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Mrs. Barbara Andre mother 521 88 St., Brooklyn, N.Y.

G.R.S. Form #114-B **CAUSE OF DEATH**

*accidental
gun shot wound*

37

FULL NAME ANRE, William J. *OK*

RANK Corporal SERIAL 582943 *OK*

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Bty. D., 55th Art. C. A. C. *OK no Div*

Non Divisional

DATE OF DEATH 11-17-18 *OK*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *New York*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. *none*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 27 5 B
Date Grave Row Block

1764

Cemetery

*61471-406
ADDED BY*

**A. G. O.
MAY 9 1927
WORLD WAR DIV.**

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5-14-27*

ANDRE, Wm. J.

ITINERARY OF THE AISNE-MARNE GROUP

Sailed on the PRESIDENT HARDING from Pier 4, Hoboken, New Jersey, June 14th. Captain Funk in charge of party.

Arrived Cherbourg some time during the night of June 21st-22nd. Met by Major Dailey, Captains Saulnier, Ochs, Mallett and Reynolds, Lieutenants Faquet, Freeman, Morin, Captain Kinerman (Medical Corps) Miss Rulon, 5 other nurses, and 2 civilian employees. Left Cherbourg at 8:25 a.m. arriving at Gare des Invalides Station in Paris at 2:30 p.m. Met by Colonel Ellis and members of his staff - also interpreters and nurses. Taken to hotel.

June 23rd - ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Transaction of personal affairs. Left hotel by motor bus at 2 p.m. and proceeded to the Arc de Triomphe where a wreath was laid on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier by Mrs. E. R. Pamill of Virginia who had been selected for the honor. Then conducted to the Restaurant Laurent where the usual tea tendered by the U.S. Government was held. Prominent persons including Ambassador Edge, were present and spoke to the pilgrims. To hotel for dinner and to pack for the trip to the cemetery.

June 24th - A. M. free. Departed at 2:15 p.m. for LaForte -Chat. Thier.

June 25th-26th-27th- daily visits to the cemetery.

June 28th - Visited cemetery -Espernay and Reims

June 29th - Cathedral at Reims - lunch at Reims -Chemin-dos-Dames, Soissons Compiegne.

June 30th - Visited Carrefour de l'Armistice - lunch at Compiegne, Chantilly and on to Paris.

July 1st - A.M. free or shopping -visited Napoleon's tomb in p.m.

July 2nd - Fontainbleau and night trip.

July 3rd - Sere Coeur - Versailles - tea at Belle Cycl.

July 4th - Notre Dame and the Louvre.

July 5th - Left Paris at 10:15 a.m. for Cherbourg to sail on the PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT at 11:30 p.m. Captain R. H. Darrell in charge of party.

July 13th - arrived New York at 9:15 a.m. Taken to McAlpin Hotel -Those who desired went on a night trip to Coney Island.

Left for home via motor July 13th Mrs. Barbara Andre

Andre, William J.
Assie. Marie

WAR DEPARTMENT
"PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS"

----- Room 901 -----
225 WEST 34TH ST., NEW YORK, N.Y.

May 29, 1930

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Mrs. Barbara Andre
948 82nd Street
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

From advice received from the Quarter-
master General's Office, Washington, D. C.,
your name shows as a passenger scheduled to
sail for Europe on the S. S. Harding
sailing June 14th, 1930.

Enclosed herewith please find two baggage
tags which should be attached to your baggage
for identification.

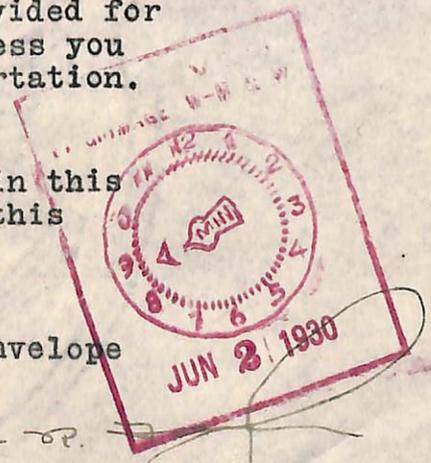
Reservations have been made for you to stop
at the Hotel Roosevelt, the night of June 13th.
Necessary transportation will be provided for
you from your home to the hotel, unless you
desire to travel by your own transportation.

Please advise what your desires are in this
respect, using the lower portion of this
letter for your reply.

There is enclosed a self-addressed envelope
which requires no postage.

For the Officer in Charge.

George F. R. Taylor
1st Lieut. Q. M. C.
Assistant



I ~~will~~ require transportation from my home to hotel.
will not

Mrs. Barbara Andre

Name ANDRE, Mrs, Barbara

Paris Hôtel HOTEL CARLTON

Home address AV. DES CHAMPS-ÉLYS.
948 82d St. Brooklyn, Kings County, New York

Party G Group 4 Unit HARDING

Date of arrival JUNE 22. 1930 Date of departure JULY 5. 1930 S/S ROOSEVELT

Relationship Mother

Name of deceased ANDRE, William J

Rank Cpl Organization Bty.D, 55th Rgt, C.A.C.

Cemetery Aisne- Marne

REMARKS



489 1332

NAME ANDRE, MRS. BARBARA

S.S. ROOSEVELT, JUL 13 1930

HOME Brooklyn, N. Y. Kings County

R.R.

STATION

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE

Cabine 237E

June 10, 1930

Mrs. Barbara Andre
948 - 82nd Street
Brooklyn, New York

Dear Madam:

In reply to letter from this office dated May 29th asking whether or not you desired transportation from your home to the Hotel Roosevelt on June 13th, the day prior to your sailing on the S. S. Harding, June 14th, you replied that it would not be necessary to furnish transportation.

Please be advised that it is the wish of the War Department at Washington, D. C., that all pilgrims check-in at the hotel the day previous to sailing, in order that proper record can be made and full instructions issued.

It is therefore requested that you arrange to report to the United States Army Officer who will be in uniform on duty in the lobby of the Hotel Roosevelt, 45th Street and Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y., the afternoon of June 13th, between the hours of 2:00 and 4:00 P.M.

Yours very truly

GEORGE F. R. TAYLOR
1st Lieut. Q.M.C. (DOL.)
Assistant

JFM:GER

201-Andrew Mrs B

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Andre, William J. S.N. 582943

November 20, 1932

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
948 82nd St.,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

In compliance with your recent request, instructions have been issued to forward you a flag in honor of the above named decedent, provided a flag has not previously been furnished for him.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JAN. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Colonel, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Copy to Commanding Officer, Washington, Q. M. Depot.
With instructions to furnish flag.

EM/vd

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NOV-20-1932 4:41

QM 293 A-M BR

Jan



American Gold Star Mothers

OF THE WORLD WAR, INC.
NEW YORK STATE



Headquarters: Pennsylvania Hotel, Seventh Avenue and 33rd Street, New York City

Quarter Master General
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have been informed that I am entitled to an American flag from the Government in memory of

my beloved Son SON OR DAUGHTER Name of Deceased William J. Andre

Address of Deceased _____
NUMBER STREET CITY STATE

Army, Navy, Marine Corporal 55 Regt Coast Art.
RANK REGIMENT COMPANY

Stationed at St. Levett Maine

Lost at Sea — Among the Missing — Or Unknown —

Place and Date of Death Base Hospital #20 Nov 17, 1918

Where Buried Aisne - Marne American Military Cemetery ^{Bellefontaine}

Name of Mother Mrs Barbara Andre

Address 948 - 82 St Bklyn N.Y.
NUMBER STREET CITY STATE

I will be very grateful if same will be forwarded to me.

Respectfully yours,

Barbara Andre

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Andre Williams</i>	A. N. D.	3	104
BURIED	CEMETERY 1764	1	4
	GRAVE 27	2	27
	ROW 5	2	05
	BLOCK B.	1	2
STATE	New York	2	37
RANK	Corp.	1	2
DIVISION	C. A. L.	3	48
ORGANIZATION	55	3	055
ARM	Regt.	1	1
MARITAL	no	1	2
Mrs NAME <i>Barbara Andre</i>	A. N. D.	3	104
948-82nd St.	STATE New York	2	37
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Kings	2	24
	CITY Brooklyn	3	101
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR. 1930	1	1
ACCEPTANCE	yes	1	1
29/514/EAB	Age		56.

29/514

June 4, 1930

AUDITED
 SEP 25 1931 - R.M.



NAME

Andre Mrs. Barbara

ADDRESS

948 82 St. Brooklyn, N.Y.

DATE

July 14, 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 Barbara Andre*

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE \$300.



ADDRESS
YOUR MAIL
TO
STREET AND
NUMBER

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

STATE

Andre, W^m J.

NEW YORK

Mother

948 82nd St.,
Brooklyn

NAME ANDRE, MRS. BARBARA HOME ADDRESS Kings County

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN Mrs. M. R. Greene, 8948-82 St. Brooklyn N.Y.

ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

DATE June 13 HOTEL Roosevelt ROOM NO. 489

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE June 14 VESSEL Harding CABIN NO. 237-E

DESTINATION CHERBOURG, FRANCE CEMETERY AISNE-MARNE

750

ls

RETURN NEW YORK

DATE *JUL 13* 1930

NAME *Anne Mrs Barbara* HOME ADDRESS

*948 82nd St.
Brooklyn, N.Y.*

RETURN ON S. S. **S/S ROOSEVELT** HOTEL ROOM NO.

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE

ROAD TRAIN CAR BERTH or SEAT

REMARKS

Local

1364

Handing 6-14-30

RETURN RECEIPT

764

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

John Andrew

(Signature or name of addressee.)

Deliver to addressee only.

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, *5/22*, 192*3*

Form 3811

65-6116

Wm. J.

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 928092

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____



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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

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AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to _____

Q. M. GENERAL

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box, _____

(NAME OF SENDER)

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Andre, Wm. J. 1764M
Harding 6-14

May 12, 1930

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
948 82nd St.,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not furnished the name of your Emergency Addressee as requested in letter of instructions from this office.

It is requested that in the blank space below you write the name and address of the person in the United States whom you desire to be notified in case you become seriously ill or other emergency arises while you are making the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mrs Mary R Greene
Name

948-82nd St Brooklyn N.Y.
Address

noted

Please fill in the above and mail it TODAY in the self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,



Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 5, 1930.

Andre, William J. 1764 M

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
948 82nd St.,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

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.

When you make this call be sure to take with you the four photographs called for in the instructions together with your invitation as a means of identification. You should take with you to the passport office at this time a friend who is an American citizen and who has known you for several years. The passport Agent or clerk of the court will mail your application to the Secretary of State in Washington, D. C., who will issue the passports and travel documents and will deliver them to The Quartermaster General to be held by him until your arrival in New York.

The instructions prepared by the Secretary of State are as follows:

"A mother or widow who owes allegiance to the United States must apply to the Department of State for a Special Pilgrimage Passport through a Passport Agent or through a clerk of a Federal court or State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens and on the form prescribed by that Department. When making application, she should be accompanied by a credible witness who is an American citizen and who has known her for a period of two years or more. With her application she should submit four photographs on a light background and on thin paper not more than 3x3 inches in size not less than 2½x2½ inches in size and such documentary

evidence of her American citizenship as she may have in her possession. In the absence of evidence of citizenship, her application should be witnessed by a credible person residing in the same community who is an American citizen, has known her for a long period of time and is able to swear to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that she is a citizen of the United States.

"A mother or widow who does not owe allegiance to the United States must apply to the Department of State for a Pilgrimage Travel Document through a clerk of a Federal court or a State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens or through a Passport Agent upon the form of application prescribed for that purpose, entitled APPLICATION FOR A PILGRIMAGE TRAVEL DOCUMENT, issued under the Act of March 2, 1929, submitting therewith four photographs on a light background and on thin paper not more than 3 x 3 inches in size and not less than 2½ x 2½ inches in size. When making application she should be accompanied by a credible witness who has known her for a period of two years or more.

"The Act of March 2, 1929, provides that no fee shall be charged for the execution of an application for a passport or travel document or for the issue of a passport or travel document to a mother or widow making a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which deceased soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American forces are now interred.

"Special Pilgrimage Passports and Pilgrimage Travel Documents when issued by the Department of State will be forwarded to the War Department.

"Applicants resident in Boston, Chicago, New Orleans, New York City, San Francisco and Seattle should execute applications at the Passport Agencies in those cities."

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Harding

6-14-30 ✓

1764

Andre, Lm. J.

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. Barbara Andre

(Name)

948 82nd St., Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

(Town or City)

(State)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Andre, William J. 1764-M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
948 82nd St.,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Sailed
JUN 14 1930

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) <i>yes</i> (No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes) <i>yes</i> (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) <i>No</i>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <i>56</i> Health <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes) (No) Other language (Specify language spoken)



Mrs Barbara Andre

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Act
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Andre, William J.

July 29, 1929

Mrs. Barbara Andre
948--82nd Street,
Brooklyn, New York

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 Corporal William J. Andre, Bty. D. 55th Regt. C. A. Corps, whose remains are now interred in the Aisne-Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, France.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return 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?

No

2. If so, give her complete address.

None

3. Will you make the pilgrimage?

Yes.

Mrs. Barbara Andre

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

John T. Harris

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

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 11, 1929.

Andre, William J.

XC 126 392

Mrs Peter Andre, M. Mrs. Barbara Andre,
521-88th St., 948-82nd St.,
Brooklyn, N.Y. Brooklyn, N. Y.

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 Corporal William J. Andre, Bty.D. 55th Regt. C.A. Corps, whose remains are now interred in the Aisne-Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, 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.

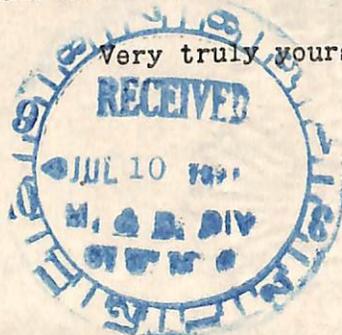
In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since re-married it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

For your reply, you may use the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.



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

WAR DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER



no name

N.Y. G.P.



REASON FOR NON-DELIVERY CHECKED

MOVED-NO ADDRESS ----- REFUSED -----

UNKNOWN AT ADDRESS -----

NO SUCH NUMBER -----

FIRM DISSOLVED-NO ORDER ----- DECEASED -----

CARRIER'S INITIALS *aa* ROUTE No. -----



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

CITIZENS MILITARY TRAINING - CAMPS -

RETURNED TO SENDER

By Brooklyn, N.Y. P.O.

UNDELIVERABLE AS ADDRESSES

JUN 18 1929

DO NOT POST AGAIN IN THIS ENVELOPE OR WRAPPER



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Andre, Wm. J. 1764M
harding 6-14

May 12, 1930

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
340 32nd St.,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Madam:

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Name

Address

Please fill in the above and mail it TODAY in the self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Andre, William J. - 1754-M
Harding 6-14

May 6, 1930

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
948 82nd Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

Requests for stop-overs on return from the pilgrimage to the American cemeteries in Europe are being received by this office, in some cases, too late to take action.

Transportation arrangements for the round-trip are made a month before departure and requests for stop-overs on return must be in this office at that time.

Stop-overs can not be allowed on the trip to New York or in Europe, but may be allowed at any point on return from New York provided there is no additional cost or, if there is, that it is paid in advance by the pilgrim.

If you desire stop-overs at any point on return, please advise this office AT ONCE as to the cities where you desire to stop and we will be glad to arrange accordingly, or advise you if there is any additional cost to be paid by you. Send your request direct to this office and do NOT include it with your passport application.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 5, 1930.

Andre, William J. 1764 M

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
948 82nd St.,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

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evidence of her American citizenship as she may have in her possession. In the absence of evidence of citizenship, her application should be witnessed by a credible person residing in the same community who is an American citizen, has known her for a long period of time and is able to swear to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that she is a citizen of the United States.

"A mother or widow who does not owe allegiance to the United States must apply to the Department of State for a Pilgrimage Travel Document through a clerk of a Federal court or a State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens or through a Passport Agent upon the form of application prescribed for that purpose, entitled APPLICATION FOR A PILGRIMAGE TRAVEL DOCUMENT, issued under the Act of March 2, 1929, submitting therewith four photographs on a light background and on thin paper not more than 3 x 3 inches in size and not less than 2½ x 2½ inches in size. When making application she should be accompanied by a credible witness who has known her for a period of two years or more.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Andre, William J. 1764-M

March 25, 1930.

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
948 82nd St.,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

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.

1 Enclosure.
Regulation.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Andre, William J. 1764-M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
948 82nd St.,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

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,

Encl.
Act
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

Andre, William J.

July 29, 1929

Mrs. Barbara Andre
948--82nd Street,
Brooklyn, New York

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 Corporal William J. Andre, Bty. D. 55th Regt. C. A. Corps, whose remains are now interred in the Aisne-Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, France.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return 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?

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. Will you 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 11, 1929.

Andre, William J.

Mrs Peter Andre,
521-88th St.,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

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 **Corporal William J. Andre, Bty.D. 55th Regt. C.A. Corps**, whose remains are now interred in the **Aisne-Marne American Cemetery, Belleu, Aisne, 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 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

DATE _____

1. NAME ANDRE, William J. SERIAL No. 582943

RANK Corp ORGANIZATION Btry.D., 55th Art. CAC

GRAVE LOCATION Amer.Mil.Cty, CHATEL-GUYON (Puy de Dome) # 406
CTY. NAME NUMBER

47
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION _____

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES _____

CONCENTRATED TO Remains are in original grave.

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.

None.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Has not been exhumed.

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Tom Ward, Captain, Q. M. Corps.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Dec. 20, 1922 27 5 Block B

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Aisne-Marne American No.1764

CEMETERY

RECEIVED BY

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.
2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.
3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.
4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form I6, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE 7 October 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 ANDRE William J.

10. Name _____

2. No. 582943

11. No. _____

3. Rank Cpl

12. Rank _____

4. Org. Bty D., 55th Art. CAC ^{corp}

13. Org. _____

5. D.D. Nov 17th, 1918

14. (a) D.D. _____

6. C.D. Pneumothorax

(b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 47 Sec. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____

8. Plot _____ Row _____

16. Plot _____ Row _____

9. _____

17. None

18. Cemetery American Military

19. Commune or town Chatel-Guyon

20. Dept. or County Puy de Dome

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 406

23. Disinterred (Date) 7 October 1921 By Meyer group

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name William J. ANDRE

Serial No. _____

Rank Cpl

Organization Bty D., 55th Art., CAC

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

R. de Guyon
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).

None

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed,

28. Nature of burial Uniform and wooden 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 7 October 1921 By Meyer group

31. Casket sealed by Meyer group

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

Joseph F Meyer
J.F. Meyer

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-11501

32. Designation of body:

Name ANDRE, William J. Serial No. 582943

R nk Cpl Organization Btry, D., 55th Art, CAC

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Aisne-Marne Amer. Cty # 1764, Belleau (Aisne)

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) 7 October 1921 By Meyer group

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 [Signature]
S.H. Hunsicker, 1st Lieut, QMC

36. Remarks _____

None

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) _____

To point of Concentration _____
(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

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

By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Oct 14th 1921

To Permanent Cemetery Aisne-Marne Amer. Cty. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)
(Name)

Convoyer H.F. Tebeau. Signature Shipping Officer [Signature]
F. Overheiser, 1st. Lt. QMC

40. Received: Date October 19, 1921.

G.R.S. Representative G.F. WAUGH, Major, Inf., Supervisor, Area #2.

41. Reinterred Dec. 20, 1922. Aisne-Marne Cen. 1764.
(Date)

42. Grave No. 27 Section _____

43. Plot BLOCK B Row 5

G.R.S. Representative [Signature]
W.D. CLEARY, Lt. Chaplain USA.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place

Date October 7, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF Andre, William J. SERIAL NUMBER 582943

RANK Cpl ORGANIZATION Bat D 55th Art CAC

2. Disinterred (date): October 7, 1921. From (give complete location): Gr. No. 47 Chatel Guyon

By: Group 1 Unit Section 5

3. Reburied (date): Dec. 20, 1922. In (give complete location): Grave 27, Row 5, Block B, Cem. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)

By: Group re-burial group Unit Nature of reburial lined casket

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

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

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

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine SF 3 11 12 15 31 MBD 19 20 30 G C 18

(b) Weight (estimated) -do

(c) Hair -Color no hair visible

Quantity impossible to determine

Characteristics -do

(d) Hair on face -Color -do

Location -do

Quantity -do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) none visible

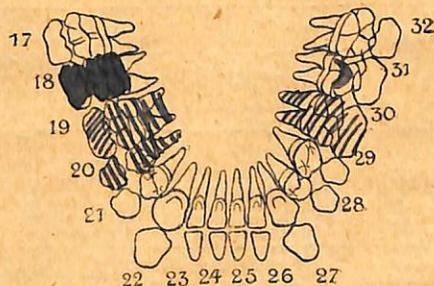
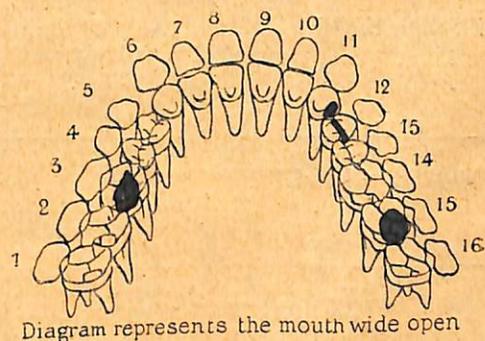
(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)

none visible

R de Montozon Checker

7. Disinterment supervised by J F Meyer, Supervising Emb. Approved: S H Hunsicker 1st Lieut QMC (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by L. D. HAYS Approved: W. D. Cleary, Lt. Chaplain USA. (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 Question 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 :	
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :	
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus :	
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth—accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :	
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :	
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.

Andre.

William Joseph

582,943

(Surname)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Cpl

Btry D, 55 CAC

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Mother "No"

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(Yes or no.)

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

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

B
521 - 88th Street

*Burbank Under
Borough of Brooklyn, N.Y.*

New York

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

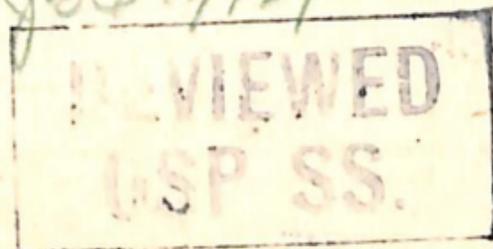
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11-10-20

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 61769

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name ANDRE, William J. ^{OK 11/12/13} Ser. No. 582943
(b) Rank CORP. Organization Bty. D, 55th Coast Art.
(c) Date of death 11-17-18 (d) Cause of death Pneumothorax

TYP. DB
CKR. UB-22

att
2/4-22
Exp turned for
1-10-22

Concentration Camp - Marne 1964

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

(a) Grave No. 47 Row - Plot - Sec. - TYP. DB
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Peter Andre, (Mother) 521 88th St.
Brooklyn, N.Y.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

CKR. UB

~~NO CARD~~

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Barbara Andre (b) Relationship mother
(c) Address 521-88 St - Brooklyn - N.Y.
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? no
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. _____
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

Examiner's Initials mks Date 11-10, 1920.

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

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

no corresp.

Examiner's Initials mks Date 11-10, 1920.

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

no request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes

Examiner's Initials [Signature] Date 11-11-, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 406

SHEET No. 1-60

202/192

11-24-20

ob 11/20

Reviewed 4/4/21 ED

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 _____, letter on NOV 17 1920, 1920

PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED
PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED

RECEIVED.

JAN 22 1921

CEMETERY DIVISION
OVERSEAS, 1920
LECT SUB-SEC.

IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *12-6-20 Form #120 Mother same address as father & wishes body left in Europe 12-6-20 E.C.*

**FORM 115 RETURNED BY HOBOKEN - P.O. 11
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.**

1-22-21 W

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA File # 61769

See Form 115 att 2/4/22

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD
 ANDRE, William J. ^{OK} 582943 DB
 (a) Name ^{11/2 B} Ser. No. }
 (b) Rank Corp. Organization Bty. D, 55th ^{Coast Art.} } TYP
 Cause of death ^{1 cps/} }
 (c) Date of death 11-17-18 death Pneumothorax } 2LB

II. REGISTRATION CARD.-(Check Reg., Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.):
 (a) Grave 47 Row Plot Sect. TYP DB
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Peter Andre, (Mother) 521 88th St. Brooklyn, N.Y. CKR R.B.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

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

ADO card - mother (Barbara Andre, 521 - 88 St., Brooklyn, N.Y.) does not wish to have body sent to U.S. (H.) 1/2/22

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 192
 (Letter of transmittal on NOV 18 1920
 PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. NOV 27 1920 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. JAN 22 1921 192

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
~~WASHINGTON~~ HOBOKEN, N. J.

DEC 4 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q. M. C.

To: Mrs. Barbara Andre, 521-88th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

SUBJECT: Remains of Corp. William J. Andre, Ser. No. 582943,
Bty D, 55th Coast. Art. Cps.

no change

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body remain in Europe.

"HIS BODY TO REMAIN IN EUROPE".

If these are not the correct instructions, please correct them. Make corrections on reverse side of this sheet.

The nearest relative may choose between, (1) return of the body to any address in the United States; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., or any other National Cemetery; or (3) remain in Europe.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Major, U. S. A.

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 these relatives are STILL LIVING.

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Was soldier married? Soldier's widow <u>NONE.</u> <u>NO.</u>			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
1. <u>NONE.</u>			
2. _____			
3. _____			
Father <u>Peter Andre.</u>	<u>#521-88th, Street.</u>	<u>Brooklyn, N. Y.</u>	<u>N. Y.</u>
Mother <u>Barbara Andre.</u>	<u>#521-88th, Street.</u>	<u>Brooklyn, N. Y.</u>	<u>N. Y.</u>
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1. <u>George Andre.</u>	<u>#521-88th, Street.</u>	<u>Brooklyn, N. Y.</u>
	2. _____		
	3. _____		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1. <u>Minnie Dawson.</u>	<u>#520-92nd, Street.</u>	<u>Brooklyn, N. Y.</u>
	2. <u>May Andre.</u>	<u>#521-88th, Street.</u>	<u>Brooklyn, N. Y.</u>
	3. _____		

Noted JH 12-13-20

Date December-6th, 1920.

Signature Mrs Barbara Andre

Address #521-88th, Street, Brooklyn, N. Y. Relationship MOTHER.

WAR DEPARTMENT
 QUARTERMASTER CORPS
 CEMETERY DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C.
 Room 357, Pier #2, Hoboken, New Jersey

Jan. 20th, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Com. Div., Cor. Branch.
 (Andre, William J.)

Mrs. Barbara Andre,
 521 - 88th Street,
 Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Madam:-

Receipt of shipping inquiry dated December 6th, 1920, relative to the remains of your son, the late William J. Andre, Corporal, Bty. D, 55th Coast Art. Corps, Serial No. 582943, is acknowledged.

You are advised that your request that the remains of your son be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery will be complied with. The Department desires to assure you that the grave site will always be maintained as a fitting memorial of the late soldier's sacrifice.

The Department desires to convey renewed assurance of its sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

By:

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J.F. BUTLER,
 1st Lieut., Infantry.
 C.D.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Andre.....582943.....William J.....
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Cpl.....Co. B, 55th (Coast Art.)
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL.....11/17/18.

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

American Cemetery
Chatel Guyon Puy de Dome

France.

GRAVE NUMBER.....147.

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

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REPORTED BY:

G. O. Robertson
1st Lt.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

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

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Andre,.....582943.....William, J.....
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Cpl.....Co.....B.....55th.....Coast.....Art.....
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL.....11/17/18.....

PLACE OF BURIAL..U.S..Cemetery.....

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

American Cemetery.....

Chatel Guyon Puy de Dome.....

France.....

GRAVE NUMBER...# 47.....

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

Headboard?..... 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:

G. O. Robertson
G. O. Robertson,

1st Lt.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

G.R.S. Form No. 8; Central Records Liaison.
 Memo For: G.R.S. representative, C.R.O.
 SUBJECT: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

- () Surname: Andre
 () Number: 582943
 () First name: William J.
 () Rank: Corp.
 () Company: Bty. D
 () Organization: 55th C.A.C.
 () Date of death:
 () Cause:
 () Place:

Location of hospital:

- Number " "
 Class " " D.
 () Relative: Mrs. Peter Andre,
 () Relationship: Mother,
 () Address: 521-88th Street,
 Brooklyn, N. Y.
 () Authority:
 Cablegram No:
 Telegram from:

dated:

- () Reported to Washington:
 C.C. Nos:
 (UnderSCORE the "official" C.C.)
 () Remarks:
 () Show present status on reverse side.

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
 Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

Initials of Reporter:

REVIEWED
 USP SS.