

WORLD WAR II DECEASED

COPY

REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF INTERMENT
OR TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES

DATE

(Read Explanation on Reverse Side before completing form)

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle Initial)

BRANCH OF SERVICE

TO BE FILLED IN BY CLAIMANT

Cory, Charles L

Air Corps

RANK OR GRADE

SERIAL NO.

Cpl

16044289

A. ☐ INTERMENT EXPENSES
(Civilian or Private Cemetery)B. ☐ TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES
(National or Post Cemetery)

INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSONS SIGNING THIS FORM

1. This form is NOT to be signed by Funeral Director.
2. Fill in as required and sign four copies.
3. Check Box "A" or Box "B" above, not both.
4. Check Box "A" when interment is in a civilian or private cemetery.
5. Check Box "B" when remains are delivered to home or other place prior to burial in a national or post cemetery.

FILL IN THIS STATEMENT IF BOX "A" IS CHECKED

FILL IN THIS STATEMENT IF BOX "B" IS CHECKED

I certify that the sum of \$**200.00** was
paid by me from personal funds in connection with the
interment of the remains of the above-named decedent in
the cemetery indicated below:

NAME: of cemetery

CITY OR COUNTY:

Mount Olivet

STATE:

Detroit

Mich.

I certify that the sum of \$ was
paid by me from personal funds in connection with the
transportation of the remains of the above-named dece-
dent from: (City, town, or place from which remains were
shipped)

TO: (Name and Location of National or Post Cemetery)

RETURN FOUR COPIES TO

AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION DIVISION
COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT
COLUMBUS 15, OHIO

SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT

10309 HARPER
ADDRESS (Street number or RFD, City and State)

RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT

REMARKS

PAID ON VOUCHER 106293
APR 1 1949
W. KNOBELOCH, Lt. Col. F. D.
ACCOUNTS OF
SYMBOL NO. 211-943

22438

RECEIPT OF REMAINS

COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT COLUMBUS 15 OHIO

DISTRIBUTION CENTER

ROUTINE 18 FEBRUARY 1949

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO:

CHARLES W JEFFREY FUNERAL HOME
14219 KERCHEVAL AVENUE
DETROIT MICHIGAN

FROM QMDCG _____ BARDEN

REMAINS OF THE LATE CPL CHARLES L COURY ASN 16044289 BEING SHIPPED TO YOU
ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT ON TRAIN NO 1-314 NEW YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD
LEAVING COLUMBUS OHIO 9:50 PM TWENTY FOUR FEBRUARY AND DUE TO ARRIVE DETROIT
MICHIGAN 5:10 AM RAILROAD TIME TWENTY FIVE FEBRUARY. REQUEST YOU MAKE
ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL AND THAT YOU
IMMEDIATELY PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO NEXT OF KIN

I, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge receipt of the remains of the above-named deceased
this 25 day of February, 1949
(Day) (Month)

NAT
FILE
RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE Mar 18, 1949
NAME Easton
S & R BR

S/Sgt. John A. Stach USAF
(Witness (Escort))

Charles W Jeffrey
(Consignee)

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

NAME

1

SECTION A —
NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER

6911 01118

DATE

15 09 48

DAY

MONTH

YEAR

COURY CHARLES L

SERIAL NUMBER

16044289

GRADE

CPL

ARM

1

RACE

1

RELIGION

5

CEMETERY

FINSCHAFFEN 2 NEW GUINEA

PLOT

ROW

GRAVE

2526

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

33220705

CODE

DIST. CTR.

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

~~ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY~~
~~FORT MYER, VIRGINIA~~

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

EDWARD COURY (FATHER)
10309 HARPER AVENUE
DETROIT, MICHIGAN

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME

COURY, Charles L.

SERIAL NUMBER

16044289

GRADE

Cpl

DATE OF DEATH

11 July '43

DATE DISTINTERRED

31 Aug '48

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

☒ REMAINS☒ MARKER

ORGANIZATION

USAAF

RELIGION

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY

WILLIAM A. JOHNSON

Embalmer

NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

Shelter Half

CONDITION OF REMAINS

Skeletal

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

MINOR DISCREPANCIES (Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.)

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 31 Aug '48

BY

WILLIAM A. JOHNSON

CASKET SEALED BY

WILLIAM A. JOHNSON

EMBALMER (Signature)

s/ William A. Johnson

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY

DATE 31 Aug '48 BY HORACE L. ALLISON, Sgt., Inf. CHARLES R. BATES, 1st Lt., USAFR.

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

s/ Charles R. Bates, 1st Lt., USAFR.

SIGNATURE OF AGRS INSPECTOR

REMARKS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED

FROM AGRS REMAINS DEPOT		TO U.S. A. T. SGT JACK J. PENDLETON	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER HORACE L. ALLISON, Sgt., Inf.	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>E. H. Newman Jr.</i> E. H. NEWMAN JR, CAPT., FA.	DATE DEC 9 1946	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>S. Madson</i> 11 off. 20	DATE DEC 1948

2. SHIPPED

FROM U.S. A. T. SGT. JACK J. PENDLETON		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>Chapman</i> 11 off.	DATE JAN 15 1949	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>Robert L. Smith</i>	DATE JAN 5 1949

3. SHIPPED

FROM HQ SWPE, FT MASON, CALIF.		TO DC-1 Brooklyn Army Base NYPE DC-7 Columbus General Depot	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE RAIL		NAME OF CONVOYER <i>August S. Juchacz</i>	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER <i>A. C. ANTHUR MAJ TC</i>	DATE JAN 15 1949	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>A. C. Smith Maj TC</i>	DATE JAN 28 1949

4. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

5. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

6. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

7. SHIPPED

FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

WORK SHEET

Section C--Disinterment and Identification

Name	Serial Number	Rank	Date of Death	Date Disinterred
COURY, CHARLES L.	16044289	CPL	11 July 43	31 Aug 48
Ident. Tag on Remains Marker	Organization	Religion	Identification Verified I Name and Title	
4				

Section D--Preparation of Remains for Shipment

Nature of Burial	Condition of Remains
Shelter half	Skeletal
Other means of identification	
2526	

Major Discrepancies 1

Remains Prepared and Placed in Casket

Casket Examined by

William A. Johnson (Signature)

Casket boxed and marked

Shipping Address Verified by

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

Signature of GRS Inspector

Prepared discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

SAN FRANCISCO PORT OF EMBARKATION
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION DIVISION
OAKLAND ARMY BASE, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

Shipment No. 26-R

Date 11 JAN 49

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>SERIAL NUMBER</u>	<u>FROM DC</u>	<u>TO DC</u>
COURY, CHARLES L.	CPL	16044289	01	07

AUTHORITY: OMC TWX NR 37/11 JAN 49

REMARKS:

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INSTRUCTIONS:

Records pertaining to World War II Dead will be changed as indicated above.

FOR THE CHIEF AGR DIVISION:

ROBERT H. BATES, JR.
1ST LT, OMC
Administrative Officer

DISTRIBUTION:

- 3 - AGR LIA OFFICER - OPR BR
- 2 - TERM OPR, WATER DIV
- 1 - REPAT SEC, PASS TRAFFIC BR, PTD
- 1 - ESCORT LIA SEC AGRD
- 1 - INFO SPECIALIST AGRD
- 1 - FILE AGRD

WUB003 NL PD DETROIT MICH JAN 20

BARDEN COLUMBUS GENL DEPOT

REMAINS OF CORPORAL CHARLES L COURY TO BE SHIPPED TO

CHARLES W JEFFERY FUNERAL HOME 14219 KERCHEVAL AVE PHONE

VALLEY 28665

EDWARD COURY

14219 28665

830A JAN 21..

DISTRIBUTION CENTER #1
NEW YORK PORT OF EMBARKATION
BROOKLYN, NEW YORK

RECEIVED

1949 JAN 18

I certify that this message is on official business and that its transmission with a lower precedence, or by air mail, regular mail, or scheduled messenger would be prejudicial to the public interest.

JAMES MCCARTHY
Major, TC
Admin O, AGR Div.

EDWARD COURY

10309 HARPER AVE.

DETROIT MICH.

PENDELTON

PLEASE BE ADVISED REMAINS OF THE LATE **CPL. CHARLES L. COURY**
ARE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES. OUR RECORDS INDICATE YOU WISH REMAINS BURIED IN
ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY, FORT MYER, VIRGINIA

WE CANNOT GIVE A DEFINITE DELIVERY DATE, BUT SUPERINTENDENT OF NATIONAL CEMETERY
WILL NOTIFY YOU BY TELEGRAM GIVING DATE AND HOUR. FUNERAL SERVICES WILL BE HELD IN
SUFFICIENT TIME TO PERMIT YOUR ATTENDANCE AT YOUR OWN EXPENSE. IT IS EXPECTED
THAT AN INTERVAL OF FROM FIVE DAYS TO FOUR WEEKS WILL ELAPSE BEFORE FUNERAL CAN
TAKE PLACE. MILITARY ESCORT WILL ACCOMPANY REMAINS TO NATIONAL CEMETERY. PAYMENT
OF SEVENTY FIVE DOLLARS INTERMENT EXPENSE ALLOWANCE IS NOT REPEAT NOT AUTHORIZED
IN CASES WHERE BURIAL IS IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY. APPROPRIATE JOINT MILITARY
HONORS AND RELIGIOUS SERVICES WILL BE PROVIDED AT GRAVESIDE BY VETERANS' ORGANIZA-
TION OR BY MILITARY OR NAVAL PERSONNEL. PLEASE CONFIRM ABOVE DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS
WITHIN FORTY EIGHT HOURS OF RECEIPT OF THIS MESSAGE OR SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY IN-
STRUCTIONS BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO DISTRIBUTION CENTER ONE, NEW YORK PORT OF
EMBARKATION. WE REGRET IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE TO COMPLY AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE WITH
CHANGES IN DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED AFTER EXPIRATION OF THE FORTY EIGHT HOURS.
INCLUDE FULL NAME OF DECEASED IN REPLY TELEGRAM.

RELEASED TO W U

7 JAN 49

G. H. BARE, COL, QMC

ITEM

154A

WU 329 21 COLLECT

DETROIT MICH JAN 10 733P

COL G H BARE

QM QRTRS DISTRIBUTION CENTER PORT OF EMBARKATION NYK
HAVE REMAINS OF CPL CHARLES L COURY SHIPPED TO DETROIT
ADDRESS INSTEAD OF ARLINGTON CEMETERY FORT MEYERS VIRGINIA
THANK YOU

EDWARD COURY FATHER

821P

RECEIVED
GREENWICH MEAN TIME (Z)

JAN 11 01 22 1949

SIGNAL CENTER
HQ, NYPL, BKLYN., N.Y.

April

MESSAGEFORM

MESSAGE CENTER NO.

TRANSMITTING MEANS

CRYPTOGRAPH OR CLEAR TEXT

CALLS

STA. SER. No.

PRECEDENCE

TRANSMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

ORIGINATOR

DATE-TIME GROUP

V

NR

ACTION

INFORMATION

EXEMPT

OPERATING SIGNALS

GROUP COUNT

GR

SPACE ABOVE FOR SIGNAL CENTER ONLY

FROM: (Originator)

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

ACTION TO:

- EDWARD COURY
- 10309 HARPER AVENUE
- DETROIT MICHIGAN

PRECEDENCE FOR

ACTION

INFORMATION

☐ ORIGINAL MESSAGE

REFERS TO ANOTHER MESSAGE

IDENTIFICATION

CLASSIFICATION

INFORMATION TO:

FROM QMDCG 13859 BARDEN

REQUEST YOU NOTIFY THE AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION DIVISION COLUMBUS
GENERAL DEPOT COLUMBUS OHIO BY TELEGRAM NAME AND ADDRESS OF FUNERAL HOME
DESIGNATED TO ACCEPT REMAINS OF YOUR SON CPL CHARLES L COURY AT RAILROAD
STATION.

BARDEN

COLUMBUS GENERAL DEPOT

COLUMBUS OHIO

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

SIGNATURE

AUTHORIZATION

ORIGINATING AGENCY

SYMBOL

DATE-TIME GROUP

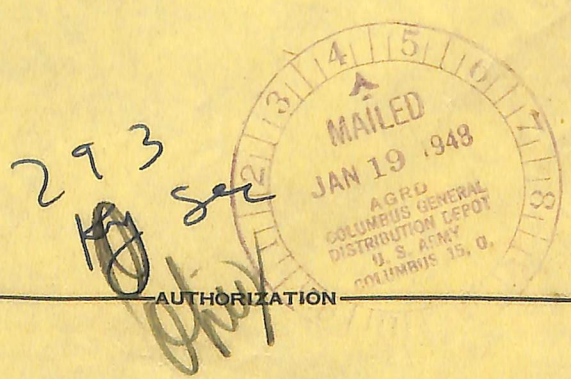
OFFICIAL TITLE

FRANCIS FAPPIANO

CAPT QMC ASST AGR DIV

PAGE

OF



INSPECTION CHECKLIST
(FOR USE AT DISTRIBUTION CENTER)

SF126

NAME Coury, Charles L			RANK Cpl		SERIAL NUMBER 16044289	
SOURCE			CONSIGNEE Charles W. Jeffrey Funeral Home 14219 Kercheval Avenue Detroit, Michigan			
SHIPPING CASE - GENERAL APPEARANCE (CHECK ONLY DISCREPANCIES)			CONDITION OF SHIPPING CASE (CHECK ONE) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY			
FINISH (EXTERIOR)			REMARKS <i>Painted - & Repaired moulding</i>			
FINISH (INTERIOR)						
HANDLES						
HANDLE BOLTS						
STENCILING - NAMEPLATE						
HEALTH PERMIT MARKER						
HEALTH PERMIT NUMBER						
CASKET - GENERAL APPEARANCE (CHECK ONLY DISCREPANCIES)			CONDITION OF CASKET (CHECK ONE) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY			
FINISH (EXTERIOR)			REMARKS <i>Touched up</i> <i>Filled w/</i>			
HANDLES AND FASTENINGS						
STENCILING - NAMEPLATE						
CAM LOCKS (SEALING)						
ODOR OR MOISTURE						
Routed Through						
<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY OPERATING ROOM			<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY REPAIR SHOP			
CONDITION OF REMAINS <input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY			CASKET REPAIRED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
NECESSARY DISINFECTION (EXPLAIN)			CASKET EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
			SHIPPING CASE REPAIRED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
			SHIPPING CASE EXCHANGED <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
			REMARKS			
TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF MORTICIAN	TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF INSPECTOR	
			<i>1040</i>	<i>11/18/46</i>	<i>[Signature]</i> <i>[Signature]</i>	
REMARKS						

CAPT ROGERS

REPATRIATION RECORDS

DISINTERMENT

72262

COMGNNYPE BROOKLYN NY ATTN AGR DIVISION

COMGENSFPE FORT MASON CALIFORNIA

CO COGD COLUMBUS OHIO ATTN AGR DIVISION

NR 9/11 PART I

RE CPL CHARLES L CORY 16044289 SF 126 R PD REQUESTED CHANGE APPROVED PD
REMAINS TO BE SHIPPED TO DC 07 PD REQUEST COPY DD AND ALLIED PAPERS BE
FORWARDED DC 07 PD CORRECTED DD TO FOLLOW

PART II

RE SGT JOSEPH F SCHEIK 36111272 SF 126 R PD REQUESTED CHANGE APPROVED PD
REMAINS TO BE SHIPPED TO DC 07 PD REQUEST COPY DD AND ALLIED PAPERS BE
FORWARDED DC 07 PD CORRECTED DD TO FOLLOW

END QMGR ROGERS

TWR STATION
MEMORIAL DIVISION

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MEMORIAL DIVISION

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RECORDS BRANCH
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Q MGR 293

Cory, Charles L., 16044289

JOHN O. HYATT, COL., QMC, MEM DIV

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RETURN TO TWX SECTION

TWX STATION
MEMORIAL DIVISION

JAN 11 10 46 AM '48

PP WA284 OA259 TWX NR9

FM NY2-794/CG NYPE BROOKLYN NY 111430Z

TO QMG WASH DC

INFO CG SFPE FTMASON SF CALIF

GRAVES GRNC

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FOR MEMORIAL DIVISION WASH DC CMA AGR DIVISION FT MASON CALIF PD
PART I CLN REFERENCE CPL CHARLES L COURY CMA 16044289 CMA SF126R CMA
ORIGINALLY FOR ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY. NEXT OF KIN NOW DESIRES
DELIVERY TO HIMSELF AT 10309 HARPER AVENUE CMA DETROIT CMA MICHIGAN.
PORT REQUESTED TO SUSPEND SHIPMENT TO DISTRIBUTION CENTER NUMBER ONE.
PART II CLN REFERENCE SGT JOSEPH F SCHEIK CMA 36111272 CMA SF126R CMA
ORIGINALLY FOR ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY. NEXT OF KIN NOW DESIRES
DELIVERY TO T. P. SULLIVAN SONS CMA FUNERAL DIRECTORS CMA 8274 GRAND
RIVER AVENUE CMA DETROIT CMA MICHIGAN. PORT REQUESTED TO SUSPEND
SHIPMENT TO DISTRIBUTION CENTER NUMBER ONE. END TCNYP TDC 947 COMGENNYPE
11/1444Z

PLS ACK IN ORDER

UA-284 RECD ONE OK TU

file
not
11 Jan 1949
Perry

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

R 7-8-48

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

Cpl Charles L. Coury, 16 044 289
 Grave 2526,
 United States Armed Forces Cemetery
 Finschhafen #2, New Guinea

10 April 1948

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

A		C	
B		D	

NOTE.—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.

If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

PART I

I, EDWARD - COURY.

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

- ☐ WIDOW ☐ WIDOWER ☐ SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
☒ FATHER ☐ MOTHER ☐ BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
☐ RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

- ☐ 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS.
☐ 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

- ☐ 3. BE RETURNED TO _____, THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____
 (FOREIGN COUNTRY) (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

- ☐ 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT ARLINGTON - WASH - D.C.
 (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)

(Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)

☐ YES ☐ NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

DO NOT WRITE
 SEP 13 1948

23 AUG 1948

Roadman

PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME		MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS		TELEPHONE No.

OR

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS		TELEPHONE No.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY

REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4.)

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Edward Coury (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)
EDWARD-COURY (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)
10309 - HARPER-AVE. (STREET AND NUMBER)
DETROIT - 13-MICH (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 1st day of June, 1945, at city (or town) of Detroit, county of Wayne, and State (or Territory or District) of Michigan

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.

PART II RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE _____, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED
(PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP)
NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.
THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

_____	_____ (DATE)
(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)	(STREET AND NUMBER)
_____	_____ (CITY AND STATE)
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

_____	_____ (DATE)
(SIGNATURE)	(STREET AND NUMBER)
_____	_____ (CITY AND STATE)
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	



THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

MIDWESTERN AREA

1700 WASHINGTON AVE., ST. LOUIS 3, MO.

June 2, 1948

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RR Br: QMGMR 293

Memorial Division
Department of the Army
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington 25, D.C.

Re: **COURY, Charles L. Cpl.**
16 044 289

dt

Finschhafen #2 Mr. 2526

Gentlemen:

This is in reply to your request of **April 10, 1948**,
regarding disposition of the remains of **Corporal Charles L. Coury**.

Our chapter Home Service worker reports that **Form 345** has
been given to **Mr. Edward Coury**, the father, next of kin, and he
expected to complete and mail it within a week.

If further information is desired, please let us know.

Sincerely yours,

Janet Neel

(Miss) Janet Neel
Director, Home Service
Midwestern Area

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JUL 14 1948

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

In Reply Refer To RR Br: QMGR 293 Coury, Charles L., Cpl, 16 044 289
Grave 2526

United States Armed Forces Cemetery
Finschhafen #2, New Guinea

10 April 1948

IMPORTANT
Address reply and envelope to:
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Do NOT include the name of the
official who signed the com-
munication.

P R I O R I T Y

Miss Janet Neal, Home Service Director
Midwestern Area, American Red Cross
1709 Washington Avenue
Saint Louis 3, Missouri

Dear Miss Neal:

The Next of Kin of the above captioned deceased Father
(relationship)

Mr. Edward Coury, 10309 Harper Avenue, Detroit 13, Michigan
(name) (address)

has failed to return a Form 345 indicating disposition instructions for the
remains.

It is respectfully requested that the attached QMG Form 345 be properly
accomplished by the Next of Kin and legal documents obtained through assistance
of your representative if appropriate, be furnished this office. In the event
you are unable to secure disposition instructions from the Next of Kin, it is
further requested that a statement of the action taken by your representative
be furnished this office for use as a basis for final disposition of remains of
the decedent.

It is recommended that in contact with the Next of Kin mentioned above,
they first be queried as to whether or not they have submitted the appropriate
form, as it may have been mailed to this office since receipt by you of this
request.

Sincerely yours,

JOHN O. HYATT
Colonel, QMG
Memorial Division

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

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INTRAOFFICE REFERENCE SHEET

Courry Charles L. Gpl

A.S.N. 16-044-289

DUE, HOUR AND DATE

1 NO.	2 FROM	3 TO	4 DATE	5 MESSAGE
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| 1. | LOI
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R/R Br. | 12 March
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1948 | <p>1. As 333 card in this case could not be immediately located, action has been taken with a view to resolving the case without the 333 card.</p> <p>2. File is forwarded to your Section for such correction in 333 card as may be indicated.</p> <p>3. When your action has been completed, please forward file to Mail and Records.</p> |
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Cpl. Charles L. Coury, 16 044 289
Grave 2526,
United States Armed Forces Cemetery
Finschhafen #2, New Guinea

31 July 1947

Mr. Edward Coury
10333 Harper Street
Detroit, Michigan

Dear Mr. Coury:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

His remains were originally interred in a temporary cemetery in Finschhafen, New Guinea, but have now been moved to the United States Armed Forces Cemetery, Manila #2, located on the Philippine Islands, where due care and surveillance can be exercised.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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QMSY 293
Corry, Charles L.

12 August 1946

Mr. Edward Corry
10333 Harper Street
Detroit, Michigan

Dear Mr. Corry:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your son, the late Corporal Charles L. Corry, A.S.N. 16 044 289.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the United States Armed Forces Cemetery, Finschhafen, #2, grave 2326. You may be assured that the identification and interment have been accomplished with fitting dignity and solemnity.

This cemetery is located on the east coast of Huon Peninsula, approximately two hundred miles north of Port Moresby, New Guinea, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

The War Department has now been authorized to comply, at Government expense, with the feasible wishes of the next of kin regarding final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your loved one. At a later date, this office will, without any action on your part, provide the next of kin with full information and solicit his detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LANKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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(Rev. 1 Apr. 1945)
(Supersedes GRS Form 1)

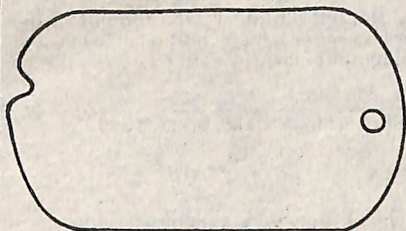
REPORT OF INTERMENT
(AR 30-1810 and AR 30-1815)

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DATE OF REPORT

3 Feb 48

Imprint Identification Tag If Possible.
DO NOT TYPE



Section 1.—IDENTIFICATION.

NAME (Last, first, middle initial)

COURY, Charles L.

SERIAL No.

16 044 289

GRADE

Cpl.

ORGANIZATION

22nd TCS, 374 TCS

BRANCH OF SERVICE

Army

RACE

RELIGION

Unknown

IF OTHER THAN U. S. DEAD, GIVE
NAME OF COUNTRY

PLACE OF DEATH

Dobodura Area, NG

CAUSE OF DEATH

KIA

DATE OF DEATH

11 Jul 43

EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address)

Edward Coury, (father) 1033 Harper St, Detroit, Michigan

IDENTIFICATION TAGS FOUND ON BODY
(1, 2, or none)

Yes (2)

IF NO TAGS FOUND ON BODY, DESCRIBE MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION (If unidentified, fill in section 3 on reverse)

WERE SUBSTITUTE TAGS PROVIDED?(Yes or no)

No

LIST PERSONAL EFFECTS FOUND ON BODY AND DISPOSITION OF SAME

None

Section 2.—BURIAL. If other than in established cemetery, furnish sketch and map coordinates on reverse.

NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES, AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY

1 GRS MAUSOLEUM, MANILA, P.

DATE OF BURIAL	HOUR	BURIED IN (Shroud, blanket, or name of other)	TYPE OF GRAVE MARKER	PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
19 Dec 47	1300	Casket	None	802	L	3905

WAS THIS A REBURIAL?
(Yes or no)

Yes

IF A REBURIAL, INDICATE NAME, NUMBER, COORDINATES OF PREVIOUS CEMETERY, AND LOCATION OF GRAVE

USAF Cem #2, Finschhafen, New Guinea.

PLOT No.	ROW No.	GRAVE No.
		2526

TYPE OF RELIGIOUS
CEREMONY

PERSON CONDUCTING BURIAL RITES

IF IDENTIFICATION TAGS NOT USED, DESCRIBE IDENTIFICATION DATA AND
CONTAINERS BURIED WITH BODYIDENTIFICATION TAG BURIED WITH
BODY (Yes or no)

Yes

IDENTIFICATION TAG ATTACHED TO
MARKER (Yes or no)

Yes

BODY BURIED ON DECEASED LEFT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial)

TOUZIN, Leo J

RANK

Pfc.

SERIAL No.

31081968

ORGANIZATION

616th Port
Co TC

GRAVE No.

3907

BODY BURIED ON DECEASED RIGHT, NAME (Last, first, middle initial)

AREVALO, Saturnino

RANK

Pfc.

SERIAL No.

38069140

ORGANIZATION

Co E.,
163rd Inf. 3903

GRAVE No.

3903

SIGNATURE OF PERSON PREPARING REPORT

SIGNATURE OF GRS OFFICER VERIFYING REPORT

V. C. AQUINO, T/5 QMC

L. S. PANOPLO, 2nd Lt., INF

DISTRIBUTION OF REPORT: Signed original for U. S. and allied dead, signed original and one copy for enemy dead, to the Quartermaster General through Headquarters GRS Officer. Copies for retention in theater as prescribed by theater commander.

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IDENTIFICATION DENTAL CHART

TO BE USED WITH QMC FORMS NOS. 1042 & 1044 IN PLACE OF CHART THEREON,
AND TO BE ATTACHED TO AND FORWARDED WITH THESE FORMS WHEN ACCOMPLISHED.

9 Oct /47

DATE

COURY

CHARLES

L./

Cpl.

16044289

LAST NAME

FIRST

INITIAL

RANK

SERIAL NO.

22d TCS

374 TCS

UNIT

USAF CE?ETERY-2

ORGANIZATION

Dobedura Area, N.G.

Finschhafen N.G.

2526

PLACE OF DEATH

PLACE OF BURIAL

PLOT

ROW

GRAVE NO.

RIGHT								UPPER TEETH				LEFT							
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TYPE LOCATION

INSIDE — LOOKING OUT

RIGHT								LOWER TEETH								LEFT							
16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16								
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TYPE LOCATION

KEY OF SYMBOLS TO BE USED ON ABOVE CHART

SYMBOLS IN WHOLE BOX	TYPE OF FILLING IN UPPER HALF OF BOX	LOCATION OF FILLING IN LOWER HALF OF BOX
 EXTRACTED	 AMALGAM (SILVER)	 MESIAL (BETWEEN-TOWARD FRONT)
 CAVITY INDICATE LOCATION	 GOLD	 OCCLUSAL (BITING SURFACE BACK TEETH)
 FIXED BRIDGE (INCL. ABUTMENTS)	 SILICATE OR PORCELAIN	 DISTAL (BETWEEN - TOWARD BACK)
 TEETH REPLACED BY DENTURE	 OXYPHOSPATE (CEMENT)	 LINGUAL (TOWARD TONGUE)
 POSTHUMOUSLY MISSING (LOST AFTER DEATH)		 FACIAL (TOWARD CHEEK)

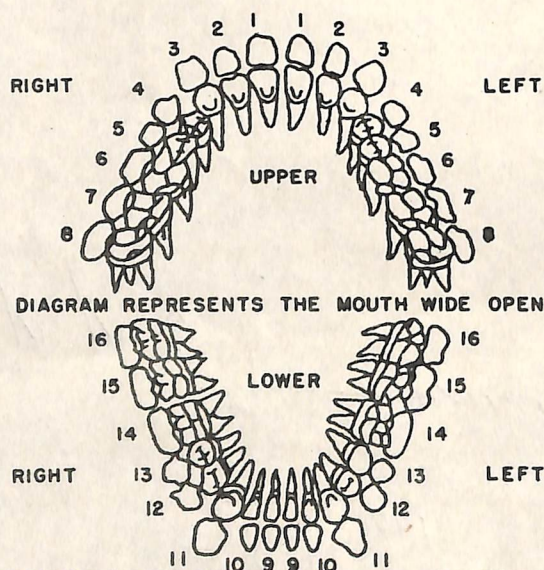
INSTRUCTIONS:

1. ACCURACY AND ATTENTION TO DETAIL IN THE PREPARATION OF THIS CHART ARE OF PARAMOUNT IMPORTANCE, IF SAME IS TO BE OF MAXIMUM VALUE.

2. NOTE CAREFULLY THAT: SYMBOLS INDICATING MISSING TEETH, CAVITIES AND BRIDGE-WORK ARE TO BE INSERTED IN WHOLE BOX; SYMBOLS INDICATING TYPE OF FILLING ARE TO BE INSERTED IN UPPER HALF OF BOX; AND SYMBOLS INDICATING LOCATION OF FILLING ARE TO BE INSERTED IN LOWER HALF OF BOX.

3. ANY ABNORMALITIES SUCH AS MALPOSED, MALFORMED OR DISCOLORED TEETH, ETC. SHOULD BE NOTED. DENTAL WORK NOT COVERED ABOVE WILL BE INDICATED, *e.g.*, PORCELAIN CROWNS, GOLD CROWNS (FULL OR $\frac{3}{4}$), $\frac{3}{4}$ GOLD CROWN WITH SILICATE WINDOW.

4. FOR INFORMATION OF STANDARD NUMBERING OF TEETH, SEE DIAGRAM BELOW.



REMARKS:

Andrew L Morgan
SIGNATURE OF PERSON WHO PREPARED CHART

ANDREW L MORGAN C apt. MC
Assistant Embalmer
NAME AND RANK TYPED OR PRINTED

USAF CEMETERY-2 Finschhafen N. G.
PLACE OR HQ. WHERE THIS FORM ACCOMPLISHED

Cristino E Abellar
VERIFIED BY GRS OFFICER

CRIESTINO E ABELLAR 2d Lt FA
NAME AND RANK TYPED OR PRINTED

9 Oct 47
DATE

RE-
REPORT OF INTERMENT
(TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815)

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COURY, Charles

(Last name)

(First)

L.

(Initial)

16 044 289

(Serial number)

Cpl

(Rank)

22d TCS 374 TCS

(Organization)

Dodobura Area, NG

(Place of death)

11 July, 1943

(Date of death)

KIA

(Cause of death)

1000 hrs 28 March 1945, USAF Cemetery No. 2 FINSCHHAFEN, NG

(Time and date of burial) reburial

(Name of cemetery)

(Name or co-ordinates of location)

Disinterred from Grave 279 USAF CEMETERY SOPUTA NO. 1, Soputa NG

2526

(Grave number)

(Row number)

(Plot number)

Cross, Regulation

(Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)

Disposition of identification tags: Buried with body

Yes ☒

No ☐

Attached to marker

Yes ☒

No ☐

Religion

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

FILE

Paul J. Tonn

(If no identification tags, what means of identification are buried with the body?)

P. J. TONN

Capt., QMC

(If no identification tags, but identity definitely established, give particulars)

Body buried on RIGHT TYLER, W. A. 627 04 17

(Name)

(Serial number)

B 1/c USS IST 455

(Rank)

(Organization)

2527

(Grave number)

Body buried on LEFT MC MULLIN, George C. 20 633 911

(Name)

(Serial number)

T/5 Med Det 126 Inf

(Rank)

(Organization)

2525

(Grave number)

Edward Coury, (Father) 1033 Harper St., Detroit, Michigan.

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE)

(Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

List only personal effects **FOUND ON BODY** and disposition of same:

none-reinterment

IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

TAKE FINGERPRINTS OF BOTH HANDS (W. D. Cir. No. 79; 3/19/43). If unable to obtain a complete set of fingerprints, **TAKE THOSE YOU CAN**, and fill in as many of the following as you are able :

Height :	Apparent nationality :
Weight :	Laundry marks :
Color of eyes :	Number of rifle :
Color of hair :	Wear glasses ?
Race :	Is tooth chart attached ?

(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart)

In space below, locate and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles deformities, etc. :

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IF THIS IS AN ISOLATED BURIAL, ATTACH A SKETCH OF THE LOCATION, ORIENTED WITH PERMANENT LANDMARKS.

GEO. A. ROSS, M/SGT., GRS. QMC.

(Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)

CHARLES R. MYERS, LT., QMC.

(Verified by Army GRS Officer)

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RIGHT HAND

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2272Graves Registration
Form No. 1
(Revised May 11, 1943)

REPORT OF INTERMENT

(TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815)

COURY, Charles

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16 044 289 Cpl

22d TCS

374 TCS

(Last name)

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(Serial number)

(Rank)

(Organization)

Dobodura Area, NG

11 July, 1943

KIA

(Place of death)

(Date of death)

(Cause of death)

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(Time and date of burial)

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(Name of Cemetery)

(Name of coordinates of location)

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2526

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(Row number)

(Plot number)

Cross, Regulation

(Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)

Disposition of identification tags: Buried with body

Yes



No



Attached to marker

Yes



No



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Religion

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2527

(Name)

(Serial number)

(Rank)

(Organization)

(Grave number)

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(Name)

(Serial number)

(Rank)

(Organization)

(Grave number)

Edward Coury, (Father) 10333 Harper St, Detroit, Michigan.

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE)

(Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

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none-reinterment

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Geo A Ross
GEO. A. ROSS, W/SGT., OMC, GRS.

(Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)

Charles R Myers
CHARLES R. MYERS, T., OMC.

(Verified by Army GRS Officer)

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MAY 1945

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
 WASHINGTON
REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 29 July 1943

ADP/pmr 4627

FULL NAME Coury, Charles L.		ARMY SERIAL NO. 16 044 289
GRADE Cpl	ARM OR SERVICE Air Corps	DATE OF BIRTH 1 August 1915
HOME ADDRESS Detroit, Mich.		
DATE OF DEATH 11 Jul 43	PLACE OF DEATH Southwest Pacific Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed In Action
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, & ADDRESS) Edward Coury, father, 10333 Harper St., Detroit, Mich.		
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP, & ADDRESS) Edward Coury, father, address shown above. Amelie Shaffer, sister, 617 Sacramento, Vallejo, California.		

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

J. W. Reinhardt,

ADJUTANT GENERAL

THIS COPY FOR THE Q. M. G. (CONFIDENTIAL)

(OVER)

CORRECTED
REPORT OF INTERMENT

DEC 31 1943

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22nd T.C.S.

Cpl. 374th T.C.G.

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COURY, Charles L.

16044289

(Last name)

(First)

(Initial)

(Serial number)

(Rank)

(Organization)

New Guinea Area

(Place of death)

11 July, 1943

(Date of death)

KIA

(Cause of death)

12 July, 1943

(Time and date of burial)

U.S.A.F. Cemetery Soputa #1, Soputa, N.G.

(Name of cemetery)

(Name or coordinates of location)

279

(Grave number)

(Row number)

(Plot number)

Cross (Regulation)

(Type of marker—Regulation V-shaped or other)

Disposition of identification tags : Buried with body

Yes ☒

No ☐

Attached to marker

Yes ☒

No ☐

(If no identification tags, what means of identification are buried with the body ?)

(If no identification tags, but identity definitely established, give particulars)

Body buried on RIGHT MURRAY, Dennis

(Name)

20120815

(Serial number)

Cpl.

(Rank)

374 T.C.G.

(Organization)

280

(Grave number)

Body buried on LEFT MONTIETH, Max R.

(Name)

20926011

(Serial number)

Sgt.

(Rank)

641 T.D.Bn 278

(Organization)

(Grave number)

Mr. Edward Coury, (Father), 10333 Harper St., Detroit, Michigan

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE)

(Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

List only personal effects FOUND ON BODY and disposition of same :

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Martin G. Riley, 1st Lt., Q.M.C.

18 JUL 1944 FILE
gmc

IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

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.....
(Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)

JAMES M. WALTON,

(Verified by Army GRS Officer)
Capt. QMC Acting BRO

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REPORT OF INTERMENT

(TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815)

NOV 30 1943

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COURY, Charles L.

(Last name)

(First)

(Initial)

16041289

(Serial number)

Cpl.

(Rank)

22nd T.C.S.
374th T.C.G.

(Organization)

New Guinea Area

(Place of death)

11 July, 1943

(Date of death)

KIA

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Religion

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(Serial number)

Cpl.

(Rank)

22 T.C.S.

374 T.C.G.

(Organization)

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(Name)

20926011

(Serial number)

Sgt.

(Rank)

641 T.D. B278

(Organization)

(Grave number)

Mr. Edward Coury, (Father) 10333 Harper St., Detroit, Michigan.

(Name and address of EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE)

(Name and address of LEGAL NEXT OF KIN)

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IF DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

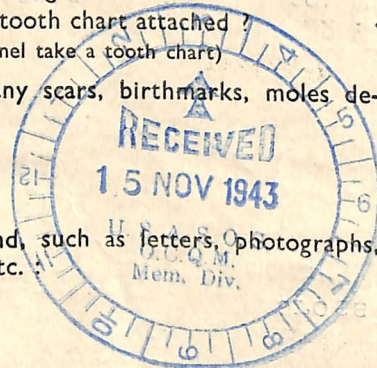
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(Signature of officer or other person reporting burial)

JAMES M. WLATON

Cpt. (Verified by Army GRS Officer) Acting GRO

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RIGHT HAND

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ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

In reply refer to QM 250.414

JRM:AMJ:mjm
3 March 1944

SUBJECT: Report of transactions by Summary Court-Martial
Army Effects Bureau

TO : The Adjutant General, Washington 25, D. C.

There are submitted herewith reports of transactions by the
Summary Court-Martial at the Army Effects Bureau, in the disposition of
the personal effects of the following named deceased military personnel:

<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Army Serial No.</u>
21250-D	Bond, Elwood W.	Sgt.	33129130
21491-D	Bone, Ray G.	Pvt.	30081239
22326-D	Coury, Charles L.	Cpl.	10044269
41422-D	Gritsonis, Nicholas	S/Sgt.	10034610
41005-D	Whitney, Roy E.	Sgt.	10044204

For the Commanding Officer:

W. F. FREEMAN
Major Q.M.C.
Asst. Effects Quartermaster

5 Incls--

Incl 1--Report Case #21250-D
Incl 2--Report Case #21491-D
Incl 3--Report Case #22326-D
Incl 4--Report Case #41422-D
Incl 5--Report Case #41005-D

ML:mem

Eff QM Form No. 23 (Rev. 11/19/43)

Case No. mjm
22326-D
3 March 1944
(Date)

Charles L. Coury, 16044289, late a
(Name of deceased soldier) (Army Serial No.)

Corporal, Air Corps, who died
(Grade) (Organization, Arm or Service)

on the 11th day of July, 1943, at Southwest Pacific Area

EFF. QM Form No. 75

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO 22326

(S-3-16-44)
JRM:AMJ:blb
February 16, 1944

Mr. Edward Coury
10309 Harper Avenue
Detroit 13, Michigan

Dear Mr. Coury:

Thank you for the information given in your letter of January 24, 1944, in connection with disposal of the property of your son, Corporal Charles L. Coury.

This property has been forwarded to you by parcel post. When you have received the carton, please sign one copy of the inclosed receipt and return that copy to this Bureau, using the inclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage.

My action in sending such property, does not, of itself, vest title in you. This property is transmitted only in order that some responsible person receive it, so that distribution may be made in accordance with the laws of the state of your son's legal residence.

Your cooperation and assistance in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Yours very truly,

E. A. CUNNINGHAM
1st Lt. Q.M.C.
Assistant

2 Incls.
Form 5
Envelope

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

FEB 10 1944

Suspence 2-22-44

Case No. 22326 D blb

Date 8 February 1944

MEMORANDUM TO Warehouse Branch:

Please see that the personal effects on the above mentioned case are packed, weighed and ready for shipment promptly so that they may be readily picked up. Bills of Lading and all other papers will be marked with the case number and can be identified there by. The original of this form should be returned to the Administrative Branch after completion.

Effects of: Corporal Charles L. Coury Serial No. 16044289

Ship to: Mr. Edward Coury

Street and Number 10309 Harper Avenue

City and State Detroit 13, Michigan

Ship Via: PARCEL POST

Gov't B/L No. _____

Cunningham
For the Effects Quartermaster *eh*

LIST OF PACKAGES SHIPPED

1 Carton

Franked Mail -- 4# or less _____

Parcel Post Charges _____ .64

Estimated Express Charges _____ .80

Estimated Freight Charges _____

Total Number of Pieces: 1

Shipping Clerk: *MB*

Weight of Shipment: 11#

Date FEB 9 1944

DS:ml

GIN:rls

Eff QM Form 14 (Rev. 10/15/43)

22326

Detroit, Michigan.
January 24, 1944.

Army Service Forces,
Kansas City Quartermaster Depot,
601 Hardesty Avenue,
Kansas City 1, Missouri.

Att: M. S. Poole,
Second L't. Q.M.C.
Chief, Administrative Control Branch.

Re: Corporal Charles L. Coury,
Your reference #22326.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of January 19, 1944, and I thank you for your courtesy in the premises.

My son was never married and his Estate, if any, has not been Probated. His Army Insurance, etc., was all payable to me. His mother is dead and I am his only heir.

Your kindness in forwarding whatever effects of my son that you may have on hand to me, will be appreciated.

Yours very truly,
Edward Coury
Edward Coury,
10309 Harper Ave.,
Detroit 13, Michigan.

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

(S-2-19-44)
JRM:AMJ:vb
January 19, 1944

22326

IN REPLY REFER TO: _____

Mr. Edward Coury
10309 Harper Avenue
Detroit, Michigan

Dear Mr. Coury:

The Army Effects Bureau has just received from overseas some personal property of your son, Corporal Charles L. Coury.

To make proper disposition of such property, it is necessary that this Bureau have certain information regarding the family of your son. If he was married, please state the name and address of his widow.

If your son left a will which has been probated, please furnish the original or a certified copy of the letters of administration. Any papers submitted will be returned to you as soon as possible. Please mail your reply in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage, as this will accelerate disposal of the property.

Please accept my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

M. S. POOL
2nd Lt., Q.M.C.
Chief, Administrative Control Branch

1 Incl.
Envelope

October 28, 1943

Effects Quartermaster
United States Army
Kansas City, Kansas

Gentlemen:

I am writing relative to the personal effects of my son, Corporal Charles L. Coury, Serial No. 16044289, who was killed in action on July 11 in the Southwest Pacific Area.

I was instructed by Lt. General George C. Kenney to communicate with you in the event that I did not hear from you within a reasonable length of time.

From his Commanding Officer, Captain Wm. E. Carlson, of the 22nd Troop Carrier Squadron, I learned that his effects had been inventoried and forwarded to your department. Will you kindly send these to me at once or communicate with me.

Respectfully yours,

Edward Coury

Edward Coury
10309 Harper Avenue
Detroit, Michigan

HEADQUARTERS
374TH TROOP CARRIER GROUP
OFFICE OF THE GROUP COMMANDER
APO 929

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HC*

30 July, 1943.

SUBJECT: Final Report of Summary Court Transactions - Corporal CHARLES L. COURY, 16044289, deceased, 22nd Troop Carrier Squadron, APO 929.

TO : Adjutant General, U.S. Army (Thru: Headquarters, Fifth Air Force)

Effects Quartermaster, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, Kansas City, Missouri.

1. Undersigned submits following final report of transactions in accordance with provisions of AW 112, paragraph 29, AR 600-550, USASOS Regulation 30-30, Fifth Air Force Regulation 35-45.

a. Corporal CHARLES L. COURY, 16044289, died 11 July, 1943, a member of 22nd Troop Carrier Squadron, APO 929.

b. Personal effects were delivered by undersigned to Transportation Officer, Army Transport Service, APO 929, 29 July, 1943, for shipment to Base Quartermaster, APO 923, thence to Effects Quartermaster, Kansas City, Missouri.

c. No money was found among said effects.

d. After inquiry, no local creditors or local debtors of deceased have come to the attention of undersigned.

e. After inquiry, undersigned finds no liability on part of deceased to United States by way of property accountability and that no surveys are pending against him.

f. No sale of effects was made by undersigned.

g. Nearest kin of deceased brought to attention of undersigned is Father, Ed. Coury, 10333 Harper Avenue, Detroit, Michigan.

2. Inclosure 1 (Inventory of Effects), Inclosure 2 (Certificate), submitted herewith.

2 incl:

Incl 1 - Inventory of Effects.
Incl 2 - Certificate.

Samuel J. Fergus
SAMUEL J. FERGUS,
1st Lt, Air Corps,
Summary Court Officer.

Incl 4-1

Mr. Ed Coury (Father) 22326
10335 Harper Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AR 600-550)

COURY CHARLES L. 16044289
(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

late a Cpl Air Corps
(Grade) (Organization or arm or service)

who died on the 11th day of July, 1943

CLASS I—Saber, insignia, decorations, medals, campaign badges, watches, manuscripts, and other articles valuable chiefly as keepsakes.

NUMBER	ARTICLES	*PACKAGE NUMBER
1	Camera with case	
1	Pipe	
1	Money Belt	
1	Shaving Brush	
8	Handkerchiefs	
3	Towels	
1	Brush	
1	Necktie	
2	Shoe Brushes	


*To be filled out only in case of shipment to The Adjutant General.

CLASS II—Other effects

NUMBER	ARTICLES
1	Pennant
1	Book
1	Package of Letters, Pictures, and Souvenirs
1	Writing Tablet
1	Diary

Encl. 1

CLASS II—Continued

NUMBER	ARTICLES
1	Shaving Kit
1	Purse of Miscellaneous coins
8	Rolls unexposed film
1	Air Corps Patch
1	Leather Case
	
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="margin-right: 10px;">Money</div> <div style="font-size: 3em; margin-right: 10px;">{</div> <div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>Specie</div> <div>\$</div> </div> <div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; font-size: 1.2em;">None</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>Notes</div> <div>\$</div> </div> </div> </div>	

I CERTIFY that the foregoing inventory comprises all the effects of the deceased whose name appears on the first page hereof, and that *the effects were delivered to Transportation Officer, APO 929
(Give name and degree of relationship; if legal representative)

or beneficiary named by the deceased, so state)

~~*the effects of class I have been forwarded to The Adjutant General and those of class II have been sold.~~

S. J. Vergis
1st Lt. H.C.
Summary Court

A.P.O. 929

(Station)

29 July, 1943
(Date)

(Date)

*Strike out words not applicable.

22ND TROOP CARRIER SQUADRON
Office of the Commanding Officer
APO-929

28 July, 1943

SUBJECT: Certificates of investigations in the case of Cpl
CHARLES L. CORY, 16044289.

TO : Summary Court Officer, 374th Troop Carrier Group, APO-929.

1. I certify that:

(a) I have made diligent inquiry regarding accounts payable to and accounts receivable from above named soldier and find that no one in this organization is indebted to him and that he is not indebted to any member of this organization.

(b) I have made diligent inquiry as to the above soldiers liability to the United States by way of property accountability and find he is not indebted to the United States and that no surveys are pending.

PERRY H. PENN,
Captain, Air Corps,
Commanding.



Incl. 2