

gc **BAUDIS** ✓ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

1. NAME **BANDIS, Thomas J. James** ✓ SERIAL No. **None**

RANK **Pvt.** ✓ ORGANIZATION **Co. B., 6th Marines. 2nd Div**

GRAVE LOCATION **American Cty. Ploisy (Aisne)** 593

CTY. NAME NUMBER

147 Sec. D 4

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION **47** **Parcy-Tigny** **(Aisne)**

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES \_\_\_\_\_

CONCENTRATED TO **5-16-19** **153** **Sec. K.** **3**

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

**American** **#593.**

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Information in paragraph 2 taken from Form 1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS **2-28-21** **147m** **Sec. D.** **4** **#593, Ploisy.**

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE OF DEATH **July 19, 1918**

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME **Ohio**

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED **None**

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR **G.F. Waugh**

G.F. WAUGH, Major, Inf., Supervisor, Area §2.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION **August 25, 1922** **8** **23** **Block C**

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

**Oise-Aisne American Cemetery #608, Seringes-et-Nesles**

CEMETERY (Aisne).

AUDITED BY

ADJ T & INSP  
MARINE CORPS  
WASHINGTON

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

RECEIVED

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: BAUDIS THOMAS.

Number: 120782 ✓

Rank: UNKNOWN

Organization: UNKNOWN

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 2 Unit B

Disinterred (Date) May 16 1919 From: (Give complete location)

Grave # 47 per sketch # 6 Military Cemetary # 594 Percy Tigny Aisne.

Reburied (Date) May 16 1919 in: (Give complete location) Grave #153 Plot 3  
Military Cemetary Floisy Aisne. Sec K

Grd 290.95 174.95

Soissons # 33 N E

Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:  
Badly Disintergrated Wrapped in burhap.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No Identified by nameplate on cross.

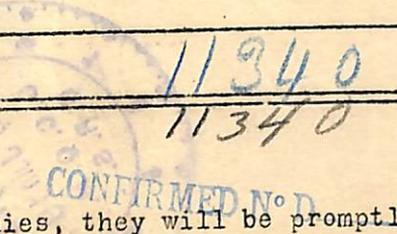
What other means of identification were found on the body? None.

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by G. O. 170, G.H. 2, 1918., after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by Sgt 1st Cl A H Mac Callum

A J Triggs 2 Lt Q M G  
C.O. Group 2 Unit B



Place Floisys Aisne

Date Feb. 28/21

**OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL**

1. REMAINS OF BANDIS, THOMAS J. SERIAL NUMBER ---

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. B. 6th Marines

2. Disinterred (date): Feb. 28/21. From (give complete location): Floisys Amer. Cemetery #593, Gr. 153, Sec. K, pl. 3

By: Group Valentine Unit

3. Reburied (date): Same date In (give complete location): Same cemetery Gr. 147, Sec. D, pl. 4

By: Group Valentine Unit  Nature of reburial

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:  
5 ft. earthen grave, U S uniform and burlap, disintegrated, features  
unrecognizable

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:  
Marine buttons on uniform.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (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) Both feet missing. both legs broken, Right arm broken between elbow

and shoulder

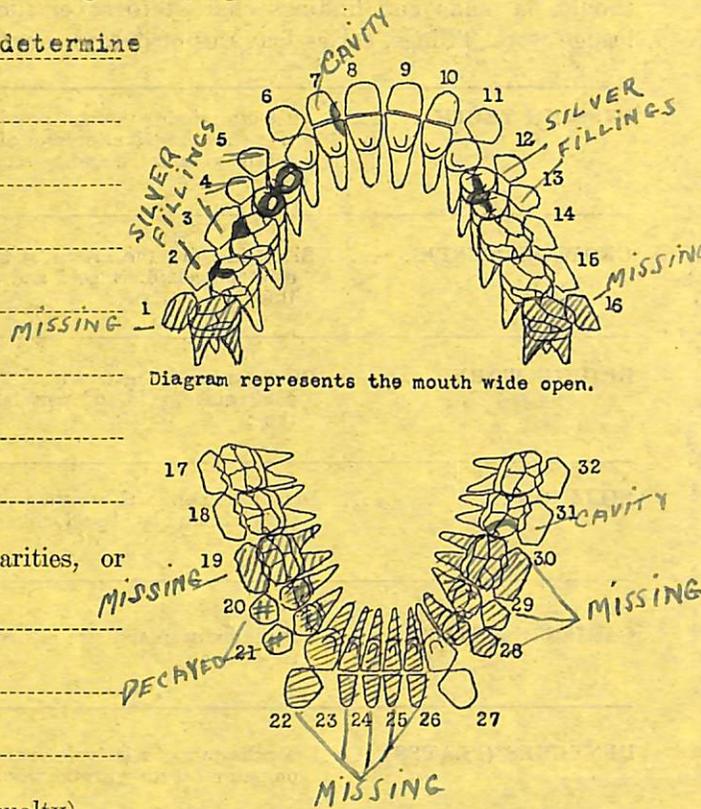


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.

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7. Disinterment supervised by J J Powers Approved:   
J J Powers, 2nd Lt. JMC. (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by J J Powers Approved:   
2nd Lt JMC. (Title)

M. S. Crissy,  
Major C.A.C.

Baudis, Thomas J.  
Pvt.

Pennsylvania

GOLD STAR MOTHERS PILGRIMAGE

S.S. REPUBLIC, JULY 26, 1930

Centre County

Name: Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle (N-12)

Address: 633 W. Beaver Ave., State College, Pa. (R.R. Station Lemont, Pa.)

Route: Pennsylvania R.R. to New York  
Desires stop-over at Brooklyn, N.Y. on return trip)

Lv. Lemont Train No. 8530	11.16 A.M., July 24
Ar. Sunbury	2.45 P.M., July 24
Lv. Sunbury Train No. 570	4.01 P.M., July 24
Ar. Philadelphia	7.45 P.M., July 24
Lv. Philadelphia Train No. 228	8.00 P.M., July 24
Ar. New York (Penna. Station)	10.00 P.M., July 24

Accommodations: Coach Service Lemont to Sunbury  
Parlor Car Seat Sunbury to Philadelphia  
Parlor Car Seat Philadelphia to New York

Elapsed Time: 10 hours 44 minutes 1/2 ✓

*OK.  
Poor Service College  
from State College  
2 1/4 miles to Lemont  
Only 1 train from State College  
arriving New York  
Lemont to New York  
with car.  
July 26  
RGA*

*HGT.  
MGM*

Bardis, Thos J

Party "H" - Itinerary - Oise-Aisne Group

Sailed July 26, 1930 on REPUBLIC. Maj. Carlock in Charge. Arrived Cherbourg at day break August 5th. Special tender arrived 6:35 am, bearing Maj. Dailey; Capt. Conway, Stark, Haley, Earnest and Lambert; Lts. Freeman, Morin and Leicker; Maj. Kinderman; Miss Blanche Kelson, Capt. A.E.C; six nurses and three civilian employees. Train left 8:15 am; arrived Gare des Invalides 2:40 pm. Met by Col. Ellis and members of his staff, interpreters and nurses. Taken in bus to hotel.

- August 6th: Morning devoted to transaction of personal business. Exchange of money, preparation of laundry, etc. Afternoon - Arc de Triomphe, Wreath laid by Mrs. Crane for party. Tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent. Dinner at hotel.
- August 7th: Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Left 2:15 pm for Versailles. Left Versailles 4:55 pm. Arrive 6:30 pm for refreshments Belle Cycliste - Suresnes. Dinner at hotel.
- August 8th: Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Left 1:40 pm from Hotel via Fort de Pantin. Arrive La Ferte s/s Jouarre (rest stop Hotel de la Terrasse). Left 4:30 pm via Chateau-Thierry and arrived Soissons 6:15 pm. Quarters Hotel Lion Rouge.
- August 9th & 10th: Visited Oise-Aisne Cemetery.
- August 11th: Last visit to cemetery in morning. Lunch at hotel. Left Soissons 2:00 pm via Fismes. Arrived Reims 4:25 pm. Quarters Hotel Crystal.
- August 12th: Visited Reims and Cathedral in morning. Lunch at hotel. Left Reims for Soissons 1:30 pm via R.N. 41, Berry-au-Bac, Corbeny. (Rest stop Hotel Lion Rouge). Left Soissons 3:30 for Compiègne. Quarters Hotel Rond Royal.
- August 13th: Left 9:30 am for Carrefour de L'Armistice. Returned to Compiègne 12:00. Lunch Hotel Rond Royal. Left 2:00 pm for Chantilly via La Croix St-Ouen, Senlis. (Rest stop Hotel du Fars). Left 4:30 pm for Paris. Dinner at hotel.
- August 14th: Left 9:45 am for Fontainebleau via Barbisay. Lunch at Hotel Lagris. Visited Chateau. Left 4:00 pm for Paris via Melun. Dinner at hotel.
- August 15th: Holiday. Trip on Seine River.
- August 16th: Visited Sacre Coeur in morning. Lunch at hotel. Sightseeing trip Paris - Napoleon's Tomb. Dinner at hotel.
- August 17th: Free or Church. Lunch at hotel. Louvre. Dinner at hotel. Night sightseeing trip.
- August 18th: Morning sightseeing trip Paris- Notre Dame. Lunch at hotel. Afternoon free. Dinner at hotel.
- August 19th: Boat train for Cherbourg. Left 2:12 pm. Arrived 8:25 pm. PRESIDENT HARDING sailed about 10:30 pm. Arrived New York August 27th.

Mrs Emma F Slagle

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

*BAUDIS, Thomas J.*

*O.A.*

Party ..... **I**  
Number ..... **2562**

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

**Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle** ..... Actual cost of through Pullman.  
Name of Traveler

**State College, Centre County** ..... New York, to **Lemont, Pa.**  
Home Address  
**Pa.** ..... \$ .....

New York, to **Lemont, Pa.** .....  
Destination

Via **PENN. to dest. via Montandon** .....

**AUGUST 28, 1930**

**Limit-Sept. 21/30**

.....  
Date of Departure

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	Car	U. S. G. Order No.	Actual Cost
LV	<b>Penn. sta.</b>	<b>Penn.</b>						
		<i>112</i>		<i>10.45 P.</i>				
<i>X</i> AR	<b>MONTANDON</b>	<i>557</i>		<i>5.40 A</i>			<i>Wg-1023638</i>	<i>3.75</i>
LV	"	<i>8533</i>		<i>6.06 A</i>				
AR	<b>LEMONT</b>	<i>"</i>		<i>8.35 A</i>				
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TOTAL .....

Remarks:

**STOP OVER - New York City, N.Y.**

Sep, 8, 1930.  
State College, Pa.

201  
Slagle, Mrs E. F.

Dear Sir:

I get home safe and well and I never can tell you what a wonderful trip I had and how lovely we were treated and I want to thank all of you who had this work to do for I knew it must be a task to do and do it so well and from my heart I thank you all may God bless Uncle Sam and all his helpers.

Mrs. Emma F. Slagle.



Arrived 10:00 P.M. Penn. R.R. July  
24<sup>th</sup> 1930. Escorted to hotel Paramount  
by Capt. Morill Ross. Occupied  
Room 609, two days, with Mrs Oleana  
Walstad.

Two pieces luggage

NAME . . . SLAGLE, MRS. EMMA FLORENCE . . . . . N

ADDRESS . . . 633 W. BEAVER AVE . . . . . STATE COLLEGE, PA

DATE *Sep 7 - 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 Emma Florence Sagle*



Name SLAGLE, Mrs. Emma Florence

Paris Hôtel HOTEL DE PARIS  
BOULEVARD DE LA MADDELEINE

Home address 633 W. Beaver Ave., State College, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

Party N Group 2 Unit SS.REPUBLIC

Date of arrival Aug-5-1930 Date of departure SS.HARDING-Aug-19-1930

Relationship LP

Name of deceased BAUDIS, Thos J.

Rank Pvt Organization 75th Co. 6th Regt, U.S.M.C.

Cemetery Oise-Aisne Gr, 8, Row, 23, Bl, C.

REMARKS

Desires stop over in Brooklyn N.Y.



*Mrs. Florence B. Layle*

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle File N-2062

Address State College Pa

Stopping at Nye

With Brother Paul Baudin,

Address 8426-23rd Ave

Bklyn

RECEIVED RAILROAD AND PULLMAN TICKET

Mr Emma Florence Slagle

1257  
NAME SLAGLE, MRS. EMMA FLORENCE

S.S. HARDING AUG 27 1930 2562

HOME STATE COLLEGE, CENTRE COUNTY, PA.

R.R.

STATION

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE

Peru to Lemart  
via Montandon

Sept 21-30

Stopover in Y.C.

No One

## MOTHERS AND WIDOWS PILGRIMAGE

NAME .. SLAGLE, MRS. EMMA FLORENCE .....

DESTINATION .. STATE COLLEGE, PA. ....

STATION .. *Penn* .. RR .. *Penn* .....TRAIN NO. .... *43* ..... DATE .....

CAR NUMBER ..... BERTH or SEAT .....

RPB-3-26-30-15M

## MOTHERS AND WIDOWS PILGRIMAGE

NAME .. SLAGLE, MRS. EMMA FLORENCE .....

DESTINATION .. STATE COLLEGE, PA. ....

STATION .. *Penn* .. RR .. *Penn* .....TRAIN NO. .... *43* ..... DATE .....

CAR NUMBER ..... BERTH or SEAT .....

WAR DEPARTMENT  
PILGRIMAGE

WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

-- Room 901 --

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

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

VIA POSTAL TELEGRAPH

Mr. S. David Slagle,  
118 East College Ave.  
State College, Pa.

A. C. TIPTON,  
Major, Inf. (DOL)

*Aug. 27, 1930.*

YOUR WIFE WILL STOP IN NEW YORK UNTIL SATURDAY WITH BROTHER PAUL

COLONEL WILLIAMS

(Sent for Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
State College, Pa., Party "N",  
from Hotel New Yorker).

July 12th, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 W. Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

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., G. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

Enclosures:  
2 tags.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Baudis	3	211
BURIED	Shosj.	1	2
	CEMETERY 608	1	08
	GRAVE 8	2	23
	ROW 23	2	3
	BLOCK C	1	41
STATE	Ohio	2	4
BANK	Pop.	1	02
DIVISION	2	2	006
ORGANIZATION	6	3	X
ARM	Mar.	1	2
MARTIAL	no	1	921
NAME	Slagle	3	44
STATE	Pa	2	14
RESIDENCE	CENTRE	2	XXX
(mother dead)	CITY State College	3	4
RELATION	l'co parentis	1	
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR. 1930	1	
ACCEPTANCE	yes	1	
29/514/PJ	Age		

*Sample  
July 24 1930*

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Audited  
OCT 10 1931  
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CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	<i>Baudis</i>	3	<i>2112</i>
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>608</i>	1	<i>2</i>
	GRAVE <i>F</i>	2	<i>08</i>
	ROW <i>23</i>	2	<i>23</i>
	BLOCK <i>C</i>	1	<i>3</i>
STATE	<i>Ohio</i>	2	<i>41</i>
RANK	<i>Priv</i>	1	<i>4</i>
DIVISION	<i>2</i>	2	<i>02</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>6</i>	3	<i>006</i>
AFM	<i>mar</i>	1	<i>X</i>
MARITAL	<i>no</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME		3	
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>dead</i>	1	<i>6</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	NO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

*Audited*  
**OCT 10 1931**  
*ad*

*Loco*STATE*BAUDIS, Thos. J.*

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PENNSYLVANIA

NAME *Slagle, Mrs. Emma Florence* HOME ADDRESS *633 W. Beaver Ave., State College Centre County*

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN *S. Slagle parent*

ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

DATE *July 24* HOTEL *Paradise* ROOM NO. *609*

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE *JUL 26 1930* VESSEL *S/S REPUBLIC* CABIN NO. *237-B*

DESTINATION *CHERBOURG* CEMETERY *O. A.*

RETURN NEW YORK

AUG 27 1930

DATE .....

633 W. Beaver Ave.,  
State College,  
Centre County, Pa...

NAME <sup>SP</sup> Slagle Mrs. Emma Florence HOME ADDRESS  
 RETURN ON S. S. S/S HARDING HOTEL YORKER ROOM NO. No room

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE .....

ROAD *Car* TRAIN *43* CAR ..... BERTH or SEAT .....REMARKS *New York City* .....

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Boudis Thos 608

RETURN RECEIPT

Republic 7-26-30

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

Mrs Emma Louise Skyle  
(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery,

7-5-30, 1920

# Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

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

REGISTERED ARTICLE 5

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

INSURED PARCEL

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

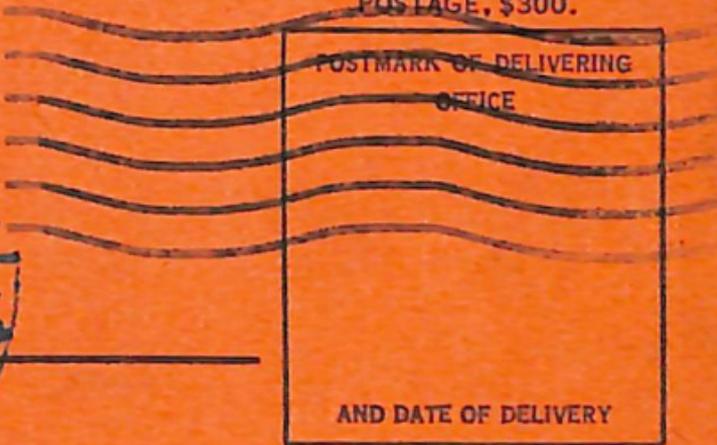
Return to \_\_\_\_\_

Street and Number,  
or Post Office Box, \_\_\_\_\_

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON

D. C.



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RETURN RECEIPT

608

Republic 7-26-30

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

Mrs. Emma Florence Hagle

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery,

7/15

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1 Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 924412

INSURED PARCEL

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PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID PAYMENT OF POSTAGE

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OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to \_\_\_\_\_

Street and Number, }  
or Post Office Box, }

**Q. M. GENERAL**

(NAME OF SENDER)

**MUNITIONS BUILDING**

Post Office at \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

**Washington, D. C.**

XIX A-M  
Baudis, Thos. J. - 608 *LP* July 23, 1930.

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 W. Beaver Ave.,  
State College, 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:

Leave Lemont	Penna. RR	Train #8530	11:16 AM	July 24
Arrive Sunbury	" "	#8530	2:46 PM	July 24
Leave Sunbury	" "	#570	4:01 PM	July 24
Arrive Philadelphia	" "	#570	7:45 PM	July 24
Leave Philadelphia	" "	#228	8:00 PM	July 24
Arrive New York	" "	#228	10:00 PM	July 24

(Penna. Station)

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

Baudis, Thos. J. 608 LP

July 3, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle  
633 W. Beaver Avenue  
State College, Pennsylvania

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No ~~345,321~~ in the amount of \$ <sup>5.00</sup>, 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.

QM 293 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas, James 608

L.P.

June 5, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 West Beaver Street,  
State College, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated May 15, 1930 relative to your desire to stop over in Brooklyn, New York on your return from the pilgrimage to the American cemeteries in Europe, sailing on the S.S. Republic July 26, 1930.

Please be advised that arrangements will be made for you to stop over in New York City not to exceed two weeks on your return journey. Any expenses incurred by you during your stay in New York or Brooklyn must of course be paid by you personally.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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State College Pa

May 15 - 30

Center Co.  
Thos. J. Baudis  
608

1922  
OK  
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War Department  
Dear Sir

Would it be possible for me on my  
return trip from France to stop  
in Brooklyn N. Y. to see my Brother.  
his address is 8426 - 23 ave Brooklyn N. Y.

Sincerely yours  
Stopover noted  
on trans. list, card  
and. inst. list

Mrs Emma Florence Slagle

My Brothers address is  
Paul W. Baudis -  
8426 - 23 ave Brooklyn N. Y.

Republic  
5/26/30



acc. Republic  
July 26<sup>th</sup>



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thomas J. 608-LP

May 7, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 West Beaver Ave.,  
State College, Penn.

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.

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*Burdick, Thomas J.*

I *accept* the invitation extended  
(Accept or decline)

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

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle

(Name)

633 West Beaver Ave., Centre County State College, Pa.

(Town or City)

(State)

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas James 608

LOCO PARENTIS

April 2, 1930.

Mrs. Emma F. Slagel,  
633 West Beaver St.,  
State College, Pa.

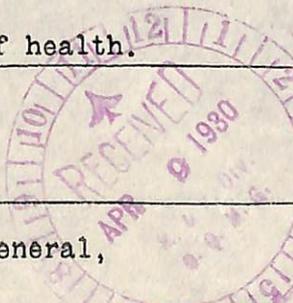
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Dear Madam:

The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, all necessary expenses of which pilgrimages are to be paid by the United States Government, requires that the Secretary of War make an investigation and submit the results of such investigation in a report to Congress. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

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

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
	X	
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes)	(No)
	X	
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)
		X
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age 40 Health X	(Years) (Good) (Poor)
	X	X
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes)	(No)
	X	
	Other language	(Specify language spoken)



For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas James 608

April 2, 1930.

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagel,  
633 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of an affidavit sworn to by you in connection with your desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Thomas James Baudis, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

It is requested that you complete the enclosed questionnaire specifying "yes" or "no" to the questions listed thereon, particular attention being paid to the third question. Upon receipt of the questionnaire in this office, you will be further advised relative to the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:  
Questionnaire,  
Envelope.

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QM 293 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas James - 608

March 31, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagel,  
633 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication of recent date furnishing information requested by this office under date of March 19.

The information submitted has been determined as sufficient to establish your claim as having stood in loco parentis to your brother, the late Private Thomas James Baudis, for the year prior to his entry into the military service. It is requested you complete the enclosed questionnaire, specifying "Yes" or "No" to the questions listed thereon, particular attention being given to the third question. Upon receipt of the questionnaire in this office you will be further advised relative to the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure:  
questionnaire

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO Q.M. 293 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas James - 608

March 19, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagel,  
633 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

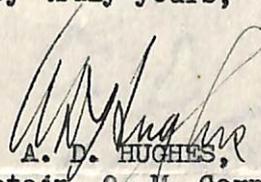
Dear Madam:

In connection with your desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Thomas James Baudis, it is requested that information be furnished as to whether or not your father was living and to what extent he provided for his son, for the year prior to his entry into the military service.

Upon receipt of this information you will be advised relative to your eligibility to make a pilgrimage to this grave under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA )  
                                  ) SS.:  
COUNTY OF CENTRE        )

On this 25th day of March, 1930 personally appeared before me, a Notary Public duly commissioned in County and State aforesaid, Emma Florence Slagle, sister of the late Private Thomas James Baudis, and she after being duly sworn, stated that her father died on August 16th, 1910, and that she had cared for and supported her brother from the date of the death of his father until he entered the military service in 1917.

Emma Florence Slagle

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 25th day of March, 1930.

Clara T. Bateson

Notary Public

My Commission Expires March 2, 1933.



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Baudis, Thomas James - 808

March 19, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagel,  
633 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

In connection with your desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Thomas James Baudis, it is requested that information be furnished as to whether or not your father was living and to what extent he provided for his son, for the year prior to his entry into the military service.

Upon receipt of this information you will be advised relative to your eligibility to make a pilgrimage to this grave under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thomas James - 608

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA )  
                                  ) SS.:  
COUNTY OF CENTRE )

On this 11th day of March, 1930, before me, a Notary Public duly commissioned in County and State aforesaid, personally appeared DAVID F. KAPP and JOHN L. HOLMES, both of State College, Pennsylvania, who after being duly sworn, stated that they have been personally acquainted with MRS. EMMA FLORENCE SLAGLE for the last thirty and twenty five years respectively, and that they were personally acquainted with the Baudis family prior to the death of the parents of PRIVATE THOMAS JAMES BAUDIS, 75th Co., 6th Regt., U. S. M. C., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisen American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France. On the death of Mrs. Baudis, mother of Private Thomas James Baudis, on October 16, 1910, Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle, formerly Baudis, being the oldest daughter of the Baudis family, immediately took charge of the family, among whom was the aforesaid Private Thomas James Baudis, he then being only nine years of age. The aforesaid Emma Florence Slagle was a sister of Private Thomas James Baudis and she did stand in loco parentis to the deceased from the date of the death of his mother until the time he enlisted in the U. S. M. C., and we personally know that Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle did provide food, clothing and shelter for the said Thomas James Baudis and in every way took charge of and cared for the boy as if he were her own child. The present age of Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle is forty years, and that the age of her brother was sixteen years and seven months at the time of his death.

The aforesaid David F. Kapp and John L. Holmes further state that they are not in any way interested in this claim, and that they are not related to the said Emma Florence Slagle who stood in loco parentis to her deceased brother, Thomas James Baudis; or to the said Private Thomas James Baudis.

*David F. Kapp*  
*John L. Holmes*

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 11th day of March, 1930.

*Clara J. Bateson*  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires March 2, 1933.

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QM 293 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas James

September 11, 1929.

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 West Beaver Ave.,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 1, 1929, relative to the pilgrimage of the Gold Star Mothers and Widows pilgrimage to Europe.

In view of the fact that you claim the privilege of making this pilgrimage to your brother's grave under Section 4(a) of the Act of March 2, 1929 which states in part, "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for the year prior to the commencement of his service in such forces", it will be necessary for you to furnish as proof of the relationship claimed, the affidavits of at least two persons not related to you wherein the following facts are set forth of their own personal knowledge:

- (a) The dates when the alleged status (in loco parentis) began and ended.
- (b) Your age and the age of your deceased brother at the time when the status began.
- (c) Any facts or circumstances or declarations tending to show whether you intended to assume the obligation which a father would have in the matter of making provision for the support of your deceased brother.
- (d) The manner in which, and the extent to which you actually provided for your brother while occupying the status in question.

Upon receipt of these affidavits, due consideration will be given to your eligibility to make the pilgrimage under the Act. In replying please advise the name, rank and organization of your brother.

You are advised that there is no provision contained in the Act of March 2, 1929, which provides that a mother or widow making the pilgrimage may be accompanied by a member of her family. It is therefore regretted to advise that your sister would not be eligible to make the pilgrimage with you.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

633 West Beaver ave  
State College Pa

Sep 1st 1929

Dear Sir

19 yrs.  
Feb 25, 1918

I just received your letter I am  
sorry but I lost the first letter  
I got but I would like to make the  
Pilgrimage and I am a sister to Thomas  
James Boudis and have taken his mother's  
place since he was 9 years old he left his  
insurance to his two sisters Mrs Maril  
Velder in Cleveland & his only self  
Mrs Emma Florence Slagle I want to  
know if my sister could go with me and  
how much it would cost <sup>would</sup> it be company  
for both to go to gather our father and mother  
are both dead and just my sister and I and  
3 Brothers are living.

Mrs Emma Florence Slagle

633 West Beaver ave  
State College Pa



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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thomas James  
608

Aug. 27, 1929.

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
RFD#1,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 20, 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:

*was not married*

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.

*I am a sister to*

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

*Thomas and was a  
mother to him from  
9 years and  
I would like to  
make the pilgrimage*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thomas James.

June 20, 1929.

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
RFD/1,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the <sup>sister of</sup> the late Private Thomas James Baudis, 75th Co., 6th Regt., U.S.M.C., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisen American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

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,

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

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Bandin, Thos. J. - 608

June 28, 1930.

Mrs. Mary Slagge,  
809 Willow Ave.,  
Altoona, 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. Altoona	Penn RR	Train No. 26	10:19 AM	July 24
Ar. New York (Penn. Station)	" "	" " "	5:15 PM	" "

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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July 28, 1930.

Baudis, Thos. J. - 608

Mrs. Ernst Florence Slagle,  
633 W. Beaver Ave.,  
State College, 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:

Leave Lemont	Penna. RR	Train #8530	11:16 AM	July 24
Arrive Sunbury	" "	#8530	2:45 PM	July 24
Leave Sunbury	" "	#570	4:01 PM	July 24
Arrive Philadelphia	" "	#570	7:45 PM	July 24
Leave Philadelphia	" "	#228	8:00 PM	July 24
Arrive New York	" "	#228	10:00 PM	July 24

(Penna. Station)

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thos. J. 608-LP

June 12, 1930.

The Mrs Florence Slagle,  
653 . Beaver Ave.,  
State College, Penna.

Dear Madam:

Very truly yours,

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.

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

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.

QM 293 A-C

June 5, 1930

Baudis, Thomas, James 608

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 West Beaver Street,  
State College, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated May 15, 1930 relative to your desire to stop over in Brooklyn, New York on your return from the pilgrimage to the American cemeteries in Europe, sailing on the S.S. Republic July 26, 1930.

Please be advised that arrangements will be made for you to stop over in New York City not to exceed two weeks on your return journey. Any expenses incurred by you during your stay in New York or Brooklyn must of course be paid by you personally.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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May 17, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thomas J. -608 MP  
Republic 7-26

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, 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.

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Name

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Address

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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~~Baudis, Thomas J. -608 M~~  
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May 8, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thomas J. 608-LP

May 7, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 West Beaver Ave.,  
State College, Penn.

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.

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"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

April 22, 1930.

Baudis, Thomas J. 608 LP

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
633 West Beaver Ave.,  
State College, Pa.  
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.

1 Enclosure.  
Regulation.

QM 293 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas James 608

April 2, 1930.

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagel,  
633 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of an affidavit sworn to by you in connection with your desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Thomas James Baudis, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

It is requested that you complete the enclosed questionnaire specifying "yes" or "no" to the questions listed thereon, particular attention being paid to the third question. Upon receipt of the questionnaire in this office, you will be further advised relative to the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:  
28 Questionnaire,  
Envelope.

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thomas James 608

April 2, 1930.

Mrs. Emma F. Slagel, *Ans*  
653 West Beaver St.,  
State College, 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. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 APC  
Baudis, Thomas James - 608

March 31, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagel,  
635 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication of recent date furnishing information requested by this office under date of March 19.

The information submitted has been determined as sufficient to establish your claim as having stood in loco parentis to your brother, the late Private Thomas James Baudis, for the year prior to his entry into the military service. It is requested you complete the enclosed questionnaire, specifying "Yes" or "No" to the questions listed thereon, particular attention being given to the third question. Upon receipt of the questionnaire in this office you will be further advised relative to the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Enclosure:  
questionnaire

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Baudis, Thomas James - 608

March 31, 1930

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State College, Pa.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Q.M. 295 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas James - 608

March 19, 1930

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagel,  
633 West Beaver Avenue,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

In connection with your desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Thomas James Baudis, it is requested that information be furnished as to whether or not your father was living and to what extent he provided for his son, for the year prior to his entry into the military service.

Upon receipt of this information you will be advised relative to your eligibility to make a pilgrimage to this grave under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C  
Baudis, Thomas James

September 11, 1929.

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
655 West Beaver Ave.,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 1, 1929, relative to the pilgrimage of the Gold Star Mothers and Widows pilgrimage to Europe.

In view of the fact that you claim the privilege of making this pilgrimage to your brother's grave under Section 4(a) of the Act of March 2, 1929 which states in part, "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for the year prior to the commencement of his service in such forces", it will be necessary for you to furnish as proof of the relationship claimed, the affidavits of at least two persons not related to you wherein the following facts are set forth of their own personal knowledge:

- (a) The dates when the alleged status (in loco parentis) began and ended.
- (b) Your age and the age of your deceased brother at the time when the status began.
- (c) Any facts or circumstances or declarations tending to show whether you intended to assume the obligation which a father would have in the matter of making provision for the support of your deceased brother.
- (d) The manner in which, and the extent to which you actually provided for your brother while occupying the status in question.

Upon receipt of these affidavits, due consideration will be given to your eligibility to make the pilgrimage under the Act. In replying please advise the name, rank and organization of your brother.

You are advised that there is no provision contained in the Act of March 2, 1929, which provides that a mother or widow making the pilgrimage may be accompanied by a member of her family. It is therefore regretted to advise that your sister would not be eligible to make the pilgrimage with you.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

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**Bandis, Thomas James**  
608

Aug. 27, 1929.

**Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,**  
HFD#1,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 20, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.  
Act of Congress  
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

**Baudis, Thomas James.**

June 20, 1929.

**Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
RFD/1,  
State College, Pa.**

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the sister of the late Private Thomas James Baudis, 75th Co., 6th Regt., U.S.M.C., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

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,

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

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Act of Congress.  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

70592

Date Feb 18/26

SUBJECT: Information required for Cemeterial Division.

TO: The Adjutant General of the Army, World War Division, Washington, D.C.

1. It is requested that the items checked below be completed:

- a. Surname Bardis f. Date of death \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Christian name Thos James g. Cause of death \_\_\_\_\_
- 70 # ✓ c. Serial number 120782 h. Authority \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Organization 75 Co 6 Marines i. Emergency Address \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Rank Pvt \_\_\_\_\_
- j. Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

BODY DESCRIPTION:

- a. Date of enlistment \_\_\_\_\_ d. Height \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Age at enlistment \_\_\_\_\_ e. Weight \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Color of hair \_\_\_\_\_ f. Fractures or breaks \_\_\_\_\_

DENTAL CHARTS:

Mobilization.		DENTAL CHARTS:				Local Board.			
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For the Quartermaster General:

*R. H. B.*  
[Red Stamp]

Assistant.

QM 293 A-C

May 8, 1924

BAUDIS, Thomas James Pvt.

Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,  
R.F.D. #1,  
State College, Pa.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

Very truly yours,

R. P. HARBOLD  
Assistant.

1-Incl.  
Record card

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**FILE**

CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTION

April 18, 1922. 192

MEMO FOR:  
Cards Department.

1.  
CASE OF:

75th Co., 6th Marines

ORGANIZATION (Old)

BAUDIS, 120782, Thomas James Pvt.

(Name)

*Feb. 25-1918.*

*Born Dec. 3-1898.  
19- - -*

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

ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER Not known

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

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

BY: M. K. McCarthy

Adjustment Branch

(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card:

By A.B.  
S/3324/LML

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BAUDIS, Thomas James Ser. No. 120782 (4-18-22)
(b) Rank Private Organization 75th Co. U.S.M.C. [10/15/21]
(c) Date of death 7-19-18 (d) Cause of death K/a.
TYP. vbb.
CKR. [Signature]

File No. 70592
E.M. M.C. R. 2-24-18

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

(a) Grave No. 153 Row -- Plot 3 Sec. K TYP. vbb
(b) Emerg. Address Florence Slagle, (sister) State College, Penna. RFD #1.
CKR. [Signature]

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

(a) Name Mrs Florence Slagle (b) Relationship Sister
(c) Address R.F. D #1 State College, Penna.
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? Yes
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. Mrs Florence Slagle
R.F. D #1, State College, Penna.

Examiner's Initials [Signature] Date 10-4, 1920.

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

dated
confirming request in Par. IV., item, above, or requesting that
No correspondence in file

Examiner's Initials [Signature] Date 10/4, 1920.

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

Maj. Gen. Commandant
Adjts. U.S.M.C. 6-15-20, cancels former request
"Remains are to be left in France"

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes M.O.M.
Examiner's Initials M.O.M. Date 10-5, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE.

CEMETERY No. 593

SHEET No. 73

Checked 10-15-21 [Signature]
Checked [Signature] 10-5-21



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE 11.26.21

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 BAUDIS, Thomas James

10. Name None

2. No. 120782

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. 75th. Co. 6th. Marines

13. Org.

5. D.D. July 19th. 1919

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 147 Sec. D

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 4 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17.

18. Cemetery American

19. Commune or town Ploisy

20. Dept. or County Aisne

21. Country France.

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 593

23. Disinterred (Date) 11.26.21

By J. McGourty

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name BAUDIS, Thomas JAMES

Serial No. 120782

Rank Pvt

Organization 75th. Co. 6th. Marines

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

Bernard J. Black  
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).

Body previously reburied by field section. Metal strips and bottle record found

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wrapped in blanket and in wooden box.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date 11.26.21 By J. McGourty

31. Casket sealed by J. McGourty

AUDT Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor J. McGourty)

BW 3/6/24

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-19263

32. Designation of body:

Name BAUDIS, Thomas James Serial No. 120782  
Rank Pvt. Organization 75th. Co. 6th. Marines

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne American Cty. # 608. Seringes-et-Nesles. Aisne.

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) 11.26.21 By J. McGourty

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. J. POWERS. 1st. Lt. Q.M.C.

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

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

To point of Concentration \_\_\_\_\_ (Name)  
Convoyer [Signature] 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 11.26.21

To Permanent Cemetery Oise. Aisne. Amer. Cty. 608. Seringes et Nesles (Name)  
Convoyer FRANK J ATWELL Signature Shipping Officer GLENN A ROSS. CAPT. QMC

40. Received: Date 9 NOV 1921

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

41. Reinterred Aug. 25, 1922, Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes et Nesles (Aisne) (Date)

42. Grave No. 8 Section ----

43. Plot BLOCK Row C 23

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

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date 11.26.21

1. REMAINS OF BAUDIS Thomas James SERIAL NUMBER 120782  
 RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION 75th. Co. 6th. Marines

2. Disinterred (date): 11.26.21 From (give complete location): Gr. 147. Plot. 4. Sect. D.

By: Group 1 Unit P.S. 8

3. Reburied (date): Aug. 25, 1922 In (give complete location): Gr. 8, Block C, Row 23, Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes et Nesles (Aisne)

By: Group re-burial group Unit ----- Nature of reburial Lined casket

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

Wrapped in blanket and in wooden box. Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable

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

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

Body previously reburied by field section. Meat strips & bottle record found

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp to deter

(b) Weight (estimated) Imp to est

(c) Hair—Color None visible

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible

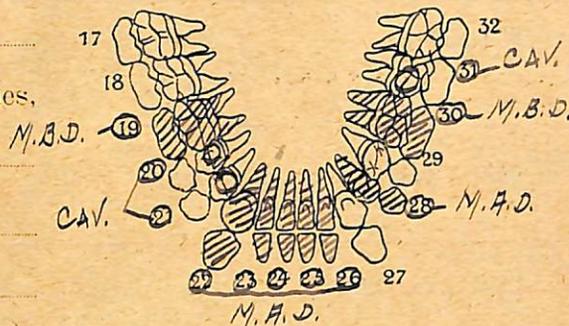
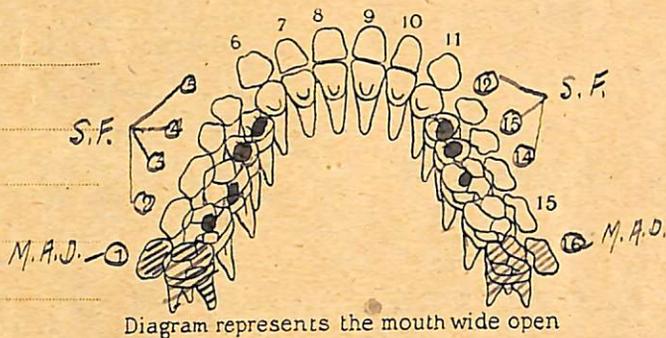
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Quantity do

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

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

Both feet missing. Left radius, ulna and humerus shattered. Both pelvis, both femurs, both tibia and both fibulas shattered.



7. Disinterment supervised by James M. Gourt  
J. McGourty

Approved: J. J. POWERS, 1st. Lt. OMC

(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by L. B. Hays

Approved: W. D. Cleary

(Title) Lt., Chaplain, USA.



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# Headquarters U. S. Marine Corps,

Washington, October 6, 1920.

From: The Major General Commandant.

To: The Chief, Cemeterial Division, Office of Quartermaster General of the Army.

Subject: A.E.F. dead: Confirmation or revision of G.R.S. record of disposition status.

Reference: Form No. 124, File No. 70592 dated 10-6-20  
Case of Thomas James BAUDIS, ~~120702~~, Private,  
75th Co., 6th Marines. 593

1. It is requested that the remains of the above-named man be disposed of as follows:

DISPOSITION: Return of remains not desired.

CONSIGNEE: Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

NEXT OF KIN: Name: Mrs. Emma Florence Slagle,

Relationship: Sister,

Address: R.F.D. #1,

State College, Pa.

REMARKS: \_\_\_\_\_

*F. A. Barker*  
F. A. BARKER

Major, U. S. M. C.,  
Asst. Adjutant & Inspector. L

By \_\_\_\_\_

Special Assistant to the  
Major General Commandant.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BAUDIS, Thomas James Ser. No. 120782 TYP: vbb  
 (b) Rank Private Organization 75th Co., U.S.M.C. Cause of death 6th Marines  
 (c) Date of death 7-19-18 death K/A

*E.M.M.C. R. 2-24-18 (4-18-22) MKM*

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

(a) Grave No. 153 Row -- Plot 3 Sect. K TYP. vbb  
 (b) Emerg. Address Emma Florence Slagle(sister) State College, Penn'a. RFD #1.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

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

*G.S. files - Maj. Gen. Commandant Hdqts. U.S.M.C., 6/5/20 cancels former request "Remains are to be left in France" (JES 12/13/20)*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on 192 (letter of transmittal on 12/6/1920

*Par. 2. Not to be returned. (JES)*

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. 192

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY NO. 593 SHEET NO. 73  
 G.R.S. FORM 115-A August, 1920

SER-----

BAUD, THOMAS JAMES, PVT. 75TH CO.,  
6TH REG. MARINES.  
DISPOSITION: RETURN OF REMAINS REQUESTED.

NEXT OF KIN: MRS. FLORENCE SLAGLE,  
RELATION SISTER.

ADDRESS: R.F.D. #1, STATE COLLEGE, PENN.

CTY: 593.

Drawn by a/c

593-073

10-4-20

a/c 10-5-20

70592

From

12465

SCHOOL FOR BAKERS AND COOKS  
DEPARTMENT OF COOKING

Date .....

BILL OF FARE

INGREDIENTS

COST

2226 First St N W

Baudis. Thomas. S. 70592  
Name.....  
UNKNOWN. (Corps) USMC  
Rank..... Co. (Regt)

Date of Death. UNKNOWN.

*Low*  
Place. PARCY TIGNY AISNE.

Cause. k/a *D/a Ety*

Date of Burial.....

Grave No. ~~46~~ 47

AMERICAN SOISSONS. S. E. NO. 33.

Gemetry. *284.9 .178.9*

Identified by (Tag) clothing.  
(Papers)  
(Clothing) *E*

List of Effects.....  
none.

*5944*  
**GROUP N° 4**

Field Record Made by **Prov. Unit B. G.R.S.**

*C. M. Cameron*  
Company.....Graves Registration Service

For additional data use reverse side

PT 100 (7)

*Adjusted 10/5/21*

WAR DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army  
Washington

*#70592.*

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

Information requested of A.G.O.

Date October 14-21

File No. ~~12165~~ 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 ~~Bandis~~ <sup>BAUDIS</sup> ✓
- b. Christian name Thomas J. ~~AMES~~ ✓
- c. Serial Number 120782 ✓
- d. Organization <sup>75th</sup> Co. B. 6th Marines ✓
- e. Rank Pvt. ✓
- f. Date of death 7-19-18 ✓
- g. Cause of death K/A ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#) C.C 238 ✓
- i. Emergency address ✓
- j. Relationship *Mrs Emma Florence Slagle R. 3. D. #1, State College, Pa. Sister* ✓

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

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

- a. Strike out teeth missing
- 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 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

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

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

G.R  
CEMETERY NO: 593, *Grave 153, Sec K, Plot 3* BY:

SHEET NO:  
TYPED BY:

H. J. CONNER,  
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

FILE

*Baudis*

Resent under the Name of Baudis

9-16-70

MARINE

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

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

Information requested of A.G.O.

Cty. # 593

Date 9-14-20

File No. 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.

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70592

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

- a. Surname Baudis, Sanders ✓
- b. Christian name Thomas James ✓
- c. Serial number 120782
- d. Organization Co. B<sup>75</sup> 6th Marines
- e. Rank Private
- f. Date of death July 19/18
- g. Cause of death K/9
- h. Authority (C.C.#) 238
- i. Emergency address Mrs. Emma T. Slagle, R.F.D. #1, State College, Pa.
- j. Relationship Sister

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age at enlistment
- b. Color of eyes
- c. Color of hair
- d. Height
- e. Weight
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lower right lower left

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

BY:

*H. J. Conner*  
H. J. CONNER,  
Captain, Q.M.C.

FILE

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON  
Grave # 153, Plot 3, Sec. K.  
Amer. Cty. Ploisy-Aisne.

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

Information requested of *OK*

File No. *111*

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (State of Louisiana)

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 616 E. 12th St., Washington, D. C.

Subject: Information requested for G.R.S.

1. It is requested that the items enclosed be furnished. Request for confirmation of all information shown.

- a. Birth name
- b. Christian name
- c. Social number
- d. Organization
- e. Rank

1. *UNIT CHANGES*  
2. *PHYSICAL REPORT OF*  
3. *EXAMINATION PRIOR TO ENLISTMENT*

- a. Age at enlistment
- b. Color of eyes
- c. Color of hair
- d. Height
- e. Weight

1. *EXAMINATION WITH AND*  
2. *PHYSICAL DEFECTS*  
3. *ENLISTMENT*

BOND  
H. W. NEWWITT

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CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTIONOctober 15, 1921 192  .

MEMO FOR:

Cards Department.

1.

CASE OF:

Company B. - 6th MarinesORGANIZATION (Old)BANDIS # Thomas J - Pvt.(Name)

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

ORGANIZATION (New) Co 75th - 6th Marines

FILE NO.

SURNAME

SERIAL NUMBER

FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st. Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.			D-
3rd Reb.			D-

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

5 X 8 White Card File No. 12465 canceled to 5 X 8 White Card File No. 70592  
BAUDIS, #120782 Thomas James

BY: D. T. Dodson,

Adjustment Section.  
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card;

By K.B.  
S/3324/LML

CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
REGISTRATION SECTION

**FILE**

February 19 192 2

MEMO FOR:  
Cards Department.

1.  
CASE OF:

75th Co., 6th Marines.,

ORGANIZATION (Old)

BAUDIS, Thomas James., Pvt.,

(Name)

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ORGANIZATION (New)

FILE NO.

SURNAME

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FIRST NAME AND INITIALS

RANK

DATE OF DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

	Date	Place	F-1A No.
Orig.			D-
1st. Reb.			D-
2nd Reb.	2/28/21	593	D- 30248
3rd Reb.			D-

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

BY: Miss Lannon

Card.  
(Department)

5 x 8 card was sent to file.

Corrections made  
on Organization  
File Card:

By N.B.  
S/3324/LML

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

SPECIAL

File No.  70592 Registration.

Date February 9, 1922.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., 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.  BAUDIS
- b. Christian name.  THOMAS JAMES   
*G.M.C.R-2-24-18*
- c. Serial number.  *unknown*
- d. Organization.  75th Co., 6th Marines
- e. Rank.  Private
- f. Date of death.  7/19/18
- g. Cause of death.  K/A
- h. Authority (C. C. No.)  238
- i. Emergency address.  *Emma Florence Slagle*  
Florence Slagle  
State College, Penna., RFD, #1.
- j. Relationship.  Sister

**BODY DESCRIPTION.**

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

- a. Age at 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.)

Adjustment Made

17 1922

File No. 7059

**DENTAL CHARTS.**

(See physical report of examination prior to enlistment.)

- a. Strike out teeth missing:
- |              |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |             |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|--------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8            | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1           | 2 | 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. |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

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

By

H. J. CONNER,  
Captain, Q. M. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASE & STORAGE  
WASHINGTON

W 70592

*Marm*

*Baudis*

ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY *6/23/20*

\_\_\_\_\_ Circumstances of Death  
(Par. #2, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ Liberty Bonds  
(G.R.S. Form 111)

\_\_\_\_\_ Flowers, Flags, etc.  
(Par. #6, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ War Risk Insurance  
(G.R.S. Form 111)

\_\_\_\_\_ Monument  
(Par. #6, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ Photographs  
(Par. #11, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ Discrepancies in Inscription  
(Par. #9, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ Permanent Burial In  
 (a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (b) Other Countries

\_\_\_\_\_ Personal Effects  
(G.R.S. Form 111)

\_\_\_\_\_ Accrued Pay  
(G.R.S. Form 111)

\_\_\_\_\_ Return of Bodies From  
 (a) France (G.R.S. Form 106)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (b) Other countries  
(Par. #12, Bul. 10-C-W)

\_\_\_\_\_ Maintenance  
(Par. #7, Bul. 10-C-W)

Remarks: *Y.L.*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

*note cancellations of former requests*

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

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

*✓*  
*SW*

*✓*  
*MPT*  
**FILE**

Analysis Clerk.

REGISTRATION SECTION.  
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION.

File No. ....  
OSPSS Ref. NO. 5-93  
Follow-up No. 3038

TO: Inquiry Section .  
From: Overseas Project Sub-Section.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION on Cemetery No. (furnished by: RP) (date 7-2-20)

Data sent Overseas .....  
Operations to commence (approx.) .....  
Operations to be completed (approx.) .....  
Bodies shipped from European Port .....  
Bodies arrived at Hoboken .....

II. CASE OF Baudin, Thomas James 75<sup>th</sup> Co, 6th Marine -

The following information was abstracted (Date) 7-2-20 from: .....

SOURCE	CLK.	in OFFICE		CLK.	in OFFICE
<u>Marine</u> A.G.O. Cards	<u>RP</u>	<u>None</u>	Shppg. Inquiry (sent.....)		
A.G.O. Corresp.	---	---	To.....		
G.R.S. corresp. relative to disp.	---	---	OSP S-S Corresp. (see Remarks.)		

DESIRES as to Disposition.

No Marine card, no covers.

Name of Relative	RETURN.			SPECIAL
	N. C.	Pvt. Int.	REMAIN	
Widow				
Children (Name oldest first)				
Father				
Mother				
Brothers				
Sisters				

RP 7-2-20

Body to be shipped to .....

was shipped (Date) .....

REMARKS Cty 593 has not been reported by the Audit Dept. Pres 7/1-20

70597

IN REPLYING REFER  
TO No.

1094-25B-1-fvf  
4382



*Am...*

# Headquarters U. S. Marine Corps

Washington,

June 15, 1920

From: The Major General Commandant.  
 To: The Chief of the Graves Registration Service,  
 War Department, Washington, D.C.  
 Via: The Adjutant General of the Army.

Subject: Change in the wishes of the next of kin of  
 the late Private Thomas James Baudis, Marine  
 Corps.

Reference: (a) Additional list of names showing the  
 wishes of the next of kin of deceased  
 Marines buried abroad forwarded with  
 MGC letter 4382-25B-1-GG/fvf-QCQ, dated  
 5-12-20.

1. Reference (a) stated that the next of kin of  
 the late Private Thomas James Baudis, 75th Company, 6th  
 Marines, requested the remains returned to the United  
 States. The next of kin now requests "THAT THE REMAINS  
 BE LEFT IN FRANCE."

*J. H. Hauer*

-----By direction-----

Received A. G. O. JUN 17 1920

*Very out  
of  
order  
10/15/20*

*✓*

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HQ. BRANCH

JUN 23 1930

CEMETERIAL  
Div. of M. C.

1930 JUN 23  
OFFICE OF THE  
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE  
DIVISION  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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*[Handwritten signature]*

TO THE DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
FROM THE CHIEF, CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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1930 JUN 23 10 10 AM

G. K. S.

TO THE DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
FROM THE CHIEF, CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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1930 JUN 23



TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

Date 6-24-20.

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME Baudis, Thomas James Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_  
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION 75th Co., 6th Marines

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	(1) yes except 75th Co USMC (6th Marines not given) #120782.
2.	Date of Death.	(2) 7-19-18.
3.	Cause and place of death.	(3) #A.
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	(4) #238.
5.	Date buried.	(5) no record
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	(6) Grave #47, #594, Amer. Cty, Percy - Nigny, Aisne. ✓
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	Reburied: 5-16-19, Grave #153, Sect X, Plot #3, Amer. Cty. #593, Ploisy, Aisne.
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	(10) a no
12.	Has been notified? (Give date)	b no
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	(11) Florence Stagle (Sister) State College, Penna. R.F.D. #1.
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	(12) 3-19-20 107
15.	Inquiry made by?	(14) F-11531.

Released by Information Control Dept.  
 .....Directory  
 .....Cards 5x8 ✓  
 .....Cards 4x6

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

*Handwritten signature/initials*

AUDIT DEPARTMENT

G.R.S Form 8-W; Central Records Liaison.

109394  
109594

Memo For: G.R.S. representative, C.R.O.

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

1. Items checked are to be completed:

✓ Surname: Baudis  
 ✓ Number: 120782  
 ✓ First name: Thomas S. *Thomas James*  
 ✓ Rank: *75th Co: Private*  
 ✓ Company: *Private*  
 ✓ Organization: U.S.M.C.  
 ✓ Date of death: *7-19-18*  
 ✓ Cause:  
 ✓ Place: *K/A*

Location of hospital:

Number " "  
Class " "

✓ Emergency address *Florence Slagle*

✓ Relationship: *sister* *State College*

Authority:  
Cablegram No: *238*  
Telegram from: *Penna.*

dated:

✓ Reported to Washington:  
C.C.Nos.

✓ (Underscore the "official" C.C.)

Remarks:

*Over*

CHARLES C. PIERCE,  
Colonel, O.M.C., U.S.A.

Rec'd World War Div.

Date: *2-24-20*

mg.

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*R*

Buried 8-16-18

Form 1

Amer B/A Cty. Parcy-Tigny, Aisne.

Reported by G.R.S.

2-24-20.

*Shanghway*

*No further record.*

*Sh. # 28.*

*G.R.S. # 329.*

*Buried in Cem. # 594.*

*N. J. Maurice Combe.*

*Report from Martin Combe*



Buried

8-16-18

Amer B/A Cty. Parcy-Tigny, Aisne.

Reported By G R S

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SIGNAL CORPS, UNITED STATES ARMY  
TELEGRAM.

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RECEIVED AT: HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY. A.E.F.

150 RS J 58 OB PARIS APL 22-19

C R O GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION  
TOURS

5396 RE YOUR TELEGRAM 24 APL 21ST REQUEST LOCATION CEMETERIES \*IN WHICH FOLLOWING  
MARINES ARE BURIED COLON ALBERT CARSTEDT COMMA JOSEPH AGGERLY COMMA THOMAS S BAUDIS  
COMMA WARREN BROOK COMMA L A HALOU COMMA HILES O HANBESON COMMA THEREON AGEE AND  
LALINAN KERLIN

WILIS CHIEF PAYMASTER MARINES

730PM

FRANCE

70592  
Tours, April 24, 1919.

Wills,  
Chief Paymaster Marines,  
Paris.

Retel 5396 period Grave Locations Albert Carstedt comma Joseph Aggerly comma Thomas S Baudis comma Warren Brook comma L A Halou comma Niles O Hangeson comma Thereon Agee and Leliman Kerlin given in our telegram April 21st period Map reference American Battle Area Cemetery at Vierzy is number 33 SE coordinates east 177 north 287 point 1 period Map reference American Battle Area Cemetery at Percy Tigny (Aisne) is number 33 SE coordinates east 178 point 9 north 284 point 9.

OFFICIAL:

KNIGHT

C. M. NORTZEL  
1st Lt., GMC, USA.

Copy to: T & C

G R S

ACL/wjn  
3.13 pm

Sgt. Daly

In reply to "T-

WAR DEPARTMENT.

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

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

Thomas J. Baudis  
U. S. M. C.

FILE

70592



T. THOMAS

30 BATED ST

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Marnie

TO:- REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

Date May 21, 1920.

FROM:- INQUIRY BRANCH.

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

NAME Baudis, Thomas James.

Serial Number

RANK Private

ORGANIZATION

75th Company, 6th Reg., Marines.

NO.	QUESTION	REPLY
1.	Do particulars of soldiers given above agree with Records?	1. No. #120782 - 75th Co., United States Marine Corps
2.	Date of Death.	2. July 19, 1918
3.	Cause and place of death.	3. Killed in action.
4.	Number of Casualty Cablegram.	4. CC-238
5.	Date buried.	5. Not given
6.	Grave Location. (a) Complete record required (b) Name of Cemetery or Commune only required. (c) Note reinterments.	6. American Cemetery - 594 Parcy-Tigny, Aisne. Grave #47  Reburied - May 16, 1919.  American Cemetery - 593 Ploisy, Aisne. Grave #153, Section K, Plot #3.
7.	Who reported burial?	
8.	Confirmed by G.R.S.?	
9.	Report as to Grave Marker.	
10.	Identification Tags: (a) Buried with body? (b) Attached to grave marker?	10. No. No.
11.	Complete Emergency Address?	11. Florence Slagle (Sister) State College, Penna. R. F. D. #1.
12.	Has been notified? (Give date)	12. March 19, 1920.
13.	Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record)	
14.	What is the Photograph No.?	14. F-11531  Released by Information Control Dept. Directory X Cards 5x8 Cards 4x6
15.	Inquiry made by?	

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

E. S. L.

City 594