

To The A. G. O.

G.R.S. Form #114-B

FEB 18 1928

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FULL NAME BERNARD, Stanley E.

RANK Cpl. SERIAL 129171

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION *2nd Div* Bty. E, 12th Fld. Art.

DATE OF DEATH *Nov. 4, '18*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *Mo.*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. *none.*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....	40	6	A
	Date	Grave	Row
			Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232

Cemetery

World War Div.

MAR 30 1928

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A. G. O.
FEB 19 1928
WORLD WAR DIV.

23/306/ARK

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813*

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Bernard (no #) Stanley E
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Priv. Bat. E. 147A
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL. Nov 1 - 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL. Florville

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

American Post
Dept. of Arkansas

GRAVE NUMBER. No. 9. 1st. #

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? yes Cross? yes

Headboard? yes Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? yes

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

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

REPORTED BY: H. W. Finckel

Corporal 317 - Inf
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Amur. E. F.

W
~~Bernard, Grace F.~~
 Bernard, Stanley E.
 Cpl.

WA 1,003, 587

PARTY J, STEAMSHIP AMERICA
 SCHEDULES FOR GOLD STAR PILGRIMS LEAVING NEW YORK
 JULY 2, 1930

VIRGINIA

ARLINGTON COUNTY

Bernard, Mrs. Grace F., (J-5)
 Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

Lv. Alexandria	SoRy	#40	7:50 AM (ET)	July 1
Arr. New York	PennRR	#126	1:55 PM (ET)	July 1

Route Going: SoRy Washington, PennaRR ~~New York~~
 Return: ~~PennaRR Washington, SoRy Alexandria~~

Best same route
 Sleeper Alexandria to New York

Elapsed time 6 hours, 5 minutes. $\frac{1}{2}$

O'Donnell, Mrs. Adelaide, (J-5)
 125 W. Peyton Ave., Potomac,
 Alexandria, Va.

Cancelled

Lv. Alexandria	SoRy	#40	7:50 AM (ET)	July 1
Arr. New York	PennRR	#126	1:55 PM (ET)	July 1

Route Going: SoRy, Washington, PennaRR ~~New York~~
 Return: ~~PennaRR Washington, SoRy Alexandria~~

Best same route
 Sleeper Alexandria to New York

Elapsed time 6 hours, 5 minutes. $\frac{1}{2}$

CAMPBELL COUNTY

Cobbs, Mrs. Mary E.O., (J-5)
 Lynchburg, Va.

Lv. Lynchburg	SoRy	#34	8:45 PM (ET)	June 30
Arr. New York	PennaRR	#108	6:40 AM (ET)	July 1

Elapsed time 9 hours, 55 minutes.

-or-

Lv. Lynchburg	SoRy	#30	6:32 AM (ET)	July 1
Arr. New York	PennaRR	#132	4:48 PM (ET)	July 1

Elapsed time 10 hours, 16 minutes

Route Going: SoRy, Washington, PennaRR ~~New York~~
 Return: ~~PennaRR Washington, SoRy Lynchburg.~~

Same route
 Sleeping car Lynchburg to New York.

E. Hauger (Nurse)

MEDICAL RECORD

Bernard, Stanley E.
Corp. Bty E, 12 F.A.
Station: Verdun Party J.
Date: July 15th 1930

Name Bernard, Mrs Grace

Home address MI-2da, Alexandria Va.

Address of Nearest friend or relative Mrs James O'Hanlan
Same address (Sister)

Religion Protestant Age 2

History of Present complaint: July 12th Very nervous & nauseated

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(over)

Diagnosis and complications: (*include dates*)

Treatment and Progress: (*include dates*) July 12th 8⁰⁰ p.m. Bromide, Tab. 1

Disposition: (*include dates*)

Remarks:

July 24-30 To Charbona - Beach

Name BERNARD, Mrs Grace F.

Paris Hôtel HOTEL AMBASSADOR

BOULEVARD HAUSSMANN
Alexandria

Home address Mount Ida, / Arlington County, Virginia

Party J Group I Unit \$. AMERICA

Date of arrival July II-1930 Date of departure \$. HARDING JULY 24. 1930

Relationship Widow

Name of deceased BERNARD, Stanley E.

Rank Cpl. Organization Bty. E, 12th F. A.

Cemetery Meuse-Argonne

REMARKS



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

Sailed July 2, 1930 on SS AMERICA. Major Rolland Walsh in charge. Arrived Cherbourg 5.30am July 11th. Tender arrived 5.40am, bearing Majors Dailey and Kinderman; Capt. Saulnier; Lts. Freeman, Yarborough, Gregory and Moroney; 3 nurses and 2 civilian employees. Train left at 8.22am. Arrived Gare des Invalides, Paris, at 2.15pm. Met by Col. Ellis and members of his staff; a detail of interpreters; nurses.

July 12th. Morning devoted to transaction of personal business. Exchange of money, preparation of laundry, etc. Left hotel by bus at 3pm for Arc de Triomphe. Wreath placed by Mrs. J. M. Frosthelm for party. Other wreathes laid by Mrs. Comeau and Mrs. Greene. Tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent. Dinner at hotel. Evening free.

July 13th. Morning free. Sightseeing in afternoon. Dinner at hotel.

July 14th. Left 7.15am for Verdun via Montmirail - Lunch at Hotel Haute-Mere-Dieu at Chalons s/Marne-Rest stop Modern Hotel at Ste. Menchould. Arrived Verdun 6.15pm. Nouvel Hotel.

July 15th, 16th, 17th. Made daily trips from Verdun to the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery.

July 18th. Lunch at cemetery. Left 2.00pm via Charpentry, Argonne Forrest, Four de Paris, Vienne le Chateau, Vienne la Ville, Somme-Bionne. Arrived Suippes 4pm. Rest stop Hotel de Champagne. Left 4.30pm via Jonchery, St. Hillaire le Grand. Arrived Reims 6.00pm. Hotel Bristol Crystal.

July 19th. Reims and Cathedral in morning. Lunch Hotel Bristol Crystal. Left Reims 1.30pm via Champfleury, Ay, Epernay, Dormans. 5.30pm Chateau Thierry. Rest stop Hostellerie du Benhomme. Left 4.00pm via LeThiolet, Montreuil-aux-Lions, LaFerte-sous-Jouarre. Arrived Paris 6.45pm.

July 20th. Morning free. Lunch at hotel-Notre Dame-Dinner at hotel. Sightseeing night trip.

July 21st. Fontainebleau. Lunch Hotel Legris. Dinner at Paris hotel.

July 22nd. Free or shopping. Lunch at hotel. Napoleon's Tomb.

July 23rd. Louvre - Versailles - Belle Cycliste - Dinner at hotel.

July 24th. Boat train for Cherbourg 10.30am. Arrived Cherbourg 4pm. PRESIDENT HARDING sailed 5.40pm. Arrived New York August 1st.

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard

June 12th, 1930

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida,
Alexandria, Virginia.

Dear Madam:

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

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

For The Officer in Charge:

*Arrived by 1:55 Pm - July 1
Train 126 - Penna RR
St Emery*

Enclosures:
tags.

*Quarter sent alone
George R. Taylor,
1st Lieut., Q.M. Corps,
Assistant
Capt. Wm. Percie Jones
Cabin 37 B
Hunting*

3 bags

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

BERNARD, STANLEY E. M.A.

Party **J**
 Number **1829**

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

MRS. GRACE F. BERNARD

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

ALEXANDRIA, ARLINGTON COUNTY,

..... New York, to **ALEXANDRIA, VA.**
 Home Address

VIRGINIA.

\$ **1.95**

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

New York, to
 Destination

P R R TO WASH - SO TO ALEXANDRIA.

Via

LIMIT - SEP 30-30

AUGUST 2, 1930

.....
 Date of Departure

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	Car	U. S. G. Order No.	Actual Cost
LV	P RR	123	8-2	11:00 A				
* AR	Sev-	29	" "	4:52 P	S-C-10	K8	107-1022514	1.95
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TOTAL

Remarks:

* THRU CAR

Capt Chess

N. BERNARD, MRS. GRACE F.

S.S. HARDING

AUG 1 1930

1839

HOME ALEXANDRIA, AR LINGTON COUNTY
VIRGINIA

R.R. PRR to Washington D.C.

STATION *So to Alexandria Va*

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE

Sept. 30 - '30

Mrs James O'Harlow

Mount Ida

Alexandria

Va.

GBR

WAR DEPARTMENT
HERITAGE, WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS
233 WEST 34TH ST., N. Y., N. Y., ROOM 901

VIA WESTERN UNION

JOS. F. COTTRELL
Major, C.A.C. (DOL.)

August 1, 1930

Mrs. James O'Hanlon
Mt. Ida
Alexandria, Va.

YOUR SISTER ARRIVED SAFE STAYING PENNSYLVANIA HOTEL HOME
SATURDAY TRAIN TWENTY NINE WIRE HOME

COLONEL WILLIAMS

(Mrs. Grace F. Bernard, Party "J" Hotel Pennsylvania)

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Bernard,</i>	<i>B E B</i>	3	<i>258</i>
<i>Stanley E.</i>	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	<i>1</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>40</i>	2	<i>40</i>
	ROW <i>6</i>	2	<i>06</i>
	BLOCK <i>9</i>	1	<i>1</i>
STATE	<i>Missouri</i>	2	<i>29</i>
RANK	<i>Cpl.</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>2</i>	2	<i>02</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>12</i>	3	<i>012</i>
ARM	<i>Field Art</i>	1	<i>3</i>
MARTIAL	<i>yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NAME <i>Bernard,</i>	<i>B E B</i>	3	<i>258</i>
<i>Mrs. Grace F.</i>	STATE <i>Id.</i>	2	<i>54</i>
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>Arlington</i>	2	<i>07</i>
<i>(Mother dead)</i>	CITY <i>M. Ida Alex.</i>	3	<i>002</i>
RELATION	<i>Widow</i>	1	<i>5</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	<i>Yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Good</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	<i>Yes</i>	1	
	<i>Age</i>		

July 29 1930

Daughter

1. Audited
33 OCT 9 1931
MB

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Bernard	3	258 ⁰
BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 40	2	40
	ROW 6	2	06
	BLOCK A	1	1
STATE	Missouri	2	29
RANK	ep1	1	2
DIVISION	2	2	02
ORGANIZATION	12	3	012
ARM	Field Art.	1	3
MARITAL	yes	1	1
NAME		3	
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	dead	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
29/514			

Audited
 OCT 9 1931
MBS

QM 295 A-M
Bernard, Stanley E. 1232 W

August 6, 1950.

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida, Alexandria,
Virginia.

Dear Madam:

I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of the testimonial expressing your appreciation to the United States Government, which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS Harding were so kind as to send me regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe.

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

With sincere appreciation of the sentiments expressed by you, I am

Sincerely yours,

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

NAME Bernard, Mrs. Grace

ADDRESS Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Arlington Co.,
Virginia

DATE _____

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

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

SINCERELY,

(SIGNED) Mrs. Grace Ferree Bernard

WAR DEPARTMENT

=====
OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE \$300.



NOTIFY
YOUR
CORRESPONDENTS
OF CHANGE
OF ADDRESS

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

STATE

VIRGINIA.....

BERNARD, STANLEY E.

Mt. Ida,
Alexandria,NAME ^{W.} Bernard, Mrs. Grace F' HOME ADDRESS Arlington CountyNAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN *Mrs. J. O'Hanlon same*ARRIVAL IN NEW YORKDATE *July 1* HOTEL *A. W. A.* ROOM NO. *1934*DEPARTURE NEW YORK

S/S AMERICA

DATE JUL 2 1930 VESSEL CABIN NO. *208-B*DESTINATION *Cherbourg, France* CEMETERY Meuse-Argonne.....

RETURN NEW YORK

AUG 1 1930

DATE

W.

St. Ida

Alexandria,

Arlington Co, Va.

NAME Bernard, Mrs. Grace F.

HOME ADDRESS

RETURN ON S. S.

S/S HARDING

HOTEL

PENNSYLVANIA

ROOM NO.

144

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE AUG 2 1930

ROAD Penn

TRAIN 123

CAR 158

BERTH or SEAT SL 10

REMARKS

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MEDICAL RECORD

Party J

Station: Verdun

E. Harper, R.N.

Date: July 15, 1930

Name Bernard, Mrs. Grace

Home address Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

Address of Nearest friend or relative Mrs. James O'Hanlon Sister,
same address

Religion Prot. Age not given

History of Present complaint: July 21th, Nervous and Nauseated
Bromide tab .i

7/24/30 to Cherbourg, Beach.

(over)

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Diagnosis and complications : (*include dates*)

Treatment and Progress : (*include dates*)

Disposition : (*include dates*)

Remarks :

AUG 1 1930

O.K.

S. S. HARDING

Thomas Leonard M.D.

MEDICAL RECORD

Party: "J"

S. S. HARDING

Eastbound
* Westbound

Name BERNARD, Mrs.

Home Address

Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Religion

Age

History of present complaint:

July 26, 1930--Pyorrhea--Cabin
27, Headache "

(OVER)

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

Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks:

1967

America 7-2-30

1232

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

Mrs Grace F Bernard
(Signature or name of addressee.)

X
(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, 6/5, 1920

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 927190

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERY OFFICE



AND DATE OF DELIVERY

O. M. GENERAL

Return to

Street and P.
or Post O.

1967-c

1232

RETURN RECEIPT

America 7/2/30

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

(Signature or name of addressee.)

Mrs. J. O. [unclear]

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, 6/11, 1928

Form 3811

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Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 927516

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

Return to Q. M. GENERAL

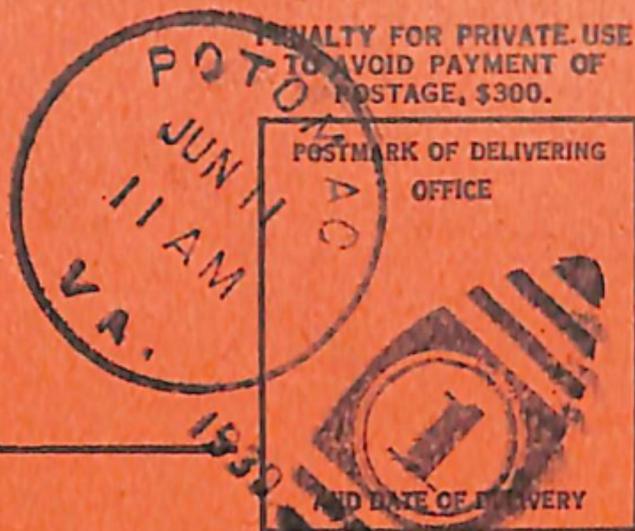
(NAME OF SENDER)

*Street and Number,
or Post Office Box,* _____

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-1

Bernard, Stanley E. 1232

June 16, 1930

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida, Alexandria,
Virginia.

Dear Madam:

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bernard, Stanley E. - 1232 W

June 9, 1930.

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. _____ in the
amount of \$ _____, 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.

339,089

5.00

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.

Howard, Stanley E. 1232 W

June 7, 1930

Mrs. Grace E. Howard
Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

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. Alexandria	So By	No. 40	7:50 AM (ET)	July 1
Ar. New York	" "	" 126	1:55 PM (ET)	" 1

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 12, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bernard, Stanley E. -1232 W
America 7-2

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida
Alexandria, Virginia.

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.

Mrs. James O'Hanlon
Name
"Mt Ida" Alexandria Va
Address *Noted*

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Env.



Q.M. 293. a. c. ⁱⁿ J-5
Bernard Stanley E. 1232.

R. E. Shannon.
Capt. Q.M. Corps - assistant.
Washington. D.C.

Dear Sir:
your letter,
regarding my passport
for use in connection
with my pilgrimage

to the American
cemeteries in Europe,
just received

I wish to state
that I have attended
to this matter,

very truly yours-

(Mrs.) Grace F. Bernard.

"Mt Ida"

Alexandria Va

June 7th

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bernard, Stanley E. 1232 W

April 17, 1930.

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida.,
Alexandria, Va.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

America

7/2/30

1232

✓

Bernard Stanley Co.

I accept.....

(Accept or decline)

the invitation extended

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

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard

(Name)

Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Arlington Co., Va.

(Town or City)

(State)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929

Bernard, Stanley E. 1232 W

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mount Ida,
Alexandria, Virginia.

Dear Madam:

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

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

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligble?	➤ (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 <u>33</u> Health <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Good) <input type="checkbox"/> (Poor)	
5. What language do you speak?	English <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes) <input type="checkbox"/> (No) Other language <u>no</u> (Specify language spoken)	

For The Quartermaster General

Very truly yours,

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

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John J. Harris.

Major G. M. Corps. 293 A-C-
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir;

your letter of the
27th inst. received, asking
whether or not my
late husband, Cpl. Stanley
E. Bernard - Bty E. 12th W.A.
is survived by a mother -
would state that he
own

is not survived by a
mother of any kind.

Very truly yours -

(Mrs.) Grace F. Bernard -

"Mt Ida" -

Alexandria Va.

June 28th '29 -

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bernard, Stanley E.

June 27, 1929.

**Mrs. Grace Bernard,
Mt. Ida,
Alexandria, Va.**

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late **Cpl. Stanley E. Bernard, Bty. E. 12th F.A.** whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Bernard, Stanley E. 1232 W

August 6, 1930.

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida, Alexandria,
Virginia.

Dear Madam:

I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of the testimonial expressing your appreciation to the United States Government, which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS Harding were so kind as to send me regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe.

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

With sincere appreciation of the sentiments expressed by you, I am

Sincerely yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-1

Bernard, Stanley E. 1232

June 16, 1930

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida, Alexandria,
Virginia.

Dear Madam:

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bernard, Stanley E. 1232-W

June 12, 1930.

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida,
Alexandria, Va.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Bernard, Stanley E. 1232 W

June 7, 1930

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard
Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

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. Alexandria	So Ry	No. 40	7:50 AM (ET)	July 1
Ar. New York	" "	" 126	1:55 PM (ET)	" 1

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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WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bernard, Stanley E. - 1232

June 4, 1930.

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida,
Alexandria, Va.

Dear Madam:

This office has not yet received your passport for use in connection with your pilgrimage to the American Cemeteries in Europe.

It is imperative that EVERY mother or widow making this pilgrimage, whether an American citizen or not, have a passport issued and in the hands of this office before she begins her trip.

Please comply as early as possible with the instructions shown in form letter attached, or if you have heretofore taken this action advise this office to that effect.

Should the clerk of the court not have been furnished with "Special Pilgrimage Passport" applications, please request him to take the matter up at once with the Passport Bureau, Room 170, State, War and Navy Building, Washington, D. C., and he will be furnished with these forms.

The person to whom you should apply is the Clerk of the Circuit Court at Clarendon, Arlington Co., Va.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 12, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bernard, Stanley E. -1232 W
America 7-2

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida
Alexandria, Virginia.

Dear Madam:

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

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

Name

Address

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Bernard, Stanley E.
IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bernard, Stanley E. 12327
Aurora 7-2

May 6 1930

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
St. Jan,
Alexandria, Va.

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

April 17, 1930.

Bernard, Stanley E. 1232 W

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida.,
Alexandria, Va.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to QM 293 A-C

Bernard, Stanley E. 1232-W

March 28, 1930

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida,
Alexandria, Virginia.

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

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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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Bernard, Stanley E. 1232 W

**Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mount Ida,
Alexandria, Virginia.**

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bernard, Stanley E.

June 27, 1929.

Mrs. Grace Bernard,
Mt. Ida,
Alexandria, Va.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late Cpl. Stanley E. Bernard, Sty. E. 12th F.A. whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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In reply refer to:
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#64928

November 29, 1922.

Mrs. Grace Bernard,
Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of the late Corporal Stanley E. Bernard, Battery "E", 12th Field Artillery, is Grave #40, Row #6, Block A, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Imagne-sous-Montfaucon, Department of Meuse, France. This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries.

to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The headstones will be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action or request on the part of relatives.

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

Very truly yours,

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DEC 1 - 1922

H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

G.R.S.

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Bernard, Stanley E. 129 171
(Surname) (Christian name in full.) (Army serial number.)
Cpl, Btry, 12 FA
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased Wife

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? yes
(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you } no
wish them interred in a national cemetery? }
(Yes or no.)

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

Father W. Bernard, Well Fargo. Western Union
(Name of person to receive remains) (Express office.) (Telegraph office.)
Pattonburg Mo.
(Number and street.) (City or town.) (State.)

"mt Ida" (Sign here) Mrs. Grace Ferree Bernard.
Alexandria - Virginia -
(Number and street or rural route.) (City, town, or post office.) (State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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[Handwritten signature]

Brown Bay MICS
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MT

DATE 3/9/22.

1. NAME BERNARD, Stanley E SERIAL No. 129171

RANK Cpl ORGANIZATION Bty E 12th F.A.

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Amer Romagne-s-Montfaucon 1232 Sec.2

CTY. NAME NUMBER

153 Sec.2 3

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 7 Baa, Fleville, Ardennes

GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35 NW 281.9 N 299.0 E

CONCENTRATED TO 3/19/19 153 Sec 2 3

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Meuse Argonne Cemetery 1232

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

None available.

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SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

ccg. DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR *M. B. Birdseye* M. B. BIRDSEYE

1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 3/9/22. 40 6 A.

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

AUDITED BY

S&B 9/21/22

Meuse-Argonne Amer.Cty.#1232 Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse)

CEMETERY

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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF BERNARD, Stanley E. SERIAL NUMBER 129171
RANK Cpl. ORGANIZATION Bty. E. 12th F.A.

2. Disinterred (date): Mar 9, 1922 From (give complete location): gr 155, sec 2, plot 3. Cty. 1252.

By : Group 6 Unit sec 1

3. Reburied (date): Mch 9, 1922, Meuse Argonne Cty 1232, gr 40, bl A, row 6
In (give complete location):

By : Group Reburial S Unit unlined casket Nature of reburial

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
wooden box and burlap and U.S. uniform, badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

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

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

tag on body and tag on peg checks.

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

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

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do CRV.

(d) Hair on face—Color do

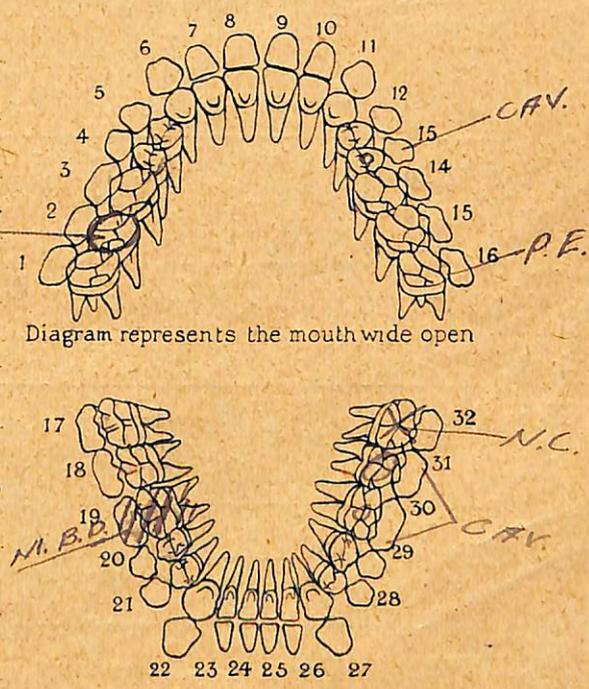
Location do

Quantity do

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

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

none visible.



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7. Disinterment supervised by E. J. Frank
E. J. Frank

Approved: I. H. Joffe
I. H. Joffe, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by W. B. Sheild
W. B. Sheild

Approved: A. E. Dewey
A. E. Dewey, 1st Lt, QMC.
(Title)

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".

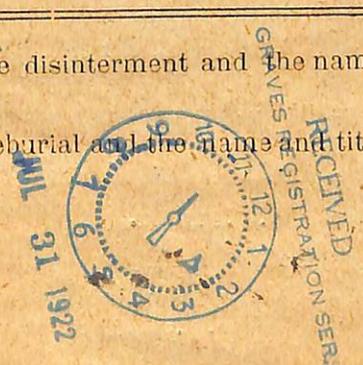
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No 6.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

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

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

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



REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

64928

Remains of:

Name: BERNARD, Stanley E.

Number:

Rank: Pvt.

Organization:

Bat. E 12th., F. A.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

19th., March, 1919

Grave #7 B.A.Cty. FLEVILLE, ARDENNES

Map. 35 N., W. E. 299. N. 281.9

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

19th., March, 1919

Grave #153 Section #2 Plot #3

Amer. B.A.Cty. #1232 ROMAGNE, MEUSE

Map. 35 N. E. E. 308. N. 285.

1232

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

Burial very poor Body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No

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: Gove S. Wright, 2nd. Lt.

R. H. ROSENTHAL
2nd Lieut. C.M.G.U.S.A.

C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

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FORMED No D

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE March 9 1922

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 BERNARD, Stanley E
 2. No. 129171
 3. Rank Cpl
 4. Org. Bty E 12th Fld Arty
 5. D.D. 11-1
 6. C.D. KIA

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

153 2

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. Sec.
 8. Plot 3 Row
 9.

15. Grave No. Sec.
 16. Plot Row
 17. none

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer
 Meuse
 20. Dept. or County

19. Commune or town Romagne-s-Montfaucon
 France
 21. Country

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 Sec. 2

23. Disinterred (Date) March 9 1922

By E J Frank

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Stanley Stanley E Bernard Serial No. 129171
 Rank Cpl Organization Bty E 12th Fld Arty.

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

J C Annabel
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

J C Annabel

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).

Tag on body and tag on peg check.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial Wooden box burla and uniform

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 March 9 1922 By E J Frank

31. Casket sealed by E J Frank

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor *E J Frank*
 E J Frank

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SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.)

Box No.

32. Designation of body:

Name Stanley E Bernard

Serial No. 129171

Rank Cpl

Organization Bty E 12th Fld Arty

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) March 9 1922

By E J Frank

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

I H Joffe
I H Joffe 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) March 9 1922

CC

To point of Concentration Meuse Romagne

Convoyer H E Dunton

Signature Shipping Officer

G F Spann
G F Spann, Capt. QMC

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery

Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer

(Name

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred, Meuse Argonne Cty 1232, Mch 9, 1922

(Date

42. Grave No. 40

Section

43. ~~Box~~ Block A

Row

6

G.R.S. Representative

A E Dewey
A.E. Dewey, 1st Lt, QMC.

no case

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON

4-11/1921

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APR 15 1921

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.

To: Mrs. Grace F. Bernard, Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

SUBJECT: Remains of Cpl. Stanley E. Bernard, Ser. No. 129171, Bty E, 12th FA

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named soldier
~~be returned to the United States and shipped to Luther W. Bernard,~~

~~Pattonburg, Mo.~~ *Remain in France*

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,
Colonel, Q. M. G.

5/17/21 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM NO. *300* TO EUROPE-BODY TO REMAIN *5/24/21*

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

~~Was soldier married?~~



NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow <i>Grace F. Bernard</i>	<i>"Mt Ida"</i>	<i>Alexandria</i>	<i>Va</i>
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)	1 <i>none</i>		
Father	<i>Luther W. Bernard (still living)</i>	<i>Mc Fall</i>	<i>Mo</i>
Mother	<i>(not living)</i>		
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	1 <i>Lester W. Bernard (still living)</i>	<i>Mc Fall</i>	<i>Mo</i>
	2 <i>Donald D. Bernard (still living)</i>	<i>Mc Fall</i>	<i>Mo</i>
	3 <i>none</i>		
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	1 <i>none</i>		
	2		
	3		

Date *May 2nd 1921*

Signature *Grace F. Bernard*

Address *"Mt Ida" - Alexandria, Va.*

Relationship *Widow*

May 2nd 1921, 1921

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MAY 16 1921

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

1. ~~As stated on first page of this sheet.~~

2. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to~~ -----
Cemeterial Division
(Name.) Overseas Project Sub-Section

(R. R. station.) ----- (State.)

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

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

Signature Grace F. Bernard

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.
2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.
3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT of kin IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.
4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest next of kin in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.
6. If YOU are not the nearest next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
7. If YOU are not the nearest living next of kin and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

NOTE.—INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS will be issued by this office upon the properly executed authority of the legal next of kin in each case. The widow is the first person having disposition of the remains of her husband. Should there be no widow or children, the father and, in turn (upon his decease), the mother, is the proper authority. The brothers, in order of seniority, and then the sisters in order of seniority, if there are no brothers, rank next in authority to decide. Under an opinion rendered by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, if a widow has remarried she forfeits her right, and the next of kin as given above will make decision.

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #64928

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BERNARD, Stanley E. Ser. No. 129171
 (b) Rank Cpl Organization Bty. E, 12th F.A.
 (c) Date of death 11/1/18 (d) Cause of death K/a

TYP. evs
 CKR. ES

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

(a) Grave No. 153 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 2 TYP. evs
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Grace Bernard (Wife), Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

OK Date of receipt -
 (a) Name Mrs Grace Louise Bernard (b) Relationship Wife
 (c) Address Mt Ida - Alexandria - Va
 (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. Luther W. Bernard
Pattersonburg - Mo
W & Exp & W U Sele
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. -

Examiner's Initials ees Date 3-14-21, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials ees Date 3-14-21, 1920.

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

Mrs Grace Bernard - wife
Mt Ida - Alexandria - Va - 1-20-19
no req for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes

Examiner's Initials ees Date 3-14-21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-- Sec. 2 SHEET No. 14

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

CARDED

AP 3/26/21

Handwritten notes and signatures:
 3/16/21
 [Signature]

GENERAL DIVISION

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VI. G. R. S. Form No. 414 made 3-23-21, 1920.

Typed by _____, Checked by *ait*, 3-23-21, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on **MAR 23 1921**, 1920

Sec. II

Par. #1 To Be Returned

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IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

ACTION TAKEN.

Desires body be _____

Body to be shipped to _____

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

5/11/21 wire from Mrs Grace I Bernard (wife) "Remains to be left in France" St 5/27/21 J Form 129 to hold body, two Wash. 5/12/21 B. T.

5/17/21 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM NO. 300 TO EUROPE-BODY TO REMAIN 5/24/21

Let from Europe 6/8/21 states return cancelled as per cable ^{att} 10/29/21

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, AND SHIPMENT OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records Office Chief G. R. S.

Discrepancy found upon examination of body.

1. Name BERNARD, Stanley E.
 2. No. 129171
 3. Rank Cpl.
 4. Org Bty. E, 12th F.A.
 5. D. D. 11/1/18
 6. C. D. K/A

10. Name _____
 11. No. _____
 12. Rank _____
 13. Org _____
 14. (a) D. D _____
 15. (b) D. B _____

Discrepancy found upon disinterment.

7. Grave No. 153 Sec. 2
 8. Plot 3 Row --
 9. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. _____

Cancelled

18. Cemetery Argonne Amer.

19. Commune or town Romegne-sous-Montfaucon

20. Department or county Meuse

21. Country France

22. G. R. S. Headquarters Code No. 1232-Sec. 2.

23. Disinterred _____
(Date.)

By _____

24. Inscription on grave marker { Name _____ Serial No. _____
 Rank _____ Organization _____

25. Was identification disk found on grave marker? _____ On body? _____

Signature of Junior Technical Assistant.

(The following space is reserved for notations to be made by office Chief Graves Registration Service.)

3-7721

Sec. 2, cable ref. no. 14.

(OVER)

PREPARATION

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

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MAY 16 1921

27. Condition of body.....

Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

28. Nature of burial.....

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

30. Body prepared and placed in casket..... (Date.) By.....

31. Casket sealed by

Signature of Embalmer (Supervisor).....

SHIPMENT (Show actual marking of box.) Box No.

32. Designation of body { Name BERNARD, Stanley E. Serial No. 129171
Rank Cpl. Organization Bty. E, 12th F.A.

33. CONSIGNEE—Name Luther W. Bernard,
Address Pattonsburg, Mo. (W.F. Exp. & W.U. Teleg.)

34. Casket boxed and marked..... (Date.) By.....

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.....

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from cemetery..... (Date.) To..... (Point of concentration.)

Convoyer..... Signature Shipping Officer.....

38. Received at point of concentration..... (Date.)

Signature Receiving Officer.....

39. Shipped from point of concentration..... (Date.)

To..... (Port.) Convoyer.....

Signature Shipping Officer.....

40. Received European port..... (Date.)

Signature of G. R. S. Representative.....

41. Shipped to..... (U. S. port.) On..... (Boat.)

Date..... Convoyer..... (Signature of Shipping Officer.)

42. Received..... (Date.) By G. R. S. Representative..... (Signature.)

43. Shipped to destination..... (Date.) { B/L or Express Order No.

Convoyer..... { Shipping Officer.....

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #64928

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BERNARD, Stanley E. Ser. No. 129171
 (b) Rank Cpl Organization Bty. E, 12th P.A.
 (c) Date of death 11/1/18 (d) Cause of death K/a

} TYP. evs
ES.

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

(a) Grave No. 153 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 2 TYP. evs
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Grace Bernard (Wife), Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va.

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

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

A. G. O. Card; Mrs. Grace Terree Bernard, Wife, Mt. Ida - Alexandria - Va. desires body returned to U.S. and shipped to Luther H. Bernard, Pattonburg, Mo.

H.S. 3-25-21

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 letter of transmittal on MAR 23 1921, 192

Sec. II

Par. #1 To Be Returned

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VI. Form 115 forwarded to G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J., APR 11 1921, 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source.	Relationship and name.	Desires.	Action taken.
<i>May 7, 1921</i>	<i>Widow (5/1/21)</i>	<i>To remain</i>	<i>5/17/21 Europe advised</i>
<i>Form 129</i>	<i>Mrs. Grace T. Bernard</i>	<i>in issue</i>	<i>by proposed cable</i>
			<i>300 - To remain -</i>
			<i>5/20/21 GS</i>

Let from Europe 6/8/21 states return cancelled as per cable ^{att} 10/29/21

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

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

AR 3/26/21

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION



TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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ALEXANDRIA VA 945A 1

GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

PIER NO 2 HOBOKEN NJ

ADVISE REMAINS OF CORPORAL STANLEY F BERNARD SER NUMBER TWELVE

NINETY ONE SEVENTY ONE BATTERY F TWELFTH FIELD ARTILLERY REMAIN

IN FRANCE

MRS GRACE F BERNARD.

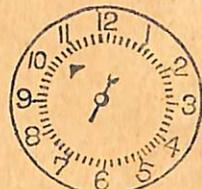
*Noted on 115
24 5/27/21 J*

1921 MAY 1 PM 12 35

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GEMETERIAL DIVISION
CORRESPONDENCE BR.



HOBOKEN, N. J.

5/17/21 PROPOSED CABLEGRAM NO. 300 TO EUROPE-BODY TO REMAIN 5/24/21 1921

G.R.S. FORM 129
Transmittal Supplementary Advice
Hoboken to Washington

WAR DEPARTMENT
QUARTERMASTER CORPS
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
HOBOKEN, N. J.

May 7, 1921.

From: Graves Registration Officer, Hoboken, New Jersey.
To: Quartermaster General, Cemeterial Division, Washington, D. C.
Subject: Supplementary Advice concerning:

Name Bernard, Stanley E. Ser. No. 129171

Rank Corporal Organization Bty. E, 12th P.A.

Cemetery No. 1232-Sec. 2 Cable Reference No. (Sheet No.) 14

Request shown below dated May 1, 1921 is latest in this case:

Name of Relative Return Remain Special

to in
FRANCE

Widow Mrs. Grace F. Bernard, Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Virginia.

Children _____

Guardian _____

Father _____

Mother _____

Brother _____

Sister _____

Others _____

MAILED
MAY 7 1921

Body to be shipped to or for interment in: Permanent American Cemetery

hrw/

Cable
~~Letter~~ May 17, 1921 forwarding advice to Europe dispatched _____ 1921.

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R-5-19-21cm

May 12, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div.Cor.Br.

Re: Bernard, Stanley E., Corporal,
Serial Number 129171,
Battery E, 12th Field Art.

Mrs. Grace F. Bernard,
Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Virginia.

Dear Madam:

Your telegram dated May 1, 1921, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France for burial in a permanent American cemetery has been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C., for necessary action.

The Cemeterial Division, Washington, D. C., will furnish you the grave location in the permanent American cemetery as soon as possible after the body has been placed therein.

The Department desires to renew its previous expression of sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

BY:

B. F. C. PALIAS,
Executive Assistant.
12ms

ms/m

MAILED
MAY 13 1921
COR. BR. C. R. S.

2 # NO NUMBER

3 NAME BERNARD STANLEY E.

4 RANK PVT. 12 F.A. U.S.A.

5 X

6 X BATTLE AREA GEMETERY

7 FLEVILLE

MEUSE

8 GRAVE NO. 7

PLOT D

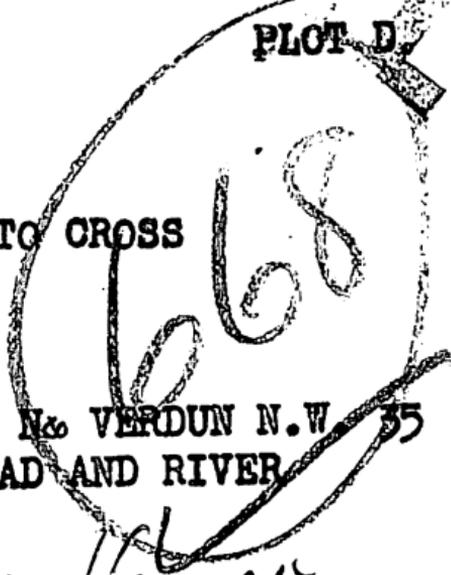
9 CROSS

10 TAG ATTACHED TO CROSS

11 X

12 299.0 E. 281.9 N & VERDUN N.W. 35
BETWEEN ROAD AND RIVER

13 X



SIGNED *Orville Hamilton*

GROUP 2

G.R.S. 305

SKETCH #67

Orville Hamilton
8.6.0

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

64928
Bernard (no #) Stanley E.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. Bat. E. 12 F. A.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *Nov. 1 - 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL *Fleville*

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

*American Plot,
Dept of Ardennes*

GRAVE NUMBER *Many buried, but no # started.*

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

Headboard? *yes* Bottle? *yes*

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *yes*

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

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

*sent GRS Form #9 - 1/18/19
for corrections*

REPORTED BY: *H. W. Randall*
Chaplain 317th Infantry
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Amos E. F.

Very sincerely yours.

Mrs. Grace Bernard,
Alexandria, Va.
Mt Ida -

Jan. 20 '19 -



Photo Forwarded 004.5
● 64928

Chief of the Graves Registration Service.
Dear Sir;

Kindly fill

application for Photograph
of the grave of my husband,
Corp. Stanley Elliott Bernard,
12. 7. a. Batt. E.

Thanking you for
your kindness, I am