



Name: CARLTON V KNOTT

Where lived: RAYMOND

Date of Birth: 4 OCTOBER 1893

Branch: US ARMY – 308th INFANTRY, 77th DIVISION

Date of Loss: OCTOBER 1918

Other information: ENTERED ON 30 JUNE 1918 AND SENT TO CAMP LEWIS WASHINGTON. ASSIGNED TO 166th DEPOT BRIGADE, THEN TRANSFERRED TO COMPANY G, 158th INFANTRY AT CAMP KEARNEY CALIFORNIA. SAILED FOR FRANCE FROM HOBOKEN IN JULY 1918. BECAME A MEMBER OF THE 308th BATTALION UNDER CHARLES WHITTLESEY. ON 2 OCTOBER 1918, HE WENT INTO BATTLE IN THE ARGONNE FOREST. THEY WERE SURROUNDED AND CUT OFF. UNDER CONSTANT ASSAULTS BY THE GERMANS, THE BATTALION HELD ON FOR 6 DAYS. IT BECAME KNOWN AS THE “LOST BATTALION”. KNOTT WAS KILLED DURING THE DAYS OF ATTACKS.