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G.R.S. Form #114-B

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DATE

1. NAME ARNOTT, John

SERIAL No. 2054121

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co.I., 139th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION French Mil. City, Commercy (Meuse)

614

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

93

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

93

Commercy (Meuse).

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

Commercy B.

220.05 N

342.05 E.

CONCENTRATED TO

Hospital Burial

93

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

French Military Cemetery Commercy (Meuse)

614

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on body and cross.

DATE OF DEATH

Jan. 30, '19

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Michigan

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

None

Data form 1-A

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

I.H. Joffe. 1st Lt. MC?

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

July 25th, 1922.

29

25

C

CCG

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

Block

AUDITED BY

M.M.E. 6/7/23 R.M. 6/3

St. Mihiel American Cemetery, THIAUCOURT, (M.-et-M.)

CEMETERY

NOV 30 1925 WORLD WAR 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 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

arnott LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF
Arnott 205404 John
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Private 139 Inf
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: B. H. 91

CAUSE OF DEATH: Pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: Feb 1st 1919

PLACE OF BURIAL: Amer. C. & S.

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

Amer. Commercy
News

GRAVE NUMBER: 93

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? L

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? yes

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: James Arnott

ADDRESS: 114 Olive Street
Bayne City Mich

RELATIONSHIP: Father

REPORTED BY:
J. B. Potts
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF ARNOTT, John. SERIAL NUMBER 2054014
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co.I 139th.Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): April 12, 1921 From (give complete location): Cem. No 614. Grave No. 93
By: Group 5 Unit Section 10

3. Reburied (date): April 12, 1921 In (give complete location): Cemetery No. 614, Grave No. 93
By: Group 5 Unit 10 Nature of reburial wooden box & uniform

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: Bottle containing record placed in box.
O. D. Uniform and wooden box.

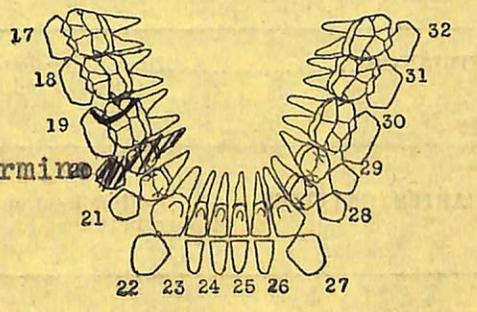
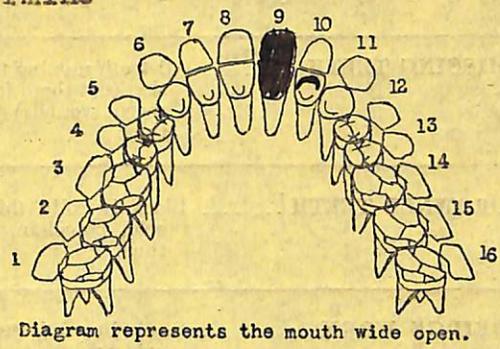
Body badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.
(entirely corroded)

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes On grave marker? yes
(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: None.
Metal strip on grave marker reads: "Percy ARNOLD, No. 1457488-H
Co.I 139th.Inf.

This was evidently a duplication of metal Strips. The metal strip and disc on cross of PERCY ARNOLD #1457488, Grave #89 were verified and found correct.

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items?
No. 9 - gold crown
Nos 10 & 19 - cavity

- (a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine
- (b) Weight (estimated) do
- (c) Hair—Color do
- Quantity do
- Characteristics do
- (d) Hair on face—Color do
- Location do
- Quantity do
- (e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Impossible to determine



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

Checker: H.P. Gardner.

7. Disinterment supervised by O.E. Bound Approved: R.L. Fain, Captain, QMC
O.E. Bound, 2nd. Lt. QMC (Title) Master of Section.

8. Reburial supervised by O.E. Bound Approved: R.L. Fain, Captain, QMC
O.E. Bound, 2nd. Lt. QMC (Title) Master of Section.

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No."
 (b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.
6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspid (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 TEETHAll teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:	 <p>TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
CROWNED TEETHBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	 <p>GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN</p>
BRIDGE WORKBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:	 <p>GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
FILLINGSDraw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	 <p>SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
CARIES (CAVITIES)Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	 <p>CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED</p>

DENTURES (PLATES).....Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."

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



CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Arrott	3	1 0 0 4
	John		
BURIED	CETEMETERY 1233	1	3
	GRAVE 29	2	29
	ROW 25	2	25
	BLOCK C	1	3
STATE	Mich	2	26
RANK	Pvt	1	2
DIVISION	35	2	35
ORGANIZATION	139	3	139
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	Adms No	1	2
NAME	McGregor	3	23
	Stuart H.		
RESIDENCE	STATE Mich	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	3
ELIGIBILITY	Head	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH			
NO. OF SONS		1	APR 1 1932
DATE OF	MO.	1	af
. TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Arnott, John (StM)

April 4, 1932

Mr. Stuart D. McGregor,
c/o Owendale Bank,
Owendale, Michigan.

Dear Sir:

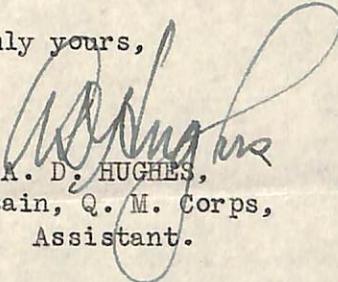
In order that the records of this office may be complete and accurate it is requested that you advise whether or not the late Private John Arnott is survived by a stepmother or any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of five years prior to his reaching the age of eighteen, and if so, her name and address.

It will also be appreciated if you will furnish the date of death of the mother or this late veteran.

A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,


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

Enclosure:
Envelope.

Owendale, Michigan.
April 6th. 1932.

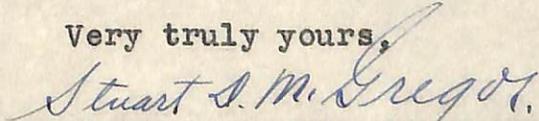


Dear Sir:

James Arnott, brother of the late Private John Arnott, informs me that the mother of John Arnott died about the year 1895.

Als o the stepmother of ~~###~~ John Arnott died in the year 1929.

Very truly yours,



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arnett, John - 1233 Adax.

July 3, 1930

Mr. Stuart D. McGregor
C/o Owendale Bank
Owendale, Mich.

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,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, U. S. Army,
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE February 8, 1930

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NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Arnott John	Pvt	2054121	Co I 139th Inf	Jan 30 1919

STATE	MICHIGAN	CTY. NO.	1233	GRAVE	29	ROW	25	BLOCK	C
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	
	MOTHER	:	:	X	:
	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	:
NAME	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION	:	:	:	: Adm of Vet's Estate
AND	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	: Mr. Stuart D. McGregor,
ADDRESS		:	:	:	: <u>Owendale Bank,</u>
	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	: <u>Owendale, Mich.</u>
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	:	:	:	: _____

*XC-150-377
2-13-Bm*

Veterans Bureau Claim Number _____
29/156

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO ~~QM 293~~ A-C

Arnott, John

May 25 1929.

Mr. James Arnott,
R.F.D. # 2,
East Jordan, Mich.

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 John Arnott, Co. I, 139th 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 A-M
Arnott, John (StM)

April 4, 1932

Mr. Stuart D. McGregor,
c/o Owendale Bank,
Owendale, Michigan.

Dear Sir:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and accurate it is requested that you advise whether or not the late Private John Arnott is survived by a stepmother or any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of five years prior to his reaching the age of eighteen, and if so, her name and address.

It will also be appreciated if you will furnish the date of death of the mother or this late veteran.

A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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APR 4 AM 8:30
QMG M&H DD

Enclosure:
Envelope.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arnott, John - 1233 Admx.

July 3, 1930

Mr. Stuart D. McGregor
C/o Owendale Bank
Owendale, Mich.

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,

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

Arnott,

(Surname.)

John

(Christian name in full.)

2,054,121

(Army serial number)

Pvt.

Co. I, 139th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased. *Father*

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

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

James Arnott

106 N. Lake
(Number and street or rural route.)

Boysie City
(City, town, or post office.)

Mich
(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Checked
1-25-20
S.M.

Drawn by mks
614-11
1-25-21

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

August 27, 1929.

Arnott, John
1233

Mr. James Arnott,
R. F. D. #2,
East Jordan, Mich.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated **May 25, 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
Arnott, John

May 25 1929.

Mr. James Arnott,
R.F.D. # 2,
East Jordan, Mich.

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 John Arnott, Co. I, 139th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Mourthe-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.

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Act of Congress.
Envelope.

QM 293 A-C

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ARNOTT, John - Pvt.

January 24, 1924

Mr. James Arnott,
R.F.D. #2,
East Jordan, Mich.

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

Very truly yours,

1-Incl.
Record card.

R. I. ROSENER RD
Assistant. 757



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Feb. 14, 1922.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

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DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name ARNOTT, John

10. Name No discrepancy

2. No. 2054121

11. No. _____

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank _____

4. Org. Co. I., 139th Inf.

13. Org. _____

5. D.D. Jan. 30th. 1919

14. (a) D.D. _____

6. C.D. Broncho Pneumonia.

(b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 93 Sec. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____

8. Plot _____ Row _____

16. Plot _____ Row _____

9. _____

17. No discrepancy

18. Cemetery Fre. Mil.

19. Commune or town Commercy

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France.

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 614

23. Disinterred (Date) Feb. 14, 1922

By W. C. Follmer

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name John Arnott

Serial No. _____

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co. I., 139 Inf.

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

E. Seils
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).

Bottle record agrees with GRS record.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial U. S. uniform and wooden 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 Feb. 14, 1922 By W.C. Follmer

31. Casket sealed by W.C. Follmer

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor W. C. Follmer)

W. C. Follmer

AUDITED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-24190

32. Designation of body:

Name John ARNOTT Serial No. 2054121

Rank Pvt. Organization Co.I., 139th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Feb. 14, 1922 By CPollmer

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 D. E. Lowry
D. E. Lowry, 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks Tag on body partially corroded. Tag on cross reads "2054014"

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

To point of Concentration _____
(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Feb. 14, 1922

To Permanent Cemetery 1233, Thiaucourt (MM) (St. Mihiel)
(Name)

Convoyer Frank Atwell Signature Shipping Officer L. B. Massie
L. B. Massie, Capt. QMC

40. Received: Date 1.8 FEB 1922

G.R.S. Representative Rm Overstreet Marque Supr

41. Reinterred: July 25 1922
(Date)

42. Grave No. 29 Section _____

43. ~~XXX~~ Ek. C Row 25

G.R.S. Representative A E Dewey
A E Dewey 1st Lt. QMC

Place Commercy (Meuse)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Feb. 14, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF ARNOTT, John SERIAL NUMBER 2054121

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. I, 139 Inf.

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

Feb. 14, 1922, Cem. 614, Gr. 93, Commercy (Meuse)

By: Group Follmer's Unit F.S. 8

3. Reburied (date): July 25 1922 In (give complete location): Gr. 29 Bk. C Row 25

Cty. # 1233

By: Group Reburial Unit Casket & shipping case
Nature of reburial

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

U. S. uniform and wooden box. Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

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

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

Bottle record agrees with AGRS record. Tag on body corroded. Tag on cross reads "2054014"

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color None

Quantity

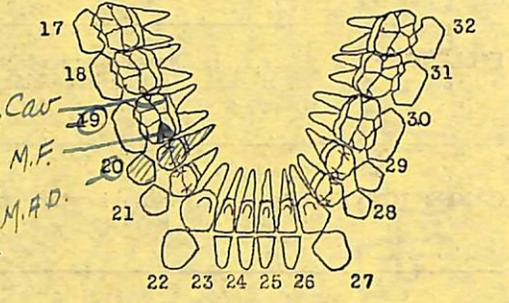
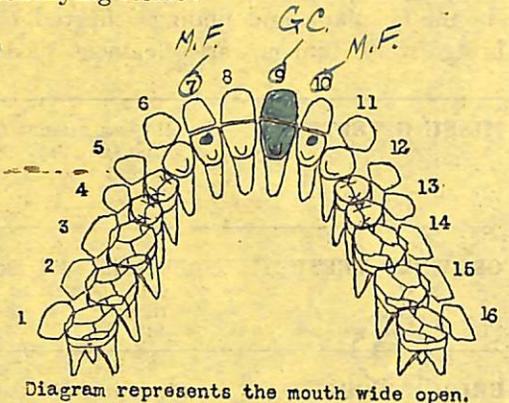
Characteristics

(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location

Quantity

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Impossible to determine



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

Impossible to determine.

Erich Seils, Checker.

7. Disinterment supervised by

W. C. Follmer, Sup. Emb.

Approved:

D. E. Lowry, 1st Lt. QMC
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by

H. L. Kramer

Approved:

A. E. Dewey
(Title) 1st Lt. QMC

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No."
 (b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.
6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspid (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 TEETHAll teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:	
CROWNED TEETHBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	
BRIDGE WORKBlock in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:	
FILLINGSDraw 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.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 93194

*4/25/22 Exhumed
for Reinterment
St. Michael 1233
att 5/17/22*

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name ARNOTT, John Ser. No. 2054121
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I, 139th Inf.
(c) Date of death 1-30-19 (d) Cause of death Broncho pneumonia

TYP. DB
CKR. _____

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

(a) Grave No. 93 Row _____ Plot _____ Sec. _____ TYP. DB
(b) Emerg. Address James Barry (Friend) RFD #1, Port Austin, Mich.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases NO CARD CKR. 3/1

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name James Arnott (b) Relationship Father
(c) Address 106 N. Lake - Bayne City - Mich.
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? no
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. _____
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

Examiner's Initials MS Date 1-25-21, 1920.

V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from _____

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

Examiner's Initials MS Date 1-25-21, 1920.

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

No Correspondence

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? _____

Examiner's Initials EB Date 1-25-21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 614 SHEET No. 11

FEB 17 1921

CARDED

Selected 1-25-21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 1920.

JUN 9 1921

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on **FEB 1 1921**, 1920

Par. 2 Not to be returned.

EW

IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *May 3, 1921 - #120, Mr James Amato R.F.O# 2, East Jordan, Mich. father, n.s. desires body remain in Europe says "If he is in Am American Cem. leave him there"*
H. 5-13-21 aw

Let 6/3/21 to father stating body will remain in France
Memo 9/12/21 E. E. D. recommends "concentrate"
Let 10-1-21 Inq advises father re concentration

*6/13/21 JS
act
10-1-21
act
10-1-21*

Oct 3, 1921

File

10-1-21 att

293.8-Cem. #93194-(Arnott, John Pvt.) Cty. 614, Sht. 11.

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

Mr. James Arnott, R.F.D. 2, East Jordan, Mich.

Disposition of remains.

1. Referring to your request that the body of your son, the late Private John Arnott, Company I, 139th Infantry, be permanently interred in France, you are advised that in order that the grave of the deceased may be perpetually cared for in the most careful and reverent manner, as a memorial to the late soldier's supreme sacrifice, it will be necessary that the body be transferred to a permanent American Cemetery in France.

2. The graves of our soldier dead interred in permanent American Cemeteries in France will be marked by suitable headstones, and the graves will be maintained with the same degree of care and attention as the graves of our soldier dead are maintained in National Cemeteries in this country.

3. When the body has been placed in a permanent American Cemetery you will be duly advised of the new grave location.

By authority of the Acting Quartermaster General:

LN

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

att
HCH

MAILED
OCT - 3 1921

C. R. B.

Noted on Form No. 115

Date 10-1-21 att
copy filed O.S.P.

CASE OF: ARNOTT, John

Out of State

Cty. 614 - 11.

E/A - James Barry, Friend, RFD #1, Port Austin, Mich.

A.G.O.- James Arnott, Father, 106 N. Lake, Boyne City, Mich., requests the body remain in France.

5/3/20, Form 120 - James Arnott, Father, RFD #2, East Jordan, Mich. (N/K) requests the body remain in France "If he is in an Amer. Cty. leave him there."

6/3/21 - Letter to father stating body will remain in France.

Recommend Form Letter-----

Special letter & consent

*9/17/21
OK
RWS*

Noted on Form No. 115
Date 10-1-21 att

Fr. Mil. Cty

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

June 3rd, 1921.

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

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O.Q.M.G.,
Washington, D.C.

SUBJECT: Return of records - Cemetery #614
Transmittal Memorandum Number H- 3406

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

2. Attention is invited to notation on reverse of form #120.

REFERENCE NO:

11 Arnott, John, Pvt. Ser. No.
2054121, Co.I, 139th Inf.

R.E.SHANNON,
Captain, Q.M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

BY:

F.C. Pallas
F.C.PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

(1 Incls.)

Not acknowledged

R-6-11-21 am

Return to Cemeterial Div., O. Q. M. G.
File # 293.8 - 93194

Arnott, John

June 3rd, 1921.

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

Re: Arnott, John Pvt. Ser.
No. 2054121, Co.I,
139th Infantry.

Mr. James Arnott,
R.F.D. #2,
East Jordan, Mich.

Dear Sir:-

Your shipping inquiry dated May 3rd, 1921, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery has been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R.E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q.M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

Mailed-O.P.D.
JUN 6 1921

BY:

F.C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON

APR 11 1921

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.
To: Mr. James Arnott, 106 N. Lake ~~Boyer~~ ^{Rt. 2 East Jordan Mich} City, Mich
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt John Arnott Ser No. 2054121 Co I 139 Inf

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named soldier remain in Europe.

If he is in an American cemetery leave him there. E.C.V.

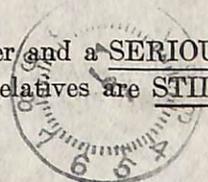
If these are not the correct instructions, please correct them. Make corrections on reverse side of this sheet.

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. G.

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? *No*

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
2			
3			
Father	James Arnott Sr	R. 7. 10 No 2.	East Jordan Mich
Mother	Kate Arnott	head	
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)			
1	Donald Arnott		Boyer City Mich
2	James Arnott Jr		Quindale Mich
3	Chas & Leslie Arnott		East Jordan Mich
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)			
1	Mrs Margaret Mathys	61 Pine St	Muskegon Mich
2	Mrs Agnes Moyes		Reynolds City Mich
3	Mrs Lizzie Breakin		Grimsstone City Mich
Date	Mrs Kate Johnson Eula Arnott	5/3/21	
Address	East Jordan R 2		
Signature	J James Arnott		
Relationship	Father		

*Noted 5-11-21
5-13-21 aw*

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MAIL UNIT

JUN 9 1921

Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

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. *If he is in an American Cemetery leave him there*

Signature *James Arnold*

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.

COMPLETION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 93194

Form 115
Att 5/17/22
See

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III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases... NO CARD CKR

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on 192)
(letter of transmittal on FEB 1 1921)
ECW

Par. 2 Not to be returned.

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. FEB 19 1921 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. 6-10- 1921

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY NO. 614 SHEET NO. 11
G.R.S. FORM 115-A August, 1920
S-666/MB

Priority 104
FEB 17 1921 7-5

File No.

~~93194~~

OUT-CHARGE SHEET

Date charged out

~~6/1~~

Charged to

~~Besse~~

614

Remarks:

~~Smott, John~~

No record in folder

No Charge

INSTRUCTIONS.—If a document is taken from the files, charge it to the person to whom delivered. Make charge sheet in duplicate. Place one in record file and one in suspended file used for follow up on "charge out sheets."

Mrs. Besse

G. D.