

JAN 7 - 1926

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1. NAME BROMLEY, Dewey V. SERIAL No. 1015067

RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Troop I, 15th Cav.

GRAVE LOCATION Am. Cty. St. Malo-de-Brignon (Coetquidan) Morbihan

CTY. NAME NUMBER

31

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 31 Coetquidan Morbihan

As shown by AGRS Form #1-A, Oct. 2, 1919. GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Not given

CONCENTRATED TO Nothing of record

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Nothing of record

DATE OF DEATH Apr 13, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Wash

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED No record

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS None of record

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR Stanley J. Grogan

STANLEY J. GROGAN, CAPT. INF. USA.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 9/13/22 18 38 Block B

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

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

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JAN 7 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

CEMETERY Davis,
Major General,
The Adjutant General
By

AUDITED BY

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.



Bromley, Dewey V. 135.00
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WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU *Pvt.*
ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

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EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY June 7, 1933

Thurston County, State of Washington

Name Bromley, Mrs May (B-18)

Address Rt #4, Box 32 Y, Olympia, Wash.

Route going: No Pac St Paul, CB&Q Chicago, NYC New York

Return: NYC Chicago, CB&Q Denver, D&RGW Ogden, Un Pac Portland, Nor Pac
Stopover at Pueblo, Colo.

Daughter, Mrs May Spregel, 1212 Geary St., San Francisco, Calif. to accompany at own expense.

	ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE
Itinerary going ✓ Lv Olympia	NorPac	464	6:34 PM	June 1
✓ Ar Auburn	"	423	8:38 PM	" "
✓ Lv "	"	2	9:00 PM	" "
Ar St Paul	"	"	10:45 PM	" 3
Lv "	CB&Q	50	11:00 PM	" "
✓ Ar Chicago	"	"	8:55 AM	" 4
✓ Lv "	NYC	6	10:30 AM	" "
✓ Ar New York	"	"	8:30 AM	" 5
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Accommodations: Coach Olympia, Wash to Auburn, Wash. Standard sleeper Auburn, Wash to Chicago, Ill and Chicago, Ill to New York, N Y

Elapsed Time: 82 hrs:56 min.

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Extra Fare:

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201-Bromley, Dewey V.

6th Ind.

S.4-25-19.
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HQ. Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, N. J., April 14, 1919. - To the Chief, Effects Bureau, Port of Embarkation, for necessary action.

By command of Major General SHANKS:

(Sgd) JOHN VERNON,
Captain, A. G.,
Asst. Port Adjutant.

220-86 (Bromley, Dewey V)

7th Ind.

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Office Chief, Effects Bureau, Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, NJ., Apl. 16, 1919.
To the Commanding General, Port of Embarkation, Hoboken.

1. Inventory of Effects received by this office elicits information that Pvt. Dewey V. Bromley, Troop I, 15th Cavalry, died in Camp Hospital #15, A.E.F., on Apl. 13, 1918. As this office does not receive papers in connection with deaths overseas it is impossible to forward Final Statement called for in Paragraph 1: c.

John A. Nelson,
Major Q.V. Corps,
Chief, Effects Bureau.

Copy

3rd Ind.

Hq. P. Of E., Newport News, Va., April 8, 1919. To C. O.
Embalmer Det., Newport News, Va.

1. Forwarded for compliance.

By command of Brigadier General Ferguson:

(Sgd) JOHN R. SAWYER
Major, U. S. A.
Asst. to Adjutant.

JRS/wjk.

4th Ind.

C. O. Embalmer Detachment April 9, 1919. To Port of Adjutant, Newport News, Va.

This office did not handle remains in this case and can therefore not furnish final statement. Information concerning place of death can be obtained from the Chief, Effects Bureau, Hoboken, N. J. to whom all record in this case have been sent.

(Sgd) SYLVAN N. KAHN
2nd Lt. QMC.

5th Ind.

Hdqs., P. Of E., Newport News, Va., April 10, 1919. To- The Commanding
General, Port of Embarkation, Hoboken, N. J..

Forwarded. Attention invited to 4th indorsement.

H. B. FERGUSON
Brig. General, U. S. Army
COMMANDING.

By:

(Sgd) JOHN R. SAWYER,
Major, U. S. A.
Asst. to Adjutant.

JRS/lgc

Copy

Dewey V. Bromley, Private , Troop I, 15th Cavalry
Deceased soldier.

1st Ind.

Hdqs., P. Of E., Newport News, Va., April 4, 1919. To- Commanding
Officer, Embarkation Hospital, Camp Stuart, Va.

For prompt compliance in so far as is practicable, and return
of all papers to this office.

By command of Brigadier General Ferguson:

(Sgd) A. J. PATTERSON,
Major , of Inf., U.S. G.
Asst. to Adjutant.

2nd Ind.

Commanding Officer, Embarkation Hospital, Camp Stuart, Newport News, Va., April 5,
1919. To: Headquarters, Port of Embarkation, Newport News, Va.

1. Returned. There is no record at this office of this man having died
at this hospital.

(Sgd) Wm. S. TERRIBERRY,
Colonel, M. C., U.S.A.
Commanding.

WAR DEPARTMENT
 THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
 WASHINGTON, D.C.

March 31, 1919.

FROM: The Adjutant General of the Army.
 TO: The Commanding General,
 Port of Embarkation, Newport News, Va.
 SUBJECT: Deceased soldier.

1. In the case of Dewey V. Bromley, Private Troop "I", 15th Cavalry, who died April 13, 1918 at the following described reports checked in red ink, required by and prepared in the manner indicated in paragraph 83½, Army Regulations, which have not been received, will be forwarded to this office without delay:

- (a) Report of death in triplicate (Form No. 415, A.G.O.)
- (b) Report of board of officers.
- (c) Final statement (Form No. 370, War Department).
- (d) Inventory of effects in duplicate (Form No. 34, A.G.O.)

2. Proper signature will be affixed to the final statement; Form 415; inventory of effects.

3. The paper or papers herewith returned for correction, incorrectly state or fail to state:

- (a) Whether or not the death of the soldier occurred in line of duty, and was or was not the result of his own wilful misconduct.
- (b) Date and place of death of soldier.

4. The original report of the board of officers will be forwarded to replace the carbon copy which has been received.

5. The accompanying proceedings of the board of officers are returned herewith for the action of the convening authority.

By order of the Secretary of War:

P. C. HARRIS,
 The Adjutant General.

M. M.
 Per.....

SUBJECT (PRINCIPAL OR CROSS REFERENCE).

Bromley ⁵²²² Army
Co. "I" 15th Cav.
Inquiry

CONSOLIDATED INDEX CARD.

 This card must not be taken from the Record Room.

CONSOLIDATED ENTRIES:

Entered on list

France

Bromley, Dewey V.

Pvt., Troop I, 15th Cavalry.

Died April 13, 1918, Amexforce, of
broncho-pneumonia.

Emergency address: Mrs. May
Bromley, mother, Bickleton, Wash.

A.G.O. 5/16/18

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Write nothing below this line.

QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

September 15, 1933.

Mrs. May Bromley,
Rt. #4, Box #32-Y,
Olympia, Wash.

Dear Mrs. Bromley:

I am in receipt of the letter of July 2nd wherein you and the other mothers and widows who sailed on the S. S. Washington, June 7th, express your appreciation for the pilgrimage you made to the cemeteries of Europe.

It is gratifying to know that your trip was entirely satisfactory, and that the officers of the Army and the nurses 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 was materially lightened by the wonderful spirit of cooperation and consideration shown by the mothers and widows.

With sincere appreciation of your complimentary remarks regarding the conduct of the pilgrimage, I am

Very truly yours,

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

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1933 SEP - 16 - AM 11:00

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Bromley, Dewey V. S.N. 1015067
Pvt., Troop I, 15th Cav.
Son

July 26, 1933

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route 4, Box 32,
Dear Madam, Olympia, Wash.

In compliance with your recent request,
instructions have been issued to forward you a
flag in honor of the above named decedent, pro-
vided a flag has not previously been furnished
for him.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Colonel, Q.M. Corps,
Assistant.

Copy to Commanding Officer, Washington, Q.M. Depot, Washington, D. C.
With instructions to furnish flag.

EM/vd

1933 JUL -26- PM 1:34

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American Gold Star Mothers

OF THE WORLD WAR, INC.
NEW YORK STATE



Headquarters: Pennsylvania Hotel, Seventh Avenue and 33rd Street, New York City

Quarter Master General
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have been informed that I am entitled to an American flag from the Government in memory of

my beloved Son SON OR DAUGHTER Name of Deceased Dewey Volley Bromley

Address of Deceased Bickleton, Wash.
NUMBER STREET CITY STATE

Army, Navy, Marine Private Troop 1. 15th. Cavalry
RANK REGIMENT COMPANY

Stationed at France

Lost at Sea Among the Missing Or Unknown

Place and Date of Death France April 13 1918

Where Buried Aisne-American Cemetery, France

Name of Mother Mrs May Bromley

Address Rout 4 - Box 32 Olympia, Wash.
NUMBER STREET CITY STATE

I will be very grateful if same will be forwarded to me.

Respectfully yours,

Mrs. May Bromley
Olympia
Wash.
R. 4 - Box 32

RECEIVED

I will be very grateful if some will be forwarded to me.



Address

Name of Mother

Where Buried

Place and Date of Death

Lost at Sea

Among the Missing

Of Unknown

Registered at

Army, Navy, Marine

Address of Deceased

and Deceased

I have been informed that I am entitled to an American flag from the Government in memory of

Dear Sir:

Washington, D. C.
United States District

NO PAY WILL BE MADE FOR THIS SERVICE UNLESS YOU HAVE RECEIVED A LETTER FROM THE GOVERNMENT



NEW YORK BRANCH

OF THE AMERICAN FLAG CO., INC.

American Flag and Hat Company

QM 293 AM
Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)
April 29, 1933

Northern Pacific train No.464 at 6:34 PM, June 1, arriving in Auburn, Wash. at 8:38 PM and leaving there on the Northern Pacific No. 2 at 9:00 PM, June 1. From Olympia to Auburn you will be furnished coach accommodations and from Auburn to Chicago and Chicago to New York you will be furnished a lower berth. Railroad and pullman tickets will be delivered to you about a week before your departure and it is suggested that your daughter take your tickets with her when she makes her reservations in order that she may secure pullman accommodations in the same car and the same routing.

Arrangements have been made with the Roosevelt Steamship Co. for you and your daughter to occupy the same room aboard the boat on both the going and the return journeys.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

JAS. H. Leubach,
Lieut. Colonel, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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1933 MAY - 1 - PM 2:59
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QM 293 AM
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

April 29, 1933

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route 4, Box 32, Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 20, with further reference to your daughter, Mrs. May Spiegel, accompanying you when you make a pilgrimage to the Oise Aisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S.S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

You no doubt have now received letter from this office dated April 26, advising that arrangements will be made for your daughter to be quartered with you at the hotels in New York and Paris at her own expense.

It is regretted to advise that transportation to and from the cemeteries, and sight-seeing trips in and around Paris, are accomplished by busses that are chartered by the Government for official use only, and it would not be possible for this office to authorize transportation of your daughter in these busses. However, it is understood that the American Express Co., 11 rue Scribe, Paris, is prepared to make arrangements for trips that will parallel the routes to be followed in Europe by the mothers and widows so that they will arrive at various points in the itinerary at approximately the same time. It is suggested that you take this matter up with the American Express Co. immediately upon your arrival in Paris.

Should there be any extra space in one of the busses chartered for the pilgrims, the Officer in Charge, Paris, may be able to permit your daughter to accompany you on the same bus at her own expense.

You will be furnished a round-trip Summer Tourist ticket from Olympia to New York City and return to Olympia. The going route will be Northern Pacific to St. Paul, C B & Q to Chicago, New York Central, New York; returning New York Central, Chicago, C B & Q Denver, D & R G W to Ogden, Union Pacific to Portland, Northern Pacific to Olympia. You will leave Olympia on the

QM 293 A-M
Branley, Dewey V. (QA)

April 26, 1933

Mrs. May Bremley,
Route 4, Box 17,
Olympia, Wash.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 20th, making inquiry as to whether you could make a cash payment to cover your daughter's expenses before you leave for France.

It is regretted to advise that no such arrangements can be made. It will be necessary for your daughter to purchase her own railroad ticket to New York and pay for her meals enroute. However, arrangements will be made for your daughter to be quartered with you in the hotels in New York and Paris. She will of course be required to bear the expense thereof as incurred.

It is believed you should experience no difficulty on the journey and every effort will be made to assure you a pleasant and satisfactory journey.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Col., Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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QM 293 AM
Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

April 3, 1933

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route 4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

This office is in receipt of your passport in connection with the pilgrimage you are scheduled to make to the Oise Aisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S.S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

It is noted that on the records of this office your address is given as shown above, whereas on your application for the passport it is "523 Frederick St., Olympia, Wash." In order to avoid any confusion in issuing your transportation and making other arrangements, it will be appreciated if you will advise which address is correct. Your passport will be retained in this office until the time of sailing when it will be delivered to you aboard the boat.

The self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience in replying and does not require postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

March 21, 1933.

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication inclosing money order dated March 16, in the amount of \$3.00, covering excess pullman fare for a stopover at Pueblo, Colo., on your return from a pilgrimage to the Oice Lisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S. S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

Transportation arrangements for this stopover on your return journey will be made accordingly.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 AM
Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

February 27, 1933

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your request for a stopover at Pueblo, Colo. on your return from a pilgrimage to the Oise Aisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S.S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

Arrangements can be made for this stopover but there will be an additional cost to you of three dollars (\$3) due to a difference in pullman fare. All expenses incurred by you during your visit at Pueblo must also be paid from your personal funds.

Please advise immediately whether or not you desire arrangements made for this stopover and, if so, forward money order to this office at once in the amount of three dollars (\$3), payable to the Finance Officer, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

In the event that you forward money order for this stopover and upon your return from Europe desire to go directly to your home, it is suggested that you take this matter up with the Officer in Charge of the Pilgrimage, New York, who will exchange your ticket for you. Refund will then be mailed from this office covering your remittance.

The self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience in replying and does not require postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours.

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

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QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

February 2, 1933

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Notation has been made of your desire to be assigned to a lower berth aboard ship, and you are assured that every consideration will be given your request.

About two weeks before you leave home this office will mail you a check to cover the cost of your meals, tips and other traveling expenses while enroute to New York. You will also receive a letter advising you just what train you will take, the time the train will leave your station and the route to New York. Your railroad and Pullman tickets will be paid for by the Government and will be delivered to you by your local ticket agent about one week before you are scheduled to leave home.

There is enclosed herewith a list of mothers and widows from Washington who have been invited to sail June 7th.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure;
List.

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QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

February 2, 1933

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route 4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 25th advising that your daughter, Mrs. May Spiegel, will accompany you on the pilgrimage you are to make to the grave of your son, the late Private Dewey V. Bromley, sailing June 7th on the WASHINGTON.

The Roosevelt Steamship Company, #1 Broadway, New York City, operates the vessels on which the mothers and widows make the journey to and from Europe, and your daughter should communicate with them as to reservations for the ocean voyage, advising them the name of the vessel on which you are to sail, the date of sailing, and your name. The steamship company will furnish full information as to the cost of ocean transportation.

Sightseeing trips in and around Paris and transportation between Paris and the cemeteries are accomplished by busses which are chartered by the Government for official use only, and this office therefore could not authorize your daughter's transportation in these busses. It is suggested she communicate with the American Express Company, 11 rue Scribe, Paris, France, for arrangements as to transportation in Paris and to and from the cemeteries, and for hotel accommodations in the town near the cemetery. This company is in close touch with the pilgrimage office in Paris, and will probably arrange itineraries that will parallel those of the pilgrimage.

As soon as your daughter has made final preparations for her journey, it is requested this office be notified, and arrangements will be made for you to occupy the same cabins aboard ship and be quartered together at hotels in New York and Paris, provided, of course, your daughter secures first class accommodations.

QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

August 22, 1932

Mrs. Mayy Bromley,
Route 3, Box 52-Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of August 4th advising that you desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private Dewey V. Bromley, during the summer of 1933, and that one of your daughters will accompany you on the journey.

While the Government can make no arrangements for relatives or friends accompanying pilgrims on their journey, it is believed your daughter will experience no difficulty in securing accommodations on the same ship and in the same hotels in New York and Europe if she wishes to accompany you at personal expense.

As plans for the 1933 pilgrimages are still in the formative stage, it is impossible at this time to advise you just when you will be scheduled to make the trip. However, a formal invitation will be forwarded you several months prior to your sailing date and your daughter will be informed at that time just what arrangements she should make to accompany you. It is estimated the entire trip will cost her \$750.

To date approximately six hundred women have expressed a desire to visit the cemeteries of Europe next summer.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

July 11, 1932.

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route #3, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Wash.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

August 4, 1931

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of the questionnaire completed by you, advising that you do not desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private Dewey V. Bromley, during the summer of 1932.

Please be advised there is no provision of law which would permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who is unable or does not desire to make the pilgrimage.

Your name has been placed upon the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to visit the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and you will be communicated with when the pilgrimages are being arranged for that year.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

June 20, 1931

Bronley, Dewey V. Pvt. (OA) M

Mrs. May Bronley,
R #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

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 18, 1930.

Bronley, Dewey V. 608 M

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Wash.

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)

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Night Letter

Washington, D. C., April 7, 1930.

MRS. MAY BROMLEY,
R. #4, BOX 19 Y,
OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON.

REPLY TO INVITATION MAILED YOU TO SAIL MAY TWENTY EIGHTH NOT RECEIVED STOP
DO YOU ACCEPT OR DECLINE WIRE ANSWER 149 GSM

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QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

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QM 293 A-C Bromley, Dewey V.



Night Letter

Washington, D. C., April 7, 1930.

MRS. MAY BROMLEY,
R. #4, BOX 19 Y,
OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON.

REPLY TO INVITATION MAILED YOU TO SAIL MAY TWENTY EIGHTH NOT RECEIVED STOP

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Bromley, Dewey V.

April 4, 1930

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route 5, Box 19-Y,
Olympia, Washington.

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It may be possible for your daughter to secure accommodations on the same ship and possibly at the same hotels in New York and Paris, but in view of the limited accommodations you could not travel to the cemetery together, and it is doubtful if you could secure accommodations in the same town near the cemetery. The Government can assume no responsibility for relatives or friends accompanying pilgrims and they must not expect medical or other assistance from the Government or to be included in official tours paid for by the Government.

If your daughter desires to accompany you under these conditions it is suggested she write for further information to the United States Lines, 1027 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, D. C., who no doubt will be able to give you complete information as to cost of transportation. This company is a commercial line which owns and operates the vessels upon which reservations have been made for all mothers and widows making the pilgrimage. It is understood, that they have arranged with some of the tourist agencies to take care of any relatives or friends and make all arrangements for their accommodations while in Europe.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Bronley, Dewey V.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Bromley, Dewey V. 608-M

March 21, 1930.

Mrs. May Bromley,
R #4 Box 19Y
Olympia, Washington

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

1 Enclosure.
Regulation.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bromley, Dewey V. 608 H

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. May Bromley,
Rt. #4, Box 19-Y,
Olympia, Wash.

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,

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

Bromley, Dewey V.

June 24, 1929.

**Mrs. May Bromley,
Bickleton, Washington.**

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 **Private Dewey V. Bromley, Troop I, 15th Cav., whose remains are interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-st-Nesles, Aisne, 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.

Bromley,

(Surname.)

Dewey Volley

(Christian name in full.)

1015067

(Army serial number.)

Priv.

Troop I

15th Cavalry

(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?

Yes

(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)

*May Isadora Bromley
Bickleton Wash*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by the

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**REVIEWED
OSP SS.**

9-M-711-1-4-'20

March 28, 1924

BROMLEY, Dewey V., Pvt.

Mrs. May Isadora Bromley,

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

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

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

Very truly yours,

1-Incl.
Record card.

Assistant.

RECEIVED
MAR 28 1924
R. L. FOSTER
B.

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SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-17281

32. Designation of body:

Name Dewey BROMLEY Serial No. _____

Rank Pvt Organization Troop I, 15th Cav.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne Am. Cty. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne)

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec 1, 1921. By W. C. Follmer.

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 C. B. Denny, 1st Lt. OAC.

36. Remarks _____

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec 1, 1921.

To point of Concentration Coetquidan Morgue.

Convoyer E. Truax. Signature Shipping Officer C. B. Denny, 1st Lt. OAC.

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Dec 1, 1921.

By G.R.S. Representative H. B. Birdseye, 1st Lt. OAC.

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date 2-DEC-1921.

To Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne Amer Cty 608.

Convoyer E. Truax. Signature Shipping Officer H. B. Birdseye, 1st Lt. OAC.

40. Received: Date 6 DEC 1921

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

41. Reinterred 12/13/22, Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)

42. Grave No. Blk. B (Date) _____ Section _____

43. Plot _____ Row 38

hw G.R.S. Representative G. F. Blake, Capt. OAC gs

Place **Coetquidan 18.**

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date **Dec 1, 1921.**

1. REMAINS OF **Promley, Dewey V.** SERIAL NUMBER **1015067**
 RANK **Pvt.** ORGANIZATION **Troop I, 15th Cav.**

2. Disinterred (date): **Dec 1, 1921.** From (give complete location): **Grave 31, Cem 18.**

By : Group **3** Unit **Sec 6.**

3. Reburied (date): **9/13/22** In (give complete location): **Gr. 18, Blk. B. Row 38**

By : Group **Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)** Unit **reburial group** Nature of reburial **metal lined casket**

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: **Decomposed, features unrecognizable. Wooden box and U.S. Uniform.**

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: **Bottle record, hospital, checks with GRS records.**

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) **Impto det.**

(b) Weight (estimated) **Imp to det.**

(c) Hair—Color **None visible.**

Quantity **None visible.**

Characteristics **None visible.**

(d) Hair on face—Color **None visible.**

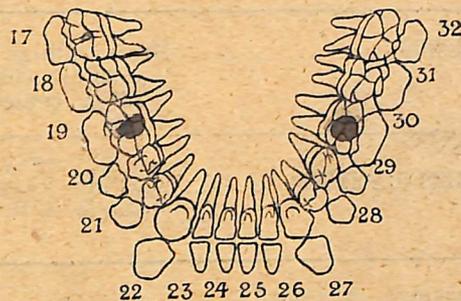
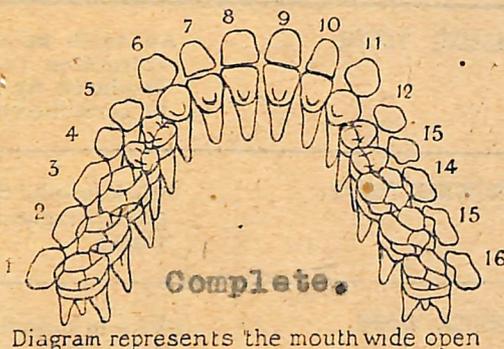
Location **None visible.**

Quantity **None visible.**

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

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) **metal fill 19, 30.**

None visible.



7. Disinterment supervised by **W. B. Schum**

Approved: **R. B. Denny**
(Title) **1st Lt. CAC.**

8. Reburial Supervised by **L. D. Hays**

Approved: **C. J. Blake**
(Title) **Capt. OMC**

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.

*2/6/22 Exhumed
for Concentration
Chie-Arione 608
att 7/24/22*

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name Bromley, Dewey V. Ser. No. 1015067)
(2) Rank Pvt. Organization Tr. I. 15th Cav.) TYP. BSW
(3) Date of death _____) CKR. FL

B. Registration Card:- (Check Reg. Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.)

(4) Cause of death Broncho Pneumonia) TYP. JS
(5) Grave No. 31 Row ---- Plot ---- Sect. -----) CKR. MA

II. FILES EXAMINATION

A. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No card

B. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD Date of receipt None

(6) Relationship Mother
(7) Name May Leadora Bromley
(8) Address Bickleton Wash.
(9) Desires remains brought to U. S.? No
(10) Desires remains brought to U. S. and interred in National Cemetery at Yes
(11) If brought back, what shipping instructions? ✓

att 3/22/20

C. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE Date of communication _____

(12) Does correspondence Change or qualify request as made on A.G.O. card? _____
tion.

CORRECTION

NAME _____ (Date) 3/23/20

RANK _____

SERIAL NO. _____

as reference been made to File No. Does such correspondence, if con- , reconcile with that of A. G. O.? HM , give date of communication, the and substance of request.

ORGANIZATION _____

REMARKS: portion, grave location

Form 190 not noted
on Form 115
BM (Date) 3/23/20

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name Bromley, Dewey V. Ser. No. 1015067)
) TYP. ESW
 (2) Rank Pvt. Organization Tr. I. 15th Cav.)
) CKR. FL
 (3) Date of death _____)

B. Registration Card:- (Check Reg. Card Inf. against Loc. Ind. Inf.)

(4) Cause of death Broncho Pneumonia) TYP. JS
)
 (5) Grave No. 31 Row --- Plot --- Sect. ---) CKR. 74

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 (10) Desires remains brought to U. S. and interred in National Cemetery at Yes -
 (11) If brought back, what shipping instructions? _____ ✓

ah 3/22/20

C. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE Date of communication _____

(12) Does correspondence Change or qualify request as made on A.G.O. card? If so, specify such information. _____

No correspondence
 (13) A. G. O. Files EXAMINED by FL (Date) 3/22/20

D. (14) G R S Files - Correspondence. (Has reference been made to File No. Cancellation memos.?) Yes AH. Does such correspondence, if containing request for disposition, reconcile with that of A. G. O.? AH
 (Specify "Yes or "No".) If "No", give date of communication, the name, address, and relationship and substance of request.

No request for disposition, grave location registration blank

(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by AH (Date) 3/23/20

2/6/22 Examined for Concentration Base - Airone # 608 att 7/24/22

III. FINAL ACTION

A. MEMORANDUM to D. M. O. in E. made (Date)

(16) Removal of Remains (within custody of G.R.S.) to

(17) Instructions that remains be left undisturbed

(18) Typed by Checked by (Date)

B. G. R. S. FORM NO. 114 made (Date)

(19) Typed by Checked by (Date)

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *Forms 120 4-17-20 + 7-23-20 mother, n/k, May Isadora Bromley, Bickleton, Wash, requests body remain in Europe, 3-8-21 S.C.*

APR 12 1920

D. Dispatched (Date) (Let. Trans. No.)

Approved by

(Date)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON

18-16

JUN 30 1920

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

TO: May Isadora Bromley, Bickleton, Wash.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Dewey V. Bromley

Rush Answer

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body be not returned to U. S. *not returned remain in France*

no change

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

Noted on Form No. 115
Date 3-8-21 J.C.
CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Colonel, U.S. Army.

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow	<i>not married none</i>		
Soldier's Children	1. <i>none</i>		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
	3.		
Father	<i>deceased</i>		
Mother	<i>living Mrs May Isadora Bromley</i>	<i>Bickleton</i>	<i>Wash</i>
Brothers	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
Sisters			

Date.....
Address.....
Signature *May Isadora Bromley*
Relationship *Charley Williams*

Note:- Instructions on the reverse side of this sheet should be carefully read before filling out this paper. (OVER)

SG

The transfer of bodies will be made entirely at Government expense.

brothers { J W Bromley Bickleton Wash
 Newton Bromley Bickleton Wash
 Theadore Bromley Bickleton Wash



sisters { Henrietta Greflar Taperish Wash
 Cora Gaw Olympia Wash
 Minnie Williams Bickleton Wash
 Orrill Bromley Salt Lake Utah
 May Spiegel San Francisco Cal
 Ida Snyder Yakima Wash R.D.#8
 Oline Slavin yakima Wash R.D.#1 box 187
 Jane Randall Seattle Wash 611 Thomas st

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

1. This paper MUST be signed by the person who is the NEXT of kin in the order shown in the square on other side of this sheet.
2. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest living relatives in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.
3. 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.
4. If YOU are not the nearest relative, please ask the nearest relative, if living near you, to fill out this paper.
5. If YOU are not the nearest living relative and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.
6. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.
7. Use the enclosed envelope - pay no postage.

G.R.S. Form #120
Shipping Inquiry.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
WASHINGTON.

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FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
TO: Mrs. May Isadora Bromley, Bickleton, Washington.
SUBJECT: Disposition of remains of Pvt. Dewey V. Bromley

APR 6 1920

Records of this office show your request to be as follows:

Remains to be not returned to United States. ~~Interment~~

~~Shipping~~

no change

If any modifications of the foregoing are desired please write same fully on the other side of this sheet.

The nearest living relative may choose between, (1) return of remains to homes for burial; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., National Cemetery; or (3) remain in France.

You are requested to fill out the following without delay and return in enclosed penalty envelope, which does not require postage.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE
Colonel, U.S. Army.

Noted on Form No. 115
Date 3-8-21 A.C.

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Widow			
Children (Name oldest first)			
Father			
Mother <i>May Isadora Bromley</i>		<i>Bickleton</i>	<i>Wash</i>
Brothers <i>J. W. Bromley</i>		<i>Bickleton</i>	<i>Wash</i>
<i>Newton Bromley</i>		<i>Bickleton</i>	<i>Wash</i>
<i>Theodore Bromley</i>		<i>Bickleton</i>	<i>Wash</i>
Sisters <i>Cora Saw</i>		<i>Olympia</i>	<i>Wash</i>
<i>Minnie Williams</i>		<i>Bickleton</i>	<i>Wash</i>
<i>Arnell Bromley</i>		<i>Salt Lake</i>	<i>Utah</i>
<i>May Spiegel</i>		<i>San Francisco</i>	<i>Cal</i>
<i>Ida Snyder</i>		<i>Yakima</i>	<i>Wash</i>
<i>Aline Starnin</i>		<i>Yakima</i>	<i>Wash</i>
<i>Gene Randal</i>		<i>Spanish</i>	<i>Utah</i>
<i>Etta Befflar</i>			
<i>Bickleton</i>			

Signature *Mrs. May Isadora Bromley*

Relationship *Mother*

April Date *17*
Address *Bickleton*

MH

The transfer of bodies will be made entirely at government expense. ✓

Corpection

1900

Bromley, Dewey V.
chg. grave no. from 23
to

Grave # 31, Amer. Cem. Coetquidan
Pg - Bottle.



Report of Sgt. Costner on
reinterments

Sept 27/18.

To Adjutant General, AEF

**BURIALS IN PERMANENT
CEMETERIES**

M. Form No.

Report No.

Sheet No.

O.C.M. S.O.S.
APRIL 20 1918

1750

No. of Cemetery Post Cemetery Camp de Coetquidan, APO #711 Date April 15, 1918

Place of Cemetery Coetquidan, Dept. of Morbihan, France

Place of death Camp Hospital No. 15, AEF

Disposal of Tags One tag buried with body
Other nailed to stake at foot of grave.

Name Bronley-1,015,067 Dewey V Rank Private

Regiment and Company Troop I, 15th Cavalry

Nature of marking Wooden cross at head of grave.
Wooden stake at foot of grave, marked grave #23

Disposal of Personal Effects Turned over to Camp Quartermaster for shipment to
Effects Depot, Base Section No. 1

Signed : [Signature]
Chaplain. [Signature]
Officer in charge.

NOTE. — Soldiers of Jewish faith to be checked thus in left hand margin : \triangle APR 20 Rec'd

Comm
AOL

REVIEWED
OSP SS.

To Chief of Graves Registration Service
**BURIALS IN PERMANENT
CEMETERIES**

Q. M. Form No. _____

Report No. _____

Sheet No. _____

No. of Cemetery Post Cemetery
Camp de Coetquidan, APO #710 Date April 15, 1918

Place of Cemetery Coetquidan, Dept. of Morbihan, France

Place of death Camp Hospital No. 15, AEF

Disposal of Tags One tag buried with body
Other nailed to stake at foot of grave.

Name Bromley-1,015,067 Dewey V Rank Private

Regiment and Company Troop I, 15th Cavalry

Nature of marking Wooden cross at head of grave.
Wooden stake at foot of grave, marked grave #23
Turned over to Camp Quartermaster for shipment to

Disposal of Personal Effects Effects Depot, Base Section No. 1

Signed : _____

Chaplain.

A. J. Wallace

Geob Jensen
Capt 107th Am. Train
Officer in charge.

NOTE. — Soldiers of Jewish faith to be checked thus in left hand margin : 



APR 19 Rec'd

NOTED IN STA-DIVISION

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NOTE:—Soldiers of Jewish faith to be buried in Jewish cemetery.

RECEIVED
STATISTICAL DIVISION
F B I
2 MAR 1918

Bromley, Dewey V.

Signed:

Captain

Disposition of Personal Effects: (George Decker, case no. 101918-100)

Nature of marking: Wooden stake at foot of grave, marked grave no. 101918-100
Wooden cross at head of grave.

Regiment and Company: Troop I, 13th Cavalry.

Name: Bromley, Dewey V. Rank: Private

Disposition of Yards: (Other buried in stone at foot of grave.)

Place of death: Camp Hospital No. 10, AEF

Place of Cemetery: Cemetery, Dept. of Orphan, France

Name of Cemetery: Camp of Orphan, HICKMAN, April 1918

FILE

CEMETERIES

BURIALS IN PERMANENT

RECEIVED
NOV 21
1918

To Chief of Graves Registration Service

D. W. Lowmyer

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME Bromley	BRO	3	285 ⁰⁰
BURIED	CEMETERY 608	1	2
	GRAVE 18	2	18
	ROW 33	2	33
	BLOCK B	1	3
STATE	Wash.	2	56
RANK	Pvt.	1	2
DIVISION	Cavalry	2	46
ORGANIZATION	15	3	XXX
ARM		1	X
MARTIAL	no	1	2
NAME Bromley	BRO	3	285 ⁰⁰
RESIDENCE Route 4 Box 324	STATE Wash	2	56
	COUNTY Thurston	2	34
	CITY Olympia	3	018
RELATION	mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	good	1	1
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO. 1933	1	
	YR. 1933	1	
ACCEPTANCE	yes	1	1
29/514/PJ	age		70

AUDITED
DEC 14 1937
Kw

Name BROMLEY, Mrs. May,

Paris Hôtel HOTEL D' IENA
..... AVENUE D' IÉNA

Home address 32 Y
Route 4, Box 194, Olympia. Thurston County, Washington

Party B Group Unit

Date of arrival 6/14/33. SS. WASHINGTON Date of departure 6/29/33. SS. HARDING

Relationship Mother, age 70

Name of deceased BROMLEY, Dewey V.

Rank Pvt Organization Troop I, 15th Cavalry

Cemetery Oise-Aisne 18 B 33

REMARKS

Daughter, Mrs. May Speigel, to accompany at own expense.



PART 3 (Cont.)

Tuesday, 27, visited Cluny, lunched at hotel, visited Lafayette Escadrille.

Wednesday, June 28, visited the Louvre, lunched at the hotel. The afternoon was free.

Thursday, June 29, departed for Le Havre from the Gare des Invalides. Embarked on the SS Harding.

MRS. MAY BROMLEY

PARTY B
CIRCE-LENE GROUP

Friday, June 14, arrived at Le Havre at 8:30 A.M. on SS Washington in charge of Capt. W.J. Ryan, First Lieut. F.T. Gregory, C.M.D. as Liaison Officers. The party was met at the dock by Maj. Leo S. Tillotson and other officers. Left Le Havre Maritime Station at 8:10 A.M. and arrived at the Gare des Invalides at 12:25 P.M. Detained and spent the night at the Hotel Lutetia.

Thursday, June 15, during the morning, conferences were held with the conducting officers. After a lunch at the hotel, the pilgrim visited Sacre Coeur.

Friday, June 16, the morning was spent shopping. After lunch at the hotel, the pilgrim visited Napoleon's Tomb.

Saturday, June 17, the morning was free. After a lunch at the hotel, the pilgrim attended the ceremony at the Arc de Triomphe, and later had tea at the Restaurant Laurent.

Sunday, June 18, the morning was free, lunch at 11:30. At 1:40 P.M. departed for Reaux and Soissons.

Monday, June 19, lunch at cemetery, night at Soissons.

Tuesday, June 20, at Soissons, visited cemetery, lunch at Chateau Thierry, visited A.A. C. cemetery. Night at Soissons.

Wednesday, June 21, at Soissons, lunch at Reims, night at Soissons

Thursday, June 22, at Soissons, visited Coucy-le-Chateau, lunch at Soissons, visited cemetery, night at Soissons.

Friday, June 23, at Soissons, visited Pierrefonds, lunch at Compiègne, visited Chantilly, and back to Paris for the night.

Saturday, June 24, the morning was free, lunched at the hotel visited Verneuilles in the afternoon.

Sunday, June 25, the morning at church, lunch at hotel, 9:30 P.M. went on night sight seeing trip.

Monday, June 26, visit Notre Dame in the morning, lunch in Bois, visited St. Germain-en-laye in the afternoon.

**WAR DEPARTMENT
 PILGRIMAGE WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS
 225 West 34th. St. New York, N. Y.**

Party ... **B**

Number ... **144**

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATIONS.

BROMLEY MRS MAY

Name of Pilgrim

RT #4 BOX 32 Y

City Home Address County

OLYMPIA WASH

State

Actual cost of
 Through Pullman at the
 Lower Berth Rate.

New York, to ... **OLYMPIA WASH**

Destination of Ticket **OLYMPIA WASH** \$.....

via **NYC to CHICAGO- CB&Q to DENVER- D&RGW to OGDEN- U.P. to PORTLAND**
N.P. to OLYMPIA

JULY 8, 1933

Date of Departure

OCT. 31, 1933

Expiration Date of Ticket

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower Seat or Coach	Car	U.S.G. Order No.	Actual Cost	
Lv. New York	NYC	19	7/8	7:45 PM					
Ar. Chicago			7/9	3:15 PM	Lower	185		9.00	
Lv. "	CB&Q	3	"	11:45 PM					
Ar. Pueblo			7/10	11:30 AM	Lower	B16	1,029,009	10.88	
Lv. "	D&RG	1		11:30 AM					
Ar. Ogden				9:35 AM	Lower				
Lv. Ogden	UP	21		9:10 PM					
Ar. Portland				9:20 PM	Lower			15.75	
Lv. "	NP	501		8:35 AM					
Ar. Gate				12:01 PM					
Lv. "	NP	464		5:53 PM					
Ar. Olympia				6:34 PM			1,029,010		
Lv.									
Ar.									
Lv.									
Ar.									
Lv.									
Ar.									
Excess Fare New York, to.							Cost \$	Total	35.63

Stop Over **PUEBLO COLO**

Through Rate **32.63**
 Excess **QMG 3.00**

Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

Mothers' & Widows' Pilgrimage
Stopovers on return

Name: Bromley, Mrs. May

Address: R. #4, Box 32 Y, Olympia, Washington

Party: B - 18

Stopovers desired at: Pueblo, Colo.

Rail

N.Y.C.

Excess None

Pullman

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Value</u>
New York	Pueblo, Colo.	L B	19.88
Pueblo, Colo.	OLYMPIA, Wash.	L B	15.75

Total:	<u>35.63</u>
Thru Pullman Fare:	<u>32.63</u>
Excess:	3.00

Amounts shown as "excess" have been collected by the Quartermaster General and remitted to the Finance Officer, Washington, D.C.

PARTY "B"
May 22, 1933

Mrs. May Bromley,
Rt. #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Wash.

Dear Madam:

Upon your arrival in New York City you will be met at the railroad station by an Army Officer who will engage porter service to take care of your baggage and escort you to the hotel. During your sojourn here before sailing for Europe and upon your return from Europe, you will stop at the Hotel McAlpin, 34th Street and Broadway, New York City.

The two tags and four identification pasters accompanying this communication are intended to protect your baggage while in transit. One tag should be attached to the handle of each piece of your baggage and a paster placed on each end of each piece of your baggage before leaving your home. Your baggage will be safer and also more readily available to you after your arrival in New York if it is placed with you on the train.

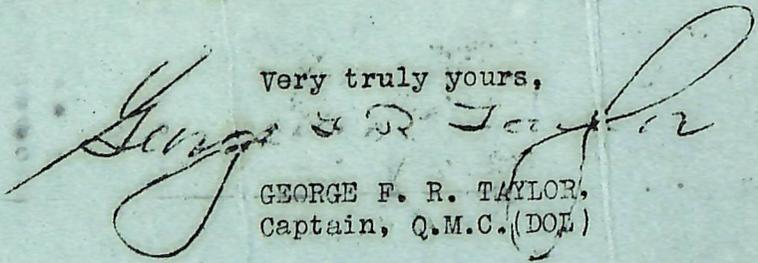
All mail intended to reach you between June 7th, 1933, the day you sail from the United States, and June 29th, 1933, the day you leave Europe, should be addressed to you in care of American Pilgrimage, 20 Rue Molitor, Paris (16), France; for example:

Mrs. Mary Smith,
c/o American Pilgrimage,
20 Rue Molitor,
Paris (16), France.

The party you are to travel with will be disbanded in New York City on the day following your return from Europe and all arrangements for your Pullman accommodations will be made with the railroads in advance by this office. This will require you to remain in New York at the hotel over night as a guest of the United States Government.

Information relative to the cemeteries in Europe is enclosed herewith.

Very truly yours,


GEORGE F. R. TAYLOR,
Captain, Q.M.C. (DOE)

7 Incls.:
2 Baggage Tags
4 Baggage Pastors
1 Copy Cemeterial Information

Mr. W. V. Lunsford,
2333 Cheyenne Ave.,
Pueblo, Colorado.

July 7th, 1933

Ag. at Pueblo

NIGHT LETTER

MRS MAY BROMLEY WILL ARRIVE PUEBLO VIA CB&Q RR TRAIN THREE
AT ELEVEN THIRTY TUESDAY MORNING JULY ELEVENTH PLEASE MEET HER

COLONEL POPE

Party B

O.A. Cmty

MEDICAL RECORD

Nurse P. Knowles,

Station : Hotel D'Iena, Paris

Date : 15th June 1933.

Name Bromley, Mrs. May

Home address Rt. #4, Box 32 Y., Olympia, Thurston County, WASHINGTON

Address of Nearest friend or relative Mr. Led Bromley, (son)

same address.

Religion Protestant

Age 70

History of Present complaint :
June 15th, Corns.

INSTRUCTIONS. — This card will be started in all cases of Pilgrims requiring medical attention by the Medical Officer or Nurse first rendering such attention. Subsequently it will be carried by the nurse in attendance upon the group to which the Pilgrim is assigned. All Medical Officers rendering any assistance in the case will make an appropriate entry which will include date, time and signature. Upon final disposition of the case the Nurse in charge will deliver the card to the Office of the Chief Surgeon. Pilgrims sent to the American Hospital will be accompanied by this card properly completed, which will be authority for admission, in which case a duplicate card will be made and sent without delay to the office of the Chief Surgeon.

(over)

Diagnosis and complications : (include dates) June 15,

Corns (left little toe)

Treatment and Progress : (include dates) June 15, Seen by Major Stewart,
Corns trimmed, June 17, Corns trimmed.

Disposition : (include dates) June 29th, to Le Havre, Fitts.
active.

Remarks :
Corns trimmed twice. No pains at present time.
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MEDICAL RECORD

Party: B-18 S. S. WASHINGTON Eastbound
HARDING Westbound

Name Bromley, Mrs. May

Home Address Route #4, Box 32 Y, Olympia, Washington

Name and address of nearest relative or friend Mr. Ted Bromley, (Son)

RFD #4, Box 32, Olympia, Washington

Religion Age 70-M

History of present complaint:

6/30/33 Slight cut thumb Left thumb. Cleansed iodine - dry dressing *Jm*

(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)
6/9/ Myalgia of neck

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)
6/9/ Chloroform Liniment & Massage

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks:

DAUGHTER ACCOMPANYING - OWN EXPENSE

PARTY
B-18

EASTBOUND
STATE

GROUP
O.A.

70-M

WASHINGTON

Mrs. Bromley, May Address Rt.#4, Box 32 Y Olympia
(Name of Pilgrim) (Street & No.) (City or Town)

Wash. Thurston
(State) (County)

Mr. Ted Bromley - Son Address RFD #4, Box 32 Olympia
(Name of Nearest Kin) (Street & No.) (City or Town)

Washington Thurston
(State) (County)

ARRIVAL NEW YORK

VIA. R.R. NYC Train No. 6 Date 6-5-33

Hotel McAlpin Room No. 1479

Roomed with daughter

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

Date 6-7-33 Vessel Washington Cabin No. B-19-1

In Cabin with Mrs. May Spiegel (Daughter) - B-19-2 and Mrs. H. Snowden - B-19-3

(Over Westbound)

WESTBOUND
ARRIVAL NEW YORK

Date **July 7, 1933** Vessel **President Harding** Cabin No. **C-106-A**
In Cabin with **Mrs. May Spiegel - Daughter C-106-C** *Mrs Harry K. Knouder C-106-B*
Hotel **Mc Alpin** Room No. **779**
Roomed with **Daughter - Mrs. May Speigel**

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

VIA. R.R. **NYC** Train No. **19** Space **L 10** Car No. **165** Date **7/8/33**

REMARKS

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(Over Eastbound)

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



Penalty for private use to avoid
payment of postage, \$300

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS
225 WEST 34TH STREET,
NEW YORK, N. Y.

NAME MRS. MAY BROMLEY

B

ADDRESS Rt. #4, Box 32 Y, Olympia, Wash.

DATE

7/19/33

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. May Bromley

Party B

Nurse *P. Knowles*

MEDICAL RECORD

O. A. Cmty

Station: *Paris Hotel D'Geneva*

Date: *15th June 1933*

Name *Bromley, Mrs. May*

Home address *Rt. #4, Box 32 Y, Olympia, Thurston County, WASHINGTON*

Address of Nearest friend or relative *Mr. Ted Bromley (son)*
Rt. #4 Box 32 Olympia Was.

Religion *Prot.*

Age *70*

History of Present complaint:

June 15 Corns.

INSTRUCTIONS. — This card will be started in all cases of Pilgrims requiring medical attention by the Medical Officer or Nurse first rendering such attention. Subsequently it will be carried by the nurse in attendance upon the group to which the Pilgrim is assigned. All Medical Officers rendering any assistance in the case will make an appropriate entry which will include date, time and signature. Upon final disposition of the case the Nurse in charge will deliver the card to the Office of the Chief Surgeon. Pilgrims sent to the American Hospital will be accompanied by this card properly completed, which will be authority for admission, in which case a duplicate card will be made and sent without delay to the office of the Chief Surgeon.

(over)

Diagnosis and complications : (include dates) June 15
Corns - left little toe

Treatment and Progress : (include dates) June 15. Seen by Major Stewart.
Corns trimmed. June 17. Corns trimmed.

Disposition : (include dates) June 29. To leave. Fits
active

Remarks : Corns trimmed twice, no pain at present time.

W.H.S.

PARTY **B** FILE NO. **144**

NAME **Bromley, Mrs. May**
Rt. #4, Box 32 Y
Olympia, Wash.

ROUTE OF TICKET

N.Y.C. to *Chicago*

C.B. & Q. to *Denver Col.*

D. & B.W. to *Ogden*

V.P. to *Pontiac Ore.*

N.P. to *Olympia*

..... to

Expiration date *Oct. 31-33*

The following stop overs are requested.

Pueblo, Colo.

Ticket for daughter

Mrs. Spiegel same lower

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(Signature of Pilgrim)

IN CABIN WITH

Mrs. May Spiegel (RELATIVE- B-19-2

and Mrs. Harry Snowden- B-19-3- Group OA

QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

September 15, 1933.

Mrs. May Bromley,
Rt. #4, Box #52-Y,
Olympia, Wash.

Dear Mrs. Bromley:

I am in receipt of the letter of July 2nd wherein you and the other mothers and widows who sailed on the S. S. Washington, June 7th, express your appreciation for the pilgrimage you made to the cemeteries of Europe.

It is gratifying to know that your trip was entirely satisfactory, and that the officers of the Army and the nurses 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 was materially lightened by the wonderful spirit of cooperation and consideration shown by the mothers and widows.

With sincere appreciation of your complimentary remarks regarding the conduct of the pilgrimage, I am

Very truly yours,

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

rm

RES

RTE

Washington

6-7-33

OA

Bromley, Dewey V.

I accept the invitation extended
Accept or decline

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

Mrs. May Bromley,

Mrs May Bromley. Name

Rt. #4, Box 32 Y, Olympia, Thurston Co., Wash.

Town or City

Olympia

State

Wash.

6570-c

Bromley, Devery ✓

CA

RETURN RECEIPT

S.S. Washington - 6-7-33

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

Mrs. May Bromley
(Signature or name of addressee)

Mrs. J. C. Law.
(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery 5-22, 1933

Form 3811

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

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Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 926807

INSURED PARCEL



No. _____

Return to _____

Q. M. GENERAL

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box, _____

(NAME OF SENDER)
MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

6570

BA

RETURN RECEIPT

Wash-June 2
Addressee must write!

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

X (see mark)
Mrs. J. C. Low

(Signature or name of addressee)

(Witness)

Deliver to Addressee only

J. B. Swayne, Carrier
(Signature of addressee's agent)
FRANK S. CLEM, P. M.

Date of delivery

May - 16 - 1933

Form 3811

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

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Delivered to addressee in presence of carrier.

Deliver to addressee only

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

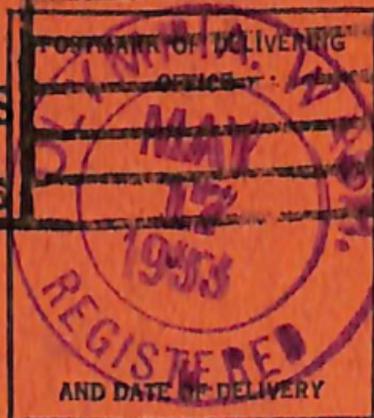
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INSURED PARCEL 1933



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

NOTIFY
YOUR
CORRESPONDENTS
OF CHANGE
OF ADDRESS



No. _____

Return to _____

Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box, _____

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON

D. C.

Bromley, Dewey V.

EXCERPT FROM LIAISON REPORT PARTY "B" WEST

July 1st.

Mrs. May Bromley hurt her hand in the bathroom today, pinching the skin between thumb and forefinger. Her hand was dressed in the hospital.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

May 17, 1933

Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

Mrs. May Bromley,
Rt. #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

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. Olympia	NorPac	Train No. 464	6:34 PM	June 1
Ar. Auburn	"	423	8:38 PM	" "
Lv. "	"	2	9:00 PM	" "
Ar. Chicago	CB&Q	50	8:55 AM	" 4
Lv. "	NYC	6	10:30 AM	" "
Ar. New York (Grand Cent. Sta.)	"	"	8:30 AM	" 5

Accommodations: Coach Olympia, Wash. to Auburn, Wash. Standard sleeper Auburn, Wash. to New York, N. Y.

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.

QM 293 A-M

May 15, 1933

Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

Mrs. May Bronley
Rt. #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Wash.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed Check No. ~~176,487~~ in the amount of \$ ~~26.25~~ , 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, as amended.

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,

JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Col., Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Encl:
Check No.

QM 293 AM
Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

April 29, 1933

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route 4, Box 324,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 20, with further reference to your daughter, Mrs. May Spiegel, accompanying you when you make a pilgrimage to the Oise Aisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S.S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

You no doubt have now received letter from this office dated April 26, advising that arrangements will be made for your daughter to be quartered with you at the hotels in New York and Paris at her own expense.

It is regretted to advise that transportation to and from the cemeteries, and sight-seeing trips in and around Paris, are accomplished by busses that are chartered by the Government for official use only, and it would not be possible for this office to authorize transportation of your daughter in these busses. However, it is understood that the American Express Co., 11 rue Scribe, Paris, is prepared to make arrangements for trips that will parallel the routes to be followed in Europe by the mothers and widows so that they will arrive at various points in the itinerary at approximately the same time. It is suggested that you take this matter up with the American Express Co. immediately upon your arrival in Paris.

Should there be any extra space in one of the busses chartered for the pilgrims, the Officer in Charge, Paris, may be able to permit your daughter to accompany you on the same bus at her own expense.

You will be furnished a round-trip Summer Tourist ticket from Olympia to New York City and return to Olympia. The going route will be Northern Pacific to St. Paul, C B & Q to Chicago, New York Central, New York; returning New York Central, Chicago, C B & Q Denver, D & R G W to Ogden, Union Pacific to Portland, Northern Pacific to Olympia. You will leave Olympia on the

QM 293 AM
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)
April 29, 1933

Northern Pacific train No.464 at 6:34 PM, June 1, arriving in Auburn, Wash. at 8:38 PM and leaving there on the Northern Pacific No. 2 at 9:00 PM, June 1. From Olympia to Auburn you will be furnished coach accommodations and from Auburn to Chicago and Chicago to New York you will be furnished a lower berth. Railroad and pullman tickets will be delivered to you about a week before your departure and it is suggested that your daughter take your tickets with you when she makes her reservations in order that she may secure pullman accommodations in the same car and the same routing.

Arrangements have been made with the Roosevelt Steamship Co. for you and your daughter to occupy the same room aboard the boat on both the going and the return journeys.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

JAS. H. Laubach,
Lieut. Colonel, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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*accepts Wash
June 7-*

Olympia, Washington.
April 20th, 1933.

Mr. Chas W. Dietz,
Captain, Q.M. Corps, Assistant,
War Department,
Washington

Re: QM 293-A-M-Dewey V. Bromley (OA)

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your letter of instructions dated February 2nd, my daughter, Mrs. May Speigel, will accompany me on this trip.

Reservations have already been made with the steamship company for her passage on the boat, however I would like to have you make arrangements so that she can occupy the same rooms with me at the hotel in New York and also in France, and would also appreciate it if you could make arrangements with some reliable tourist agency so that she can accompany me on the tours we will make while in France.

My daughter's reservations on the boat are as follows: Berth 2, Room B-19, and bath, and on the return trip in Berth B, room 106 and bath, which I desire to share with her.

Thanking you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route 4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Also, will you kindly let me know what railroad rail reservations will be made on, so that my daughter can make arrangements for the rail portion of this trip, so that she will be able to have the same reservations as myself.

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QM 293 A-M
Bremley, Dewey V. (QA)

April 26, 1933

Mrs. May Bremley,
Route 4, Box 17,
Olympia, Wash.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 20th, making inquiry as to whether you could make a cash payment to cover your daughter's expenses before you leave for France.

It is regretted to advise that no such arrangements can be made. It will be necessary for your daughter to purchase her own railroad ticket to New York and pay for her meals enroute. However, arrangements will be made for your daughter to be quartered with you in the hotels in New York and Paris. She will of course be required to bear the expense thereof as incurred.

It is believed you should experience no difficulty on the journey and every effort will be made to assure you a pleasant and satisfactory journey.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Col., Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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June 7
Daughter to accompany
prev. noted

Olympia Wash
Apr 20. 1933.

War Department
Office of The Quartermaster General
Wash.

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Dear Sir.

I am writing you about my
daughter Mrs May Spiegel of San Francisco
Cal. who is to accompany me on
my trip to France. As I go as a Gold
Star Mother. Can my daughter
pay you here so she can be in some
state hotel. right with me in New
York and France. pay for meals also here
if it can be arranged with the
Government let us know at once.

We sail June 7 S.S. Washington. we
have made arrangements to be on
in same room on boat.

Yours Truly

Mrs May Bromley

Address this my daughter Mrs G C Law
R 4 Box 17 Oly Wash



Bromley, Henry V. Co
accepts wash - June 7-

Olympia, Wash.
April 8, 1933

The Quartermaster Gen.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt
of your letter of the
3rd.

This is to advise
you that the correct
address is
"Route 4, Box 32".

Thanking you,
I am

Very Respectfully
Yours,
Mrs. May Bromley



OH 295 AM
Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

April 3, 1933

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route 4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

This office is in receipt of your passport in connection with the pilgrimage you are scheduled to make to the Oise Aisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S.S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

It is noted that on the records of this office your address is given as shown above, whereas on your application for the passport it is "523 Frederick St., Olympia, Wash." In order to avoid any confusion in issuing your transportation and making other arrangements, it will be appreciated if you will advise which address is correct. Your passport will be retained in this office until the time of sailing when it will be delivered to you aboard the boat.

The self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience in replying and does not require postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 AM
Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

March 21, 1933.

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication inclosing money order dated March 16, in the amount of \$3.00, covering excess pullman fare for a stopover at Pueblo, Colo., on your return from a pilgrimage to the Oise Aisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S. S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

Transportation arrangements for this stopover on your return journey will be made accordingly.

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 AM
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

February 27, 1933

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

*This letter returned +
money order for \$3.00 inclosed
3/21/32 - M.H.*

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your request for a stopover at Pueblo, Colo. on your return from a pilgrimage to the Oise Aisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S.S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

Arrangements can be made for this stopover but there will be an additional cost to you of three dollars (\$3) due to a difference in pullman fare. All expenses incurred by you during your visit at Pueblo must also be paid from your personal funds.

Please advise immediately whether or not you desire arrangements made for this stopover and, if so, forward money order to this office at once in the amount of three dollars (\$3), payable to the Finance Officer, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

In the event that you forward money order for this stopover and upon your return from Europe desire to go directly to your home, it is suggested that you take this matter up with the Officer in Charge of the Pilgrimage, New York, who will exchange your ticket for you. Refund will then be mailed from this office covering your remittance.

The self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience in replying and does not require postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

R. E. Shannon

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



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Phone 487.

*25 Washington
June 7*

IF YOU DESIRE A STOPOVER ON YOUR RETURN FROM EUROPE PLEASE READ CAREFULLY THE PARAGRAPH, "STOPOVERS IN THE UNITED STATES", ON PAGE 3 OF THE ENCLOSED LETTER OF INSTRUCTIONS, FILL IN THE FORM BELOW AND RETURN IT TO THIS OFFICE.

Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)
Bromley, Mrs. May
R #4, Box 32 Y
Olympia, Thurston Co. Wash.
Washington June 7th

Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

On my return from the pilgrimage to American Cemeteries in Europe, I desire to stop over at the point, or points, listed below, for the number of days shown after the name of the town. If these stopovers will cause me any expense I am to be advised of the amount and may then withdraw this request if I so desire.

Not so sure whether I will stop at all depends on how tired I am

Cities where I desire to stopover:

No. of days

Pueblo, Colorado

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*Final limit
Oct 31*



Very truly yours,

Mrs. May Bromley
(Your name)

R. F. Dr #4, Box 32
(Your address)

Bromley, Dewey W. (OA)

Mothers' & Widows' Pilgrimage

Stopovers on return

Name: Bromley, Mrs. May

Address: R. #4, Box 32 Y, Olympia, Washington

Party: B

Stopovers desired at: Pueblo, Colo.

Rail

Excess None

Pullman

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Value</u>
New York	Pueblo, Colo.	L B	19.88
Pueblo, Colo.	OLYMPIA, Wash.	L B	15.75

Total: 35.63
 Thru Pullman Fare: 32.63
 Excess: 3.00

Amounts shown as "excess" have been collected by the Quartermaster General and remitted to the Finance Officer, Washington, D.C.

QM 293 AM
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

February 27, 1933

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your request for a stopover at Pueblo, Colo. on your return from a pilgrimage to the Oise Aisne American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the S.S. WASHINGTON, June 7, 1933.

Arrangements can be made for this stopover but there will be an additional cost to you of three dollars (\$3) due to a difference in pullman fare. All expenses incurred by you during your visit at Pueblo must also be paid from your personal funds.

Please advise immediately whether or not you desire arrangements made for this stopover and, if so, forward money order to this office at once in the amount of three dollars (\$3), payable to the Finance Officer, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

In the event that you forward money order for this stopover and upon your return from Europe desire to go directly to your home, it is suggested that you take this matter up with the Officer in Charge of the Pilgrimage, New York, who will exchange your ticket for you. Refund will then be mailed from this office covering your remittance.

The self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience in replying and does not require postage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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PLEASE FILL IN THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR BELOW,
AND MAIL THIS LETTER PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED
ENVELOPE WHICH REQUIRES NO POSTAGE.

Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)
Bromley, Mrs. May
R #4, Box 32 Y
Olympia, Thurston Co. Wash.
Washington June 7th

Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

In the blank space below you will find the name,
address, and relationship to me, of the person in the United
States whom I desire to be notified in case I become
seriously ill or other emergency arises while I am making
the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by the Act of Congress
approved March 2, 1929.

Mr. Ted Bromley
Name
R.F.D. #4, Box 32
Address
Son
Relationship

Very truly yours,



Mrs. May Bromley
Your name
R.F.D. #4, Box 32
Your address
Olympia, Wa.

QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (QA)

February 2, 1933

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route 4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 25th advising that your daughter, Mrs. May Spiegel, will accompany you on the pilgrimage you are to make to the grave of your son, the late Private Dewey V. Bromley, sailing June 7th on the WASHINGTON.

The Roosevelt Steamship Company, #1 Broadway, New York City, operates the vessels on which the mothers and widows make the journey to and from Europe, and your daughter should communicate with them as to reservations for the ocean voyage, advising them the name of the vessel on which you are to sail, the date of sailing, and your name. The steamship company will furnish full information as to the cost of ocean transportation.

Sightseeing trips in and around Paris and transportation between Paris and the cemeteries are accomplished by busses which are chartered by the Government for official use only, and this office therefore could not authorize your daughter's transportation in these busses. It is suggested she communicate with the American Express Company, 11 rue Scribe, Paris, France, for arrangements as to transportation in Paris and to and from the cemeteries, and for hotel accommodations in the town near the cemetery. This company is in close touch with the pilgrimage office in Paris, and will probably arrange itineraries that will parallel those of the pilgrimage.

As soon as your daughter has made final preparations for her journey, it is requested this office be notified, and arrangements will be made for you to occupy the same cabins aboard ship and be quartered together at hotels in New York and Paris, provided, of course, your daughter secures first class accommodations.

QM 293 A-M
Bronley, Dewey V. (OA)

February 2, 1933

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Notation has been made of your desire to be assigned to a lower berth aboard ship, and you are assured that every consideration will be given your request.

About two weeks before you leave home this office will mail you a check to cover the cost of your meals, tips and other traveling expenses while enroute to New York. You will also receive a letter advising you just what train you will take, the time the train will leave your station and the route to New York. Your railroad and Pullman tickets will be paid for by the Government and will be delivered to you by your local ticket agent about one week before you are scheduled to leave home.

There is enclosed herewith a list of mothers and widows from Washington who have been invited to sail June 7th.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:
List.

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Olympia Wash
Jan 25. 1933.

The Quartermaster Gen.

Dear Sir

I am accepting the
invitation. to Grace and
one of my daughters will
go along with me paying
her own way. as I want
go unless she goes a
long. I am looking into
rates. So give us all
the invitation you can
Is any one else from
Oly going. Could you
give us the names
of people going in Wash.
My daughter lives in



Cal the one that will
go with me she is
at 1212 Geary St San
Francisco Cal. Mrs May
Spiegel. is her name.

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I am a big fat lady
and I need a lower
Berth. Are you going to
send the money here
for me to get my fare
from here to New York
or how about it.

Please give me all
information. yours Resp.

Mrs May Bromley
Bromley

Rt 4-Box 32 Y



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

July 11, 1932.

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Wash.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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

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

Yes
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

Mrs May Bromley

Olympia Wash

July 4

Dear Lia

I intend to make
the trip. And one of
my daughters will go
along. She pay her
way. Can she have
the same ~~with~~ Birth
with me. What
would her round trip
ticket be from Aly
Grace & back. Is
there many Gold Star
Mathers going this
time. Mrs May Bransley



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QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (OA)

August 22, 1932

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route 3, Box 52-Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of August 4th advising that you desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private Dewey V. Bromley, during the summer of 1933, and that one of your daughters will accompany you on the journey.

While the Government can make no arrangements for relatives or friends accompanying pilgrims on their journey, it is believed your daughter will experience no difficulty in securing accommodations on the same ship and in the same hotels in New York and Europe if she wishes to accompany you at personal expense.

As plans for the 1933 pilgrimages are still in the formative stage, it is impossible at this time to advise you just when you will be scheduled to make the trip. However, a formal invitation will be forwarded you several months prior to your sailing date and your daughter will be informed at that time just what arrangements she should make to accompany you. It is estimated the entire trip will cost her \$750.

To date approximately six hundred women have expressed a desire to visit the cemeteries of Europe next summer.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Bromley, Dewey V. (QA)

August 4, 1931

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of the questionnaire completed by you, advising that you do not desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private Dewey V. Bromley, during the summer of 1932.

Please be advised there is no provision of law which would permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow who is unable or does not desire to make the pilgrimage.

Your name has been placed upon the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to visit the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and you will be communicated with when the pilgrimages are being arranged for that year.

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

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM
Bromley, Dewey V. Pvt.(OA) M

June 20, 1931

Mrs. May Bromley,
R #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? No.
Write answer here

P.S. Give me the money you would spend on me
Mrs May Bromley
Sign here

QM 293 A-M

July 24, 1930

Bromley, Dewey V. 608-M

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication of July 14, 1930, also form letter completed by you, relative to the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

The above Act of Congress, as amended May 15, 1930, provides only for pilgrimages to the cemeteries in Europe by the mothers and widows of deceased service men, and does not contain any provision whereby an eligible mother or widow who is unable or does not care to make the pilgrimage may receive any compensation whatsoever in lieu of the trip.

In view of the foregoing, therefore, it will not be possible to grant you a money allowance equal to the cost of the pilgrimage in the event that you do not wish to take advantage of the offer of the Government.

Should you desire to make the pilgrimage during the summer months of 1931, 1932 or 1933, it is requested that you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Olympia Wn

War Department July 14 1930

Why cant you allow me
the amount of money that
it would take. to go over
there. I need the money more
than the trip. What difference
is it to you whether you
spend it on me over
seas. or give me to me
to use in my old age,
Which I need. and
could use now.

Yours Rest

Cash noted

Mrs May X Bromley.

War Department July 14
My dear Mr. [Name]
The amount of money that
it would take to [do over]
there. I need the money more
than the [other]. What difference
is it to you whether you
spend it on me or
bees or give me to me
to use in my old age.
What I need. And
could use now.

Yours Faithfully



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bromley, Dewey V. 608 M

June 18, 1930.

Mrs. May Bronley,
Route #4, Box 32 Y,
Olympia, Wash.

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.

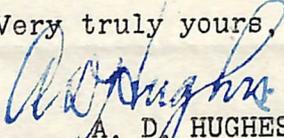
To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1931 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing the word "Yes" or "No" in the blank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

No
(Write answer here)


(Sign here)

Signal Corps, United States Army

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Received at

War Department Message Center,
Room 3441, Munitions Building,
Washington, D. C.

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Bromley, Dewey V.

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MR DEWITT
QM GENERAL
WASHINGTON DC

REGARD YOUR TELEGRAM SEVENTH HAVE ALREADY ACCEPTED IN PREVIOUS LETTER
TO YOU MAILED A WEEK AGO BUT NOW WISH TO DECLINE INVITATION THANK
YOU

MRS MARY BROMLEY

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Record Attached



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Night Letter

Washington, D. C., April 7, 1930.

MRS. MAY BROMLEY,
R. #4, BOX 19 Y,
OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON.

REPLY TO INVITATION MAILED YOU TO SAIL MAY TWENTY EIGHTH NOT RECEIVED STOP
DO YOU ACCEPT OR DECLINE WIRE ANSWER 149 GSM

DeWITT
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

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QM 293 A-C Bromley, Dewey V.

QM 293 A-C
Bromley, Dewey V.

April 4, 1930

Mrs. May Bromley,
Route 5, Box 19-Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 24, 1930, accepting the invitation to sail on the S. S. Roosevelt, May 28, 1930, to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private Dewey V. Bromley, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

With reference to your inquiry as to whether your daughter could accompany you, you are advised under the law providing for this pilgrimage, the Government cannot bear any part of the expense of a relative or friend accompanying you, nor can it make any arrangements for them. This must be entirely a personal matter.

It may be possible for your daughter to secure accommodations on the same ship and possibly at the same hotels in New York and Paris, but in view of the limited accommodations you could not travel to the cemetery together, and it is doubtful if you could secure accommodations in the same town near the cemetery. The Government can assume no responsibility for relatives or friends accompanying pilgrims and they must not expect medical or other assistance from the Government or to be included in official tours paid for by the Government.

If your daughter desires to accompany you under these conditions it is suggested she write for further information to the United States Lines, 1027 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, D. C., who no doubt will be able to give you complete information as to cost of transportation. This company is a commercial line which owns and operates the vessels upon which reservations have been made for all mothers and widows making the pilgrimage. It is understood, that they have arranged with some of the tourist agencies to take care of any relatives or friends and make all arrangements for their accommodations while in Europe.

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 Q" 293 A-C

Bromley, Dewey V. 608-M

March 29, 1930

Mrs. May Bromley,
R. #4, Box 19-Y,
Olympia, Washington.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not accepted or declined the invitation extended you to make a pilgrimage to Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the "Roosevelt" on May 28, 1930.

In order that arrangements may be completed for the pilgrimage, it is imperative that you complete the card enclosed with the invitation signifying whether or not you accept the invitation and return the same to this office.

In the event no reply is received from you before April 1st, 1930, the invitation will be automatically cancelled.

Should you desire to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested that you advise this office to that effect.

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
Bromley, Dewey V. 608 M

October 7, 1929.

**Mrs. May Bromley,
Rt. #4, Box 19-Y,
Olympia, Wash.**

Dear Madam:

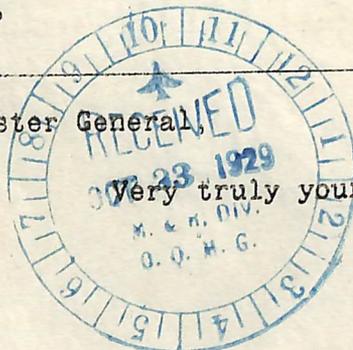
The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, 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>yes</i> (No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes) <i>yes</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) (No) <i>No</i>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age Health (Years) <i>67</i> (Good) <i>good</i> (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) <i>yes</i> (No) Other language <i>No</i> (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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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Bromley, Dewey V.

June 24, 1929.

Mrs. May Bromley,
Bickleton, Washington.

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 Private Dewey V. Bromley, Troop I, 15th Cav., whose remains are interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a 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 re-married 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.
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JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Roosevelt
5-28-30
608

Bromley, Dewey V

I accept ^{declining by wire 4-9-30 after} ^{accepting by letter} the invitation extended
(Accept or decline)

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

no

Mrs. May Bromley

(Name)

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R. #4, Box ~~10~~, Olympia, Thurston Co., Wash.

(Town or City)

(State)



Accepts invitation ^{Thurstaro,} Olympia, Wash
Roosevelt

Mar. 24. 1930

May 28

The Quartermaster General.

Munition Building Dewey, Bromley⁻⁶⁰⁸
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:- I accept the invitation extended me to make a pilgrimage to Europe, and wish to take along my daughter May Spiegel, who makes her home with me. Of course she would have to pay her way.

I would like a little information how we could arrange it so she could be with me

on the trip and share
the same stateroom on the
boat, and what it would
cost her? Hoping to hear
from you at once and
thanking you.

Yours Truly
Mrs May Bronley
Port 4 - Box 32
Olympia, Wash.
Thurslan Co.,



Olympia Wash.
Aug 10. 1929

Q.M. 293.A.C.

Bromby, Newey V.
The Quartermaster General
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir. - In reply to your
letter of June 24. 1929 asking
if my son Private Newey V. Bromby
Troop I, 15th Cav., whose remains are
interred in the Aise-Aisne American
Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne,
France, is survived by a widow
I wish to inform you that he
was never married.

Yours truly,
Mrs. May Bromby.

R. 4 Box 194.

