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Kokoska, Michael - 275180 - 27th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF
 Kokoska, Michael
 (Surname) (First Name and Initials)

BRANCH
 27th Inf. NC

DATE OF BURIAL
 29 June 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL
 Military Cemetery
 107th Regt. ILL

GRAVE NUMBER
 Hospital record # 104

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? Yes
 Bottle?

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

Parents: Joseph Kokoska
 2122 West 18th Street
 Chicago, Ill.

REPORTED BY
 J. J. [unclear]
 Gustav [unclear]
 Chaplain 12th Ind.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

This portion to be sent to [unclear]

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 draw of file
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brought to me
 10/24/35 as of any
 value by Mrs.
 M.D. J. of finance
 ex.

File
 ex
 10/24/35

Body returned to Co. S.

Kokoska, Michael

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

275,180
(Army serial number.)

Pvt Co L 127th Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do I desire the remains brought to the United States?

Yes

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery?

(Yes or no.)

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

Joseph Marik

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

Western Union

(Telegraph office.)

2544 So. Crawford Ave Chicago Ill

(Number and street.)

(City or town)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Joseph Kokoska

2122 W 18th St Chicago Ill

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

8-6713

Co. L., 127th Inf.,
32nd Div.

Kokoska, Michael, -Pvt.-275180.
Chicago, Ills.

While we were in the trenches at SS Manspach, Alsace at GC 65, Kokoska was standing guard just about dusk about the 27th or 28th of June, 1918. Just then Pvt. Richard Howard came around the corner of a traverse trench and Kokoska halted him with his gun at the position of ready. Howard admitted later that he had been shooting rats and that he had reloaded his rifle and forgot to put on the safety lock, and when halted came to the ready position, accidentally pulling the trigger, and shot Kokoska thru the neck. I helped to put Kokoska on a stretcher and Kokoska's last words were, "Let me at those Germans". I do not believe that Kokoska knew that Howard shot him. When I last saw Kokoska he was unconscious but not dead.

Informant: Black, Elmer J., Sgt.-275079.

Home: Co. L., 127th Inf.
Beloit, Wis.

Signed: 21; Feb., 1919.
William L. McClure, 1st Lt., 127th
Inf.

G.G.C.

Chicago I
Feb 15. 1921

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Cemeterial Div
Washington D.C.

Dear Sirs

Am asking about the remains
of our son Michael Kokoska
Co L. 127 Inf.

I've wrote several letters
asking to have them sent home
you are they would send them
home after Sept 15. 1920.

Several remains arrived here
but not my sons. Please let
us know if our papers were
not filled out correctly or
if we made some mistake.

Because some of the remains
sent were were of soldiers
that died of a latter date than
our son. We would like

Ad. Cemeterial Div., O. O. M. U.
9326
13435

Refused to be
sent home
Michael Kokoska

to have him at home
already because we think
he should have been here already.
Please let us know if there
is a way in which we
could get him home soon

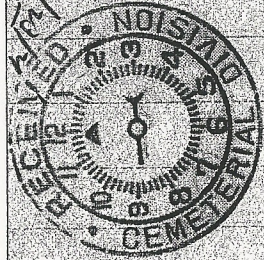
Thank you in advance
for whatever information
or advice.

Respectively
RECEIVED
FEB 24 1921
GENERAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.

Josef Madg.
Kokoska.

2122 West 18 Place

Chicago
FEB 18 1921
RECEIVED
GENERAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.



FEB 17 1921

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Chicago Ill

Dec 17. 1919

Chief. Graves Reg. Bureau
Wash. D. C.

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

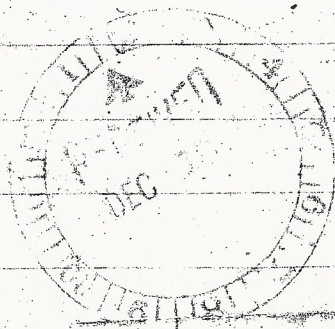
Dear Sir

Please be so kind and
furnish us with the
location of our dear
sons grave. Name

Michael Kokoska
Co. L. 127 Inf. —

died of accidental gun
shot wound June 27
1918.

Please also let us know
if we will ever be
able to claim his
body. He gave his



to France we are proud
of that. but would
like to have his
body honor our
cemetery lot. and
as we are old
and know we have
not much more years
or days to live
we think we could
die happily to know
our son is resting
with us.

He had four sons
in the Army he is
the only one we
ever lost. Please
answer as soon
as you can.

for although he is
dead a year and a
half we do not know
where he is buried

Thanking you in advance
we remain

Joseph + Madg.
Kokoska
2122 W 18 Place
Chicago
Ill.

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

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

January 19, 1920

Mr. Joseph Kokoska,
2122 W. 18th Place.
Chicago Ill.

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

Case of: **Pvt. Michael Kokoska, #275180**
Co. L. 127th Inf

Place of burial:

French Military Cemetery, Morvillars, Department of Ter-de-Belfort.

2. The grave has been registered and suitably marked for present purposes, pending the adoption of a more permanent monument by the National Fine Arts Commission, which now has the matter under consideration.

3. While it is a sad duty on our part to convey information concerning the burial of men who were our valient comrades, it is a satisfaction to answer the queries of those who suffer so grievously by the casualties of War.

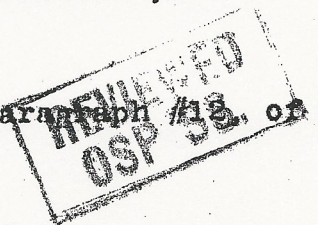
By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, Q. M. Corps,
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

In regard to the return of bodies, note paragraph #13. of the enclosed bulletin.

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Chicago Ill
June 7, 1920

This July 1st
yet worked
War Dept. D.C.
INTERNAL
11/20

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

Office of the Quartermaster
General, Graves Reg. Service

Wash. D.C.

Charles C. Pierce, Dear Sir.

We beg to inquire of the body
of our son.

Rot Michael Kokoka #275180

Co L. 127th Inf.

Place of Burial: French Military
Cemetery, Dept. of Ter-de-Belfort

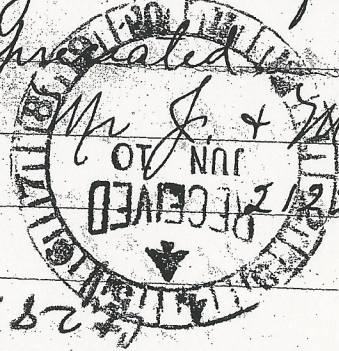
As we read by the papers
about the bodies of our
soldiers being brought here
of some that are from our
own City We would like to
hear from you. It is over

Noted
J. J. [unclear]

a year now that we received a card
to fill out if we want the body
of our son home we answered
yes we have been waiting
patiently ever since. We have
bought ~~on~~ a burial lot on our
Bohemian National Cemetery.

A certain paper stated those
wanting the bodies of their
soldier boys home to write for
them. Hoping that this is the
place to write to. We are ask-
ing if our sons body could be
sent home soon. As we are
getting old we feel bad about
seeing and hearing of others sent
home + not our son.

Any answer from you will be
appreciated. Sincerely



Mr. J. + Madg. Kokoska
18 Place
Chicago
Ill.

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Chicago Ill
Oct 21. 1920

Charles C. Pierce
Major U. S. Army.
Chief Cemeterial Division

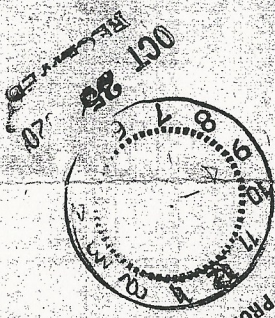
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Dear Sir.

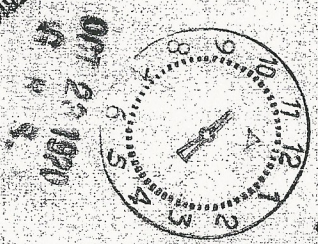
In answer to your
letter of the 18.th
Michael Kokoska is not
survived by widow or
children. He was
a single man living
with parents. at

Noted on Form No. 115
Date 11-1-20-7, L.

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File # 2938
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OVERSEAS PROJECT SECTION



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2122 West 18 Place

I am his Father

Joseph Kokoska

mother: Madg. Kokoska.

Chicago

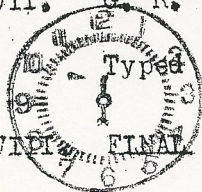
Ill.

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CONFIRMATION RECEIVED MAY 13 1921
AND ACKNOWLEDGED MAY 14 1921

CEMETERY DIVISION

VII. G. R. S. FORM No. 114 made Dec. 4, 1920



Typed by

OJB

Checked by

J.M.

Dec. 4, 1920

FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by-

(cable on _____ 1920

(letter on **DEC 6 1920** 1920

DEC 24 1920

PARAGRAPH 1 - TO BE RETURNED #7

IX. CORRECTIONS

| CHANGE OF ADVICE | ACTION TAKEN |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| Desires body be | |
| Body to be shipped to | |
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X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: 7-30-20 (parents) Joseph and Madge Kokoska, 2122 W. 18th

Place, Chicago, Ill. Acknowledge letter of June 21. Pleased that the Govt will return our dead soldiers. When their ^{body} remains shipped, wish it sent direct to the Bohemian National Cemetery of Chicago. 8-3-20 J.K.

Letter 10/18 to Father re widow & children - 10/18 J.

Letter 10/21/20 from Joseph Kokoska (Father) and Madge Kokoska (mother) states son was a single man. 11-1-20 J.L.

2-15-21 Letter (copy) from Mr. Josef and Mrs. Madg. Kokoska, parents, inquiring as to probable date of return of boyd.

3-3-21 - Letter from father and mother, Joseph and Madge Kokoska, 2122 West 18 Place, Chicago, Ill advises no wife or children - (8-3-16-21-25) H-2-28-21 PW

2-11-21 J.K.

File Number 13435

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

Date 9-24-21

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME: *Koboska, Michael* Serial Number

RANK:

ORGANIZATION: *C. 2. - 127th Inf.*

| No. | QUESTION | REPLY |
|-----|--|--|
| 1. | Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records? | No. Part. - #275180 |
| 2. | Date of death. | (2) 6-27-18 |
| 3. | Cause and place of death. | (3) Accidental gunshot wound. |
| 4. | Number of casualty cablegram. | (4) 214 |
| 5. | Date buried. | (5) 6-29-18 |
| 6. | Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments. | (6) Grave No. unknown, French Mil. Cty. #282, Morvillars, Ser. de Belfort ✓ |
| 7. | Who reported burial? | |
| 8. | Confirmed by G. R. S.? | |
| 9. | Report as to grave marker. | |
| 10. | Identification tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker? | (10) E. ? (11) Joseph Koboska (father) 2122 West 18th St., (City & State not given) |
| 11. | Complete emergency address? | |
| 12. | Has been notified? (Give date.) | |
| 13. | Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record.) | (12) 12-3-18 |
| 14. | What is the photograph number? | (14) D-40511 |
| 15. | Inquiry made by. | |

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

RELEASED BY INFORMATION CONTROL DEPARTMENT. *ELK*

.....X..... Confirmed.

..... Unconfirmed.

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File
J.P.

February 28, 1921.

293.8 Cem. #13435 (Kokoska, Michael, Private)

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

To: Mr. & Mrs. Josef Kokoska, 2122 West 18th Place, Chicago, Ill.

Subject: Return of Body.

FILE

1. In reply to your letter of February 15, 1921, you are advised that your request that the body of your son, Private Michael Kokoska, Company L, 127th Infantry, be returned to you for private interment is on record in this office and your wishes will be complied with in the event that the deceased is not survived by a widow, or child. It is, therefore, requested that you advise definitely whether or not such relatives survive, and if so, that the name, or names, and address, or addresses, of each be furnished this office without delay.

2. The bodies of the American soldier dead are returned to this country according to a plan based on the geographical location of the cemeteries in which they are buried and not according to the date of death of the soldiers.

3. Operations incident to the removal of the American soldier dead are in progress in the French Military Cemetery at Novvillars, Department of Ter-de-Belfort, in which the remains of your son are buried. It is impossible to state definitely when this particular case will be reached but the legal next of kin will be notified by telegram from our branch office at Hoboken as soon as possible after receipt of information from Europe that the remains have been shipped. He is again notified by telegram from Hoboken upon shipment of the remains from Hoboken, New Jersey.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

MAILED

FEB 28 1921

G.R.S.

MR

CHARLES J. WINNE,
2nd Lieut., U. S. A.

J.P.

*Copy forwarded to Hoboken
to their inf. 3/12/21 J.S.*

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C O P Y

293.8 Cem. #13435 KOKOSKA, Michael

Chicago, Ill.,
March 3, 1921

Charles J. Wynne,
2nd Lieut. Q.M.C.

Dear Sir:

There is no such relatives as (Wife or
Children) surviving Michael Kokoska. He was a
Single man and lived with us, his parents.

Joseph and Madg. Kokoska,
2122 West 18 Place,
Chicago, Ill.

Copied by L.C.

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., U. S. V. M. O.
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Chicago Ill
March 3, 1921

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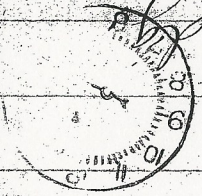
Charles J. Payne
2nd Lieut U. S. M. C.

City 282-2

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Dear Sir,
There are no such relatives
as (Wife or Children)
answering Michael
Hofbauer. He was
a single man
and lived with ~~his~~
his parents

~~Chicago Ill~~
Chicago Ill
9122 West 17th Place
Chicago Ill



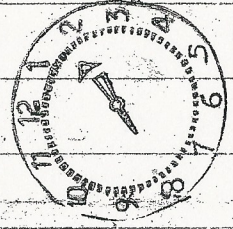
Joseph + Mary
Hofbauer

Chicago Ill
MAR 14 1921

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MAR 8 1921

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.

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MAR 7 1921
G. R. S.

March 11th, 1921.

File No. 293.6 Cem.Div., Cor.Branch.
(KOKOSKA, Michael)

Mr. Josef Kokoska,
2122 West 18th Place,
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Sir:

Remains of the late Private Michael Kokoska, Serial Number
275160, Company L, 127th Infantry, to be returned to the United
States and shipped to you at 2122 West 18th Place, Chicago,
Illinois.

Mailed-O.F.D.

MAR 14 1921

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File in

F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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| CLASS OF SERVICE | SYMBOL |
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| Telegram | |
| Day Letter | Blue |
| Night Message | Nite |
| Night Letter | N.L. |

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM



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GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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HOBOKEN N. J.

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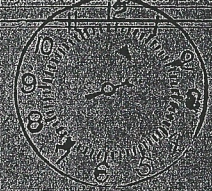
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HOBOKEN N. J.

BODY OF PRIVATE MICHAEL KOKOSKA TWO SEVEN FIVE ONE EIGHT
 NAUGHT BE SHIPPED TO JOSEPH KOKOSKA TWO ONE TWO TWO
 WEST 18 PLACE CHICAGO ILL I WILL MEET
 BODY AT RAILROAD STATION

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May 14, 1921.

(Kokaska, Pvt. Michael,
Serial #275180)

Mr. Joseph Kokaska,
2122 West 18th Place
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:

Receipt of your telegram of May 13th is hereby acknowledged and your wishes will be complied with. We will ship the body of Pvt. Michael Kokaska to you at the earliest practicable date after the ship bearing the body has arrived at this port. You will be notified by telegraph date of departure of the body from this port, and railroad line on which body will arrive at destination. Final burial arrangements should not be made until you receive such telegram.

Very respectfully yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,
Officer in Charge.

BY:

J. F. Butler,
Captain, Infantry.

4 incs.
rm

Mr. Josef Kokoska,
2122 West 18th Place,
Chicago, Ill.

Body of Pvt. Michael Kokoska, two seven five one eight naught
will arrive New York City about MAY 21 1921 and will be shipped to
you
at Government expense, but not until you telegraph at Government expense, confirming above ship-
ping instructions to—

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

Pier 2, Hoboken, N. J.

J. F. BUTLER,
Captain, Inf.

282-2 el.

Cause of Death: Accidental gunshot wound Date of Death: 6/27/18
Country: France Soldier's Serial No. 275180
Co. L. 127th Inf.
42. Received (date) MAY 18 1921
43. Shipped to destination (date) MAY 25 1921 B-L or Express Order No. _____
Convoyer _____ Shipping Officer _____

9/7/21

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QUARTERMASTER SECTION
CHICAGO GENERAL INTERMEDIATE DEPOT
OFFICE QUARTERMASTER SUPPLY OFFICER
1819 WEST 39TH ST.,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

To: Quartermaster Supply Officer,
1819 West 39th St., Chicago, Illinois.

PERSON AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE REMAINS Mr. Joseph Kokoska

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the remains of _____
Pvt. Michael Kokoska, 275180, Co L 127th Inf

in satisfactory manner and condition, also burial permit this 27
day of May 1921.

Joseph Kokoska
(Signature of person authorized to receive remains.)

NOTE: - If person, undertaker or otherwise except the next of kin, is authorized to receive body, have copy of letter of authority attached.

TO BE FILLED IN BY ATTENDANT

Name G. A. Davisworth, Rank _____ Organization _____
Warrant Officer, U.S.A.
Serial Number _____
Destination Chicago, Ill.
Date returned _____

RETURN THIS RECEIPT TO THE QUARTERMASTER SUPPLY OFFICER,
1819 WEST 39TH STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

Sten. 351
EJL

MM

Place Merrillans

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Jan 21, 1921

1. REMAINS OF Kokoska, Michael SERIAL NUMBER 275180

RANK Prv ORGANIZATION Co. D. 127th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Jan 21 1921 From (give complete location):

grave 154 Cemetery 282.

By: Group 1 Unit 1

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

By: Group _____ Unit _____ Nature of reburial _____

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

Pine box and sheet. body badly decomposed features unrecognizable.

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

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

French metal plate # 104 found on body.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) 5' 9 1/2"

(b) Weight (estimated) 170 lb.

(c) Hair—Color None visible

Quantity _____

Characteristics _____

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible

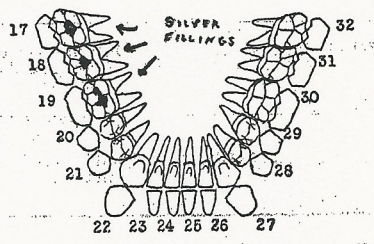
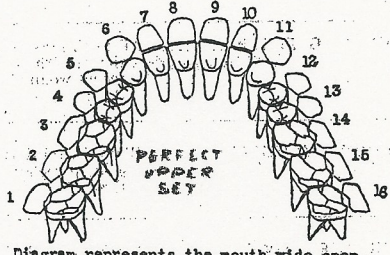
Location _____

Quantity _____

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

missing parts) _____

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



Handwritten signature and date:
W. R. Bursary
9.35.75

7. Disinterment supervised by O.E. bound
2d Lieut. 2. M. C.

Approved: W. R. Bursary
(Title) Capt Que

8. Reburial supervised by O.E. bound
2d Lieut. 2. M. C.

Approved: W. R. Bursary
(Title) Capt Que

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD: File #13435

(a) Name KOKOSKA, MICHAEL Ser. No. 25180) TYP. EW

(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I. 12th Inf.)

(c) Date of death 6/27/18 of death Accidental gunshot wound)

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

(a) Grave No. Unknown Row -- Plot -- Sect. --) TYP. EW

(b) Emerg. Address Joseph Kokoska, (Father) 2122 West 18th Pl., Chicago, Ill.

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; (NO CA)) CKR. 7

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD: Date of receipt None

(a) Name Joseph Kokoska (b) Relationship Father

(c) Address 2122 West 18th Pl., Chicago, Ill.

(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? yes

(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at Ill.

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U.S. Joseph Mariek
2544 So. Crawford Ave. Chicago, Ill. 7-11
Chicago, Ill.

(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U.S. _____

SEE SUSPENSION REMARKS

Examiner's Initials J.P. Date 7-6-1920

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

dated _____

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

no communication.

Examiner's Initials J.P. Date 7-6-1920

VI. G.R.S. Files - Correspondence - shows as follows: Parents Joseph & Mada Kokoska 2122 West 18th Place Chicago Ill. 12-17-1916-7-20. Confirm request on card.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes. EW

Examiner's Initials EW Date 7-7-1920

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

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COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G. R. S.

Discrepancy found upon examination of body.

| | |
|--|-------------------------|
| 1. Name <u>KOKOSKA, Michael</u> | 10. Name <u>None.</u> |
| 2. No. <u>275180</u> | 11. No. <u>--</u> |
| 3. Rank <u>Pvt.</u> | 12. Rank <u>--</u> |
| 4. Org. <u>Co. L, 127th Inf.</u> | 13. Org. <u>--</u> |
| 5. D. D. <u>6-27-18</u> | 14. (a) D. D. <u>--</u> |
| 6. C. D. <u>Accidental Gunshot wound</u> | 15. (b) D. B. <u>--</u> |

Discrepancy found upon disinterment.

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|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| 7. Grave No. <u>Unknown</u> | Sec. <u>---</u> | 15. Grave No. <u>154</u> | Sec. <u>--</u> |
| 8. Plot <u>---</u> | Row <u>---</u> | 16. Plot <u>---</u> | Row <u>---</u> |
| 9. <u>---</u> | | 17. <u>---</u> | |

18. Cemetery French Mil.

19. Commune or town Morvillars

20. Department or county Ter.-de-Belfort

21. Country France

22. G. R. S. Headquarters Code No. 282

23. Disinterred January 21, 1921. By Joseph Meyer.
(Date.)

24. Inscription on grave marker { Name KOKOSKA, Michael. Serial No. 275180
Rank Private. Organization Co. L, 127th. Inf.

25. Was identification disk found on grave marker? No. On body? No.

Joseph Meyer
Signature of Junior Technical Assistant.

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

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Cable Ref. Number 2

(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) French plate #104 found on body.
27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.
28. Nature of burial Fine box and sheet.
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 January 21, 1921. By Joseph Meyer.
(Date.)
31. Casket sealed by Joseph Meyer.

Signature of Embalmer (Supervisor) _____

Joseph F. Meyer

SHIPMENT (Show actual marking of box.) Box No 19055

32. Designation of body { Name Kokoska, Michael Serial No. 275180
Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I, 127th Inf.
33. CONSIGNEE—Name Joseph Kokoska
Address 2122 W. 18th Place, Chicago, Ill.
34. Casket boxed and marked January 21, 1921. By Joseph Meyer.
(Date.)

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 _____

O. G. Gound
2d Lt. 2. M. C.

36. Remarks _____

Records of *4/29/22*
of *4/29/22*

NOTED FOR INFORMATION
NO RECORD

37. Shipped from cemetery January 21, 1921. To Belfort
(Date.) (Point of concentration.)
Convoyer Inf. not available Signature Shipping Officer W. R. Buckley, Capt. 2. M. C.

38. Received at point of concentration 1/21/21
(Date.)
Signature Receiving Officer W. R. Buckley, Capt. 2. M. C. (*SL 4/20/22*
in sup.)

39. Shipped from point of concentration January 28, 1921.
(Date.)
To Cherbourg, France. Convoyer R. W. Hoover
(Port.)

- Signature Shipping Officer W. R. Buckley
W. R. Buckley, Capt., Q. M. C.
40. Received European port Cherbourg, France. 30 JAN 1921
(Date.)

Signature of G. R. S. Representative _____

Geo. W. Wheaton
MAJOR INFANTRY
U. S. A. T. WHEATON. PORT OFFICER A. G. R. S.

41. Shipped to HOBOKEN, N. J. On H. F. Tebead
(U. S. port.) (Boat.)
Date 5-1-21 Convoyer Geo. W. Wheaton
(1-19-22) MAY 1 8 1921 General Officer in Charge Inf. entry.

42. Received MAY 1 8 1921 By G. R. S. Representative J. F. Butler
(Date.) (Signature.) J. F. BUTLER
CAPT. INF. ENTRY

43. Shipped to destination MAY 25 1921
(Date.)
Convoyer _____ { B/L or Express Order No. _____
Shipping Officer R. E. Shannon
Capt Q. M. C.

DUE S. D. WHEATON
CABLE 508 CONS. 42

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------|----|
| (a) Name | KOKOSKA, Michael | Ser. No. | 275160 | } TYP | HW |
| (b) Rank | Pvt. | Organization | Co. I 127th Inf. | | EW |
| (c) Date of death | 6-27-18 | Cause of death | Accidental gunshot wound | | |

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

| | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|-----|-----|----|
| (a) Grave No. | Unknown | Row | --- | Plot | --- | Sect. | --- | TYP | EW |
| (b) Emerg. Address | Joseph Kokoska (Father) 2122 West 18th St. | | | | | | | | |

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

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

*Lab. file.
 Suspension Remarks: - Parents (Joseph & Madge Kokoska,
 2122 W. 18th St., Chicago, Ill.) was buried sent to Bohemian
 National Cemetery (H.) 12/7/20.*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 192
 (Letter of transmittal on 192

PARAGRAPH 1 - TO BE RETURNED.

DEC 6 1920

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. DEC. 22. 1920. 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

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|-------------|--------|--------------|-----|-----------|---|
| COUNTRY | France | CEMETERY NO. | 282 | SHEET NO. | 2 |
| G.R.S. FORM | 115-A | | | | |
| August | , 1920 | | | | |

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G. R. S. Form #124
Disposition Status -
OFFICE MEMORANDUM. -

REGISTRATION SECTION
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
CEMETERIAL DIVISION

File No. 13435
OSPSS Ref. No. 2822
Follow-up No. 805

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

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. ²⁸² (furnished by: MBH) (date 2-23-21)
Data sent Overseas Body to be returned - Let. Trans. - 12-6-20
Operations to commence (approx.) Began - Feb. 1921
Operations to be completed (approx.) _____
Bodies shipped from European Port _____
Bodies arrived at Hoboken _____ See # 275180

II. CASE OF Koboska, Michael, Pvt., Co. L. 127th Inf.

The following information was abstracted (Date) 2-23-21 from: Form 115A

| SOURCE | CLK. | in OFFICE | | CLK. | in OFFICE |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------|---------------------------------|------|-----------|
| A. G. O. Cards | <u>MBH</u> | <u>Yes</u> | Shppg. Inquiry (sent _____) | | |
| A. G. O. Corresp. | <u>RP</u> | <u>None</u> | To _____ | | |
| G. R. S. Corresp. relative to disp. | <u>HW</u> | <u>Yes</u> | OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.) | | |

Agos Card DESIRES as to Disposition.

| Name of Relative | RETURN | | | REMAIN | SPECIAL |
|-------------------------------|--------|------|----------|--------|---------|
| | N. C. | Pvt. | Int. | | |
| Widow | | | | | |
| Children (Name oldest first) | | | | | |
| Father <u>Joseph Koboska,</u> | | | <u>V</u> | | |
| Mother <u>2122 W-18 Pl.,</u> | | | | | |
| Brothers <u>Chicago,</u> | | | | | |
| Sisters <u>Ill.</u> | | | | | |

Body to be shipped to Joseph Mark, 2544 So. Crawford Ave., Chicago, Ill. was shipped (Date) _____

REMARKS City 282 Dispt - 12-6-20 of burials here began Feb. 1921, 139137/20-21 Form 115 filed Hoboken - 12-22-20
Per Copy letter 2-15-21 sent Hoboken - Will G.R.S. files - Parents Joseph & Madge Koboska

W-10 ...
 to Bohemian Natl. Clg. MBH
 No advice to Europe necessary 2-24-44
 H.C.

REPLYED
 was replied (Date)
 body to be replied to

| | | | | |
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| STRICTLY | | | | |
| CONFIDENTIAL | | | | |
| SECRET | | | | |
| CLASSIFIED (NAME OF DEPT. LIST) | | | | |
| DATE | | | | |
| NAME OF REGISTERED | M. G. | PAF. | IMP. | |
| | BELOREN | | | BEWVIA |
| | | | | ZBEGIVT |

DECISIONS AS TO DISPOSITION

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|-------------------|------|-----------|--------------------------------|----------------|
| REPORTS TO DEPT. | | | | |
| C. E. B. COLLEAD. | | | SEE 2-2 COLLEAD. (see remarks) | |
| V. G. O. COLLEAD. | | | TO | |
| V. G. O. COLLEAD. | | | SPRINT. INDUSTRY (sent) | |
| SOURCE | CIK. | IN OFFICE | | CIK. IN OFFICE |

The following information was reflected (Date) from:

- II. CASE OF
- Reported by ...
- Reported by ...
- Operations to be completed (approx.)
- Operations to commence (approx.)
- Date sent overseas

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on General No. (submitted by:) (date:)
 from: ...
 to: ...

OFFICE MEMORANDUM
 DISPOSITION SERVICE
 C. E. B. FORM 1054

GENERAL DIVISION
 SPECIAL REGISTRATION SERVICE
 REGISTRATION SECTION

Report No.
 Office No.
 Date No.