

1232-28

Cegerski, Mike

54,915

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt 1cl

Co L 26 Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(Yes or no.)

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

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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G.R.S. Form #114-B

Apr 27 1926

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gc DATE Dec. 30th, 1921.

1. NAME CEGERSKI, Mike SERIAL No. 54915

RANK Pvt. 1/cl. ORGANIZATION Co. L. 9 26th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse Arg. Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) **DIVISION 1st** 1232 Sec. 28

CTY. NAME NUMBER

142 Sec. 28 3

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Nothing of record *Evermont Ardennes.*

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES 281.2N 301.9E Verdun NE35

CONCENTRATED TO 6-6-19 142 Sec. 28 3

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne 1232

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

DATE OF DEATH Oct 7, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Mich

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED Citation in G.O. 1, let date 1/1/20

Data from Form 1

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

| DATE | GRAVE | ROW | PLOT | CEMETERY |
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SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Dec 30th, 1921. Wm M. Cline 24 Captain Q.M.C.

DATE GRAVE Block ROW PLOT

Wm M. CLINE
Captain Q.M.C.

AUDITED BY

M. J. D. - 3/27/23.

Meuse Argonne Amer. Cty # 1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse).

CEMETERY

A. G. O.
APR 30 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

MAY 3 1926

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

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Cegerski, ⁹¹⁵ 54915, Mike.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

unknown Co. "L", 26th Inf.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL.....

PLACE OF BURIAL Field of Battle.....

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

Coordinates X - 302.200 Y - 281.600

GRAVE NUMBER.....

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

Headboard?..... Bottle?..... 54915

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:

piece of shrapnel

2004751

REPORTED BY:

Oliver J. Hart,
Chaplain, 5th F.A.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

h Inf.

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

C° L. 26th Inf.
1st Div.

Was hit in
on the morning of

C° L. 26th Inf.
1st Div.

^R
CEGENSKI, Mike, Pfc 54915

Was hit in the head and killed instantly by a piece of shrapnel
on the morning of Oct. 6th 1918.

Informant : Wilson, Kimel O. Pvt 2004751
C° L. 26 Inf.

Signed : Coonan, J, Capt. 26th Inf.

3/7/19

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54915
GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Cederski *5419* *Mike*
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials)
Private *Co L 26th Inf*
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL: *October 12 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *X 302. 6004281. 600*

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

GRAVE NUMBER: *12*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *Yes*

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

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

St Shivers, 53rd P. Inf.

NEAREST RELATIVE: *in charge of*

ADDRESS: *burial details*

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Oliver Hart, Chaplain 5FA
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

Place NEUFCHATEAU

Date 18th June 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: CEGERSKI Mike

Number 54915

Rank: Pvt.

Organization

Co L 26th Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group:

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From (Give complete location)

6 6th June 1919

Grave # 12 B:A:CTY:#

ESERMONT ARDENNES 35NE 301.9E 281.2N

Reburied (Date)

In: (Give complete location)

6th June 1919

Grave # 142 Sec 28n Plot 3

ARGONNE AMER.CTY:# 1232

ROMAGNE MEUSE

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

Burial good, buried in Uniform, body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body?

No

What other means of identification were found on the body?

None

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found on bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 1918., after being carefully examined for clues of identity in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Lt. Grant.

r/s

R. H. ROSENTHAL

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

C.O. Group

Unit

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G. R. S.

SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION - File No. 21-A.

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

20 FÉV 1919

FROM) : Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO) : Mr. Paul Moss, 176 4th St., Detroit, Mich.
SUBJECT) : Place of Burial.
Pvt.1cl. Mike Cegerski, Co. L 26th., Infantry
Died October 7th., 1918
Commune of Exermont Ardennes, France.

It is a matter of grief to me that word must go from my office that is sure to cause sorrow to people at home, whose brave men have made war's supreme sacrifice for the sake of civilization.

You have probably already received some notice of the regrettable casualty that causes me to write to you; and, if so, it may be that you will derive some measure of comfort and satisfaction from the fact that the body you cherish has been buried as noted above.

The grave location has not been confirmed by the field force of this Service, but the notification of burial has been made to us, as herein stated. As soon as confirmation of the location has been completed, you will be promptly advised.

Thousands of such letters must be written, and my office is deluged with correspondence which is being attended to as rapidly as our men can work.

We want to serve you, sympathetically and satisfactorily, and you may be sure that our best efforts are being given to that end.

May I count myself as your friend and be permitted to hope that you may have Divine comfort in your grief?

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

All future correspondence on the subject of this letter should be addressed:

Chief, Graves Registration Service,
American Expeditionary Forces,
Headquarters, S.O.S., France.

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293,3 - Cegerski, Mike

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

G. R. S.
BULLETIN
No. 10-B.

INFORMATION FOR THE FRIENDS OF OUR DEAD

1. **THE GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE**, a branch of the Quartermaster Corps, is the official organization of the War Department, charged with the acquisition and control of cemeteries in every country embraced within the Field of Operations. It is also responsible for the marking and preservation of all graves. No other organization shares this authority, or has power to effect arrangements or make promises concerning this work. It must be remembered also that this Service does not bury the dead, but confines its operations to the location and control of graves. It is not prepared to give information on other subjects.

2. **CIRCUMSTANCES OF DEATH.** The Graves Registration Service does not receive information relative to the circumstances surrounding the death of soldiers, and inquiries under this heading should be addressed to the chaplain of the organization in which the soldier was serving at the time of his death.

3. **OUR FIELD FORCE** operates within all areas, and every effort is made to perfect identifications and to guard the resting places of our dead. The Government has undertaken to do everything which is humanly possible, in view of the extreme difficulties involved in the stress or consequence of the greatest war in the history of the world.

4. **THE EXACT LOCATION OF A GRAVE** is communicated, whenever possible, to the person whom the soldier had previously registered as the proper one to be addressed, in case of casualty. The great mass of information to be gathered, verified, and transmitted, will generally account for delays in notification.

5. **FLOWERS, FLAGS, ETC.** We are frequently asked to accept commissions to place flowers, flags and other gifts on separated graves, but such requests must necessarily be denied because of the wide extent of our territory, the exhausting nature of the work, and the impossibility of reaching a thousand or more burial places under the difficult conditions which obtain. Such requests are also discouraged for the reason that there should be no inequality in the treatment of our nation's dead.

6. **MONUMENTS.** For the same reason, in addition to the fact that the Government would eventually be obliged to transport monuments with bodies to designated places of final burial, it is not at present permitted to erect any permanent monument; all graves being temporarily marked with a cross or the regulation headboard, such as is used in National Cemeteries in the United States. No other markers can be authorized until the final disposition of the dead has been made.

7. **PERSONAL EFFECTS.** Personal effects are not handled by this Service. Inquiries concerning the same should be addressed to The Adjutant General of the Army, Washington, D.C.

8. **DISINTERMENTS.** The exhumation of bodies is at present prohibited by the laws of the countries in which we are operating. No exception can be made until the War Department shall have completed its plans for the shipment of bodies to the States. This applies also to disinterments for emplacement in metal caskets; such action, for military reasons, having been disapproved.

9. **RETURN OF BODIES** to the U.S. will be made in due time, except in cases where a specific request to the contrary is made; which request should be addressed to The Adjutant General of the Army, Washington, D.C., who will issue proper instructions. Due announcement of the return of bodies will be made, and the time cannot be hastened by appeals for priority, precedence, or favoritism in the listing of claims. The final disposition of bodies will be considered and executed as an entire project, at such time, probably after the conclusion of peace, as the vastness and difficulty of this almost inconceivable task may make possible.

10. While some of these restrictions may seem unreasonable to friends in the first outburst of their sorrow, experience has shown the same to be necessary, and our people are asked to accept the sacrifice which they impose, in the same spirit in which our men on the world's battle field have offered up themselves, viz., for the good of a great Cause.

By authority :

Charles C. PIERCE
Lieut. Colonel. Q. M. C., U. S. A.
Chief, G. R. S.

PHOTOGRAPHY OF GRAVES AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES

1. **PHOTOGRAPHY OF GRAVES** is entirely controlled by the Chief of the Graves Registration Service, American Expeditionary Forces, France. No photographs of graves should be taken except by the special photographers of this Service, who, under the operation of military orders, are assigned to the Staff of its Chief, by the American Red Cross.

2. An officer of the American Red Cross, designated as Director of Photography, is assigned to the Staff of the Chief, Graves Registration Service, for this work, under his direction, and funds are provided through the War Chest contributed by the American people. No funds should be sent to the Graves Registration Service, the Red Cross, or individual officers for this purpose from any private source.

3. Operators are now photographing graves in France, Belgium, Italy, Great Britain and Ireland, and it is expected that within a very few months the finished photographs will be transmitted to the relatives of our dead.

4. Owing to the difficulties of obtaining the necessary technical staff, and the inadvisability of setting up a large photographic laboratory in France, it has been decided to distribute these photographs through the Bureau of Communication, American Red Cross National Headquarters, Washington, D. C., and all applications for pictures should be filed there, as soon as notification of the location of grave has been received by a relative from the Chief, Graves Registration Service.

5. The photographers work under route instructions issued by the Chief, Graves Registration Service, and in the interest of economy and labor-saving, it has been decided that these operators will not be able to make special trips to distant points to take individual photographs in response to urgent requests received from the United States or elsewhere. The time so consumed would prolong the period of waiting on the part of many others.

6. It is the desire to furnish the best possible service to sorrowing friends at home, and with this end in view, it is earnestly requested that relatives of our dead will be as patient as possible in awaiting these photographs. It will be appreciated that if requests are forwarded directly to the Graves Registration Service of the Army in France, it will only add to the burden of the work, without achieving the end in view; as, for reasons given above, appeals for priority, precedence or favoritism in the listing of claims cannot be considered, and photographs can only be forwarded from Washington.

By direction of Lieutenant Colonel CHARLES C. PIERCE
Chief, Graves Registration Service :

Maurice B. Dix.
Captain, American Red Cross,
Director of Photography,
Graves Registration Service.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

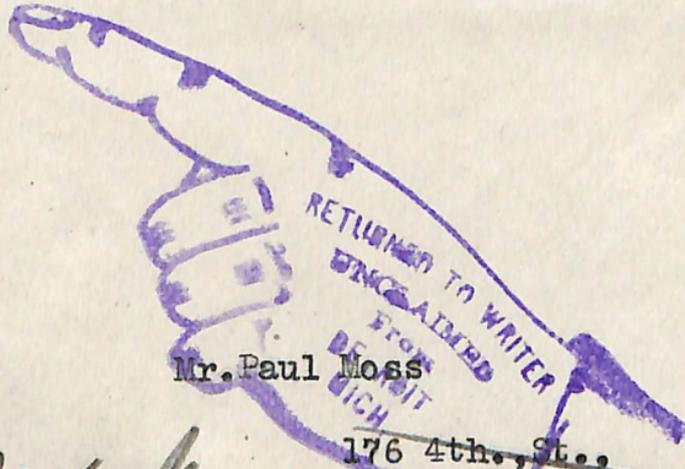
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GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
American Expeditionary Forces

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Mr. Paul Moss

176 4th. St.

Detroit, Mich.



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| HEADING | SUB-HEADING | NO. OF COLS | CODE |
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| NAME | <i>Cegerski</i> | 3 | <i>357</i> |
| | <i>Mike</i> | | |
| BURIED | CEMETERY <i>1232</i> | 1 | <i>1</i> |
| | GRAVE <i>17</i> | 2 | <i>17</i> |
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| | BLOCK <i>C</i> | 1 | <i>3</i> |
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| DIVISION | <i>1</i> | 2 | <i>01</i> |
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cegerski, Mike

August 21, 1929

Mr. Paul Moss,
176--4th St., East,
Detroit, Mich.

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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".

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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?
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.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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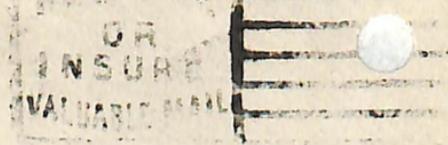
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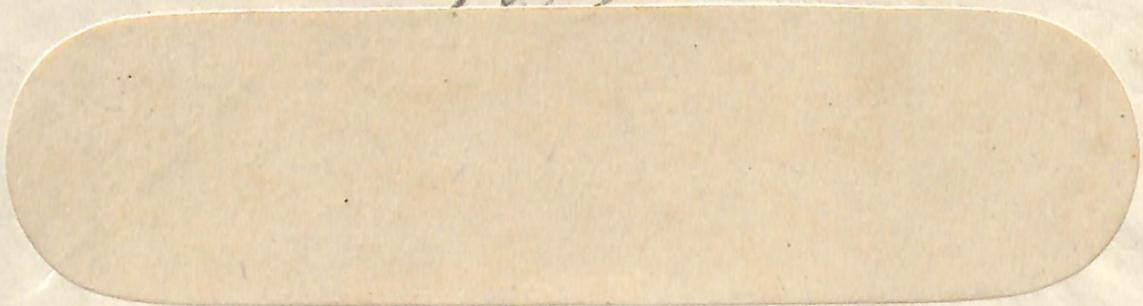
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Cegerski, Mike

June 29, 1929.

Mr. Mike Cegerski
176 4th St., E.
Detroit, Mich.

(Friend)
Mr Paul Moss,
176-4th St. East
Detroit,
Mich.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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John T. Harris
JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
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In reply refer to:
293 C-R

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

June 27, 1923.

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Detroit, Mich.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private 1/c Mike Cegerski, Company L, 26th Infantry, is Grave 17, Row 24, Block C, 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, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were 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.

Very truly yours,

RD.

H. J. Conner
H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

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Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #83541

(a) Name CEGERSKI, Mike Ser. No. 54915 (4-26-21) x
(b) Rank Pvt. 1/cl Organization Co. I, 26th Infantry
(c) Date of death Abt. 10/7/18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. DMA
CKR. 13

*3/27/22
2/22/22
for concentration
Munich-Argonne #1232
Att 4/11/22*

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

(a) Grave No. 142 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 28 TYP. IMA
(b) Emerg. Address Paul Moss (Friend) 176 4th St., Detroit, Mich.

*OK (4-26-21)
E.M.
Coer.*

III. Files of/soldiers dying from contagious diseases _____ CKR. 13. J.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD: *no card in file - BOR - 4-11-21* Date of receipt _____

(a) Name _____ (b) Relationship _____
(c) Address _____
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? _____
(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 _____ Date _____, 1920.

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

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

no correspondence
Examiner's Initials BOR Date 4-11-, 1920.

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

no request for disposition
(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes

Examiner's Initials BOR Date 4-11-, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-sec.28 SHEET No. 36

*checked
6-22-21
6-11*

ADP 7-2-21

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

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
MAY 20 1921
letter on _____, 1920

Sec. 28 PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED (A.A.S.)

IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *B.A.N.R. Mr. Mike Cegeriski (Friend)
176 - 4th East, Detroit, Mich. 6-30-21 E.M.*

Location Index

..... Discrepancies

Name

Location Index

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

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Remarks

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Discrepancies

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Checkers

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No. *778W. sent,*

Org. *4-16-21,*

Remarks *checked 2/17*

S-1783/MB *4-12-21*

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

Form 115
Att 4/11/22
See

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #83541

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 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/c1 Organization Co. I, 26th Infantry } TYP.
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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 MAY 20 1921, 192

Sec 28 **PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED** (7. a-s)

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

| Date of and source. | Relationship and name. | Desires. | Action taken. |
|---------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------|
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VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. 192

COUNTRY CEMETERY No. SHEET No.

AP-7-2-21

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place ROMAGNE 1232.

Date Dec. 30th 1921

1. REMAINS OF CEGERSKI, Mike SERIAL NUMBER 54915

RANK Pvt 1 cl. ORGANIZATION Co. L. 26th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Dec. 30 1921 From (give complete location):

Gr 142, sec 28, plot 3, cem 1232.

By: Group 3 Unit Section 1

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

Dec. 30th, 1921. Grave 17, Row 24, Block C, Cemetery 1232.

By: Group Reburial S Unit Unlined Casket, Nature of reburial

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

Pine box, burlap and uniform.

Body badly decomposed, features not recognizable.

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

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

None

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

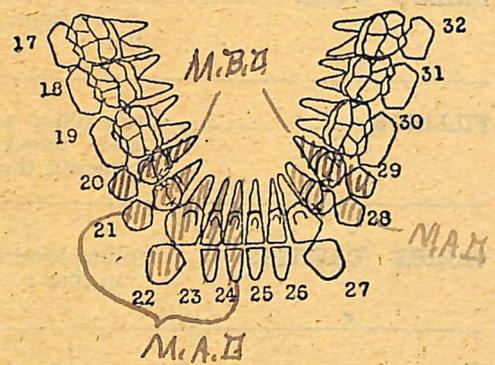
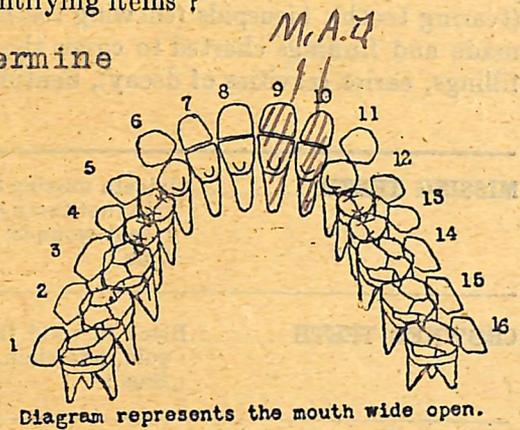
(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

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

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



7. Disinterment supervised by J. L. Haky

Approved: B. Overheiser
Capt. OMC.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault
JEL A. U. Dufault,

Approved: James W. Younger
Captain A.M.C.
(Title)

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.

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| <p>MISSING TEETH.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :</p> |  <p align="center">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 align="center">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 align="center">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 align="center">SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p> |
| <p>CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</p> |  <p align="center">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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec 30 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

80

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name CEGERSKI, Mike

10. Name

2. No. 54915

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt. 1/Cl.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. L., 26th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. On or Abt. Oct. 7th.

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 142 Sec. 28

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 3 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. None

18. Cemetery Meuse-Arg. Amer.

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France.

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232.Sec.28

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec 30 1921

By J L Haky

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Mike Gegerski

Serial No. 54915

Rank PFC

Organization Co L 26 Inf

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

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

C T Brown

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

None

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial Pine box burlap and uniform

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 Dec 30 1921 By J L Haky

31. Casket sealed by J L Haky

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor J L Haky)

SHIPMENT (Show actual marking of box.) Box No.

C-21801

32. Designation of body:

Name **MIKO CROENSKI**

Rank **Pvt. 1/Cl.**

Organization **Co. L., 26th Inf.**

Serial No. **54915**



33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **House-Arg. Amer. Cty. 1232. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon. House.**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Dec 30 1921**

Bv **J L Haky**

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

F Overheiser, Capt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Dec 30 1921**

To point of Concentration **Morgue Romagne**

Convoyer **W J Royed**

Signature Shipping Officer

F Overheiser, Capt.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery

Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred **House Argonne Cemetery 1232. Dec. 30th, 1921.**

42. Grave No. **17** Section

43. Plot **Block C** Row **24**

G.R.S. Representative

**James W. Younger,
Captain C.M.C.**

JEL

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

*Double
check!*

Harlow C.W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Cegerski, Mike, Pvt. 1/c.

1232-Sec.28 - 36

4/16/21.

167541

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

DATE OF DEATH

54915
54019

Co. L, 26th Inf.

Abt.10/7/18.

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department

DATE _____

Date 6-30-21 E.M.

PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE

RELATIONSHIP

Mr Mike Cegerski,

Friend.

ADDRESS

176-4th East, Detroit, Mich - (E.M. Address)

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION

RELATIONSHIP

S/1868/LML

no record

H. J. P. P.

83541

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Cegulski 54019 Mike
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

(Rank). Co. 25th Inf (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: N

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL: October 12, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: X 302.2004 281.600

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

COMME. EXPERT (Ardennes)

(O.R. 09) SHT. 35 N.E. 1007.0 } E 302.2
N 281.6

GRAVE NUMBER: 12

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes

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

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

Pt Shearer, 53rd P Inf

NEAREST RELATIVE: in charge of

ADDRESS: burial detail

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Oliver Hart, Chaplain 5FA
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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



Communal List No. 678-209
Daily Report No. _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

FROM: O.Q.M.G.,
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

Adjustment Made

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

Date: _____

File No. 83541 Requisition

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

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 Cegerski ✓
- b. Christian name Mike ✓
- c. Serial Number ~~54019~~ 54,915 ✓
- d. Organization Co. L, 28th Inf. ✓
- e. Rank Pvt. 1/c. ✓
- f. Date of death Abt. 10/7/18. ✓
- g. Cause of death K/A. ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#) 307.
- i. Emergency address Paul Mass
176 1/2 W. 4th St. East, Detroit, Mich.
- j. Relationship friend

NOTED FORM 115
DATE 4-26-21 E.M.

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

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

- a. Strike out teeth missing
- 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
upper right upper left
- 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left

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

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

BY: H. J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

CEMETERY NO: C.W. 1232-Sec.28

SHEET NO: 36
TYPED BY: I.W.

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Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
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Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

FILE

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- a. Surname *Cegerski* ✓
- b. Christian name *Mike* ✓
- c. Serial Number ~~54019~~ *54,915* ✓
- d. Organization *Co. L, 26th Inf.* ✓
- e. Rank *Pvt. 1/c.* ✓
- f. Date of death *Abt. 10/7/18.* ✓
- g. Cause of death *K/A.* ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#) *307.*
- i. Emergency address *Paul Mass*
176-4th St East, Detroit, Mich.
- j. Relationship *friend*

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DATE 4-26-21 *EM*

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C.W.
CEMETERY NO: 1232-Sec.28
SHEET NO: 36
TYPED BY: I.W.

H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.
BY: *H. J. Conner*
H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

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Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

Adjustment Made

Date: 4/18/21

U.S. Form 8, 4-1-21
Information registered at A.C.O.

File No. 100-100000-100000
Registration

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 5th & E Sts., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Subject: Information required for U.S.S.

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

- a. Surname Gegeraki
- b. Christian name Mike
- c. Serial number 24012
- d. Organization Co. J, 35th Inf.
- e. Rank Pvt. 1/c
- f. Relationship
- g. Emergency address
- h. Authority (C.O.A.)
- i. Cause of death KIA
- j. Date of death Apr. 10/1918

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- PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION (See page 23 of the Service Record)
1. Permanent marks (Scars, tattoos or physical defects of enrollment) (Old fractures or breaks)
- a. Age of enlistment
 - b. Color of eyes
 - c. Color of hair
 - d. Height
 - e. Weight
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1st Lieut. U.S.A.

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American Expeditionary Forces

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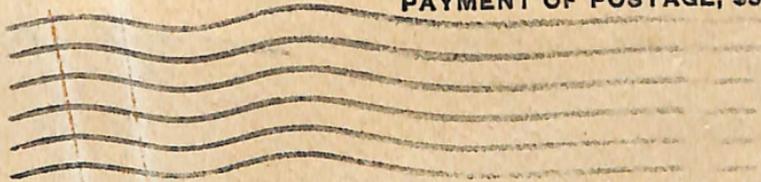
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Mr. Paul Moss,
176 4th St.,
Detroit, Michigan.

FILE

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MAIL
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Cegerski, Mike. - deceased.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON.

AGO CARD
RETURNED
MAR 29 1919
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Mrs Paul Moss,
176 4th St., East,
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Sir:

The War Department desires to ascertain the wishes of the families of officers, enlisted men, and civilian employees regarding the permanent disposition of the bodies of those who have died overseas.

The original plan of the Department was to deliver the body in every case at the home address of the deceased to the person legally entitled to dispose of the remains. A desire has been expressed, however, in numerous instances to have the body remain abroad, and General Pershing is likely soon to enter into negotiations with the French and Allied Governments with the view of establishing permanent cemeteries for members of the American Expeditionary Forces. Marshal Petain in a most courteous letter has informed General Pershing that "France would be happy and proud to retain the bodies of the American victims who have fallen upon her soil."

A bill is now before Congress for the establishment of "Fields of Honor" abroad, which will insure future care by the United States Government as national cemeteries are now cared for. Burials have been made heretofore in cemeteries of the Allied nations or at or near the battle field in land set apart for this purpose as a cemetery, and religious services in accordance with the rites of the Protestant, Catholic, or Hebrew faith have been held at the grave.

In case the remains of a deceased soldier are returned to the United States they will be interred either at the former home of the deceased or at a national cemetery, according to the wishes of the one authorized to direct the disposition of the remains, and all expenses, including transportation, casket, shipping case, flag, and the preparation of the remains for shipment, will be paid by the United States. Hire of a hearse and other burial expenses incurred at the home of the deceased may be paid, on application by the relatives, by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Treasury Department.

In order that the proper disposition of the remains may be made, and that such disposition be directed by the person entitled to do so, the War Department will recognize the right to direct the disposition of remains in the following order:

In the case of an unmarried man—

- (1) Father; (2) mother, if father is dead; (3) brother, if both parents are dead; (4) sister, if both parents are dead and there are no brothers.

In the case of a married man—

- (1) Wife; (2) parents or children and other relatives in order set forth above.

It is desired that the information indicated on the inclosed card be furnished concerning the person named thereon at the earliest practicable date. If the card is received by some one not authorized to direct the disposition to be made of the remains, please deliver this circular and the card to the person who is entitled to do so.

The Department is unable to state when it will be possible to begin the removal of the remains of the soldiers, but the information requested is being collected at this time in order that there may be no delay when the time comes for such removal.

In returning the card please use the inclosed addressed penalty envelope, which requires no postage.

Very respectfully,

P. C. HARRIS,
The Adjutant General.

54, 915-

Cegerdski, Mike
Putiel co L 26 Inf.

E. a.

1. On letter ret'd.

Mr. Paul Moss

176 - 4 St. East

"Not known"

? Cas file -

Paul Moss (friend)

176 - 4 St. E.

Detroit Mich.

Corres file

same E. a.

Reply returned
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MAY 21 1919

f. f. h.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

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