

G.R.S. Form #114-B

To The A. G. O.

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DATE 1/20/22

Apr 27 1922

1. NAME COUTURE, Israel SERIAL No. 2941052

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. I. 310th Inf.

8 DIVISION 78

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse Argonne American, Romagne/s/Montfaucon, Meuse. 1232, Sec. 15

CTY. NAME NUMBER

175 Sec. 15 4

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 7 Plot B St Juvin (Ardennes) Cty 672

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES 35NW 285.3N 297.1E.

CONCENTRATED TO 4.11.19. 175 15 4.

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne 1232.

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

DATE OF DEATH Oct 19, 1918

None.

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME P. I.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none

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SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

hb DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

M. B. BIRDSEYE
1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 1/20/22 28 15 Block C.

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

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

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY

I. D. 2. 3. 17-23

Major General
The Adjutant General
222

A. G. O.
APR 30 1922
WORLD WAR DIV.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.



Date 3rd., May, 1919REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: CAUGILRE, IsraelNumber: 2941052Rank: Unkn Pvt

Organization:

Unkn Co 9, 310th Inf

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

11th., April, 1919Grave #B.-7 B.A.Cty. ST? JUVIN. ARDENNES.Map. 35 N. W. E 297.1 N. 285.3

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

11th., April, 1919Grave #175 Section #15 Plot #4Amer. B.A. Cty. #1232 ROMAGNE. MEUSE.Map. 35 N. E. E. 308.16 N. 284.87

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

Burial good.Body buried in Uniform.Body badly decomposed.Was one identification tag found upon the body? NoWhat other means of identification were found on the body? None

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 1918., after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: 2nd. Lt. Armitage.R. H. ROSENTHAL2nd Lieut. O.M.C.C. S.A.
G.O. Group Unit1232CONFIRMED NO. 10895
10895

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: GARDNER, James

CONTINUE

Rank: Union

Organization:

Department and Reburial made by Group

Number: 2241032

Unit: W-8 311 1/2

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

11th April, 1919

Grave #B-V B.A. CIV. ST. JUVIN. ARGENTIS

Map. 35 N. W. E. 308. 16 N. 284. 3

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

11th April, 1919

Grave #15 Section #15 Plot #4

Amer. B.A. CIV. #1333 BOMBARDIER, ILLINOIS

Map. 35 N. E. E. 308. 16 N. 284. 3

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

Burial good. Body buried in uniform. Body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No

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

10832



Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found... after being carefully examined for clues to identity in reports of cases, notation thereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Ed. J. Armstrong

R. H. ROBERTS

Couture - Israel
Europe

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Couture (Surname.) 294105 (Number.) J. J. (First Name and Initials.)
Pvt (Rank.) C. I (Organization.) 310 Inf

DATE OF BURIAL. October 21, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL. St. Jovian, France
(Give Cemetery, Town and Department.) Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.

297.05 - 297.35

GRAVE NUMBER. Row 4, Grave 15

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? no
If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

REPORTED BY:
James H. King, 1st Lt, 310 Inf
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Couture	3	30-12
	Israel		1
BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	28
	GRAVE 28	2	15
	ROW 15	2	3
	BLOCK C	1	45
STATE	R.I.	2	2
RANK	priv	1	78
DIVISION	78	2	310
ORGANIZATION	310	3	1
AFM	Inf	1	2
MARTIAL	no	1	
NAME	Couture	3	
	A.J. (Exec.)		
RESIDENCE	73 or 148 Ashton R.d.		
	(no loco or S.M.)		
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER	7 other	1	6
ELIGIBILITY	Dead 6-20-31	1	
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
	29/514/PJ.		

Audited
 APR 21 1932
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Couture, Israel (M-A) M

September 29, 1931.

Mrs. Agloe Couture,
Box 148,
Ashton, Rhode Island.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. To date information has not been received as to whether or not you desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, in honor of the deceased veteran named above.

In order that the records may be complete, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Mrs Agloe Couture Deceased June 20 - 1931 -

A. J. Couture Box 148 Ashton R.I. Executor Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours

A. D. Hughes

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

Encl:
Env.



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Couture, Israel Pvt. (M-A) M

June 12, 1931.

Mrs. Agloe Couture,
Box 148,
Ashton, R. I.

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? _____

Write answer here

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 7, 1930.

Couture, Israel - 1232 M

**Mrs. Agloe Couture,
Box 148,
Ashton, R. I.**

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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? no

(Write answer here)

Mrs. Agloe Couture
(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON



IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Couture, Israel 1232 M.

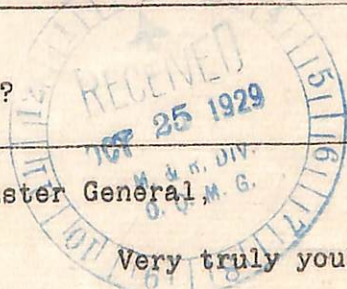
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Ashton, R. I.

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 <u>72</u> Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	(English - (Yes))	(No) <u>French</u> (Specify language spoken)



For The Quartermaster General, M. G.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Couture, Israel
1232

September 3, 1929

Mr. Peter Couture
Box 148
Ashton, R. I.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated **June 28, 1929** making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

No-

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.

Agloe Couture
Box 148 Ashton RI
Mother

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

No. Too Old for trip

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls. Q. M. G.
Act of Congress
Envelope



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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
(Couture, Israel)

June 28, 1929.

Mr. Peter Couture,
Box 148,
Ashton, R. I.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Private Israel Couture, Co. I, 310th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

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Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

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WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Couture, Israel (M-A) M

September 29, 1931. AL

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Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

June 12, 1931.

Couture, Israel Pvt. (M-4) M

Mrs. Agloe Couture,
Box 148,
Ashton, R. I.

Dear Madam:

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Very truly yours,

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Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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

Write answer here

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 7, 1930.

Couture, Israel - 1832 M

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Box 149,
Ashton, R. I.

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For The Quartermaster General,

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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
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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,

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JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Couture, Israel
1232

September 3, 1929

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Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
(Couture, Israel)

June 28, 1929.

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For The Quartermaster General,

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

In reply refer to:
293 C-R

92004
June 7, 1923.

Couture, Israel

Mr. Peter Couture,
Box #148,
Ashton, R.I.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private Israel Couture, Company I, 310th Infantry, is Grave 28, Row 15, Block C, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

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

Very truly yours,

RD
X 22
23/236/ARK

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

92004

from

51696

Q. M. C. Form No. 487.
Approved Nov. 8, 1915.

SYNOPSIS OF

DATED:

FROM:

TO:

011 Co I. 31034

51696

GRAVE LOCATION BOOK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Conture (2941052) Tarnal
.....
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Priv *310 Ind*
.....
(Rank.) *Co. I* (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *October 31, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL *St. Juvins, TX*

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

Bugby Map
.....
297.05-35

GRAVE NUMBER *Row 15 Grave 15*

HOW MARKED : Name Peg? Cross? *yes*

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS :

Was one buried with body?

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

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

St. Juvins (Armed)
250 3rd row { *Gr. 297.05*
285 35

REPORTED BY :

James M. King, 1st Lt. 310
.....
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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Communal List No. 250217
Daily E. Post No. _____

92004

1. G.R.S. FORM .1

H.R. G.R.S. FILE

2. SOL DEAS' NO 2941052

3. COUGILRE
SURNAME

ISRAEL
FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

4. UNKNOWN
RANK COMPANY

REGT. OR CORPS

5. UNKNOWN
DATE OF DEATH

UNKNOWN
CAUSE IF KNOWN

6. UNKNOWN
DATE OF BURIAL

ST. JUVIN
CEMETERY

7. ST JUVIN
TOWN OF COMMUNE

ARDENNES
DEPARTMENT

8. 7
GRAVE NO

B
PLOT NO OR LETTER

9. NAME REG... CROSS... HEADBOARD... BOTTLE

10. BURIED WITH BODY... ATTACHED TO GRAVEMARK
IDENTIFICATION TAGS

11. NAME UNKNOWN AND TAGS MISSING GIVE NAME
AND DESCRIPTION

1049

12. VERDUN N.W. 357

MAP INTERMENT IS OUTSIDE OF CEMETERY

285-4 N. 297 E

13. GIVE NAME OF CHAPLAIN OR BURIAL OFFICER

SIGNED Herman L Maeder
S.M. Sgt Sr Sr.

GROUP 4 G.R.S. UNIT 305

SIGNED

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FOR THE USE OF CHARITABLE OR BENEFIT SOCIETIES

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CSPCC Cty. NO: 1232

Sec. 15 case no 33.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the
Washington

FROM. O.Q.M.G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

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

Date

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.

(SPECIAL)

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

- a. Surname **COUTURE** *O, K ✓*
- b. Christian name **Israel** *O, K ✓*
- c. Serial Number **2941052** *O, K ✓*
or (2941042)
- d. Organization **Co. I, 310th Inf.** *O, K ✓*
- e. Rank **Pvt.** *Pvt. ✓*
- f. Date of death **10-19-18** *O, K ✓*
- g. Cause of death **K/A** *✓*
- h. Authority (C.O.#)
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship **father** *✓*
13 Railroad St., Ashton P.D.

NOTED FORM 115
DATE 4/14/21
JMS

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
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Adjustment Made

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March 31/21*

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

BY:

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

CEMETERY NO: 1232-Sec. 15

SHEET NO: 33

TYPED BY: VH.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
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Date 3-29-21

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(SPECIAL)

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NOTED FORM 115
DATE 4/4/21
over

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b. Christian name **Israel** O.K. ✓

c. Serial Number **2941052** O.K. ✓
or (2941042)

d. Organization **Co. I, 310th Inf.** O.K. ✓

e. Rank **Pvt.** ✓

f. Date of death **10-19-18** O.K. ✓

g. Cause of death **K/A** ✓

h. Authority (C.O.#)

i. Emergency address

j. Relationship **father** ✓

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(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

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lower right lower left

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Date 3-29-21

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Reports from

SPECIAL

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

The Adjutant General of the Army, 4th & B. Sts., N.W., Washington, D.C.

Subject: Information required for G.R.A.

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

1. Date of birth 10-19-18
2. Cause of death X/A
3. Authority (C.O.W.)
4. Emergency address
5. Relationship
6. Physical charts
(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)
7. Service record
8. Other data

a. Service number
b. Christian name - Initial
c. Social Number (Special)
d. Organization Co. 1, 310th Inf.
e. Rank
f. Pay
g. Date of enlistment
h. Date of entry
i. Date of birth
j. Height
k. Weight
l. Treatment while in service
m. Physical status at enlistment (Disfranchisement or overage)

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H. J. ROBERTS
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.

H. J. ROBERTS
1st Lt. U.S.A.

ATTENTION: 1522-10015

NO. 28

NO. 45

(Special)

G. R. S. Form No 101-A
INFORMATION BASK

File Number 92004

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

Date 3-14-31.

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME: Couture, Isreal

Serial Number

RANK:

ORGANIZATION:

Co. I, 310th Inf.

FILE

No.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records?	(1) Pvt. #2941052;
2.	Date of death.	(2) 10-19-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3) K/A
4.	Number of casualty cablegram.	(4) CC- #311
5.	Date buried.	(5) No record
6.	Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave #7, Plot B, American Cty. #672 St. Juvin, Ardennes. Reburied: 4-11-19 Grave #175, Sec. 15, Plot 4, Argonne American Cemetery, #1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.
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) No (b) Yes.
11.	Complete emergency address?	(11) Peter Couture, (father) 13 Railroad St., Ashton, R.I.
12.	Has been notified? (Give date.)	(12) F-107-Feb. 16, 1920. 21-A 2-1-19
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record.)	(14)
14.	What is the photograph number?	
15.	Inquiry made by.	

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.....X..... Confirmed.

..... Unconfirmed.

fkw.

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

Couture,

Israel

2,941,042⁵

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co I 310th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased **Parents**

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:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Peter Couture
Box 148, Ashton, R.I. a gloe Couture

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

memo

drawn P.F. 3.28.21.

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checked H.W.
3.28.21

Location Index

..... Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

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..... Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No. *✓*

Org.

Remarks

G. R. S. Corr.

..... Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Checkers

..... Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks



3-29-21

checked JAW

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File 92004

(a) Name COUTURE, Israel Ser. No. 2941052 (O.K. - 11
4-2-21)

(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I, 310th Inf. } TYP. B

(c) Date of death 10-19-18 (d) Cause of death K/A } 30

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

(a) Grave No. 175 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 15 TYP. B

(b) Emerg. Address Peter Couture (father) 13 Railroad St., Ashton, R.I. (a.g.o. O.K. 4-2-21, mrs)

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases _____ CKR. 30

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192

Section # 15 { letter of transmittal on 7/6/21, 192

par # 2 - Not to be returned - RD

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., APR 14 1921, 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

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

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

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

H-5-4-12-21

Place Romagne 1232.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Jan 20, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF COUTURE, Israel. SERIAL NUMBER 2941052.

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. L. 310th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Jan 20, 1922 From (give complete location): gr 175, sec 15, plot 4. Cty. 1232.

By: Group Russell. Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): January 20 1922 In (give complete location): Meuse Argonne Cemetery #1232 Grave 28 Block C Row 15

By: Group reburial S Unit _____ Nature of reburial unlined casket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: wooden box and burlap and U.S. uniform, body decomposed, unrecognizable.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: G.R.S. plaque on body and cross reads, Caugilre, Israel 2941052.

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

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

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

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

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) head, both jaws and both arm missing.

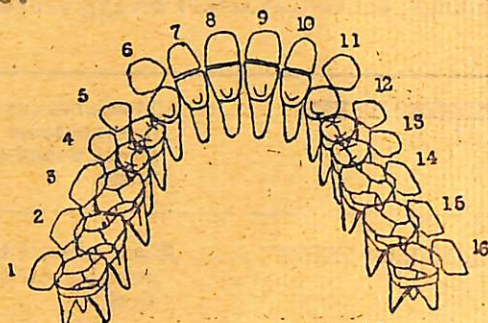
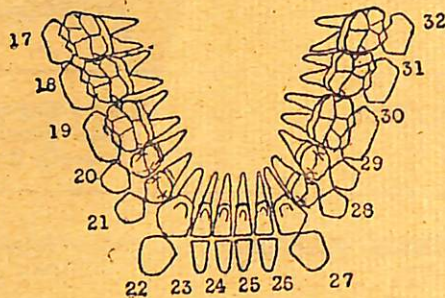


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



7. Disinterment supervised by C.V. Russell

C.V. Russell.

Approved: R.W.
R.C. Worthington, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by W.B. Shield






W. B. Shield

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

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

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 Jan 20 1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT Final COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters. Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

- 1. Name C OUTURE, Israel
- 2. No. 2941052
- 3. Rank Pvt.
- 4. Org. Co. I. 310th Inf.
- 5. D.D. 10-19-18
- 6. C.D. KIA
- 10. Name _____
- 11. No. _____
- 12. Rank _____
- 13. Org. _____
- 14. (a) D.D. _____
- (b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 175 Sec. 15
- 8. Plot 4 Row _____
- 9. _____
- 15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 16. Plot _____ Row _____
- 17. None

- 18. Cemetery Meuse Argonne American,
- 19. Commune or town Romagne/s/Montfaucon,
- 20. Dept. or County Meuse,
- 21. Country France.
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232, Sec. 15

23. Disinterred (Date) Jan 20 1922 By C V Russell

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Israel Couture Serial No. 2941052
 Rank Pvt Organization Co. I. 310th Inf.

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

J L White
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

J L White

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).

GRS plaque on body and cross Caugilre Israel

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial US Uniform burlap pine box

AUDITED BY

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 Jan 20 1922 By C V Russell

31. Casket sealed by C V Russell C V Russell

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor C V Russell)

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No. C-21891.



32. Designation of body:

Name Israel COVURE

Serial No. 2941052

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co. I. 310th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse Argonne American, 1232, Romagne/s/Montfaucon, Meuse

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Jan 20 1922

By E V Russell

35. I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector

R C Worthington

R C Worthington 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Jan 20 1922

cc

To point of Concentration

Morgue Romagne

(Name)

Convoyer

W J Royed

Signature Shipping Officer

G F Spann
G F Spann, Capt. 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

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred, Meuse Argonne Cemetery #1232 January 30 1922
(Date)

42. Grave No. 28

Section

43. ~~Plot~~ BLOCK C

Row 15

G.R.S. Representative

James W. Younger
James W. Younger,
Captain, Q.M.C.