

G.R.S. Form #114 B

OCT 6 - 1926

DATE 9/30/21.

1. NAME BROPHY, Henry E.

SERIAL No. 1764230

RANK Mech.

ORGANIZATION Co. G, 310th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION Argonne Amer. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, #1232, Sect.92

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

162

Sect.92

4

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

Gr. 324 - Froidos,

Meuse

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Bar le Duc. 51 NE

255.3 N

308.3 E

CONCENTRATED TO 6/16/19

162

Sec 92

4

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse Argonne Cemetery

1232

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on peg over body.

DATE OF DEATH

Oct. 20, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

New Jersey

data F-1.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

Honor

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

M. B. Birdseye

M. B. BIRDSEYE

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

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 9/30/21.

11

31

H.

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

Block PLOT

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

OCT 6 1926
A. G. O.
WORLD WAR DIV.

Robt. CEMETERY
Major General,
The Adjutant General.
By

AUDITED BY
18W. 4-23



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 I6, 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.



GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Brophy *1764230* *HENRY E.*
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Mechanic *Co. H. 310 Inf. 78 Div.*
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: *Gas Hospital no 4*

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Phosgene Gas Inhalation, skin burn, 4.5 W. left side of face, right thigh.*

DATE OF BURIAL: *22 Oct. 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *Chateau De Salvange*

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

American Cemetery, Road between Angerville and Groivies. 1 Km. South of Rarcourt. 200 meters west of road.

GRAVE NUMBER: *210*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? *yes*

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *yes*

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: *Lt. Anderson M.C.*
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

Place NEUF CHATEAU

Date 27th June 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name BROBHY, Henry E.
(Brophy)

Number: 1764230

Rank Unkn

Organization: Co G. 310th Inf

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group _____

Unit _____

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

16th June 1919

Amer Mil Cty Grave 324 Row 12

CHATEAU SALVANGE MEUSE

51 NE E 308.3 N 255.3

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

16th June 1919

Grave No 162 Sec 92 Plot 4

ARGONNE AMER CEMETERY NO 1232

ROMAGNE MEUSE

1232

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

Burial good; buried in uniform; body decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No

What other means of identification were found upon the body? None

CONFIRMED No. D. 11793

Notes:

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

Supervised by Lt Wilson

C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

JMB

18x9

REPORT OF DISTURBANCE AND REBURIAL.

Number of:

Name: BROPHY, Henry E.

Rank: (Brophy)

Organization: Co G 310th Inf

Unit: 1st Lt

Maintenance and Reburial made by Group

Date:

Disturbed (Date): From: (Give complete location)

18th June 1919 1st Lt Henry E. Brophy, Co G 310th Inf

CHATEAU SEVINGE MUSEE

51 Rue A 308.3 N 333.3

Reburied (Date): In: (Give complete location)

18th June 1919 Grave No 123 Sec 92 Plot 4

LEBOURNE JAMES GARLAND NO 1233

NON-RECORDED

Result as to nature of original burial and condition of body when disturbed:

Burial good; buried in uniform; body decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? NO

What other means of identification were found upon the body? None

CONFIRMED NO. D.....



It upon disturbance, efforts are taken upon the body... as is reported by G.C.O.M. G.R.S. after being carefully examined for clues to identity in order that reburial will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Reg. at... by Lt Wilson

Gold Star Pilgrimages
Party I, Sailing June 25, 1930

Brophy, Henry E.

Mech.

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MASSACHUSETTS

Brophy, Mrs. Catherine
Van Worden Rd., Reading

Route Going and Returning: B&M, Boston; NYNH&H

Itinerary:

June 24 Leave Reading 7.33 A.M. (EST) Train No. 126
Arrive Boston (No.Sta.) 8.05 " " " " "
? — Transfer by Street Ry.
Leave Boston (So.Sta.) 9.00 " " " " 9
Arrive New York (G.C.T.) 2.30 P.M. " " " "

→ Coach, Reading to Boston
Parlor Car, Boston to New York

Elapsed time, 6 hrs. 57 min. $\frac{1}{2}$

REMARKS

Catherine Brasby



Party "I" - Itinerary - Meuse-Argonne Group

Sailed June 25, 1930 on SS REPUBLIC. Capt. F. M. Child and Lt. G. E. Young in charge. Arrived Cherbourg 10.30 pm July 5th. Tender arrived 5.35 am July 6th, bearing Major Dailey and 8 other officers; 4 nurses and 2 civilian employees. Train left at 8.21 am. Arrived Gare des Invalides 2.15 pm. Met by Col. Ellis, members of his staff and a detail of interpreters and nurses.

July 7th. Morning devoted to transaction of personal business. Exchange of money, preparation of laundry, etc. Left hotel by bus at 3 pm for Arc de Triomphe where Mrs. Emmeline Neubert placed a wreath on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent after ceremony. Returned to hotel for dinner. Evening free.

July 8th. Left hotel 7.15 am for Montmirail, Chalons s/Marne, St. Menehould and Verdun.

July 9th, 10th, 11th. Daily trips from Verdun to the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery.

July 12th. Left Verdun 9.15 am. Lunch at Cemetery. Left 2 pm via Charpentry, Argonne Forest, Four de Paris, Vienne-le-Chateau, Vienne-la-Ville, Somme-Bionne. Arrived Suippes 4 pm. Rest stop Hotel de Champagne. Left 4.30 pm via Jonchery, St. Hilaire-le-Grand. Arrived Reims 6 pm. Dinner and sleep Hotel Bristol Crystal.

July 13th. Visit Cathedral and Reims in morning. Lunch Hotel Bristol Crystal. Left Reims 1.30 pm via Champfleury, Ay, Epernay, Dormans. Arrived Chateau Thierry 3.30 pm. Rest stop Hostellerie du Bonhomme. Left 4 pm via Le Thiolet, Montrouil-sux-Lions, La Forte-sous-Jouarre. Arrived Paris 6.45 pm.

July 14th. Sightseeing trip Paris Notre Dame. Lunch at Hotel. Sightseeing trip Paris Napoleon's Tomb. Dinner at Hotel.

July 15th. Morning free. Lunch at Hotel. Depart Versailles, Belle Cycliste-Suresnes. Dinner at hotel.

July 16th. Fontainebleau via Melun. Lunch Hotel Legris. Visit Chateau. Dinner at hotel.

July 17th. Boat train for Cherbourg 10.30 am. Arrived Cherbourg 4.13 pm. SS AMERICA sailed shortly after 6.10 pm. Capt. Child and Lt. Young in charge. Arrived New York July 26th.

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

BROPHY, HENRY E. - M.A.

Party I
Number 2230

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

MRS. CATHERINE BROPHY

Actual cost of through Pullman.

Name of Traveler

READING, MIDDLESEX COUNTY,

New York, to READING, MASS.

Home Address

MASS.

\$ 150 to Boston

New York, to READING, MASS.
Destination

No pullman beyond

Via N Y N H & H TO BOSTON - B & M TO DEST.

LIMIT

JULY 27, 1930

Date of Departure

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	Car	U. S. G. Order No.	Actual Cost
LV	GR CENT TERM	NYNHH	10	27	900	36	30	Ug 1022447
AR	Boston			230	fare			
LV								
AR								
LV	Boston	B&M	1021	27	345	fare		
AR	Reading			418				
LV								
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LV								
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LV								
AR								

TOTAL

Remarks:

Transfer at Boston - South La North Station
Escorted to trains by Capt. Arnold J. Funk

52230

NAME BROPHY, MRS. CATHERINE

S.S. AMERICA

JUL 25 1930

HOME READING, MIDDLESEX COUNTY MASS.

R.R. NY NH & H to Boston

STATION BA Intidest

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE

Mr John Brophy
33 Cross St.
Winchester, Mass
Middlesex Co.

MB

WAR DEPARTMENT
PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS
225 WEST 34TH ST., N. Y., N. Y., ROOM 201

VIA WESTERN UNION

MR JOHN BROPHY
33 CROSS STREET
WINCHESTER MASS

A.C. TIPTON
MAJOR INF (POL)

JULY 26, 1930.

YOUR WIFE ARRIVED SAFELY AT HOTEL MCALPIN SHE WILL ARRIVE XXXX
4:15 SUNDAY STANDARD TIME

COLONEL WILLIAMS

MRS C. BROPHY HOTEL MCALPIN PARTY "I"

June 10th, 1930

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Road,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

For the Officer in Charge:

George F. R. Taylor
1st Lieut. U.S. Army
Assistant

Enclosures:
2 tags

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Brophy, Henry	3	2 8 5
	CEMETERY	1	1
BURIED	GRAVE	2	11
	ROW	2	3 1
	BLOCK	1	8
STATE	N.J.	2	35
BANK	Mech.	1	2
DIVISION	78	2	78
ORGANIZATION	310	3	310
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	Yes (Dead)	1	1
NAME	Mrs. Catherine Brophy	5	2 8 5
	STATE	2	25
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	09
	CITY	3	121
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.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	Yes	1	1
29/514/PJ	Age		76

June 25 1930

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CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Brophy	3	285
	Henry Jr.		
BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 11	2	11
	ROW 31	2	31
	BLOCK H	1	8
STATE	N. J.	2	35
RANK	Mech	1	2
DIVISION	78	2	78
ORGANIZATION	310	3	310
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	Yes	1	1
NAME		3	
	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	Widow	1	5
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Dead	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	
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QM 293 AM
Brophy, Henry E. Mech. 1232M

August 8, 1930

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The testimonial dated July 25th to the Secretary of War, which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS America were so kind as to send regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, has been referred to me for reply.

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

I am indeed pleased to receive such complimentary remarks concerning the care and consideration shown the women making the journey by the personnel connected with the pilgrimage.

Sincerely yours,

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

MDT

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ADH
JTH
WRG

NAME Brophy, Mrs. CatherineADDRESS Van Worden Rd., Reading, Mass.DATE 28 July 1930

TO:

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

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

SINCERELY,

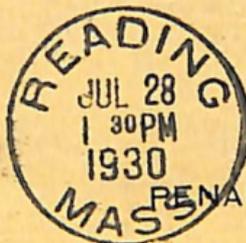
(SIGNED)

Catherine Brophy

WAR DEPARTMENT



OFFICIAL BUSINESS



PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE \$300.

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

STATE

MASSACHUSETTS.....

Brophy, Henry E.

M

Brophy, Mrs. Catherine

Van Worden Rd.,

Reading

NAME HOME ADDRESS

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN

*Mr J Brophy 33 Cross St.
Middlesex ch/Worcester, Mass.*

ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

JUN 24 1930

COMMODORE

*805
112A*

DATE HOTEL ROOM NO.

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

JUN 25 1930

S/S REPUBLIC

112A

DATE VESSEL CABIN NO.

CHERBOURG

M. A.

DESTINATION CEMETERY

RETURN NEW YORK

DATE *July 26*

NAME *M. Brophy Mrs. Catherine* HOME ADDRESS *San Woodeau Rd. Reading, Mass.*

RETURN ON S. S. *S/S AMERICA* HOTEL *MCALPIN* ROOM NO. *629*

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE *7/27*

ROAD *NY N.Y.H.* TRAIN *10* CAR *30* BERTH or SEAT *S 36*

REMARKS

MEDICAL RECORD

Party: "I"

S. S. JULY 20

Eastbound
Westbound

Name BROPHY, MRS. CATHERINE

Home Address

Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Religion

Age

History of present complaint: MAL DE MER

BRANDY dr 2.

(OVER)

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

Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks:

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1232

RETURN RECEIPT

Registered for Insured Article
6/25/30

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

Leathorne - Bishop
(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery,

June 19, 1930

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 927410

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

Q. M. GENERAL

Return to _____

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box, _____

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE
TO WOULD PAYMENT OF
POSTAGE \$100.

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE



AND DATE OF DELIVERY

1654

1232

RETURN RECEIPT

Republic 6/25/30

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

Leatrice D. P. [Signature]

Deliver to addressee (Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, MAY 31 1930, 192

Form 3811

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Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

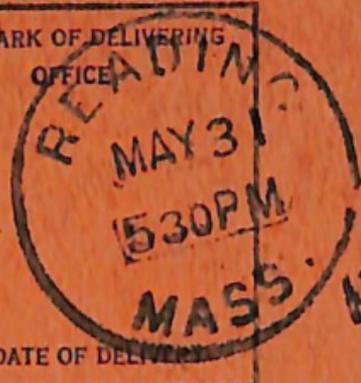
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INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE



AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

Street and Number, }
or Post Office Box, }

MUNITIONS BUILDING

Post Office at _____

Washington, D. C.

State _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Brophy, Henry E. 1232-M
Republic 6/25

May 10, 1930

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

Name

John S. Brophy

Address

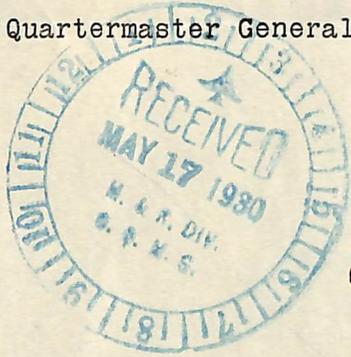
31. Cross St. Winchester Mass. *with*

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



Encl.
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 10, 1930.

Brophy, Henry E. 1232 N

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Republic

6/25/30

1232

Brophy, Henry E

I Accept----- the invitation extended
(Accept or decline)

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

Mrs. Catherine Brophy

(Name)

Van Worden Rd., Reading, Middlesex Co., Mass.

(Town or City)

(State)



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Brophy, Henry E. 1232 M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Sealed
JUN 25 1930

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) <i>No</i> (No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <i>76</i> Health <i>good</i> (Years) <i>76</i> (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No) Other language <i>English</i> (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Act
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Brophy, Henry E.
1232

Sept. 10, 1929.

Mrs. Katherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Aug. 21, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

Wife deceased

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

Katherine Brophy

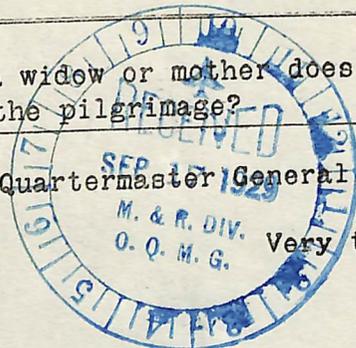
Van Worden Rd

Reading Mass

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

Yes

For The Quartermaster General



Very truly yours,

John 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 Brophy, IOM 2931A-C

August 21, 1929

Mrs. Katherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

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".

Henry E. Brophy, Mech. Co. G, 310th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the M. A. B. Cemetery, Compiègne-sous-Montcaumon, Meuse, France. The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late

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

Write answers in space below:

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

2. If so, give her complete address.

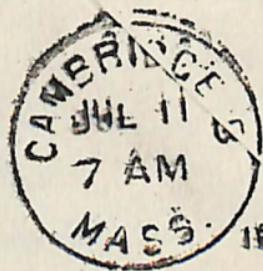
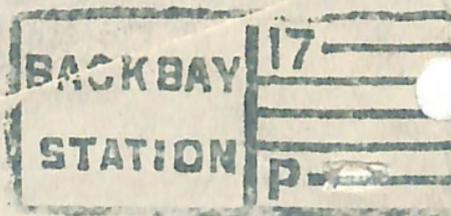
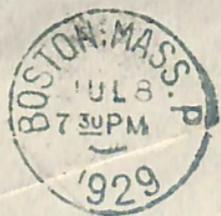
3. Will you make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29 , 1929.

Brophy, Henry E.

Mrs. Katherine Brophy,
~~180 Magazine Street,~~
~~Cambridge, Mass.~~

*Van Norden Road,
Reading, Mass.*

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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,

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



QM 295 AM
Brophy, Henry E. Mech. 1232M

August 8, 1930

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Herden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The testimonial dated July 25th to the Secretary of War, which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS America were so kind as to send regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, has been referred to me for reply.

It is gratifying to know that the officers of the Army and the nurse in charge of your group 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 these making the journey might have a comfortable and pleasant trip. I feel, however, that the task has been materially lightened by the wonderful spirit of cooperation shown by the mothers and widows who are making the pilgrimage.

I am indeed pleased to receive such complimentary remarks concerning the care and consideration shown the women making the journey by the personnel connected with the pilgrimage.

Sincerely yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Brophy, Henry H. 1232-M

June 12, 1930

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Road,
Reading, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Brophy, Henry E. - 1232

June 5, 1930.

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Road,
Reading, Mass.

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. Reading	B&M	Train No.126	7:33 AM (EST)	June 24
Ar. Boston(No.Sta.)	"	" " "	8:05 " "	" "
Lv. Boston(So.Sta.)	NYNH&H	" " 9	9:00 " "	" "
Ar. New York(G.C.F.)	"	" " "	" " "	" "

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-C
Brophy, Henry B. 1232-M

June 3, 1930

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Norden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The acceptances from the mothers and widows who are to make the pilgrimage to France, sailing on the SS REPUBLIC, June 25, 1930, are far in excess of the number anticipated, and due to this fact this boat will be somewhat crowded and the accommodations will not be as satisfactory as The War Department desires to furnish. Over 300 women have accepted invitations to sail on this boat and it is desired if possible to reduce this number to around 200 by voluntary transfers of women who are booked to sail.

Much more comfortable accommodations can be furnished on the SS REPUBLIC, sailing August 30, 1930, and should you change your sailing date to August 30th, a more comfortable trip can be assured.

If you desire to change from June 25th to August 30th, please notify this office at once, in order that the necessary adjustments can be made.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Brophy, Henry E. 1232-M
Republic 6/25

May 10, 1950

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

Name

Address

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Brophy, Henry - 1233-M
Republic 6-25

May 8, 1930

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 10, 1910.

Brophy, Henry E. 1232 M

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to QM 293 A-C

Brophy, Henry E. 1232-M

March 27, 1930

Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Road,
Reading, Mass

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.
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Brophy, Henry E. 1232 M

**Mrs. Catherine Brophy,
Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.**

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Brophy, Henry E.
1232

Sept. 10, 1929.

Mrs. Katherine Brophy,
Van Norden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Aug. 21, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 29, 1929.

Brophy, Henry E.

Mrs. Katherine Brophy,
120 Magazine Street,
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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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,-

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

Brophy

Henry E

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(Surname.)

Mech

(Christian name in full.)

Co G 310 Inf

(Army serial number)

(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 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)

J. Brophy

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Mrs. Catharine Brophy.
120 Magazine St.,
Cambridge, Mass.
checked 2/10

5-10-21

Noted

Date

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5-9-21

1232 Sec. 92-74

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Brophy, Henry E.

August 21, 1929

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Van Worden Rd.,
Reading, Mass.

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

Write answers in space below:

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

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. Will you make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

October 2, 1923.

Mrs. Katherine Brophy,
120 Magazine St.,
Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the permanent grave of Mechanic Henry E. Brophy, Company G, 310th Infantry, is Grave 11, Row 31, Block H, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, 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.

You are assured in effecting removal of the remains, the utmost care and reverence were exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

O.Q.M.G.
Central Mail & File Bt

H.H. CHEAL
Assistant.



OCT 2 1923

H.B.

W.P.R.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File # 42631

(a) Name BROPHY, Henry E. Ser. No. 1764230
 (b) Rank Mech. Organization Co. G. 310th Inf.
 (c) Date of death 10-20-18 (d) Cause of death DWRIA

TYP. hmp
 CKR. 90

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

(a) Grave No. 162 Row ---- Plot 4 Sec. 92 TYP. hmp
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Katherine Brophy, (mother) 120 Magazine St.,
 Cambridge, Mass.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR. 90

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name C. Brophy (b) Relationship Mother
 (c) Address not known
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at -----
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. -----
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. -----

Examiner's Initials B. C. Date 5-9-21, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials ----- Date -----, 1920.

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

no request for disposition.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? -----

Examiner's Initials B. C. Date 5-9-21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232 Sec. 92 SHEET No. 24

Place Romagne sous Montfaucon.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date September 22nd 1921

1. REMAINS OF BROPHY, Henry E. SERIAL NUMBER 1764230.

RANK Mechl ORGANIZATION Co. G. 310th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): September 22nd 1921 From (give complete location): Grave 162. Sec. 92. Plot 4. C em. 1232.

By: Group 5 Unit F.S. 2.

3. Reburied (date): Sept 30th 1921 In (give complete location): Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Gre 11 block H row 31

By: Group re-burial Unit Nature of reburial unlined casket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: Burlap blanket and pine box. Body badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

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

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

Tag on peg over body checks with Form 114a.

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? 13-14-19-30-M.B.D.

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine. 7-8-9-20-28-M.A.D.

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

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

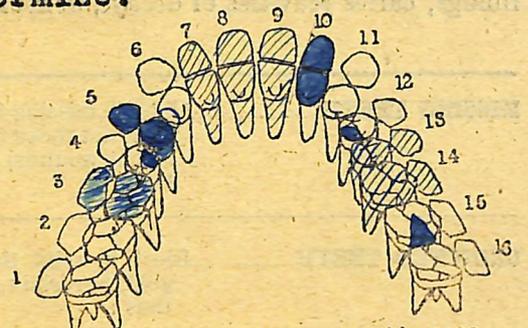
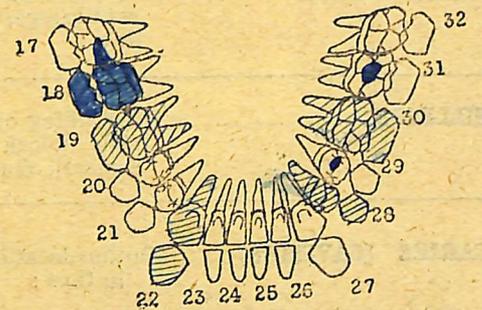


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



3-Decayed to roots.

5-10-18-Gold Crown.

6-Cavity. 4-12-15-17-

29-31-Silver fillings

32-Not cut.

7. Disinterment supervised by J. L. Haky

J. L. HAKY

Approved: G. B. Kidwell
G. B. KIDWELL 1st Lieut. QMC
(Title)

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8. Reburial supervised by W. B. Shields

W. B. SHIELDS

Approved: James W. Younger
James W. Younger, Capt QMC.
(Title)

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".
 (b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.

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

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:



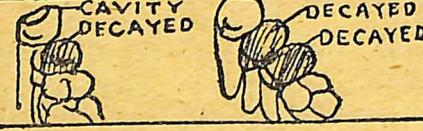
BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus:



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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE September 22nd 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

- 1. Name BROPHY, Henry E.
- 2. No. 1764230
- 3. Rank Mech.
- 4. Org. Co. G, 310th Inf.
- 5. D.D. Oct. 20th 19
- 6. C.D. DWRIA

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 162 Sec. 92
- 8. Plot 4 Row _____
- 9. _____

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

- 18. Cemetery Argonne Amer.
- 20. Dept. or County Meuse
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232, Sect. 92

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

23. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 22, 1921

By J.L.HAKY

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Henry E. Brophy

Rank Mech.

Serial No. 1764230/

Organization Co. G. 310th Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? On peg over body? Yes.

No On body? No.

L.B. AYERS

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail). Tag on peg over body checks with Form 114a.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Burlap blanket and pine box.

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

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept. 22, 1921 By J.L.HAKY

31. Casket sealed by J.L.HAKY

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

J.L. Haky

J.L.HAKY

RECEIVED BY



SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-6139

32. Designation of body:

Name DROPHY, Henry E. Serial No. 1764230

Rank Mech. Organization Co. G, 310th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Argonne Amer. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon #1232

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept. 22, 1921 By J.L.HAKY

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 G.B. Kidwell
G.B. KIDWELL 1st Lieut. Q.M.C.

36. Remarks None.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) September 22nd 1921.

To point of Concentration Morgue Romagne sous Montfaucon.
(Name)

Convoyer W.J. ROYED Signature Shipping Officer Albert M. Jackson, Capt. C.A.C. ewr

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery (Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date Sept 22, 1921

G.R.S. Representative Albert M. Jackson

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cemetery Sept 30th 1921
(Date)

42. Grave No. 11 Section

43. Plot BLOCK H Row 31

G.R.S. Representative James W. Younger
James W. Younger, Capt QMC

jt.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 42631

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BROPHY, Henry E. Ser. No. 1764230
 (b) Rank Mech. Organization Co. G. 310th Inf. } TYP. hmp
 (c) Date of death 10-20-18 (d) Cause of death DWR1A } Bo

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

(a) Grave No. 162 Row ---- Plot 4 Sec. 92 TYP. hmp
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Katherine Brophy, (mother) 120 Magazine St.,
Cambridge, Mass.

III. Files of soldiers ~~dying from contagious diseases~~ CKR. Bo

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

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V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 letter of transmittal on MAY 20 1921, 192

See 92 **PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED** (Z-R-S)

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

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

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

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY NO. _____ SHEET No. _____

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Brophy 1764230 *Henry E.*
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Mechanic Co. G. 310 Inf. 78 Div.
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF BURIAL: *Chateau De Salvange*
Rhusyone

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Gas, Inhalation, Skin*

DATE OF BURIAL: *burn, S.W. Left side*
face, right thigh
22 Oct 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: *American Cemetery*

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

Chateau De Salvange, Road between
Angerville and Froidus, 1 Km south
of Parcourt and 200 meters
West of road.

GRAVE NUMBER: *210*

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

Headboard?..... Bottle?.....

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *yes*

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

Rt. Anderson M.C.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

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1. G. R. S. Form No. 1. Hq. G. R. S. File

2. Soldier's No. 1764230

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3. Brophy, Henry
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Mec. G. 310 Inf.
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. 10/20/18 Gassed
Date of Death Cause, if known

6. 10/27/18 G. S. V.
Date of Burial Cemetery

7. CHATEAU DE SALVANGE MELSE
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

8. 210
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg? Cross? Headboard? Bottle?
Check Method of Marking

10. Buried with Body? Attached to Grave Marker?
Identification Tag

11. If name unknown and tags missing, give marks and description.

Map # 5 N.E. 3
255.30 N. 308.00 E

12. Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Chaplain Wm Wood M.O. # 2
Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed Louis Emburger

Group Hospital # 4 Unit 301 G. R. S.

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

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

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

Henry E. Brophy.
1764230

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