

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Clavenger</i>	3	<i>3-0-5</i>
	<i>Linther</i>		
	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>22</i>	2	<i>22</i>
	ROW <i>17</i>	2	<i>17</i>
	BLOCK <i>A</i>	1	<i>1</i>
STATE	<i>S. Dak.</i>	2	<i>46</i>
RANK	<i>Priv. 1st</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>5</i>	2	<i>05</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>60</i>	3	<i>060</i>
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL	<i>(Sister) Mo</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME	<i>Taylor</i>	3	
	<i>Mrs. Resie</i>		
	<i>936 Mocha St.</i>		
	<i>Ontario, Calif.</i>		
RESIDENCE			
STATE		2	
COUNTY		2	
CITY		3	
RELATION	<i>mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>no fm</i>	1	
	<i>no loco</i>		
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead 3-18-20</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 8, 1930.

Clevenger, Gunther 1232 S

Mrs. Resie Taylor,
936 Mocta St.,
Ontario, Calif.

Dear Sir:

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

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

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

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

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Clevenger, Gunther

August 13, 1929

Mrs. Resie E. Taylor,
936 Mocta Street,
Ontario, California

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 Pvt. Gunther Clevenger, Co. F, 60th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return 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?

No - Never married

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. 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.

No.

Mother died March 18, 1920

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Clevenger, Gunther

August 13, 1929

Mr. James F. Clevenger,
General Delivery,
Carlsbad, New Mexico

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

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4. Does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Sister
Mrs. Resie E. Taylor,
936 Mocha St.,
Ontario, Calif.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Clevenger, Gunther

Father
Mr. James F. Clevenger,
Gen. Del.
Carlsbad, New Mexico.

June 27, 1929.

(read)
Mrs. Johanna F. Clevenger,
1607 Pine St.,
Dallas, Texas.

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".

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since re-married it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

John Harris

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

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9/27/29
RECEIVED
JUN 27 1929
DIVISION OF QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

DATE Nov 8th, 1921.

FEB 18 1923

1. NAME CLEVINGER, Gunther SERIAL No. 2383566

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. F., 60th Inf. & DIVISION 5th

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Arg. Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) 1232 Sec. 60
CTY. NAME NUMBER

158 Sec. 60 4
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 68 Bac. Cunel. Meuse
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35 NE 285.6 N 309.8 E

CONCENTRATED TO 5/10/19 158 Sec 60 4
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne 1232
CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on cross and body.

DATE OF DEATH Oct 27, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME S. Dak

data F-1.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none found

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS
ccg DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR M. B. BIRDSEYE
1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U. S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Nov 8th, 1921. 22 Block A. 17.
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty # 1232. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse)

CEMETERY

The Adjutant General
By

FEB 24 1923

Rec'd World War Div
FEB 19 1926
WORLD WAR DIV

MAR 30 1928

AUDITED BY
4-17-23

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.



Co. F., 60th Inf.,
5th Div.

Clevenger, Gunthier F.-Pvt. 1/cl-238356
Home: Dallas, Texas.

1/cl Pvt. Gunthier F. Clevenger was first reported missing in action Oct. 14, 1918, but later, about the 8th or 9th of December while this company was billeted in Welfringen, Luxembourg, a notice of burial was received from some burial party. This notice showed the location of the grave of Pvt. 1/cl Clevenger as being in the vicinity of Cunel, France, the scene of action Oct. 14, 1918. This notification became lost in moving from Welfringen; so there is not now any record on file of the burial of this soldier.

Informant: Robinson, George V.-Sgt.-2662017.
Co. F., 60th Inf., ~~REKREKX~~XIIIXX

Home: Forrest, Ills.

Witness: Sgt. C. V. Robinson,
Co. F., 60th Inf.

Signed: Samuel Woodfill, Commanding Officer
Co. F., 50th Inf.

Emergency address:
Mrs. Johanna F. Clevenger,
R.R. No. 1, Box 657.

Fifth Division Statistical Records: Killed by shell
fire in action of Oct. 14, 1918.

293.8 Clevenger, Gunther F.
(Misc. Div.)

1st Ind.

IDR:WMS

War Department, A.G.O., March 3, 1919, - To the Commanding General, American Expeditionary Forces.

1. The request contained in the foregoing letter from Mrs. Johanna Clevenger, 1607 Tire Street, Dallas, Texas, that the body of her son, Private Gunther F. Clevenger, Company F, 60th Infantry, be allowed to remain in France for permanent burial, is approved, and the Commanding General is directed to take action accordingly.

2. Mrs. Clevenger and the Quartermaster General of the Army have been advised of this action.

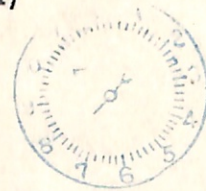
By order of the Secretary of War:

J. G. Ashburn
Adjutant General.

Synopsis made.

Copy for,

Office, Quartermaster General (Cemeterial Branch)



MAR 4 1919

293.8 Clevenger, Gunther F.
X 293 Minutes

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 8, 1930.

Clevenger, Gunther 1232 S

Mrs. Resie Taylor,
936 Mocta St.,
Ontario, Calif.

Dear Sir:

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

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

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If so, give her name and address:

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If so, give her name and address:

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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A. D. HUGHES,
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Clevenger, Gunther

August 13, 1929

**Mr. James F. Clevenger,
General Delivery,
Carlsbad, New Mexico**

Dear Sir:

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For The Quartermaster General,

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Clevenger, Gunther

August 13, 1929

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Ontario, California

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Clevenger, Gunther

June 27, 1929.

Mrs. Johanna F. Clevenger,
1607 Pine St.,
Dallas, Texas.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Pvt. Gunther Clevenger, Co. F, 60th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

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For The Quartermaster General,

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Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Mrs. Johanna F. Clevenger,
No. 1607 Pine Street,
Dallas, Texas.

September 7, 1923

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the permanent grave of Pvt. Gunther Clevenger, Co. F, 60th Infantry is No. 22, Row 17, Block A, Meuse-Argonne American cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, 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.

You are assured in effecting removal of the remains, the utmost care and reverence were exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

H. H. Cheal
H. H. Cheal,
Assistant.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

Clevenger

Gunther

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF
Clevenger 2383566 Gunther

(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. Co. D 60th Inf.

(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: **Verdun front**

CAUSE OF DEATH: **G S W**

DATE OF BURIAL: **October 27, 1918**

PLACE OF BURIAL: **Cemetery North of Cunel**

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

Map-Montfaucon 85.5-09.8

GRAVE NUMBER: **53**

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: **F. Fitzgibbon
2nd Lt 358th Inf.**

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

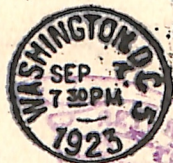
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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REGISTER FOR PRIVATE USE,
TO AVOID PAYMENT OF POSTAGE \$300.
OR
INSURE
VALUABLE MAIL

UNCLAIMED.
From Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. Johanna F. Clevenger,
1607 Pine St.,
Dallas, Texas.

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SEP 11 1923

Clevenger, Gunther F 2,383,566 ✓
(Surname.) (Christian name in full.) (Army serial number)

Pvt Co F, 60 Inf
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased. Mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? No
(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery? }
(Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

(Name of person to receive remains.) (Express office.) (Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.) (City or town.) (State.)

(Sign here) Mrs Johanna Clevenger

1607 Pine St Dallas Tex
(Number and street or rural route.) (City, town, or post office.) (State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn PM
1232 Sec 60-26

5-19-21

Checked by G

5-20-21

In reply refer to:
QM 293 C-R

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Mrs. Johanna F. Clevenger,
No. 1607 Pine Street,
Dallas, Texas.

September 7, 1923

Dear Madam:

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No. 22, Row 17, ^{permanent grave of} ~~Block A,~~ ^{Pvt. Gunther Clevenger, Co. F, 60th Infantry is} Meuse-Argonne American cemetery, Romagne-sous-
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Very truly yours,
H. H. Cheal,

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Assistant.



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Place NEUFCHATEAU.

Date JUNE 12th 1919.

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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: CLEVINGER Gunther F.

Number 2383566.

Rank: Unkn.

Organization Unkn.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group:

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From (Give complete location)

6 10th May 1919.

Grave # 68 B.A. Cty.

CUNEL. MEUSE.

35 N.E. 309.8. E. N. 285.6.

Reburied (Date)

In: (Give complete location)

10th May 1919.

Grave # 158 Sec 60 Plot 4.

1232

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY. #1232.

ROMAGNE MEUSE.

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

Burial good. Buried in blanket. body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes.

What other means of identification were found on the body? None.

CONFIRMED No. 10308

10308

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found on bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 1916., after being carefully examined for clues of identity in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Lt Caswell.

drs.

R. H. ROSENTHAL

2nd Lieut. Q.M.C.U.S.A.

C.O. Group Unit



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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 68524

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CLEVENGER, Gunther Ser. No. 2383566
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F, 60th Inf.
(c) Date of death 10-27-18 (d) Cause of death k/a

TYP. b
CKR. 30

3/24/22 returned
for concentration
Munich - Argonne
4/14/22
#1232

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

(a) Grave No. 158 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 60 TYP. b
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Johanna F. Clevenger (mother) RR #11, Box #657, Dallas, Tex.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases / / /

CKR. 30

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Mrs. Johanna Clevenger (b) Relationship Mother
(c) Address 1607 Line St., Dallas, Tex.
(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 Jm Date 5-19-21, 192

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

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

Examiner's Initials Date, 192

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

Letter, mother, 2-25-19,
confirms East request in Para IV.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes

Examiner's Initials Jm Date 5-19-21, 192

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 60 SHEET No. 26

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 192

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 192

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
letter on MAY 28 1921, 192

See 60
Par. 2 Not to be returned. *LPW*

IX.

REMARKS

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov 8 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name CLEVENGER, Gunther

10. Name

2. No. 2383566

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. F., 60th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. Oct. 27th. '18

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 158 Sec. 60

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 4 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. None

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne American

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France.

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232, Sec. 60

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov 8 1921

By Ed Lavelle

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Gunther Clevenger

Serial No. 2383566

Rank Pvt

Organization Co F 60th Inf

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

Rex M Moody
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

Rex M Moody

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).

No effects found

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial Wooden box, ^{uniform} body badly decomposed.

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

None

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov 8 1921 By Ed Lavelle

31. Casket sealed by Ed Lavelle

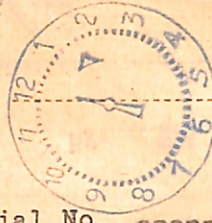
Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor Ed Lavelle)

ADMITTED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No **C-14893**

RECEIVED
GRAVES REGISTRATION



JUL 26 1921

32. Designation of body:

Name **CLEVENGER, Gunther**

Serial No. **2383566**

Rank **Pvt.**

Organization **Co. F., 60th Inf.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. # 1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucou (Meuse).**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Nov 8 1921**

By **R. Lavelle**

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

F B Daniel

F B Daniel Capt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

Nov 8 1921

To point of Concentration

~~Meuse-Argonne~~ **Morgue Romagne** (Name)

Convoyer **W J Boyd**

Signature Shipping Officer

G F Spann

G F Spann, Capt. QMC.

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, **Nov. 8, 1921** **Meuse-Argonne Cty. #1232.**

(Date)

42. Grave No.

Gr. 22,

Section

43. Plot

~~Block:~~

Row

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G.R.S. Representative

James W. Younger
JAMES W. YOUNGER, CAPT., Q.M.C.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF CLEVENGER, Gunther. SERIAL NUMBER 2383566
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. F. 60th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov 8, 1921 From (give complete location): gr 158, sec 60 plot 4.

By: Group 5 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Nov. 8, 1921 In (give complete location): Meuse-Argonne Cty. #1232 Gr. 22, Block A, row 17.

By: Group Reburial S Unit _____ Nature of reburial Unlined casket.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
wooden box and uniform, badly decomposed, features not recognizable.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
Tags agree with G.R.S. records.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine.

(b) Weigh, (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

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

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

none visible.

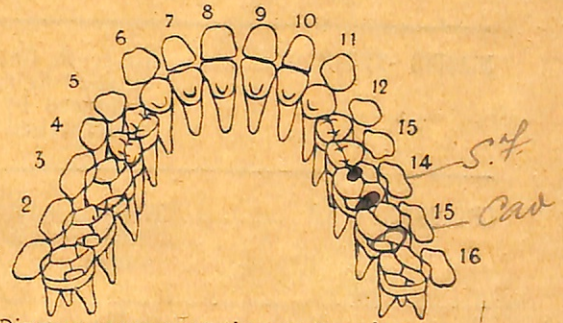
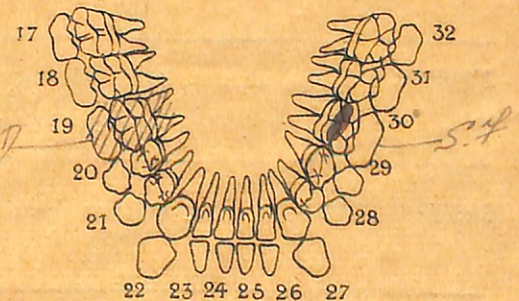


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



22 23 24 25 26 27

7. Disinterment supervised by Ed Lavelle
Ed Lavelle.

Approved: F. B. Daniel
F. B. Daniel, Capt. Q.M.C.
 (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault
A. U. DUFALT.

Approved: James W. Younger
 (Title) JAMES W. YOUNGER,
CAPT., Q.M.C.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Questions 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
 2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.

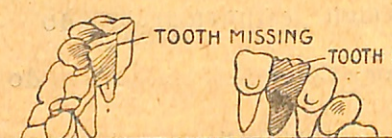



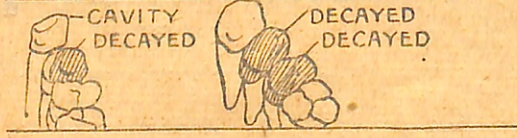
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.

4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.

5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".

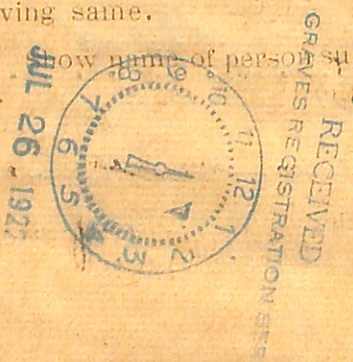
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No 6.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

MISSING TEETH	All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :	 <p>TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :	 <p>GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN</p>
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus :	 <p>GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :	 <p>SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING</p> <p>GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :	 <p>CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED</p>
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.



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 68524

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CLEVENGER, Gunther Ser. No. 2383566
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F, 60th Inf. } TYP. b
 (c) Date of death 10-27-18 (d) Cause of death k/a } Go

See Form 115 att 4/14/22

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

(a) Grave No. 158 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 60 TYP. b
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Johanna F. Clevenger (mother) RR #11, Box #657, Dallas, Tex.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases /// CKR. [Signature]

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 { letter of transmittal on MAY 28 1921, 192
See 60
Par. 2 Not to be returned. LPW

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 _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

1. G. R. S. Form No. 1.

Hq. G. R. S. File

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2. Soldier's No. 2383566

3. Clevenger Gunther F.
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Date of Death Cause, if known

6. Date of Burial B.A.C. Cemetery

7. Cune1 Meuse
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

8. 68 E
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

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

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

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

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12. "A" sketch 35
Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

GROUP No. 4 Signed Lt. Caswell

Group Unit G. R. S.

PROV. UNIT "A" G.R.S.





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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Clavenger **2383566** **Gunther**
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. **Co. F** **50th Inf.**
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: **Verdun front**

CAUSE OF DEATH: **U.S.W.**

DATE OF BURIAL: **October 27, 1918**

PLACE OF DEATH: **Cemetery North of Cunel**

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

Map-Montfaucon 85-5-09-8

GRAVE NUMBER: **53**

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: **F. Fitzgibbon**
2nd Lt 358th Inf.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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



Req No. 1029

File 68524

CLEVINGER, Guntner F.
Pvt Co F 60th Inf

Dallas Tex
1607 Pine Street
24 Feb 1919

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Chief Graves Registration Service
FILE

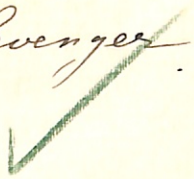
Dear Sir.

I received your communication that my sons body lies in Gunel, Meuse France

not Gunther Clevenger Co F
60th inf. died October 27th 1918.

I would appreciate to get a photograph of his Grave at your convenience

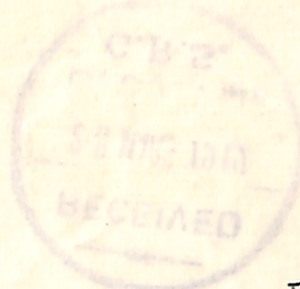
Respectfully,
Mrs Johanna Clevenger





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(Misc. Div.)

1st Ind.

IDR:WMS

War Department, A.G.O., March 3, 1919, - To the Commanding General, American Expeditionary Forces.

1. The request contained in the foregoing letter from Mrs. Johanna Clevenger, 1607 Tire Street, Dallas, Texas, that the body of her son, Private Gunther F. Clevenger, Company F. 60th Infantry, be allowed to remain in France for permanent burial, is approved, and the Commanding General is directed to take action accordingly.

2. Mrs. Clevenger and the Quartermaster General of the Army have been advised of this action.

By order of the Secretary of War:

Synopsis made.

J. C. Ashburn
Adjutant General.



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2nd Ind.

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G.H.Q., American E.F., France, March 24, 1919.- To the Commanding General, S.O.S.-G.R.S.

Approved. This request will be made of record by Graves' Registration Service.

By command of General Pershing:

1 Incl.



J. M. Warefoot
Adjutant General.

G. R. S.

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General Secretary

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As Secretary to the General Secretary

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France, March 24, 1919

Adjutant General.

Mrs. Johanna Clevenger, 1607 Pine St. Dallas, Tex.

Disposition of remains of Pvt. Gunther F. Clevenger,
Company F, 60th Infantry

1. The Commander-in-Chief directs that I acknowledge receipt of your letter, expressing the desire that the body of your son, Pvt. Gunther F. Clevenger, Co. F, 60th Infantry, should remain in France, and to inform you that your request will be complied with.

2. The Commander-in-Chief wishes me to convey to you his sympathy in the loss which you have sustained in the cause of our Country.

J. M. WOOLFOLK.

Adjutant General.

Vajirant General

1° M° MOOREHEAD

These are returned in the name of our company
and to you via airmail in the time when you
2° The Commander-in-Chief wishes me to con-

clude letters with me
amongst letters in France and to inform you that
Colonel E. Steneger, Co. E. 80th Infantry,
and the people that the road of London, etc.
acknowledge receipt of your letter, etc.

1° The Commander-in-Chief wishes me to inform

Colonel E. Steneger, Co. E. 80th Infantry,
Department of Defense of War, Colonel E. Steneger,

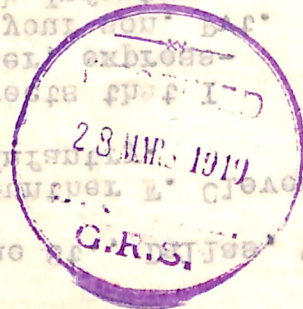
Mrs. Joseph Steneger, 1204 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Vajirant General

France, March 28, 1919

ESS A 120305, GEN

Gen



Address reply
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE & STORAGE
Munitions Building

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE
WASHINGTON

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November 7, 1919.

293.5 (Clevenger, Gunther F., Pvt.) G.R.S.

Graves Registration Service.

Honorable Matton W. Sumners, House of Representatives, Washington, D.C.

Photograph of Grave.

1. Replying to your letter of October 31, 1919, I have to advise that the records of this office show Private Gunther F. Clevenger, #2383566, Co.F., 60th Inf., 5th Division, originally buried in Grave #68, Plot E, American Battle Area Cemetery, Cunel, Meuse, disinterred and reburied May 10, 1919 in Grave #158, Section #60, Plot #4, Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

2. In regard to a photograph of the grave, your attention is invited to Paragraph 11, Graves Registration Service Bulletin, attached.

By authority of the Quartermaster General, Director
of Purchase and Storage:

Charles C. Pierce,
Colonel, Q.M.G.,
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

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G. F. S. MAILED

G.R.S. #106
DISPOSITION OF BODY

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War Department
Office of the Quartermaster General.
Graves Registration Service.
Washington, D.C.

For information of:

- (a) The Adjutant General of the Army
- (b) G.R.S., Paris, France,
- ✓(c) Office Files.
- (d) Photographic Section.

Case of:

Private Gunther F. Clevenger,,
#2383566, Co.F., 60th Inf., 5th Div.

Grave Location:

Grave #158, Section 60, Plot #4,
Argonne American Cemetery,
Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

Request for action checked below:

- (a) Return of Body to the U.S.
- (b) Permanent Burial in France.
- (c) Cancellation of former requests.
- (d) Change of address.
- ✓(e) Photograph of grave,

has been made by:

Honorable Hatton W. Sumners,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

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✓

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

October
Thirty-first
1919.

Graves Registration Service,
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of a communication from Mrs. Johanna E. Clevenger, 1607 Pine Street, Dallas, Texas, stating that her son, Gunther F. Clevenger, Company F, 60th Infantry, 5th Division, was killed in action on October 27th, 1918, and that she is very anxious to procure a photograph of his grave.

I will appreciate it very much if you will advise me the proper procedure in procuring this photograph for Mrs. Clevenger. If your section does not handle matters of this sort and it is convenient for you to refer this letter to the proper authorities, I will appreciate very much your doing so.

Thanking you in advance, I am

Very respectfully yours,

Hatton W. Sumner

HWS-rw



WAR DEPARTMENT
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE & STORAGE
WASHINGTON

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ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

_____ Circumstances of Death
(Par. #2, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Liberty Bonds
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Flowers, Flags, etc.
(Par. #6, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ War Risk Insurance
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Monument
(Par. #8, Bul. 10-C-W)

Photographs
(Par. #11, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Discrepancies in Inscription
(Par. #9, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Permanent Burial In
_____ (a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)

_____ Personal Effects
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ (b) Other Countries

_____ Accrued Pay
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Return of Bodies From
_____ (a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)
(Par. #12, Bul. 10-C-W)
_____ (b) Other countries

_____ Maintenance
(Par. #7, Bul. 10-C-W)

Remarks: _____

G.L.

NOTE: In addition to information furnished on Nos. 1, 6, 11, and 12, G.R.S. Form 101-A (Information Blank), supply data on the following:

Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15.

E.C.H.

Analysis Clerk.

Dallas Tex
1607 Pine Street
25 Feb 1919

The Adjutant of the Army
Washington D C

Dear Sir,

I am writing to you in
regard to my son
1st Lt Gunther F Clewenger Co F 60th Inf.
Died October 27, 1918
American Cemetery Lunel Meuse
France.

I wish my sons body to rest
with his comrades at Lunel Meuse
where he has fallen or in a National
cemetery in France.

If my son has left any
personal effects or papers I would be
obliged if they could be send to me.
Respectfully ✓
Mrs Johanna Clewenger

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Received A G O,

FEB 29 1919

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Clewenger, Gunther F.
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Form # 7
To Eff Depot
Last Baggage #3

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RECEIVED
28 MARCH 1919
U. S. G. S.
G.R.S.

(Misc. Div.)

No. 293.8 Clevenger, Gunther F

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THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

RECORD OF COMMUNICATION RECEIVED

From: Mrs. Johanna Clevenger, 1607 Tire St. *Dated:* Feb 25, 1919
 Dallas, Texas.

To: AGO *Rec'd A. G. O.* Mar 1, 1919

Subject: Request for remains of Gunther F Clevenger, Co F, 60th Inf to remain in France.

293.8 Clevenger, Gunther F.

FILE
 Date _____ Sig. _____

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293.8 Clevenger, Gunther F.
(Misc. Div.)

1st Inf.

IDR:VMS

War Department, A.G.O., March 3, 1919, → To the Commanding General, American Expeditionary Forces.

1. The request contained in the foregoing letter from Mrs. Johanna Clevenger, 1607 Tiro Street, Dallas, Texas, that the body of her son, Private Gunther F. Clevenger, Company F, 60th Infantry, be allowed to remain in France for permanent burial, is approved, and the Commanding General is directed to take action accordingly.

2. Mrs. Clevenger and the Quartermaster General of the Army have been advised of this action.

By order of the Secretary of War:

J. G. Ashburn

Adjutant General.

Synopsis made.

Copy sent,

Office, Quartermaster General (Cemeterial Branch)

Date

Sig.

293.8 Clevenger, Gunther F.
(Misc. Div.) IDR:WMS

March 3, 1919.

Mrs. Johanna Clevenger,
1607 Tiro Street, Dallas, Texas.

Dear Madam:-

In reply to your letter of February 25th, I beg to advise you that your request that the body of your son, Private Gunther F. Clevenger, Company F, 60th Infantry, be permitted to remain in France for permanent burial, is approved by the Secretary of War, and the Commanding General of the Expeditionary Forces in France and the Quartermaster General of the Army, are being so notified.

With reference to his personal effects, you should communicate with the Effects Bureau, Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, N. J.

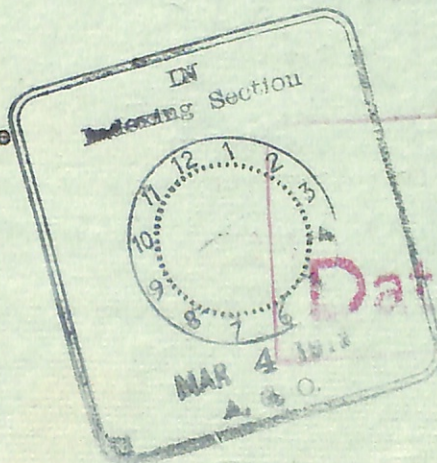
It is desired to express to you the deep sympathy of the Department on account of the loss of your son, and to commend you for the sacrifice and the contribution you have made to the cause for which he gave his life.

Very respectfully,

P. C. Harris.

The Adjutant General.

Card Made



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Date 3/3/19

Sign *PCR*

