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DATE 6/20/22

1. NAME BUTLER, JOHN SERIAL No. 3101469  
 RANK PVT. ORGANIZATION & DIVISION CO. D 532 Engrs.  
 GRAVE LOCATION Amer.Cty. Beuane, Cote D'or 83  
 CTY. NAME NUMBER

GRAVE 4 ROW PLOT  
 2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 4 Beuane (Côte d'Or),  
 GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT. *cty 83*

COORDINATES E.152.2 N.212.8 (Lambert Zone Sud)

CONCENTRATED TO Nothing of records  
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT  
 CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

DATE OF DEATH *Sept. 22, 1918*  
 STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *North Carolina*

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED *None*  
 SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS Nothing of records

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY  
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR *[Signature]*  
 W.H. QUARTERMAN, CAPT. F.A., Supervisor Area No. 4

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 6/20/22 32 7 Block A.  
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

AUDITED BY *[Signature]*  
 REC'D MAY 19 1922  
 M. & R. Evans  
 O. O. R. C.  
 5/18-23

St. Mihiel American Cemetery #1233, Thiaucourt. M-et-M.  
 Robert C. Davis, Major General, The Adjutant General.  
 15 Received A. G. O. MAY 10 1925  
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REGISTRATION



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.
2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.
3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.
4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Butler</i>	<i>BUT</i>	3	2 1 <sup>12</sup> 1 <sup>12</sup> 0
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BURIED	GRAVE <i>32</i>	2	32
	ROW <i>7</i>	2	07
	BLOCK <i>a</i>	1	1
STATE	<i>NC</i>	2	38
RANK	<i>Port</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>Eng</i>	2	49
ORGANIZATION	<i>532</i>	3	532
ARM	<i>Eng Regt</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>No</i>	1	2
NAME <i>Butler</i>	<i>But</i>	3	2 1 <sup>12</sup> 1 <sup>12</sup> 0
<i>Mrs. Carrie</i>	STATE <i>SC</i>	2	46
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>Greenwood</i>	2	24
<i>1315 Phoenix St.</i>	CITY <i>Greenwood</i>	3	020
RELATION	<i>mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Yes</i>	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE	<i>BLACK</i>	1	2
ENGLISH	<i>yes</i>	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Bad</i>	1	2
NO. OF SONS		1	
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ACCEPTANCE	<i>no</i>	1	2
<i>29/514/</i>	<i>Age 51</i>		51

**AUDITED**  
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IMMEDIATE ACTION

IN REPLY QM 293 A-M  
REFER TO  
Butler, John StM-x

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

Oct. 13, 1932

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

SPECIAL

Dear Madam:

Your Government has provided an opportunity for all Mothers and Widows of deceased members of the American Forces who were lost, buried at sea, or whose remains are now interred in Europe, to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe. This was done in the hope that all who may make the pilgrimage will derive a measure of comfort and solace from the visit.

You are numbered among those who are privileged to make this pilgrimage.

During July and September of this year, inquiries were addressed to you as to whether or not you desire to make the pilgrimage to Europe. To these inquiries no reply has been received from you.

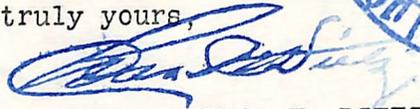
You probably do not realize how important it is that a reply be received from you. If we do not receive replies, it becomes very difficult to make the necessary and proper arrangements for those who are to make the trip, as everything must be arranged in advance. Consequently, it is just as important for the Government to know the names of those who do not desire to take advantage of its offer as it is to know the names of those who do.

Will you please devote a few moments of your time to write either the word "YES" or "NO" in the following space no, thus indicating whether or not you desire to make the pilgrimage during 1933 and sign your name here Mrs. Carrie Butler. Use the enclosed envelope, which requires no postage, and return this sheet.

This reply will assure your Government that no worthy Mother or Widow has failed to receive its offer in commemoration of a loved one departed, and will greatly assist in making the necessary preparations for those of them who wish to take advantage of the privilege.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Butler John (StM) x

Sept 8, 1932

Mrs Carrie Butler  
1315 Phoenix St  
Greenwood S C

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

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

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No")	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

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Sign here

NOTE CAREFULLY, THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE WHICH YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE, AND THERE IS NO PROVISION OF LAW FOR A MONEY ALLOWANCE INSTEAD.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:  
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

July 12, 1932

Butler, John (STM) x

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) \_\_\_\_\_

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Butler, John (St-M) Mx

Nov. 6, 1931

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

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Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to form letter forwarded you under recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, wherein you advise that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage during the year 1932.

Competent personnel will be provided to care for the mothers and widows from the time of their arrival in New York until their return thereto. Medical attendants and all other necessities will be arranged for and in the event you decide to make a pilgrimage, you are assured everything possible will be done for your care and welfare. During the summers of 1930 and 1931 many mothers of advanced age and in poor health made the pilgrimage and appear to have benefited therefrom.

Your name is being placed on the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make a pilgrimage in 1933. However, should you change your mind in view of the above, and desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M  
Butler, John (StM) Mx

October 1, 1931.

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	<i>no</i>
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: <i>Don't know</i> Health: <i>bad</i>
3. Do you speak English?	<i>yes</i>
4. What other language do you speak?	<i>X</i>

*Carrie Butler*  
Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

*A. D. Hughes*

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

Encl:  
Env.



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Butler, John Pvt (StM)M x

June 29, 1931.

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S.C.

Dear Madam:

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

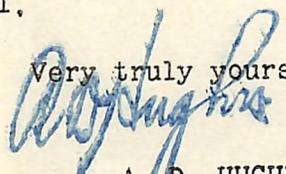
To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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



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

Carrie Butler

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Butler, John 1233 M

June 7, 1930

Mrs. Carrie Butler  
1315 Phoenix Street  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

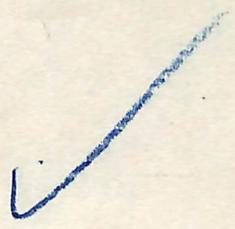
Very truly yours,

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

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

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(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON



IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

February 25, 1930

Butler, John 1233--M

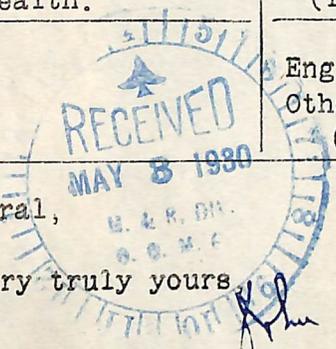
Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

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. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

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

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes) <i>no</i> (No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes) <i>no</i> (No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes) <i>no</i> (No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <i>49</i> Health <i>poor</i> (Years) (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) <i>yes</i> (No) Other language _____ (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

February 10, 1930

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Butler, John 1233

1315  
Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Pvt. John Butler, Co. D, 532nd Engrs., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

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

no

2. If so, give her complete address.

3. 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.

mother.

Carrie Butler

1315 Phoenix St.

Greenwood, S. C.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Incls.  
Act of Congress  
Envelope

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

May , 1929.

Butler, John

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1315 Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late

Private John Butler, Co. D, 532nd Engrs., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Act of Congress.  
Envelope.

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Butler John (StM) x

Sept 8, 1932

Mrs Carrie Butler  
1315 Phoenix St  
Greenwood S C

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

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

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No")	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

Sign here

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:  
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

July 12, 1932

Butler, John (STM) x

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933? \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write answer here)

(Sign here) \_\_\_\_\_

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Butler, John (St-M) Mx

Nov. 6, 1931

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

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Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your reply to form letter forwarded you under recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, wherein you advise that your health will not permit you to make a pilgrimage during the year 1932.

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Your name is being placed on the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make a pilgrimage in 1933. However, should you change your mind in view of the above, and desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Butler, John (StM) Mx

October 1, 1931.

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Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
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Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Butler, John Pvt (Sgt) M x  
(Army)

June 29, 1931.

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S.C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? \_\_\_\_\_  
Write answer here

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sign here

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JUN 29 1931  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Butler, John 1233 H

June 7, 1930

Mrs. Carrie Butler  
1315 Phoenix Street  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Write answer here)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

February 25, 1930

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Butler, John 1233--M

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
1315 Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

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. The purpose of the investigation is to determine the total number of mothers and widows entitled to make the pilgrimages, the number of such mothers and widows who desire to make the pilgrimages, the number who desire to make the pilgrimages during the calendar year 1930 and the probable cost of the pilgrimages to be made.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.  
Act  
Envelope

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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

February 10, 1930

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

**Butler, John 1235**

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Pvt. John Butler, Co. D, 532nd Engrs., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address.
3. 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.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.  
Act of Congress  
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

August 28, 1929.

Butler, John  
1233

Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated May 27, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.  
Act of Congress  
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Butler, John

May , 1929.  
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Mrs. Carrie Butler,  
Phoenix St.,  
Greenwood, S. C.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late **Private John Butler, Co. D, 532nd Engrs., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.**

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

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

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

Yours faithfully,  
The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.  
Act of Congress.  
Envelope.

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

HJ ✓

Butler,

John

3,101,469

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt

Co D 532 Engrs.

(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)

*Larril Butler  
Greenwood, S.C.*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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**REVIEWED  
OSP SS.**

*9mm. 2-7-'21-*

April 1, 1924

BUTLER, John Pvt.

Mrs. Carrie Butler,

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

Dear Madam:

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

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

Very truly yours,

Assistant.

1-Incl.  
Record card.

R. P. HARBOLD

MEK  
FDI

O.Q.M.G.  
Central Mail & Files Bldg



APR 1 1924  
B.

Place Beaune, Cote d'Or, France.

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date November 12th 1921.

1. REMAINS OF BUTLER, JOHN SERIAL NUMBER 3101469.

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. D 532 Engrs.

2. Disinterred (date): November 12th 1921 (give complete location): Grav 4.

American Cemetery, G.R.S Code # 83, Beaune, Cote d'Or, France.

By: Group 2 Unit Section 4.

3. Reburied (date): June 20 1922 In (give complete location): Gr. 32 Bk. A Row 7

### Casket & shipping case

By: Group REBURIAL Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Nature of reburial \_\_\_\_\_

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

Buried in uniform and wooden box. Body badly decomposed, recognition impossible.

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

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

No effects found.

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

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

(b) Weight (estimated) Unable to determine.

(c) Hair—Color Black and Curly.

Quantity Unable to determine.

Characteristics None.

(d) Hair on face—Color None.

Location Unable to determine.

Quantity Unable to determine.

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None.

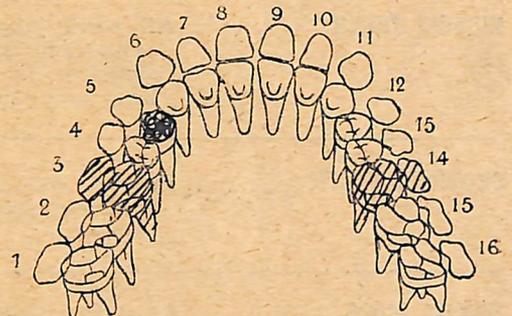
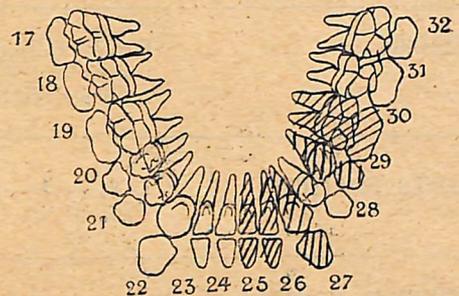


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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

Autopsy on head.

Nos. 3, 29, 30 Extracted.

Nos. 5, 25, 26, 27

Missing after death.

Nos. 17, 32 Not grown.

7. Disinterment supervised by

J. E. BENSON,

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
thc.

D. E. LOWRY,

hem

(Title) 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by

H L Kramer

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

(Title)

A E DOWEY

1st Lt. QMC

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.  
 2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.

3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.

4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.

5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".

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

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

**MISSING TEETH** ..... All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus:



**CROWNED TEETH** ..... Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus:



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



**FILLINGS** ..... Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus:



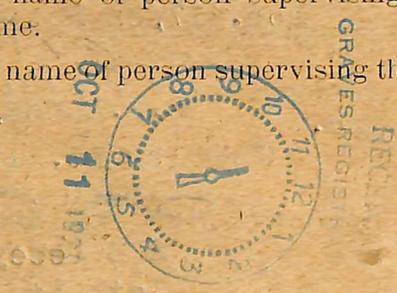
**CARIES (CAVITIES)** ..... Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



**DENTURES (PLATES)** ..... Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp"

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

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



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE November 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 Butler, John  
 2. No. 3101469  
 3. Rank Pvt.  
 4. Org. Co.D 532 Engrs.  
 5. D.D. 9-22 - 18  
 6. C.D. Broncho Pneumonia

10. Name J. BUTLER  
 11. No. 3101469 U.S.A.  
 12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 13. Org. \_\_\_\_\_  
 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (b) D.B. \_\_\_\_\_



Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 4 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_

15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 17. No Discrepancies.

18. Cemetery Amer.  
 20. Dept. or County Cote D'Or  
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 83

19. Commune or town Beaune  
 21. Country France

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov. 12th 1921.

By J.E.BENSON.

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name JOHN BUTLER.  
 Rank Pvt.

Serial No. --  
 Organization Co. D 532 Engrs. Gr. 4.

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

*T.H. Chunn*  
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant  
T.H.CHUNN.

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).

No effects found. Form 16a accomplished.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial In uniform and wooden box.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? See numbers 10 and 11.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov. 12th 1921. By J.E.BENSON.

AUDITED BY

31. Casket sealed by J.E.BENSON.

*M. L. 5118-23*  
 Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

*J.E. Benson*  
J.E.BENSON.

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-15352

32. Designation of body:

Name Butler, John Serial No. 3101469

Rank Pvt. Organization Co.D 532 Engrs.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer. Cty. #1233, Thiaucourt, M-et-M

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) November 12th 1921. By J. E. BENSON.

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 *D. E. Lowry* D. E. LOWRY, hem

1st Lt. Q.MC.

36. Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) November 12th 1921.

To point of Concentration Beaune, Cote d'Or, France.

(Name

Convoyer \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Shipping Officer Capt. Q.MC.

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 St. Mihiel, Amer. Cty. #1233, Thiaucourt, M et M.

(Name

Convoyer Michael Plotkin Signature Shipping Officer *W.R. Buckley* W.R. Buckley, Capt. QM

40. Received: Date Nov. 19, 1921.

G.R.S. Representative *J. B. Daniel, Capt. 2 MC*

41. Reinterred: June 20, 1922

(Date

42. Grave No. 32 Section \_\_\_\_\_

43. ~~Plot~~ Bk. A Row 7

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G.R.S. Representative *A E Dewey*

A E Dewey 1st Lt. QMC

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G. R. S. Form No. 115

COUNTRY FRANCE

Cemetery No. 83

Sheet No. 31

File No. 22118

*1-23-22 Examined  
for Concentration  
St. Michel, #1233  
att 2/14/22*

COMPILATION N/R REQUESTS

I. DATA COMPILATION

A. Location Index Card:-

(1) Name Butler, John Ser. No. 3101469  
(2) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. D, 532d Eng. TYP. ESW  
(3) Date of death 9-22-18 CKR. mB

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

(4) Cause of death Broncho Pneumonia TYP. OME  
(5) Grave No. 4 Row - - Plot - - Sect. - - CKR. mB

II. FILES EXAMINATION

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

B. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD Date of receipt 3-28-19

(6) Relationship Mother  
(7) Name Carril Butler  
(8) Address Greenwood, S.C.  
(9) Desires remains brought to U. S.? No  
(10) Desires remains brought to U. S. and interred in National Cemetery at \_\_\_\_\_  
(11) If brought back, what shipping instructions? \_\_\_\_\_

C. A. G. O. CORRESPONDENCE Date of communication \_\_\_\_\_

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

No correspondence

(13) A. G. O. Files EXAMINED by EW (Date) 4-16-20

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

No request for disposition

(15) G. R. S. Files EXAMINED by M.H.S. (Date) 5-3-20

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

2/14/21. FL.

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CARDED

rechecked  
MM. 2-7-21.

RECEIVED

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CEMETERY L.D. OVERSEAS PROJECT

III. FINAL ACTION

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

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

(17) Instructions that remains be left undisturbed .....

(18) Typed by ..... Checked b. .... (Date) .....

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

(19) Typed by ..... Checked by .... (Date) .....

C. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

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MAY 8 1921

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

*Par. 2. not to be returned. W3 2-14-21*

Approved by .....

(Date) .....

3/26/21 WREA Mrs. Carrie Butler (Mother) Phoenix St. Greenwood, S.C.  
H-4/5/21 maf

II. LINES EXAMINATION

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General No .....  
C. S. S. 1048 No. 112

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
CEMETTERIAL DIVISION  
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

HOBOKEN, N.J.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER CEMETERY NO. DATE

Butler, John 83-31 2/28/21

SERIAL NUMBER ORGANIZATION Date of Death.

3101469 Co. D., 532nd Eng. 9-22-18

Q-93338

*Copy forwarded to  
Adjustment Department  
Date 3/26/21/B*

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

DATE March 19, 1921.

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Carrie Butler,

Mother

Address

Phoenix St., Greenwood, S.C.

Cor. Sec.

COI 230

PHOENIX ST. GREENWOOD S.C.

ADDRESS

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE



MAR 5 1921

NUMBER

REGISTRATION

OVERSEAS DIVISION  
MAR 5 1921

RECEIVED

DATE MARCH 18 1921

AVE HIGH INSURANCE INVESTMENT

310148

CO. B. 230 230

3-18-21

SENDER NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

DATE OF RECEIPT

Register 1000

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3/18/21

NAME OF RECEIVED BONDING

CENTRAL 10

PHOENIX S.C.

OVERSEAS DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

SERVICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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

MAY 7 1920

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

TO: Carril Butler, Greenwood, S. C.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. John Butler

The records of this office show that you have requested that his  
body be not returned to the U. S.

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	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
	3.		
Father			
Mother			
Brothers	1.		
(Name oldest first)	2.		
Sisters			
Date		Signature	

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

RECEIVED.

APR 29

CEMETERY L. B. OVERSEAS PROJECT

NAME OF DECEASED (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
REGIMENT (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
SERIAL (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE OF DEATH (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
PLACE OF DEATH (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF NEXT OF KIN (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
STATE (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTRY (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF	NO. & STREET	CITY	STATE

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

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

# COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

See Form 115  
Att 2/14/21

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File---22118

(a) Name BUTLER, John Ser. No. 3101469  
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. D, 532d Engrs. } TYP. ESW  
 (c) Date of death 9-22-18 (d) Cause of death Broncho Pneumonia } MB

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

LM  
L.T.

(a) Grave No. 4 Row -- Plot -- Sec. -- TYP. OME  
 (b) Emerg. Address -----

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases no card CKR. MB

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

*A.G.O. Card - Carrie Butler (mother) Greenwood S.C.  
 requests body be not returned to U.S.  
 ms 2-14-21*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 192  
 letter of transmittal on 5-8, 192 0

*Par 2 - Not to be returned, ms 2-14-21*

FEB 15 1921

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

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

VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. 4 - 29, 192

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 83 SHEET No. 31

*2/14/21. P.L.*

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK  
Location of the Grave

22118

Butler, 3,101,469, John.

Private Company D 532 Engineers.

Place of Death: Base Hospital # 47, A.E.F.

Cause of Death: Broncho-pneumonia, primary,  
type unclassified.

Date of Burial: 23 September 1918.

Place of Burial: American Burial Plot,  
assigned, Beaune, Cote  
d'Or, France.

Grave Number: 4.

How Marked: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Yes. Bottle?

Identification Tags:  
Was one buried with the body? Yes. Placed  
between the undershirt and the O.B. shirt.

Was one fastened to name peg or stake  
used as grave marker? Yes. Attached to  
headboard.

Nearest Relative: Mrs. Carol Butler,  
Address: Greenwood, S.C.

Relationship: Mother.

Reported by:

*A. M. Thompson Jr.*

Chaplain, Base Hospital # 47., A.E.F.

This portion to be forwarded to Chief of  
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BURIALS IN PERMANENT

Report No. 4

CEMETERIES

Sheet No. 4

Beaver No 4

No. of Cemetery Beaver No 4 Date Sept 26-18

Place of Cemetery American Burial Plot, Beaune, Côte d'Or

Place of death Beaune, Côte d'Or

Disposal of Tags Unusable tags, 1 on temporary head board

Name Butter, John Rank 1st Lt

Regiment and Company Co D, 52nd Engineers

Nature of marking Unusable tags, 1 on temporary head board

Disposal of Personal Effects Unusable tags, 1 on temporary head board

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Chaplain.

Officer in charge.

NOTE — Soldiers of Jewish faith to be checked thus in left hand margin:  $\Delta$

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Base Hospital # 47,  
Hospital Center, A.P.O. 9  
American Expeditionary Forces.

24 September 1918.

From: The Commanding Officer, Base Hospital # 47, A.E.F.  
To: Graves Registration Section, Headquarters, S.O.S., A.E.F.  
Subject: Report of Burial.

1. Name: John Butler, # 3,101,469.
2. Rank: Private.
3. Company: D.
4. Regiment or Corps: 532 Engineers.
5. Date of Death: 22 September 1918.
6. Cause of Death: Broncho-pneumonia, primary, type unclassified.
7. Place of Death: Base Hospital # 47, A.E.F.
8. Date of Burial: 23 September 1918.
9. Name of Cemetery: American Burial Plot, assigned.
10. In what town and department: Beaune, cote d'Or, France.
11. Number of Grave: 4.
12. Marking of Grave: Headboard with identification card attached.
13. Was original tag buried with the body? Yes placed between the undershirt and O.D. shirt.
14. Disposition of Duplicate Tag: Duplicate tag fastened to Headboard.
15. Nearest Relative of Deceased: Mrs. Carol Butler,
16. Relationship and Address: Mother, Greenwood, S.C., U.S.A.

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Base Hospital # 47,  
Hospital Center, A.P.O. 909,  
American Expeditionary Forces.

24 September 1918.

**From:** The Commanding Officer, Base Hospital # 47,  
**To:** Graves Registration Bureau, A.E.F.  
**Subject:** Report of Death.

1. Name: John Butler, # 3,101,469.
2. Rank: Private.
3. Company: D.
4. Regiment or Corps: 532 Engineers.
5. Date of Death: 22 September 1918.
6. Cause of Death: Broncho-pneumonia, primary, type unclassified.
7. Autopsy Findings: Above cause of death verified. Autopsy performed by J. Felson, 1st. Lt., M.C., Pathologist, Base Hospital # 47.
8. Place of Burial: Beaune, Cote d'Or, France.
9. Cemetery: American Burial Plot, assigned.
10. Grave Number: 4.
11. Age: 26 Years.
12. Address of Nearest Relative: Greenwood, S.C., U.S.A.
13. Nearest Relative: Mother, Mrs. Carol Butler.

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NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Butler, John

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NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mrs. Carrie Butler

Mother

Address

Phoenix St., Greenwood, S.C.