

Duplicate.

Cook,

Edgar B.

1,459,582

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt. 1st. Cl.

Co. A, 140 Infantry.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(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)

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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G.R.S. Form #114-B

APR 27 1926

DATE 12/6/21

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1. NAME COOK, Edgar B. SERIAL No. 1459582

RANK Pvt. 1/Cl. ORGANIZATION Co. A., 140th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Arg. Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) 1232. Sec. 33

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

146 Sec. 33 3  
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 12 BAC Baulny Ardennes

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35SE 278.6N 302.9E

CONCENTRATED TO 4/29/19 146 Sec 33 3

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 body and cross data f-1/pfb



DEATH

Sept 29, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Mo

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

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 12/6/21 39 33 Block C.

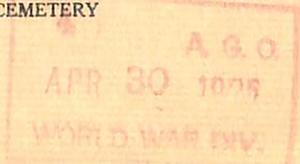
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. 1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY [Signature]

MAY 8 1926



## 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.



Date June 3rd, 1919.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: COOK, Edgar B.

Number: 1459582

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Unkn

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

29th April 1919

Grave #12, B/A Cemetery

BAULNY ARDENNES

Map 35 SE E 302.9 N 278.6

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

29th April 1919

Grave #145, Sec. 33, plot 3.

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY No. 1232

ROMAGNE MEUSE

1232

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

Buried in uniform Body in fair condition

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

CONFIRMED No. D. 10686

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

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

G.O. Group Unit

H. O'K

Date \_\_\_\_\_

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Number: JAS9882

Name: COOK, Edgar

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Rank: Pvt.

Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group \_\_\_\_\_

From: (Give complete location) \_\_\_\_\_

Disinterred (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

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Reburied (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

at: (Give complete location) \_\_\_\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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. 140 - 2112, 1918, after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, provision whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.



H. H. ROSENTHAL

Supervised by: Lt. Lewis

2nd Lt. Col. G. M. U. S. A. G. O. Group Unit

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Cook	3	3 0 0
	Edgar B		5 5 -
BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 39	2	39
	ROW 33	2	33
	BLOCK C	1	3
STATE	Mo.	2	29
RANK	Pvt. 1cl	1	2
DIVISION	35	2	35
ORGANIZATION	140	3	140
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	No	1	2
NAME	Cook	3	3 0 0
	Mrs. Felix Harry		5 5 -
RESIDENCE	STATE N. Mex	2	36
	COUNTY Eddy	2	88
	CITY Carlsbad	3	+++
RELATION	Step mother	1	3
OTHER	Father	1	1
ELIGIBILITY	No	1	2
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

1040 29/514/PJ.

**AUDITED**  
JUN 10 1932  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cook, Edgar B. 1232-SM

July 8, 1930.

Mrs. Felix Harry Cook  
Carlsbad, N. M.

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:

*No*

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

If so, give her name and address:

*No*

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:

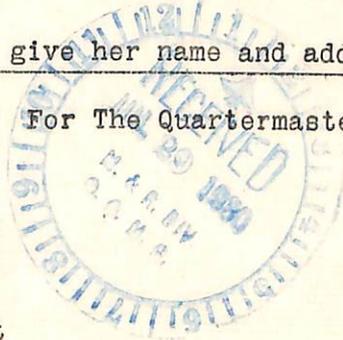
*No*

For The Quartermaster General,

Enclosures:  
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Act  
Amendment

Very truly yours,

*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  
Cook, Edgar B.  
1232

October 23, 1929.

Mrs. Felix Harry Cook,  
Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, enabling the mothers and widows of the members of the military and naval forces of the United States now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries.

The records of this office indicate that you were the step-mother of the late first-class Private Edgar B. Cook, and in order to determine your eligibility under the Act to make the pilgrimage to his grave it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

- (1) Date of your marriage to the father of Private Cook.
- (2) Were you married to Mr. Cook at the time his son entered the military service?
- (3) Were you married to Mr. Cook at the time of his son's death?

*Ineligible*

For the Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,



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

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*We were married Jan-1, 1920, so I don't get to go. But I think this is a wonderful thing you are doing.*  
*Mrs. F. H. Cook*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cook, Edgar B.

August 21, 1929

Mr. Felix Harry Cook,  
Carlsbad, New Mex.

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. Edgar B. Cook, Co. A. 140th 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?

*unmarried*

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.

*has step mother*

4. Does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

*no.*

SEP 4 1929 For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*J. T. Harris*

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*Felix Harry Cook*

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

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

(Cook, Edgar B.)

June 28, 1929.

Mr. F. H. Cook,  
~~140th Inf.,~~  
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*Father -  
Mr. Felix Harry Cook.  
Carlsbad.  
New Mexico  
add of 1-9-26*

Dear Sir:

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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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John Harris 207/29*

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

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For the Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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

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August 21, 1929

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4. 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

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 28, 1929.

(Cook, Edgar B.)

Mr. F. H. Cook,  
1424 Charlotte St.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

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".

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Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

In reply refer to:  
293 C-R

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

July 6, 1923.

Mr. F.H. Cook,  
1424 Charlotte St.,  
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private 1/c Edgar B. Cook, Company A, 140th Infantry, is Grave 39, Row 33, Block C, 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 maintained 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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WAR DEPARTMENT

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 O. O. M. G.

Mr. F.H. Cook,

1424 Charlotte St.,

Kansas City,

Mo.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 92002

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name COOK, Edgar B. Ser. No. 1459582
(b) Rank Pvt. 1/c Organization Co. A, 140th Inf.
(c) Date of death 9-29-18 (d) Cause of death K/A
TYP. B
CKR. go

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

(a) Grave No. 146 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 33 TYP. B
(b) Emerg. Address F. H. Cook (father) 1424 Charlotte St., Kansas City, Missouri.

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD: no card in file, 4-28-21, J.S.C. Date of receipt

(a) Name (b) Relationship
(c) Address
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.?
(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 Date, 1920.

V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from, dated, confirming request in Par. IV., item, above, or requesting that

Examiner's Initials Date, 1920.

VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE—shows as follows: no requests for disposition.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Examiner's Initials G.C. Date 4-28-21 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 33 SHEET No. 32

Handwritten signature and date 4-28-21





Concentration.

G. R. S. Form. No. 16-A

Place Roma no 1232.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Dec 6, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF COOK, Edgar B. SERIAL NUMBER 1459582

RANK Pvt. 1/c ORGANIZATION Co. A. 140th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Dec 6, 1921 From (give complete location): gr 146, sec 33, plot 3. Cty. 1232.

By: Group 3 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Dec. 6, 1921 In (give complete location): Meuse-Argonne Cty. #1232. Gr. 33, Block C, cor 33.

By: Group Reburial 3 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: Tag on body: Edgar B. Cook 1459582" Tag on graves marker reads the same.

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 so

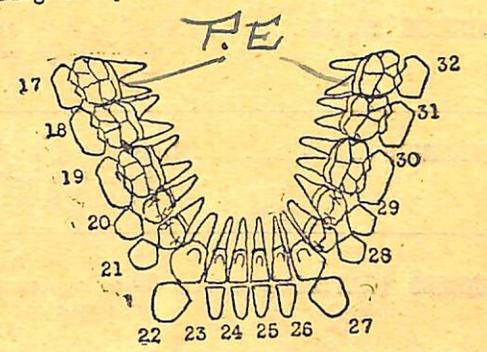
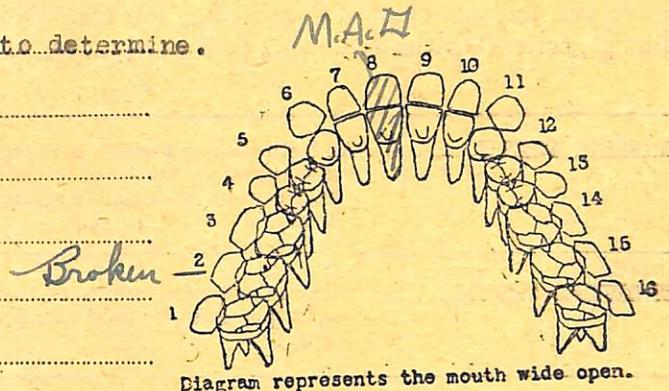
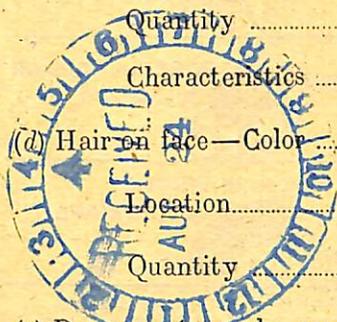
(d) Hair on face—Color do

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) skull and both jaws fractured.



7. Disinterment supervised by J.L. Harky

Approved: H.S. Harpole  
(Title) H.S. Harpole, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by A.U. Default  
A.U. DEFAULT.

Approved: James Cunningham  
(Title) James Cunningham

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec. 6, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

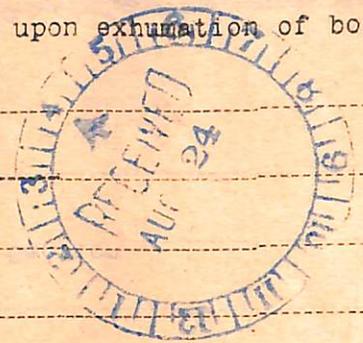
COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name COOK, Edgar B.  
 2. No. 1459582  
 3. Rank Pvt. 1/Cl.  
 4. Org. Co. A., 140th Inf.  
 5. D.D. Sept. 29th. 1918  
 6. C.D. KIA

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



Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 146 Sec. 33  
 8. Plot 3 Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_

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

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne American  
 20. Dept. or County Meuse  
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232.Sec.33

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

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec. 6, 1921.

By J. L. Haky

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Edgar B. Cook  
 Rank Pvt. 1/c

Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Organization Co. A., 140 Inf.

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

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

E. A. Noll.

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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 Wooden box, uniform and burlap.

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. 6, 1921. By J. L. Haky

31. Casket sealed by J. L. Haky

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

J. L. Haky

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-18038

32. Designation of body:

Name Edgar B. COOK Serial No. 1459582

Rank Pvt. 1/Cl. Organization Co. A., 140th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Arg. Amer. Cty. # 1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon. Meuse.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec. 6, 1921. By J. L. Haky

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 *H. S. Harpole* H. S. Harpole, 1st Lt. QMC.

Remarks None.

Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec. 6, 1921. d

To point of Concentration Morgue, Romagne.

Convoyer W. J. Royed. 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 (Name)

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Dec. 6, 1921 Meuse-Argonne Cty. #1232.

42. Grave No. 39 (Date) Section

43. ~~XXX~~ Block. C Row 33

G.R.S. Representative *James W. Younger* JAMES W. YOUNGER, CAPT., Q.M.C.

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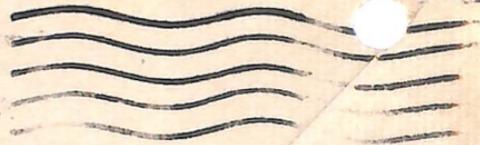
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Memo. For: G.R.S. representative. C.R.O.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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1. Items checked are to be completed:

- Surname: Cook.
- Number:
- First Name: Edgar. B.
- Rank: Pvt.1/c.
- Company: A.
- Organization: 140th Inf.
- Date of Death:
- Cause:
- Place:

Location of hospital:

Number " "  
Class " "

- Relative:
- Relationship:
- Address:

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- 1 G.R.S. form no 19200  
2 no 45958  
3 COOK EDGAR B.  
4 Port — —  
5 — —  
6 A.E.F. Cemetery no 14  
7 Carpentry, mens.  
8 Grov no 12. Plot no 1  
9 cross.  
10 yes - yes.  
11 5 M.S. Apartment Edsison  
twine road. 2 hills E  
Flaville Dennis road.  
2 pits NW carpentry.  
12 map 35 SE 278.6 N x 302.8 E.  
13 Spitch no 80  
Group 4 unit 306 G.R.S.  
R.B. 1823 George Diekhoff

WAR DEPARTMENT,  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
WASHINGTON,

August 16, 1919.

Dear Sir:

This is the second request for information concerning this matter that has been sent to you. Inasmuch as no reply has been received to the first request it is presumed you did not receive it, and as the information indicated on the inclosed card is necessary to complete the records it will be appreciated if you will fill in and return the card at the earliest practicable date.

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