

QM 293 A-C

Votrie, Charles

September 21, 1926.

SUBJECT: Investigation.

TO: Chief, American Graves Registration Service,
Q.M.C., in Europe.

1. Attention is invited to the inclosed copy of letter and sketch from John W. Naftzger.
2. You are informed that the body buried in Grave 16, Block C, Row 22, Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, has not been definitely identified as being that of Private, 1st class, Votrie. The records show ~~that~~ Votrie and Cpl. Kowalkowski of Company B, 59th Infantry, to have been killed by shell while drawing rations. There was another Private whose name is not known killed at the same time.
3. There were three unknown bodies reburied into graves 96, 97 and 98, Section A; one bearing the collar ornament of Co.B, 59th Inf. The original place of burial is not of record and while it is thought probable that there are the bodies of the three men who were killed while drawing rations, there is no positive proof of same. If possible, the original burial location of these unknowns, will be furnished.
4. The records show that the body of John Trenda, which was originally buried, Commune of Bazoches, coordinates E-201.6, N-286.6, to have been reburied the same date as Unknowns, into Grave 95, Section A.
5. If the location shown by the enclosed sketch can be physically located and the coordinates are found to be near the above, this office will be advised.

By order of The Quartermaster General:

2 incls.

Incl. 1-c/let. Mch. 17/26

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