

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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JAN 15 1926

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DATE

1. NAME ARVIG, Raymond O.SERIAL No. 83954RANK Cpl.ORGANIZATION Co. K. 125th Inf.GRAVE LOCATION American Cty., Juvigny, Aisne.

598.

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

64

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Exhumed from NW section of Tartiers, (Aisne)

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

CONCENTRATED TO Dec. 5, 1918

16

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

American
CEMETERY#598
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.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS 12-8-20DATE OF DEATH Aug. 30, '18

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

#598 JUVIGNY
CEMETERYSTATE FROM WHICH HE CAME MontanaMEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

Stuart D. Campbell, Capt. Q.M.C., Supervisor, Area No. 2.3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Aug. 10, 1922.

5

29

Block C

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Oise-Aisne Amer. #608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne).

CEMETERY

AUDITED BY KM
1/13

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

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

.....Irving.....83954.....Raymond.....
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
.....Corporal.....Co. K, 125th Inf......
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL...August 31, 1918.....

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

.....Franco-American cemetery at south entrance to mammoth cave at Tertier.....
.....es.....

GRAVE NUMBER.....4.....

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 :

REPORTED BY :

.....Chaplain.....107th Engineers.....
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Arvig, Raymond O.
Cpl.

WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU
ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY July 9, 1930

Hennepin County, State of Minnesota

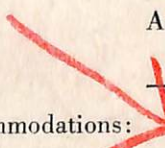
Name Arvig, Mrs Mary (K-12)

Address 4900 36th Ave S., Minneapolis, Minn.

Route going: C&NW Chicago, Wab Buffalo, DL&W New York

Return: Same route

		ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE
Itinerary going	✓ Lv Minneapolis	C&NW	406	8:00PM	July 5
	✓ Ar Chicago	"	"	8:35 AM	" 6
	✓ Lv "	Wab	6	10:30AM	" "
	✓ Ar New York	DL&W	2	3:30PM	" 7
	Lv (Hoboken)				
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Accommodations:  Standard sleeper Minneapolis, Minn to Chicago, Ill and Chicago, Ill to New York, N Y

Elapsed Time: 42 hrs:30 min. *2*

Extra Fare:

Arvig, Raymond C.

June 19th, 1930

Mrs. Mary Arvig
4900 - 36th Ave. S.
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Madam:

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

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

For the Officer in Charge:

Arrived N.Y. 3:30 PM - July 7
Trains 2nd N. L. & W. RR
Lt Moore

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

Enclosures:
2 tags.

Quarters east: Mrs A V. Loreng
west: alone

Party "K" - Itinerary - Gise-Aiane Group

Sailed July 9, 1930 on PRESIDENT HARDING. Captain William Hesketh in charge. Lt. Col. H. S. Grier observer. Arrived Cherbourg 12.20am July 17th. Special tender arrived 5.25am bearing Majs. Dailey and Kindermann; Capts. Mitchell, Halsey, Earnest, Dalton, Conway and Stark; Lts. Freeman and Birns, 3 nurses, 3 civilian employees. Train left 5.25am; arrived Gare des Invalides, Paris, 2.21pm. Met by Col. Ellis and members of his staff, interpreters and nurses. Taken in bus to hotel.

- July 18th. Morning devoted to transaction of personal business. Exchange of money, preparation of laundry, etc. Afternoon-Arc de Triomphe. Wreath laid by Mrs. Fitzsimmons for party. Tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent. Dinner at hotel.
- July 19th. Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Left 1.40pm for Soissons via Porte de Pantin, La Ferte s/s Jouarre (rest stop Hotel de la Terrasse), Chateau Thierry. Arrived Soissons 6.15pm. Quarters Hotel Lion Rouge.
- July 20th, and 21st. Visited Gise-Aiane American Cemetery, Battle Monument Hill 204, Quentin Roosevelt's grave, Belleau Woods, Pierrefonds.
- July 22nd. Visited Cemetery. Lunch at hotel. Left Soissons 2.00pm for Reims via Fismes. Quarters Hotel Crystal.
- July 23rd. Visited Reims and Cathedral. Lunch at hotel. Left Reims 1.30pm for Compiègne via Berry-au-bac, Corbeny, Craonne, Chamin-des-Dames, Vauxains, Ferme, Soissons. Arrived 4.25pm. Quarters Hotel Rond Royal.
- July 24th. Visited Carrefour de l'Armistice. Left Compiègne 2.00am for Paris via La Croix St. Ouen, Euilly for, Chantilly. Arrived Paris 5.45 pm. Dinner at hotel.
- July 25th. Free or shopping. Lunch at hotel. Sightseeing trip. Napoleon's Tomb. Dinner at hotel.
- July 26th. Sightseeing trip. Notre Dame. Lunch at hotel. Versailles, Belle Cyoliste, Suresnes. Dinner at hotel.
- July 27th. Free or Church. Lunch at hotel. Louvre. Dinner at hotel. Night Sightseeing trip.
- July 28th. Sightseeing trip. Sacre Coeur. Lunch at hotel. Afternoon free. Dinner at hotel.
- July 29th. Boat train for Cherbourg. Left 9.22am. Arrived 3.32pm. PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT sailed about 6.25pm. Arrived New York August 6th.

Mrs. Mary Arvig

This group, in addition to above and at the invitation of Committee in charge, witnessed unveiling of a monument at Vertes-Feuilles, commemorating attack of Allied troops against Villers-Cotterets and Soissons on 29th of May 1918.

WAR DEPARTMENT
 "PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS"
 ROOM 901
 225 WEST 34TH ST., NEW YORK, N. Y.

Party K

Number 2118

ARVIG, RAYMOND O. O.A.

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

MRS. MARY ARVIG Actual cost of through Pullman.
 Name of Traveler

MINNEAPOLIS, HENNEPIN COUNTY, ... New York, to MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
 Home Address

MINN. \$ 12.75

New York, to MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
 Destination

Via D L & W TO BUFFALO - WAB TO CHI - C & N W-CHI.ST.P., MINN. & ~~TO~~
 & OMAHA RY TO MINNEAPOLIS.

LIMIT - SEPT 5-30 AUGUST
 Date of Departure

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	Car	U. S. G. Order No.	Actual Cost
LV HOBOKEN, N J	DL&W	5	1st day	220P	L			9 00
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LV "	C&NW	405	2nd "	830P	L			3 75
AR Minneapolis	"	405	3rd "	805A				
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WD-1022,869

TOTAL 12.75...

Remarks:

STOP OVER - NEW YORK - 10 DAYS

Capt. Narver

Name ARVIG, Mrs; Mary

Paris Hôtel HOTEL DE PARIS
BOULEVARD DE LA MADELEINE

Home address 4900 36th Ave., S. ~~Appt~~/2, Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., Minnesota.

Party K Group 2 Unit ~~SS~~.HARDING

Date of arrival July 17, 1930 Date of departure ~~SS~~. ROOSEVELT July 29, 1930.

Relationship Mother

Name of deceased ARVIG, Raymond O.

Rank Cpl Organization Co.K. 125th Inf.

Cemetery Oise-Aisne

REMARKS



NAME ARVIG, MRS. MARY
S.S. ROOSEVELT 748 2118
HOME MINNEAPOLIS, HENNEPIN COUNTY, MINN.
R.R. D. & W. Buffalo
STATION Wash & Chi
TRAIN # C & NW - Chi St. P Minn
CAR # Omaha Tgt Minneapolis
BERTH OR SEAT
TIME
DATE ~~AUG 6 1930~~ Sept 5 - 30

I. J. Arvig
4900 36 ave S.
Minneapolis
Minn

no T. R.

S.O.
N.Y.
10 days

Mrs.

Mary Arvig

File

R 2117

Address

Minneapolis

Stopping at

N. Y. C.

With

John

9.05 P

Address

1619 - Garden St.

Doboken.

RECEIVED RAILROAD AND PULLMAN TICKET

Mrs Mary Arvig

Stop over in N.Y.C. as per schedule

WAR DEPARTMENT
FILM MAGE, WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS
225 WEST 34TH ST., N. Y., N. Y., ROOM 901

VIA POSTAL TELEGRAPH

Mr. T. J. Arvig
4900 36th Ave., South
Minneapolis, Minn.

A. J. FUNK
Captain, Inf. (DOL)

August 7, 1930

YOUR WIFE ARRIVED SAFE AND WELL SENDS LOVE

COLONEL WILLIAMS

MRS. MARY ARVIG PARTY K HOTEL ASTOR

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Arvig</i>	<i>A R V</i>	3	<i>182</i>
<i>Raymond O</i>	Cemetery <i>608</i>	1	<i>2</i>
BURIED	Grave <i>5</i>	2	<i>05</i>
	ROW <i>29</i>	2	<i>29</i>
	BLOCK <i>C</i>	1	<i>3</i>
STATE	<i>Montana</i>	2	<i>31</i>
RANK	<i>Cpl</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>32</i>	2	<i>32</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>125</i>	3	<i>125</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Arvig</i>	<i>A R V</i>	3	<i>182</i>
<i>Mrs Mary</i>	STATE <i>Minn</i>	2	<i>27</i>
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>Hennepin</i>	2	<i>27</i>
	CITY <i>Minneapolis</i>	3	<i>034</i>
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>Father</i>	1	<i>1</i>
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	<i>yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Good</i>	1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	NO.	1	
TRIP	YR. <i>1930</i>	1	<i>1</i>
ACCEPTANCE	<i>yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>

*Added
July 9, 1930*

*Added
OCT 5 1931
A.S.*

Age

51

K

NAME Arvig, Mrs. Mary

ADDRESS 4900-36th Ave. S. Minneapolis, Minn.

DATE _____

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

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

SINCERELY,

(SIGNED) Mrs. Mary Arvig.

WAR DEPARTMENT

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE \$300.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

STATE

Arvig, Raymond O.

MINNESOTA.....

M

NAME Arvig, Mrs. Mary HOME ADDRESS 4900-36th Ave.

S. Minn eapolis,

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN Hennepin Co.

ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

DATE

July 7

HOTEL

New Yorker

ROOM NO.

948

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE

JUL 9 1930

VESSEL

S/S HARDING

CABIN NO.

3 B

DESTINATION

CHERBOURG

CEMETERY

O. A.

RETURN NEW YORKDATE AUG 6 19304900-36TH AVE.,
S. MINNEAPOLIS,
HENNEPIN CO. MINN.NAME .. ARVIG, MRS. MARY HOME ADDRESSRETURN ON S. S. S/S ROOSEVELT HOTEL ASTOR ROOM NO. 210DEPARTURE NEW YORKDATE AUG 7 1930

ROAD TRAIN CAR BERTH or SEAT

REMARKS

New York City 10 days
Left hotel 9.00 P.M. 8/6/30

2164

608

RETURN RECEIPT

Harding 7-9-30

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

Mrs Mary Arvig

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery,

6-25

1920

Form 3811

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Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 9230

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

Q. M. GENERAL

Return to _____

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box, _____

WASHINGTON

D. C.

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

ADDRESS
YOUR MAIL

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

TO
STREET AND NUMBER

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

2166-c

RETURN RECEIPT

608

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Hafrey 7/9/38

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

Mrs. Mary Curvig

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery,

6-18-1938

Form 3811

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Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID
PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$800

REGISTERED ARTICLE No. _____

INSURED PARCEL No. _____

Return to _____

Q. M. GENERAL

(Name of sender.)

Street and Number, }
or Post Office Box, }

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

5-6116

D. C.

Postmark of Delivering Office

and Date of Delivery.

QM 293 A-M

Arvig, Raymond O. 608-M

August 19, 1930.

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 - 36th Ave. S.,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Dear Madam:

The testimonial dated August 2nd to the Officer in Charge, Gold Star Pilgrimage, New York City, which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS "President Roosevelt" were so kind as to send regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, has been forwarded to me.

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

With sincere appreciation of the sentiments expressed by you;

Sincerely yours,

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

RES
JTH
WRG

RS

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arvig, Roaymond O. 608 M

June 16, 1930

Mrs. Mary Arvig
4900 - 36th Ave., S.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. 340,403 in the
amount of \$ 20.00, to pay for your meals and incidental
expenses from your home to New York on the pilgrimage
authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

1 Incl.
Check No.

Arvig, Raymond O. 608 K

June 12, 1930

Mrs. Mary Arvig
4900 36th Ave. S.
Minneapolis, Minn.

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. Minneapolis	CANV	No. 406	8:00 PM	July 5
Ar. Chicago	"	"	8:35 AM	6
Lv. "	Wab	"	10:30 AM	"
Ar. New York	"	"	3:30 PM	7

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.

acc. July 9
Stopover
noted on
Trans. list,
Invt. list and
card.

QM 293 A-C
Arvig, Raymond O. - 608 M

May 21, 1930.

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 - 36th Avenue So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 12, 1930 relative to your pilgrimage to the grave of your son the late Raymond O. Arvig, sailing on the SS HARDING July 9, 1930.

In accordance with your request, a stop-over in New York City will be allowed you. From there you may make a side trip to Hoboken, New Jersey at your own expense.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

4900 - 36 Ave. So.
Minneapolis, Minn.
May 12, 1930

Navy Department
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir: - Referring to Q.M. 293-
A.C. - Raymond O. Arvig - 608-M.
Harding 7-9. Arvig-Raymond

In regard to your letter of
May seventh stating that
stop-overs can be arranged on
the return trip from Pilgrimage
of Gold Star Mothers to France, I
would be glad to receive in-
formation as to whether a
stop-over could be arranged
for me to Hoboken, New Jersey,
where I have an uncle who
would like to have me stop.

acc. Sincerely
Harding Mrs. Mary Arvig
July 9 4900 - 36 Ave. So.
Minneapolis, Minn.



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 12, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arvig, Raymond O. -608 M
Harding 7-9

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 36th Ave., So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

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.

Mr. Lewis J. Arvig
Name

4900 - 36 Ave. So Mpls. Minnesota
Address

noted

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. Hughes

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

Encl.
Env.



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 12, 1930.

Arvig, Raymond O. 608 M

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 36th Ave., So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

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
7/9/30
608

Arvig, Raymond

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 Arvig

(Name)

4900 36th Ave., So., Minneapolis, Hennepin Co.,

(Town or City)

Minn.

(State)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arvig, Raymond O. 608 M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 - 36th Ave., So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

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 51 Health ☒	(Years) (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) ☒ (No)	Other language <i>Norwegian</i> (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Act
Envelope

4900 - 36 Ave. So.
Minneapolis, Minnesota
July 8, 1929

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

Gentlemen: In reply to your letter of the twentieth of June regarding the pilgrimage which is planned for the gold star mothers I wish to advise you that the late Raymond O. Arvig - S.M. 293 A-C - Co. K. 125th Infantry whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Serres-et-Nesles, Aisne, France - has a mother living who is entitled to this trip. Her full address is Mrs. Mary Arvig 4900 - 36 Ave. So., Minneapolis Minnesota, now, instead of 712 Union Avenue South, Berquet Falls Minnesota as we moved to Minneapolis last fall. Raymond has no widow.

I thank you for your kind offer.

Sincerely

Lewis J. Arvig



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arvig, Raymond O.

June 20, 1929.

Mr. Louis J. Arvig,
712 Union Avenue S.,
Fergus Falls, Minn.

4900 36th Ave So
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

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 father of the late Corporal Raymond O. Arvig, Co.K, 125th Inf. 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 mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them 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,

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

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Act of Congress.
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Co. "K". 125th. Infantry.
32nd. Division.

ARVIG , Raymond. Cpl. 83954.
Home: III E. Bismark Ave.
Fergers Falls, Minn.

In the Oise-Aisne Offensive on August 31/18 about 6:00 P.M.
(Operations around Juvigny)) France, was hit in the right lung by shrapnel
and was carried off the Battle field, and was later reported as died of
wounds in Hospital. No record of last words ~~available~~ available.

Informant: Ross, Marion. Pvt. 2230057. Co. K.
125th. Infantry.

Home: Ware, Texas.

Signed: E. P. Stuk, 2nd. Lt. Co. K. 125th. Inf.

Emergency address:
Louis J. Arvig
III E Bismark Ave.
Fergers Falls, Minn.

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QM 293 A-M
Arvig, Raymond O. 608-M

August 19, 1930.

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 - 36th Ave. S.,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Dear Madam:

The testimonial dated August 2nd to the Officer in Charge, Gold Star Pilgrimage, New York City, which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS "President Roosevelt" were so kind as to send regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, has been forwarded to me.

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

With sincere appreciation of the sentiments expressed by you,

Sincerely yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arvig, Raymond

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June 13, 1930

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 36th Ave. S.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Madam:

Somewhat heavier clothing is required to be worn in Europe than is necessary in the United States, in order to be comfortable. During the summer in Europe it is cool during the day and the nights are frequently chilly. Considerable rain is usually encountered during this time.

In order that you may be comfortable at all times, regardless of the condition of the weather, and may avoid missing any of the sights or any part of the itinerary which has been planned for you, the following suggestions are made.

The clothing which you will take with you should be slightly heavier and warmer than you would normally wear in the United States during the summer and should be strong and durable. It is essential that you take with you the necessary equipment to afford protection from the cold and dampness. Be sure to take at least two pairs of comfortable shoes to provide a change in the event your feet become wet, a pair of rubbers, an umbrella, and a sweater or some warm wrap to be used should the weather become uncomfortably cool. It is very desirable that, in addition to the sweater, you have with you a full length coat of medium weight for general wear.

The shortages of suitable facilities for laundry and the frequency of the moves you will make while in Europe will make it impracticable to secure as frequent service of this nature as may be desired. You should therefore provide yourself with sufficient underwear, nightgowns, stockings and handkerchiefs to meet your requirements should it be impossible to have your washing done more frequently than once in two weeks.

If you will read carefully the suggestions made above, and comply with them, it will add greatly to your comfort throughout the trip and will assist the Government in carrying out successfully its plans for conducting the pilgrimage. This letter is being sent to every mother and widow who has accepted the invitation sent to her by the Government to visit the grave of her son or husband.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Arvig, Raymond O. 608 M

June 12, 1930

Mrs. Mary Arvig
4900 36th Ave. S.
Minneapolis, Minn.

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. Minneapolis	C&NW	No. 406	8:00 PM	July 5
Ar. Chicago	"	"	8:35 AM	6
Lv. "	Wab	" 6	10:30 AM	"
Ar. New York	"	" 2	3:30 PM	7

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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QM 293 A-C
Arvig, Raymond O. - 608 M

May 21, 1930.

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 - 36th Avenue So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 12, 1930 relative to your pilgrimage to the grave of your son the late Raymond O. Arvig, sailing on the SS HARDING July 9, 1930.

In accordance with your request, a stop-over in New York City will be allowed you. From there you may make a side trip to Hoboken, New Jersey at your own expense.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 12, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Arvig, Raymond O. -608 M
Harding 7-9

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 36th Ave., So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

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
Arvig, Raymond O. -608 M
Harding 7-9

May 7, 1930

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 36th Avenue So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 12, 1930.

Arvig, Raymond O. 608 M

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 36th Ave., So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

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

Arvig, Raymond O. 608-M

March 29, 1930

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 36th Ave. S.E.,
Dear Madam:
Minneapolis, Minn

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Arvig, Raymond O. 608 H

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Arvig,
4900 - 36th Ave., So.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

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

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C

May 19, 1924

ARVIG, Raymond O., Cpl.

Mr. Louis J. Arvig,
712 Union Avenue, South,
Fergus Falls, Minn.

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,

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Record card.

R. A. S. H. BOLD

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Place

Juvigny, Aisne

Date

Dec. 8, 1920

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF ARVIG, RAYMOND O. SERIAL NUMBER 83954RANK CPL.

ORGANIZATION

Co. K. 125th Inf.2. Disinterred (date): Dec. 8, 1920 From (give complete location): Grave #16Amer B/a Cty. Juvigny, Aisne #598

By: Group

Unit

3. Reburied (date): Same date In (give complete location): Grave #64Same Cty.

By: Group

Unit

Nature of reburial

Box & Blanket

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

5 ft earthen grave, No box or blanket, U. S. Uniform
Body badly disintegrated, features not capable of recognition5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes On grave marker? no

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

Strip on Cross reads: "Raymond O. Arvig"
Tag on body reads: "Raymond O. Arvig"

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

(a) Height (actual measurement)

5 ft. 10 3/4 in.

(b) Weight (estimated)

Impossible to determine

(c) Hair—Color

do

Quantity

do

Characteristics

do

(d) Hair on face—Color

do

Location

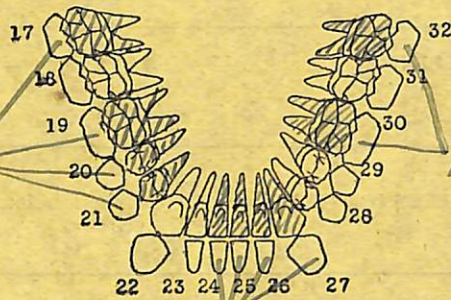
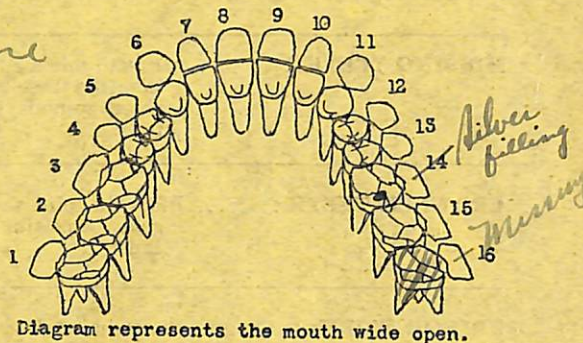
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Quantity

do

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

missing parts)

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

Impossible to determine

7. Disinterment supervised by

Approved:

(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by

Approved:

(Title)

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Wm. J. B. A. Sec. 6

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec. 19, 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

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COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name ARVIG, Ray ond O.

10. Name Ray_ond O. Arvig

2. No. 83954

11. No.

3. Rank Cpl.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. K. 125th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. 7-25-1918
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14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 64 Sec.

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. No disp

18. Cemetery American Cty.,

19. Commune or town Juvigny,

20. Dept. or County Aisne

21. Country France.

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 598.

23. Disinterred (Date) 12-19-21

By C. J. Osgood

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Raymond O. Arvig

Serial No. 83954

Rank Cpl.

Organization Co. K. 125th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? yes On body? yes

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of
 Former identification on body give description of body in detail)
 noted. Form 16-A found with body attached.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial Uniform, blanket and wooden box.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records
 quoted above? See item 10.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date 12-19-21 By C. J. Osgood

31. Casket sealed by C. J. Osgood

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

8/17/24
 EDITED BY

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-25969

32. Designation of body:

Name Raymond O. ARVIG. Serial No. 83954.

Rank Cpl. Organization Co. K. 125th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne Amer. Cty., 608, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) 12-19-21 By C. J. Osgood

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 O.E. Davis, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

To point of Concentration

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 20 DEC. 1921

To Permanent Cemetery Oise Aisne, Am. Cty 608 Seringes et Nesles, Aisne.

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

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

41. Reinterred Aug. 10, 1922, Oise-Aisne Cam. 608, Seringes et Nesles (Aisne)

(Date)

42. Grave No. 5 Section ---

43. BLOCK C Row 29

G.R.S. Representative

C. J. Blake
Capt., QMC.

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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place **Juvigny, Com. 598.**

Date Dec. 19th, 1921

1. REMAINS OF ~~ARVIA~~ *Raymond G.* SERIAL NUMBER *04025364*

RANK	NAME	ORGANIZATION
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2	...	...
3	...	...
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2. Disinterred (date) : _____ From (give complete location) : _____

By : Group

Unit

3. Reburied (date): Aug. 10, 1922

In (give complete location): Gr. 5, Block C

By : Group **re-burial group**

Unit 190

Nature of Reburia

Lined
casket

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

State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on weapons:
 Fully decomposed, features not recognizable. Wooden box uniform as

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

formerly reburied by Field Section. Re-wired to standard 240VAC.

a). Height (actual measurement)

Indiscernible due to

b) Weight (estimated)

e) Hair—Color

Quantity

Characteristics

d) Hair on face—Color

Location

Quantity

Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities,

Indiscernable.

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

None

disinterment

supervised by

Approved :

eburial

supervised by

~~Approved:~~

(Title)

Cont. QMC.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #17683

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name ARVIG, Raymond O. Ser. No. 83954
 (b) Rank Cpl. Organization Co. K. 125th Inf.
 (d) Cause of death K/A
 (c) Date of death 7/25/18 of death K/A

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

(a) Grave No. 16 Row - Plot - Sect. -) TYP. DB
 (b) Emerg. Address Louis J. Arvig, (Father) 111 Bismark Ave., E. Fergus Falls, Minn.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases: NO CARD) CKR M.C.

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Mr. L.J. Arvig (b) Relationship Father
 (c) Address 712 Union Ave. S. Fergus Falls, Minn.
 (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 Pm Date 8-23 1920

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

, dated -, confirmed request in Par. IV. item -, above, or requesting that

No Correspondence

Examiner's Initials Pm Date 8-23 1920

VI. G.R.S. Files - Correspondence - shows as follows:

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes 111. 111. 111.

Examiner's Initials M.C. Date 8-23 1920

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY NO. 598

SHEET NO. 12

G.R.S. Form #115

Amended April 6, 1920.

CARDED

Make Form #114

Checked
12/14/20

1604
4/14/22
Returned to Concentration
Over - Airline 608
att 5/2/22

NO. 114



DEC 18 1920

OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC. GEMETRIAL DIVISION

VII. G. R. S. FORM No. 114 made _____, 1920

Typed by _____ Checked by _____ 1920

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

RECEIVED

Following advice forwarded to Europe by- (cable on _____ 1920
(letter on 8/27 1920

Par. #2 Not to be returned (m.d.)

IX. CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *9-15-20. Form 120. Father, nearest of kin, requests body remain in France. 9-28-20-F.B.*

Letter 2nd, 13-20 from Mrs L J Aring, mother Marguerite Minn. Requests location of sons grave. 1-3-21 from Copy of letter of 11-13-20 forwarded to Aug. Br. 1-12-21 A.C

AUG 30 1920

SEP 13 1920

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

Rush Answer
no change
P.
Mr. L. J. Arvig
712 Union Ave.
S. Fergus Falls
Minn.

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

To: Mr. L.J. Arvig. 712 Union Ave. S. Fergus Falls, Minn.

SUBJECT: Remains of Cpl. Raymond O. Arvig.
Co. K/ 125th Inf. Ser. No. 83954

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body

be not returned to U.S.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

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

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

NAME OF	NO. AND STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's widow	<u>Was not married</u>		
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	<u>1 had no children</u> <u>2</u> <u>3</u>		
Father	<u>L J Arvig</u>		
Mother	<u>Mary Arvig</u>		
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	<u>1 Harold Arvig</u> <u>2</u> <u>3</u>		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	<u>1 Leona Arvig</u> <u>2 Blanche Arvig</u> <u>3 Raychel Arvig</u>		

CEMETERY DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SECTION



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Date Sept 13- 1920

Signature L J Arvig

Address Fergus Falls Minn

Relationship father

IMPORTANT: CAREFULLY read instructions before filling out this paper.

3-7860 (OVER.)

1920.

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

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

2. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to~~

(Name.)

(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 Mr L J Conroy

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instruction as to the disposition of a body are not received from the nearest relative 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 living relatives 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 relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.

7. If YOU are not the nearest living relative 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.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Arvig.....83954.....Raymond.....
 (Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
 Corporal.....Co. K., 125th Inf.....
 (Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL..August 31, 1918.....

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

Franco-American cemetery at south entrance to mammoth cave at Martieres.....

GRAVE NUMBER....4.....

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 :

Martieres (Aisne) 33rd Div.
 C. 40 N. 174.3 E. 302.4

REPORTED BY :

Chaplain.....107th Engineers.....
 (Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

732

Communal List No. 140-732
Daily Report No. _____

17683
File No:

Arvig, 83954, Raymond. *O.*

Corp. Co. K. 125th Inf.

Date of Death: *7/25*
9-7-18

File No: _____

Date Buried: _____

Cemetery: _____

Grave No: _____ Sect: _____

Commune (No: *C.40*) *Tartiers (Aisne)* 33N.E.

Dep't: _____ Sheet: _____

Coordinates: *N. 174.3 E. 302.4*

Remarks: *Franco Amer. Cemetery at south*
entrance to Mormouth cave at Tartiers

Sketch No: _____

HP _____ CROSS _____ HD ED _____ BTTL _____

Ident. Tag on Gr. Marker _____ b.w.b. _____

Authority: _____

REVIEWED
OSF SS

SEP 1918

B102

Communal List No. 46-525
Daily Report No. _____

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
REGISTRATION SECTION

January 30

1922

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Co. K. 125th Infantry.,ORGANIZATION (Old)ARVIG 83954 Raymond O., Cpl..(Name)

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

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st Reb.	12/8/20	598	D- 30226
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

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

BY: Miss Ianno nCard..
(Department)5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made
on Organization
File Card:

By AB.
S/3324/LML

592-12

Arvig.

(Surname.)

Raymond O

(Christian name in full.)

83,954

(Army serial number)

Corp.

Co K, 125 Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Parents

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)

Mr and Mrs L J Arvig

712 Union Ave. S.

Therquo Falls Minn

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by Pm

598-12

12-14

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1/14/20
PMS

17683 File
J.P.

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January 20, 1921.

FILE

293.8-Cem.#17683-(Arvig, Raymond O. Corporal)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cemeterial Division)
To: Mrs. L. J. Arvig, Fergus Falls, Minn.
Subject: Disposition of remains.

1. In reply to your letter of November 13, 1920, referred to this office by the Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C. in Europe, you are advised that the remains of your son, the late Corporal Raymond O. Arvig, Company K, 125th Infantry, are now interred in Grave 16, American Cemetery, at Juvigny, Department of Aisne.

2. Upon the transfer of the body of the deceased from their present resting place to one of the permanent American Cemeteries referred to in paragraph 9, of the inclosed Cemeterial Division Bulletin No.10-F-W, the legal next of kin will be duly advised of the new grave location.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

LN

CHARLES J. WYNNE,
2nd Lieut.Q.M.C.

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JAN 21 1921
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CEMETERIAL DIVISION

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RECORDED, A.G.R.S., D.M.C., INS. CHOF.
FILE No 293. ARVIG. R.O.

Vergus Galls Mine Nov. 13
Chief Graves. Registration Service
Dear Sir.

our state is making
~~out~~ history of our boys
that gave their lives for
the war. now they want
me to find out where my
boy's grave the name
of the cemetery in France
last I heard he fell or was
killed at Juncigny and was
buried near Tartaric near
a large canal but surely they
have now moved his body
to a cemetery. as we want
his body left over there please
send me the name

of the cemetery where his
grave is and oblige
Mrs. L. J. Arvig
(Kergus Field
Miner.

noted on Jan 1/15

DM 1-5-21

1st Ind.

Chief, Hq., A.G.R.S., Q.M.C. in E., 8 Avenue d'Iena, Paris, 17 December, 1920 -
To: Quartermaster General of the Army, Washington, D.C.

1. Forwarded, inviting attention to the above communication and the reply of this office to Mrs. L. J. Arvig.

2. The records of this office show the follows:-

Arvig, Raymond O., #83954, Cpl. Co.K. 125th Inf.
Grave 64, Cemetery 598, Juvigny, Aisne.

3. No authorization has been received in this case and from the expressed wishes in the letter, the nearest of kin desires that the body be finally concentrated in one of the permanent Fields of Honour.

JMK/DNP
Inf.
1 incl.

Joseph M. Kangley, Capt.

H.F. Rethers,
Colonel, Q.M.C.



17 December, 1920.

Mrs. L. J. Arvig,
Fergus Falls,
Minn.

Dear Madam,

Your letter of November 15th regarding your
son, Raymond O. Arvig, #83954, Cpl., Co.K., 125th Inf.,
is hereby acknowledged.

We beg to inform you that your letter is being
forwarded to the Office of the Quartermaster General of the
Army, Washington, D.C., and a prompt reply may be expected.

Respectfully yours,

JMK/DNP

JOSEPH M. KANGLEY,
Captain (Chaplain) Ret.,
In Charge,
Information Branch.



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON

ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

1/12/21

..... Change of Address.
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Instructions for Disposition of Remains.
(Par. 7, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Monument.
(Par. 10, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Photographs.
(Par. 12, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Discrepancies in Inscription.
(Par. 11, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... **Permanent Burial in—**
(a) France.
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Personal Effects.
(Par. 13 (a), Bul. 10-F-W.)
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... (b) Other Countries.

..... Accrued Pay.
(Par. 13 (b), Bul. 10-F-W.)
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... **Return of Bodies from—**
(a) France.
(Par. 4, Bul. 10-F-W.)
(G. R. S. Form 106.)

..... Maintenance.
(Par. 9, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... (b) Other Countries.

..... Liberty Bonds.
(Par. 13 (c), Bul. 10-F-W.)
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... Expenses of Shipment.
(Par. 6, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... War Risk Insurance.
Par. 13 (d), Bul. 10-F-W.)
(G. R. S. Form 111.)

..... Conveying Bodies from Hoboken.
(Par. 8, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... "Zone of the Interior."
(Par. 5, Bul. 10-F-W.)

..... Permanent Cemeteries.
(Par. 9, Bul. 10-F-W.)

Remarks:

NOTE.—In addition to information furnished on Nos. 1, 6, 11, and 12, G. R. S. Form 101-A (Information Blank), supply data on the following:

Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15.

m. v. m.
Analysis Clerk.

THIS MEMORANDUM MUST NOT BE REMOVED

Date JAN 4 1921

FOLLOW UP NO

49

DATE JAN 11 1921

TO: 1. Inquiry Branch for reply:
(a) Forms 124 not necessary.
(b) Form 124 attached.

2. Miss Barry

3. Miss Birkett

4. Miss Boland

5. ~~Mrs. Cairns~~

6. ~~Miss Critchett~~

7. Lt. Daniel

8. Mr. Good

9. Mr. Grant

10. Lt. Hanson

11. Mr. Hughitt

12. Mrs. Landman

13. Miss Olenin

14. Miss Rex

15. Mrs. Ruth

16. Mr. Saxton

17. ~~Miss Schlegel~~

18. _____

Cety 598-12
F113 in Wash

243. ARVIG. R. O.

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H.F. Rethers,
Colonel, Q.M.C.

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., O. O. M. G.
File # 243.8
#17683

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Arvig, Raymond O.

To: Inquiry Section.

From: Overseas Project Sub-Section.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. (furnished by: 598-12 LRM) (date 1-5-21)

Data sent Overseas Body not to be returned Letter 8/27/20

Operations to commence (approx.) some bodies returned, date next exp. unknown

Operations to be completed (approx.)

Bodies shipped from European Port

Bodies arrived at Hoboken

II. CASE OF Arwig Raymond O. Cpl. Co K. 125 Inf. 83914

The following information was abstracted (Date 1-5-21) from: Form 115

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		Clk.	in OFFICE
A. G. O. Cards	PM	yes	Shppg. Inquiry (sent Aug 30-20		
A.G.O. Corresp.	PM	no	To Father	LRM	yes
G.R.S. Corresp. relative to disp.	LRM	yes	OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

also and

DESIRES as to Disposition.

Name of Relative	RETURN			REMAIN	SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt.	Int.		
Widow					
Children (Name oldest first)					
Father Mr. D. J. Arwig					
Mother 712 Union Ave S					
Brothers Jergus Falls					
Sisters Minn.					

Body to be shipped to

was shipped (Date)

REMARKS City 598 Dight 8-27-20 some bodies returned date of next exhumation unknown
Comp Nov 13/20 noted on Form 115 LRM 1-5-21
Form 120 Sept. 10/20 signed by father request of kin, concurs with also and. LRM 1-5-21
(over) G.R.-HCH

1-12-21 J. C.

msa epibbeq (Dse)

Disables Employment Hospital Prison Children (name of each child) Widow	M. C. Bat. Inf.	BELVIN	SPECIALT
Name of Beneficiary	BELVIN		

REPORTING TO CASH-			OFF. 2-2 COLLEGE (see HENRY)	
V.C.O. COLLEGE			LO	
V.C.O. COLLEGE			TRIPPS, INDIVIDUAL (see)	
V.C.O. COLLEGE				
SOURCE	GRK.	IN OFFICE		GRK. IN OFFICE

II. CYRENE.

DETS 3007 04013000

107 INDIAN ELECTION.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM -
 Distribution desired -
 C. E. S. JOHN WIFE

CENETELING DIVISION
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
REGISTRATION SECTION

TYPE NO.

File Number 17683

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

Date 1-13-20

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME: Arvig-

Serial Number —

RANK:

ORGANIZATION: —

No.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records?	(1) No. Arvig, Raymond O., Cpl. Co. H, 125th Inf. # 83954.
2.	Date of death.	(2) 7-25-18
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3) IC-A
4.	Number of casualty cablegram.	(4) CC 278-SP-C.
5.	Date buried.	(5) Reburied 11-18-18
6.	Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave #16, Amer. Battlefield Cty., #598, Juigny, Aisne.
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	
9.	Report as to grave marker.	
10.	Identification tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(10) (a) yes (b) yes.
11.	Complete emergency address?	(11) Louis J. Arvig, (father) 111 Bismark Ave., E.ergus Falls, Minn.
12.	Has been notified? (Give date.)	(12) 21-a-2-5-19 — 18-3-28-19
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record.)	
14.	What is the photograph number?	(14) 7-14011
15.	Inquiry made by.	

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

RELEASED BY INFORMATION CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Confirmed.

Unconfirmed.

M. M. E

C O P Y

293.8 Cem. #17683 ARVIG, Raymond O.

293. ARVIG, R. O.

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H. F. Rethers,
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JMK/DNP
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1 encl.

copied by L. Cross.

C O P Y

293.8 Cem. #17683 ARVIG, Raymond O.

^F
Vergus Falls, Minn.
Nov. 13, 1920.

Chief, Graves Registration Service,

Dear Sir:

Our state is makeing a History of our boys
that gave their lives in the War. Now they want me
to find out where my boy's grave the name of the
cemetary in France last I headd he fell or was killed
at Juvigny and was burried near Tartaries near a
large cave, but surley they have now moved his body
to a cemetary as we want his body left over there.
Please sent me the name of the cemetary where his
grave is and oblidge,

Mrs. L. J. ARVIG,
Vergus Falls, Minn.
^F

Copied by L. Cross.

C O P Y

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JMK/DNP
Inf.
1 encl.

Noted on Form No. 11B
Date 1-12-21 J.S.C.

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C O P Y

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Nov. 13, 1920.

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Vergus Falls, Minn.

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17 December, 1920.

Mrs. L. J. Arvig,
Fergus Falls,
Minn.

Dear Madam,

Your letter of November 15th regarding your
son, Raymond O. Arvig, #83954, Cpl. Co. K., 125th Inf.,
is hereby acknowledged.

We beg to inform you that your letter is being
forwarded to the Office of the Quartermaster General of the
Army, Washington, D.C., and a prompt reply may be expected.

Respectfully yours,

JOSEPH M. KANGLEY,
Captain (Chaplain) Ret.,
In Charge,
Information Branch.

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