

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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FULL NAME CLARK, Harold E.

RANK Pvt. SERIAL 3960355

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION *91 Div., Co., I., 361st. Inf.*

DATE OF DEATH 11-2-18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *Montana*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. *None shown*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION
Date Grave Row Block

Flanders Field, #1252
.....
Cemetery

*Mother deceased.
Unmarried.*

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REC'D WORLD WAR DIV
JUL 11 1924

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Clair.

Clair.....**3960355**.....**Harold**.....
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt......**361st Inf.**.....
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:.....

CAUSE OF DEATH:.....

DATE OF BURIAL:.....**Nov. 4, 1918.**.....

PLACE OF BURIAL:.....**Audenarde**.....

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

207.6 - 458.0 (Courdrai NE)

GRAVE NUMBER:.....

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:

NEAREST RELATIVE:.....

ADDRESS:.....

RELATIONSHIP:.....

REPORTED BY:.....**Wm. Dean, 1st Lt.**.....

361st Inf.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

Co I. 361st Infantry

Clark, Harold E. pvt 3960355

Killed November 1st 1918

Private Clark 3960355 Harold E. was killed in action Nov. 1st, 1918 on hill near city of Audenaarde, Belgium during the Ypres-Lys offensive.

The informant was eye witness and was in hole with private Gustave W. Diehm of this company, a high explosive shell struck on right side of hole dropped in over Private Diehm and killed Private Harold E. Clark.

Death was instantaneous.

Informant knew christian name of private Harold E. Clark but was not familiar with serial number.

The ground was held.

There were three other men in Company "I" with same surname.

I believe the statement as given by the informant to be correct.

No record as to burial place, in this organization.

Informant: Diehm, Gustave W. pvt 3953466
Co I. 361st Infantry,
Home address: Sterling Nebr.

Elmer J. Armstrong - Searcher
Capt. 361st Infantry Comd'g Co.

Next of kin:-

Mrs Della Young (Sister
347 West Station St. Hankakee, Ill.

Date June 24, 1919.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name Clark, Harold E.

Number: 3960355

Rank unknown

Organization: 361 Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 3

Unit 302

Disinterred (Date)

From: (give complete location)

June 11, 1919.

Isolated grave #1. Bevere, East Flanders,

Belgium, B.M.1/40.000 Sheet 29-I-14-C-9-4

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

June 11, 1919

Grave 146. Plot B. American Mil. Cem.

Waereghem, West Flanders, Belgium.

B.M.1/40.000 Sheet 29-D-28-d-6-9.5

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

Body buried with overcoat, badly decomposed

Was one identification tag found upon the body? yes

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

Note:

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

Supervised by: Sgt. A. Caillaud.

H.E. Felter, 2nd Lieut, OMC USA

G.O. Group 3

Unit 302

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CONFIRMED N° D.

Weserghem, Belgium

G.A.S. 101111. 10.

Date June 24, 1919.

REPORT OF DISTURBANCE AND REBURY

Remains of:

Number: 3860385

Name: Clark, Harold W.

Organization: 881 Inf.

Rank: unknown

Unit: 302

Disturbance and Reburial made by Group

From: (give complete location)

Disturbed (Date)

Isolated grave #1, Ravere West Flanders, Belgium, B.M. 1/40.000 Sheet 29-I-14-G-3-4

June 11, 1919.

From: (give complete location)

Disturbed (Date)

Grave 146, Plot B, American Mil. Cem., Weserghem, West Flanders, Belgium, B.M. 1/40.000 Sheet 29-D-28-3-3-3

June 11, 1919

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

Body buried with overcoat, badly decomposed

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes
What other means of identification were found upon the body? none



On disturbance, effects are found upon the body, they are sent to the Electric Depot direct, as is required by G.O.C. 1918, after being carefully examined for clues to identify in hospital cases, notation whereby will be made and reported to Graves Registration Service.

W. J. Reiter, Sgt. Lieut. 302
G. J. Group 3

Disturbed by: Sgt. A. Collins

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Clark</i>	<i>Cl</i>	3	3 2 1
<i>Harold E.</i>	CEMETERY <i>1252</i>	1	8
BURIED	GRAVE <i>7</i>	2	07
<i>Enl. 7-24-18</i>	ROW <i>1</i>	2	01
<i>Age 26 yrs</i>	BLOCK <i>A</i>	1	1
STATE	<i>mont</i>	2	31
RANK	<i>Priv</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>91</i>	2	91
ORGANIZATION	<i>361</i>	3	361
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	1
MARITAL <i>(sister)</i>	<i>no</i>	1	2
NAME <i>YOUNG, Mrs</i>	<i>Y</i>	3	
<i>Della</i>	STATE <i>Colo</i>	2	
RESIDENCE <i>Julesburg,</i>	COUNTY	2	
<i>Colorado</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead</i>	1	6
NATIVITY <i>no & m.</i>		1	
<i>no Soc</i>		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
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QM 293 A-M
Clark, Harold E. (FF)

June 6, 1932.

Mrs. Della Young,

Julesburg, Colorado.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 12, 1932, relative to your eligibility to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Harold E. Clark.

It has been held that in order for a woman to be eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the loco parentis clause of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, she must have provided the deceased member of the American forces with food, clothing, shelter, guidance, counsel, etc., for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the veteran's reaching the age of eighteen.

In view of the fact that your brother was seventeen years of age at the time of his mother's death, it is evident that you could not have stood in loco parentis to him within the meaning of the law, and it is regretted to advise you are not eligible to make a pilgrimage to his grave at the expense of the Government.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Julesburg Colorado

May 12 - 1932

Office of the Quartermaster General,
Washington

In Reply to QM 293 A-M

~~Clark, Harold E. (77)~~

In Reply to your letter of April 27-1932
I believe I am the woman who is eligible
to make the pilgrimage to the cemeteries in
Europe, as I am the oldest sister of the late
Private Harold E. Clark, Co. I - 361 Inf.
91 Division. After his father's death I his
sister Mrs. Della Young took care of his mother
and himself for several years before he entered
the service, as he made his home with me
after mother's death, she died November 29-1909
so I feel like I was a mother to him
hoping this is a satisfactory answer
I remain

Mrs. Della Young
Julesburg
Colorado.

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April 27, 1932.

QM 293 A-M

Clark, Harold E. (FF)

Mrs. Della Young,

Julesburg, Colorado.

Dear Madam:

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 Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It will therefore be appreciated if you will advise as to whether or not your brother, the late Private Harold E. Clark, is survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to his reaching the age of eighteen. If so, furnish her name and address. It is also requested that you furnish the date of death of his mother.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.

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QM 293 A-M
Clark, Harold E. 1253 LP

July 25, 1930

Mrs. Ella Young,
Julesburg,
Colorado.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated July 18, 1930, enclosing form letter of July 8, 1930, completed by you which states you stood in loco parentis to the late Harold E. Clark.

In order to satisfy the legal requirements it will be necessary for you to furnish as proof of your relationship, in loco parentis, the affidavits of at least two persons not related to you.

In the event you consider yourself eligible, under the law, to make the pilgrimage, it is requested that the enclosed forms be completed and returned to this office in order that your eligibility may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Q.M. 293 A-C.

Clark Harold E. 1252 E.

Julesburg Colo.

July 18 1930.

As I am in receipt of your
letter of July 8 1930.

I Mrs. Della Young formerly of
347 W. Station St. Kankakee Ill
but now of Julesburg Colorado,
I am the oldest sister of the
deceased soldier's mother deceased
all his belongings were sent to
me, as he gave my name and address
in case of emergency so I was
notified when he was killed in
action Nov. 2nd 1928. I believe
I am the nearest relative to
said soldier, Truly

Mrs. Della Young
Julesburg Colo



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 8, 1930.

Clark, Harold E. 1252 S

Mrs. Della Young,
347 W. Station St.,
Kankakee, Ill.

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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.

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?

Mother deceased

If so, give her name and address:

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

Deceased was unmarried

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?

*A sister Mrs. Della Young
Formerly of 347-W. Station St.
Kankakee Ill. now of
Julesburg, Colorado,*

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. Hughes

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

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Julesburg Colorado
May 5-1929

War Department

Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington

Received letter of April 23-1929
sent to Mrs. Della Young, 470. W.
Station St. Kankakee Ill.

in regard to nearest relative of
I M. 293. A-C.

Clark, Harold C.

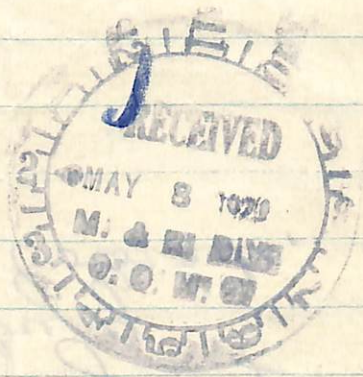
The Mother is deceased and said
soldier was unmarried, and I
Mrs. Della Young, now of
Julesburg Colorado formerly
of Kankakee Ill. am the
oldest sister of deceased soldier

293 Clark

Harold C.

Pvt. Harold E. Clark,
Co. D. 361 Infantry, whose remains
are now interred in the Flanders
Fields American Cemetery,
Waeregham, Belgium.
So am I not entitled to make
the pilgrimage. Hoping to
hear in the near future in
regard to this pilgrimage
yours truly

Mrs. Della Young
Julesburg
Colorado.



[Faint, illegible handwriting covering the middle section of the page]

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

QM 293 A-C
Clark, Harold E.

April 23, 1929.

Mrs. Della Young,
470 W. Station St.,
Kankakee, Ill.

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 sister of the late Private Harold E. Clark, Company I, 361st Infantry, whose remains are now interred in the Flanders Field American Cemetery, Wareghem, Belgium.

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,

J. McCLINTOCK,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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Sister

Young, Mrs. Della
347 - N. Station St.,
Hankakee,
Ill.

QM 293 A-M
Clark, Harold E. (PF)

June 6, 1932.

Mrs. Della Young,
Julesburg, Colorado.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 12, 1932, relative to your eligibility to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Harold E. Clark.

It has been held that in order for a woman to be eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the loco parentis clause of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, she must have provided the deceased member of the American forces with food, clothing, shelter, guidance, counsel, etc., for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the veteran's reaching the age of eighteen.

In view of the fact that your brother was seventeen years of age at the time of his mother's death, it is evident that you could not have stood in loco parentis to him within the meaning of the law, and it is regretted to advise you are not eligible to make a pilgrimage to his grave at the expense of the Government.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M

April 27, 1932.

Clark, Harold E. (FP)

Mrs. Della Young,

Julesburg, Colorado.

Dear Madam:

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 Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It will therefore be appreciated if you will advise as to whether or not your brother, the late Private Harold E. Clark, is survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to his reaching the age of eighteen. If so, furnish her name and address. It is also requested that you furnish the date of death of his mother.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Clark, Harold E. 1252 LP

July 25, 1930

Mrs. Ella Young,
Julesburg,
Colorado.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated July 18, 1930, enclosing form letter of July 8, 1930, completed by you which states you stood in loco parentis to the late Harold E. Clark.

In order to satisfy the legal requirements it will be necessary for you to furnish as proof of your relationship, in loco parentis, the affidavits of at least two persons not related to you.

In the event you consider yourself eligible, under the law, to make the pilgrimage, it is requested that the enclosed forms be completed and returned to this office in order that your eligibility may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

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

July 8, 1930.

Clark, Harold E. 1252 S

Mrs. Della Young,
347 W. Station St.,
Kankakee, Ill.

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.

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,

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

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QM 293 A-3
Clark, Harold E.

May 14, 1929.

Mrs. Della Young,
Julesburg,
Colorado.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 5th, 1929, in which you advised that your brother, the late Private Harold E. Clark was not survived by a mother or widow.

In response to your inquiry as to whether you are entitled to make the pilgrimage to his grave under the provisions of the law recently passed by Congress, it is regretted to have to inform you that this law contains no provision that would permit of any other member of the family making the journey in place of the mother or widow.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C

CLARK, Harold E., Pvt.

February 8, 1924

Mr. J. O. Clark,
La Belle,

Florida.

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,

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Record card.

Assistant.

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R. L. FOSTER

~~W. M. C.~~
CENTRAL MAIL ROOM



FEB 8 1924

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In Answer Refer to File No.

CS-6148

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY,
WASHINGTON.

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August 18th, 1920.

File No. 293.8 Reg. Sec., Cem. Div.
(Clark, Harold, E.)

Mr. J. O. Clark,
La Belle, Florida.

Dear Sir:-

Mrs. Della Young, sister of the late Private Harold E. Clark has requested that the body of the late soldier be left in Europe. Please inform this office without delay whether you concur in her request or not, whether you desire the body returned to the United States and shipped to you, or some other address, that it be interred in the National Cemetery, at Arlington Virginia.

Your early attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Major, U. S. Army,
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

BY:

H. M. Gwynn
H. M. GWYNN,
Major, Infantry.

OSP:SS
Cor. Stat. Unit.

Charles C. Pierce
Major U.S. Army

Noted on Form No. 115
Date *8.18.20*

Please allow the remains of My
late Bro. Harold E. Clark to remain in Europe
Yours Truly
J. O. Clark
La Belle Fla



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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

File No. 100-100000-100000
(100-100000-100000)

Mr. J. A. [Name]
[Address]

Mrs. Nellie Young, sister of the late [Name]
[Address]
[Text regarding the body of the late [Name] and its interment in the National Cemetery, Washington, D.C.]



Very truly yours,
[Signature]

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

100-100000-100000

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

JUL 20 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
TO: Mrs. Della Young. ⁴⁷⁰(347) W. Station St. Kankakee, Ill.
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Harold E. Clark.

Rush Answer
Change in address v.c.H.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body be Not returned to U.S.

over.

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~~ Europe

Noted on Form No. 115

8-15-20 etc.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

Date

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	<i>None</i>		
Soldier's Children	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
	3.	<i>None</i>	
Father	<i>Deceased</i>		
Mother	<i>Deceased</i>		
Brothers	1.	<i>J. O. Clark, La. Belle Florida</i>	
(Name oldest first)	2.		
Sisters	<i>Mrs. Della Young 470 - W. Station St. Kankakee Ill.</i>		
	<i>Mrs. Nellie Smock Pieter Ind. Mrs. Myrtle Terry Julesburg Colo.</i>		
	<i>Mrs. Matilda Miner Sheldon, Ill. Mrs. Ida Light Independence Ind.</i>		
Date	<i>July 26-1920</i>		
Signature	<i>Mrs. Della Young</i>		
Address	<i>470 - W. Station St. Kankakee</i>		
Relationship	<i>Oldest Sister</i>		

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

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

We the Brother and Sister desier to leave
Body of Brother. Pvt. Harold E. Clark remain
buried in Europe.

Mrs. Della young

old number
347-w. Station St.

470-w. Station St.
Rankabeel

Ill.

G. H. S.
JUL 29 1920



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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.

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GRAVE LOCATION CARD

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Clark 3960355 Harold
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

Pvt. 361st. Inf.
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: Audenarde

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL: Nov. 4, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL: Audenarde

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

207.6 - 458.0 (Courdrai N.E.)

GRAVE NUMBER:

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:

OMME. Audenarde (Belgium)
(C-908) SH. 29 NE COORD. E. 207.6
Courtrais N. 458.0

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: Wm. Dean, 1st. Lt.

361st. Inf.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

Chief of Mass Registration Service

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



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Daily Report No. 100-896-201

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FROM: O. Q. M. G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Unit Building
Room 1128

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington.

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 10/29/20.

File No. **58778** Registration.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

a. Surname **Clark** ✓

f. Date of death **11/2/18** ✓

b. Christian name **Harold E.** ✓

g. Cause of death **K/A** ✓

c. Serial Number **3960355 (3690355)** ✓

h. Authority (C.C.#) **327** ✓

d. Organization **Co., I, 361st Inf.** ✓

i. Emergency address **Mrs. Della Young**

e. Rank **Private** ✓

j. Relationship **347 - West Station St
Kankakee Ill
sister**

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

a. Age of enlistment

b. Color of eyes

c. Color of hair

d. Height

e. Weight

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

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
upper right upper left

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left

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

BY: *H. J. Conner*

H. J. CONNER,
~~Quartermaster General, U.S.A.~~
1st. Lt.

CEMETERY NO: 1252

SHEET NO: 104

TYPED BY: ZS

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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington.

Special

G.R.S. Form S-W-A-0
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 10/29/20.

File No. *58278* Registration.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

- a. Surname **Clark** ✓
- b. Christian name **Harold E.** ✓
- c. Serial Number **3960335** ✓ ~~3960355 (3690355)~~
- d. Organization **Co., I, 361st Inf.** ✓
- e. Rank **Private** ✓
- f. Date of death **11/2/18** ✓
- g. Cause of death **K/A** ✓
- h. Authority (C.C.#) **327** ✓
- i. Emergency address **Mrs. Della Young**
347 - West Station St
- j. Relationship **Nephew, Ill**
sister

BODY DESCRIPTION
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age of enlistment
- b. Color of eyes
- c. Color of hair
- d. Height
- e. Weight
- f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

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BY: *HJ Conner*

H. J. CONNER,
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1st. Lt.

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Clark

Harold E

3960355
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(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number)

Pvt

Co I 361st Inf

(Rank and organization.)

B

State your relationship to the deceased *Sister*

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*

(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)

Mrs. Della Young

377 - W. Station St. Oklahoma
(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

drawn by M.H.

1252-104

10/15

checked by C

10-28-20

Place Waereghem, Belgium, # 1252

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date June 12, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF CLARK, Harold E. SERIAL NUMBER 3960355
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. I, 361st Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : June 12, 1922 From (give complete location) :
Gr. 146 Pl. B. Com 1252.

By : Group 4 Unit Sec 2. Block

3. Reburied (date) June 12, 1922. In (give complete location) : Gr 7 Row 1 Plot A Flanders Field Cemetery No. 1252, Waereghem, Belgium. In regulation casket and shipping case. Bottle record placed with body.

By : Group Reburial Unit Section No. 2. Nature of reburial

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
Wooden box, uniform.
Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

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 reads: Harold-- Clark. Rest 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)

(c) Hair—Color apparently dark

Quantity Thick

Characteristics Straight

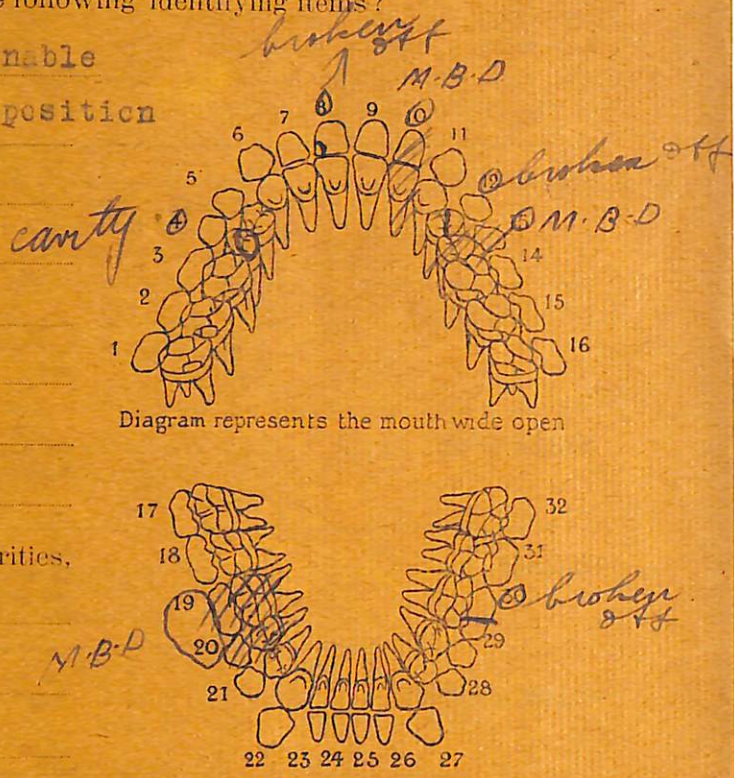
(d) Hair on face—Color None visible.

Location None

Quantity None.

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

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)
Skull fractured. Hole in forehead caused by shrapnel or L.R. Knasin. bullet.



7. Disinterment supervised by Edmo. Ware

Approved: O. E. Davis
 (Title) 1st Lt. G.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by J. S. Pantelis

Approved: William D. Cleary
 (Title) William D. Cleary Chaplain, U. S. Army

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 June 12, 1922.

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	<u>CLARK, HAROLD E</u>	10. Name	<u>Harold Clark.</u>
2. No.	<u>3960355</u>	11. No.	
3. Rank	<u>Pvt.</u>	12. Rank	
4. Org.	<u>Co. I 361st Inf.</u>	13. Org.	
5. D.D.	<u>11-2-13</u>	14. (a) D.D.	
6. C.D.	<u>KIA</u>	(b) D.B.	

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No.	<u>146</u>	Sec.		15. Grave No.		Sec.	
8. Plot	<u>B</u>	Row		16. Plot	<u>(None)</u>	Row	
9.				17.	<u>None.</u>		
18. Cemetery	<u>AMERICAN</u>	19. Commune or town	<u>WAAREGHEM</u>				
20. Dept. or County		21. Country	<u>BELGIUM</u>				
22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No.	<u>1252</u>						
23. Disinterred (Date)	<u>June 12, 1922.</u>	By	<u>Edmo Maire.</u>				
24. Inscription on grave marker:							
Name	<u>Harold E. Clark.</u>	Serial No.	<u>3960355</u>				
Rank	<u>Pvt.</u>	Organization	<u>Co. I. 361st Inf.</u>				
25. Was identification disc found on grave marker?	<u>Yes</u>	On body?	<u>Yes</u>				

L. R. Knasin

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

L. R. Knasin

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 tag reads: Harold Clark. Rest checks.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden box, uniform.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? Yes see par. # 10.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date June 12, 1922. By Edmo Maire.

31. Casket sealed by Edmo Maire.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

Edmo Maire
Edmo Maire.

AUDITED BY

LDL 5-16-23
C.R. 3104

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-392

32. Designation of body:

Name CLARK, HAROLD E. Serial No. 3960355

Rank PVT. Organization CO. I 361st Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Flanders Field American Cemetery #1252, Waereghem, Belgium.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) June 12, 1922. By Edmo Maire.

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 *O.E. Davis*
O.E. Davis, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

36. Remarks

None

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) June 12, 1922

To point of Concentration

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer *O.E. Davis*
O.E. Davis, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

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 Flanders Field Amer. Cem. # 1252, Waereghem, Belgium.

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer *O.E. Davis*
O.E. Davis, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

40. Received: Date June 12, 1922.

G.R.S. Representative *W.D. Cleary*
W.D. Cleary, Chaplain.

41. Reinterred June 12, 1922. (Date)

42. Grave No. 7 Section

43. Plot A Row 1

G.R.S. Representative *William D. Cleary*
William D. Cleary
Chaplain, U.S. Army

EL

G.R.S. Form No. 115

COUNTRY Belgium

Cemetery No. 1252

Sheet No. 104

File No. 58228

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name CLARK, Harold E. Ser. No. 3960355) TYP. SH
 (2) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I, 361st Inf.) CKR. Ud.
 (3) Date of death 11-2-18)

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

(4) Cause of death K/A) TYP. SH
 (5) Grave No. 146 Row --- Plot B Sect. ---) CKR. EC

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 Sister
 (7) Name Mrs Della Young
 (8) Address 347 - W. State St., Kankakee Ill.
 (9) Desires remains brought to U. S.? No
 (10) Desires remains brought to U. S. and interred in National Cemetery at yes
 (11) If brought back, what shipping instructions? ---

SEE SUSPENSION REMARKS

enc 3/29/20

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 ALS (Date) 3-29-20

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

No requests for disposition from location blank only

(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by mck (Date) 3-31-20

(over)

Checked by ed
10-28-20

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 7-26-20 Mrs. Della Young sister,
470 - W. Station St. Kankakee Ill
states that she and J. O. Clark Brother
nearest of kin, request body remain
in Europe. etc. 8-18-20*

D. Dispatched (Date) _____ (Let. Trans. No. *12-3-20*) _____

PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED

Approved by _____

(Date) _____

E/a. Mrs. Della Young, sister

347 - W. Station St. Kankakee Ill.

8/18/20 - Letter to eldest brother, asking if he consents to sister's wish to have remains in Europe etc.

9-2 - Letter from eldest brother consents to have remains in Europe etc.

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File No. 58228

(a) Name CLARK, Harold E. Ser. No. 3960355 } TYP SH
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I. 361st Inf. } VH
 (c) Date of death 11/2/18 Cause of death K/A. }

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

ENS *1/5.*

(a) Grave No. 146 Row --- Plot B Sect. --- TYP SH
 (b) Emerg. Address -----

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases No card. CKR EC.

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

Form 120 - 7/26/20 - sister (Mrs. Della Young, 470 W. Station St., Kankakee, Ill. states she + J. O. Clark, father, wish body left in France. Letter 9-7- from brother concurs. (H.) 12/9/20

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on ----- 192
 (Letter of transmittal on 12/2 1920

PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. ----- 192

COUNTRY Belgium

CEMETERY NO. 1252

SHEET NO. 104.

G.R.S. FORM 115-A
 August 1920