

Barnes.

(Surname.)

Edwin ~~N.~~

(Christian name in full.)

1,248,281

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co G 112 Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery?

(Yes or no.)

If you desire the remains interred at the home of the deceased, give full information below as to where they should be sent:

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mr Geo. W. Barnes

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Orig let sent to-
Geo. Barnes, (father)
1234 West 21st St.,
Erie, Pa.

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Brown by JH

Rank
G.R.S. Form #114-B

9230

FULL NAME BARNES, Edwin N.

RANK

Pvt.

SERIAL

1248281

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION

Co.G, 112th Inf.

DATE OF DEATH

Nov. 29, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Pa

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED.

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

Date

Grave

Row

Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232

Cemetery

Rec'd World War Div.

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WORLD WAR DIV.

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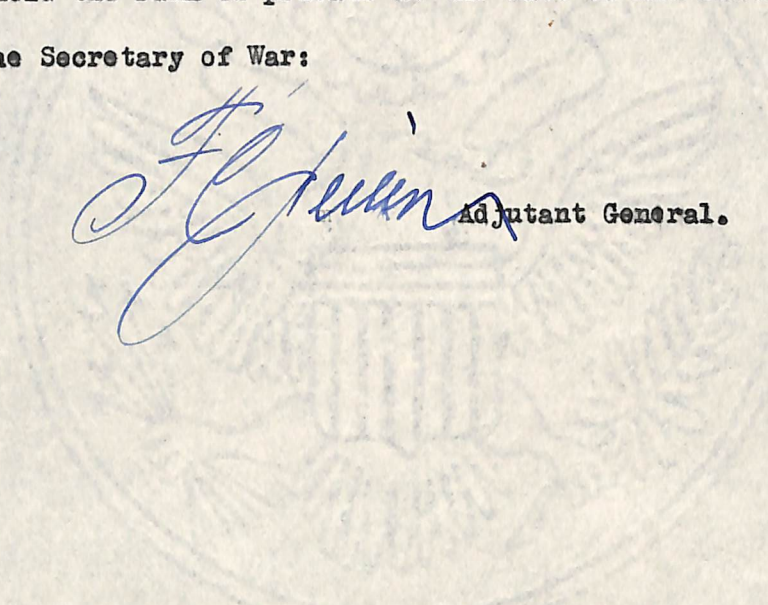
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WW WS 6-3

War Dept., A. G. O., April 12, 1928 - To The Quartermaster General.

The records of this office show that Edwin N. Barnes, Army Serial Number 1,248,281, held the rank of private at the date of his death.

By order of the Secretary of War:


F. E. Evans Adjutant General.

Baron Edwin N.
CENTRAL PASSENGER ASSOCIATION

Pvt.
TRANSPORTATION BUILDING
HARRISON AND DEARBORN STREETS

CHICAGO, ILL.

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

FILE NO.

SAILING FROM NEW YORK JULY 30, 1930

S. S. AMERICA

No 495

Name Mrs Angelina Barnes (O-6)

Address 1206 German St.

From Erie, Pa. To New York City and return

Going Route

NYC&StL to Buffalo
DL&W to New York City

Return same route

Train Schedule to New York

Lv Erie	8:22 PM No. 8	July 28
Ar. Hoboken	9:10 AM No. 14	July 29

→ Sleeping car from Erie, Pa. to Hoboken

Elapsed time 12 Hrs 48 Min *3/4*

Superior
ESSEX MFG. CO.
MAN

Barnes, Edwin N.
MEDICAL RECORD

Party O,
E. Conley,
Nurse

Pst., Co. G, 112 Inf.

Station :

Kof C Hotel 1
N.Y. City
America

Date :

Name Barnes, Mrs. A.

Home address 1206 German St. Erie, Pa.

Address of Nearest friend or relative Son, Thomas Barnes,
Ashland St. Greensburg, Pa.

Religion Free Methodist

Age 74

History of Present complaint: July 29th, Pt looked fatigued. Pulse slow and irregular. Had chr. heart disease for years. Uses arom. ammonia for medication. Hypertension. Fell ten years ago & fractured hip. Varicose veins for 20 years. Operation for V.V. Injury to vein a month ago caused ulcer.

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.

(over)

Diagnosis and complications : (include dates)

Cardiac ?

Hypertention

Varicose ulcer, right lower leg.

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

July 29th, dressed ulcer. and bandage applied

Heart Exam on July 30th, Heart sound faint and distant; no murmurs discovered

Chr. myocarditis. Rest advised. H.F. Sullivan, M.D., S.S. America

Leg Ulcer dressed. Z O. q d.

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks: 8/8/30 Varicose Ulcer, chr. Cardio-Renal Vasc. BP 220/100

By train to Verdun. A.W.K.

J. Murie (Mura) *Barnes Edwin N.*
MEDICAL RECORD

13/9/30. M. Lundberg - special nurse.

Post Co 5412 Inf.

Station:

Parly O. Group

Date:

Aug 8th 1930

Name *M^{rs} Angelina Barnes*

Home address *1206 German St. Erie - Pa -*

Address of Nearest friend or relative *Son. P. A Barnes*
R. D. J. Erie Pa.

Religion *Protestant*

Age

74 -

History of Present complaint: *High Blood pressure -*
220/90

Verden - 8-17-30 Patient has had an uneventful visit to
Cemetery. R.H.P.

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(over)

Diagnosis and complications: (include dates) 8-13-30 C.V.R. hypertension 270/110 Hg.

Treatment and Progress: (include dates) Aug 8th Rest & Quiet: Treats in bedroom. No exertion.

Aug 11th Bromide - P.R.N. Out in Auto-Bus during afternoon. B.P. 240/90.

On train
13/8/- 10 a.m. Bromide tab. 1.
9 p.m. Triple Bromide tab. 11.
Disposition: (include dates)
Aug 12th B.P. 220/
14/8/- 6 p.m. Triple Bromide tab. 11.
15/8/- 9 p.m. Triple Bromide tab. 11.
16/8/- 6 p.m. Triple Bromide " 11.
9 p.m. Triple Bromide " 11.
Treatment continued.

Remarks: 13/8/- Left Paris for Verdun. Comfortable journey but was tired. Remained in bed most of afternoon. Examined by Maj. Eames. Patient pleased and satisfied.
14/8/- Slept well. In the afternoon, went to the cemetery. 15/8/- Slept well. Went to cemetery 2^d time.
16/8/- Had a good night. Went to cemetery 3^d time. 17/8/- Returning to Paris. Condition about the same. 18/8/- Seen by Maj. Keena. Leg was dressed.
8-19-10 a.m. Bromide tab. 1 - No complaints.
Aug 22-30 To Cheltenham Bath.

Party "Q" - Itinerary - Meuse-Argonne Group.

Barnes, Edwin H.

Sailed July 30, 1920 on SS "AMERICA". Major E. V. Halpine in charge. Colonel Oliver L. Spaulding Jr, observer. Arrived Cherbourg at day break. Special tender arrived 4:15 am bearing Capt. Wm. V. Cohn, Lawrence Mitchell and Wm. F. Dalton; Lieut. Wm. J. Karonoy, Michael R. Swicker, E. V. Freeman and W. J. Morin; Major H. H. Hinderman; Miss Blanche Hulan, Capt. A. N. O. and 4 nurses; 3 civilian employees. Train left 8:21 am; arrived Gare des Invalides, Paris, 2:15 pm. Met by Colonel Ellis and members of his staff, interpreters and nurses. Taken to hotel in busses.

- August 9th Morning devoted to transaction of personal business. Exchange of money, preparation of laundry, etc. Afternoon - Arc de Triomphe. Wreath laid by Mrs. J. Turkish for party. Tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent. Dinner at hotel.
- August 10th Morning, free or church. Lunch at hotel, 2:00 pm visit to Louvre. Dinner at hotel; 9:00 - 11:00 pm sightseeing night trip.
- August 11th Morning, sightseeing trip Notre Dame; Lunch at hotel; 2:15 sightseeing trip Napoleon's tomb; Dinner at hotel.
- August 12th Morning free or shopping. Lunch at hotel. Afternoon free. Dinner at hotel - pack luggage to be left at hotel.
- August 13th Leave 7:15 am - via Porte de Pantin, Meaux, La Porte-sous-Jourra. Arrive Montairail 1:00 am. Rest Hotel du Vert Gallant one hour. Arrive Chabons s/Marne 1:00 pm. Lunch Hotel Haute-Mere-Dieu. Arrive Ste. Menchould 4:15 pm, rest Modern Hotel Ste. Menchould. 6:15 pm arrive Verdun, dinner and sleep.
- August 14, 15, 16 & 17 Daily trips made from Verdun to the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery.
- August 18th Left Verdun 9:15 am for Reims. Lunch at Cemetery. Left 2:00pm via Charpentry, Argonne forest, Four-de-Paris, Vienne-le-Chateau, Vienne-la-Ville, Bonne-Bienne. Rest stop Hotel Champagne at Suippes. Jonchery, St. Hilaire-le-Grand. Arrived Reims 6:00pm. Dinner and sleep Hotel Bristol Crystal.
- August 19th Visited Cathedral and Reims. Lunch Hotel Crystal. Departed 1:30pm for Paris via Champfleury, Ay, Epervier, Dormans, Chateau Thierry (rest stop Hostellerie du Bonhomme) Belleau Woods, Le Thiolet, Montrouil-aux-Lions, La Porte-sous-Jourra. Arrive Paris 6:45 pm. Dinner at hotel.
- August 20th Leave 9:45 am for Fontainebleau via Barbizon. Lunch Hotel Logris. Visit Chateau. Depart 4:00 pm via Melun for Paris. Arrive Paris 6:30 pm. Dinner at hotel.
- August 21st Leave 9:15 am for Versailles. Visit Chateau (entrance from 10:00 to 10:30 am). Leave Versailles 11:50 am. Lunch 12:30 at Belle Cycliste - Suresnes. 2:15 pm depart sightseeing trip Sacre Coeur, Paris. Dinner at Hotel - Pack luggage.
- August 22nd Leave Gare Des Invalides for Cherbourg and United States. Boat train arrive Cherbourg 4:16pm. SS President Roosevelt sailed 6:20pm. Arrive NY Aug 30th.

Mrs. Angelina Barnes

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

BARNES, EDWIN N. M.A.

Party⁰.....

Number2710.....

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

MRS. ANGELINA BARNES

..... Actual cost of through Pullman.
 Name of Traveler

ERIE, ERIE COUNTY,

..... New York, to ERIE, PA.
 Home Address

PA.

\$ 4.50.....

New York, to ERIE, PA.
 Destination

Via DL&W TO BUFFALO - NK PL TO DEST.

LIMIT - SEPT 29-30

AUGUST 31st, 1930.

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 Date of Departure

	Road	Tr. No.	Date Aug.	Time	Lower or Seat	Car	U. S. G. Order No.	Actual Cost
LV HOBOKEN	DL&W	9	31	8:55P	L 10	L 29		\$4.50
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TOTAL ..\$4.50....

Remarks:

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 Escorted to train by Capt. William Hesketh

Arrived 9:10 A. M. July 29th and met by Capt. Richard H. Darrell. Escorted to Knights of Columbus Hotel where she occupied room with Mrs. Elizabeth Boetger.

Occupied Cabin 10 with Mrs. Elizabeth Boetger and Mrs. Lucia Antonelli. Two pieces of baggage.

On return to NY from Europe went to Hotel Penna. and was quartered with Mrs. Rozalia Bielak and Mrs. Elizabeth Boetger.

Name BARNES, Mrs. Angelina

Paris Hôtel HOTEL AMBASSADOR

BOULEVARD HAUSSMANN

Home address 1206 German St., Erie, Erie County, Pennsylvania

Party 0 Group I Unit SS. AMERICA

Date of arrival Aug-8-1930 Date of departure SS. ROOSEVELT-Sept-2-1930

Relationship Mother

Name of deceased BARNES, Edwin N.

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. G, 112th Inf.

Cemetery Meuse-Argonne

REMARKS

Desires quarters with Mrs. Elizabeth Boetger, Erie County, Penn.

Mrs. Barnes will proceed to Verdun by train leaving Gare de l'Est at 6.55 A.M. Aug. 13, 1930. to be accompanied by Nurse, Miss Landberg and will be quartered at the Nouvel Hotel. (seven day extension ticket was bought)



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NAME BARNES, MRS. ANGELINA

S.S. ROOSEVELT

AUG 30 1930

HOME ERIE, ERIE COUNTY, PA.

R.R. D. L. PWT Buffalo.

STATION Nk Pl L Erie Pa

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE Sep - 29 - 30

July 14th, 1930

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German Street,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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

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

For The Officer in Charge:

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

Enclosures:
2 tags,

WAR DEPARTMENT
PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS
225 WEST 34TH ST. N. Y. N. Y. ROOM 301

COPY

Jos. F. Cottrell,
Major, C.A.C. (DOL)

July 29, 1930

Thomas Barnes,
Ashland Street,
Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

MRS BARNES ARRIVED SAFELY

COLONEL WILLIAMS

Mrs. Angelina Barnes, Party "O", Knights of Columbus Club-Hotel.

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

VIA POSTAL TELEGRAPH

A.O. TIPTON,
Major, Inf., (DOL)
August 30th, 1930

MR. PAUL W. BARNES,
R.D. # 7
ERIE, PA.

YOUR MOTHER ARRIVED SAFELY MEET NINE FORTY TWO TRAIN MONDAY MORNING

COLONEL WILLIAMS

MRS. ANGELINE BARNES,
Party "O"
Pennsylvania Hotel

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H.B.D.

DAILY REPORT OF MEDICAL OFFICER:
PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS-1930

Date July 29/30

Case No.

PARTY O. East

NAME Mrs A. Barnes

HOME ADDRESS Erin Pa

HOTEL Knights of Columbus -

DIAGNOSIS Varicose ulcer sigmoid
front rt. leg -

DISPOSITION

REMARKS. Patient states that she saw her
private Dr. July 27 and that she was
given medicine & treatment for
breast. The nurse (Miss Conley) had
dressed the leg this morning.
Healing as well as usual. Nurse
instructed to have home physician
see her if she complains at all.

CIVILIAN DOCTOR IN CHARGE OF CASE:

MEDICAL OFFICER:

Walter L. Perry,

Major, Medical Corps, USA.

Note

Patient states that she has had
high blood pressure -
suggest wheel chair for her.

WLP

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H.B.D.

DAILY REPORT OF MEDICAL OFFICER:
PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS-1930

Date July 30/30

PARTY O-East

Case No.

NAME Mrs. A. Barnes

HOME ADDRESS Eric Penn.

HOTEL 14 C.

DIAGNOSIS Varicose Ulcer size 5ch -
piece front $\frac{1}{2}$ + $\frac{1}{3}$ leg. Ulcer

DISPOSITION by Miss Conley (nurse)

REMARKS

This patient saw her own RV -
2 days before sailing & had her
own medicine & ointment, so
Miss Conley applied the oint-
ment yesterday & to-day as was
instructions.

CIVILIAN DOCTOR IN CHARGE OF CASE:

MEDICAL OFFICER:

Walter L. Perry,

Major, Medical Corps, USA.

Wheelchair at River

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DAILY REPORT OF MEDICAL OFFICER:

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS & WLDOWS-1930

5:30. P.M.

Date..August 30,1930.

Case No.....

PARTY.....O.....West.....

NAME.....Mrs A Barnes,.....

HOME ADDRESS.....Erie, Penn.....
.....

HOTEL.....Penn.....

DIAGNOSIS.Hypertension:::Ulcer Varicose:::Rt::Leg:.....

DISPOSITION.....

REMARKS.....Patient states that she knew she had high Blood Pressure before she left home.

Has had a very large Varicose Ulcer on rt. leg at about junction of middle with lower third:::Very much better now and is dry and almost healed.

To be redressed by nurse to- morrow morning.

AUGUST 31, 1930.

Nurse reports that Ulcer of leg was derred this morning.

CIVILIAN DOCTOR IN CHARGE OF CASE:.....
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MEDICAL OFFICER

JAMES H. ASHCRAFT,
Major, Medical Corps, USA.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON

September 7, 1922

FILE: 293.8 C-R #97072-

SUBJECT: Permanent Grave Location of **Private Edwin N. Barnes,**
Company G, 112th Infantry.

TO: **Mr. George Barnes, 1020 W. 18th St., Erie, Pa.**

File

1. The permanent grave of this soldier is No. **34** Row **5**,
Block F, Meuse-Argonne American cemetery at Romagne-sous-Montfaucon,
Department of Meuse, France.

2. 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 and date of soldier's death. 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.

3. 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 main-
tained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting
place of our heroes,

For the Quartermaster General:

MAILED

SEP 7 1922

GEORGE H. PENROSE,
Assistant.

G.R.S.

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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE _____

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

Jw.

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BARNES, Edwin M.
 2. No. 1248281
 3. Rank Pvt.
 4. Org. Co. G, 112th Inf.
 5. D.D. 11/29/18
 6. C.D. Died while Prisoner of War in Germany

10. Name _____
 11. No. _____
 12. Rank _____
 13. Org. _____
 14. (a) D.D. none
 (b) D.B. _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 8 Sec. _____
 8. Plot American Row _____
 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery Village Cty, American Plot19. Commune or town Niederbuele,20. Dept. or County Baden21. Country Germany22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. # 177023. Disinterred (Date) May 4, 1921By C.V. Russell

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name BARNES, Edwin M
 Rank Pvt

Serial No. 1248281
 Organization Co. G, 112th, Inf,

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

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).

None27. Condition of body Body badly decomposed; features unrecognizable.28. Nature of burial Body buried in uniform and wooden coffin.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date May 4, 1921 By C.V. Russell31. Casket sealed by C.V. RussellSignature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) C.V. Russell.AUDITED BY
SAB 8/3/22114-B Missing when forms received in this office

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-29360

32. Designation of body:

Name Edwin H. BARNES Serial No. 1248281

R nk Pvt. Organization Co.G, 112th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Meuse-Argonne American Cty #1232, Romagne-s-Montfamecon Meuse.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) May 4, 1921 By C.V. Russell

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 J. Gerald Cole, Capt. C.A.C.

36. Remarks None

I hereby certify that the entries made under items 14b 23 24 26 27 28 29 30 31 34 35 36 have been secured from Forms 16-A executed at the time of disinterment and that it is impracticable to obtain signatures of the sup. Emb. Inspector and checkers owing to the absence of that personnel from this Station.

37. Shipping Point of Operation: (Date) I. H. Joffe, 1st Lt. QMC.

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

To Permanent Cemetery _____

(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

40. Received: Date _____

G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232. Nov 8, 1921
(Date)

42. Grave No. 34 Section _____

43. Plot F Row 5

G.R.S. Representative

I. H. Joffe, 1st Lt. QMC.

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36. Remarks None

Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) May 4, 1921

To point of Concentration Romagne morgue.
(Name)

Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

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By G.R.S. Representative _____

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(Date)

42. Grave No. 34 Section _____

43. Plot F Row 5

G.R.S. Representative I.H. Jones, 1st Lt. QMC.

Place Niederbuele, Baden, Germany

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date May 4, 1921

1. REMAINS OF BARNES, Edwin N. SERIAL NUMBER 1248281
 RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Co. G. 112th, Infantry.

2. Disinterred (date): May 4, 1921 From (give complete location): Cemetery # 1770, Niederbuele, Baden, Germany, Grave #8

By : Group _____ Unit Section # 11, F.F.

3. Reburied (date): Nov 8, 1921 In (give complete location): Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232, Gr. 34, Bl. F, Row 5.

By : Group Reburial S Unit _____ Nature of reburial Lined casket.

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

Body buried in uniform and wooden coffin, Body badly decomposed;
features not recognizable.

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

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

toxic cavity

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Unable to measure

14 cavity

19 M.B.D.

(b) Weight (estimated) 150 lbs.

(c) Hair—Color Apparently light brown

Quantity Normal

Characteristics Straight

(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location --

Quantity --

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

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

None discernible.

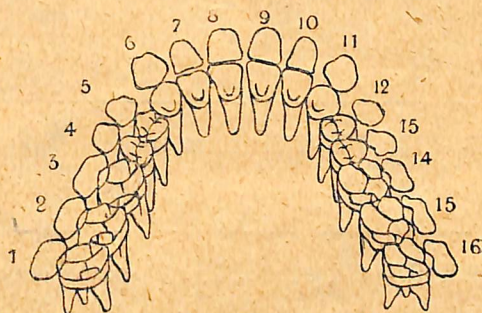
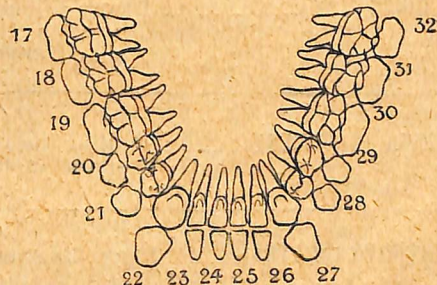


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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7. Disinterment

supervised by C.V. Russell (Signed)
C.V. Russell

Approved: (Signed) J. Gerald Cole.
J. Gerald Cole, Capt CAC

(Title)

8. Reburial

supervised by W.B. Sheild
(A TRUE COPY)

Approved I.H. Joffe, 1st Lt. MC.

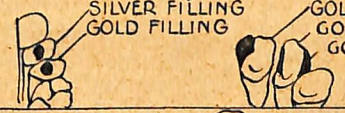
(Title)

I.H. Joffe, 1st Lt. MC.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PROPER COMPLETION OF G. R. S. FORM NO. 16-A

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to Question 26, Form 114, in case no means of identification on body.

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No 6.
6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

MISSING TEETH	All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:	 TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:	 GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus:	 GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:	 SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:	 CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED
DENTURES (PLATES)	Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp"	

7. Show name of person supervising the disinterment and the name and title of the person approving same.

8. Show name of person supervising the reburial and the name and title of the person approving same.



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REGISTRATION SER.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 97072

(a) Name BARNES, Edwin N. Ser. No. 124821

(b) Rank Private Organization Co. G, 112th Inf.

(c) Date of death 11/29/18 (d) Cause of death Pneumonia

TYPE EK

CKR 1313

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

(a) Grave No. 8 Row -- Plot Amer. Sec. -- TYP. EK

(b) Emerg. Address George Barnes, 1234 West 21st. St. Erie, Pa.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

NO CARD

CKR 1313

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Mr. Geo. W. Barnes

(b) Relationship Father

(c) Address 1234 West 21 St - Erie, Pa.

(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.?

no

(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S.

(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S.

Examiner's Initials MB

Date 11/3, 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 MB

Date 11/3, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to?

yes s.u.

Examiner's Initials S. M.

Date 11-4, 1920.

COUNTRY Germany

CEMETERY No. 1770

SHEET No. 1-9

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

3-7729

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

11-15-20

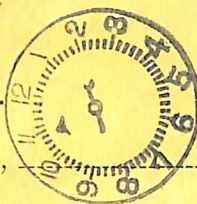
Make Form No. 114

Checked
11/10/20
1/4

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

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

CEMETERY DIVISION



DEC 20 1920

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on 5/4/21, 1920

*Par # 2 - Not to be returned
mch*

IX.

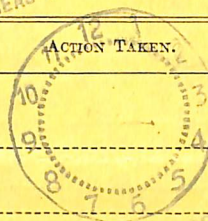
CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

Desires body be _____

Body to be shipped to _____

CEMETERY DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SECTION



DEC 18 1920
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X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *12-6-20 Form #120 Father m. #
George W. Barnes changed address
to 1020 W. 18th St. Erie Pa. Wishes body
left in France 12-15-20 E.S. #182*

**JAN 4 1921 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM TO EUROPE, BODY
TO REMAIN.** *True*

**FORM 115 RETURNED BY HOBOKEN - BODY
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.** *C.M.*

DEC 30 1920

Location Index

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No. ✓

Org.

Remarks:

Hermann 11-3-20
A. G. O. Card & Corr.

Discrepancies

Name ✓

Rank ✓

Serial No. ✓

Org.

Remarks:

G. R. S. Corr.

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks:

Checkers

Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

Org.

Remarks:

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

WASHINGTON

NOV 24 1920

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

To: Mr. Geo. W. Barnes, ~~1234 West 21 St.~~ ^{1020 W. 18th St.}, Erie Pa.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Edwin N. Barnes, Ser. No. 1248281,
Co. G. 112th Inf.

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

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

JAN 4 1921 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM TO EUROPE, BODY

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

TO REMAIN

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

NAME OF--	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Was soldier married? <i>No</i>			
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <i>None</i>			
2			
3			
Father <i>George W Barnes</i>	<i>1020 W. 18th</i>	<i>Erie</i>	<i>Pa</i>
Mother <i>Margelina Barnes</i>		<i>Port Huron</i>	<i>Pa</i>
2 <i>Herbert Barnes</i>	<i>3 N. Hurley Ave</i>	<i>Pontiac</i>	<i>Mich</i>
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <i>Thomas Barnes</i>	<i>1326 Ashland street</i>	<i>Greensburg</i>	<i>Pa</i>
2 <i>Frank Barnes</i>	<i>6001 Lexington ave</i>	<i>Cleveland</i>	<i>Ohio</i>
3 <i>Ida M. Barnes</i>	<i>1007 W 21 street</i>	<i>Erie</i>	<i>Pa</i>
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
2			
3			
Brother <i>George Barnes</i>	<i>Philipsburg</i>	<i>Centers Co</i>	<i>Pa</i>
2 <i>W. Daniel Barnes</i>	<i>902 W 18 st</i>	<i>Erie</i>	<i>Pa</i>
3 <i>Paul W. Barnes</i>		<i>Westerfield Erie</i>	<i>Pa</i>
Date <i>Dec 6 1920</i>	Signature <i>George W Barnes</i>		
Address <i>1020 W 18th Erie Pa</i>	Relationship <i>Father</i>		

DEC 8 20



GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Dec 6th, 1920.

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

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

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

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

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

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

Signature George Barnes

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
Hoboken, N.J.

December 17th, 1920.

From: Graves Registration Service Officer, Hoboken, N.J.
To: Cemeterial Division (Overseas Project Sub-Section)
Subject: Supplementary Advice concerning:

Name BARNES, Edwin N. Ser.No. 1248281
Rank Private Organization Co.G, 112th Infantry
Cemetery No. 1770 Cable Reference No. (Sheet No.) 1-9

Request shown below dated Dec. 6, 1920 is latest in this case:

Name of Relative	Return	Remain	Special
Widow <u>No</u>		in <u>FRANCE</u>	to be transferred from Germany
Children			
Guardian			
Father <u>George W. Barnes (1020 W. 18th Street, Erie, Penna.)</u>			
Mother			
Brother			
Sister			
Others			

Body ~~to be shipped to~~ for interment in: a permanent American cty.
in Europe.

R.E.Shannon,
GRAVES REGISTRATION OFFICER,
Capt., Quartermaster Corps.
BY: T.J.

Cable
Letter JAN 4, 1921 1920 forwarding advice to Europe dispatched 1920

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 97072

(a) Name BARNES, Edwin N. Ser. No. 1248281 ^{11/10 B} ¹²⁴⁸²⁸¹ ^{11/10 B}
 (b) Rank Cpl. Private Organization Co. G, 112th Inf. TYP EK
 (c) Date of death 11/29/18 Cause of death Pneumonia ^{11/13}

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

(a) Grave No. 8 Row --- Plot Amer. Sect. --- TYP EK
 (b) Emerg. Address George Barnes, 1234 West 21st. St. Erie, Pa.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases NO CARD ^{OKR 11/13}

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

*R.G.O. card Mr. Geo W Barnes (Father)
 1234 West 21 st - Erie, Pa. requests body not
 returned. Policy to return body R.E. 11-10-20*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 11/4 192 (Letter of transmittal on 11/4 192/

*Par. # 2 - not to be returned
 mch*

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S.Hoboken, N.J. NOV 17 1920 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken
<i>12/17/20</i>	<i>Father</i>	<i>Body remain</i>	<i>JAN 4 1921 OVERSEAS ADVISED</i>
<i>Form 129</i>	<i>Thos. W. Barnes in France</i>	<i>Proposed cable</i>	<i>#182 not to return</i>

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. DEC 18 1920 192

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

BARNES 1248281 Edwin N.
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt. CO. G. 112th. Infantry
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: Rastatt, Germany

CAUSE OF DEATH: PNEUMONIA

DATE OF BURIAL: DEC. 5. 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: Rastatt, Germany.

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

RASTATT I. BADEN GERMANY.

UKRAINIAN LABOR.

Burial plot bought by G.M.C.

GRAVE NUMBER: near Rastatt I. Baden Germany

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: Mrs. Barnes

ADDRESS: Erie Pa. (920419)

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Edward Schmeke Capt 112 Inf
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

Communal List No. 2817
Daily Report No. _____



97072

Barnes Edwin N. #1248281

Cpl. Co. G. 112th Inf.

FROM A.R.C. REPORT OF 3/15/1919.

Report from Spanish Embassy gives
file No. Aktz. 31633-W.

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OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

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From Amer Red Cross Supp. Infl¹ 1st
#113 date of 2/12/19.

BARNES, EDWIN N. #1248281
Cpl. Co. G, 112 Inf.

(Born- Aug. 5, 1889 at West Newton.
Nearest relative--Mrs. G. Barnes, 1234
West 21st, St., Erie, Pa.)

Previously reported on death report—
Report from Mr. Husband, ARC rep. made
from the records of German War Ministry
at Berlin on Jan. 15, 1919, states that
Barnes died Nov. 29th, 1918 at camp
hospital in Rastatt of pneumonia.

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March 7, 1921.

293.8 Cem. #96640 (Gilson, Eddie J., Private First-class)
#98541 (Blain, Henry B., Private)
#79635 (Schiffen, Roy, Private First-class)
#14117 (Beaver, Roland, Private First-class)
#79656 (Sears, John D., Private First-class)
#97072 (Barnes, Edwin N., Private)
#98699 (Bunch, Frank, Private)
#99981 (Gaudette, Alphonse, Private)
#98539 (Beckwith, Charles T., Corporal)
(Ait-Vajett, Kassie)
(Richard, C. G.)

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Cometarial Division).
To: Mr. Ernest P. Bicknell, Acting Director, Foreign Operations, The American Red Cross, Washington, D. C.
Subject: Graves of eleven American soldiers in Germany.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of February 28th, enclosing letter from Vereinigung ehemaliger wurttembergischer Kriegsgefangener E. V. Landesverband Wurttemberg, Stuttgart, den Calwerstr. 3511, referred to this office by the Secretary of War with instructions to reply to same.

2. You are advised that the records of this office show that the graves of all of these soldiers referred to are in one plot, in good condition and marked by granite tombstones on which names, ranks, organizations and dates of death are engraved. Tombstones and monuments for the plot were erected by the Y. M. C. A., and this plot was cared for by a secretary of that association.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

DS

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

BPM

CROSS INDEXED X Orig. 985-41
RECEIVED THE DEPARTMENT OF WAR
MAY DEPARTMENT

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS
National Headquarters
Washington, D. C.

February 28, 1921

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

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose herewith, for your information, and for such action as you may wish to take, a letter which we have just received from Vereinigung ehemaliger württ Kriegsgefangener E. V. Landesverband Württemberg, Stuttgart, den Calwerstr. 3511, concerning the graves of the eleven American soldiers at Bastatt, Germany.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) Ernest P. Bicknell
Acting Director, Foreign Operations

Namtlliche Liste verstorbenen Amerikaner vom Ukrainerlager Rastatt.

- Gilson, Eddie J., 359 Jnf. Regt. Comp. F Gemeiner geb. in Hennessey Okla.
am 27.11.96, verst. am 14.10.18 an Lungenentzündung,
beerdigt in Niederbühl.
- Blain, Henry..... 306. Jnf. Regt. Comp. G, Gemeiner geb. in New Bedford Mass.
am 1.10.94, verstorben am 20.10.18 an Grippe, beerdigt
in Munchhof (Amt Stockach).
- Schiffert, Roy.... 139. Jnf. Regt. Comp. A., Gemeiner, geb. Nordan Staat am.
20.5.96, verst. 23.10.18 an Lungenentzündung, beerdigt
in Niederbühl.
- Beaver, Roland... 30. Jnf. Regt., Gemeiner, geb. in Wetmore Kans. am 2.9.
98, verstorben 29.9.18 an Gehirnhautentzündung, beer-
digt in Niederbühl.
- Sears, John..... 7. Jnf. Regt., Gemeiner, Comp. c, geb. Danby, New-York,
am 1.1.90, verst. 29.11.18 an Lungenentzündung, beer-
digt in Niederbühl.
- Barnes, Edwin..... 112. Jnf. Regt. Comp. G., West-Newton, Pennsylvania am
5.8.89 geb., verst. 29.11.18 Lungenentzündung, beerdigt
Niederbühl.
- Gaudette, Alphonse. Jnf. Regt. Comp. G., Gemeiner, geb. Ombas-Kanada am
30.6.89, verst. 5.12.18 an Lungenentzündung, beerdigt
in Niederbühl.
- Bunch, Frank..... 153. Jnf. Regt. Comp. M, Gemeiner, geb. Blytheville am 4.1.91
verst. 7.12.18 an Lungenentzündung, beerdigt in Nie-
derbühl.
- Beckwith, Charles... 165 Jnf. Regt., Gemeiner, Geburtsort und Datum unbe-
kannt, verst. 20.11.18, Todesursache unbekannt, beer-
digt in Niederbühl.
- Ait-Tajett, Kassie. Zivilgefangener, geb. Michalek-Citzi - Orcon. 1871 geb.
verst. 1.11.18 an der Grippe, beerdigt zu Rastatt Grab
Nr. 8, Rabattenplatz Abt. Nr. 4.
- Richard, C.G., unbekannt ob als Gemeiner oder Zivilgefangener, ebenso
ist Geburtsdatum und Ort, unbekannt, Todestag und Ur-
sache ebenfalls. Beerdigt zu Niederbühl.

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COPY

Vereinigung ehemaliger surtt. Kriegsgefangener E. V.

Landesverband Wurttemberg

Stuttgart, den February 8, 21
Calwerstr. 3511

To The American Red Cross,

Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen :-

We have the pleasure to submit to you a list with the names of American Prisoners of War who died while being interned in Rastatt, Germany, and are now interred in the cemetery of that town. There is no memorial stone or statue marking their last resting place, only a wooden cross and it is suggested that their country should give order that a monument will be erected by their country. Could this not be taken up by you? We would be thankful for an early reply and remain

Very faithfully yours

Vereinigung
ehemal. Wurttemberg. Kriegsgefangener E. V.
Landesgeschäftsstelle Stuttgart

File Number

Date

97072.

3) 5/21.

TO: REGISTRATION BRANCH, G. R. S.

FROM: INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME: Barnes, Edwin

Serial Number

RANK:

ORGANIZATION:

No.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with records?	(1). No. Edwin H. Barnes, Pvt. Co. G, 112th Inf.
2.	Date of death.	(2). 11/29/18. #12482817
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3). Pneu.
4.	Number of casualty cablegram.	(4). 447 S.P. 112.
5.	Date buried.	(5). 11/30/18.
6.	Grave location. (a) Complete record required. (b) Name of cemetery or commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6). Grave 8, Village of 1770. Amer. Plot, Nieder Buele, Germany.
7.	Who reported burial?	10-3. no. 10-6. "
8.	Confirmed by G. R. S.?	
9.	Report as to grave marker.	
10.	Identification tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	(1). Geo. Barnes, (fath.) 1234 W. 21st St., Erie, Pa.
11.	Complete emergency address?	(2). 11/4/19.
12.	Has been notified? (Give date.)	
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record.)	(4). No record.
14.	What is the photograph number?	
15.	Inquiry made by.	

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

RELEASED BY INFORMATION CONTROL DEPARTMENT. M. M. E-

Confirmed.

Unconfirmed.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington.

G.R.S. Form 8-W-4-0

Information requested of A.C.O.

Date 11/5/20.

File No. 97072 Registration.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

a. Surname Barnes, ✓

f. Date of death 11/29/18. ✓

b. Christian name Edwin (N) ✓

g. Cause of death Pneumonia. ✓

c. Serial Number 124821 (1248281) ✓

h. Authority (C.C.#) A.G. 201 ✓

d. Organization Co. G, 112th Inf. ✓

i. Emergency address Mrs. Angelina Barnes ✓

e. Rank Cpl. (Private) ✓

j. Relationship ✓

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

a. Age of enlistment

b. Color of eyes

c. Color of hair

d. Height

e. Weight

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

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 3 3 4 5 6 7 8
upper right upper left

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left

CEMETERY NO: 1770.

SHEET NO: 1--9.

TYPED BY: Rln.

BY:

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

H. J. CONNER,
1st Lieut. QMC.

5-713/MB

Classification

Adjustment

CEMETERIAL DIVISION
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
REGISTRATION SECTION

File # 97072

MEMORANDUM:

Date 8-10-20

To: Registration Files Sub-Section

Subject: Adjustments made on Registration Files

1. Changes as checked have been made in the Registration Files which will necessitate a corresponding change in the Classification Files.

	CORP.	ADD. DATA		CORP.	ADD. DATA
File Number			Date of Burial		
Name			Date of Reburial		
Serial Number			Burial Information		
Rank	✓		Nearest Relative		
Organization			Notified Nearest Relative		
Cause of Death		✓	Blue Card thrown out		
Date of Death			White Card set up		
Casualty Cablgram Number			Remarks		✓

O.K. Alphabetical Files KE 8. 8-11-20~~Other Organization Files~~~~Other Organization Files~~

Card Dept.

	Cemetery Audit Department
	Investigation & Adjustment Dept.

2 Cards attached.By CR Lewis

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Barnes,</i>	<i>BAR.</i>	3	218
<i>Edwin N.</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	1
BURIED	GRAVE <i>34</i>	2	34
	ROW <i>5</i>	2	05
	BLOCK <i>7</i>	1	6
STATE	<i>Penna.</i>	2	44
RANK	<i>Pvt.</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>28</i>	2	28
ORGANIZATION	<i>112</i>	3	112
ARM	<i>Inf.</i>	1	1
MARTIAL	<i>No</i>	1	2
NAME <i>Barnes,</i>	<i>BAR</i>	3	218
<i>Mrs. Angelina</i>	STATE <i>Penna.</i>	2	44
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>Erie</i>	2	25
	CITY <i>Erie</i>	3	098
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>yes</i>	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	<i>yes</i>	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Good</i>	1	1
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	<i>yes</i>	1	1
	<i>Age</i>		23

audited
OCT 8 1931
MJB

Barnes, Edwin N. Pvt. Co. C. 112 Inf. Penn.

~~Widow~~ ?

Single

C-115339

11-11-11
NAME BARNES, MRS. ANGELINA
1206 GERMAN ST., ERIE, ERIE CO., PA.
ADDRESS

DATE *Sept 1-1930*

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. Angelina Barnes*

WAR DEPARTMENT



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payment of postage, \$300.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

STATE

BARNES, EDWIN M.

PENNSYLVANIA...

1206 German St., Erie
Erie CountyM
NAME Barnes, Mrs. Angelina HOME ADDRESS

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN

Paul Barnes R.D. #1
Erie, Pa.ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

DATE July 29 HOTEL K of C. ROOM NO. 618

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

JUL 30 1920

S/S AMERICA

DATE VESSEL CABIN NO. 10a

CHERBOURG

M. A.

DESTINATION CEMETERY

RETURN NEW YORK

DATE AUG 30 1930

1206 German St., Erie
Erie County, Pa.M
NAME Barnes, Mrs. Angelina HOME ADDRESS

RETURN ON S. S. HOTEL ROOM NO.

DEPARTURE NEW YORKAUG 31 1930
DATEROAD *DLW* TRAIN *9* CAR *Lrg* BERTH or SEAT *L10*

REMARKS

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MEDICAL RECORD

AUGUST 24, 1930

Eastbound

Party: "O"

S. S. ROOSEVELT.

Westbound

Name MRS. ANGELINA BARNES.

Home Address ERIE, PENNSYLVANIA.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend PAUL BARNES, ERIE, PA.

Religion Age

History of present complaint: Aug. 24, 1930. Cabin 128. Old ulcer.

Lt. leg. Dressing applied. Deck.

Aug. 27. 1930. Cabin 126. Old ulcer. rt. leg. Redressed c
Ung. Boric Acid. Deck. R. H. Walker, M. D. Chief Surgeon.

(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.

MEDICAL RECORD

Party: "O" EAST

S. S. AMERICA EAST

Eastbound

Westbound

Name MRS. ANGELINA BARNES

Home Address ERIE, PENNSYLVANIA.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Religion Age

History of present complaint: Mrs. Angelina Barnes, of Erie, Penn. was suffering from an ulcerated leg, heart trouble, and high blood pressure, but continued with the party, a wheel chair being ordered for the transfer at the dock.

(OVER)

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MEDICAL RECORD

~~Eastbound~~

Party:

S. S. ~~PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT~~ Westbound

Name MRS. A. BARNES,

Home Address 1206 GERMAN STREET, ERIE, PA.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend THOMAS BARNES-Son

ASHLAND STREET, GREENSBURG, PA.

Religion PROTESTANT Age 74

History of present complaint: For old history kindly refer to old card.
Since coming on board this vessel the condition of the patient has been quite good, in spite of her hypertension. She at times complains of an occasional headache and at this time complains of an old leg ulcer.

(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)

HYPERTENSIVE HEART DISEASE
ULCER OF THE LEG*RIGHT*

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

Rest in bed and to avoid any undue exercise or excitement. The leg ulcer has been dressed with Boric Acid powder.

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks:

GENERAL CONDITION HAS BEEN GOOD.

E. Walker M.D.
"

MEDICAL RECORD

Party: "O" EAST.

S. S. JULY 30, 1930. Eastbound
Westbound

Name MRS. A. BARNES

Home Address ERIE, PENN.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend K. C. (HOTEL)

Religion Age

History of present complaint: VARICOSE ULCER, SIZE 5ct. PIECE FRONT M/3 & L/3 Leg dressed by Miss Conley (nurse)
This patient saw her own Dr. two days before sailing and had her own medicine and ointment so Miss Conley applied the ointment yesterday and today as was instructed. Wheel chair at Pier 4.
July 29. Patient states that she saw her private Dr. July 27, and that she was given medicine and ointment for dressing leg.

(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) The nurse, (miss Colley) had dressed the leg this morning. Feeling as well as usual. Nurse instructed to have house physician see her if she complains at all. Patient states that she has had high blood pressure. suggest wheel chair for her. J.H.A.

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

MEDICAL OFFICER, J. H. ASHCROFT, MAJOR, MEDICAL CORPS, US.A.

August 30, 1930. Mrs. A. Barnes, Erie, Penn. Hotel Penn.

Diagnosis: Hypertension. Ulcer varicose Rt. leg. Patient states that she knew she had high blood pressure before she left home.

Has had a very large Varicose ulcer on rt. leg at about junction of middle with lower third, very much better now and is dry and almost

Disposition: (include dates) healed. To be redressed by nurse tomorrow morning.

August 31, 1930. Nurse reports that Ulcer of leg was dressed this morning. J. H. Ashcraft, Major, M. C. U.S.A.

Remarks: S. S. Roosevelt. West. August 23rd, 1930. Cabin 128.

Mal de Mer. Sod. Bicarb. Gr-X, q-3-H. Cabin. Richard H. Walker

M.D. Chief Surgeon.

MEDICAL RECORD

Party 0

I. Murie, R. N.
M. Lundberg,

Station: M.A. Group

Date: Aug. 8, 1930

Name Barnes Mrs. Angelina

Home address 1206 German St., Erie, Pa.

Address of Nearest friend or relative Son, P.A. Barnes
RFD # 7, Erie, Pa.

Religion Prot

Age 74

History of Present complaint: High Blood Pressure 220/90

Verdun Aug. 17th, Patient has had an uneventful visit to Cemetery. R.H. Eanes.

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.

(over)

Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)

Aug. 13th, C.V.R. H. ~~hypertension~~ 270/110 R.H. Eanes,

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

Aug. 8th, rest, quiet, meals in room; No exertion.

11th Bromides p.r.n. Bus trip in p.m. BP 260/90

12th BP 220/90

13th, Bromides bid.

Disposition: (include dates) To Verdun by train Aug. 13th.

Pleased and satisfied. 3 trips to cemetery. Aug. 17th, returned to Paris by train.

Remarks:

8/22/30 to Cherbourg, Beach.

E. Canby Nurse MEDICAL RECORD

116 July 29/30

B-4

Party: 0

S. S. X. of C. Hotel

Eastbound
Westbound

Name Mrs. A. Barnes

Home Address 1206 German St. Erie Pa.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend Thomas Barnes (Son)
Ashland St. Greensburg Pa.

Religion Free Methodist Age 74

History of present complaint: July 29/30

Pt. looked fatigued & felt pulse - slow and irregular. On inquiry found that pt. has had Chronic "heart disease" for years. Uses aromatic spirits of ammonia as medication. Pt. also has hypertension. Discovered same about 10 years ago when she fell in bath tub and fractured hip. Had varicose veins for 20 years. Operated for same 16 years ago and had no trouble since. Until 5 years ago. Struck same on leg and started ulcer. This healed. Had another Bishop about a month ago. Struck same on a spike and caused another ulcer.

INSTRUCTIONS: This card will be prepared for each Pilgrim aboard 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) heart? Hyper-tension.
Varicose ulcer, anterior, right lower leg.

Treatment and Progress: (include dates) July 29/30 - ulcer of right leg dressed.
unguentine same, and firm ace bandage applied.

7-30-30 - Heart sounds faint and distant - no murmurs discerned -

Chronic mycositis - Rect advised, S.S. America. H. Thuermer M.D. - Leg ulcer
dressed - zinc oxide dressing 7/31/30 Redressed in same dressing
8/2/30 - Leg ulcer dressed - zinc oxide dressing. 8/5/30 - zinc oxide dressing

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks: Referred to surgeon S. S. America July 30/30.

Varicose ulcer chr. L leg
8/8/30 Cardio-Renal Vasc Bp 220/100 -

Train to Verdun.

Ans -

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Amica 7-30-30

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barnes, Edwin H. 1232-A

July 10, 1920.

Mrs. Angeline Barnes,
1206 Gorman St.,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. ^{364,209} in the
amount of \$ ^{7.50}, to pay for your meals and incidental
expenses from your home to New York on the pilgrimage
authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

1 Incl.
Check No.

Barnes, Edwin M. 1232 M

June 29, 1930

Mrs. Angelina Barnes
1206 German St.
Erie, Pa.

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. Erie NYC&StL No. 8 8:22 PM July 29

Ar. Hoboken DL&W " 14 9:10 AM 29

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 14, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barnes, Edwin N. -1232 M
America 7-30

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German Street,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not furnished the name of your Emergency Addressee as requested in letter of instructions from this office.

It is requested that in the blank space below you write the name and address of the person in the United States whom you desire to be notified in case you become seriously ill or other emergency arises while you are making the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mr. Paul W Barnes
Name
R D 7, Erie Pa
Address

noted

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Env.



QH 295 A-C

Boetger, Wm. J. 1252-M
✓ Barnes, Edwin H. 1252

for letter
May 5, 1930

Mrs. Elizabeth Boetger,
1234 West 21 Street,
Erie, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 26, relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. Angelina Barnes, when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "America" July 30, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and you can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

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
Barnes, Edwin H. 1232 H

April 24, 1930.

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German St.,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The following instructions prepared by the Secretary of State contain the necessary instructions to be followed by you in obtaining the passport or travel document to be utilized in connection with your pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe. Please read the directions carefully and call in person upon the nearest Passport Agent or clerk of a Federal or State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens. Passport Agencies are located in Boston, Chicago, New Orleans, New York City, San Francisco and Seattle. In large cities there are usually two or more courts and at each county-seat a state court authorized to accept these passport applications.

When you make this call be sure to take with you the four photographs called for in the instructions together with your invitation as a means of identification. You should take with you to the passport office at this time a friend who is an American citizen and who has known you for several years. The passport Agent or clerk of the court will mail your application to the Secretary of State in Washington, D. C., who will issue the passports and travel documents and will deliver them to The Quartermaster General to be held by him until your arrival in New York.

The instructions prepared by the Secretary of State are as follows:

"A mother or widow who owes allegiance to the United States must apply to the Department of State for a Special Pilgrimage Passport through a Passport Agent or through a clerk of a Federal court or State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens and on the form prescribed by that Department. When making application, she should be accompanied by a credible witness who is an American citizen and who has known her for a period of two years or more. With her application she should submit four photographs on a light background and on thin paper not more than 3x3 inches in size not less than 2½x2½ inches in size and such documentary

evidence of her American citizenship as she may have in her possession. In the absence of evidence of citizenship, her application should be witnessed by a credible person residing in the same community who is an American citizen, has known her for a long period of time and is able to swear to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that she is a citizen of the United States.

"A mother or widow who does not owe allegiance to the United States must apply to the Department of State for a Pilgrimage Travel Document through a clerk of a Federal court or a State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens or through a Passport Agent upon the form of application prescribed for that purpose, entitled APPLICATION FOR A PILGRIMAGE TRAVEL DOCUMENT, issued under the Act of March 2, 1929, submitting therewith four photographs on a light background and on thin paper not more than 3 x 3 inches in size and not less than 2½ x 2½ inches in size. When making application she should be accompanied by a credible witness who has known her for a period of two years or more.

"The Act of March 2, 1929, provides that no fee shall be charged for the execution of an application for a passport or travel document or for the issue of a passport or travel document to a mother or widow making a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which deceased soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American forces are now interred.

"Special Pilgrimage Passports and Pilgrimage Travel Documents when issued by the Department of State will be forwarded to the War Department.

"Applicants resident in Boston, Chicago, New Orleans, New York City, San Francisco and Seattle should execute applications at the Passport Agencies in those cities."

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

America
7/30/30
1232

Barnes, Edwin

I Accept the invitation extended
(Accept or decline)

me to make a pilgrimage to Europe at the expense of the Government of the United States under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mrs. Angelina Barnes

(Name)

1206 German St., Erie, Erie Co., Pa.

(Town or City)

(State)

The Quartermaster General
War Department
Washington D.C.

1232

Dear Sir:

Due to an error on my part,
you have been led to believe that
I desired to make the pilgrimage to
the war cemeteries of Europe in
advance of the date set for my
state: but I am perfectly willing
to go when the groups go from
Pennsylvania. Thanking you for
courtesy I am yours sincerely



Mrs Angelina Barnes.
1206 German st.
Erie. Pa

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QH 293 A-C
Barnes, Edwin N.

March 8, 1930.

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German Street,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 1, 1930, relative to the pilgrimage authorized by Congress in the Act approved March 2, 1929.

In this connection you are informed that there are fifty-four States and Territories to be considered and as Pennsylvania is number thirty-nine on the list which is used as a basis for determining the order in which the groups from the various States are to make the pilgrimage, it is believed that you will not receive an invitation to make the sailing until after June 15th.

If you will furnish this office information as to the reason you desire to make the above pilgrimage in advance of the date on which the groups from your State are to be sent, due consideration will be given your request.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

bb:les

Erie PA Mar 1st 1930

1206 German
St.,

The Quartermaster General.
War Department.
Washington. D. C

Dear sir:-

I am one of the gold star Mothers whose name is listed among those who are entitled to make a pilgrimage to the war cemeteries of Europe. I would like to make this pilgrimage sometime in June of this year if it is possible. Please let me know what arrangements are necessary for me to make.



Thanking you. I am
yours sincerely
Mrs Angelina Barnes

No reason stated
just give her probable date

1232

293

Barnes

Edwin M.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7 , 1929.

Barnes, Edwin N. 1232 M

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German St.,
Erie, Pa.

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 Health (Years) 73 (Good Fair (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.

Encl.
Act
Envelope

Erie, Pa.,
July, 10, 1929

The Quartermaster General
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Received your letter (reference QM 293 A-C) dated June 29, 1929, which was addressed to Mr. George Barnes, who has been deceased since January 1924.

Mrs. Angelina Barnes, wife of George Barnes and mother of Private Edwin N. Barnes is entitled to the "pilgrimage to the graves of American Soldiers, who were buried in France," as announced in the above stated letter.

Please address all replies to
Mrs. Angelina Barnes
1206 German St.
Erie, Pa.

Yours Respectfully

Mrs Angelina Barnes

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Barnes, Edwin N.

June 29, 1929.

Mr. George Barnes,
1020 W. 18th St.,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Pvt. Edwin N. Barnes, Co. C, 112th 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,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

M
Barnes, Edwin H. 1232 H

June 28, 1930

Mrs. Angelina Barnes
1206 German St.
Erie, Pa.

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. Erie NYC&StL No. 8 8:22 PM July 28

Ar. Hoboken DL&W " 14 9:10 AM 29

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 12, 1930.

Barnes, Edwin H. -1232 M

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German St.,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 14, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Barnes, Edwin N. -1232 M
America 7-30

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German Street,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not furnished the name of your Emergency Addressee as requested in letter of instructions from this office.

It is requested that in the blank space below you write the name and address of the person in the United States whom you desire to be notified in case you become seriously ill or other emergency arises while you are making the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Name

Address

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
~~Barnes, Edwin A. - 1232-M~~
America 7-20

May 8, 1930

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German Street,
Erie, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 24, 1930.

Barnes, Edwin N. 1232 M

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German St.,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The following instructions prepared by the Secretary of State contain the necessary instructions to be followed by you in obtaining the passport or travel document to be utilized in connection with your pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe. Please read the directions carefully and call in person upon the nearest Passport Agent or clerk of a Federal or State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens. Passport Agencies are located in Boston, Chicago, New Orleans, New York City, San Francisco and Seattle. In large cities there are usually two or more courts and at each county-seat a state court authorized to accept these passport applications.

When you make this call be sure to take with you the four photographs called for in the instructions together with your invitation as a means of identification. You should take with you to the passport office at this time a friend who is an American citizen and who has known you for several years. The passport Agent or clerk of the court will mail your application to the Secretary of State in Washington, D. C., who will issue the passports and travel documents and will deliver them to The Quartermaster General to be held by him until your arrival in New York.

The instructions prepared by the Secretary of State are as follows:

"A mother or widow who owes allegiance to the United States must apply to the Department of State for a Special Pilgrimage Passport through a Passport Agent or through a clerk of a Federal court or State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens and on the form prescribed by that Department. When making application, she should be accompanied by a credible witness who is an American citizen and who has known her for a period of two years or more. With her application she should submit four photographs on a light background and on thin paper not more than 3x3 inches in size not less than 2½x2½ inches in size and such documentary

evidence of her American citizenship as she may have in her possession. In the absence of evidence of citizenship, her application should be witnessed by a credible person residing in the same community who is an American citizen, has known her for a long period of time and is able to swear to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that she is a citizen of the United States.

"A mother or widow who does not owe allegiance to the United States must apply to the Department of State for a Pilgrimage Travel Document through a clerk of a Federal court or a State court having jurisdiction to naturalize aliens or through a Passport Agent upon the form of application prescribed for that purpose, entitled APPLICATION FOR A PILGRIMAGE TRAVEL DOCUMENT, issued under the Act of March 2, 1929, submitting therewith four photographs on a light background and on thin paper not more than 3 x 3 inches in size and not less than 2½ x 2½ inches in size. When making application she should be accompanied by a credible witness who has known her for a period of two years or more.

"The Act of March 2, 1929, provides that no fee shall be charged for the execution of an application for a passport or travel document or for the issue of a passport or travel document to a mother or widow making a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which deceased soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American forces are now interred.

"Special Pilgrimage Passports and Pilgrimage Travel Documents when issued by the Department of State will be forwarded to the War Department.

"Applicants resident in Boston, Chicago, New Orleans, New York City, San Francisco and Seattle should execute applications at the Passport Agencies in those cities."

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to QM 293 A-C

Barnes, Edwin H. 1232 M

April 14, 1930

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German Street,
Erie, Pennsylvania

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Barnes, Edwin N.

March 8, 1930.

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German Street,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 1, 1930, relative to the pilgrimage authorized by Congress in the Act approved March 2, 1929.

In this connection you are informed that there are fifty-four States and Territories to be considered and as Pennsylvania is number thirty-nine on the list which is used as a basis for determining the order in which the groups from the various States are to make the pilgrimage, it is believed that you will not receive an invitation to make the sailing until after June 15th.

If you will furnish this office information as to the reason you desire to make the above pilgrimage in advance of the date on which the groups from your State are to be sent, due consideration will be given your request.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7 , 1929.

Barnes, Edwin N. 1232 M

Mrs. Angelina Barnes,
1206 German St.,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Barnes, Edwin N.

Mr. George Barnes,
1020 W. 18th St.,
Erie, Pa.

Dear Sir:

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

The records of this office show that you are the father of the late Pvt. Edwin N. Barnes, Co. G, 112th 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.

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Prisoner of War.

Buried near Rastatt, Germany in the cemetery of Niederbühl. The lot in which the bodies lie is by itself in the cemetery, each grave is well marked by a simple stone with inscription and there is a plain monument erected at the back of the lot; to the memory of the American Prisoners of War, who died in the Prison Camp at Rastatt, Germany. This work on the lot and the erecting and the engraving of the stones has been done by the Y.M.C.A. This cemetery was visited and the above record made by, undersigned on Friday Feb. 7th, 19

Informant: Allen Newman Swann, Searcher.

Inquirer: Berne Cable.

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