

G.R.S. Form #114-B

Listed as Forest E. Cummins checked 3/13/27

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DEC 18 1925

DATE

1. NAME CUMMINS, Forrest E.

SERIAL No. 1495067

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co. D. 9th Inf.

DIVISION 2

GRAVE LOCATION St. Mihiel American Cty. THIAUCOURT (M-et-M) 1233

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

131

Sec. 2

3

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

GRAVE

near Thiaucourt

COMMUNE

M et M 1662

DEPT.

COORDINATES

52 NE

241.44 N

362.03 E

CONCENTRATED TO

4/17/19

DATE

131

GRAVE

Sec. 2

ROW

3

PLOT

St. Mihiel

CEMETERY

1233

CTY. NUMBER

Data concerning any identification found on remains when concentrated, such as collar insignias, letters, broken bones, missing parts, etc.

Tag on cross.

DATE OF DEATH

Sept 12, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Ark

Data F-1.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

\* Mother filed App. for Ag. Comp. as Forest E. Cummins

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

I. H. JOFFE, 1st Lieut., QMC.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Aug. 4, 1922

DATE

20

GRAVE

22 Block D

ROW

PLOT

St. Mihiel American No. 1233, Thiaucourt

CEMETERY

DEC 21 1925

DEC 15 1925 WORLD WAR DIV.

REC'D DEC 22 1925

AUDITED BY

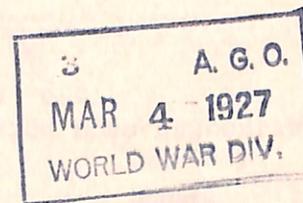
# INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.



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**GRAVE LOCATION BLANK**

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Cummins 1,495,068 Ferrest E.  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private Co. D 9th Inf.  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... September 13, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL.. On top of Hill

(Give Cemetery, Town and Department.) Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.

Map: Thiaccurt 1/80,000 242.1 363.6

GRAVE NUMBER... 20

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Yes

If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

REPORTED BY:

Joseph A. Mc Caffrey Chaplain  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be forwarded to Adj. Gen'l., G. H. Q., A. E. F.

CUMMINS, Forest E. - Pvt. 1495069  
HOME : Coely, Ark.

1918.

Connaughton, Fred. Cpl. 107326  
Co D 9th Inf.  
Davenport, Iowa.

T. W. Downes,  
1st Lieut. 9th Inf.

March 15th 1919.

RECEIVED  
STATE

23 SEP 1937

1.31

1937

Co D 9th Inf.  
2nd Division

CUMMINS, Forest E. - Pvt. 1495069  
HOME : Coely, Ark.

Killed in action Sept. 12th 1918.

INFORMANT : Connaughton, Fred. Cpl. 107326  
Co D 9th Inf.

HOME : Davenport, Iowa.

SIGNED : T. W. Downes,  
1st Lieut. 9th Inf.

EMERGENCY ADDRESS :  
J. H. Cummins (father)  
Coely, Ark.

March 15th 1919.

A/A/

Date 27th., May, 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: CUMMINS, Forrest E. Number: 1495068  
Rank: Evt. Organization: Co. D. 9th., Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Disinterred (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ From: (Give complete location) \_\_\_\_\_  
17th., April, 1919 Grave #. B. A. Cty. THIAUCOURT, M. et M.  
Map. 52 N. E. E. 363.5 N. 242.2  
Buried in Plot with 30 other U. S. Soldiers

Reburied (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ in: (Give complete location) \_\_\_\_\_  
17th., April, 1919 Grave #131 Section #2 Plot #3 **1233**  
ST. MICHEL AMERICAN CEMETERY, #1233  
Map. 52 N. E. E. 362.03 N. 241.44

Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:

Burial poor. Body buried in Uniform. Body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No

What other means of identification were found on the body? None

CONFIRMED N° D 11097

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 1918., after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Lt. Scott.

R. H. ROSENTHAL  
2nd Lieut. O.M.C.U.S.A.  
G.O. Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Supervised by: Ed. H. Scott

and under O.M.C.U.S.A.

R. H. ROSENTHAL

Whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, notification sent to the Elkhart Depot direct as is required by G.O. 1750, G.H.S. 1938.

If upon disinterment, objects are found upon the body, they will be promptly

Report in \_\_\_\_\_

What other means of identification were found on the body? None

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No

Final Report: Body buried in Uniform. 100-200-0000

Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:

NO. 23 N. E. A. 4. 200.00 N. 241.44

NO. 24 N. E. A. 4. 200.00 N. 241.44

Inter. Serial: 1010

Grave full location 23. High 23

Reported (Date)

in \_\_\_\_\_ (Give complete location)

Buried in lot with 30 other N. E. 241.44

NO. 23 N. E. A. 4. 200.00 N. 241.44

Inter. Serial: 1010

Grave 4 B. A. 4. 200.00 N. 241.44

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

Disinterment and reburial made by Group

Site

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Co. D. 301st Inf.

Name: QUINN, Forrest

Number: 143000

Serial #: \_\_\_\_\_



REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME Cummins	CUM	3	313 <sup>x9</sup>
Forest E	CEMETERY 1233	1	3
BURIED	GRAVE 20	2	20
	ROW 22	2	22
	BLOCK 12	1	4
STATE	Ark.	2	03
RANK	Priv	1	2
DIVISION	2	2	02
ORGANIZATION	9	3	009
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	not	1	2
NAME Cummins	CUM	3	313 <sup>x9</sup>
Louisa E	STATE Ark	2	03
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Logan	2	42
	CITY Paris	3	X
RELATION	mother	1	1
OTHER	Father	1	1
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Bad	1	2
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	NO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	no	1	
29/514/EAB	Age		

Audited  
DEC 18 1931  
A.T.

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of

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M  
Cummins, Forrest E. (STM)

July 12, 1932

Mrs. Louisa E. Cummins,  
Route 4,  
Yaris, Ark.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries Of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

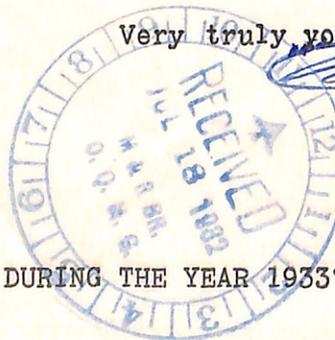
This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

  
CHAS. W. DIETZ,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

2 Encls.



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

No.  
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

Mrs. Louisa E. Cummins

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Cummins, Forrest E. Pvt (StM) M

June 13, 1931.

Mrs. Louisa E. Cummins,  
Corley,  
Arkansas.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

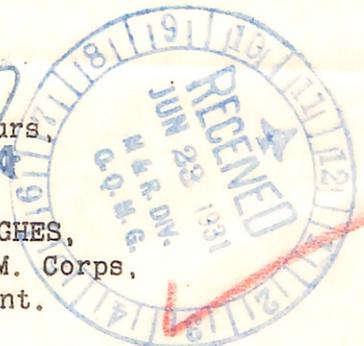
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This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*A. D. Hughes*  
A. D. HUGHES,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?

NO.

Write answer here

Mrs. Louise E. Cummins

Sign here

R 4, Paris Arkansas

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

June 9, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

**Cummins, Forrest E. -1233 M**

**Mrs. Louise E. Cummins,  
Corley, Ark.**

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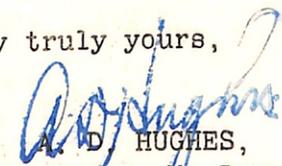
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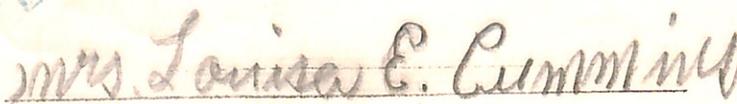
Very truly yours,

  
A. D. HUGHES,  
Captain Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? no.

(Write answer here)

  
(Sign here)

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**WAR DEPARTMENT**  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Cummins, Forrest E. 1233 M.

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Louisa E. Cummins,  
Corley, Ark.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

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1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No) <i>no.</i>
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No) <i>no.</i>
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No) <i>no.</i>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <i>58</i> (Years)	Health <i>Poor</i> (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	<i>english only.</i> English - (Yes) (No) Other language (Specify language spoken)	

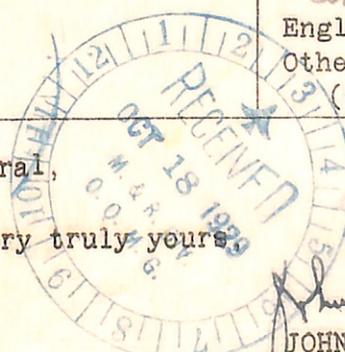
For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*John T. Harris*

JOHN T. HARRIS,  
Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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Carley, Ark.

6/5/29

in ans. to your letter,  
~~yet Forrest & Cummings~~  
Co. D. 9th inf. matter  
is a living her. address  
is

Louisa E Cummings  
Carley Ark.

no widow that that  
we know of.

James Henry Cummings



WAR DEPARTMENT  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cummins, Forrest E

May 29, 1929.

Mr. James Henry Cummins,  
Corley,  
Arkansas.

Dear Sir:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, entitled an Act "To enable the mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors and marines of the American forces now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries".

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Private Forrest E. Cummins, Co.D, 9th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

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CORRECT NAME

CUMMINS, Forrest E.  
1495067  
Pvt. Co.D, 9th Inf.

change to

CUMMINS, Forest E.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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\_\_\_\_\_ (Write answer here)

(Sign here) \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
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4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes)	(No) Other language (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

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JOHN T. HARRIS,  
Major, Q. M. Corps,  
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Cummings

E.

1,495,067

~~Cummings~~  
(Surname.)

Forrest B  
(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co D 9th Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

no.

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery?

(Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(over).

(Sign here)

J. H. Cummings

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Letter Sent to:

Mr. J. H. Cummins,  
Corley, Ark.

*card found in pocket of pants  
H 6/15/21*

*Sheet  
1233-784*

QM 293 A-C

CUMMINS, Forrest E. - Pvt.

March 19, 1924

Mr. James Henry Cummins,  
Corley,  
Arkansas.

Dear Sir, The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the inclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested,

This American military cemetery is one of those to be maintained by the United States for all time in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of dignified design, with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. For the future, these graves will be perpetually maintained by the Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

1-Incl.  
Record card.



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 22740

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

*O.K. (2-24-21) CE*

(a) Name CUMMINGS, Forrest E. Ser. No. 1495067  
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. D, 9th Inf.  
(c) Date of death 9-12-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. DB  
CKR. B.T.



II. REGISTRATION CARD.—(Check Reg., Card Inf. against Loc., Ind., Inf.):

(a) Grave No. 131 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 2 TYP. DB  
(b) Emerg. Address Mr. J.E. Cummings, (Father) Corley, Arkansas.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

*Cummings G.S.O. (2-26-21) CE*

CKR. B.T. *(over)*

*No card in file - M4-2-2-21*

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name \_\_\_\_\_ (b) Relationship \_\_\_\_\_  
(c) Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? \_\_\_\_\_  
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at \_\_\_\_\_  
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. \_\_\_\_\_  
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner's Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_, 1920.

V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_  
confirming request in Par. IV., item \_\_\_\_\_, above, or requesting that \_\_\_\_\_

*No correspondence*

Examiner's Initials M4 Date 2-2-21, 1920.

VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE—shows as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

*No request for disposition*

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner's Initials E.B. Date 2-3-21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1233 SHEET No. M3 784

MAR 12 1921

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CEMETERIAL DIVISION

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made \_\_\_\_\_, 1920.

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_, 1920.



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VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 1920  
letter on FEB 18 1921 \_\_\_\_\_, 1920

Par. 2 Not to be returned.

*mch*

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.	ACTION TAKEN.
Desires body be _____	
Body to be shipped to _____	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *B.A.W.R. Mr. James Henry Cummings (Father)  
Corley, Arkansas.  
(2-10-21) ee*

*#-120-4/16/21 - James Henry Cummings,  
father of Corley, Ark. - Lease  
in Europe - H 7/19/21 - ecw.*

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Aug. 4, 1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters. <sup>je.</sup>

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

- 1. Name CUMMINS, Forrest E.
- 2. No. 1495067
- 3. Rank Pvt.
- 4. Org. Co. D. 9th Inf.
- 5. D.D. Sept. 12th 1918
- 6. C.D. KIA.
- 10. Name \_\_\_\_\_
- 11. No. 1495068
- 12. Rank Pvt.
- 13. Org. Co. D. 9th Inf.
- 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_
- (b) D.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 131 Sec. 2
- 8. Plot 3 Row \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_
- 15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_
- 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_
- 17. None

- 18. Cemetery St. Mihiel American Cty.
- 19. Commune or town THIAUCOURT
- 20. Dept. or County M-et-M
- 21. Country France
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1233

23. Disinterred (Date) Aug. 4, 1922 By C.V. Russell

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name CUMMINS, Forrest E. Serial No. 1495067  
 Rank Pvt. Organization Co. D. 9th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? No On body? Yes

Signature J.T. White Junior Technical Assistant

J.T. White

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

Tag on body reads: Forrest E. Cummins, 1495068, Pvt., Co. D. 9th Inf.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden box, U.S. uniform.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? See Par. 11.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Aug. 4, 1922 By C.V. Russell

31. Casket sealed by C.V. Russell

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

C.V. Russell  
C.V. Russell

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. G-29604

32. Designation of body:

Name Forrest E. CUMMINS Serial No. 1495067

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. D. 9th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery St Mihiel American Cty. 1233, THIAUCOURT (M-et-M)

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Aug. 4, 1922 By C.V. Russell

35. I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector J.J. Powers

J.J. Powers, 1st Lt., Q.M.C.

36. Remarks

None

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Aug. 4, 1922

To point of Concentration

(Name)

Convoyer J.J. Powers Signature Shipping Officer

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer. 1233, Thiaucourt, France.

(Name)

Convoyer J.J. Powers Signature Shipping Officer  
J.J. Powers, 1st Lt., Q.M.C.

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Aug. 4 1922

(Date)

42. Grave No. 20

Section

43. ~~Plot~~ Block D

Row 22

G.R.S. Representative A E Dewey

A E Dewey 1st Lt. QMC

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Thiaucourt, France

Date Aug. 4, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF CUMMINS, Forrest B. SERIAL NUMBER 1495067

RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co D 9th Inf

2. Disinterred (date) : \_\_\_\_\_ From (give complete location) :

August 4, 1922 Gr. 151 Sec 2 Plot 3 Cemetery 1233

By : Group 1 Unit Sec 1

3. Reburied (date) Aug. 4 1922 In (give complete location) : Gr. 20 Bk. D Row 22

Cty. # 1233

By : Group Reburial Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Nature of reburial Cannot shipping case

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :

Wooden box, US uniform, badly decomposed

Features unrecognizable

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes On grave marker? no

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :

Tag on body reads "Forrest B. Cummins 1495068  
Pvt Co D 9th Inf"

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items ?

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) -do

(c) Hair—Color -do

Quantity -do

Characteristics -do

(d) Hair on face—Color -do

Location -do

Quantity -do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) none visible

teeth 11, 24, 25 missing after death  
29 cavity.

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)

none visible

7. Disinterment supervised by C. V. Russell

C V Russell

Approved : [Signature]

8. Reburial supervised by H. B. Kramer

H B Kramer

(Title) Powers  
1st Lieut. AMC  
Approved : [Signature]  
A. A. Dewey 1st. Lt.

(Title) AMC

(concentration)

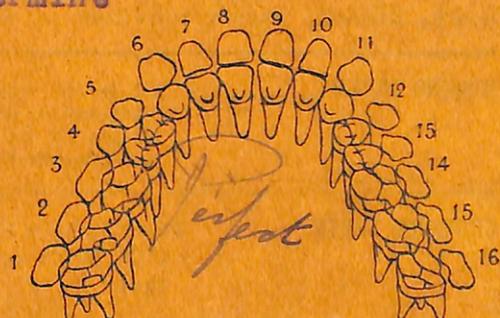
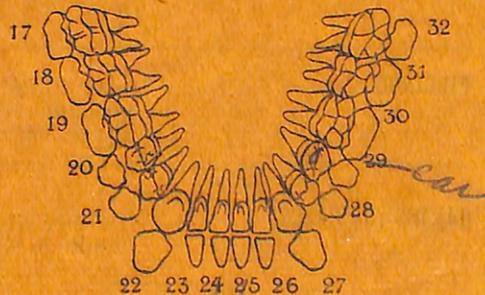


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.

5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".

(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No 6.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

<b>MISSING TEETH</b>	All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">TOOTH MISSING      TOOTH MISSING</p>
<b>CROWNED TEETH</b>	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD CROWN      PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN</p>
<b>BRIDGE WORK</b>	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE      GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<b>FILLINGS</b>	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">SILVER FILLING      GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING      GOLD FILLING</p>
<b>CARIES (CAVITIES)</b>	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">CAVITY      DECAYED DECAYED      DECAYED</p>
<b>DENTURES (PLATES)</b>	Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp"	

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.

8. Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.

August 13th, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div.Cor.Br.

Mr. James Henry Cummings,  
Corley,  
Ark.

Re:- Cummings, Forrest E., Pvt.,  
Serial No. 1495067,  
Co.D, 9th Inf.

Dear Sir:-

Our Shipping Inquiry Form #120, dated April 16th, 1921, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France for burial in a permanent American cemetery has been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

The Cemeterial Division, Washington, D.C., will furnish you the grave location in the permanent American cemetery as soon as possible after the body has been placed therein.

The Department desires to renew its previous expression of sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority Of the Quartermaster General:

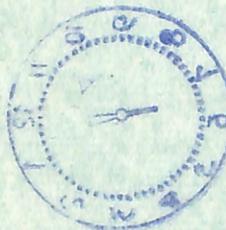
R.E. SHANNON,  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

*em* BY:

F.C. PALLAS, *mkS*  
Executive Assistant.

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MAILED  
AUG 16 1921  
COR. BR. G. R. S.

1921 AUG 17 11 AM

August 18th, 1921

File No. 228.8 Gen.Div.Cor.Br.

Mr. James Henry Cummings,  
Corley,  
Ark.

Re: Cummings, Forrest H., Pvt.,  
Serial No. 1432087,  
Co. D, 9th Inf.

Dear Sir:-

Our shipping inquiry Form #180, dated April 22nd, 1921,  
requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above  
be left in France for burial in a permanent American cemetery  
has been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the  
Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

The Cemeterial Division, Washington, D.C., will furnish  
you the grave location in the permanent American cemetery as  
soon as possible after the body has been placed therein.

The Department desires to renew its previous expression  
of sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. B. SHANNON,  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

BY: *[Signature]*

F. O. WILLIAMS,  
Executive Assistant.

*[Handwritten mark]*

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S. H. S.

MAILED  
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Office of the Quartermaster General

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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

APR 1 1921

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.  
To: Mr. James Henry Cummings, Corley, Ark.  
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Forrest E. Cummings Ser No. 1495067 Co D 9 Inf

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above named made no  
request for the disposition of his remains

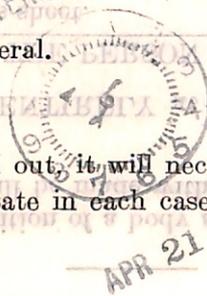
*Remain in Europe*

If these are not the correct instructions, please correct them. Make corrections on reverse side of this sheet.

The nearest next of kin may choose between, (1) return of the body to any address in the United States; (2) interment in the National Cemetery, Arlington, Va., or any other National Cemetery; or (3) body to remain in Europe.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,  
Colonel, Q. M. C.



If all blank spaces below are not filled out, it will necessitate a return of this paper and a SERIOUS DELAY in the shipment of this body. State in each case WHETHER or not these relatives are STILL LIVING.

Was soldier married? \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow	<i>noted 115</i>		
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Father	<i>James Henry Cummings</i>	<i>Corley</i>	<i>Ark.</i>
Mother	<i>Laura E. Cummings</i>		
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1	<i>Denver Cummings</i>	<i>Ark.</i>
	2		
	3		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1	<i>Ida Anderson</i>	<i>Ark.</i>
	2	<i>Willie Smith</i>	<i>Ark.</i>
	3	<i>Blodys Cummings</i>	<i>Ark.</i>

Date *April 16, 1921.*

Signature *James Henry Cummings*

Address *Corley Ark.*

Relationship *Father*

Date April 16, 1921

I, the undersigned, am the Father and nearest living next of kin of the within-named

soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:  
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

- 1. As stated on first page of this sheet.
- 2. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to~~ \_\_\_\_\_ (Name.)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (R. R. station.) \_\_\_\_\_ (State.)
- 3. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and buried in~~ \_\_\_\_\_ National Cemetery.
- 4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Signature James Henry Cummings

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.**

- 1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.
- 2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.
- 3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT OF KIN IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.
- 4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest next of kin in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
- 5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.
- 6. If YOU are not the nearest next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
- 7. If YOU are not the nearest living next of kin and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
- 8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
- 9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

NOTE.—INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS will be issued by this office upon the properly executed authority of the legal next of kin in each case. The widow is the first person having disposition of the remains of her husband. Should there be no widow or children, the father and, in turn (upon his decease), the mother, is the proper authority. The brothers, in order of seniority, and then the sisters in order of seniority, if there are no brothers, rank next in authority to decide. Under an opinion rendered by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, if a widow has remarried she forfeits her right, and the next of kin as given above will make decision.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 22740

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD *D.R. (2-26-21) Cl*

(a) Name... **CUMMINGS, Forrest E.** Ser. No. **1495067**  
 (b) Rank... **Pvt.** Organization **Co. D, 9th Inf.** TYP. **DB**  
 Cause of **B. J.**  
 (c) Date of death **9-12-18** death **K/A**

II. REGISTRATION CARD.-(Check Reg., Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.):

(a) Grave No. **131** Row **.....** Plot **..... 3** Sect **..... 2** TP. **..... DB**  
 (b) Emerg. Address **Mr. J. E. Cummings (Father) Corley, Arkansas.**

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases.....CKR. *Cummings (9-30-21) Cl* **B. J.**

IV. Information on which advice to Europe in letter of transmittal was based:

.....  
 .....  
 .....

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on.....192  
 (letter of transmittal on.....192

**Par. 2 Not to be returned.**

**MAR 16 1921**

**FEB 18 1921**

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J.....192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of Relationship  
 and Source.....and name.....Desires.....Action taken

*card found in respect of files signed -  
 J. H. Cummings (Father)  
 Body to remain in France  
 #6/15/21*

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J.....192

COUNTRY G.R.S. FORM 115-A CEMETERY NO. SHEET NO.  
 August , 1920

S/666/LML FRANCE 1233 784

**MAR 12 1921**  
**PRIORITY 104**

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CIMITERIAL DIVISION  
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

*Please  
rush!  
211863*

Harlow C.W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Cummings, Forrest E., Pvt.

1233 - 784

2/4/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

1495067

Co. D, 9th Inf.

Date of death - 9/12/18.

Copy forwarded to

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Adjustment Department

DATE March 8, 1921.

Date 3.10.21-CL

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mr. James Henry Cummins.

Father

Address

Corley, Arkansas.

S/709/LML

AFD reports name spelled. CUMMINS.

Serial ~~no~~ 1495068 belongs to discharged  
man.      BW. 11/17/23.

*BW.*

sends you the photograph of the grave of  
this American Soldier  
who gave his life for his country

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

22740

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

CUMMINGS

Cummins 1,495,068 Ferrest E. (Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private Co. D 9th Inf (Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL September 13, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL On top of Hill

(Give Cemetery, Town and Department.) Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.

Map: Thiaccourt 1/80,000 242.1 363.6

GRAVE NUMBER 20

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Yes

If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

MEMORANDUM

NAME: Thiaccourt (M.E.M.)

(C-138) SHT. 52 NE COORD E 242.1 363.6

REPORTED BY: 242.1

Joseph A. McCaffrey Chaplain (Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service.

2-5 SEP 1918

Contract File No. 131-150  
July Report No.

G.R.S. Form No. 8: Central Records Liaison.

Memo. For: G.R.S. representative. C.R.O.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

- Surname: Commings.  
 Number:  
 First Name: Forrest, E.  
 Rank: Pvt.  
 Company: D.  
 Organization: 9th Inf.  
 Date of Death:  
 Cause:  
 Place:

Location of hospital:

Number " "

Class " "

- Relative:  
 Relationship:  
 Address:  
  
 Authority:  
 Cablegram No.:  
 Telegram from:

dated:

- Reported to Washington:  
 C.C. Nos:

(Underscore the "official" C.C.)

- Remarks:

- Show present status on reverse side.

Burial notification returned, advise correct

address of N.R.

CHARLES C. PIERCE,

Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

Initials of Reporter:

**FILE**

WAR DEPARTMENT  
Office of the Quartermaster General of  
Washington

FROM: O. Q. M. G.  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
Munitions Building  
Room 1128  
**PLEASE EXPEDITE**  
22740

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-O  
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 2/4/21.

File No. 22740 Requisition.

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division)

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D.C.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed, Request confirmation of all information shown.

- a. Surname Cummings or (Cummins) ✓
- b. Christian name Forrest E. ✓
- c. Serial Number 1495067 ✓
- d. Organization Co. D, 9th Inf. ✓
- e. Rank Pvt. ✓
- f. Date of death 9/12/18. ✓
- g. Cause of death K/A. ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#)
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship

BODY DESCRIPTION  
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age of enlistment
- b. Color of eyes
- c. Color of hair
- d. Height
- e. Weight
- f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

DENTAL CHARTS  
(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

upper right                  upper left

8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

lower right                  lower left

*S.M. Donnelly, JPB  
EPS m 1/5/21*

H. L. ROGERS,  
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.

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Information requested of A.G.O.

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File No. 22740 Requisition.

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division)

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D.C.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed, Request confirmation of all information shown.

- a. Surname Cummings or (Cummins) ✓
- b. Christian name Forrest E. ✓
- c. Serial Number 1495067 ✓
- d. Organization Co. D, 9th Inf. ✓
- e. Rank Pvt. ✓
- f. Date of death 9/12/18. ✓
- g. Cause of death K/A. ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#) ✓
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship

BODY DESCRIPTION  
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age of enlistment
- b. Color of eyes
- c. Color of hair
- d. Height
- e. Weight
- f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

DENTAL CHARTS  
(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
upper right upper left

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
lower right lower left

S.M.  
D. J. Connelly  
E.P.S. m/v 1/12/21

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Information requested of A.G.O.

Date: 2/2/21

File No. Registration

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army (Comptrol Division)

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D.C.

Subject: Information requested for G.H.S.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed. Request continuation of all information shown.

1. Date of death 9/12/18

8. Cause of death

4. Authority (G.O.#)

4. Emergency address

1. Relationship

DENTAL CHARTS  
(See Physical report of  
examination prior to enlistment)

2. Strike out teeth missing

7 6 5 4 3 2 1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
upper right upper left

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 2 3 4 5 6 8  
lower right lower left

BODY DESCRIPTION  
(See page 10 of the Service Record)

a. Age at enlistment

b. Color of eyes

c. Color of hair

d. Height

e. Weight

1. Permanent marks and  
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