

Marker to show rank as Corp. reduced while in same org.

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G.R.S. Form #114 B

9028

JUN 1 - 1928

DATE

1. NAME CRONIN, Patrick J

SERIAL No. 1830492

RANK Pvt

ORGANIZATION Co H 320th Inf

GRAVE LOCATION Argonne, near Romagne/s Montfaucon

1232 Sec 109

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

133

Sec 109

3

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

Cuisy (Meuse).

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

35-S.E. 277.44-N.

316.53-E.

CONCENTRATED TO

6.11.19.

133

100

3.

DATE

GRAVE

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PLOT

Meuse-Argonne Cemetery

CEMETERY

1232.

CTY. NUMBER

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

No tags, Cpl chevrons pelque on body OK.

DATE OF DEATH

Sep. 27, 1918

Data form 1.

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Penn.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

None

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

M. B. Birdseye

M. B. BIRDSEYE

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

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

10-25-22

28

42

E

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery No. 1232.

CEMETERY

Robert U. Davis,

Major General,

The Adjutant General.

By

JUN 10 1928

AUDITED BY
M. J. D. - 5-8-23

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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



C° "H" - 320th Infantry -
80th Division.

CRONIN, Patrick J. - Priv. 1834092

Killed Sept. 27th 1918.

Place of death: Near Béthincourt, Meuse-Argonne.

Signed statement from eyewitness.

About 9 a.m. of the twenty-sixth of September 1918, Corporal Cronin was leading his squad in single ~~file~~ file in pursuit of two Germans who were running toward the entrance to a dug-out directly in front of us. The Germans entered the dug-out and Corporal Cronin lowered his bayonet and pursued him to within about six feet from the entrance, when two shots were fired from the inside. Corporal Cronin was hit and killed instantly. I was a member of his squad and was directly behind him.

Informant: Andrew J. JANOCKO è Private
C° "H", 320th Infantry -

From record of Major Carl H. Tobey, Adjutant 80th Div.

Emergency address:

Brother: Michael CRONIN -

1814, Davis Avenue N. S.

AL. Pittsburgh - Pa.

INFORMATION ON MEN KILLED IN ACTION AND
DIED OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION IN
80 th DIVISION

Cronin (Last name) 1834092 (Serial No.) Patrick J. (1st name and middle initial)
Pvt. (Rank) Co. "H" 320th Infantry (Organization) Sept. 27, 1918 (Date killed) (Date died of wounds)

EMERGENCY ADDRESS

Michael Cronin (Name) Brother (Relationship) 1814 Davis Avenue N.S., Pittsburgh, Pa. (Address)

PLACE OF DEATH Near Bethincourt, Meuse-Argonne

GRAVE LOCATION

SIGNED STATEMENT FROM EYEWITNESS OF SOLDIER'S DEATH, IF OBTAINABLE; IF NOT, FROM SOMEONE FAMILIAR WITH CIRCUMSTANCES OF HIS DEATH.

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Andrew J. Janocko
Pvt., Co. "H", 320th Infantry

From records of Major Carl H. Tobey, Adjutant 80 th Division.

Copy taken at Brest, France, for Home Communication Service, American Red Cross, May 1919.

Date 26 th June 1919.REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name CRONIN Patrick J.Number: 1830492Rank UnknOrganization: Unkn

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

11th June 1919.Grave #6 IsolatedGUISE, MEUSE 35 SE 316.53 E 277.44 N

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

11th June 1919.Grave #133 Sec #109 Plot #3ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY #1232ROMAGNE, MEUSE.

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

Burial good, buried in uniform, body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body?

No.What other means of identification were found upon the body? None.

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon the bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by G.O. 170, G.H.Q. 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 Lt. LewisR. H. ROSENTHAL

cmf.

C.O. Group

Unit

And Lieut. O.M.C.V.S.A12211CONFIRMED No. D

Date 26 June 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

1030493

Number:

ORIGIN Patrick J.

Name

Unit

Organization:

Rank

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

From: (Give complete location)

Disinterred (Date)

Grave No. Isolated

11th June 1919

Grave No. 35 on 316.52 E 277.44 N

In: (Give complete location)

Reburied (Date)

Grave No. 35 on 316.52 E 277.44 N

11th June 1919

ALCOHOL MEDICINE CEMENTRY WISKS

REPORT, 1919

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Was one identification tag found upon the body?

What other means of identification were found upon the body? None.

It upon disinterment, remains were found upon the ground, they will be

properly kept in the British Army Museum, as is required by the War Office, 1919.

H. H. HORTON

1st. Lewis

1st. Lewis



CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>CRONIN</i>	<i>hus</i>	3	<i>385-</i>
<i>Patrick J.</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>28</i>	2	<i>28</i>
	ROW <i>42</i>	2	<i>42</i>
	BLOCK <i>8</i>	1	<i>5</i>
STATE	<i>Pa.</i>	2	<i>44</i>
RANK	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>80</i>	2	<i>80</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>320</i>	3	<i>320</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Cronin</i>	<i>Cro</i>	3	<i>385-</i>
<i>Mrs. Anne</i>	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
<i>no LP No Son</i>	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Foreign</i>	1	<i>4</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
<i>29/514</i>	<i>County Ireland</i>	2	<i>05</i>

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DATE January 17, 1930

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
Cronin, Patrick J.	Pvt.	1830492	Co. H 320th Inf.	Sept. 27, 1918

Single man

STATE	Pennsylvania	CTY. NO.	1232	GRAVE	28	ROW	42	BLOCK	E
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	Check relationship	Living - Deceased	(M)
	MOTHER	<i>camp + in</i>	<i>Mrs. Anne Cronin</i>
	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)		<i>Joreen Duagh</i>
			<i>County Kerry</i>
			<i>Ireland</i>
NAME	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION		
AND	(For the year prior to commencement of service)		
ADDRESS			
	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS		
	(For the year prior to commencement of service)		
	WIDOW		
	(Who has not remarried)		
	<i>no widow</i>		

Veterans Bureau Claim Number

29/156/

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cronin, Patrick J.

June 29 , 1929.

Mr. Michael Cronin,
1814 Davis Ave., NS.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the brother of the late Pvt. Patrick J. Cronin, Co. H, 320th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cronin, Patrick J.
1232.

Sept. 4th 1929

Mr. Michael Cronin,
1814 Davis Ave., NS.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 29, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

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

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

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

November 8, 1923.

Mrs. Anna Cronin,
Tooreen Duagh,
County Kerry, Ireland.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the permanent grave of **Private Patrick J. Cronin, Company H, 320th Infantry,** is **Grave 28, Row 42, Block B, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.**

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

You are assured in effecting removal of the remains, the utmost care and reverence were exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

R.L. FOSTER
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
QUARTERMASTER CORPS
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
PIER 2, HOBOKEN, N. J.

1232-109-33

August 4, 1921.

Call
File No. 293.8 Cem.Div.Cor.Br.
(Cronin, Patrick J.)

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O.Q.M.G.,
Washington, D. C.

SUBJECT: Return of Records.
Transmittal Memorandum Number H - 1003.

1. Returned herewith are records pertaining to the late Private Patrick J. Cronin, Serial Number 1830492, Company H, 320th Infantry, whose nearest of kin resides in Ireland. This case has been referred to the Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe for follow up and it is recommended that the records be held in your office pending further advice from Europe as to the final disposition of the remains of the deceased soldier.

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

BY:

F. C. Pallas
F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

Encls.
(records)

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File No. 293.8 Cas. Div. Cor. Br.
(Gronin, Patrick J.)

From: The Graves Registration Service, Hoboken, New Jersey.
To: Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe.
Subject: Data relating to deceased soldier whose nearest of kin resides in a foreign country.

1. Reference remains, the late Private Patrick J. Gronin, Serial Number 1830492, Company H, 320th Infantry, cemetery 1232, section 109, cable reference number 33; the records of this office indicate that Mrs. Anna Gronin, mother and nearest of kin to the late soldier, resides at Tooreen Daugh, County Kerry, Ireland.

2. Papers are forwarded for your information and it is requested that your office ascertain the desires of the nearest of kin and take such action as may be deemed advisable.

MAILED

AUG 5 1921

COR. BR. G. R. S.

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

Encls.
Copy of V.R.E.A.
Copy of form 120
1232

Noted on Form No. 115
8/4/21
BY: B.R. F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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August 4, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Gen.Div.Cor.Br.
(Cronin, Patrick J.)

Mr. Michael Cronin,
1814 Davis Avenue, N.E.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Receipt of your shipping inquiry dated July 14, 1921, relative to the remains of your brother, the late Patrick J. Cronin, Serial Number 1830492, Company H, 320th Infantry, is acknowledged.

This case has been referred to the Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe requesting that the remains be held in France until the wishes of the mother, who resides in Ireland, can be ascertained and complied with if practicable.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

MAILED
AUG 5 1921
COR. BR. G. R. S.

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

BY:

F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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August 6, 1921.

This No. 395-8 Gen. Inv. Cor. Br.
(Green, Patrick J.)

Mr. Michael Green,
1212 Davis Avenue, N.E.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Receipt of your shipping inquiry dated July 16, 1921,
relative to the remains of your brother, the late Patrick J.
Green, Serial Number 1230432, Company H, 320th Infantry, is
acknowledged.

This case has been referred to the Civil, American
Graves Registration Service in Europe requesting that the remains
be held in France until the wishes of the brother, who resides in
Ireland, can be ascertained and complied with if practicable.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

S. E. WILKINSON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

AUG 10 1921
Executive Assistant.

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COR. BR. O. R. S.

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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

JUL 12 1921

This is not a notice that
body has arrived in U.S.

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.

To: Mr. Michael Cronin, 1814 Davis Ave., North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Patrick J. Cronin, Ser. No. 1830492, Co. H, 320th Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named soldier
be returned to the United States and shipped to you at 1814 Davis Ave., North Side,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,
Colonel, Q. M. C.

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 or not these relatives are STILL LIVING.

Was soldier married? *No* JUL 16 1921

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
Father <i>Michael Cronin</i>		<i>Listowel</i>	<i>Kerry Ireland</i>
Mother <i>Anne Cronin</i>			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <i>John Cronin</i>			
2 <i>Tim Cronin</i>	<i>12 Trimble St</i>	<i>Pittsburgh</i>	<i>Pa</i>
3 <i>Michael Cronin</i>	<i>1814 Davis Ave</i>		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <i>Katie Cronin</i>		<i>Listowel</i>	<i>Kerry Ireland</i>
2 <i>Helen Keasley</i>	<i>2308 Brown Pl</i>	<i>Pittsburgh</i>	<i>Pa</i>
3 <i>Joseph Bunigh</i>	<i>2308 Browns</i>		
Date <i>July 14 - 21</i>	Signature <i>Michael Cronin</i>		
Address <i>1814 Davis Ave N.S. Bk B</i>	Relationship <i>Brother</i>		

July 14, 1921

I, the undersigned, am the Brother (Relationship.) and nearest living next of kin 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 Michael Brown (Name.) Pa (State.)
Penna (R. R. station.)
3. To be returned to the U. S. and buried in _____ National Cemetery.
4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Signature Michael Brown

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two 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 next of kin 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 next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
7. If **YOU** are not the nearest living next of kin 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 inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

NOTE.—INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS will be issued by this office upon the properly executed authority of the legal next of kin in each case. The widow is the first person having disposition of the remains of her husband. Should there be no widow or children, the father and, in turn (upon his decease), the mother, is the proper authority. The brothers, in order of seniority, and then the sisters in order of seniority, if there are no brothers, rank next in authority to decide. Under an opinion rendered by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, if a widow has remarried she forfeits her right, and the next of kin as given above will make decision.

OSP-SS
Form No. 1009

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

*Please
insert*

Harlow - C.W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Cronin, Patrick J., Pvt.

1232-Sec. 109 - 33 6/16/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

DATE OF DEATH

1830492

Co. H, 320th Inf.

9/27/18.

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

FIVE 75/100 DOLLARS

\$5.75

DATE

C 72473

E 40050

MRS ANNA CRONIN

I-40050

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department

TOOREEN DAUGH

PERSON NAMED COUNTY KERRY TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE 7-1-21-23 RELATIONSHIP
IRELAND A

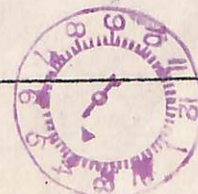
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PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION

RELATIONSHIP

NO PLATE

JUL 6 1921



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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

CRONIN, 1830492, Patrick J.

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

Pvt. Co. H 320th., Infantry

(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL:

PLACE OF BURIAL:

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

See correspondence - SISLER, Benjamin, H
2468401

GRAVE NUMBER:

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?.....Cross?.....

Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?.....

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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



G.R.S. FORM NO. 12

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

FROM : ADJUTANT GENERAL.
TO : C.O.Co. H 320th., Infantry
SUBJECT : Information for burial Register.

1. You are directed to transmit without delay to the Chief, Graves Registration Service, the information indicated on enclosed Graves Location Blank as necessary for the completion of official records.

By Command of General Pershing:

Robert C. Davis
Adjutant General.

Note:

1 In case this item is checked, you will note hereon:

Nearest relative of deceased:

Relationship:

Address:



File No. 334²⁴

1332-209-33

August 4, 1921.

FILE

File No. 293.8 Gen. Div. Cor. Br.
(Cronin, Patrick J.)

From: The Graves Registration Service, Hoboken, New Jersey.
To: Chief, American Graves Registration Service in Europe.
Subject: Data relating to deceased soldier whose nearest of kin resides in a foreign country.

1. Reference remains, the late Private Patrick J. Cronin, Serial Number 1830492, Company H, 320th Infantry, cemetery 1232, section 109, cable reference number 33; the records of this office indicate that Mrs. Anna Cronin, mother and nearest of kin to the late soldier, resides at Tooreen Daugh, County Kerry, Ireland.

2. Papers are forwarded for your information and it is requested that your office ascertain the desires of the nearest of kin and take such action as may be deemed advisable.

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COR. BR. G. R. S.

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. H. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

Encls.
Copy of W.R.M.A.
Copy of Form 120
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Noted on Form 115
8/4/21
B.R.

F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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FILE

August 4, 1921

File No. 100-100-33
(Continued, Part 1.)

From: The Bureau of Investigation, Boston, New Jersey.
To: Chief, American Bureau of Investigation, New York.
Subject: The following is enclosed for your review of the
results in a foreign country.

1. Enclosed herewith, the late Private Patrick
J. Cronin, Boston, No. 100-100-33, copy of the
information, dated 1917, and other information
number 10, the results of this office indicate that
Mrs. Anne Cronin, mother and nearest of kin to the
late soldier, resides at 100-100-33, County Kerry,
Ireland.

2. Report and forwarded for your information and
it is requested that you advise the Bureau
of the results of the late soldier as well as
desired details.

J. E. HENNESSY
Special Agent in Charge
Boston, New Jersey

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November 15, 1921.

293.8 C-R #33484 (Cronin, Patrick J. Pvt.) Cty. 1232, Sec. 109, Sht. 33.

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

Mr. Michael Cronin, 1814 Davis Ave., N.E., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Disposition of Remains.

1. Referring to the case of the late Private Patrick J. Cronin, Company H, 320th Infantry, you are advised that this office is in receipt of information from the Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C. in Europe stating that the mother of the deceased desires the body of her son to remain interred in a permanent American Cemetery in France and instructions have been issued that her wishes be complied with.

By authority of the Acting Quartermaster General:

CHARLES J. WYNNIE,
Captain, Q. M. C.

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CEMETERIAL DIV.
O. Q. M. C.

Typed on Form No. 115

Date 11/15/21 Da

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HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE Q.M.C., IN EUROPE
8, AVENUE D'IENA.

File No. 293.9 Disp.Cem.#1232-Sec.#109.-3³

PARIS October 11, 1921.

From: Chief.

To: Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C.

Subject: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Patrick J. Cronin, #1830492, Co.H,
320th Inf., Cem. #1232, Section #109, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon,
Meuse, France.

1. Reference letter Cem.Div., Hoboken, dated August 4, 1921, File No. 293.8, to this office, wherein it was directed that we communicate with the next of kin of the above-deceased soldier, you are advised that reply has been received from Mrs. Anna Cronin, Tooreen Duagh, County Kerry, Ireland, indicating that she wishes the remains of her son to be left in Cemetery #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France, for permanent burial.

2. There is inclosed herewith for your records copy of the letter from this office to Mrs. Cronin, advising her that her wishes have been made of record and will be complied with.

1 inc. ✓
JLK/BB

H. F. Bether's
H. F. Bether's,
Colonel, Q.M. Corps.

rem

Noted by Statistical Clerk.
Date 11-4-21
a.e.

Noted on Form No. 115
Date 11/10/21
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Recorded, Cemeterial Div.
File # 293.8
#33484

Cronin Patrick J.

OCT 26 1921

Cronin
(Surname.)

Patrick J.
(Christian name in full.)

1 830,492
(Army serial number.)

Pvt Patrick J Cronin
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased *Father*

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? *yes*
(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you } *yes*
wish them interred in a national cemetery? }
(Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

(Name of person to receive remains.) *Meek* (Express office.) *Cronin* (Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.) *1814 Davao Ave* (City or town.) *North Side* (State.)

(Sign here) *Pittsburgh Pa. U.S.A.*
Michael Cronin

(Number and street or rural route.) (City, town, or post office.) (State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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Letter states that remains are
to be shipped to Michael Cronin
Abbeyfall Railway Station, County
Limerick, Ireland, where the
father whose address is, Toonasi
Dunagh, Kilmorna County,
Kerry, Ireland, will receive
them.

If remains cannot be sent to
foreign countries, send to address
given of hand.

Dr. Ly 1232-109
Sh 33 5/28/21 5-21-21
6/27/19
Lm/B B. Sec 78/B

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File No. 33484

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CRONIN, Patrick J. Ser. No. 1830492 } TYP. msc
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. H, 320th Inf. } CKR. 13. J.
 (c) Date of death 9/27/18 (d) Cause of death dwria

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

(a) Grave No. 133 Row -- Plot 3 Sec. 109 TYP. msc

(b) Emerg. Address Michael Cronin (Brother) 1814 Davis Ave., N.S. PITTSBURG, Pa. over

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases / CKR. 13. J.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt Feb. 9.

(a) Name Michael Cronin (b) Relationship Father
 (c) Address U.S. Address 1814 Davis Ave Northside, Pittsburgh, Pa
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? yes
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at yes
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. Michael Cronin, 1814 Davis Ave., North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa. (Exp. & Tel. omitted.)
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S.

Examiner's Initials me Date 5/31/21, 1920.

V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from Reverse of Card

dated _____,

confirming request in Par. IV., item _____, above, or requesting that body be shipped

to Michael Cronin, Abbeyfall Railway Station, County Limerick, Ireland. Remains cannot be shipped to foreign countries sent to address given on card.

Examiner's Initials me Date 5/31/21, 1920.

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

No request for disposition.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? _____

Examiner's Initials MB Date 5/31/21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232 Sec. 109 SHEET No. 33

CARDED

5/7/21

11-31-21

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

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on _____, 1920

letter on JUN 9 1921, 1920

See # 109

Par. 2 Not To Be Returned

met

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

ACTION TAKEN.

Desires body be _____

Body to be shipped to _____

Advice fwd Europe 8/4/21 for follow up B.R. 8/4/21 Hoboken

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

W. R. S. A. - Mrs. Anna Cronin, (Mother)

7-1-21,

Jooreen D. Augh,

County Kerry, Ireland.

7/14/21 #120 Michael Cronin (brother)

1814 Davis Ave, Pittsburgh Pa. requests body shipped to this address Father n.k. Michael Cronin, Listowel Kerry, Ireland 48-2-21 EG

Let 8/4/21 - Hoboken to brother - Mr. Michael Cronin.

1814 Davis Ave. N.S. Pittsburgh Pa. Adviseing him that case has been referred to Europe to follow up - 8/10/21 - MH

10/11/21 Letter from Europe states mother secure body left in 1232 11/10/21 Da

Let 11/15/21 Bro., Michael Cronin is adv of mother's wishes & compliance therewith 11-15-21 Da

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File No. 35484

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CRONIN, Patrick J. Ser. No. 1830492
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. H, 320th Inf. } TYP. msc
 (c) Date of death 9/27/18 (d) Cause of death dwria } B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 133 Row -- Plot 3 Sec. 109 TYP. msc
 (b) Emerg. Address Michael Cronin (Brother) 1814 Davis Ave., N.S.
PITTSBURG, Pa.

III. ~~Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases~~ CKR. B. J.

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 JUN 9 1921, 192
Sec. #109

Par. 2 Not To Be Returned

new JUL 6 1921

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.
<u>10/11/21</u>	<u>Letter from Europe states mother in Ireland</u>		
<u>desires body left in 1232</u>		<u>11/10/21 Da</u>	

VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. 8 - 8 -, 192

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Sept. 23, 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 Cronin, Patrick J.

10. Name

2. No. 1830492.

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. H. 320th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. Sept. 27th D.R.14. (a) D.D. Sept. 26, -186. C.D. D.A.W. R.I.A.

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 133 Sec. 109

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 3 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. No discrepancy.18. Cemetery Argonne American.19. Commune or town Romagne/3/Mont.20. Dept. or County Meuse.21. Country France.22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 Sec 109.23. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 23, 1921. By Elza Holmes.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Cronin, Patrick J.Serial No. 1830492Rank Pvt.Organization Co. H, 320th Inf.25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? No

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

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

G.R.S. plaque with name, serial number, organization and "killed-Sept. 26-18" inscribed thereon. Cpl. chevrons with effects. Crucifix on body.27. Condition of body Decomposed; features unrecognizable.28. Nature of burial In U.S. uniform, burlap and wooden box.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? See line #14.30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept. 23, 1921. By Elza Holmes.31. Casket sealed by Elza Holmes,

Signature of Embalmer. (Supervisor)

ADDITIONAL BY

SUSPENDED FOR FOREIGN ADVISE. REMAINS TO BE HELD IN MORGUE PENDING FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS FROM PARIS HEADQUARTERS.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **C-6239**

32. Designation of body:

Name **Cronin, Patrick J.** Serial No. **1830492.**

Rank **Pvt.** Organization **Co. H. 320th Inf.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Argonne Amer. R/S/Montfaucon 1232.**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Sept. 23, 1921.** By **Elza Holmes,**

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 *S. D. Archer*
S. D. Archer, 1st Lt., GMC.

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Sept. 23, 1921.**

To point of Concentration **Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232.**

Convoyer _____ (Name) *J. Gerald Cole*
Signature Shipping Officer

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date **J. GERALD COLE**
Captain, C.A.C.

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery

Convoyer _____ (Name)
Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred **in Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232, Romagne/s Montfaucon (Meuse) Oct. 25, 1922.**
(Date)

42. Grave No. **Twenty-eight (28)** Section **Block E.**

43. Plot _____ Row **Forty-two (42)**

G.R.S. Representative

George F. Spann
GEORGE F. SPANN,
Capt., G.C.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 23, 1921.1. REMAINS OF CRONIN, PATRICK J. SERIAL NUMBER 1830492RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co., H, 320th Inf.2. Disinterred (date): Sept. 23, 1921. From (give complete location):Gr. 133 sec 109 Pt 3, House-Agonne Cem., #1232.By: Group Holmes Unit Sec. 13. Reburied (date):
Oct. 25, 1922In (give complete location): Grave #28, Block E,
Row 42, Cem. #1232. GRS casket, case,
blanket and sheet.By: Group G. T. Parker Unit Cem. #1232 Nature of reburial

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

In U.S. uniform burlap and buried in a wooden box,body badly decomposed features unrecognizable.5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? No On grave marker? Yes

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

GRS, plaque on body with name, si. No. Org. and Killed 3 sept. 25 - 18.inscribed thereon. Cpl. chevrons with effete.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp to det.(b) Weight (estimated) Imp to det.(c) Hair—Color None remainingQuantity NoneCharacteristics None(d) Hair on face—Color NoneLocation NoneQuantity None

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

missing parts) Impossible to determine

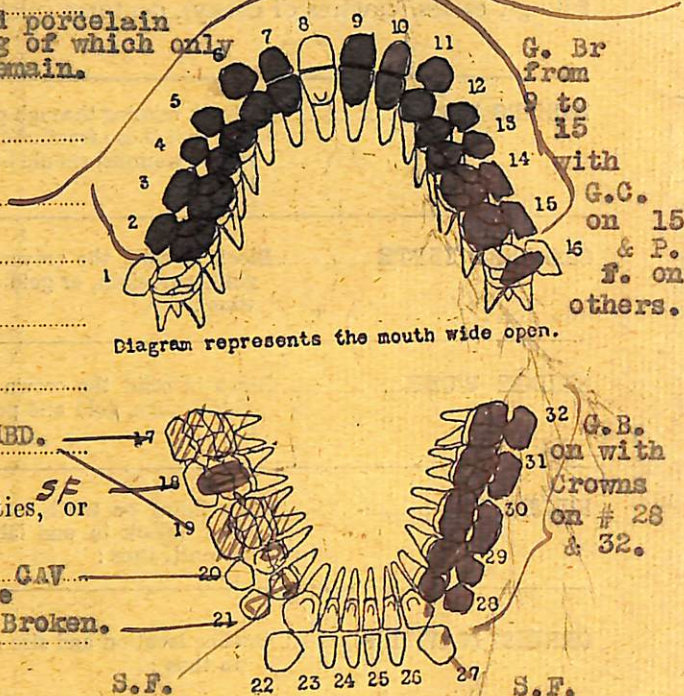
(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)

None discernable.7. Disinterment
supervised by E. Holmes8. Reburial
supervised by G. T. Parker

Approved

S. (Title) Archer 1st. Lt. OMC

Approved:

George F. Spann,
(Title) Capt. OMC.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.
6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspid (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

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.

