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To The A. G. O.

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G.R.S. Form #114 B

Arteel, Henri (Sol. Sig.)

JAN 15 1926

2965

Also signs as - Arteel, Henri Jerom

DATE

SERIAL No. 4123814

1. NAME ARTEEL, Henri J

Repl. Draft, Sept. 01

RANK Pvt

ORGANIZATION 7th Baty. Art. Camp Jackson

1st Art. Camp Jackson, Ants. Repl. Draft

GRAVE LOCATION Am. Cty. Lambezellec-Finistere

531

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

22

8

B

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

20, Plot 9, Row 2, Lambezellec Finistere

Per cemetery directoy AGRS

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

Mar. 12, 1920.

COORDINATES Not given

CONCENTRATED TO 6/4/20.

22

8

B

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Lambezellec

#531

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag found on body. per GRS Form #16, 6/4/20. signed S.D. Campbell, Capt. Inf.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS None of record.

DATE OF DEATH Oct. 16, '15 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Ohio DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

Stanley J. Grogan, CAPT INF. USA.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 8/18/22

13

3 Block C

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Oise-Aisne Amer. Cemetery #608, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne.

CEMETERY

Rec'd World War Div.

5 NOV 30 1927

3 A. G. O. JAN 16 1926 WORLD WAR DIV.

K 11. 1/3 AUDITED BY

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

R

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Arteel 4123814 Henri J.
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. Co. 7 SARD
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: NBH#1, APO 716

CAUSE OF DEATH: Pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct, 17, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: AEF Cemetery

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

Lambzellec, Finistere

GRAVE NUMBER: Gr. 20 Row 2 Plot A

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? 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?

NEAREST RELATIVE: Louis Arteel

ADDRESS: Forestville, Ohio

RELATIONSHIP: Father

REPORTED BY:

[Signature] 2d Lt.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

This portion to be forwarded to Central Records Office, A. G. O., A. E. F.

Arteel, Henri J.
Pvt.

CENTRAL PASSENGER ASSOCIATION

TRANSPORTATION BUILDING
HARRISON AND DEARBORN STREETS

CHICAGO, ILL.

C. A. FOX, CHAIRMAN
R. E. PEPPER, SECRETARY

FILE NO.

SAILING FROM NEW YORK JUNE 14, 1930

S. S. HARDING

No. 292

Name Mrs Mary E Arteel

Address 4676 Chalmers St.

From Detroit, Mich.

To New York and return

Going Route

Penna RR to New York

Return same route

Train Schedule to New York

Lv. Detroit	4:15 PM	No. 68	June 12
Ar. New York	9:30 AM	No. 68	June 13

Sleeping car from Detroit To New York

Elapsed time 17 Hrs 15 Min

3/4

H-13

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

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

Party G
 Number 1201

ARTEEL, HENRI J. O.A.

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel

Name of Traveler
 Detroit, Wayne County

Estimate cost of through Pullman.
 Detroit, Mich.

Home Address
 Mich.

New York, to _____

\$ 638

New York, to Detroit, Mich.
 Destination.

Via PENN to dest.

July 14th, 1930

Date of Departure

Ticket expires - Aug. 12/30

Penn. sta.	Road	Tr. NO.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	car	U.S.G. Order NO.	Est. Cost
LV	PRR	69	7-14	3:50P				
*AR DETROIT	"	"	7-15	4:50P	45	181		638
LV								
AR								
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TOTAL _____

Remarks: :

* THRU ↓ AR

*Stopover in Europe
 and expense
 send ticket to Wash*

Name ARTEEL, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth

HOTEL DE PARIS

Paris Hôtel

BOULEVARD

1E

Home address 4676 Chalmers St., Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan

Party G Group 2 Unit S/S HARDING

Date of arrival June 22, 1930 Date of departure LEFT her Party. Returning to U.S. at own expense.

Relationship Mother

Name of deceased ARTEEL, Henri J.

Rank Pvt Organization F.A., Camp Jackson S.A.R.D.

Cemetery Oise-Aisne

REMARKS

to leave party on July 4 or 5 to make a personal tour to Isghem (Belgique) at own expense. Not returning to U.S. with Party "G". Sailing to New York at her own expense. Ticket cancelled.



4.

● G 1201

NAME ARTEEL, MRS. MARY E.

S.S. ROOSEVELT JUL 13 1930

HOME Detroit, Mich., Wayne County

R.R. Penn. R.R. to dest

STATION

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE Aug 12, 1930
229 A

*Stopover in Europe
own expense*

*Redeem ticket
in Wash DC*

July 15, 1930

File No. 552.01 - Party "G"

SUBJECT: Return of railroad tickets.

TO: The Quartermaster General
Washington, D. C.

1. Enclosed herewith are six railroad tickets forwarded for redemption on account of pilgrims remaining in Europe and returning at their own expense:

<u>Pilgrim</u>	<u>Railroad</u>	<u>Ticket No.</u>	<u>Destination</u>
Mrs. Mary E. Arteel	Penn.	A-18661	Detroit, Mich.
Mrs. Anna Bergstadt	C&NW	1374	Marinette, Wisc.
Mrs. Eladio Blondeel	Penn.	A-18653	Detroit, Mich.
Mrs. G. G. Gilson	C&NW	1401	W. Allis, Wisc.
Mrs. Leona Holewinski	C&NW	1377	Rhineland, Wisc.
Mrs. Marie E. King	CMSt.P&P	63836	Mazomanie, Wisc.

2. All the above pilgrims were members of party "G".

For the Officer in Charge:

JFM:CER
Enc. 6 RR tickets.

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

Stapone in Europe

Mrs MARY E. ARTEEL

City DETROIT State MICH.

Your Berth Is L 5 Car #181 Train #69

Leave PENN. STA. Via PENN. RR. TRAIN #69 At 3:15PM 7/14 E.S.T.

Arrive At DETROIT " " " At 8:45AM 7/15

Leave _____ Via _____ At _____

Arrive At _____ At _____

Leave _____ Via _____ At _____

Arrive At _____ At _____

Leave _____ Via _____ At _____

Arrive At _____ At _____

Leave _____ Via _____ At _____

Arrive At _____ At _____

May 27, 1930

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel
4676 Chalmers Street
Detroit, Mich.

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

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

For The Officer in Charge:

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

Enclosures:
2 tags.

POSTAL TELEGRAPH

PARIS JULY 7 1930

LOD PILGRIMAGE

NEWYORK (WAR DEPT PILGRIMAGE WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS 225 W 34

STEAMSHIP HARDING (ROOSEVELT) SAILED TEN THIRTY PM JULY FIFTH WITH

TWO HUNDRED THIRTYONE PILGRIMS PARTY G AND ONE NURSE MRS EVANS STOP

MRS EDWIN A LANGE HELD OVER ACCOUNT ILLNESS) STOP MRS ARTEEL COMBA

BERGSTADT COMMA BLONDELL COMMA HOLEWINSKI COMMA (GILSON AND KING

REMAINING AT OWN EXPENSE STOP MRS ALLEN PARTY G RETURNING OWN EXPENSE)

ELLIS

1 Copy to Lieut. Taylor
" " " Mr. Baulsir, Chief Clerk
" " " Transportation ✓
" " " Mr. Ilitz
2 Copies to File

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WESTERN UNION

1930 JUL 10 PM 11 20

Received at RMB20 60 RADIO VIA RCA - SS PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT T N CHATHAM 10

PILGRIMAGE - WAR DEPARTMENT
NEW YORK NY PILGRIMAGE WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS
R-901 225 WEST 34TH ST.

ROOSEVELT DOCKS 9 AM SUNDAY STOP TWO HUNDRED THIRTYONE PILGRIMS STOP
MRS DELIAH KILDOW INJURED POSSIBLE FRACTURE DISLOCATION LEFT HIP
CONDITION GOOD AMBULANCE REQUIRED STOP LOSSES ORIGINAL PARTY HANNAH
BERGSTADT MARY ARTEL MARIE KING ELADIE BLONDELL LEONA HOLEWINCKI G
GILSON ALL VOLUNTARY STOP MRS EDWIN LANGE ILL REMAIN HOSPITAL PARIS
STOP MRS LENA ALLEN PARTY C RETURNING

DARRELL

Copies to: Lieut. Taylor
Mr. Baulsir
Transportation
Mr. Ilitz
File

File 519 - P.P.L. Party "G"

July 14th, 1930.

SUBJECT: Per Diem Checks - Party "G"

TO: The Finance Officer, U. S. A.
New York General Depot.
Brooklyn, New York.

1. There are transmitted herewith for cancellation, the following described per diem checks of member of Party "G" who left their party in Europe to travel at their own expense;

#815,914.....	Mrs. G. C. Gilson.....	\$12.50
#815,835.....	Mary E. Arteol.....	7.50
#815,800.....	Leona Holowinski.....	17.50
#815,888.....	Marie E. King.....	17.50
#815,813.....	Hannah Bergstadt.....	20.00
#815,756.....	Eladis Blonde.....	7.50

2. There is also transmitted for cancellation, the check of Mrs. J. D. Richardson #795,766 in the amount of \$15.00.

For Officer in Charge:

GEORGE F. E. TAYLOR,
1st Lieut. Q. M. C. (DOL)

7 Encl:
7 Per Diem Checks.

*201
Articles
Mrs M B*

File 519 - Transportation Party "G"

July 14th, 1930

SUBJECT: unused Transportation - Pilgrims - Party "G"

TO: The Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

There are enclosed herewith the Westbound Contract
Tickets of:

Mrs. G. C. Gilson,
Mrs. Mary E. Arteel
Mrs. Hannah Bergstadt
Mrs. Eladie Blondeel
Mrs. Leona Holewinski
Mrs. Marie E. King

of Party "G" who left their party for the purpose travelling
in Europe, and with the understanding that the Government thereupon
ceased to be responsible for their maintenance and transportation.

For Officer in Charge:

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

6 Encls:

6 Westbound Contract Tickets - SS Roosevelt.

201. Arteel, Mrs. M. E.

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	A R T	3	180 ⁰ X
BURIED	CEMETERY 108	1	2
	GRAVE 13	2	13
	ROW 3	2	03
	BLOCK C	1	3
STATE	Ohio	2	41
RANK	Pvt	1	2
DIVISION	Replacements	2	58
ORGANIZATION	X	3	X
ARM	Draft	1	1
MARITAL	No	1	2
NAME	A R T	3	180 ⁰ X
RESIDENCE	STATE Mich.	2	26
	COUNTY Wayne	2	82
	CITY Detroit	3	022
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR. 1930	1	1
ACCEPTANCE	yes	1	1

Index June 14, 1930

1 Audited OCT 5 1931 a.s.

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Age

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RETURN NEW YORK

J

DATE

NAME *Arteil Mrs. Mary E.* HOME ADDRESS *4676 Chalmers St.
Detroit, Mich.*

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

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE

ROAD TRAIN CAR BERTH or SEAT

REMARKS

Stop over in Europe

STATE

MICHIGAN

Arteel, Henri J.

Mother

4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit
Wayne County

NAME ARTEEL, MRS. MARY E.

HOME ADDRESS

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN John DeLoose 12939 Greiner Ave.
Detroit, Mich.ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

DATE

June 13

HOTEL

Lincoln

ROOM NO.

1034

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE

JUN 14 1930

VESSEL

S/S HARDING

CABIN NO.

229-A

DESTINATION CHERBOURG, FRANCE

CEMETERY OISE-AISNE

1290-c

RETURN RECEIPT

608

Harding 61430

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

Abraham C. Steele

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, *5-28-30*, 192

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 926335

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

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



Return to Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

Street and Number, }
or Post Office Box, }

MUNITIONS BUILDING

Post Office at _____

Rev. 3-24

65-6116

State Washington, D. C.

1290

RETURN RECEIPT

605

Handing 6/14/30

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

John H. ...
(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, 5-22-30, 192

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 927

INSURED PARCEL 1930

No. _____



ADDRESS
YOUR MAIL
TO
STREET AND
NUMBER

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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to

Q. M. GENERAL

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box,

MUNICIPAL BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arteel, Henri J. 608-M

May 26, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel,
4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Madam:

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

317.525

7.50

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

1 Incl.
Check No.

Arteel, Henri J. 608 M

May 26, 1930

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel
4876 Chalmers St.
Detroit, Michigan

Dear Madam:

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

Lv. Detroit	Penna	No. 68	4:15 PM	June 12
Ar. New York	"	"	9:30 AM	" 13

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arteel, Henri J. 608M
Harding 6-14

May 12, 1930

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit, Mich.

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.

Name

John De Loose

Address

12434 Greiner ave. Detroit Mich.

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.



QM 293 A-C
Arteel, Henri J. 608-M

April 7, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel,
4676 Chalmers Street,
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 31, 1930 relative to your desire to remain in Europe one month, in order to visit relatives in Belgium, when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son, sailing on the SS HARDING, June 14, 1930.

In connection with your inquiry as to whether arrangements will be made to permit those making the pilgrimage to remain abroad longer than the two weeks allowed by the Government, I regret to advise you that no extension of time can be granted to persons making the pilgrimage under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929. The passport of each mother and widow will be limited to the duration of the pilgrimage.

While it is probable that a great number of persons making the pilgrimage may desire to take this opportunity to extend their visits in Europe, I am sure you can realize that such action would necessitate special arrangements to take care of the return trip, and result in confusion as to passports or travel documents, as well as in the arrangement of travel accommodations. The law contemplates that the pilgrimage will be made in groups throughout the trip, and in order to make the pilgrimage a success, it will not be possible to grant requests for extensions of time, except upon the condition that all further expenses of the pilgrimage, including the return transportation, will be borne from private funds.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

SB/ms

MM. 293 - A. C.
Arteil J. Henri 608 M.

Detroit Mich March 31-30

The Quartermaster General.

I'm excepting the invitation
to make the Pilgrimage but would like some
information on this I'm a Belgian native
and would like to visit my country as I have my
sisters and Brothers I would like to see, but
what I would like to know if I could stay
over there for 1 month after I have visited the
grave of my son in France. and if I could come
back at the Government expenses, if I go to
Belgium I know the expenses are on me, but
cannot afford to come back at my expense.
Please send me full information on this

Yours Truly

Mrs Marij E. Artel

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arteel, Henri J. 608-M

March 25, 1930.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit, Mich.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 5, 1950.

Arteel, Henri J. 606 M

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit, Mich.

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
608

Arteel, Henri 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. Mary Elizabeth Arteel

(Name)

4676 Chalmers St., Detroit, Wayne Co., Michigan

(Town or City)

(State)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Arteel, Henri J. 608 M

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel,
4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit, Mich.

Sailed

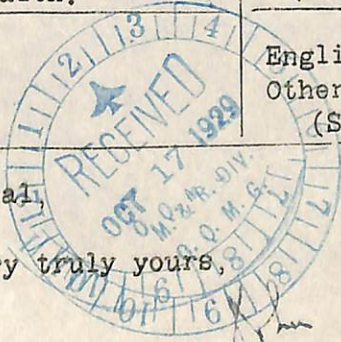
JUN 14 1930

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)	(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 <u>58</u> Health	(Years) (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) ^{Some}	(No) Other language <u>Belgian</u> (Specify language spoken)



For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arteel, Henri J.

June 20 , 1929.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
4676 Chalmers Street,
Detroit, Mich.

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 Henri J. Arteel, 7th Battery Artillery, Camp Jackson, SARD., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, 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,

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

Detroit Mich June 28

Dear Sir,

My son Henry J. Artel
was not married.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. Mary Artel

Arteel, Henri J. 608 M

May 26, 1930

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel
4876 Chalmers St.
Detroit, Michigan

Dear Madam:

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

Lv. Detroit	Penna	No. 68	4:15 PM	June 12
Ar. New York	"	"	9:30 AM	" 13

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arteel, Henri J. 608M
Harding 6-14

May 12, 1930

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit, Mich.

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.

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.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arteel, Henri J.-808 M
Harding 6-14

May 5, 1930

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
4676 Chalmers Street,
Detroit, Michigan.

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.

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QM 293 A-C
Arteel, Henri J. 608-M

April 7, 1930.

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel,
4676 Chalmers Street,
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 31, 1930 relative to your desire to remain in Europe one month, in order to visit relatives in Belgium, when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son, sailing on the SS HARDING, June 14, 1930.

In connection with your inquiry as to whether arrangements will be made to permit those making the pilgrimage to remain abroad longer than the two weeks allowed by the Government, I regret to advise you that no extension of time can be granted to persons making the pilgrimage under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929. The passport of each mother and widow will be limited to the duration of the pilgrimage.

While it is probable that a great number of persons making the pilgrimage may desire to take this opportunity to extend their visits in Europe, I am sure you can realize that such action would necessitate special arrangements to take care of the return trip, and result in confusion as to passports or travel documents, as well as in the arrangement of travel accommodations. The law contemplates that the pilgrimage will be made in groups throughout the trip, and in order to make the pilgrimage a success, it will not be possible to grant requests for extensions of time, except upon the condition that all further expenses of the pilgrimage, including the return transportation, will be borne from private funds.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Ans. See list.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arteel, Henri J. 606 M

April 5, 1930.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit, Mich.

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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arteel, Henri J. 608-H

March 25, 1930.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
4576 Chalmers St.,
Dear Madam:
Detroit, Mich.

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.

Arteel,

(Surname.)

Henri J.

(Christian name in full.)

4,123,814

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

7th Btry Art Cp Jackson Sept Repl Drt

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased *Mother*

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? *Yes*

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery? } (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 Elizabeth Arteel
Vaughnsville - Ohio*

(Number and or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by J.D.
531-387
2-24-21

**REVIEWED
OSP SS.**

2-24-21

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

October 7, 1929.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arteel, Henri J. 608 M

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel,
4676 Chalmers St.,
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293. Arteel, Henry
Arteel, Henri J.

May 27, 1929.

O. Q. M. G.

Mrs. Mary E. Arteel,
4676 Chalmers Avenue,
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Madam:

Replying to your letter of May 8th, 1929, which has been referred to this office by the United States Veterans Bureau, you are advised that the records indicate that you are the mother of the late Private Henri J. Arteel, whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery in France.

As the mother of this late soldier you are entitled to make the pilgrimage to his grave under the provisions of the law recently passed by Congress and will be furnished the necessary application blank upon which to submit your application, at an early date. You may be assured that you will receive all necessary information in this connection in ample time to make arrangements for the journey.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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UNITED STATES VETERANS BUREAU

WASHINGTON

May 20, 1929.

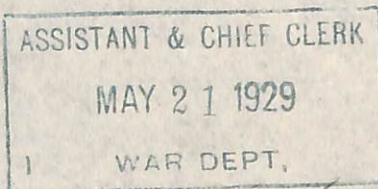
OFFICE OF
THE DIRECTOR

The Honorable,
The Secretary of War,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith a letter from Mrs. J. Di Loose, care of Mrs. Mary E. Arteel, 4676 Chalmers Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, dated May 8, 1929, relative to the legislation providing trips at Governmental expense to mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American forces interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries.

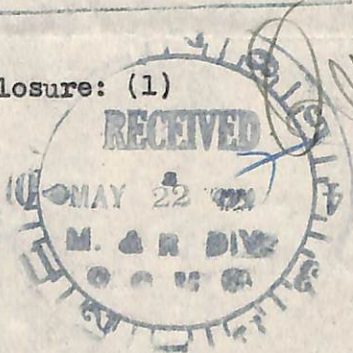
It is assumed that Mrs. Di Loose has reference to Public No. 952, 70th Congress, the administration of which is under the jurisdiction of your Department and her letter is therefore referred to you for attention.



Respectfully,

Frank T. Hines
FRANK T. HINES
Director

Enclosure: (1)





Detroit Mich May 8-1929
The War Risk Insurance Bureau
Compensation number C-92137
File No I-45663

Dear Sirs

Have noticed in the papers about the Gold Star Mothers going overseas in 1930 my son Henrij J. Artel is buried in France. will you kindly inform me if there are applications to be made for this trip I would like to go in June 1930

Respectfully Mrs. J. DeLoore

in care of Mrs. Mary E. Artel
my mother unable
to write you for
information

4676 Chalmers Ave
Detroit Mich

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arceol, Henri J.

June 20, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arceol,
4676 Chalmers Street,
Detroit, Mich.

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 Henri J. Arceol, 7th Battery Artillery, Camp Jackson, SARD., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, 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 invitation to her to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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J. M. G. M. & R. DIV.
JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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ARTEEL, Henri J. - Pvt.

March 17, 1925

Mr. Louis Arteel,
Columbus Grove,
Ohio.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires to invite your attention to the inclosed card which gives the permanent cemetery location of the soldier's grave in which you are interested.

This American military cemetery is one of those to be maintained by the United States for all time in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of dignified design, with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. For the future, these graves will be perpetually maintained by the Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

R.P. HARBOLD,
Major, Q.M.C.

Assistant.

1-Incl.
Record card.

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Place Lambzellec, Fin.Date June 4th 1920

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: Henri J ArteelNumber: 4123814Rank: Pvt.Organization: 7th Bty Art. Cp.Jackson SRD 3ARDDisinterment and Reburial made by: Sec 1Disinterred (Date) 6/4/20

From: (Give complete location

Lambzellec, Fin. Cty 531Gr 20 Row 2 Plot AReburied (Date) 6/4/20

in: (Give complete location

Lambzellec, Fin. Cty 531Gr 22 Row 8 Plot B

Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: In pine box - in uniform - badly decomposed

Was one identification tag found upon the body? yesWhat other means of identification were found upon the body? none

Remarks:

Body taken up for concentration in Plot B Reburied in pine box wrapped in blanket - Slip in bottle with information place in box with remains.

(BJB)

S. D. Campbell
Capt., Inf., U.S.A.
C.O. Section #1

Supervised by _____

Zone Commander

*2 1/2 Exhumed
for Concentration
Camp - Arrive 608
at 3/17/22*

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name Arteel, Henri J. Ser. No. 4123814)
 (2) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. 7th, Bty Artillery) TYP. ESW
Camp Jackson, Sept. Repl. Draft) CKR. JK
 (3) Date of death 10/16/18)

B. Registration Card:- (Check Reg. Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.)

(4) Cause of death Lobar Pneumonia) TYP. ESW
 (5) Grave No. _____ Row _____ Plot _____ Sect. _____) CKR. JK

II. FILES EXAMINATION

A. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No Card.

B. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD Date of receipt None

(6) Relationship Mother
 (7) Name Marie Elizabeth Arteel
 (8) Address Vaughnville Ohio
 (9) Desires remains brought to U. S.? No
 (10) Desires remains brought to U. S. and interred in National Cemetery at _____
 (11) If brought back, what shipping instructions? _____

EC. 3/23/22

C. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE Date of communication _____

(12) Does correspondence change or qualify request as made on A.G.O. card? If so, specify such information. _____

No correspondence.

(13) A. G. O. Files EXAMINED by J.L. (Date) 3/23/22

D. (14) G. R. S. Files - Correspondence. (Has reference been made to File No. Cancellation memos.?) yes n.m. Does such correspondence, if containing request for disposition, reconcile with that of A. G. O.? n.m. (Specify "Yes or "No".) If "No", give date of communication, the name, address, and relationship and substance of request.

*no request for disposition.
Grave location blank only*

(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by n.m. (Date) 3-24-22

*checked by
2-24-22*

III. FINAL ACTION

A. MEMORANDUM to D. M. O. in E. made (Date)

(16) Removal of Remains (within custody of G.R.S.) to

(17) Instructions that remains be left undisturbed

(18) Typed by Checked by (Date)

B. G. R. S. FORM NO. 114 made (Date) 4/2/20

(19) Typed by MCH Checked by (Date) 4/2/20

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

Form 129, 4/2/20 Mrs. Mary E. Arteele (Mother) Columbus Grove,

Ohio, Ohio. Request body remain in Europe.

Letter 11-12-20 to mother, re relative: F. 11-9-120. F. L.

11/23/20 - Letter from Mother, states soldier

not married. No mention of Father. Letters signed Marie E. & Louis Arteele APR 13 1920 124/ps-8

D. Dispatched (Date) (Let. Trans. No.)

Approved by

(Date)

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE 10/27/21

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 <u>ARTEEL, Henri J</u>	10. Name _____
2. No. <u>4123814</u>	11. No. _____
3. Rank <u>Pvt</u>	12. Rank _____
4. Org. <u>7th Bty. Art. Camp Jackson</u> <u>Sept. Repl. Draft. Sept</u>	13. Org. _____
5. D.D. <u>Oct. 16, 1918</u>	14. (a) D.D. _____
6. C.D. <u>Lobar Pneumonia</u>	(b) D.B. <u>No discrepancy</u>

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. <u>22</u> Sec. _____	15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
8. Plot <u>B</u> Row <u>8</u>	16. Plot _____ Row _____
9. _____	17. <u>No discrepancy</u>

18. Cemetery Amer. Cty19. Commune or town Lambzellec20. Dept. or County Finistere21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 53123. Disinterred (Date) 10/27/21 By E.G. Scott

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Henri J. Arteel Serial No. NoneRank Pvt. Organization 7 Bty. Art Camp Jackson
Repl. Dft. Sept.25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? NoSignature E. G. Scott
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

No effects found.27. Condition of body Badly disintegrated - features unrecognizable.28. Nature of burial Wooden box, blanket and uniform.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date 10/27/21 By E.G. Scott31. Casket sealed by E.G. ScottSignature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) E. G. Scott

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-10220

32. Designation of body:

Name ARTEEL, Henri J Serial No. 4123814
Rank Pvt Organization 7th Bty. Art. Camp Jackson
Repl. Draft. Sept.

33. Consigned to:

OISE-AISNE AMER. CEM. No 608, SERINGES & NESLES (AISNE)
(Corrected per Letter, Hdqrs., AGRS., Oct. 25, 1921)
Name of Permanent Cemetery ~~Aisne-Marne Am. Cty. 1764, Belleau-Aisne~~

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) 10/2 7/21 By E.G. Scott

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 *E.J. Riordan*
E.J. Riordan,
Capt., Q.M.C.

36. Remarks

Bottle record found in box: " Henri J. Arteel, 4123814, 7th Bty. Art. Camp Jackson, S.R.D." Metal strip found pinned to blanket agrees with Form 114-A.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) 10/27/21

To point of Concentration Brest Morgue

Convoyer A. DeWasch Signature Shipping Officer *E.J. Riordan*
(Name E.J. Riordan,
Capt., QMC.)

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 10/27/21

By G.R.S. Representative *M.B. Birdseye*
M.B. Birdseye,
1st Lieut., QMC.

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 12 NOV 1921

To Permanent Cemetery OISE-AISNE AMER. CEM. No 608, SERINGES & NESLES (AISNE)

Convoyer *J. Ball* Signature Shipping Officer *WALTER F. BROWN*
(Name WALTER F. BROWN,
Captain, Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army)

40. Received: Date 25 NOV 1921

G.R.S. Representative G.F. WAUGH

41. Reinterred Aug. 18, 1922, Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes et Nesles (Aisne)

42. Grave No. 13 (Date) Section

43. Plot BLOCK C Row 3

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G.R.S. Representative *W.D. Cleary*
W.D. Cleary
Lt., Chaplain, USA.

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57x 60946

Place Lambazellec (Finistere)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date 10/27/21

1. REMAINS OF ARTEEL, Henri J. SERIAL NUMBER 4123814
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION 7th Bty. Art. Cp. Jackson, S.R.D.
SARD
Sept

2. Disinterred (date) : 10/27/21 From (give complete location) :
Gr. 22, Plot B. Row 8. Com. 531 Lambazellec.

By : Group 1 Unit Sec. 6

3. Reburied (date) : Aug. 18, 1922 In (give complete location) : Gr. 13, Block C, Row 3, Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes et Nesles (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 :
Wooden box, blanket and uniform. Badly disintegrated - features unrecognizable.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
Bottle record found in box: " Henri J. Arteel, 4123814, 7th Bty Art. Cp. Jackson, S.R.D." Metal strip found on blanket agrees with Form 114-A."

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp. to det. See It. 4

(b) Weigh, (estimated) Imp. to est. See It. 4

(c) Hair—Color Apparently light brown

Quantity Medium head.

Characteristics Apparently straight

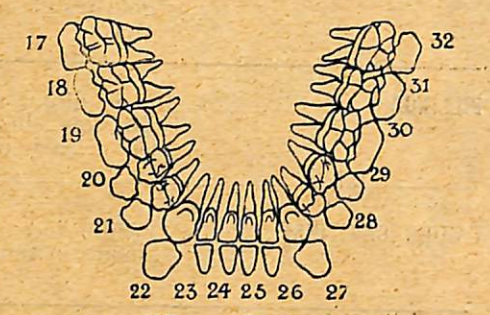
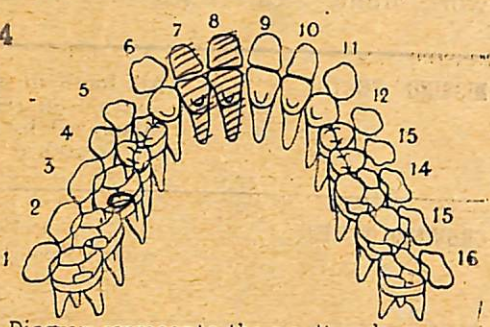
(d) Hair on face—Color None found

Location None found

Quantity None found

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

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) None found.



MBD. 7 & 8. Cavity #3.

7. Disinterment supervised by E. G. Scott, S.E.

Approved ; E. J. Riordan, Capt., GMC.
 (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by L. D. Hays

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

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
REGISTRATION SECTION

May 31, 1921

FILED

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Co. 7th Bty. Art. Camp Jackson, SARD.

ORGANIZATION (old)

ARTEEL, 4123814, Henri J. Pvt.

(Name)

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

ORGANIZATION (New) 7th Btry. Camp Jackson SARD. Art.

FILE NO.	Date	Place	F-1A No.
SURNAME	Orig.		D-
SERIAL NUMBER	1st Reb.		D-
FIRST NAME AND INITIALS	2nd Reb.		D-
RANK	3rd Reb.		D-
DATE OF DEATH			
CAUSE OF DEATH			

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

BY: S. Nelson,

Investigation & Adjustment
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
on Organization
File Card:

By SP

S/1105/LML

THE PEOPLES BANK CO.

VAUGHNSVILLE BRANCH

VAUGHNSVILLE, OHIO, 11/23/1920.

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War Department;-

Attention of F.B. Daniel, 1st. Liut.,

Dear Sir;-

In answer to your letter of the 19 regarding Private Henri J. Arteel, Ser. No. 4123814. your file No 293.8 Reg. Sec. Eem Div.. will say that he was never married and has no widow or children left.

Very truly,

*Maria Elizabeth
Lauri Arteel*

Noted on Form No. 116
Date 12/4/20 P

File 293.8 1000-2-2937

THE PEOPLES BANK CO.
MADISONVILLE BRANCH

MADISONVILLE, OHIO

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WASHINGTON
NOV 26 1920
A. G. N.

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GENERAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS DEPARTMENT

November 19, 1920.

File No. 293.8 Reg. Sec. Cem. Div.
(ARTEEL, Henri J.)

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel,
Box 46,
Columbus Grove, Ohio.

Dear Madam:-

To complete records of this office it is requested that you advise whether your late son, Private Henri J. Arteel, Ser. No. 4123814, is survived by widow, children and father, and if so, the name and address of each is desired.

The Department wishes to convey to you its assurance of sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Major, U.S. Army,
Chief, Cemeterial Division.

BY: *FBD*

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F. B. DANIEL,
1st Lieut., Q.M.C.
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OSP:SS
(1 Encls.)

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OVERSEAS PROJ. SEC.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION.

Noted on Form No. 115

Date 11-19-20 *L*

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

November 19, 1920.

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Major, U.S. Army,
Chief, Cemetery Division.

BY:

F. B. DANIEL,
1st Lieut., Q.M.C.

OSP:SS
(1 Encls.)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON.

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APR 14 1920

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.G.
TO: Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel, Vaughnsville, Ohio.
SUBJECT: Disposition of remains of Private Henri J. Arteel.

Records of this office show your request to be as follows:

Remains to be not returned to United States ~~Interment~~ *no change*
Shipped to -----

If any modifications of the foregoing are desired please write same fully on the other side of this sheet.

The nearest living relative may choose between, (1) return of remains to homes for burial; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in France.

You are requested to fill out the following without delay and return in enclosed penalty envelope, which does not require postage.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

*Noted on 11-11-20
11-9-20. J.L.*

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Widow			
Children (Name oldest first)			
Father			
Mother			
Brothers			
Sisters			

Date Apr 20 - 20

Signature Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Arteel

Address Columbus, Grave No 4 A Box 46

Relationship Widow

MCH

NS-7154/MB

The transfer of bodies will be made entirely at government expense.



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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Arteel 4125814 Henri J.

(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

Pvt.

(Rank)

7th Btry Art. Co. Jackson S.A.R.D.

(Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: NBH#1 APO 716

CAUSE OF DEATH: Pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct. 17, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: AEF Cemetery

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

Lambzellee, Finistere

GRAVE NUMBER: Cr. 20 Row 2 Plot A

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? 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?

NEAREST RELATIVE: Louis Arteel

ADDRESS: Forestville, Ohio

RELATIONSHIP: Father

REPORTED BY:

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

REVIEWED
O&P S.S.

2d Lt.



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1. G.R.S. Form No. 1 Hq. G.R.S. File
4123814

2. Soldier's No.

3. Arteel, Henri J.

Surname First Name & Initials

4. Pvt. Co. 7 SARD

Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Oct. 16, 1918 Pneumonia

Date of Death Cause, if known

6. Oct. 17, 1918 AEF

Date of Burial Cemetery

7. Lambezellec Finistere

Town or Commune Department

8. 20 Row 2 A

Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg Cross Headboard?
Bottle? (Check method of marking)

10. Buried with Body
Attached to Grave Marker
(Identification Tags)

11. If name unknown and tags missing
give marks and description.

12. 531
Map Reference, if interment is
outside of cemetery.

13. Lt. E. H. Segur

Give name of Chaplain or
Burial Officer.

Signed A. P. C. [Signature]

Group

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OSP 53.

Unit

G. R. S.

29 OCT 1918