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G.R.S. Form #114 B

To The A. G. O.

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MAY 14 1921

DATE 10/25/21.

1. NAME **COOLEY, Harry S.** SERIAL No. **2143271**

RANK **Pvt.** ORGANIZATION **Co. D, 139th Inf.**

GRAVE LOCATION **American Brizeaux Meuse** 557

CTY. NAME NUMBER

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GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION **Not of record.**

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES **Not known.**

CONCENTRATED TO **No record of concentration.**

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Nothing of record.

DATE OF DEATH **Oct 7, 1918**

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME **Iowa**

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED **none**

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS **Not of record.**

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

Robert O. Davis,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

By **RVR**
MAY 13 1928

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR **Wm M. Cline** **Wm M. CLINE**
Captain Q.M.C.

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3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION **10/25/21.** **30** **38** **D.**

DATE GRAVE ROW Block

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

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY
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MAY 15 1921
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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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 I6, 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.



CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Cooley</i>	<i>COO</i>	3	<i>355</i>
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
	GRAVE <i>30</i>	2	<i>30</i>
	ROW <i>28</i>	2	<i>28</i>
	BLOCK <i>D</i>	1	<i>4</i>
STATE	<i>Iowa</i>	2	<i>16</i>
RANK	<i>Pvt</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>35</i>	2	<i>35</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>139</i>	3	<i>139</i>
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Cooley</i>	<i>COO</i>	3	<i>355</i>
<i>Mrs. Dora</i>	STATE <i>Illinois</i>	2	<i>13</i>
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>Rock Island</i>	2	<i>81</i>
<i>2508-19th Ave.</i>	CITY <i>Moline</i>	3	<i>100</i>
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Bad</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	<i>no</i>	1	
<i>29/514/PJ.</i>	<i>Age</i>		<i>2</i>

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[Signature]

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RSA ACCEPTANCE
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QM 293 A-M
Cooley, Harry S. (MA)

August 5, 1932.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Ave.,
Moline, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to office letter of July 9, 1932 advising that you are unable to take advantage of the offer of the Government at this time. However it is hoped that your condition will improve, and that you will be able to visit the grave of your son before the conclusion of the pilgrimages in 1933.

In the event your health improves and you feel able to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested that you notify this office, and arrangements will be made for you. Properly qualified personnel will be provided to care for the comfort and needs of the women making the pilgrimage, and doctors and nurses will be available. During the past three years many women who were in poor health made the trip and appeared to have benefited by the sea air and the excellent care they received. Should you make the pilgrimage you are assured that everything possible will be done for your comfort and welfare.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours, D

CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Cooley Harry S (MA)

July 9 1932

Mrs Dora Cooley
2508 - 19th Ave
Moline Ill

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries Of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

No not able
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

Dora Cooley 2508-19th
Moline Ill

Cooley, Harry
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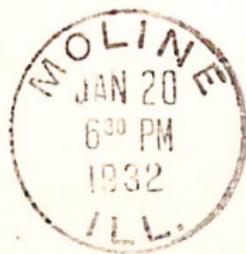
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Mr A. D. Hayes

In Reply to your
Letter which I Recd
I say I am not
Able to make that
trip over seas Thanks
A Lot for the the
Offer you have made
Me Dora Cooley





War Department
office of the Quartermaster
General
Washington
D.C.

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QM 293 A-M

Cooley, Harry S. Pvt. (M-A) M

January 14, 1932.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 - 19th Ave.,
Moline, Ill.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to correspondence forwarded you from this office relative to a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private Harry S. Cooley. In reply to a questionnaire you advised that you did not desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer of 1932.

It is noted you previously stated your health was poor and in this connection you are advised that personnel to care for your comfort and needs will be provided, and doctors and nurses will be available. During the past two years many mothers who were in poor health and of advanced age made the pilgrimage and appeared to have benefited by the sea air and the excellent care they received.

In view of the foregoing, should you desire to make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son during the coming summer, it is requested that you notify this office. Should you make a pilgrimage you are assured that the journey will not only be made at the expense of the Government, but that everything possible for your comfort and welfare will be provided.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON



IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

June 12, 1931.

Cooley, Harry S. Pvt. (M-A) M

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Avenue,
Moline, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? NO

Write answer here

Mary Dora Cooley 2508 19th Ave
Sign here Moline Ill

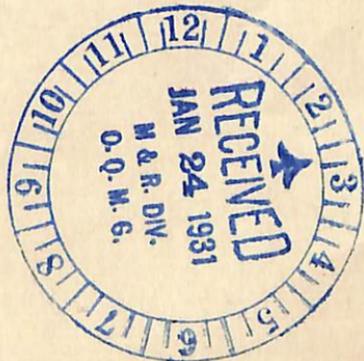
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In Regards To my
Son ^{Cooley} Harry I would ✓
That He never was
married

Yours Respectfully

Mrs Dora Cooley



QM 293 A-M
Cooley, Harry S. 1232 M

June 23, 1930

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Avenue,
Moline, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 17 relative to your desire to receive a cash payment in lieu of the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

In this connection, you are advised there is no provision of the law which would permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow in lieu of the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Rockland Co.

Henry S. Cooley
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Dear Sir in Regards to
that trip I am not
Able to take it as my
Heart is Bad & Has Been
Ever Since I Had The
Flu if it could Be that
I could have what it
would take to send me
a Cross I would Be very
glad as I am not able
to go out to work and
have nothing unless what
I get from the government

Respectfully
yours

Dora Cooley
2508-1st Ave
Moline
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Cooley, Harry S. - 1232 M

June 7, 1930.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Avenue,
Moline, Ill.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1931, to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929.

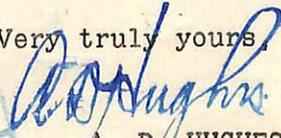
To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank space following the question.

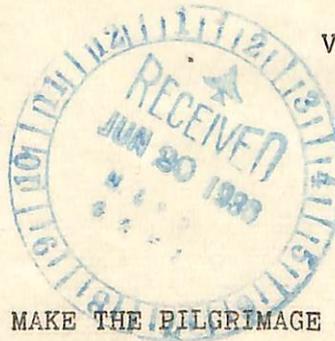
As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all mothers and widows who are not making the pilgrimage in 1930, regardless of whether or not they have expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? Yes

(Write answer here)

Dora Cooley 2508 19th Ave
(Sign here)

Moline Ill

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Cooley, Harry S. 1232 M.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Ave.,
Moline, Ill.

Dear Madam:

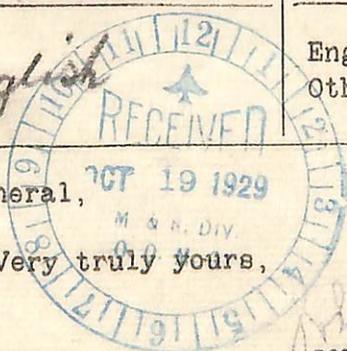
The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <u>69</u> Health <u>Hart trouble</u>	(Years) (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak? <u>English</u>	English - (Yes)	(No) Other language (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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

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QM 293 A-C
Cooley, Harry S.

September 27, 1929.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19 Ave.,
Moline, Ill.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 20, 1929, relative to the pilgrimage of the Gold Star Mothers and Widows to Europe.

It is regretted to have to advise that the Act of March 2, 1929, authorizing the above pilgrimage does not contain any provision which permits of a mother's receiving a money allowance in lieu of the trip.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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2508-19 Ave
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Harry J. Cooley

Co. D 139th
1232th

Phone Ill

Sept 21-29

In Regard to the Letter
Rec'd ^{From} the War Department
official Business of the
Pilgrimage made by
the United States

I Am Sorry to say that
I am not able to
make the trip if
you wanted to help
me I would much
rather have what it
would cost to send me
over to pay on my
home as it is very
hard for me to pay it out
and live your truly
Dora Cooley

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cooley, Harry S.

August 9, 1929

Mrs. Mary Dora T. Cooley,
2508 19th Avenue,
Moline, Illinois

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Private Harry S. Cooley, Co. D, 139th 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. Will you make the pilgrimage?

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
Cooley, Harry S.

June 29, 1929.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
Maquoketa, Iowa.

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Mrs. Mary Dora J. Cooley
2508 19th Ave
Moline, Ill. XC-139949
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Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Pvt. Harry S. Cooley, Co.D, 139th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried 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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Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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



QM 293 A-M
Cooley, Harry S. (MA)

August 5, 1932.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Ave.,
Moline, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to office letter of July 9, 1932 advising that you are unable to take advantage of the offer of the Government at this time. However it is hoped that your condition will improve, and that you will be able to visit the grave of your son before the conclusion of the pilgrimages in 1933.

In the event your health improves and you feel able to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested that you notify this office, and arrangements will be made for you. Properly qualified personnel will be provided to care for the comfort and needs of the women making the pilgrimage, and doctors and nurses will be available. During the past three years many women who were in poor health made the trip and appeared to have benefited by the sea air and the excellent care they received. Should you make the pilgrimage you are assured that everything possible will be done for your comfort and welfare.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Cooley Harry S (MA)

July 9 1932

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Moline Ill

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

QM 293 A-M
Cooley, Harry S. Pvt. (M-A) M

January 14, 1932.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 - 19th Ave.,
Moline, Ill.

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In view of the foregoing, should you desire to make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son during the coming summer, it is requested that you notify this office. Should you make a pilgrimage you are assured that the journey will not only be made at the expense of the Government, but that everything possible for your comfort and welfare will be provided.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

June 12, 1931.

Cooley, Harry S. Pvt. (M-4) M

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Avenue,
Moline, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

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This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? _____
Write answer here

Sign here

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? _____

Write answer here

Sign here

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QM 293 A-M
Cooley, Harry S. 1232 M

January 19, 1931

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 Nineteenth Avenue,
Moline, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and correct, it is requested that you advise whether or not the late Private Harry S. Cooley is survived by a widow, and if so, her name and address.

For your convenience in replying, there is enclosed, herewith, a self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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QM 293 A-M
Cooley, Harry S. 1232 M

June 23, 1930

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Avenue,
Moline, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 17 relative to your desire to receive a cash payment in lieu of the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

In this connection, you are advised there is no provision of the law which would permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow in lieu of the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 7, 1930.

Cooley, Harry S. - 1232 M

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Avenue,
Moline, Ill.

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1931, to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all mothers and widows who are not making the pilgrimage in 1930, regardless of whether or not they have expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Cooley, Harry S. 1232 N.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
2508 19th Ave.,
Moline, Ill.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No)	Other language (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Cooley, Harry S.

September 27, 1929.

Mrs. Dara Cooley,
2508 19 Ave.,
Moline, Ill.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 20, 1929, relative to the pilgrimage of the Gold Star Mothers and Widows to Europe.

It is regretted to have to advise that the Act of March 2, 1929, authorizing the above pilgrimage does not contain any provision which permits of a mother's receiving a money allowance in lieu of the trip.

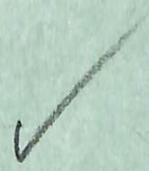
For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Ans. Cooley

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cooley, Harry S.
1232

September 20, 1929

Mrs. Mary Dora T. Cooley,
2508 19th Ave.,
Moline, Ill.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Aug. 9, 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:

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,

2 Incls.
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

Cooley, Harry S.

August 9, 1929

Mrs. Mary Dora T. Cooley,
2508 19th Avenue,
Moline, Illinois

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Private Harry S. Cooley, Co. D, 139th 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. Will you make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.
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

Cooley, Harry S.

June 29, 1929.

**Mrs. Dora Cooley,
Maquoketa, Iowa.**

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late **Pvt. Harry S. Cooley, Co.D, 139th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.**

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried 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,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

O.M.C.

2nd Ind.

GP

293.8

Hqrs., Meuse-Argonne Cemetery, Romagne/s Montfaucon (Meuse) May 5th, 1923.
TO: Chief, American G.R.S., Q.M.C., in E., 8, Avenue d'Iena, Paris (Seine).

1. The grave locations of the deceased American soldiers listed in basic communication are as follows:

✓ COOLEY, 2143271, Harry S., Pvt. Co. D, 139th Infantry,
Grave 30, Block D, Row 2a, Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232.

✓ LILLER, 1780436, Guy P., Cpl., Co. E, 313th Infantry,
Grave 30, Block D, Row 3a, Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232.

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11 MAY 1923
H.Q., A.G.R.S., Q.M.C.
in Europe

E. P. Doyle
E. P. DOYLE
Commanding

293 Cooley
Harvey
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File No: 293.8 *et. 1232* 3rd Ind.

HW.

Hqtrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8 Avenue D'Iena, Paris, May 11th, 1923. TO: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

1. Attention is invited to preceding indorsement with the request that G. R. S. Forms forwarded you in the case of Private Cooley be corrected accordingly.

RECEIVED
MAY 26 1923
M. & R. BRANCH
O. O. M. C.

R. P. Harbold
R. P. Harbold,
Chief.

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IN REPLY REFER TO 293 C-F

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

April 23, 1923.

RECORDED, A.G.R.S., Q.M.C., IN EUROPE
FILE NO. 2938 C.F. 1232

SUBJECT: Discrepancy.

TO: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
in Europe.

1. You are advised that the records of this office show the remains of the late Private Harry S. Cooley, #2143271, Co.D, 139th Infantry concentrated into Grave 30, Row 38, Block D, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery. Corporal Guy P. Liller, #1780436, Co.E, 313th Inf. is also reported concentrated into the same grave location.

2. Information is requested as to the correct grave locations for these two soldiers.

By order of the Quartermaster General:

H. J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
Assistant.

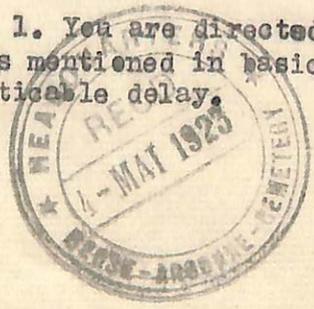


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1st Ind.

Hqtrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8 Avenue D'Iena, Paris, May 3rd, 1923. TO: Commanding Officer, Meuse Argonne American Cemetery, Remagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

1. You are directed to advise this office correct grave locations of soldiers mentioned in basic communication by indorsement hereon with the least practicable delay.



R. P. Harbold
R. P. Harbold,
Chief.

Cobley,

(Surname.)

Harry (S) Sylvester

(Christian name in full.)

2,143,271

(Army serial number.)

Pvt.

Co D, 139th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? no

(Yes or no.)

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

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

m
(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mrs Dora Cobley

Maquoketa

Iowa

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713

1-20-21
L. G.

Drawn by L. G.
557-41
1-19-21

In reply refer to:
293.8 C-R #69333

March 12, 1923.

Mrs. Dora Cooley,
Maquoketa, Iowa.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of the late Private Harry S. Cooley, Company D, 139th Infantry, is Grave 30, Row 38, Block D, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of 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, 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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G.R.S.

Place Brizeaux, Meuse.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept 20-21

1. REMAINS OF Cooley, Harry S. SERIAL NUMBER 2143271

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. D. 139th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Sept 20-21 From (give complete location): Gr. 3 pt 3(C)

Row 1. Cem. 557.

By: Group 3 Unit Section 3.

3. Reburied (date): Oct. 25, 1921. In (give complete location):

Corrected per 2nd from Europe 5/6/23

Row 28, Block D., Grave 30

By: Group Reburial S. Unit Unlined Nature of reburial Casket

8013
5/8/23

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

Nude in sheet

Badly decomposed recognition impossible.

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

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

no effects tags agree with forms 114-A.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp to det.

(b) Weight (estimated) impossible to determine

(c) Hair—Color impossible to determine

Quantity impossible to determine

Characteristics impossible to determine

(d) Hair on face—Color impossible to det.

Location imp to determine

Quantity impossible to determine

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

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

34, 12 13 MBD
2, 14 S.F.

15 Cavity 6 7 8 9 10 MAD

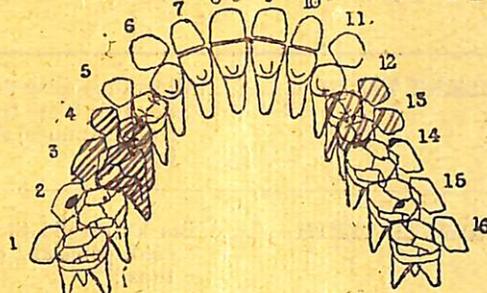
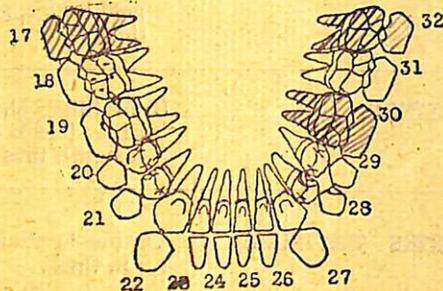
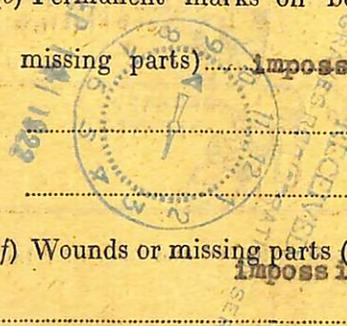


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



17 30 32 MBD 23 MAD

18 28 Cavities.



7. Disinterment supervised by D. Bachman Approved: J. S. Robinson 1st Lt. G.A.C.

(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault Approved: James W. Younger

(Title) Capt. Q.M.C.

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".
 (b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.
6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

MISSING TEETH.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :



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



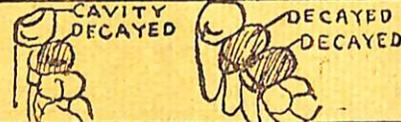
BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :



FILLINGS.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :



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



DENTURES (PLATES).....Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.
8. Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Sept 20-21

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 COOLEY, Harry S.

10. Name _____

2. No. 2143271.

11. No. _____

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank _____

4. Org. Co. D, 139th Inf.

13. Org. _____

5. D.D. Oct. 7th

14. (a) D.D. _____

6. C.D. DOW

(b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 3 Sec. 3

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____

8. Plot 43C Row 1

16. Plot _____ Row _____

9. _____

17. _____

18. Cemetery American

19. Commune or town Brizeux

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 557

23. Disinterred (Date) Sept 20-21

By D. Bachman

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Harry S. Cooley

Serial No. _____

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co. D. 139th Inf.

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

Raymond A. Philibert
Signature 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).

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial Nude

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 20-21 By D. Bachman

31. Casket sealed by D. Bachman

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) D. Bachman

AUDITED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-8823

32. Designation of body:

Name COOLEY, Harry S. Serial No. 2143271

Rank Pvt. Organization Co.D, 139th Inf.

33. Consigned to: Officer in Charge Operations,

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse Argonne Amer. 1232 Romagne/s/Montfaucon

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept 20-21 By D. Bachman

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 J.P. Robinson 1st Lt. GAO

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Sept 20-21

To point of Concentration Romagne sous Montfaucon, Meuse.,

Convoyer James Lynn Signature Shipping Officer W.H. Roach 1st Lt. QMC

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery (Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date Sept. 20, 1921

G.R.S. Representative Alfred Paul Meuse Capt

41. Reinterred: Meuse Arg. Cemetery, (Date) Oct. 25, 1921.

42. Grave No. 30 Section

43. ~~Block D.~~ Block D. Row 28 per 2nd from Europe 5/6/23
5/28/23
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G.R.S. Representative James W. Younger
James W. Younger
Capt., QMC.,

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 69333

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name COOLEY, Harry S. (2-28-21) M Ser. No. 2143271
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. D, 139th Inf. TYP. DB
(c) Date of death 10-7-18 (d) Cause of death DWRI A CKR.

Vertical red handwritten notes: 'for communication' and dates '10/26/21 - Exhumed for communication' and '1900-11/17/24'.

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

(a) Grave No. 3 Row 1 Plot C Sec. - TYP. DB
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Dora Cooley (mother) Maquoketa, Iowa. (2-28-21) M

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

(a) Name Mrs. Dora Cooley (2-28-21) M (b) Relationship mother
(c) Address Maquoketa, Iowa
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S.
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S.

Examiner's Initials L.G. Date 1-19-, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials L.G. Date 1-19-, 1920.

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

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

Examiner's Initials PF Date 1-20-, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 557 SHEET No. 41

CARDED

MAR 3 1921

Handwritten notes: 'Checked M 2-28-21' and a checkmark.

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made

1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on _____, 1920

letter on 1-27-21, 1920

Par. #2, Not To Be Returned

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

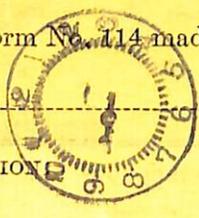
ACTION TAKEN.

Desires body be

Body to be shipped to

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

CENTRAL DIVISION



MAR 10 1921

RECEIVED

AUG 5 1921

Central Division
Ordnance Project Sub-Section

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 69333

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 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. D, 139th Inf. TYP. DB
 (c) Date of death 10-7-18 Cause of death DWRIA

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

(a) Grave No. 3 Row 1 Plot C Sect. - TYP. DB
 (b) Emerg. Address *also Mrs. Dora Cooley (Mother) Maquoketa Iowa (2-28-21) M*

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

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

A GO Card Mrs. Dora Cooley, mother, Maquoketa, Iowa, desires body be not returned

ABR 3/2/21

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on..... 192.....
 (letter of transmittal on 1-27-1921)

Par. #2, Not To Be Returned

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VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. MAR 8 - 1921 192.....

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of Relationship Desires Action taken
 and Source..... and name.....

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

COUNTRY

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

CEMETERY NO.

557

SHEET NO.

41

8-366/MB

MAR 8 1921 G.L.

1. G. R. S. Form No. 1. 69233 Hq. G. R. S. File

2. Soldier's No. 2143276

3. Cooley Harry S.
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Rank Company Regt. or Corps

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

6. Oct. 7, 18. American
Date of Burial Cemetery

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

8. 107 3
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

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

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

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

12. Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Buried in French Forest
Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed Sgt. H. E. [Signature]

Group... 3... Unit 302... G. R. S.

WAR DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-9921
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 1-20-21

File No. Requisition.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

a. Surname **Cooley,**

f. Date of death **10-7-18**

b. Christian name **Harry S. or
(Harry Sylvester)**

g. Cause of death **DWRIA**

c. Serial Number **2,143,271**

h. Authority (C.O.#)

d. Organization **Co.D, 139th Inf.**

i. Emergency address

e. Rank **Pvt.**

j. Relationship

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

a. Age of enlistment

b. Color of eyes

c. Color of hair

d. Height

e. Weight

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

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

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

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

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EPD-1-24-21

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

BY:

H. J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

CEMETERY NO: 557

SHEET NO: 41

TYPED BY: *egp*

Rec'd World War Div.
Date JAN. 22 1921

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Ms Dora Cooley Smith
Maquoketa, Iowa

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ON ACTIVE SERVICE
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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES.

April 29th 1919
American Grave Registration Service,
Paris - France

Dear Sirs: Any information recorded in your files concerning -

Private Harry Cooley

Co. D 139th Inf. 35th Div.

Serial no. 2, ---, ---.

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Thanking you in advance for your consideration I am, Respectfully

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FROM:

FILE NO. 69333

TO :

DATE 5-17-19

SUBJECT: Location, grave of:

NAME COOLEY, Harry S.

SERIAL NUMBER 2143271

RANK

Private.

ORGANIZATION

Co., D., 159th Infantry.

NO.	Question	Reply
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with records?	1. YES.
2.	Date of death.	2. 10-7-18.
3.	Grave Location:	3. Cemetery 557, American Battle Area Cemetery, Commune of Brizeaux, BRIZEAUX (Meuse), map reference, map 51NE, Co-ordinates E304.2 - N246.9.
4.	Who reported burial?	4. G.R.S. Officer.
5.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	5. YES.
6.	How is grave marked?	6. Name Peg.
7.	Identification tags:	7.
	(a) Buried with Body?	(a) Yes.
	(b) Attached to grave Marker?	(b) Yes.
8.	Emergency address:	8. None given.
9.	Has above been notified? (Give Date)	9. No.

REMARKS:

Requested by Private Geo. J. Francois, Am. Student Detachment,

European address London, England

Relationship to deceased _____

Checked by: _____

Reference: 69333

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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

June 19, 1919.

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO: Chaplain William V. Meredith, Hqs. 124th M.G. Bn.,
Manning, Iowa. USA.
SUBJECT: Pvt. Harry Cooley, Co.D., 139th Infantry. AEF.

1. In reply to your letter of inquiry, with reference to the regretted death of this soldier, according to the records at these Headquarters he is buried in Grave #107, Plot#3, American Battle Area Cemetery, at BRIZEAUX, Department of MEUSE.
2. The grave is marked with the Regulation Cross.

CCP/pb

CHARLES C. PIERCE
Lieut. Colonel. Q.M.C., U.S.A.



Headquarters 124 M.G. Bn,

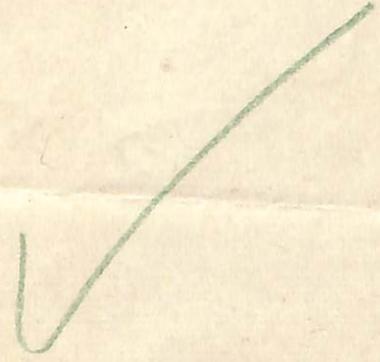
May 3, 1919.

From: William V. Meredith
To : Graves Registration Service.
Subject: Information Concerning the Burials of Two Men of 139 Inf.

Information in regard to Private Harry Cooley CO.D. 139
Infantry, and Sergt Thomas L. Ingram, 1456813 Co. F. 139 Inf.

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Address communication to Rev. W.H. Meredith, Manning Iowa.

William V. Meredith
Chaplain 124 M.G. Bn.





Headquarters
May 7, 1919

From: William V. ...
To: ...
Subject: Information Department

Information is ...
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William V. ...
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