

G.R.S. Form #114-B

To The A. G. O.

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No corres. from relatives.

APR 27 1926

DATE Dec. 23rd 1921.

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*Soldier's Reg. De Fazio*

1. NAME **DEFAGIO, Joseph X.**

SERIAL No. 1907510

RANK **Pvt.** *OK*

ORGANIZATION **Co. I. 327th Inf.**

*DIVISION 82*

GRAVE LOCATION **Meuse-Argonne Amer. Romagne-s-Montfaucon, Meuse #1232, Sec. 29-**

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

**182**

**Sec. 29**

**4**

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

**BAC 14**

**Cornay**

**Ardennas**

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES **35NW 297.3E 281.3N**

CONCENTRATED TO **4/8/19**

**182**

**29**

**4**

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.

Identified by name on cross

*OK*

data f-1/pfb

DATE OF DEATH

*Oct 12, 1918*

*Oct. 12, 1918*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

*Pa*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

*none*

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

*M. B. BIRDSE L*  
*1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army*

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION **Dec. 23rd 1921.**

**29**

**26**

**C**

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

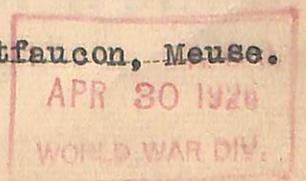
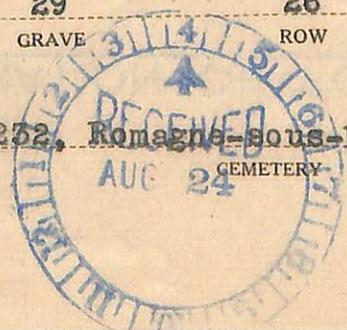
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**Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.**

AUDITED BY

*Bld. 3-26-23*

*MAY 5 1926*



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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

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

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

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



CODE SLIP  
~~1000~~ PARANTIS

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	De FAZIO	3	456
BURIED	CEMETERY 01232	1	1
	GRAVE 29	2	29
	ROW 26	2	26
	BLOCK C	1	3
STATE	Pa	2	44
RANK	Cpl	1	2
DIVISION	82	2	82
ORGANIZATION	327	3	327
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	no	1	2
NAME	Morrone	3	338
Mrs. Angelina	STATE Pa	2	44
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Allegheny	2	02
818 Wylie Ave	CITY Pittsburgh	3	224
RELATION (mother dead)	Loco	1	4
OTHER	no	1	2
ELIGIBILITY	no	1	2
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
29/514			

**AUDITED**  
APR 20 1932  
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QM 293 A-11  
DeFazio, Joseph 1333 S

July 21, 1930.

Mrs. Angelina DeFazio Morrone,  
818 Wylie Ave.,  
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication of recent date relative to the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 3, 1929.

The only provision of the law under which anyone other than the mother or widow could be considered for this privilege is contained in section 4 (a) of the Act, which was amended May 15, 1930, to read in part as follows: "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the soldier, sailor, or marine becoming eighteen years of age".

In order to satisfy the legal requirements, it will be necessary for you to furnish as proof of the relationship, in loco parentis, the affidavits of at least two persons not related to you.

In the event you believe yourself eligible, under this provision of the law, to make the pilgrimage, it is requested that the enclosed forms be completed and returned to this office in order that your eligibility under the Act may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encls.  
Act-Amendment.

ATT. Forms.  
Env.

ETK

*Handwritten:*  
4-27-32

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 9, 1930.

DeFazio, Joseph 1232 S

Miss Angelina DeFazio,  
709 Webster St.,  
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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

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

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:  
Envelope  
Act  
Amendment

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

3.  
Mrs. Angelina  
De Fazio Marrone  
818 Mylie Ave.  
Pittsburg Pa.  
sister of deceased.  
who stood in loco  
parentis to him  
at time of service

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

DATE January 18, 1930

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Defazio, Joseph	Cpl.	1907510	Co. I. 327th Inf.	Oct. 12, 1918

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STATE	Pennsylvania	CTY. NO.	1232	GRAVE 29	ROW	26 BLOCK C
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>Deceased</u>
	MOTHER	:	:	✓
	STEFMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:
NAME	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION	:	:	:
AND	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:
ADDRESS	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	(S)
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	:	:	Miss Angelina
	Single Man	:	:	De. Fazio
		:	:	709 Webster St.
		:	:	Pittsburgh, Pa.

Veterans Bureau Claim Number  
29/156/

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 28 , 1929.

(DeFazio, Joseph)

Mr. John DeFazio,  
709 Webster Ave.,  
Pittsburgh, Pa.

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 Corporal Joseph DeFazio, Co. I, 327th 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.

①  
CORRECT DATE OF DEATH

Gr. 29, Row 26, Bl.C, Meuse-Argonne A/C

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Joseph De Fazio - Corpl. - 327 Inf. - 82 Div. - Pennsylvania - Oct. 12, 1918

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File 2/3/32  
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QM 293 A-M  
DeFazio, Joseph 1232 S

July 21, 1930.

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Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
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A. D. HUGHES,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
~~DeFazio, Joseph~~  
1232

September 2, 1929.

Mr. John DeFazio,  
709 Webster Ave.,  
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated ~~June 28, 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

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Envelope.

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

In reply refer to:  
293 C-R

June 30, 1923.

Mr. John DeFazio,  
709 Webster Ave.,  
Pittsburg, Pa.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Corporal Joseph DeFazio, Company I, 327th Infantry, is Grave 29, Row 26, Block C, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by 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.

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Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner,  
Assistant.

23/236/ARK

Date 9th, May 1919.

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33940 86096

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of: DEFAZIO

Name: DEFAZIO, Jos.

(Defazio)

Rank: Cpl.

Organization: Unkn.

Number; 1909510

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit CA 2, 327th Reg.

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

8th, April 1919.

Grave #14 B/A Cemetery

CORNAY, ARDENNES,

35 NW 297.3 E 281.3 N

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

8th, April 1919.

Grave #182 Sec. #29 Plot #4.

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY No. 1232.

ROMAGNE, MEUSE. 35 NE 308.16 E 284.87 N.

1232

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

Burial good. Buried in uniform; body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No

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

CONFIRMED No. D.....

10703

10702

Note:

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

Supervised by: Lt. Gordon.

R. H. ROSENTHAL

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

C.O. Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

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INVESTIGATION OF THE ACTS OF VIOLENCE AND THE DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY



REPORT OF THE ACTS OF VIOLENCE AND THE DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY

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\_\_\_\_\_ 1920.

Prepare the communication to Chief, G. R. S.,  
in Europe, indicated below:

1. Corrective letter

- (1) Name
- (2) Rank
- (3) Serial No.
- (4) Organization.

*Additional letter*  
2. Supplementary letter

- (1) Body to be returned
- ~~(2)~~ " to remain
- (3) " to Foreign country
- (4) Communicate and comply with wishes of relatives.
- (5)
- (6)

3. Cable

- (a) Body to remain
- (b) Body to be returned
- (c) Special

*at*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
H. B. Cairns.

Ref. Par. \_\_\_\_\_ Letter \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 1920.

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# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Defazio 1907516 Joseph

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

Pvt. Co. 1, 327th. Inf.

(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: .....

CAUSE OF DEATH: .....

DATE OF BURIAL: .....

PLACE OF BURIAL: .....

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

101688

GRAVE NUMBER: .....

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

Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?.....

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: John De Fazio

ADDRESS: 709 Webster Ave Bklyn Pa

RELATIONSHIP: Father

REPORTED BY:

Sgt. Daniel J. Daley

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).



86096

No

Sketch No

Name DEFAZIO

JOS.

Rank Corp. Co  (Corp)   
(Regt)

Date of Death, Oct. 14th. 1918

Place CORNAY ARDENNES

Cause Killed in action

Date of Burial, Oct. 18th. 1918

Grave No, 14 Ploy. 1

Cemetery

Identified By, Clothing

Map Ref, 20yds. S. of road, 300yds. S. of  
Cornay.

N.W. Verdun 35,297.3 E x 281.3 N.

Field record made by, *Paul J. Scott*  
Q.M. Sgt. Sr. Gr.

Group 3 Unit 305 G.R.S.

For additional data use reverse side.

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RECEIVED  
DEC 2 1871  
O. C. O. M.  
O. R. S.

G.R.S. FORM NO. 12

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

101688

FROM : ADJUTANT GENERAL.

TO : C. O., Co. I, 327th. Inf.

SUBJECT : Information for burial Register.

1. You are directed to transmit without delay to the Chief, Graves Registration Service, the information indicated on enclosed Graves Location Blank as necessary for the completion of official records.

By Command of General Pershing:

Robert C. Davis  
Adjutant General.

Note:

In case this item is checked, you will note hereon:

Nearest relative of deceased:

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_



NOT SENT

THE  
MOTOR  
STATION  
IS OPEN  
FOR  
TRAFFIC

Cty. Audit Dept.

FROM: O.Q.M.G.  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
Munitions Building  
Room 1123

G. R. S. F 18-W-A  
Information requested of A. G. O.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

~~PLEASE~~  
EXPEDITE

86096  
File No. Registration. Cty. # 1232  
Parker Date 3-29-21

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. DeFazio Defazio
- b. Christian name. Joseph
- c. Serial number. 1907 510
- d. Organization. Co. 2, 3272nd
- e. Rank. Corp.
- f. Date of death. Oct 12, 1918
- g. Cause of death. H. D. G.
- h. Authority (C. C. No.) 422
- i. Emergency address. John DeFazio, 709 Webster Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.
- j. Relationship. (Father)

**BODY DESCRIPTION.**

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

- a. Age at enlistment.
- b. Color of eyes.
- c. Color of hair.
- d. Height.
- e. Weight.
- f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment. (Old fractures or breaks.)

**DENTAL CHARTS.**

(See physical report of examination prior to enlistment.)

a. Strike out teeth missing:

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

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

By

*[Signature]*  
H. J. CONNER,  
Captain, Q. M. C.

Rec'd World War I  
Date... MAR 30 1921

MAR 30 1921

*Dannally, B. F. D., Enl. Rec. Sec., 709 Webster Ave., 3/31/21*

Cty. Audit Dept.

G. R. S. F 18-W-A  
Information requested of A. G. O.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

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

By

*[Signature]*  
H. J. CONNER,  
Captain, Q. M. C.

Good World War 1st  
Date... MAR. 20. 1921.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

City, # 1232

Date 3-29-21

Parker

Registration

The No.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW, Washington, D. C.

Subject: Information required for G. R. H. S.

It is requested that the items checked below be completed. Request continuation of all informa-

tion shown.

V. Date of death.

A. Surname, *Parsons, Patricia*

W. Cause of death.

A. Christian name, *Joseph*

X. Authority (C. C. No.)

A. Serial number, *1171*

Y. Emergency address.

A. Organization, *1291 - 1 APR*

Z. Relationship.

A. Rank, *Corporal*

RECEIVED

DENTAL CHARTS

(See physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

BOYS DESCRIPTION

(See part 2 of the Service Record)

a. Strikethrough (teeth missing):

w. Age at enlistment

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
Upper right Upper left

b. Color of eyes

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

c. Color of hair

A. Height

A. Weight

A. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

H. J. ROGERS

Quartermaster General, U. S. A.

M. J. COXNER

Adjutant General, U. S. A.

# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #86096

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DeFAZIO, Joseph Ser. No. 1907510 } db  
 (b) Rank Cpl. Organization Co. I. 327th Inf. } TYP. Elt  
 (c) Date of death 10-12-18 (d) Cause of death K/A }

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

(a) Grave No. 182 Row -- Plot 4 Sec. 29 TYP. db

(b) Emerg. Address John DeFazio, (Father), 709 Webster Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases 8-W-a-Mar. 29, 1921 confirmed (Ed 5-27-21) CKR. Elt

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

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

*6/12/21 Add. Advice - Not to be returned 6/10/21 J.S.*

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. 205

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S.W.A. - Mar. 29, 1921 confirms (Ed. 5-27-21)
CKR. [Signature]

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt
(a) Name
(b) Relationship no card in file Pms-2521

(c) Address
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.?
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S.
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S.

Examiner's Initials Date, 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 Date 5-25-21, 192

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 1232-sec.29 SHEET No. 205

JUN 14 1921 - [Signature]

checked [Signature] 5-26-21 [Signature]

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

*4/2/21 Add. Advice - not to be returned 6/10/21 G.S.*

IX.

REMARKS

*gfb-er (father) John De Fazio, 709 Webster Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., (Pr 5-26-21)*

WRITE NOTHING BELOW THIS LINE.

COMBINATION OF DISPOSITION OF SERVICES DAILY

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec 23, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT mg COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name DEFAGIO, Joseph A.  
 2. No. 1907510  
 3. Rank Pvt. cpl  
 4. Org. Co. I. 327th Inf.  
 5. D.D. Oct. 12th '18  
 6. C.D. KIA

10. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 11. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_  
 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (b) D.B. none.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 182 Sec. 29  
 8. Plot 4 Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 17. none.

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer.

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232, Sec. 29

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec 23, 1921

By E. Maire.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Joseph A. Defagio.  
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. 190751 0  
 Organization Co I. 327th Inf.

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

*E. Maire*  
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant  
C.S.O'Mearq.

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).

G.R.S plaque on body agrees.

27. Condition of body body decomposed, unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial wooden box and burlap and uniform.

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 23, 1921 By E. Maire.

31. Casket sealed by \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

*E. Maire*  
E. Maire.



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **C-22395**

32. Designation of body:

Name **Joseph A. Defagio** Serial No. **1907510**

Rank **Pvt.** Organization **Co.I. 327th Inf.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Meuse-Argonne Amer.#1232,  
Romagne-s-Montfaucon, Meuse**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Dec 23, 1921** By **E. 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. Dewpylst Lt.Q.M.C.**

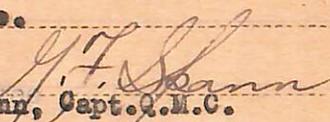
36. Remarks

**none.**

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Dec 23, 1921.**

To point of Concentration **Romagne Morgue.**

(Name)

Convoyer **W.J. Royed.** Signature Shipping Officer   
**G.F. Spann, Capt.Q.M.C.**

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

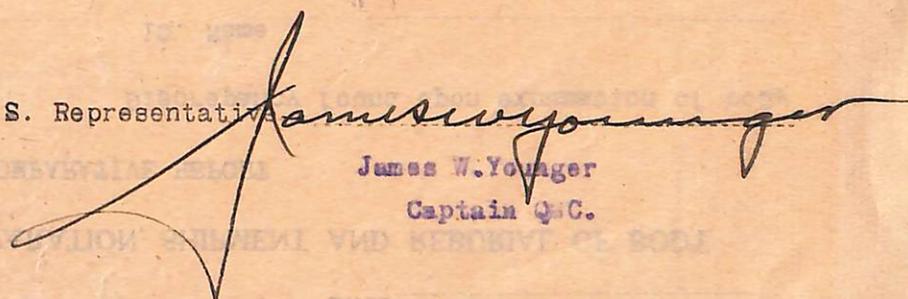
41. Reinterred **Meuse Argonne Cemetery 1232, Dec. 23, 1921**

(Date)

42. Grave No. **29** Section

43. ~~Block~~ **Block** **C** Row **26**

G.R.S. Representative

  
**James W. Younger  
Captain Q.C.**

pfb

Concentration.

G. R. S. Form. No. 16-A

Place Ragny (meuse)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Dec. 23, 1921

1. REMAINS OF DEFANCIO, Joseph A. SERIAL NUMBER 1907510

RANK Pvt. CPL ORGANIZATION Co. I, 327th. Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Dec. 23, 1921 From (give complete location):

Gr. 182, Sec. 29, Pl. 4, Cem. 1232

By: Group Maire Unit PS#1

3. Reburied (date): Dec. 23, 1921, grave 29, block C, row 26, Cem. 1232 In (give complete location):

Dec. 23, 1921, grave 29, block C, row 26, Cem. 1232

By: Group Reburial Sec Unit  Nature of reburial unlined casket

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

Uniform burlap and box.

Body badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

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

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

GES plaque on body agrees

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

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

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) do

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

Skull shattered.

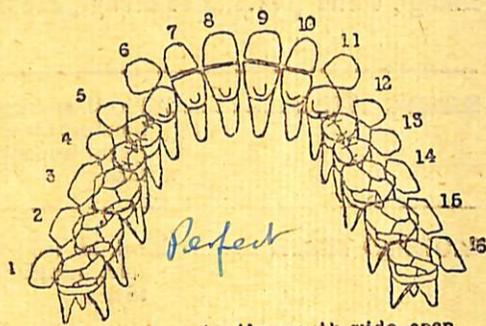
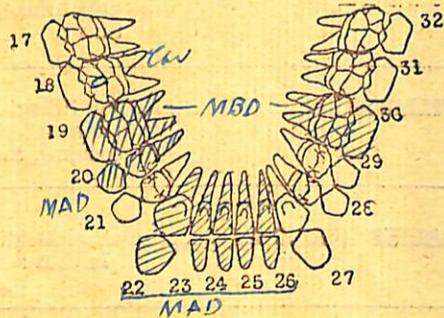


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



7. Disinterment supervised by Edno Maire Approved: A. E. Denny, Lt. Col., QMC

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dugault Approved: James W. Younger, Captain, QMC.



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

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

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

**MISSING TEETH**.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:



**CROWNED TEETH**.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:



**BRIDGE WORK**.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:



**FILLINGS**.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:



**CARIES (CAVITIES)**.....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



**DENTURES (PLATES)**.....Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."

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