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G.R.S. Form #114-B

10380

FULL NAME ..... COURTNEY, Alexander

RANK ..... Sgt. SERIAL ..... 1277100

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ..... Co. I, 113th Inf 29 Div

DATE OF DEATH ..... Oct. 7, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME ..... n. j.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION ..... 24 34 F  
Date Grave Row Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232

Cemetery

RECEIVED BY THE WAR DIV.  
APR 4 1928

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

By *as*

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WORLD WAR DIV.

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4-13-28

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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

.. **Courtney** ... **1277100** ... **Alexander** .....

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

.. **Sergeant** ... **Co. I, 113** .. **Infantry** .....

(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL..... **Oct. 10, 1918** .....

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

.. **American cemetery No. 94** .....

.. **Contrexeville, Vosges** .....

GRAVE NUMBER... **Sec. C, No. 95** .....

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?..... Cross? **Yes** .....

Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?..... **Yes** .....

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker?..... **Yes** .....

If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

REPORTED BY:

*Ray D. Kelly*  
.....  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be forwarded to Adj. Gen'l., G. H. Q., A. E. F.

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REPORTED BY:

*Ray D. Mc...*  
**1st Lt San Corps USA** (Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service.

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 Slip in

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Courtney	3	3 5 7
	Alexander		
BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 24	2	24
	ROW 34	2	34
	BLOCK 7	1	6
STATE	N. J.	2	35
RANK	Sgt	1	2
DIVISION	29	2	29
ORGANIZATION	113	3	113
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	no	1	2
NAME	Sister Basia per Mrs Jennie	3	
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	83 Van Wagoner Jersey City	1	1
OTHER	Mother	1	
ELIGIBILITY	(no local) dead 8-23-23 (a s m)	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
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ACCEPTANCE		1	

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C. A. D. H  
Courtney 79589

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1232

ms Jennie Bousper  
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Jersey City  
N. J.

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Examining Section No. 4  
AWARDS DIVISION

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Courtney, Alexander

August 21, 1929

Mrs. John Bousper,  
259 Parkside Ave.,  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

*No home application  
9-4-29  
gsl*

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the sister of the late Sgt. Alexander Courtney, Co. I. 113th 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?
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,

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

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Act of Congress  
Envelope

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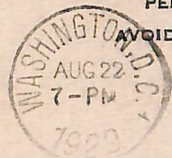
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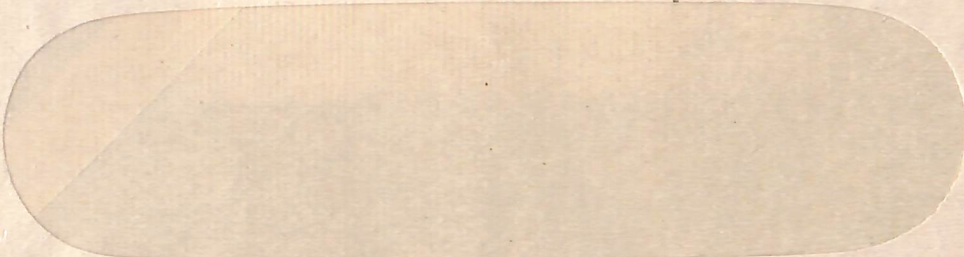
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Courtney, Alexander

June 29, 1929.

Mrs. Jennie Courtney,  
346 Union Street,  
Jersey City, N.J.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



*Code*  
*Sister*  
*Mrs. John Rousper,*  
*259 Parkside Ave*  
*Brooklyn, N.Y.*  
*83 Jan Wagenen Ave*  
*Jersey City, N.J.*  
*7-21-31-277*  
*C-79589*  
*7-29-29m*

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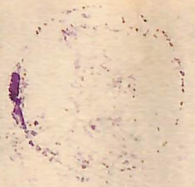


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JOHN T. HARRIS,  
Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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June 29, 1929.

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

Courtney,

Alexander D.

1,277,100 Dup.

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Sgt.

Co. I, 113th Inf.

(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

(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)

Jennie Courtney  
203 St Pauls Ave Jersey City

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by Lth  
94-40  
10/21/20

Checked  
GRC 10-23-20

In reply refer 28422  
293.8 C-R

January 25, 1923.

Mrs. Jennie Courtney,  
346 Union St.,  
Jersey City, N.J.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of the late Sgt. Alexander Courtney, Co I. 113th Inf., is Grave 24, Row 34, Block F, 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, 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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MAILED

JAN 25 1923

22/1423/ARK

G.R.S.

DATE 12/3/21.

1. NAME Courtney, Alexander SERIAL No. 1277100

RANK Sgt. ORGANIZATION Co. I 113th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Amer.Cty. Contrexeville - Vosges 94  
CTY. NAME NUMBER

94

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 95 Contrexeville Vosges

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES E.363.65 N.154.95 Map Mirecourt S.E.84

CONCENTRATED TO Feb.10,1921. 94  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

American Cty.Contrexeville 94

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 partly corroded, but legible, Can read "COURTNE---. Per GRS Form 16-A Feb.10,1921. signed A.B.Proctor,1st.Lt.QMC.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS None  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

*Stanley J. Grogan*  
STANLEY J. GROGAN, Capt. Inf. USA.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 12/3/21. 24 34 F.  
DATE GRAVE ROW Block FOOT

Meuse-Argonne Amer.Cty.#1232 Roma ne-sous-Montfaucon. (Meuse)  
CEMETERY

*Sgt 12/20/22*

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GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
1922

## 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 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.

Original

Contraxville

Place ~~Vosges~~ - Vosges.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date 2-10-1921

1. REMAINS OF Courtney, Alexander SERIAL NUMBER 1277100

RANK Sgt ORGANIZATION Co. 1. 113th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): 2-10-1921 From (give complete location): grave 95 - Contraxville Vosges. Amer. Cem. 94

By: Group one Unit see one.

3. Reburied (date): 2-10-1921 In (give complete location): grave 94 Contraxville - Vosges. Amer. Cem. 94

By: Group one Unit see one Nature of reburial pine box

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: In. u. s. o. w. uniform and in pine box Body decomposed unrecognizable

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: Tag on body partly corroded - but legible. Can read. Courtney - - - 77100

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) 5 ft 8 in

(b) Weight (estimated) 140 lbs.

(c) Hair—Color no hair on skull

Quantity none

Characteristics none

(d) Hair on face—Color none on face

Location none

Quantity none

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

Impossible to report

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

none

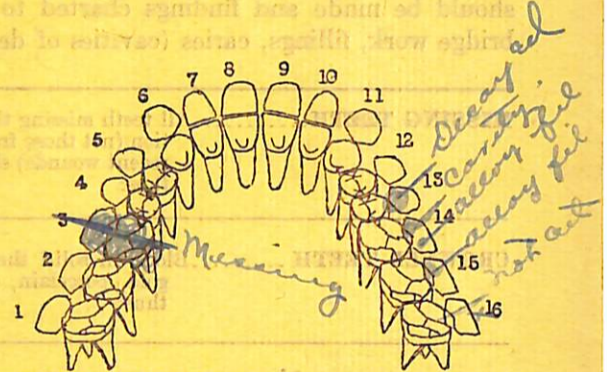
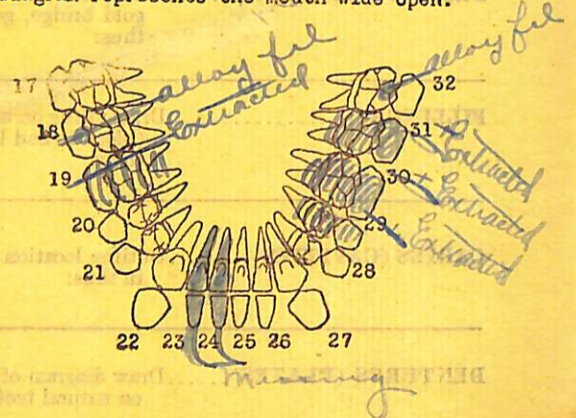


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



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7. Disinterment supervised by W.H. Roach (1st Lieut QMC Insp.) Approved: A.B. Proctor (1st Lieut QMC)

8. Reburial supervised by W.H. Roach (1st Lieut QMC) Approved: A.B. Proctor (1st Lieut QMC) Actg M of S No. 1.

**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.

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

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

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

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Place Contrexeville, (Vosges) France

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date October 12th 1921.

1. REMAINS OF COURTNEY, ALEXANDER. SERIAL NUMBER 1277100

RANK R Sgt. ORGANIZATION Co. I 113th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): October 12th 1921. From (give complete location): Grave 94.

American Cemetery, G.R.S. Code # 94, Contrexeville, (Vosges) France.

By: Group 1 Unit Section 4.

3. Reburied (date): Dec. 3rd, 1921. In (give complete location): Grave 24, Row 34, Block F, Cemetery 1232.

By: Group Reburial S Unit  Nature of reburial Lined Casket

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

Buried in wooden box, uniform and blanket. Body 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 found.

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

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

(b) Weight (estimated) Unable to estimate.

(c) Hair—Color -

Quantity -

Characteristics -

(d) Hair on face—Color -

Location -

Quantity -

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

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

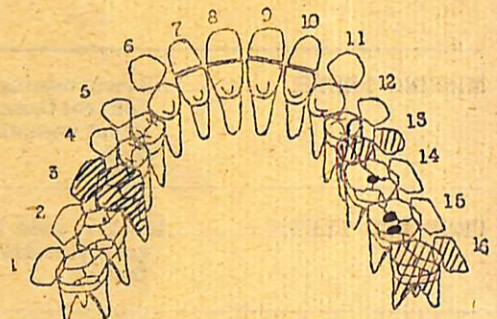
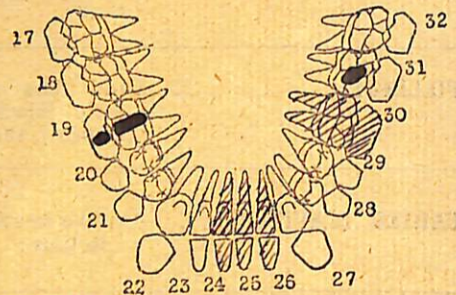


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



- Nos. 17, 32 Not cut.
- Nos. 16, 30 Missing before death.
- Nos. 3, 24, 25, 26, Missing after death.
- Nos. 14, 15, 19, 31 Silver fillings
- No. 13 Decayed.
- Nos. 12, 14 Cavities.

7. Disinterment supervised by W.R. TOMLINSON,

Approved: D.E. Lowry hem  
tap. D.E. LOWRY,  
(Title) 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by A.U. DuFault,

Approved: James W. Younger,  
(Title) Captain Q.M.C.

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 (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.
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**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:



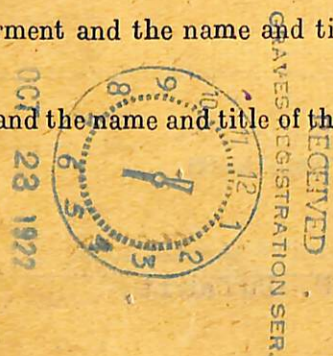
**CARIES (CAVITIES)**.....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



**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.



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

WASHINGTON

Hoboken, N.J.

DEC 1 1920

*No change*

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q. M. C.

To: Mrs. Jennie Courtney, 203 St. Paul Ave., Jersey City, N.J.

SUBJECT: Remains of Sgt. Alexander Courtney, Ser. No. 1277100,  
Co. I, 113th Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body remain in Europe.

*I wish my boys body to remain in Europe*

If these are not the correct instructions, please correct them. Make corrections on reverse side of this sheet.

The nearest relative may choose between, (1) return of the body to any address in the United States; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., or any other National Cemetery; or (3) remain in Europe.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
Major, U. S. A.

If all blank spaces below are not filled out, it will necessitate a return of this paper and a **SERIOUS DELAY** in the shipment of this body. State in each case **WHETHER** these relatives are **STILL LIVING**.

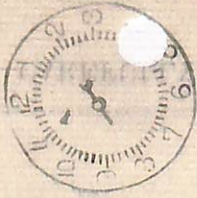
NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Was soldier married? Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1		
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Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

IMPORTANT.—CAREFULLY read instructions before filling out this paper.

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1920.

I, the undersigned, am the \_\_\_\_\_ and nearest living relative of the within-named soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:  
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

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C. O. BRANCH

MAY 4 1921

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

2. To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to \_\_\_\_\_  
(R. R. station.) \_\_\_\_\_ (State.)  
*Cemeterial Division*  
*Overseas Project Sub Section*

3. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and buried in \_\_\_\_\_ National Cemetery.~~

4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Signature *Mrs Jennie Courtney*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instruction as to the disposition of a body are not received from the nearest relative within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.
2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.
3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT OF KIN IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.
4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest living relatives in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.
6. If YOU are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
7. If YOU are not the nearest living relative and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNMENT GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
SERVICES REGISTRATION SERVICE

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NOTED ON FORM #115

#-2-15-21-25.

Nov. 29. 1921.  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH

J. F. Butler.

1st Lieutenant Infantry



Dear Sir:-

Your letter received  
and wish to state that I know  
nothing of Sgt. Courtney father  
and hasn't in years. Washington  
has my family record.

Please put yourself in  
my place has not my life  
been soved enough by the  
lose of my son and the  
breaking up of my home with  
out bringing the father who

I or my son lived with in  
years before he died. My son  
Bergrt. Courtney was my main  
support and it is my wish he  
should lie where in died.

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Yours Respectfully  
Mrs. Jennie Courtney  
346 Union St.  
Jersey City.

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CEMETERIAL  
DIV. Q. M. G.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION Service,  
Pier #2, Hoboken, New Jersey.

January 19, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cemeterial Div. Cor. Br.  
(COURTNEY, Alexander.)

Mrs. Jennie Courtney,  
203 St. Paul Avenue,  
Jersey City, N. J.

Dear Madam:

In order to complete the records of this office and before final disposition of the remains of your son, the late Alexander Courtney, Serial Number 1277100, Sergeant, Co. I, 113th Infantry, can be determined, it is necessary that you state definitely whether or not he is survived by a father, and if so, kindly furnish his name and address.

Your early reply, will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. F. SHANNON,  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

By:

*Hau*

J. F. BUTLER,  
1st Lieutenant, Infantry.

*B.*  
Cemeterial Division

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Geographic Project Section

100 17th Street  
2nd Floor

Office in Charge  
Geographic Project Section  
2nd Floor

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QUARTERMASTER CORPS  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q. M. C.  
ROOM 350, PIER 2, HOBOKEN, N. J.

January 5, 1920.

File No. 293.8 Cgm. Div. Cor. Branch  
(COURTNEY, Alexander)

Mrs. Jennie Courtney,  
203 St. Paul Avenue,  
Jersey City, N.J.

Dear Madam:

Kindly advise this office whether or not your son, the late Alexander Courtney, Sgt, Ser. No. 1277100, Co. I, 113th Infantry, is survived by a widow, children or father, and if so, state the name and address of each, as the Department desires to be assured that no relative properly entitled to a voice in the disposition of the remains is denied the opportunity of expressing his wishes.

Your early attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

R. E. SHANNON,  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

By

*F. O. Pallas*

F. O. PALLAS,  
Executive Assistant.

*R. E. Shannon  
Captain Quartermaster Corps  
Officer in Charge*

*Dear Sir:-*

*The late Alexander Courtney Sgt. Co. I, 113th Inf. has no wife or children and it is the wishes of the mother and family for him to remain where he fell.*

*Yours truly  
Mrs Jennie Courtney*

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CEMETERY DIVISION



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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER  
OF THE LAND OFFICE  
STATE OF NEW YORK

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF THE LAND OFFICE  
STATE OF NEW YORK  
FROM THE COMMISSIONER OF THE CEMETERY DIVISION  
STATE OF NEW YORK  
RE: [Illegible text]

Very respectfully,  
[Illegible signature]

(COMMISSIONER OF THE CEMETERY DIVISION)

COMMISSIONER OF THE CEMETERY DIVISION  
STATE OF NEW YORK  
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER  
STATE DEPARTMENT

FILE THIS UNDER No. 79455

MEMORANDUM TO FILES DEPARTMENT

REGISTRATION BRANCH

Transfer all papers--

FROM: File No. 79455.....(canceled)

TO: File No. 12042.....

*McKrites, Wm*  
*Crites, Wm. McK.*

By *Luc*.....  
*Cemetery* Section,  
..... Dept.

Date *9/24/24*, 192

O. K. Numerical File Index.....

Papers transferred by.....

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
..... Division  
DIRECTOR OF STORAGE  
MUNITIONS BUILDING

WAR DEPARTMENT  
PURCHASE, STORAGE, AND TRAFFIC DIVISION  
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE AND STORAGE  
WASHINGTON

No:

From:

To:

Subject:

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# GRAVE LOCATION CARD

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Courtney 1277100 Alexander

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

Sergeant Co. I, 113 Infantry

(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL..... Oct. 10, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

American cemetery No. 94

Contrexeville, Vosges

GRAVE NUMBER..... Sec. C, No. 95

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?..... Cross?.. Yes

Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?.. Yes

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker?.. Yes

If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

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REPORTED BY:

*Ray D. Kelly*  
1st Lt. Signal Corps USA (Officer.)

This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service.

MAR 26 '20

3-22-20

Received - - Inq. Dept.

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Adjutant Genl  
Dear Sir

It is the desire of Mrs J  
Courtney that the body of  
her son Sgt. Alex. D. Courtney remain  
in its present resting. Owing to her  
health at the present time, she is sure  
she cannot stand the strain of having  
the body removed. And would be very  
thankful and appreciate it very much.



*Copy*

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

HOBOKEN, N.J.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

COURTNEY, Alexander

94-40

2-16-21

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

1277100

Co. I, 113th Inf.

Date of death: 10-7-18

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Original Forwarded  
to Hoboken

Date 2-15-21-H

DATE 3-11-21

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONS-IP

Mrs. Jennie Bousper,

Mother

Address

203 St., Pauls Ave., Jersey City, N.J.

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FILE

Adjustment Made  
5-19-1922

File No. 33422

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FILE

July 7, 1921.

293,8-Cem. File #33422 (Courtney, Alexander, Sgt.)

The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army (Cometerial Division)

Mrs. Jennie Courtney, 346 Union St., Jersey City, N.J.

Permanent Burial in France.

File O.S.P.  
MH 72421

1. In reply to your letter of June 14, 1921, directing that the body of your son, the late Sergeant Alexander Courtney, Company I, 113th Infantry, be interred in a permanent American Cemetery in France, you are advised that instructions will be issued that your wishes be complied with.

2. According to the present policy of concentrations, the body of the deceased will be removed to the Argonne American Cemetery at Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse. When the transfer has been effected, you will be duly advised of the new grave location.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

JF CHARLES J. WYDNE,  
Captain, U. S. A. C.

*[Handwritten initials]*  
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JUL 11 1921

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JUL 11 1921

Cemeterial Division  
Overseas Project Sub-Section

Noted on Form No. 115  
Date *MH 7/24/21*  
*Copy filed on O.S.P.*

FILE

June 28, 1921.

203.8 Com. #33423 (Courtney, Alexander, Sergeant)  
The Quartermaster General, U.S. Army (Cemeterial Division)  
Mrs. Jennie Courtney, 345 Union Street, Jersey City, N.J.

Disposition of remains.

1. The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of your son, Sergeant Alexander Courtney, Company I, 113th Infantry, remain permanently interred in the American Cemetery at Contraxeville, Department of Vosges. This cemetery is temporary and must be abandoned at some future date. At that time the body of your son will be transferred to the nearest permanent French cemetery provided his legal next of kin executes and returns the enclosed Release, relieving this Government of the future maintenance of the grave. If the legal next of kin prefers that this Government maintain the grave of this soldier, his body will ultimately be transferred to one of the permanent American cemeteries in France. In this connection your attention is invited to paragraph #9 of the enclosed Cemeterial Division Bulletin No. 10-G-W.

2. It is requested that the legal next of kin immediately advise this office as to his final wishes in the matter of the disposition of this body. If no request to the contrary is received within a reasonable length of time, the body must necessarily be transferred to a permanent American cemetery.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES J. THIES, M  
Captain, U. S. A. Jcs

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Date *M 7/24/21*  
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June 11, 1921.

File OSP.  
MH 7/21/21  
FILE

2982B-Cem.#33422-(Courtney, Alexander Sgt.)

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

Mrs. Jennie Courtney, 346 Union St., Jersey City, N.J.

Disposition of remains.

1. The records of this office indicate that you desire the body of the late Sergeant Alexander Courtney, Company I, 113th Infantry, permanently interred in its present resting place, in Grave 95, Plot C, American Cemetery at Contraxeville, Department of Vosges. This is a temporary American Cemetery and will be abandoned, therefore, it will be necessary for the body to be removed.

2. The remains may be removed to a nearby permanent French Cemetery in which event, it will be necessary for the legal next of kin to execute and return to this office the inclosed release, which relieves the Government of the responsibility for the future care and maintenance of the grave site after reburial has been effected and formal release given.

3. If the legal next of kin does not desire to assume the responsibility for the future care and maintenance of the grave, the body may then be removed, according to the present policy of concentrations, to the Argonne American Cemetery at Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, a permanent American Cemetery in France, which will be perpetually maintained by the Government in the most careful and reverent manner.

4. In view of this information it is desired that the legal next of kin advise this office immediately whether the body of the deceased should be interred in a nearby permanent French Cemetery or removed to one of the permanent American Cemeteries in France.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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JUN 24 1921

CHARLES J. WYNNIE,  
Captain, Q.M.C. Cemeterial Division

Overseas Project Sub-Section

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C.R.S.

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Date MH 7/21/21

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
WASHINGTON

March 30, 1920.

No: 33422-(Courtney,Alexander-Sgt)  
To: Mrs.J.Courtney, per daughter-Jennie Courtney, 203 St.Paul Ave., Jersey City,N.J.  
From: Office of the Quartermaster General, U.S.Army. (Cemeterial Division)  
Subject: Grave Location.

1. In reply to your inquiry we beg to say that the records of the Cemeterial Division contain the following information as to grave location.

Case of:  
Sgt.Alexander Courtney,  
Co.I, 113th.Infantry.

Place of Burial:  
Grave #95, Plot C,  
American Cemetery,  
Contrexville, (Vosges)

2. The grave has been registered and suitably marked for present purposes, pending the adoption of a more permanent monument by the National Fine Arts Commission, which now has the matter under consideration.

3. While it is a sad duty on our part to convey information concerning the burial,of men who were our valient comrades, it is a satisfaction to answer the queries of those who suffer so grievously by the casualties of War.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C.PIERCE,  
Colonel, Q.M.C.  
Chief, Cemeterial Division.  
By:  
CHARLES J.WYNNE,  
Captain, Q.M.C.

LMD.

Your request for permanent burial of your son in France has been noted.

MAR 31 1920

June 14 - 21

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., M. G. File # 2928

293.8 - Bureau # 33 422-  
(Courtney Alexander Sgt.)  
Quartermaster Gen'l.

Dear Sir:

It is my desire that

my son should rest in France

but in American cemetery the  
Argonne American Cemetery at  
Romagne-sous-Montfaucon,  
Department of Meuse.

Yours truly

(mother) Mrs Jennie Courtney

Noted on Form No. 115

Date 7/12/21

Courtney, Alexander

JUN 24 1921  
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DIV. C. M. G.



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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE October 12th 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 Courtney, Alexander

10. Name \_\_\_\_\_

2. No. 1277100

11. No. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Rank Sgt.

12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_

4. Org. Co. I 113th Inf.

13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_

5. D.D. 10-7

14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_

6. C.D. Broncho Pneumonia

(b) D.B. No Discrepancies.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 94 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_

8. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_

16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_

9. \_\_\_\_\_

17. No Discrepancies.

18. Cemetery Amer.

19. Commune or town Contrexeville

20. Dept. or County Vosges

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 94

23. Disinterred (Date) October 12th 1921. By W.R. TOMLINSON.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name ALEXANDER COURTNEY.

Serial No. ---

Rank Sgt.

Organization Co. I 113th Inf. Grave 94.

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

Thos. A. Pace  
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

THOS. A. PACE.

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).

No effects found. Form 16a accomplished. Reburial record on body checks.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial In wooden box, uniform and blanket.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? No.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Oct. 12th 1921. By W.R. TOMLINSON.

31. Casket sealed by W.R. TOMLINSON.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) W.R. Tomlinson

W.R. TOMLINSON.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box) Box No. C-11378

32. Designation of body:

Name Courtney Alexander Serial No. 1277100

Rank Sgt. Organization Co. I 113th Inf

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) October 12th 1921. By W.R. TOMLINSON Meuse

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 D.E. LOWRY, 1st Lt. Q.M.C. hem

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) October 12th 1921.

To point of Concentration Neufchateau, (Vosges) France. (Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer Capt. Q.M.C.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 30 Oct 1921

To Permanent Cemetery Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, (Meuse) France. (Name)

Convoyer C. L. RIELEY Signature Shipping Officer W.R. Buckley, Capt. Q.M.C.

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred

Meuse Argonne Cemetery ; 23 Dec. 3rd, 1921.

42. Grave No. 24 Section

43. Plot xxxxx Block F Row 34

G.R.S. Representative James W. Younger, Captain Q.M.C.

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

*OR 10-21*

File # 33422

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name COURTNEY, Alexander Ser. No. 1277100  
 (b) Rank Sgt. Organization Co. I, 113th Inf.  
 (c) Date of death 10/7/18 (d) Cause of death Broncho Pneumonia.

*Estimated 10-22-16  
 for Memorial - Argonne 1232  
 att 27/22*

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

(a) Grave No. 95 Row -- Plot C. Sec. -- TYP. EK  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Jennie Courtney (mother) 203 St. Paul Ave.,  
 Jersey City, N.J.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases NO CARD CKR. 10

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Jennie Courtney (b) Relationship Mother  
 (c) Address 203 St. Paul Ave, Jersey City, N.J.  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? yes  
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at yes  
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. IT  
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. —

Examiner's Initials SH Date 10/21, 1920.

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

dated \_\_\_\_\_, confirming request in Par. IV., item \_\_\_\_\_, above, or requesting that \_\_\_\_\_  
no correspondence

Examiner's Initials SH Date 10/21, 1920.

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

*24* Mrs. J. Courtney  
Mother (no address) Cancel request for  
card Desires son's body to remain in France

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes att

Examiner's Initials SH Date 10-23, 1920.

COUNTRY France

CEMETERY No. 94

SHEET No. 40

G. R. S. Form No. 115 Amended April 6, 1920

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Make Form No. 114

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

*MB 12-1-20*

*Rev. 5-10-21 EP*

*checked  
 att 10/23/20*

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

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

MAY 4 1921, 1920.

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 1920  
letter on 11/16, 1920



Cemeterial Division  
Olympic Project Sub-Section

DEC 4 1920

Par. #2 - Not to be returned (RES)

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CORRECTIONS

IX.

CHANGE OF ADVICE

CEMETERIAL  
DIV. Q. M. G.

ACTION TAKEN.

Desires body be Let. 6/14/21 - mother advised body must be moved.  
By executing enclosed release it may be moved to a per.  
Body to be shipped to French. Cty. If desired it may be moved to  
a per. Amer. Cty. M.H. 7/2/21

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

Form 120 Mother Mrs  
Jennie Courtney 203 St Paul Ave. Jersey City  
N.J. wishes body left in Europe 1-4-21  
1-11-21 - Letter from mother advises no  
widow or children. - and family wishes body  
to remain where he fell - 8

2-1-21 - Recd - Letter from Mother - Mrs. Jennie Courtney,  
346 Union St. Jersey City, N.J. advises fathers whereabouts  
are unknown to her. - (H-2-15-21-8)

3/15/21 WREA Mrs. Jennie Bousper (mother) 203 St. Pauls' Ave. Jersey City, N.J.  
H-3/26/21 maf

Let. 5/2/21 - Mother advised body cannot remain undisturbed  
as it is interred in a temp. Amer. Cty. Same may be  
transferred to a per. French Cty. by executing enclosed  
release or if desired may be transferred to a per. Amer. Cty.

Let. 6/14/21 - Mother requests body rest in Argonne, N.Y.

Let. 7/7/21 - Mother advised according to present policy body  
will be transferred to the Argonne. Cty. When transfer has  
been effected she will be advised as to new grave location. M.H.  
7/21/21

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

*01210-21*

*See Form 115  
Att 7/22*

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 33422

(a) Name COURTNEY, Alexander Ser. No. 1277100  
 (b) Rank Sgt. Organization Co. I, 113th Inf. TYP EK  
 (c) Date of death 10/7/18 Cause of death Broncho Pneumonia. *773*

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

(a) Grave No. 95 Row -- Plot G. Sect. -- TYP EK  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Jennie Courtney (mother) 203 St. Paul Ave.,  
Jersey City, N.J.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases NO CARD CKR *773*

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

*G. R. S. Cons. - Mrs. J. Courtney (mother) desires body re-  
main in France (LES) 11/24/20*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 192  
(Letter of transmittal on 1-16-1920)

*Par. #2 - Not to be returned (LES)*

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. DEC. 3. 1920 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. 5/4 192 1

COUNTRY CEMETERY NO. SHEET NO.

G.R.S. FORM 115-A  
August, 1920

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DIV. Q. M. G.

TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

Date 3-27-20.

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME Courtney, Alex. D.

Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

RANK Sgt. ORGANIZATION \_\_\_\_\_

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	(1) Yes, Courtney, Alexander Sgt.
2.	Date of Death.	Co. I. 113th Inf #1277100 (2) 10-7-18.
3.	Cause and place of death	(3) Broncho Pneumonia.
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram	(4) #285
5.	Date buried	(5) 10-10-18.
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave #95, Plot C, ✓ Amer City #94, Centerville (Vosges)
7.	Who reported burial?	
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?	
12.	Has above been notified? (Give date)	
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	(11) Mrs. Jennie Courtney (Mother) 203 St. Paul. Ave., Jersey City, N. J.
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	(12) 5-19-19.
15.	Inquiry made by?	

Released by Information Control Dept. *GM*

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N.B. All Proper names to be typewritten, or printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

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