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To The A. G. O.

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G.R.S. Form #114-B

MAY 14 1926

FULL NAME BARKLEY, John T. ✓

RANK Pvt. ✓
SERIAL 1341403 ✓

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ^{3rd. Div.} Co.G, ~~61st Inf.~~ ^{38 Inf.} OK ✓

DATE OF DEATH ^{Oct. 25 '18} OK, with ASD 12-18-25
Phon in Stefan

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME ^{Ala.}

✓ MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. ^{None.}

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 31 39 D
Date Grave Row Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232

Received
MAY 20 1926
M. & R. BRANCH
A. G. O.
Cemetery

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AG 201 Barkley, John T. (WW)

February 8, 1932.

Date of death.

The Quartermaster General,

Washington, D. C.

An investigation recently completed by this office in the case of John T. Barkley, army serial number 1,341,405, Private, Company G, 38th Infantry, who was reported to have died November 16, 1918, shows that the report is erroneous and that this soldier died October 25, 1918, of wounds received in action.

By order of the Secretary of War:

Andrew J. White
Adjutant General.



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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Barkley, **1341403** **John F.**
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Private **Coy. G.** **6th Inf.**
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH **Mobile Hosp. #8, Deux Nouds**

CAUSE OF DEATH: **G.S.W. Head**

DATE OF BURIAL: **Oct. 26, 1918**

PLACE OF ~~DEATH~~ ^{Burial} **Deux Nouds, Dept. Mouse**

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

DOW. Nov 16, 18 @ @ 389

GRAVE NUMBER: **No. 60**

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? **yes**

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? **yes**

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

H. B. Wilmer
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

H. B. Wilmer, 1 Lieut. M.C.USA.

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

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Barkley</i>	<i>Ban</i>	3	<i>218⁰</i>
<i>John T</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>31</i>	2	<i>31</i>
	ROW <i>39</i>	2	<i>39</i>
	BLOCK <i>D</i>	1	<i>4</i>
STATE	<i>ala</i>	2	<i>01</i>
RANK	<i>Pat</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>38</i>	2	<i>03</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>38</i>	3	<i>038</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i> <i>RM</i>
NAME <i>BARITLEY</i>	<i>Ban</i>	3	<i>218⁰</i>
<i>Mrs Mary A</i>	STATE <i>ala</i>	2	<i>01</i>
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>Lauderdale</i>	2	<i>39</i>
<i>Box 270</i>	CITY <i>Florence</i>	3	<i>019</i>
RELATION	<i>mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER	<i>Brother</i>	1	<i>3</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>Bad</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO. YR.	1	AUDITED <i>at</i>
ACCEPTANCE	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
<i>29/514</i>	<i>Age</i>	1	<i>70</i> <i>RM</i>

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Barkley, John T. (MA)

Sept. 6, 1932.

Mrs. Mary Barkley,
Box 215,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Madam:

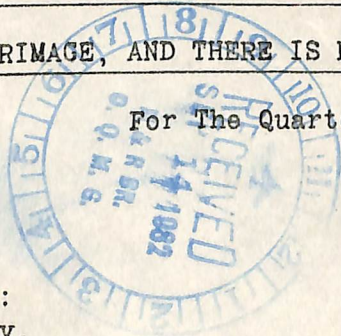
Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has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

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

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No")	No ✓
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: 70 Health: Bad
3. Do you speak English?	yes
4. What other language do you speak?	None

Mrs Mary Barkley
Sign here

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



For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
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QM 293 A-M

Barkley, John T. Pvt. (M-A) M

March 22, 1932.

Mrs. Mary Barkley,
Box 215,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to correspondence forwarded you from this office relative to a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private John T. Barkley.

It is noted you previously stated your health was not good, and in this connection you are assured that should you make a pilgrimage competent personnel to care for your comfort and needs will be provided and doctors and nurses will be available. During the past two years many mothers who were in poor health and of advanced age made the pilgrimage and appeared to have benefited by the sea air and the excellent care they received.

Should you reconsider and desire to visit the grave of your son during the coming summer, it is requested that you notify this office at the earliest practicable date. You are assured the journey will not only be made at the expense of the United States, but everything possible for your comfort and welfare will be provided.

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-M
Barkley, John T. (M-A) M

September 29, 1931.

Mrs. Mary Barkley,
Box 216,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl:
Env.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO ~~CM 293 A-M~~

Barkley, John T. Pvt. (M-A) M

June 11, 1931

Mrs. Mary Barkley,
Box 215,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Write answer here

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Barkley, John T. Pvt 1232 M

October 10, 1930

Mrs. Mary Barkley
Box 215
Florence, Alabama

Dear Madam:

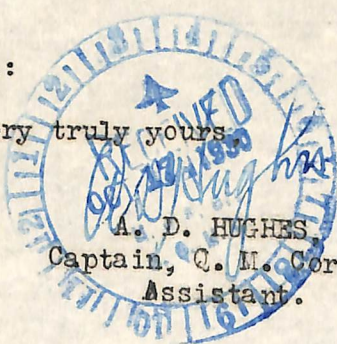
A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	<i>No</i>
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	<i>No</i>
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age <i>68</i> Condition of health <i>Bad</i>
4. Do you speak English?	<i>yes</i>
5. What other language do you speak?	<i>none</i>

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
Barkley, John T. 1232 M

June 5, 1930

Mrs. Mary Barkley
Box 215
Florence, Alabama.

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

June 29, 1929.

(Barkley, John T.)

Mr. C.W. Barkley,
Mobile St.,
Florence, Ala.

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 brother of the late Private John T. Barkley, Co. G, 61st 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 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.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since 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,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Sept. 6, 1932.

Barkley, John T. (MA)

Mrs. Mary Barkley,
Box 215,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

Sign here

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Barkley John T (MA)

July 7, 1932

Mrs Mary Barkley
Box 216
Florence Ala

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

QM 293 A-M
Barkley, John T. Pvt. (M-A) M

March 22, 1932.

Mrs. Mary Barkley,
Box 315,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to correspondence forwarded you from this office relative to a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private John T. Barkley.

It is noted you previously stated your health was not good, and in this connection you are assured that should you make a pilgrimage competent personnel to care for your comfort and needs will be provided and doctors and nurses will be available. During the past two years many mothers who were in poor health and of advanced age made the pilgrimage and appeared to have benefited by the sea air and the excellent care they received.

Should you reconsider and desire to visit the grave of your son during the coming summer, it is requested that you notify this office at the earliest practicable date. You are assured the journey will not only be made at the expense of the United States, but everything possible for your comfort and welfare will be provided.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICEIN REPLY AG 201 Barkley, John T. (WW) WASHINGTON

February 8, 1932.

SUBJECT: Date of death.

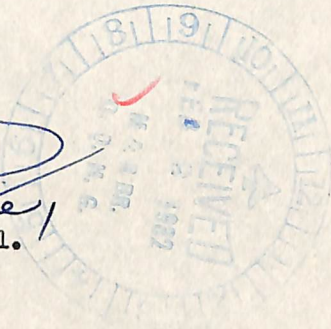
To: The Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

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An investigation recently completed by this office in the case of John T. Barkley, army serial number 1,341,403, Private, Company G, 38th Infantry, who was reported to have died November 16, 1918, shows that the report is erroneous and that this soldier died October 25, 1918, of wounds received in action.

By order of the Secretary of War:

Andrew White
Adjutant General.



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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Barkley, John T. (H-A) M

September 29, 1931.

Mrs. Mary Barkley,
Box 215,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Madam:

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

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

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage
in 1932?

2. Please state your age and condition
of health:

Age:
Health:

3. Do you speak English?

4. What other language do you speak?

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl:
Env.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Barkley, John T. Pvt. (M-A) H

June 11, 1931

Mrs. Mary Barkley,
Box 215,
Florence, Ala.

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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COMM. & REF. BR.

QM 293 A-M

October 10, 1930

Barkley, John T. Pvt 1252 M

Mrs. Mary Barkley
Box 215
Florence, Alabama

Dear Madam:

A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age Condition of health
4. Do you speak English?	
5. What other language do you speak?	

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Barkley, John T. 1232 M

June 5, 1930

Mrs. Mary Barkley
Box 215
Florence, Alabama.

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
Barkley, John T.
1232

September 4, 1929.

Mr. C. W. Barkley,
Mobile St.,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Sir:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated ^{June 23, 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,

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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

June 29 1929.

(Barkley, John T.)

Mr. C.W. Barkley,
Mobile St.,
Florence, Ala.

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 brother of the late Private John T. Barkley, Co. G, 61st 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 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.

Your attention is particularly invited to Section 4 of the enclosed Act, which defines the terms "mother" and "widow". If the relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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For The Quartermaster General,

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

In reply refer to:
293.8 C-R 69133

January 27, 1923.

Mr. C.W. Barkley,
Mobile St.,
Florence, Ala.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of the late Pvt. John T. Barkley, Co g, 61st Inf., is No. 31, Row 39, Block D, Meuse-Argonne American cemetery Ramagne-sous-Montfaucon, (Meuse) France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The 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.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

MAILED

JAN 29 1923

G.R.S.

Very truly yours,

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

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G.R.S. Form #114 B

DATE 10/19/21

1. NAME BARKLEY, John T SERIAL No. 1341403

RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co.G.61st Inf

GRAVE LOCATION French Mil.Cty,Amblaincourt-Meuse 196

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

3

C

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES

CONCENTRATED TO

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Data ~~concerning~~ Concerning CEMETERY any identification found on remains when concentrated CTY. NUMBER
, such as collar insignia, letters, broken bones, missing parts, etc.
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collar insignias, letters, broken bones, missing parts, etc.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Mar. 22-21. 3 #196

by sec. 2 field forces. DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

data taken from form 16-A.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Wm M. Cline

Wm M. CLINE
Captain Q.M.G.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 10/19/21 31 39 D

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

Block PLOT

AUDITED BY

M.M. 6-
1-8-23

Meuse Argonne American Cemetery # 1232 Romagne sous Montfaucon
CEMETERY

Place Amblercourt, Meuse.,

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date October 13-21

1. REMAINS OF Barkley John T.

SERIAL NUMBER 1341403

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co. G. 61st Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) October 13-21

From (give complete location) : Grave 3 plot 0
Cem. 196.

By : Group 3

Unit F.S.#3.

3. Reburied (date) :

In (give complete location) :

Oct, 19, 1921. Meuse Argonne Cem. 1232, Row 39 Bl. D. Gr. 31.

By : Group Reburial Sec.

Unit

Nature of reburial unlined casket

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

Burlap and blanket blanket and pine box. Under cross.

Badly decomposed recognition impossible.

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

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

No effects. Bottle record on body reads body tag checked and reads John T.

Barkley 1341403 Pvt. Co. G. 61st Inf.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) _____

Package intact body not disturbed

(b) Weigh, (estimated) _____

(c) Hair—Color _____

Quantity _____

Characteristics _____

(d) Hair on face—Color _____

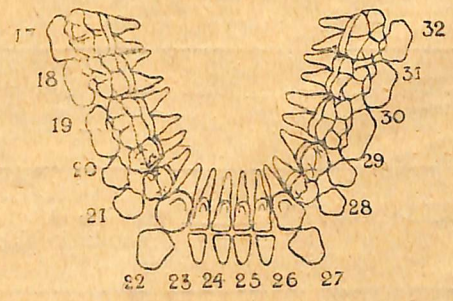
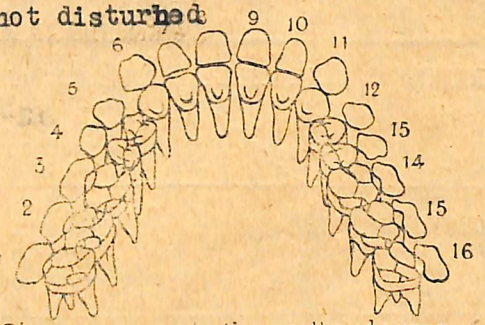
Location _____

Quantity _____

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

or missing parts _____

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



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7. Disinterment supervised by D. B. Bachman

Approved : B. L. Maloney Capt. OMC.

(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by W. B. SHEILD

Approved : James W. Younger

JAMES W. YOUNGER
CAPT. OMC.

(Title)

ea.j.

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE October 13-21

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

- 1. Name BARKLEY, John T
- 2. No. 1341403
- 3. Rank Pvt
- 4. Org. Co.G, 61st Inf
- 5. D.D. Nov. 16th, 1918
- 6. C.D. DOW

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 3 Sec. _____
- 8. Plot C Row _____
- 9. _____

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

- 18. Cemetery French Mil. Cty.
- 20. Dept. or County Neuse
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 196

- 19. Commune or town Amblaincourt
- 21. Country France

- 23. Disinterred (Date) October 13-21
- 24. Inscription on grave marker:

By D. Bachman

Name John T Barkley

Rank Pvt.

Serial No. _____

Organization Co.G. 61st Inf.

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

Fred C. Le Mont
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

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

Package intact body not disturbed.

- 27. Condition of body Badly decomposed recognition impossible.

- 28. Nature of burial Blanket and Pine box. Found under cross.

- 29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None. Tag on body reads J.T. Barkley

- 30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date October 13-21 By D. Bachman

- 31. Casket sealed by D. Bachman

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) D. Bachman

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-8735

32. Designation of body:

Name BARKLEY, John T Serial No. 1341403

Rank Pvt Organization Co.G, 61st Inf

Officer in Charge Operations

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer. 1232 Romagne/s/Montfaucon

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) October 15-21 By D. Bachman

35. I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

B.L. Maloney
B.L. Maloney, Capt. USMC

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) October 15-21

To point of Concentration Romagne sous Montfaucon ? Use..

Convoyer James Flynn (Name) B.L. Maloney Capt. USMC 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

To Permanent Cemetery

Convoyer (Name) Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date 14 OCT 1921

G.R.S. Representative Sr. Lieut. Maque Supd

41. Reinterred: Meuse Argonne Cem. 1232, Oct. 19, 1921. (Date)

42. Grave No. Row 39 Bl. D.Gr. 31. Section

43. Plot Row

hw

G.R.S. Representative James V. Younger
JAMES V. YOUNGER
CAPT. USMC
caj.

Place Am. Maincourt, ^{Meuse} Harne #196.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date March 22nd 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BARKLEY? John T. SERIAL NUMBER 1341403

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. G. 61st Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): March 22nd, 1921 From (give complete location): Gr. #3.

By: Group 2 Unit 2

3. Reburied (date): March 22nd 1921 In (give complete location): Gr. #3.

By: Group 2 Unit 2 Nature of reburial wooden box and burlap.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: naked, body badly decomposed.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: body tag checked.

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? 5 decayed 1 missing after death. 12, 13, missing before death

(a) Height (actual measurement) unable to estimate

(b) Weight (estimated) height or weight.

(c) Hair—Color none

Quantity none

Characteristics none

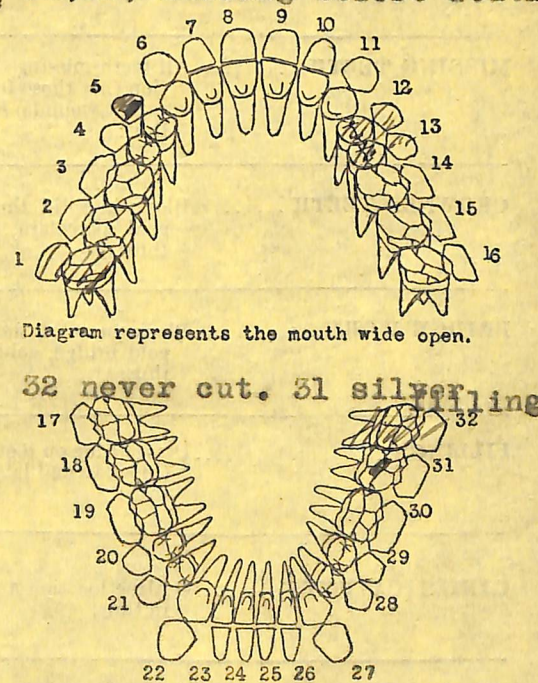
(d) Hair on face—Color none

Location none

Quantity none

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

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



32 never cut. 31 silvering

D-50383

7. Disinterment supervised by O. R. Davis, 2nd Lt. Q.M.C.

Approved: E. J. Riordan, Capt. Q.M.C. (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by O. R. Davis, 2nd Lt. Q.M.C.

Approved: E. J. Riordan, Captain, Q.M.C. (Title)

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

12/12/21 Examined
concentration
in Mexico Argentina
#1234
(12-29-21)
(265)

File #69133

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BARKLEY, John T. Ser. No. 1341403
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. G, 61st Infantry
(c) Date of death 11/16/18 (d) Cause of death DWRIA

TYP. DMA
CKR. B.J.

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

(a) Grave No. 3 Row --- Plot C Sec. --- TYP. DMA
(b) Emerg. Address C. W. Barkley (brother) Cloverdale, Ala. RD. #1

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases ----- CKR. B.J.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

no card in file No. 9-1-8-21
Date of receipt -----

(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 -----, 1920.

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

-----, dated -----
confirming request in Par. IV., item -----, above, or requesting that -----
no correspondence

Examiner's Initials D.H. Date 1-8-, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? -----

Examiner's Initials att Date 1-10-21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 196 SHEET No. 3

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

CARDED

MAR 29 1921

13-28-21
211
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VII. G. R. S. Form No. 414 made _____, 1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

RECEIVED BY
MAIL UNIT

JUN 1 1921

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on FEB 17 1921 _____, 1920

Cemeterial L. vis.
Overseas Project Sub-Section

Par. 2 Not to be returned.

(L. S.)

IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*B.A.M.R. - Mr. Charles H. Barkley
(Brother) Mobile St., Florence Ala.
3-28-21 "M"*

C 127786

Please read -

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

Harlow F.M.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Barkley, John T., Pvt.

196 - 3

3/8/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

1341403

Co. G, 61st Inf.

Date of death - 11/16/18.

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department

DATE March 25, 1921.

Date 3-28-21 "M"
NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mr. Charles W. Barkley,
Address

Brother

Mobile St., Florence, Ala.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #69133

12/6/21 Returned
 for concentration
 in Muese-Ardenne
 # 1232
 (AES)
 (12-27-21)

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

BARKLEY, John T.

1341403

(a) Name **Pvt.** Ser. No. **Co. C, 61st Infantry** TYP. **DMA**
 (b) Rank **11/16/18** Organization **DWRIA** TYP. **B.J.**
 (c) Date of death Cause of death

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

3 --- **C** --- **DMA**
 (a) Grave No. Row **C. W. Barkley (brother)** Plot **Cloverdale, Ala.** Sect. **RD #1** TYP.
 (b) Emerg. Address

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases. CKR **B.J.**

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

No card in file - no request for disposition
MB 3/29/21

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on 192
 (letter of transmittal **FEB 17 1921**)

Par. 2 Not to be returned.

(L.L.)

MAR 31 1921

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

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. **6-1-** 192

MAR 29 1921 *P.L.*

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Barkley, 1341403 John F. (Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials)

Private Coy. G. 6 Inf. (Rank) (Organization)

PLACE OF DEATH: Mobile Hosp. #8, Deux Nouds

CAUSE OF DEATH: G.S.W. Head

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct. 26, 1918 ~~Deux Nouds, Dept. Meuse~~

PLACE OF BURIAL: Deux Nouds, Dept. Meuse (Give Cemetery, Town and Department). Map reference must specify clearly what map is used.

GRAVE NUMBER: No. 60

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? yes Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? yes Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? yes

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer)

H. B. Wilmer, 1 Lieut. M.C.USA.

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

REVIEWED OSP SS.

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21 OCT 1918

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

Money { Specie _____ \$
Notes 107 Francs _____ \$

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all the effects of Priv. John F. Barkley deceased, and that the effects were disposed of as prescribed in the 112th Article of War, and Army Regulations.

As Witness
HB WILMER, 1LT MC US
Mobile Hospital
No 8

Benj Woods.
(Station.)

Oct 28, 1918
(Date.)

(OVER.)

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1 NOV 1918

NO. 1341403

69133

Name **ARKLEY, JOHN**Rank **PVT.** Co. **G** {Corps} **38th** {Regt} **INF.**Date of Death **OCT. 25 1918**

Place

Cause **WOUNDS**Date of Burial **OCT. 26 1918**Grave No. **60**Cemetery **FRENCH MIL. CEM. AMER. PLOT.**Identified by {Tag
Papers } **TAG AM BODY**
{Clothing} **TAG ON CROSS**

List of Effects

E. B. BOOTH CHAPLAIN M. H. #8Field Record Made by **DIVIDE, MELLIN, SGT. Q.M.C.****GROUP #7**Company **310** Graves Registration Service.

For additional data use reverse side.

2 NOV 1918

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