

G.R.S. Form #114-B

MAR 10 1926 DATE 12/1/21

1. NAME CONNELLY, Elwood L. SERIAL No. 1236344
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. F. 109th Inf.
 GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse. 1232 - 31

CTY. NAME	NUMBER	GRAVE	ROW	PLOT
145	Sec.31.			3
ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION	12	Apremont	Ardennes	
COORDINATES	Verdun 35SE	N277.89	E300.31	
CONCENTRATED TO	5/7/19	145	Sec 31	3
CEMETERY			Meuse Argonne	1232
				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. data f-1/pfb

DATE OF DEATH Sept 28, 1918
 STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Pa
 MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none
 SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE	GRAVE	ROW	PLOT	CEMETERY

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

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 12/1/21 40 35 Block B.
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT
 Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. 1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

AUDITED BY *[Signature]* 3-24-23

CEMETERY
 A.G.O.
 MAR 11 1926
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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.

MAR 16 26
M. & R. BRANCH
Q. M. C.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Connelly, 1236344 Ellwood.
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials).

Private
(Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: *Apremont*

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Killed in action*

DATE OF BURIAL: *Oct. 1, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *Apremont*

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

In orchard on hillside across

street from Church on hill.

C.O. 00.2 - 77.9 map Fort D'Argonne
GRAVE NUMBER: *Scale 1 - 20,000*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

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:

E. Tetreau 1st Lt & Chaplain
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

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

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: CONNELLY Elwood

Number 1236344

Rank: Pvt

Organization: Co F 109 Inf

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

7 MAY 1919

Grave# 12 B/A CTYAPREMONT ARDENNES

35SE E 300.31 N277.89

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

7 MAY 1919

Grave # 145 Sec #31 Plot # 3

1232

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY # 1232

ROMAGNE MEUSE

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

Buried in Uniform, body in fair condition, Burial good,

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

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Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by G. O. 170, G.H. 2, 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 Lewis.

R. H. ROSENTHAL

C.O. Group 2nd Lieut. Unit C.O.S.A

Subscribed by: _____

Witnessed by: _____

Note:



Witnessed by: _____

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Witnessed by: _____

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Connelly</i>	3	<i>3504</i>
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>Edwood L.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
	GRAVE <i>40</i>	2	<i>40</i>
	ROW <i>35</i>	2	<i>35</i>
	BLOCK <i>B</i>	1	<i>2</i>
STATE	<i>Pa.</i>	2	<i>44</i>
RANK	<i>Priv.</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>28</i>	2	<i>28</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>109</i>	3	<i>109</i>
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>(Friend) No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME	<i>Meenan,</i>	3	
	<i>Mrs Clarence</i>		
RESIDENCE	<i>4510 N. 17th St.</i>		
	<i>Philadelphia, Pa.</i>		
RELATION	<i>mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>no</i>	1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>no</i>	1	<i>6</i>
	<i>dead 7-27-28</i>		
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
	<i>29/514</i>		

AUDITED

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Connelly, Edward L. 1232-Fr

July 8, 1930.

Mrs. Florence Meenan,
4510 N 17th St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

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,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Connerly, Elwood L.

Oct. 2, 1929.

Mrs. Florence Meenan,
4510 N. 17th St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

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 friend of the late Pvt. Elwood L. Connelly, Co. F, 109th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, 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? | |
| 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. | |

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

Connelly, Elwood L
1232

August 29, 1929.

Mrs. Henrietta Connelly,
4431 Chadwick St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated **June 28, 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

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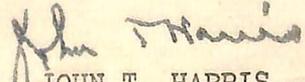
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3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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IN REPLY TO QM 293 A-C
Connelly, Edward L.

Single

June 28, 1929.

Mrs. Henrietta Connelly,
4431 Chadwick St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Died 7.27.28

*Write Mrs Florence Meenan (friend)
4510 N. 17th St
Phila Pa*

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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 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,

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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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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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June 28, 1929.

Mrs. Henrietta Connelly,
4451 Chadwick St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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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 invitation to her to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

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

In reply refer to:
293 C-R

June 30, 1923.

Mrs. Henrietta Connelly,
4431 Chadwick St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that
Private Elwood L. Connelly, Company F, 109th
the permanent grave of
Infantry, is Grave 40, Row 35, Block B, 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. The 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.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were
exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing this
sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually main-
tained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting
place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner,
Assistant,

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23/236/ARK



Co. F, 109th Infantry
28th Div

CONNELLY, Elwood L. Pvt 1236344

On or about the 27 day of Sept 1918 I was with Elwood the time that he died and his last words were that I should tell his mother I died happy. Before this he asked for a priest so that he could hear his confession and go to his death in happiness I could not get a priest so I called a Chaplain and he heard his confession and said that he would transfer his confession to a priest. He was hit in the stomach and knees but the way he acted as if he was not in any pain. He was buried near the town of Aprement France He was hit while trying to drag a wounded German to safety so that he could give him a medical aid and save him.

Informant: SCHWARTZ, Bernard - Mech 1236292

Home:

Co. F. 109th Infantry
East Downingtown Pa. USA
Feb. 18 1919

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Searcher: Edward Fitzeneth - 1st Lt.
109th Infantry

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO CM 293 A-C

SUBJECT: Identification of body.

TO: The Adjutant General, Washington, D. C.

1. You are informed that the investigation in the case of the soldier named above has been successful. His body was reburied from the following location as an Unknown American Soldier:

2. The remains are now interred in Grave Row Block

For The Quartermaster General:

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 37832

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CONNELLY, Elwood L. Ser. No. 1236344
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F, 109th Inf.
(c) Date of death 9-28-18 (d) Cause of death K/A
TYP. DB
CKR. OB

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

(a) Grave No. 145 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 31 TYP. DB
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Henrietta Connelly, (Mother) 82 E. Ashmead St., Philadelphia, Pa.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR. OB

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Mrs. Henrietta Connelly (b) Relationship Mother
(c) Address Chelton Ave. and Germantown Av., Nicetown Phila Pa.
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? Yes
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at Yes - if there is one near
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S.
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S.

Examiner's Initials PF Date 4-26-1920

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

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

Examiner's Initials PF Date 4-26-1920

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

relationship omitted Mrs. Henrietta Connelly
4431- Chadwick St. Phila Pa, 11-3-20
desires now to have body remain
(a) Cancellation memos referred to? in France, cancels request

Examiner's Initials PF Date 4-26-1920

COUNTRY France

CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 31

SHEET No. 36

WP 5-14-21

Obec... 4431-21

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

[Dotted lines for handwritten information]

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on ..., 192
letter of transmittal on MAY 7 1921, 192

PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Table with 4 columns: Date of and source, Relationship and name, Desires, Action taken. Includes dotted lines for entries.

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

COUNTRY CEMETERY No. SHEET No.

Handwritten: 5-14-21

Place Romagne 1232.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Dec 1, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF CONNELLY, Elwood L. SERIAL NUMBER 1236344

RANK Evt. ORGANIZATION Co. F. 109th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Dec 1, 1921 From (give complete location): gr 145, sec 31, plot 3.

By: Group 1 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Dec. 1, 1921, Meuse-Argonne Cty. #1232, Gr. 40, Blk. B, Row 35. In (give complete location):

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 burlap 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:

Elwood L. Connelly 1236344 on body tag.

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

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

(b) Weight (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.

7. Disinterment supervised by H. H. Foster Approved: R. C. Worthington, 1st Lt. Co. M. C.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault Approved: James W. Younger
(Title) Capt. QMC.

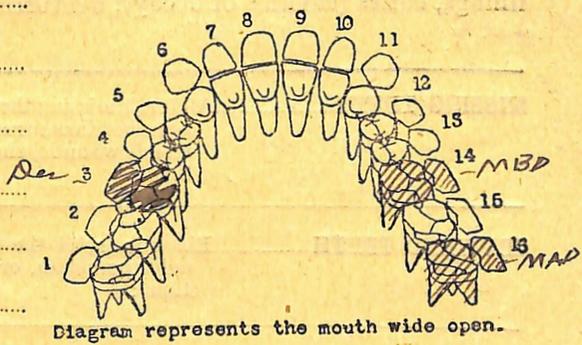
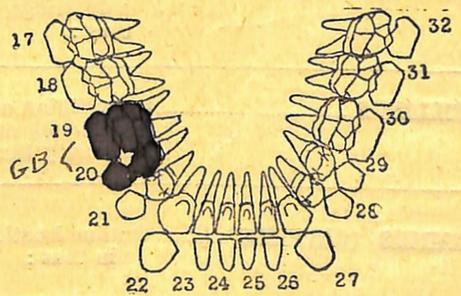


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



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 :



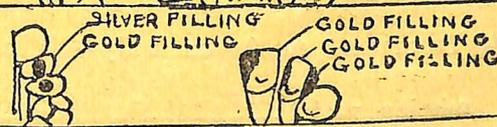
CROWNED TEETH.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :



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 :



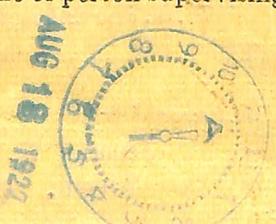
CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :



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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec 1 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 CONNELLY, Elwood L.
- 2. No. 1236344
- 3. Rank Pvt.
- 4. Org. Co. F. 109th Infantry.
- 5. D.D. Sept. 28th.
- 6. C.D. KIA

- 10. Name _____
- 11. No. _____
- 12. Rank _____
- 13. Org. _____
- 14. (a) D.D. _____
- (b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 145 Sec. 31
- 8. Plot 3 Row _____
- 9. _____

- 15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 16. Plot _____ Row _____
- 17. None

- 18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer.
- 20. Dept. or County Meuse.
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. _____

- 19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon
- 21. Country France
- 1232 - 31

- 23. Disinterred (Date) Dec 1 1921

By H H Foster.

- 24. Inscription on grave marker:
Elwood L Connelly
Name ~~Roxworthington~~
Rank Pvt.

- Serial No. 1236344
- Organization Co F 109 Inf

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

John H. Crawford
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

John H C rawford

PREPARATION

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

None

- 27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

- 28. Nature of burial Uniform burlap box

- 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 Dec 1 1921 By H H Foster.

- 31. Casket sealed by H H Foster.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor *H. H. Foster*)

APPLIED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-18708

32. Designation of body:

Name Elwood L. CONNELLY.

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co. F. 109th Infantry.



33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. 1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec 1 1921

By H H Foster.

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

[Handwritten Signature]

36. Remarks

R C Worthington 1st Lt QMC

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec 1 1921

cc

To point of Concentration

Morgue Romagne

Convoyer W J Royed.

Signature Shipping Officer

[Handwritten Signature]

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

(Name)

Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Dec. 1, 1921. Meuse-Argonne Cemetery, # 1232.

(Date)

42. Grave No. 40

Section

43. Block B
Plot XXXXX

Row 35

G.R.S. Representative

[Handwritten Signature]
James W. Younger,
Capt. QMC.

Connelly, Elwood L

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

1,236,344

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

109th Inf Co F

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Mother

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?

Yes if there is one near

(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:

Mother 4431 N Chadwick St

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

at home Henrietta Connelly Chelton ave & Germantown Ave

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mrs Henrietta Connelly Ricetown Phila Pa

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Post office Chelton ave and Germantown Ave

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by PF

1232 - Sec 31-36

4-26-21

Checked by

4-27-21

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GRAVE LOCATION FORM

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Connelly, 1236344, Ellwood
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials).

Private
(Rank) (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: *Apremont*

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Killed in action*

DATE OF BURIAL: *Oct 1, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *Apremont*

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

In Orchard on hillside across street from church on hill.

Co. 00.2 - 77.9 Map Fort D'Argonne
GRAVE NUMBER: *Scale 1 - 20,000.*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

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:

CMME. Apremont, Ardennes

(0293) HT 35 S6 COORD 300.7

ADDRESS: *M-297.9*

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:
E. F. Stearns 1st Lt & Chaplain
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

219001 BCU

793-1012 ✓

List No. _____

Port No. _____

37832

No. 1236344 SKETCH 37832

NAME CONNELLEY ELWOOD

RANK Pvt Co. E (CORP) 109 (REGT) 1 NE

DATE OF DEATH SEPT 30, 1918

PLACE APREMONT MEUSE

CAUSE KILLED IN ACTION

DATE OF BURIAL SEPT 30, 1918

GRAVE No 12 PLOT 1

CEMETERY _____

IDENTIFIED BY TAGS

MAP REF IN ORCHARD NE. SLOPE

OF HILL 7 YDS S. OF ROAD

SE. VERDUN 35.300/4 EX 2774 N

FIELD RECORD MADE BY Cecil A. Swift
C.M. SGT ST. S.F.

GROUP 3 UNIT 305 R.R.S.

RBM
817
FOR ADDITIONAL DATA USE REVERSE
SIDE



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37832 file
J.P.

November 22, 1920.

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293.8 Cem. #37832 (Connelly, Elwood L., Private)

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

To: Mrs. Henrietta Connelly, 4431 Chadwick St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Subject: Disposition of remains.

1. In reply to your letter of November 3, 1920, cancelling your previous instructions for the return of the remains of your son, the late Private Elwood L. Connelly, Company F, 109th Infantry, and directing that his body be permanently interred in France, you are advised that instructions will be issued that your wishes be complied with, provided there is no relative whose legal right to direct disposition has priority over yours.

2. In connection with the permanent burial in France of the remains of this soldier your attention is respectfully referred to Paragraph 9 of the enclosed Cemeterial Division bulletin No.10-F-W.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

By
RECEIVED
NOV 22 1920

GLENN A. ROSS,
1st Lt., Q.M.G.

AAN

HW

MAILED
NOV 22 1920
G.R.S.

J.P.



Nov 3, 1920

2810

Chief, Gene Registration Dept.

Dear Sir:

In regards to the body of the late Edwood L. Connelly Co. #. 109 Inf. who died Sept. 28, 1918 and buried in the America Cemetery, ~~Premont - Ave, Oakland, France~~ and reburied in Grave #145, Section 31, Plat 3 Cemetery #1232, Ingham Avenue Cemetery.

Recorded, Cemeterial Div. O. O. M. C.
File # 2438 # 2810 37

Connelly, Edw L

NOV 18 1920



RECEIVED

NOV 8 1920 RECEIVED



OVERSEAS PROJECT SECTION

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I have decided not
to have his body brought
home as we are uncertain
of our house and are
afraid we would not
have a place to hold the
burial.

Respectfully yours
Mrs. Henrietta Connelly
4431 Chadwick St.
Phila, Pa.

not audited C/1232

Encl 11/10/21

File Number 37832

Date 11-15-28

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

Please furnish information as checked (✓) below regarding the following soldier:

NAME: Connelly, Elwood L, Serial Number —

RANK: — ORGANIZATION: Co. F, 109th Inf

No.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records?	(1) eyes Pub. # 1236344
2.	Date of death.	(2) 9-28-18.
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3) K-A.
4.	Number of casualty cablegram.	(4) # 291
5.	Date buried.	(5) 9-30-18.
6.	Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave 12, Plot A, Amer. Cty. # 939, Apremont-sur-Aire, Ardennes, ✓
7.	Who reported burial?	Reburied: 5-7-19, Grave 145, Sec. 31, Plot 3, Argonne - Amer. Cty. # 1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.
8.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	
9.	Report as to grave marker.	
10.	Identification tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(10) a yes. b yes.
11.	Complete emergency address?	(11) Mrs. Henrietta Connelly (mother) 82 E. Ashmead St., Philadelphia, Pa.
12.	Has been notified? (Give date.)	
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record.)	(12) 1-20-19, 1-28-28 — 107.
14.	What is the photograph number?	(14) D-23030.
15.	Inquiry made by.	

RELEASED BY INFORMATION CONTROL DEPARTMENT. L.G.P.

X Confirmed.
..... Unconfirmed.

W.D.L.

Connelly

G. R. S. Form #124
Disposition Status -
OFFICE MEMORANDUM. -

REGISTRATION SECTION
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
CEMETERIAL DIVISION

File No. 37832
OSPSS Ref. No. 1232
Follow-up No. 2810

To: Inquiry Section.
From: Overseas Project Sub-Section

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. 1232 (furnished by: SPM) (date 11/10/20)
Data sent Overseas None
Operations to commence (approx.) _____
Operations to be completed (approx.) _____
Bodies shipped from European Port _____
Bodies arrived at Hoboken _____

II. CASE OF Connelly Edward Pvt Co 7109 Reg. 1236344
The following information was abstracted (Date) 11/10/20 from: Files

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		Clk.	in OFFICE
A. G. O. Cards	<u>SPM</u>	<u>yes</u>	Shppg. Inquiry (sent <u>no</u>)		
A.G.O. Corresp.			To _____		
G.R.S. Corresp. relative to disp.			OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

ag, O, card

DESIRES as to Disposition.

Name of Relative	RETURN			REMAIN	SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt.	Int.		
Widow					
Children (Name oldest first)					
Father <u>Mrs. Idemeta Connelly</u>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			<u>"If they're there is one near"</u>
Mother <u>Nicolom Phila. Pa</u>					
Brothers <u>P.O. Lehellon Art + German Com. Am</u>					
Sisters					

Body to be shipped to Idemetta Connelly, 4431 A Chesham St
Phila, Pa. was shipped (Date) _____

REMARKS Clk 1232 had audited J.P. 11-9-20

OK
MP