

MMB

DATE

JAN 21 1926

1. NAME

CLOUGH, Harmon

SERIAL No.

38536

RANK

Pvt 1/cl

ORGANIZATION

Co. C 9th Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION

Amer. Cty. Ploisy, Aisne

DIVISION

2nd Div

#593

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

195

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GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

195-179 Amer. Cem. #593, VIERZY

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GRAVE

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COORDINATES

CONCENTRATED TO

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CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Information in paragraph 2 taken from Form 1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE OF DEATH

July 18, 1918

ST/DATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

CEMETERY

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none found

DATE

GRAVE

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PLOT

CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR

G.F. WAUGH

Major, Inf., Supervisor, Area 2,

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION

August 3, 1922

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36

Block D

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Oise-Aisne-American Cemetery #608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne).

2 A. G. O. JAN 22 1926 WORLD WAR DIV.

Rec'd World War Div. CEMETERY

5 JAN 12 1928

Major General The Adjutant General

By C.K.Z.

JAN 25 1926

AUDITED BY

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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President Harding

7/12/33

OA

Pvt. 1cl Harmon Clough

I decline 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 pro-
visions of the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough

Name

Charlestown, Sullivan County, New Hampshire

Town or City

State



CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME <i>Clough,</i>	<i>C 20</i>	3	<i>3 2 5</i>
<i>Harmon</i>	CEMETERY <i>608</i>	1	<i>2</i>
BURIED	GRAVE <i>20</i>	2	<i>70</i>
	ROW <i>36</i>	2	<i>36</i>
	BLOCK <i>D</i>	1	<i>4</i>
STATE	<i>Mass</i>	2	<i>25</i>
RANK	<i>Pvt. 1 cl</i>	1	<i>2</i>
DIVISION	<i>2</i>	2	<i>02</i>
ORGANIZATION	<i>9</i>	3	<i>009</i>
ARM	<i>Inf</i>	1	<i>1</i>
MARTIAL	<i>No</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NAME <i>Clough,</i>	<i>Clo</i>	5	<i>3 2 5</i>
<i>Mrs. Mary Elsie</i>	STATE <i>New Hamp</i>	2	<i>34</i>
RESIDENCE	COUNTY <i>Sullivan</i>		<i>10</i>
	CITY <i>Charlestown</i>	3	<i>XXX</i>
RELATION	<i>Mother</i>	1	<i>1</i>
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	<i>Yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	<i>Yes</i>	1	<i>1</i>
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	<i>Bad</i>	1	<i>2</i>
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR. <i>1933</i>	1	<i>4</i>
ACCEPTANCE	<i>Not included</i>	1	<i>2</i>
29/514/PJ	<i>age</i>		<i>66</i>

Declared Int. 7-12-33

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

February 13, 1933.

Clough, Harmon (OA)

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, N.H.

Dear Madam:

No reply has been received to the invitation forwarded you to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe, sailing on the **PRESIDENT HARDING** July 12th.

In order that arrangements may be completed for the pilgrimage, it is imperative that you accept or decline the invitation. It is requested therefore you complete AT ONCE the card enclosed with the invitation forwarded you, signifying whether you accept or decline the invitation. If you have lost or misplaced the card, please write "Accept" or "Decline" on the bottom of this letter and return it to this office.

PLEASE REPLY PROMPTLY.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-M
Clough, Harmon (OA)

November 21, 1932

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown,
New Hampshire.

Dear Madam:

In order that the best available accommodations may be secured for the mothers and widows making the pilgrimage during the summer of 1933, it is necessary that steamship reservations be made several months in advance. It is therefore requested that you advise at this time whether or not you believe you will be able to visit the grave of your son, the late Private first class Harmon Clough, next summer, in order that arrangements may be made accordingly.

A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:
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QM 293 A-M
Clough, Harmon (OA)

July 23, 1932

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,

Charlestown, New Hampshire.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of July 14th, advising that you are unable at this time to plan to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private first class Harmon Clough, during the summer of 1933.

It is sincerely hoped that your health will improve sufficiently to enable you to take advantage of the offer of the Government in 1933, as that is the last year for which pilgrimages are authorized.

All expenses of the pilgrimage, including meals, tips, transportation by water, rail, taxi and bus, as well as incidental expenses such as laundry, are borne by the Government. Mothers and widows making the journey will need money only for the purchase of articles of a personal nature, such as souvenirs. However, there is no provision of law which would permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow in lieu of the pilgrimage.

Should circumstances improve and you later desire to visit your son's grave next summer, it is requested that you so notify this office at the earliest practicable date, in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Dough, Harmon
608

Charlestown, N. H.

July 14th 1932



In Re. @M 293 a-m

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Messrs:

In reply to the question as to my intentions regarding the over seas pilgrimage, I will say, while I am deeply appreciative of the generosity of the War Department, I still feel physically incapable to make the trip this year, owing to Diabetes, Arthritis, Deformities - which makes walking impossible at times - and sinus trouble, which is seriously affecting my eyes.

The conditions of my husband would also prevent my going even if I was able, as he has very high blood pressure ^{and} sudden seizures, in which I think he is passing away. Besides this trouble he has Cardiac Asthma ^{and} Brights disease ^{and} hardly able to care for our selves.

A little more than two years ago we sold our home in Alstead, N. H. that we might have the proceeds to

furnish our daily needs, but I find I must move
to less expensive rooms. - I am now paying \$20.00
per month^{ly} medicines costing me \$4.00 every two days.
I^{ly} only a little more than \$200.00 left from the sale of
my home^{ly} would it have that if my bills were paid, still
owing for last winter's coal^{ly} yet a short time ago, I
noticed an item in the paper stating the Government
wanted the parents over sixty years of age to have every
confort^{ly} I am wondering if this is true or just
propaganda, as my age is 67 yrs^{ly} & my husband 69 yrs.^{ly}
While I consider the War Department has been more
than thoughtful^{ly} & generous with the veterans, yet if I
could have made a choice, I would have taken the
cost of the trip, as this would have been of material
benefit to both of us.

Respectfully

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough

Charles town

N. H.

P. S.
If we are deserving any further consideration, kindly
inform us.



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Clough, Harmon (OA)

July 11, 1932.

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown,
N. H.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Sign here) Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Clough, Harmon OA M

December 17, 1931. 6b

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, New Hampshire

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Clough, Harmon OA M

November 2, 1931

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough
Charlestown, N. H.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. In your reply to the recent inquiry as to whether or not you desired to make a pilgrimage in 1932, you advised you were undecided.

In view of the fact that steamship reservations must be made several months in advance, it is essential that this office know how many mothers and widows must be arranged for. It is possible that you may have made your decision by this time. It is therefore requested that you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage. In the event you state you desire to make the journey in 1932 and circumstances prevent your making the pilgrimage, it is requested you notify this office as promptly as possible.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage
in 1932?

*If so, but circumstances and
ill health may prevent.*

2. Please state your age and condition
of health:

Age: *66 yrs.*
Health: *very poor*

3. Do you speak English?

Yes.

4. What other language do you speak?

None

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough
Sign here

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Clough, Harmon PFC (O-A) M*

July 23, 1931.

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, N. H.

Dear Madam:

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

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

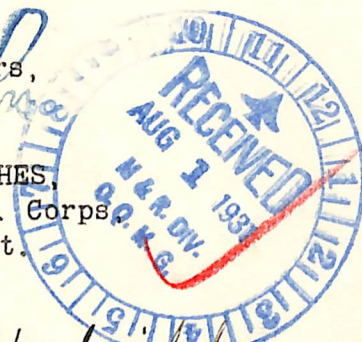
As soon as you have answered the question, please sign your name and return this sheet in the enclosed addressed envelope which requires no postage. Do not delay, as a prompt reply is essential.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



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

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough

Sign here

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Clough, Harmon, Pvt. 1c1

I decline 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 pro-
visions of the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough

(Name)

Charlestown, Sullivan County, New Hampshire

(Town or City)

(State)



QM 293 A-M

Clough, Harmon (O-A) M

April 20, 1931

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, N. H.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not accepted or declined the invitation extended you to make a pilgrimage to Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the "America" on August 12, 1931.

In order that arrangements may be completed for the pilgrimage, it is imperative that you complete the card enclosed with the invitation signifying whether or not you accept the invitation and return the same to this office.

In the event no reply is received from you before June 12, 1931, the invitation will be automatically cancelled.

Should you desire to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested that you advise this office to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-M

IN REPLY REFER TO _____

October 21, 1930.

Clough, Harmon 608 M PFC

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Alstead, N.H.

(Dear Madam:)

A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	<i>I would like to make the pilgrimages, health permitting.</i>
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	<i>Undecided</i>
3. Please give your age and state your health.	<i>Age 64 yrs Condition of health very poor</i>
4. Do you speak English?	<i>Yes</i>
5. What other language do you speak?	<i>None</i>

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

May 27, 1930.

Clough, Harmon 608 N

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Alstead, N. H.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

QM 298 A-C
Clough, Harmon - 608 H

April 26, 1930

Mrs. Ethel S. Nock,
1125 New Hampshire Ave., N.W.,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mrs. Nock:

Complying with your request that cases of this nature be referred to you, there is enclosed herewith copy of a letter from Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough, Charlestown, N. H., who states that she is not able to provide herself with the necessary clothing to make the trip.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Cloughs Harmon - 608 M

April 26, 1930

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown,
New Hampshire.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 12, advising this office that you will be unable to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private, first class, Harmon Clough, on account of your inability to provide yourself with the necessary clothing to make the trip.

In the event you decide to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you. Pilgrimages will be made during the summer months of the years 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1933.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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UNITED STATES VETERANS BUREAU

WASHINGTON

April 21, 1930

THIS LETTER REFERS TO
YOUR FILE NUMBER:

IN REPLY REFER TO **FABE**

Quartermaster General
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

~~CLOUGH, Harmon~~ 6008
XC - 27 421

Dear Sir:

There is enclosed herewith a communication dated April 12, 1930 with reference to Mrs. Mary E. Clough's contemplated trip to France to visit the grave of her late son.

This communication is forwarded to you for whatever action you may deem necessary in the premises.

By direction,



H. H. MILKS
H. H. MILKS?
Chief, Awards Division.

April 18, 1930.

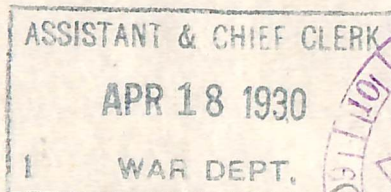
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Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, New Hampshire.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated April 12, 1930, relative to the legislation providing pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of deceased soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American forces who are now interred in such cemeteries.

The administration of the legislation in which you are interested is under the jurisdiction of the War Department, to which department your letter is being referred for attention.



For the Director,

J. O'G. ROBERTS,
Assistant General Counsel.

Charlestown N. H

April 12 '30

To the United States Veterans Bureau:

Since acknowledging my acceptance of the invitation from the Government to make the pilgrimage to France to visit my son-Harmon Cloughs -grave some time during 1930, have decided that it will be impossible, both physically and financially as both my husband and myself are in very poor health and have just recently sold our home in Olstead N. H. - which was heavily mortgaged - and are now occupying three rooms, in Charlestown N. H. - that we may have the proceeds to provide the necessities of life and I feel it would be unfair to my husband to use any of this money to buy the necessary clothing to enable me to make the trip. My address is now

Mary Elsie Clough

Charlestown

N. Hampshire.

Formerly Alstead

N. Hampshire.

*Removed from 1930
List (has not used inv.)
Listed for 1931*

Charlestown N.H.

April 12 1930



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To the United States Veterans Bureau,

Dear Sirs,

in my acceptance of the invitation from the Government to make the pilgrimage to France to visit my sons - Harmon Cloughs - graves, some time during 1930, have decided that it will be impossible, both physically ^{and} financially ^{as} both my husband ^{and} myself are in very poor health ^{and} have just recently sold our home in Alstead N. H. - which was heavily mortgaged - ^{and} are now occupying three rooms, in Charlestown N. H. that we may have the proceeds to provide the necessities of life ^{and} I feel it would be unfair to my husband to use any of this money to buy the necessary clothing to enable me to make the trip.

My address is now

Mary Elsie Clough

Charlestown

Sullivan Co

N. Hampshire.

Formerly Alstead Cheshire Co

N. Hampshire.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Clough, Harmon 608 M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Mary E. Clough,
Alstead, N. H.

Dear Madam:

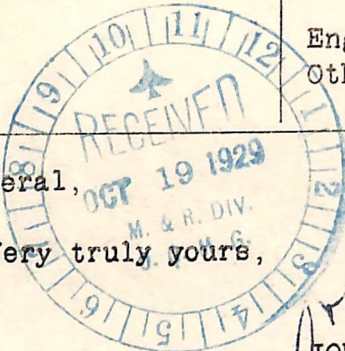
The Act of Congress which provides for pilgrimages to cemeteries in Europe by mothers and widows of members of the military or naval forces of the United States who died in the military or naval service at any time between April 5, 1917 and July 1, 1921, and whose remains are now interred in such cemeteries, 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 <u>63</u> Health <u>Fair</u> (Years) (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No) Other language <u>no</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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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Clough, Hermon
608

Aug. 29, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Clough,
Enosburg Falls, Vermont.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 24, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

No

Not married

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

Mrs. Mary Edie Clough
Mother
Alstead, N. Hampshire
formerly
Enosburg Falls, Vermont.

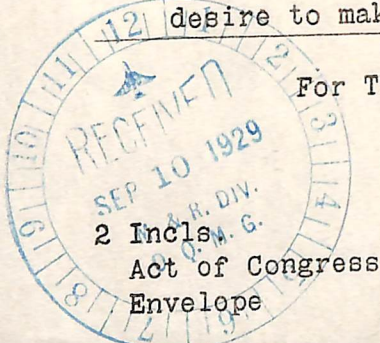
3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

Yes.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 24, 1929.

Clough, Harmon

Mrs. Mary Clough,
~~Enosburg Falls, Vermont.~~

Alstead, N.H.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Harmon Clough, Pvt. 1/c Co. C, 9th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-M
Clough, Harmon (OA)

November 21, 1932

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown,
New Hampshire.

Dear Madam:

In order that the best available accommodations may be secured for the mothers and widows making the pilgrimage during the summer of 1933, it is necessary that steamship reservations be made several months in advance. It is therefore requested that you advise at this time whether or not you believe you will be able to visit the grave of your son, the late Private first class Harmon Clough, next summer, in order that arrangements may be made accordingly.

A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Clough, Harmon (OA)

July 23, 1932

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, New Hampshire.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of July 14th, advising that you are unable at this time to plan to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private first class Harmon Clough, during the summer of 1933.

It is sincerely hoped that your health will improve sufficiently to enable you to take advantage of the offer of the Government in 1933, as that is the last year for which pilgrimages are authorized.

All expenses of the pilgrimage, including meals, tips, transportation by water, rail, taxi and bus, as well as incidental expenses such as laundry, are borne by the Government. Mothers and widows making the journey will need money only for the purchase of articles of a personal nature, such as souvenirs. However, there is no provision of law which would permit the Government to make a money allowance to any mother or widow in lieu of the pilgrimage.

Should circumstances improve and you later desire to visit your son's grave next summer, it is requested that you so notify this office at the earliest practicable date, in order that arrangements may be made for you.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Clough, Harmon (OA)

July 11, 1932.

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown,
N. H.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Clough, Harmon OA M

December 17, 1931.

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Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, New Hampshire

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Clough, Harmon OA M

November 2, 1931

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough
Charlestown, N. H.

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Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. In your reply to the recent inquiry as to whether or not you desired to make a pilgrimage in 1932, you advised you were undecided.

In view of the fact that steamship reservations must be made several months in advance, it is essential that this office know how many mothers and widows must be arranged for. It is possible that you may have made your decision by this time. It is therefore requested that you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name, and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage. In the event you state you desire to make the journey in 1932 and circumstances prevent your making the pilgrimage, it is requested you notify this office as promptly as possible.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
2. Please state your age and condition of health:	Age: Health:
3. Do you speak English?	
4. What other language do you speak?	

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Clough, Harmon PFC (O-A) M*

July 23, 1931.

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, N. H.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Sign here

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 27, 1930.

Clough, Harmon 608 M
IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Alstedd, N. H.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1931? _____

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

QM 293 A-M

Clough, Harmon (O-A) M

April 20, 1931

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown, N. H.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not accepted or declined the invitation extended you to make a pilgrimage to Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the "America" on August 12, 1931.

In order that arrangements may be completed for the pilgrimage, it is imperative that you complete the card enclosed with the invitation signifying whether or not you accept the invitation and return the same to this office.

In the event no reply is received from you before June 12, 1931, the invitation will be automatically cancelled.

Should you desire to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested that you advise this office to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M

October 21, 1930.

Clough, Harmon 608 M PFC

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Alstead, N.H.

Dear Madam:

A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age Condition of health
4. Do you speak English?	
5. What other language do you speak?	

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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Place Les Aux Bois Aisne.

Date May 22 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: HARLAN CLOUGH

Number: 38531

Rank: PVT.

Organization:

Co C 9th Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 2 Unit B

Disinterred (Date) May 22 1919 From: (Give complete location)

Grave # 179 per sketch # 4 Mors 304. A.E.F. Cemetery # 615.

CRD 287.1 177.0 Soissons # 33 S E Commune Of Vierzy (Aisne).

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Reburied (Date) May 22 1919 in: (Give complete location) Grave Plot Sec.

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Military Cemetery Floisy Aisne.

CRD 290.95 174.95 Soissons # 33 N E

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

Badly Disintergrated Wrapped in burlap.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No. Identified by nameplate on

CROSS.

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

CONFIRMED No. 11911

Note:

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

Supervised by: Sgt 1st Cl AM Mac Callum

A J Triggs 2 Lt Q M C.

C.O. Group 2 Unit B

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G. R. S. FORM NO. 12

Place _____

Date May 23 1918

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: WALTER GLOUGH Number: 38821

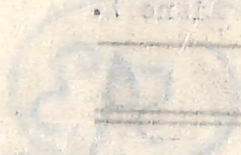
Rank: 1st Organization: Co C 8th Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group 2 Unit B

Disinterred (Date) May 23 1918 From: (Give complete location)

Grave # 119 near station # 4 High St. A. S. Cemetery, St. Louis, Mo.

Graves # 281, 117, 0, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100



Reburied (Date) May 23 1918 in: (Give complete location)

Graves # 281, 117, 0, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100

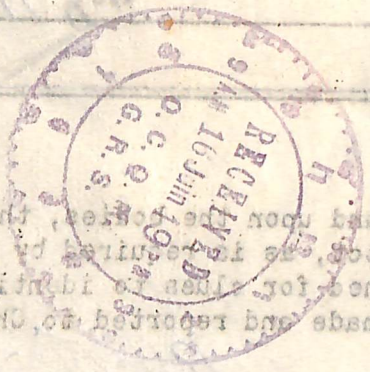
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Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment:

Body disinterred. Wrapped in burials.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? No. Identified by markings on

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



If upon disinterment, effects are found upon the body, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, and returned by G.O. 170, G. R. S., 1918, after being carefully examined for identification in doubtful cases, notation whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: 1st Lt. W. A. Mason

Co. C. Group 2 Unit B

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QM 293 A-C
Cloughs Harmon - 608 M

April 26, 1930

Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough,
Charlestown,
New Hampshire.

Dear Madam:

Ans. Comm. Dir.

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 12, advising this office that you will be unable to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Private, first class, Harmon Clough, on account of your inability to provide yourself with the necessary clothing to make the trip.

In the event you decide to make the pilgrimage at a later date, it is requested you advise this office in order that arrangements may be made for you. Pilgrimages will be made during the summer months of the years 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1933.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Clough, Harmon - 608 M

April 26, 1930

Mrs. Ethel S. Hook,
1125 New Hampshire Ave., N.W.,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mrs. Hook:

Complying with your request that cases of this nature be referred to you, there is enclosed herewith copy of a letter from Mrs. Mary Elsie Clough, Charlestown, N. H., who states that she is not able to provide herself with the necessary clothing to make the trip.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

October 7, 1929.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Clough, Harmon 608 M

Mrs. Mary E. Clough,
Alstead, N. H.

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

Clough, Hermon
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Aug. 29, 1929.

Mrs. Mary Clough,
Enosburg Falls, Vermont.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated June 24, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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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

June 24, 1929.

Clough, Harmon

Mrs. Mary Clough,
Knosburg Falls, Vermont.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Harmon Clough, Pvt. 1/c Co. C, 9th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Clough

Harmon

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(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt 1cl

Co C 9 Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased *Father*Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? *No*
(Yes or no.)If remains are brought to the United States, do you }
wish them interred in a national cemetery? } (Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

L. W. Clough, M.D.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Mrs. Mary Clough,
Enosburg, Vt.

Drawn by R. C. G.

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Checked

ARL 10-14-20

QM 293 A-C

May 21, 1924

Clough, Harmon Pvt. 1/cl.

Mr. L. W. Clough, M.D.,
Enosburg Falls,
Vermont.

Dear Sir:

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

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

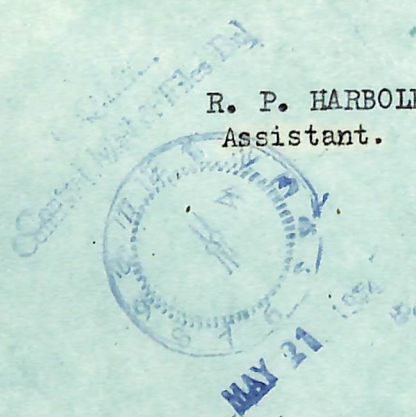
Please be assured that in effecting removal of the dead, the utmost reverential care was exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. For the future, these graves will be perpetually maintained by the Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our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

Very truly yours,

R. P. HARBOLD
Assistant.

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Record card.

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INDEX SHEET

SYNOPSIS

Co C 9th Inf.
2nd Division

CLOUGH, Harman - Pvt. 38536

Killed instantly by machine gun bullet through head. Place of burial unknown. Place of death : south of Soissons, July 18th 1918.

INFORMANT : Young, Clarence G.- Sgt. 38732
Co C 9th Inf.

SIGNED : Gustave B. Appelman,
1st Lieut. 9th Inf.

March 19th 1919.

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G. M. C. Form 221 (Rev. 1918)
Revised July 20, 1918

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293 Clough Harmon, Pvt.

INDEX SHEET

SYNOPSIS

Dec. 30, 1918.

Letter

From Mr. R. T. Deane, c/o Alaska St.

to OAS

Giving details of death of priv. 1st cl. Henry V. Jones -
killed in action July 16th, 1918.

He was shot thru the mouth with a dum-dum bullet while
helping to push a machine gun - above named also killed at same time.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.

293 Jones, Henry V.

INSTRUCTIONS.—Under "Synopsis" make brief entry showing date of communication and from whom received and synopsis sufficient to identify the papers. When these index sheets become numerous under a subject they will be entered on the consolidated index sheet and then destroyed.

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To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Dec. 20, 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 CLOUGH, Harmon
 2. No. 38536
 3. Rank Pvt 1/cl
 4. Org. Co.C 9th Inf.
 5. D.D. 7-18-18
 6. C.D. K.I.A.

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 195 Sec. H
 8. Plot 4 Row _____
 9. _____

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

18. Cemetery Amer.
 20. Dept. or County Aisne
 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. #593

19. Commune or town Ploisy
 21. Country France

23. Disinterred (Date) Dec. 20, 1921

By W.C. Follmer

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name CLOUGH, Harmon
 Rank Pvt. 1/cl

Serial No. _____
 Organization Co.C, 9 Inf.

25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? No. On body? No.

E. Seils
 Signature Junior Technical Assistant

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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).

None.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial U.S. uniform and burlap.

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 Dec. 20, 1921 By WCFollmer

31. Casket sealed by WCFollmer

AUDITED BY
186 3/27/24
Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor

W.C. Follmer

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C - 19356

32. Designation of body:
Name Harmen CLOUGH Serial No. 38536
Rank Pvt 1/cl Organization Co. C 9th Inf.

33. Consigned to:
Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne Amer. Cty. #608 Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Dec. 20, 1921 By WCFollmer

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 J.J. Powers
J.J. Powers, 1st Lt. QMC

36. Remarks None.

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Dec. 20, 1921
To point of Concentration _____ (Name)
Convoyer _____ Signature Shipping Officer _____

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____
By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date Dec. 20, 1921.
To Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles (Aisne)
Convoyer Frank Atwell Signature Shipping Officer H.W. Beyette
Hubert W. Beyette, Capt. QMC

40. Received: Date 21 DEC 1921
G.R.S. Representative G. F. WAUGH

41. Reinterred Aug. 3, 1922 Oise-Aisne Cem. 608, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)
(Date)

42. Grave No. 20, Blk D Section _____

43. Plot _____ Row 36

G.R.S. Representative C.J. Blake
Capt. QMC

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Ploisy (Aisne)

Date Dec. 20, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF CLOUGH, Harmon SERIAL NUMBER 38536
 RANK Pvt. 1/cl. ORGANIZATION Co. C, 9 Inf.

2. Disinterred (date) : Dec. 20, 1921, Gr. 195, Sec. H, Pl. 4, Cem. 593, Ploisy (Aisne)
 From (give complete location):

By : Group 1 Unit P.S.8

3. Reburied (date) Aug. 3, 1922, Gr. 20, Blk. D, Row 36 In (give complete location) :
Gr. 20, Blk. D, Row 36, Seringes-et-Nesles, (Aisne)

By : Group _____ Unit _____ Nature of reburial
Blanket and metallic casket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
Burlap, U. S. uniform. Badly decomposed. Features unrecognizable.

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

(b) Other means of identification found upon disinterment, and general remarks :
None.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Indeterminable

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to estimate

(c) Hair—Color None

Quantity _____

Characteristics _____

(d) Hair on face—Color None

Location _____

Quantity _____

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

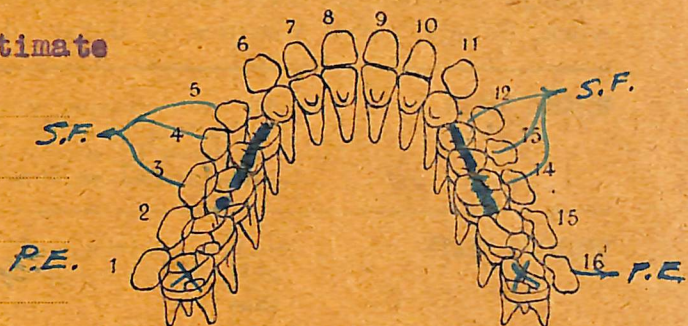
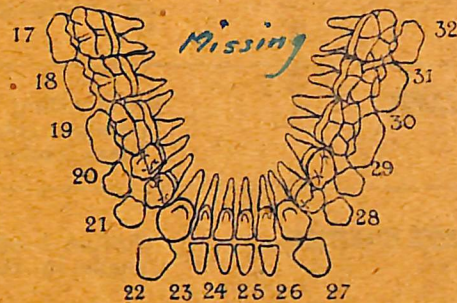


Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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

Left femur fractured. Lower jaw missing.

7. Disinterment supervised by W.C. Hollmer, Sup. Emb.

Erich Dells, Checker.

Approved: J.J. Powers
 (Title) 1st Lt. QMC






8. Reburial supervised by L.D. Hays

Approved: C.J. Blake
 (Title) Capt. QMC

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No".
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No 6.
6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

MISSING TEETH	All teeth missing through previous extraction (not those fractured or displaced by recent wounds) should be scratched out, thus :	
CROWNED TEETH	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold, porcelain, or gold and porcelain), thus :	
BRIDGE WORK	Block in solid the crown of tooth (label gold bridge, gold and porcelain bridge) thus :	
FILLINGS	Draw filling on tooth accurately as possible (block in and label gold, silver, cement), thus :	
CARIES (CAVITIES)	Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus :	
DENTURES (PLATES)	Draw diagram of relative size and shape of plate block in teeth attached and indicate retaining clasps on natural teeth with the word "clasp"	

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

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

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CLOUGH, Harmer Ser. No. 38536

(b) Rank Pvt. 1st cl. Organization Co. C, 9th Infantry

(c) Date of death 7-18-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP vbb

CKR. 923

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

(a) Grave No. 195 Row -- Plot 4 Sec. H TYP. vbb

(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Mary Clough (mother) Enashburg, Vermont

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

CKR. L

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Mrs. M. Clough M.D. (b) Relationship Father

(c) Address Enashburg, Vt.

(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 L. L. G.

Date 10-6-, 1920.

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

-----, dated

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

no correspondence

Examiner's Initials L. L. G.

Date 10-6-, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes HW

Examiner's Initials HW

Date 10-15-, 1920.

COUNTRY

FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 593

SHEET No. 242

Handwritten notes and signatures:
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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

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I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

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CLOUGH, Harmon

38536

(a) Name Ser. No. TYP. vbb
Pvt. 1st cl. Co. C, 9th Infantry
(b) Rank Organization
7-18-18 Cause of death K/A
(c) Date of death death

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

195

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H

vbb

(a) Grave No. Row Plot Sect. TYP.
Mrs. Mary Clough (mother) Enashburg, Vermont
(b) Emerg. Address

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR *T.*

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

a.g.O. Carl.

*W. L. Clough M.D. - father - Enashburg, Vt.
Does not desire retrieval of remains*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on 192
(letter of transmittal on *2/6* 192)

Pax 3

Not to be returned 12-8-20 TB

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. **DEC 30 1920** 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of Relationship Desires Action taken
and Source and name

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. *5-2-21* 192

COUNTRY
G.R.S. FORM 115-A
August , 1920

CEMETERY NO.

SHEET NO.

FRANCE

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MB 12-29-20

3-4-20-21

March 25, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Gen.Div.Cor.Br.
(CLOUGH, Harmon)

Mr. L. W. Clough,
Enosberg, Vermont.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly inform this office at your earliest convenience whether or not the late Harmon Clough, Private First Class, Serial Number 38536, Co. C. 9th Infantry is survived by widow or children, and if so, furnish the name and address of each.

This information is desired in order that the Department may be assured that the proper person to determine the disposition of remains of the late soldier is given an opportunity of expressing his or her wishes.

If the late soldier is not survived by any of the above mentioned relatives, please state whether you desire the body left in France in a permanent American Cemetery, returned to the United States and shipped to you at Government expense, or interred in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Virginia.

The Department desires to convey to you assurance of sympathy in your bereavement.

Your early reply will be greatly appreciated.

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Quartermaster Corps.
Officer in charge.

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By:

J. F. BUTLER,
Captain, Infantry.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
DOVER, N. J.

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, Q.M.G.
TO: Mr. L.W. Clough, Enosburg, Vermont
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. L/c Harmon Clough, Ser. No. 38536 Co. C, 9th Inf.
.....The records of this office show that you have requested that his body
.....remain in France.....

If these are not the correct instructions, please correct them. Make corrections on second page.

The nearest relative may choose between (1) return of the body to any address in the United States; (2) interment in Arlington, Va., or any other National Cemetery; or (3) remain in Europe. All removals are at Government expense.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lt. Col., U.S.A.

If all blank spaces below are not filled out, it will necessitate a return of this paper and a SERIOUS DELAY in the shipment of this body. State in each case WEATHER these relatives are STILL LIVING.

NAME OF	NO. AND STREET	TOWN	STATE
Was soldier married?.....			
Soldier's Widow.....			
Soldier's children (1).....			
(Name oldest first) (2).....			
(3).....			
Father.....			
Mother.....			
Brothers (1).....			
(Name oldest first) (2).....			
(3).....			
Sisters (1).....			
(Name oldest first) (2).....			
(3).....			

Date..... Signature.....
Address..... Relationship.....

Important: - CAREFULLY read instructions before filling out this paper.

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Name Harman, Clough. 38531

Rank Pvt Co. C (Corps) 9th. Inf.
(Regt)

Date of Death UNKNOWN.

Place VIERZM AISNE.

Cause k/a

FILE

Date of Burial

Grave No. 179

AMERICAN. SOISSONS. S. S. E. NO. 33. 287. 1

Cemetery 177.

Identified by bottle.
(Tag)
(Papers)
(Clothing)

List of Effects

35

Field Record Made by [Signature]

GROUP N° 3

Company Prov Unit B C A Registration Service

For additional data use reverse side

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

..... **CLOUGH** **38536** **Harmer**
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

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..... **Pvt 1/c** **Co C** **9th Inf**
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL:

PLACE OF BURIAL:

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

..... **See correspondence - NEMCHICK, John**
39655

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 mark should be given here?

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

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

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G. R. S.

G.R.S. FORM NO. 12

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

FROM : ADJUTANT GENERAL.

TO : C.O., Co. C, 9th Inf.

SUBJECT : Information for burial Register.

1. You are directed to transmit without delay to the Chief, Graves Registration Service, the information indicated on enclosed Grave Location Blank as necessary for the completion of official records.

By Command of General Pershing:

Robert C. Davis
Adjutant General.

Notes:

In case this item is checked, you will note hereon:

Nearest relative of deceased:

Relationship: _____

Address: _____



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WAR DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington.

G.R.S. Form W-A-0
Information request of A.G.O.

Date Oct. 8, 1920

File No. ~~70875~~ 73948
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.

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

- a. Surname Clough ✓
- b. Christian name Harmon
or (Harmon) ✓
- c. Serial Number 38536 ✓
- d. Organization Co. C. 9th Inf. ✓
- e. Rank Pvt. 1/c ✓
- f. Date of death 7/18/18 ✓
- g. Cause of death K/A ✓
- h. Authority (C.C.#) 209
- i. Emergency address Mary Clough
Enochburg, Md.
- j. Relationship mother

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

- a. Age of enlistment
- b. Color of eyes
- c. Color of hair
- d. Height
- e. Weight
- f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

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

8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

lower right lower left

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

CEMETERY NO: 593

BY:

SHEET NO: 241
TYPED BY: GAB

H. J. Conner
H. J. CONNER,
~~Captain, U.S.A.~~
1st. Lieut. Q. M. C.

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