

Camp,

Henry C

520,555

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt. Btry E, 115th Field Artillery.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do  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)

Buena Vista, Sonoma Co.

Wm Camp  
(City, town, or post office.)

Calif  
(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713

Original letter sent to-  
Mr. Wm. Camp,  
Sonoma, Calif.

*12-2-20-11*

REVIEWED  
OSP SS.



Camp, Henry C. . Battery E. 115th F.A. California *B.103 163*

Widow?

*Single*

*9-29-2*

## ORGANIZATION

FILE NO.

SURNAME	SERIAL NO.	FIRST NAME AND INITIALS	RANK

DIED—(DATE)

(CAUSE)

## BURIED AND REBURIED

DATE	PLACE	FORM #1-A NO.
ORIG.		D—
REB.		D—
REB.		D—
REB.		D—

3-7896

G. R. S. Form 127.  
ORGANIZATION INDEX.

NAME Camp. Mrs. Emma

ADDRESS Sonoma California

DATE June 23. 1938

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

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

SINCERELY,

(SIGNED) Mrs. Emma Camp

D

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE \$300.

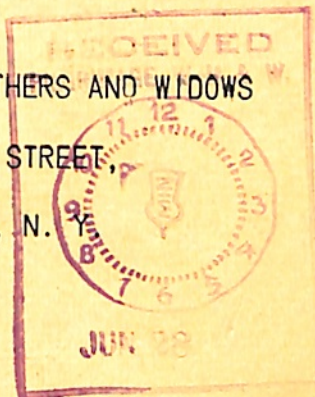


NOTIFY  
YOUR  
CORRESPONDENTS  
OF CHANGE  
OF ADDRESS

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.



G.R.S. Form #114-B

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293

FULL NAME ..... CAMP, Henry C.

RANK ..... Pvt. SERIAL 520555

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ..... Bty E, 115th F.A. 30 Div.

DATE OF DEATH ..... Nov 12/18

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME ..... Cal.

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED!

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....  
Date Grave Row Block

Suresnes, #34

Cemetery

15 Received A. G. O. SEP 3 1924

23/306/ARK

REC'D WORLD WAR DIV  
SEP 3 24

Reptd in CC 321 12/17/18 R 70

# GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

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LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

CAMP 520555 HENRY  
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

PRIVATE CO E 115 FIELD ARTILLARY  
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: U.S. Base Hospital #3

CAUSE OF DEATH: Burns 1/1 Head & arms

DATE OF BURIAL: 14 November 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: American Cemetery

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

Monesteroz-Montignac, Dordogne, France

GRAVE NUMBER: 158(one hundred fiftyeight)

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

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

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?..... yes

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE: ?

ADDRESS: ?

RELATIONSHIP: ?

REPORTED BY:

WM. A. SCHWAB

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

0721

Place Menesterol, Cem. 212,

# REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Oct. 6, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF CAMP, Henry C. SERIAL NUMBER # 520555  
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Bty. E, 115th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Oct. 6, 1921. From (give complete location): Grave 158. Menesterol, Cem. 212.  
By: Group 4 Unit Sect. 7.

3. Reburied (date): October 15th, 1921. In (give complete location): Suresnes Cemetery. - Block A - Row 10 - Grave 18.  
By: Group Field Operations Branch Unit Nature of reburial Metal Casket and Blanket.

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

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? Yes (2) On grave marker? Yes (2)

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :  
One body tag read: " Henry C. Camp, Pvt., Bty. C 304th F.A. # 520555.  
Other body tag read:- Henry C. Camp, Admitted to B.H. # 3, AS Bat. E, 115th U.S.A.F.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Indiscernable

(b) Weigh, (estimated) due to decomposition.

(c) Hair—Color None left.

Quantity None.

Characteristics None.

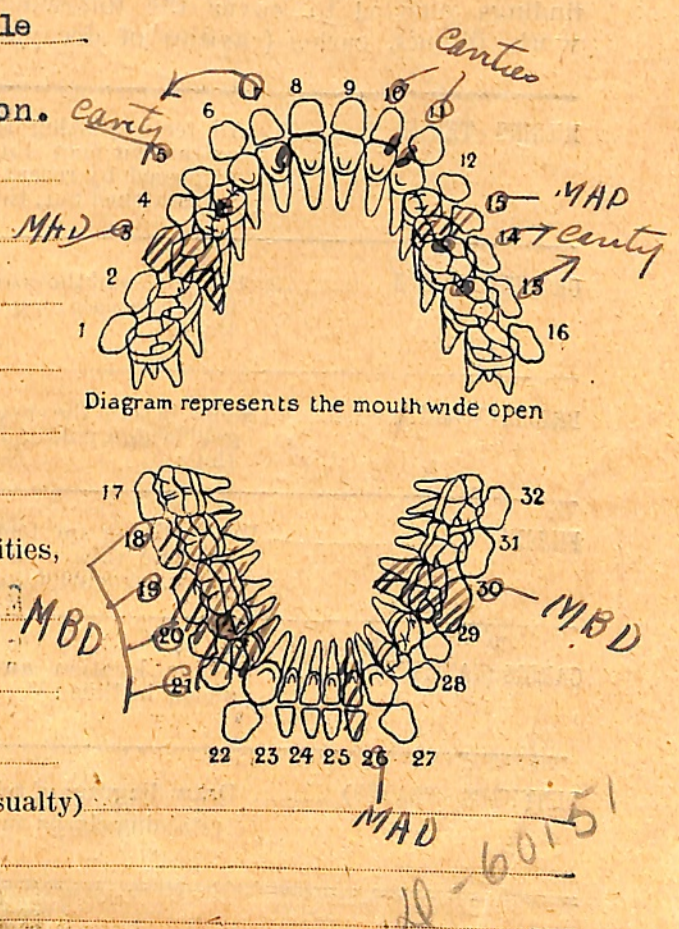
(d) Hair on face—Color None appearing.

Location None.

Quantity None.

(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) Indiscernable due to decomposition.

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) None visible.








7. Disinterment supervised by Frank L. Kaelin Approved: O.E. Davis  
FRANK L. KAELIN. (Title) O.E. DAVIS, 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

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

**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 Questions 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.



Reburial supervised by

53581

# GRAVE LOCATION BOOK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

CAMP 520655 HENRY  
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

PRIVATE CO E 115 FIELD ARTILLERY  
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF ~~Death~~ U.S. Base Hospital #3

CAUSE OF DEATH: Burns Head and Arms

DATE OF BURIAL: ~~1917~~ 14 November 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: American Cemetery

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

Monesterol-Montignac, Dordogne, France

GRAVE NUMBER: 158 (one hundred fiftyeight)

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

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

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?..... yes

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

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

212

NEAREST RELATIVE: .....

ADDRESS: .....

RELATIONSHIP: .....

REPORTED BY:

REVIEWED  
USP SS.

WM. A. SCHWAB

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

Capt. U. S. A.

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

55581

Monterey, California

Jan. 14, 1919.

Chief, Graves Registration Service,  
Headquarters Services of Supply,  
A. P. O. 717,

55581 American A. E. F., France

Dear Sir:

Kindly furnish me  
with photograph of grave of  
Henry C. Camp, Private,  
Battery E., 115th Field Artillery,  
Died: 11/12/18.

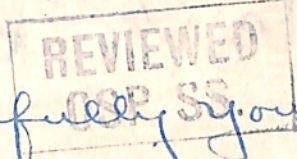
Buried: American Cemetery  
at Mensterol (Dordogne)

Thanking you to give  
this your kind considera-  
tion, I am

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) Mrs. W<sup>m</sup>/Camp.

(over)



P.S. Also if you have any  
personal photographs of  
Private Henry C. Camp, or  
of his battery, would  
greatly appreciate your  
sending same to me.

REVIEWED  
OSP SS.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY  
WASHINGTON

June 6, 1922.

FILE  
7C7A

FILE: 293.8 C-R - #55591 - (Camp, Henry G. Private)  
FROM: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.  
TO: Mr. William Camp, Sonoma, California.  
SUBJECT: Permanent Grave Location of Private Henry G. Camp,  
Battery E, 115th Field Art.

1. The permanent grave of this soldier is No. 18 Row 10  
Block A, The American Cemetery of Suresnes, Department of Seine,  
France.
2. This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries  
to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be  
marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name,  
rank, organization and date of soldier's death. The headstones will  
be placed at all graves in connection with the improvement work now in  
progress, as soon as possible and without waiting for special action  
or request on the part of relatives.

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

MAILED

JUN 6 1922

G.R.S.

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

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

1. NAME CAMP, Henry C. SERIAL No. 520555  
 RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Bty E, 115th F.A.  
 GRAVE LOCATION Menesterol-Montignac, Dordogne, France. #212.  
CTY. NAME NUMBER

158

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 158 Menesterol-Montignac, (Dordogne)  
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES None.

CONCENTRATED TO Nov. 14, 1918. 158  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Menesterol-Montignac, (Dordogne) 212.  
CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR *W. R. Nichols*  
W. R. Nichols, Major, C.A.C.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 10/15/21 18 10 A.  
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT Block

Suresnes American Cemetery #34, Suresnes (Seine).  
CEMETERY

AUDITED BY  
 Q/K 3-6-22

RECEIVED  
CEMETERY DIVISION



# INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form I6, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

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6 1922

114-B

NAME

GRAVE

COORDINATES

SECTION

REGISTRATION NO.

DATE

INITIALS

REMARKS

APPROVED

SIGNATURE

DATE

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Oct. 6th, 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 CAMP, Henry C. 10. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. No. 520555 11. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Rank Pvt. 12. Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Org. Bty. E. 115th F.A. 13. Org. Bty. C. 304th F. A. ( On one  
body tag)  
 5. D.D. Nov. 12th. 14. (a) D.D. \_\_\_\_\_  
 6. C.D. Acute Septoemia foll. severe  
Burns. (b) D.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 158 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_ 15. Grave No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_\_  
 8. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_ 16. Plot \_\_\_\_\_ Row \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. \_\_\_\_\_ 17. No discrep.  
 18. Cemetery American 19. Commune or town Menesterol-Montignac  
 20. Dept. or County Dordogne 21. Country France  
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. \_\_\_\_\_ Cty. #212  
 23. Disinterred (Date) Oct. 6th, 1921 By Frank L. Kaelin

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Henry C. Camp Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rank Pvt. Organization Bty. E. 115th F.A.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? Yes (2) On body? Yes (2)

F. L. Kaelin  
 • 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).

One body tag read: "Henry C. Camp, Pvt. Bty C. 304th F. A., #520555" Other tag read:  
 Henry C. Camp, Admitted to B. H. #3 as Pvt. E. 115th U. S. A. F."

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features not recognizable.28. Nature of burial Wooden box and uniform.29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? See item 13 and 26.30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Oct. 6th, 1921 By Frank L. Kaelin31. Casket sealed by Frank L. Kaelin

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

Frank L. Kaelin

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-2269

32. Designation of body:

Name CAMP, Henry C. Serial No. 520555

Rank Pvt. Organization Bty E, 115th F.A.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery SURESNES MILITARY CEMETERY

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Oct. 6th, 1921 By Frank L. Thelin

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 O. E. Davis  
O. E. Davis, 1st Lt., Q.M.C.

36. Remarks

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Oct. 6th, 1921

To point of Concentration Monesterel-Montigny

Convoyer George H. Huggins Signature Shipping Officer G. S. Denny  
G. S. Denny, 1st Lt., Q.M.C.

38. Received at ~~Railhead~~ or Point of Concentration: Date Paris Morgue, Oct. 10, 1921

By G.R.S. Representative Howard H. L. WARD, Major Q.M.C.

39. Shipped from ~~Railhead~~ or Point of Concentration: Date Paris, Morgue, Oct. 15, 1921

To Permanent Cemetery No. 34, SURESNES (SEINE)

Convoyer Howard Signature Shipping Officer H. L. WARD, Major Q.M.C.

40. Received: Date October 15th, 1921

G.R.S. Representative R. G. RICHARDS, 1st Lieut. Q.M.C.

41. Reinterred Suresnes Cemetery October 15th, 1921  
(Date)

42. Grave No. 18 Section

43. ~~Box~~ Block A Row 10

G.R.S. Representative

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

Camp, Henry C.  
Pvt.

WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU

ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY MAY 21, 1930

Sonoma County, State of California

Name Camp, Mrs Emma

Address Sonoma, California

Route going: NWP San Francisco, So Pac Ogden, Un Pac Omaha, C&NW Chicago, NYC&StL Buffalo, DL&W New York

Return: Same route

	ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE	
Itinerary going	Lv <u>Sonoma</u>	NWP	143	3:25 PM	May 15
	Ar <u>San Francisco</u>	"	"	5:32 PM	"
	Lv <u>San Francisco</u>	So Pac	28	6:00 PM	"
	Ar <u>Ogden</u>	"	"	5:30 PM	16
	Lv <u>Ogden</u>	Un Pac	"	6:55 PM	"
	Ar <u>Omaha</u>	"	"	8:25 PM	17
	Lv <u>Omaha</u>	C&NW	"	8:45 PM	"
	Ar <u>Chicago</u>	"	"	9:15 AM	18
	Lv <u>Chicago</u>	NYC&StL	2	11:00 AM	"
	Ar <u>New York</u>	"	"	3:30 PM	19
	Lv (Hoboken)	DL&W			
	Ar				
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	Lv				
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Accommodations: Coach Sonoma to San Francisco, standard sleeper San Francisco to Chicago, and Chicago to New York

Elapsed Time: 93 hours 5 minutes *4* *15-20*

Extra Fare:

959 X

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

Examined  
1-17-22  
for Concentration  
at  
Sonoma # 34  
2/7/22

1. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #55581

(a) Name CAMP, Henry C. Ser. No. 520555  
(b) Rank Private Organization Bty. E, 115th F.A.  
(d) Cause Acute septicemia following severe burns  
(c) Date of death 11-12-18 of death Acute septicemia following severe burns

TYP HDP

CKR. AT

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

(a) Grave No. 158 Row - - Plot - - Sect. - - TYP. HDP

(b) Emerg. Address William Camp, (Father) Buena Vista, Sonoma Co., Calif.

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

IV. A.G.O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt None

(a) Name Wm Camp (b) Relationship Father

(c) Address Buena Vista, Sonoma Co. Calif.

(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 T.L. Date 5-3-1920

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

no correspondence, dated -, confirmed request in Par. IV. item -, above, or requesting that

Examiner's Initials W.C. Date 3/2/1920

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

(mother) Sonoma, Calif. (1-14-19) asks for photograph of grave.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes. w.c.

Examiner's Initials W.C. Date 5-4-1920

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY NO. 212 SHEET NO. 29

G.R.S. Form #115 Amended April 6, 1920.

Make Form #114 Checked by J.P.

Concentrated into P.A.C. 34

12-2-20

VII. G. R. S. FORM No. 111 made \_\_\_\_\_, 1920

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

CEMETERY DIVISION  
OVERSEAS PROJECT SECTION

HOBOKEN, N. J.  
DEC 10 1920

DEC 10 1920

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by-  
( cable on \_\_\_\_\_, 1920  
( letter on **MAY 10**, 1920

*Par. 2. Not to be returned. Alet. 12-7-20.*

IX.

CORRECTIONS

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS: *Form 120 - 5-14-20 -*

*Makes no change in instructions -  
Father, W. Camp (N.Y.K) requests body remain in France.*

DEC 14 1920

**FORM 111 RETURNED BY HOBOKEN - BODY  
TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.**

*C.M.*

*1-22-21*

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

3.7  
MAY 7 1920

Rush Answer

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

212-29

TO: Mr. Wm. Camp. Buena Vista, Sonoma, Co. Calif.

SUBJECT: Remains of Private Henry G. Camp.

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

*no change*

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

Noted on Form No. 118

NAME OF 112-21-P NO. & STREET TOWN STATE

Soldier's Widow

*No widow*

Soldier's Children 1.  
(Name oldest first) 2.

3. *No children*

Father

*Wm Camp Sonoma Calif*

Mother

*Mrs. Emma Camp*

Brothers 1.  
(Name oldest first) 2.

*Wm F Camp*

Sisters

*Elsie Camp  
Aunt  
Emily*

Date *May 14<sup>th</sup> 20*

Signature *Wm Camp*

Address *Sonoma Calif*

Relationship *Father*

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

(OVER)

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

D

Have not changed our minds.  
Let the dead rest in peace!

Wm Camp.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT

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

Camp, Henry C.

Party "D" - Itinerary - Suresnes Group

Sailed May 21st on GEORGE WASHINGTON. Maj. F. D. Carlock in charge. Arrived Cherbourg 11.30 pm, May 29th. General Cheatham accompanied as observer.

May 30th. Debarked. Maj. Dailey, Capt. Kinderman, Lt. Freeman, 9 nurses and other personnel went out to ship on tender. Met at dock by Col. Ellis. Arrived Gare des Invalides, Paris, at 2.06pm. 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. Mrs. Elisa Wilson laid official wreath for party. Reception at Restaurant Laurent. Returned to hotel.

June 1st. Free - Church - Lunch d'Iena. Visited Suresnes Cemetery.

June 2nd. Visited Cemetery and Belle Cycliste.

June 3rd. Fontainebleau.

June 4th. Visited Cemetery, Belle Cycliste and Notre Dame at nite.

June 5th. Visited Chateau Thierry.

June 6th. Visited Sacre Coeur - d'Iena - Versailles - Belle Cycliste.

June 7th. Visited Louvre - Belle Cycliste - Cemetery.

June 8th. Free - Church - d'Iena - Napoleon's Tomb.

June 9th. Cemetery - Belle Cycliste - Free.

June 10th. Left hotel between 9 and 9.30 for Invalides Railway Station-entrained for Cherbourg. Accompanied by 8 conducting officers, Capt. Kinderman, 3 nurses, 2 civilian employees. Arrived Cherbourg 4.11 pm. Boarded PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT at 5.06 pm. Sailed at 6 pm. Arrived U. S. June 16th.

Mrs. Emma Camp

WAR DEPARTMENT  
"PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS"  
--- ROOM 901 ---  
225 West 34th St., New York, N. Y.

May 10th, 1930

Mrs. Emma Camp  
Sonoma, Cal.

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., C.M. Corps,  
Assistant.

Enclosures  
2 tags.

Arrived N.Y. 3:30 PM - May 19  
Train 2 - N. L. & W. RR  
Capt Heaketh

*2 bags*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
 "PILGRIMAGE WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS"  
 -- ROOM 901 --  
 225 West 34th St., New York, N. Y.

CAMP, HENRY C. SUR.

PARTY "D"  
 NUMBER 693

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

MRS. EMMA CAMP

Name of Traveler

Actual cost of through Pullman

SONOMA, SONOMA COUNTY

Home Address

New York, to SONOMA

\$ 32.63

CALIF.

New York, to SONOMA, CALIF.  
 Destination

Via D.L.&W TO BUFFALO - NYC & ST.L TO CHICAGO - C & NW TO COUNCIL BLUFFS - U.P. to  
 OGDEN - SO. PAC. TO SAN FRANCISCO - N.W.PAC. to dest.

JUNE 19th  
 Date of Departure

	Road	Train Number	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	Car	U.S.G. Order No.	Actual Cost
LV	Hoboken	DL&W 5	6/19	2:30P	L 5	X51		9.00
AR	Chicago	NKP 1	6/20	4:50P				
LV	Chicago	C&NW-UP 27	6/20	9:35P	L			23.63
AR	San Francisco	S.P. 27	6/23	8:30A			10-1020792	
LV	San Francisco	NWP 140	6/23	8:45P	Coach			
AR	Sonoma	" "	6/23	10:50A				
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TOTAL 32.63

Remarks:

Count: May Mrs Pie

Name CAMP, Mrs Emma

Paris Hôtel HOTEL D'ÉNA

AVENUE D'ÉNA

Home address Sonoma, Sonoma County, California

Party D Group 6 Unit S.S. WASHINGTON

Date of arrival May 30, 1930 Date of departure \$\$ . ROOSEVELT-10-1930

Relationship Mother

Name of deceased CAMP, Henry C.

Rank Pvt Organization Bty. E, 115th Field Arty

Cemetery Suresnes

REMARKS





Mr. Geo. F. R. Taylor  
1st Lieut. U. S. A.  
225 West 34<sup>th</sup> St.  
New York N. Y.

from Wm. Camp. Lawrence Calif.

20, ✓

1<sup>st</sup> 693

NAME CAMP, MRS. EMMA

S.S. ROOSEVELT JUN 19 1930

HOME SONOMA, SONOMA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA.

R.R. *D.P. & W. to Buff - NYC & St. L to Chi*  
*C. & N.W. to Council Bluffs - U.P. to*

STATION *Ogden - So Pac to San Francisco*  
*N.W. Pac to dest.*

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE

*Undated,*

THE PULLMAN COMPANY

PASSENGER'S CHECK—To identify accommodations purchased. The amount charged is The Pullman Company's rate and a surcharge of 50% of that amount required by and collected as agent for the Railroad Company, as shown on the ticket.

From .....

To .....

Accommodations L220 Car 20

Line No. .... Via ..... R.R.

Property taken into car will be entirely at owner's risk.

Office 42-266 Form 1000-3

Passengers 138  
123

THE PULLMAN COMPANY

PASSENGER'S CHECK—To identify accommodations purchased. The amount charged is The Pullman Company's rate and a surcharge of 50% of that amount required by and collected as agent for the Railroad Company, as shown on the ticket.

From .....

To .....

Accommodations 83 Car 83

Line No. .... Via ..... R.R.

Property taken into car will be entirely at owner's risk.

Office 42-266 Form 1000-3

Passengers 138  
123

LA SALLE STATION

Series 1

18376

Usher No.

102

THE PULLMAN COMPANY

**PASSENGER'S CHECK**—To identify accommodations purchased. The amount charged is The Pullman Company's rate and a surcharge of 50% of that amount required by and collected as agent for the Railroad Company, as shown on the ticket.

From .....

To .....

Accommodations 22 Car 20

Line No. .... Via ..... R.R.

Property taken into car will be entirely at owner's risk.

Office 42-266 Form 1000-3

Passengers 1 2 3 | 138

THE PULLMAN COMPANY

**PASSENGER'S CHECK**—To identify accommodations purchased. The amount charged is The Pullman Company's rate and a surcharge of 50% of that amount required by and collected as agent for the Railroad Company, as shown on the ticket.

From .....

To .....

Accommodations ..... Car 83

Line No. .... Via ..... R.R.

Property taken into car will be entirely at owner's risk.

Office 42-266 Form 1000-3

Passengers 1 2 3 | 138

**IN CASE OF ERROR**

**NOTIFY CONDUCTOR** who will wire **STATIONMASTER, LA SALLE STATION, Chicago.**

Conductor will describe baggage, state number of usher as shown on opposite side of tag, and give name and address of passenger, and state whether Parmelee, taxi or other conveyance used to La Salle Station.

McCanna Camp  
The Party D.

# Redwood Empire Tour



## REDWOOD EMPIRE TOUR

A new scenic route between  
San Francisco and the Pacific  
Northwest.

Tell your friends about this  
picturesque rail-and-auto trip.  
Urge them to enjoy it when they  
travel to or from Oregon, Wash-  
ington, British Columbia — or  
the East, via Portland.



A new and thrilling travel experience is this Redwood Empire Tour—Northwestern Pacific Railroad to Eureka, and thence Southern Pacific motor coach to Grants Pass.

Traversing first the fertile valleys of Northwestern California, the route crosses a lofty divide and descends the main canyon of the Eel River, noted for its scenic grandeur. The Redwood belt is entered near South Fork, at the entrance to Humboldt State Redwood Park. From the city of Eureka, on Humboldt Bay, begins the motor coach journey—revealing views of rugged coast-line and picturesque mountains, and passing through forests of giant Redwoods, greatest of all living things. Thousands of these trees are more than 350 feet high!

At Grants Pass, connection is made with the Southern Pacific SHASTA ROUTE. Travelers holding tickets over this route between San Francisco and Portland—either northbound or southbound—may make this Redwood Empire Tour for only \$10.40 additional fare.

#### TICKETS PURCHASED

Rail Fare \_\_\_\_\_

Pullman Fare \_\_\_\_\_

Total \_\_\_\_\_



#### REDWOOD EMPIRE TOUR



GFRT\*BF

File 201 - Camp, Mrs. Emma

June 20th, 1930.

Mrs. Emma Camp,  
Sonoma, California.

Dear Madam:

After your departure from the Hotel McAlpin, New York City, there was found in your room a case for eye-glasses.

As Mrs. Carmela Basile from San Jose, California occupied the same room with you, and there being no identifying mark on this case, it will be appreciated if this case is your property, that you write us to that effect, and the case will be forwarded to you by mail.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE F. R. TAYLOR,  
1st Lieut. Q.M.C. (DOL)

London, June 25<sup>th</sup> to 30

File 1001

2001 Camp, Mrs E

Mr. Geo. F. K. Taylor,  
1st Lieut. Q. M. C.

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Emma Camp requests me, to tell you, that ~~those~~ <sup>her</sup> case ~~for~~ eye-glasses, found in her room of the Hotel Mo Athin are hers all right; but not to bother about sending it, as she has some others.

At the same time, she wants to thank you for your solicitude and the fine treatment, she received while in your charge, to which I most heartily subscribe.

Yours very truly  
Wm Camp

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE	
NAME	Camp, Henry C	CAM	3	3 1 3
BURIED	CEMETERY	34	1	6
	GRAVE	18	2	18
	ROW	10	2	10
	BLOCK	A	1	1
STATE	Calif		2	04
RANK	Pvt		1	2
DIVISION	30		2	30
ORGANIZATION	115		3	115
ARM	F.A.		1	3
MARITAL	Single		1	2
Mrs. NAME	Emma Camp	CAM	3	3 1 3
RESIDENCE	STATE	Calif	2	04
	COUNTY	Sonoma	2	49
	CITY	Sonoma	3	XX
RELATION	Mother		1	1
OTHER	Father		1	1
ELIGIBILITY	Yes		1	1
NATIVITY			1	
RACE			1	
ENGLISH	Yes		1	1
ATTENDANT			1	
HEALTH	Good		1	1
NO. OF SONS			1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.		1	
	YR.	1930	1	
ACCEPTANCE	Yes		1	
	Age		1	

Audited May 25 1930

**AUDITED**  
 SEP 25 1931  
 KVPB  
 59

STATE

Camp, Henry C.

....CALIFORNIA....

Mother

Sonoma,

NAME Camp, Mrs. Emma ..... HOME ADDRESS Sonoma County .....NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN Mrs. E. Baur ... 505 14th Ave. San Francisco. ..  
Cali.ARRIVAL IN NEW YORKDATE 5/19/30 ..... HOTEL McAlpin ..... ROOM NO. 571 .....DEPARTURE NEW YORKDATE May 21st, 1930 ..... VESSEL S/S "WASHINGTON" ..... CABIN NO. 144-E .....DESTINATION CHERBOURG, FRANCE ..... CEMETERY SURESNES .....

RETURN NEW YORK

JUN 18 1930

DATE .....

NAME

*Comp. Mrs. Emma*

HOME ADDRESS

*Sonoma County  
Sonoma, California*

RETURN ON S. S.

**S/S. ROOSEVELT McALPIN**

HOTEL

ROOM NO.

*1081*

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE

*6/19*

ROAD

*S Low*

TRAIN

*5*

CAR

*X 57*

BERTH or SEAT

*L 5*

REMARKS .....

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RETURN RECEIPT

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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.

Mrs. Emma Camp

(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. \_\_\_\_\_

Return to \_\_\_\_\_

Street and Number,  
or Post Office Box, \_\_\_\_\_

Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)  
MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING  
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

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RETURN RECEIPT

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

— Mrs. Emma Coombe —  
(Signature or name of addressee.)

—  
(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, July 3, 192

FORM 8811

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Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

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INSURED PARCEL

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(NAME OF SENDER)

**MUNITIONS BUILDING**

**WASHINGTON,**

**D. C.**

MRS. EMMA CAMP  
1216 FUNSTON AVENUE  
SANFRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

WASHINGTON, D. C.      May 15, 1930

RAILROAD COMPANY ADVISES TRANSPORTATION FORWARDED MAY THIRTEENTH

GSM 764

DeWITT  
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C. 34

Miss Stimmel when  
telegrams arrive after date  
of departure, do you want  
another sent en route?

Concerning badges to  
be delivered in Chicago  
not in these cases. E.S. 7/14/25

# Signal Corps, United States Army

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

RADIOGRAM

3-9313

34 WVY H SERVICE WAR

*PM*

YOUR NUMBER 23 DATE MRS EMMA CAMP SIGNED DEWITT LEFT WITH  
GOLD STAR MOTHERS

SONOMA CALIF VIA WVY

846 PM MAY 13 1930

*293 - Camp - Henry C.*



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*File  
242  
5/14/30*

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Camp, Henry G. 34-M

May 5, 1930.

Mrs. Emma Camp,  
Sonoma, Calif.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. 313,209 in the  
amount of \$ 40.00, 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.

# Signal Corps, United States Army



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## WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.

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SONOMA CALIF 238PM APL 23-1930

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL,

DEWITT, WASHN, D.C

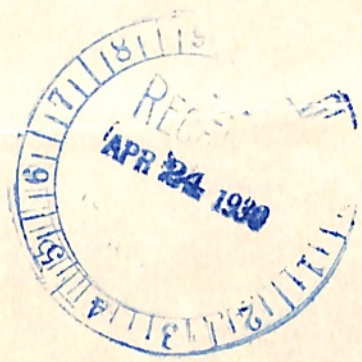
HAVE NOT VISITED SONS GRAVE MR

MRS EMMA CAMP.

6PM.

293 - Camp - Henry C.

Records Attached



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APRIL 22, 1930. Washington, D. C.

MRS. EMMA CAMP  
SONOMA CALIFORNIA

RE TELGRIMAGE TELEGRAPH COLLECT WHETHER OR NOT YOU HAVE VISITED  
SON'S GRAVE.

314 GSM

DeWITT  
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C. 34-M

*ADH*  
ADH

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
PASSPORT DIVISION

April 16, 1930.

MEMORANDUM TO THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

A Special Pilgrimage Passport issued to Mrs. Emma Camp is transmitted herewith. For your information it may be stated that the files of the State Department show that on June 13, 1924 a passport was issued to Mrs. Camp. At that time she stated that she desired the passport to travel in Germany and Switzerland visiting friends and sight-seeing.

*Mrs Emma Camp  
Page 9.20 Wash  
Linn  
Henry C. Camp - Sonoma  
34 Calif*

*acc. for  
Washington May 21*

Mother Mrs. Emma Camp - (Camp, Henry C.)

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C. 34 K

March 25, 1930.

Mrs. Erma Camp,  
Sonoma, Calif.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Washington  
21-30

Camp, Henry C.

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. Emma Camp

(Name)

Mrs. Emma CampSonoma, Sonoma County, California

(Town or City)

(State)



WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C. 34 M

October 8, 1929.

Mrs. Emma Camp,  
Sonoma,  
California.

*Pauley*  
MAY 21 1930

Dear Madam:

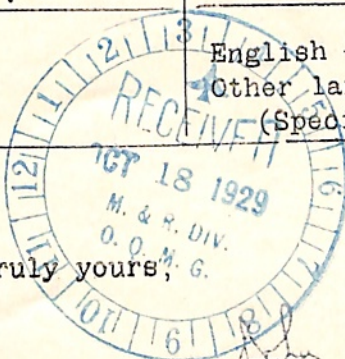
The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, 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 Health (Years) <u>59</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>German</u> (Specify language spoken)

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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

*Mrs. Emma Camp.*

Encl.  
Act  
Envelope

in r. Q.M. 293 A-?

Sonoma,

May 10<sup>th</sup>

1929

Camp, Henry C.

Major John T. Harris, Assit. Q.M. General.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your favor of May 3<sup>rd</sup> 29 in regard to  
the late Henry C. Camp, Battery E, 115 Field Artillery,  
will state, that deceased is survived by his  
mother, Mrs. Emma Camp, address Sonoma.



Yours very truly

Wm Camp.

293  
Camp, Henry C.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

May 3, 1929.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C.

Mr. William Camp,  
Sonoma  
Calif.

Dear Sir:

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 father of the late Private Henry C. Camp, Battery E, 115th Field Artillery, whose remains are now interred in the Suresnes American Cemetery, Suresnes, Seine, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them 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 relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since remarried it is also requested that a statement to that effect be made.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

5-23-29  
2 incls.  
Act of Congress.  
Envelope.

MRS. EMMA CAMP  
1216 FUNSTON AVENUE  
SANFRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

WASHINGTON, D. C.    May 15, 1930

RAILROAD COMPANY ADVISES TRANSPORTATION FORWARDED MAY THIRTEENTH

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DeWITT  
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C. 34



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RES  
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# Signal Corps, United States Army

Received at

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Washington, D. C.

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CHICAGO ILLS. 108PM MAY 14 1930

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WAR DEPT WASHN DC.

*file 552.01 - Western Int. Bureau*  
G S M SEVEN FORTY ONE / MRS CAMP D TWENTY FURNISHED TRANSPORTATION  
YESTERDAY B HUNDRED FIVE

H W SIDDALL

235P.

*Chid. Com. J  
5-14-30*

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*2930  
Camp - Henry Co.,  
Ill.*

May 13, 1930, Washington, D. C.

MRS EMMA CAMP  
SONOMA CALIFORNIA

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

DEWITT  
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

*ADH*  
ADH

430 GSM

QM 293 A-C

*Camp, Henry C- 34*

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# Signal Corps, United States Army

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## WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.

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SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF 915A MAY 13-1930

WAR DEPT GOLD STAR MOTHER PILGRIMAGE

WASHN, D.C.

HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED MY TICKET FOR PILGRIMAGE TO FRANCE.  
SUPPOSED TO LEAVE SONOMA CALIF 325 PM MAY 15TH PLEASE WIRE ME DETAILS  
1216 FUNSTON AVENUE SAN FRANCISCO AND WHEN TICKET WAS SENT ME.

MRS EMMA CAMP.

*Sonoma, Calif*

112PM.

*A - 20*

*5/13 wired HNS*

*Record Attached*



*293*

*Camp - Henry C, 224*

Camp, Henry C.

34

May 6, 1930

Mrs. Emma Camp,  
Sonoma,  
California.

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. Sonoma	NWP	No. 143	3:25 PM	May 15
Ar. San Francisco	"	" "	5:32 PM	May 15
Lv. San Francisco	SoPac	No. 28	6:00 PM	May 15
Ar. Ogden	"	No. 28	5:30 PM	May 16
Lv. Ogden	UnPac	No. 28	6:55 PM	May 16
Ar. Omaha	"	No. 28	8:25 PM	May 17
Lv. Omaha	C&NW	No. 28	8:45 PM	May 17
Ar. Chicago	"	No. 28	9:15 AM	May 18
Lv. Chicago	NYC&StL	No. 2	11:00 AM	May 18
Ar. New York (Hoboken)	DL&W	No. 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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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C. 34 M

March 25, 1930.

Mrs. Emma Camp,  
Sonoma, Calif.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Camp, Henry C. 34-M

March 21, 1930

Mrs. Emma Camp,  
Sonoma, Calif.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

1 Enclosure.  
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WAR DEPARTMENT  
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C. 34 M

October 8, 1929.

Mrs. Emma Camp,  
Sonoma,  
California.

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

May 3, 1929.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C  
Camp, Henry C.

Mr. William Camp,  
Sonoma  
Calif.

Dear Sir:

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 <sup>father of the</sup> late Private Henry C. Camp, Battery E, 115th Field Artillery, whose remains are now interred in the ~~the~~ American Cemetery, Surannes, Swine, France.

Will you please advise this office whether or not he is survived by a mother or widow who is entitled under the provisions of the above quoted Act, to make the pilgrimage, and if so, will you please furnish the full names and addresses of the mother and widow in order that action may be taken to extend invitations to them 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 relative is a stepmother, mother through adoption, or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the decedent, a statement as to her relationship is requested. If he was survived by a widow who has since 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,

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

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