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G.R.S. Form #114-B

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FULL NAME ..... BURROUGHS, Harry A. ✓

RANK ..... Pvt. ✓ SERIAL ..... 3115793 ✓

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ..... Bty A, 310th F.A. ✓ 79 Div. ✓

DATE OF DEATH ..... Oct 21/18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME ..... Conn.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. ✓

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....	30	15	A
	Date	Grave	Row
			Block

Suresnes, #34

Cemetery

23/306/ARK

REC'D WORLD WAR  
SEP 3 24

Burroughs,

(Surname.)

Harry A.

(Christian name in full.)

3,115,793

(Army serial number.)

Pvt. Btry. A, 310th F. A.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased *wife.*

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(Yes or no.) *no.*

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery?

(Yes or no.) *no.*

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

*Mrs. Gertrude E. Burroughs*

*36 Jefferson St. Hartford Conn.*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by Pf

70-8

11-30-w

**REVIEWED  
OSP SS.**

12-2-20 - jee

# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

**Burroughs 3115793 Harry A**  
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

**Pvt Btry A 310 F.A.**  
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: **Camp Hosp 19**

CAUSE OF DEATH: **Influenza, acute,  
catarrhal complicated**

**with broncho pneumonia**  
DATE OF BURIAL: **Oct 22/18**

PLACE OF BURIAL: **Post Cemetery**

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

**LaCourtine, Creuse, France.**

GRAVE NUMBER: **75**

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?  Cross?

Headboard?  Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? **Yes**

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: **Gertrude Emelia Burroughs**

ADDRESS: **36 Jefferson St.,  
Hartford, Conn**

RELATIONSHIP: **Wife**

REPORTED BY: *William J. Munster*

**William J. Munster 1st Lt Chaplain**  
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

1. REMAINS OF BURROUGHS, Harry A. SERIAL NUMBER 3115793

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Bty. A. 310th F. A.

2. Disinterred (date): Oct. 12th, 1921 From (give complete location): Gr. 75, Cem. 70

By: Group 2 Unit Sec. 7

3. Reburied (date): October 22nd, 1921. In (give complete location): Suresnes Cemetary. - Block A - Row 15 - Grave 30.

By: Group Field Operations Branch Unit Unit Nature of reburial Metal Casket and Blanket.

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: Wooden box and uniform. Badly decomposed, features not recognizable.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks: Last name on box. Collar ornaments reads: "310th F. A. Bty A." which checks.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Indiscernable due

(b) Weigh, (estimated) to decomposition

(c) Hair—Color None

Quantity

Characteristics

(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location

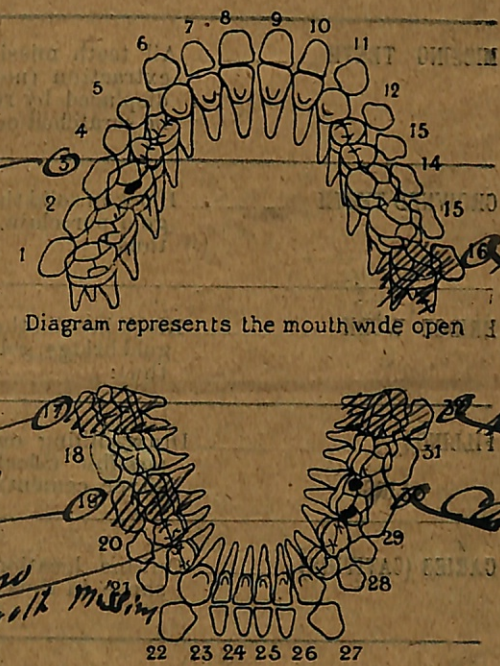
Quantity

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities,

or missing parts None

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

Indiscernable due to decomposition.



Geo. S. Parker, checker.

7. Disinterment supervised by A. J. Harvey, Sup. Emb. Approved; C. S. Downey, 1st Lt. CAC.

8. Reburial Supervised by R. G. RICHARDS, 1st Lieut. Q.M.C. Approved: R. P. HARBOLD, Major, Q.M.C.

Burroughs, H. A.  
Port.

Gold Star Pilgrimages,  
Party R, sailing Aug. 19, 1930.

Cassells, Mrs Catherine (R-2 )  
Box B-8, 9 Wyllys St., Hartford, Conn.  
Sanford, Mrs. William (R-16)  
55 Avon St., Hartford, Conn.  
Holden, Mrs. Ellen V. (R-16)  
290 Washington st., Hartford, Conn.

Route going and returning: NYNH&H

Itinerary:

Aug. 18	Leave Hartford	±	1:14 PM	EST	Train No. 47.
	Arrive New York (GCT)		3:55 PM	EST	" " "

Parlor car, Hartford to New York.

Elapsed time, 2 hrs 41 min.

Party "R" - Itinerary - Suresnes Group

Sailed August 19th, 1930, on GEORGE WASHINGTON. Capt. Arnold J. Funk in Charge. Arrived Charbourg August 27th. Special tender arrived 11:57 am, bearing Majs. Dalley and Kinderman; Capts. Ochs, Naley, Earnest, Lambert and Stark; Lts. Yarborough, Freeman and Minas; five nurses and three civilian employees. Train left 1:37 pm; arrived Gare des Invalides, Paris, 8:00 pm. Met by Col. Ellis and members of his staff, interpreters and nurses. Taken in bus to hotel.

- August 28th: Morning devoted to transaction of personal business. Exchange of money, preparation of laundry, etc. Afternoon - Arc de Triompho, wreaths laid by Mrs. Seymour and Mrs. Cassels. Tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent. Dinner at hotel. Lunch Hotel d'Iena.
- August 29th: Morning free. ~~lunch at hotel~~ / Sightseeing trip Paris - Sacre Coeur. Dinner at hotels.
- August 30th: Visit Suresnes Cemetery. Lunch at Belle Cycliste. Afternoon free. Dinner at hotel.
- August 31st: Free or Church. Lunch Hotel d'Iena. Visit Suresnes Cemetery. Dinner at Hotel d'Iena.
- September 1st: Fontainebleau via Barbiscon. Lunch Hotel Legris. Left for Paris via Melun. Dinner at Hotel d'Iena.
- September 2nd: Sightseeing trip Paris - Louvre. Lunch at Belle Cycliste. Visit Suresnes Cemetery. Dinner at Hotel d'Iena.
- September 3rd: Versailles in morning. Lunch Belle Cycliste - Suresnes. Visit Cemetery. Dinner at Hotel d'Iena.
- September 4th: Left for La Ferté s/s Jouarre via Forte de Pantin, Meaux, (rest stop Hotel de la Terrasse. Lunch Hostellerie du Bonhomme at Chateau Thierry. Visit Aisne-Marne Cemetery in afternoon. Left for Paris via La Ferté (rest stop Hotel de la Terrasse). Dinner at Hotel d'Iena.
- September 5th: Morning free. Visit to Cemetery. Lunch at Belle Cycliste. Cemetery. Dinner at Hotel d'Iena.
- September 6th: Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Afternoon free. Dinner at hotel.
- September 7th: Free or Church. Lunch at hotel. Sightseeing trip Paris - Notre Dame. Dinner at hotel. Sightseeing trip at night.
- September 8th: Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Sightseeing trip Paris, Napoleon's Tomb. Dinner at Hotel.
- September 9th: Suresnes Cemetery. Lunch Hotel d'Iena. Afternoon free. Dinner at hotel.
- September 10th: Best train left for Cherbourg 9:46 am, arrived 3:56 pm. AMERICA called 6:40 pm. Arrived New York September 19th.

Mrs William Sanford

Burroughs, Harry A.

Name SANFORD, Mrs.Wm.,

Paris Hôtel HOTEL D'IÉNA  
AVENUE D'IÉNA

Home address 55 Avon St., Hartford, Hartford County, Connecticut.

Party R Group 6 Unit SS WASHINGTON

Date of arrival Aug.27,1930 Date of departure SS AMERICA, Sept.10,1930

Relationship Mother

Name of deceased BURROUGHS, Harry A.

Rank Pvt. Organization Bty.A, 310th F.A.

Cemetery SURESNES.

REMARKS



*Elizabeth M. Sanford*

NAME SANFORD, MRS. WILLIAM 3236

S.S. AMERICA SEP 19 1930

HOME HARTFORD, HARTFORD COUNTY, CONN

R.R. N.Y. N.H. & H. To dept

STATION

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE Sept. 17 - 30

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

BURROUGHS, HARRY A.

SUR.

Party ..... <sup>SP</sup>.....

Number ... 3306.....

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

Sanford, Mrs. William ..... Actual cost of through Pullman.  
 Name of Traveler

Hartford, Hartford County, ..... New York, to ..... Hartford, Connecticut.  
 Home Address

Connecticut. .... \$ 96¢ .....

New York, to ... Hartford, Connecticut. ....  
 Destination

Via ... NY.NH.&H. to dest. ....

Ticket Expires: ..... Sept. 20, 1930. ....  
 Nov. 17, 1930. .... Date of Departure

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	Car	U. S. G. Order No.	Actual Cost
LV	GR-CENTRAL	50	20	8.15	12	14	WD-1,026,229	
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TOTAL .....

Remarks:

The No 9079  
 escorted to train by Lt Geo E Young

August 1st, 1930

Mrs. William Sanford  
55 Avon Street  
Hartford, Conn.

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., Q.M. Corps,  
Assistant.

*Arrived N.Y. 3:55 PM - 8/18/30 - N.Y.N.H. S.H.R.R. Met by Lt. Geo. E. Young + escorted to Hotel V.A.W.A.*

*1 Bag.*

*Cabin 319-A, Quarters on Des. Wash. with Mrs. Willie D*

**Enclosures:** *Cubanks.*

*Return trip quartered at Hotel McAlpin*

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Burroughs	3	218
	Harry A.		
	CEMETERY	34	6
BURIED	GRAVE	30	30
	ROW	15	15
	BLOCK	A	1
STATE	Conn.	2	06
RANK	Priv	1	2
DIVISION	79	2	79
ORGANIZATION	310	3	310
ARM	F.A.	1	3
MARITAL	Remarried	1	3
Mrs. NAME	Wm Sanford	3	914
	STATE	Conn	06
RES IDENCE	COUNTY	Hartford	02
	CITY	Hartford	023
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.	1930	1
ACCEPTANCE	yes	1	1
29/514/EAB	Aug 2		54

*Sold Aug 19 1930*

**AUDITED**  
 SEP 25 1931  
 HVPB

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CODE SLIP

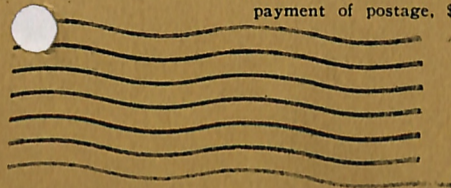
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RESIDENCE	STATE	2	
	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	Widow	1	5
OTHER		1	
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NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
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29/514		1	

**AUDITED**  
 SEP 26 1951  
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WAR DEPARTMENT

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

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



**PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS**

**225 WEST 34TH STREET,**

**NEW YORK, N. Y.**

R

NAME ..Sanford, Mrs. William.....

ADDRESS ..55 Avon St., Hartford, Conn.....

DATE *Sept 21* 1930

TO:                   Officer-In-Charge,  
                          PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

I beg to inform you that I have returned to my  
home safely and in good health.

Sincerely,

(Signed) *Mrs. William Sanford*

STATE

Burroughs, Harry A.

CONNECTICUT

M

55 Avon St.,  
Hartford

NAME SANFORD, MRS. WILLIAM HOME ADDRESS Hartford County

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN Wm. Sanford PAULÉ

ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

DATE Aug. 18, 1930 HOTEL AWA ROOM NO. 2042

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE AUGUST 19, 1930 VESSEL WASHINGTON CABIN NO. 319a  
DESTINATION CHERBOURG, FRANCE CEMETERY SURESNES

RETURN NEW YORK

SEP 19 1930

DATE

M NAME Sanford, Mrs. William HOME ADDRESS 55 Avon St. Hartford  
Hartford County, Conn.

RETURN ON S. S. S/S AMERICA HOTEL MCALPIN ROOM NO. 1377

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE 9/20

ROAD NY S S TRAIN 50 CAR 14 BERTH or SEAT 112

REMARKS

K. Mann.  
(Nurse)

# MEDICAL RECORD

Party: R. Dean

S. S. Washington ~~Westbound~~ <sup>Eastbound</sup>

Name Sanford - Mrs. Elizabeth

Home Address 59 Avon St. Hartford, Conn.

Name and address of nearest relative or friend Wm. E. Sanford  
(husband)

Religion Congregationalist

Age 55

History of present complaint: Constipation

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.

(OVER)

8/21/30.  
*Diagnosis and complications: (include dates) Int. Stasis.*

*Treatment and Progress: (include dates) 8/21/30. Hinkels II.*

*Disposition: (include dates)*

*Remarks:*

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Washington  
RETURN RECEIPT  
8-19-36

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



*Mr. William Sanford*  
-----  
(Signature or name of addressee)

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(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery *7/29/30*, 19  
Form 3811

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RETURN RECEIPT

Washington 8-19-30

*J A*

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

May 16, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Burroughs, Harry A. -34 M  
Washington 8-19

Mrs. William Sanford,  
55 Avon Street,  
Hartford, Conn.

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.

Mr William E Sanford

Name

35 Avon Street H.F.H.

Address

Conn.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*A. D. Hughes*

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

Encl.  
Env.



*noted*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Burroughs, Harry A. 34 E

May 8, 1930.

Mrs. William Sanford,  
55 Avon St.,  
Hartford, Conn.

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.

Washington

8-19-30

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Burroughs, Harry A

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. William Sanford,

(Name)

55 Avon St., Hartford, Hartford County, Conn.

(Town or City)

(State)

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Burroughs, Harry A. 34 M

October 8, 1929.

Mrs. William Sanford,  
55-45 Avon Street,  
Hartford, Conn.

*56 Avon St*

*Paired*  
*AUG 19 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.

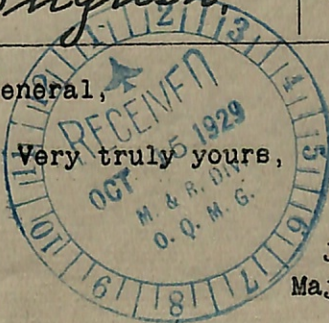
In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes) <del>(No)</del>
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes) <del>(No)</del>
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?	<del>(Yes)</del> (No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <u>54</u> Health (Years) (Good) <del>(Poor)</del>
5. What language do you speak?	English <del>(Yes)</del> <del>(No)</del> Other language (Specify language spoken)

*English*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



*John T. Harris*

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

Encl.  
Act  
Envelope

Bunry's Flax Co.

1. August 1929.

Q M. 293. A-Co.

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Mrs Gertrude Youngboist.

Received your kind letter  
 a couple a weeks ago.  
 that thousands and miles  
 can take a pilgrimage  
 to France, to see our dear  
 Mrs Youngs. Ill see after  
 you remain, you can't  
 not go. It I see I can't  
 go. but he's got a mother  
 living, probably she would  
 like to go. my uncle  
 to see her Mrs grave.  
 Two years ago she lived  
 at 45 Arrouste Flax Co

Bunry's Flax Co. 3107a

I think she still  
 wishes that.  
 Very truly yours.  
 Gertrude Youngboist

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Burroughs, Harry A.

May 28, 1929.

Mrs. Gertrude Youngkoist,  
35 Cortlandt St.,  
Elmwood, West Hartford, Conn.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late Private Harry A. Burroughs, Battery A, 310th F. A., whose remains are now interred in the Suresnes American Cemetery, Suresnes, Seine, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.  
Act of Congress.  
Envelope.

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

B

*Burroughs* XXX A-M

~~Burroughs~~, H. A. 34 M

July 25, 1930

Mrs. William Sanford  
55 Avon St.  
Hartford, Conn.

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. Hartford	NYNH&H	No. 47	1.14 PM	August 18
Ar. New York	"	"	3.55 PM	18

1930  
PM 3 05  
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.

1930  
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

June 13, 1930

Burroughs, H. A. 34-II

Mrs. William Sanford,  
55 Avon St.,  
Hartford, Conn.

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.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

May 16, 1930.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Burroughs, Harry A. -34 M  
Washington 8-19

Mrs. William Sanford,  
55 Avon Street,  
Hartford, Conn.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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Name

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Address

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.  
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Burroughs, Harry A. 34 M

May 8, 1930.

Mrs. William Sanford,  
55 Avon St.,  
Hartford, Conn.

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

Burroughs, Harry A. 34-M

April 30, 1930

Mrs. William Sanford,  
55 Avon Street,  
Hartford, Conn.

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

October 8 1929.

Burroughs, Harry A. 34 M

Mrs. William Sanford,  
45 Avon Street,  
Hartford, Conn.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.  
Act  
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

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Burroughs, Harry A.

May 28, 1929.

Mrs. Gertrude Youngkoist,  
35 Cortlandt St.,  
Elmwood, West Hartford, Conn.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late Private Harry A. Burroughs, Battery A, 310th F. A., whose remains are now interred in the Suresnes American Cemetery, Suresnes, Seine, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Burroughs, Harry A.

May 8, 1929.  
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Mrs. Gertrude Emelia Burroughs,  
14 Putman Height,  
Hartford, Conn.

Burroughs, Harry Albert,  
Wife, remarried, Mrs. Gertrude Youngkoist  
35 Cortlaudt St.  
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Major, Q. M. Corps,  
Assistant.

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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



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19. made.*

Mrs. Gertrude Emelia Burroughs,  
~~14 Putman Height,~~  
Hartford, Conn.

RETURN TO WRITER  
REASON FOR DELIVERY CHECKED  
Uncollected  
Deceased  
Moved, Led no  
No such post office in state named

Directory Service Miss Clark

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

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FILE: 293.8 C-R - #41172 - (Burroughs, Harry A., Private.)  
FROM: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.  
TO: Mrs. Gertrude Burroughs, ~~15 Whitman Place, Hartford, Conn.~~  
SUBJECT: Permanent Grave Location of *Remained 14 Putnam Heights* Private Harry A. Burroughs,  
Battery A, 310th Field Artillery.

1. The permanent grave of this soldier is No. 30 Row 15 Block A, The American Cemetery of Suresnes, Department of Seine, France.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

MAILED

JUN 3 1922

G.R.S.

MAILED

JUN 22 1922

GEORGE H. PENROSE,  
Colonel, Q. M. Corps,  
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

G.R.S.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

1. NAME BURROUGHS, Harry A SERIAL No. 3115793

RANK Pvt ORGANIZATION Bty A 310th Fa

GRAVE LOCATION La Courtine Creuse CTY. NAME Creuse NUMBER 70

75  
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 75 La Courtine, (Creuse)  
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES None.

CONCENTRATED TO Oct. 23, 1918. 75  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT  
La Courtine, (Creuse) 70  
CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY  
SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR W. R. Nichols  
W. R. Nichols, Major. CAC.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 10/22/21. 30. 15. A.  
DATE GRAVE ROW BLOCK.  
Suresnes. American Cemetery #34. Suresnes. Seine.  
CEMETERY

SHIPMENT (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **07752**

32. Designation of body: **used in casket: date Oct. 12th, 1921**

Name **BURROUGHS, Harry W** Serial No. **3115793**

Rank **Pvt** Organization **Bty A 310th FA**

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Suresnes Amer Cty 34**

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) **Oct. 12th, 1921** By **A. J. Harvey**

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. S. Denny, 1st Lt. CAC.**

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) **Oct. 12th, 1921**

To point of Concentration **Paris Morgue (Seine)**  
(Name)

Convoyer **Pierre de Montozon** Signature Shipping Officer **[Signature]**

38. Received at ~~Railhead~~ or Point of Concentration: Date **Paris Morgue, Oct. 17, 1921**

By G.R.S. Representative **[Signature]** **H. L. WARD, Major, QMC**

39. Shipped from ~~Railhead~~ or Point of Concentration: Date **Oct. 21, 1921.**

To Permanent Cemetery **No. 34, Suresnes, (Seine)**

Convoyer **[Signature]** Signature Shipping Officer **H. L. WARD, Major, QMC**

40. Received: Date

**October 22nd, 1921.**

G.R.S. Representative

**R. G. RICHARDS, 1st Lieut. Q.M.C.**

41. Reinterred

**Suresnes Cemetery.**

**October 22nd, 1921.**  
(Date)

42. Grave No.

**30.**

Section

43. Plot

**Block A.**

Row

**15.**

G.R.S. Representative

**R. G. RICHARDS,  
1st Lieut. Q.M.C.**

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Oct. 12th, 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 BURROUGHS, Harry A 10. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. No. 3115793 11. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Rank Pvt 12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Org. Bty A 310th Fa 13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. D.D. 10-21 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. C.D. Influenza & Broncho Pneumonia (b) D.B. \_\_\_\_\_

RECEIVED  
CEMETERY DIVISION

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 75 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_ 15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_ 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_ 17. No discrep.

18. Cemetery Amar 19. Commune or town La Courtine  
 20. Dept. or County Creuse 21. Country France  
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 70  
 23. Disinterred (Date) Oct. 12th, 1921 By A. J. Harvey  
 24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Harry A. Burroughs Serial No. --  
 Rank Pvt. Organization Bty A. 310th F. A.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes On body? YesSignature A. J. Harvey 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).

Last name on box. Collar ornaments reads: "310 F. A. Bty A." which check.27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features not recognizable.28. Nature of burial Wooden box and uniform.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? No discrep.30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Oct. 12th, 1921 By A. J. Harvey31. Casket sealed by A. J. HarveySignature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) A. J. Harvey

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name BURROUGHS, Harry A. Ser. No. 3115793 ) TYP. EML  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Bat. A. 310th F.A. ) CKR. Y 89  
 (d) Cause  
 (c) Date of death 10-21-18 of death Influenza & Broncho Pneumonia

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

(a) Grave No. 75 Row - - Plot - - Sect. - - ) TYP. HDP  
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Gertrude Emelia Burroughs, (Wife) 36 Jefferson St.,  
Hartford, Connecticut, ) CKR. ES

111. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases; No Card

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Mrs. Gertrude E. Burroughs (b) Relationship Wife  
 (c) Address 36 Jefferson St. Hartford, Conn.  
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? No  
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at No

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

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

Examiner's Initials J. L. Date 5-5-1920

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

dated \_\_\_\_\_, confirmed request in Par. IV. item \_\_\_\_\_, above, or requesting that

No Correspondence

Examiner's Initials JMS Date 5/5/1920

VI. G.R.S. Files - Correspondence - shows as follows:

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes - MMS

Examiner's Initials MMS Date 5-5-1920

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY NO. 70

SHEET NO. 8

G.R.S. Form #115

Amended April 6, 1920

Make Form #114

Rechecked by gan

CONCENTRATED G.R.S. FORM 115 A COMPLETED

INTO PAC #34

114-12-17-760

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11/15/21 - Examined for concentration, 1916-11-12-1918

Rev. 5-17-21 L.F.

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VII. G. R. S. FORM No. 114 made \_\_\_\_\_, 1920

APR 29 1921

Typed by \_\_\_\_\_, Checked by \_\_\_\_\_, 1920

Central Division

Overseas Project Sub-Section

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by-

{ cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 1920

{ letter on MAY 7 1920, 1920

*Par. # 2. Not to be returned. AP 12/8/20*

IX. CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE	ACTION TAKEN
Desires body be	
Body to be shipped to	

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*was Risk e/a rec'd Hoboken 1/10/21*  
*Mrs. Gertrude Burroughs (widow)*  
*36 Jefferson St., Hartford, Conn. N.Y. (Hoboken)*  
*Let. 1-25-21 to Mrs. G. Burroughs,*  
*Hartford Conn. Returns Unclaimed*  
*A 2-17-21 @*

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

70-8 MAY 7 1920

*Smith*

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

*Rush Answer*

TO: Mrs. Gertrude E. Burroughs, 36 Jefferson St., Hartford, Conn.

SUBJECT: Remains of Private Harry A. Burroughs,

*Same address*

The records of this office show that you have requested that his body ~~be~~ Remain in France.

*Correct*

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:

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

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	TOWN	STATE
Soldier's Widow			
Soldier's Children			
(Name oldest first)	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers			
(Name oldest first)	1.		
	2.		
Sisters			

*unclaimed*

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

Date.....

Signature.....

Address..... Relationship.....

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT 70-8  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION, GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE.

PIER 2, HOBOKEN, N.J.

January 25, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div. Cor. Br.,  
BURROUGHS, Harry A.

Mrs. Gertrude E. Burroughs,  
36 Jefferson Street,  
Hartford, Connecticut.

Dear Madam:-

In order that the records of this office may be complete in the matter of final disposition of remains of the late Private Harry A. Burroughs, Serial Number 3115793, Battery K, 310th F.A., it is necessary that you state definitely if you wish the remains of your husband left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery, returned to the United States and shipped to you, or interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia.

Your early attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

R. E. Shannon,  
Captain, Quartermaster Corps,  
Officer in Charge.

By:

*J. F. Butler*  
J. F. Butler,  
1st Lt. Infantry.

*Unclaimed*

*Wm. Hill  
Q2-17-21  
K. Hill  
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3/14*

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CEMETERY DIVISION  
OCEAN BEACH PROJECT SUB-SECTION

HOBOKEN, N.J.

*Please Check.*

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER  
Burroughs, Harry A. - Private

CEMETERY NO.  
70 - 8

DATE  
12/20/20

SERIAL NUMBER  
3115793

ORGANIZATION  
Bat. A. 310th F.A.-

Date of Death 10/21/18

*C. 67398*

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Gertrude Burroughs

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Address

36 Jefferson St., Hartford, Conn.

Cor. Sec.



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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CEMETERIAL DIVISION  
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HOBOKEN, N.J.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Burroughs, Harry A. Pvt.

70 - 8

12/20/20

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

3115793

*Statement Made  
Adjustment, 310th F.A.*

Date of Death 10/21/18

*JAN 1 1921*

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

*File No.*

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Gertrude Burroughs

Widow

Address

36 Jefferson St., Hartford, Conn.

S709/MB

*A.*

*Orig. found  
to Hoboken  
1-7-21*

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# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Burroughs 3115793 Harry A  
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt Btry A 310 F. A.  
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: Camp Hosp 19

CAUSE OF DEATH: Influenza, acute, catarrhal complicated with broncho pneumonia

DATE OF BURIAL: Oct 22/18

PLACE OF BURIAL: Post Cemetery

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

LaCouraine, Creuse, France.

GRAVE NUMBER: 75

HOW MARKED: Name/Peg?  Cross?

Headboard?  Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?  Yes

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: Gertrude Emelia Burroughs

ADDRESS: 35 Jefferson St. Hartford, Conn

RELATIONSHIP: wife

REPORTED BY: William J Munster

William J Munster 1st Lt Chaplain

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

NOV 1918

