

AUG 30 1926

DATE Nov. 14th, 1921

1. NAME ^{Soldier's Log} ^{Andelst} ^{OK} ANDELSTADT, Raymond D.

SERIAL No. 45700

RANK Pvt. 1/c

ORGANIZATION M.G.Co. 18th Inf. 1st Div.

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne/s/Montfaucon, Meuse. 1232, Sec. 43

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

91

Sect. 43

2

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

CONCENTRATED TO

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

DATE OF DEATH

Oct. 9, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

California

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

None

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

Nov. 14th, 1921

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B1.G.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

---PLOT---

Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, (Meuse).

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY
S.M. 9-25

A.G.O.
SEP 30 1926
WAR DIV.

A.G.O.
AUG 31 1926
WAR DIV.

Robert C. Davis
Major General
The Adjutant General
By [Signature]



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.
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3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.
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[Red stamp]

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE

Andelstedt
(Surname)

M

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Andelsbdt Raymond D
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

M. G. Co. 18 Inftry
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL October 11 1918

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

Field N.W. Hill 240
coords 00 01 82 83

Argonne map 1:50 000 US 29 Eng.

GRAVE NUMBER..... PFC. Corp
Madido Cal.

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? yes Cross?.....
Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS: on hill
sniper No. 240
offensive East

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 mark should be given here:

Co. M.G.

th Infantry.

REPORTED BY:

Chaplain King 18 Inftry
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Co. MG. 18th Infantry
1st Division

Andelstedt Raymond D. PFC. Corp
~~Corp~~ 45700
Home : San Bernadido Cal.

on hill
Pvt. 1 cl. Andelstead was killed instantly by an enemy sniper No. 240
about 1 kilometer in front of Exermont, in the first Offensive East
of the Argonne and West of the Meuse.
2.- PVT. Andelstead was buried where he fell.

Informant: Gibson Thomas R. Capt. Co. M.G.
18th Infantry.

Home Chicago, III.

Signed: T.R. Gibson, Capt. 18th Infantry.

*Kin - Mrs. Mary Andelstedt
San Bernadino, Calif.*

I, C,

ORIGINAL PAPER FILED

CROSS INDEX

O. O. M. G.

WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU
ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

And
Andelstedt, Raymond D
Pvt.

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY June 4, 1930

San Bernardino County, State of California

Name Andelstedt, Mrs Lydia (F-2)

Address 948 - 5th Street, San Bernardino, California

Route going: AT&SF Chicago, Grand Trunk Suspension Bridge, LV New York

Return: Same route

			ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE
Itinerary going	✓Lv	San Bernardino	AT&SF	4	7:50 PM	May 29
	✓Ar	Chicago	"	"	9:15 AM	June 1
	✓Lv	Chicago	GT	8	12:45 PM	" "
	✓Ar	New York	LV	"	5:45 PM	" 2
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Accommodations: Standard sleeper San Bernardino to Chicago, and Chicago to New York

Elapsed Time: 90 hours 55 minutes

Extra Fare:

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ITINERARY FOR MEUSE-ARGONNE CEMETERY

PARTY "F"

Andelstedt, Raymond D.

Left New York June 4, 1930 on the SS AMERICA in charge of Captain Morrill Ross. Arrived Cherbourg about 4 a.m. A special tender for the use of the pilgrims arrived alongside the ship at 5:25 a.m. The following personnel met the boat: Captains J.M. Reynolds, H. W. Kinderman, H. L. Earnest, T. N. Stark, Major G.F.N. Dailey, Lt. E. B. Freeman, Miss Rulon, 7 nurses and 2 civilians. Train left at 8:48 a.m. and arrived at 2.25 p.m. at the Gare des Invalides Met. by Coll Ellis and others and conducted to hotel. (June 13th)

June 14th - A. M. free conference with conducting officer - explanation of points of general information. Departed 3 p.m. for Arc de Triomphe Ceremony followed by tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent. Dinner at hotel. Night sightseeing trip.

June 15th - A. M. free or church. Sightseeing trip to Sacre Coeur in p.m.

June 16th - Departed at 7:15 a.m. for cemetery via Montmirail, Chalons, St. Menhould and arrived Verdun 6:15 p.m. Stopped at Hotel Nouvel or Vauban Hotel.

June 17th - 18th - 19th - 20th - Visited cemetery daily, also sightseeing trips in vicinity.

June 21st - Departed Verdun at 9:15 a.m. for last visit to cemetery and for return to Paris via Suippes and Reims - stopped at Reims overnight at the Hotel Bristol Crystal.

June 22nd - Visited Reims and cathedral and left at 1:30 p.m. via Champfleury, Ay, Epernais, Dormans, Chateau Thierry. Arrived Paris 6:45 p.m.

June 23rd - Visited Fontainebleau

June 24th - A. M. free and visited Napoleon's Tomb in p.m.

June 25th - Visited Notre Dame in a.m. and Versailles, Belle Cycliste- Suresnes in p.m.

June 26th - Visited Louvre in a.m. and p.m. free.

June 27th - Left Gare des Invalides at 10:30 p. m. in charge of the following: Captains Mitchell, Haley, Dalton, Lts. Gregory, Moroney, Binns, Capt. Kinderman, 4 nurses and 2 civilian employees. Arrived Cherbourg at 4:12 p.m. and sailed at 6:03 on the President Harding. Captain A. J. Funk as Liaison Officer.

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt

WAR DEPARTMENT
 "PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS"
 -- ROOM 901 --

225 West 34th St., New York, N.Y.

Party "F"
 Number 1007

ANDELSTEDT, RAYMOND D. M.A.

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt

Name of Traveler

San Bernardino, San Bernardino Co.

Home Address

California

Estimate cost of through Pullman.

San Bernardino, Cal.

New York, to

\$ 3263

New York, to San Bernardino, Cal.

Destination.

Via L.V. to Susp. Br. - G.T. to Chicago - A.T.&S.F. to Albuquerque -

to dest.

July 5, 1930

Date of Departure

	Road	Tr. NO.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	car	U.S.G. Order NO.	Est. Cost
LV	<u>Penn. Sta.</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7/6</u>	<u>6:45</u>	<u>LV</u>	<u>151</u>		<u>900</u>
AR	<u>Chgo.</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>7/7</u>	<u>8:45</u>				
LV	<u>San Bernardino</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>7/7</u>	<u>11:15</u>	<u>Lower</u>		<u>Wg-1021427</u>	<u>2263</u>
AR	<u>San Bernardino</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>7/8</u>	<u>3:20</u>				
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TOTAL 3263

Remarks: :

Validate.

X FARE

Wg-1021428 1/20

Left Pennsylvania Hotel at 5:45 P.M. escorted by Capt. Ross. - 2 pieces of baggage.

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt

Arrived June 2, 1930 - train No. 8 on the Lehigh Valley RR. at Pennsylvania station. Met by Capt. F. M. Child at 5:40 P.M. and taken to the Gov. Clinton Hotel.

and quartered with Mrs Elsie Haws - 2 days.

On return from pilgrimage stayed at Hotel Pennsylvania and quartered with Mrs Clara B. Hammel + Mrs. Caroline Loney - 1 day.

REMARKS

Desires quarters with Mrs. Elsie Haws, Box 16 Highland Calif.,
Mrs. Minnie M. Lawson, 167 Olive St., San Bernardino, Calif., and Mrs. Caroline
Loney, P/O. Box #617, San Bernardino, Calif.

Deleted from Party F. 5/20/30.

Restored to Party "F" 5/23/30



Valued at

2067

6 NAME ANDELSTEDT, MRS. LYDIA

S.S. ~~AMERICA~~ HARDING JUL 4, 1930

HOME 948 5th St. San Bernardino, Calif

R.R. *h vt Sing Br. - G T to chi -* County

STATION *AT & SF to Albuquerque*
" to den

TRAIN #

CAR #

BIRTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE *Oct 31 - 30*

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

519. Pass List Party 7

MEMORANDUM

April 28, 1930

To All Concerned:

Please make the following changes in passenger
list for:

S. S. AMERICA, June 4, 1930

Change #2

Party F

DELETE - Andelstedt, Mrs. Lydia

CALIFORNIA

Page F - 2

For The Quartermaster General,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Sup. m.a.
copies to
Rail
Water



May 23rd, 1930

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt
948 - 5th Street
San Bernardino, Cal.

Dear Madam:

Please attach the enclosed tags to each piece of baggage, thus to protect the safe arrival of same in New York.

Upon your arrival in this City, you will be met at the Railroad Station by a United States Army Officer, in uniform, who will wear on the left sleeve of his coat a blue cloth band, showing a Gold Star and the word "Pilgrimage". This officer will escort you and your baggage to your Hotel in New York City.

For The Officer in Charge:

George F. R. Taylor,
1st. Lieut., Q.M. Corps,
Assistant.

Enclosures:
2 tags.

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM

May 23, 1930

To all Concerned:

Please make the following changes in passenger
list for:

S. S. AMERICA, June 4, 1930

Change #17

Party F

RESTORE -

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

CALIFORNIA

Page F - 2

M Andelstedt, Mrs. Lydia
948 5th St., San Bernardino
(Desires quarters with Mrs. Elsie
Haws, Box 16, Highland, San Bernardino
Co., Calif., Mrs. Minnie M Lawson, 167
Olive St., San Bernardino, Calif., and
Mrs. Caroline Loney, P. O. Box 617, 831
17th St., San Bernardino, Calif.) (Group MA)

Pvt. Raymond D. Andelstedt
Grave 3, Row 20, Block G

For the Quartermaster General:

CC: to: Lt. Moore.
Chief Clerk ✓
Rail
Water

R.E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q.M. Corps
Assistant.

201. Andelstedt, Mrs. Lydia

FVR

Pilgrimage War Mothers & Widows
R 901, 225 W. 34th St.,
New York City, N.Y.

VIA POSTAL TELEGRAPH

A. C. TIPTON,
Major, Inf. (DOL)

July 5, 1930

Mr. August Andelstedt,
948 - 5th Street,
San Bernardino,
California.

YOUR WIFE ARRIVED SAFE ROUGH VOYAGE HOME TENTH

COLONEL WILLIAMS

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt, Party "F", Hotel Pennsylvania.

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE	
NAME	Andelstest	A N D	3	1 0 4 4
BURIED	CEMETERY	1232	1	1
	GRAVE	3	2	0 3
	ROW	20	2	2 0
	BLOCK	4	1	7
STATE	Calif		2	0 4
RANK	Pvt 1 cl		1	2
DIVISION	1		2	0 1
ORGANIZATION	18		3	0 1 8
ARM	Inf		1	1
MARTIAL	No		1	2
NAME	Andelstest	A N D	3	1 0 4 4
RESIDENCE	STATE	Calif	2	0 4
	COUNTY	San Bernardino	2	3 6
	CITY	San Bernardino	3	0 7 2
RELATION	Mother		1	1
OTHER			1	
ELIGIBILITY	Yes		1	3 13
NATIVITY			1	
RACE			1	
ENGLISH	Yes		1	1
ATTENDANT			1	
HEALTH	Good		1	1
NO. OF SONS			1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.		1	
	YR.	1930	1	
ACCEPTANCE	Yes		1	
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Paid June 4
 1930

Audited
 OCT 7 1931
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QM 293 A-M
Andelstedt, Raymond - 1232

July 16, 1930.

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
948 5th Street,
San Bernardino, Calif.

Dear Madam:

I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of the testimonial which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS President Harding were so kind as to send me regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe.

It is gratifying to know that your trip was entirely satisfactory and that the officers of the Army and the nurses rendered such courteous and efficient service. The Quartermaster Corps is proud of the honor bestowed upon it by being charged with the conduct of these pilgrimages and has expended every energy that those making the journey might have a comfortable and pleasant trip. I feel however, that the task has been materially lightened by the wonderful spirit of cooperation shown by the mothers and widows who are making the pilgrimage.

I am indeed pleased to receive such complimentary remarks of the care and consideration shown the women making the journey by the personnel connected with the pilgrimage.

Sincerely yours,

J. L. DEWITT,
Major General,
The Quartermaster General.

LEB

NAME Andelstedt, Mrs. Lydia ^F

ADDRESS 948-5th St., San Bernardino, Cal.

DATE July 16, 1930.

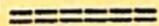
TO: OFFICER-IN-CHARGE,
PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

I BEG TO INFORM YOU THAT I HAVE RETURNED
TO MY HOME SAFELY AND IN GOOD HEALTH.

SINCERELY,

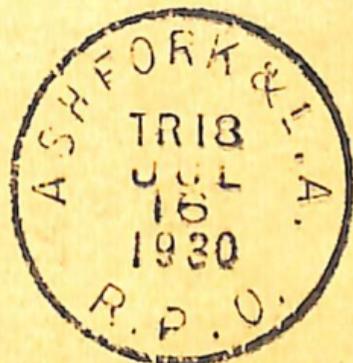
(SIGNED) Mrs Lydia Andelstedt
Thanks.

WAR DEPARTMENT



OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE \$300.



PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

~~Restored~~
STATE*Andelstedt, Raymond D.*CALIFORNIA

Mother

948 5th St.,

NAME *Andelstedt, Mrs. Lydia* HOME ADDRESS *San Bernardino, San Bernardino County*NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN *Mr. A. Andelstedt* *948 5th St. Bernadino, Cali.*ARRIVAL IN NEW YORKDATE *6/9* HOTEL *Gov. Clinton* ROOM NO. *414*DEPARTURE NEW YORKDATE *June 4th, 1930* VESSEL *"AMERICA"* CABIN NO. *300D*DESTINATION *Cherbourg, France* CEMETERY *Meuse-Argonne**Restored*
~~CANCELLED~~

RETURN NEW YORK

DATE JUL 5 1930

Mother

948 5th St.,

NAME .. Andelstedt, Mrs. Lydia HOME ADDRESS San Bernardino, Calif.

RETURN ON S. S. **S/S HARDING** HOTEL **PENNSYLVANIA** ROOM NO. 1418

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE 7/6

ROAD L.V. TRAIN 3 CAR 151 BERTH or SEAT L2

REMARKS

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MR. H. W. SIDDALL
ROOM 423 NEW UNION STA. BLDG.
516 WEST JACKSON BLVD.
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 23, 1930

CHANGE FOURTEEN AMERICA JUNE FOUR DELETING MRS. LYDIA ANDELSTEDT PAGE F-2 THIS
PILGRIM HAS AGAIN BEEN RESTORED AND WILL MAKE THE TRIP USE TRANSPORTATION REQUEST
ORIGINALLY SENT YOU

GSM 849

DeWITT
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

QM 293 A-C
Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232-M

May 23, 1930.

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
948 5th St.,
San Bernardino, Calif.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. **316484** in the amount of \$ **40.00**, to pay for your meals and incidental expenses from your home to New York on the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MUST THIS CHECK BE CASHED AND USED FOR ANY PURPOSE OTHER THAN THAT SPECIFIED.

If for any reason, you are not able to sail on the date mentioned in your invitation, the check must be returned to this office immediately.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

1 Incl.
Check No.

Audelstett, Raymond B. 1232

Washington, D. C. May 21, 1950

Mr. H. W. Siddall
Room 428, New Union Station
516 W. Jackson Blvd
Chicago, Illinois

AMERICA JUNE FOURTH LYDIA ANDRESTEDT PAGE F TWO LENA MOSS PAGE F TEN

CANCEL RETURN TRANSPORTATION REQUESTS

GSM 817

DeWitt
Quartermaster General

QM 552.01 A-C
W.M.B.

*Trans. returned to
Mrs Audelstett.
Dr has again been
added to June 4th
trans list*

Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232 M

May 20, 1930

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt
948 5th St.,
San Bernardino, California

Dear Madam:

Arrangements have been completed for your transportation to New York City on your pilgrimage to the American Cemeteries in Europe. One week before your departure the railroad ticket agent, of the first road shown below, will deliver your railroad and pullman ticket to you. Your route to New York will be as follows:

Lv. San Bernardino	AT&SF	No. 4	7:50 PM	May 29
Ar. Chicago	"	" "	9:15 AM	June 1
Lv. Chicago	GT	" 8	12:45 PM	"
Ar. New York	LV	" "	5:45 PM	2

All railroad employees have been instructed by their officials to see that you are shown every courtesy and given assistance, particularly at points where it is necessary to change cars.

Should you not receive your ticket six days before the date shown for your departure please take up at once with the ticket agent and if he does not have your ticket, telegraph this office, collect, to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

OM 293 A-0

May 1, 1930

Loney, George V. 1232
Lawson, William H. 1232
✓ Andelstedt, Raymond 1232
D 22 News, Leonard A. 1252 for Patton

Mrs. Elsie News,
Box #18,
Highland, California.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 12 relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. Caroline Loney, Mrs. Minnie Lawson and Mrs. Andelstedt when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "America" June 4, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and that you can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

H. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

HL

Andelstedt, Raymond,
1232

San Bernardino Co

San Bernardino Calif

April 30 1930

GM 293 A-C.

Dear Sir:

~~Noted~~
Emergency address
for Mrs Lydia Andelstedt
is Mrs J C Duntan
948 - 5 Street
San Bernardino
Calif.

With ~~enclosures~~.



June 4, 19³⁰

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File
5-8-30

Take aff

Auth Major Harris

States no prev. trip
cases will go this
year - only very
exceptional cases

5/20/30 from
deleted Amer - June 4

5-20-30

MEMORANDUM FOR CAPTAIN HUGHES

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt, No. 948 Fifth Street, San Bernardino, California, mother of Raymond D. Andelstedt, interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, desires to make the pilgrimage this year but was turned down on account of having made a previous trip on her own expense.

Congressman Swing of California is very much interested, and in accordance with our conversation I have told him that just as soon as the bill ~~passes~~ Mrs. Andelstedt will be assigned to the sailing of the SS AMERICA June 4, 1930.

For The Quartermaster General.

R. E. Shannon

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

OK work

Get anything lined up including name plate - cannot go in 1930

5/20/30 Deleted from Amer. June 4

5/23 - Restored to Trans List Amer. June 4

Auth. Maj. Harris.

Gen. Dettitt says OK as per msg. H 5/23/30 EAS

Swing 60

Childs. Swing

QM 293 A-C
Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232 H

April 29, 1930

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
848 Fifth Street,
San Bernardino, California.

Dear Madam:

It is regretted to advise that an invitation to sail on the SS "America" June 4, 1930 was erroneously mailed you to visit the grave of your son, the late Private, first class, Raymond D. Andelstedt, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

In this connection, your attention is invited to section 2 (b) of the Act which reads in part "but no mother or widow who has previous to the pilgrimage visited cemeteries described in section 1 shall be entitled to make any such pilgrimage".

In view of the fact that you have visited your son's grave, you are ineligible under the law to make this pilgrimage at the expense of the Government.

The reservation made for you on the SS "America" has accordingly been cancelled, and this office deeply regrets any inconvenience to you caused by the issuance of this invitation.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

KL

932-C

America 6/4/30
RETURN RECEIPT

1232

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original number of which appears on the face of this Card.

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, 5/26, 1923

Form 3811

05-6116

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 926229

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

Q. M. GENERAL

Return to _____

(NAME OF SENDER)

MUNITIONS BUILDING

*Street and Number,
or Post Office Box,* _____

WASHINGTON

D. C.

**PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE
TO AVOID PAYMENT OF
POSTAGE, \$300**

**POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE**

AND DATE OF DELIVERY



932
RETURN RECEIPT. 1232

Amica 6/4/30

Received from the Postmaster the Registered or Insured Article, the original number of which appears on the face of this Card.

Mrs Sylvia Andelstedt
(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery,

5-21

192-30

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 927633

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____



**PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE
TO AVOID PAYMENT OF
POSTAGE, \$300**

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to _____

Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

*Street and Number,
or Post Office Box,* _____

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON

D. C.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
PASSPORT DIVISION

1232
Raymond U
Andelstedt

April 23, 1930.

America
June 4th

MEMORANDUM TO THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

A Special Pilgrimage Passport issued to Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt is transmitted herewith. For your information it may be stated that the files of the State Department show that on February 26, 1920 a passport was issued to August Andelstedt including his wife Lydia. In that application he stated that he desired the passport to visit relatives in England and Sweden and son's grave in France.

[Handwritten signature]

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 1, 1930.

Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232 M

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
948 5th St.,
San Bernardino, Calif.

Dear Madam:

The following instructions prepared by the Secretary of State contain the necessary instructions to be followed by you in obtaining the passport or travel document to be utilized in connection with your pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe. Please read the directions carefully and call in person upon the nearest Passport Agent or clerk of a Federal or State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens. Passport Agencies are located in Boston, Chicago, New Orleans, New York City, San Francisco and Seattle. In large cities there are usually two or more courts and at each county-seat a state court authorized to accept these passport applications.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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~~Andelstedt, Raymond~~
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~~til next yr.~~
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I ~~Accept~~ the invitation extended
(Accept or decline)

me to make a pilgrimage to Europe at the expense of the
Government of the United States under the provisions of
the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

..... Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt
(Name)

..... 948 5th St., San Bernardino, California
(Town or City) (State)

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt
948-5th, San Bernardino California

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232 N

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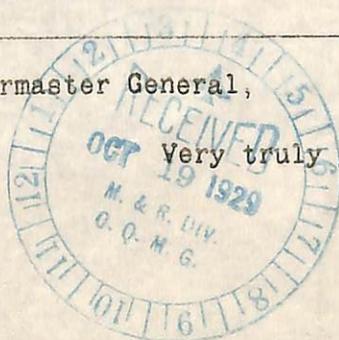
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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SAN BERNARDINO POST NO. 14

AMERICAN LEGION

DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA
388 FOURTH STREET
SAN BERNARDINO, CALIF.



September 14, 1929

ANDELSTEDT, Raymond D
Pvt. Mg. Co. 18th Inf
Deceased

War Department,
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen: REFER TO QM 293 A-a

I am writing for Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
948 - 5th Street, San Bernardino, California
Mother of the above captioned.

Mrs. Andelstedt is desirous of visiting
her son's' grave with the Pilgrimage in
1930.

There is no widow.

Yours very truly

Everett Lucke
Everett Lucke,
Service Officer



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Andelstedt, Raymond D.

June 29, 1929.

*Mrs Lydie Andelstedt,
984 - 5th Street,
San Bernardino, Calif.*

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 Pvt. Raymond D. Andelstedt, M.G. Co., 18th 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 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 an 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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Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

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QM 293 A-M
Andelstedt, Raymond - 1232

July 16, 1930.

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
948 5th Street,
San Bernardino, Calif.

Dear Madam:

I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of the testimonial which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS President Harding were so kind as to send me regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe.

It is gratifying to know that your trip was entirely satisfactory and that the officers of the Army and the nurses rendered such courteous and efficient service. The Quartermaster Corps is proud of the honor bestowed upon it by being charged with the conduct of these pilgrimages and has expended every energy that those making the journey might have a comfortable and pleasant trip. I feel however, that the task has been materially lightened by the wonderful spirit of cooperation shown by the mothers and widows who are making the pilgrimage.

I am indeed pleased to receive such complimentary remarks of the care and consideration shown the women making the journey by the personnel connected with the pilgrimage.

Sincerely yours,

J. L. DONITT,
Major General,
The Quartermaster General.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE

May 23, 1930

GOLD STAR MOTHERS

Pilgrimage sailing from New York City, June 4, 1930

The Quartermaster General
U S Army
War Department
Washington, D C

Attention: Captain R E Shannon

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your radiogram of the 23rd inst, file GSM 849:

We are enclosing herewith routing sheet covering the movement of Mrs Lydia Andelstedt (F-2), San Bernardino, Calif.

We shall appreciate it if you will kindly include this pilgrim in Consolidated Schedule No. 10.

Yours truly,

Copy to Messrs:

C M Burt
C A Fox



H. W. Siddall

Chairman

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*Noted & file
R E Shannon
5/27/30*

Andelstedt, Raymond D

MR. H. W. SIDDALL
ROOM 428 NEW UNION STA. BLDG.
516 WEST JACKSON BLVD.
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 23, 1930

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QM 293 A-C
Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232


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ME 293 A-C
Andelstedt, Raymond D.

May 21, 1930.

Honorable Phil D. Swing,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Swing:

This is in reference to your recent telephone conversation with this office relative to the pilgrimage authorized by Congress in the Act approved March 2, 1929.

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For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Assistant.

293
Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232 M

May 20, 1930

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt
948 5th St.,
San Bernardino, California

Dear Madam:

Arrangements have been completed for your transportation to New York City on your pilgrimage to the American Cemeteries in Europe. One week before your departure the railroad ticket agent, of the first road shown below, will deliver your railroad and pullman ticket to you. Your route to New York will be as follows:

Lv. San Bernardino	AT&SF	No. 4	7:50 PM	May 29	-
Ar. Chicago	"	" "	9:15 AM	June 1	
Lv. Chicago	G T	" 8	12:45 PM	"	
Ar. New York	L V	" "	5:45 PM	2	

All railroad employees have been instructed by their officials to see that you are shown every courtesy and given assistance, particularly at points where it is necessary to change cars.

Should you not receive your ticket six days before the date shown for your departure please take up at once with the ticket agent and if he does not have your ticket, telegraph this office, collect, to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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Loney, George V. 1232
Lewson, William H. 1232
Andelstedt, Raymond 1232
Hess, Leonard A. 1232

May 1, 1930

Mrs. Elsie Hess,
Box #10,
Highland, California.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 12 relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. Caroline Loney, Mrs. Minnie Lewson and Mrs. Andelstedt when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "America" June 4, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and that you can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, U. S. Corps,
Assistant.

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QM 293 A-C
Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232 M

April 29, 1930

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
948 Fifth Street,
San Bernardino, California.

Dear Madam:

It is regretted to advised that an invitation to sail on the SS "America" June 4, 1930 was erroneously mailed you to visit the grave of your son, the late Private, first class, Raymond D. Andelstedt, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

In this connection, your attention is invited to section 2 (b) of the Act which reads in part "but no mother or widow who has previous to the pilgrimage visited cemeteries described in section 1 shall be entitled to make any such pilgrimage".

In view of the fact that you have visited your son's grave, you are ineligible under the law to make this pilgrimage at the expense of the Government.

The reservation made for you on the SS "America" has accordingly been cancelled, and this office deeply regrets any inconvenience to you caused by the issuance of this invitation.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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293 Andelstedt, Raymond, D.

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SYNOPSIS

From OOMG

To Mrs. Elsie Haws,
Highland, Calif.

Advising that notation has been made that you desire to be quartered with Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt and it is believed your wishes can be complied with.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.

293 Haws, Leonard, A.

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INSTRUCTIONS.—Under "Synopsis" make brief entry showing date of communication and from whom received and synopsis sufficient to identify the papers. When these index sheets become numerous under a subject they will be entered on the consolidated index sheet and then destroyed.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Andolstedt, Raymond D. 1232-M

March 20, 1930

Mrs. Lydia Andolstedt,
948 - 5th St.,
San Bernardino, Calif.

Dear Madam:

This letter, which contains general information regarding the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, is being sent to each mother and widow who has expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage during the calendar year 1930. The general plan for the conduct of the pilgrimage is shown in the Pilgrimage Regulations, a copy of which is enclosed herewith. In addition to the information shown in the regulations, the following explains in detail some of the most important things connected with the pilgrimage.

Formal invitations are being extended to each mother and widow who has expressed a desire to make the pilgrimage during 1930. In so far as practicable, these invitations are being extended with a view to keeping the women from each state together and the order in which the invitations to the women from the several states are issued is based on a drawing by lot which was held about one month ago. Inclosed with each invitation is a card for acknowledgment and it is quite important that you accept or decline this invitation promptly in order that the necessary railroad, steamship and hotel reservations may be arranged. The government will defray all the necessary expenses of the pilgrimage, including railroad fare, hotel accommodations, steamship fare and all other incidental expenses. It will not provide anything other than the necessary expenses so that you should bring with you such funds as you may desire to use for making small purchases and for other uses distinctly of a personal nature.

Arrangements have been made with the American Railroad Association which assures us the united support and cooperation of all of the railroads in the United States in handling the movement to and from New York City. The local ticket agent will secure your railroad and sleeper ticket and will make the necessary pullman reservations. Before your departure from your home we will mail you a check, sufficient to pay for your meals and other travelling expenses while enroute to New York. Your railroad ticket will provide for a round trip from your home to New York and upon arrival in New York the army officer in charge of the New York office will collect the return trip stub and hold it until your return to New York from Europe.

Upon arrival in New York, you will be met by an army officer

and escorted to a first class hotel where reservations have been made. The duration of your stay in New York will be from 24 to 48 hours. At the proper time, you will be escorted to the steamship upon which passage has been engaged for Europe. All of the women making this trip will be provided with cabin class accommodations aboard steamers which means that from two to four will be quartered in the same stateroom. If you have any friend that you would like to be quartered with we will endeavor to arrange it if you will communicate with this office.

The ocean voyage will last about 8 days and when the ship docks at Cherbourg, France, each party will be met by officers especially detailed for the purpose and taken in a special train to Paris where first class hotel accommodations have been reserved. The first day in Paris will be a day of rest. On the 2d day, the women of each party will place a wreath on the tomb of the French unknown soldier. In the afternoon there will be a reception in which the French war mothers, government officials, and prominent civilians will participate. The following morning the groups going to the different cemeteries will leave Paris, travelling in motor busses, and proceed to the cemeteries where they will remain for about 7 days. Twenty-five women will be assigned to each bus and an army officer will have charge of the bus. The itineraries to and from the cemeteries and the daily itineraries while at the cemeteries have been varied so as to take in points of historical interest as well as some parts of the battlefields where American troops were engaged. Upon return to Paris, each party will remain for about 5 days and during this time an opportunity will be given to see the points of historical interest in Paris and vicinity. The entire duration of your stay in Europe will be 14 days, and the itineraries have been so arranged that each day will be provided for. Except in case of illness or other unavoidable cause it will not be possible for any woman making the pilgrimage to remain in Europe for a longer period than 14 days nor to leave the party with which she is travelling unless she is prepared to pay all of her expenses after leaving the party since the Act of Congress authorizing the pilgrimage specifically states that the government shall not pay the expenses of any woman who willfully leaves her party.

Upon return to the United States each ship will be met in New York City by army officers who will escort the mothers and widows to the trains which will take them home. Before leaving New York each woman will be provided with her return railroad ticket, a sleeping car ticket and funds to cover the cost of meals and other travelling expenses.

Army officers are being used as guides and escorts throughout this entire movement and care has been taken to select officers who will see that proper care is taken of the women who are entrusted to their charge. Arrangements have been made for taking care of women who may be taken sick during the pilgrimage and also to care for the remains of any who may die and provision has been made for returning the remains of any who may die to their homes. It is essential that each woman making the pilgrimage furnish The Quartermaster General with an emergency address of some relative or friend to be notified in the event of an emergency. Medical care will be provided by civilian agencies. If such care is needed in New York City it will be furnished by the hotel physicians or

by local hospitals. Aboard ship, medical care will be provided by the ship's doctors and in Paris arrangements have been made with the American Hospital for the hospitalization and treatment of any women who may need it. In addition to this, six doctors of the regular army will be on duty throughout the pilgrimage.

Baggage will be limited to not to exceed two pieces of hand baggage and the articles taken should be such as will be required for a trip of about one month. Laundry service can be obtained in New York and Paris. Since the climate of Europe is much colder than that of the United States, each woman should provide herself with sufficient warm clothing to stand the motor bus trip and the visit to the cemeteries.

Since it is necessary for this office to make all reservations for your accommodations throughout this pilgrimage, it will be greatly appreciated if you will make prompt reply to any communications received from this office.

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Andelstedt, Raymond D. 1232 M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
948 Fifth St.,
San Bernardino, California.

Dear Madam:

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4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years)	Health (Good) (Poor)
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For The Quartermaster General,

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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
Andelstedt, Raymond D.
1232

September 3, 1929.

Mrs. Lydie Andelstedt,
984 5th. St.,
San Bernardino, Calif.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated ~~June 20, 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,

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

June 29, 1929.

Andelstedt, Raymond D.

Mrs. Lydie Andelstedt,
984 - 5th Street,
San Bernardino, Calif.

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 Pvt. Raymond D. Andelstedt, M.G. Co., 18th 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 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 an 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,

2 incs.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

QM 293 C-R

Andelstedt, Raymond D. Pvt. 1st cl. 1st Ind.

LN

War Dept. OCMG, Washington, June 30, 1923--To the Chief, AGRS, QMC in Europe.

1. You are advised to change inscription and records to show the correct name of this soldier to be, Pvt. 1st cl. Raymond D. Andelstadt, #45700, Machine Gun Company, 18th Infantry.

By order of the Quartermaster General:



JUN 30 1923
H. B.

H. J. CONNER
Assistant.

Handwritten signature/initials in the bottom right corner.

Correct Inscription.

, FRANCE.
June 13th, 1923.

The Quartermaster General, U.S. Army, WASHINGTON, D.C.

Request received at this office from Mrs. A. Andelstedt, 948 5th Street, San Bernardino, California, for flowers to be placed on the grave of Private 1st class Raymond D. Andelstedt, M.G. Co., 18th Infantry, Grave #3, Block G, Row #20, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, reveals the fact that our records and cross over this grave show the man's name to be "Andelstadt".

2. It is, therefore, requested that we be advised the correct inscription to appear on the cross and on our records.



R. P. HARBOLD,
Chief.

Raymond D.

Date 25th June 1919.REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name ANDELSTABT. Raymond D. Number: 45700.Rank: Pvt. Organization: MG. 18th Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group _____ Unit _____

Disinterred (Date) _____ From: (Give complete location) _____

10th June 1919 _____ Grave ISOLATED._____
ELLEVILLE MARDENNES._____
35 NE E. 299.9. N 282.

Reburied (Date) _____ in: (Give complete location) _____

10th June 1919. _____ Grave 91 sec 43 plot 2_____
AA ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY. # 1232._____
ROMAGNE 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? yesWhat other means of identification were found upon the body? Nobe.

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon the bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by C. 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 Caswell.R. H. ROSENTHALLPB.2nd Lieut. Q. M. C. U. S. A.C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

CONFIRMED No. D. 12427

Andelstedt, Raymond D

45,700

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt 1cl

MG Co 18 Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased *Mother Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt*

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. Lydia Andelstedt *American Railway* *Western Union*
(Name of person to receive remains.) (Express office.) (Telegraph office.)

948 Fifth Street *San Bernardino* *California*
(Number and street.) (City or town.) (State.)

(Sign here) *Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt*

948 Fifth Street *San Bernardino* *California*
(Number and street or rural route.) (City, town, or post office.) (State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

drawn by MH

1232-Sept 3-2

4-13-21

check & AM

4-14-21

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD: *(4-20-21) C* File # 43490 ✓

(a) Name ANDELSTADT, Raymond D. Ser. No. 45700
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/C Organization M. G. Co. 18th Inf.
 (c) Date of death 10-9-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. hmp
 CKR. B. T.

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

(a) Grave No. 91 Row ----- Plot 2 Sec. 43 TYP. hmp
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Lydie Andelstadt (Mother) 948 5th St.,
San Bernardino, Calif.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases Q. S. D. (4-20-21) C CKR. B. T.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt -----

(a) Name Mrs. Lydie Andelstadt (b) Relationship Mother
 (c) Address 948 Fifth St., San Bernardino, Calif
 (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. Lydie Andelstadt
948 Fifth St., San Bernardino, Calif
American Railway Exp - Western Union, etc
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. -----

Examiner's Initials MH Date 4/13, 1920

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

-----, dated -----
 confirming request in Par. IV., item -----, above, or requesting that -----
No correspondence

Examiner's Initials MH Date 4/13, 1920

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

Let. 11/26/20 - Mrs. Lydie Andelstadt (Mother) 948-5th St., San Bernardino Calif.
Cancel request on card & desire the body to remain in France
 (a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes

Examiner's Initials MH Date 4/13, 1920

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232 Sec. 43 SHEET No. 2

4-5-4-28-21

checked 4-20-21

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 4/25, 1920

See 43
Par 2 not to be returned LPO
Andelstedt, Raymond D.

IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.	ACTION TAKEN.
Desires body be _____	
Body to be shipped to _____	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: Let. 10-20-21 from parents, August
and Lydia Andelstedt request return of remains.
Let. 10/28-21 advises that no changes
after Aug 15-1921. (Pm 10-28-21)

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD: (4-20-21) c File # 43490

(a) Name ANDELSTADT, Raymond D. Ser. No. 45700
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/C Organization M. G. Co. 18th Inf. } TYP. hmp
 (c) Date of death 10-9-18 (d) Cause of death K/A } B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 91 Row ----- Plot 2 Sec. 43 TYP. hmp

(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Lydie ² Andelst^eadt. (Mother) 948 5th St.,
 San Bernardino, Calif.

III. Files of soldiers ~~dying from contagious diseases~~ (4-20-21) c 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 4/25, 1921

Sec 43
Par 9 notes to be returned LPW
Andelst^eadt, Raymond D.

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

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF ANDELSTADT, Raymond D. SERIAL NUMBER 45700
 RANK Pvt. 1/c ORGANIZATION M.G.Co. 18th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov 14, 1921 From (give complete location): gr 91, sec 43, plot 2.

By: Group 5 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Nov 14th 1921 In (give complete location): Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Gr 3 block G row 20
re-burial 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 uniform. badly decomposed, features not recognizable.

partly corroded.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes On grave marker? yes.

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

tag on body partly corroded, read: ^Mmond D. ^Andel ⁵⁷---

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine.

(b) Weigh, (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

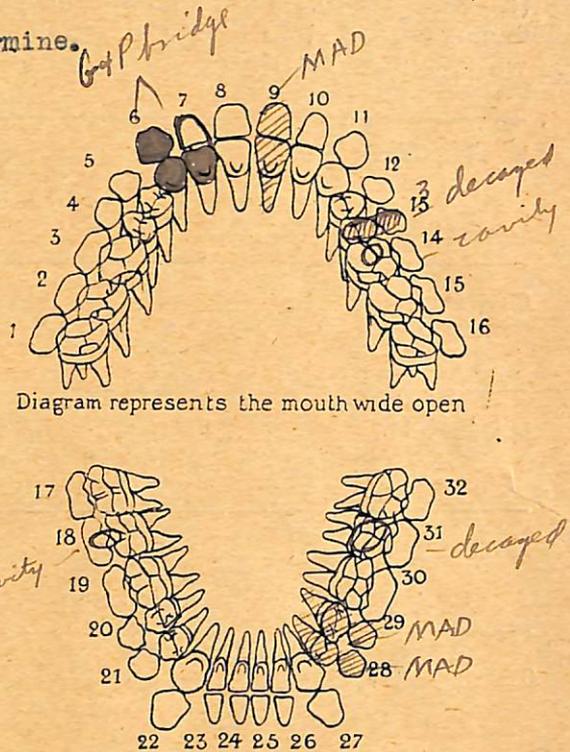
Quantity do

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

or missing parts do

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

none visible.



7. Disinterment supervised by A.F. McCabe
A.F. McCabe.

Approved: F.B. Daniel
F.B. Daniel, Capt. M.G.
 (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A.U. Dufault
A. U. Dufault

Approved: James W. Younger
James W. Younger, Capt QMC.
 (Title)

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 Questions 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), bicuspids (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:	 <p style="text-align: center;">TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN</p>
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	 <p style="text-align: center;">CAVITY DECAYED</p> <p style="text-align: center;">DECAYED DECAYED</p>
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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 14, 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 ANDELSTADT, Raymond D.
- 2. No. 45700
- 3. Rank Pvt. 1/c
- 4. Org. M.G.Co. 18th Inf.
- 5. D.D. 10-9
- 6. C.D. KIA
- 10. Name ---mond D Audel---
- 11. No. -57--
- 12. Rank _____
- 13. Org. _____
- 14. (a) D.D. _____
- (b) D.B. ~~XXXXXX~~

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 91 Sec. 43
- 8. Plot 2 Row _____
- 9. _____
- 15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
- 16. Plot _____ Row _____
- 17. No discp

- 18. Cemetery Meuse Argonne American
- 19. Commune or town Romagne/s/Montfaucon.
- 20. Dept. or County Meuse
- 21. Country France.
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232, Sec. 43

23. Disinterred (Date) 11-14-21 By A.F. McCabe

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Raymond D. Andelstadt Serial No. 45700

Rank Pvt. 1/cl Organization Co. M.G. 18th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? yes On body? yes *(Partially corroded)*

A.F. McCabe
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).

No effects found

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial US Uniform, burlap and pine 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 11-14-21 By A.F. McCabe

31. Casket sealed by A.F. McCabe

A.F. McCabe
Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

AUDITED



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-16262

32. Designation of body:

Name Raymond D. ANDELST^E/DT. Serial No. 45700

Rank Pvt. 1/c Organization M.G.Co. 18th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse Argonne American, 1232, Romagne/s/Montfaucon, Meuse.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) 11-14-21 By A.F. McCabe

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 *F.B. Daniel*
F.B. Daniel, Capt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) 11-14-21

To point of Concentration Morgue, Romagne

Convoyer W.J. Royed Signature Shipping Officer *J. Gerald Cole*
J. GERALD COLE
G.F. Quinn, 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 Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Nov 14th 1921

(Date)

42. Grave No. 3 Section

43. Plot G Row 20

G.R.S. Representative *James W. Younger*
James W. Younger, Capt QMC.
jt.

October 28, 1921.

293.8-Cem. #43490 (Andelstedt, Raymond D., Pvt. 1/c.) Cty. 1232-Sec. 43
Sht. 2

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

Mr. & Mrs. August Andelstedt, 948 5th Street, San Bernardino, Calif.

Disposition of Remains.

1. In reply to your letter of October 20, 1921, you are advised that the records of this office contain your request that the remains of your son, the late Private 1st Class Raymond D. Andelstedt, Machine Gun Company, 18th Infantry, be permanently interred in France and instructions have been issued that your wishes be complied with.

2. You are further advised that the progress of the work in France has rendered it necessary to establish a definite policy governing requests relative to the disposition of remains of our soldier dead; therefore, the Secretary of War has directed that no change of requests relative to the return of a body will be considered after August 15, 1921. In view of this policy it is too late to issue instructions for the return of these remains.

3. The American Cemetery of the Meuse Argonne, in which the remains of your son are interred, is a permanent American Cemetery and the grave will be marked by a suitable headstone and will be perpetually maintained by our Government in the most careful and reverent manner as a memorial to the late soldier's supreme sacrifice.

By authority of the Acting Quartermaster General:

MAILED

OCT 29 1921

CEMETERIAL DIV.
O. Q. M. G.

pm
CHARLES J. WYNN,
Captain, Q. M. G.

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COPY FILED IN O. S. P.

Noted on Form No. 115
Date *pm 10-28-21*

43490

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Andelstedt (Surname.) (Number.) Raymond D (First Name and Initials.)

M. G. Co (Rank.) 18 Inf (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL October 11 1918

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

Field NW Hill 240

Coord 00.01 82 83

Argonne map 1:50 000 29 Eng US

GRAVE NUMBER 215

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Yes Cross? No

Headboard? Bottle? No

IDENTIFICATION TAGS: CMME. Fleville (M & M)

Was one buried with body? (C) 215 35 N.E. COORD E. 300.01

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? yes (N. 283.83)

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

Com. C. 215 Fleville (M & M)

Map. 35 N.E. E. 300.01

N. 283.83

REPORTED BY: Chaplain King 18 Inf (Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

30 OCT 1918

San. Bernardino
Calif. Oct. 20.

Dear Sirs -

Noted on Form No. 115
Date Pro 10.

This is to inform you of
our change of mind in
regarding the permanent
burial of our son. 1st Clas. Pri
Raymond D. Andelstedt.

Our Legion Representative
has just returned from France
and has informed us of the
removal of thousands of bodies
from the Romagne-sous-Montfaucon
Cemetery, And as so many
of our local boys have been
shipped home. We would like
our son brought home also

When we requested that
he should remain in France
we were under the impression
that all those who were in

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that Amestary were to
remain there.

So kindly cancel all
previous instructions, and
ship the body of.

1st Cl. Pri Raymond D. Andelstedt
Machine Gun. Co. 18th Inf 1st Div
home to. San Bernardino,

California. U.S.A.

signed, Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt
mother, August Andelstedt, Father.

Mrs. J. C. Dunbar. Sister,
respectfully.

948 - 5th St -

San Bernardino
Calif.

FROM: O.Q.M.G. 
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

WAR DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

Adjustment Made
MAY 11 1921

G.R.S. Form S-W-A-1
Information Requested of A.G.O.

Date 4/14/21.

File No. Requisition

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 6th & B Sts., N.W., Washington, D.C.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed, Request confirmation of all information shown.

- a. Surname ~~Andelstadt or (Andelstedt)~~ *OX*
- b. Christian name *Raymond D. OX*
- c. Serial Number *45700 OX*
- d. Organization *M.G.Co., 18th Inf. OX*
- e. Rank *Pvt. 1/c. OX*
- f. Date of death *10/9/18. OX*
- g. Cause of death *K/A. OX*
- h. Authority (C.O.#) *302*
- i. Emergency address *Mr Lydia Andelstedt*
- j. Relationship *948 Fifth St. Mother. San Bernardino Calif.*

BODY DESCRIPTION
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age of enlistment
 - b. Color of eyes
 - c. Color of hair
 - d. Height
 - e. Weight
 - f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)
- DENTAL CHARTS
 (See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)
 a. Strike out teeth missing
 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
 upper right upper left
 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
 lower right lower left

*Donnelly, Enl Des Sec.
L. V. L. King 4-16-21.*

H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.

CEMETERY NO: *C.W. 1232-Sec. 43.*
SHEET NO: *2*
TYPED BY: *I.W.*

BY: *[Signature]*
H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
REGISTRATION SECTION

FILE

May 11, 1921

MEMO FOR:
Cards Department.

1.
CASE OF:

M.G. Co. 18th Inf.
ORGANIZATION (Old)
ANDELSTADT, 45700, Raymond D. Pvt. 1/c.
(Name)

Correction or additional data changes as shown below have been made on the Registration Card of the above-mentioned soldier and a corresponding change will be necessary on the Organization Card:

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.
SURNAME ANDELSTEDT
SERIAL NUMBER
FIRST NAME AND INITIALS
RANK
DATE OF DEATH
CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	E-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

(Note: In the above spaces below double line fill in ONLY the new data and data correcting previous information)

BY: S. Nelson,

Inv. & Adj.
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
on Organization
File Card:

By *[Signature]*

S/1105/IVL

December 13, 1920

file
MAILED
12/13/20

293.8 Cem. File #43490 (Andelstadt, Raymond D., Pvt. 1/cl.)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.
To: Mrs. Lydia Andelstadt, 948 Fifth St., San Bernardino, Calif.
Subject: Permanent Burial in France.

1. In reply to your letter of November 26, 1920, cancelling your previous instructions for the return of the remains of your late son, Private 1/cl. Raymond D. Andelstadt, Machine Gun Company, 18th Infantry, and directing that his body be permanently interred in the American Field of Honor at Romagnon-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, you are advised that instructions will be issued that your wishes be complied with, provided there is no relative whose legal right to direct disposition has priority over yours.

2. In connection with the permanent burial of the remains of deceased soldiers in France, your attention is invited to paragraph 9 of the enclosed Cemeterial Division Bulletin, No. 10-F-W.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

flw

hwl

Sa P
CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut. Colonel, U.S.A. *hw*
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

ngm

MAILED
DEC 13 1920
G.R.S.

FILE

File Number 43490.

Date 12/8/20.

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME: Andelstedt, Raymond Serial Number 5

RANK: Private ORGANIZATION: M. G. Co., 18th Inf.

No.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records?	(1). no. (Raymond P. Andelstedt, #45-700.)
2.	Date of death.	(2). 10/9/18.
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3). K/A
4.	Number of casualty cablegram.	(4). # 302.
5.	Date buried.	(5). 10/11/18.
6.	Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6). Grave 5, Isolated Grave, Comm. Fleville, C-215, Ardennes.) Re: 6/10/19
7.	Who reported burial?	Grave 91, Sec. 43, Plot 2, Argonne Amer. Cty. #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse.)
8.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	(10)-a. Yes. (19)-b. Yes.
9.	Report as to grave marker.	(11). Mrs. Lydie Andelstadt, 948 5th St., San Bernardino, Cal.
10.	Identification tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(12). 3/27/19.
11.	Complete emergency address?	(14). D-26506
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.)	
14.	What is the photograph number?	
15.	Inquiry made by.	

RELEASED BY INFORMATION CONTROL DEPARTMENT. M.M.E.

..... X Confirmed. ✓
..... Unconfirmed.

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

E.T.R.

Andelstedt

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

REGISTRATION SECTION
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
CEMETERIAL DIVISION

File No. 43490
OSPSS Ref. No. 1232
Follow-up No. 111

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

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. ¹²³² (furnished by: SRM) (date 12/6/20)
Data sent Overseas None
Operations to commence (approx.) _____
Operations to be completed (approx.) _____
Bodies shipped from European Port _____
Bodies arrived at Hoboken _____

II. CASE OF Andelstedt Raymond D. Pvt. 1st. 2nd. Inf. 1st. Div. 1st. S. I. 8. Inf.
The following information was abstracted (Date) 12/6/20 from: file

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		Clk.	in OFFICE
A. G. O. Cards	<u>SRM</u>	<u>yes</u>	Shppg. Inquiry (sent <u>20</u>)		
A.G.O. Corresp.			To _____		
G.R.S. Corresp. relative to disp.			OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

Ag. O. Card DESIRES as to Disposition.

Name of Relative	RETURN		REMAIN	SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt. Int.		
Widow				
Children (Name oldest first)				
Father				
Mother				
Brothers				
Sisters				

(Handwritten notes in table: Mrs Lydia Andelstedt, 948 Fifth St. San Bernardino, Calif)

Body to be shipped to Mrs Lydia Andelstedt, 948 San Bernadino, Calif - was shipped (Date) 12/6/20

REMARKS City 1232 not Audited B&B '20

MBro

San Bernardino.

Calif. Nov. 26. 1920

Charles C. Peirce.

Lieut. Colonel. Q.M.C. U.S.A.

Chief G.P.S.

Dear Sir: -

This is a request that you not ship the body of my son.

Pvt. 1st Class. Raymond D. Andelstedt

18th Inf. Machine Gun Co. 1st Div.

Back to America, as I have just returned from Abroad, where I visited the grave of my son who lies in the beautiful Cemetery of the Argonne Romains. And I found it so beautiful. It is my wish that he lay with his comrades.

I remain ^{clg} 1232 not andelstedt

Sincerely yours. LAM

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt
948 - 5th St

San Bernardino Calif.

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., D. O. M. G.
File # 293.8 #43490

III

Received by
Raymond D.

Raymond D.

Req. No. 1095

File 43490

Andelstedt, Raymond D.

OK. S.

W3490

San Bernardino
Calif. March 4 1919

Dear Sirs: *43490* *10-B+* sent 4/29/19

Your letter of information
of the burial of Pri Raymond H.
Andelstedt Machine Gun Co. 18th Inf.
has been received, and we wish
to thank you for your kind
attention in this matter
If it is possible for you to
procure a photograph of the
grave. We would be very grate-
ful, and in due time we wish
to have the body sent home.
Thanking you again
ours



12-3-2 - not available
12-6-20
Drew

We remain

Gratefully yours

Mr. + Mrs. A. Andelstedt

948 - 5th St.

San Bernardino

Calif
U.S.A

201. (Andelstett
Raymond D.) Co. San Bernardino

Received A G O, ^{Copy} Jan 11, 1919.

JAN 17 1919

Adjutant General. Harris."

Dear Sir: -

In regards to the body of Pri.
Raymond D. Andelstett, We wish to
have it sent home to us. as soon as
it is possible. I know. He would love
his home land. the best, and his personal
belongings. How will we get them sent
to us. as. all he possessed. would be
very precious to us. Will you please
write and let us know when we
may have his remains brought
back.

Respectfully His Mother
Mrs Lydia Andelstett.

#43490

(24) 029293.8 Andelstett, Raymond D
#201
#995 Andelstett, Lydia (Mrs)

RECEIVED MIGUEL. DIA
JAN 18 1919

1-20-19
1-11-19

293.8 Andelstedt, Raymond D.
(Misc.Div.) LDR/HBSW

January 20, 1919.

Mrs. Lydia Andelstedt,
San Bernardino, California.

Dear Madam:

I beg leave to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 11, 1919, requesting that the body of your son, late Private Raymond D. Andelstedt, be returned to you at the above address, for final burial, when received in this country, and in response, invite your attention to the inclosed Memorandum of Information.

With regard to obtaining the personal belongings of your son, you are advised to communicate with the Effects Bureau, Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, New Jersey.

It is desired to express to you the deep sympathy of the Department on account of the loss of your son, and to commend you for the great sacrifice and contribution which you have made to the cause for which he gave his life.

Very respectfully,

J. O. Ashburn

Adjutant General.

1 incl.

FILED
1-20-19
SIB. LDR

