Remember Them Forever

Name: Gerald Ronald Bayer

Birth: 16 July 1929
Muenster, Cooke, Texas

Death: 06 Dec 1952
Sapporo, Sapporo-shi, Hokkaido, Japan

Cemetery: Sacred Heart Cemetery
Muenster, Cooke, Texas

Military: US Army—enlisted 26 Mar 1951 and trained at Camp Gordon, Georgia with a military police outfit until July 1951, then he was sent to Japan. In Sept 1951, saw action in Korea with the 8th Calvary Division and fought in the Chorwon Valley. On New Years Day 1952, transferred to Hokkaido, Japan where he was on patrol duty until 08 Sep when he suffered severe burns in an accident and was hospitalized about ten weeks. Had just resumed patrol duty when became very ill and died 06 Dec 1952 from chronic hepatitis less than one week later.
First young man from Muenster to die in the service since the war with Korea began.

Family: Father: Frank John Bayer
Mother: Romana Rose Walter

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