.

Deshazo, Arthur

Mr. George Deshazo
RFD #1, Woodsdale, N.C.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Pvt. 1st Cl. Arthur Deshazo, Co. G, 371st 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 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.

In reply refer to:
293.8 C-R #90078

February 27, 1923.

Mr. George Deshazo,
R.F.D. #1,
Woodsdale, N. C.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of the late Private 1/c Arthur Deshazo, Company G, 371st Infantry, is Grave 38, Row 3, Block B, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of 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 a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, 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.

MAILED
FEB 27 1923
C.R.S.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Jan 5 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 DESHAZO, Arthur
- 2. No. 1871495
- 3. Rank PFC
- 4. Org. Co G 371st Inf
- 5. D.D. MIK 9-30-18
- 6. C.D. MIA

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

In Morgue at Romagne Cty. 1232 awaiting reburial.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 8. Plot _____ Row _____
- 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery Isolated Grave

19. Commune or town Monthois

20. Dept. or County Marne

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 15

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec 11 19 21

By Edmo Maire

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Arthur Deshazo
Rank PFC

Serial No. 35 1871495
Organization Co G 371st Infantry

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

Edmo Maire
Signature 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).

Small gold plated ring on remains turned in to Inspector. GRS plaque reads Deshazo, Arthur.

27. Condition of body Body decomposed.

28. Nature of burial Isolated Grave. Buried in grave marked by temporary cross bearing GRS recheck plaque.

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 10 1921 By Edmo Maire

31. Casket sealed by Edmo Maire.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor Edmo Maire

Edmo Maire.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-26842

32. Designation of body:

Name Arthur Deshaze Serial No. 1871495
Rank PPC Organization Co C 371st Inf

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer 1232 Romagne-s-Montfaucon Meuse

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec 15 1922 By Edmo Maire

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

36. Remarks A E Dewey 1st Lt. QMC

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

To point of Concentration Morgue Romagne (Name)

Convoyer W J Boyd Signature Shipping Officer G F Spann

G F Spann, Capt. QMC

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery (Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cty 1232, Mch 17, 1922 (Date)

42. Grave No. 38 Section

43. Plot B Row 3

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

Deshazo,

(Surname.)

Arthur

(Christian name in full.)

1,871,495

(Army serial number.)

Pvt 1/cl Co G 371 Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased father

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

(Yes or no.)

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

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

George Deshazo

R. F. D. # 1.

Woodsdale

N. C.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

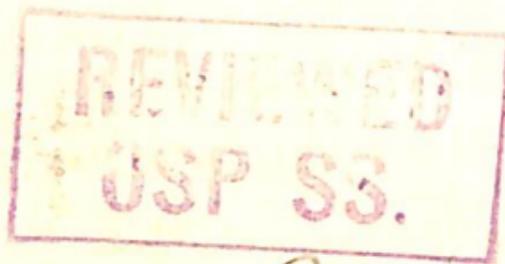
(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

C-343

City 1232 Rev 24

Nov. 27, 13/11



D 2,13/22.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF DESHAZO, Arthur SERIAL NUMBER 1871495

RANK Pvt. 1/c. ORGANIZATION Co. G, 371st Infantry.

2. Disinterred (date) :- December 15, 1921 From (give complete location) :- Isolated grave,

Commune of Monthois, (Marne) - Map 35 S.W. - N. 230.66 - E. 230.35

By : Group J. T. Richards, Investigator Unit Area No. 1 (I. & R. Section)

3. Reburied (date) : In (give complete location) :

Reboxed in Morgue this day by Edino Maire & Group.

Reburied Mch 17, 1922, Meuse Argonne City 1232, gr 38, bl B, row 3

By : Group Reburial S Unit Nature of reburial lined casket

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

Buried in grave marked by temporary cross bearing G.R.S. recheck plaque.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? No. On grave marker ? G.R.S. plaque
reads: "DESHAZO -- Arthur"

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

Small gold plated ring on remains turned in to Inspector.

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

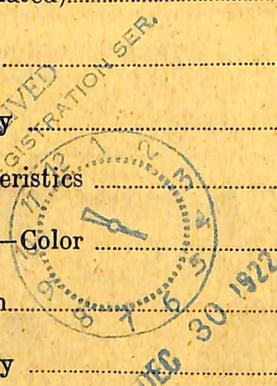
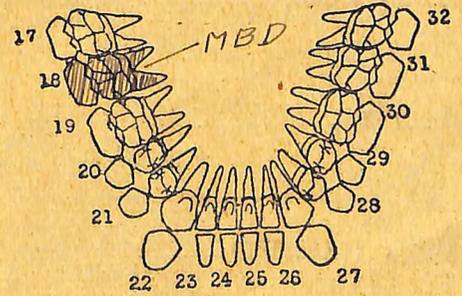
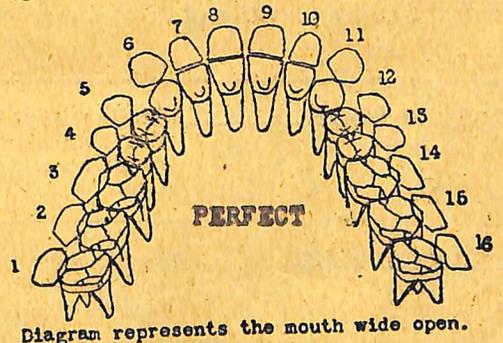
(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Impossible to report.

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



7. Disinterment supervised by Edino Maire
EDINO MAIRE

Approved : A. E. Dewey
A. E. DEWEY,
(Title) 1st Lieut., Q.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by W. B. Sheild
rhj - checked by W. B. Sheild

Approved : A. E. Dewey
A. E. Dewey, 1st Lt, QMC.
(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.

<p>MISSING TEETH.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :</p>	
<p>CROWNED TEETH.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :</p>	
<p>BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :</p>	
<p>FILLINGS.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :</p>	
<p>CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</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.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 90078

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DESHAZO, Arthur Ser. No. 1871495
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/c Organization Co. G, 371st. Inf. } TYP. meh
 (c) Date of death 9/30/18 (d) Cause of death K/A } CKR. RB

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

(a) Grave No. -- Row -- Plot -- Sec. -- TYP. meh
 (b) Emerg. Address George Deshazo (father) RFD #1, Woodsdale, N.C.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases -- CKR. RB

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name George Deshazo (b) Relationship mother
 (c) Address R.F.D. #1, Woodsdale, N.C.
 (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 _____ Date _____, 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: _____

no request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? _____

Examiner's Initials mas Date 2/13/22, 192

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 1232

SHEET No. Gen. 24

Handwritten notes and signatures

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 _____, 192

2/16/22 Add. advice - not to be returned. 2-16-22 .T.H.G.

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REMARKS

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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C., IN EUROPE
8, AVENUE D' IENA

In reply refer to:

293.8 Cty 1232

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF THE SERVICE

[Signature]
HW/Jim

PARIS December 8, 1922.

SUBJECT: G.R.S. Forms.

TO: The Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C.

1. Attached herewith are G.R.S. Forms 114-A, 16-A, 114-B and 1-A covering permanent concentration in Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery No. 1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) of Pvt. 1/cl. Arthur DESHAZO, 1871495, Company G, 371st Inf., Grave 38, Row 3, Block B.

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GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
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M. & R. BRANCH
O. E. M. C.

[Signature]
R.P. Harbold,
Chief.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 90078

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DESHAZO, Arthur Ser. No. 1871495
(b) Rank Pvt. 1/c Organization Co. G, 371st. Inf.
(c) Date of death 9/30/18 (d) Cause of death K/A
TYP. meh

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

(a) Grave No. Row Plot Sec. TYP. meh
(b) Emerg. Address George Deshazo (father) RFD #1, Woodsdale, N.C.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR.

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

Four horizontal dashed lines for notes.

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

2/16/22 Adv. advice - not to be returned. 2/16/22

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.

Five horizontal dashed lines for supplementary requests.

VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. , 192

COUNTRY

CEMETERY No.

SHEET No.

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From

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2078 5/29/49
 G.R.S. Form No. 8: Central Records Division.
 Memo For: G.R.S. representative, G.R.O.
 SUBJECT: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

- () Surname: DESHAZO
 () Number: 1871495
 () First name: Arthur
 () Rank: Pvt, /-c
 () Company: Co. G
 () Organization: 371st Inf.
 () Date of death:
 () Cause:
 () Place: Buried

Location of hospital:

- Number " "
 Class " "
 () Relative: George Deshazo
 () Relationship: Father
 () Address: Route #1, Wooddale
 () Authority: N.C.
 Cablegram No: 583 SP 27
 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:



Issued

Comme Marvaux-Ardennes.

Reported by G.R.S.

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FEB 23 1922

CEMETERIAL DIV.

O. O. M. G.

NO. 101 40

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RECEIVED BY THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY
OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ON FEBRUARY 23, 1922
FROM THE CEMETERIAL DIVISION
OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
RE: CLARK

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FILE NO. 293.0-0-R -- 40078 (DEHASE, Arthur).
From: O. Q. M. G., Cemeterial Division, February 1, 1922 - To: Chief,
American Graves Registration Service, O. Q. M. G. in Europe, 8 Avenue
d'Iena, Paris, France.

1. Returned. It is the decision of this office that the
body exhumed from Isolated Grave, Cemetery of Monthois, (Marne), Map
35 37; 1200.86; 1200.85 and now held in mosque in Argonne American
Cemetery #1232, Ranges-cour-Montfaucon, (Meuse) is that of:

Private 1/02 Arthur Dehase, #1071405,
Company G, 371 Infantry.

and the records of your office should be adjusted accordingly.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

107 6 03

MAILED

FEB 1 1922

CEMETERIAL DIV.
O. Q. M. G.

CHARLES J. WHELAN,
Captain, O. Q. Corps.

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PT:10

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C O P Y

SUPERVISOR, AREA NO. ONE
American G. R. S. Q. M. C. in Europe,
Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, (Meuse)

December 17, 1921.

From: Supervisor, Area #1, (I. & R. Section).
To: Chief, American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8 Avenue d'Iena,
Paris. (Attention Operations Division.)
Subject: Pvt. 1/cl Arthur DESHAZO, #1871495, Co. G, 371st Inf.

1. Enclosed herewith one Form 16-A, in triplicate, covering exhumation and concentration to this cemetery of the body of Pvt. 1/cl Deshazo. This body was concentrated from the following co-ordinates:

Map, 35 S.W - N. 280.66 - E. 280.35.

2. Attention is invited to copy of letter written by this office to the Chief, A. G. R. S. December 7, 1921, in which an effort was made to identify the body of an Unknown U. S. Soldier -U-3515, as that of Pvt. 1/cl Deshazo. The body of this Unknown was concentrated to this cemetery from approximately the same co-ordination as those given for the Blue-print referred to therein for the grave of Pvt. 1/cl Deshazo, and was thought to be the body of that man.

3. This office is of the opinion that the body of Pvt. 1c/1 Deshazo was positively identified by the location of the grave as given on the Blue-print and by the G. R. S. Plaque on Grave Marker, which read "Deshazo, Arthur".

4. It is requested that this office be advised as to the action taken on the above.

(Signed) GEO. W. PRICE
Major, Infantry

Encls. 1-form 16-A in trip.
Copy of letter.

C O P Y

File #293.8 Cem.#1232. 1st Ind.

HW/mpd

Hqrs., American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris.
December 24, 1921. To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

1. Forwarded, inviting attention to basic communication and to G.R.S. Form #16-A attached thereto.

2. The remains of Pvt. 1st Class Arthur DESHAZO, 1871495, Co. G, 371st Infantry, are now held in the morgue at Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, awaiting permanent reburial. It is requested that identity in this case be confirmed by your office.

(Sgd) Edwin Hammer

H. F. RETHERS
Colonel, Q.M.C.
Chief.

2 encls.



W/ypq

File 4293.8 Dec 1921

Mr. J. M. G. ... in Europe, 9 Avenue d'Orléans, Paris.
December 14, 1921. To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building,
Washington, D. C.

Forwarded, inviting attention to basic communication
and to G.M.G. Form 515-1 attached hereto.

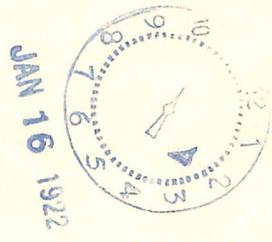
The receipt of 1st Lt. ...
Col. G. ...
It is requested that ...
your office.

M. F. ...
Colonel, G.M.G.
Chief.

2 encls.



11 JAN 1922



ON

COPY

SUPERVISOR, AREA NO. 1,
American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe,
Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse)

December 17, 1921.

From : Supervisor, Area No. 1 (I & R Section)
To : Chief, A.G.R.S., Q.M.C. in E., Paris (Attention Operations Division)
Subject : DESHAZO, Arthur, 1671495, PFC, Co. G, 371st Infantry.
UNKNOWN U.S. SOLDIER, U-3515

1. One Form 16-A in triplicate, covering the concentration to this Cemetery of the body of Unknown U.S. Soldier U-3515, is submitted herewith, date of concentration being June 25th 1919.

2. The co-ordinates from which this body was exhumed are as follows:

Map 35SW - N281.0; E280.5,

which agree very closely with the location of the grave in which the body of Private DESHAZO was buried, according to G.R.S. Blueprint, Flat D-70. Private DESHAZO is not shown as being buried in this Cemetery, nor in any of the Cemeteries in Area No. 1, however.

3. It is the opinion of this office that the body of the Unknown mentioned above is that Private DESHAZO.

4. It is requested that the tooth-chart of Unknown U.S. Soldier U-3515, shown on the Form 16-A herewith, be compared with that of Private DESHAZO, with a view to establishing identity.

GEO. W. PRICE,
Major, Infantry.

WMC:AEB
Enc: 1 16-A in trip.

*Arthur Copy
Wm. Price
copy done*

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JAN 16 1922



COMMERCIAL DIVISION

293.8 Cem. #1232.

1st Ind.

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HW/nwa.

Hqrs., American G.R.S., QMC., in Europe, 8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris. Dec. 15, 1921.
To: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

1. forwarded inviting attention to basic communication and to G.R.S. Form 16-A attached thereto, with the request that this office be advised decision of your office in this case.

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H. F. Rethers
H. F. RETHERS
Colonel, QMC.
Chief.

Deborah. Carter

For Chief, Quartermaster Div., O. O. H. G.
File # 293.8
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CEMETERY DIVISION

SUPERVISOR, AREA NO. 1,
American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe,
Romagne-sous-Montfaucou (Meuse)

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RECORDS FILE NO. Area



December 7th 1921

RECORDED, A.G.R.S., Q.M.C. IN EUROPE
FILE NO. 2981 1282

From: Supervisor, Area No. 1 (I&R Section)
To : Chief, A.G.R.S., Q.M.C. in E., Paris (Operations)
SUBJECT: DESHAZO, Arthur, 1871495, PFC, Co. G, 371st Infantry.
UNKNOWN U.S. SOLDIER, U-3515

1. One Form 16-A in triplicate, covering the concentration to this Cemetery of the body of Unknown U.S. Soldier U-3515, is submitted herewith, date of concentration being June 25th 1919.

2. The co-ordinates from which this body was exhumed are as follows:

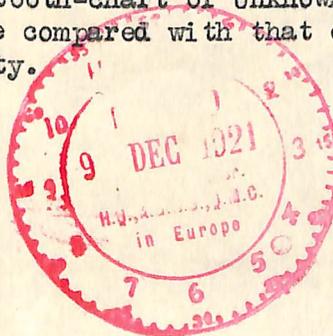
Map 35SW - N281.0; E280.5,

location of the which agree very closely with the/grave in which the body of Private DESHAZO was buried, according to G.R.S. Blueprint, Plat D-70. Private DESHAZO is not shown as being buried in this Cemetery, nor in any of the Cemeteries in Area No. 1, however.

3. It is the opinion of this office that the body of the Unknown mentioned above is that of Private DESHAZO.

4. It is requested that the tooth-chart of Unknown U.S. Soldier U-3515, shown on the Form 16-A herewith, be compared with that of Private DESHAZO, with a view to establishing identity.

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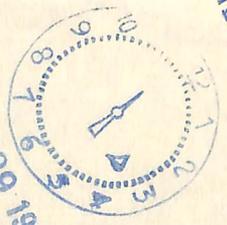


Geo. W. Rice
GEO. W. RICE,
Major, Infantry.

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EMERALD DIVISION

DEC 29 1921



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF
WASHINGTON

FROM: O.Q.M.G.,
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room 2442
PLEASE
EXPEDITE

Date

File No. 90078 Registration.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., 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. Deshazo ✓
- b. Christian name. Arthur ✓
- c. Serial number. 1871495 ✓
- d. Organization. Co. G, 371st Inf. ✓
- e. Rank. Pvt., 1/cl ✓
- f. Date of death. Sep 30/18 ✓
- g. Cause of death. K & A ✓
- h. Authority (C. C. No.) CC 583-27 ✓
- i. Emergency address. George Deshazo RFD 1 Wooddale N.C. ✓
- j. Relationship. father ✓

BODY DESCRIPTION.

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

- a. Age at enlistment. 24-6 ✓
- b. Color of eyes. Black ✓
- c. Color of hair. Black ✓
- d. Height. 5-9 ✓
- e. Weight. 148 ✓
- f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment. (Old fractures or breaks.)
Front C 8 2 1/2 Right side upper right leg
6 8 2" above Right knee C 8 2 1/2 lower right leg just below knee

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 X 6 5 4 3 2 1	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
Lower right.	Lower left.

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

By

H. J. Conner

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Captain, Q. M. C.

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The Adjutant General
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON

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INVESTIGATION SECTION

MASTER CARD DIVISION

NAME *Derham, Arthur J.*

FORMER ORGANIZATION *Infantry Co 337127*

INFORMATION REQUESTED *1871495*

The sources of information checked below have been consulted in connection with the attached correspondences.

Locator Files.....

Sailing Lists.....

Master Cards.....

Suspense Files.....

Miscellaneous..... *MIA 9/30/18 CC 514-37*

Rosters.....

Sub-Casuals..... *no case nor Burial*

Hospital Files.....

Casualty..... *no.*

Missing Files..... *MIA 9/30/18 CC 514-37*

Prisoner of War Files..... *no further data*

Service Record.....

Post Office Files.....

Civilians.....

Returned to U. S. *no further data*

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Graves Registration Service, Office of the Quartermaster General,
18th St. & Va Ave. N. W. Washington, D. C. February 27, 1920.
To-The Adjutant General of the Army, War Department, Washington, D. C.

1. The records of this office show that the remains of Pvt. Arthur Deshazo, #1871495, Co. G. 371st Inf are buried in grave #1, Isolated Grave, Commune of Marvoux, Department of Ardennes, date of burial not given.

2. This information has not been released to the emergency address inasmuch as your confirmation of the death of this soldier has not been received in this office. It is respectfully requested that your confirmation together with the casualty cablegram number be forwarded to this office so that relatives may be notified and our records changed accordingly.

By Authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, U. S. Army,
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

By:

CHARLES J. WYNN,
Captain, Q.M.C.
Graves Registration Service.

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

AMS/MW 2-201.

IN REPLY
REFER TO

201 (Deshazo, Arthur)WW.

February 12, 1920.

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From: The Adjutant General of the Army,
To: The Quartermaster General of the Army,
Washington, D.C.
Subject: Notification of Death.

1. Upon investigation it has been ascertained by the War Department that Private Arthur Deshazo, #1,871,495, Company G, 371st Infantry, who was previously reported in Casualty cablegram 514 as Missing in action September 30, 1918, was killed in action September 30, 1918.

2. It appears from the records that the deceased was enlisted November 30, 1917, at Roxboro, North Carolina, and gave the name of the person to be notified in case of emergency as: George Deshazo, (Father) R. F. D. #1, Woodsdale, North Carolina.

By order of the Secretary of War:

P. C. Harris
The Adjutant General,
Per: *[Signature]*

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

January 14, 1934.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director, FBI

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Dear Sir:

The following information was received from the Bureau of Investigation on January 14, 1934:

Subject: [Illegible]

On January 14, 1934, the Bureau of Investigation advised that it had received information from the [Illegible] that [Illegible] had been [Illegible] in [Illegible] on [Illegible] at [Illegible].

It is noted that the records in the case of [Illegible] dated [Illegible] at [Illegible] have been [Illegible] and the name of the [Illegible] has been [Illegible].



Very truly yours,
[Illegible]

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Washington

(Form)

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Bureau of
War Risk Insurance

May 30, 1919.

The attached letter does not give sufficient information to enable this Bureau to investigate your case. You are therefore requested to answer as fully as possible all the questions on this sheet. Be sure to return both this blank and your original letter. Please write plainly.

By authority of the Director:

DUDLEY GATES
Chief, Allotment and Allowance Division.

Name of Soldier
or Sailor

Arthur
(First Name)

Legreen
(Middle Name)

Deshazo
(Last Name)

Home address of
Soldier or Sailor

Woodsdale, N.C.

Present Branch
of Service.

Infantry

(2) His regiment

371

Date of enlistment September, 1917

Branch of service

at date of enlistment Infantry

*Father wishes to know if son is living
and if so where he is -*

George Deshazo (Father)

Name of camp at which
soldier first reported Camp Jackson, S. C.

Date When the last check was received September, 1918.

Amount of last check \$ 20.00

Place of his birth Woodsdale, N. C. Date 1896

Mother - Not living

Father George Deshazo

Address 68 Woodsdale, N. C.

Your relationship to the enlisted man father

State below what information you desire and the cause of your inquiry:

I have not heard from my son since September, 1918.

I want to know, if possible, whether he is living.

and if so, where he is.

(Sgd) Geo. Deshazo.

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

Date 12/3/19

FROM: - INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME *Deshazo, Arthur Lagreen*

Serial Number

RANK

ORGANIZATION

Co. Is. 371 Inf.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	1- Name <i>Arthur Pot.</i> Serial # <i>1871495</i>
2.	Date of Death.	2- <i>Not given</i>
3.	Cause and place of death.	3- <i>Not given</i>
4.	Number of Casualty VCablegram.	4- <i>CC #514 reports man missing in action, no further information.</i>
5.	Date buried.	5- <i>Not given</i>
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	6- <i>Grave # 1, Isolated branch Emme # @ 343 ✓ Marwan, Ardennes. ✓</i>
7.	Who reported burial?	<i>No further records available</i>
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	
12.	Has above 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.?	
15.	Inquiry made by?	

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

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FROM:-

DATE:

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Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:

NAME

Deahaze, Arthur

NUMBER

1871495

RANK

ORGANIZATION

Co G 371 Inf

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9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	
10.	Report as to Identification Tags.	

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Telegram.

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OF THIS ORGANIZATION

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