

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

FULL NAME..... *Soldier's Sig*
..... *OK*
..... *AMHOLT, Floyd A.*.....

RANK..... *Private*..... SERIAL... *2104467*.....

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION..... *Co. D, 23rd Infantry*..... *2nd Div.*.....

DATE OF DEATH..... *7-1-18*.....

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME..... *Ohio*.....

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED..... *none*.....

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION..... *42*..... *6*..... *A*.....
Date Grave Row Block

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

..... *1764*.....
Cemetery

27/86/-

ADMITTED BY
241

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DD
5-16-27

492

273

Original

Place La Ferté-sous-Jouarre (S. 21 m)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date April - 7 - 1921

1. REMAINS OF ARNHOLT FLOYD H. SERIAL NUMBER 2104467

RANK Pr ORGANIZATION Co D 23rd Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): April 7-1921 From (give complete location): French Cir. Cem. 241 Gr. 270 Sec. Amer.
By: Group 1 Unit 1 Row 5

3. Reburied (date): April 7-1921 In (give complete location): French Cir Cem 241 Gr. 270 Sec. Amer.
By: Group 1 Unit 1 Nature of reburial Row 5 Pine box - Sunlap

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
Badly decomposed - unrecognizable - in Pine box in sheet

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:
Tag on body - gives name Prt 1/c.
Left leg broken below knee

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) unable to estimate

(b) Weight (estimated) unable to estimate

(c) Hair—Color None on skull

Quantity None

Characteristics None

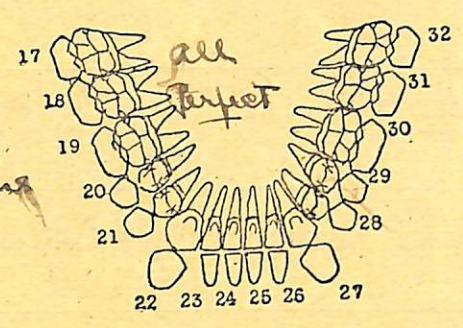
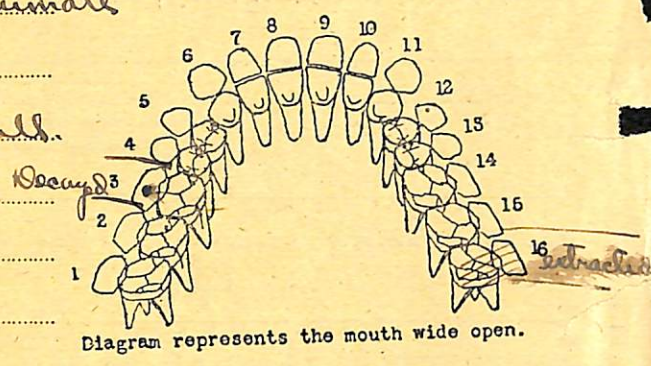
(d) Hair on face—Color None on face

Location None

Quantity None

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) impossible to determine

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



7. Disinterment supervised by Neil B. Simms
(Neil B. Simms)
2nd. Lt. QMC., Inspector

Approved: Val E. Wiltnerberger
(Val E. Wiltnerberger)
(Title) Major, Med. Corps.
Commanding Sec. One.

8. Reburial supervised by Neil B. Simms
(Neil B. Simms)
2nd. Lt. QMC., Inspector

Approved: Val E. Wiltnerberger
(Title)

Handwritten notes:
A. A. B.

Handwritten note: D-50872

CODE SLIP

ARNHOLT



HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE	
NAME	Arnholt	ARN	3	1 8 4
BURIED	CEMETERY	1764	1	4
	GRAVE	42	2	43
	ROW	6	2	06
	BLOCK	A	1	1
STATE	Ohio		2	41
RANK	Pvt		1	2
DIVISION	2		2	02
ORGANIZATION	23		3	023
ARM	Inf		1	1
MARITAL	No		1	2
NAME	Arnholt		3	1 8 4
RESIDENCE	STATE	Ohio	2	41
	COUNTY		2	03
	CITY		3	115
RELATION	mother		1	1
OTHER			1	
ELIGIBILITY	Dead		1	6
NATIVITY			1	
RACE			1	
ENGLISH	Yes		1	
ATTENDANT			1	
HEALTH			1	
NO. OF SONS			1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.		1	
	YR.		1	
ACCEPTANCE			1	

Audited
MAR 5 1932
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IN REPLY
REFER TO

QM 293 A-M

Arnholt, Floyd A 1764

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

January 6, 1933

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
RFD #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Rec'd

Dear Madam:

During the past three years, numerous communications have been forwarded you relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

Under the law, 1933 is the last year you may make the pilgrimage at the expense of the Government, and it is imperative that this office have an expression from you as to whether or not you desire to take advantage of the opportunity afforded you.

It is requested therefore you answer the following inquiry, sign your name, and return this letter to this office.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE IN 1933?

No
(Yes) or (No)

Albert Arnholt, Admr.

Sign here

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt, Deceased

A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.:
Env.

QM 293 A-M

WAR DEPARTMENT

Oct. 13, 1932.

Arnholt, Floyd A. (AM)

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
RFD #2,
Loudonville, Ohio

Dear Madam:

Your Government has provided an opportunity for all Mothers and Widows of deceased members of the American Forces who were lost, buried at sea, or whose remains are now interred in Europe, to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe. This was done in the hope that all who may make the pilgrimage will derive a measure of comfort and solace from the visit.

You are numbered among those who are privileged to make this pilgrimage.

During July and September of this year, inquiries were addressed to you as to whether or not you desire to make the pilgrimage to Europe. To these inquiries no reply has been received from you.

You probably do not realize how important it is that a reply be received from you. If we do not receive replies, it becomes very difficult to make the necessary and proper arrangements for those who are to make the trip, as everything must be arranged in advance. Consequently, it is just as important for the Government to know the names of those who do not desire to take advantage of its offer as it is to know the names of those who do.

Will you please devote a few moments of your time to write either the word "YES" or "NO" in the following space _____, thus indicating whether or not you desire to make the pilgrimage during 1933 and sign your name here _____. Use the enclosed envelope, which requires no postage, and return this sheet.

This reply will assure your Government that no worthy Mother or Widow has failed to receive its offer in commemoration of a loved one departed, and will greatly assist in making the necessary preparations for those of them who wish to take advantage of the privilege.

For The Quartermaster General,
Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Arnholt Floyd A AM

September 7 1932

Mrs Mary E Arnholt
RFD #2
Loudonville Ohio

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

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

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No")	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

NOTE CAREFULLY, THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE WHICH YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE, AND THERE IS NO PROVISION OF LAW FOR A MONEY ALLOWANCE INSTEAD.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl:
Env.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Arnholt, Floyd, A. (AM)

July 11, 1932.

Mrs. Mary B. Arnholt,
RFD #2,
Loudonville, Ohio

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Arnholt, Floyd A. A-M M

October 2, 1951

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt
RFD #2
Loudonville, Ohio

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Dear Madam:

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

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

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

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Arnholt, Floyd A. Pvt (SM) M

June 19, 1931.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R.F.D.#2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764 M

June 18, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R.F.D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

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

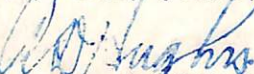
To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? NO ✓
(Write answer here)

Mrs Mary E Arnholt

(Sign here)

I am not to stand the trip

QM 293 A-C
Arnholt, Floyd A. - 1764

March 25, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R. F. D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 18, 1930, declining the invitation to make the pilgrimage to the European cemeteries as provided in the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929. Accordingly, the reservation made for you on the S. S. "America" has been cancelled.

Your statement that you will not be able to make the pilgrimage this summer has been noted. In the event there is any change in plans whereby you would be able to make the pilgrimage, you should advise this office accordingly.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

RSS/mm

Landonville, O.
Mar. 18, 1930.

Dear Sirs: - I wish
to inform you that
Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
mother of Floyd A. Arnholt,
has decided to give up
the tour to Europe this
summer on account of
health not permitting
her to make the trip.
Thanking you for the
trouble that you have
gone to, yours truly.

Albert Arnholt.

Accepted - America - May 7
Now declines



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764 M

March 11, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
P.F.D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio

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 $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ 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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Acceptance received

March 4, 1930

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764 M

*Dear Mr
Ludonville*

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
RFD #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

I send the card

Dear Madam:

*mark the
the pilgrimages accepted*

The records of this office show that you have not accepted or declined the invitation extended you to make a pilgrimage to Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the "America" on May 7, 1930.

*America
May 7-1930*

In order that arrangements may be completed for the pilgrimage, it is imperative that you complete the card enclosed with the invitation signifying whether or not you accept the invitation and return the same to this office.

In the event no reply is received from you before March 15, 1930, the invitation will be automatically cancelled.

Should you desire to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested that you advise this office to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. Hughes
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
Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764-M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R. F. D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Accepted - [unclear] 5-2-30

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>75</i> Health <i>good</i> (Years) (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) <i>yes</i> (No) Other language <i>German</i> (Specify language spoken)

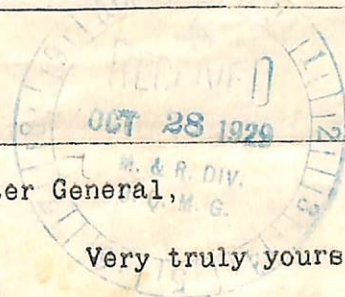
For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Mrs Mary E Arnholt
Loudonville
Ohio

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

Arnholt, Floyd A.
1764

Aug. 21, 1929.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R.F.D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 11, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

Will you please fill in the answers to the following questions in the space provided on this letter, and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage?

Write answers in space below

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

no

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?

*he is survived
By a mother sh wult
like to make the
pilgrimage she is
affraid she to old*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

John T. Harris she cant hear very good
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.

Arnholt, Floyd A.

Mrs Mary E. Arnholt,
RFD#2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

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 Private Floyd A. Arnholt, Co. D. 28rd Inf., 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 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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Arnholt Floyd A AM

September 7 1932

Mrs Mary E Arnholt
RFD #2
Loudonville Ohio

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

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

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4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

NOTE CAREFULLY, THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE WHICH YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE, AND THERE IS NO PROVISION OF LAW FOR A MONEY ALLOWANCE INSTEAD.

For The Quartermaster General,
Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Arnholt, Floyd, A. (AM)

July 11, 1932.

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RFD #2,
Loudonville, Ohio

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

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Arnholt Floyd
Co. D
23rd Inf

Transportation cost
Wagon

I Decline 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. Mary E. Arnholt

(Name)

RFD #2, Loudonville, Ashland County, Ohio

(Town or City)

(State)

American
May 9-1930

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Arnholt, Floyd A. A-M M

October 2, 1931

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt
RFD #2
Loudonville, Ohio

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Dear Madam:

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

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

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

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl:
Env.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM
Arnholt, Floyd A. Pvt (SM) M

June 19, 1931.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R.F.D.#2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

0649 Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764 M

June 18, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R.F.D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

QM 293 A-C
Arnholt, Floyd A. - 1764

March 25, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R. F. D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 18, 1930, declining the invitation to make the pilgrimage to the European cemeteries as provided in the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929. Accordingly, the reservation made for you on the S. S. "America" has been cancelled.

Your statement that you will not be able to make the pilgrimage this summer has been noted. In the event there is any change in plans whereby you would be able to make the pilgrimage, you should advise this office accordingly.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Mr. Quinn Blair

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764-M

March 19, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R.F.D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio

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.
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764 M

March 11, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R.F.D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio

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.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

March 4, 1930

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764 M

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
RFD #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not accepted or declined the invitation extended you to make a pilgrimage to Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the "America" on May 7, 1930.

In order that arrangements may be completed for the pilgrimage, it is imperative that you complete the card enclosed with the invitation signifying whether or not you accept the invitation and return the same to this office.

In the event no reply is received from you before March 15, 1930, the invitation will be automatically cancelled.

Should you desire to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested that you advise this office to that effect.

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
Arnholt, Floyd A. 1764-M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R. F. D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

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,

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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

Arnholt, Floyd A.
1764

Aug. 21, 1929.

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
R.F.D. #2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 11, 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

Arnholt, Floyd A.

June 11, 1929.

Mrs Mary E. Arnholt,
RFD#2,
Loudonville, Ohio.

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 Private Floyd A. Arnholt, Co. D, 23rd Inf., 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 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.
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JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov. 18-21

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 Arnholt, Floyd A
 2. No. 2104467
 3. Rank Pvt.
 4. Org. Co.D.23rd Inf.
 5. D.D. July 1st 1918
 6. C.D. DOWRIA

10. Name _____
 11. No. _____
 12. Rank _____
 13. Org. _____
 14. (a) D.D. _____
 (b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 270 Sec. Omer.
 8. Plot _____ Row 5
 9. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. None.

18. Cemetery French. Mil
 20. Dept. or County Saine & Marne
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 241

19. Commune or town Le Fort-sous-Jouarre
 21. Country France

23. Disinterred (Date) November 18-21

By L.H. Massart

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name ARNHOLT, FLOYD A.
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. _____
 Organization Co.D.23rd Inf.

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

Donald H. Stewart
 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).
Bottle record shows Floyd A. ARNHOLT, Pvt. 2104467 Co.D.23rd Inf.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial burlap and Pine box. Found under cross.

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 Nov. 18-21 By L.H. Massart

31. Casket sealed by L.H. Massart

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) Lewis H. Massart
 Lewis H. Massart

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SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-16743

32. Designation of body:

Name Floyd A. Arnholt Serial No. 2104467

Rank Pvt Organization U.S. 23rd Inf.

33. Consigned to: Officer in Charge

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) November 18-21 By L.H. Massart

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 B.L. Maloney Capt. QM3.

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) November 18-21

To point of Concentration Aisne Marne Am. Cty 1764 Belleau Aisne

Convoyer R.H. Cronin Signature Shipping Officer B.L. Maloney Capt. QM3.

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 Nov. 19 '21

G.R.S. Representative A. S. Gaus

41. Reinterred Oct. 11, 1922, Aisne-Marne Cem. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)
(Date)

42. Grave No. 42 Section

43. Plot BLOCK A Row 6

G.R.S. Representative W.D. Cleary

W.D. Cleary
Lt., Chaplain, USA.

Place Le Forte sous Jouarre,

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date November 18-21

1. REMAINS OF ARNHOLT, Floyd A. SERIAL NUMBER 2104467

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co.D. 23rd Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) November 18-21 From (give complete location) Grave 270
row 5 Cem. 241.

By : Group 1 Unit P.S. 3.

3. Reburied (date) : Oct. 11, 1922 In (give complete location) : Gr. 42, Block A,
Row 6, Aisne-Marne 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 :

Burlap and Pine box. Found under cross.

Badly decomposed recognition impossible.

5. (a) Identification tags : Buried with body ? Yes On grave marker ? No.

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

Bottle record shows Floyd A. Arnholt 2104467 Pvt. Co.D. 23rd Inf.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) 3 decayed impossible to determine 4 MAD 5 Cavity

(b) Weigh, (estimated) impossible to determine

(c) Hair—Color None visible.

Quantity None

Characteristics None visible.

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible.

Location None.

Quantity none visible.

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

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

Right tibia and fibula fractured.

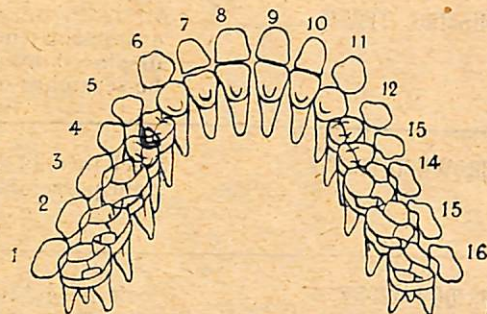
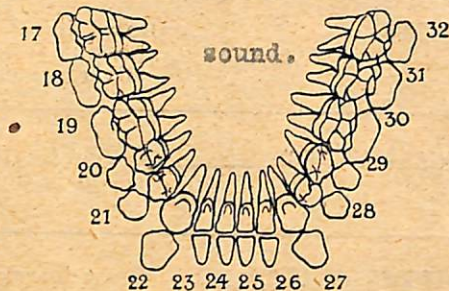


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



7. Disinterment supervised by Leslie H. Messart Approved ; B. H. Maloney Capt. U.S.A.

8. Reburial Supervised by L. D. Hays Approved : W. D. Cleary (Title) Chaplain, USA.

Place

Le Forte sous Jouarre,

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date

November 18-21
SERIAL NUMBER

1. REMAINS OF

RANK

ARNHOLT, Floyd A.

ORGANIZATION

2104467

2. Disinterred (date):

November 18-21

From (give complete location):

Grave 270

By: Group

Unit 5 Cem. 241.

3. Reburied (date):

Oct. 11, 1922

In (give complete location):

Gr. 42, Block A,

By: Group

Row 6, Aisne-Marne Cem. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)

Unit

Nature of reburial

re-burial group

Lined
casket

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

Burlap and Pine box. Found under cross.

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

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

Bottle record shows Floyd A. Arnholt 2104467 Pvt. Co.D. 23rd Inf.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement)

3 decayed impossible to determine 4 MAD 8 cavity

(b) Weight, (estimated)

(c) Hair—Color

impossible to determine

Quantity None visible.

Characteristics

None visible.

(d) Hair on face—Color

Location None visible.

Quantity None.

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts)

None visible.

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

Right tibia and fibula fractured.

7. Disinterment supervised by

Lewis H. Massart

Approved;

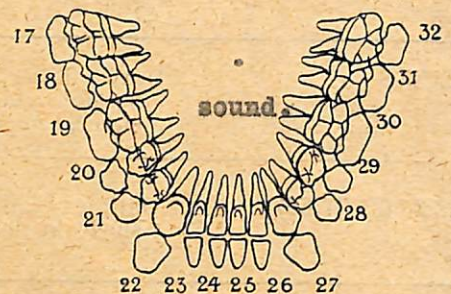
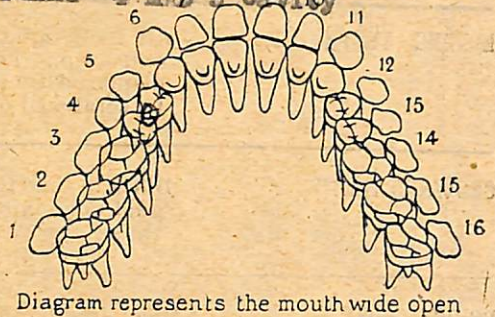
(Title) L. Maloney Capt. EMC.

8. Reburial supervised by

L.D. Hays

Approved:

(Title) W.D. Cleary Lt., Chaplain, USA.



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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

JUL 26 1921

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ARNHOLT, Floyd
NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

241-11
CEMETERY NO.

4-1-21
DATE

2104467
SERIAL NUMBER

Co. D, 23rd Inf.
ORGANIZATION

7-1-18
DATE OF DEATH

Original Forwarded
to Hoboken
Date 6-24-21 g.e.

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE _____

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt,
PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE

Mother
RELATIONSHIP

Loudonville, Ashland Co, Ohio.
ADDRESS

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION

RELATIONSHIP

Kohokan

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Arnholt, Floyd

241-11

April 1, 1921

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

2104467

Co., D, 23rd Infantry

7-1-18

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

DATE OF DEATH

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department
Date 6-24-21 *gl*

DATE _____

PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt

Mother

ADDRESS

Loudonville, Ashland Co., Ohio

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION

RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS

*no Record
SA*

*Ret
Wash
6/30/21
(100)*

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Arnold, Floyd
NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

241-11
CEMETERY NO.

April 1, 1921
DATE

2104467
SERIAL NUMBER

Co. D, 24th Infantry
ORGANIZATION

7-1-18
DATE OF DEATH

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE _____

PERSON NAMED BY SOLDIER TO BE BENEFICIARY OF INSURANCE

RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS _____

PERSON RECEIVING DEATH COMPENSATION

RELATIONSHIP

Suspect
ADDRESS _____

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

5036

File # 5063

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name ARNHOLT, Floyd A. (2-9-21) M. Ser. No. 2104467 ok. (2-9-21) M. TYP. EK
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co.D. 23rd Inf. CKR. [initials]
(c) Date of death 7/1/18 (d) Cause of death DWRIA

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

(a) Grave No. 270 Row 5 Plot --- Sec. Amer. TYP. EK
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mary Arnholt(mother) RFD #2, Loudonville, Ohio

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases --- CKR. [initials]

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt ---

(a) Name Mary E. Arnholt (b) Relationship mother
(c) Address (Loudonville - O - Rev card)
(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 1-10-21, 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 MKS Date 1-10-21, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

Examiner's Initials PF Date 1-11-21, 1920.

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 241 SHEET No. 11

G. R. S. Form No. 115 Amended April 6, 1920

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

CARDED

Make Form No. 114

FEB 10 1921

AP

checked M- 2-9-21

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 1920. TYPED BY _____, CHECKED BY _____, 1920.

RECEIVED
MAIL UNIT
JUL 1 1921

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on _____, 1920

Cemeterial
JAN 25 1921

Par. #2, Not To Be Returned

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IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: Form 120 Letter sent to Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt, of Loudonville, Ohio, but Returned Unclaimed. H03/30/21AW

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

A. G. O. Card & Corr.

Stevens

Discrepancies

1-10-31

Name

✓

Rank

Serial No.

✓

Org.

Remarks

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Chackers

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks

Submitt 1-11-31
checked
mas 11/12

S-1357/MB

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON
Hoboken, N. J.

FEB 21 1921

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

To: Mrs. Mary E. Arnholt, Loudonville, Ohio.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt., Floyd Arnholt, Ser. No. 2104467, Co. D, 23rd Inf.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named soldier
remain in Europe.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut. Colonel, U. S. Army.

If all blank spaces below are not filled out, it will necessitate a return of this paper and a SERIOUS DELAY in the shipment of this body. State in each case WHETHER or not these relatives are STILL LIVING.

Was soldier married? _____

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1		
	2		
	3		

Handwritten signature and red stamp: "Unclaimed"

Date _____

Signature _____

Address _____

Relationship _____

I, the undersigned, am the and nearest living next of kin of the within-named soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

RECEIVED BY
MAIL UNIT

JUL 1 1921

Cemeterial Division

Overseas Project Sub-Section

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

2. To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to
(Name.)

.....
(R. R. station.) (State.)

3. To be returned to the U. S. and buried in National Cemetery.

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

Signature.....



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.

2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.

3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT of kin IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.

4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest next of kin in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.

5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.

6. If YOU are not the nearest next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.

7. If YOU are not the nearest living next of kin and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.

8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.

9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

NOTE.—INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS will be issued by this office upon the properly executed authority of the legal next of kin in each case. The widow is the first person having disposition of the remains of her husband. Should there be no widow or children, the father and, in turn (upon his decease), the mother, is the proper authority. The brothers, in order of seniority, and then the sisters in order of seniority, if there are no brothers, rank next in authority to decide. Under an opinion rendered by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, if a widow has remarried she forfeits her right, and the next of kin as given above will make decision.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 5063

(a) Name ARNHOLT, Floyd ^{(2-9-21) "M"} _{A.M.O.S.} Ser. No. 2104467 ^{(2-9-21) "M"} TYP. EK
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co.D., 23rd Inf.
 (c) Date of death 7/1/18 Cause of death DWR-IA

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

(a) Grave No. 270 Row 5 Plot - Sect. Amer. TYP. EK
 (b) Emerg. Address Mr. Mary Arnholt (mother) RFD #2, Loudonville, Ohio

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

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

A.G.O. Card - Mary E. Arnholt (mother) Loudonville, Ohio requests body be not returned to U.S. m/s 2-10-21

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on 192)
 (letter of transmittal on JAN 25 1921)

Par. #2, Not To Be Returned

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. FEB 11 1921 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of Relationship and Source..... and name..... Desires..... Action taken

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. 7-15 192 1

COUNTRY France CEMETERY NO. 241 SHEET NO. 11
 G.R.S. FORM 115-A August 1920
 S-666/MB

FEB 10 1921
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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

Adjustment Made
FEB 16 1921
File No. 500

Special

G.R.S. Form 8-W-1
Information requested A.G.O. Date 1/11/21

File No. Registration.

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

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 **Arnholt** *OK*
- b. Christian name **Floyd**
(Floyd Amos) *OK*
- c. Serial Number **2104467** *OK*
(?)
- d. Organization **Co. D, 23rd Inf.** *OK*
- e. Rank **Pvt.** *OK*
- f. Date of death **7/1/18** *OK*
- g. Cause of death **DWRIA** *OK*
- h. Authority (C.O.#)
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship

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

FILE

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

BY: *H. J. Conner*

H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut., Q.M.C. & B Div. AGO.

Donnelly - Emms
EPSS #8
1/12/21

CEMETERY NO: 241

SHEET NO: 11
TYPED BY: JBC

Rec'd World War Div
Date: 1/12/21

JAN 12 1921 '6

FR

G.R.S. Form #114-B

DATE _____

1. NAME Arnholt, Floyd A SERIAL No. 2104467

RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co.D.23rd Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION French Mil.Cty.La Ferte-sous-Jouarre (S.&.M) #241
CTY. NAME NUMBER

270 Amer.Sec. 5
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 270 Fr.^{Cu}Mil.Cem.#241, La Ferte-sous-Jouarre,
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT. (S-et-M).

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.

(Information in paragraph 2 taken from Form 1-A).

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS _____
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR G.F. WAUGH, Major, Inf., Supervisor, Area 2.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Oct. 11, 1922. 42 6 Block A
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Aisne-Marne Amer.#1764,Belleau (Aisne).
CEMETERY

Arnholt

(Surname.)

Floyd Amos

(Christian name in full.)

2,104,467

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co D 23 Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

No

(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)

Mary E Arnholt

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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(over)

Letter sent to-

Mrs. Mary Arnholt
Loudonville, Ohio



Drawn by S
241-11-10-21

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Arnholt, 2104467 Floyd
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt Co. D 83rd Inf
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL July 2 1918

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

Americ n Section

GRAVE NUMBER 169

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

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: 
Captain MRC
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Arnholt, 2104467 Floyd
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt Co. D 23rd Inf
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL **July 2 1918**

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

American Section

GRAVE NUMBER **169**

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?
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: *[Signature]*
Captain MRC
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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Arnholt, 2104467, Floyd A.

Rank Pvt. Co. D {Corps Regt.} 23rd Inf.

Date of Death

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Place

Cause

Date of Burial 7/3/18

Grave No. 169

Cemetery 21 Myers (rest)

Identified by { Tag Papers Clothing }

List of Effects

Field Record Made by I. G. MYERS,
2nd. LIEUT., Q. M. CORPS, N.

Group 1/303

Company....., Graves Registration Service

For additional data use reverse side

JUL 19 1918

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File No. 5036

Hdqs. Graves Registration Service,
Quartermaster Corps,
American Expeditionary Forces,

December 20, 1918

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, A.E.F.,
TO: Major W. R. Castle, Bureau of Communication, A.R.C., Washington, D.C.,
SUBJECT: Private Floyd A. Arnholt, Co. D., 23rd Inf.

1. Reference your request for photograph of the above mentioned soldier's grave, I beg to inform you that burial took place in the American Section of the Cimetiere de la Ferte. This grave will be photographed as soon as possible and the negative forwarded to you in the ordinary course.

2. According to records here, the nearest relative is Mrs. Mary Arnholt, mother, R. F. D., No. 2, Londonville, Ohio.

per direction
REVISED
OSP 33

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., A.E.F.

MAURICE B. DIX,
Captain, American Red Cross,
Representative assigned to
Graves Registration Service.

DEC 22 1918

per

File
[Handwritten signature]

MBD-dn

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GRAVES PHOTOGRAPHY BUREAU.

P.B. 5/a

Description of soldier:

C. D.

ARNHOLT
23rd Infantry.

Floyd A.

10 Co.

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Inf Training Camp.

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Date and cause of death:

7-1-18. Wounds rec'd in action.

CC #193.

Where buried: (Name of Cemetery or Commune only required)

Cemtry. 24.

Grave No. 169.

Amer. Sect. Cimetiere de La Ferte.

Name and address of next of kin:

Mrs. Mary Arnholt. (Mother)

RFD. #2, Loudonville, Ohio.



Barry
12-17-18

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Surname Amholt Pnt. Number

Christian Name Floyd A

Regiment 10th Co. 1st Inf. Training Camp.

A.P.O. 727

C.C. 193. Died of wounds rec'd in action
July 1st - 18

Request for photo of grave.
for Wash.

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OSP SS.

P.B. 5/a