

To The A. G. O.

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G.R.S. Form #114-B

AUG 30 1922

DATE 1/19/22.

1. NAME ALLEN, William G. SERIAL No. 1379361
 RANK Wagoner ORGANIZATION Bty. F 124th F.A.
 GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Amer., Romagne/s/Montfaucon, Meuse 1232, Sec. 26
 CTY. NAME NUMBER

65 Sec. 26 2
 GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 20 - A Plot Row 2 Cheppy Meuse B A C
 GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES 273.5N 308.2E Verdun 35SE

CONCENTRATED TO 4-24-19 65 Sec. 26 2
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne 1232
 CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on body DATE OF DEATH Oct. 2, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Illinois

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None

Data from Form 1
 SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

e jr. tm DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Wm M. CLINE Captain Q.M.C.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 1/19/22. 2 32 G.
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

SEP 30 1926
 WORLD WAR DIV.

XXXXX
 BLOCK.

Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, CEMETERY

AUDITED BY
 B.W. - 3-26-23

A.G.O.
 AUG 31 1926

Robert C. Davis
 Major General
 The Adjutant General
 BY RCM

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF *R*

Allen *1379361* *W. G.*
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. *Btry. F, 124th F. A.*
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... *October 4, 1918.*

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

Map Verdun-A:

L-084-734

GRAVE NUMBER... *Grave 3: Row 4*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? *Yes* Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *Yes*

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

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

REPORTED BY: *Louis D. Egelson*
1st Lt. Chaplain, Hqs. 91st Div.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be forwarded to Adj. Gen'l., G. H. Q., A. E. F.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <u>ALLEN</u>	<u>Allen</u>	3	1 2 2
<u>William G.</u> BURIED	CEMETERY <u>1232</u>	1	1
	GRAVE <u>2</u>	2	0 2
	ROW <u>32</u>	2	3 2
	BLOCK <u>g</u>	1	7
STATE	<u>Ill</u>	2	1 3
RANK	<u>Drayner</u>	1	2
DIVISION	<u>33</u>	2	3 3
ORGANIZATION	<u>124</u>	3	1 2 4
ARM	<u>74</u>	1	3
MARTIAL	<u>no</u>	1	2
NAME <u>Allen</u>	<u>Allen</u>	3	1 0 2
<u>Mrs. Alice</u> ^{Mary}	STATE <u>Ill</u>	2	1 3
	COUNTY <u>Madison</u>	2	6 0
	CITY <u>Collinsville</u>	3	0 3 3
RESIDENCE <u>425 0' 4th St</u>	RELATION <u>Mother</u>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<u>yes</u>	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	<u>no</u>	1	2

AUDITED

DEC 10 1931

(Signature)

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Allen William G (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs Mary Alice Allen
425 O Farrel St
Collinsville Ill

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Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930, authorizes pilgrimages to the cemeteries Of Europe during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 for the mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces who were lost or buried at sea or whose remains are interred in Europe.

Your attention is particularly invited to the fact that this is the last opportunity you will have to make the pilgrimage under the provisions of the above mentioned Act. Unless you take advantage of this LAST chance to make a trip in 1933 you will receive no benefit from the Act. There is no provision of law which will permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who does not choose to make the pilgrimage.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU GIVE THE MATTER YOUR MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION BEFORE REACHING A DECISION, BEARING IN MIND THAT THIS IS THE LAST OPPORTUNITY YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE TRIP AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

In order to assure proper and satisfactory accommodations for the mothers and widows making the journey in 1933, reservations for steamship transportation must be made by this office several months in advance. It is requested that you answer the questions below by writing "Yes" or "No" or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question. When you have answered the question, sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. PLEASE DO NOT DELAY, as it is essential that the information be in this office promptly.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make the pilgrimage during the years 1930, 1931 or 1932. There is enclosed a circular of information WHICH YOU SHOULD READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE MAKING YOUR DECISION.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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CHAS. W. DIETZ,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

2 Encls.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?

no thanks just
(Write answer here) *the row*

(Sign here)

Mrs Mary Alice Allen

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE Oct. 5, 1931

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
<u>Allen, Wm. G.</u>	<u>Wag.</u>	<u>1379361</u>	<u>Bty. F, 124th F. A.</u>	<u>10-2-18</u>

STATE	CTY. NO.	GRAVE	ROW	BLOCK
<u>Ill.</u>	<u>1232</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>G</u>

Check relationship

Living ← Deceased

MOTHER	:	✓	:	:
STERMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	:
MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	:
MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	:	:	:	:
WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	:	:	:	:

mv.
Mary Alice Allen
4210 Farrell Ave
Collinsville
Ill

Single man

Veterans Bureau Claim Number
29/156

XC 80 115

10-15-31

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Allen, William G. Wag. (M-A) M

June 9, 1931.

Mrs. Alice Allen,
~~Edgewood St. #8,~~
~~E. St. Louis, Ill.~~

*425 1/2 Daniel St.
Collingville,
Ill.*

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1932 to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. Hughes
A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, U. S. Army,
Assistant.



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? _____

Write answer here

care to go
No I do not

Mary Alice Allen

Sign here

Call PQ

Coil near Keams;

Wayne Co.
Ils.

(no call nor coil
in Ils.)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

September 29, 1931.

Allen, William G. (M-A) M

Way. Bty. 7, 124th F.A.

Ill.

Mrs. Alice Allen,
~~Edgemont Sta. R. R. #3,~~
~~E. St. Louis, Illinois.~~

1379361

10-2-18

2-22-31

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. To date information has not been received as to whether or not you desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, in honor of the deceased veteran named above.

In order that the records may be complete, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. Hughes

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Encl:
Env.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

June 7, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Allen, William G. -1232 M

Mrs. Alice Allen,
~~Edgemont Station RR #3~~
~~E. St. Louis, Illinois.~~

Dear Madam:

Arrangements are now being made for conducting pilgrimages during the year 1931, to the cemeteries in Europe under the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929.

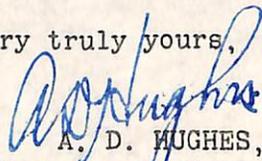
To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank space following the question.

As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

This letter is being sent to all mothers and widows who are not making the pilgrimage in 1930, regardless of whether or not they have expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

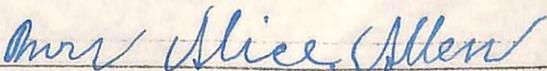
Very truly yours,


A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? no

(Write answer here)


(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Allen, William G. 1232 M

Mrs. Alice Allen,
~~Edgemont Station, R. R. #3,~~
~~East St. Louis, Illinois.~~

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress not later than December 15, 1929. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No) Other language (Specify language spoken)	

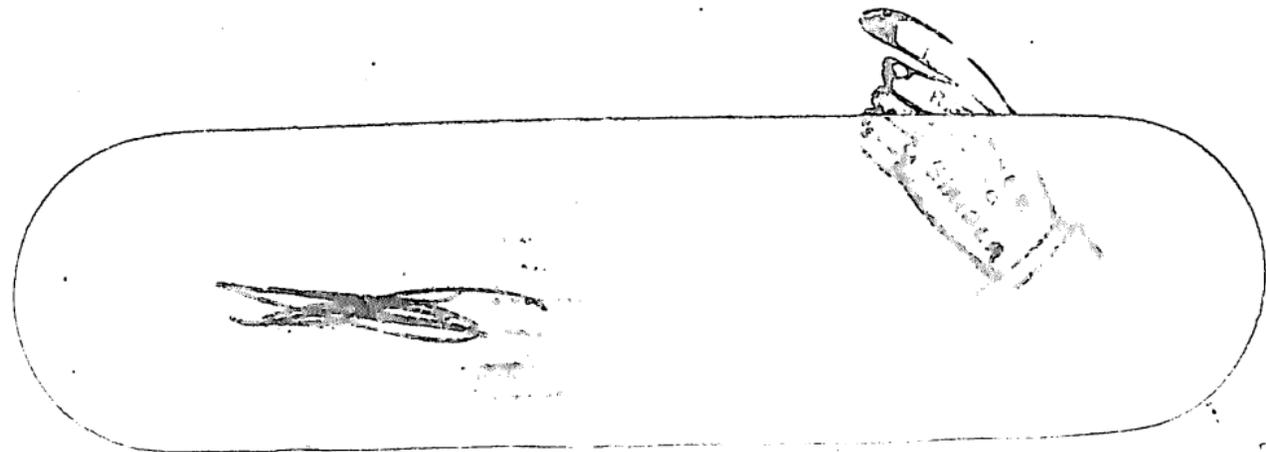
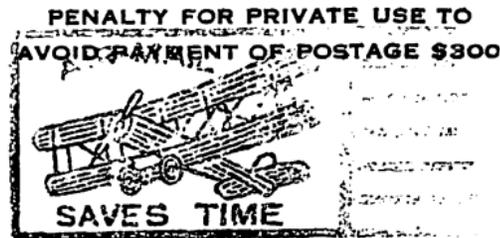
For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Allen, William G.
1232

August 30, 1929.

~~Mrs. Mary A. Allen,~~
~~Edgemont Sta. R. R. #3,~~
~~E. St. Louis, Ill.~~

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated **June 27, 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:

no widow
single man

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.

Mrs. Alice Allen
421 O'Farrell St. Call Ill
Mother.

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

no-

For The Quartermaster General,
2 Incls. M. A. A. D. I.
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Very truly yours,


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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Allen, William G.

June 27, 1929.

~~Mrs. Mary A. Allen,
Edgemont Sta. RR 43,
E. St. Louis, Ill.~~

Dear Madam:

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 mother of the late William G. Allen, Wagoner, Battery F, 124th P. A., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty., Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is 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,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Allen, William G. (M-A) M

September 29, 1931.

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E. St. Louis, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

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Sign here

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Encl:
Env.

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps, AL
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Allen, William G. Wag. (M-A) M

June 9, 1931.

Mrs. Alice Allen,
Edgemont Sta. Rt. #3,
E. St. Louis, Ill.

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Dear Madam:

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To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or "Undecided" in the blank space following the question.

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This letter is being sent to all eligible mothers and widows who did not make a pilgrimage at the expense of the Government during 1930 and are not making the journey in 1931.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? _____

Write answer here

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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June 7, 1930.

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Assistant.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

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2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No) Other language (Specify language spoken)	

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Allen, William G.
1232

August 30, 1929.

Mrs. Mary A. Allen,
Edgement Sta. R. R. #3,
E. St. Louis, Ill.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 27, 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?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Allen, William G.

June 27, 1929.

Mrs. Mary A. Allen,
Edgemont Sta. RR #3,
E. St. Louis, Ill.

Dear Madam:

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 mother of the late William G. Allen, Wagoner, Battery F, 124th F. A., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty., Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

In reply refer to:
293 C-R

June 27, 1923.

Mrs. Mary A. Allen,
Edgemont Station R.R.#3,
East St.Louis, Ill.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Wagoner William G. Allen, Battery F, 124th Field Artillery, is Grave 2, Row 32, Block G, 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. The 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.

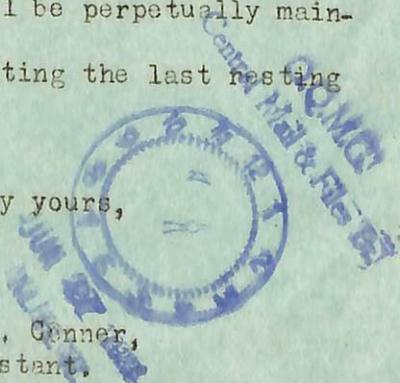
In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

ED

L
23/236/ARK



Place Comagne 1232.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Jan 18, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF WALLEN, William G. SERIAL NUMBER 1379361
RANK Wagoner, ORGANIZATION Bty. F. 124th F.A.

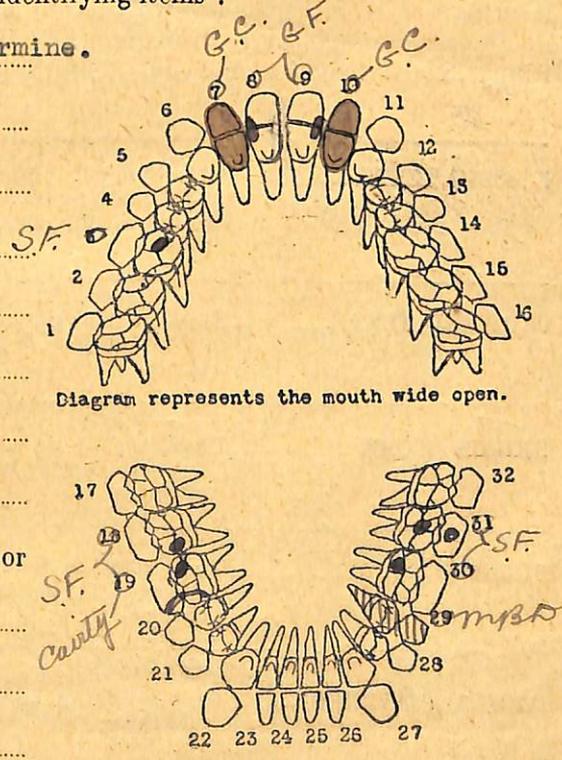
2. Disinterred (date): Jan. 18, 1922 From (give complete location): gr 65, sec 26, plot 2. Cty. 1232.
By: Group Maire. Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Jan. 19, 1922, Grave 2, Block G, Row 32, Cemetery 1232,
By: Group Reburial S Unit Unlined Casket, Nature of reburial

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
wooden box and burlap and U.S. uniform. body decomposed, unrecognizable.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? yes. On grave marker ? no
(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
Gold Elgin Watch initials ^H F. M. turned in to inspector.
Q & R

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items ?
(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine.
(b) Weight (estimated) do
(c) Hair—Color do
Quantity do
Characteristics do
(d) Hair on face—Color do
Location do
Quantity do
(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) do
(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) none



7. Disinterment supervised by Edius Maire
E. Maire.
8. Reburial supervised by W.B. Shields
W.B. Shields,

Approved: [Signature]
A. B. Dewey 1st Lt. Q.M.C.
(Title)
Approved: [Signature]
James W. Younger,
(Title) Captain Q.M.C.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-20748

32. Designation of body:

Name William C. ALLEN Serial No. 1379361

Rank Wagoner Organization Bty.F. 124th F.A.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer.#1232 Romagne/s/Montfaucon, Meuse

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Jan 18 1922 By Edmo Maire

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 A E Dewey

36. Remarks A E Dewey 1st Lt. QMC

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Jan 18 1922 cc

To point of Concentration Morgue Romagne (Name G F Spann)

Convoyer W J Royed Signature Shipping Officer G F Spann, Capt. QMC

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

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, Meuse Argonne Cemetery 1232. Jan. 19, 1922. (Date _____)

42. Grave No. 2 Section _____

43. ~~Plot~~ Block G Row 32

G.R.S. Representative James W. Younger

JEL

James W. Younger,
Captain Q.M.C.

AUDITED BY

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Jan 18 1922

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 ALLEN, William G.

2. No. 1379361

3. Rank Wagoner

4. Org. Bty. F, 124th F.A.

5. D.D. 10-2-18

6. C.D. DWRIA

10. Name

11. No.

12. Rank

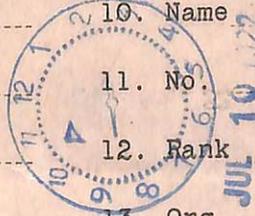
13. Org.

14. (a) D.D.

(b) D.B.

None

RECEIVED GRAVES REGISTER



Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 65 Sec. 26

8. Plot 2 Row

9.

15. Grave No. Sec.

16. Plot Row

17. None

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer.

20. Dept. or County Meuse

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232, Sec. 26

23. Disinterred (Date) Jan 18 1922

19. Commune or town Romagne/s/Montfaucon

21. Country France

By Edmo Maire.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name William G Allen

Rank Wagoner

Serial No. 1378361

Organization Bty F 124th FA

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

C Smyth O'Meara Signature Junior Technical Assistant

C Smyth O'Meara

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).

Gold Watch initials ^{Elgin} ^H AFM turned in to inspector

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial US Uniform burlap and box

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: Date Jan 18 1922 By Edmo Maire

31. Casket sealed by Edmo Maire

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) Edmo Maire

9379

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

*4/8/22 Exhumed
for Concentration
Museum Argonne
4/25/22
1232*

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #33789

(a) Name ALLEN, William G. Ser. No. 1379361
 (b) Rank Wagoner Organization Bty. F, 124th F.A.
 (c) Date of death 10/2/18 (d) Cause of death DWRIA

TYP. DMA
CKR. 13.7

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

(a) Grave No. 65 Row - Plot 2 Sec. 26 TYP. DMA
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mary A. Allen (mother) Edgemont Sta. RR #3,
E. St. Louis, Ill.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR. 13.7

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Mrs. Mary A. Allen (b) Relationship Mother
 (c) Address R#3, Edgemont Sta, East St. Louis
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? Yes
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at no

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. Mrs. Mary A. Allen
Edgemont Sta, East St. Louis, Ill. R#3,
Exp. Relay Depot Tel. omitted
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

Examiner's Initials S. M. Date 4-12-, 1921

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

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

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials S. M. Date 4-12-, 1921

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes S. M.

Examiner's Initials S. M. Date 11-12-, 1921

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-sec.26 SHEET No. 3

CARDED

acc 5/31/21

*attached
4/13/21
1232*

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 192

Typed by _____, Checked by S. M., _____

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5-26-1921
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VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on _____, 192

letter on MAY 25 1921

See #26

JUN 24 1921

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Overseas Project Sub-Section
192

Par. 1 To be returned.

met

IX.

REMARKS

6-15-21 - Telegram from mother, May Alice Allen, East St. Louis, Ills. requests body left in France. (H-6-19-21-83)

Form 129 fwd to Wash - 6/20/21 "Body to Remain" (JB-Not)

6/28/21 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM NO. 339 TO EUROPE-BODY TO REMAIN LPO-7/1/21

Letter from Europe 7/18/21 states return cancelled as per cable att 11/7/21

Allen,

(Surname.)

William G

(Christian name in full.)

1,379,361

(Army serial number.)

ag

Btry F, 124th FA

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Mother

Do you 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?

No

(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:

Mrs Mary A. Allen, Relay Depo.

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

Edgemont Sta, East St. Louis R. F. D. #3, Ill.

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mrs Mary A. Allen
Edgemont Sta, East St. Louis R. F. D. #3, Ill.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Handwritten scribbles and numbers, possibly including "12/3/11" and "12/3/11".

Drawn S.M.

4-12-21

1232-26-3

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

June 20th 1921.

From: Graves Registration Officer, Hoboken, New Jersey.
To: Quartermaster General, Cemeterial Division, Washington, D. C.
Subject: Supplementary Advice concerning:

Name Allen, William G. Ser. No. 1379361
Rank Wagoner Organization Batty F. 124th F. A.
Cemetery No. 1232-Sec. 26 Cable Reference No. (Sheet No.) 3

Request shown below dated June 17, 1921 is latest in this case:

Name of Relative Return Remain Special

to

in

France

Widow None

Children _____

Guardian _____

Father Same address as mother.

Mother Mrs. Mary Alice Allen, Edgement Station, East St. Louis, Illinois

Brother _____

Sister _____

Others _____

Body ~~to be shipped to, or~~ for interment in: permanent American Cemetery

bf

(Handwritten initials)

Cable ~~Letter~~ June 28 1921 forwarding advice to Europe dispatched _____ 1921.

Recorded, Cemeterial Div. # O. O. M. G.
File # 253-8
33789

Allen, William G.

WAR DEPARTMENT
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GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
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	to	in	
		France	

Widow None

Children _____

Guardian _____

Father Same address as mother.

Mother Mrs. Mary Alice Allen, Edgement Station, East St. Louis, Illinois

Brother _____

Sister _____

Others _____

Body to be shipped to, or for interment in Permanent American Cemetery

MAILED
JUN 20 1921
G. R. S.

(Jelt.)

Cable Letter 6/28 1921 forwarding advice to Europe dispatched _____ 1921.

R- 6-29-21 MW

June 23, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Gen.Div.Cor.Br.

Re: Allen, William G., Wagoner,
Serial Number 1379561,
Batty. F, 124th F. A.

Mrs. Mary Alice Allen,
Edgemont Station,
East St. Louis, Illinois.

Dear Madam:

Your shipping inquiry dated June 14, 1921, and telegram dated June 15, 1921, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France have been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C., for necessary action.

It is requested that any further communications concerning the disposition of the remains be addressed to that office for reply.

The Department desires to express its sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

BY:

F. C. PALIAS,
Executive Assistant.

1232/BR

Mailed-G.P.D.
JUN 22 1921

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Cemeterial Division
Office of the Quartermaster General

JUN 24 1921

RECEIVED

STATUS OF CTY. #

1232-24

as of (Date)

4/27/21

Total Burials in Cty. 208

Letter of Trans. No. of Bodies to be returned. 116

Bodies in Storage

{ Con. Center

Cable

{ Port

Cable

Operations to Commence WEEK ending July 9-1921

Bodies returned

" enroute

BUB

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON

JUN 6 1921

6/17 Steck

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

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

To: Mrs. Mary A. Allen, R#3, Edgemont Station, East St. Louis, Ill.

SUBJECT: Remains of Wagoner William G. Allen, Ser. No. 1379361, Bty. F, 124th F.A.

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 Edgemont Station East St. Louis, Ill. RFD #3.

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.

6/28/21

PROPOSED CABLEGRAM NO. 337 TO EUROPE-BODY TO REMAIN

LPW-7/1/21

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.

JUN 17

	NAME OF--	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow	<u>Mrs. Mary A. Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1 <u>William G. Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
	2 <u>Joseph Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
	3 <u>George Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
Father	<u>Joseph Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
Mother	<u>Mary Alice Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1 <u>Joseph Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
	2 <u>William G. Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
	3 <u>George Allen</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1 <u>Belle Chase</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
	2 <u>Lucille Chase</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>
	3 <u>Ethel Chase</u>	<u>Edgemont Sta.</u>	<u>E. St. Louis</u>	<u>Illinois</u>

Date June 14, 1921

Signature Mary Alice Allen

Address Edgemont Sta.

Relationship Mother

June 18

I, the undersigned, am the Mother 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~~ _____ (Name.)

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(R. R. station.)

Cemeterial Division (State) Overseas Project Sub-Section National Cemetery

3. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and buried in~~ _____

4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Signature Mary Alice Helen

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.

Name of youngest Brothers } Arthur Model Allen, Edgmont St., E. St. Louis.
Daisy Allen, Edgmont St., E. St. Louis.

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Name of youngest Sister } Mable Allen Edgmont St. E. St. Louis.

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
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

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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RECEIVED AT 227 HUDSON STREET, HOBOKEN, N. J.

27 NY KO 930A 88 COLL GVT

EB EAST ST LOUIS ILLS 857P JUN 15, 1921

GRAVES

HD

1232-26-3

REQUEST THAT BODY OF WAGONER WILLIAM GALLEN SERIAL NO 1379361

BTY F 124 FIELD ARTILLERY REMAIN IN EUROPE

MAY ALICE ALLEN

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Ceneterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

NOTED ON FORM #115
H-6-17-21-8

Rec'd 6/16/21
2:00 P.M.
m.m.m

6/28/21 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM NO. 839 TO EUROPE-BODY TO REMAIN LPA-7/1/21

V.H. 5-25-23
REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G. R. S.

Discrepancy found upon examination of body.

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Name <u>ALLEN, William G.</u> | 10. Name |
| 2. No. <u>1379361</u> | 11. No. |
| 3. Rank <u>Wagoner</u> | 12. Rank |
| 4. Org <u>Bty. F, 124th P.A.</u> | 13. Org |
| 5. D. D. <u>10-2-18</u> | 14. (a) D. D. |
| 6. C. D. <u>DWRIA</u> | 15. (b) D. B. |

Discrepancy found upon disinterment.

- | | | | |
|------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| 7. Grave No. <u>55</u> | Sec. <u>26</u> | 15. Grave No. <u>1121</u> | Sec. |
| 8. Plot <u>2</u> | Row <u>--</u> | 16. Plot <u>1121</u> | Row |
| 9. <u>--</u> | | 17. <u>1121</u> | |

18. Cemetery Argonne Amer.
19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon
20. Department or county Meuse
21. Country France
22. G. R. S. Headquarters Code No. 1232-sec.26
23. Disinterred (Date.)
- By

24. Inscription on grave marker { Name
- Serial No.
- Rank
- Organization

25. Was identification disk found on grave marker?..... On body?.....

Signature of Junior Technical Assistant.

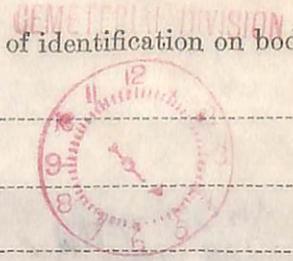
(The following space is reserved for notations to be made by office Chief Graves Registration Service.)

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FILE COPY

Sec.26-Cable Ref. Number 3

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) _____
27. Condition of body _____
28. Nature of burial _____
29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G. R. S. records quoted above? _____
30. Body prepared and placed in casket _____ (Date.) By _____
31. Casket sealed by _____
- Signature of Embalmer (Supervisor) _____



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JUN 24 1921

Cemetery Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

SHIPMENT

(Show actual marking of box.) Box No. _____

32. Designation of body { Name **William G. Allen** Serial No. **1579361**
 Rank **Wagoner** Organization **Bty. F, 124th P.A.**
33. CONSIGNEE—Name **Mrs. Mary A. Allen**
 Address **Edgemont Ste., East St. Louis, Ill. R.#3,
 (Expr. Relay Depot)**
34. Casket boxed and marked _____ (Date.) By _____

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 _____

36. Remarks _____

37. Shipped from cemetery _____ (Date.) To _____ (Point of concentration.)
 Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

38. Received at point of concentration _____ (Date.)
 Signature Receiving Officer _____

39. Shipped from point of concentration _____ (Date.)
 To _____ (Port.) Convoyer _____
 Signature Shipping Officer _____

40. Received European port _____ (Date.)
 Signature of G. R. S. Representative _____

41. Shipped to _____ (U. S. port.) On _____ (Boat.)
 Date _____ Convoyer _____ (Signature of Shipping Officer.)

42. Received _____ (Date.) By G. R. S. Representative _____ (Signature.)

43. Shipped to destination _____ (Date.) { B/L or Express Order No. _____
 Convoyer _____ { Shipping Officer _____

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #33789

See Form 115
att 4/25/21

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

ALLEN, William G. 1379361

(a) Name _____ Ser. No. _____ } DMA
 (b) Rank Wagoner Organization Bty. P, 124th F.A. } TYP. _____
 (c) Date of death 10/2/18 (d) Cause of death DWRIA } B.J.

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

65 - 2 26 DMA

(a) Grave No. _____ Row _____ Plot _____ Sec. _____ TYP. _____
Mrs. Mary A. Allen (mother) Edgemont Sta. RR #3,
E. St. Louis, Ill.

(b) Emerg. Address _____

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 MAY 25 1921, 192
Sec # 26

Par. 1 To be returned.

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., JUN 1 1921, 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source.	Relationship and name.	Desires.	Action taken.
<u>6/20/21</u> <u>Form 129</u>	<u>Mother</u> <u>Mary Alice Allen</u>	<u>Remain</u> <u>in France.</u>	<u>6/28/21 Europe</u> <u>advised by</u> <u>proposed cable</u> <u>339 To remain</u> <u>att</u> <u>6/20/21</u>

Letter from Europe 7/18/21 states return cancelled
as per cable att 11/7/21

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

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

acc 5/31/21

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GRAVE LOCATION BLOCK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Allen.....1379361.....W. G.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt.....Btry. F, 124th F. A.....
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL...October 4., 1918.....

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

Map Verdun-A:

L-084-734

GRAVE NUMBER.....Grave 3, Row 4.....

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

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

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?..... Yes

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

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

NAME. Very (Meuse)

(O-225) SHT. 35 SE. COORDS {E 308.4
N 273.4

REPORTED BY: Louis J. Gelson

1st Lt. Chaplain, Hqs. 91st Div.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

15 OCT 1918

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FILE

4/13/04
(Date)

FORM 115 has been compiled on the following case:-

CEMETERY NO. 1232 SECTION 26

FORM 115 Sheet No. 3

CH
(Initials)

OSP-SS
Form No. 1011.

S/2053/LML

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Feb 12, 1919.

Lt Robert M Kellerman
Ass't GRO Hdqrs 33rd Div

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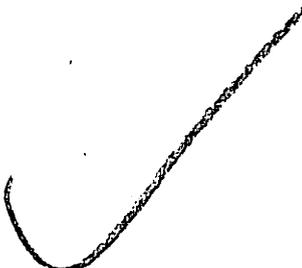
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Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:-

NAME *Allen, William G.* NUMBER *1379341*

RANK *Pvt. 1/c* ORGANIZATION *Bat. F. 134 F.A.*

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records?	① 124 F.A.
2.	Date of Death.	
3.	Cause and place of death.	
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	
5.	Date buried.	
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of Comotory or Commune only required.	⑥ Comm. # 225- Comm. of Very, Meuse Grave # 3 Row-4 35 SE $\frac{E 308.4}{N 273.4}$
7.	Who reported burial.	
8.	Has report been confirmed by G.R.S.	
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	
10.	Report as to Identification Tags.	⑧ No
11.	Who is nearest relative?	
12.	Has N/R been notified? (Give Date)	
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	
14.	What is the Photograph No?	

N.B. All Proper names to be printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS.

By
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Place NEUFCHATEL

Date 3rd June 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: ALLEN, W^mG.

Number: 1379361

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Co F 124 FA.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

24th April 1919

B/A Cemetery Grave No 20

VERY. MEUSE. 35SE 308.2E 273.5N

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

24th April 1919

Grave 65 Sec. 26 Plot 2

Argonne American Cemetery #1232

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

Buried in blanket, body badly decomposed, burial good.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

What other means of identification were found on the body? None

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Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 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. Caswell

R. H. ROSENTHAL

2nd Lieut. O. H. C. U. S. A.
C.O. Group Unit

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