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G.R.S. Form #114-B

FULL NAME ..... BAILEY, Antonio

RANK ..... Bugler ..... SERIAL ..... 2336039

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ..... Co. E, 372nd Inf. — 93rd Dir

DATE OF DEATH ..... 6-6-18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME ..... Ohio

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED ..... None

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.	10-19-21	25	14	F
	Date	Grave	Row	Block

US 4-11-24 ..... 1232 - Meuse-Argonne Cemetery

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**GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.**

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

**Bailey**..... **2336039**..... **Antonio**.....  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

**Bugler**..... **Co. M.G. 372nd R. I. U. S.**.....  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL **June 8, 1918.**

PLACE OF BURIAL **French Military Cemetery**

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

**La Grange, Aux Bois, Ste Ste Menhould**

**Marne**

GRAVE NUMBER... **9**

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

~~XXXXXXXX~~..... ~~XXXXXX~~

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 :

**Arrington S. Helm, 1st Lt. Chaplain**.....  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

*W. M. W.*



# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse

Date July 13, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BAILEY, ANTONIO SERIAL NUMBER 2336039

RANK Bugler ORGANIZATION Co. E 372nd Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): July 13, 1921 From (give complete location): Grave #233, Row #4, French Military Cemetery, La Grange-aux-Bois, (Marne)

By: Group J. F. Richards Unit Area #1.

3. Reburied (date): July 16, 1921 In (give complete location): Grave 82, Sec. 114, Plot 2, Cem. 1232.

By: Group \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Nature of reburial Burlap in pine coffin.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: Badly decomposed, buried without uniform in casket. Grave 1.50 meters deep, marked by wooden cross. Naked in sheet.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? No On grave marker? Yes (1)

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: French reg. cross on original grave reads. "NO. 9.AMB. 2/74. ICI REPOSE BAILEY, ANTONIO. 2nd CLASSE 372e REGT. INF. le Cie E. No Mle. 2336039. Tombe au Champ d'Honneur 6 Juin 1918. Tag on cross reads the same. Apparently hospital case. Lead perforated "9" on body. Surgical dressing over lower right ribs.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to estimate.

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color Black

Quantity Portions of scalp.

Characteristics Kinky

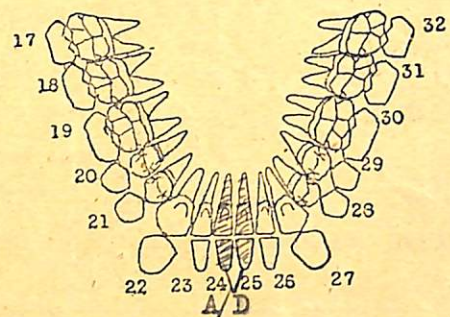
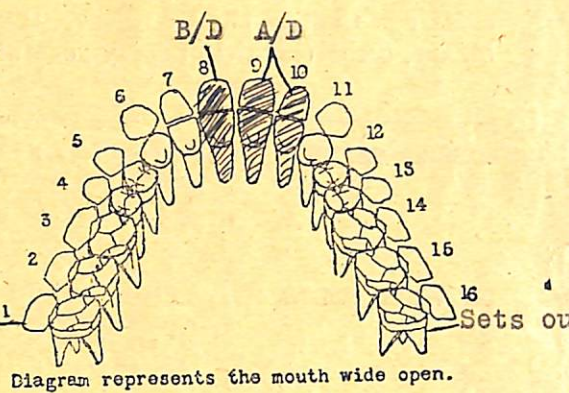
(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity \_\_\_\_\_

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

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) Surgical dressings over lower right ribs.



7. Disinterment supervised by James F. RICHARDS, Investigator. Approved: [Signature] L. O. MATHEWS, Major, C.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by VAL E. MILTENBERGER, Major, M. C. Approved: [Signature] L. O. MATHEWS, Major, C.M.C.

Entered on list

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Bailey, Antonio (correct name)

Briley, Antonio.

Bugler Co B 372d Inf.

Died June 6, 1918, of wounds received in action.

~~Not identified~~

A.G.O. July 10, 1918.

HB

EA--Mrs. Mildred Bailey (wife)  
20 W. Jefferson St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

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D. Q. M. G.

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Write nothing below this line.

Party C M.A.

Nurse K. Steelman

# MEDICAL RECORD

Bailey, Antonio  
Bugler, 93 Div., 372 Inf.

Station: Hotel Splendid

Date: June 19th, 1932.

Name BAILEY, Mrs. Lulu F.

Home address 805 Wiley Ave., Springfield, Ohio.

Address of Nearest friend or relative (husband) George F. Bailey  
Same ad.

Religion Prot.

Age 52 S M

### History of Present complaint:

June 22. { sore on left leg (between knee and ankle.)  
Pilgrim received injury To "part" on May 24th '32

INSTRUCTIONS. — This card will be started in all cases of Pilgrims requiring medical attention by the Medical Officer or Nurse first rendering such attention. Subsequently it will be carried by the nurse in attendance upon the group to which the Pilgrim is assigned. All Medical Officers rendering any assistance in the case will make an appropriate entry which will include date, time and signature. Upon final disposition of the case the Nurse in charge will deliver the card to the Office of the Chief Surgeon. Pilgrims sent to the American Hospital will be accompanied by this card properly completed, which will be authority for admission, in which case a duplicate card will be made and sent without delay to the Office of the Chief Surgeon.

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Diagnosis and complications: (include dates) June 23 Small old wound left leg.  
July 1. Ulcer, small, outer mid.  $\frac{1}{3}$  left leg, adjacent to stellate scar of old healed large ulcer.  
Original injury incurred near 24th Springfield Ohio, when left leg was accidentally  
struck by a screwdriver causing a sore which has persisted with periodic healing &  
breaking down. (patient's statement)

Treatment and Progress: (include dates) June 23 - seen by Major Stone  
June 22 - dressed w Boracic Vaseline on sterile gauze. (left lower leg)  
" 23 - Order of Major Stone. dress left leg w Boracic Vaseline qd.  
" Wound Clean Impregnating Gd.  
July 1. Zinc oxide ointment & bandage

Disposition: (include dates)

July 2. To Cherbourg. Fitch

Remarks:

June. 22 - very small "old" wound (without pus) but hard dry skin left leg.  
" " Takes medicine of her own - "Mc Brady's Stimulating Bitters."  
" 28 Left leg wound is painless and seems about entirely healed.  
" 30 " " has no soreness. "  
July 1, Complains slight soreness outer mid  $\frac{1}{3}$  left leg.  
tiny ulcer near site of old stellate scar of an ulcer which was den for 100  
years (history)

War Department Washington.  
quartermaster depar.  
Washington D.C.

† Springfield O.

Aug. 23 - 1932

Dear Sir,

I received the Flag  
it is very pretty.

I thank you very much  
for it.

Mrs Lulu F. Bailey  
(Gold Star mother.)  
805 Wiley ave.  
Springfield O.

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Bailey, Antonio

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QM 293 A-M  
Bailey, Antonio x (MA)

August 6, 1932.

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
905 Wiley Avenue,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Mrs. Bailey:

I am glad to have your letter of recent date expressing appreciation for the pilgrimage you recently made to the grave of your son, the late Bugler Antonio Bailey.

It is indeed gratifying to know that your trip was entirely satisfactory. 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 trip might have a comfortable and pleasant journey. I feel, however, that the task has been materially lightened by the wonderful spirit of cooperation and consideration shown by the mothers and widows.

In compliance with your request, an order has this date been issued that a flag be sent you in memory of your son, provided one has not previously been forwarded.

Very truly yours,

J. L. DEWITT,  
Major General,  
Commanding Officer, The Quartermaster General,  
Washington Quartermaster Depot,  
Washington, D. C.

Authority for issuance of a flag to the mother of the late Bugler Antonio Bailey, 372nd Infantry, provided one has not previously been issued.

✓ X 330.13 PILGRIMAGE, GOLD STAR

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J. J. H. L.  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bailey, Antonio (MA) SM

May 13 1932

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Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the  
amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, to pay for your meals and incidental  
946,842  
7.50  
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.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

May 24, 1932

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bailey, Antonio M-A SM

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

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:

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Lv. Springfield	CCC&StL RR	Train No. 16	4:45 PM	June 8
Ar. New York	NYC	12	9:05 AM	" 9
(Grand Central Terminal)				

Sleeping car from Springfield, Ohio to New York City, N.Y.

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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  
Bailey, Antonio MA SM

May 14, 1938

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

Dear Madam:

With reference to previous correspondence  
on this subject, you are informed that your passport  
has been received and will be delivered to you aboard  
ship.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M  
Bailey, Antonio (MA) X

March 30, 1932

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
3136 Pennsylvania Avenue,  
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Madam:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and accurate, it will be appreciated if you will advise whether or not you have remarried since the death of the late Antonio Bailey, Bugler.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Enclosure:  
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QM 293 A-M  
Bailey, Antonio (MA) X

March 18, 1932

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Avenue,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

An earnest endeavor is being made by this office to communicate with all mothers and widows eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It will be appreciated if you can furnish the present address of Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey, widow of the late Antonio Bailey, Bugler, whose remains are interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery in France. Several communications addressed to Mrs. Bailey at 1559 East Fort Street and 4415 Toney Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, have been returned unclaimed.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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*Lula F. Bailey*  
*Envelope*

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QM 293 A-M  
Bailey, Antonio Bugler (M-A)

March 5, 1932.

Miss Fanchion G. Bailey,  
2341 E. 61st Street,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

An earnest endeavor is being made by this office to communicate with all mothers and widows eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929 as amended May 15, 1930.

It will be appreciated if you can furnish this office with the present address of Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey, widow of your brother, the late Antonio Bailey, Bugler, Co. E, 372nd Infantry, whose remains are interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery in France, in order that she may be communicated with. Several communications addressed to Mrs. Bailey at 1559 East Fort St. and 4415 Toney Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, have been returned unclaimed.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Bailey, Antonie MA SM

December 16, 1931.

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Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to form letter forwarded you under recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, wherein you advise that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage during the year 1932.

Competent personnel will be provided to care for the mothers and widows from the time of their arrival in New York until their return thereto. Medical attendants and all other necessities will be arranged for and in the event you decide to make a pilgrimage, you are assured everything possible will be done for your care and welfare. During the summers of 1930 and 1931 many mothers of advanced age and in poor health made the pilgrimage and appear to have benefited therefrom.

Your name is being placed on the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make a pilgrimage in 1933. However, should you change your mind in view of the above, and desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

November 2, 1931 kw

Bailey, Antonie M-A SM

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. In your reply to the recent inquiry as to whether or not you desired to make a pilgrimage in 1932, you advised you were undecided.

In view of the fact that steamship reservations must be made several months in advance, it is essential that this office know how many mothers and widows must be arranged for. It is possible that you may have made your decision by this time. It is therefore requested that you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage. In the event you state you desire to make the journey in 1932 and circumstances prevent your making the pilgrimage, it is requested you notify this office as promptly as possible.

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

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM  
~~Bailey, Antonio~~ ~~Bugler~~ (M-A) SMX

July 11, 1931

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
602 S. Yellow Spring St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? \_\_\_\_\_

Write answer here

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sign here

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio 1232 W

June 19, 1930.

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
1559 E. Fort St.,  
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Write answer here)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio 1232 SM

June 19, 1930.

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
802 S. Yellow St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write answer here)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio 1232 - SM

February 10, 1930.

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
802 S. Yellow Spring St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress. 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)	

To: The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

October 7, 1929.

Pailey, Antonio 1252 W

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
1559 East Fort St., or 4415 Toney Avenue,  
Detroit, Michigan.  
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.

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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 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio - 1232

December 18, 1929.

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
802 South Yellow Spring Street,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, enabling the mothers and widows of the members of the military and naval forces of the United States now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries.

The records of this office indicate that you were the stepmother of the late Antonio Bailey, Bugler, and in order to determine your eligibility under the Act to make the pilgrimage to his grave it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

- (1) Date of your marriage to the father of Antonio Bailey.
- (2) Were you married to Mr. Bailey at the time his son entered the military service?
- (3) Were you married to Mr. Bailey at the time of his son's death?
- (4) If not, give date of your separation from him.
- (5) If Mr. Bailey is deceased give date of his death.

For the Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bailey, Antonio  
1232

Sept. 12, 1929.

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
4415 Conroy Ave.,  
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Sept. 9, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.  
Act of Congress  
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bailey, Antonio

Sept. 9, 1929.

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
4415 Toney Ave.,  
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 widow of the late Bugler Antonio Bailey, Co. E, 372nd Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran? |  |
| 2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?                  |  |
| 3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?                          |  |
| 4. If so, give her name and complete address.                     |  |

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.  
Act of Congress  
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bailey, Antonio

August 20, 1929

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
4415 Toney Ave.,  
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".

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

Write answers in space below:

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|---|--|
| 1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran? |  |
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
**Bailey, Antonio**

June 29, 1929.

**Mrs. Mildred Bailey,  
20 W. Jefferson St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.**

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, entitled an Act "To enable the mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors and marines of the American forces now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries".

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late **Bugler Antonio Bailey, Co. B, 372d Inf.,** whose remains are now interred in the **Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.**

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother 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.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relationship is that of a stepmother, mother through adoption or a woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. In case you have remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.  
Act of Congress.  
Envelope.

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

QM 293 A-C

BAILEY, Antonio - Bugler

March 5, 1924

Mrs. Mildred Bailey,  
20 West Jefferson St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

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,

1-Incl.  
Record card.

Assistant  
R.L. FORTER RD  
701

O.Q.M.G.  
Central Mail & Files Bldg.



# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 4042

## I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BAILEY, Antonio Ser. No. 2336039  
(b) Rank Bugler Organization Co. E. 372nd Inf.  
(c) Date of death 6-6-18 (d) Cause of death W.A.

TYP. db  
CKR. DB

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

(a) Grave No. 82 Row -- Plot 2 Sec. 114 TYP. db  
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mildred Bailey, Wife, 20 West Jefferson St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

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

## IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt no entry in file yet

(a) Name \_\_\_\_\_ (b) Relationship \_\_\_\_\_  
(c) Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? \_\_\_\_\_  
(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 \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_, 192

## V. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE shows communication from \_\_\_\_\_

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

Examiner's Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_, 192

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

no request for disposition  
(a) Cancellation memos referred to? \_\_\_\_\_

Examiner's Initials MEH Date 9/29/21, 192

COUNTRY France

CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 114 SHEET No. 128

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made \_\_\_\_\_, 192

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_, 192

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 192  
letter on \_\_\_\_\_, 192

*11/10/21 Ad. advice - not to be returned. 11-10-21  
1119*

IX.

REMARKS

*10/10/21 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM NO. 462 TO EUROPE-BODY TO REMAIN 10-19-21  
AES.*  
*Letter from Europe 11/18/21 states instructions obeyed 12/9/21*

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Sept. 1, 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name Bailey, Antonio

10. Name

2. No. 2336039

11. No. 2336039

3. Rank Bugler

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. E. 372nd Inf

13. Org.

5. D.D. June 6, 1918

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. DOW

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 82 Sec 114

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 2 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. No discrepancies

18. Cemetery Argonne American

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 - Sec. 114

23. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 1, 1921

By J.L. Haky

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name BAILEY, Antonio

Serial No.

Rank Bugler

Organization Co. E, 372nd Inf.

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

L.B. Ayers

L.B. Ayers  
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION GR plaque on peg over body and one with body agrees with GRS records. Reburial paper with body dated July 16, 1921.

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).

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features not recognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden box in burlap.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? Yes as shown by No. 11 hereon.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept. 1, 1921 By J.L. Haky

31. Casket sealed by J.L. Haky

AUDITED BY Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

225-11-23

J.L. Haky  
J.L. Haky



SHIPMENT (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-4727

32. Designation of body:

Name Bailey, Antonio Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

Rank Bugler Organization Co.E.372nd Inf

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Argonne Amer.#1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept.1, 1921 By J.L.Haky

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 G.B. Kidwell  
G.B. Kidwell,  
1st Lt, Q.M.C.

36. Remarks \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Sept.1, 1921

To point of Concentration Morgue, Romagne (Name)

Convoyer L.F. Power Signature Shipping Officer A.B. Proctor,  
Capt. QMC

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date \_\_\_\_\_

By G.R.S. Representative \_\_\_\_\_

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date \_\_\_\_\_

To Permanent Cemetery \_\_\_\_\_ (Name)

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer \_\_\_\_\_

40. Received: Date Sept 1, 1921

G.R.S. Representative Paul Morgan

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cem.#1232 Oct. 19th 1921 (Date)

42. Grave No. 25 Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. Plot FR Row 14  
Bl.F.

G.R.S. Representative \_\_\_\_\_  
James W. Younger,  
Cpt. QMC.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place .....  
Sept. 1, 1921.

Date.....

BAILEY, Antonio

1. REMAINS OF..... SERIAL NUMBER 2336039

Bugler

Co. E. 372nd Inf.

RANK..... ORGANIZATION.....

2. Disinterred (date): ..... From (give complete location):

Sept. 1, 1921

Gr 82 Sec 114 Plot 2,

By: Group 5 Unit 2

3. Reburied (date): ..... In (give complete location):

Oct. 19th, 1921. Meuse Argonne Cem. #1232. Row 14 Block F Gr. 25

Unlined Casket.

By: Group Reburial Sect. Unit..... Nature of reburial.....

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

wooden box and burlap, badly decomposed, features not recognizable

yes no

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

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

G.R.S. plaque on peg over body and one with body agrees with g.r.s.

records. Bottle containing reburial date dated July 10, 1921.

8 MBP, 9, 10, 13, 24, 25, M.A.D.

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

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

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

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

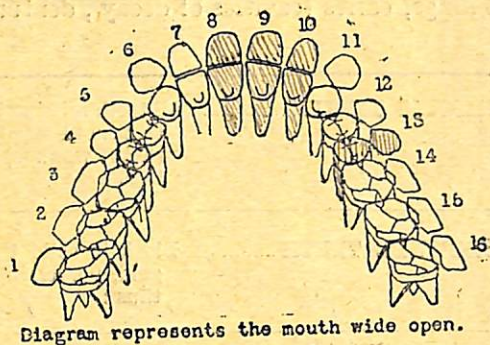
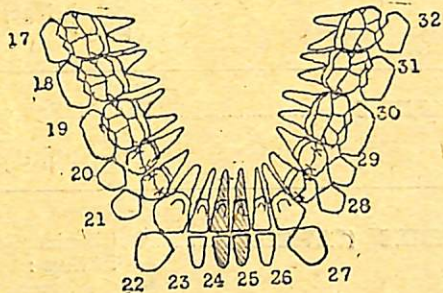


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



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

7. Disinterment supervised by J. L. Haky

Approved: G. B. Kidwell, 1st Lt., QMC.  
(Title).....

8. Reburial supervised by W. B. SHEILD

Approved: JAMES W. YOUNGER,  
CAPT., QMC.  
(Title).....

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 4042

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TYP db BB

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(a) Grave No. 82 Row Plot 2 Sec 114 TYP. db

(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mildred Bailey, wife, 20 West Jefferson St., Springfield, Ohio, CKR.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on 192 letter of transmittal on 192

Handwritten note: 11/10/21 Add. advice - not to be returned 11-10-21

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source. Relationship and name. Desires. Action taken.
10/10/21 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM NO. 462 TO EUROPE-BODY TO REMAIN 10-19-21 AES.

Handwritten note: Letter from Europe 11/18/21 states instructions obeyed 12-19-21 att

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

COUNTRY CEMETERY No. SHEET No. 128

WAR DEPARTMENT  
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army  
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A

Information requested of A.G.O.

Date

File No.

Registration.

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, Graves Registration Service.

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

- |                                    |                      |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|
| a. Surname <i>Bailey</i> ✓         | f. Date of death     |
| b. Christian name <i>Antonio</i> ✓ | g. Cause of death    |
| c. Serial Number <i>2336039</i> ✓  | h. Authority (C.O.#) |
| d. Organization <i>E 372</i> ✓     | i. Emergency address |
| e. Rank <i>Sergeant</i> ✓          | j. Relationship      |

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

DENTAL CHARTS  
(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

- a. Age of enlistment *22-5*
- b. Color of eyes
- c. Color of hair
- d. Height *5-6 cm*
- e. Weight *133*

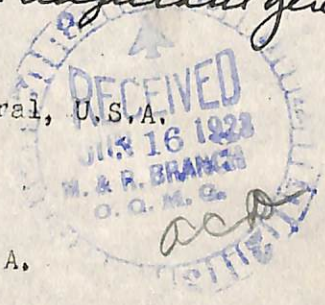
- a. Strike out teeth missing
- 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 *not of records*
- upper right upper left
- 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
- lower right lower left

f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

*none were missing - none are crossed off on exam.*  
*Robert O Davis*  
*The adjutant general*

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

BY:  
Charles J. Wynne,  
Captain, Q.M.C., U.S.A.



CEMETERY NO:  
SHEET NO:  
TYPED BY:  
S/3310/LML

GRAVE LOCATION BOOK. 4042

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

FILE  
Bailey 2336039 Antonio  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Rugler Co. M.G. 372nd R.I. U.S. (Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL. June 8, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL French Military Cemetery

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

La Grange Aux Bois, Ste Manhould Marne

GRAVE NUMBER. 9

HOW MARKED : Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS :

Was one buried with body? Yes

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? Yes

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

REPORTED BY :

Arrington S. Helm, 1st Lt. Chaplain  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

GRAVE LOCATION PLANK. ✓

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

4042

Bailey 2336039 Antonio  
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Bugler Co. M.G. 372nd R.I.U.S.  
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL. June 8, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL. French Military Cemetery.

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

La Grange Aux Bois, Ste Manhould Marne

John  
250

GRAVE NUMBER. 9

HOW MARKED: Name X X X Cross?

~~Reference?~~ ~~Reference?~~

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? Yes

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

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Bailey Antonio #2336039

M.G. Company

Buried La Grange aux Bois, Marne

June 3/18

B 529

10-7-21  
1921 .

Prepare the communication to Chief, G. R. S.,  
in Europe, indicated below:

1. CORRECTIVE LETTER
2. ~~SUPPLEMENTARY LETTER~~ *Additional*
  - (1) Body to be returned
  - (2) " to remain
  - (3) Blue Card letter (return)
  - (4) Communicate and comply with wishes of relatives. (not return)
  - (5) Withdrawal
  - (6) Do not disturb
  - (7)
  - (8)
3. CABLE *James G. [unclear]*
  - (a) Body to remain
  - (b) Body to be returned
  - (c) Special
  - (d) Suspend Action
  - (e) Do not disturb
  - (f) Suspend foreign advice.

*[Signature]*  
H. B. Cairns.

Ref. Par. \_\_\_\_\_ Letter \_\_\_\_\_  
*also ref cable 909*

\_\_\_\_\_ 1921.

CEMETERY DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTION

Aug. 20th 1921.

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

C. E. 372 Infantry,  
ORGANIZATION (Old)  
Bailey, 2336039 Antonio, Bugler,  
(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.			D-
2nd Reb.	7/16/21	1232	D-60052
3rd Reb.			D-

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

BY: Miss Lannon,  
Card.  
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card:

By N/B.

HEADQUARTERS  
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE, Q.M.C., IN EUROPE  
8, AVENUE D'ENNA

*Lu*

PARIS July 27, 1921.

*293.8 Cem #1232.*

FROM: Chief.  
TO: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building  
Washington, D.C.  
SUBJECT: G.R.S. Forms #1-A and #16-A.

**FILE**

Recorded, Cemeterial Div., U. S. A.,  
File # *2938*  
*4042*

1. Attached herewith are G.R.S. Forms #1-A and #16-A covering disinterment from Grave 253, Row 4, French Military Cemetery, La Grange-aux-Bois (Marne) and reburial into Argonne American Cemetery #1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse) of the following soldier:

BAILEY, Antonio, Bugler, Co. E., 372nd Inf.  
Grave 82, Section 114, Plot 2.

*R. P. Johnson*  
F. C. JOHNSON,  
Lieut. Col., Q.M.C.,  
Acting Chief.

*Antonio, Bugler*

*1*  
Enclosures.

*Bailey, Antonio.*  
**CENTRAL PASSENGER ASSOCIATION**

**TRANSPORTATION BUILDING**  
HARRISON AND DEARBORN STREETS

**CHICAGO, ILL.**

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

FILE NO.

*40-25*  
*6-38*


SAILING FROM NEW YORK JUNE 10, 1932

S. S. AMERICAN MERCHANT

No. 956


Name Mrs Lulu F Bailey (C-3)  
Address 805 Wiley Ave.,  
From Springfield, Ohio To New York City and return


Going Route


 CCC&StL to Cleveland  
NYC to New York City

Return same route

Train Schedule to New York

 Lv. Springfield 4:45 PM No. 16 June 8

 Ar. New York (GOT) 9:05 AM No. 12 June 9

 Sleeping car from Springfield, Ohio to New York City, N.Y.

Elapsed time 16 Hrs 20 Min

*3/4*

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME Bailey	BAI	3	219
Antonio	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
BURIED	GRAVE 25	2	25
	ROW 14	2	14
	BLOCK 7	1	6
STATE	Ohio	2	41
RANK	Bugler	1	2
DIVISION	93	2	93
ORGANIZATION	372	3	372
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	Remarried	1	3
NAME Bailey	BAI	3	219
Lula 7	STATE Ohio	2	41
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Clark	2	12
	CITY Springfield	3	122
RELATION	Step-mother	1	3
OTHER	Factor	1	7
ELIGIBILITY	- yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE	BLACK	1	2
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Bad	1	2
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR. 1932	1	
ACCEPTANCE 29/514	Age yes	1	

Sub. 6-8-17

Noted on cd.

10-32

Mother's  
Bailey

Approved  
DEC 30 1931

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Itinerary - Party "C" - Meuse-Argonne Group

Sailed June 10, 1932 on the S. S. AMERICAN MERCHANT. Col. B. F. Davis in charge. Arrived Cherbourg 2:30 PM June 19th. Train left for Paris at 3:48 PM. Arrived Gare des Invalides 9:01 PM. Quarters Hotel Splendid.

- June 20th. Morning free. Paris sightseeing trip in afternoon. Lunch and dinner at hotel.
- June 21st. Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Ceremony at Arc de Triomphe and tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent in afternoon. Dinner at hotel.
- June 22nd. Visited Notre Dame in morning and Napoleon's Tomb in afternoon. Lunch and dinner at hotel.
- June 23rd. Left Paris at 7:15 AM for Verdun via Porte de Pantin, Meaux (rest Hotel de la Sirene), Chalons-sur-Marne, (lunch Hotel Haute-Mere-Dieu). Arrived Verdun 5:45 PM. Quarters Hotel Vauban.
- June 24th, and 25th. Daily visits to Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery. Different routes taken each day to cover particular points of interest. Lunches at cemetery. Dinners at hotel in Verdun.
- June 26th. Left Verdun 8:00 AM for Reims via St. Menehould, (rest Moderne Hotel), Suippes, Reims. Visited city and cathedral in afternoon. Lunch and dinner at Hotel Bristol Crystal.
- June 27th. Left Reims 9:00 AM for Paris via Dormans and Hill 204. Lunch at Hostellerie du Bonhomme in Chateau Thierry. Dinner at hotel in Paris.
- June 28th. Morning free. Visited Versailles in afternoon. Lunch and dinner at hotel in Paris.
- June 29th. Visited Sacre Coeur in morning and Lafayette Escadrille Monument and Malmaison in afternoon. Lunch and dinner at hotel in Paris.
- June 30th. Visited Cluny Museum in morning and took a boat trip down the Seine in the afternoon. Lunch and dinner at hotel.
- July 1st. Shopping or free. Lunch and dinner at hotel. Nite sightseeing trip.
- July 2nd. Entrained at Gare des Invalides for Cherbourg at 8 AM. S. S. AMERICAN BANKER sailed at 4:30 PM. Arrived New York July 11th.

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey



3.

123

PARTY ..... C ..... FILE NO. ....

NAME Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.; Springfield, Ohio.

ROUTE OF TICKET

..... n y c ..... to ..... Cleveland O. ....

..... C.C.C.P.S.L ..... to ..... Springfield Ohio .....

..... to .....

..... to .....

..... to .....

..... to .....

..... to .....

..... to .....

..... to .....

..... to .....

Expiration date Aug 17, 1932

The following stop overs are requested.

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(Signature of Pilgrim)

IN CABIN WITH

8-2

Mrs. Lucy Nash

NEUROE

Name..... BAILEY, Mrs. Lulu F.

Paris Hôtel..... SPLENDID HOTEL - AVENUE CARNOT

Home address..... 805 Wiley Ave., Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio

Party..... C      Group..... Unit SS.AMERICAN MERCHANT

Date of arrival..... June 19th, 1932      Date of departure..... SS.AMERICAN BANKER, July 2nd, 1932

Relationship..... S M, age 52

Name of deceased..... BAILEY, Antonio

Rank..... Bugler      Organization..... 93rd Div., 372nd Inf.

Cemetery..... MEUSE ARGONNE      Gr. 25, B1. F, Row 14

REMARKS



May 20th, 1932  
PARTY "C"

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

There are enclosed herewith two tags and four identification pasters which have been prepared for the purpose of protecting your baggage while in transit, and to insure its safe arrival at the hotel where you are to stop in New York City. Please attach the tags to the handle of each piece of your baggage and place a paster on each end of each piece of your baggage before leaving your home.

Upon your arrival in New York City, you will be met at the railroad station by an Army Officer who will be in uniform. During your sojourn in New York before sailing for Europe, and upon your return from Europe, you will stop at the Young Women's Christian Association, 179 W. 137th Street, New York City.

All mail intended to reach you between June 10th, 1932, the day you sail from the United States, and July 2nd, 1932, the day you leave Europe, should be addressed to you in care of American Pilgrimage, 146 Avenue des Champs Elysees, Paris, France; for example:

Mrs. Mary Smith,  
c/o American Pilgrimage,  
146 Avenue des Champs Elysees,  
Paris, France.

*2 bags*

In making reservations for your journey home from New York City, it is necessary for this office to furnish the railroads with the exact time and date of your departure. The party you are to travel with will be disbanded in New York City on the day following your return from Europe and all arrangements for your accommodations will be made with the railroads by this office accordingly. Upon your return from Europe, it will therefore be necessary for you to remain in the hotel over night as a guest of the United States Government.

There is also enclosed herewith information relative to the cemeteries in Europe.

Very truly yours,

*George F. R. Taylor*  
GEORGE F. R. TAYLOR  
Captain, C.M.C. (DOL)

7 Incl:  
2 Baggage Tags  
4 Baggage Pastors  
1 Copy Cemeterial Information

DAILY REPORT OF MEDICAL OFFICER  
PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS-1932

9 P.M. DATE.. July 11, 1932.....

ROOM No.....

PARTY.. "C". Returning.....

NAME.. <sup>sex</sup> Bailey, Mrs., Lulu E. (Age 52 SM)...

ADDRESS.. 805 Wiley Ave.....

... Springfield, Ohio.....

JUL 13 1932  
F. H. P.

HOTEL ... YVCA.....

DIAGNOSIS .. Small ulcer in left leg.....

DISPOSITION .. ..

REMARKS: Ulcer in leg healed, O.K. now. Mother states there is nothing we can do for her, not sick a day since she left, except for seasickness.

CIVILIAN DOCTOR IN CHARGE OF CASE.....

MEDICAL OFFICER.....

*J. H. Ashcraft*  
JAMES H. ASHCRAFT,  
MAJOR, MEDICAL CORPS, U.S.A.  
MEDICAL SUPERVISOR

PARTY

C - 3

EASTBOUND

STATE

GROUP

M.A.

SM-52

OHIO

*Bailey, Antonio.*

Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Lulu F.  
(Name of Pilgrim)

Address 805 Wiley Ave.  
(Street & No.)

Springfield  
(City or Town)

Ohio  
(State)

Clark  
(County)

George F. Bailey (Husband)  
(Name of Nearest Kin)

Address 805 Wiley Ave.  
(Street & No.)

Springfield  
(City or Town)

Ohio  
(State)

Clark  
(County)

ARRIVAL NEW YORK

VIA. R.R. New York Central

Train No. 12

Date 9:05 A.M. EST - June 9, 1932

Hotel Y.W.C.A.

Room No. 107

Roomed with Alone

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

Date June 10, 1932

Vessel AMERICAN MERCHANT

Cabin No. 8-2

In Cabin with ~~Mrs. Lucy Nash 8-C~~ *Alone*

(Over Westbound)

POOR HEALTH

# WESTBOUND

## REMARKS

Date **July 2, 1932** Vessel **AMERICAN BANKER** Cabin No. **8-2**  
In Cabin with ~~Mrs. Lucy Nash 8-0~~ *Alone*  
Hotel **Y. W. C. A.** Room No. **102**  
Roomed with **Alone**

## DEPARTURE NEW YORK

VIA. R.R. **New York Cen** Train No. **15** Space **L 6** Car No. **156** Date **7-12-32**

## ARRIVAL NEW YORK

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ver Eastbound)

NAME Bailey, Mrs. Lulu F.

ADDRESS 805 Wiley Ave., Springfield, Ohio

DATE July 14 - 1932

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. Lulu F. Bailey

WAR DEPARTMENT

PILGRIMAGE WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS  
ROOM - 225 WEST 34TH ST., N. Y. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



Penalty for private use to avoid  
payment of postage, \$300.



**PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS**

**225 WEST 34TH STREET,**

**NEW YORK, N. Y.**

# MEDICAL RECORD

Party: C - 3

S. S. AMERICAN MERCHANT Eastbound  
AMERICAN BANKER Westbound

Name Bailey, Mrs. Lulu F.

Home Address 805 Wiley Ave., Springfield, Ohio

Name and address of nearest relative or friend George F. Bailey, (Husband)

805 Wiley Ave., Springfield, Ohio

Religion Age 52 M

History of present complaint: June 1: Poor Health  
11.40 AM June 9: Constipation, Headaches

(OVER)

INSTRUCTIONS: This card will be prepared for each Pilgrim treated on ship, east or west bound. Cards to be included in report of Liaison Officer upon return to New York.

*Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)*

(Eastbound S.S.American Merchant) June 11th, 1932, slight infected cut over tibia on right leg close to sight of scar of old ulcer.

*Treatment and Progress: (include dates)*

Milk of Magnesia and Aspirin JHA  
(Eastbound S.S.American Merchant) June 11th, 1932, Mercurachrome and Thymal Iodide Dressing with tight bandage.

June 13th, 1932, Touched edges of wound with caustic, antiseptic dressing with adhesive strips.

June 17th, 1932, Antiseptic Dressing and adhesive strips.

June 19th, 1932, same treatment as above.

*Disposition: (include dates)*

*Remarks:* (Eastbound S.S.American Merchant) Mrs. Bailey sustained this injury before leaving home about June 1st, 1932. Wound is now practically healed. NYC. July 11: Ulcer in leg healed and OK., Mother states there is nothing that we can do for her.  
Major J.H. Ashcraft, MC.

# MEDICAL RECORD

Party: "C-3".....

"AMER. MERCHANT" *Eastbound*  
S. S. "AMER. BANKER" *Westbound*

Name BAILEY, Mrs. Lulu F. ....

Home Address 805 Wiley Ave. Springfield, Ohio .....

Name and address of nearest relative or friend George F. Bailey (Husband) .....

805 Wiley Av. Springfield, Ohio .....

Religion ..... Age 52 .....

History of present complaint: July 17; - Mal De Mer

(OVER)

INSTRUCTIONS: This card will be prepared for each Pilgrim treated on ship, east or west bound. Cards to be included in report of Liaison Officer upon return to New York.

*Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)*

*Treatment and Progress: (include dates)*

(Westbound) SS "AMER.BANKER" Paregoric 1 dr. with rhubarb and soda

*Disposition: (include dates)*

*Remarks:*

Party C  
Nurse, K. Steelman

# MEDICAL RECORD

Station : Splendide  
Date : June 19, 1932.

Name Bailey, Mrs. LULU F.

Home address 805 Wiles Ave., Springfield, Ohio.

Address of Nearest friend or relative Husband, George F. Bailey  
same address

Religion Prot. Age 52 S M

## History of Present complaint :

June 22nd, Sore on left leg (between knee and ankle)  
Injury received on May 24th, 1932.

July 1st; Original injury incurred May 24th, Springfield, Ohio,  
left leg accidentally struck by a screw driver, causing a sore  
which has persisted c periodic healing and breaking down (Pat-  
ient's story) EAC

(over)

**INSTRUCTIONS.** — This card will be started in all cases of Pilgrims requiring medical attention by the Medical Officer or Nurse first rendering such attention. Subsequently it will be carried by the nurse in attendance upon the group to which the Pilgrim is assigned. All Medical Officers rendering any assistance in the case will make an appropriate entry which will include date, time and signature. Upon final disposition of the case the Nurse in charge will deliver the card to the Office of the Chief Surgeon. Pilgrims sent to the American Hospital will be accompanied by this card properly completed, which will be authority for admission, in which case a duplicate card will be made and sent without delay to the Office of the Chief Surgeon.

Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)  
June 23rd, Small wound, left leg.

FOS

July 1st, Ulcer, small, outer mid 1/3 left leg, adjacent to stellate scar  
of old ~~kind~~ healed large ulcer. EAC

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

June 23rd, seen by Maj. Stone

Dressed c B.A. Vaseline, sterile gauze.

To be done daily, FOS

July 1st, Zinc Oxide ointment and bandage EAC

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks: June 22nd very small old wound (without pus), but hard dry skin,  
left leg. Takes medicine of her own.

July 1st, Scar of an ulcer which was open for 14 years (history) EAC

July 2nd, to Cherbourg. Fitts.

QM 293 A-M  
Bailey, Antonio x (MA)

August 8, 1932.

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
305 Wiley Avenue,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Mrs. Bailey:

I am glad to have your letter of recent date expressing appreciation for the pilgrimage you recently made to the grave of your son, the late Bugler Antonio Bailey.

It is indeed gratifying to know that your trip was entirely satisfactory. 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 trip might have a comfortable and pleasant journey. I feel, however, that the task has been materially lightened by the wonderful spirit of cooperation and consideration shown by the mothers and widows.

In compliance with your request, an order has this date been issued that a flag be sent you in memory of your son, provided one has not previously been forwarded.

Very truly yours,

J. L. DEWITT,  
Major General,

nef COPY FOR: Commanding Officer, The Quartermaster General,  
Washington Quartermaster Depot,  
Washington, D. C.

Authority for issuance of a flag to the mother of the late Bugler Antonio Bailey, 372nd Infantry, provided one has not previously been issued.

Antonio Bailey ✓  
1232

Amer. Merchant

June 10

Springfield O  
July 30, - 1932

To the War Department.

I made the Pilgrimage trip  
to Europe, and I enjoyed  
the trip very much, and  
I thank you.

Please send me one  
of the flags.

From Mrs Lulu F. Bailey  
805 Wiley Ave.  
Springfield Ohio.



American Merchant

Bailey, Antonio Bugler.

~~6-10-32~~

MA

✓  
I Accept  
(Accept or decline)

the invitation extended

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. Lulu F. Bailey,  
(Name)

805 Wiley Ave., Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio  
(Town or city) (State)

Mrs Lulu F. Bailey, 805 Wiley Ave. Springfield

4096

1232

## RETURN RECEIPT

American Merchants  
6-10-32

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

Mrs. Lila P. Bailey

(Signature or name of addressee)

Bailey, Anotnio Bugler

(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery

May 16, 19 32

Form 3811

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AND DATE OF DELIVERY

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Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

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or Post Office Box, \_\_\_\_\_

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WASHINGTON,

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RETURN RECEIPT

American Merchant

6/10/32

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

Mr. Lula P. Bailey

(Signature or name of addressee)

DELIVER TO ADDRESSEE ONLY

(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery

May 16, 1932

Form 3811

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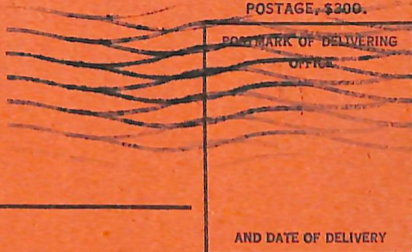
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No. 92736

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No. \_\_\_\_\_



Return to

Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

Street and Number,  
or Post Office Box,

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

May 24, 1932

Bailey, Antonio M-A SM

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

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. Springfield	CCC&StL RR	Train No. 16	4:45 PM	June 8
Ar. New York	NYC	12	9:05 AM	" 9
(Grand Central Terminal)				

Sleeping car from Springfield, Ohio to New York City, N.Y.

*Capt. Mc Reynolds*

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

May 14, 1932

Bailey, Antonio MA SM

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

Dear Madam:

With reference to previous correspondence on this subject, you are informed that your passport has been received and will be delivered to you aboard ship.

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

Bailey, Antonio (MA)SM

May 13, 1932

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No.            in the  
amount of \$           , to pay for your meals and incidental **946,842**  
**7.50**  
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.

QM 293 A-M  
Bailey, Antonio (MA) X

March 30, 1932

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
3136 Pennsylvania Avenue,  
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Madam:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and accurate, it will be appreciated if you will advise whether or not you have remarried since the death of the late Antonio Bailey, Bugler.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:  
Envelope.

HK  
ETP

Clark Co

3/26

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey (Fuentes)

Address. 3136 Pennsylvania Ave.  
Detroit Michigan.

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Mrs. Lula F. Bailey (SM)

805 Wileys Ave

Springfield O.

Bailey, Antonio  
accept. 12-32.  
-6-10-32



QM 293 A-M  
Bailey, Antonio (MA) X

March 18, 1932

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Avenue,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

An earnest endeavor is being made by this office to communicate with all mothers and widows eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It will be appreciated if you can furnish the present address of Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey, widow of the late Antonio Bailey, Bugler, whose remains are interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery in France. Several communications addressed to Mrs. Bailey at 1559 East Fort Street and 4415 Toney Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, have been returned unclaimed. ②

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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*Encl.  
E.W. P.*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON D. C.  
OFFICIAL BUSINESS

*[Handwritten signature]*

Directory Search Made  
Q. M. G.

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MAR 14 1932  
Q. M. G.

WASHINGTON, D. C.  
MAR 7  
5-PM  
1932

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MAR 7 1932

WASHINGTON, D. C.  
MAR 11 1932

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Bailey, Antonio Bugler (M-A) x

March 5, 1932.

Miss Fanchion G. Bailey,  
2341 E. 61st Street,  
Cleveland, Ohio.

*Melanie*  
*Write SM*  
*for inf*

Dear Madam:

An earnest endeavor is being made by this office to communicate with all mothers and widows eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929 as amended May 15, 1930.

It will be appreciated if you can furnish this office with the present address of Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey, widow of your brother, the late Antonio Bailey, Bugler, Co. E, 372nd Infantry, whose remains are interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery in France, in order that she may be communicated with. Several communications addressed to Mrs. Bailey at 1559 East Fort St. and 4415 Toney Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, have been returned unclaimed.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

1 Encl.  
Env.

IF YOU DESIRE A STOPOVER ON YOUR RETURN FROM EUROPE PLEASE READ CAREFULLY THE PARAGRAPH, "STOPOVERS IN THE UNITED STATES", ON PAGE 3 OF THE ENCLOSED LETTER OF INSTRUCTIONS, FILL IN THE FORM BELOW AND RETURN IT TO THIS OFFICE.

Bailey, Mrs. Lulu F.  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio  
Bailey, Antonio Bugler M-A SM  
American Merchant 6-10-32

Quartermaster General,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

*accepto* ↑

On my return from the pilgrimage to American Cemeteries in Europe, I desire to stop over at the point, or points, listed below, for the number of days shown after the name of the town. If these stopovers will cause me any expense I am to be advised of the amount and may then withdraw this request if I so desire.

<u>Cities where I desire to stopover:</u>	<u>No. of days</u>
<i>I do not desire to stopover in any city.</i>	



Very truly yours,

*File*

*Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey*  
(Your name)

*805 Wiley Ave. Springfield O.*  
(Your address)

PLEASE FILL IN THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR BELOW,  
AND MAIL THIS LETTER PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED  
ENVELOPE WHICH REQUIRES NO

*✓*  
Bailey, Mrs. Lulu F.  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Clark Co., Ohio  
Bailey, Antonio Bugler M-A SM  
American Merchant 6-10-32

Quartermaster General,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

In the blank space below you will find the name,  
address, and relationship to me, of the person in the United  
States whom I desire to be notified in case I become  
seriously ill or other emergency arises while I am making  
the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by the Act of Congress  
approved March 2, 1929.

Mr. George F. Bailey  
Name  
805 Wiley Ave. Springfield O.  
Address  
Husband.  
Relationship

Very truly yours,



Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey  
Your name

805 Wiley Ave Springfield O.  
Your address

M. A. A. Hughes.

Springfield O.  
Dec. 20. -1931

Dear Sir,

In answer to your  
letter, I will make the  
pilgrimage trip to the  
Cemeteries of Europe  
in the year of 1932.

Mr. Lula F. Bailey  

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805 Wiley Ave.  
Springfield O.



accept  
1932

Antonio Bailey  
1232.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Bailey, Antonie MA SM

December 16, 1931.

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Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to form letter forwarded you under recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, wherein you advise that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage during the year 1932.

Competent personnel will be provided to care for the mothers and widows from the time of their arrival in New York until their return thereto. Medical attendants and all other necessities will be arranged for and in the event you decide to make a pilgrimage, you are assured everything possible will be done for your care and welfare. During the summers of 1930 and 1931 many mothers of advanced age and in poor health made the pilgrimage and appear to have benefited therefrom.

Your name is being placed on the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make a pilgrimage in 1933. However, should you change your mind in view of the above, and desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you.

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-M

November 2, 1931

Bailey, Antonie M-A SM

Mrs. Lulu F. Bailey,  
805 Wiley Ave.,  
Springfield, Ohio

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. In your reply to the recent inquiry as to whether or not you desired to make a pilgrimage in 1932, you advised you were undecided.

In view of the fact that steamship reservations must be made several months in advance, it is essential that this office know how many mothers and widows must be arranged for. It is possible that you may have made your decision by this time. It is therefore requested that you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage. In the event you state you desire to make the journey in 1932 and circumstances prevent your making the pilgrimage, it is requested you notify this office as promptly as possible.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	<i>No.</i>
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: <i>52 years.</i> Health: <i>Poor.</i>
3. Do you speak English?	<i>Yes.</i>
4. What other language do you speak?	

*Lula Frances Bailey*  
Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*A. D. Hughes*  
A. D. HUGHES,  
Captain, G. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

Encl:  
Env.



*acc. copy 1932  
per date 12/29/31*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Bailey, Antonio <sup>10</sup> Bugler (M-A) SMx

July 11, 1931

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
~~802 S. Yellow Spring St.,~~  
Springfield, Ohio.

*805 Wiley Ave*

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



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

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey

Sign here

*address 805 Wiley Ave,  
Springfield, O.*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio 1232 SM

June 19, 1930.

*Colored*

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
802 S. Yellow St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? No.

(Write answer here)

*Mrs. Lula F. Bailey*  
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(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio 1232 W

June 19, 1930.

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
1559 E. Fort St.,  
Detroit, Mich.

*Address unknown*

Dear Madam:

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

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

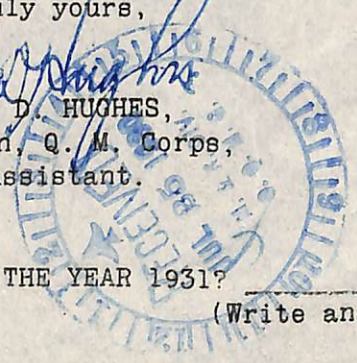
As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope, which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



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

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio 1232 - SM

February 10, 1930.

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
802 S. Yellow Spring St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

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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. 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) <u>yes.</u> (No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes) (No) <u>no.</u>
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) <u>no.</u>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age (Years) <u>50.</u> Health (Good) (Poor) <u>Poor</u>
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) <u>yes.</u> (No) Other language (Specify language spoken)

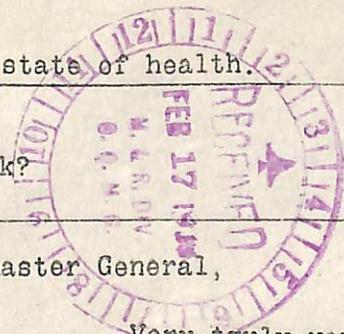
For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*John T. Harris*

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

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1232

Springfield O

January 15. - 1930.

Dear Sir.

In Answer to your letter, and the questions I am to answer.

1. I were married to the father of Antonio Bailey. August 15. 1907.
2. I were married to Mr. Bailey. at the time <sup>his</sup> son entered the military service.
3. I were married to Mr. Bailey at the time of his son death.
4. we have never been separated.
5. Mr. Bailey is living.

Sam O.K. P. Jul. 6-8-17

Dear Sir. I want to know  
if my husband Mr. Bailey  
can accompany me on  
the pilgrimage trip.  
if so will there be any  
way provided for him  
to make the trip?

On the account of ill  
health I can not say  
just when I will be  
able to make the trip  
but will let you know  
at a latter date.

Yours truly  
Mrs. Lula F. Bailey

QM 293 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio - 1232

December 18, 1929.

Mrs. Lula F. Bailey,  
802 South Yellow Spring Street,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, enabling the mothers and widows of the members of the military and naval forces of the United States now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries.

The records of this office indicate that you were the stepmother of the late Antonio Bailey, Bugler, and in order to determine your eligibility under the Act to make the pilgrimage to his grave it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

- (1) Date of your marriage to the father of Antonio Bailey.
- (2) Were you married to Mr. Bailey at the time his son entered the military service?
- (3) Were you married to Mr. Bailey at the time of his son's death?
- (4) If not, give date of your separation from him.
- (5) If Mr. Bailey is deceased give date of his death.

For the Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

A. D. HUGHES,  
Captain, Q. M. Corps,  
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BAILEY, Antonio 'C 22594

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widow - address unknown  
Mrs Mildred Jessie Bailey last known  
addresses given here

1559 E. Fort St

Detroit, Wayne Co. Mich 1-30-25

Also 4415 Toney Ave, Detroit 3-30-25

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Sister  
Miss Fanchion G Bailey

2341 E 61st St

Cleveland Ohio

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Bailey, Antonio 1232 W

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
1559 East Fort St., or 4415 Toney Avenue,  
Detroit, Michigan.

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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

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bailey, Antonio  
1232

Sept. 12, 1929.

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
4415 Honey Ave.,  
Detroit, Mich.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Sept. 9, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

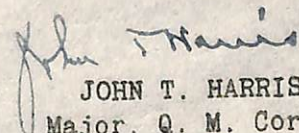
1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

2. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

  
JOHN T. HARRIS,  
Major, Q. M. Corps,  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bailey, Antonio

Sept. 9, 1929.

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
4415 Toney Ave.,  
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 widow of the late Bugler Antonio Bailey, Co. E, 372nd Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?

2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?

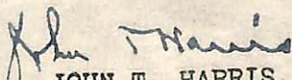
3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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JOHN T. HARRIS,  
Major, Q. M. Corps,  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bailey, Antonio

August 20, 1929

Mrs. Mildred Jessie Bailey,  
4415 Toney Ave.,  
Detroit, Mich.

*Bonus appl. shown address  
1559 E. Fort St.,  
Detroit, Mich. gsl*

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 widow of the late Bugler Antonio Bailey, Co. E, 372nd Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?
2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?
3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?
4. If so, give her name and complete address.


For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*John T. Harris*  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Bailey, Antonio

Mrs. Mildred Bailey,  
20 W. Jefferson St.,  
Springfield, Ohio.

Wife  
Mildred Jessie Bailey  
June 29, 1929  
4415 Joney Ave  
Detroit Mich 48224  
XC 7-27  
DGH

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 widow of the late Bugler Antonio Bailey, Co. E, 372d Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother 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.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relationship is that of a stepmother, mother through adoption or a woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. In case you have remarried it is also 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,  
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