

076 Listed as Debaight, Marcel

To The A. G. O.

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G.R.S. Form #114-B

1727

FEB 26 1926

DATE 11/2/21

1. NAME ~~DEBAIGHT~~ Marcel

(No initial per AGO 5/7/27)

SERIAL No. 2258702

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co.E. 58th Inf.

& DIVISION 4th

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Amer. ROMAGNE-s/s- MONTFAUCON (Meuse) 1232, Sec. 54

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

28

54

1

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

76

Bac. Briouilles sur Meuse,

Meuse

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

Verdun 35 NE

282.1 N

312.25 E

CONCENTRATED TO

5/14/19

28

Sec 54

1

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse Argonne Cemetery

1232

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on body and cross.

DATE OF DEATH

OCT 5, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Calif

data F-1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none found

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

ccg.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

M. B. BIRDSEYE

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

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

11/2/21

7

44

A

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Block

Meuse-Argonne American Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) 1232

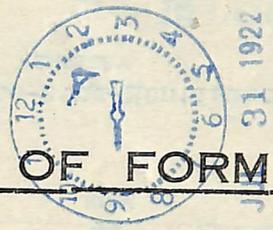
CEMETERY

jo. AUDITED BY
Feb 3/1/23

Robert G. Davis,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

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APR 26 1927
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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.



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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of;

Name: DEBAIGT, Marcel

Number 2258702

Rank: Unkn

Organization Unkn

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group:

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

from (give complete location)

6 14th May, 1919.

Amer. B/A Cemetery Grave #76

BRIEULLES SUR MEUSE

35 NE E 312.5 N 282.6

Reburied (Date)

In: (Give complete location)

14th May, 1919.

Grave #28 Sec. 54 Plot 1

1232

ARGONNE AMER. CEMETERY #1232

ROMAGNE MEUSE

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

Burial good and not buried in uniform or blanket; body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

10891

CONFIRMED No. D

Note:

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

Supervised by: Lt. Armitage

R. H. ROSENTHAL

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

C.O. Group Unit

1000



1000

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CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF CCLS	CODE
NAME <i>DEBAIGT</i>	<i>Deb</i>	3	452
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	1
	GRAVE <i>7</i>	2	07
	ROW <i>44</i>	2	44
	BLOCK <i>a</i>	1	1
STATE	<i>Calif</i>	2	04
RANK	<i>Plat</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>4</i>	2	04
ORGANIZATION	<i>58</i>	3	058
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>no</i>	1	2 <i>(RM)</i>
NAME <i>Debaigt</i>	<i>Deb</i>	3	452
<i>Mrs Jeanne</i> RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Foreign</i>	1	4
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
<i>29/514/</i> <i>Country</i>	<i>France</i>	2	11 <i>RM</i>

AUDITED

FEB 27 1962

RAM

RM

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE 7-23-29

NAME RANK SERIAL ORGANIZATION DATE OF DEATH
Debaigt, Marcel Pvt. 2258702 Co. E, 58th Inf. 10-5-18

STATE CTY. NO. 1232 GRAVE 7 ROW 44 BLOCK A

Check relationship Living - Deceased

MOTHER

STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)

NAME

AND

ADDRESS

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)

Living	Deceased
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*C-252516
7-26-29*

*Mrs. Jeannede Debaigt,
Lagetaurbin,
Basses Pyrenees,
France*

Single

Veterans Bureau Claim Number _____

29/156

OFFICE OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

REPORT

Department of the Interior

LAND

STATE

NO. 100

Section 16, Township 10N, Range 10E, T10N, R10E, S10

Section 17, Township 10N, Range 10E, T10N, R10E, S10

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.



Debaigt

Marcel

2,258,702

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army service number.)

Pvt.

Co. E.

58th 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 wish them interred in a national cemetery?

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Jean Debaigt

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Hogestaubin pour M. Marcel Debaigt

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

(Hogestaubin)

France

Mr. John Debaight,
Hagetaubin, par Arthez,
(Basses-Pyrenees), France

Noted S. C.
Date 5-3-21
123280.54-52

checked - RLR
5-4-21

April 16, 1923.

In reply refer to:
293 C-R

86086

Mr. Joe Palacin,
2142 Lombard St.,
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private Marcel Debaigt, Company E, 58th Infantry is Grave 7, Row 44, Block A, 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, 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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293 C-R

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Bagetaubin Par Arthez (Basses-Pyrenees)
France.

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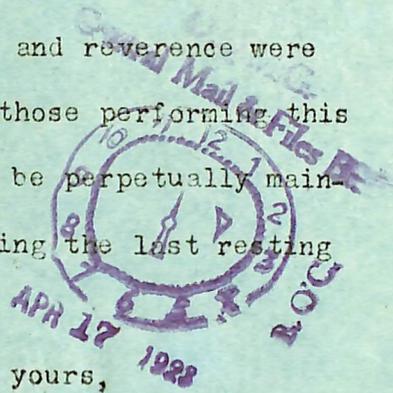
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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Nov. 2nd 1921.

1. REMAINS OF DEBAIGHT MARCEL Lt. SERIAL NUMBER 2258702

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co., 68th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov. 2, 1921. From (give complete location):
Gr. 28 sec 54 pt 1 Cem., #1232.

By: Group 6 Unit Sec. 1

3. Reburied (date): Nov. 2, 1921. In (give complete location):
Row 44, Block A, Grave 7, Cem. 1232.

By: Group Reburial S. Unit Sec. 1 Nature of reburial Unlined Casket.

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

badly decomposed features unrecognizable. U.S. uniform burlap and pine box.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes On grave marker? No
Debaigt Marcel 2258702.

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

None

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp to det.

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

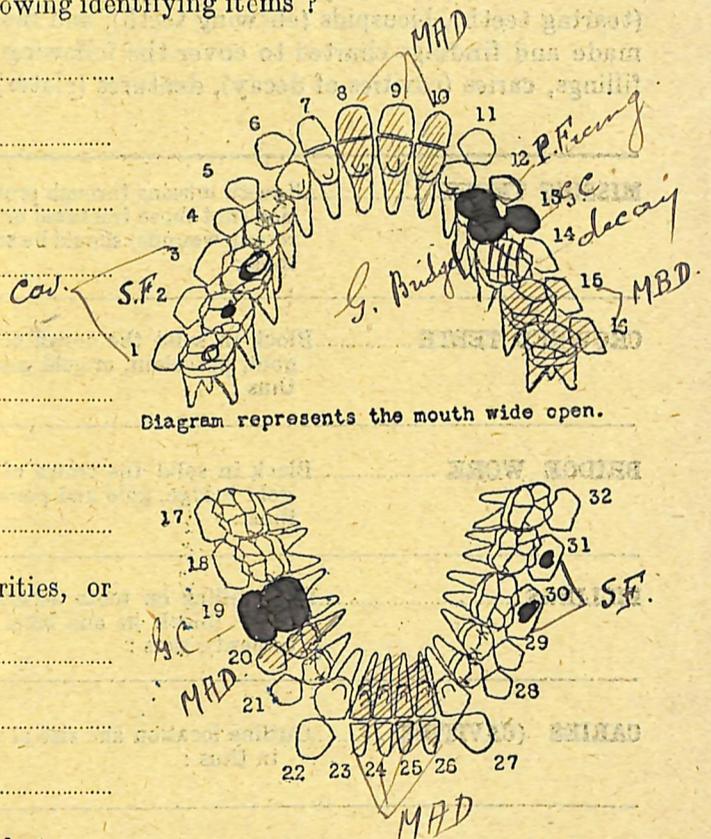
Location do

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)

right humerus fractured, skull shattered. left clavula and right scapula missing.



7. Disinterment supervised by A. F. McCabe S. M.

Approved: Geo. C. Bland 1st. Lt. QMC
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault. concentration WS.

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

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), 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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE

Nov. 2, 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 _____
 2. No. **DEBAIGHT, Marcel L.**
 3. Rank **2258702**
 4. Org. **Pvt.**
 5. D.D. **Co. E. 58th Inf.**
 6. C.D. **Oct. 5th**

10. Name _____
 11. No. **on body tag.**
 12. Rank _____
 13. Org. _____
 14. (a) D.D. _____
 (b) D.B. _____

DOW.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 8. Plot **23** Row **54**
 9. **1**

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. _____

No discp

18. Cemetery _____
 20. Dept. or County **Meuse-Argonne American**
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. **Meuse**
 23. Disinterred (Date) **1232--Sec. 54**
 24. Inscription on grave marker: **11-2-21**

19. Commune or town _____
 21. Country **ROMAGNE-E/B-MONTFAUCON**
France
 By **A.F. McCabe**

Name _____
 Rank **Marcel L. Debaight**
Pvt.

Serial No. **2258702**
 Organization **Co. E. 58th Inf.**

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? **no** On body? **yes**

John W. Crawford
 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).

None

27. Condition of body **Badly decomposed features unrecognizable**
 28. Nature of burial **US Uniform burlap and pine box.**

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above?

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: **None** By _____

31. Casket sealed by **11-2-21** **A.F. McCabe**

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) *A.F. McCabe*

AUDITED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. _____



32. Designation of body:

Name DEBAIGHT, Marcel L. Serial No. 2259702

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B. 53th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. 1232, ROMAGNE - s/s-MONTFAUCON (Meuse)

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) 11-2-21 By A.F. Mc Cabe

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

Geo. C. Bland

Geo. C. Bland, 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) 11-2-21

To point of Concentration Morgue, Romagne

Convoyer W. J. Royed Signature Shipping Officer 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 _____

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

40. Received: Date _____

G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred Meuse Arg. Cemetery. (Date) Nov. 2, 1921.

42. Grave No. 7. Section _____

43. Plot Block A. Row 44.

G.R.S. Representative

James W. Younger
James W. Younger
Captain, Q.M.C.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

2/9/22 Returned
 2/22 Concentration # 1232
 Musee - Argonne
 at 2/28/22

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #86086

(a) Name DEBAIGT, Marcel Ser. No. 2258702

(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. E, 58th Infantry

(c) Date of death 10/5/18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. DMA

CKR. B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 28 Row - Plot 1 Sec. 54 TYP. DMA

(b) Emerg. Address Mr. Joe Palacin (friend) 2142 Lombard St., San Francisco Calif.

A.Y.O. 201 - Jan. 31, 1920 confirms (E.L. 5-5-21)

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Jean Debaigt (b) Relationship Father

(c) Address Hagetarbin, par Arthey, (Basses Pyrenees) France.

(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 J. C. Date 5-3-21, 1920.

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

_____, dated _____

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

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____, 1920.

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

No request for disposition.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? _____

Examiner's Initials J. C. Date 5-3-21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 1232-sec. 54

SHEET No. 52

checked
 8/11/21

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Critchett

5-3-21

A.G.O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks *E. a.*

G. R. S. Corr

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Checkers

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

*checked - OK
5-4-21*

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

Form 115
See 2/28/22
att

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #86086

(a) Name DEBAIGT, Marcel Ser. No. 2258702
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. E, 58th Infantry } TYP. IMA
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IV. Information on which advice to Europe in letter of transmittal was based:

.....

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 letter of transmittal on MAY 26 1921, 192
Let. # 54
Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned AD

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. _____

1. G. B. S. Form No. 1.

Hq. G. B. S. File

2. Soldier's No. 2258702

86086

3. Debaight Marsee
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Date of Death Cause, if known

B.A.C.

6. Date of Burial Cemetery

7. Briouilles Meuse
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

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8. Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg? ¹ Cross? Headboard? Bottle?
Check Method of Marking

10. Buried with Body? Attached to Grave Marker? ¹
Identification Tags

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

12. "A" sketch 43
Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

GROUP No. 3 Signed SGT. Baker

Group.....Unit.....G. B. S.

PROV. UNIT "A" G.R.S.

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FILE

G.R.S. Form No. 8; Central Records Division.
Name For: G.R.S. representative, G.R.C.
SUBJECT: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

- () Surname: **DEBAIGHT** *Debaigt*
- () Number: **2258702**
- () First name: **Marce** *Marcel*
- () Rank: *Plut*
- () Company: *Co 2*
- () Organization: *58 Inf.*
- () Date of death:
- () Cause: *Kpt killed - cause and*
- () Place: *date to be det.*

Location of hospital:

- () Number " "
- () Class " "
- () Relative: *John Debaigt*
- () Relationship: *Father*
- () Address: *Hagetaubin Basses, Pyrenees, France*
- () Authority:
- () Cablegram No: *CC 559/1*
- () 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.G., U.S.A.

Initials of Reporter:

57A

J.H.

DR

Cty. #700

Amer. B/A Cty., Briouilles-sur-Meuse, (Meuse)

Emergency address:

John Debaigt (father)
Fagetambin Basses,
Pyrenees, France



WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

2-201 AMS:GEB

IN REPLY
REFER TO

201 (Debaigt, Marcel) WW

January 31, 1920

From: The Adjutant General of the Army.

To: The Quartermaster General of the Army,
Washington, D.C.

Subject: Notification of Death.

FILE.
86086

1. Upon investigation it has been ascertained by the War Department that Private Marcel Debaigt, #2,258,702, Company E, 58th Infantry, who was previously reported in Casualty Cablegram 559 as buried, date and cause of death to be determined and in DRG #4 as wounded in action October 5, 1918, was killed in action October 5, 1918. A notation to that effect has been placed upon the official records.

2. It appears from the records that the deceased was enlisted October 5, 1917 at San Francisco, Calif., and gave the name of the person to be notified in case of emergency as Mr. Joe Palacin (Friend) 2142 Lombard St., San Francisco, Calif.

By order of the Secretary of War:

P. C. Harris
The Adjutant General
Per: *M. A. K.*

2-301 (Rev. 1-22)

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

January 21, 1930

201 (Dobelt, Marcel) W

IN REPLY
TO

FILE
86016

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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 Marcel Dobelt, #2, 238, 702, Company B, 38th Infantry, who was previously reported in Casualty Column 830 as killed, date and cause of death to be determined and in 1917 he was wounded in action October 2, 1918, was killed in action October 2, 1918. A notation to that effect has been placed upon the official records.
2. It appears from the records that the deceased was enlisted October 2, 1917 at San Francisco, Calif., and gave the name of the person to be notified in case of emergency as Mr. Joe Palacin (friend) 212 Lombard St., San Francisco, Calif.

By order of the Secretary of War:



The Adjutant General

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON.

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January 31, 1920

From: The Adjutant General of the Army.

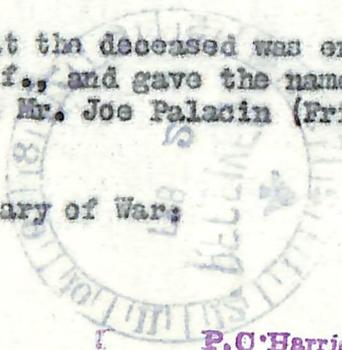
To: The Quartermaster General of the Army,
Washington, D.C.

Subject: Notification of Death.

1. Upon investigation it has been ascertained by the War Department that Private Marcel Debaigt, #2,258,702, Company E, 58th Infantry, who was previously reported in Casualty Cablegram 559 as buried, date and cause of death to be determined and in DRS #4 as wounded in action October 5, 1918, was killed in action October 5, 1918. A notation to that effect has been placed upon the official records.

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By order of the Secretary of War:



P. C. Harris. Per

The Adjutant General
Per:

1941:
The Adjutant General

F.O. Sullivan, Esq.



By order of the Secretary of War

Approved: [Signature] Special Agent
to be notified in case of emergency at the [Address] (District) [City]
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WAR DEPARTMENT

2-201 [Signature]

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

Date **9/22/19**

FROM: - INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME **Debaight, Marcel**

Serial Number **2, 258, 702**

RANK **Private** ORGANIZATION **58th Inf. - Co C**

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	(1) <u>Debaight, Marcel E.</u> <u>58th. Inf., Co. H.</u>
2.	Date of Death.	
3.	Cause and place of death.	Disinterred from Cty.#700 Amer. B/A. Cty., Briouilles sur Meuse, (Meuse)
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	
5.	Date buried.	Reburied May 14th. 1919
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave #28, sect.,#54, Plot#1, Argonne Amer. Cty # 1232 Romagne, Meuse.
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	(11) E. A. Not given
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(12) Form #8 sent 5-29-19 for present status. Date and cause of death to be determined.
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?(Father) Jean Debaight, Hagetaubin, Par Arthez, Basses Pyrenes, France	

Thru. A. G. O.

N.B. All Proper names to be typewritten, or printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

Released by Information Control **J.C.**
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293.8 (Debaight, Marcel) DRD.
Burial Records Section

1-217-6th & B.

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1st Ind.

War Dept. A.G.O. September 7, 1919-To the Quartermaster General's
Office, Cemeterial Branch, Washington, D.C.

1. For a report as to the location of the grave of Marcel Debaight,
Serial No. 2,256,702, Private, Company E, 58th Infantry.

2. The records of this office show that this soldier was wounded in
action, now reported buried, investigation being made to verify and determine
date and cause.

By order of the Secretary of War:-

I. Erv
Adjutant General

(synopsis made).

293.7 DRD.

2nd Ind.

CJW /tvh.

Burial Records Section,
293.3 GRS. (Debraight, Marcel, Pvt.)
Graves Registration Service, Office of the Quartermaster General, Munitions
Building, Washington, D. C., Sept. 25, 1919. To: Adjutant General's Office,
War Department, Washington, D. C.

1. Returned. The records of this office show the grave
location of Private Marcel Debaight, Co. H, 58th Infantry, Serial #2258702, to be as
follows: Originally buried in the American Battle Area Cemetery at Brioules sur
Meuse, Department of Meuse, reburied May 14th, 1919 in the Argonne American
Cemetery, at Romagne-Sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, Grave #28, Section #54,
Plot #1, Cemetery #1232.

By authority of the Quartermaster General,
The Director of Purchase & Storage.

CHARLES C. PIERCE
Colonel, Q. M. C.
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

By

CHARLES J. WYNNE
Capt., Q. M. C.
Graves Registration Service.

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Hagetaubin
Par Arthez (Basses-Pyrenees)

July 22, 1919.

Sir:

I received some days ago a circular by which the War Department desired to ascertain the wishes of the families of enlisted men regarding the permanent disposition of the bodies of those who have died in Europe. This was the first information of the death of my son. I never received a letter from him since he was made unable to fight. The letter sent by the Adjutant General's Office of Washington on the 10th of March 1919 informed me that my son Private Marcel Debaight, Infantry was gassed degree undetermined and under treatment October 5, 1918.

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(Date)

FORM 115 has been compiled on the following case:-

CEMETERY NO. 1232 SECTION 54

FORM 115 Sheet No. 52

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(Initials)

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HAGETAUBIN
PAR. ARTHEZ (Basses-
Hagetaubin Pyrenées)
par. Arthez (Basses-Pyrenées)
~~France~~ July 22 1919.

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A. G. O. 2938 Debaigt, Marcel

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It is not astonishing I ~~have~~ never received a telegram informing me of the death of my son, because my address is very badly written. My address is not Mr. John Debraigt, Hatanbay, Bone Frances France; my true address is John Debraigt, Hagetaubing, par Northey, (Barnes-Pyrenelle) France.

I wish to know the circumstances of the death of my son, whether he died in a hospital or not, on what precise date he died, whether he could be assisted by a catholic clergyman or not.

I desire you to inform me of those circumstances, chiefly where and on what precise date he died.

Very respectfully
Cardinal
R
John Debraigt

A. G. B. 2938 Debraigt, Marcel

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295 9 (Debaight, Ma. 1) DRD.
Burial Records Section

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1st Ind.

War Dept. A.G.O. September 7, 1919-To the Quartermaster General's Office, Cemeterial Branch, Washington, D.C.

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By order of the Secretary of War:-

A. Erwin
Adjutant General

**Q. M. C.
CEM. BR.
Rec'd
SEP 12 1919**

(synopsis made).

293.7 DRD.

2nd Ind.

CJW /tvh.

Burial Records Section,

293.3 GRS. (Debraight, Marcel, Pvt.)

Graves Registration Service, Office of the Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C., Sept. 25, 1919. To: Adjutant General's Office, War Department, Washington, D. C.

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By *Charles J. Wayne*
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Capt., Q. M. C.
Graves Registration Service.

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RECORDS AT CASUALTY DIVISION SHOW THAT *2258, 702*
(NAME) *DeBaird, Marcel L.* (RANK) *Priv.*
(ORGANIZATION) *Co E 58 Inf.*

EMBARKED FOR DUTY OVERSEAS..... 1918.

CASUALTY RECORD, *559-5-1-11- rec'd 6/10/19*

Previously wd. as - now aptd.
HOSPITAL RECORD.....
burial investigation being
made to verify & determine date
& cause.

NO LATER RECORD AT CAS. DIV. CONCERNING HIM.
(DATE) *Aug 29/19* (SEARCHER) *ll*

REMARKS.....

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