

To The A. G. O.

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G.R.S. Form #114-B

JAN 7 - 1926

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FULL NAME CIESLINSKI, John T. ✓

RANK... Sergeant ✓

SERIAL..... 1707475 ✓

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Sanitary Detachment, 307th Infantry ✓

DIV - 77 ✓

DATE OF DEATH..... *Aug. 26, 1919* ✓

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME..... *N. J.* ✓

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED..... *none* ✓

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....

Date

Grave

Row

Block

24
20
B
.....
608

Cemetery

Robert G. Davis

Major General

The Adjutant General

BY *RLW*

2-12-29
AUDITED BY
ZLR 7-29-24

293

Rec'd World War Div.
MAR 12 1929

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JAN 8 1926



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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

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Cieslinski

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

CIESLINSKI *1707475* *JOHN T.*
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. *San. Det.* *307 Inf.*
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *Aug. 26th. 1918.*

PLACE OF BURIAL *Chateau de la Foret*

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

193.07- 271-66 Pere-en-Tardenois 1:20.000

GRAVE NUMBER *121*

HOW MARKED : Name Peg? Cross? *Yes*

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS :

Was one buried with body? *Yes*

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

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

REPORTED BY :

Spencer E. Langhorne 1st Lt. U.S.A.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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



Place Seringes (Aisne)

Date June 3, 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: John T. Cieslinski

Number: 1707475

Rank: Pvt. Organization: None

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 3 Unit 304

Disinterred (Date) June 3, 19 From (Give complete location)

From Grave # 121 Cemetery #1-Forsberg.

Reburied (Date) June 3, 19 in: (Give complete location)

Grave # 154 Section B. Plot #5 Cemetery #--Carr. Seringes et Nesles (Aisne)

Map #33 Soissons. SE. 275.4N-195.25E

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

Buried 3 feet deep--- Bodyn badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? None---One on cross.

What other means of identification were found upon the body? None

CONFIRMED No. D

Note:

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

Supervised by: Sgt. Glenn M. Mack

1st. Lt. Wm. N. Carr.

C.O. Group 3 Unit 304

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: John T. Gieslinski

Number: 1707475

Rank: Pvt.

Organization:

None

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 3 Unit 304

Disinterred (Date) June 3, 19 From (Give complete location)

From Grave # 121 Cemetery #1-Forsberg.

Reburied (Date) June 3, 19 in: (Give complete location)

Grave # 154 Section B. Plot # 3 Cemetery # Carr. Seringes et Nesles (Aisne)

Map #33 Soissons. SE. 275.4N-195.25E

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

Buried 3 feet deep--- Bodyn badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? None---One on cross.

What other means of identification were found upon the body? None

11799

CONFIRMED No. D.....

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Note:

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Supervised by: Sgt. Glenn M. Mack

1st. Lt. Wm. N. Carr

C.O. Group 3 Unit 304

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: John T. Ciecalinski Number: 1707475

Rank: Pvt. Organization: None

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 3 Unit 304

Dated (Date) June 3, 1945 From (Give complete location)

From Grave # 121 Cemetery #1-Bozoberg

Reburied (Date) June 3, 1945 in: (Give complete location)

Grave # 121 Section B Plot # Cemetery # - Carr. Services of Neales (State)

Map #33 Bozoberg. SE. 375.44-125.225

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

Buried 3 feet deep --- Body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? None --- One on cross.

What other means of identification were found upon the body? None

CONFIRMED No. D

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

Supervised by: Sgt. Glenn M. Mack 1st Lt. Wm. H. Carr

C.O. Group 3 Unit 304



REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL



Place SERANGES ET NESLES. CTY. 608.

Date 5.2.21

1. REMAINS OF CIESLINSKI, JOHN T SERIAL NUMBER 1707475

RANK SGT ORGANIZATION SAN. DET. 307th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): 5.2.21 From (give complete location): Gr 154 Sect B Plot 3

By: Group BOSSE Unit FIELD SECTION # 7

3. Reburied (date): 5.2.21 In (give complete location): Gr 154 Sect B Plot 3

By: Group BOSSE Unit FIELD SECTION # 7 Nature of reburial PINE BOX & BURLAP

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

BADLY DECOMPOSED FEATURES UNRECOGNIZABLE

U.S. UNIFORM, BURLAP & PINE BOX.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? NO On grave marker? YES

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

NONE

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) _____

(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) _____

IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE

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

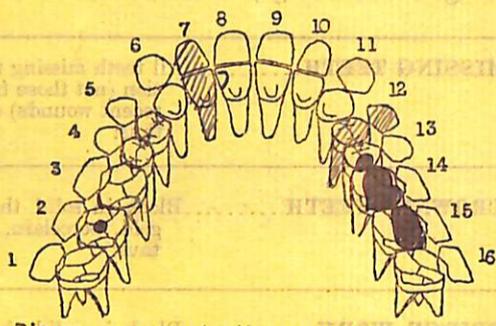
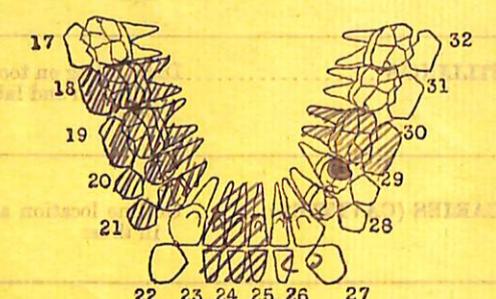


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



2, 13, 14, 15, 29, al. fil. 7, 23, 24, 25, mis. a. d. 8, 26, 27, cav. 12, 18, 19, 20, 21, 30, ext.

IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE

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7. Disinterment supervised by HARRY V. BOSSE, SUP. EMB.

Approved: H. S. HARPOLE, 1st LT. OMC.

(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by HARRY V. BOSSE, SUP. EMB.

Approved: H. S. HARPOLE, 1st LT. OMC.

(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), bicuspid (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.



CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	CIESHINSKI	3	395
	<i>John Z.</i>		
BURIED	CEMETERY 608	1	2
	GRAVE 24	2	24
	ROW 20	2	20
	BLOCK B.	1	2
STATE	New Jersey	2	35
RANK	Sgt	1	2
DIVISION	77	2	77
ORGANIZATION	307	3	307
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	no	1	2 <i>JM</i>
NAME	Cieslinski	3	395
	<i>Mrs. Agnes</i>		
STATE	N. J.	2	35
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Essex	2	07
	CITY Bloomfield	3	008
RELATION	mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Fair	1	1
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	no age	1	2 59
	29/514		

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Cieslinski, John T. OA

September 6, 1932.

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Avenue,
Bloomfield, N.J.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

In order that your desires may be of record, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No")	<i>No</i>
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: <i>59</i> Health: <i>Fair</i>
3. Do you speak English?	<i>Yes</i>
4. What other language do you speak?	<i>Polish</i>

Agnes Cieslinski

Sign here

NOTE CAREFULLY, THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE WHICH YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE, AND THERE IS NO PROVISION OF LAW FOR A MONEY ALLOWANCE INSTEAD.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Cieslinski, John T. (OA)

July 11, 1932.

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Ave.,
Bloomfield, N. J.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries Of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Cieslinski, John T. Sgt. (OA) M-

July 13, 1931.

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 ~~Myrtle Avenue~~, *Broughton Ave.*
Bloomfield, N.J. *Name of street changed*

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 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 either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" 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 eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?

No
Write answer here

(Mrs.) Agnes Cieslinski
Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

June 5, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cieslinski, John T. - 608 M

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Avenue,
Bloomfield, N. J.

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
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cieslinski, John T. 608

March 7, 1930

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Avenue,
Bloomfield, New Jersey.

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. 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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Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE 2/11/30

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
<u>CIESLINSKI, John T.</u>	<u>Sgt.</u>	<u>1707475</u>	<u>San. Det. 307th Inf.</u>	<u>Aug. 26/18</u>

STATE	New Jersey	CTY. NO.	608	GRAVE	24	ROW	20	BLOCK	B
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>	
	MOTHER	: ✓ :	
	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	: <i>Mother.</i>
NAME	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION	: : :	: <i>Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski</i>
AND	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	: <i>74 Myrtle ave</i>
ADDRESS	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS	: : :	: <i>Bloomfield</i>
	(For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	: <i>N. J.</i>
	WIDOW	: : :	: _____
	(Who has not remarried)	: : :	: _____

Single man

Veterans Bureau Claim Number VC-43012
29/156

2-18-30

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 21 1929.

Cieslinaki, John T.

Mr. Ludwik, Cieslinski,
Bloomfield, New Jersey.
74 Myrtle Ave.

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
Sgt. John T. Cieslinski, San Det., 307th Inf., 77th Div., 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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

September 6, 1932.

Cieslinski, John T. OA

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Avenue,
Bloomfield, N.J.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

In order that your desires may be of record, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No")	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Cieslinski, John T. (OA)

July 11, 1932.

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Ave.,
Bloomfield, N. J.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries Of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

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In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

_____ (Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

X
QM 293 A-M
Cieslinski, John T.

June 1, 1932.

Miss Wanda Cieslinski,
74 Broughton Avenue,
Hloomfield, New Jersey.

Dear Madam:

Acknowledgment is made of your letter of May 29, 1932.

The records of this office show that your brother, the late John T. Cieslinski, Sergeant, Sanitary Detachment, 307th Infantry, is interred in Grave No. 24, Row 20, Block B, Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

This cemetery is approximately 114 kilometers from Paris and can be reached in about 3 hours. Upon arrival in Paris, it is suggested that you call at the office of the Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe, 20 rue Molitor, Paris, France, who will give you detailed information as to how to reach the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lieut. Colonel, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

ESM:CC

Copy to Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe

For information and guidance.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM (OA) M-
~~CIESLINSKI, JOHN P. SGT.~~

July 13, 1931.

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Avenue,
Bloomfield, N.J.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 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 either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" 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 eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? _____

Write answer here

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cieslinski, John T. Sgt. (O-A) M

April 8, 1931

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Ave.,
Bloomfield, N. J.

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.	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.

Enclosures:
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Act
Amendment

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QM 293 A-M
Cieslinski, John T. Sgt 608 M

October 13, 1930

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski
74 Myrtle Avenue
Bloomfield, New Jersey

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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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 5, 1930.

Cioslinski, John T. - 608 M

Mrs. Agnes Cioslinski,
74 Myrtle Avenue,
Bloomfield, N. J.

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

Cieslinski, John T. 608

March 7, 1930

Mrs. Agnes Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Avenue,
Bloomfield, New Jersey.

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. 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,

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Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cieslinski, John T.
608

Aug. 29, 1929.

Mr. Ludwik Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Ave.,
Bloomfield, N. J.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 24, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 24 1929.

Cieslinski, John T.

**Mr. Ludwik, Cieslinski,
Bloomfield, New Jersey.
74 Myrtle Ave.**

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 **Sgt. John T. Cieslinski, San Det., 307th Inf., 77th Div., 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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-C

CIESLINSKI, John T. - Sgt.

November 4, 1925

Mr. Ludwik Cieslinski,
74 Myrtle Ave.,
Bloomfield, N.J.

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,

1 Incl.
Record card.

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

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CEMETERIAL DIVISION
REGISTRATION SECTION

FILE

May 28, 1921.

MEMO FOR: Cards Department.

1. CASE OF:

San Det. 307th Inf.

ORGANIZATION (Old)

CIESLINSKI, 1707475, John T.
(Name)

Sgt.

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

DATE OF BURIAL 8/26/18 added

(Note: In the above spaces below double line fill in ONLY the new data and data correcting previous information)

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

BY: Margaret K. McCarthy

Investigation and Adjustment
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
on Organization
File Card:

By 7196

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Journal

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..... John I. EYOWAY

Field sketch No. 1-Wynne.

..... 1918

At junction of roads leading NW to
Yere-en-Tribonot, NB to La Folie.

Wounds received in action.

..... Approximately August 24, 1918.

Row D. 131

Verbal admission by
French Major at Yere-en-Tribonot.

.....

REVIEWED

..... Wynne
..... Coy. 1st

..... 304
..... (Sgt. Miller)

For additional data see reverse side

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

CRESLINSKI 1707475 JOHN T.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. San. Det. 307 Inf.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL. Aug. 26th, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL. Chateau de la Foret.

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

193.075 271-66 Fore-en-Tardencis 1:20.000

Handwritten initials: H12

GRAVE NUMBER. 121

HOW MARKED : Name Peg? Cross? Yes

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS :

Was one buried with body? Yes

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

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

REPORTED BY :

Samuel E. Dougherty Sgt. H. U.S.A.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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SCHOOL FOR BAKERS AND COOKS
DEPARTMENT OF BAKING

Mr Wilson:

Organization

BILL OF FARE

Cieslinski, John J.

Sgt. # 1707475

Sau. Det. 307th Inf.

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BREAKFAST

Mr. Ludwik Cieslinski
(Father)

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

December 3rd, 1918.

FROM : Chief, Graves Registration Service,
A.P.O. 717, American E. F.

TO : C.O.

SUBJECT: Query as to Identification Tag.

1. This office has received from

EFFECTS DEPOT.

identification tag as follows:

Name: CIESLINSKI 1707475 JOHN T.

Rank: Organization: 307 Inf.

Sgt Sanitary Detachment, 307th Inf.

2. It is possible that the wearer of this tag was killed in action. If so, will you please fill out, as far as possible, the enclosed Grave Location Blank, and furnish any other information available which will tend to establish the place of his death and burial, and mail same promptly to office, C.R.S., Hdqrs. S.O.S., with return of this paper.

3. If he was not killed in action please advise as to present status, by notation hereon.

CHARLES C. PIERCE

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

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SEP 22

One tag buried with body.
Onetag attached to grave marker.

File #14777

Dec. 27, 1919

Research Section.

Card Dept.

G.R.S Form No. 8-W; Central Records
Liaison.

FILE

Memo For: G.R.S. representative, C.R.O.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

Surname:	Cieslinski	←
Number:	1707475	←
First name:	John	J
Rank:	Sgt.	←
Company:	San. Det.	←
Organization:	307th Inf.	←
Date of death:	8/26/18	←
Cause:	DWRIA	←
Place:		

Location of hospital:

Number " "
Class " "

✓ Emergency address *Ludwig Cieslinski*
74 Myrtle Ave, Bloomfield, N. J.
 ✓ Relationship: *(father)*

Authority:
Cablegram No:
Telegram from:

REVIEWED
JAN 28.

dated:

Reported to Washington;
C.C.Nos.

(Underscore the "official" C.C.)
Remarks:

Evans 12/30/19 CHARLES C. PIERCE,
J 5-7 W. Dem Rec Colonel, P.M.C., U.S.A.

NS-3404/MB

Form 1-A shows:

Cemetery #608,

Grave #154

Name: Gieslinski, John T.

WAR DEPARTMENT

608 - 515 sep

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

Hoboken, NJ

FEB 2 1921

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

To: Mr. Ludwik Cieslinski, 74 Myrtle Ave. Bloomfield, NJ

SUBJECT: Remains of Sgt. John T. Cieslinski, Ser. No. 1707475, San Det. 307th Inf.

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

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? INSSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		

Date

Signature

Address

Relationship

I, the undersigned, am the _____ 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.
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 _____

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.

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Name appears on



For further data see Casualty Files



✓ Greshinski, John T 1707475
Cieslinski,
Pan Det. 307 Inf

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Burial - Cem

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Cieslinski,

John T.

1,707,475

Dup.

(Surn.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Sgt.

San Detach 307th 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)

Ludwik Cieslinski

(Number and street or rural route.)

74 Myrtle ave

(City, town, or post office.)

Bloomfield

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by M K S

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12-13-20

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WAR DEPARTMENT

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID
PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$ 300

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

CIESLINKI, John

File # 14777



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PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID
PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$ 300

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

GIESLINKI, John

File # 14777



REVIEWED
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74 Broughton Ave.
Bloomfield, N. J.
May 29, 1932

Quartermaster 293 A-C
War Department
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly send
me information concerning
the definite location of my
brothers, ²⁴³ John T. Cieslinski
Sgt. (O-a) M.-grave in France?

I am planning a
trip to Europe this summer
and would like to make
Sgt., Saw. Det. 307 Inf.
A. 24, Row 20, Block B, Que-Que

a pilgrimage to the
battlefield cemetery.

A few directions on how
to get there from Paris
would also be appreciated.

Respectfully yours,
Wanda Cieslinski



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE February 7, 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	CIESLINSKI, John T.	10. Name	
2. No.	1707475	11. No.	
3. Rank	Sgt.	12. Rank	
4. Org.	San.Det., 307th Inf. 77th Div	13. Org.	
5. D.D.	August 26, 1918	14. (a) D.D.	
6. C.D.	Wounds	(b) D.B.	

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No.	24	Sec.		15. Grave No.		Sec.	
8. Plot	Block B	Row	20	16. Plot		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 7, 1928 By L. Gordon

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name	CIESLINSKI, John T.	Serial No.	1707475
Rank	Sgt.	Organization	San.Det., 307th Inf.

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

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 7, 1928 By L. Gordon

31. Casket sealed by L. Gordon

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

L. Gordon

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

32. Designation of body : _____

Name CIESLINSKI, John T. Serial No. 1707475

Rank Sgt. Organization San. Det., 307th Inf.

33. Consigned to : _____

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) February 7, 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
Charles E. Spahn

36. Remarks _____

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 7, 1928, Oise-Aisne American Cty.
(Date)

42. Grave No. 24 Section _____

43. Plot Block B Row 20

G.R.S. Representative William E. Moore
William E. Moore, Superintendent.

DISINTERMENT
REPORT OF DISINTERMENT PRESERVATION SHIPMENT AND REBURYING OF BODY
DATE FEBRUARY 7 1928
OISE-AISNE

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date February 7, 1928.

1. REMAINS OF CIESLINSKI, John T. SERIAL NUMBER 1707475
RANK Sgt. ORGANIZATION Sap. Det. 307th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) February 7, 1928 From (give complete location):
Grave 24, Block B, Row 20

By: Group _____ Cty. _____ Unit _____

3. Reburied (date) February 7, 1928 In (give complete location):
Grave 24, Block B, Row 20

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? _____ 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) _____

7 & 8 MAD

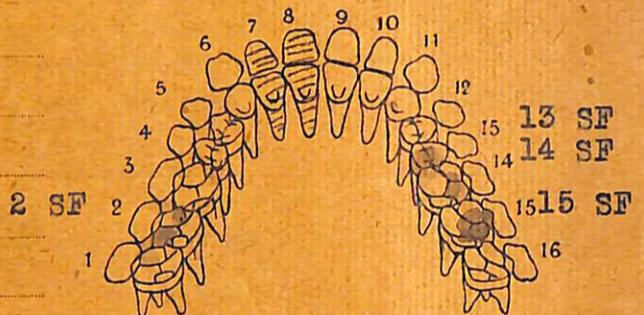
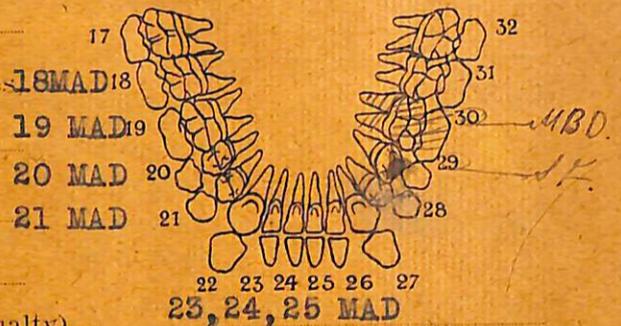


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



7. Disinterment supervised by [Signature]

Approved: [Signature]
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by [Signature]

Approved: [Signature]
(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), bicuspid (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.

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 14777

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 (b) Rank Sgt. Organization Sam. Det. 307th Inf.
 (c) Date of death 8-26-18 (d) Cause of death DWRI A

TYP. DB
 CKR. E.M.

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

(a) Grave No. 154 Row 7 ⁽¹²⁻¹⁴⁾ Plot 3 Sec. B TYP. DB
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Ludwig Cieslinski, (Father) Bloomfield, N.J.
74 Myrtle Ave.

CKR. E.M.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Ludwik Cieslinski (b) Relationship Father
 (c) Address 74 Myrtle Ave - Bloomfield - N.J.
 (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 smk 8 Date 12-13, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials smk 8 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 smk 8 Date 12-14, 1920.

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CEMETERY No. 608

SHEET No. 515

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FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

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CARD

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Location Index

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks:

A. G. O. Card & Corr.

Stevens

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Discrepancies

Name

✓

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks:

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks:

*Old no of subject
12-14-20*

Checkers

Clark 12-14

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks:

C. C. Ludwik (?)

*checked
att 12-14-20*

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

AgO card - Ludwik Cieslinski (father) - 74 Myrtle Ave., Bloomfield, N.J. - desires body to remain in Europe. (L.S. 11/7/21)

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 192)
 (Letter of transmittal on JAN 13 1921)

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

Cieslinski, John T.

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. JAN 27 1921 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. 5/3 192 1

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