

Ceruti,

(Surname.)

Pvt.

James D.W.

(Christian name in full.)

Co A, 61st Inf.

3,489,748

(Army serial number.)

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Mother

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?

(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:

Prefer remains to stay in France

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mrs Lillian C. Ceruti (over)

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Orig letter sent to
Mrs. Lillian C. Ceruti,
2412 N. 9th Ave.,
Pensacola, Fla.

*Card found in pocket of files
H 6/11/31*

*Ceruti
City 151-34*

addressed Ceruti, James D.W.
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G.R.S. Form #114-B

Ceruti
FULL NAME **CERUTI, James D.W.**

RANK **Pvt.** SERIAL **3489748**

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION **61st Infantry Co. A.** *5 Div*

DATE OF DEATH *Dec. 6, 1918*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *Florida*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED *none*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Date Grave Row Block

Suresnes American Cemetery 34
Cemetery

REC'D WORLD WAR DIV
SEP 5 24

23/306/ARK

QM 293 A-M
Ceruti, James D. W. Pvt. (Sur) M

April 8, 1931.

Mrs. Lillian C. Ceruti,
c/o A. B. Ceruti,
Millville, Fla.

Dear Madam:

In order that your desires may be properly recorded and arrangements made for you accordingly, it is requested that you complete and return the enclosed questionnaire at your earliest convenience.

Kindly advise as to whether or not the late Private James D. W. Ceruti was married and is survived by a widow and if so, her name and address.

For your convenience in replying, there is enclosed here-with a self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosures:
Questionnaire
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Ceruti, James D. W. Pvt. (Sur) M

April 8, 1931.

Mrs. Lillian C. Ceruti,
c/o A. B. Ceruti,
Millville, Fla.

Dear Madam:

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.

The records of this office show that you are the _____ of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter ~~to~~ this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?

2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?

3. Please give your age and state your health.

4. Do you speak English?

5. What other language do you speak?

Age

Condition of Health

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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QM 293 A-M
Ceruti, James D. W. Pvt 34 M

October 11, 1930

Mrs. Lillian C. Ceruti
c/o A. B. Ceruti
Millville, Florida

Dear Madam:

A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age Condition of health
4. Do you speak English?	
5. What other language do you speak?	

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 7, 1930.

Ceruti, James D. W. 34 M

Mrs. Lillian C. Ceruti,
c/o A. B. Ceruti,
Millville, Fla.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1931, to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all mothers and widows who are not making the pilgrimage in 1930, regardless of whether or not they have expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Ceruti, James D. W. 34 H

October 8, 1929.

Mrs. Lillian C. Ceruti,
c/o A. B. Ceruti,
Millville, Florida.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No)	Other language (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO ^B QM 293 A-C

Ceruti, James D. W.

May 31, 1929.

Mrs. Lillian Constance Ceruti,
c/o A. B. Ceruti,
Millville, Fla.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Private James D. W. Ceruti, Co. A, 51st Inf., whose remains are now interred in Suresnes American Cemetery, Suresnes, Seine, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Ceruti, James D. W.

May 3, 1929.

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Mrs. Lillian Constance Ceruti
J. A. B. Ceruti
Millville, Fla.

Mrs. Lillian Ceruti,
2412 North 9th Avenue,
Pensacola, Fla.

Dear Madam:

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The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Private James D. W. Ceruti, Company A, 61st Infantry, whose remains are now interred in the Suresnes American Cemetery, Suresnes, Seine, 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 re-married it is 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,
Assistant.

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Mrs. Lillian Ceruti,
2412 North 9th Ave.,
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May 3, 1929.

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The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Private James D. W. Ceruti, Company A, 61st Infantry, whose remains are now interred in the Suresnes American Cemetery, Suresnes, Seine, 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.

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

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C O D E S L I P

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Ceruti, Jas. D.</i>	3	358
	<i>W.</i>		
	CEMETERY <i>34</i>	1	6
BURIED	GRAVE <i>10</i>	2	10
	ROW <i>4</i>	2	04
	BLOCK <i>a</i>	1	1
STATE	<i>Fla</i>	2	09
RANK	<i>Pvt</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>5</i>	2	05
ORGANIZATION	<i>61</i>	3	061
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>(Other) No</i>	1	2
NAME	<i>Ceruti, Alex B.</i>	3	
	<i>Millville, Fla.</i>		
	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>no sm mother</i>	1	1
OTHER	<i>no loco</i>	1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead - 1930</i>	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	SEP 22 1982
DATE OF	MO.	1	<i>RB</i>
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
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AUDITED

Millville Fla
4/10/31

L.M. 293 a-m

Ceruti, James L, W. Pvt. (Sur M)

A. L. Hughes

Captain L. M. Cook, (Asst)

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Dear Sir

In reply to your letter of
the 8th April, to Mrs. Lillian C. Ceruti
my mother, I am sorry to inform
you that she has been dead just
one year.

My Dr. did not have a wife

Yours Respt

John B Ceruti



QM 293 A-M
Ceruti, James D. W. Pvt. (Sur) M 34

April 8, 1931.

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c/o A. S. Ceruti,
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Dear Madam:

In order that your desires may be properly recorded and arrangements made for you accordingly, it is requested that you complete and return the enclosed questionnaire at your earliest convenience.

Kindly advise as to whether or not the late Private James D. W. Ceruti was married and is survived by a widow and if so, her name and address.

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For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
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Hillville Fla
June 10th - 1929

I. M. 293 A. C.

John T. Harris
Major I. M. Corps
Asst.

Dear Sir

I received your Cordial
invitation to be a visitor on
The European Pilgrimage
but will not be able to go

Thankfully

Lillian C. Ceruti

(The Mother of James D. W. Ceruti)



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

WASHINGTON July 28, 1922.

FILE: 293.8 C-R - #68516
SUBJECT: Permanent Grave Location of James Cernti, Private,
Co. A, 61st Infantry.
TO: Mr. E.R. Cernti, 9th Ave., 22nd St., Pensacola, Fla.

*File
ACK.
7.18.69*

1. The permanent grave of this soldier is No. 10 Row 4
Block A, The American Cemetery of Suresnes, Department of Seine, France.

2. 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 and date of soldier's death. 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.

3. 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,

For the Quartermaster General:

MAILED

JUL 29 1922

GEORGE H. PENROSE,
Assistant.

G.R.S.

EUROPEAN CLAIMS UNIT
Fort Myer, Va.

DATE Oct 20th 1921.

1. NAME Ceruti, James D. W. SERIAL No. 3489748

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. A 61st Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Limoges - Haute Vienne CTY. NAME 151 NUMBER

201

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 201 Limoges, (Hte. Vienne) GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES None.

CONCENTRATED TO Dec. 7, 1918. 201 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Limoges, (Hte. Vienne) 151 CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR W. R. Nichols W. R. Nichols, Major, C.A.C.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 10-20-21. 10. 4. Block A DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

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SURESNES AMERICAN CEMETERY #34/ SURESNES (SEINE). CEMETERY

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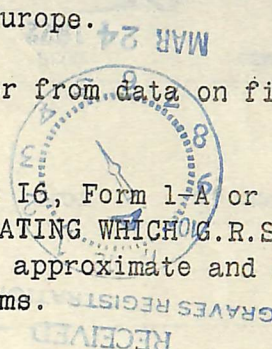
INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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.



copy of this form to be retained in the file of the area supervisor who prepared it.

Form 114-B fields (mirrored text):

- 1. NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) _____
- 2. GRAVE LOCATION _____
- 3. COORDINATES _____
- 4. DATE OF BURIAL _____
- 5. GRAVE NUMBER _____
- 6. GRAVE TYPE _____
- 7. GRAVE CONDITION _____
- 8. GRAVE SURROUNDINGS _____
- 9. GRAVE PHOTOGRAPHED _____
- 10. GRAVE MEASURED _____
- 11. GRAVE MARKED _____
- 12. GRAVE IDENTIFIED _____
- 13. GRAVE RECORDED _____
- 14. GRAVE INDEXED _____
- 15. GRAVE FILED _____
- 16. GRAVE RETURNED _____
- 17. GRAVE DESTROYED _____
- 18. GRAVE RECONSTRUCTED _____
- 19. GRAVE REPAIRED _____
- 20. GRAVE RELOCATED _____
- 21. GRAVE REINTERRED _____
- 22. GRAVE REIDENTIFIED _____
- 23. GRAVE RECORDED _____
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- 29. GRAVE REPAIRED _____
- 30. GRAVE RELOCATED _____
- 31. GRAVE REINTERRED _____
- 32. GRAVE REIDENTIFIED _____

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Oct. 14th, 1921

1. REMAINS OF CERRI, James D. W.

SERIAL NUMBER 8469748

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co. A, 61st Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) :

From (give complete location) :

Oct. 14th, 1921

Gr. 201, Cem. 151

By : Group 2

Unit Sec. 7

3. Reburied (date) :

In (give complete location) :

October 20th, 1921. - Suresnes Cemetery. - Block A - Row 4 - Grave 10.

By : Group Field Operations Branch Unit

Nature of reburial Metal Casket and Blanket.

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

Wooden box and uniform. 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 :

Body tag checks.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Indiscernable due to decomposition

(b) Weight (estimated) to decomposition

(c) Hair—Color Apparently light brown

Quantity Medium

Characteristics wavy

(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location

Quantity

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

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

Indiscernable due to decomposition.

Col. J. Parker, checker.

7. Disinterment

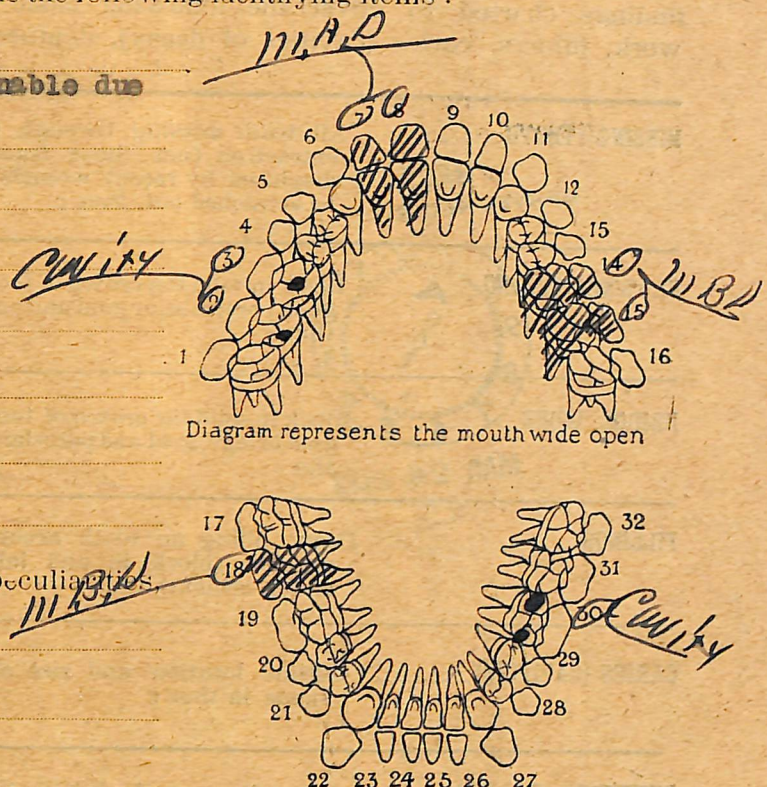
supervised by A. J. Harvey, Sup. Enb.

Approved: C. S. Denny
(Title) C. S. Denny, 1st Lt., Q.M.C.

8. Reburial

Supervised by R. G. Richards
R. G. RICHARDS,
1st Lieut. Q.M.C.

Approved: R. P. Harbold
(Title) R. P. HARBOLD,
Major, Q.M.C.



10-60268






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.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE

Oct. 14th, 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 **Ceruti, James**

10. Name **James Ceruti (On body tag)**

2. No. **3489748**

11. No.

3. Rank **Pvt.**

12. Rank

4. Org. **Co. A 61st Inf.**

13. Org.

5. D.D. **12-6**

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. **Enterocolitis Chronical**

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. **201** Sec.

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. **No discrop.**

18. Cemetery **Amer.**

19. Commune or town **Limoges**

20. Dept. or County **Haute Vienne**

21. Country **France**

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. **151**

23. Disinterred (Date) **Oct. 14th, 1921**

By **A. J. Harvey**

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name **James Ceruti**

Serial No.

Rank **Pvt.**

Organization **Co. A. 61st Inf.**

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

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).

Body discrepancies noted.

27. Condition of body **Badly decomposed, features not recognizable.**

28. Nature of burial **Wooden box and uniform.**

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? **See item 10.**

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date **Oct. 14th, 1921** By **A. J. Harvey**

31. Casket sealed by **A. J. Harvey**

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

A. J. Harvey

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-7673

32. Designation of body:

Name Cornti, James Serial No. 3489748

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. A 61st Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Suresnes Amer. Cem. #34.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) _____ By _____

Oct. 14th, 1921 A. J. Harvey

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 [Signature]

G. D. Denny, 1st Lt., CAC.

36. Remarks _____

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) _____

Oct. 17th, 1921

To point of Concentration _____

Convoyer James Johara Paris Morgue (Seine) (Name) _____
Signature Shipping Officer [Signature]

38. Received at ~~Railhead~~ or Point of Concentration: Date Paris Morgue, Oct. 19, 1921

By G.R.S. Representative H.L. WARD, Major, QMC [Signature]

39. Shipped from ~~Railhead~~ or Point of Concentration: Date Oct. 20, 1921

To Permanent Cemetery No. 54, Suresnes, (Seine)

Convoyer _____ (Name) [Signature]
Signature Shipping Officer H.L. WARD, Major, QMC

40. Received: Date October 20th, 1921.

G.R.S. Representative R. G. RICHARDS, 1st Lieut. Q.M.C.

41. Reinterred Suresnes Cemetery. October 20th, 1921.

(Date)

42. Grave No. 10. Section _____

43. Plot ~~Block~~ A. Row 4.

G.R.S. Representative [Signature]

R. G. RICHARDS,
1st Lieut. Q.M.C.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 68516

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name Cernti, James D.W. Ser. No. 3489748
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. A 61st Inf.
(c) Date of death 12-6-18 of death Enteric Colitis Chronical

Exhumed
2-22-21
for Concentration
Bureau 34
att 2/20/22

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

(a) Grave No. 201 Row - - Plot - - Sect. - -) TYP. HDP
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Lillian C. Cernti, Mother, 2412 North 9th Ave. Pensacola, Fla.

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No Card) CKR. E. J.

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Mrs. Lillian C. Cernti (b) Relationship Mother

(c) Address omitted No card in file

(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? no

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

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U.S.

SEE SUSPENSION REMARKS

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

Examiner's Initials J. J. Date 6/11/21 1920

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

, dated confirmed request in Par. IV: item , above, or requesting that

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials J. J. Date 5/6/ 1920

VI. G.R.S. Files - Correspondence - shows as follows: 1st Chaplain, Miles A. Bopp,

U.S.A. (Trans. Service) Pt. of Embarkation, N.J. (2-3-19)

Request for disposition, Details of death & Grave Location Request

(a) Cancellation memos referred to?

Examiner's Initials M. J. S. Date 5-7- 1920

COUNTRY France CEMETERY NO. 151 SHEET NO. 34
G.R.S. Form #115 Concentrated into P.A.C. 34
Amended April 6, 1920. Make Form #114

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

AP. 12-4-20.

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
letter on **MAY 13**, 1920

Par 2 not to be returned

RLL - E.A.L (12-2-20)

IX. CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: Form 120 5/19/20 E. G. Cernti, Father

9th Ave. - 22nd St., Pensacola, Fla, requests
body remain in France. cc. 7/27/20 E

1 piece of form

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

MAY 12 1920

Push Answer

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.G.
TO: Mrs. Lillian C. Cernti, ^{9th Ave. 22nd St} (2412 North 9th Ave.), Pensacola, Fla.
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. James Cernti

note address

The records of this office show ~~that your request to be~~

~~not expressed~~ (not expressed)

Remain in Europe

Our request is that the body of our son James W. Cernti, Pvt. (buried in France), not be disturbed

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

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

noted on Form 115 sec. 5/27/20

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	<i>None</i>		
Soldier's Children	1. <i>None</i>		
(Name oldest first)	2. <i>None</i>		
	3. <i>None</i>		
Father	<i>E. Cernti Sr.</i>		
Mother	<i>Lillian C. Cernti</i>		
Brothers	1. <i>Alexander B. Cernti</i>		
(Name oldest first)	2. <i>Edward B. Cernti Jr.</i>		
Sisters	<i>Evelyn E. Kirkland</i>		
	<i>Maud M. Borop</i>		
Date	<i>May 14th 1920</i>		
Signature	<i>E. Cernti</i>		

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

Address *9th Ave 22nd St* Relationship *Father*

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

HJM

(OVER)



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

1. This paper MUST be signed by the person who is the NEXT of kin in the order shown in the square on other side of this sheet.
2. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest living relatives in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
3. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the legally appointed guardian of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.
4. If YOU are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
5. If YOU are not the nearest living relative and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
6. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
7. Use the enclosed envelope - pay no postage.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

⁴
CERNTI 3489748 James
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt Co. A 61st Inf
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: ?

CAUSE OF DEATH: ?

DATE OF BURIAL: ?

PLACE OF BURIAL: ?

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

GRAVE NUMBER:

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 mark should be given here?

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

M. C. Olmstead
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).
Capt. 6/25/54

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OSP SS.**

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

Received
A. B. C.
21 FEB 1919
G. B. D. E. F.

RECEIVED
9 AM - 24 FEB 1919
O. G. Q. M.
G. R. S.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

ceruti 3489748 James
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

private Co. A. 61st Infantry
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL December 7, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL Limoges France

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

American Cemetery

GRAVE NUMBER 201

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

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:

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REPORTED BY:

W. S. ...
2nd. Lieut. M.C.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

American Cemetery

GRAVE NUMBER 201

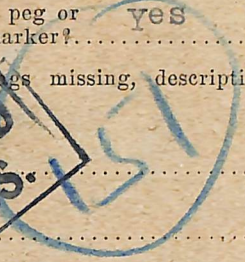
HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? Headboard? ^{yes} Bottle?

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.



REPORTED BY: Stuart S. [Signature]
2nd. Lieut. U.S.A.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

O O Q M, A E F
DECEMBER 13 1918



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

Reference-68516.

April 17, 1919.

FROM : Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO : Chaplain Hiles A. Boroff, In Transport Service, U.S. Army.
SUBJECT : c/o Chaplain's Office, Port of Embarkation Hoboken New J.
Pvt. James David, Ceruti, Co. A. 61st Inf. American E.F.

1. In reply to your letter of inquiry, with reference to the re-
gretted death of this soldier, according to the records at these headquarters
he is buried in Grave No. 201, American Cemetery, at LIMOGES. Department
of the HAUTE-VIENNE.

2. The grave location has not as yet been confirmed by the
field force of this Service, but the notification of burial has been made
to us as herein stated, and is officially entered.

By direction

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

(Enclosure-G.R.S.)
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Per MAURICE B. DIX,
Captain, American Red Cross
Representative assigned to
Graves Registration Service.

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AMERICAN OFFICERS UNIT
12, PARKER STREET
LIVERPOOL, ENGL.

3/16/19
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Feb. 3rd, 1919,

Chief,

Graves Registration Service,
American E. F.

A. P. O. 702.
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Dear Sir:-

My wife's brother,
Private James David Wark Ceruti,
who enlisted at Pensacola Fla., July, 1918,
and assigned to Company A, 61st
Infantry, American E. F. France;
died in France Dec. 6th, 1918, at
some hospital. We would be very
grateful for information as to the
place of his death and burial,
and any other lines of information
pertaining to him would be of
great interest to his mother and
father, and home folks. We have
been unable to find his identification
number as yet. My address is

AMERICAN OFFICERS INN
12 PARKER STREET
LIVERPOOL, ENGL.



Port of Embarkation,
Hoboken, N. J. - U. S. A.

To Chaplain's office. I am,
Very Sincerely,

Chaplain Miles A. Borops

1st. Lt. Chaplain U. S. Army.
(In Transport Service)



DATA NECESSARY FOR TRACING.

Name Ceruti, James David Mark (Private)
Surname. Christian Name.

Place of enlistment Pensacola, Florida

Date of enlistment July, 1918.

Place of birth Beaufort, S. C.

Date of birth August, 26th, 1895

Identification number Unable to find

Military organization to which he is thought to belong _____

Company A. 61st Lt. Infantry, A. E. F., France.

(In the above should be the number of regiment and company, battalion or brigade, or, in the Navy, the ship or special branch of service.)

Return the above form, properly filled out, to the Bureau of Communication, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C.



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

NUMBER

68516

FROM:- A.R.C.

DATE:

3/5/19.

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:

NAME CERUTI, JAMES, DAVID, NUMBER

RANK PVT, ORGANIZATION Co. A, 61st INF.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	① - yes
2.	Date of Death.	② -
3.	Cause and place of death.	③ -
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	④ -
5.	Date buried.	⑤ - 12/7/18
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required.	⑥ - C.T.V. 151, GRAVE 201
7.	Who reported burial?	C.T.V. AMER. LIMOGES HTE
8.	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.?	VIENNE.
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	⑧ - NO
10.	Report as to Identification Tags.	⑨ - HOBARD
11.	Who is nearest relative?	⑩ - one buried with
12.	Has N/R been notified? (Give Date)	body one attached to
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	grave marker
14.	What is the Photograph No?	⑪ - no address

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

Blue card

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