

G.R.S. Form #114 B

To The A. G. O.

805

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MT

FEB 26 1926

DATE 11/2/21

1. NAME

DAVEY, Harry

SERIAL No. 4002960

RANK

Pvt

ORGANIZATION & DIVISION

Co A 11th Inf

GRAVE LOCATION

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-s-Montfaucon 1232

Sec. 53

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

180 GRAVE

Sec. 53

ROW

4 PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

Murvaux

Meuse

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

Verdun 35NE 291.85N 320.15E

CONCENTRATED TO

6/11/19

180

53

4

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse Argonne 1232

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on cross and body

data f-1/pfb

DATE OF DEATH

Nov 7, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Iowa

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

M. B. BIRDSEYE

1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

11/2/21

5

21

AUDITED BY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

Block

PLOT

M. M. E.
4-14-23

Meuse Argonne American Cty # 1232 Romagne sous Montfaucon Meuse

CEMETERY

Rec'd World War Div.

5 MAR 30 1928

WS 4/3/28

A.G.O.
7 1925
DIV

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 I6, 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.



Co A 11th Infantry.
5th Division.,

DAVEY, Harry Pvt 4002960

I am informed by Chaplain Anderson E 61st ⁿf. that he buried this soldier November 9th 1918 near Murvau Argonne ~~RAN~~ Meuse drive, his grave is located about 300 meters south of Bois de Carrolles

Informant: Murphy, A.T. Sgt

Co A 11th Infantry.

Home: 1909, West 73rd St Cleveland O.,

Signed: Kenton W Sieman. Captain 11th Infantry.,
Commanding Officer.,

Fifth Division Statistical Records:

Buried November 14th 1918 near Mux Murvau on road to Louppy Main Highway in corner of fence. Brandeville Map.

G.R.S. FORM NO. 16.

Place NEUCHATEAU

Date 27th June, 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name DAVEY, Harry

Number: 4002960

Rank Unkn

Organization: Unkn

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit:

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

11th June, 1919

Grave #2 MURVAUX, MEUSE

Map 35 NE E 320.15 N 291.85

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

11th June, 1919

Grave #180 Section #53 Plot #4

ARGONNE AMER. CTY., #1232

ROMAGNE, MEUSE:

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

Burial good. Body buried in uniform and badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

Notes:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon the bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by C.O. 170, G.H.Q. D1918., 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. Abrahamson

R. H. ROSENTHAL

2nd Lieut. O.M.C.U.S.A.

AEB

C.O. Group

Unit

1232

12225

CONFIRMED No. D

Date 27th June, 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Number: 4002360

Name: DAVEY, Harry

Rank: Unknown Organization: Unknown

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group: Unit:

Disinterred (Date): From: (Give complete location)

11th June, 1919

Grave 2 MURVAUX, MUSEUM

Map 35 NE H 320.15 N 291.85

Reburied (Date): in: (Give complete location)

11th June, 1919

Grave 180 Section 83 Plot 44

ARGONNE ALER. CTV. 1232

MORAGNE, MUSEUM

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

Reburied good. Body buried in uniform and badly decomposed.

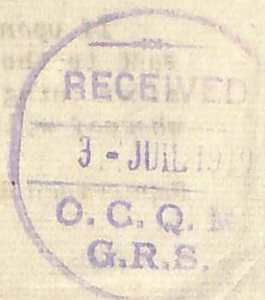
Was any identification found upon the body? Yes

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

upon disinterment, etc. etc. are found upon the bodies, they will be placed in the Electric Wood direct, as is required by G.O. 170, 2-9-1919. It is especially essential for those to identify as detailed above, retention of the body and reburied in Grave 180 Section 83 Plot 44.

H. W. [Signature]

[Signature]



CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Davey, Harry</i>	3	<i>4112</i>
	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>5</i>	2	<i>05</i>
	ROW <i>21</i>	2	<i>21</i>
	BLOCK <i>a</i>	1	<i>1</i>
STATE	<i>Iowa</i>	2	<i>16</i>
RANK	<i>Priv.</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>5</i>	2	<i>05</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>11</i>	3	<i>011</i>
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL	<i>(Friend) No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME	<i>Everett C. Ely</i>	5	
	<i>Algona, Ia.</i>		
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>no SM</i> <i>mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>no low</i>	1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>no</i> <i>Dead</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

AUDITED

APR 22 1932

RS

UTD

PEB

29/514/PJ

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Davey, Harry 1232 F

July 9, 1930

Mr. C. Ely Everett
Algona, Iowa

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:

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

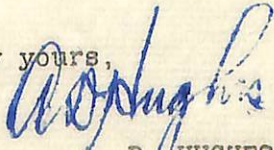
If so, give her name and address:

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?

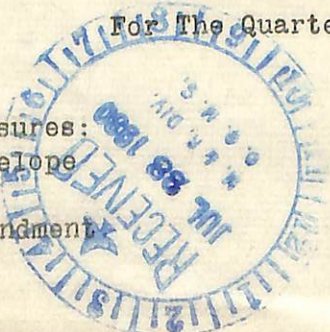
If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

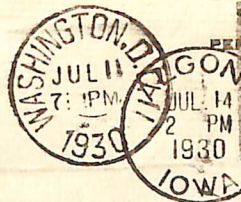


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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WASHINGTON D. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

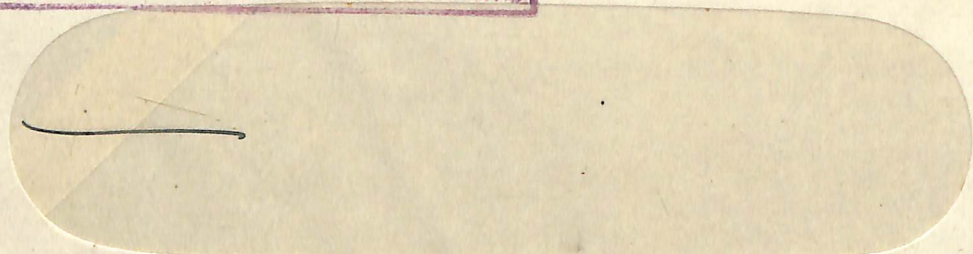


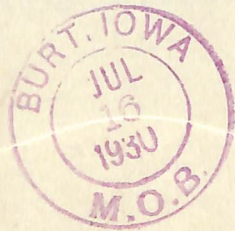
RETURN TO WRITER
 REASON FOR NON-DELIVERY CHECKED BY POST OFFICE

Unclaimed Unknown *at Post*
 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

Davey, Harry
1232

August 30, 1929.

Mr. Everett G. Ely,
Algona, Ia.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 27, 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:

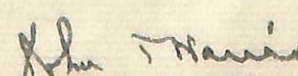
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3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope


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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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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.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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Davey
(Surname)

Harry
(Christian name in full.)

4,002,960
(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co A, 11 Inf
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased *Mother*

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? *No*

No
(~~Yes~~ or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery? *No*

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. R. Davey

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

Burwell, Cambs

(Telegraph office.)

1 Mayfield Cottages, Burwell

(Number and street.)

Cambridgeshire

(City or town.)

England

(State.)

(Sign here) *Mrs. Rebecca B. Davey*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713

Done!

Letter sent to-
Mr. Everett G. Ely,
Gona, Iowa

FEB 9 1871
GONNA IOWA

Frenchy
E-533

Davey

(Surname.)

Harry

(Christian name in full.)

4,002,960

(Army serial number.)

Private, Company A, 11th Infantry.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

Mother of the above

Do you desire the remains brought to the ~~United States~~?

Here, Yes

(Yes or no.)

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Yes

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Mrs Rebecca Davey

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

Burwell

(Telegraph office.)

101 Mayfield Cottage, Burwell, Cambridge.

England

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Rebecca Davey

101 Mayfield Cottage, Burwell, Cambridge, England

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

French Bay

C-533

Drawn by HP

1232 Ha 5-3-47

5-2-21

Checked Am

In reply refer to:
QM - 293 C-R

August 7, 1923.

Mrs. Rebecca Bishop Davey,
Burwell, Cambridgeshire,
England.

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that
~~Dear Madam,~~
the permanent grave of

Private Harry Davey, Company A, 11th Infantry,
is Grave 5, Row 21, Block A, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-
sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries
to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be
marked by headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with
name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State
from which he came. The 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.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were
exactd and more than willingly accorded by those performing this
sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually main-
tained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting
place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.



23/494/VTV

Osp-SS
Form No. 1009

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

*Please
mail!*

Harlow.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Davey, Harry, Pvt.

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5/18/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

DATE OF DEATH

4002960

Co. A, 11th Inf.

11/7/18.

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department
Date 5-26-21-w.

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE

C-164140
I-107439

FIFTY-SEVEN 50/100 DOLLARS \$57.50

PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE
MRS. REBECCA BISHOP DAVEY I-107439

RELATIONSHIP

1 MAYFIELD COTTAGE

BURWELL CAMBRIDGESHIRE
ADDRESS
1 ENGLAND

M

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION

RELATIONSHIP

NO PLATE

S/1868/LML

f. y.
7/29/21

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.

To: Mr. Everett G. Ely, Algona, Iowa.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Harry Davoy, #4002960, Co. A, 11th Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named

~~request as to disposition of remains but Mrs. Rebecca B. Davoy, has re-~~
~~requested body returned to her, Mayfield Cottages, Burwell, Cambridgeshire,~~

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			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		

Date Signature

Address Relationship

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I, the undersigned, am the _____ 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 _____

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.

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1. G. R. S. Form No. 1. Hq. G. R. S. File

2. Soldier's No. ~~40~~ 4002960

3. Devey Harry
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Pvt.
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Date of Death Cause, if known

6. Date of Burial Cemetery

7. Roadside near Murvaux Meuse
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

8. G. 2
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg? Cross? Headboard? Bottle?
Check Method of Marking

10. Buried with Body? Attached to Grave Marker? Identification Tags

11. If name unknown and tags missing, give marks and description.

Wood #13 - Remains

12. 35 N. E. N. 292.3 E. 320.5
Map reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

OMME. MURVAUX (Meuse)

13. C. 533 UNIT. 35 NE COORD N. 292.3
Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed Sgt. W. G. Durisoe, 301

P. B. ...
3146

Group Unit G. R. S.



92024

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Dasey *4,002,960* *Harry*
 (Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
Private *unknown*
 (Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *Nov 14, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL *Near Murrain*

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

Branderille Map = 120,000
On main highway, about 1.5
from town - In corner by fence

GRAVE NUMBER *2*

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:

CMME Murrain (Mense)

(CS33) STIT 35 M6 (COOP)
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M-291.80

REPORTED BY:

Frank P Anderson Chaplain
 (Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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



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WAR DEPARTMENT
 THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
 WASHINGTON

201 (Davey, Harry) WW

August 2, 1920.

IN REPLY
 REFER TO

*made
 4-20
 [Signature]*

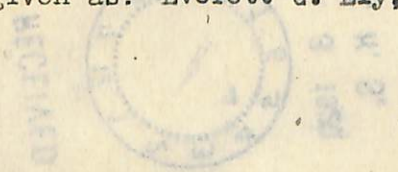
From: The Adjutant General of the Army.

To: The Quartermaster General of the Army,
 Washington, D. C.

Subject: Date of death of Private Harry Davey, #4002960,
 Company A, 11 Infantry.

1. Upon investigation, it has been ascertained that the date of death of the above man heretofore communicated to you, is erroneous, and that he was killed in action November 7, 1918.

2. For purposes of identification, you are advised that the records show that the deceased was enlisted July 25, 1918, and the name of the person to be notified in case of emergency was given as: Everett G. Ely, friend, Algona, Iowa.



P. C. Harris

The Adjutant General.
 Per:



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W.A.G. 293. & Nancy Nancy (4002960)

9/4/19

Mrs Rebecca B. Dancy
No 1 Mayfield Cottages
Hess Road
Burrill
Santuridge
England

Dear Sir.

In reference to the above
card. re-embued. if it is impossible
to return the Body here, we have
decided for it to remain in France

Yours Sincerely
Chr & Marky

Rebecca B. Dancy

Received A. G. O. JUL 23 1919

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Burial Records Section.

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Aug. 13, 1919.

Mrs. Rebecca B. Davey,
#1 Mayfield Cottages,
Ness Road, Burwell,
Cambridgeshire, England.

Dear Madam:-

In reply to your letter of recent date, I beg to advise you that, as yet, no definite plans have been formulated as to the transferring of the bodies of our deceased soldiers to any country other than the United States. However, note has been made in this office of your wish to have the body of your son, Private Harry Davey, Company A, 11th Infantry, sent to England, for reference when the matter has been decided, and the work of the transfer of bodies is begun.

It is desired to express to you the sincere sympathy of the Department on account of the great loss you have sustained in the death of your son, and to commend you for the great sacrifice and contribution you have made to the cause for which this soldier gave his life.

Very respectfully,

The Adjutant General.

Per

M. W. V. Carter



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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov 2 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 DAVEY, Harry
 2. No. 4002960
 3. Rank Pvt
 4. Org. Co A 11th Inf
 5. D.D. 11. 7-18
 6. C.D. VIA

10. Name _____
 11. No. _____
 12. Rank _____
 13. Org. _____
 14. (a) D.D. _____
 (b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 180 Sec. 53
 8. Plot 4 Row _____
 9. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. None

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne mer. Cty
 20. Dept. or County Meuse
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232

19. Commune or town Romagne-s-Montfaucon
 21. Country France
 Sec. 53

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov 2 1921

By P P Kierce

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Harry Davey
 Rank Pvt

Serial No. 4002960
 Organization Co A 11th Inf

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? Yes

P. P. Kierce
 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).

None

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial uniform, burlap and pine box

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 2 1921 By P P Kierce

31. Casket sealed by P P Kierce

AUDITED BY _____
 Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor *P. P. Kierce*)

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)



32. Designation of body:

Name **DAVEY, Harry**

Serial No. **4002960**

Rank **Pvt**

Organization **Co A 11th Inf**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-s-Montfaucon Meuse 1232**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Nov 2 1921**

By **P. P. Kierce**

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

A C Worthington, 1st Lt QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Nov 2 1921**

To point of Concentration **Morgue Romagne**

Convoyer **W J Royed**

Signature Shipping Officer

G F Spann, Capt QMC.

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

Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred **MeuseArgonne Cemetery # 1232** **Nov 2nd 1921**

(Date)

42. Grave No. **5**

Section

43. Plot **block A**

Row

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G.R.S. Representative

Geo. C. Bland, 1st Lt. QMC.

jt.

Concentration.

G. R. S. Form. No. 16-A

Place Magne 1232.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Nov. 2, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF DAVEY, Harry. SERIAL NUMBER 4002960
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. A. 11th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : Nov 2, 1921 From (give complete location) : gr 180, sec 53, plot 4.
By : Group 4 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date) : Nov 2nd 1921 In (give complete location) : MeuseArgonne Cemetery # 1232 Gr 5 block A row 21
unlined casket
By : Group re-burial S Unit _____ Nature of reburial _____

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
wooden box and burlap and uniform, badly decomposed, features not recognizable.

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

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

Pvt. Harry Davey 4002960" on body tag.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine.

(b) Weigh, (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 do

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

none visible.

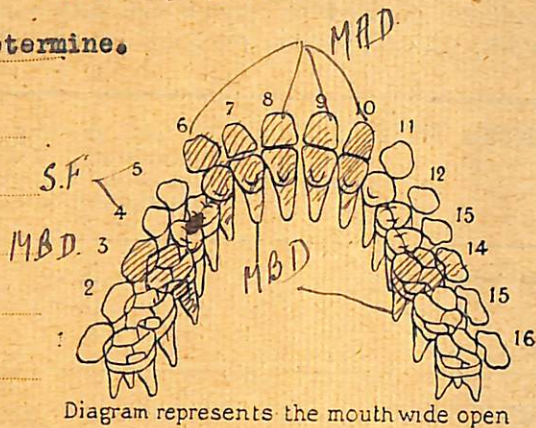
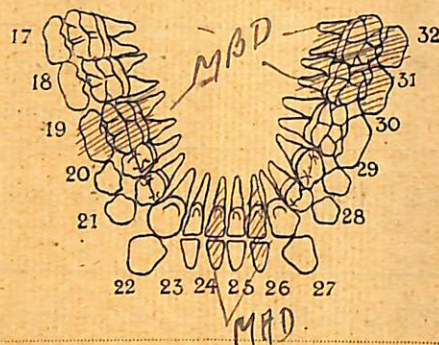


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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7. Disinterment supervised by P.P. Kierce. Approved: R.C. Worthington, 1st Lt. Q.M.C
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault Approved: Geo. C. Bland, 1st Lt. MC
(Title)

jt.

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 Questions 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:	
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:	
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	
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.



