

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE
OF A SUBSTITUTE TO S. 2372
OFFERED BY MR. TIPTON OF COLORADO**

At the end of title V, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 5___. REQUESTS BY PRIVATE CEMETERIES FOR**
2 **MARKERS FOR GRAVES OF CERTAIN VET-**
3 **ERANS OF WORLD WAR I.**

4 Section 2306(d) of title 38, United States Code, is
5 amended by adding at the end the following new para-
6 graph:

7 “(6)(A) If the Secretary is unable to identify any next
8 of kin of a deceased individual described in subparagraph
9 (B), a private cemetery may request the Secretary to fur-
10 nish a marker for the grave of the deceased individual pur-
11 suant to paragraph (1).

12 “(B) A deceased individual described in this subpara-
13 graph is an individual who—

14 “(i) served in the Armed Forces during World
15 War I; and

16 “(ii) is eligible for a marker furnished under
17 paragraph (1) (or would be so eligible but for the
18 date of the death of the individual).”.

