

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Agar</i>	3	171
	<i>Thomas</i>		
	CEMETERY <i>1233</i>	1	3
BURIED	GRAVE <i>10</i>	2	10
	ROW <i>17</i>	2	17
	BLOCK <i>D</i>	1	4
STATE	<i>Iowa</i>	2	16
RANK	<i>Pvt</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>90</i>	2	90
ORGANIZATION	<i>360</i>	3	360
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>divorced</i>	1	4
NAME		3	
	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>dead (12-12-22)</i>	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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NAME	Agar	3	
RESIDENCE	Mr. Ray H (Adm)	2	
	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	Newton Iowa 524 N 3rd Ave S	1	5
OTHER	widow	1	
ELIGIBILITY	divorce	1	7
NATIVITY		1	
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Agar, Thomas - 1233 Adm

July 3, 1930.

Mr. Roy H. Agar,
524 N 3rd Ave. E.,
Newton, 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:

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:



For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Agar, Thomas 1233

March 13, 1930

Mr. Roy H. Agar,
524 N. 3rd Ave. E,
Newton, Iowa.

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 administrator of the estate of the late Pvt. Thomas Agar, Co. F, 360th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, 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. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?

No

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. 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.

None
Mother died Dec 27 1922
There is no one
to specify this
in relation
to Agar.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE February 8, 1930

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Agar Thomas	Pvt	2854899	Co F 360th Inf	July 15 1918

STATE	Iowa	CTY. NO.	1233	GRAVE	10	ROW	17	BLOCK	D
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>	<i>C-25-745</i>
	MOTHER	: <i>no record</i>	: <i>2-19-30</i>
	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : : : : : :	: <i>no record of Divorced wife</i>
NAME	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION	: : : : : : :	: <i>Bro + Adm.</i>
AND	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : : : : : :	: <i>Roy H. Agar.</i>
ADDRESS	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : : : : : :	: <i>524 - N. 3rd Ave. E.</i>
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	: : : : : : :	: <i>Des Moines</i>
	<i>Divorced man</i>	: : : : : : :	: <i>Iowa.</i>

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156

Agar

(Surname.)

Thomas H

(Christian name in full.)

2854899

(Army serial number)

Pvt

Co F 360 Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

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:

B. F. Morgan & Son. Newton Iowa. Newton Iowa

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

Newton Jasper Co. Iowa

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Henry W. Agar

(Number and street or rural route.)

Keokuk Iowa

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Rechecked by Mac

see m 14
12/21/21

Drawn by J W

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12-20-21



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

August 27, 1929.

Agar, Thomas H.
1223

Mr. Henry W. Agar,
3420 Cottage Grove Ave.,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated ~~May 26, 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,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Agar, Thomas H.

May 25 1929.

Mr. Henry W. Agar,
3420 Cottage Grove Ave.,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Private Thomas H. Agar, Co. F, 360th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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

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.

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.

QM 293 C-R

November 22, 1923.

Mr. Henry W. Agar,
3420 Cottage Grove Ave.,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the permanent grave of Private Thomas H. Agar, Company E, 560th Infantry, is Grave 10, Row 17, Block D, St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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, 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.

You are assured in effecting removal of the remains, the utmost care and reverence were exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

R.L. FOSTER
Assistant.

RD



NOV 22 1923

H.B.

23/668/ARK

*1/14 Examined
1/22 Concentration
for St-Mihiel 1/23
Att 5/11/22*

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name AGAR, Thomas Ser. No. 2854899)
(2) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F. 360th Inf.) TYP. FLR
(3) Date of death 7/15/18) CKR. MEA

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

(4) Cause of death Lobar Pneumonia) TYP. TW
(5) Grave No. 2 Row -- Plot -- Sect. --) CKR. MEA

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 father
(7) Name Henry W. Agar
(8) Address Killeduff Iowa
(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? C. J. Morgan + Son

Newton, Iowa
(Exp + Tel) Newton, Iowa 2011 4-9-20

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 FD (Date) 4-9-20

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

No request for disposition, G.R.S. Form 115

(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by ME (Date) 4/12/20

*4/6/21 (JEN)
Reviewed*

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) May 26th 1920

(19) Typed by V.A.H. Checked by MRH (Date) May 26th 1920

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

7-6-26-20

*Form 120- 6-4-20 from Henry W. Agar, father
& nearest of kin, 3428 Cottage Grove Ave., Des Moines,
Iowa, state widow - divorced & only child
deceased, & reports that body remains in
Europe. 6-25-20 E.*

D. Dispatched (Date) _____ (Let. Trans. No. 17/27/20)

*Par. # 2 not to be returned (MCH).
Agar, Thomas H*

Approved by _____

(Date) _____

*2-19-21
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**FORM 115 RETURNED BY ROBOKEN - BODY
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.**

GENERAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.

FEB 19 1921

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JAN 27 1921

Place RECEY S/OURCE. (COTE D'OR)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date FEBRUARY 14, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF AGAR, Thomas SERIAL NUMBER 2854899
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co.F. 360th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): FEBRUARY 14, 1922 From (give complete location):
Grave No.2, French Communal Cemetery No.1743, Recey s/Ource.
By : Group 5 Unit Section 4.

3. Reburied (date): August 16, 1922 In (give complete location): Gr.10, Row 17, Bk,D
Cemetery 1233, Thiaucourt, (M ET M)
By : Group Reburial Unit In casket and shipping case
Nature of reburial Nature of reburial

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.
Wooden box and uniform.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes On grave marker? Yes
(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
Collar ornaments read: 360th Inf.
Body tag reads: THOMAS H. AGAR, 285489--.

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? MBD-14-16.
(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to estimate MAD-1-2-4-5-7-8-9-11-12-13-22-23-24-25-26.

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color Impossible to determine

Quantity Impossible to determine

Characteristics Impossible to determine

(d) Hair on face—Color Impossible to determine

Location Impossible to determine

Quantity Impossible to determine

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

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) SILVER FILLING-3-19.
None visible

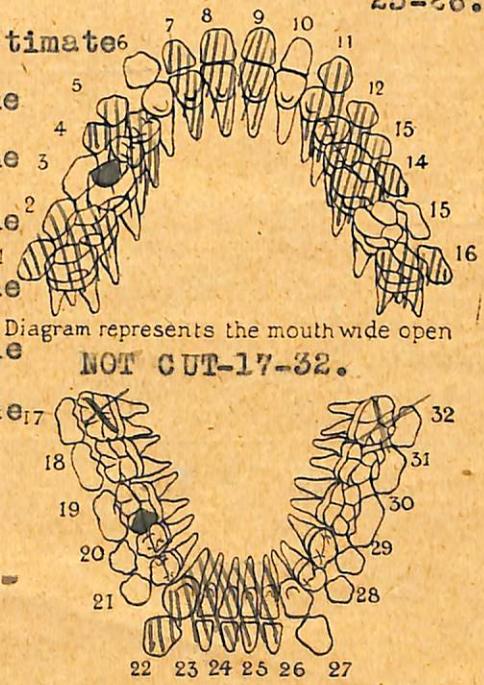


Diagram represents the mouth wide open
NOT CUT-17-32.

7. Disinterment supervised by W.R. TOMLINSON gbt

Approved: J.H. JOFFEE RLD
(Title) 1st. Lieut. U.S.M.C.

8. Reburial Supervised by H. LKRAMER

Approved: A.E. DEWEY
(Title) 1st. Lieut. QMC

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE FEBRUARY 14, 1922.

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 AGAR, Thomas
 2. No. 2854899
 3. Rank Pvt.
 4. Org. Co.F., 360th Inf.
 5. D.D. July 15th. -18
 6. C.D. Lobar Pneumonia

10. Name THOMAS H AGAR
 11. No.
 12. Rank
 13. Org.
 14. (a) D.D.
 (b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 2 Sec.
 8. Plot Row
 9.

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

18. Cemetery French Communal
 19. Commune or town Recey-sur-Ource
 20. Dept. or County Cote d'or
 21. Country France.
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1743
 23. Disinterred (Date) FEBRUARY 14, 1922. By W.R. TOMLINSON

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name THOMAS AGAR Serial No. -----
 Rank Pvt. Organization Co.F. 360th Inf.
 Gr.No.2.

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

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

R.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).

Collar ornaments read: 360th Inf. Body tag reads: THOMAS H. AGAR, 285489-

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden box and uniform.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? Tag on body and on marker read: THOMAS H. AGAR

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date February 14, 1922 By W.R. TOMLINSON

AUDITED BY

31. Casket sealed by W.R. TOMLINSON

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor W.R. TOMLINSON

W.R. TOMLINSON

MKL
0781123

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No. C-26866



32. Designation of body:

Name Thomas AGAR

Serial No. 2854899

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co.F., 360th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel American Cty, #1233. Thiaucourt M-et-M

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) FEBRUARY 14, 1922. By W.R. TOMLINSON

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. H. Joffe

J. H. JOFFEE. 1ST. LIEUT. Q.M.C.

36. Remarks

Tae on body reads: THOMAS H. AGAR, 285489-

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) FEBRUARY 14, 1922.

To point of Concentration CHAUMONT. (HTE. MARNE)

Convoyer JAMES FLYNN

Signature Shipping Officer

(Name

C. J. Blake
C. J. BLAKE. CAPT. Q.M.C.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date FEBRUARY 14, 1922.

By G.R.S. Representative

C. J. Blake

C. J. BLAKE. CAPT. Q.M.C.

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

19 FEB 1922

To Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer. Cty 1233. Thiaucourt. (M et M).

Convoyer M. PLOTKIN

Signature Shipping Officer

(Name

Walter F. Brown
WALTER F. BROWN. CAPT. Q.M.C.

40. Received: Date

23 FEB 1922

G.R.S. Representative

G. D. Gamble
G. D. GAMBLE. Captain, Q.M.C.

41. Reinterred,

August 16, 1922

(Date

42. Grave No. 10

Section

43. ~~Block~~ Bk. D

Row

17

G.R.S. Representative

A. E. Dewey
A. E. DEWEY, 1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

WAR DEPARTMENT
QUARTERMASTER CORPS
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
PIER 2, HOBOKEN, N. J.

February 15, 1921.

FILE NO. 293-8 Cem. Div. Cor. Branch.
(AGAR, Thomas H.)

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

SUBJECT: Return of Records - Cemetery #1743.
Transmittal Memorandum Number H - 1117.

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 Agar, Thomas H., Private, Serial Number
2854899, Co. F, 360th Infantry.

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

By:



F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

1 Incl.

Recorded 2-21-21
C.M.

February 16, 1921.

File No. 293.6 Cem. Div. Cor. Br.
(Agar, Thomas H.)

Mr. Henry W. Agar,
3420 Cottage Grove Ave.,
Des Moines, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

Receipt of Shipping Inquiry relative to the remains of the late Thomas H. Agar, Private, Serial Number 2854899, Co. F, 360th Infantry, is acknowledged.

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

The Department desires to convey to you renewed assurance of its sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

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

By:

F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

RECEIVED



G. H. S.
FEB 18 1921

Ms. -O.P.D.
FEB 18 1921

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

MAY 27 1920

met

JUN 7 1920
1743-1

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
TO: Henry W. Agar, Killduff, Iowa
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Thomas Agar

Rush Answer

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body be

Shipped to: C.F. Morgan & Son, Newton Iowa.

Remain in France
Gene

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

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

Date 6-25-20
Noted on Form No. 115

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	<i>Divorced wife (now Mrs James Thompson present address unknown)</i>		
Soldier's Children (Name oldest first)	1. <i>only child, Lorraine E Agar.</i>		
	2. <i>did. Aug 28th 1919</i>		
	3. <i></i>		
Father	<i>Henry W Agar</i>		
Mother	<i>Dora R Agar</i>		
Brothers (Name oldest first)	1. <i>Ralph F Agar, Calfax Iowa</i>		
	2. <i>Roy H. Agar, Newton Iowa</i>		
Sisters	<i>Mrs J.P. Nelson, 320-6th ave. S.W., Newton Iowa</i>		
Date	<i>Miss Ethel E Agar, 3420 (Cottage Grove Ave) Newton Iowa</i>		
	Signature <i>Jesmonies Jawa.</i>		

Address *V.A.H. Henry W. Agar* Relationship *Father*

Note:- Instructions on the reverse side of this sheet should be carefully read before filling out this paper. (OVER)

When transfer of bodies will be made entirely at government expense.

D

Des Moines Iowa. June 1st 1920
3420 Cottage Grove Ave.

Kind Sirs

Please cancel my former request, for the return
of my son body Sgt Thomas H Agar.
As we have decided to let the body rest in
France.

Yours & Oblige

Henry W. Agar



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

1. This paper **MUST** be signed by the person who is the **NEXT** of kin in the order shown in the square on other side of this sheet.
2. 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.
3. 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.
4. If **YOU** are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
5. 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.
6. You are requested to return this paper **AT ONCE** in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
7. Use the enclosed envelope - pay no postage.

GRAVE LOCATION BOOK

LOCATION OF GRAVE OF

Agar *2864899* *Thomas*
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private *Co F, 360th Inf.*
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... *July 16, 1918.*

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

*Temporary Military Cemetery, next to City
Cemetery, Reery-sur-Oance, Cok-D'Or, France.*

*(To be moved to Military Cemetery here)
2 (Amer. Mil. Cem.)*

GRAVE NUMBER... *2*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *yes* Cross?.....

Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *yes*.....

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? *yes*.....

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

REVIEWED
1918

REPORTED BY: *359th Inf.*

W. M. McQuinn Jr. 1st Lt. Chaplain
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

15400 100

G.R.S. #106
DISPOSITION OF BO

5679 (Inquiry)
War Department
Office of the Quartermaster General.
Graves Registration Service.
Washington, D.C.

May 1, 1920.

For information of:

- (a) The Adjutant General of the Army
- (b) G.R.S., Paris, France,
- ~~(c) Office Files.~~
- (d) Photographic Section.

Case of: Private Thomas H. Agar,
#2854899, Co. F, 360th Inf.

Grave Location: Grave #2, French Civ.
Cemetery, Recey-sur-Ource, Cote D'Or.

Request for action checked below:

- (a) Return of Body to the U.S.
- ~~(b) Permanent Burial in France.~~
- ~~(c) Cancellation of former requests.~~
- (d) Change of address.
- (e) Photograph of grave,

has been made by: Mr. Henry W. Agar,
3420 Cottage Grove Ave.,
Des Moines, Iowa.

(father)
(initials)

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES S. TIERCE,
Colonel, Q.M.G., U.S.A.
Chief, Graves Registration Service,
NS-2992/L

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1. G.R.S. Form No.1. HQ.GRS File

2. Soldier's No. 28545679

3. *Adapt* Surname (block letter) *Thomas* 1st name & initials

4. *Private* Rank *F* Co. *360 inf* Rgt & corp

5. *July 15, 1918* Date of Death *Pneumonia* Cause if Known

6. *July 16, 1918* Date of Burial *(Recy-sur-Origny)* Cemetery

7. *5* Grave No. Plot No. or letter

8. *Recy-sur-Origny (Cote d'Or)* Town-Commune (block letter) Dept.

9. Name *peg?* Cross? Hdhoard? BTIE?
Ckock method of marking

10. Buried with body Attached grave mark
Identification Tags / er

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

12. **REVIEWED**
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12. Map reference if intermented outside cem
etory

13. Give name of Chaplain-Burial Officer

Signed *Sp. Sullivan*

Group.....Unit *303*.....GRS

CEMETERY DIVISION
REGISTRATION SECTION

FILE.

January 17, 1921

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Company F, 360th Infantry
ORGANIZATION (old)

AGAR, #2854899, Thomas - Pvt.
(Name)

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS Thomas H.

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

(Note: In the above spaces below double line fill in ONLY the new data and data correcting previous information)

BY: Martha T. Allen

INVESTIGATION & ADJUSTMENT
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
on Organization
File Card:

By MGC

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Adjustment Made
JAN 25 1921

WAR DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0

Date 1/12/21.

Information requested of A.G.O.

File No. 5677

File No. Requisition.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

- a. Surname **Agar** ✓
- b. Christian name **Thomas H.** ^{OK}
~~or (Thomas)~~
- c. Serial Number **2854899** ✓
~~or (-----)~~
- d. Organization **Co. F, 360th Inf.** ^{OK}
- e. Rank **Pvt.** ^{OK}
- f. Date of death **7/15/18.** ✓
- g. Cause of death **L. Pneumonia.** ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#)
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

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

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

- a. Strike out teeth missing
- | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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Jan 13/21

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

BY:

H. J. CONNER
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

CEMETERY NO: 1743

SHEET NO: 1
TYPED BY: I.W.

S/713/LML

World War Div.
Date.....1.13.21.....

Rec'd 3 & 8 Div. A.G.O.

JAN 13 1921 6

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Address reply to
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE & STORAGE
Munitions Building

WAR DEPARTMENT

~~OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE~~
WASHINGTON

May 1, 1920.

5679 (Inquiry) Agar, Thomas H., Pvt.

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

Mrs. Henry W. Agar, 3420 Cottage Grove Ave., Des Moines, Iowa.

Cancellation of Former Request.

1. In reply to your letter of April 20, 1920, referred to this office by The Adjutant General of the Army, you are advised that cancellation of your former request for the return of the remains of your son, Private Thomas H. Agar, has been made in our files, and the necessary instructions will be issued to have the body of this soldier permanently interred in France.

2. It is the plan of the War Department to establish three permanent American cemeteries in France to which all bodies remaining in France will be transferred. These cemeteries will be maintained and cared for as are our national cemeteries in the United States.

3. The National Fine Arts Commission is now working on a suitable design for a monument which will probably be adopted by this Government as a permanent marker for the graves of our soldier dead. All expense connected with the erection of this monument will be borne by this Government.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

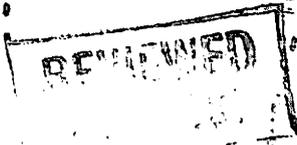
CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, U. S. Army,
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

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By:

LSB

CHARLES J. WYNNE,
Captain, Q. M. C.



Des Moines Iowa,
3420 Cottage Grove Ave,
#5679 April 20, 1920.

War Department Washington, D.C.
Adjutant General. #5679

Dear Sir,
Some time ago I requested
the return of my Son's body,
Pvt. Thomas H. Agar 2854899
Co. H, 360th Inf. which is
buried at a French Civilian
Cemetery 1743, Recey Sur Cure
Cote' d'Or
but I have decided to leave
the body in its resting place
in France.
Please advise me if the present
Location is to be

Received
Apr 24

Permanent, as I wish to
erect a permanent Monument
there. Yours Respectfully,

Henry W. Agar and
Wife Mrs Henry W. Agar,

3420 Cottage Grove Ave,
Des Moines, Iowa.

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GENERAL
M. D. C. 1920

WAR DEPARTMENT
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE & STORAGE
WASHINGTON

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ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY 4/24/20

_____ Circumstances of Death
(Par. #2, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Liberty Bonds
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Flowers, Flags, etc.
(Par. #6, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ War Risk Insurance
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Monument
(Par. #6, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Photographs
(Par. #11, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Discrepancies in Inscription
(Par. #9, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Permanent Burial In
 (a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)

_____ Personal Effects
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ (b) Other Countries.

_____ Accrued Pay
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Return of Bodies From
 (a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)
(Par. #12, Bul. 10-C-W)
 (b) Other countries

_____ Maintenance
(Par. #7, Bul. 10-C-W)

Remarks: Y.P.
note cancellation of former request

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NOTE: In addition to information furnished on Nos. 1, 6, 11, and 12, G.R.S. Form 101-A (Information Blank), supply data on the following:

Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15.

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Analysis Clerk.

TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

Date 4-24-20

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME *Agar, Thomas H.* Serial Number *2854899*
 RANK *Pvt.* ORGANIZATION *Co. 7, 360th Inf.*

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	1) yes
2.	Date of Death.	2) 7-15-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	3) Lobar Pneumonia
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	4) # 202
5.	Date buried.	5) 7-16-18
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	6) Grave #2 French Civ. Cty. #1743 Recy-sur-Cource, Cote d'Or ✓
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	10) a) not given b) yes relation unknown
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	11) Henry W. Agar Kilduff, Iowa
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	
12.	Has been notified? (Give date)	12) 8-6-18
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	Renot. 10-17-18
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	14) 2-41099
15.	Inquiry made by? <i>Disposition of body Father fee -</i>	Released by Information Control Dept. Directory X Cards 5x8 ✓ Cards 4x6 B.B.S. no form 14

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359th Infantry
American E. F.

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18th July, 1918.

From: Chaplain M. M. Hoffmann, Jr., 359th Infantry.
To: Graves Registration Service, Headquarters S. O. S.
Subject: Burial of Private Thomas Agar, Company F, 360th Infantry.

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G.R.S. Form No. 101-A (Information Blank)

File Number

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TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

Date

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

2/3/20

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME

Serial Number

AGER, Thomas H.

RANK

ORGANIZATION

Co. F 360th Inf.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	1. Pvt. Thomas Agar # 2854899
2.	Date of Death.	2. 7/15/20
3.	Cause and place of death	3. Lobar Pneumonia
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram	
5.	Date buried	
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	6. Grave 2 French Civ. Cty # 1743 Recey-sur-Ouche, Cote D'Or.
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	
9.	Report as to Grave-Marker.	
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	
12.	Has above been notified? (Give date)	
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	
15.	Inquiry made by?	

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PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

Form 16, No record.

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DATE 8/16/22

1. NAME AGAR, Thomas

SERIAL No. 2854899

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co. F., 360th Inf.

DIVISION 90

GRAVE LOCATION French Communal Cty. Recey-sur-Ource (Cote d'Or) 1743

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

2

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

2

RECEY-S-OURCE (Côte d'Or)

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Blue print CHATILLON SW. 98 (Plat D-277)

CONCENTRATED TO

Not 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

July 15, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Iowa

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

None

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

Not of record

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

S. H. Hunsicker

S. H. HUNSICKER, 1st Lt. QMC., Supervisor Area No. 4

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

8/16/22

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Block D.

AUDITED BY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

~~XXXXX~~

M.H.S.

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St. Mihiel American Cemetery #1233, Thiaucourt, M-et-M.

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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Agar *2854899* *Thomas*
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Private *Co F - 360th Inf.*
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *July 16, 1918.*

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

Temporary Military Cemetery, next to City Cemetery, Reims-sur-Ouse, Cote-DOR, France.
(To be removed to permanent Military Cemetery later.)

GRAVE NUMBER *2*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *Yes*..... Cross?.....

Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *Yes*.....

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

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

NOTED

[Signature]
Casualty Section, S. D.,

Per.....

REPORTED BY:

M. M. Hoffmann Jr. 1st Lt. Chaplain
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.) *359th Inf.*

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