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WADSWORTH James E .- Pvt.88680 No home given

Pvt. Wadsworth was struck by enemy shrapnel on July 15,1918, about dusk, while standing outside abri at Camp Bois de la Lyre, Champagne Sector, France. Earlier during the day he had experienced trouble with his motocycle and I chatted with him occasionally while he was overhauling the machine. At the time he was struck I was outside abri underneath the camouflage while Pvt. Wadsworth was directly outside. About three shells exploded in the immediate vicinity Although badly lacerated Pvt. Wadsworth retained consciousness for about half an hour and while drifting into a semi-conscious state made inquiries regarding the motor cycle, then concerning his parents, finally lapsing into inconsciousness He was buried the following day by a detail composed of members of the band, immediately outside abri. Place of burial.co-Ordinate261-35 263.57 Grave 1. Jonchery 1/10,000. Issue 6/20/18-Official.

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No emerg. add.

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