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QMCME-D 293
Blaskovic, John T.
35 249 394

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4 February 1960

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic
1027 East 69th Street
Cleveland 3, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Blaskovic:

Reference is made to your letter dated 1 February 1960 concerning your son, Private First Class John T. Blaskovic.

Matters pertaining to United States Military Cemeteries overseas come within the jurisdiction of the American Battle Monuments Commission, Washington 25, D. C. I have, therefore, forwarded your letter to that Agency for a direct reply to you.

Sincerely yours,

W
Mrs Whittingham/ace
54309

cc: ABMC

DONALD L. WANDLE
Lt. Colonel, OMC
Chief, Disposition Branch
Memorial Division

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

QMME-D 293

Blaskovic, John T.
35 249 394

DATE 4 February 1960

TO: ☒ American Battle Monuments Commission
Washington 25, D. C.

☐ Veterans Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

☐ Dept. of the Navy
BuMed and Surgery
Washington 25, D. C.

☐ Commandant
U. S. Marine Corps
Washington 25, D. C.

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☒ Forwarded as a matter pertaining to your Office.

☐ Writer has not been informed of this referral.

☒ Writer has been informed of this referral. Records indicate decedent buried in Lorraine American Cemetery and Memorial, St. Avold, France (B-19-3).

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1. Ltr dtd 1 Feb 60
2. Cy ltr dtd 4 Feb 60

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27 E. 63rd
Cleveland 3, Ohio
Feb. 1, 1960

Dear Sir:

I would appreciate information
of the location burial at U.S. military
Cemetery St. Arnold where my son is buried.

Please send me Plot, Row and grave number
of Pfc. John T. Blackovic, 35-249-394
Passed away on Nov. 15, 1944.

I'm sorry to put you to this trouble
but it's necessary for me to have this
information. I shall hope for a reply
soon. Thanking you very much.

Sincerely
Mrs. Rose Blackovic

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USMC, ST. AVOLD, FRANCE Plot B, Row 19, Grave 3 Date reburied: 24 Feb 49		DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE	
SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3547 00486	DATE 15 03 48 DAY MONTH YEAR
NAME BLASKOVIC JOHN T	SERIAL NUMBER 35249394	RANK PFC	ARM 1
CEMETERY LIMEY TOUL	DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 1 3503 80 CODE DIST. PT.		DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR
PLOT I	ROW 9	GRAVE 214	COUNTRY FRANCE
CAUSE OF DEATH 2			
SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN			
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. AVOLD, FRANCE		NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN ROSE BLASKOVIC (MOTHER) 1027 EAST 69TH STREET CLEVELAND, OHIO (Flag sent)	
FEB 28 1949			
SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION			
NAME BLASKOVIC JOHN T	SERIAL NUMBER 35249394	RANK PFC	DATE OF DEATH 15 Nov 1944
DATE DISTINTERRED 6 May 1948			
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON ☒ REMAINS ☒ MARKER	ORGANIZATION USAGF	RELIGION C	IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY JOHN R SPRINKLER Embalmer NAME AND TITLE
SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT			
NATURE OF BURIAL Mattress cover	CONDITION OF REMAINS No major bones missing. Skeletal state. Disarticulated.		
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION None			
MINOR DISCREPANCIES None			
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET transfer box			
DATE 5 May 1948	BY J. R. SPRINKLER Embalmer		
CASKET SEALED BY Melvin W Blackburn Embalmer	EMBALMER (Signature) Melvin W Blackburn		
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED	SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY All markings, tags and plates verified by : H MEAD, Capt CWS		
DATE 9 June 48 BY Melvin W Blackburn			
I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct. - except casketing			
JAMES B JOHNS 1st Lt Inf 337 QM SV BN. SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR			
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.			
QMC FORM REV 15 MAR 46 1194			
FINAL LETTER SENT 21 APR 1949			

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RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

2. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

3. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

4. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

5. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

6. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
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SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE
SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

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MEMORIAL DIVISION
REPATRIATION BRANCH
RECORDS SECTION

293 Blaskovic, John T.

DATE 27 March 1950

Pvt -- 35 249 394

SUBJECT: Correct Name, Rank and Serial Number of Decedent.

1. The official spelling of name, the rank and the serial number of Army World War II Decedents is determined by the Adjutant General's Office.

2. The name, rank and serial number of subject decedent has been verified with the Adjutant General's Office this date to be correct as shown below:

NAME: Blaskovic, John T.

RANK: Pvt

ASN: 35 249 394

3. Paragraph #6, Memorial Division, Information Bulletin #11, dated 20 May 1949, Subject: "Minor Changes in Name, World War II Decedents", is quoted below for information.

"Memorial Division records pertaining to a decedent for whom a minor change in name is made as herein provided will be maintained under the official name of the decedent, as shown on AGO or similar records. However, in all subsequent correspondence with the next of kin, including final grave location letter, the spelling desired by the next of kin will be used."

Per AGO Report of Death
dated 7 Dec 1944

H. Bond

C. M. Odenwalder
C. M. ODENWALDER
CAPT. QMC.
Chief, Record Section

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FILE
RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE MAR 27 1950
NAME H. Bond
REPAT BR MEM DIV

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21 April 1949

Pfc. John T. Blaskovic, ASN 35 249 394
Plot B, Row 19, Grave 3
Headstone: Cross
St. Avold (France) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic
1027 East 69th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Blaskovic:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country. Customary military funeral services were conducted over the grave at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be transferred, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and supervision of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstone. The headstone will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating where appropriate, organization, State, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of headstone or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interments are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. You may rest assured that this final interment was conducted with fitting dignity and solemnity and that the grave-site will be carefully and conscientiously maintained in perpetuity by the United States Government.

Sincerely yours,

H. FELDMAN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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BUDGET BUREAU No. 49-R277.

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

Pfc. John T. Blaskovic, 35 249 394
Plot I, Row 9, Grave 234,
United States Military Cemetery
Limay, France

21 July 1947

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

A		C	
B		D	

NOTE.—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.
If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

PART I

I, MRS. ROSE BLASKOVIC

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

- ☐ WIDOW ☐ WIDOWER ☐ SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
☐ FATHER ☒ MOTHER ☐ BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
☐ RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

- ☒ 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS. St. Avold, France
☐ 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

- ☐ 3. BE RETURNED TO _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY), THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

- ☐ 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)

(Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)

☒ YES ☐ NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

NONE

DD Proc.
10 Feb 48

C. Baker

29 Feb 48
C. Baker

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PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.

OR
I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS		TELEPHONE No.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY

REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4.)

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic
(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

1027 E. 69th Str.,

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic

(STREET AND NUMBER)

Cleveland 3, Ohio.

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

(CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 3rd day of Sept.

1947, at city (or town) of Cleveland, county of Cuyahoga, and State (or Territory or

District) of Ohio

Aug. Kollander

(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)

AUG. KOLLANDER, Notary Public

My Commission Expires Jan. 28, 1950

(OFFICIAL TITLE)

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.

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PART II—RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE _____, (PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP) _____, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED. THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

_____ (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)	_____ (DATE)
_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	_____ (STREET AND NUMBER)
	_____ (CITY AND STATE)

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

_____ (SIGNATURE)	_____ (DATE)
_____ (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	_____ (STREET AND NUMBER)
	_____ (CITY AND STATE)

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ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTIONS

All remarks and information entered here will be considered as part of the Notarial Attestation.



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Pfc. John T. Blaskovic, 35 249 394
Plot I, Row 9, Grave 214,
United States Military Cemetery
Limey, France

21 July 1947

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic
1027 East 69th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Blaskovic:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. IANKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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QMCAR 293
Blaskovic, John T.
A.S.N. 35 249 394

22 April 1947

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic
1027 East 69th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Blaskovic:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery Limey, France, in which your son, the late Private First Class John T. Blaskovic, is buried.

It is my sincere hope that you may gain some solace from this view of the surroundings in which your loved one rests. As you can see, this is a place of simple dignity, neat and well cared for. Here, assured of continuous care, now rest the remains of a few of those heroic dead who fell together in the service of our country.

This cemetery will be maintained as a temporary resting place until, in accordance with the wishes of the next of kin, all remains are either placed in permanent American cemeteries overseas or returned to the Homeland for final burial.

Sincerely yours,

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Photograph

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G. A. HORKAN
Brigadier General, QMC
Chief, Memorial Division

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SPQIG 293
Blaskovic, John T.

10 May 1946

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic
1027 East 69th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Blaskovic:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your son, the late Private First Class John T. Blaskovic, A.S.N. 35 249 394.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, Limoy, France, plot I, row 9, grave 214.

This cemetery is located approximately sixteen miles east of St. Mihiel and fifteen miles north of Toul, both in France, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

It is anticipated that, in the near future, the War Department will receive authority to comply, at Government expense, with your wishes regarding final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your son. At a later date, this office will, without any action on your part, provide you with full information and solicit your detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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SENSITIVE SURFACE - HANDLE EDGES ONLY

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

Corrected Report. Orig. fwded 7 Dec 44

DATE 10 May 1945

FULL NAME Blaskovic, John T.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 35 249 384	GRADE Pvt.			
HOME ADDRESS Cleveland, Ohio		ARM OR SERVICE Infantry	DATE OF BIRTH 30 Sep 17			
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Died of wounds rec'd in action		DATE OF DEATH 15 Nov 44			
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 26 Mar 44	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS			
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Rose Blaskovic, mother, 1027 E. 69th St., Cleveland, Ohio						
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Rose Blaskovic, mother, address above Ann Blaskovic, sister, same address						
INVESTIGATION MADE?	IN LINE OF DUTY	OWN MISCONDUCT	WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS	AUTHORIZED ABSENCE	IN FLYING PAY STATUS	OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)
YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO	YES NO
					X	*X

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

Correction showing *Combat Infantryman, G0 11, Hqs. 137th Inf.,
dtd 1 Nov 1944.

☒ BATTLE ☐ NON-BATTLE

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		A. G. 201 FILE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

James W. Pinkhart
ADJUTANT GENERAL

WD AGO FORM 52-1
1 FEBRUARY 1945

THIS FORM SUPERSEDES WD AGO FORM 52-1, 1 DECEMBER 1944,
WHICH MAY BE USED UNTIL EXISTING STOCKS ARE EXHAUSTED.

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GRAVES REGISTRATION
FORM No. 1
(Revised 1 Sept. 1943)

RESTRICTED REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

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16 Nov 44

Date

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BLASKOVIC

John

T.

Pfc

35249394

Last Name

First

Initial

Rank

Serial No.

Co A

137th F.A

Probably

Unit

Jallaucourt, France

15 Nov 44

Organization

DOW GSW Chest

60th Field Hosp

Place of Death

16 Nov 44

Date of Death

U S Military Cemetery

Cause of Death

Limey, France

0900

Time and Date of Burial

214

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Name of Cemetery

Name or Coordinates of Location

Cross

Grave Number

Row Number

Plot Number

Type of Marker

Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes ☒ No ☐ Attached to Marker Yes ☐ No ☐

If No Identification Tags

How were remains identified?

What means of identification were buried with the body?

To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on:

GATES

37585920

Pvt

134th Inf 35th Div

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Deceased's Right:

Name

Serial No.

Rank

Organization

Grave No.

FREITAS

39419936

Pvt

134th Inf

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Deceased's Left:

Name

Serial No.

Rank

Organization

Grave No.

Signature of Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.

If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

JOHN T BLASKOVIC
35249394 T44

Emergency Addressee Mrs. Rose Blaskovic

Name

1027 East 69th St., Cleveland, Ohio

Address

Religion Catholic

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same:

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

JAMES T. PASSMAN

Verified by G.R.S. Officer

Capt

QMC

Commanding 609th QM Gr Reg Co

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RESTRICTED
REPORT OF BURIAL
IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

GRAVES REGISTRATION
Form No. 1
(Revised 1 Sept 1948)

Take Fingerprints of Both Hands. If unable to obtain a complete set of Fingerprints, Take Those You Can, and fill in the following:

Height: _____
Weight: _____
Color of Eyes: _____
Color of Hair: _____
Race: _____

Laundry Marks: _____
Number of Rifle: _____
Wear Glasses? _____
Is Tooth Chart Attached? _____

(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart, if no medical personnel present, fill in a tooth chart below.) In space below, locate, and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc.

Place of Death: _____
Time and Date of Burial: _____
Grave Number: _____
Row Number: _____

Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes ☒ No ☐
Attached to Marker Yes ☐ No ☐

Left Hand 2
Right Hand 2

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Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc.:

To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on: _____
Deceased's Right: _____
Deceased's Left: _____

Name: _____
Serial No. _____
Rank: _____
Organization: _____
Grave No. _____

Name: _____
Serial No. _____
Rank: _____
Organization: _____
Grave No. _____

Thumb

TOOTH CHART

If this is an Isolated Burial, make a Sketch of the Location, oriented with Permanent Landmarks. If more space needed attach separate sheet. Indicate North.

Emergency Address: _____
1057 East 9th St., Cleveland, OH
Name: _____
Address: _____
Religion: Catholic

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same:

Characteristics: _____
Other Data: _____

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial: _____
Verified by G.R.S. Officer: _____

AG P BR HQ 505 722560

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JAMES T. PARSAN
Capt
Commanding 603th CG Gr Reg Co

Deceased's Left												Deceased's Right																			
Upper												Lower																			
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Indicate: missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □; Bridges by □; linking anchor teeth; replacements by artificial teeth by X

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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 7 December 1944
Feb 4627

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FULL NAME		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER		GRADE									
Blaskovic, John T.		35 249 394		Private									
HOME ADDRESS		ARM OR SERVICE		DATE OF BIRTH									
Cleveland, Ohio		Infantry		30 Sept 1917									
PLACE OF DEATH		CAUSE OF DEATH		DATE OF DEATH									
European Area		Died of wounds received in action		15 Nov 1944									
STATION OF DECEASED		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES									
European Area		26 March 1944		YEARS MONTHS DAYS									
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)													
Mrs. Rose Blaskovic, mother, 1027 E 69th St., Cleveland, Ohio													
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS)													
Rose Blaskovic, mother, 1027 E. 69th St., Cleveland, Ohio													
Ann Blaskovic, sister, 1027 E. 69th St., Cleveland, Ohio													
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES NO		YES NO		YES NO		YES NO		YES NO		YES NO		YES NO	

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

COPIES FURNISHED:		
S. G. O.	F. B. I.	F. O., U. S. A.
2. O. Q. M. G.	O. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		A. G. 201 FILE

☒ BATTLE
☐ NON-BATTLE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR
James H. ...
DEC 20 1944

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic

SHIP TO:
Pvt. John T. Blaskovic

1027 East 69th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Effects of: 35249394
Name
ASN 322064 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 6 June 1945
GHG:VJ:cl

Jerry Spirakis
FCR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

☒ Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 100090
Amount \$4.23 *pure*
Inclose "Valuables" item
Ship "Valuables" item(s)

☐ Remove G.I.
☐ Note discrepancy in
☐ Films removed
☐ Diary removed
☐ Laundry removed

ROUTING:

- 1 Accounting Branch *ew*
- 2 Warehouse Division
- 3 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

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June 9

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Rose Blaskovic

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REMARKS:

1 pkg.
Franked **FRANKED**
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages 1
JUN 13 1945

S.H.
Shipping Clerk

Form 11 (24 Feb 45)

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REMARKS

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SHORTAGES

U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

210 Frames

NUMBER

210 Frames

DATE

SYMBOL

211-226

AMOUNT

I certify that the above listed items were
not in the containers inventoried by me:

Conner
INVENTORY CLERK

Ja Zeeven
SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED

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35249394

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PFC

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NAME BLASKOVIE, JOHN B., PFC, 9394

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
	5	30	7713

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED
PFB		

Eff. QM Form 43

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R E S T R I C T E D
I N V E N T O R Y F O R M

16 Nov 1944
Date

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of:

BLASKOVIC

John

T

Pfc

35249394

(Last Name)

(First Name)

(MI)

(Rank)

(ASN)

TO: Effects Quartermaster, Communications Zone, APO 507 US Army

The above named individual of Co A 137th Inf Unknown
(Unit) (Organization)

was reported DOW about 15 Nov 1944.
Status (KIA, MIA, Hosp. etc.) (Date)

Designated Beneficiary if information readily accessible Mrs. Rose Blaskovic
1027 E. 69th St., Cleveland, Ohio

I N V E N T O R Y O F E F F E C T S

- 1 Social Security card ✓
- 8 Photos ✓
- 1 Pen knife ✓
- 1 Identification card ✓
- 1 Money belt ✓
- 2 English coins 5 shillings ✓
- 8 American coins 66 cents ✓
- 8 French coins 10 francs, 20 centimes ✓
- 3 Keys ✓

210 Francs ○

Money in the amount of 210 Fr has been turned into CHAS S MC CORMICK JR
(Name of finance office and
Lt.Col FD 211-226
symbol number) Form WDFD 38 enclosed.

Names and addresses of any Banks in which accounts may be carried:

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects, secured by me, of
the above named individual and that they were forwarded to the Effects Depot
by Truck on 18 Nov 1944.
(Rail, Truck, etc.)

Name J. T. Passman
JAMES T. PASSMAN
Rank & ASN Capt O-455018
Organization 609th QM Gr Reg Co

Any additional pertinent information:



601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO:

CHC:VK:go
7 June 1945

TO : The Quartermaster General, Memorial Division, Washington 25, D.C.

Baucum, Warren H.	38802358	Pvt.	Unknown
Biggs, Rexford T.	35765386	Pvt.	Unknown
Blaskovic, John T.	35249394	Pfc.	P.A.
Bragg, Robert E.	38098870	Pfc.	Inf.
Brainer, John M.	35476389	Unknown	Tank Bn.
Brown, Duncan	32358105	Sgt.	Unknown
Campbell, Carl D.	51808998	Pfc.	Unknown
Carter, Leonard G.	39322096	Cpl.	Unknown
Clark, Louis A.	35834544	Pvt.	Inf.
Heavens, Harry C.	83578972	Pfc.	Inf.
Holbrook, Marcus C.	34689219	Unknown	Unknown
Jerve, Donald R.	37561086	Pvt.	Unknown
Kelly, Martin J.	31453954	Pvt.	Inf.
Lakoniak, Walter J.	38356492	Pfc.	Inf.
Long, Clayton O.	36773157	Pvt.	Unknown
Mc Crow, Clifford H.	14034101	Tec. 4	Cav. Ren.
Miller, John F.	13178392	Pfc.	Unknown
Smith, Wendell	31028151	S/Sgt.	Unknown
Turner, Darrell D.	35387274	Sgt.	Inf.
Zimmerman, Earl R.	39471716	Pvt.	Inf.

For the Effects Quartermaster:

C. H. GALVIN, JR.
Captain Q.M.C.
Chief, Administrative Division

20 Incls--Q.M.C. Forms 1 - C.R.S.

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CHG:WJ:cl
June 6, 1945 ✓

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic ✓
1027 East 69th Street
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mrs. Blaskovic:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal effects of your son, Private John T. Blaskovic.

I am inclosing a check for \$4.23 representing funds which belonged to him. The remainder of the property is being forwarded to you in one package. ✓

If, by any chance, the property has not reached you at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me and tracer will be instituted. ✓

The action of this Bureau in transmitting personal effects does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient. Such property is forwarded for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence. ✓

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son. ✓

Yours very truly,

A. G. SCHUMACHER
1st Lt. Q.M.C.
Asst. Chief, Admin. Division

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Mrs. Rose Blaskovic ✓

1027 East 69th Street, ✓

Cleveland, Ohio ✓

Pvt. John T. Blaskovic ✓

55249394 ✓

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Summary Court-Martial
ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

JRM:WJ:cl

Case No. 422064

Date 4 June 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of

John T. Blaskovic, 55240394 late a
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)

Private, Infantry who died
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)

on the 15 day of November, 1944, at European Area

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington 25, D.C.

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City Mo. Pursuant to S.O., 228 Hq., KCQI Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedents camp or quarters, effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none, of which the sum of \$ none was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. _____)

c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ none which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See inclosed receipt _____, Incl. _____)

d. Disposition of decedent's effects (less money paid creditors, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the Quartermaster Corps, at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial FINDING below)

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 1 June 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters KCQI Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of _____

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, _____ of

Mrs. Rose Blaskovic
(Name of person found entitled)

1027 East 69th Street, Cleveland State of
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)

Ohio, is the Mother of the
(Relationship or Capacity)

above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

JOHN B. MURPHY, Colonel, Q.M.C.
(Name, Rank, Organization)
SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL

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Chas. S. McCormick, Jr. Lt. Col. FD. F. 187

to K.C. 5 March 45 CV. 834

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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

CASE NO.

322064

TYPED BY

JRM:IB:bt

DATE

1 May 1945

STATUS

Deceased

NAME

Blaskovic, John T.

A.S.N.

35249394

RANK

Private

ORGANIZATION

unknown

AMOUNT

\$4.23

LIST NO.

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REMARKS

PAID-Check No. 80844

ACCOUNT NO.

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ACCOUNTING INVENTORY

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