

G.R.S. Form #114-B

CAUSE OF DEATH

Died of Wounds

*(Verified by alls
OK 8/29/27 per miss Jones)*

FULL NAME: *COWNIE*, Brodie

RANK: Pvt.

OK

SERIAL: 102362

OK

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION: Co. L, 168th Infantry

42 Div

DATE OF DEATH: 7-~~27~~³⁰-1918

OK

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME:

Nebraska

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED:

none

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION:

Date 19 Grave 10 Row A Block

Aisne Marne American Cemetery # 1764

Cemetery

AUDITED BY
MAY 9 1927
A. G. O.
WORLD WAR DIV.

2/13/18 - Cowrie
GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

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

Pvt. *Co. I 168th Inf.*
.....
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL: *July 30/18*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *Villiers-sur-Marne*
(Give Cemetery, Town and Department.) Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.

Emergency cemetery on hill.

GRAVE NUMBER:

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?

Headboard?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *Yes*

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:

REPORTED BY:

J. J. Carpenter 11754
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Cownie, 102362, Brodie G.
.....
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
pvt. Co. I 168th Inf.
.....
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL: *August 1, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL:

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

American Military Cemetery,

Villiers-sur-Marne, Aisne,

France.

GRAVE NUMBER: *3*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?

Headboard?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *Yes*

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

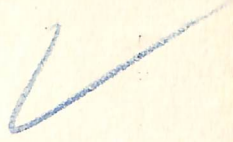
If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

REPORTED BY: *J. J. Halliday*

J. J. HALLIDAY, Chaplain, 163th 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 <i>Cornie Brodie</i>	<i>COW</i>	3	<i>3 0 12</i> <i>5 3</i>
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>1764</i>	1	<i>4</i>
	GRAVE <i>19</i>	2	<i>19</i>
	ROW <i>10</i>	2	<i>10</i>
	BLOCK <i>a</i>	1	<i>1</i>
STATE	<i>Nebr</i>	2	<i>32</i>
RANK	<i>Pvt</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>42</i>	2	<i>42</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>168</i>	3	<i>168</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL <i>(Sister)</i>	<i>no</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Gillespie</i>		3	
<i>Mrs Charlotte</i>	STATE	2	
<i>1605 Douglas St.</i>	COUNTY	2	
<i>Sioux City, Iowa</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION <i>fm</i>	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER <i>no flow</i>		1	
ELIGIBILITY <i>no</i>	<i>dead</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
. TRIP		1	
ACCEPTANCE <i>29/514/</i>		1	

AUDITED

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 8, 1930.

^O
Cownie, Bridie 1764 S

Mrs. Charlotte Gillespie,
1605 Douglas St.,
Sioux City, Iowa.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

No

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

If so, give her name and address:

No

3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

If so, give her name and address:

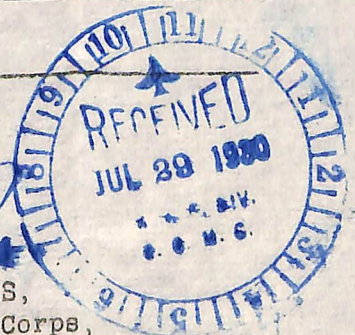
No

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cownie, Brodie 1764

March 5, 1930

Mrs. Charlotte Gillespie,
1605 Douglass Street,
Sioux City, Iowa.

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 sister of the late Pvt. Brodie Cownie, Co. L, 168th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Aisne-Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

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

no

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

None

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

John T. Harris

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

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Act of Congress
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE Feb. 8, 1930.

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
<u>COWNIE, Brodie</u>	<u>Pvt.</u>	<u>102362</u>	<u>Co. L 168th Inf.</u>	<u>7/30/18.</u>

STATE	Nebr.	CTY. NO.	1764	GRAVE	19	ROW	10	BLOCK	A
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	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>	
<p>MOTHER</p> <p>STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)</p> <p>MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)</p> <p>MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)</p> <p>WIDOW (Who has not remarried)</p>	<p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p>	<p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p> <p>:</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>no record</i></p> <p style="font-size: 2em; text-align: center;">O-29369</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Sister - 2-14 as</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Mrs Charlotte Gillespie</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>1605 - Douglass St</i></p> <hr style="width: 80%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Siont City Iowa</i></p> <hr style="width: 80%; margin: auto;"/>
<p>NAME</p> <p>AND</p> <p>ADDRESS</p>			
<i>Single man</i>			

Veterans Bureau Claim Number _____

29/156/

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 12, 1929.

Cornio, Brodie G.

**Mr. A. Brodie Cornio,
9th & Dakota Sts.,
S. Sioux City, Nebr.**

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 Brodie G. Cornio, Co. L, 168th Inf. 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 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,

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-C
Cowie, Bridie 1764 S

July 8, 1930.

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1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

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If so, give her name and address:

3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address.
3. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cownie, Brodie G.
1764

Aug. 22, 1929.

Mr. A. Brodie Cownie,
9th & Dakota Sta.,
S. Sioux City, Nebr.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated ~~June 15, 1929~~ ^{making inquiry} concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Act of Congress

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cornie, Brodie G.

June 12, 1929.

Mr. A. Brodie Cornie,
9th & Dakota Sts.,
S. Sioux City, Nebr.

Dear Sir:

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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Q.M.G.M. & R. DIV.
20 JUN 13 1929
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Cownie, Brodie G

102 362 ✓

(Surname)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt Co D 168th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased. *Widow*

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) *Brodie G Cownie*

95 1/2 St 84
(Number and street or rural route.)

St Louis City
(City, town, or post office.)

Mo
(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

QM 293 A-C

(Cownie, Brodie G.)

December 1, 1928.

Mr. A. Brodie Cownie,
9th & Dakota Streets,
South Sioux City, Nebr.

Dear Sir:

The inclosed card gives the permanent cemetery and grave location of the late **Brodie G. Cownie**.

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.

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

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From

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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE

Covrie, 102362, Brodie G.
 (Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
 Pvt. Co. 168th Inf.
 (Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL August 11, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL
 (Give Cemetery, Town and Department.) Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.
 American Military Cemetery,
 Villiers-str-Marne, Aisne,
 France.

GRAVE NUMBER 3

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? Headboard? Bottle?
 Yes Yes

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:
 Was one buried with body? Yes
 Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Yes
 If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here:

362

REPORTED BY: J. J. Halliday
 J. J. HALLIDAY, Chaplain, 168th Inf.
 (Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be sent to Chief of Graves Registration Service.
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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

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B. G.

(Surname.)

(Number.)

(First Name and Initials.)

Pvt.

Co. I 168th Inf.

(Rank.)

(Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... July 30/18

PLACE OF BURIAL... Villiers-sur-Marne

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

Emergency cemetery on hill.

GRAVE NUMBER... 362

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?

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

REPORTED BY:

W. Carpenter 11758
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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71506

Name... Brodie, 102862, Conner
Rank... Pvt Co... L (Corps) 166th Inf (Regt)

Date of Death.....

Place.....

Cause.....

Date of Burial.....

Grave No. 3.....

Cemetery 79- I. G. MYERS.....

Identified by { Tag Papers } tag (Clothing).....

List of Effects.....

Field Record Made by... GROUP N° 1.....

Unit 303. G. R. S. Company... Graves Registration Service

OCT 30 1918

For additional data use reverse side

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~~Annice~~

B.G.

102,362

✓ Cownie, Brodie G.

L 168 Inf

OK/OK

1st Burial - Cem -

362 (unc)

(rc)

FILE

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Name appears on



For further data see Casualty Files



FILE

2-23-21

Mr. Wilson

Cownie, Brodie G.

102362 - Pvt.

Co. L. 168th Inf.

EA:-

A. B. Cownie

9th + Dakota Sts.

South Sioux City,

Nebr.

Adjustment Made

Please adjust. FEB 25 1921.

A.

File No. 7309
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Classification _____
 Adjustment _____

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
 GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
 REGISTRATION SECTION

Date JUN 15 1920

MEMORANDUM:

To: Registration Files Sub-Section.
 Subject: Adjustments made on Registration Files.

1. Changes as checked have been made in the Registration Files which will necessitate a corresponding change in the Classification Files.

	CORR.	ADD. DATA		CORR.	ADD. DATA
File Number			Date of Burial		
Name			Date of Reburial		
Serial Number			Burial Information		✓
Rank			Nearest Relative		
Organization			Notified Nearest Relative		✓
Cause of Death			Blue Card thrown out		
Date of Death			White Card set up		
Casualty Cablegram Number					

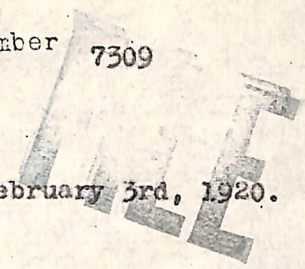
O.K. Alphabetical Files K.E.S. 6-18-20
~~O.K. Organization Files~~ _____
~~O.K. State Files~~ _____

✓ Card Department
 Cemetery Audit Department
 Investigation & Adjustment Dept.
 By A. W. Saffer

2 Cards attached.

G.R.S. Form No. 101-A (Information Blank)

File Number 7309



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

Date February 3rd, 1920.

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME COWNIE, Brodie G.

Serial Number 102362

RANK Private

ORGANIZATION

Company L, 168th Infantry.

NO	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	Yes.
2.	Date of Death.	7-27-18
3.	Cause and place of death	w/a
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram	
5.	Date buried	
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	Grave No. 3, American Cemetery #362, Villers-sur-Marne. <i>Disne</i> <i>Reinterred and returned in</i> <i>Amer City 1764 Belleau,</i> <i>Disne</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?	
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?	

Released by Information Control Dept.

Directory

Cards 5 x 8

Cards 4 x 6

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

E.F.O.
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no 7 - 16
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SYNOPSIS

Conner BRODIE.

Daily Report #330, G.R.S., reports burial of Conner Brodie, 102862, Private, Co/ L, 166th Infantry.

March 11, 1919.

Field Report sent to GRS for investigation, returned, stating this soldier buried in Cty 362, grave 3, Cty (Amer. Military) Villers-sur-Marne (Aisne), one tag buried with body, per GRS form 1, Group 1, Unit 303, GRS. This report made out on 10-30-18 by the Unit in field.

June 7th.

Searcher failed to find any record of this soldier in our files, but did locate the following names, all alive or returned to US.

Army Serial Ledger: #102862 assigned Daniel N. Potter.
Locator File : Daniel N. Potter, Sup. Sgt., Co. I, 369th Inf., returned to U.S. 2-2-19.

Connie A. Brodie, #3657336, Co. B, 109th MP, adm. C.H. 52, 2/16/18 - 3/2/19.

Bradie B. Connor, #3207905, Co. E, 306 Eng.

June 11th.

As this creates an unidentified burial, case is turned over to Graves Registration Service for purpose of having body disinterred to secure proper identification.

*Evidently this grave
belongs to
Connie Brodie G.*

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

IN REPLY REFER TO AG 201 Cownie, Brodie G. (WW) WASHINGTON

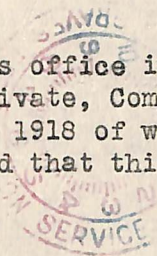
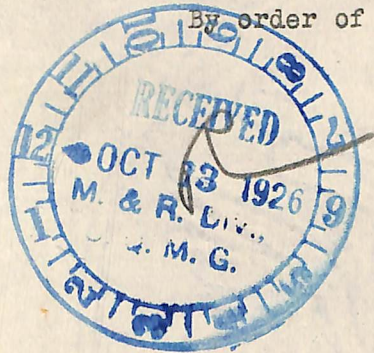
October 12, 1926.

SUBJECT: Date of death.

To: The Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

An investigation recently completed by this office in the case of Brodie G. Cownie, Army serial number 102,362, Private, Company L, 168th Infantry, who was reported to have died July 27, 1918 of wounds received in action, shows that the report is erroneous and that this soldier died July 30, 1918 of wounds received in action.

By order of the Secretary of War:



Tingquonun
Adjutant General.

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Cownie, Brodie

File
1-17-27
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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: Bonnie Brodie H.
~~Brodie, Connor,~~

Number: 102862

Rank: Pvt. Organization: Co. L, 166th Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group _____ Unit "B"

Disinterred (Date) June 12, 1919 From: (Give complete location)
Plot-79 Myers at Villiers-sur-Marne, Aisne
Coord. 253.5N - - 173.1E
Grave 3.

Reburied (Date) June 12, 1919 in: (Give complete location) 1764
American Cemetery at Belleau Woods, Aisne
Coord. 262.60N - - 176.04E
Plot-4, Sec. 1, Grave 173

Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
Body in poor condition.

CONFIRMED 20360

Was one identification tag found upon the body? yes
What other means of identification were found on the body? none

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by G.O. 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. R. Turner A. C. Mearns
C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

REPORT OF DISSENTMENT AND RETURN

Residing at

Name

Rank

Department and Regiment made by Group

Disseminated (Date)

From (Give complete location)

Received (Date)

To (Give complete location)

CONFIRMED

was one identification tag found upon the body
that other means of identification was found on the body



If upon disbursement, effects are found upon
part to the direct report direct, as is required to
after being carefully examined for signs of identity in
whenever will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date June 28/21

1. REMAINS OF COWNIE, BRODIE G. SERIAL NUMBER 102362

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. I, 168th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): From (give complete location):

June 28/21. Belleau, Aisne, Amer. Cty. #1764, Gr. 173-T-4

By: Group Kierce Unit Sect. 6

3. Reburied (date): In (give complete location):

June 28/21. Belleau, Aisne, Amer. Cty. #1764, Gr. 173-T-4

By: Group Kierce Unit Sect. 6 Nature of reburial Burlap & box

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

5 ft. earthen grave, hospital shroud and blanket. No box.

Decomposed, unrecognizable.

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

Tag found on ~~body~~ body reads "Cownie, Brodie G. 102362"

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

Body appears to have been a hospital case.

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

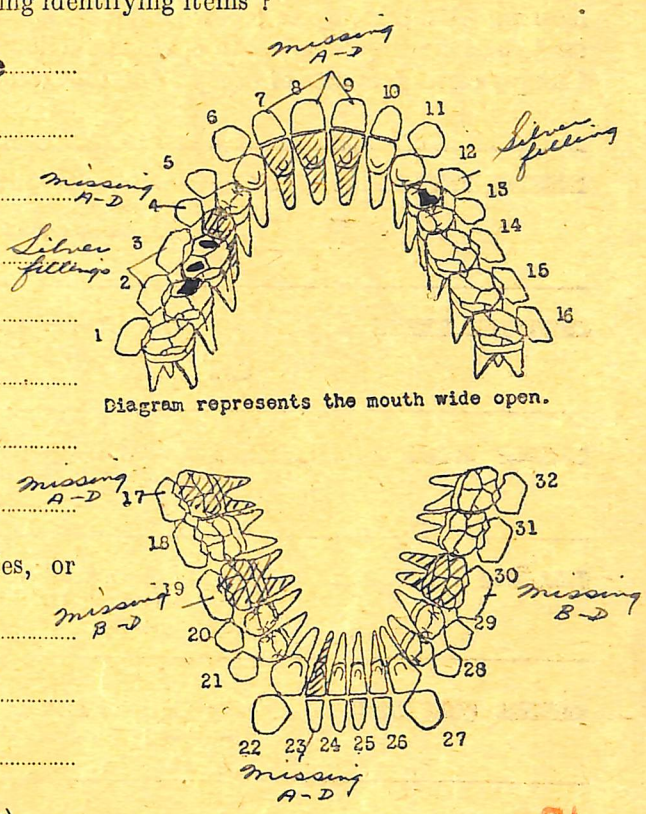
(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or

missing parts) Teeth nos. 19, 30,

missing before death

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

Impossible to determine



7. Disinterment supervised by P. P. Kierce, S. E.

Approved: James W. Younger, Capt. QMC (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by P. P. Kierce, S. E.

Approved: James W. Younger, Capt. QMC (Title)

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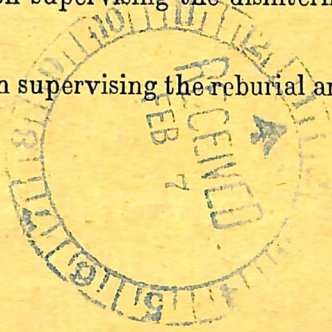
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1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date 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>	
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<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 October 10, 1922.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name COWNIE, Brodie, G.

10. Name

2. No. 102362,

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt,

12. Rank

4. Org. Co L. 168th Inf,

13. Org.

5. D.D. July 27th 1918.

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. D.O.W. W/A

(b) D.B. none

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 173 Sec. T

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 4 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. none

18. Cemetery Aisne Marne Amer Cty,

19. Commune or town Belleau,

20. Dept. or County Aisne,

21. Country

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1764,

23. Disinterred (Date) October 10, 1922

By C W Dodge

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name COWNIE, Brodie G.

Serial No. 102362

Rank Pvt

Organization Co. L. 168th Inf.

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

J. C. A. [Signature] Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

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? none

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date October 10, 1922 By C W Dodge

31. Casket sealed by C W Dodge

Signature [Signature] Embalmer, (Supervisor C W DODGE)

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C- 31304,

32. Designation of body:

Name Brodie G. Cowrie, Serial No. 102362,

Rank Pvt, Organization Co L, 168th Inf,

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) October 10, 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 [Signature]
I H Joffe

36. Remarks 1st Lieut QMC

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) October 10, 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 Amer. 1764 Belleau (Aisne).

(Name)
Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer [Signature]

I H Joffe
1st Lieut QMC

40. Received: Date _____

G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred Oct. 10, 1922, Aisne-Marne Cem. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)

(Date)

42. Grave No. 19 Section _____

43. ~~Plot~~ BLOCK A Row 10

G.R.S. Representative [Signature]
W.D. Cleary
Lt., Chaplain, USA.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF COVINE Brodie G. SERIAL NUMBER 102562
 RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co L 168th Inf

2. Disinterred (date) : October 10, 1922 From (give complete location) : Gr. 173 Sec T Plot 4 Cem. 1764
 By : Group 1 Unit Aisne Marne Cem.

3. Reburied (date) Oct. 10, 1922 In (give complete location) : Gr. 19, Block A, Row 10, 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. Body badly decomposed features unrecognizable

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? yes 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 ?

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(b) Weight (estimated) -do

(c) Hair—Color -do

Quantity -do

Characteristics -do

(d) Hair on face—Color -do

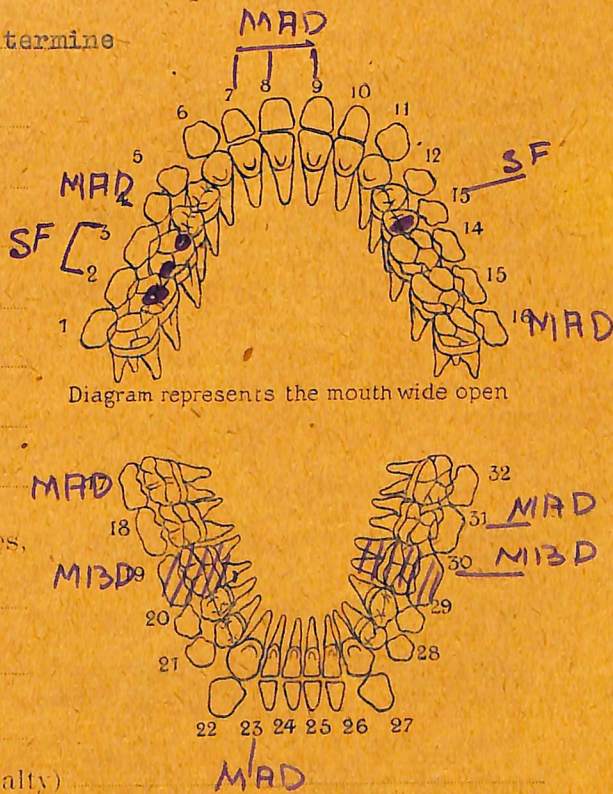
Location -do

Quantity -do

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

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

none visible



7. Disinterment supervised by J. G. Annabel Approved: I. H. Joffe
J. G. Annabel, checker (Title) 1st Lieut. Col.

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

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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.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 7309

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name COWNIE, Brodie G. Ser. No. 102362
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. 1. 168th Inf.
(c) Date of death 7/27/18 (d) Cause of death W/A
TYP. EK
CKR. [initials]

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

(a) Grave No. 173 Row --- Plot 4 Sec. T TYP. EK
(b) Emerg. Address A. B. Cownie (father) 9th & Dakota Sts.,
South Sioux City, Neb.
2-23-21 B

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name A. Brodie Cownie (b) Relationship father
(c) Address 9 & Dakota Sts. So. Sioux City, Neb.
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S.
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S.

Examiner's Initials RS Date 2-21-1920

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

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

Examiner's Initials RS Date 2-21-1920

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

no request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes RS

Examiner's Initials RS Date 2-21-1920

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 1764 SHEET No. 466

CARDED

Rec. 5-29-21 F.P.

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

RECEIVED

APR 28 1921

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on _____, 1920

Cometana Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

letter on MAR 10 1921, 1920

PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED

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IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

over

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Spurle 2-21

A.G.O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

E. a.

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

OK no. 8 W sent 2-23-21

Checkers

B

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

S/1357/LML

*Checked
2-21-21
LML*

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South Sioux City, I. a. Nebr. 2-23-21
 III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases -- CKR. 2/8

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

*A.G.O. Card: A. Brodie Cowrie father
 9 & Dak. Sts. So. Sioux City, Neb., desires
 body to remain in France* *H.S. 3-18-21*

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

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VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., MAR 29 1921, 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. APR 28 1921, 192

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____