

Paul Hobart Graves, World War I soldier

Around 1919, the Kansas State Historical Society and the American Legion solicited biographical information from returning veterans (primarily members of the 35th and 89th infantry divisions) and the families of those who died in service, notably from the Gold Star Mothers. Each veteran or family member was asked to provide letters, photographs, a biography, and military records. This file contains information on Paul Hobart Graves. Graves was killed in action while in France on June 13, 1918.

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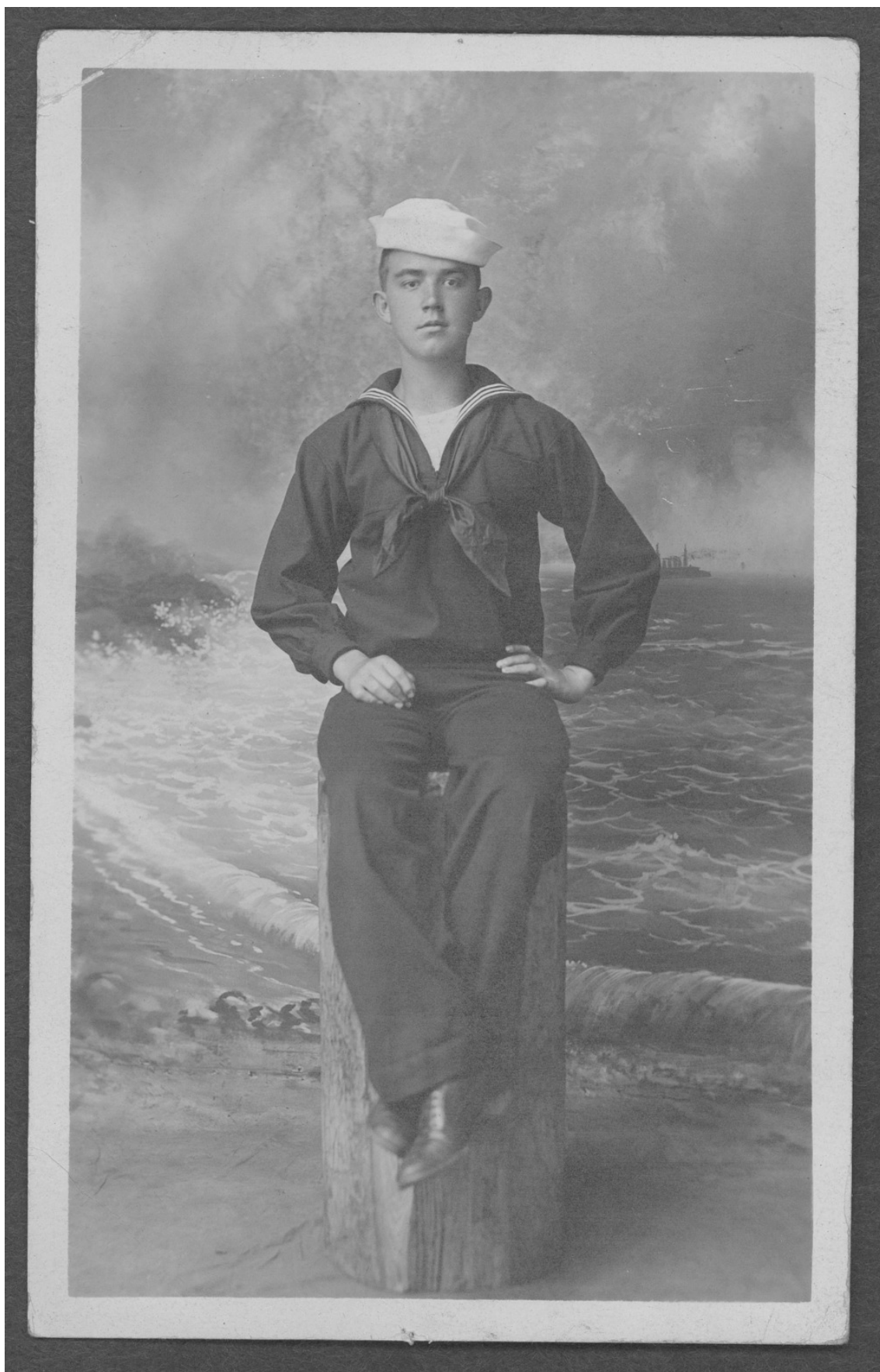
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ANOTHER NEODESHA BOY KILLED IN FRANCE.

Paul Hobart Graves of Neodesha, with the American Expeditionary Forces in France, was killed in action in France, June 13th. News of his death was received by relatives here Wednesday of last week through the information furnished by the war department to his brother, Allen Graves, in California.

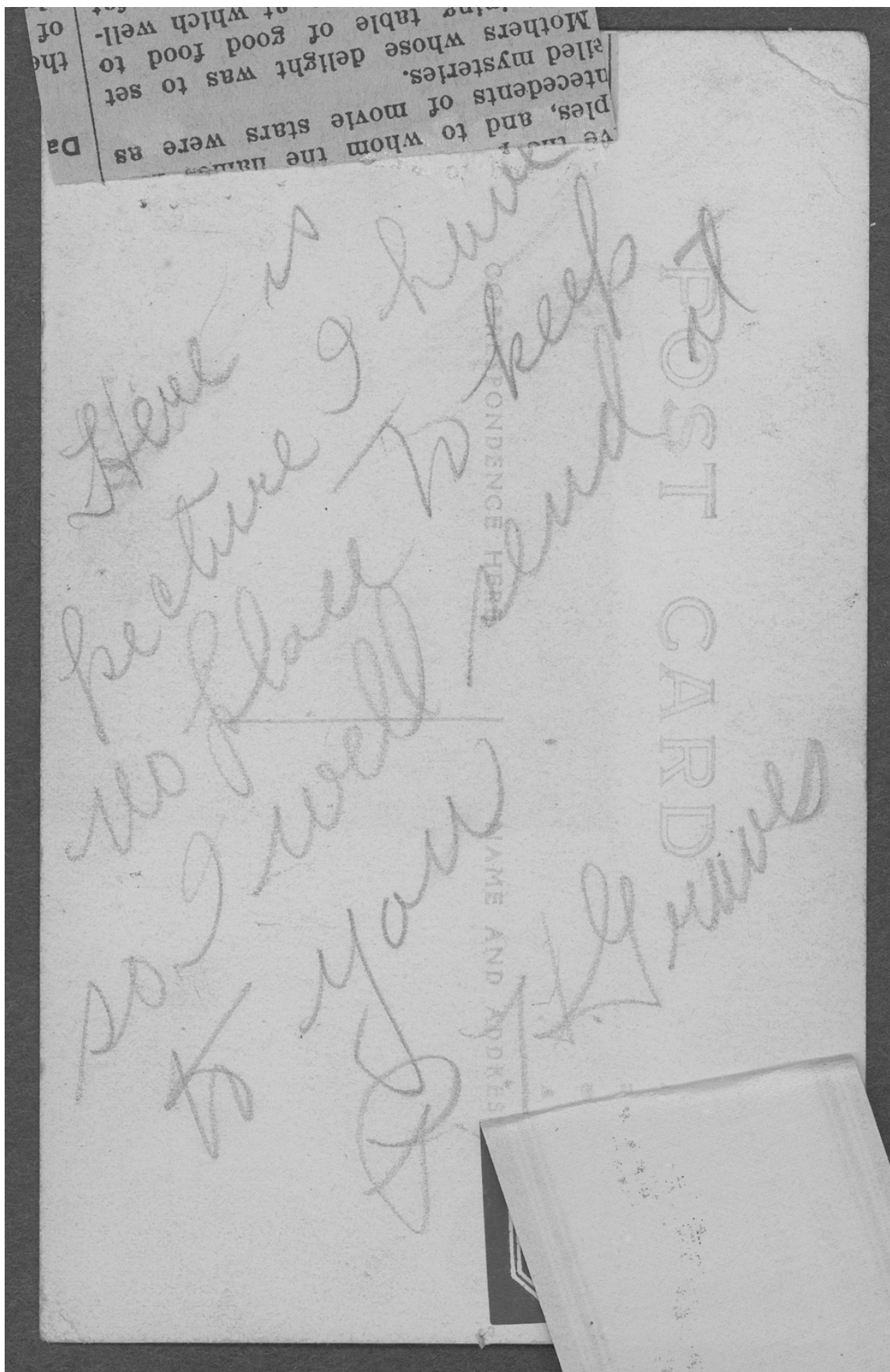
No particulars were given, other than the usual form of notification.

Graves, better known here as Hobert, was born in Neodesha 21 years ago and his mother, Mrs. J. C. Strine, died last year and her body was brought here for burial. This was the last time Hobert was here. Later he joined the service and had probably been in France some time.

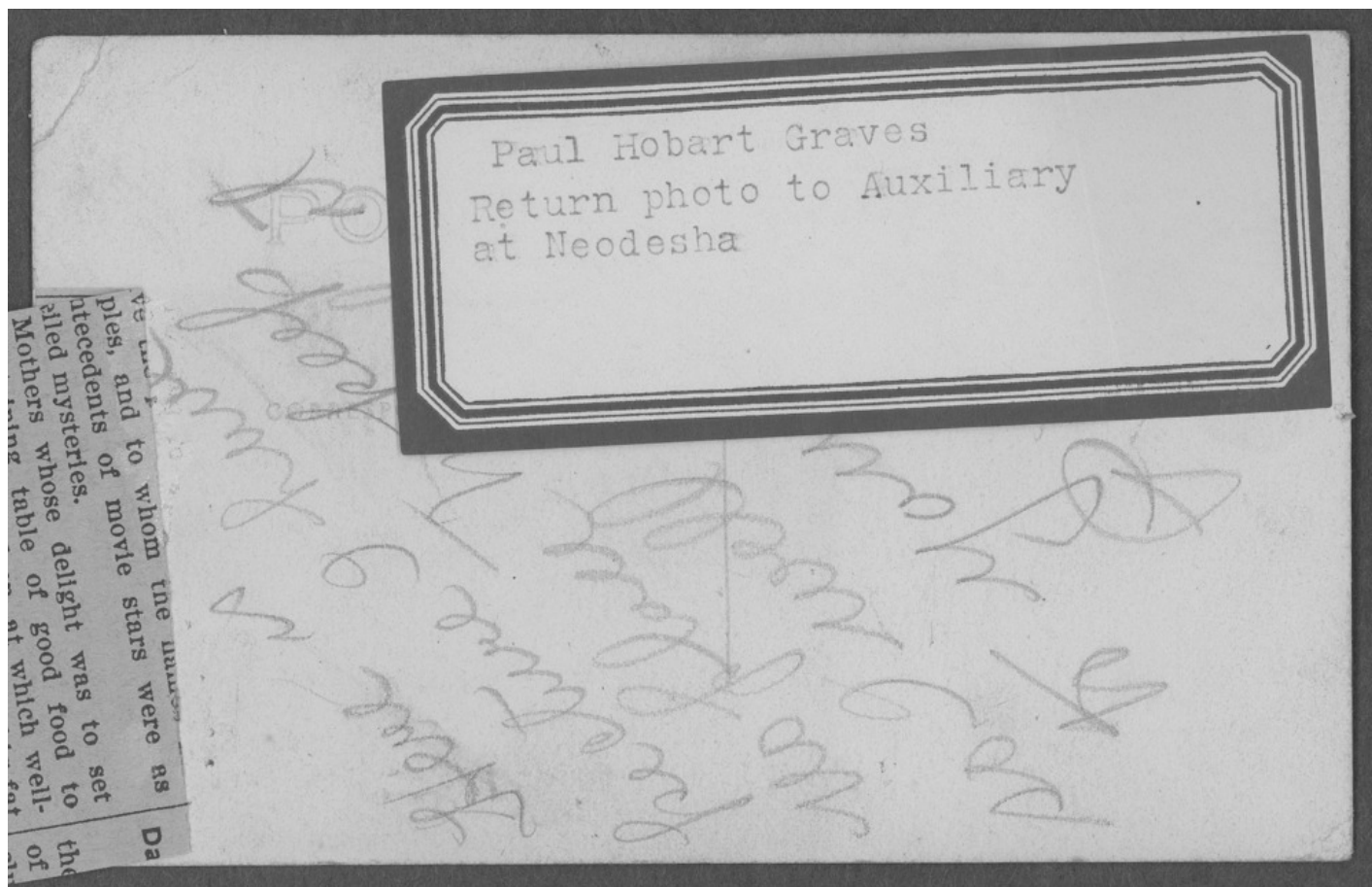
The young man was a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Graves and a grandson of Oxley Johnson. More particulars of his death will be given as soon as they have been learned.

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Return photo to Auxiliary
at Neodesha

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