

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB- HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Ackley</i>	<i>ACK</i>	3	<i>13 9</i>
<i>Charles L.</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>37</i>	2	<i>37</i>
	ROW <i>21</i>	2	<i>21</i>
	BLOCK <i>7</i>	1	<i>6</i>
STATE	<i>Pa</i>	2	<i>44</i>
RANK	<i>Pvt</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>5</i>	2	<i>05</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>60</i>	3	<i>060</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL <i>(Rem. W.)</i>	<i>remarried</i>	1	<i>3</i>
NAME <i>Warfle</i>		3	
<i>Mrs. Sena Ackley</i>	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
<i>33 Clay St.</i>	CITY	3	
<i>Le Roy, N. Y.</i>			
RELATION	<i>mother</i>	1	<i>5</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Lead</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT			
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS			
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

AUDITED

MAR 26 1932

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Ackley, Charles L. - 1232 W

July 3, 1930. *L*

Mrs. Lena Ackley Warfle

~~R R # 4,~~

~~Westfield, Pa.~~

*33 Clay St.  
Le Roy, N. Y.*

Dear Madam:

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 his mother died  
when he was a young  
lad.*

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

If so, give her name and address:

*No I have remarried so  
I suppose that debars  
me from going.  
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:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:  
Envelope  
Act  
Amendment

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



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Ackley, Charles L.  
1232

September 3, 1929.

Mrs. Lena Ackley Warfle,

R. R. #4,

Westfield, Penna.

*old address,*

*33 Clay Street,*

*33 E. 10th St., New York*

*new address*

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated **June 29, 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:

*No.*

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.

*No*

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Ackley, Charles L.

Mrs. Lena Ackley Warfle,  
R.R. #4,  
Westfield, 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 Pvt. Charles L. Ackley, Co. H, 60th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Remagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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.

For your reply, you may use the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 incls.  
Act of Congress.  
Envelope.



Ackley,  
(Surname.)

Charles A. L  
(Christian name in full.)

2,384,024  
(Army serial number.)

Pvt ~~1st~~

Co H 60 Inf  
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased. *Wife*

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.)

(Sign here)

*Mrs Charles L. Ackley*  
*409 W. Gray St., Elmira, N.Y.*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713

Drawn by L. C. G.

373-1-8

10-25-20

Chapman  
1-2-20  
2021



# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Ackley 2384024 Charles L.  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt Co H 60th Inf.  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL Aug 4th. 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL French Cemetery

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

Balthazard, Dept. of Vosges

France

GRAVE NUMBER #3 American Sector

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross? Yes

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: Ward Smeethon  
Chaplain 60th Inf.  
(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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This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service.

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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: Ackley
- ( ) Number: 2384024
- ( ) First name: Charles L.
- ( ) Rank: Pvt.
- ( ) Company: H
- ( ) Organization: 60th., Infantry
- ( ) Date of death:
- ( ) Cause:
- ( ) Place:

Location of hospital:

Number " "

Class " "

(✓) Relative: Mr. Charles T. Ackley,

(✓) Relationship: Grand-Father.

(✓) Address: R.D.#4 Westfield, Penna

- ( ) Authority:
- Cablegram No:
- Telegram from:

dated:

- ( ) Reported to Washington:
- C.C. Nos:
- (Underscore the "official" C.C.)
- ( ) Remarks:
- ( ) Show present status on reverse side.

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

Initials of Reporter:



OCT 27 1920

Adjustment Made

NOV 18 1920

WAR DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army  
Washington.

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-9

Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 10/26/20.

File No. Registration.

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 Ackley

f. Date of death 8/2/18

b. Christian name Charles L. (Charles A.)

g. Cause of death Killed by charged wire.

c. Serial Number 2384024

h. Authority (C.C.#) 217

d. Organization Co., H. 60th Inf.

i. Emergency address

e. Rank Private (Pvt. 1st cl)

j. Relationship Charles Taft, Sr. (grandfather)  
R' D #2

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

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)

a. Strike out teeth missing

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 3 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

FILE

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

BY:

H. J. CONNER,  
Capt. Q.M.C.

1st Lt. Q. M. C.

CEMETERY NO: 373

SHEET NO: 1-8

TYPED BY: ZS

8-713/MB

Donnelly, CHS  
884343  
10/27/20  
p138

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

May 29th, 1922.

FILE: 293.8 C-R - #8140 (Ackley, Charles L., Pvt.)  
FROM: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.  
TO: Mrs. Lena Ackley Warfle, RR #4, Westfield, Pa.  
SUBJECT: Permanent Grave Location of Private Charles L. Ackley,  
Company H, 60th Infantry.

4/29/22  
File

1. The permanent grave of this soldier is No. 37. Row 21.  
Block F, The American Cemetery of the Meuse-Argonne, Romagne-sous-  
Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, France.

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

3. In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were  
exacted 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.

By Authority of the Quartermaster General:  
MAILED

MAY 31 1922

G.R.S.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,  
Colonel, Q. M. Corps,  
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

PM



DATE \_\_\_\_\_

1. NAME ACKLEY, Charles L SERIAL No. 384024RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co. H, 60th Inf.GRAVE LOCATION Belthazard French Military Cty. Moyenmoutier (Vosges, #373  
CTY. NAME NUMBER

GRAVE	ROW	PLOT
<u>6</u>		

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 6 Moyenmoutier Vosges.  
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.COORDINATES Not of record.CONCENTRATED TO No record of concentration.  
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.

No record of concentration.SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Not of record.  
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 10/14/21 37 21 F.  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT BlockMeuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse).  
CEMETERY

3/9/22  
AUDITED BY  
H.O.E.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
CEMETERY DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE,  
Room 350, Pier 2, Hoboken, N. J.

February 1st, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem. Div., Cor. Branch.  
(ACKLEY, Charles L.)

Mrs. Lena Ackley Warfle,  
R. R. #4,  
Westfield, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Receipt of shipping inquiry dated November 22nd, 1920, relative to the remains of the late Private Charles L. Ackley, Serial Number 2384024, Company H, 60th Infantry, is acknowledged.

Instructions have been issued that your request that the remains be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery be complied with. You are assured that the grave site will always be maintained as a fitting memorial of the late soldier's sacrifice.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

BY:

FP/tlm

*gltm* F. C. PALLAS,  
Executive Assistant. *FF*

MAILED - O.F.D.

FEB 4 1921



December 3, 1920.

File No. 293.6 Cem. Div. Cor. Br.  
( ACKLEY, Charles L.)

Mr. Cass D. Ackley,  
R. R. #4,  
Westfield, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Mrs. Lena Ackley Warfle, has requested that the body of the late Charles L. Ackley, Private Co. E. 60th Infantry, Serial Number 2384024 be left in France in a permanent American Cemetery. It is requested that you inform this office without delay whether or not you concur in her wishes, and if not, kindly state whether you desire to have the body returned to the United States and shipped to you for burial or interred in the National Cemetery, at Arlington, Virginia.

You are advised to inform this office whether the late soldier is survived by children, and if so, kindly furnish the name and address of their guardian.

Your early reply, will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

By:

P. C. PALLAS,  
Executive Assistant.

*Pat*

RE:WAR

*Inspected  
Dec 20*

RECEIVED-O.P.D.  
DEC 4 1920



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Sept 14th 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 ACKLEY, Charles L

10. Name

2. No. 2384024

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. H. 60th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. 8-2

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. Killed by charged Wire(b) D.B. none

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 6 Sec.

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. none18. Cemetery Belthazard French Military19. Commune or town Moyenmoutier20. Dept. or County Vosges21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. # 37323. Disinterred (Date) Sept 14th 1921By J.F. Meyer

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Charles L. AckleySerial No. -----Rank PvtOrganization Co. H. 60th Inf.25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? yes On body? yesSignature R. L. de Montozon  
Junior Technical AssistantR. L. de Montozon

## 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).

none27. Condition of body entirely decomposed, skeleton disarticulated.28. Nature of burial wrapped blanket and uniform,29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? none30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept 14th 1921 By J.F. Meyer31. Casket sealed by J.F. Meyer

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

Joseph F. Meyer



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box:  Box No. C-2881

32. Designation of body:

Name ACKLEY, Charles L. Serial No. 2384024

Rank Pvt Organization Co. H. 60th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

# 1232  
Name of Permanent Cemetery Argonne American Cty. at ROMAGNE-sous-MONTFAUCON

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept 14th 1921 By J. F. Meyer

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. T. Lewis, Capt. CAC.

36. Remarks none

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

To point of Concentration \_\_\_\_\_

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer \_\_\_\_\_ (Name)

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date \_\_\_\_\_

By G.R.S. Representative \_\_\_\_\_

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Sept 24th 1921

To Permanent Cemetery 1232, Meuse-Argonne, Romagne-sous-Montfaucun (Name)

Convoyer R. E. Williams Signature Shipping Officer P. Overholser, 1st Lt. QMC

40. Received: Date Sept 27, 1921

G.R.S. Representative Wm. H. Moore, upk

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cem. 1232, Oct. 14, 1921.

(Date)

42. Grave No. Row 21 Bl. P. Gr. 37. Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_

G.R.S. Representative

JAMES W. YOUNGER  
CAPT. QMC.



# 3449 COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

## I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File No. 8140

(a) Name ACKLEY, Charles L <sup>OK 10/28</sup> Ser. No. 2384024  
 (b) Rank Pvt. <sup>OK 10/28</sup> Organization Co. H, 60th Inf.  
 (c) Date of death 8-2-18 (d) Cause of death Killed By charged wire.  
 TYP. als  
 CKR. 1

9/30/21, Exhumed  
 for concentration  
 in Meuse-Argonne  
 #1232 (a25)  
 (1-9-22)

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

(a) Grave No. Unknown Row - Plot - Sec. - TYP. als  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Charles T. Ackley, (grandfather) R.D.#4, Westfield, Pa/

## III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases --- CKR. AB

## IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD: <sup>OK</sup>

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Mrs. Charles L. Ackley (b) Relationship Wife  
 (c) Address 409 W. Gray St. Elmira, N.Y.  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No  
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at See previous  
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. ---  
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. ---

Examiner's Initials L. C. G. Date 10-25-, 1920.

## V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from ---

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

Examiner's Initials L. C. G. Date 10-25-, 1920.

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

No request for disposition.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes su.

Examiner's Initials su Date 11-2-, 1920.

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 373 SHEET No. 1-8



RECEIVED.

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

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_, FEB 5 1921, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 1920

letter on NOV 10 1920, 1920

NOV 17 1920

NOT TO BE RETURNED

acn

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

ACTION TAKEN.

Desires body be \_\_\_\_\_

Body to be shipped to \_\_\_\_\_

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

11-22-20 Form #125 Widow Mrs.  
Lena Ackley Warfle (re-married) changes  
address to R R #4 Westfield Penna  
11-29-20 ECX

FORM 115 RETURNED BY ESPERAN - BODY  
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE. K

FEB 10 1921

Jan 29

WAR DEPARTMENT  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE,  
PIER 2, HOBOKEN, N. J.

January 29, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div.Cor.Branch.  
(ACKLEY, Charles L.)

MEMORANDUM FOR: Cemeterial Division, O.Q.M.G., Overseas Project  
Sub-section, Washington, D. C.

SUBJECT: Return of Records - Cemetery #373.  
Transmittal Memorandum Number H - 950.

1. The records pertaining to the following case  
are returned herewith, it having been definitely  
determined that the body is to remain in Europe:

REFERENCE NO:

1 Ackley, Charles L., Pvt., Serial Number 2384024,  
Co. H, 60th Infantry.

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

By:



F. C. PALLAS,  
Executive Assistant.

1 Incl.

*Recd 2/8/21 R*



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File No. 8140

(a) Name ACKLEY, Charles L. Ser. No. 2384024  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. H, 60th Inf. TYP als  
 (c) Date of death 8-2-18 Cause of death Killed By charged wire.

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

(a) Grave No. Unknown Plot - Sect. - TYP als  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Charles T. Ackley, (grandfather) R.D. #4, Westfield, Pa.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR AB

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

A. g. card - Mrs Charles L Ackley (widow) 409 W. Gray st. Elmira N.Y. requests that body be not returned acc 10/20

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 192 Letter of transmittal on NOV 10 1920)

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. NOV 16 1920 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. FEB 5 1921 192

COUNTRY CEMETERY NO. SHEET NO.

G.R.S. FORM 115-A  
August, 1920

6-666/MB France

373  
Concentrated into P.A.C. 1232

1-8

4/11-13-20

9/30/21 Exhumed for concentration in Meuse-Aargonne #1232. (als 1-9-22)



FULL NAME ..ACKLEY, Charles L.....

BANK.....Pvt.....SERIAL..2384024.....

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ..Co. H, 60th. Inf. .... 5th Div

DATE OF DEATH..... Aug 2 1918 ✓

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME..... Pa ✓

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED..... none ✓

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....  
Date Grave Row Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232

Cemetery

Rec'd World War Div

3 APR 4 1928

UK 4-11-28

23/306/ARK

A.G.O.  
AUG 11 1926  
WORLD WAR DIV.

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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
WASHINGTON

B. 7,

NOV 19 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q. M. C. *RR # 4 Westfield Pa.*  
To: Mrs. Charles L. Ackley, ~~408 W. Gray St., Elmira, N.Y.~~  
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Charles L. Ackley, Ser. No. 2384024,  
Co. H, 60th Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body remain in Europe.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
Major, U. S. A.

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 these relatives are STILL LIVING.

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Has widow remarried? <i>yes.</i>			
Soldier's widow <i>Mrs. Lena May Ackley Warfle</i>	<i>R. R. # 4</i>	<i>Westfield</i>	<i>Pa.</i>
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
2			
3			
Father <i>Lorinus Ackley (deceased)</i>			
Mother <i>Carrie Ackley (deceased)</i>			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <i>Cass H. Ackley</i>	<i>R. R. 4</i>	<i>Westfield</i>	<i>Pa.</i>
2			
3			
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <i>Bessie Hackett Churchill</i>	<i>R. R. 4</i>	<i>Westfield</i>	<i>Pa.</i>
2			
3			

Date *Nov. 22. 1920*

Signature *Mrs. Lena Ackley Warfle*

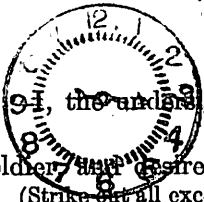
Address *Westfield, Pa.*

Relationship *Widow*

IMPORTANT.—CAREFULLY read instructions before filling out this paper.

# CEMETERY DIVISION

\_\_\_\_\_, 1920.



I, the undersigned, am the \_\_\_\_\_ and nearest living relative of the within-named soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:  
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

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 *Mrs Lena May Ackley Warfle*

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instruction as to the disposition of a body are not received from the nearest relative 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 living relatives 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 relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
7. If YOU are not the nearest living relative 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.



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Co. H. 60th Infantry  
5th Division

ACKLEY, Charles L. - Pvt. 2384024

" Sgt. Reardon of Co. E. 60th Infantry, was in charge of the patrol of which Pvt. Ackley and myself were members. In some manner we got out of our sector and into the first Battalion sector. The electricity was turned off in the 2nd Battalion Sector, but not in the first Battalion. The wires in front of each Battalion sector was charged. When a patrol was out the electricity in that Battalion sector was turned off. Pvt. Ackley slipped on a stone and fell on the wire, which killed him instantly. An identification tag on his wrist, came in contact with the wire and the flesh was burned off his arm to the elbow. As soon as possible the electricity was turned off, and the body was removed. He was buried at the Regimental Infirmary, near Petit Souhaita France, by members of the 2nd Battalion Scout Platoon. Place :- Bois de Colcho t. Date :- August 2nd 1918. "

Informant ; Huffine, Houston - Cpl. 2384018  
Co. H. 60th Infantry  
Home : 509 East Du Bois Ave. DuBois, Pa.  
Signed : Edwin F. Post, Capt.  
60th Inf. Comdg. Co. H.

C.F.



## REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Moyenmoutier (Vosges)Date September 14, 1921.1. REMAINS OF ACKLEY Charles L SERIAL NUMBER 2384024RANK pvt ORGANIZATION Co H 60th Inf

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

September 14, 1921 Gr. No. 6 Moyenmoutier (Vosges)By : Group No 1 Unit Sec 5

3. Reburied (date) : In (give complete location) :

Oct, 14, 1921. Meuse Argonne Cem. 1232, Row 21 Bl. F. Gr. 37.By : Group Reburial Sec. Unit  Nature of reburial unlined casket

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

entirely decomposed. skeleton disarticulated5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? yes On grave marker ? yes

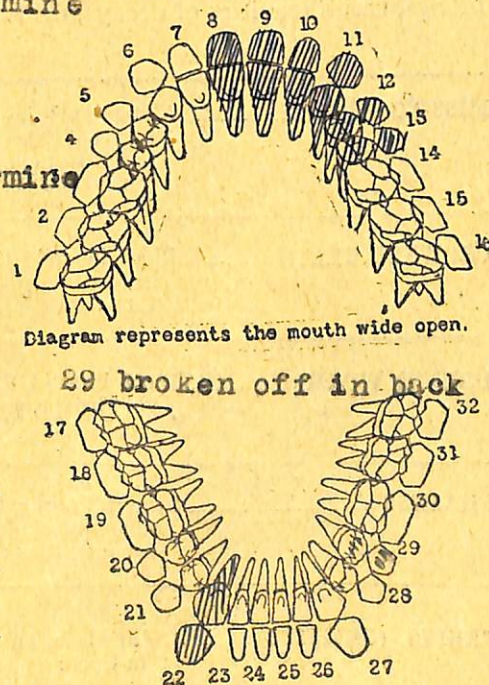
(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :

none6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items ? MAD 8 9 10 11 12(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine 13 22 23 24 25 26 27(b) Weight (estimated) -do(c) Hair—Color none visibleQuantity impossible to determineCharacteristics -do(d) Hair on face—Color -doLocation -doQuantity -do

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

missing parts) none visible

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

Checker R. L. de Montozon7. Disinterment supervised by Joseph F Meyer Approved : J. T. LewisSupervising Embalmer(Title) Capt CAC8. Reburial supervised by W. B. Smith Approved : JAMES W. YOUNGER(Title) CAPT. QMC10-60210