

To The A. G. O.

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G.R.S. Form #114-B

DEC 23 1925

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FULL NAME ..... CERULO, Luigi *sol. sig.*

RANK..... Private ..... SERIAL..... 63807

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ..... Company B, 102nd Infantry *26 Div*

DATE OF DEATH..... *July 21/18*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME..... *Connecticut*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED..... *none of any*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....

Date

Grave

Row

Block

12  
11  
A  
608

Cemetery

*Mother dead  
& no widow*

DEC 29 1925

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DEC 23 1925  
WORLD WAR DIV.

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Co B. 102nd Infantry  
26th Division

Cerulo, Luigi, rot 63807  
Home: ..

Killed in action July 22nd 1918 (Chateau Thierry) by machine  
gun bullet through the head, while on action with the company.

Buried at Epieds.

Informant: Cuomo, Augustine Cpl. 63814  
Co. B. 102nd Infantry

Emergency address:  
Dominico Farmato (uncle)  
65 Whiting St,  
New Haven Conn.

Searcher: J.O. Rhodes, 1st Lt, Inf.

FILE

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CROSS INDEX

SYNOPSIS OF COMMUNICATION RECEIVED AND INDORSED OUT.

DATED: June 10, 1919.                      DATE RECEIVED IN July 4, 1919.  
FROM: Aldo Pancrazi, Director of Emigration Service, Washington D.C.  
TO: Adjutant General, War Department, Washington, D.C.

Request a location of the grave of Pvt. Luigi Cerulo, #63807  
Co. B, 102nd Infantry, who was killed in action July 23, 1918.

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293.3  
Cerulo, Luigi

1st Ind.

201 (Cerule, Luigi) Enl  
Burial Records Section

obs-  
7th & B

War Department, A. G. O. July 31, 1919., - To the Quartermaster General's Office,  
Cometerial Branch.

For the location of the grave of Private Luigi Cerule, #63807, Company B,  
102nd Infantry, who was killed in action July 23, 1918.

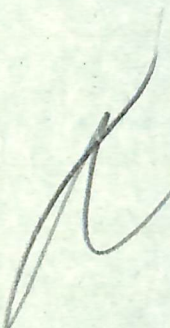
By order of the Secretary of War

*W. V. Garter*  
Adjutant General.

(Synopsis made)



AUG 16 1919



2nd Ind.

In answer refer to File No. 293.3 (Cerulo, Luigi)-Cemeterial Office, Quartermaster General, August 16, 1919--To The Adjutant General of the Army, War Dept., (REFERENCE 201 Cerulo, Luigi Enl. Burial Records Section 4th & B July 31, 1919).

Returned. The records of this office afford no information relative to the location of the grave of the abovenamed soldier.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

H. R. Lemly,  
Major, Quartermaster Corps.

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Cerulo	3	358 <sup>0</sup>
BURIED	Luigi	1	2
	CEMETERY 608	1	
	GRAVE 12	2	12
	ROW 11	2	11
	BLOCK 4	1	1
STATE	Conn	2	06
RANK	Pfc	1	2
DIVISION	26	2	26
ORGANIZATION	102	3	102
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	no	1	2
NAME	Cerulo	3	
RESIDENCE	Angel Antonio	2	
	(Father - Italy)	2	
RELATION	mother	3	
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Head	1	6
NATIVITY	(in Italy)	1	
RACE	(no loco or SM)	1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

**AUDITED**  
AUG 4 1932 MB

ACCEPTANCE  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

DATE 8/22/31

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Cerulo, Luigi	PFC $\frac{1}{2}$	63807	Co. B, 102nd Inf.	7/21/18

STATE	CTY. NO.	GRAVE	ROW	BLOCK
	608	12	11	A

	Check relationship	Living - Deceased	
		Living	Deceased
	<u>MOTHER</u>	:	: ✓ :
	STEMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	: :
NAME	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION	:	: :
AND	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	: (7) :
ADDRESS	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	: <u>Angelantonio's Cause, fu</u> :
	WIDOW (who has not remarried)	:	: <u>Scio</u> :
	<u>Single man</u>	:	: <u>via Fuschi</u> :
		:	: <u>Velatans,</u> :
		:	: <u>Prov. di Benevento</u> :
		:	: <u>Italy</u> :

Veterans Bureau Claim Number C 34157  
29/156



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE February 16, 1928

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 CERUILO, Luigi *Conn.* 10. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. No. 63807 11. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Rank Pvt. *1/cl.* 12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Org. Co. B, 102nd Inf. *21. th Div* 13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. D.D. July 23, 1918 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. C.D. KIA. (b) D.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 12 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_ 15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. Plot Block A Row 11 16. Plot (name) Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_ 17. \_\_\_\_\_

18. Cemetery Oise-Aisne 19. Commune or town Seringes-et-Nesles  
 20. Dept. or County Aisne 21. Country France  
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 608  
 23. Disinterred (Date) February 16, 1928 By P.D. Woodman

24. Inscription on grave marker: (Date) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name CERUILO, Luigi Serial No. 63807  
 Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B, 102nd Inf,

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

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).

27. Condition of body \_\_\_\_\_

28. Nature of burial Pine box and burlap

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? \_\_\_\_\_

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date February 16, 1928 By P.D. Woodman

31. Casket sealed by P.D. Woodman

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) P.D. Woodman

B.D. MOORE

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

32. Designation of body : \_\_\_\_\_

Name CERULO, Luigi Serial No. 63807

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B, 102nd Inf.

33. Consigned to :

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) February 16, 1928 By Charles E. Spahn

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 Charles E. Spahn

36. Remarks \_\_\_\_\_  
Charles E. Spahn

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

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 \_\_\_\_\_

To Permanent Cemetery \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name)

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer \_\_\_\_\_

40. Received: Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

41. Reinterred February 16, 1928, Oise-Aisne American Cty.  
(Date)

42. Grave No. 12 Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. Plot Block A Row 11

S. No. 63807 I. No. \_\_\_\_\_

G.R.S. Representative William E. Moore

William E. Moore, Superintendent.

DISINTERMENT  
COMPARATIVE REPORT  
REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PRESERVATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURYING OF BODIES  
To be prepared in duplicate.  
DATE February 16, 1928  
G.R.S. FORM 171-A  
STATION Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne  
Oise-Aisne 102nd Inf.

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place 9-Aisne Cty. 608

Date February 16, 1928.

1. REMAINS OF CERULO, Luigi SERIAL NUMBER 63807  
RANK Private ORGANIZATION Co. B. 102nd Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : February 16, 1928 From (give complete location) :  
Grave 12, Block A, Row 11

By : Group Cty. Unit \_\_\_\_\_

3. Reburied (date) February 16, 1928 In (give complete location) :  
Grave 12, Block A, Row 11

By : Group Cty. Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Nature of reburial Metallic casket

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

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? no On grave marker ? \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Weight (estimated) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Hair—Color \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity \_\_\_\_\_

Characteristics \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Hair on face—Color \_\_\_\_\_

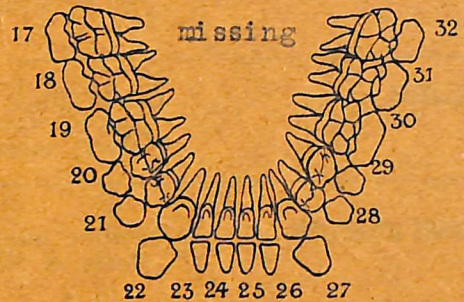
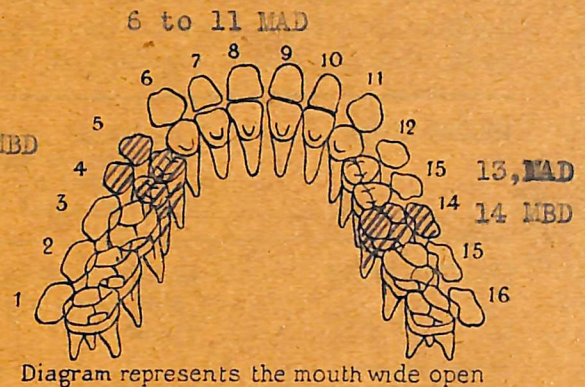
Location \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Right and left ulna and radius missing. Lower jaw missing.



7. Disinterment supervised by P. Woodman Approved : \_\_\_\_\_

(Title) \_\_\_\_\_

8. Reburial supervised by Charles E. Spahn Approved : \_\_\_\_\_

(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.

MISSING TEETH	All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:	
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:	
FILLINGS	Draw 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.

Duplicate. ✓

Cerulo,

Luigi

63,807

(Surname)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt.

Co. B, 102nd. Infantry.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

Uncle

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)

Domenico Formato

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

from letter - 45 Hill St, New Haven, Conn

Drawn by m & S

608-511

12-13-20

Checked  
JMS 12/14/20

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-C

CERULO, Luigi - Pvt.

November 3, 1925

Mr. Angelo Cerulo,  
Vitulano,  
Prov. Benevento, Italy.

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 overseas military cemetery is to be maintained by the United States for all time. The graves will be permanently marked by white headstones inscribed with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves, as soon as possible, and without necessity 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 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,

L. W. REDINGTON,  
Major, Q.M.G.,  
Assistant.

1 Incl.  
Record card.

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# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 12032

## I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CERULO, Luigi Ser. No. 63807  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B, 102nd Inf.  
 (c) Date of death 7-23-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. DB  
 CKR. E.M.

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

(a) Grave No. 130 Row - Plot 3 Sec. A TYP. DB  
 (b) Emerg. Address Dominick Farmato, (Uncle) 65 Whiting St. New Haven, Conn.

over  
 CKR. E.M.

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

## IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

*ok send 1/4/21*

Date of receipt -----

(a) Name Domenico Farmato (b) Relationship Uncle  
 (c) Address from letter - 45 Hill St - New Haven - Conn  
 (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 mks Date 12-13, 1920.

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

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

no cor

Examiner's Initials mks Date 12-13, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? -----

Examiner's Initials ah Date 12-14, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 60.8

SHEET No. 511

G. R. S. Form No. 115 Amended April 6, 1920

Make Form No. 114

**FORM 115 - A COMPLETED**  
**FEB 5 1921 - acp**

**CARDED**

*Reviewed 3/30/21 Ed*  
*checked 2-4-21*

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

RECEIVED

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_, MAR 6 1921, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_  
letter on JAN 15 1921, 1920

Cemeterial Division  
Overseas Subject Sub-Section

Par. 2 Not to be returned. (L.S.)

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

ACTION TAKEN.

7-8-21 - Letter from Col. Rethura states that  
Desires body be  
father, Mr. Angelo Cerulo, Vitulano, Prov. di  
Benevento, Italy, desirous permanent burial  
Body to be shipped to  
in France. A.E.-8-29-21

Advice fwd Europe 3/23/21 for follow up. Sat 3/23/21 Hoboken.

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

B.A.N.P. - Angelo Cerulo (Father)  
Vitulano Prov Benevento, Italy  
2-4-21

2/20/21 F.120 - Uncle Mr. Domenico Farmato, 45 Hill St., New Haven, Conn.  
requests body remain in Europe. N.K. Father Mr. Angelo Cerulo, Italy H-3/2/21aep

FORM 115 RETURNED BY HOBOKEN - BODY  
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.

MAR 26 1921 MW.

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD.

(a) Name CERULO, Luigi Ser. No. 63607  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. B, 102nd Inf. TYP DB  
 (c) Date of death 7-25-18 Cause of death K/A *E.M.*

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

(a) Grave No. 130 Plot 3 Sect. A TYP DB *(over)*  
 (b) Emerg. Address Dominick Farnato, 'Uncle' 65 Whiting St. New Haven, Conn. *E.M.*

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases. *E.M.*

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

*Agd card - Domenico Farnato (uncle) - 45 Hill St, New Haven, Conn. - desires body to remain in Europe. (L.S. 1/7/21)*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 192  
 (Letter of transmittal on 192

**Par. 2 Not to be returned. (L.S.)**

**JAN 15 1921**

**FEB 8 - 1921**

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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*7-8-21 - Letter from Col. Rethere states that father, Mrs. Angelo Cerulo, Vitulano, Prov. di Benevento, Italy, desires permanent burial in France. L.S. 8-29-21.*

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. **3-26-21** 192

**FEB 5** *acp*

B.A.N.P. - Angelo Cerulo (Father)  
Vittoriano Prov. Benevento, Italy  
2-4-21

FEB 8 - 1951

*[Faint, illegible handwriting]*

(a) ...  
(b) ...  
(c) ...

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

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March 23rd, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cor.Branch.  
( CERULO, Luigi )

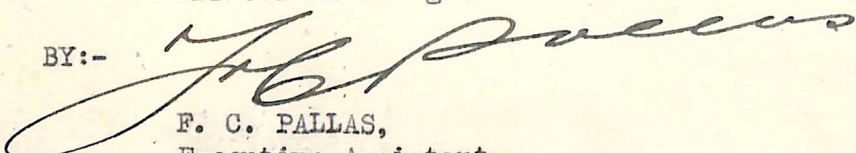
Memorandum For:- Chief, Cemeterial Division, O.Q.M.G., Washington, D.C.

Subject:- Return of Records. Transmittal  
Memorandum Number H-2112.

1. Returned herewith are records pertaining to the late Private Luigi Cerulo, serial number 63807, Company B., 102nd Infantry, whose nearest of kin resides in Italy. This case has been referred to the Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe for follow up and it is recommended that the records be held in your office pending further advice from Europe as to the final disposition of the remains of the deceased soldier.

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

BY:-

  
F. C. PALLAS,  
Executive Assistant.

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MAR 26 1921

Cemeterial Division  
Overseas Project Sub-Section

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BY: *[Handwritten Signature]*

Special Agent  
E. C. Smith

Office in Charge  
Washington, D. C.

The deceased soldier  
buried in the line of duty of the service of  
the United States Army, Office of the Adjutant General  
at the time of his death, is recognized as a member  
of the service and his name is being placed in the  
records of the service. This case has been referred to the  
proper authorities for their consideration and it is  
the policy of the service to place the name of the  
deceased soldier in the records of the service.

Subject:-- Memorial number 1-2125  
Records of records, Department of War  
Memorandum for:-- Chief, Cemetery Division, D.C.

( 1921 )  
File No. 222-2 001-2125

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
QUARTERMASTER CORPS

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608-511

March 23rd, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cor. Branch.  
( CERULO, Luigi )

From:- The Graves Registration Service, Hoboken, New Jersey.  
To:- Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe.  
Subject:- Data relating to deceased soldier whose nearest of kin resides in a foreign country.

1. Reference remains, the late Private Luigi Cerulo, serial number 63807, Company B., 102nd Infantry, cemetery 608, cable reference number 511; the records of this office indicate that Mr. Angelo Cerulo, father and nearest of kin to the late soldier, resides at Vitulano, Province of Benevento, Italy.

2. Papers are forwarded for your information and it is requested that your office ascertain the desires of the nearest of kin and take such action as may be deemed advisable.

*Lat* *RESP*  
R. E. SHANNON,  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

1 incl.  
Copy of Form #120 and W.R.E.A.  
RD/1ab

MAILED  
MAR 25 1921  
COR. BR. G. R. S.



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for adm. files  
3/29/21 USA*

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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MAY 20 1951  
G. H. S.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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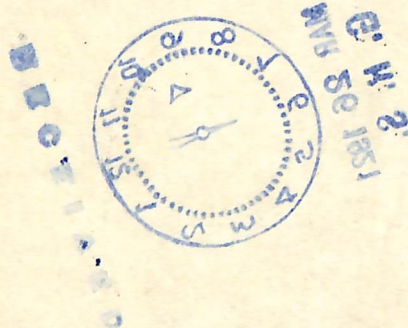
R. E. SHANNON,  
Captain, O. M. C.,  
Officer in Charge.

BY:-

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F. C. PALLAS,  
Executive Assistant.

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March 23rd, 1921.

File No. 2328 Cor. Branch.  
(GEMULO, Luigi)

Memorandum Form: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O.C.M.G., Washington, D.C.

Subject: Return of Records. Transmittal  
Memorandum Number H-212.

1. Returned herewith are records pertaining to the late Private Luigi Gerulo, serial number 63807, Company B., 102nd Infantry, whose nearest of kin resides in Italy. This case has been referred to the Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe for follow up and it is recommended that the records be held in your office pending further advice from Europe as to the final disposition of the remains of the deceased soldier.

R. E. BISHOP,  
Captain, O. M. G.,  
Officer in Charge.

BY:-

E. C. FALLAS,  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON  
Hoboken, N.J.

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FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.

To: Mr. Domenico Formato, 45 Hill St., New Haven, Conn.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Luigi Cerulo, Ser. No. 63807  
Co.B, 102nd Inf.

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

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.

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

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 <u>None</u>			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
2			
3			
Father <u>Angelo Cerulo</u>	<u>Italy</u>		
Mother <u>Theresa Carfora</u>	<u>Weald</u>		
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
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Sisters. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <u>Concetta</u>	<u>Italy</u>		
2			
3			

Date Feb. 20, 1921

Signature Domenico Formato

Address 45 Hill St  
New Haven, Conn.

Relationship Nephew

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Feb 20, 1921

I, the undersigned, am the Uncle (Relationship.) 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. Remain in Europe.

2. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to~~ \_\_\_\_\_ (Name.)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (R. R. station.) \_\_\_\_\_ (State.)

3. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and buried in~~ \_\_\_\_\_ National Cemetery.

4. ~~To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.~~

Signature Romenico Formata

**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.

March 23rd, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cen.Div., Cor.Branch.  
(CERULO, Luigi)

Mr. Domenico Formato,  
45 Hill Street,  
New Haven, Connecticut.

Dear Sir:

Receipt of Shipping Inquiry Form dated February 20th, 1921, relative to the remains of the late Private Luigi Cerulo, Serial Number 63607, Company B, 102nd Infantry, is acknowledged.

This case has been referred to the Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe requesting that the remains be held in France until the wishes of the father, who resides in Italy, can be ascertained and complied with if practicable.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

BY:

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

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GENERAL INVESTIGATION  
U. S. DIVISION

BY AUTHORITY OF THE SUPERINTENDING GENERAL:

and submitted with it information  
of the report and results in 1921 can be ascertained  
that the results are not in place until the above  
mentioned cases registration results in which registra-  
tion case has been referred to the office

It is noted incidentally is recommended  
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Dear Sir:

New Haven, Connecticut  
42 Hill Street  
New Haven, Connecticut

(GENERAL INVESTIGATION)  
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REPORT 1921

March 23rd, 1921.

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File No. 293.9 Disp. Cem. #608.

July 8, 1921.

From: Chief.

To: Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

Subject: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Luigi Cerulo, #63807, Co. B, 102nd Inf., Cem. #608, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

1. Reference letter Com.Div., Hoboken, dated March 23, 1921, File #293.8, to this office, wherein it was directed that we communicate with the next of kin of the above deceased soldier, you are advised that reply has been received from Mr. Angelo Cerulo, Vitulano, Prov. di Benevento, Italy, indicating that he wishes the remains of his son to be left in France for final burial in a permanent American cemetery.

2. There is inclosed herewith for your records copy of the letter from this office to Mr. Cerulo, advising him that his wishes have been made of record and will be complied with.

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H. F. BETHERS,  
Colonel, C. M. Corps.

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July 8, 1921

Via No. 2253 Disp. Gen. 4608

From: Chief

To: Quartermaster General, War Department Building, Washington, D.C.

Subject: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Luigi Corallo, 428807, Co. B, 102nd Inf., Gen. 4608, Sartrouville-Ménage, France.

1. Reference letter Gen. Div., War Dept., dated March 22, 1921, file 4608-B, to this office, wherein it was directed that no disposition with the next of kin of the above deceased soldier, was to be made until reply has been received from Mr. Angelo Corallo, Sartrouville, France. It is noted, Italy, indicating that he wishes the remains of his son to be left in France for final burial in a permanent national cemetery.

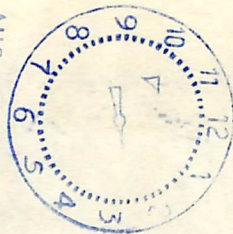
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Colonel, G. M. Corps

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GRAVE LOCATION FORM.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

*Ceruli*

*Luigi*

(Surname.)

(Number.)

(First Name and Initials.)

*Priv. Cab 102 U.S. Inf.*

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL

*July 26 - 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL

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

*Map French 1:20000*

*187<sup>2</sup> - 264<sup>2</sup>*

GRAVE NUMBER

HOW MARKED : Name Peg?

*yes*

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 :

REPORTED BY :

*Orville A. Petty  
Chaplain 102 U.S. Inf.*

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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2. Soldier's No.

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3. Ceruli, Luiji  
Surname (In Block Letters) First Name and Initials

4. Pvt. B, 102nd Inf.  
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Date of Death Cause, if known

6. Date of Burial Cemetery

7. Town or Commune (In Block Letters) Department

8. 30 I. G. MYERS  
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg?..... Cross?..... Headboard?..... Bottle?.....  
Check Method of Marking

10. Buried with Body?..... Attached to Grave Marker?.....  
Identification Tags

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

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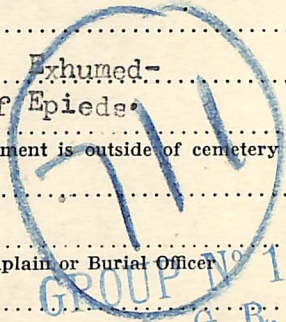
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12. Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

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Signed.....



Group Unit 303. Unit..... G. R. S.

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AMERICAN Graves REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C., IN EUROPE  
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✓ File No. 293.9 Disp.Cem.#608.

PARIS July 8, 1921.

From: Chief.

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To: Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

Subject: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Luigi Cerulo, #63807, Co. B,  
102nd Inf., Cem. #608, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

1. Reference letter Cem.Div., Hoboken, dated March 23, 1921, File #293.8, to this office, wherein it was directed that we communicate with the next of kin of the above deceased soldier, you are advised that reply has been received from Mr. Angelo Cerulo, Vitulano, Prov. di Benevento, Italy, indicating that he wishes the remains of his son to be left in France for final burial in a permanent American cemetery.

2. There is inclosed herewith for your records copy of the letter from this office to Mr. Cerulo, advising him that his wishes have been made of record and will be complied with.

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H.F. RETHERS,  
Colonel, Q.M. Corps.



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PARIS July 8, 1921

File No. 2339 Disp. Cem. #608

FILE

From: Chief

To: Quartermaster General, American Expeditionary Forces, Washington, D.C.

Subject: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Luigi Geriolo, #63807, Co. B, 102nd Inf., Cem. #608, Serignes-et-Nezies, Aisne, France.

1. Reference letter Gen. Div., Hoboken, dated March 23, 1921, File #295.8, to this office, wherein it was directed that we communicate with the next of kin of the above deceased soldier, you are advised that reply has been received from Mr. Angelo Geriolo, Viculano, Prov. di Bergamo, Italy, indicating that he wishes the remains of his son to be left in France for final burial in a permanent American cemetery.

2. There is inclosed herewith for your records copy of the letter from this office to Mr. Geriolo, advising him that his wishes have been made of record and will be complied with.

*[Signature]*  
H. E. BETHERS,  
Colonel, S. M. Corps.

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Signore Angelo Cerulo,  
Vitulano,  
Prov. Benevento,  
Italia.

Pregiatissimo Signore:

Abbiamo ricevuto avviso del suo desiderio di avere la salma di suo figlio, Soldato Luigi Cerulo, rimanere in Francia per sepoltura finale in un Campo Santo Permanente Americano. Prendiamo piacere di informarla che abbiamo preso notizia del suo desiderio al quale sera soddisfatto.

Quando la salma sera inumata in un Campo Santo Permanente Americano in Francia, Lei riceverà avviso del suo luogo.

Con perfetta osservanza,

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WILBUR S. ELLIOTT,  
Captain, Q.M. Corps.

We have been notified of your desire to have the remains of your late son, Pvt. Luigi Cerulo, left in France for final burial in a permanent American cemetery. We are pleased to inform you that your wishes have been made of record and will be complied with.

When the remains have been placed in a permanent American cemetery in France, you will be advised as to its location.

Yours sincerely.

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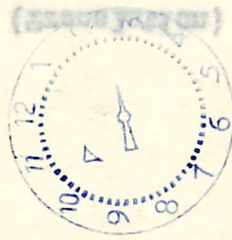
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CEMETERY DIVISION  
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

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NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER  
Cerulo, Luigi, Pvt.

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

608 - 511

Dec. 14, 1920

SERIAL NUMBER  
63807

ORGANIZATION  
Co. B. 102nd Inf.

Date of death - 7-23-18

Adjustment Made

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WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

*Original attached to 7.115*

DATE

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

*Angelo Cerulo*

RELATIONSHIP

*Father*

Address

*Vitulano Prov. Benevento, Italy*

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File # 12032

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March 23rd, 1921.

File No. 293.6 Cor. Branch.  
( CERULO, Luigi )

From:- The Graves Registration Service, Hoboken, New Jersey.  
To:- Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe.  
Subject:- Data relating to deceased soldier whose nearest of kin resides in a foreign country.

1. Reference remains, the late Private Luigi Cerulo, serial number 63807, Company B., 102nd Infantry, cemetery 608, cable reference number 511; the records of this office indicate that Mr. Angelo Cerulo, father and nearest of kin to the late soldier, resides at Vitulano, Province of Benevento, Italy.

2. Papers are forwarded for your information and it is requested that your office ascertain the desires of the nearest of kin and take such action as may be deemed advisable.

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

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*File # 12032*

March 26, 1921

File No. 222,8 Cor. Branch  
(General Mail)

**From:** The Graves Registration Service, Hoboken, New Jersey.

**To:** Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe.

**Subject:** Data relating to deceased soldier whose nearest of kin resides in a foreign country.

1. Reference is made to the late private Inigo Garcia, serial number 83807, Company B, 103rd Infantry, cemetery 608, cable reference number 511; the records of this office indicate that Mr. Garcia's father and nearest of kin to the late soldier, resides at Villano, Province of Salamanca, Spain.

2. Papers are forwarded for your information and it is requested that your office ascertain the identity of the nearest of kin and take such action as may be deemed advisable.

J. E. SHAW, Jr.  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,  
Office in Charge.

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