

To The A. G. O.

G.R.S. Form #114-B

5747

JAN 21 1926

DATE

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1. NAME CHAVONS, Edward SERIAL No. 1728496

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co.H. 367th Inf. & DIVISION 92nd

GRAVE LOCATION Amer.Plot.Grand Cty. LE MANS (Sarthe) #419 sec B.
CTY. NAME NUMBER

144 sec B. Amer.
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 144 LeMans Sarthe
As shown by cemetery directory AGRS
Nov .26, 1919. GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Not given

CONCENTRATED TO Nothing of record.
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Nothing of record.

DATE OF DEATH Jan 28-19

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME mich

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS None of record.
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Stanley J. Grogan
STANLEY J. GROGAN, CAPT. INF. USA.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 7/29/22 9 38 Blk. D
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Oise Aisne American Cty #608, Seringes-&-Nesles, Aisne
CEMETERY

AUDITED BY

8 A. G. O.
JAN 22 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

Robert O. ...
The Adjutant General
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JAN 27 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.



GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Chavons 1728495 Edward
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

Private Company H, 367th Infantry
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: Grand Cimetiere, LeMans

CAUSE OF DEATH: Typhoid Fever

DATE OF BURIAL: January 30th, 1919.

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

Plot 20 Section B

GRAVE NUMBER: #144

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross? Yes

Headboard? No Bottle? No

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: Jacob B. Chavons

ADDRESS: Casapolis, Michigan

RELATIONSHIP: Father.

REPORTED BY:

Wm. A. Hamilton Lt. Chapl.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

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

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Chavone	3	381
	Edward		
	CEMETERY 608	1	2
BURIED	GRAVE 9	2	09
	ROW 38	2	38
	BLOCK 25	1	4
STATE	Mich.	2	26
RANK	Priv.	1	2
DIVISION	92	2	92
ORGANIZATION	367	3	367
APM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	No	1	2
NAME	Hayden	3	
	Asa K		
	att'y-at-Law		
RESIDENCE	Cassopolis, Mich		
	STATE Mich	2	
	COUNTY Cass	2	
	CITY Cassopolis	3	
RELATION	(father dead since 1918) Mother	1	1
OTHER	no loco	1	
ELIGIBILITY	no loco Dead (1897)	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

Other

AUDITED

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Asa K. Hayden
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Cassopolis, Michigan

August 22, 1932.

QuarterMaster General,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir: Re You QM-293AM
Chavous, Edward *oa*

The reason I had not answered your letter of August 6th in the above matter was that I was trying to get the information therein asked for. This soldier had neither mother or step mother living at the time of his death. His father never married after his first wife, whose name was Emily Jane Prater, who was the mother of the soldier died on or about November 10, 1897. Jacob Chavous was married to her about the year 1881. If there is any other information I can give you I will be glad to do so.

Yours very truly,

Asa K. Hayden

AK^h/MMB



QM 293 AM
Chavons, Edward (OA)

August 6, 1932.

Mr. Asa K. Hayden,
Attorney-at-Law,
Cassopolis, Mich.

Dear Sir:

This office is making an earnest endeavor to communicate with all women who may be eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It is therefore requested that you advise whether or not the late Private Edward Chavons is survived by a stepmother, and if so, her name and address and the date of her marriage to his father. It will be appreciated if you will also furnish the date of death of his natural mother.

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

For The Quartermaster General. ①

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Enclosure:
Envelope.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Chavons, Edward .608 F

July 8, 1930

Mr. Jacob B. Chavons
Cassopolis, Michigan

Dear Sir:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

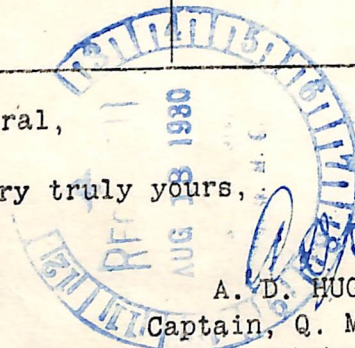
3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment



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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON, D. C.
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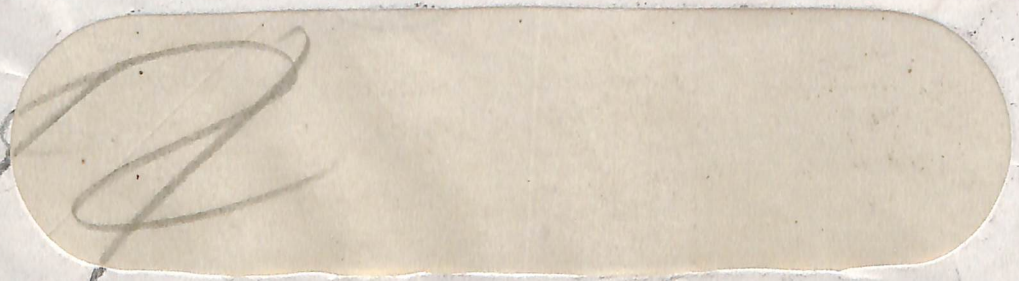
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Asa K. Hayden
Attorney at Law
CASSOPOLIS, MICHIGAN

July 1, 1929.

Quarter Master General,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: Re QM-293 A-C Edward Chavous.

Jacob B. Chavous has asked me to reply to your letter of June 24th. This soldier was not survived by a mother or widow as his mother was dead and he was unmarried.

Yours very truly,

Asa K. Hayden



AKH-MMB

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Chavons, Edward

June 24, 1929.

**Mr. Jacob B. Chavons,
Cassopolis, Mich.**

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late **Private Edward Chavons, Co. H., 367th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.**

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

QM 293 AM
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Assistant.

Enclosure:
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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Act of Congress.
Envelope.

Chavons Edward

1,728,496

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Serial number.)

Pvt

Co H, 367 Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

No.

(Yes or no.)

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

(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)

Jacob B. Chavons
Cassopolis, Mich.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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Drawn by J. M. M.
419-413
3-28-21.

**REVIEWED
OSP SS.**

J.M.M. 3-29-21.

QM 293 A-C

May 1, 1924

CHAVONS, Edward Pvt.

Mr. Jacob B. Chavons,
Cassopolis,
Mich.

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

Very truly yours,

1-Incl.
Record card.

C.Q.M.G.
Central Mail & Files B.



MAY 1 1924

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APR 30 1924

B.

P. HARBOLD
Assistant.

MFK
[Handwritten initials]

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE 12/1/21

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

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- 1. Name CHAVONS, Edward 10. Name _____
- 2. No. 1728496 11. No. _____
- 3. Rank Pvt. 12. Rank _____
- 4. Org. Co H 367th Inf. 13. Org. _____
- 5. D.D. Jan 28/19 14. (a) D.D. _____
- 6. C.D. Typhoid Fever. (b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 144 Sec. B 15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 8. Plot Amer. Row _____ 16. Plot _____ Row _____
- 9. _____ 17. No discrepancy

- 18. Cemetery Amer. Plot. Grand Cty 19. Commune or town LE MANS
- 20. Dept. or County Sarthe 21. Country France
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. #419
- 23. Disinterred (Date) 12/1/21 By J.A.A. Lee.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

- Name Edward Chavons Serial No. None
- Rank Pvt. Organization Co. H. 367th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? Yes. (Partly corroded)

Thomas L. Collins
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).

None

27. Condition of body Decomposed - unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden coffin 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 12/1/21 By J.A.A. Lee.

31. Casket sealed by J.A.A. Lee.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

J.A.A. Lee

ADDED BY
82B 2/12/24

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-17397

32. Designation of body:

Name Edward CHAVONS Serial No. 1728496

Rank Pvt. Organization Co, H 367th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne, Amer. Cty #608, SERINGES-et-NEYLES (Aisne)

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) 12/1/21 By J.A. Lee.

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 R.F. O'Leary 1st Lieut., Q.M.C.

36. Remarks

Tag on body reads: "Edward Chavons, U.S.A." remainder corroded.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) 12/1/21

To point of Concentration Le Mans Morgue

Convoyer A. DeWasch Signature Shipping Officer R.F. O'Leary 1st Lt., Q.M.C.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 12/1/21

By G.R.S. Representative Walter F. Brown Capt., Q.M.C.

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 12 DEC 1921

To Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne Amer. Cty. #608.

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer Walter F. Brown Capt., Q.M.C.

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative G.F. WADG

41. Reinterred Oise-Aisne Cemetery #608 July 29th, 1922 (Date)

42. Grave No. 9 Section

43. Block Block D Row 38

G.R.S. Representative C. J. BLAKE Captain, Q.M.C.

Place Le Mans (Sarthe)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Dec. 1, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF CHAVONS, Edward SERIAL NUMBER 1728496

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. H. 367th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): 12/1/21 From (give complete location):

Gr. 144, Sec. B. Plot Amer. Cem. 419. Le Mans.

By: Group 2 Unit Sec. 6

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

July 29th, 1922 Oise-Aisne Cemetery #608 Gr 9, Block D, Row 38

By: Group _____ Unit _____ Nature of reburial lined gasket
Reburial S

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

Wooden coffin and uniform. Decomposed - unrecognizable.

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

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

Tag on body reads: "Edward Chavons, U.S.A." remainder corroded.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp. to det.

(b) Weight, (estimated) Imp. to det.

(c) Hair—Color App. black

Quantity Medium

Characteristics Curly (Apparently)

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible

Location None visible

Quantity None visible

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

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

None visible

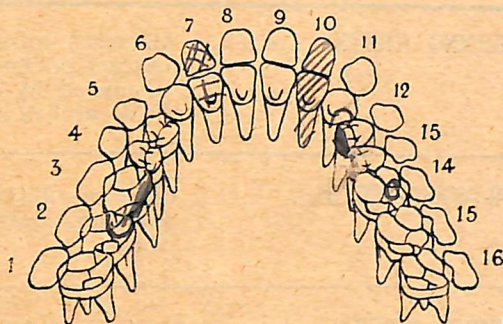
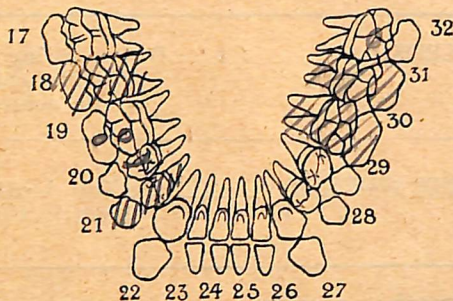


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



Cavities, 2, 11, 14, 19, 20 & 32. Decayed 3 & 12. Broken #7. MBD. 10, 18, 21, 30 & 31.

7. Disinterment supervised by J. J. Kee S.E.

Approved: R.F. O'Leary

(Title) _____

8. Reburial supervised by L. D. Hays

Approved: C. J. Blake

(Title) C. J. BLAKE
Captain, Q.M.C.

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 Questions 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.

G.R.S. Form No. 115

COUNTRY FRANCE

Cemetery No. 419

Sheet No. 103

File No. 89524

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name CHAVONS, Edward Ser. No. 1728496)
 (2) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. H. 367th Infantry) TYP. HDP
 (3) Date of death 1-28-19) CKR. EL

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

(4) Cause of death Typhoid Fever) TYP. MCH
 (5) Grave No. 144 Row -- Plot 20 Sect. B) CKR. EL

*4/27/22 Examined
 for Concentration
 Camp - Aisne 608
 att 5/19/22*

II. FILES EXAMINATION

A. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No card

B. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD Date of receipt None

(6) Relationship Father
 (7) Name Jacob B. Chavons
 (8) Address Cassopolis, Mich
 (9) Desires remains brought to U. S.? No
 (10) Desires remains brought to U. S. and interred in National Cemetery at _____
 (11) If brought back, what shipping instructions? _____

aa-4-19-20

C. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE Date of communication _____

(12) Does correspondence Change or qualify request as made on A.G.O. card? If so, specify such information.

No correspondence

(13) A. G. O. Files EXAMINED by att (Date) 4-19-20

D (14) G R S Files - Correspondence. (Has reference been made to File No. Cancellation memos.? Yes M.A.O Does such correspondence, if containing request for disposition, reconcile with that of A. G. O.? M.A.O (Specify "Yes or "No".) If "No", give date of communication, the name, address, and relationship and substance of request.

HC

*No request for disposition. Grave location
 blank only
 m. a. l. 4/19/20*

(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by _____ (Date) _____

(over)

*Rechecked
 9 m. m. 3-29-21*

III. FINAL ACTION

A. MEMORANDUM to D. M. O. in E. made (Date)

(16) Removal of Remains (within custody of G.R.S.) to

(17) Instructions that remains be left undisturbed

(18) Typed by Checked by (Date)

B. G. R. S. FORM NO. 114 made (Date)

(19) Typed by Checked by (Date)

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*Form 120, 7-22-20, Father n/K, confirms
request for body to remain in France
Imon. 3-29-21.*

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

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.G.

APR 24 1920

TO: Jacob B. Chavons, Cassopolis, Mich.

SUBJECT: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Edward Chavons.

Records of this office show your request to be as follows:

Remains to be Not returned to United States Interred

~~Shipping~~

If any modifications of the foregoing are desired please write same fully on the other side of this sheet.

The nearest living relative may choose between, (1) return of remains to homes for burial; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in France.

You are requested to fill out the following without delay and return in enclosed penalty envelope, which does not require postage.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Widow	<i>2nd, 120 South Father 7-17</i>		
Children (Name oldest first)			
Father			
Mother			
Brothers			
Sisters			

Date

Signature

Address

Relationship

JUL 19 1920

Form #120
Shipping Inquiry.
(Revised) OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON

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Rush Answer

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.

TO: Mr. Jacob B. Chavons, Cassopolis, Mich.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Edward Chavons,

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body
not returned to United States.

no change

If these are not the correct instructions, please correct them. Make corrections on reverse side of this sheet.
The nearest relative may choose between, (1) return of the body to any address in the United States; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., or any other National Cemetery; or (3) remain in Europe.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:
CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Major, U.S.A.

If all blank spaces below are not filled out, it will necessitate a return of this paper and a SERIOUS DELAY in the shipment of this body. State in each case WHETHER these relatives are STILL LIVING.

Soldier married

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	<i>Not married</i>		
Soldier's Children (Name oldest first)	1. 2. 3. <i>No children</i>		
Father	<i>Jacob Chavons</i>	<i>Cassopolis</i>	<i>Michigan</i>
Mother			
Brothers (Name oldest first)	1. <i>Chas. Chavons</i> 2. <i>Jay Chavons</i> 3. <i>Fred Chavons</i>	<i>Cassopolis</i> <i>Grand Rapids</i> <i>Marcellus</i>	<i>Michigan</i> " "
Sisters (Name oldest first)	1. <i>Leona Powell</i> 2. 3.	<i>223 East</i> <i>South Bend</i>	<i>Indiana</i>

Date *July 22nd. 1920.*

Signature *Jacob B. Chavons*

Address *Cassopolis, Michigan*

Relationship *Father*

IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY read instructions before filling out this paper.

(OVER)

INFORMATION: COUNCIL OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Address: *1000 ...*

Date: *July 2nd* 1920.

I, the undersigned, am the father and nearest living relative of the within named soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz: (Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired).

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

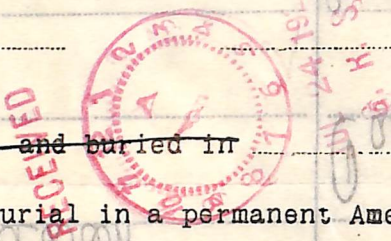
2. ~~To be returned to the U.S. and shipped to~~ (Name)

(R.R. Station) (State)

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

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

Signature: *Jacob B. Shaw*



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

1. If definite instruction as to the disposition of a body are not received from the nearest relative within 2 weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.
2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.
3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT of kin IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.
4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest living relatives in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.
6. If YOU are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
7. If YOU are not the nearest living relative and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
9. Use the enclosed envelope - pay no postage.

WASHINGTON OFFICE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Chavons 1728496 Edward
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

Private Company H, 367th Infantry
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF BURIAL: Grand Cimetiere, LeMans

CAUSE OF DEATH: Typhoid Fever

DATE OF BURIAL: January 30th, 1919

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

Plot 20 Section B

GRAVE NUMBER: #144

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross? Yes
Headboard? No Bottle? No

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:
Was one buried with body? Yes
Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Yes
If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

NEAREST RELATIVE: Jacob B. Chavons

ADDRESS: Casapolis, Michigan

RELATIONSHIP: Father

REPORTED BY: Wm A. Hamill Lt. Capt.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)



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Chavons

Edward

#1728496

Pvt. Co. H 367th. Inf.

DD 1/28/19

DB 1/30/19

Buried American E.F. Cty #419
LeMans

Sec. B Grave #144

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