Searching the American Battle Monuments Commission Databases

What are the American Battle Monuments Commission Databases?

The American Battle Monuments Commission was established by Congress in 1923 and has the responsibility of designing, constructing, operating and maintaining permanent American cemeteries in foreign countries. There are currently 24 oversears military cemeteries which contain almost 125,000 American war dead. In addition, more than 94,000 U. S. m1ilitary personnel are memorialized on Tablets of the Missing. The American Battle Monuments Commission databases cover veterans and war dead of the Mexican War, the Civil War, and the Spanish American War who are buried in ABMC cemeteries in Corozal Panama and in Mexico City, those who were interred in American World War I and World War II cemeteries overseas or who are listed as Missing in Action on Tablets of the Missing within the overseas cemeteries and on three memorials in the U. S. World War I, World War II, those who were killed worldwide during the Korean War, and, additionally, civilians who participated in the construction and operation of the Panama Canal and who are interred in the Corozal American Cemetery. The information will vary a bit depending upon the war, however, name, rank, branch of service, regiment and division, state where entered the service, death date, cemetery and plot within the cemetery, and Awards, if any.

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- Go to http://www.abmc.gov/home.php
- For the Mexican War, Civil War and Spanish American War veterans or the Corozal American Cemetery, you must click on the special links in the body of the web page. The lists are very short, so these are not indexed like those for World War I and World War II.

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- To search the larger databases, select the appropriate one from the list found on the left side of the web page.

Search ABMC Databases
Burial Listings
World War I
World War II
Korean War

- After you have selected on of the databases in the list, fill in the last name. You may add the first name also or the initial of the first name if you desire. Click the **Search** button or press **<enter>**.

World War I Listing

Type the last name, a space, and the first name or the initial of the first name of the World War I casualty you would like to find, then click the Search button.

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- The Search Results window will open showing a list of persons who fit the criteria that was entered.

	Name	Rank	State	Date of Death	Cemetery
Go	HICKS CLEVELAND	PVT	Indiana	November 4, 1918	MA
Go	HICKS EARL R.	PVT	Nebraska	November 11, 1918	BK
Go	HICKS GREEN B.	PVT	Georgia	October 8, 1918	MA
Go	HICKS HOWARD S.	PVT	Oklahoma	September 15, 1918	SM
Go	HICKS JAMES E.	PVT	New York	September 14, 1918	MA

- Click on the **Go** button before the name of the person for whom you wish to see the record. You will see the record for the individual you selected and a picture of the cemetery in which he or she was interred.

Cleveland Hicks

Private, U.S. Army

333rd Infantry Regiment, 84th Division

Entered the Service from: Indiana
Died: November 4, 1918
Buried at: Plot C Row 38 Grave 34
Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery
Romagne, France

Awards: