

G.R.S. Form #114-B

DEC 24 1925

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DATE

1. NAME CURRY, Chester A.

SERIAL No. 3721681

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Sup. Co. 80th F.A.
& DIVISION

GRAVE LOCATION American, Meucon (Morbihan)

20

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

74

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

74

Meucon

Morbihan

As shown by AGRS Form #1-A,
May 19, 1919.

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Not given

CONCENTRATED TO Nothing of record

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

DATE OF DEATH Nov 6, 1918 Nothing of record

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Pa

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None
None of record

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

Stanley J. Grogan
STANLEY J. GROGAN, CAPT. INF. USA.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 9/23/22

18

31 Block A

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Oise-Aiane Cemetery #608. Seringes-et-Nesles, Aiane.

CEMETERY

REC'D
DEC 24 1925
A.G.O.

AUDITED BY
DEC 28 1925

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

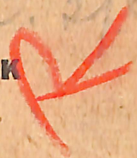
1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.
2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, 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.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Not Ref 12/10/18

Dec. Pn. 1/6/18, C. E. 396



CURRY? - 3721681 - Chester A. (Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

Horseshoer 80th F. A. (Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: Camp Meucou, France

CAUSE OF DEATH: Pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: Nov. 7, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: Camp Meucou, France

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

A. E. F. Cemetery #20

Plot "A"

GRAVE NUMBER: 74

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? X 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?

NEAREST RELATIVE: Jesse M. Curry

ADDRESS: Kermoor, Penna

RELATIONSHIP: Wife

REPORTED BY:

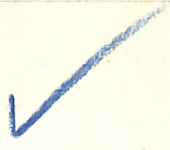
Raeph Knight
Chaplain 80th F.A.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

This portion to be forwarded to Central Records Office, A. G. O., A. E. F.

1914
JAN 13 1914
GENERAL RECORDS OFFICE

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	CURRY	3	3 12 8
	<i>chester a</i>		
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	2
	108		
	GRAVE	2	18
	18		
	ROW	2	26
	26		
	BLOCK	1	1
	a		
STATE	Penna.	2	44
RANK	Pvt.	1	2
DIVISION	7	2	07
ORGANIZATION	80	3	080
ARM	7.a.	1	3
MARITAL	Remarried	1	3 <i>RM</i>
NAME	Curry	3	
	<i>Sylvester</i>		
STATE		2	
RESIDENCE		2	
	<i>Kerrmoor, Pa</i>		
CITY		3	
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER	<i>(no loco) (no SM)</i>	1	
ELIGIBILITY	Read	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
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7/28/54

AUDITED
AUG. 8 1952 *MB*

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 8, 1930

Curry, Chester A. 608-F

Mr. Sylvester Curry
Kerrmoor, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

No

2. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not remarried?

If so, give her name and address:

No

3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

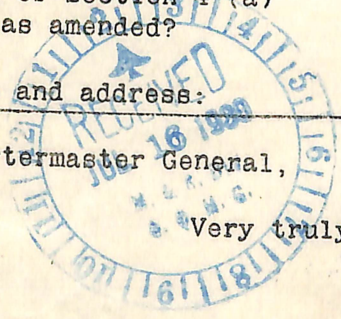
If so, give her name and address:

No

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment



A. D. Mughes

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE 2/11/30

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
<u>CURRY, Chester A.</u>	<u>Pvt.</u>	<u>3721681</u>	<u>Sup Co. 80th FA</u>	<u>Nov. 6/18</u>

STATE	PENNSYLVANIA	CTY. NO. 608	GRAVE 2 18	ROW 26	BLOCK A
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
MOTHER	:	:	:	✓	:
STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	:	:
NAME	:	:	:	:	:
AND	:	:	:	:	F
ADDRESS	:	:	:	:	Sylvester Curry
MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	:	Kearns, Pa.
MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	:	_____
WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	:	:	:	:	_____
<i>Sh. rem Mrs. Jessie W. Sanker 2742 N. Chestnut St. Altoona, Pa.</i>	:	:	:	:	_____
Veterans Bureau Claim Number					XC-114999
29/156					2/18/30

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Curry, Chester A.

July 31, 1929.

**Mrs. Jessie May Sanker,
2812 West Chestnut Ave.,
Altoona, Pa.**

Dear Madam:

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 widow of the late **Chester A. Curry, Pvt. Sup. Co., 80th F. A., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Mesles, Aisne, France.**

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?

2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?

3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Act of Congress
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JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Curry, Chester A.

June 24 , 1929.

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Mrs. Jesse M. Curry, Rem. W. Mrs. Jessie May Sanker
1406 11th St., 2812 West Chestnut Ave.,
Altoona, Pa. Altoona, Pa.

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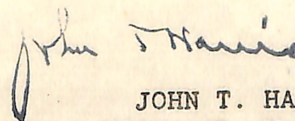
Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish her full name and address in order that action may be taken to extend an invitation to her to make the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

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relationship is that of a stepmother, mother through adoption or a woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. In case you have remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

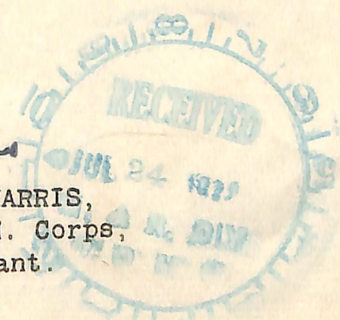
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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

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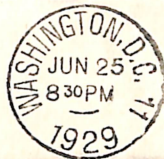
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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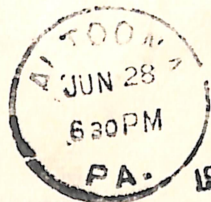
DIRECTORY SERVICE

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO
AVOID PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$300



LET'S GO!
CITIZENS
MILITARY
TRAINING
- CAMPS -

*No such address J L J W M
unknown
26-62 R O*



REASON FOR NON-DELIVERY CHECKED
Unclaimed Unknown.....
Deceased..... For better address....
Moved, Left no address..... Refused.....
No such post office in state named.....

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 8, 1930

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If so, give her name and address:

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If so, give her name and address:

3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Curry, Chester A.
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September 12, 1929.

Mrs. Jessie May Sanker,
2812 West Chestnut Ave.,
Altoona, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated **July 31, 1929**, making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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Write answers in space below:

- | | |
|---|--|
| 1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran? | |
| 2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage? | |
| 3. Is the deceased survived by a mother? | |
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Envelope

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 24 , 1929.

Curry, Chester A.

Mrs. Jesse M. Curry,
1406 11th St.,
Altoona, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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Curry,

(Surname)

Chester A.

(Christian name in full.)

3,721,681

(Army serial number.)

Pvt.

Sup CO, 80th FA

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

wife.

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

yes.

(Yes or no.)

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

no.

(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:

Mrs Jessie Curry, Herrin, Pa.

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

~~Mrs Jessie Curry, Adams, Herrin, Pa.~~

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mrs Jessie Curry,

R. F. W. 2

Herrin, Pa.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by PM

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REVIEWED
OSP SS.

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March 29, 1924

CURRY, Chester A., Pvt.

Mrs. Jesse M. Curry,

1406 - 14th Street
Altoona, Pa.

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

Dear Madam:

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,

Assistant.

1-Incl.
Record card.

R. P. HARBOLD

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COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name Curry, Chester A. Ser. No. 3721681)
) TYP. TW.
 (2) Rank Pvt. Organization Supply Co., 80th F.A.)
) CKR. TH
 (3) Date of death 11/6/18)

B. Registration Card:- (Check Reg. Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.)

(4) Cause of death Broncho Pneumonia) TYP. ESW
)
 (5) Grave No. 74 Row --- Plot A Sect. ---) CKR. JW.

II. FILES EXAMINATION

A. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No card

B. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD Date of receipt None

(6) Relationship Wife
 (7) Name Mrs Jessie Curry
 (8) Address R.F.D. #2, Kerrmoor, Penna
 (9) Desires remains brought to U. S.? Yes
 (10) Desires remains brought to U. S. and interred in National Cemetery at No.
 (11) If brought back, what shipping instructions? Mrs Jessie Curry Kerrmoor, Pa. Adams Express and Telegraph, Kerrmoor, Penna. att 3/20/20

C. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE Date of communication

(12) Does correspondence Change or qualify request as made on A.G.O. card? If so, specify such information.
No correspondence

(13) A. G. O. Files EXAMINED by att (Date) 3/20/20

D. (14) G. R. S. Files - Correspondence. (Has reference been made to File No. Cancellation memos? Yes TH. Does such correspondence, if containing request for disposition, reconcile with that of A. G. O.? TH (Specify "Yes or "No".) If "No", give date of communication, the name, address, and relationship and substance of request.

No request for disposition. Grave location registrations blank only

(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by TH (Date) 3/22/20

III. FINAL ACTION

A. MEMORANDUM to D. M. O. in E. made (Date) _____

(16) Removal of Remains (within custody of G.R.S.) to _____

(17) Instructions that remains be left undisturbed _____

(18) Typed by _____ Checked by _____ (Date) _____

B. G. R. S. FORM NO. 114 made (Date) 3/23/20

(19) Typed by EWE Checked by MBE (Date) 3/23/20

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*Form 120 - wife requests body remain in Europe - Europe advised by proposed cable 0-8-20 M & B Sec * below*

** Cable 423 Par 2 issued 5/8/20. "Do not return" EEW 4/3/21*

D. Dispatched (Date) _____ (Let. Trans. No. APR 12 1920)

Approved by _____

(Date) _____

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov 21, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

- 1. Name CURRY, Chester A. 10. Name _____
- 2. No. 3721681 11. No. _____
- 3. Rank Pvt. 12. Rank _____
- 4. Org. Supl. Co. 80th FA. 13. Org. _____
- 5. D.D. Nov. 6th. 1918 14. (a) D.D. _____
- 6. C.D. Broncho Pneum. (b) D.B. No discrepancy

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Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 74 Sec. _____ 15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 8. Plot _____ Row _____ 16. Plot _____ Row _____
- 9. _____ 17. No discrepancy
- 18. Cemetery Amer. 19. Commune or town Macon
- 20. Dept. or County Morbihan 21. Country France
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 20
- 23. Disinterred (Date) Nov 21, 1921. By A. W. Taggart.
- 24. Inscription on grave marker:
 Name Curry, Chester A. Serial No. _____
 Rank Pvt. Organization Supl. Co. 80th F. A.
- 25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes. On body? Yes.
 (entirely corroded)
William H. Warren
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

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).
Adjacent bodies previously exhumed. Nothing to disprove identity.
- 27. Condition of body 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? None.
- 30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov 21, 1921. By A. W. Taggart.
- 31. Casket sealed by A. W. Taggart.

HEB.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

A. W. Taggart
 10 11 23
 RECEIVED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **C-17227**

32. Designation of body:

Name **Chester A. CURRY** Serial No. **3721681**

Rank **Pvt.** Organization **Sup. Co. 80th FA.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Oise-Aisne Amer. #608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne)**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Nov 21, 1921.** By **A. W Taggart.**

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 **C. S. Denny, 1st Lt. CAC.**

36. Remarks **Tag entirely corroded.**

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Nov 21, 1921.**

To point of Concentration **Meucon Morgue.**

Convoyer **Truax.** (Name) **C. S. Denny**

Signature Shipping Officer **C. S. Denny, 1st Lt. CAC.**

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date **Nov 21, 1921.**

By G.R.S. Representative **M. B. Birdseye, 1st Lt. CAC.**

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date **22 NOV 1921**

To Permanent Cemetery **Oise-Aisne Amer Cty No 608.**

Convoyer **P. Dewasch.** (Name) **M. B. Birdseye**

Signature Shipping Officer **M. B. Birdseye, 1st Lt. CAC.**

40. Received: Date **22 Nov 1921**

G.R.S. Representative **G. F. WAUGH**

41. Reinterred: **9/23/22, Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)** (Date)

42. Grave No. **18, Blk. A** Section

43. Plot Row **31**

G.R.S. Representative **W. D. Cleary, 1st Lt. Chaplain USA**

Place Meucon No 20.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Nov 21, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF Curry, Chester A.

SERIAL NUMBER 3721681.

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Supl. Co. 80th F. A.

2. Disinterred (date) :

From (give complete location) :

Nov 21, 1921

Grave 74. Cem No 20.

By : Group

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Unit

Det Sec 6.

3. Reburied (date) : 9/23/22

In (give complete location)

Gr. 18, Blk. A. Row 31

~~Decomposed, features unrecognizable.~~

Oise-Aisne Cem, 608- Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)

By : Group

reburial group

Unit

Nature of reburial

metal lined casket

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

Decomposed, features unrecognizable.

Wooden box U.S. Uniform.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? Yes. On grave marker ? Yes.

(Entirely corroded)

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

Adjacent bodies previously exhumed. Nothing to disprove identity.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp to det.

Imp to det.

(b) Weight (estimated)

(c) Hair—Color None visible.

Quantity None visible.

Characteristics None visible.

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible

Location None visible.

Quantity None visible.

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities,

or missing parts) None visible.

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

None visible.

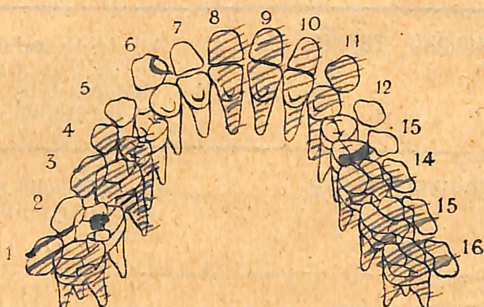
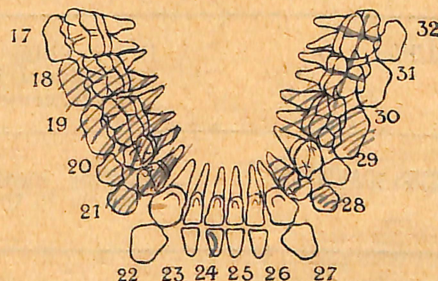


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



1, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16. MBD.
2, 13. Sil Fil.
18, 19, 20, 21, 28, 30. MBD.
24, cavity. 31, 32. Sil Fil.

7. Disinterment supervised by

A. W. Tuggart

Approved

(Title)

1st Lt. CAC.

8. Reburial

Supervised by

L. D. Hays

Approved :

(Title)

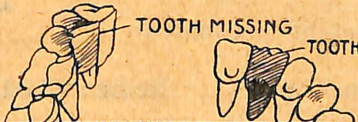




1st Lt. Chaplain USA

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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.

MISSING TEETH	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>
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN</p>
BRIDGE WORK	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>
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">CAVITY DECAYED</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DECAYED DECAYED</p>
DENTURES (PLATES)	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.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G.R.S.

Discrepancy found upon examination of body.

- | | |
|--|------------------|
| 1. Name <u>Curry, Chester A.</u> | 10. Name..... |
| 2. No. <u>3721681</u> | 11. No..... |
| 3. Rank <u>Pvt.</u> | 12. Rank..... |
| 4. Org. <u>Supply Co., 80th F.A.</u> | 13. Org..... |
| 5. D.D. <u>11/6/18</u>
<u>broncho pneumonia</u> | 14. (a) D.D..... |
| 6. C.D. | 15. (b) D.B..... |

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

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| 7. Grave No. <u>74</u> Sect. <u>----</u> | 15. Grave No. Sect. |
| 8. Plot <u>A</u> Row <u>---</u> | 16. Plot Row |
| 9. | 17. |

18. Cemetery American
19. (Commune or Town) Neucon-- Camp of
20. (Dept. or County) Morbihan
21. (Country) France
22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 20
23. Disinterred (Date)..... By.....
24. Inscription (Name)..... SERIAL NO.....
on (.....)
Grave Marker (RANK)..... ORGANIZATION.....
25. Was Identification Disc found on Grave Marker?..... On Body?

Signature of Junior Technical Assistant.

(The following space is reserved for notations to be made by office Chief Graves Registration Service).

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).....

27. Condition of body.....

28. Nature of burial.....

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

30. Body prepared and placed in casket (Date)..... By.....

31. Casket sealed by.....

Signature of Embalmer (Supervisor).....

SHIPMENT (Show actual marking of box) Box No.

32. DESIGNATION (Name..... Serial No.

OF (Rank..... Organization.....

BODY - (Rank..... Organization.....

33. CONSIGNEE - Name.....

Address.....

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date)..... By.....

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.....

36. Remarks.....

37. Shipped from Cemetery (Date)..... To.....

Convoyer..... Sign. Shpg. Officer.....

38. Received at Point of Concentration (Date).....

Sign. Receiving Officer.....

39. Shipped from Point of Concentration (Date).....

To (Port)..... Convoyer.....

Sign. Shipping Officer.....

40. Received European Port (Date).....

Signature of G.R.S. Representative.....

41. Shipped to (U.S. Port)..... On (Boat).....

Date..... Convoyer.....

42. Received (Date)..... By G.R.S. Rep.

(Signature)

43. Shipped to Destination (Date.....) B/L or Express Order No.

Convoyer.....) Shpg. Off r.....

G. R. S. Form #120
Shipping Inquiry.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON.

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.G.
TO: Mrs. Jessie Curry, R.F.D. #2, Kerrmoor, Penna.
SUBJECT: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Chester A. Curry.

Records of this office show your request to be as follows:

Remains to be returned to United States ~~Interment~~

Shipped to Mrs. Jessie Curry, Kerrmoor, Penna.

*Remain
in
France*

If any modifications of the foregoing are desired please write same fully on the other side of this sheet.

The nearest living relative may choose between, (1) return of remains to homes for burial; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in France.

You are requested to fill out the following without delay and return in enclosed penalty envelope, which does not require postage.

OVERSEAS ADVISED

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE
Colonel, U.S. Army.

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Widow <i>Mrs Jessie May Curry</i> Children (Name oldest first)	<i>1406 - 11st</i>	<i>Altoona</i>	<i>Penna.</i>
Father			
Mother			
Brothers			
Sisters			

Date *May 2nd*

Signature *Mrs Jessie May Curry*

Address *1406 - 11st Altoona Pa.*

Relationship *wife*

The transfer of bodies will be made
entirely at government expense.
over

Altoona Pa
May 2/20

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON

Chief, Graves registration Service

Sir,

Thinking the matter over in regard's
to the removal of the remains of Pvt. Chester A
Curry I have decided to leave the remains where
they are now in France.

Yours
Mrs. Jessie May Curry

STATE	TOWN	NO. & STREET	NAME OF
Pennsylvania	Altoona	1140 1/2	Mrs. Jessie May Curry
			Father
			Mother
			Siblings
			Picture



Signature of Mrs. Jessie May Curry
The transfer of bodies will be made
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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

CURRY? - 3721681 - Chester A.,

(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Horseshoer 80th F. A.

(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: Camp Meucon, France

CAUSE OF DEATH: Pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: Nov. 7, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: Camp Meucon, France

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

A. E. F. Cemetery #20

Plot "A"

GRAVE NUMBER: 74

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? 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?

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NEAREST RELATIVE: Jesse M. Curry

ADDRESS: Kermoor, Penna

RELATIONSHIP: Wife

REPORTED BY

Ralph Knight
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).
Chaplain 80th F.A.

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

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

ORANGE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE SITE OF

COUNTY - MISSISSIPPI -

SECTION 18

TOWNSHIP 10 N

RANGE 10 E

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Handwritten signature or initials in blue ink.