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G.R.S. Form #114 B

To The A. G. O.

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FEB 10 1926

DATE

1. NAME COYNE, Joseph H.

SERIAL No. 159179

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co. F, 6th Engrs.

GRAVE LOCATION Amer. Mil. Vaux/s/Somme,
CTY. NAME

Somme 443
NUMBER

18

B

1

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Unknown Aubigny British Cemetery

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Map 12 SE. East 123.2. North 357.55.

CONCENTRATED TO 5/19/19.

5/8

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DATE

GRAVE

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PLOT

British Mil. Cty. Vaux/s/Somme,

443

Per Form No.1. 5/19/19.

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Ident. tag found on body. Per Form 1, 5/19/19.

Form 16-A, 10/14/20. signed S.D. Campbell, Capt. Inf. shows Ident. tag found on body. No other means of identification. Form shows body exhumed from Grave #5, Row D, Plot 1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS 10/14/20.

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DATE

DATE OF DEATH

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

Form 16-A, 10/14/20.

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Mass

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none found

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

W.R. BUCKLEY, Capt. QMC.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Oct. 20, 1922

DATE

2
GRAVE

13
ROW

Block C.
PLOT

Somme American Cemetery #636, Bony (Aisne)

CEMETERY

Robert O. Davis,
Major General,

The Adjutant General,
Br. CRE

FEB 12 1926

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WORLD WAR DIV.

Rec'd Feb 24 1926

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.
2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.
3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.
4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form I6, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.



Coyne, 159179, Joseph H.
(Surname of deceased) (Christian name)

Private, Company "F", 6th U. S. Engrs.
(Rank and organization).

May 14, 1918.
(Date of death).

Near Fouilloy, Somme
(Place of death).

H.E. Shell
(Cause of death).

In line of duty; not due to own misconduct

&

May 15, 1918
(Date of burial).

Map Ref. Sheet 62D Square 09/a55
(No. and locality of grave)

Single
(Married or single)

(If married, name and address of widow)

Remarks: Grave Markings: Grave marked by
Cross, Regulation Peg at head of grave with one
Identification tag.

REPORT OF DEATH AND DISPOSAL OF REMAINS

Form No. 415-A.G.O.
(Copy)

Received
10 JUN 1918

Hq. A. E. F.
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*Hdqrs. 6th U. S. Engineers
with 4th Army*

JOSEPH A. ...
B. F. F.

June 7th, 1918

The Adjutant General of the Army.

I hereby report the death of the person named on the reverse side of this slip and the disposal of his remains as indicated thereon.

[Signature]

Colonel Engineer U.S.A.
Commanding.

In line of duty; not due to own misconduct

May 15, 1918

(Date of burial)

Map Ref. Sheet 62D Square 09/252

(No. and locality of grave)

Single

(Married or single)

(If married, name and address of widow)

Remarks: Grave markings: Grave marked by

Cross, Regulation Peg at head of grave with one

Identification tag.

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Ed. A. ...



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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
10 JUN 1918

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.
Location of Grave of

Coyne, 159179, Joseph H.
Surname Number First name and initial

Private Co. "F", 6th U.S. Engrs.
Rank Organization

DATE OF BURIAL... May 15, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL... Aubigny, Somme
Give Cemetery, Town & Department. Map refer-
ence must specify clearly what map is used.

Sheet 62D Square 09/A55

GRAVE NUMBER

HOW MARKED: ~~None~~ Peg? Cross? Name

~~XXXXXXX~~ rd? ~~XXXXXXX~~?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? ... Yes

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

If name unknown and tag missing description and marks should be given here

REPORTED BY: Walter W. Beern
Captain, Corps of Engrs.
Signature and rank of reporting officer

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STATISTICAL DIVISION

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CENTRAL RECORDS OFFICE

JUN 1918

FROM: Chaplain, Sixth U.S. Engineers.

TO: A. G., G. H. Q. A. E. F.

SUBJECT: Report of Burial.

1. Name: Coyne, 159179, Joseph H.
2. Rank: Private.
3. Company: "F".
4. Regiment or Corps: Sixth U.S. Engineers.
5. Date of Death: May 14, 1918.
6. Cause of Death: High Explosive Shell.
7. Place of Death: Aubigny (Near Pouilly).
8. Date of burial:
9. Name of Cemetery: 62-D- 0/9 A 5-5 British Maps.
10. In what town and departments:
11. Number of grave:
12. Marking of grave:
13. Was original tag buried with body:
14. Was duplicate tag furnished A.G.O.?
15. Nearest relative of deceased: Mrs. Louise G. Coyne, (Mother)
16. Relationship and Address: Mother. 241 North Beacon St. Br



Coyne, Joseph H.

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Faint, illegible text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.

Co. F., 6th Engrs.,
3rd Div.

Coyne, Joseph H.-Pvt.-159179.

Place: On road leading from Fuoilloy to Villers Brettoneaux, at 5:00 P.M.
on the afternoon of May 14, 1918.

Pvt. Coyne was killed by a German high explosive shell. He died in about
10 minutes after he was hit. He was given the best of attention by his
comrades. This soldier was buried in an Australian cemetery on the road
just on the outside of Aubigny, France, on the road to Fulloy.

Informant: Ward, John,-Cpl.-159284.

Co. F., 6th Engrs.
Home: 56 Sayres St., Jamaica, Long Island.

Signed : Cpl. John Ward.

G.G.C.

Date May 19, 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: **Coyne, Joseph H**

Number: 159179

Rank: **Pvt**

Organization: **Co.F. 6th Engrs**

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group **Hqrs** Unit **302**

Disinterred (Date) **5/19/19** From: (Give complete location)

Aubigny Military Cemetery Map Ref-- L2 SE E 123.2 N357. 55

Reburied (Date) **5/19/19** in: (Give complete location)

443

British Military Cemetery (Somme) MAX Grave 6, Row D, Plot 1.

Map Ref--- L2 SE. E123.2 N357.55

3/24/22 pa.

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

Body in fine condition buried in box

Was one identification tag found upon the body? **Yes**

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

CONFIRMED No. D

11195

Note:

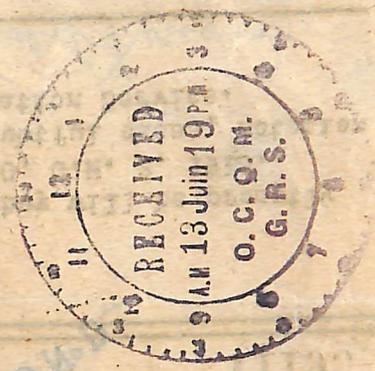
If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 1918., after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by:

J. P. Rooken
Sgt Sr Gr

Fred St. James
C.O. Group **Hqrs** Unit **302**

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архив, а также по мере необходимости...
в том же порядке, как и в предыдущих...
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Итого:

Всего в том же порядке, как и в предыдущих... 1000

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Итого: 1000

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a.b.z.

Army Form W3372.

GRAVES REGISTRATION REPORT FORM.

10.6.18.

SECTION
COMMUNE - AUBIGNY.

REPORT No. 2.

SCHEDULE No. 1.A.

PLACE OF BURIAL
AUBIGNY BRITISH CEMETERY.

Fourth A.S.No. 1534.

Land belongs to Sht. 62d. 0.9.a.3.3.

*HS London
M*
Coyne, Joseph P.

The following are buried here:—

Regiment	No.	Name	Rank and Initials	Date of Death	Cross Erected or Despatched	Map Reference
<u>AMERICAN GRAVE.</u>						
6/ Unit United States Engrs.		COYNE	Joseph R	14.5.18	E.	Plot 1. Row D. Gr.7.

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D.A.D.G.R. & E.
FOURTH ARMY.
No.
Date

Received
20 JUN 1918

sent

Hq. A. E. F.

On His Majesty's Service



L. A. G.

American Expedition Force

D.A.D.G.R. & E.,
FOURTH ARMY.

No.
D. **K**

Entered on 1.

France

Coyne, Joseph H.

Pvt Co F, 6th Engineers

Killed in action May 14, 1918.

Emergency address: Mrs. Louisa C.
Coyne, mother, 241 North Beacon
St., Brighton, Mass.

A.G.O. 5/27/18

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Write nothing below this line.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Coyne, Joseph	3	30-12-5
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	5
	GRAVE	2	02
	ROW	2	13
	BLOCK	1	3
STATE	Mass	2	25
RANK	Priv	1	2
DIVISION	3	2	03
ORGANIZATION	6	3	006
ARM	Engns	1	4
MARITAL	No	1	2
NAME	Coyne, Thomas F	3	
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER	no locs	1	
ELIGIBILITY	no SM Dead	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	Dead	1	

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 8, 1930.

Coyne, Joseph H. 636 F

Mr. Thomas F. Coyne,
139 Franklin St.,
Allston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

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:

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

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:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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August 27, 1929.

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~~241 North Beacon St.,~~ 139 Franklin St.
Brighton, Mass. Allston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

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Write answers in space below

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

No

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

He is survived by his

Father + two Sisters

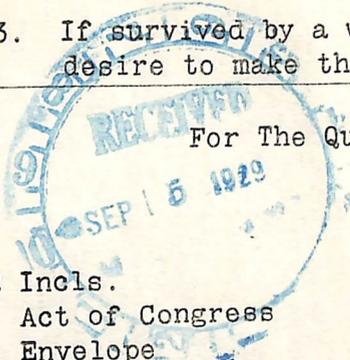
3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


JOHN T. HARRIS,
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Assistant.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

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QM 293 A-C

June 15, 1928

Coyne, Joseph H., Private
Company F, 6th Engineers.

Mr. Thomas F. Coyne,
241 North Beacon Street,
Brighton, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires you be informed that the body of your son, the late Private Joseph H. Coyne-#159179-Company F, 6th Engineers, has been disinterred from Grave #3, Row 13, Block C, the Somme American Cemetery, Bony, Aisne, and reburied into Grave #2, Row 13, Block C, same cemetery.

Due to the irregularities of the graves in the Somme American Cemetery, it was deemed advisable to disinter some of the bodies for reburial, so that the permanent headstones might be placed in alignment.

Very truly yours,

1 Encl.
record card.

W.R. Gibson,
Colonel, Q.M. Corps,
Assistant.

W.R.G.
W.R.G.

(Handwritten mark)

Q.M. & P. DIV.
SEP 11 1928

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QM 293 A-C

June 18, 1928

Coyne, Joseph H., Co. F, 6th Engrs.
Flaherty, John T., Co. F, 101st Inf.

Mrs. Hannah J. Coughlin,
41 Montcalm Avenue,
Brighton, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam:

Replying to your letter received June 2, 1928, The Quartermaster General desires you be advised that the records of this office show that the remains of the late Private Joseph H. Coyne-#159179-Company F, 6th Engineers, are interred in Grave #2, Row 13, Block C, the Somme American Cemetery, Bony, Aisne.

The grave of the late Private 1st class John T. Flaherty-#60904-Company F, 101st Infantry, 26th Division, has not been located.

Very truly yours,

1 Encl.
stamped envelope.

W.R.Gibson
Colonel, Q.M.Corps,
Assistant.

*This card to
to Flaherty
15 PM*

W.R.G.

#41 Montcalm Ave. Brighton Mass.
Quartermaster General

Dear sir:-

Kindly send me the locations
of the following burial places of the
following two boys in France

Joseph Harold Coyne	John Thomas
son of	Flaherty
Louisa & Thomas Coyne	son of
241 North Beacon Street	Mary & Patrick
Brighton Mass.	Flaherty
Co. 6th U S Engineers	79 Garfield Ave.
	Hoburn Mass.
	Co. F. 10th Infantry

Thank you for your courtesy.
Mrs. Hannah J. Coughlin.



QM 293 A-C
Coyno, Joseph H. - Pvt.

June 4, 1928.

Mrs. Hannah Coyne Coughlin,
41 Montcalm Avenue,
Brighton, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam:

In reply to your letter of May 24, 1928, regarding the grave location of the late Private Joseph H. Coyne, which has been referred to this office by The Adjutant General, U.S. Army, The Quartermaster General desires you be advised that the body of this late soldier is permanently interred in Grave # 2, Row # 13, Block C, Somme American Cemetery, Bony (Aisne), France.

Very truly yours,

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

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

WW WH 6-3

1st. Ind.

War Department, A. G. O., May 28, 1928. - To
The Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.

This communication has been acknowledged and the writer
advised of its transmission.

By order of the Secretary of War:



Levey L. Bentzoff
Adjutant General.

Brighton Mass. May 24 / 28.

Dear sir:-

Will you please
send me the correct location
of where Joseph Harold Coyne's
grave is in France, he belonged
to the 6th W. S. Engineers
Died May 14th 1918 son of
Thomas F. & Louisa M^c Antiffe.
I am going to France July 1st
and would you, please answer
as soon as possible. Thanking
you

I remain
Mrs. Hannah (Coynes) Conahlin
41 Montcalm Ave,
Brighton Mass.

Received A. G. O. MAY 26 1928

Stamped env. 3

Rec'd World War Div
5 MAY 26 1928

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-C

March 1, 1927.

COYNE, Joseph H. - Pvt.

Mr. Thomas F. Coyne,
241 North Beacon St.,
Brighton, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the inclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested.

This American overseas military cemetery is to be maintained by the United States for all time. The graves will be permanently marked by white headstones inscribed with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves, as soon as possible, and without necessity for special action or request on the part of relatives.

Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised by those who performed this sacred duty. For the future, these graves will be perpetually maintained by the Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

K. J. HAMPTON,
Lt. Col. Q.M.G.
Assistant.

1 Incl.
Record card.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Date 2/10/26

SUBJECT: Information required for Cemeterial Division.

TO: The Adjutant General of the Army, World War Division, Washington, D.C.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed:

- a. Surname Coyne ✓
- b. Christian name Joe H ✓
- c. Serial number 159179 ✓
- d. Organization 76 Eng ✓
- e. Rank _____
- f. Emergency Address _____
- g. Date of death _____
- h. Authority _____
- i. Cause of death _____
- j. Place of death _____
- k. Place of burial _____
- l. Date of discharge _____

BODY DESCRIPTION

- a. Date of enlistment Oct 10, 1917
- b. Age at enlistment 21 yrs
- c. Color of hair dk. brown
- d. Height 66 1/2 in
- e. Weight* 132 lbs.
- f. Fractures or breaks none

DENTAL CHARTS

At Camp

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

By Local Board not used.

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

25/446/EYS

4 A.G.O.
FEB 17 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

For The Quartermaster General:

Robert O. Davis,
Major General,
The Adjutant General
By CRE
FEB 15 1926

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Name _____

SUBJECT: Information required for Quartermaster Division.

TO: The Adjutant General of the Army, World War Division, Washington, D.C.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed:

- a. Surname _____
- b. Christian name _____
- c. Serial number _____
- d. Organization _____
- e. Rank _____
- f. Emergency Address _____
- g. Date of discharge _____

BODY DESCRIPTION

- a. Date of enlistment _____
- b. Age at enlistment _____
- c. Color of hair _____
- d. Height _____
- e. Weight _____
- f. Features or brands _____



- At Camp _____
- Upper right _____
- Upper left _____
- Lower right _____
- Lower left _____

For The Quartermaster General:



25/ae/ers

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 2470

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name COYNE, Joseph H. Ser. No. 159179
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F., 6th Engrs.
 (c) Date of death 5-14-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

Exp. 5/22/22
for 686
att 5/22/22
 TYP. EN
 CKR. J. S. et.

11. Registration Card - (Check Reg. Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.)

(a) Grave No. 5 Row D Plot 1 Sect. -) TYP. DB
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Louisa C. Coyne, (Mother) 241 North Beacon St., Brighton, Mass.

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; **NO CARD**) CKR. L.S.

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name _____ (b) Relationship No card in file A.E.S 8-11-20
 (c) Address _____
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? _____
 (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. _____

see suspension
SEE SUSPENSION REMARKS

OK PM
TH 11-13

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____ 1920

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

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

No Correspondence

Examiner's Initials Em Date 8-11 1920

VI. G.R.S. Files - Correspondence - shows as follows:

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes HW

Examiner's Initials HW Date 8-12 1920

COUNTRY France. CEMETERY NO. # 443 SHEET NO. 49

G.R.S. Form #115
 Amended April 6, 1920.

Make Form #114

checked by FS.
11-15-20

VII. G. R. S. FORM No. 114 made 9/15, 1920

Typed by PS, Checked by JMS., 9/15 1920

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by- (cable on _____, 1920
letter on 8/19, 1920

Par. # 2 not to be returned (P.G.R.) (P.V.)

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE

ACTION TAKEN

*Let 9/8/20
Desires body to remain in France*

To Cairns 9-29-20 B6L 9-29-20

Body to be shipped to

Investigation made by this office and grave location shown on our records is correct. M.H. 4/27/22

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

Form 120 - 8-29-20 from Father nearest of kin requests body returned to U. S. & interred in Arlington National Cemetery Va. 9-2-20 -

9/16/20 Overseas advised to return body 9/21/20 T.H.F.

Let rec'd 9/8/20 from Father (Thomas J. Coyne, 241 So. Beacon St., Brighton, Mass. requests body remain in France. M.H. 9/25/20

OCT 1 1920 OVERSEAS ADVISED *By proposed cable # 144 not to return body to U.S.*

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File--2470

*See Form 115
att 5/2/22*

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name Coyne, Joseph H. Ser. No. 159179
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F 6th Engrs. TYP EN
 (c) Date of death 5-14-18 Cause of death K/A JOW
 LM

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

see 3/3/22 5-15
 (a) Grave No. Row D Plot 1 Sect. TYP DB
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Louisa C. Coyne (mother) 241 North Beacon St.,
 Brighton, Mass.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases... no card. CKR LS

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

.....

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 192
 (Letter of transmittal on 8-19-1920

Par. 2. Not to be returned PJR

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

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

CEMETERY NO. 443

SHEET NO. 49

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 3, 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name COYNE, Joseph H. 15
 2. No. 159179
 3. Rank Pvt.
 4. Org. Co. F, 6th Engrs. 19
 5. D.D. May 14th 1918
 6. C.D. KIA

10. Name Joseph H. Coyne
 11. No. 159179
 12. Rank Pvt.
 13. Org. Co. F, 6th Engrs.
 14. (a) D.D. Disc pinned to blanket.
 (b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 18 Sec. _____
 8. Plot 1 Row B
 9. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. _____

18. Cemetery Amer. Mil.
 20. Dept. or County Somme
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 443

19. Commune or town Vaux/s/Somme
 21. Country France

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov. 3, 1921

By H.L. Reid

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name COYNE, Joseph H.
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. _____
 Organization Co. F, 6th Engrs.

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

Signature H.L. Reid 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).

Body previously reburied by Field Section. Bottle record and metal strips agree with form 114-A.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial U.S. uniform, blanket and wooden box.

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 Nov. 3, 1921 By H.L. Reid

31. Casket sealed by H.L. Reid

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) E.L. Reid
H.L. Reid

AUDITED BY
K.A.B.
3/14/25

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-13583

32. Designation of body:

Name COYNE, Joseph H. Serial No. ---

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F, 6th Engrs.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Somme Amer. Cty. Bony, Aisne, 636

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Nov. 5, 1921 By M.L. Heid

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

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector R.S. Williams

R.S. Williams, 1st Lt., QMC

36. Remarks None

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Nov. 3, 1921

To point of Concentration Amiens (Somme) (Name)

Convoyer E.C. Helms Signature Shipping Officer R.S. Williams

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Nov. 3, 1921

By G.R.S. Representative H.W. Beyette

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 21 NOV 1921

To Permanent Cemetery No. 636, Bony (Aisne) (Name)

Convoyer Chas. Hornback Signature Shipping Officer H.W. Beyette

40. Received: Date 26 NOV 1921

G.R.S. Representative R.S. Williams

41. Reinterred Oct. 20, 1922 (Date)

42. Grave No. 3, Section ---

43. Plot Block C Row 13

G.R.S. Representative D.E. Lowry

D.E. LOWRY, 1st Lt. QMC..

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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Vaux-sur-Somme (Somme)

Date Nov. 3, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF COYNE, Joseph H. SERIAL NUMBER 159179
 RANK pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. F, 6th Engrs.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov. 3, 1921, Gr. 18, Pl. 1, Row B, Amer. Mil. Cem. 443, Vaux-s/Somme (Somme)
 From (give complete location):

By: Group 4 Unit F.S. 8

3. Reburied (date): Oct. 20, 1922 In (give complete location):
Grave 3, Row 13, Block C, Somme Am. Ety. 636, Bony (Aisne)

By: Group _____ Unit _____ Nature of reburial Reg. Casket & shipping case

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

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes, 2. On grave marker? No.

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:
Body previously reburied by Field Section. Bottle record and metal strips agree with form 114-A.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color None visible

Quantity _____

Characteristics _____

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible

Location _____

Quantity _____

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None visible

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) None visible

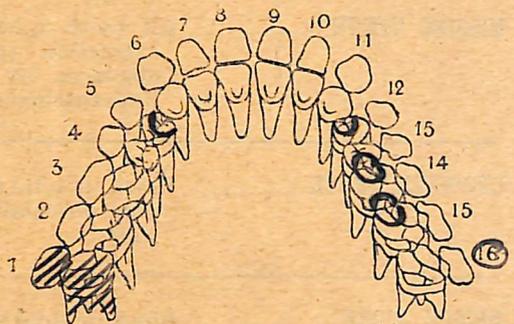
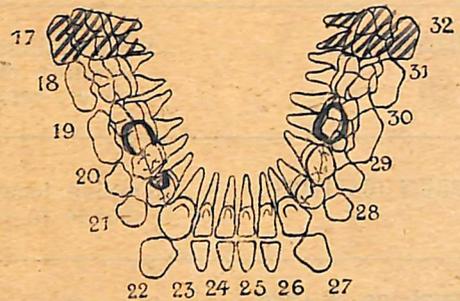


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



(1 MBD, 5, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 21, 31 Cav., 16 partly erupted; 17&32 not erupted)

7. Disinterment supervised by E. L. Reid

Approved: W. D. Wall, Jr., Checker.

E. L. Reid, sup. Emb.

(Title) R. S. Williams, 1st Lt. QMC

8. Reburial supervised by _____

Approved: D. E. Lowry
 (Title) D. E. Lowry, 1st Lt. QMC

Ben. A. Bradford
 Sup. Embalmer

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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), 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.

Place Vaux-sur-Somme

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Oct 14/20

1. REMAINS OF Coyne, Joseph H SERIAL NUMBER 159179

RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co F 6th Engrs

2. Disinterred (date): 10/14/20 From (give complete location):

Gr Row D Cem 443 Plot 1 Vaux-sur-Somme

By: Group 2 Unit 2 SEC. 2.

3. Reburied (date): 10/14/20 In (give complete location):

Gr 18 Row B Plot 1 Cem 443 Vaux-sur-Somme

By: Group 2 Unit 2 SEC. 2. Nature of reburial In blanket & pine box.

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

In uniform - in pine box. Badly decomposed

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

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

None - other facts impossible determine.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color Blond

Quantity Abundant

Characteristics Fine

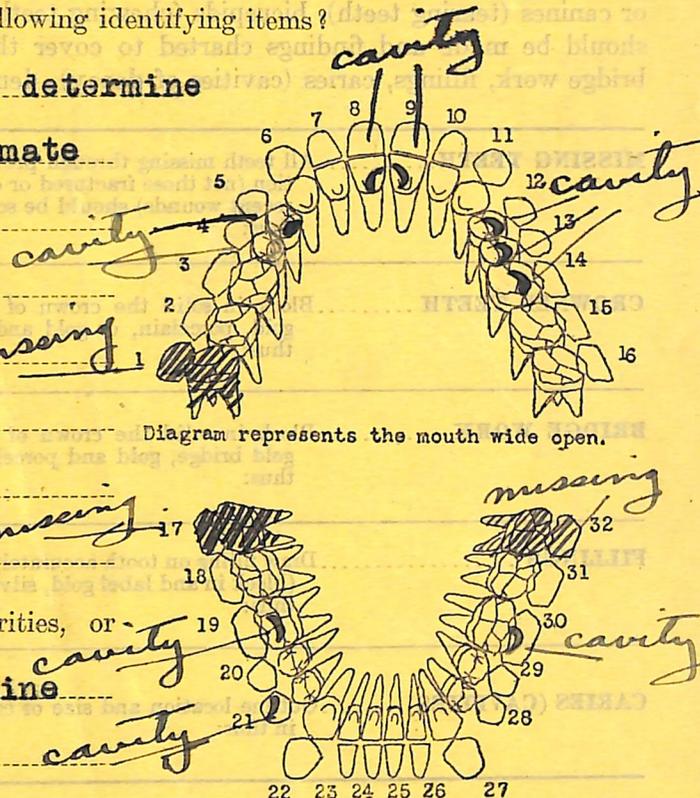
(d) Hair on face—Color No hair of face

Location -----

Quantity -----

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

missing parts) Impossible to determine



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

Impossible to determine

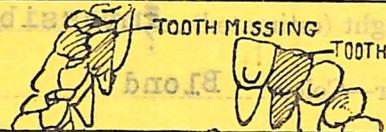
7. Disinterment supervised by Clarence W Dodge Capt M. C. Approved: S D Campbell, Capt Inf, Master of Section 1.

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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.

OCT 24 1921



REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G. R. S.

Discrepancy found upon examination of body.

- 1. Name COYNE, Joseph H.
- 2. No. 159179
- 3. Rank Pvt.
- 4. Org Co. F, 6th Engrs.
- 5. D. D. 5/14/18
- 6. C. D. K/A
- 10. Name _____
- 11. No. _____
- 12. Rank _____
- 13. Org _____
- 14. (a) D. D. _____
- 15. (b) D. B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment.

- 7. Grave No. 3/31/22 5 8 Sec. _____
- 8. Plot 1 Row D
- 9. _____
- 15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 16. Plot _____ Row _____
- 17. _____

- 18. Cemetery American Military
- 19. Commune or town Vaux-sur-Somme
- 20. Department or county Somme
- 21. Country France
- 22. G. R. S. Headquarters Code No. 443
- 23. Disinterred _____ (Date) By _____
- 24. Inscription on grave marker { Name _____ Serial No. _____
Rank _____ Organization _____
- 25. Was identification disk found on grave marker? _____ On body? _____

Signature of Junior Technical Assistant.

(The following space is reserved for notations to be made by office Chief Graves Registration Service.)

3-7727

Cable ref. no. 49

(OVER)

PREPARATION

- 26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disk or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).....
- 27. Condition of body.....
- 28. Nature of burial.....
- 29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G. R. S. records quoted above?
.....
- 30. Body prepared and placed in casket..... (Date.) By.....
- 31. Casket sealed by

Signature of Embalmer (Supervisor).....

SHIPMENT

(Show actual marking of box.) Box No.

- 32. Designation of body { Name COYNE, Joseph H. Serial No. 159179
Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F, 6th Engrs.
- 33. CONSIGNEE—Name Quartermaster General, Graves Registration Service
Address Hoboken, N. J. (National Cemetery, Arlington, Va.)
- 34. Casket boxed and marked..... (Date.) By.....

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.....

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from cemetery..... (Date.) To..... (Point of concentration.)
Convoyer..... Signature Shipping Officer

38. Received at point of concentration (Date.)
Signature Receiving Officer.....

39. Shipped from point of concentration..... (Date.)
To..... (Port.) Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer.....

40. Received European port (Date.)
Signature of G. R. S. Representative.....

41. Shipped to..... (U. S. port.) On..... (Boat.)
Date..... Convoyer

(Signature of Shipping Officer.)

42. Received..... (Date.) By G. R. S. Representative..... (Signature.)

43. Shipped to destination..... (Date.) { B/L or Express Order No.
Convoyer { Shipping Officer

FILE
 CEMETERY DIVISION
 REGISTRATION SECTION

January 4

192 2

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

,CASE OF:

Co. F., 6th Engrs.

ORGANIZATION (Old)

COYNE 159179 Joseph H. Pvt.,

(Name)

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st. Reb.	10/14/20	443	D- 30289
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

(Note: In the above spaces below double line fill in ONLY the new date and data correcting previous information)

BY: Miss LannonCard.,

(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
 on Organization
 File Card:

By B
 S/3324/LML

FILE UNDER NO. 2470, Coyne, Joseph H.

INDEX SHEET

SYNOPSIS

See Board of Review letter dated 4/29/21 from Europe, and reply thereto. The letter referred to above, which is held in this Department pending completion of its cases, will be filed in File #300.4, Board of Review, Cty. 443.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.

ECC

INSTRUCTIONS.—Under "Synopsis" make brief entry showing date of communication and from whom received and synopsis sufficient to identify the papers. When these index sheets become numerous under a subject they will be entered on the consolidated index sheet and then destroyed.

3-6642

GRAVE LOCATION FORM.
Location of Grave of

..... Coyne, 159179, Joseph H.
Surname Number first Name & Initial.

..... Private Co. "F", 6th U.S. Engrs.
Rank Organization.

DATE OF BURIAL..... May 15, 1918.....

PLACE OF BURIAL..... Aubigny, Somme
Give Cemetery, Town & Department. Map refer-
ence must specify clearly what map is used.

..... Sheet 62D Square 09/A55.....

Aubigny

GRAVE NUMBER..... Organization

HOW MARKED; ~~None~~ Peg? Cross? Name /.....

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~..... ~~XXXXXX~~.....

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.

REVIEWED
USP 86

REPORTED BY:
Signature and rank of reporting officer.

#2470

G.R.S. #106
DISPOSITION OF BODY

War Department
Office of the Quartermaster General.
Graves Registration Service.
Washington, D.C.

Oct. 4, 1920.

For information of:

- (a) The Adjutant General of the Army
- (b) G.R.S., Paris, France,
- ~~(c) Office Files.~~
- (d) Photographic Section.

Case of: Coyne, Joseph H. Pvt. #159179,
Company F, 6th Engrs.

Grave Location: Grave #6, Plot 1, Row D,
Amer. Cemetery. Vaux-Sur-Somme, Somme.

Request for action checked below:

- (a) Return of Body to the U.S.
- ~~(b) Permanent Burial in France.~~
- ~~(c) Cancellation of former requests.~~
- (d) Change of address.
- (e) Photograph of grave.

has been made by: Father
Mr. Thomas F. Coyne, 241 N. Beacon St.
Brighton, Mass.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

US-2992/L

nr

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

Coyne
443-49 Grave #6,
Qty 443

Coyne

October 4, 1920.

293.8 Cem. #2470 (Coyne, Joseph H., Pvt.)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division)
To: Mr. Thomas F. Coyne, 241 North Beacon Street, Brighton, Mass.
Subject: Permanent Burial in France.

1. In reply to your letter of recent date you are advised that your former request that the body of your son, Private Joseph H. Coyne, be returned to you has been cancelled and instructions have been issued to the Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q. M. C. in Europe, not to return the body.

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By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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W. C. JONES,
Lieut. Colonel, Q. M. C.

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293.8 Cem. #2470 (Coynes, Joseph H., Pvt.)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division)
To: Mr. Thomas F. Coyne, 241 North Beacon Street, Brighton, Mass.
Subject: Permanent Burial in France.

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Rush Answer

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

TO: Mrs. Louisa C. Coyne, 241 North Beacon St., Brighton, Mass.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Joseph H. Coyne, Co. F, 6th. Engrs., Ser.No.159179.

The records of this office show that you have ~~requested the body~~
made no request, as to the disposition of the remains.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

*noted on Form 115
9-2-20-P*

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	<i>None</i>		
Soldier's Children	1. <i>None</i>		
(Name oldest first)	2. <i>None</i>		
Father	<i>Thomas F. Coyne</i>	<i>Brighton</i>	<i>Mass.</i>
Mother	<i>Dead</i>		
Brothers	1. <i>Arthur</i>	<i>Brighton</i>	<i>Mass.</i>
(Name oldest first)	2. <i>John</i>		
Sisters	1. <i>Mary</i>	<i>Brighton</i>	<i>Mass.</i>
(Name oldest first)	2. <i>Catherine</i>		

Date *Aug. 29, 1920* Signature *Thomas F. Coyne*

Address *241 No. Beacon St.* Relationship *Father*

Date Aug. 31, 1920.

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

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.
2. To be returned to the U.S. and shipped to _____ (Name) _____ (R.R. Station) _____ (State)
3. To be returned to the U.S. and buried in Arlington Va. National Cemetery.
4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Signature Thomas F. Coyne

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

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



To: Inquiry Section.
From: Overseas Project Sub-Section.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. 443 (furnished by: MP) (date 9-25-20)
Data sent Overseas 9-16-20 body not to be returned. Set of trans 8-19-20.
Overseas advised to return body.
Operations to commence (approx.) 9/22/20
Operations to be completed (approx.) —
Bodies shipped from European Port —
Bodies arrived at Hoboken —

II. CASE OF Coyne, Joseph H. Pvt. Co. 2, 6th Engns 159179

The following information was abstracted (Date) 9-25-20 from: Form #115

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		Clk.	in OFFICE
A. G. O. Cards	<u>AES</u>	<u>None</u>	Shppg. Inquiry (sent <u>8/27/20</u>)		
A.G.O. Corresp.	<u>PM</u>	<u>None</u>	To <u>Mother</u>	<u>MP</u>	<u>Yes.</u>
G.R.S. Corresp. relative to disp.	<u>HM</u>	<u>yes</u>	OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

DESIRES as to Disposition.

No A G O cards or correspondence.

Name of Relative	RETURN		REMAIN	SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt. Int.		
Widow				
Children (Name oldest first)				
Father				
Mother				
Brothers				
Sisters				

Body to be shipped to _____ was shipped (Date) _____

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REMARKS Qty 443 Dispatched 8-21-20
of burials commenced 9/22-20
Form #120 Father Thomas J. Coyne (nearest of kin) 241 So
con St. Brighton, Mass. requests body buried in Arlington, Va.
osp recd 9/8/20 noted on Form #115-
be advised not to return 9-26-20

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

Date 9-30-20

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME *Coyne, Joseph H.* Serial Number _____

RANK *Pvt.* ORGANIZATION *Co. F, 6th Engrs.*

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	(1) <i>yes. # 459179.</i>
2.	Date of Death.	(2) <i>5-14-18.</i>
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3) <i>X-A.</i>
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	(4) <i>#136.</i>
5.	Date buried.	(5) <i>5-15-18.</i>
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) <i>Grave #7, Plot 1, Row D, Communal Cty. Ext. # 219, Auldigny, Pas-de-Calais.</i>
7.	Who reported burial?	<i>Reburied: 5-19-19, Grave #6, Plot 1, Row D, Arnes, Cty. #443, Vaux-sur-Somme, Somme</i>
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?	(10) <i>a yes</i> <i>b no.</i>
12.	Has been notified? (Give date)	(11) <i>Mrs. Louise C. Coyne (Mother) 241 North Beacon St, Brighton, Mass</i>
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	(12) <i>6-20-18</i> <i>12-6-19 - 107</i>
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	(14) <i>B-14566</i>
15.	Inquiry made by?	

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

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M.M.E.
J.H.S.

241 No. Beacon St.

Brighton.
Mass.

Charles C. Price
Colonel, U. S. Army

Dear Sir,

Recorded, Cemeterial Division
File 209, 2
Am

My letter of Aug 30th

in regard to late Joseph H. Coyne,
Private Co. F. = 6 Eng. for burial, I have
filled out blank as you sent me

Rush Answer and I am sorry to
inform you after thinking matter over
would like to know if you could change

to No. 3 which
is to leave Body unburied in France
If it is not to burial will you please
let me know.

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And oblige.

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Father of Jos. H. Coyne

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GENERAL

DR. R. B. S.

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Army Form W. 3314.

Place of Burial..... Aubigny Map. Ref. ~~40000 of 10000~~ Sheet..... 628 Square..... 09A55

	Regiment and Battalion	Reg'ntl. No.	Name	Rank and Initials	Date of Death
1	<u>2nd Bn. 6th US. Engrs</u>	<u>159179</u>	<u>Coyne</u>	<u>Pvt. Joseph H.</u>	<u>May 14, 1918</u>
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CROSSES.

(1) * No CROSS REQUIRED since an adequate cross with durable inscription is already in position.

(2) ~~CROSS REQUIRED~~ :-

*A—Will be called for at G.R.U. Office at.....

*B—To be forwarded by G.R.U. to.....

*C—To be erected by G.R.U. as soon as practicable.....

Signed..... Walter Beura Attached to..... 6th US. Engineers Date of burial..... May 15, 1918.

Chaplain, or Officer in Charge of Burials.

Capt. Corps of Engrs.

* Please strike out any of these not required.

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Signed Walter P. Burn Attached to 6th US. Engrs. Date of burial May 15, 1918
Chaplain, or Officer in Charge of Burials.

Capt. Corps of Engineers.

* Please strike out any of these not required.

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

May 31, 1919.

FROM : Chief, Graves Registration Service, A.E.F.
TO : Commanding Officer, 6th U.S. Engineers, AEF, A.P.O.740
SUBJECT : Disposition of deceased soldier.

1. Referring to your letter of May 17, 1919 above subject
2. This office has no record of Private 1/cl. James A. Lyons and Private Marshal A. Engle. Grave locations of other soldiers listed in your letter are shown on the attached information sheets.

CHARLES C. PIERCE
Lieut. Col. Q.M.C. U.S.A.

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Company "F" 6th U.S. Engineers

American E.F. A.P.O. 740

May 17th 1919.

From : C.C. Co. "F" 6th U.S. Engineers.

To : Graves Registration Bureau, Paris France.

Subject:Disposition of deceased soldiers.

1. Request that you furnish this office a record of the final disposition and location of the bodies of the following deceased members of this organization:

- Pvt. Joseph H. Coyne, 159179 killed British E.F.
- Pvt. Fleming Mc G Foresman, 159200 Died of Wounds.
- Pvt. Samuel E. Fulkrod, 159201, Died of operation.
- Pvt. Joseph Walsh. 159280;
- Pvt. Roy Barberm 159160.
- Sgt. Charles O. McKay, 159057
- Pvt. Marshal A. Engle, 159195
- Pvt. 1/cl Frank K. Neumark, 159239
- Pvt. John O Delaney, 159184
- Pvt. George Vercoe, 159279
- Pvt. Jorgen Tengesdal, 2096403
- Pvt. 1/cl. James A. Lyons, 159226.
- Pvt. George W. Mazingo, 2,312,222
- Pvt. 1/cl. David H. Middleton, 159131
- Pvt. 1/cl. Alexander McPherson 159237.

Robert K. Munroe
Capt. 6th Engrs.

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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
A.P.O. 717. FRANCE.

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CHARLES C. PIERCE
Lieut. Col. C.M.C. U.S.A.

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COMMUNE - AUBIGNY.

Fourth A.S.No. 1534.

AUBIGNY BRITISH CEMETERY.

Sht. 62d. 0.9.a.3.3.

H. J. ...

AMERICAN GRAVE.

Plot 1. Row D.

6/~~Unit~~ United States Engrs.

COYNE

Joseph

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FROM: Chaplain, Sixth U.S. Engineers.

TO: G. R. S. Hdqrs. I of C.

SUBJECT: Report of Burial.

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1. Name: Coyne, 159179, Joseph H.
2. Rank: Private.
3. Company: "F".
4. Regiment or Corps: Sixth U.S. Engineers.
5. Date of Death: May 14, 1918.
6. Cause of Death: High Explosive Shell.
7. Place of Death: Aubigny (Near Fouilly). *Burial in Commune of*
8. Date of burial:
9. Name of Cemetery: 62-D- 0/9 A 5-5 British Maps.
10. In what town and department:
11. Number of grave:
12. Marking of grave:
13. Was original tag buried with body:
14. Was duplicate tag furnished A.G.O.?
15. Nearest relative of deceased: Mrs. Louise G. Coyne, (Mother)
16. Relationship and Address: Mother. 241 North Beacon St. Brighton, Mass.

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FROM : ~~G. R. S. OFFICER, PERMIAK~~ FILE NUMBER 2470
 TO : ~~Capt. J. J. S. (C. O. of General Hospital (France)), XIDGEBELK~~ DATE 5-29-19.
 SUBJECT : Location, grave of:
 NAME COYNE, Joseph H. SERIAL NUMBER 159179
 RANK Private ORGANIZATION Co. F., 6th Engineers.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with records?	1. Yes.
2.	Date of death.	2. 5-14-18.
3.	Grave Location:	3. Cemetery 219. Grave 7, Plot 1, Row D, Communal Cemetery Extension, AUBIGNY Department Pas de Calais. British Maps 62-D-0-9-A-5-5-1/40 M.
4.	Who reported burial?	4. Walter R. Burn, Capt. Corps of Engrs.
5.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	5. No.
6.	How is grave marked?	6. Cross.
7.	Identification tags:	7.
	(a) Buried with Body?	(a) Yes.
	(b) Attached to grave Marker?	(b) Yes.
8.	Emergency address:	8. Mrs. Louis A. C. Coyne, 241, North Beacon St., Brighton, Mass.
9.	Has above been notified? (Give Date)	9. Yes. 6-20-18.

REMARKS:

Requested by Robert J. Munroe, Captain, 6th Engineers.
 European address American E. F. A. P. O. 740.
 Relationship to deceased _____
 Checked by _____

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

FILE NUMBER 2470

FROM:-

DATE: 5/28-19

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:

NAME COYNE, JOSEPH, H

NUMBER 159179

RANK PYE ORGANIZATION

CO F 6 Engrs.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	Yes
2.	Date of Death.	② 574-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	③ KIA
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram	④ CC# 136
5.	Date buried.	⑤ 5-15-18
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required.	⑥ GR# 7 Pt. # 1 Row # 20 City # 219 - corner AUBIGNY BRITISH MAPS 62-10- 0-9-A-5-5-1/40 M-
7.	Who reported burial.	⑦ Walter P. Burt, Capt.
8.	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.	⑧ NO Corps of Eng.
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	⑨ Cross
10.	Report as to Identification Tags.	⑩ 1-4 to marker (MTR)
11.	Who is nearest relative?	⑪ Mrs. Louis A. Coyne
12.	Has N/R been notified? (Give Date)	⑫ Mrs. Louis A. Coyne
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	⑬ 241 North Beacon St, Brighton, Mass.
14.	What is the Photograph No. ?	⑭ Mrs. Louis A. Coyne

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⑫ yes 6-20-18

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Company "F" 6th U.S. Engineers.
American, E.F. A.P.O. 740.

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May 17th 1919.

From : C.O. Co. "F" 6th U.S. Engineers.

To: Graves Registration Bureau, Paris France.

Subject: Disposition of deceased soldiers.

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Pvt Roy Barber, 159160. ✓
Sgt Charles O McKay, 159057 ✓
Pvt Marshal A Engle, 159195 ✓
Pvt 1cl Frank K Neumark, 159239 ✓
Pvt John O Delaney, 159 184. ✓
Pvt George Vercoe, 159279 ✓
Pvt Jorgen Tengesdal. 2098405 ✓
Pvt 1cl James A Lyons, 159226. ✓
Pvt George W Mazingo, 2,312,222 ✓
Pvt 1cl David H Middleton, 159121 ✓
Pvt 1cl Alexander McPherson 159237. ✓

Robert K. Munroe
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Capt. 6th Engrs.





THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF
 THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
 HAS RECEIVED FROM THE
 BOARD OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
 THE FOLLOWING REPORT
 OF THE BOARD OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
 CONCERNING THE
 PROGRESS OF THE
 BOARD OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
 DURING THE YEAR
 ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1918.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED TO THE BOARD OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

1. The Board of District of Columbia has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the

report of the Board of District of Columbia.

2. The Board of District of Columbia has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the

report of the Board of District of Columbia.

THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

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