

Marker to show rank as Pvt. 1 cl.

292

G.R.S. Form #114-B

To The A. G. O.

8917

FULL NAME *✓* COAR, George E *✓* *new name* JUN 1 - 1926

RANK *✓* Pvt. *(at death)* *Red. fr. Pvt. 1 cl same orgn* SERIAL 1276639

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION *✓* Co. M, 113th Inf. *✓*

DATE OF DEATH *✓* *DIV - 29* *✓* *Oct. 10, 1918* *✓* *OK*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *✓* *n.g.* *✓*

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

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION. 9-23-21 37 39 E  
Date Grave Row Block

1232 - Meuse-Argonne

Cemetery

Major General,  
The Adjutant General.

By *RJR*

JUN 10 1926

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A. G. O.  
JUN 9 1926  
WORLD WAR DIV.

Rec'd World War Div  
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Place NEUFCHATEAU

Date June 26 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name COAR Geo. E.

Number 1276639

Rank Unkn

Organization: Unkn

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

11th June 1919

Isolated grave HAUMONT MEUSE

35 SE 326.05 E 277.7 N

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

11th June 1919

Grave #29 Sec #106 Plot #1

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY #1232

ROMAGNE MEUSE

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

Burial good; buried in uniform; badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

CONFIRMED No. D.....12076

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. O. 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 Lt Peters

R. H. ROSENTHAL

LGG

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

C.O.Group

Unit

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

REGISTRATION NO.

14 10000

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THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NAMED VESSEL IS REGISTERED TO THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND IS ENTITLED TO THE PRIVILEGES OF SUCH REGISTRATION.



NAME:

THIS VESSEL IS REGISTERED TO THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND IS ENTITLED TO THE PRIVILEGES OF SUCH REGISTRATION.

THIS VESSEL IS REGISTERED TO THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND IS ENTITLED TO THE PRIVILEGES OF SUCH REGISTRATION.

REGISTERED NAME

VERNON W. WILSON

14 10000

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

REGISTERED (Date)

IN: (State complete location)

REGISTERED NAME

VERNON W. WILSON

14 10000

REGISTERED (Date)

IN: (State complete location)

REGISTERED NAME AND COMPLETE LOCATION

DATE

14 10000

REGISTERED (Date)

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CODE SLIP

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HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Coar,	3	3-5-1
	George E.		
BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 37	2	37
	ROW 39	2	39
	BLOCK E	1	5
STATE	N. J.	2	35
RANK	Priv.	1	2
DIVISION	29	2	29
ORGANIZATION	113	3	113
ARM	Inf.	1	1
MARTIAL	(Father) No	1	2
NAME	Coar,	3	
	Mr. Edward G.		
RESIDENCE	133 Van Wagmen Ave.		
	Jersey City, N. J.		
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER	no fm	1	
ELIGIBILITY	no loco Dead 3-21-20	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO. YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

**AUDITED**

APR 19 1932  
RB

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29/514/PJ.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Coar, George E. - 1232 F

July 8, 1930

Mr. Edw. V. Coar  
133 Van Wagmen Avenue  
Jersey City, N. J.

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:

*No*

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

If so, give her name and address:

*No was unmarried*

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?

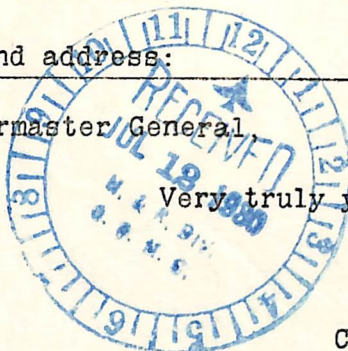
If so, give her name and address:

*No*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours

Enclosures:  
Envelope  
Act  
Amendment



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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Coar, Geo. E.  
1232.

Sept. 5, 1929

Mr. Edward V. Coar,  
~~69 Tutors Ave.,~~  
Jersey City, N. J.

*133 Van Wageningen Ave*

*Please note change of address*

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 29, 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:

*Was unmarried*

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.

*His Mother Died Mar 21<sup>st</sup>  
1920*

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

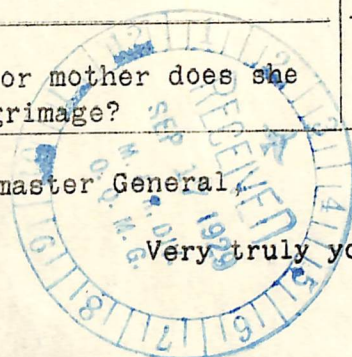
For The Quartermaster General,

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  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Coar, Geo. E.

June , 1929.

Mr. Edw. V. Coar,  
69 ~~Thurs~~ Ave.,  
Jersey City, N.J.

*See letter*

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 Pvt. Geo. E. Coar, No. M, 113th 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 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,

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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

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If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:  
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Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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1232.

Sept. 5, 1929

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Jersey City, N. J.

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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,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

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

Coar,

George E.

1,276,639

(Surname)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co M 113th Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

yes

(Yes or no.)

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

no

(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:

Edward V. Coar

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

69 Tuers Ave. Jersey City New Jersey

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Edward V. Coar

69 Tuers Ave Jersey City New Jersey

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

drawn. G.E. - 5-16-21 -  
1232 - 106-37

checked M  
5-18-21

November 3, 1923.

Mr. Edward V. Coar,  
69 Tuers Ave.,  
Jersey City, N.J.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the permanent grave of Private George R. Coar, Company M, 113th Infantry, is Grave 37, Row 39, Block E, 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,

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

R.L. FOSTER  
Assistant.

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# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 44113

## I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name COAR, George E. Ser. No. 1276639  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. M, 113th Inf. TYP. b  
 (c) Date of death 10-13-18 (d) Cause of death k/a CKR. Go

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

(a) Grave No. 29 Row - Plot 1 Sec. 106 TYP. b  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. E. V. Coar (mother) 69 Tuers, Jersey City, N.J.

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

## IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Edward V. Coar (b) Relationship Father  
 (c) Address 69 Tuers Ave, Jersey City, N.J.  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? Yes  
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at No

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. Edward V. Coar  
69 Tuers Ave, Jersey City, N.J.

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

Examiner's Initials G. C. Date 5-16, 1921

## V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_

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

Examiner's Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_, 1921

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

2k No request for disposition.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner's Initials G. C. Date 5-16, 1921

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 106 SHEET No. 37

CARDED

JUN 16 1921

*checked 10/1/21*

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made \_\_\_\_\_, 192

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by S. M., 1921

CEMETERIA

RECEIVED

JUL 20 1921

JUN 10 1921

JUN 24

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 192  
letter on \_\_\_\_\_, 192

Section 102

Par. 1 To Be Returned (JEN)

IX.

REMARKS

Form 129 to hold body fund Wash. 7/6/21 B.7.  
7/13/21 - Europe advised by proposed cable # 350, "Do not return,"  
LPW-7/25/21  
Letter from Europe 7/17/21 states return cancelled  
as per cable <sup>at</sup> 11/10/21

To be prepared in triplicate

DATE Sept. 20, 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 COAR, George E  
 2. No. 1276639  
 3. Rank Pvt  
 4. Org. Co. M, 113th Inf.  
 5. D.D. Oct. 13th  
 6. C.D. KIA

10. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 11. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_  
 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (b) D.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 29 Sec. 106  
 8. Plot 1 Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 17. No discrepancy

18. Cemetery Argonne American  
 20. Dept. or County Meuse  
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. #1232 Sec. 106  
 23. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 20, 1921.

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon  
 21. Country France

By C. V. Russell.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name ~~COAR, GEORGE E~~ Coar, George E Serial No. 1276639  
 Rank Pvt. Organization Co. M, 113th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? No

Signature C. V. Russell 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).

Identity card on body reads: "George Coar - - City, N.J."

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed; features not recognizable.

28. Nature of burial Pine box and U.S. uniform.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept. 20, 1921. By V. Russell.

31. Casket sealed by C. V. Russell.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

C. V. Russell

AUDITED BY M.L.B. 577-23

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **C-3855**

32. Designation of body: \_\_\_\_\_

Name **COAR, George E.** Serial No. **1276639**

Rank **Pvt** Organization **Co.M, 113th Inf.**

33. Consigned to: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Argonne American Romagne-sous-Montfaucon #1232**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Sept. 20, 1921.** By **C. V. Russell.**

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 *S.D. Archer*  
**S.D. Archer, 1st Lt., QMC.**

36. Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Sept. 20, 1921.**

To point of Concentration **Morgue, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse).**

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer *J. Gerald Cole*  
**J. GERALD COLE**  
Captain, C.A.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 \_\_\_\_\_

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer \_\_\_\_\_

40. Received: Date **20 SEP 1921**

G.R.S. Representative *W. H. S. Gifford*

41. Reinterred **Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232.** **Sept. 23, 1921.**

42. Grave No. **37** (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. Plot **B** Row **39**

G.R.S. Representative *W. H. S. Gifford*  
**W. H. S. Gifford, 1st Lt., QMC.**



Place Comagne Soumont faucon

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 20, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF COAR, GEORGE E. SERIAL NUMBER 1276639

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co., 4, 113 th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : Sept. 20, 1921. From (give complete location) :

Gr. 29 Sec 106 ptl. Meuse-Argonne Cem., #1232.

By : Group Russell Unit Sec. 1

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

Sept. 23, 1921. Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232. Gr. 37, Bl. E, Row 39.

By : Group Reburial S Unit lined casket. Nature of reburial

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

Fine box, U.S. uniform Body decomposed skeleton disarticulated.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? No On grave marker ? Yes

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

Identity card on body reads: "George Coar, City N.J."

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to determine

(c) Hair—Color None visible

Quantity undeterminable

Characteristics undeterminable

(d) Hair on face—Color None

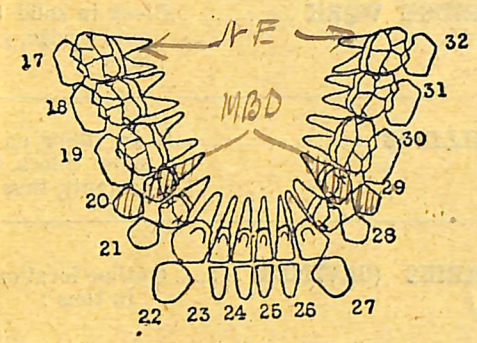
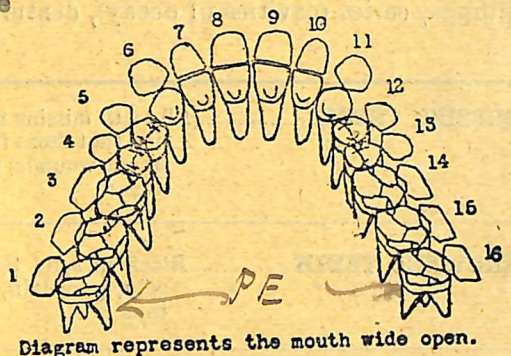
Location None

Quantity None

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Impossible to determine

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

skull shattered.



7. Disinterment supervised by C. V. Russell

C. V. Russell S. E.

Approved [Signature]  
 (Title) Cher. Lt. Lt. OMC.

Approved [Signature]  
 (Title) Cher. Lt. Lt. OMC.

8. Reburial supervised by [Signature]

M.B. Skold

## 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.

*[Handwritten signature]*

8 Reburial  
 Supervised by



44113  
1. G. S. Form No. 1. Hq. G. S. File

2. Soldier's No. 1276639

3. COAR G.E.  
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Pvt. M 113 Inf.  
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. ....  
Date of Death Cause, if known

6. .... isolated grave  
Date of Burial Cemetery

7. HAUMONT MEUSE  
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

8. Shell Hole No. 3  
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg? <sup>yes</sup> Cross? ..... Headboard? ..... Bottle? .....  
Check Method of Marking

10. Buried with Body? ..... Attached to Grave Marker? NO...  
Identification Tags

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

Sketch No. 78  
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12. Verdun SE 35 E326.09-N277.67  
Map reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

CMMB. Haumont-Pres-Samogreux (Meuse)

13. 228 INT. 35 SE COORD E 326.09 N 277.67  
Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed E.F. Fiene

Group... 1... Unit. 311... G. R. S.



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A.R.S.

1232-Sec. 106-37

File No. 293.8 Cor. Branch.  
( COAR, George E. )

July 16, 1921.

Mr. Edward V. Coar,  
69 Tuers Avenue,  
Jersey City, New Jersey.

Re: COAR, George E. Pvt.,  
#1276639, Co. M.,  
113th Infantry.

Dear Sir:-

Your Shipping Inquiry Form dated July 1, 1921, requesting that the remains of the above named deceased soldier be left in France has been forwarded to the Geneterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

It is requested that any further communications concerning the disposition of the remains be addressed to that office for reply.

The Department wishes to express its sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. E. SHANNON,  
Captain, Q.M. Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

By:

F. C. PALLAS,  
Executive Assistant.

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July 16, 1921

Wife No. 2328 Cor. Shannon  
(COAR, George R.)

Re: COAR, George R. Pvt.  
4127633, Co. M.,  
118th Infantry.

Mr. Edward V. Coar,  
67 Tenth Avenue,  
Jersey City, New Jersey.

Dear Sir:-

Your Shipping Inquiry Form dated July 1, 1921, re-  
questing that the remains of the above named deceased soldier  
be left in France has been forwarded to the Quartermaster  
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The Department wishes to express its sympathy in your  
bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:  
"MAILED"  
JUL 19 1921  
"COR. BR. G. R. S."  
R. E. SHANNON,  
Captain, G.M. Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

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Captain, G.M. Corps,  
Officer in Charge.  
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IMMEDIATE ACTION

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Transmittal Supplementary Advice  
Hoboken to Washington

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
QUARTERMASTER CORPS  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
HOBOKEN, N. J.

July 6, 1921.

From: Graves Registration Officer, Hoboken, New Jersey.  
To: Quartermaster General, Cemeterial Division, Washington, D. C.  
Subject: Supplementary Advice concerning:

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., O. O. #. G.  
File # 293,8-44113

Name COAR, George E. Ser. No. 1276639  
Rank Private Organization Co.M, 113th Infantry  
Cemetery No. 1232-Sec. 106 Cable Reference No. (Sheet No.) 37

Request shown below dated (Ship. Inq. rec'd.) July 2, 1921. is latest in this case:

Name of Relative	<u>Return</u>	<u>Remain</u>	<u>Special</u>
	to	in	
Widow <u>None</u>		<u>FRANCE</u>	
Children _____			
Guardian _____			
Father <u>Edward V. Coar - 69 Tuers Avenue, Jersey City, N.J.</u>			
Mother _____			
Brother _____			
Sister _____			
Others _____			

*Coar, George E.*

Body ~~to be shipped to~~ for interment in: perm. Amer. cty.

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Cable Letter July 13 1921 forwarding advice to Europe dispatched \_\_\_\_\_ 1921.

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Name

Address

City

State

Country

Occupation

Education

Religion

Name of Registrant

Address

City

State

Nearest branch office

DATE OF BIRTH

IS LISTED IN THIS CASE

Serial No. 1234-567

FOR CROSS REFERENCE NO. (Sheet No. 1)

Sex

Married

Organization

Country of Birth

Age

Color of Eyes

Sex

Married

Subject: Subjunctively advised concerning:

To: District Registrar General, Department of Agriculture, D. C.

From: District Registrar Office, Bureau of Census

JUL 7 1921

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
BUREAU OF CENSUS  
GENERAL REGISTRATION SERVICE  
DISTRICT REGISTERS OFFICE

FORWARDED TO DISTRICT REGISTRAR  
GENERAL REGISTRATION SERVICE  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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G.R.S. FORM 129  
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GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
HOBOKEN, N. J.

July 6, 1921.

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To: Quartermaster General, Cemeterial Division, Washington, D. C.  
Subject: Supplementary Advice concerning:

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Rank Private Organization Co. M, 113th Infantry

Cemetery No. 1232-Sec. 106 Cable Reference No. (Sheet No.) 37

Request shown below dated (Ship. Inv. rec'd.)  
July 2, 1921. is latest in this case:

Name of Relative	Return	Remain	Special
	to	in	

Widow None FRANCE "MAILED"

Children \_\_\_\_\_ JUL 6 1921

Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ "COR BR C R S."

Father Edward V. Coar - 62 Third Avenue, Jersey City, N.J.

Mother \_\_\_\_\_

Brother \_\_\_\_\_

Sister \_\_\_\_\_

Others \_\_\_\_\_

Body to be shipped to, or for interment in: per Am. city.

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Cable \_\_\_\_\_  
Letter July 13 1921 forwarding advice to Europe dispatched \_\_\_\_\_ 1921.

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Name of relative \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_  
 State \_\_\_\_\_  
 Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of death \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of marriage \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of divorce \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of naturalization \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of citizenship \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of entry \_\_\_\_\_

Name of relative \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_  
 State \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of death \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Date of divorce \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of naturalization \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of citizenship \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of entry \_\_\_\_\_

Cemetery no. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Reference no. (Sheet no.) \_\_\_\_\_

Bank \_\_\_\_\_  
 Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ser. no. \_\_\_\_\_

Subject: \_\_\_\_\_  
 To: \_\_\_\_\_  
 From: \_\_\_\_\_

NOVEMBER 11  
 CIVIL REGISTRATION SERVICE  
 QUARTERMASTER CORPS  
 WAR DEPARTMENT

November 11  
 Civil Registration Service  
 G. H. S. Form 150

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

*This is not a notice that  
body has arrived in U.S.*

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JUN 29 1921

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

To: Mr. Edward V. Coar, 69 Tuers Ave., Jersey City, N.J.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. George H. Coar, Ser. No. 1276639, Co. M, 113th Inf.

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

~~be returned to the United States and shipped to you at 69 Tuers Ave., Jersey City,~~

~~N. J.~~ *Remain in Europe 7/6/21 GCH*

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.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,  
Colonel, Q. M. C.

*7/13/21 - Europe advised by proposed cable # 350  
"Do not return." LFW 7/23/21*

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? No

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow <u>None</u>			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1 <u>None</u>		
	2 <u>None</u>		
	3 <u>None</u>		
Father <u>Edward V. Coar</u>	<u>69 Tuers Ave.</u>	<u>Jersey City</u>	<u>N. J.</u>
Mother <u>Bridget M. Coar</u>	<u>Deceased</u>		
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1 <u>Walter H. Coar</u>	<u>69 Tuers Ave</u>	" "
	2 <u>Robert J. Coar</u>	" "	" "
	3		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1 <u>Mrs. J. J. Sheridan</u>	<u>196 Princeton Ave</u>	<u>Jersey City</u>
	2 <u>Edward B. Coar</u>	" "	" "
	3 <u>Catherine V. Coar</u>	<u>69 Tuers Ave</u>	" "

Date July 1st 1921

Signature Edward V. Coar

Address 69 Tuers Ave Jersey City N. J.

Relationship Father

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
July 1<sup>st</sup>, 1921

I, the undersigned, am the Father and nearest living next of kin of the within-named  
(Relationship.)

soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:  
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

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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 Edward U. Lewis

**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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Co. M. 113th Inf.

COAR, George E. Pvt. 1276639

Coar was very badly wounded about 200 yards from the jump-off trench, when the enemy machine guns were firing regularly. I hear he died at the first aid dressing station in the jump-off trench. He was hit somewhere in the chest or neck.

This was in the afternoon of October 10th, 1918, at the Battle of Ormont Farm.

1. No.
2. Unknown.
3. Held.
4. Buried at foot of trench, in valley.
- Foot of hill on Ormont Farm.
5. Knows Christian name and initials.
6. None in Company.
7. Slender, dark with black hair. Active.
8. Informant's statement accurate. Intelligence high degree.

Informant and Searcher: Charles Grandjean Cpl. 1276553  
 Co. M. 113th Inf.  
 Home: 43 Clinton Ave., West Hoboken, N. J.  
 Jan. 16, 1919.

A.E.E.

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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G. R. S.

Discrepancy found upon examination of body.

1. Name	COAR, George E.	10. Name	
2. No.	1276639	11. No.	
3. Rank	Pvt.	12. Rank	
4. Org	Co. M, 113th Inf.	13. Org	
5. D. D.	10-13-18	14. (a) D. D.	
6. C. D.	K/A	15. (b) D. B.	

Discrepancy found upon disinterment.

7. Grave No.	29	Sec.	106	15. Grave No.		Sec.	
8. Plot	1	Row	-	16. Plot		Row	
9.	--			17.			

18. Cemetery Argonne American,

19. Commune or town ROMAGNE-sous-MONTFAUCON,

20. Department or county Meuse,

21. Country France,

22. G. R. S. Headquarters Code No. 1232-Sec. 106

23. Disinterred \_\_\_\_\_ (Date.) By \_\_\_\_\_

24. Inscription on grave marker { Name \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_

25. Was identification disk found on grave marker? \_\_\_\_\_ On body? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Junior Technical Assistant.

(The following space is reserved for notations to be made by office Chief Graves Registration Service.)

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**PREPARATION**

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disk or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).....

27. Condition of body.....

28. Nature of burial.....

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.) By.....

31. Casket sealed by .....

Signature of Embalmer (Supervisor).....

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

32. Designation of body { Name George E. Coar Serial No. 1276639  
Rank Pvt. Organization Co. M, 113th Inf.

33. CONSIGNEE—Name Edward V. Coar,

Address 69 Tuers Ave., Jersey City, N.J.

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

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.....

36. Remarks.....

37. Shipped from cemetery..... (Date.) To..... (Point of concentration.)

Convoyer..... Signature Shipping Officer.....

38. Received at point of concentration..... (Date.)

Signature Receiving Officer.....

39. Shipped from point of concentration..... (Date.)

To..... (Port.) Convoyer.....

Signature Shipping Officer.....

40. Received European port..... (Date.)

Signature of G. R. S. Representative.....

41. Shipped to..... (U. S. port.) On..... (Boat.)

Date..... Convoyer..... (Signature of Shipping Officer.)

42. Received..... (Date.) By G. R. S. Representative..... (Signature.)

43. Shipped to destination..... (Date.) { B/L or Express Order No. ....  
Convoyer..... { Shipping Officer.....

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