

CAUSE OF DEATH

Pla

G.R.S. Form #114-B

Covey, Earl A

FULL NAME

COVEY, Earle A.

OK

RANK

Cpl.

OK

SERIAL

185009

OK

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION

Co.D. 101st Engrs.

26 Div OK

DATE OF DEATH

7-18-1822

OK

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

New Hampshire

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

None

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

11-8-1922

53

11

A

Date

Grave

Row

Block

18. A.G.L.
MAY 9 1922
WORLD WAR

1764

Cemetery

AUDITED BY

Place Belleau Aisne.

Date June 6, 1919.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: Covey, Earl A.

Number: 185009

Rank:

Organization:

Co. D, 101st Engrs.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit "B"

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

Plot-65 Myers, near Belleau Aisne.

June 6, 1919

Coord. 266.5N - - 176.15E

Grave 101.

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

June 6, 1919

National Cemetery at Belleau Woods, Aisne.

Coord. 262.60N - - 176.04E

Plot-4, Sec. F, Grave 162.

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

Body in poor condition.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? yes

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

1764

CONFIRMED 11/18/19

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:

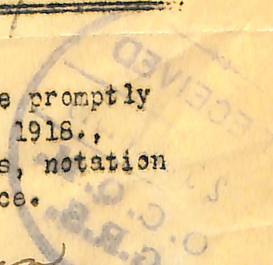
Sgt J.C. Turner

C.O. Group

Unit

Prov. Unit B G.R.S.

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4/8/21*



Place Belleau Alamo.
Date June 6, 1919.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: Govey, Earl A.

Number: 188009

Rank:

Organization: Co. D, 101st Engrs.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group "B"

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

June 6, 1919

Plot-65 Myers, near Belleau Alamo.

Coord. 286.5M - - 176.15E

Grave 101.

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

June 6, 1919

National Cemetery at Belleau Woods, Alamo.

Coord. 286.60N - - 176.04E

Plot-4, Sec. 7, Grave 182.

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

Body in poor condition.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? yes

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

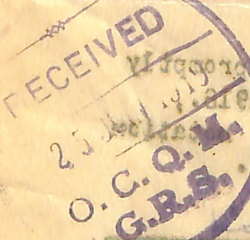
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Supervised by: [Signature]

Prov. Unit B G.R.S.

C.O. Group [Signature]
Unit [Signature]



Place Belleau Aisne

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date July 8/21.

1. REMAINS OF COVEY, EARL A. SERIAL NUMBER 185009
RANK Cpl. ORGANIZATION Co., D. 101st. Engrs.

2. Disinterred (date): July 8/21. From (give complete location):
Amer. Cty., #1764, Belleau Aisne, Gr. 162-F-4.

By: Group Maire Unit Sec. 6

3. Reburied (date): July 8/21. In (give complete location):
Amer. Cty., #1764, Belleau Aisne, Gr. 162-F-4.

By: Group Maire Unit Sec. 6 Nature of reburial Box & burlap

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
5ft. earthen grave, U. S. uniform and burlap. No box.

decomposed unrecognizable

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:
None

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) undeterminable

(b) Weight (estimated) undeterminable

(c) Hair—Color undeterminable

Quantity undeterminable

Characteristics undeterminable

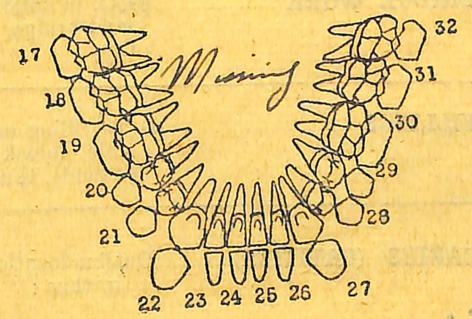
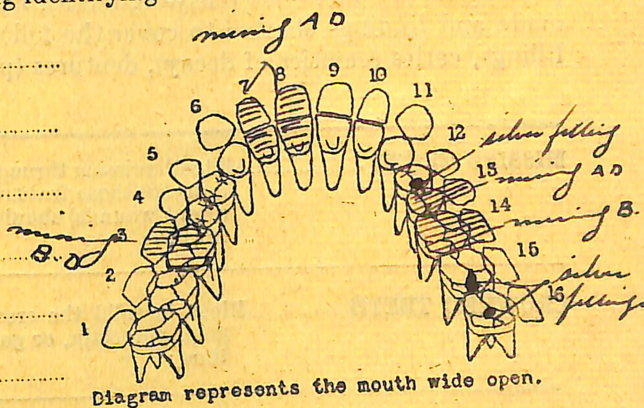
(d) Hair on face—Color undeterminable

Location undeterminable

Quantity undeterminable

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Teeth Nos. 3-14- missing before death.

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) Lower jaw, left foot, right radius and ulna, part of back bone missing.



7. Disinterment supervised by E. Maire
E. Maire S. E.

Approved: R. C. Worthington
R. C. Worthington, 1st. Lt. QMC.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by E. Maire
E. Maire S. E.

Approved: R. C. Worthington
R. C. Worthington, 1st. Lt. QMC.
(Title)

D-51036

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 :



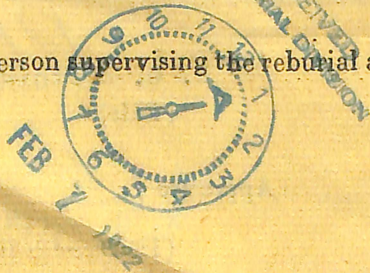
CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :



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.



CODE SLIP

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HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Covey, Carl A.	3	30-12 2
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	4
	GRAVE	2	53
	ROW	2	11
	BLOCK	1	1
STATE	N Hamp	2	34
RANK	Cpl	1	2
DIVISION	26	2	26
ORGANIZATION	101	3	101
APM	Engr.	1	4
MARTIAL	Remarried	1	3
NAME	Mrs Covey, Adelbert	3	30-12 2
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	34
	COUNTY	2	08
	CITY	3	007
RELATION	mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	PS
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	no	1	2
29/514/PJ	Age 54		54

AUDITED
DEC 22 1931

CODE SLIP



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BURIED	CEMETERY	1	4
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	BLOCK	1	1
STATE	N. H.	2	34
RANK	Cpl	1	2
DIVISION	26	2	26
ORGANIZATION	101	3	101
ARM	Infantry	1	4
MARITAL	Remarried	1	3
NAME	Merrill Mrs.	3	
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	widow	1	5
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	no	1	2
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

AUDITED
DEC 22 1951
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Covey Earl A (AM)

July 11 1932

Mrs Adelbert Covey
8 Arbor St
Exeter NH

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.

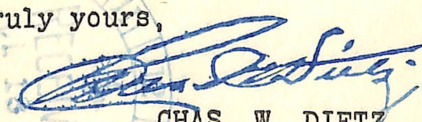
IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

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.

2 Encls.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933? No

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

Mrs Adelbert Covey

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Covey, Earl A. Cpl (AM) M

June 20, 1931.

Mrs. Adelbert Covey,
8 Arbor St.,
Exeter, N.H.

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.

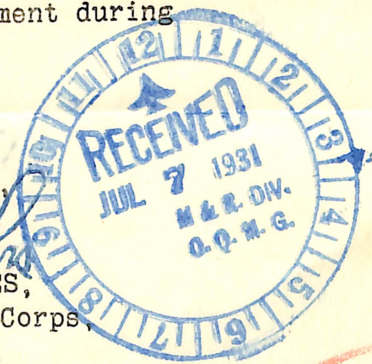
As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

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



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

Write answer here

Mrs Adelbert Covey

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 19, 1930.

Covey, Earl A. 1764 M

Mrs. Adelbert Covey,
8 Arbor St.,
Exeter, N. H.

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.

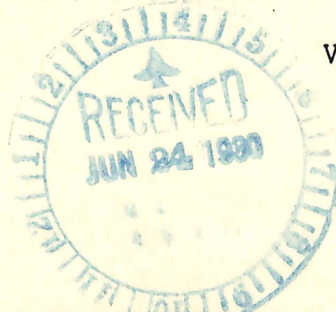
As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

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. Adelbert Covey
(Sign here)

QM 293 A-C
Covey, Earl A. 1764-M

May 16, 1930

Mrs. Adolbert Covey,
8 Arbor Street,
Exeter, N. H.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 7th, declining the invitation to sail on the SS "America" August 27, 1930, to visit the grave of your son, the late Corporal Earl A. Covey, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

Your name has been placed upon the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make the journey in 1931, and you will be communicated with when the pilgrimages are being arranged for that year.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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America
8/27/30
1764

Covey, Earl A

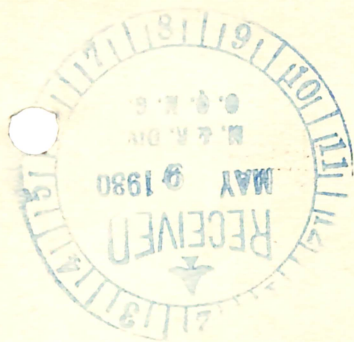
ans 5/15/30

I decline the invitation extended
(Accept or decline)

me to make a pilgrimage to Europe at the expense of the
Government of the United States under the provisions of
the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mrs. Adelbert Covey
(Name)

8 Arbor St., Exeter, Rockingham Co., N. H.
(Town or City) (State)



8 Arbor St.
Exeter, N. H.
May 7, 1930

The QUARTERMASTER GENERAL,
Munitions Building,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I wish to express my thanks for the invitation to make a pilgrimage to Europe; but am very sorry to have to decline the invitation because of sickness.

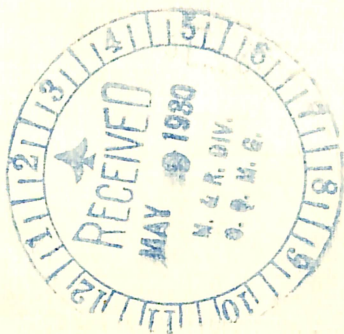
I am in hopes that I will be able to make the pilgrimage next year.

Thanking you very kindly, I remain

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs.) Adelbert Corey

declined Inv. America
8/27/30 Listed for 1931



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Covey, Earl A. 1764-M

October 7 , 1929.

Mrs. Adelbert Covey,
8 Arbor St.,
Exeter, N.H.

Dear Madam:

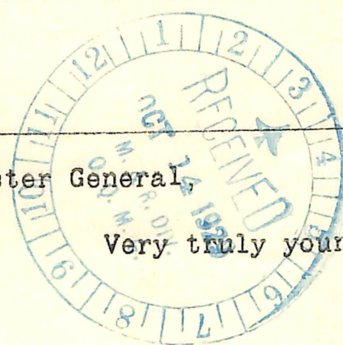
The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, 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?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input 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)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age Health <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Years) <u>54</u> (Good) (Poor)	
5. What language do you speak?	English <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (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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Exeter, N. H.

July 31, 1929

The Quartermaster Genl.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

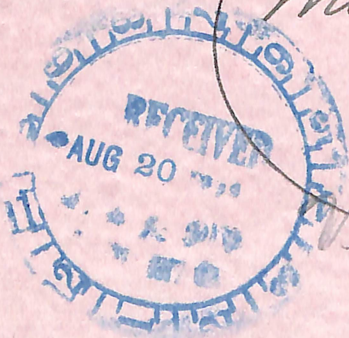
In regard to pilgrimage to
Cemeteries in Europe: - I am not
entitled to this trip as I am
married again.

However, the mother of
Corporal Sovey is lining
and desirous of taking this
pilgrimage. You may com-
municate with her: -

Mrs. Adelbert Sovey
8 Arbor Street
Exeter, N. H.

Very truly

Mrs. Esther N. Sovey (Marill)



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Covey, Earl A.

June 12, 1929.

Mrs. Esther H. Covey,
2 Elm Street,
Boston, N.H.

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 widow of the late Corporal Earl A. Covey, Co. D, 101st Engineers, whose remains are now interred in the Aisne Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother 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.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relationship is that of a stepmother, mother through adoption or a woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. In case you have remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Covey Earl A (AM)

July 11 1932

Mrs Adelbert Covey
8 Arbor St
Exeter NH

Dear Madam:

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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.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO ~~QM-295-AMM~~
Covey, Earl A. Cpl (AM) M

June 20, 1931.

Mrs. Adelbert Covey,
8 Arbor St.,
Exeter, N.H.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 19, 1930.

Covey, Earl A. 1764 M

Mrs. Adelbert Covey,
8 Arbor St.,
Exeter, N. H.

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)

QM 293 A-C
Covey, Earl A. 1764-M

May 16, 1930

Mrs. Adelbert Covey,
8 Arbor Street,
Exeter, N. H.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 7th, declining the invitation to sail on the SS "America" August 27, 1930, to visit the grave of your son, the late Corporal Earl A. Covey, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

Your name has been placed upon the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make the journey in 1931, and you will be communicated with when the pilgrimages are being arranged for that year.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to QM 293 A-C

Covey, Earl A 1764 M

May 1, 1930.

Dear Madam:
Mrs. Adelbert Covey,

This letter, which contains general information regarding the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, is being sent to each mother and widow who has expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage during the calendar year 1930. The general plan for the conduct of the pilgrimage is shown in the Pilgrimage Regulations, a copy of which is enclosed herewith. In addition to the information shown in the regulations, the following explains in detail some of the most important things connected with the pilgrimage.

Formal invitations are being extended to each mother and widow who has expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage during 1930. In so far as practicable, these invitations are being extended with a view to keeping the women from each state together and the order in which the invitations to the women from the several states are issued is based on a drawing by lot which was held about one month ago. Inclosed with each invitation is a card for acknowledgment and it is quite important that you accept or decline this invitation promptly in order that the necessary railroad, steamship and hotel reservations may be arranged. The government will defray all the necessary expenses of the pilgrimage, including railroad fare, hotel accommodations, steamship fare and all other incidental expenses. It will not provide anything other than the necessary expenses so that you should bring with you such funds as you may desire to use for making small purchases and for other uses distinctly of a personal nature.

Arrangements have been made with the American Railroad Association which assures us the united support and cooperation of all of the railroads in the United States in handling the movement to and from New York City. The local ticket agent will secure your railroad and sleeper ticket and will make the necessary pullman reservations. Before your departure from your home we will mail you a check, sufficient to pay for your meals and other travelling expenses while enroute to New York. Your railroad ticket will provide for a round trip from your home to New York and upon arrival in New York the army officer in charge of the New York office will collect the return trip stub and hold it until your return to New York from Europe.

Upon arrival in New York, you will be met by an army officer

and escorted to a first class hotel where reservations have been made. The duration of your stay in New York will be from 24 to 48 hours. At the proper time, you will be escorted to the steership upon which passage has been engaged for Europe. All of the women making this trip will be provided with cabin class accommodations aboard steamers which means that from two to four will be quartered in the same stateroom. If you have any friend that you would like to be quartered with we will endeavor to arrange it if you will communicate with this office.

The ocean voyage will last about 8 days and when the ship docks at Cherbourg, France, each party will be met by officers especially detailed for the purpose and taken in a special train to Paris where first class hotel accommodations have been reserved. The first day in Paris will be a day of rest. On the 2d day, the women of each party will place a wreath on the tomb of the French unknown soldier. In the afternoon there will be a reception in which the French war mothers, government officials, and prominent civilians will participate. The following morning the groups going to the different cemeteries will leave Paris, travelling in motor busses, and proceed to the cemeteries where they will remain for about 7 days. Twenty-five women will be assigned to each bus and an army officer will have charge of the bus. The itineraries to and from the cemeteries and the daily itineraries while at the cemeteries have been varied so as to take in points of historical interest as well as some parts of the battlefields where American troops were engaged. Upon return to Paris, each party will remain for about 5 days and during this time an opportunity will be given to see the points of historical interest in Paris and vicinity. The entire duration of your stay in Europe will be 14 days, and the itineraries have been so arranged that each day will be provided for. Except in case of illness or other unavoidable cause it will not be possible for any woman making the pilgrimage to remain in Europe for a longer period than 14 days nor to leave the party with which she is travelling unless she is prepared to pay all of her expenses after leaving the party since the Act of Congress authorizing the pilgrimage specifically states that the government shall not pay the expenses of any woman who willfully leaves her party.

Upon return to the United States each ship will be met in New York City by army officers who will escort the mothers and widows to the trains which will take them home. Before leaving New York each woman will be provided with her return railroad ticket, a sleeping car ticket and funds to cover the cost of meals and other travelling expenses.

Army officers are being used as guides and escorts throughout this entire movement and care has been taken to select officers who will see that proper care is taken of the women who are entrusted to their charge. Arrangements have been made for taking care of women who may be taken sick during the pilgrimage and also to care for the remains of any who may die and provision has been made for returning the remains of any who may die to their homes. It is essential that each woman making the pilgrimage furnish The Quartermaster General with an emergency address of some relative or friend to be notified in the event of an emergency. Medical care will be provided by civilian agencies. If such care is needed in New York City it will be furnished by the hotel physicians or

by local hospitals. Aboard ship, medical care will be provided by the ship's doctors and in Paris arrangements have been made with the American Hospital for the hospitalization and treatment of any women who may need it. In addition to this, six doctors of the regular army will be on duty throughout the pilgrimage.

Baggage will be limited to not to exceed two pieces of hand baggage and the articles taken should be such as will be required for a trip of about one month. Laundry service can be obtained in New York and Paris. Since the climate of Europe is much colder than that of the United States, each woman should provide herself with sufficient warm clothing to stand the motor bus trip and the visit to the cemeteries.

Since it is necessary for this office to make all reservations for your accommodations throughout this pilgrimage, it will be greatly appreciated if you will make prompt reply to any communications received from this office.

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

1 Enclosure.
Regulation.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Covey, Earl A. 1764-M

October 7 , 1929.

Mrs. Adelbert Covey,
8 Arbor St.,
Exeter, N.H.

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,

Encl.
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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
~~Covey, Earl A.~~

June 12, 1929.

Mrs. Esther H. Covey,
2 Elm Street,
Exeter, N.H.

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 widow of the late Corporal Earl A. Covey, Co. D, 101st Engineers, whose remains are now interred in the Aisne Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother 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.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relationship is that of a stepmother, mother through adoption or a woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. In case you have 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.

The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

Q.M.G.-M. & R. DIV.

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QM 293 A-C

(Covey, Earl A.)

December 8, 1928.

Mrs. Nether Nealley Covey,
2 Elm St.,
Exeter, N. H.

Dear Madam:

The inclosed card gives the permanent cemetery and grave location of the late **Earl A. Covey**.

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that all American military cemeteries, both in Europe and in our own country, will be maintained by the Government forever, the graves permanently marked by headstones showing the decedent's name, rank, organization, State, and date of death, all of which will be done without the necessity of requests emanating from relatives.

Please understand that in effecting the final disposition of our heroic dead the utmost care and reverence is exercised.

Very truly yours,

J. McCLINTOCK,
Major, Q. M. Corps.
Assistant.

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1 Incl.
Record card:

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Co. D, 101st Engineers,
26th division.

Covey, Earl A - Corp 185,099
Home : 142 Front Street
Exeter Ill.

When the Allied counter-offensive started along the Marne, the 26th division acted as the pivot. Company D, 101st Engineers acted as infantry when the drive started on July 18th and were located in Bois de la Brigade de Marines (Bois de Belleau). Pvt. Covey was with Company D, at this time. For several days, Pvt. Covey was among the missing, but finally his body was found in wheat field near Bois de la Brigade de Marines. He had been either killed in action or died of wounds. He was buried in wheat field east of Bois de la Brigade de Marines. 100 yards from road, - coordinates 176:6 - 262:0 Chateau-Thierry Map.

Informant : Edwards, H. Boyd - Chaplain.
101st Engineers.

Home : Milton, Mass.

Emergency address :
Mrs Viola Covey (Mother)
142 Front street, Exeter. N.H.

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9/11/47
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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE November 8, 1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

JP

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

- 1. Name **COVEY, Earle, A.**
- 2. No. **185009,**
- 3. Rank **Corp,**
- 4. Org. **Co D, 101st Engrs,**
- 5. D.D. **July 18th, 1918.**
- 6. C.D. **K.I.A.**

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. **162,** Sec. **F.**
- 8. Plot **4** Row
- 9.

- 15. Grave No. Sec.
- 16. Plot Row
- 17. no discrepancies.

- 18. Cemetery **Aisne- Marne Amer Cty.**
- 20. Dept. or County **Aisne**
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No.

- 19. Commune or town **Belleau,**
- 21. Country **France**
- 1764,**

- 23. Disinterred (Date)
- 24. Inscription on grave marker:

By

Name **Earle A. Covey**

Rank **Cpl.**

Serial No. **185009**

Organization **Co.D, 101st Engrs.**

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

J.C. Annabel
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant
 J.C. Annabel

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).

Bottle record agrees.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial Wooden box and burlap.

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 Nov. 8, 1922 By C.W. Dodge

31. Casket sealed by C.W. Dodge

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

C.W. Dodge
 C.W. Dodge

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C- 31302

32. Designation of body:

Name Earle A COVEY, Serial No. 185009,

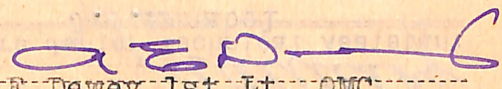
Rank Corp, Organization Co D, 101st Engrs,

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Aisne- Marne Amer Cty, 1764, Belleau Aisne,

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Nov. 8, 1922 By C.W. Dodge

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 
A.E. Dewey, 1st. Lt., QMC.

36. Remarks none

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) November 8, 1922

To point of Concentration _____

(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

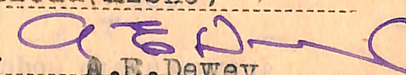
38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

To Permanent Cemetery Aisne-Marne Cemetery, 1764, Belleau (Aisne)

(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer 

A.E. Dewey
1st. Lt., QMC.

40. Received: Date _____

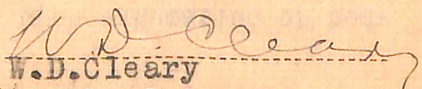
G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred Nov. 8, 1922, Aisne-Marne Cem. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)

(Date)

42. Grave No. 53 Section _____

43. Plot BLOCK A Row 11

G.R.S. Representative 

W.D. Cleary
Lt., Chaplain, USA.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF COVEY, Earle A. SERIAL NUMBER 185009
 RANK Corp. ORGANIZATION Co.D, 101st Engrs.

2. Disinterred (date) : November 8, 1922 From (give complete location):
Gr.162, Sec. F, Plot 4, Cem.1764

By : Group 1 Unit F.S.#1, Aisne-Marne Cem.

3. Reburied (date) Nov. 8, 1922 In (give complete location) : Gr. 53, Block A, Row 11, Aisne-Marne Cem. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)

By : Group re-burial group Unit _____ Nature of reburial Lined casket

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

Badly decomposed, Features unrecognizable.

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

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

Bottle record agrees.

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

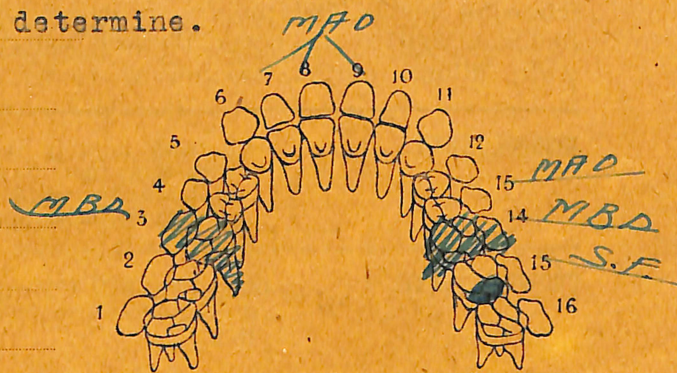
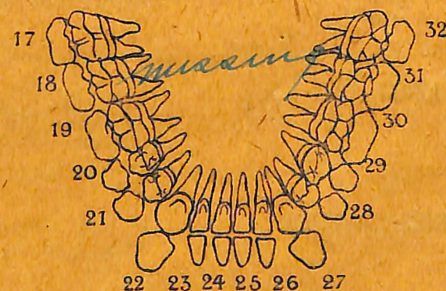


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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

Missing: Lower jaw, one radius and one ulna.

Checker: J.C. Annabel

7. Disinterment supervised by C.W. Dodge Approved: A.E.D.
 (Title) 1st. Lt., QMC.

8. Reburial supervised by L.D. Hays Approved: W.D. Cleary
 (Title) Lt., Chaplain, USA.

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.

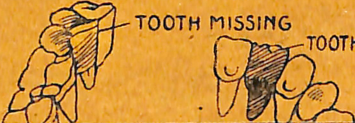




3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.

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.

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 MAR 10 1921, 1920

PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED *oer*

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.	ACTION TAKEN.
Desires body be _____	
Body to be shipped to _____	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*W.P.E.A. Mrs. Esther Nealley Covey
(Widow) 2 Elm St., Exeter, New Hampshire
MHS 4-29-21*

Location Index

Discrepancies

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

A.G.O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

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G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

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Checkers

Discrepancies

Name

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WRA

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2-23-21*

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

P. Jones
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C-39203

Harlow C.W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Covey, Earle A., Cpl.

1764 - 463

2/23/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

185009

C o. D, 101st Engrs.

Date of death - 7/18/18.

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE March 15, 1921.

Date 4-29-21 m.H.S.

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Esther Nealley Covey,

Widow.

Address

2 Elm St., Exeter, New Hampshire.

S/709/LML

Mrs. Esther Nealley Covey
2 Elm St., Exeter, N. H.

wife

S/1868/LML

4/28/21
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OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-DIVISION
GENERAL DIVISION
OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

London, C.W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CIVILIAN NO. DATE

Overseas Project Sub-Division

ORGANIZATION

G. O. D. 101st Bn.

Date of death - 2/18/21

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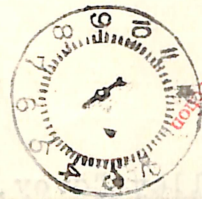
WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE MARCH 18, 1921

RELATIONSHIP

Widow

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2 Elm St., Exeter, New Hampshire

Widow

GSP-SS
Form No. 1009

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

*Please
insert*

<u>HARLOW, F.M.</u>		
NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER	CEMETERY NO.	DATE
COVEY, Earle A.,	Cpl. 1764-463	4-12-21
SERIAL NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
185009	Co. D, 101st Engrs.	7-18-18
C-39203		

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE _____

PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Esther Neally Covey *wife*
2 Elm St., Exeter, N.H.

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Overseas Project Sub-Section

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #12620

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name COVEY, Berle A. Ser. No. 185009
 (b) Rank Cpl. Organization Co. D, 101st Engro. } TYP. EX
 (c) Date of death 7/18/18 (d) Cause of death E/A } BP

3/10/21-eth

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

(a) Grave No. 162 Row _____ Plot 4 Sec. P TYP. EX _____
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Viola Covey (mother) 142 Front St., Exeter, N.H. 04-230-3/10/21-eth

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

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

No card in file. COR. 2/21/21
No request for disposition
- AP. 5/3/21

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 { letter of transmittal on MAR 10 1921, 192

PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED *acw*

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

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

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

Date 2/23/21.

File No.

Requisition.

Adjustment Made
MAR 25 1921
File No. 2620-10

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 Covey ✓ *Earl A.*
b. Christian name Earle A.
c. Serial Number 185009 ✓
d. Organization Co. D, 101st Engrs. ✓
e. Rank Cpl. ✓
f. Date of death 7/18/18.
g. Cause of death K/A.
h. Authority (C.O.#)
i. Emergency address Viola Covey (mother)
142 Front St
j. Relationship Cpt., N.H.

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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Date Rec'd World War Div.
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H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.

BY:

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

C.W.
CEMETERY NO: 1764
SHEET NO: 463
TYPED BY: I.W.

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FEB 24 1921

WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.P.O. Form 8-W-4-0
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 2/23/21

Adjustment Made
MAR 25 1921

File No.

From:

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

To:

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

Subject:

Information required for G.K.S.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed. Request continuation of all data not shown.

1. Date of death 7/12/18

2. Cause of death K.A.

3. Authority (C.O.#)

4. Emergency address

5. Relationship

6. Organization Co. D, 101st Infs.

7. Rank Opl.

8. Serial Number 188003

9. Burial Covey

10. Christian name

BODY DESCRIPTION
(See page 1/2 of the Service Record)

a. Age of enlistment

b. Color of eyes

c. Color of hair

d. Height

e. Weight

11. Strike out teeth missing

12. 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

upper right upper left

13. 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

lower right lower left

enlistment (old fractures or breaks)
physical defects at
enlistment (old fractures or breaks)

FEB 26 1921

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

[Handwritten signature]
1st. Lieut. J.M.G.

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SERIAL NO: 1784

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I.W.
SERIAL NO:
I.W. BY:

FEB 24 1921

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G.R.S. Form No. 113
 Reply to G. L. Inquiry.

WAR DEPARTMENT
 OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
 GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

November 7, 1919.

FILES.

Mrs. Viola Covey,
 142 Front Street,
 Exeter, New Hampshire.

1. In reply to your inquiry we beg to say that the records of the Graves Registration Service contain the following information as to grave location:

Case of: Corporal Earl A. Covey
 101st Engineers, Co. D, 26th Div.

Place of burial: Reburied - American Concen. Cemetery
 Belleau, Department of Aisne.
 Grave #162, Section F. Plot #4.

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. Corps,
 Chief, Graves Registration Service.

G. R. S. MAILING
 NOV 7 - 1919

WAR DEPARTMENT
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE & STORAGE
WASHINGTON

11/7/19

ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

_____ Circumstances of Death
(Par. #2, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Liberty Bonds
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Flowers, Flags, etc.
(Par. #6, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ War Risk Insurance
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Monument
(Par. #8, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Photographs
(Par. #11, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Discrepancies in Inscription
(Par. #9, Bul. 10-C-W)

_____ Permanent Burial In
_____ (a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)

_____ Personal Effects
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ (b) Other Countries

_____ Accrued Pay
(G.R.S. Form 111)

_____ Return of Bodies From
_____ (a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)
(Par. #12, Bul. 10-C-W)
_____ (b) Other countries

_____ Maintenance
(Par. #7, Bul. 10-C-W)

Remarks: Grave location
send to Gen. Add

NOTE: In addition to information furnished on Nos. 1, 6, 11, and 12, G.R.S. Form 101-A (Information Blank), supply data on the following:

Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15.

E. C. H.
Analysis Clerk.

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

Date 11-7-19

FROM: - INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME *Covey - Earl A.*

Serial Number 185099

RANK *Corporal*ORGANIZATION *101st Engr. Co D. 26 Div.*

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	Yes #185009
2.	Date of Death.	
3.	Cause and place of death.	
4.	Number of Casualty VCablegram.	
5.	Date buried.	
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	<i>Reburied</i> (6) <i>grave # 162. Sec. J.</i> <i>Plot # 4 City # 1764</i> <i>Amer. Concen. Camp,</i> <i>Belleau Woods</i> ✓ <i>Pisone.</i>
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?	
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	<i>11) Mrs. Viola Covey (Mother)</i> <i>142 Front St.</i> <i>Exeter, N.H.</i>
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)	
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	
15.	Inquiry made by?	

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

*Form 16**mac*
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Grange-le-Comte, Meuse, France
le 7th July, 1917

The Graves Registration Bureau, A.F., Paris:
Dear Sir:-

Do the graves of Lieut. Edward Bullard
of the Aviation Corps (died at Colombey-les-Bellais
where he died?

I am asked also to visit if
possible the graves of the following and will
you kindly tell me where they are?

Corp. Carl R. Ovey 101st Engineers, C.D., 26 Div.
Serial No. 185099 Reported dead at Belleau Wood.

Lieut. Lynn Harriman, 101st Infantry.
(No other information given me).

Richard Pingree from Exeter, N.H., killed
in action, first man killed from Exeter. (No other
information given).

I regret that I can give you no more facts
about each but you know the importance
of the folks at home. An early reply would be
appreciated.

Very truly yours.

Frederick J. Libby

