

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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FULL NAME CAMERON, Thomas

RANK Pvt.

SERIAL 2259943

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION 362nd Infantry Co. C.

91st Div

DATE OF DEATH

~~9-29-19~~ Sept. 29, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

Wash.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED.

none

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

10-19-1921

15

14

F.

Date

Grave

Row

Block

Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery 1232

World War Div.

5 APR 4 1928

Cemetery

Egm

AUG 13 1926

23/306/ARK



5024-12-28

Received
AUG 16 26
M & R. BRANCH
O. Q. M. G.

10-19-1926

10-19-1926

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Reptd MIA cc 317
17/1/18 R70 No Record
GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Cameron 2259443, Hema
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pvt
(Rank).

(Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

Killed in action

DATE OF BURIAL:

Oct. 18, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL:

06.5 - 81.3

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

Argonne M.F. 150000

GRAVE NUMBER:

HOW MARKED: Name Peg?

Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

W. C. F. Acree, Chaplain 126 Day
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

Cameron, Thos.
Pvt.

WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU

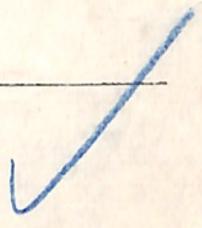
ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY May 21, 1930

King _____ County, State of Washington

Name Cameron, Mrs May

Address 1113 1/2 Howell Street, Seattle, Washington



Route going: Un Pac -Omaha, C&NW-Chicago, Wabash-Buffalo, DL&W-New York.

Return: DL&W-Buffalo, Wabash-Chicago, IC-Omaha, Un Pac-Seattle.

		ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE	
Itinerary going	✓ Lv	Seattle	Un Pac	562	11:10 AM	May 15
	Ar	Omaha	Un Pac	18	8:45 PM	May 17
	Lv	Omaha	C&NW	18	9:10 PM	May 17
	✓ Ar	Chicago	C&NW	18	9:25 AM	May 18
	✓ Lv	Chicago	Wabash	6	10:30 AM	May 18
	✓ Ar	New York	DL&W	2	3:30 PM	May 19
	Lv	(Hoboken)				
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Accommodations: Standard Sleeper Seattle to Chicago and Chicago to New York.

Elapsed Time: 97 hours - 20 minutes. 4/4

Extra Fare:

Handwritten initials or signature, possibly "D-8".

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MEDICAL RECORD

Cameron, Thomas.

Mech. Co. G., 362 Inf.
Party 0
of 1

Station: Verdun

Date: 2/6/30

Name Cameron Mrs May

Home address 1113 1/2 Howell street Seattle Wash

Address of Nearest friend or relative Mrs Ethel Watt friend

1846 N. 53rd Seattle Wash

Religion none Age 44

History of Present complaint: Bronchites. Depressed + nervous.

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(over)

Diagnosis and complications: (include dates) 6-2-30 Bronchitis & Hypersensitible R.T.E.
6-3-30 " " " R.T.E.

Treatment and Progress: (include dates) 2/6/30 Cough mist 5a q. 3. h. Coryzaphell
7 q. 2. h. Bromides tch ii Brandy 30 cc

6-2-30 - Bromide, Brandy, Rhinitis ~~R.T.E.~~
6-3-30 Rhinitis, spec R.T.E.
6-4-30 " " 7-8 h.
6-5-30 " cough mist b.i.d

Disposition: (include dates) 6-2-30 advised to remain in hotel - left to cemetery. R.T.E.
6-3-30 advised again to remain in hotel - left to cemetery R.T.E.

Remarks: 2/6/30 seen by Major Eanes. Hysterical & nervous
comp of headache
6/6/30 Does not seem as nervous as at first. Coughing
less.
9/6/30 Has improved a great deal
6/10/30 To Cherbourg - Beach

Cameron, Thomas

Party "D" - Itinerary - Meuse-Argonne Group

Arrived New York 3:30 PM Train 2. Station Hofaken

Liaison at Station Capt. West

Sailed May 31st on GEORGE WASHINGTON. Maj. F. D. Carlock in charge. General Cheatham accompanied as observer.

Arrived Cherbourg 11.30pm, May 29th.

May 30th. Debarked. Maj. Dailey, Capt. Kinderman, Lt. Frossen, 9 nurses and other personnel went out to ship on tender. Met at dock by Col. Ellis. Arrived Care des Invalides, Paris, at 2.08pm. Met by Col. Bartlett and detail of officers, interpreters and nurses. Taken to hotel in bus.

May 31st. Morning devoted to transaction of personal business. Visited Arc de Triomphe in afternoon. Breath laid on tomb of Unknown Soldier by Mrs. Eliza Wilson for party. Reception at Restaurant Laurent. Returned to hotel.

June 1st. Departed 7.30 am for Verdun.

June 2, 3, 4 - Daily trips from Verdun to Meuse-Argonne Cemetery.

June 5th. Visited Cemetery, Suippes and Reims.

June 6th. Visited Reims Cathedral, Chateau Thierry. Returned to Paris.

June 7th. Visited Sacre-Coeur in morning and Napoleon's Tomb in afternoon.

June 8th. Church. Free in morning - Notre Dame at night.

June 9th. Morning free. Afternoon: Versailles - Refreshments at Belle Cyclists.

June 10th. Left hotel between 9 and 9.30am for Invalides Railway Station in Paris-entrained for Cherbourg. Accompanied by 3 conducting officers, Capt. Kinderman, 3 nurses, 2 civilian employees. Arrived Cherbourg 4.11 pm. Boarded PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT at 5.05pm. Sailed at 6 pm. Arrived U. S. June 13th.

Mrs. May Cameron

WAR DEPARTMENT
 "PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS"
 -- ROOM 901 --

CAMERON, Thomas

225 West 34th St., New York, N.Y.

MA.

Party "D"
 Number 692

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

MRS. MAY CAMERON
 Name of Traveler

Estimate cost of through Pullman.

SEATTLE, KING COUNTY
 Home Address

New York, to SEATTLE

WASH.

\$ 32.63

New York, to SEATTLE
 Destination.

Via D.L.&W TO BUFFALO - WAB. TO CHICAGO - ILL.C. TO OMAHA - U.P. to dest.

JUNE 19th
 Date of Departure

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	car	U.S.G. Order NO.	Est. Cost
LV	Foboken	DL&W 5	6/19	2:20P	LH	X50		9.00
AR	Chicago	Wab 11	6/20	4:50P				
LV	Chicago	I.C. 11	6/20	6:00P	L			
AR	Omaha	" 11	6/21	8:15A				
LV	Omaha	U.P. 17	6/21	9:00A	L			23.63
AR	Seattle	" 17	6/23	2:20P			<i>W.C. 1020.791</i>	
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TOTAL 32.63

Remarks: :

Recd. Maj. Mac Pie

Name CAMERON, Mrs. May

Paris Hôtel HOTEL AMBASSADOR

BOULEVARD HAUSSMANN

Home address 1113 $\frac{1}{2}$ Howell, Seattle, King County, Washington

Party D Group I Unit S.S. WASHINGTON

Date of arrival May 30, 1930 Date of departure S.S. ROOSEVELT-June 10-1930

Relationship Widow

Name of deceased CAMERON, Thomas

Rank Pvt Organization Co. G, 362d Inf

Cemetery Meuse-Argonne

REMARKS



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NAME CAMERON, MRS. MAY

S.S. ROOSEVELT JUN 19 1939

HOME SEATTLE, KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON.

D.L. & W. to Buff - w ab to chi.
R.R. Del. C. to omaha. U.P. to dest.

STATION

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE

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WAR DEPARTMENT
"PILGRIMAGE, WA MOTHERS AND WIDOWS"
--- BCM 001 ---
225 West 34th St., New York, N. Y.

May 10th, 1910

Mrs. May Cameron
1113 1/2 Howell Street
Seattle, Wash.

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., O. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Enclosures
2 tags.

2 tags

Pilgrimage, War Mothers & Widows
Room 901, 225 W. 34th St.,
New York City, N.Y.

VIA WESTERN UNION

F. D. CARLOCK,
Major, Inf. (DOL).

June 19, 1930

Miss Ethel Watt
1846 N. 53rd,
Seattle, Wash.

MRS. CAMERON WILL ARRIVE SEATTLE TWO TWENTY P.M. MONDAY

COLONEL WILLIAMS

(Sent for Mrs. M. Cameron,
Seattle, Wash. party "D",
from Hotel McAlpin).

201
Cameron
Mrs. M.

D

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Cameron, Thomas	3	313
BURIED	CEMETERY 1232	1	1
	GRAVE 15	2	15
	ROW 14	2	14
	BLOCK 7	1	6
STATE	Wash.	2	56
RANK	Meek	1	2
DIVISION	91	2	91
ORGANIZATION	362	3	362
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	Yes	1	1
NAME	Mrs. May Cameron	3	313
RESIDENCE	STATE Wash.	2	56
	COUNTY King	2	17
	CITY Seattle	3	026
RELATION	Widow	1	5
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	Yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	1
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	Yes	1	1
	Age		

May 21 1930

Sealed

(Mother Dead) before 1918

Accepted
OCT 15 1931
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NAME	<i>Cameron</i>	3	313°
	<i>Thomas</i>		
BURIED	CEMETERY <i>1232</i>	1	1
	GRAVE <i>15</i>	2	15
	ROW <i>14</i>	2	14
	BLOCK <i>7</i>	1	6
STATE	<i>Wash</i>	2	56
RANK	<i>Mech</i>	1	2
DIVISION	<i>91</i>	2	91
ORGANIZATION	<i>362</i>	3	362
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	1
MARITAL	<i>Yes</i>	1	1
NAME		3	
	STATE	2	
RESIDENCE	COUNTY	2	
	CITY	3	
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Dead</i>	1	6
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
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Archived
OCT 15 1931
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Cameron, Thomas Medh. Co. G. 362 Inf. Wash.

Widow sailed

Mother dead

and father dead before 1918

~~S-M.~~

no record of this rel. XC-125848

~~Dococ?~~

10/26/21

NAME

5.
Cameron, Mrs. Ma

ADDRESS

1113 1/3 Howell St., Seattle, Wash.

DATE

Sept. 4 - 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~~ just came from

Vergeria Mason Hospital not able to write before.

Sincerely,

(Signed)

Mrs. May Cameron

WAR DEPARTMENT



OFFICIAL BUSINESS



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



PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

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STATE

CAMERON, Thos.

WASHINGTON.....

Widow

NAME: Cameron, Mrs. May HOME ADDRESS 1113 $\frac{1}{2}$ Howell St., Seattle
King CountyNAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN Mrs. Ethel Watt 1846 No. 53 St.
Seattle, WashARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

DATE: 5/19/30 HOTEL: McAlpin ROOM NO.: 869

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE: May 21st, 1930 VESSEL: S/S "WASHINGTON" CABIN NO.: 424-B

DESTINATION: CHERBOURG, FRANCE CEMETERY: MEUSE*ARGONNE

12.00

A. Murat, R. N.,

PARTY D

MEDICAL RECORD

Verdun

Station :

Date : June 2, 1930

Name Cameron, Mrs. Mary

Home address 1113 1/2 Howell St., Seattle, Washington.

Address of Nearest friend or relative Friend, Miss Etherl Watt,
1846 N. 53rd, Seattle, Washington.

Religion none

Age 44

History of Present complaint:

Bronchitis. Depressed and nervous.

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Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)

June 2, 1930, Bronchitis & hyperexciteable
3, " "

R.H.E.
R.H.E.

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

June 2nd: cough mist. 5 cc q 3 h. Coryza pills i, q 2 h. Bromides tab.ii
Brandy 30 cc.

June 2nd: Bromide, Brandy, Rhinitis, R.H.E.

June 3rd: Rhinitis & spec.Rx, R.H.E.

4th: " " q 3 h.

5th: " cough mist. b.i.d.

Disposition: (include dates)

June 2nd: Advised to remain in hotel, left to cmy R.H.E.
3rd: " " " " " " R.H.E.

Remarks: June 2nd: Seen by Maj. Eanes. Hysterical and nervous. complains
of headache. June 6th: Does not seem as nervous as at first. Coughing less
June 9th: Has improved a great deal.
6/10/30 to Cherbourg. Beach.

MEDICAL RECORD

Party: D.

May 21, 1930 "George Washington" Eastbound
June 19, 1930 S. S. "Roosevelt" Westbound

Name Mrs May Cameron

Home Address Seattle, Washington

Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Religion _____ Age _____

History of present complaint:

Examination by Dr. Babcock.
Probable Fibroid.

(OVER)

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

Diagnosis and complications: (incl. dates)

Uterine Hemorrhage - Probable Fibroid

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

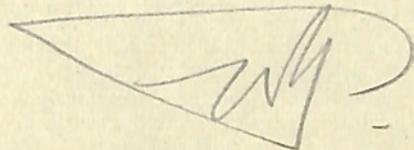
June 18th - 19th.

Ergot prescribed by Dr. Babcock,
and Patient - referred to home doctor.

Disposition: (include dates)

Room - Proceeded home

Remarks:



RETURN NEW YORK

JUN 18 1930

DATE

NAME

Cameron, Mrs. May

HOME ADDRESS

*1113 1/2 Howell St.
King County, Seattle
Washington*

RETURN ON S. S.

S/S ROOSEVELT

HOTEL

MCALPIN

ROOM NO.

*881*DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE

6/19

ROAD

St. Lou.

TRAIN

5

CAR

X 50

BERTH or SEAT

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REMARKS

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RETURN RECEIPT.

1232

Washington 5-21-30

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

Miss May Cameron

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, _____, 192

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. _____

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to _____

Q. M. GENERAL
(NAME OF SENDER)

Street and Number, }
or Post Office Box, }

MUNITIONS BUILDING

Post Office at _____

Rev. 3-24

c 5-6116

State _____

612-c Washington 5/21/30

RETURN RECEIPT

1732

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

Miss Gray Hammon

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, 5-10-30, 192

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 92

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____



PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$363

ADDRESS
YOUR MAIL
TO
STREET AND NUMBER

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING

OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Q. M. GENERAL

Return to

Street and Number, }
or Post Office Box, }

MUNITIONS BUILDING

Post Office at

Washington, D. C.

282800

05-6110

State

Cameron, Thos. 1232 W

May 7, 1930

Mrs. May Cameron
1113 1/2 Howell St.
Seattle, Washington

Dear Madam:

Arrangements have been completed for your transportation to New York City on your pilgrimage to the American Cemeteries in Europe. One week before your departure the railroad ticket agent, of the first road shown below, will deliver your railroad and pullman ticket to you. Your route to New York will be as follows:

Lv. Seattle	Un Pac	No. 562	11:10 AM	May 15
Ar. Omaha	"	" 18	8:45 PM	May 17
Lv. Omaha	C&NW	" 18	9:10 PM	May 17
Ar. Chicago	"	" 18	9:25 AM	May 18
Lv. Chicago	Wabash	" 6	10:30 AM	May 18
Ar. New York	DIAW	" 2	3:30 PM	May 19

(Hoboken)

All railroad employees have been instructed by their officials to see that you are shown every courtesy and given assistance, particularly at points where it is necessary to change cars.

Should you not receive your ticket six days before the date shown for your departure please take up at once with the ticket agent and if he does not have your ticket, telegraph this office, collect, to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Cameron, Thos. 1232-W

May 6, 1930

Mrs. May Cameron,
1113 1/2 Howell St.,
Seattle, Washington

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. 313060 in the amount of \$ 42.50 to pay for your meals and incidental expenses from your home to New York on the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MUST THIS CHECK BE CASHED AND USED FOR ANY PURPOSE OTHER THAN THAT SPECIFIED.

If for any reason, you are not able to sail on the date mentioned in your invitation, the check must be returned to this office immediately.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

1 Incl.
Check No.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Cameron, Thomas 1232 W

March 25, 1930.

Mrs. May Cameron,
1113¹/₂ Howell St.,
Seattle, Wash.

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 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ x2 $\frac{1}{2}$ 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.

1232

Washington
21-300

Cameron, Thomas

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. May Cameron

(Name)

1113⁷/₂ Howell St., Seattle, King Co., Wash.

(Town or City)

(State)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

October 7, 1929.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Cameron, Thomas 1232 W.

Mrs. May Cameron,
1113 $\frac{1}{2}$ Howell St.,
Seattle, Wash.

Sailed
MAY 21 1930

Dear Madam:

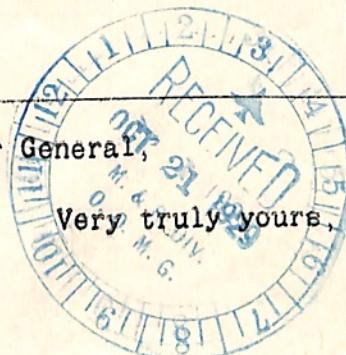
The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, 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) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(No) <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(No) <input type="checkbox"/>
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) <input type="checkbox"/>	(No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <u>44</u> Health (Years) <u>Good</u> (Good) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Poor) <input type="checkbox"/>	
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (No) <input type="checkbox"/> Other language <u>None</u> (Specify language spoken)	

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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

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QM 293 A-C
John T.Harris
Major, Q.M. Corps,
Assistant.

Seattle Wash,
July 14 1929.

Dear Sir:

Your letter recived in regards to the Mother of Thomas
Cameron. His Mother Passed away several years ago here in Seattle

I do not know the date. I thank you for thinking of her in
trying to make another Mother happy to see her sons grave.

I am unmarried and will be very glad to make the trip to
my Husbands grave.

I remain very truly yours,

(Mrs) May Cameron
1113 $\frac{1}{2}$ Howell St
Seattle Wash.



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
(Cameron, Thomas)

June 29, 1929.

Mrs. May Cameron,
1115 1/2 Howell St.,
Seattle, Wash.

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".

mech. The records of this office show that you are the widow of the late ~~Private~~ *mech.* Thomas Cameron, Co. G, 362nd Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

May 13, 1930, Washington, D. . .

MRS MAY CAMERON
1113¹/₂ HOWELL STREET
SEATTLE WASHINGTON

IDENTIFICATION BADGE TO BE WORN ON PILGRIMAGE WILL
BE DELIVERED TO YOU BY RAILROAD REPRESENTATIVE AT CHICAGO

DEWITT
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

1032 GSM

BQM 295 A-C

Cameron, Thos. - 1232

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Cameron, Thos. 1232 W

May 7, 1930

Mrs. May Cameron
1113 1/2 Howell St.
Seattle, Washington

Dear Madam:

Arrangements have been completed for your transportation to New York City on your pilgrimage to the American Cemeteries in Europe. One week before your departure the railroad ticket agent, of the first road shown below, will deliver your railroad and pullman ticket to you. Your route to New York will be as follows:

Lv. Seattle	Un Pac	No. 562	11:10 AM	May 15
Ar. Omaha	"	" 18	8:45 PM	May 17
Lv. Omaha	C&NW	" 18	9:10 PM	May 17
Ar. Chicago	"	" 18	9:25 AM	May 18
Lv. Chicago	Wabash	" 6	10:30 AM	May 18
Ar. New York (Hoboken)	DL&W	" 2	3:30 PM	May 19

All railroad employees have been instructed by their officials to see that you are shown every courtesy and given assistance, particularly at points where it is necessary to change cars.

Should you not receive your ticket six days before the date shown for your departure please take up at once with the ticket agent and if he does not have your ticket, telegraph this office, collect, to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

March 25, 1930.

Cameron, Thomas 1232 W

Mrs. May Cameron,
1113¹/₂ Howell St.,
Seattle, Wash.

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 2¹/₂x2¹/₂ 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

Cameron, Thomas 1232-W

March 20, 1930

Mrs. May Cameron,
1113 $\frac{1}{2}$ Howell St.,
Seattle, Washington

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

1 Enclosure.
Regulation.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Cameron, Thomas 1232 W.

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. May Cameron,
1113 $\frac{1}{2}$ Howell St.,
Seattle, Wash.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

(Cameron, Thomas)

June , 1929.

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Mrs. May Cameron,
1118¹/₂ Howell St.,
Seattle, Wash.

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 Thomas Cameron, Co. G, 362nd Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

November 10, 1923.

Mrs. May Cameron,
1113 1/2 Howell St.,
Seattle, Washington.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the permanent grave of Private Thomas Cameron, Company C, 362nd Infantry, is Grave 15, Row 14, Block F, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

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

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

Very truly yours,

O. G. M. G.
CENTRAL RECORDS ROOM
R. L. FOSTER
Assistant. RD



NOV 10 1923
B. O. C.

Cameron,

Thomas

2,259,943

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Mech

1st Lt. Co. 362nd Inf.

~~300~~ 362nd Inf.

~~See list not in~~

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Wife

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(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:

Cover

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

(Mrs.) Mary Leason

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

12-2-97
6-2-21
E. A. - 11-33
Mrs. May Cameron
Manhattan Apts.
Seattle, Wash.

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Casualty Division: gives Co. **G**, as the correct
Organization GRP-6/25/19

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #. 83518 ✓

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CAMERON, Thomas Ser. No. 2259943
 (b) Rank Mech. Pvt. ^{(12-16-21) mkn} ~~Co. G.~~ ^{(12-16-21) mkn} ~~362nd. Inf.~~ Organization Co. C TYP. hmp
 (c) Date of death 9-29-18 (d) Cause of death k/a CKR. B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 8 Row - Plot 1 Sec. 111 TYP. hmp
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. May Cameron (wife) Manhattan Apt. Seattle, Wash.
1113 1/2 Howell St., (12-16-21) mkn

III. Files of soldiers/dying from/contagious diseases _____ CKR. B. J.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD: ^{O.K. card. 7-5-21. w.}

Date of receipt none
 (a) Name Mrs. May Cameron (b) Relationship wife
 (c) Address Omitted
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? no
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. _____
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

Examiner's Initials HP Date 6-2, 1921

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

Mrs. May Cameron (wife)
1113 1/2 Howell St., Seattle Wash. dated 2-9-19

confirming request in Par. IV., item (d), above, or requesting that the body of her husband remain buried in France
letter of Feb. 6, 1919 from Mrs. J. N. Sembar (sister)

Examiner's Initials HP Date 6-2, 1921

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

no request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? no

Examiner's Initials HP Date 6-2, 1921

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232 Sec. 111 SHEET No. 33

Handwritten notes:
 Checked 12-16-21 mkn
 12-16-21 mkn
 12-16-21 mkn

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

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 192

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
letter on JUN 16 1921, 192

Sec. 111

Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned

(EW)

IX.

REMARKS

*F. A. G. O. Correspondence Court:
3513 East Cherry St., Seattle, Wash. states
that soldier is survived by two brothers
and a sister. None of whom recognize this
woman as a legal wife. Her remains
returned home and buried beside parents*

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #. 83518

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CAMERON, Thomas Ser. No. 2259943
 (b) Rank 1st Lt (12-16-21) mkm Organization G. S. 362nd. Inf. (12-16-21) mkm
 (c) Date of death 9-29-18 (d) Cause of death k/a

TYP hmp
 B. J.

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

(a) Grave No. 8 Row - Plot 1 Sec. 111 TYP. hmp
 a.s.o. - (7-5-21) o. - Mrs. Thomas Cameron, (wife) - 209 - 7th St., Vancouver, Wash?
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. May Cameron (wife) - Manhattan Apt. Seattle, Wash.
113 1/2 Howell St. (12-16-21) mkm

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR. B. J.

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

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V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on , 192
 letter of transmittal on JUN 16 1921 , 192
Sec III
Par. # 2 Not To Be Returned (EW)

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

COUNTRY CEMETERY No. SHEET No.

G. R. S. Form 115-A
 August, 1920

Checked
 12-16-21
 mkm

3-8020

Place Name Camp Montfaucon

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 6, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF CAMERON, THOMAS SERIAL NUMBER 2259943

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co., 352nd Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : Sept. 6, 1921. From (give complete location) :

Gr. 3 Sec. 111 St. 1 Meuse-Argonne Cem., #1232.

By : Group Rester Unit Sec. 1

3. Reburied (date) : Oct, 19, 1921. In (give complete location) :

Meuse Argonne Cem. 1232, Row 14 Bl. E. Gr. 15.

By : Group Reburial S. c. Unit 6 Nature of reburial unlined casket

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

Pine box U. S. uniform and burles.

Decomposed features unrecognizable.

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

Tag on body reads: "Thomas Cameron, 2259943"

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

"Sharpshooters" 1916 medal found on body.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) 5 ft. 9 in.

(b) Weight (estimated) undeterminable

(c) Hair—Color None

Quantity None

Characteristics None

(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location None

Quantity None

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

missing parts) undeterminable

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

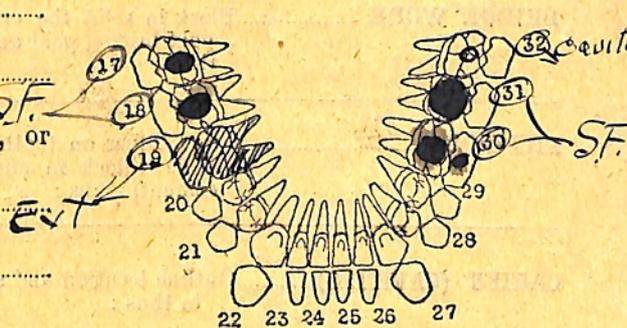
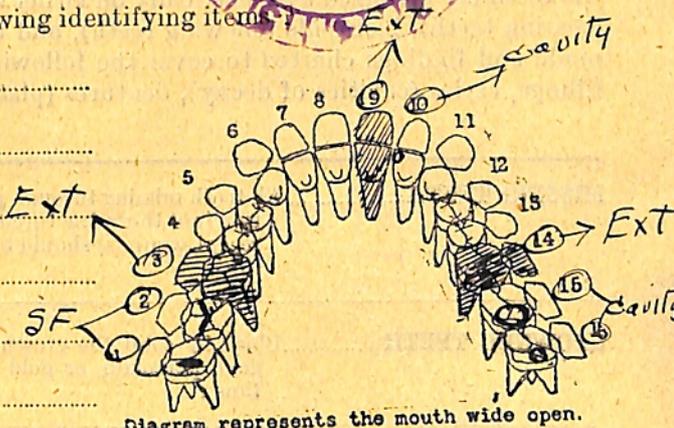
None

7. Disinterment supervised by H. H. Foster Approved James W. Younger

H. H. Foster S. E. (Title) J. Younger Capt. 37C.

8. Reburial supervised by W. B. SHELDON Approved : JAMES W. YOUNGER

(Title) CAPT. MC.



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.

<p>MISSING TEETH.....All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">TOOTH MISSING TOOTH MISSING</p>
<p>CROWNED TEETH.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD CROWN PORCELAIN CROWN</p>
<p>BRIDGE WORK.....Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge), thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD AND PORCELAIN BRIDGE GOLD BRIDGE</p>
<p>FILLINGS.....Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">SILVER FILLING GOLD FILLING</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GOLD FILLING GOLD FILLING</p>
<p>CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">CAVITY DECAYED DECAYED</p>
<p>DENTURES (PLATES).....Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate, block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp."</p>	

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

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Sept. 6. 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 CAMERON, Thomas

10. Name

2. No. 2259943

11. No.

3. Rank Mech. Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. G, 362nd Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. SEPT. 29th

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 8 Sec. 111

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 1 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. no discrep.

18. Cemetery Argonne American

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

20. Dept. or County Mense

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. #1232 Sec. 111

23. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 6. 1921

By H.H. Foster

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name CAMERON, Thomas

Serial No. 2259943

Rank Mech.

Organization Co. G. 362nd Inf.

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

H.H. Foster
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

26. What other means of identification were on body? (If no disc or other means of identification on body, give description of body in detail).

"Sharpshooter 1916" medal found on body.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, Unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Pine box, Uniform & burl ap.

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

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept. 6. 1921 By H.H. Foster

AUDITED BY

31. Casket sealed by H.H. Foster

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) N. N. Foster

M.L.S.
5/9-23

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-4279

32. Designation of body:

Name CAMERON, Thomas Serial No. 2259943

Rank Mech Pvt. Organization Co. 7, 362nd Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Argonne American Romagne-sous-Montfaucon #1232

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept. 6. 1921 By H.H. Foster

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 James W. Younger
James W. Younger Capt. QMC.

36. Remarks _____

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Sept. 6. 1921

To point of Concentration Morgue Cem. #1232.

Convoyer _____ (Name) J. Gerald Cole
Signature Shipping Officer J. GERALD COLE
Captain, C. A. G.

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 _____

Convoyer _____ (Name) _____
Signature Shipping Officer _____

40. Received: Date Sept 6, 1921

G.R.S. Representative James W. Younger

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cem. 1232, Oct, 19, 1921.

(Date)

42. Grave No. Row 14 Bl. F. Gr. 15. Section _____

43. Plot _____ Row _____

G.R.S. Representative James W. Younger
JAMES W. YOUNGER
CAPT. QMC.
eaj.



RAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Cameron 2259943 Thomas
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Pat
(Rank). **83578** (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Killed in Action*

DATE OF BURIAL: *Oct. 18, 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *06.8-81.3*

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

Argonne H. 1. 50000

GRAVE NUMBER:

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?
Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

CIDG. *Berges (Meuse)*
(C-178) *SHT 3570 E. 00000* { *E 306.5*
NEAREST RELATIVE: *N 281.3* }

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:
H. C. Y. Acree, Captain 1262nd
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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



178-899

Communal List No. _____
Daily Report No. _____

G. R. S.

No..2259443...

Name...OAMEL P., THOMAS...

85753

Rank..... Gesnes (Meuse)

Date of Death...

35 NE

1E306.2
1N287.5

Date of Burial.....

Town.....GESNES.....Dept....MEUSE.....

Grave No.....10.....Plot No...1.....

Cemetery.....A.E.F. Gen.no.6 McClure...

Engs. On Body?..Yes....On Marker?..Yes..

911

Sketch No..72 McClure.....

Map..35 S.E...281.5 N X 306.2 E....

3/4 Kilo.S.E. Gesnes. 3/4 Kilo. S.W.

junction of Gesnes-Romagne road.

S.W. side of valley.

Pvt. Eddie Allen

Group..3... Unit..306..

Rest
166

FROM: O. Q. M. G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room 2442

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF
WASHINGTON

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

*adj. made
10/17/21*

File No. 83518

Registration.

Date

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., Washington, D. C.

Subject: Information required for G. R. S.

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

✓ a. Surname.	Cameron <i>o.k.</i>	✓ f. Date of death.	9/29/18 <i>o.k.</i>
✓ b. Christian name.	Thomas <i>o.k.</i>	✓ g. Cause of death.	K/A <i>o.k.</i>
✓ c. Serial number.	2259943 <i>o.k.</i>	✓ h. Authority (C. C. No.)	317 & 411-SP-27 <i>o.k.</i>
✓ d. Organization.	Hq. Co., 362nd Inf. <i>o.k.</i>	✓ i. Emergency address.	Mrs. May Cameron, Manhattan Apts. Seattle, Wash. 1113 1/2 Howell St.
✓ e. Rank.	Hoch. <i>o.k.</i>	✓ j. Relationship.	Wife <i>o.k.</i> , Seattle, Wash.

BODY DESCRIPTION.

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

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- b. Color of eyes.
- c. Color of hair.
- d. Height.
- e. Weight.
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DENTAL CHARTS.

(See physical report of examination prior to enlistment.)

a. Strike out teeth missing:

8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Upper right								Upper left.							
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Lower right.								Lower left.							



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W.W. Div., A. G. O.
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Miss Knight
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By

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

H. J. Conner

H. J. CONNER,
Captain, Q. M. C.
1st Lt.

P. C. Harris
The Adjutant General
for R.E.M.

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|--|-------------------------------|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. Surname. | Cameron <i>OK</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> f. Date of death. | 9/29/18 <i>OK</i> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b. Christian name. | Thomas <i>OK</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> g. Cause of death. | K/A <i>OK</i> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> c. Serial number. | 2259943 <i>OK</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> h. Authority (C. C. No.) | 317 & 411-SP-27 <i>OK</i> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> d. Organization. | Hq. Co., 362nd Inf. <i>OK</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> i. Emergency address. | Mrs. May Cameron,
Manhattan Apts. Seattle, Wash. 11/3 1/2 Howell St. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> e. Rank. | Mech. <i>Priv.</i> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> j. Relationship. | Wife <i>OK</i> , Seattle, Wash. |

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Munitions Building
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Date

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|--|---------|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. Surname. | Owner | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> f. Date of death. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b. Christian name. | 2259443 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> g. Cause of death. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> c. Serial number. | Thomas | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> h. Authority (C. C. No.) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> d. Organization. | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> i. Emergency address. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> e. Rank. | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> j. Relationship. |

BODY DESCRIPTION.

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

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DENTAL CHARTS.

(See physical report of examination prior to enlistment.)

- a. Strike out teeth missing:

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W. W. DIV., A. G. O.
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H. J. Conner

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*No record in Enl files & 201's
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f. Date of death.

b. Christian name. 2259443

g. Cause of death.

c. Serial number. Thomas

h. Authority (C. C. No.)

d. Organization.

i. Emergency address.

e. Rank.

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W. T. COOPER

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U.S. ARMY
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REGISTRATION

*Serial Files show
2,259,443 assigned to date, William A.*

Physical defects at enlistment (O) (1)
Injury by and physical

Height
Hair
Color of hair
Color of eyes



Age at enlistment
(see page 2 of the service record)

Strike out teeth missing
(see physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

BODY DESCRIPTION

DETAILED CHARACTERS

Rank
Organization
Social number
Christian name
Surname

Relationship
Emergency address
Authority (C. C. No.)
Cause of death
Date of death

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To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 21st and B Streets NW, Washington, D. C.

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

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Date 11/13/21

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Information on page 2 of V. A. O.
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2259443
11/13/21

FROM: O.Q.M.G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room

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Information requested of A.G.O. File No. Date

File No. **83518** Registration.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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- b. Christian name **Thomas** ✓
- c. Serial Number **2259943** ✓
- d. Organization **Co.C, 362nd Inf.** ✓
or (Co.C, 362nd Inf.)
- e. Rank **Mech.** ✓
- f. Date of death **9/29/18.** ✓
- g. Cause of death **K/A.** ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#) **317**
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship **wife**

*Mrs. Thomas Cameron
209 - 7th St.
Danconer, Wash.*

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

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									lower right		lower left				

*Noted on 9-11-51
1-5-21.-W.*

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

CEMETERY NO: **N.C. 1232-Sec.111**

BY: *H. J. Conner*

SHEET NO: **33**
TYPED BY: **I.W.**

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

Rec'd B & S Div. A.G.O.

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S-713/MB

*Donnelly J.A.E.P.S.
W7 6/29/21*

Rec'd Wood
Date JUN 29 1921

FROM: O.Q.M.G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
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Room

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noted on 7-11-21
7-5-21-23

CEMETERY NO: **N.C. 1232-Sec.111**

SHEET NO: **33**
TYPED BY: **I.W.**

H. L. ROGERS,
Quartermaster General, U.S.A.
BY: *H. J. Conner*

Rec'd S & S Div. A.G.O. H. J. CONNER,
1st Lieut. Q.M.C.

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Donnelly J.A.E.P.S.
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Date JUN 29 1921

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SHEET NO: **33**
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1st Lieut. Q.M.C.

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 Date **JUN 29 1921**

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Donnelly J.A.E.P.S.
W7 6/29/21

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1012935
Cameron
Thompson
Seattle Wash
Feb 6th 1919

Adjutant General;

Dear Sir:-

I wish to make inquiry regarding my brother mechanic Thomas Cameron - 3600 Inf - 91st Div 1 - Reported killed in action Sept 29th 1918.

Did my brother get a woman in Manhattan apt. in this city, as party to be notified case of accident?

Thomas Cameron is survived by two brothers & a sister, none of whom recognize this woman as a legal wife -

If it is possible, we would like very much to have his remains brought home, to be buried beside our parents.

Thanking you in advance

I remain

Respectfully

Mrs J. N. Clemens

*3513-

East Cherry St. Seattle Wn.

AG Section

FILE

RECEIVED MISCEL. FILE

FEB 14 1919

Received A G O. FEB 13 1919

✓

MR-452

In E.A. of this
article

W Rucker
159

2-18-19

To Room 159.

Emergency Address
Mrs Florence Demaris ^(aunt)
3515 E. Cherry St
Seattle
Wash.

Encl paper shows
him single

error
452.

War Dept, Adjutant General's Office
Washington
D. C.



Return

Mrs J. M. Darnall

35-13 - E Cherry St.

Seattle
Wn.

293.8 Cameron, Thomas
(Misc. Div.)

February 20, 1919.

Mrs. J. N. Demar,
3513 East Cherry St.,
Seattle, Washington.

Dear Madam:

Referring to your letter of February 6th, relative to the return of the body of your brother, Thomas Cameron, I beg leave to invite your attention to the inclosed Memorandum which sets forth the policy of the Department with respect to the return of the bodies of our soldiers who die abroad.

You are further advised that the enlistment papers show Thomas Cameron as single. The emergency address given is Mrs. Florence Demars, (Aunt), 3515 E. Cherry St., Seattle, Washington.

Permit me to express to the relatives of Mechanic Cameron the deep sympathy of the Department on account of the loss they have sustained.

Very truly yours,

J. C. Ashburn

Adjutant General.

293.8 Cameron, Thomas

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FILE

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Adjutant General Seattle Wash.,
Has left Washington Feb 9, 1919.
D. L.

Dear Sir;-

I am regards to bodies
being shipped home from France.
My Husband's name, Thomas
Cameron of Co B, 362nd Inf
91st Division was killed in
Action Sept 29th 1918. I do not
wish for his remains, unless
every one else sends for theirs.
I would not want him over
there alone. My sister-in-law
says she is going to have his
remains brought back regardless
of my wishes. My belief in
the bible compels me to let
my dear ones who have passed
on to rest in peace when
once buried. Saw his sister

#12
Daw 293. S Cameron, Thomas

FILE
Date 2/17/19 Siger
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May 29 3. 8 Cameron, Thomas

have his remains removed
without my knowledge or
consent? Kindly answer if possible.

I am just one of many
who have given their all to
their country.

(Mrs) May Cameron
1113 1/2 Howell St
Seattle
Wash.

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I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 9, 1919, concerning the death of your husband, Mrs. Thomas Cameron, and in response to invite your attention to the enclosed memorandum.

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With reference to the request of your sister-in-law, you are informed that

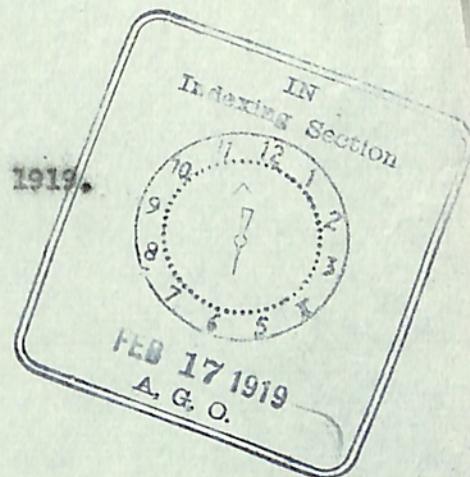


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It is the policy
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Permit me to
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have made to the
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February 15, 1919.



Mrs. Mary Cameron,
1113 1/2 Howell St.,
Seattle, Wash.

Dear Madam:-

I beg leave to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 9th 1919, concerning the death of your husband, Mc. Thomas Cameron, and in response to invite your attention to the inclosed Memorandum. A great many requests are received in this office; some to leave the bodies in France, and others to have them brought back.

With reference to the request of your sister-in-law, you are informed that her request will not be granted unless you do not wish to make a claim for the body. It is the policy of the War Department that the request of a wife of a soldier has preference over those of his parents or brothers or sisters.

Permit me to express to you the deep sympathy of the Department on account of the loss of your husband, and to commend you for the sacrifice you have made to the cause for which he gave his life.

Very sincerely yours,

J. G. ARBURN

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Adjutant General.

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