

Broderick.

(Surname.)
Pvt.

John Joseph

(Christian name in full.)

1,738,881

(Army serial number.)

Co L, 309 Inf .

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

No

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you

wish them interred in a national cemetery?

No

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Mrs. Mary Broderick

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

10 Oxford Av. Jersey City, New Jersey

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by PF

4-1-21

1232 - Sec 21 - 23

checked H/V

4-1-21



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G.R.S. Form #114-B

To The A. C. C.

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JR MAY 14 1926

FULL NAME BRODERICK, John J.

RANK Pvt. *OK* SERIAL 1738881 *OK*

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION Co. L, 30.9th. Inf. *OK 78 Div*

DATE OF DEATH *Oct 16/18*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *n J*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED.

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 8 16 D
Grave Row Block

Meuse-Argonne, #1232

Cemetery



Robert G. Dorris
Major General,
The Adjutant General.
MAY 19 1926



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M 9A 10/16 CC 3470 12/9

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Broderick **1 738 881** **John J.**
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Private
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL: **Nov. 6 1918**

PLACE OF DEATH: **87.4 - 96.3**

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

Buzancy Map No. 79

GRAVE NUMBER:

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

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? **yes**

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Chaplain Friedman **77th Division**
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: BRODERICK, John J.

Number: 1738881

Rank: Unkn

Organization: Unkn

79265

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group _____ Unit _____

Disinterred (Date) _____ From: (Give complete location) _____

17th, April 1919. _____ Grave #35 B/A Cemetery _____

CHAMPIGNEULLE, ARDENNES

35 NW 295.7 E 287.2 N

Reburied (Date) _____ in: (Give complete location) _____

17th, April 1919. _____ Grave #14 Plot #1 Section #21. _____

Amer. B/A Cemetery #1232. ROMAGNE, MEUSE.

35 NE 308.16 E. 284.87 N

1232

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

BURIAL Good. Buried in uniform; body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes,

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

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Note:

CONFIRMED N° D

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: Lt. Armitage.

R. H. ROSENTHAL

2nd Lieut. O.M.C.U.S.A.

C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Broderick John J (MA)

July 8 1932

Mrs Mary Broderick
618 Bramhall Ave
Jersey City N J

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Broderick, John J. (M-A) M

September 29, 1931. AL

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Avenue,
Jersey City, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

June 11, 1931.

Broderick, John J. Pvt. (M-A) M

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Ave.,
Jersey City, N. J.

Dear Madam

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Write answer here

Sign here

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 7, 1930.

Broderick, John J. - 1232 H

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Branhall Ave.,
Jersey City, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Broderick, John J. 1232 M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Avenue,
Hersey City, New Jersey.

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,

Encl.
Act
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

Broderick, John J. 1232

September 9, 1929

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Avenue,
Jersey City, N. J.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated August 12, 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

Broderick, John J.

August 12, 1929

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Avenue,
Jersey City, N. J.

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 mother of the late Pvt. John J. Broderick, Co. L. 309th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. Will you 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

June 29, 1929.

Broderick, John J.

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
1 Oxford Ave.,
Jersey City, N.J.

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 mother of the late Pvt. John J. Broderick, Co.L. 309th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY

WASHINGTON

September 9, 1922.

FILE: 293.8 C-R #79265-

SUBJECT: Permanent Grave Location of Private John J. Broderick,
Company L, 309th Infantry.

TO: Mrs. Mary Broderick, 1 Oxford Ave., Jersey City, N.J.

File

1. The permanent grave of this soldier is No. 8 Row 16
Block D, Meuse-Argonne American cemetery at Romagne-sous-Montfaucon,
Department of Meuse, France.

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

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

For the Quartermaster General:

MAILED

SEP 9 1922

GEORGE H. PENROSE,
Assistant.

G.R.S.

ms
PW

jc.

DATE Jan 5th, 1922.

1. NAME BRODERICK, John J. SERIAL No. 1738881

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. I. 309th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. ROMAGNE-ss-MONTFAUCON (Meuse) 1232
 CTY. NAME NUMBER Sec. 21

14 Sec. 21 1
 GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 35 BAC Champignuelles (Ardemes)
 GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35NW, 287.2N, 295.7E

CONCENTRATED TO 4/17/19 14 21 1
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT
Meuse-Argonne 1232.
 CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on body and on cross.

Data Form #1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY
 rf

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY
 SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR W. B. BIRDSEYE
1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Jan 5th, 1922. 8 Block D. 16.
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT
Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty # 1232. Romagne/s/Montfaucon (Meuse).
 CEMETERY

AUDITED BY:
 S a B 7/19/22



INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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.

Place Comagne Sous Montfaucon

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Jan, 4, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF BRODERICK JOHN J. SERIAL NUMBER 1738881
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co., L. 309th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Jan, 4, 1922. From (give complete location):
Gr. 14 sec 21 pt 1 Cem., #1232.

By: Group Strong Unit Sec.1

3. Reburied (date): Jan. 5th, 1922, Grave 8, Block D, Row 16, Cemetery 1232.
 In (give complete location):

By: Group Reburial S Unit Unlined Casket,
 Nature of reburial Nature of reburial

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:
body decomposed unrecognizable. in ununiform, box burlap.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks:
body tag inscribed " John J. Broderick 1738881."

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Imp to det.

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Imp to det.

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) top of base of skull shattered.

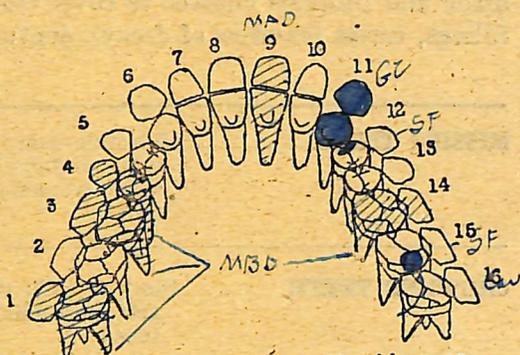
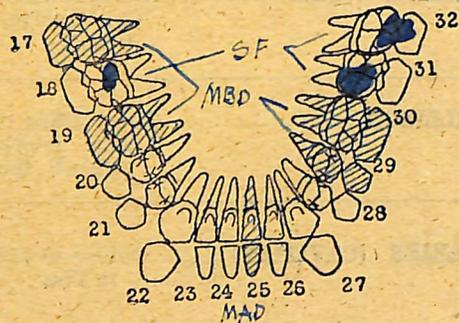


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



7. Disinterment supervised by H. E. Strong

Approved: H. S. Harpole
 H. S. Harpole 1st. Lt. QMC
 (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by A. U. Dufault
 JEL A. U. Dufault, concentration

Approved: James W. Younger
 James W. Younger,
 (Title) Captain Q.M.C.

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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), bicuspid (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.

<p>MISSING TEETH.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :</p>	 <p>TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
<p>CROWNED TEETH.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :</p>	 <p>GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN</p>
<p>BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :</p>	 <p>GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<p>FILLINGS.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :</p>	 <p>SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
<p>CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</p>	 <p>CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED</p>
<p>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."</p>	

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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Jan 4 1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT jc.

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name BRODERICK, John J.
 2. No. 1738881
 3. Rank Pvt.
 4. Org. Co. L. 309th Inf.
 5. D.D. Oct. 16th
 6. C.D. KIA.

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 14 Sec. 21
 8. Plot 1 Row _____
 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty.
 20. Dept. or County Meuse
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232--Sec. 21

19. Commune or town ROMAGNE-s/s-MONTFAUCON
 21. Country France

23. Disinterred (Date) Jan 4 1922

By H E Strong

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name John J Broderick
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. 1738881
 Organization Co L 309th Inf

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

L B Ayers
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

L B Ayers.

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).

None

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable

28. Nature of burial Uniform box and burlap

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 Jan 4 1922 By H E strong

31. Casket sealed by H E Strong

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor H E Strong)

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **C-20373**

32. Designation of body:

Name **John J. BRODERICK** Serial No. **1733331**

Rank **Pvt.** Organization **Co. I. 309th Inf.**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. 1232, ROMAGNE-ss-MONTFAUCON (Meuse)**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Jan 4 1922** By **H S Strong**

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 *H S Harpole*

H S Harpole 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Jan 4 1922** **cc**

To point of Concentration **Morgue Romagne** (Name)

Convoyer **W J Royed** Signature Shipping Officer *G F Spann*

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date **G F Spann, Capt. QMC**

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery (Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred **Meuse Argonne Cemetery 1232, Jan. 5th, 1922,** (Date)

42. Grave No. **a** Section

43. Plot Block **D** Row **16**

G.R.S. Representative *James W. Younger*
James W. Younger, Captain Q.M.C.



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #79265

(a) Name BRODERICK, John J. Ser. No. 1738881

(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. L, 309th Inf.

(c) Date of death 10/16/18 (d) Cause of death K/A

*4/13/22 Examined
for concentration
Mines - Argonne
1232 att 5/8/22*

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

(a) Grave No. 14 Row - Plot 1 Sec. 21 TYP. als

(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mary Broderick, (Mother) #1 Oxford Ave., Jersey City, N.J.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases / CKR. 173

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name Mrs. Mary Broderick (b) Relationship Mother

(c) Address 1 Oxford Ave. Jersey City, N.J.

(d) Remains to be brought to U. S. ? no

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

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

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

Examiner's Initials PF Date 4-1-, 1921

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

_____, dated _____

confirming request in Par. IV., item _____, above, or requesting that _____

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____, 1921

VI. G. R. S. FILES, CORRESPONDENCE—shows as follows: Mother Mrs. Mary Broderick

1 Oxford Ave. J. C. N. J. 2-18-19, No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

Examiner's Initials PF Date 4-1-, 1921

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 21 SHEET No. 23.

CARDED

7-5. 4-14-21

M P

checked 4-1-21 M

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 192

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 192

RECEIVED
APR 28 1921

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
letter on APR 9 1921, 192

Sec # 21

Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned

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IX.

REMARKS

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

See Form 115
Att 5/3/22

File #79265

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BRODERICK, John J. Ser. No. 1738881
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. L, 309th Inf. } TYP. als
 (c) Date of death 10/16/18 (d) Cause of death K/A } WJ

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

(a) Grave No. 14 Row - Plot 1 Sec. 21 TYP. als
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mary Broderick, (Mother) #1 Oxford Ave., Jersey City, N.J.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases _____ CKR. WJ

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 letter of transmittal on APR 9 1921, 192

Sec. # 21

Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned

mch APR 16 1921

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Date of and source.	Relationship and name.	Desires.	Action taken.

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

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

79265

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Broderick **1 738 881** **John J.**
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Private -----
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL: **Nov. 6 1918**

PLACE OF BURIAL: **87.4 - 96.3**

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

Buzancy Map No. 79

GRAVE NUMBER: **0**

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

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS: **A**

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:

..... **E**

NEAREST RELATIVE: **Championville (Caldwell)**

ADDRESS: **(412) SITT 35 New COORIE. 296.3**
7m 287.4

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Chaplain Friedman **77th Division**
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

79265

Broderick John J. #1738881

Buzancy 1/20000 286.95-295.7

(Special #8)

FILE

2. SOLDIER'S NO. 17 8881

3. BRODERICK JOHN J

SURNAME FIRSTNAME

4. UNKNOWN

RANK COMPANY REG'T OR CORPS

5. UNKNOWN IN ACTION

DATE OF DEATH CAUSE

6. UNKNOWN BATTLE FRONT No 3

DATE OF BURIAL CEMETERY

7. NEAR ST JUVIN ARDENNES

TOWN OR COMMUNE DEPARTMENT

8. 30 SKETCH No 21

GRAVE NO PLOT NO OR LETTER

9. NAME PEG CROSS HEAD BOARD BOTTLE

10. BURIED WITH BODY ATTACHED TO MARKER ✓

11. IF NAME UNKNOWN TAGS MISSING GIVE MARKS DESCRIPTION

12. VERDUN NW 30

MAP REFERENCE

287-2 IV 295-7-E

13. GIVE NAME OF CHAPLAIN

SIGNED *James & Madsen & McLaughlin*

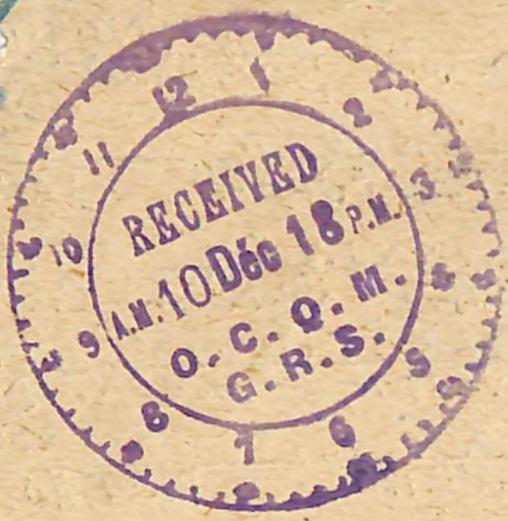
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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-H
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 4-21-21

File No. Requisition

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

NOTED FORM 415
DATE 4-7-21

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

a. Surname BRODERICK, *OK*

f. Date of death 10-16-18 *OK*

✓ b. Christian name John J. *OK*
or (John Joseph)

g. Cause of death K/A *OK*

c. Serial Number 1738881 *OK*

h. Authority (C.O.#)

d. Organization Co. L, 309th Inf. *OK*

~~i. Emergency address~~ *Mrs. Mary Broderick
10xford Ave
Jersey City,
N. J.*

e. Rank Pvt. *OK*

~~j. Relationship~~ *Mother*

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

FILE

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

a. Age of enlistment

a. Strike out teeth missing

b. Color of eyes

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

c. Color of hair

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

d. Height

e. Weight

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

Adjustment Made
APR 11 1921
File No. 79265

*Dannelly (K.E.M.)
Rec'd Sect. 4/4/21
109.8.*

CW

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

CEMETERY NO:

1232-Sec.21

BY:

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

SHEET NO: 23
TYPED BY:

Rec'd World War Div.
Date APR 4 1921

7/713/LML VH.

APR 4 1921

79265

#1 Oxford Av. J.C., W. J.
W.L.A.
Feb. 18, 1919.

Chief, Graves Registration Service;
Dear Sir:

FILE!

I received a very nice letter last Saturday from the Graves Registration Service and I certainly thank them very much for it.

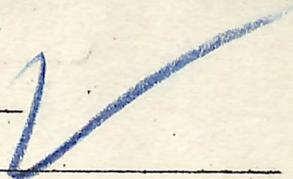
In this letter they sent this address to which I am now writing. I would like very much to have a photograph of my son's grave. He is John J. Broderick, Co. L, 309 Inf.; Died Oct. 16, 1918 and is buried in the American Battle Area Cemetery, Champigneulle (Ardennes), France.

Hoping I will receive it some day, I remain,

Yours respectfully
Mrs. Mary Broderick.

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MAR 5 1949
O.C.O.V.
G.P.S.

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	BRODERICK	3	2 8 5-
	John J		
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	1
	GRAVE	2	08
	ROW	2	16
	BLOCK	1	4
STATE	N.J.	2	35
BANK	Pnt	1	2
DIVISION	78	2	78
ORGANIZATION	309	3	309
ARM	Inf.	1	1
MARTIAL	no	1	2
NAME	BRODERICK	5	2 8 5
	Mrs Mary		
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	35
	COUNTY	2	09
	CITY	3	055
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	1
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	no	1	2

AUDITED

DEC 16, 1981

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Age

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Broderick John J (MA)

July 8 1932

Mrs Mary Broderick
618 Bramhall Ave
Jersey City N J

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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

2 Encls.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933? No

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

Mrs. Mary Broderick

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

~~Bro~~derick, John J. (M-A) M

September 29, 1931.

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Avenue,
Jersey City, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

Mrs. Mary Broderick
Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

June 11, 1931.

Broderick, John J. Pvt. (M-A) M

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Ave.,
Jersey City, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Write answer here

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 7, 1930.

Broderick, John J. - 1232 M

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Ave.,
Jersey City, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

A. D. Hughes
A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, U. S. Army,
Assistant.

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

No. ✓
(Write answer here)



Mary Broderick
(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON



IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Broderick, John J. 1232 M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Avenue,
Jersey City, New Jersey.

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

For The Quartermaster General,



Very truly yours,
O. Q. M. G.

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

Encl.
Act
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Broderick, John J.

August 12, 1929

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
618 Bramhall Avenue,
Jersey City, N. J.

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 mother of the late Pvt. John J. Broderick, Co. L. 309th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?

no

2. If so, give her complete address.

✓

3. Will you make the pilgrimage?

No. unable to travel alone on account of old age.

For The Quartermaster General,



Very truly yours,

John T. Harris

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

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

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Broderick, John J.

Mrs. Mary Broderick,
~~1 Oxford Ave.,~~
Jersey City, N.J.

618 Bramhall Ave,

XC 115-362

7/27 BRM

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 mother of the late Pvt. John J. Broderick, Co.L. 309th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

In the event your son was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is 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

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
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JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.



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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

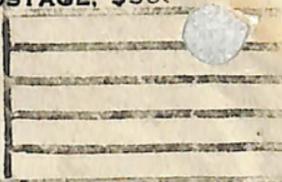
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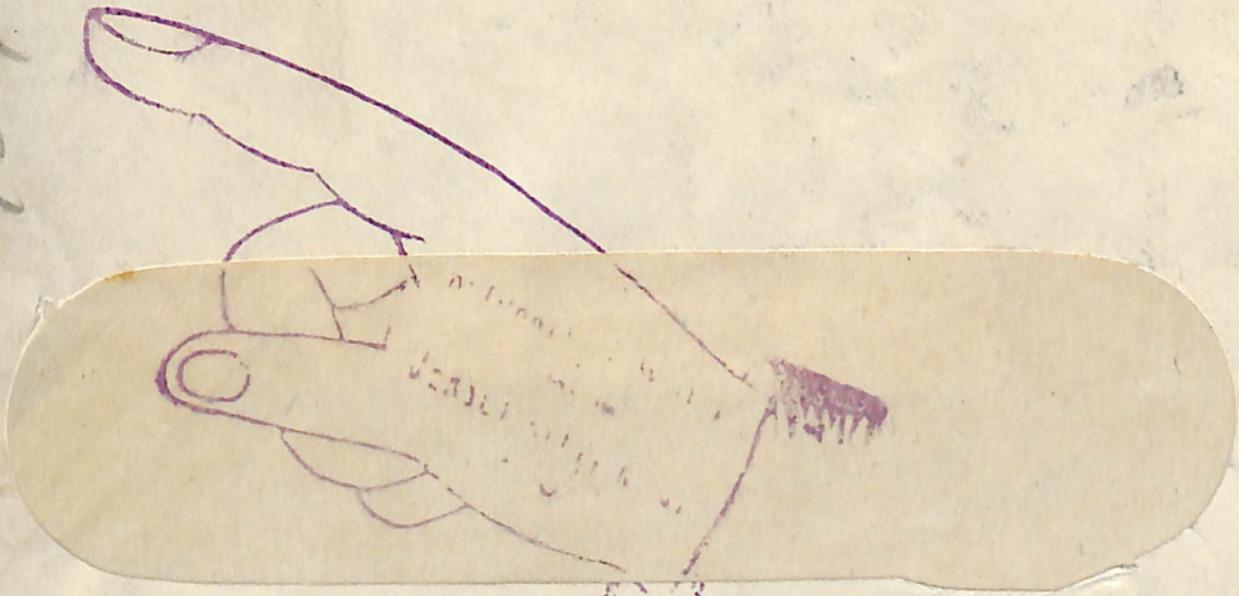
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