

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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FULL NAME BYRNE, Miles P. ✓

RANK Pvt. ✓ SERIAL 2585982 ✓

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Amb. Co. #20, 6th San. Trm. ✓ *6th Div*

DATE OF DEATH. *Oct. 21, 1918* ✓

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME. *Pa.* ✓

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. *none*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION. 35 29 F.
Date Grave Row Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232

Cemetery

Rec'd World War Div.
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B. A. G. O.
AUG 11 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

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AUG 13 1928

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1918

U.S. Army

FULL NAME

DATE OF BIRTH

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION

DATE OF DEATH

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

REGIMENT OR DEPARTMENT

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

Date

1918



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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Byrne # 2585982 Miles
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pte Amb Co #20, 6th San Fran
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: F.H. #20, Geradmer

CAUSE OF DEATH: pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct. 22, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: Geradmer, Va

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

Geradmer scale 1/2 over

436.2-141.8

GRAVE NUMBER: Rem's Grave 62

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? yes Cross? yes

Headboard? yes 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: Mrs. Mary Jennings

1653 S. Tailor Street

ADDRESS: Philadelphia, Pa.

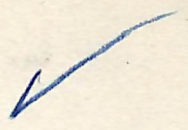
RELATIONSHIP: Friend

REPORTED BY:

J. O. ...
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).
1st Lieut ...

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

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Byrne	3	2-5-8
miles P.	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
BURIED	GRAVE 35	2	35
	ROW 29	2	29
	BLOCK 7	1	6
STATE	Pa	2	44
RANK	Priv.	1	2
DIVISION	6	2	06
ORGANIZATION	6	3	006
AFM	San. Inv.	1	9
MARTIAL	Remarried	1	3
NAME	Byrne	3	
Mr. Jas. G. (Bro.)	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
230 Greenwood Ave.	CITY	3	
Gloucester, N. J.	RELATION	1	1
	OTHER	1	
	ELIGIBILITY	1	6
Foster mother died 1927	NATIVITY	1	
	RACE	1	
	ENGLISH	1	
	ATTENDANT	1	
	HEALTH	1	
	NO. OF SONS	1	
	DATE OF	1	
	TRIP	1	
	ACCEPTANCE	1	

AUDITED
APR 15 1932
RB

m.d. 7/29/514/PJ.

Pa

Byrne, Miles P. Pvt. Amb. Co. #20, 6th San. Tr. Pa.

Mother? died when vet was home XC-109-417

Foster-Mother? died 3-23-27 4-23-27

widow rem father died 1905

Seebode

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WAR DEPARTMENT
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Byrne, Miles P 1232-B

July 8, 1930

Mr. James J. Byrne,
230 Greenwood Ave.,
Gloucester, New Jersey

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:

*Mother died in
1927*

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

If so, give her name and address:

No.

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

If so, give her name and address:

No.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

(Byrne, Miles P.)
1232

Sept. 4, 1929

Mrs. Mary Jennings,
1653 So. Taylor St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

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:

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

His Foster Mother
Died Two years ago.
One Brother is the
only relative living
Geo. J. Byrne
230 Greenwood Ave
John T. Harris Gloucester
N. J.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late **Private Miles P. Byrne, Amb. Co. #20, 6th San. Train, whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.**

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a widow 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.

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

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

Byrne,
(Surname.)

Miles P.
(Christian name in full.)

2,585,982
(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Amb Co Hosp Cps #20 Cav Squa

Unit, Co: 20-62 San. Sq.
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Hoster mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

Yes
(Yes or no.)

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

No
(Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

Mrs Mary Jennings Adams Ex. Co. W. U. Tel. Co.
(Name of person to receive remains.) (Express office.) (Telegraph office.)

1653 South Taylor Philadelphia Penna
(Number and street.) (City or town.) (State.)

(Sign here)

Mary Jennings

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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Drawn by MFS

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In reply refer to:
293.8 C-R 43943

January 26, 1923.

Mrs. Mary Jennings,
1653 So. Taylor St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of the late Pvt. Miles P. Byrne, Amb. Co #20 6th San. Train, is No. 35, Row 29, Block F, Meuse-Argonne American cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) France.

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

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing 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.

MAILED

Very truly yours,

JAN 26 1923

H. J. Conner, **EE**
Assistant. *C*

G.R.S.

DATE 10/14/21

1. NAME BYRNE, Miles P. SERIAL No. 2585982

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Amb.Co.#20, 6th San. Train

GRAVE LOCATION French Mil. Amer.Sec. Gerardmer, Vosges, France. #275.

CITY. NAME NUMBER
18

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 62. Gerardmer Vosges.
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES E. 436-24. " 142-15. Map: Epinal SE 85.

CONCENTRATED TO Jan. 20, 1921. 18
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Gerardmer 275.
CEMETERY CITY. NUMBER

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

"Hospital tag found on body" per GRS Form 16-A, dated Jan. 20, 1921, signed John N.

Merrick, Capt. MC.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Not of record.
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

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SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Stanley J. Grogan
STANLEY J. GROGAN, Capt. Inf. USA.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 10/14/21 35 29 Block F.
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

AUDITED BY

M.M.E.
1-9-23

Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon. Meuse.
CEMETERY

RECEIVED
REGISTRATION CENTER
AUG 16 1922

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.
2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.
3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.
4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form I6, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

Place Gerardmer, (Vosges)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date September 2, 1921

1. REMAINS OF BYRNE, Miles P. SERIAL NUMBER 2585982
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Amb. Co. #20, 6th San. Tr.

2. Disinterred (date): September 2, 1921. From (give complete location): Grave 18. Co., 275.

By: Group 4 Unit Section 5.

3. Reburied (date): Oct 14th 1921 In (give complete location): House Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Gr 35 block F row 29

By: Group re-burial Unit S Nature of reburial unlined casket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
In burlap in pine box.

Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? No On grave marker? Yes

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:
Reburial plaque # 108 found on body. Bottle record found on body.

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? 3-M.B.D. 5-broken off, 7-8-9-10-M.A.D 15-16-cavities.

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

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to determine.

(c) Hair—Color Apparently blond

Quantity Abundant

Characteristics Straight

(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location None

Quantity None

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

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) None visible

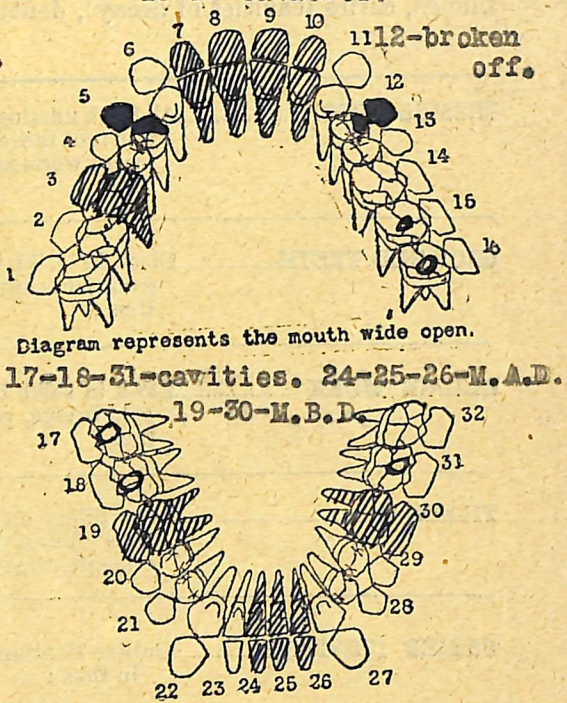


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.

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7. Disinterment supervised by W. H. Smoke Jr.

Approved: S. H. Hunsicker
(Title) 1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.






8. Reburial supervised by W. B. Shields

Approved: James W. Younger
(Title) Capt 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), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

<p>MISSING TEETH.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :</p>	 <p>TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
<p>CROWNED TEETH.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :</p>	 <p>GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN GOLD CROWN</p>
<p>BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :</p>	 <p>GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<p>FILLINGS.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :</p>	 <p>SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
<p>CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</p>	 <p>CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED DECAYED</p>
<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."</p>	

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.



GRAVES REGISTRATION SER.

Place Gerardmer #275

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Jan. 20, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BYRNE, Miler P.

SERIAL NUMBER 2585982

RANK Pvt

ORGANIZATION Amb.Co. 206th San.Cn.

2. Disinterred (date):

1-20-21

From (give complete location):

Grave #62 in cemetery #275
commune of Gerardmer, Vosges, France

By: Group #4

Unit Section II Field Forces

3. Reburied (date):

1-20-21

In (give complete location):

Grave #18 in cemetery #275
commune of Gerardmer, Vosges, France

By: Group #4

Unit Section II FF Nature of reburial Wooden box, burlap

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

Wooden box, underwear

Badly decomposed

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? No On grave marker? Yes

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

Hospital tag 108 found on body... Supposed to be body of Miles P. Byrne

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? 5 & 12 cavities

(a) Height (actual measurement) estimated 68 inches

(b) Weight (estimated) 150 lbs

(c) Hair—Color brown

Quantity thin

Characteristics none discernible

(d) Hair on face—Color none

Location none

Quantity none

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) none discernible

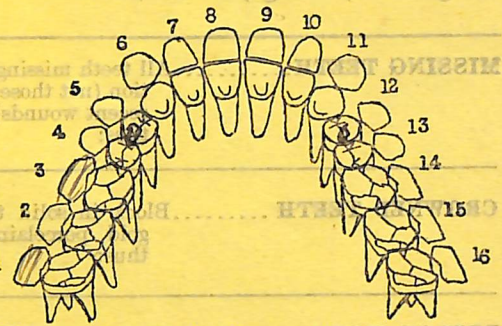
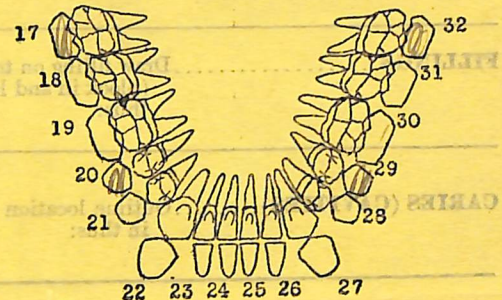


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.

17, 20, 29 & 32 missing



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

none discernible

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7. Disinterment supervised by James McGourty

Approved: John N. Merrick
(Title) Capt., M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by James McGourty






Approved: John N. Merrick
(Title) Capt., M.C.

JAN 25 1921
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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE September 23, 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 BYRNE, Miles P.
- 2. No. 2585982
- 3. Rank Pvt.
- 4. Org. Amb. Co. #20, 6th San. Tr.
- 5. D.D. Oct. 21st. 1918
- 6. C.D. Grippe
- 10. Name _____
- 11. No. _____
- 12. Rank _____
- 13. Org. _____
- 14. (a) D.D. _____
- (b) D.B. No discrepancy

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 18 Sec. _____
- 8. Plot _____ Row _____
- 9. _____
- 15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 16. Plot _____ Row _____
- 17. No discrepancy

- 18. Cemetery French Civ. Amer. Sec.
- 19. Commune or town Gerardmer
- 20. Dept. or County Vosges
- 21. Country France
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. Cty. #275.
- 23. Disinterred (Date) September 2, 1921. By W.H. SMOKE JR.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

- Name MILES P. BYRNE Serial No. _____
- Rank Pvt. Organization Amb. Co. 20 6 San Tr.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? No

Anthony H. Manley
Signature Junior Technical Assistant
ANTHONY H. MANLEY

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 found on body. Reburied. 1-20-21. Reburial plaque #108 found on body.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features Unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial In burlap in pines 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 September 2, 1921. By W.H. SMOKE JR.

31. Casket sealed by W.H. SMOKE JR.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) W.H. SMOKE JR.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **C-2957**

32. Designation of body:

33. Name **BYRNE, Miles P.** Serial No. **2585982**

34. Rank **Pvt.** Organization **Amb.Co.#20, 6th San. Train**

35. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Argonne Amer.Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse #1232.**

36. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **September 2, 1921.** By **W.H.SMOKE JR.**

37. 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 **S.H.HUNSICKER, 1st Lieut.Q.M.C.**

38. Remarks **None**

39. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

40. To point of Concentration

(Name)

41. Convoyer **R.E.Williams** Signature Shipping Officer **F.Overheiser, 1st.Lt.QMC**

42. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

43. By G.R.S. Representative

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

45. To Permanent Cemetery **1232, Meuse-Argonne, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon.**

(Name)

46. Convoyer **R.E.Williams** Signature Shipping Officer **F.Overheiser, 1st.Lt.QMC**

47. Received: Date **Sept 27 1921**

48. G.R.S. Representative **Alfred H. Morgan, Capt**

49. Reinterred: **MeuseArgonne Cem. # 1232 Oct 14th 1921**

(Date)

50. Grave No. **Gr 36 block F row 29** Section

51. Plot **323233** Row **11**

G.R.S. Representative **James W. Younger, Capt QMC.**

James W. Younger, Capt QMC.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON HOBOKEN, N.J.

DEC 1 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q. M. C.
To: Mrs. Mary Jennings, 1653 So. Taylor St., Philadelphia, Pa.
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Miles P. Byrne, Ser.No. 2585982,
Amb. Co., #20, 6th San.Trn.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body be returned to the ~~United States and delivered to you at 1653 South Taylor St., Philadelphia, Pa.~~

NOTED BY FORM #115
20-115

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.
Was soldier married? Soldier's widow	Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne	1653 So Taylor	Phila Pa.
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1 Walter		
	2		
	3		
Father	Dead		
Mother	Mrs. Mary Jennings	1653 So Taylor	Phila Pa.
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1 James J. Byrne	230 Spruance Ave	Hightstown N.J.
	2		
	3		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1 None		
	2		
	3		

Date: Dec 10th 1920

Signature: Mrs. Mary Jennings

Address: 1653 So Taylor St.

Relationship: Mother

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



CEMETERY DIVISION

Dec. 10th, 1920.

I, the undersigned, am the Mother and nearest living relative of the within-named

(Relationship.)

soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:

(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

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~~1. As stated on first page of this sheet.~~

2. To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to _____ (Name.)

(R. R. station.)

Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Division
(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 Mary Jennings

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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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CIVILIAN REGISTRATION SERVICE
MAY DELIVERED

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 43943

(a) Name BYRNE, Miles P. Ser. No. 2585982
(b) Rank Private Organization Amb. Co. #20, 6th San Train.
(c) Date of death 10/21/18 (d) Cause of death Grippe.
TYP. EK
CKR.

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

(a) Grave No. 62, Row D Plot -- Sec. American TYP. EK

(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mary Jennings (friend) 1653 So. Taylor St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Mary Jennings (b) Relationship Foster mother

(c) Address not given

(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? Yes

(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at no

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. Mrs. Mary Jennings 1653 South Taylor - Philadelphia Pa. Adams Exp - W. U. Sele.

(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. -

Examiner's Initials MKS Date 10-25, 1920.

V. A. G. C. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from

dated

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

no correspondence

Examiner's Initials MKS Date 10-25, 1920.

VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE—shows as follows: Mrs. Mary Jennings (Foster-Mother)

1653 So. Taylor St., Phila. Pa. 4-15-20. Cancels former request and wants body remain in France.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes - also

Examiner's Initials also Date 11-3-, 1920.

COUNTRY France

CEMETERY No. 275

SHEET No. 8

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

Typed by _____, Checked by _____

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VIII. FINAL ACTION:

NOV 26 20
Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on _____, 1920

letter on NOV 13 1920 _____, 1920

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PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED *acc*

IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

12-10-20 - Form 120 - from mother, Phila, Pa. Mrs. Mary Jennings 1653 So. Taylor St. 1 requests body remain in France. Widows name is Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne, same address as mother.

2-4-21 - P.M. Phila., Pa. advises Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne now resides at Astor Mills, Delaware Co., Pa.

2-23-21 Letter from Mrs. Thomas G. Cooks, R.F.D. #2, Media, Pa. (relationship not given) requests body remain in France.

H-2-28-21 PW

4/16/21 Note from Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne Cooke, that she was the wife.

4/13/21 Letter from Mrs. Mary A Jennings (foster mother) requests remains left in France.

WAR DEPARTMENT
Quartermaster Corps
Graves Registration Service
Pier 2, Hoboken, N.J.

May 28th, 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 # 275
Transmittal Memorandum Number H-3150

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

REFERENCE NO:

8 Byrne, Miles P. Private, Serial No. 2585982, Amb.Co.#20, 6th San.Train.

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

BY:

J. F. Butler
J. F. BUTLER,
Captain, Infantry.

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

Mrs. Mary R. Jennings,
1653 So. Taylor St.,
Philadelphia, Penna.

Re:- Byrne, Miles P., Pvt., Serial
No. 2585982, Amb. Co. #20, 6th
San. Train.

Dear Madam:-

Your communication dated April 13th, 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.

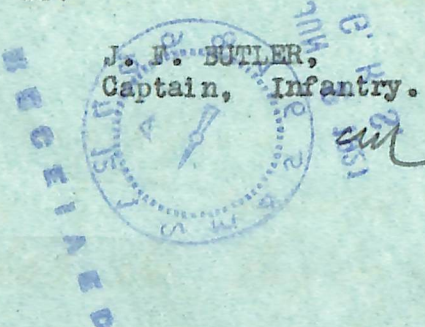
By authority of the Quartermaster General:
Mailed P.O. *R*

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

BY:

J. B. BUTLER,
Captain, Infantry.



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BY:

OFFICER IN CHARGE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
U. S. DEPARTMENT

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

of the Department

the Department desires to have the following information

relative to

whether or not you have been advised by the Department whether

the Secretary's Division, Department of the Interior

Secretary's Division, Department of the Interior, for necessary action
has been forwarded to the Secretary's Division, Office of the
Chief of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior,
and the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior,
and the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
Secretary of the Interior

Best Regards:-

Secretary of the Interior
Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C.

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Mr. Pirce
Dear Sir

I am writing to you regarding the removal of my son's body Miles P. Byrne Amt. Co. 20, 6th Inf. Train who is buried at Gerardmer, Vosges, France. I have filled out my inquiry requesting that his body stay in France and then I received another letter addressed to his wife but she does not live with me now as she has remarried, but I finally located her and gave her the letter and she told me that she was of the same opinion as me that the body stay in France, but she said it in such a way that I didn't think she would bother about answering your letter so I thought I had better write and let you know how matters stand. Hoping you will see that his body stays in France

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Yours respectfully
Mary M. Jennings
1653 So Taylor St.
Phila

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Capt. N. E. Shannon
Quatermaster corps.

Dear Sir.

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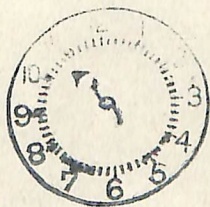
crop 4/21 (3/24) yours of April 16th 1921

In regards to Relationship of
Miles P. Byrne. File no 293. &
Cem Div., Cor. Dr. I was his wife

Yours Respectfully

Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne Cooke

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File No. 293.8 Gen.Div., Cor.Br.
BYRNE, Miles P.

April 16th, 1921.

Mrs. Thomas T. Cooke,
R. F. D. #2,
Media, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:-

Receipt of your communication dated February 23, 1921, relative to the remains of the late Miles P. Byrne, Private, Serial Number 2585982, Ambulance Company No. 20, 6th Sanitary Train, is acknowledged.

Will you kindly advise this office, at the earliest practicable date, what relationship you bear to the deceased soldier, in order that our records may be complete.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

By:

ms. F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.



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Overseas Project Administration

TO: DIRECTOR GENERAL
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

FROM:

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF BUREAU
OF OVERSEAS PROJECT ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

RE: [Illegible]

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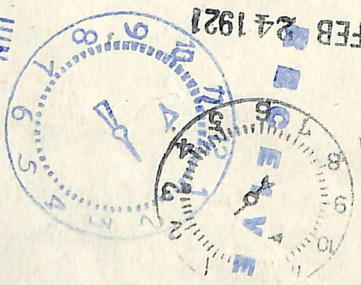
Feb 23rd 1920
R.F.D. #2,
Media Pa.

Lieut J. F. Butler 275-8

Dear Sir:-

I do wish the remains of
Private Miles P. Byrne file
no 293.8 Cem. Div. Cor. Br.
I will say I do wish the
remains lay in France
where a tree falls it should
lay I prefer his body where
it is.
Thanking You

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CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH

I remain
Mrs. Thomas G. Cooke.

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



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January 22nd, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div., Cor.Branch.
(BYRNE, Miles P.)



Postmaster,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:

Please endeavor to locate Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne, whose address at one time was 1653 South Taylor Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and secure a signed statement from her if she concurs in the request of the mother of the late Private Miles P. Byrne, Serial Number 2585982, Ambulance Company #20, 6th Sanitary Train, to have the remains of her husband left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Your cooperation in regard to this matter will be appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

BY:

F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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*Aston Mills
Del Co Pa*

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B. C. EVIUS

BY:

OFFICE OF THE

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

RE:

RE: [Illegible]

FOR THE PURPOSES OF

YOUR COOPERATION IN

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United States Post Office

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

January 27, 1921.

Respectfully

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Supt. Point Breeze Station

for investigation and report.

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J. A. Johnson

Supt.

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

January 22nd, 1921.

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By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

BY:

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F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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G E N E R A L D I V I S I O N , G R A V E S R E G I S T R A T I O N S E R V I C E
R o o m 3 2 0 , P l a z a S , H o b o k e n , N . J .

J a n u a r y 2 2 n d , 1 9 2 1 .

F i l e N o . 3 2 8 , 8 G e n . D i v . , C o m . B r a n c h .
(B Y R N E , M i s s E .)

P o s t m a s t e r ,
P h i l a d e l p h i a , P a .

S i r :

P l e a s e e n d e a v o r t o l o c a t e M r s . E l i z a b e t h
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i n t h e r e q u e s t o f t h e m o t h e r o f t h e l a t e P r i v a t e
M i s s E . B y r n e , S e r i a l N u m b e r 2 8 8 2 3 2 5 , a m b u l a n c e
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Y o u r c o o p e r a t i o n i n r e g a r d t o t h i s m a t -
t e r w i l l b e a p p r e c i a t e d .

B y a u t h o r i t y o f t h e P o s t m a s t e r G e n e r a l
S r a j :

R . E . S H A N N O N ,
C a p t a i n , Q u a r t e r m a s t e r G o r g e ,
O f f i c e r i n C h a r g e .

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February 14th, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Com. Div. Cor. Br.
(Byrne, Miles P.)

Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne,
Aston Mills, Delaware County,
Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:-

This office is in receipt of a communication from Mrs. Mary Jennings, requesting that the remains of the late Miles P. Byrne, Private, Ser. No. 2585982, Amb. Co., #20, 6th San. Train, be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Before this can be accomplished it is necessary that you, as the nearest of kin, forward a signed statement approving the above request.

If you do not concur in the wishes of Mrs. Jennings, kindly state whether you desire the remains of the late soldier, returned to the United States and delivered to you, or interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia.

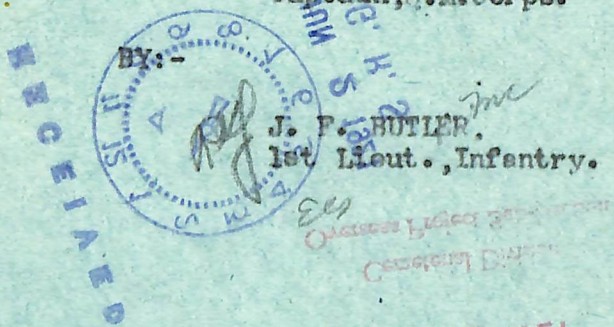
Your early reply will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:-

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q.M. Corps.

J. F. BUTLER,
1st Lieut., Infantry.

MC/rkj.



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By agreement of the undersigned general:-

John Smith and his wife

in the presence of witnesses
testified to the facts stated and referred to above of the
contents of the above mentioned will and that the same
is a true and correct copy of the original.

Witness my hand and seal
this 2nd day of June 1921 at the City of New York

General
I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct
copy of the original of the will of the late
John Smith and his wife as shown to me by the
undersigned and that I am a duly qualified and
authorized officer of the said cemetery.

Done and signed:-

Witness my hand and seal
this 2nd day of June 1921 at the City of New York

(Name of John S.)
No. 107-17 Cemetery

John Smith and his wife

107-17
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December 31, 1920.

File No. 293,8 Gen. Div. Cor. Branch,
(BYRNE, Miles P.)

Mrs. Elizabeth Byrne,
1653 So. Taylor Street,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Kindly inform this office of your wishes in the matter of disposition of the remains of your late husband, Miles P. Byrne, Private, Ser. No. 2585982, Amb. Co. #2, 6th San. Train, stating definitely whether or not you desire the remains left in France, returned to the United States and delivered to you, or interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia.

Your early reply will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

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

By

all
J. F. BUTLER,
1st Lieut. Infantry.

JFB
Mailed-O.P.D.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Byrne #2585982 Miles
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pte Amb Co #20, 6th San Train
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: F.H. #20 Gerardena

CAUSE OF DEATH: pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct 22, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: Gerardena, Va.

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

Gerardena, Scale 1/20,000

436.2-141.8

GRAVE NUMBER: Row "D" grave 62

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: Mrs. Mary Jennings

1653 S. Taylor Street
ADDRESS: Philadelphia, Pa.

RELATIONSHIP: Friend

REPORTED BY:

J.P. MacKenzie
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

1st Lieut Chaplain

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington.

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 10/26/20.

File No. *43943* 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 *Byrne* ✓

f. Date of death *10/21/18* ✓

b. Christian name *Miles P.* ✓

g. Cause of death *Grippe* ✓

c. Serial Number *2585982* ✓

h. Authority (C.C.#) *303*

d. Organization *Amb. Co., #20, 6th San Tra.* Emergency address

(Amb. Co., Hosp. Cps. #20 Cav Squad

e. Rank *Private* ✓

j. Relationship *Mrs Mary Jennings (friend)*

1653 So. Tailor

BODY DESCRIPTION
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

DENTAL CHARTS
(See Physical report of *Philip* examination prior to enlistment)

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a. Age of enlistment

a. Strike out teeth missing

b. Color of eyes

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 3
upper right upper left

c. Color of hair

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left

d. Height

e. Weight

f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

*Donnelly CHS
#8 HB43
10/27/20
PPH*

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

CEMETERY NO: 275

BY:

SHEET NO: 8
TYPED BY: ZS

H. J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
~~Quartermaster General~~
1st. Lt. Q. M. G.



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POST OFFICE
(See page 10 of the Service Record)

- 1. Name of applicant
- 2. Date of birth
- 3. Occupation
- 4. Education
- 5. Service Record
- 6. Character
- 7. Physical Condition
- 8. Moral Character
- 9. Social Standing
- 10. Financial Condition
- 11. Family
- 12. Other

Information of all information

Subject: Information required for

To: The National Council of the

From: The National Council of the

Date: 10/28/20

Signature: [Signature]

Address: [Address]

City: [City]

State: [State]

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON.

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Form # 113

April 17, 1920.

No: 43943-(Private Miles P. Byrne)
From: Quartermaster General, U.S.Army (Cemeterial Division)
To: Mrs. Mary Jennings, 1653 So. Taylor St., Phila. Pa.
Subject: Grave Location.

1. In reply to your inquiry of April 15th we beg to say that the records of the Cemeterial Division contain the following information as to grave location of Private Miles P. Byrne Ambulance Company #20, 6th San. Train buried in French Military Cemetery at Gerardmer, Vosges, Grave #62, Row D, American Sec.

2. The grave has been registered and suitably marked for present purposes, pending the adoption of a more permanent monument by the National Fine Arts Commission, which now has the matter under consideration.

3. Your request for the permanent burial of your son in Europe has been noted and the necessary instructions will be forwarded to the Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C. in Europe.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

By:

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

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ewc.

APR 19 1920
G. B. R. MALLON
CHIEF

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

Date 4-16-20

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME *Byrne, Miles P.* Serial Number

RANK ORGANIZATION *Amb. Co. #20 6th San Train.*

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	1) yes Put Serial# 2585982
2.	Date of Death.	2) 10-21-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	3) Grippe
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	4) #303
5.	Date buried.	5) 10-22-18
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	6) Grave #62 Row D Amer. Sect. French Mil City. #275 Gerardmer, Vosges ✓
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	x0) (a) yes 2) yes
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	(friend)
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	11) Mrs Mary Jennings 1653 Taylor St. Philadelphia, Pa.
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	
12.	Has been notified? (Give date)	x2) 1-17-19
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	14) Not given
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	
15.	Inquiry made by?	

Released by Information Control Dept. *Eda*
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 Cards 4x6

N.B. All Proper names to be typewritten, or printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

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Inquiry

April 15th 1920

Mr. C. C. Pierce

Colonel, 2. M.C. U.S.A.

Mr. Pierce

I would like to make a request to you not to have my son's body removed from France, I was thinking about having him removed but I have talked to some of his comrades and they have informed me that he is buried in a very nice cemetery so I have decided to leave him rest there rather than feel the way I did when I received notice of his death.

Hoping you can attend to this for me for which I will be very thankful to you I remain

Yours respectfully.

Mrs. Mary Jennings

1653 So. Taylor St.

Phila. Pa.

My son's name is Miles P. Byrne
Ambulance Co. # 20 Sixth Inf. Train
He is Buried in the French Military
Cemetery, Gerardmer. Dept. of the Vosges.

Reference:

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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A. E. F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

July 2nd 1919

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
Sergeant Thomas J. Pierce, Base Hospital No 108, Mesves Hospital
TO: Center A.P.O. 798 A.E.F.
Private Miles Byrne, Ambulance Co. No. 20, 6th Sanitary Train.
SUBJECT:

1. In reply to your letter of inquiry, with reference to the regretted death of this soldier, according to the records at these Headquarters he is buried in the French Military Cemetery Gerardmer, Row D, American Section, Department of the VOSGES. The grave is # 62.

2. This office is unable to give you any information regarding the circumstances surrounding the death of this soldier. However a letter has to-day been addressed to the Chaplain of this mans organization, who will doubtless be able to give you the desired information.

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

(Encl. G.R.S.10-B:)

CCP/sp.

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Base Hospital No. 108,
Mesves Hospital Center,
A.P.O. 798, A.E.F.,
May 1, 1919.

From: Sergt. 1/cl Thomas J. Pierce.
To: The Chief Quartermaster, A. E. F.
Subject: Request for information.



1. Request information as to the death, circumstances surrounding same, illness and burial of my cousin, Private Miles Byrne, formerly of Ambulance Co. No. 20, Sixth Sanitary Train.

2. His brother, James Byrne, Chews Landing P. O., New Jersey, U. S. A., has sent me a letter of appeal, asking that I make an effort to learn the cause of his death.

3. I believe he was buried in the American Section of the French and Communal Cemetery, Gerardmer, Vosges, France.

Thomas J. Pierce
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Base Hospital No. 108
Meaves Hospital Center
A.P.O. 788
May 1, 1918



From: Sgt. I/O Thomas J. Pierce
To: The Chief Quartermaster
Subject: Request for information

1. Request information as to the
circumstances surrounding the illness and
of my cousin, Private Lyle Byrne, formerly of Amb-
lance Co. No. 20, Sixth Cavalry Train.

2. His brother, James Byrne, Quar-
termaster P. O., New Jersey, N. J., has sent me
a letter of appeal, asking that I make an effort
to learn the cause of his death.

3. I believe he was buried in the
American section of the French and German Cemetery,
Gersheim, Vosges, France.

Thomas J. Pierce
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