

Listed per soldier's signature 3/13/27

DATE

1. NAME *Jw.* CONNELLY, John R. *fox* SERIAL No. 752734

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co.F, 6th Inf. & DIVISION 5

GRAVE LOCATION St.Mihiel American Cty, Thiaucourt, M-et-M. #1233

205 GRAVE Sec.1 ROW 4 PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 1 GRAVE near Regnieville en Haye M et M COMMUNE DEPT. *Remenauville*

COORDINATES App. 52 NE 236.9 N 365.6 E *C 114*

CONCENTRATED TO 5/2/19 DATE 205 GRAVE Sec. 1 ROW 4 PLOT

St. Mihiel CEMETERY 1233 CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on cross and grave.

DATE OF DEATH *Sept 12 - 1918*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME *Pa*

mr Data F-1

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED *none*

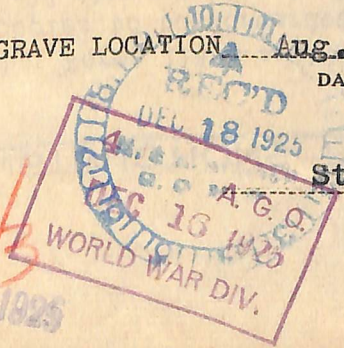
SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR *[Signature]* I. H. JOFFEE, 1st Lieut., QMC.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Aug. 1, 1922 DATE 18 GRAVE 2 Block D ROW PLOT

St.Mihiel American No.1233, Thiaucourt CEMETERY



AUDITED BY

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.

WORLD WAR DIV.
MAR 7 1927
A.G.O.

Co. F., 6th Inf.,
5th Div.

Connelly, John Joseph, -Pvt.-732734.

On the morning of Sept/ 12/18, during St. Mihiel Offensive Pvt. Connelly, Pvt. Lundy and I were lying in a shell hole waiting for the barrage to raise, and he was relating to me his and Pvt. Lundy's experience of capturing two Germans on an outpost. He was in good spirits and anxious to go on. The barrage raised and we started forward and soon realized that we were being fired on by machine guns. We attempted to flank the gun and while so doing Pvt. Connelly was killed. I went to his side and discovered that he had three bullet wounds in the chest, killing him instantly. He was killed about one Kilometer south of Vieville, France.

Informant: Rees, David E. -Sgt.-732751.

Co. F., 6th Inf.

Home : 902 Wilson Ave.,
Youngstown, Ohio.

April 13, 1919.

Signed : Julius T. Knox.

Emergency address:
Mary Connelly,
700 Sheridan Ave.,
Pittsburg, Pa.

G.G.C.

Cleveland, Ohio, June 28, 1919.

Dear Sir:

The soldier's name is Pvt. John J. Connelly, Co. F, 6th U. S. Inf., American E.F.. He is buried by the roadside a short distance northwest of Regineville. Please send information as soon as you can

Sincerely yours,

Miss Margaret Woltman.
1063 E. 69th St.,
Cleveland, Ohio.

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Connelly, John J.
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1 (Connelly, John J.) Enl.
erial Records Section 7th & B.

vgb

1st Ind.

War Dept. A.G.O. July 21, 1919-To the Quartermaster General's Office,
Washington, D. C. (Cemeterial Branch).

For report as to the location of the grave of John J. Connelly, for-
merly Private, Serial No. 732,734, Co. F. 6th Infantry.

By order of the Secretary of War:

W. V. Carter.

Adjutant General

(Synopsis made)



Priv. John J. Connelly # 732734

Co. 7. 6 Inf. died. 9-12-18 - Cem. C-114

Report - Apr. 27th to May 8th
Me A.

2nd Ind.

In answer refer to file No. 295.3 (Connolly, John J. - Cemeterial Office, Quartermaster General, July 31, 1919--- To The Adjutant General's Office, (REFERENCE: 201 Connolly, John J. - Enl. July 21, 1919).

Returned. The records of this office show that the remains of Private John J. Connolly, #732734, Company F, 6th Infantry, who died September 12, 1918, were interred in the Cimetière of Romenauville, Department of Meurthe-et-Moselle.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

H. R. Lemly,
Major, Quartermaster Corps.

FEL.



JUL 31 1919

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Conroy 732731 John J.
.....
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).
Private 1st Lt.
.....
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: *Hospice*

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Shipwreck*

DATE OF BURIAL: *Sept 14 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *Hospice*

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

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2399
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GRAVE NUMBER: *8*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *yes* Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *yes*

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY:
Chapman Berg 3110
.....
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Connolly 732 734 *John J.*
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
Pvt *C. H.* _____
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... *Sept 14 1918*

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

Barracks St. Louis Mangin (Orger)
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GRAVE NUMBER.....

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

IDENTIFICATION TAGS :
Was one buried with body?.....
Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker?.....
If name unknown and tags missing, description and marks should be given here :
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REPORTED BY :
Chaplain Bergs 311 Jaf
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be forwarded to Adj. Gen'l., G. H. Q., A. E. F.

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Connolly 732734 John J.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)
Pvt. Co. H.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... Sept 14, 1918

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

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REPORTED BY :
Chaplain Berg 311 Inf
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be forwarded to Adj. Gen'l., G. H. Q., A. E. F.

Connelly, John J.
Pvt.

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Pennsylvania

GOLD STAR MOTHERS PILGRIMAGE

S.S. PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, JULY 26, 1933

Allegheny County

Name: Mrs. Bridget (John) Connelly (E-17)

Address: 1712 Braddock Ave., Swissvale, Pa.

Route: Pennsylvania R.R. to New York

Lv. Swissvale, Pa. Train No. 6
Ar. New York (Penna. Sta.)

7.34 P.M., July 24
6.30 A.M., July 25

Accommodations: Pullman berth from Swissvale, Pa. to New York, N.Y.

Elapsed Time: 10 hours 56 minutes.

Desires stop-over at Philadelphia, Pa.

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CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	CONNELLY	3	38-4
BURIED	CEMETERY 1233	1	3
	GRAVE 18	2	18
	ROW 2	2	02
	BLOCK 12	1	4
STATE	Pa	2	44
RANK	Pvt	1	2
DIVISION	5	2	05
ORGANIZATION	6	3	006
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARITAL	W	1	2
NAME	CONNELLY	3	38-4
RESIDENCE	STATE Pa	2	44
	COUNTY Allegheny	2	02
	CITY Swissvale	3	275
RELATION	Wife	1	3
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Y	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	NO. 1933	1	
	YR. 1933	1	3
ACCEPTANCE	Yes	1	1

AUDITED

MAR 29 1932

(Signature)

John J. Connelly
C 48661
Enl. 9-8-17.

Mother

Name CONNELLY, Mrs. Bridget (John)

Paris Hôtel HOTEL D' IENA
AVENUE D' IENA

Home address 1712 Braddock Ave., Swissvale, Allegheny Co., Penn.

Party E Group Unit

Date of arrival 8/3/33 SS. ROOSEVELT Date of departure 8/17/33. SS. WASHINGTON

Relationship Stepmother

Name of deceased CONNELLY, John J.

Rank Pvt. Organization

Cemetery ST. MICHEL
Gr. 18 Bl. D 2

REMARKS



PARTY "E".
ST. MIHIEL GROUP.

1. This pilgrim arrived at Le Havre, France, on the SS President Roosevelt at 11:10 AM, August 24. She debarked and went to Paris on the train. On arriving at the Gare Des Invalides, she went to the Hotel d'Iena, where she stayed during her time in Paris.
2. Friday, August 4, the morning was taken up with conferences with the Conducting Officers. She lunched at the hotel and visited Cluny in the afternoon.
3. Saturday, August 5, the morning was free, she lunched at the hotel and in the afternoon attended the ceremony at the Arc de Triomphe and the tea at the Resturant Laurent.
4. Sunday, August 6, she left Paris in the morning, visited Meaux, lunched at Chalons and stayed at Verdun for the night.
5. Monday, August 7, she lunched at the cemetery, visited Montsec and returned to Verdun for the night.
6. Tuesday, August 8, she visited the cemetery, lunched at Nancy, visited Toul and returned to Verdun.
7. Wednesday, August 9, she visited the Trench of Bayonets, lunched at Metz, visited the cemetery, and returned to Verdun.
8. Thursday, August 10, she visited MontBaucou, the M.A.cemetery and lunched at Reims. She spent the night at Soissons.
9. Friday, August 11, she visited the O.A.cemetery, lunched at Chateau Thierry, visited the A.M.cemetery and returned to Paris.
10. Saturday, August 12, she went shopping in the morning, lunched at the hotel and visited Versailles in the afternoon.
11. Sunday, August 13, she went to church in the morning, lunched at the hotel and went on anight sightseeing trip.
12. Monday, August 14, she visited Napoleon's Tomb, lunched at the Bois and visited Sacre Coeur.
13. Tuesday, August 15, she visited the Lafayette Escadrille, lunched at the hotel and visited Notre Dame in the afternoon.
14. Wednesday, August 16, she went to the Louvre, lunched at the hotel and the afternoon was free.
15. Thursday, August 17, she left from the Gare des Invalides for Le Havre. There she embarked on the SS Washington which sailed at 1:15PM.

CONNELLY HOHN (MRS)

**WAR DEPARTMENT
PILGRIMAGE WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS
225 West 34th. St. New York, N. Y.**

Party E.....
Number 557.....

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATIONS.

Connelly, Mrs. Bridget (John).....
Name of Pilgrim
1712 Braddock Ave......
City Home Address County
Swissvale, Pa......
State

Actual cost of
Through Pullman at the
Lower Berth Rate.
New York, to Swissvale, Pa......

Destination of Ticket Swissvale, Pa......
via PENN to Swissvale.....

\$..... 4.50.....

Aug. 25, 1933.....
Date of Departure

Oct. 1, 1933.....
Expiration Date of Ticket

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower Seat or Coach	Car	U.S.G. Order No.	Actual Cost
<i>NOTE</i> Lv. <u>NEW YORK</u>	<u>PRR</u>	<u>207</u>	Aug 25	<u>9.00 AM</u>			<u>W-1029416</u>	
Ar. <u>PHILADELPHIA PA</u>	"	"	Aug 25	<u>10.55 AM</u>	<u>2.10</u>	<u>9.10</u>	<u>9090</u>	<u>75</u>
Lv. <u>PHILADELPHIA PA</u>	"	<u>577</u> <u>623</u>		<u>11.40 PM</u>				
Ar. <u>SWISSVALE PA</u>	"	"		<u>1.39 PM</u>	<u>2</u>		<u>W-1029417</u>	<u>3.75</u>
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Excess Fare New York, to. Cost \$ Total 4.50

Stop Over Philadelphia Pa. N.Y. City.....
THRU CAR PHILA To SWISSVALE PA.....
Through Rate 4.00
Excess —

Connelly, John J. (StM)

Moffatt & Harris' Pilgrimage
Stopovers on Train

Name: Connelly, Mrs. John
Address: 1712 ~~1712~~ Braddock Ave., Swissvale, Pa.
Stopovers desired at: Philadelphia, Pa.

Party: E - 17

Rail

Penn

Excess
None

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Value</u>
New York	Philadelphia, Pa.	P C	.75
Philadelphia, Pa.	Swissvale, Pa.	L B	3.75

Total: 4.50
 Thru Pullman Fare: 4.50
 Excess: None

Amounts shown as "excess" have been collected by the Quartermaster General and remitted to the Finance Officer, Washington, D.C.

PARTY "E"
July 11th, 1933

Mrs. Bridget (John) Connelly
1712 Braddock Ave.
Swissvale, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Upon your arrival in New York City you will be met at the railroad station by an Army Officer who will engage porter service to take care of your baggage and escort you to the hotel. During your sojourn here before sailing for Europe and upon your return from Europe, you will stop at the Hotel Pennsylvania, 33rd Street and 7th Avenue, New York City.

The two tags and four identification pasters accompanying this communication are intended to protect your baggage while in transit. One tag should be attached to the handle of each piece of your baggage and a paster placed on each end of each piece of your baggage before leaving your home. Your baggage will be safer and also more readily available to you after your arrival in New York if it is placed with you on the train.

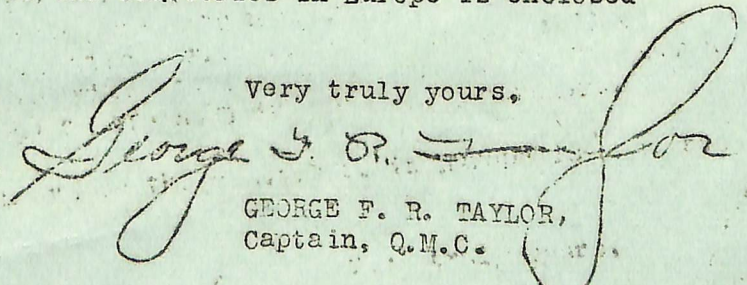
All mail intended to reach you between July 26th, 1933, the day you sail from the United States, and August 17th, 1933, the day you leave Europe, should be addressed to you in care of American Pilgrimage, 20 Rue Molitor, Paris (16), France; for example:

Mrs. Mary Smith,
c/o American Pilgrimage,
20 Rue Molitor,
Paris (16), France.

The party you are to travel with will be disbanded in New York City on the day following your return from Europe and all arrangements for your Pullman accommodations will be made with the railroads in advance by this office. This will require you to remain in New York at the hotel over night as a guest of the United States Government.

Information relative to the cemeteries in Europe is enclosed herewith.

Very truly yours,



GEORGE F. R. TAYLOR,
Captain, Q.M.C.

- 7 Incls.:
2 Baggage Tags
4 Baggage Pastors
1 Copy Cemeterial Information

THE PULLMAN COMPANY

OFFICE 9-143

FORM 100-5

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.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.

NEW YORK, N. Y.

To

Accommodations 9 Car 14

Line No. Via R. R.

4645

1 2 3
Persons

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

Mrs. Connelly
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PILGRIMAGE OF WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS

GENERAL RELEASE

File E 557

Mrs. Bridget Connelly
Swinsboro, Pa

Released in New York.

To Mr. Mike Bridge
Bronx N York

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RECEIVED RAILROAD AND PULLMAN TICKET

830 P.M. 8/24

+ Bridge et Connelly
+

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PARTY E FILE NO.

NAME Connelly, Mrs. Bridget (John)
1712 Braddock Avenue
Swissvale, Pa.

ROUTE OF TICKET

PRR

Swissvale

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Expiration date Oct. 1, 33

The following stop overs are requested.

Philadelphia, Pa.

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(Signature of Pilgrim)

IN CABIN WITH

Mrs. Frank L. Metzker C-132-A MA

Mrs. Margaret Adeline Asplund C-132-E MA

Mrs. Jessie M. Southall C-132-H MA

NAME **MRS. BRIDGET (JOHN) CONNELLY** E

ADDRESS **1712 Braddock Ave., Swissvale, Pa.**

DATE *Sept-9-1933*

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.

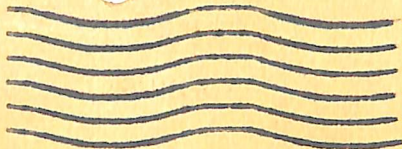
Sincerely,

(Signed)

Mrs. Bridget Connelly

WAR DEPARTMENT

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



OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

PARTY

EASTBOUND

GROUP

E-17

STATE

ST.M.

SM - 56

PENNSYLVANIA

Mrs. **Connelly, Bridget (John)** Address **1712 Braddock Ave.** **Swissvale**
 (Name of Pilgrim) (Street & No.) (City or Town)
Pa. **Allegheny**
 (State) (County)

Mrs. Anna Carr - Cousin Address **1712 Braddock Ave.** **Swissvale**
 (Name of Nearest Kin) (Street & No.) (City or Town)
Pennsylvania **Allegheny**
 (State) (County)

ARRIVAL NEW YORK

VIA. R.R. **Pennsylvania** Train No. **6** Date **6:30 A.M. July 25, 1933**
 Hotel **Pennsylvania** Room No. **1010-A**
 Roomed with **Mrs. Margaret Adeline Asplund**

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

Date **July 26, 1933** Vessel **President Roosevelt** Cabin No. **C-132-C**
 In Cabin with **Mrs. Frank L. Metzker C-132-A, Mrs. Margaret Adeline Asplund C-132-E**
Mrs. Jessie M. Southall C-132-H (Over Westbound)

WESTBOUND

ARRIVAL NEW YORK

9-38-1 at sea

Date Aug. 24, 1933 Vessel Washington Cabin No. ~~A-66-5~~

In Cabin with ~~Mrs. Jessie M. Southall A-66-1~~ *Mrs. Margaret A. Asplund 9-38-3*

Hotel Pennsylvania Room No. 906-A

Roomed with Mrs. Margaret Adeline Asplund

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

New York City Stop Over

VIA. R.R. Train No. Space Car No. Date

REMARKS

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(Over Eastbound)

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MEDICAL RECORD

Party: *E-17* Hotel *Roosevelt* *Eastbound*
S. S. *WASHINGTON* *Westbound*

Name *Connelly, Mrs. Bridget, John*

Home Address *1712 Braddock Avenue, Swissvale, Pa.*


Name and address of nearest relative or friend *Mrs. Anna Carr (Cousin)*

..... *1712 Braddock Ave., Swissvale, Pa.*

Religion Age *SM*

History of present complaint:

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

Diagnosis and complications: (include  *s)*

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks:

Party **E**

MEDICAL RECORD

St. M. Cmty

Nurse

Station :

Date :

Name ~~Parson~~, Connelly, Mrs. Bridget (John)

Home address 1712 Braddock Av., Seissvale, Allegheny Co., PENN.

Address of Nearest friend or relative

Religion

Age

History of Present complaint :

(over)

INSTRUCTIONS. — This card will be started in all cases of Pilgrims requiring medical attention by the Medical Officer or Nurse first rendering such attention. Subsequently it will be carried by the nurse in attendance upon the group to which the Pilgrim is assigned. All Medical Officers rendering any assistance in the case will make an appropriate entry which will include date, time and signature. Upon final disposition of the case the Nurse in charge will deliver the card to the Office of the Chief Surgeon. Pilgrims sent to the American Hospital will be accompanied by this card properly completed, which will be authority for admission, in which case a duplicate card will be made and sent without delay to the office of the Chief Surgeon.

Diagnosis and complications : (include ⁷ dates)

Treatment and Progress : (include dates)

Disposition : (include dates) Aug. 17. To Lettice. Filly.

Remarks : no medication.

Pres. Roosevelt

7-26-33

StM

Pvt. John J. Connelly

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

..... Mrs. Bridget Connelly

Name

~~1945 Mountray Road, Pittsburg, Allegheny Co., Pa.~~
.....

Town or City

State,

1714 BRADDOCK, AVE. SWISSVALE
Pa,



★
RECEIVED

JAN 17 1933

M. & R. DIV.
O. Q. M. G.

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Connelly, John Jr.

RETURN RECEIPT

Post July 26

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

John B. Connelly

(Signature or name of addressee)

John B. Connelly

(Signature of addressee's agent)

2/10
Date of delivery _____, 19*53*

Form 3811

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

e 5-6116

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 927799

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____



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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to _____ **Q. M. GENERAL** _____
(NAME OF SENDER)

*Street and Number,
or Post Office Box,* _____ **MUNITIONS BUILDING** _____
WASHINGTON,

D. C.

1011

RETURN RECEIPT

26

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

Post July

(Signature or name of addressee.)

Robert Donnelly

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

July 26

Date of delivery, -----, 19

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 122

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____



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

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Return to _____

Street and Number, }
or Post Office Box, }

Q. M. GENERAL
(NAME OF SENDER)

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON

D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Connelly, John J. (STM)

July 10, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connelly,
1712 Braddock Ave.,
Swissvale, Penna.

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. Swissvale	PennaRR	Train #6	7:34 PM	July 24
Ar. New York	"	" "	6:30 AM	July 25

Accommodations: Pullman berth from Swissvale to New York.

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

QM 293 A-M

Connolly, John J.

July 5, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
1712 Braddock Ave.,
Swissvale, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed Check No. ^{295,112} in the
amount of \$ ^{3.75}, 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, as amended.

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,

Encl:
Check No.

JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Col., Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

QM 293 AM

Connelly, John J. StM

July 5, 1933.

Mrs. Bridget Connelly,
717 Braddeock Ave.,
Swisstable, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 26th, relative to your passport to be used for your pilgrimage to the St. Mihiel American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the SS President Roosevelt, July 26, 1933.

Please be advised that this matter has been taken up with the Department of State, and your passport will be delivered to you aboard the ship. It is regretted that you have been put to any inconvenience in this matter.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
OFFICE OF THE CLERK
WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA
PITTSBURGH, PA.

June 26, 1933.

War Department,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

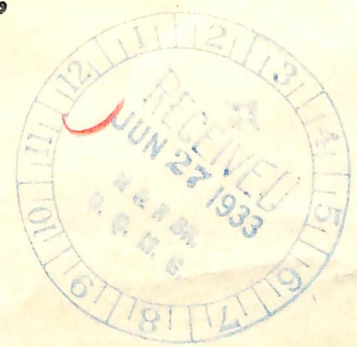
I should like very much to take the trip to my stepson's grave, but the Department of State has refused my application which was made Feb. 1, 1933, for the reason that I cannot furnish my husband's naturalization certificate.

I am writing the Department of State, today, giving all the information available, but if that is not satisfactory I shall have to abandon the trip.

Respectfully,

Arvogeteonly

717 Braddock Ave.,
Swissvale, Penna.



filed in OK.

293 Crumley Jones

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

June 12, 1933.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (StM)

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
1712 Braddock Avenue,
Swissvale, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Immediately following receipt of your acceptance of the invitation to make a pilgrimage to Europe, sailing July 26, 1933, a letter containing detailed information of importance was mailed to you. In this letter you were told how to proceed to obtain a passport which you must have before you can visit Europe. Your passport has not yet been received in this office.

If it is your intention to make the pilgrimage, you should go at once to the Clerk of the United States District Court in Philadelphia, taking with you:

1. Four (4) photographs of yourself on thin paper (unmounted) not more than 3 x 3 inches or less than $2\frac{1}{2}$ x $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches in size;
2. Your invitation and any evidence of citizenship you may have;
3. Someone who has known you at least two years to identify you.

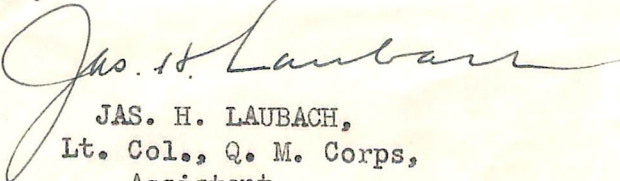
The Clerk will help you fill out the application and He will forward it to the proper office. The passport will be delivered to you aboard ship. No charge will be made for the application or the passport.

If you have changed your mind and do not intend to make the trip please so inform this office at once. It is necessary to know at this time whether or not you intend to make the pilgrimage in order that reservations and other arrangements may be made for you.

It is requested you advise whether you are making application for passport or whether you have decided not to make the pilgrimage. A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Col., Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Encl.
Env.

QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (StM)

June 12, 1933.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.
Env.
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JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Col., Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

PLEASE FILL IN THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR BELOW,
AND MAIL THIS LETTER PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED
ENVELOPE WHICH REQUIRES NO POSTAGE.

Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Connelly, John J. (StM)
Connelly, Mrs. John
1714 Braddock Ave.,
Swissvale, Allegheny Co. Pa.
PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT July 26th

Sir:

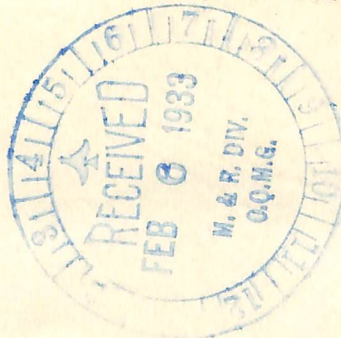
In the blank space below you will find the name,
address, and relationship to me, of the person in the United
States whom I desire to be notified in case I become
seriously ill or other emergency arises while I am making
the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by the Act of Congress
approved March 2, 1929.

Mrs. Anna Carr
Name

1712 Braddock Ave, Swissvale Pa.
Address

Cousin
Relationship

Very truly yours,



Mrs. Bridget Connelly
Your name

1712 Braddock Ave
Swissvale Pa.
Your address

QM 293 AM
Connolly, John J. (St M)

February 15, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
1712 Braddock Avenue,
Swissvale, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your request for a stopover at Philadelphia, Pa. on your return from a pilgrimage to the St. Mihiel American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, July 26, 1933.

Arrangements for this stopover will be made accordingly. This will involve no additional cost to you other than expenses incurred during your visit at Philadelphia which, of course, must be paid from your personal funds.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

LM

Connelly, John J. (STM)

Mothers' & Widows' Pilgrimage
Stopovers on return

Name: **Connelly, Mrs. John**
1712
Address: ~~1712~~ **Braddock Ave., Swissvale, Pa.**
Stopovers desired at: **Philadelphia, Pa.**

Party: **B**

Rail

Excess

None

Pullman

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Value</u>
New York	Philadelphia, Pa.	P C	.75
Philadelphia, Pa.	Swissvale, Pa.	L B	3.75

Total: 4.50
 Thru Pullman Fare: 4.50
 Excess: None

Amounts shown as "excess" have been collected by the Quartermaster General and remitted to the Finance Officer, Washington, D.C.

IF YOU DESIRE STOPOVER ON YOUR RETURN FROM EUROPE PLEASE READ CAREFULLY THE PARAGRAPH, "STOPOVERS IN THE UNITED STATES", ON PAGE 3 OF THE ENCLOSED LETTER OF INSTRUCTIONS, FILL IN THE FORM BELOW AND RETURN IT TO THIS OFFICE.

Connelly, John J. (StM)
Connelly, Mrs. John
1714 Braddock Ave.,
Swissvale, Allegheny Co. Pa.
PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT July 26th

Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Sept 24

On my return from the pilgrimage to American Cemeteries in Europe, I desire to stop over at the point, or points, listed below, for the number of days shown after the name of the town. If these stopovers will cause me any expense I am to be advised of the amount and may then withdraw this request if I so desire.

<u>Cities where I desire to stopover:</u>	<u>No. of days</u>
<u>Philadelphia, Pa.</u>	<u>3 days</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

*Tickets
exp. out 3rd.*

Very truly yours,



Mrs. Bridget Connelly
(Your name)

1712 Braddock Ave
Swissvale Pa
(Your address)

QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (StM)

February 16, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
1712 Braddock Ave.,
% Mrs. Anna Carr,
Swissvale, Penna.

Dear Madam:

In compliance with your request of recent date, you are advised the last known address of Mr. John Connolly, Sr., father of the late Private John J. Connolly, was 2177 Glenbury Ave., Lakewood, Ohio. Mr. Connolly has not been heard from since 1925.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

CHAS. W. DIETZ,
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
Connelly, John J. (StM)

January 30, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connelly,
1712 Braddock Ave.,
% Mrs. Anna Carr,
Swissvale, Penna.

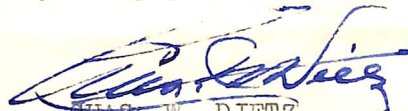
Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 26th, making inquiry as to the last known address in Cleveland of the late Private John J. Connelly.

The records show that at the time of enlistment, Private Connelly gave his residence as 819 East 72nd Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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



Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly forward me the last address of John Connelly Sr. Father of the above to whom checks were forwarded to, and oblige
Mrs. Bridget Connelly

Son. - married 2-18-02

near m deat

Bridget Connelly

1945. mt - Tray Road

A.S. Pittsburgh ^{just} filed claim
for work

Born 6-4-96 Paul and 6-5-17

48661

7.1 dead

last address of

father

John Connelly
not heard of since '25

John J Connelly Dead
Pot - 6th July

bring in tomorrow

John

2177 Glenbury Ave.

Lakewood, Ohio,

W.C. → 31-25

7/2/51

Surrsdale, Pa.
Jan 26th, '33.

Office
The Quartermaster General
Washington, D. C.

QM 293 A-M
Connelly, John J. (S.T.M.)

Dear Sir: -

Will you kindly
inform me of the last
address in Cleveland
of John J. Connelly, and
oblige

Mrs. Bridget Connelly
1712 Braddock Ave.
Surrsdale, Pa.
of Mrs. Anna Carr.



J J Connelly

~~Ed~~

✓ 819 East 72 St.
Cleveland, O -

(Ed) Margaret Woltman,
1063 East 69 St

Later named
Brother Ed
2 Brothers Tom & Herman

Father not heard of since 1925
believed to be dead -

Pittsburgh, Pa.
May 24th, 1932.

War Department
A. D. Hughes, Cpt., Q.M. Corps, Asst.
Office of the Quartermaster General
Washington, D. C.

My dear Captain Hughes:-

I wish to acknowledge with thanks receipt of your letter of May 7th and am pleased to say that I have decided to take the trip overseas to visit my stepson's grave, the late Private John J. Connelly, next year (1933).

As mentioned in my letter of May 3rd, I am unable to make the trip this year as circumstances make it impossible.

Again thanking you for your very kind offer to me and hoping to hear from you further in regard to trip, I am

Gratefully yours,

Mrs. John Connelly
Mrs. John Connelly.

(1945 Mt. Troy Road,
N.S. Pittsburgh, Pa.)

P.S. Am much obliged for your referring the matter of bonus to Washington for attention.

1233

QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (STM)

May 7, 1932

Mrs. John Connolly,
1945 Mt. Troy Road,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 3rd advising that you are unable to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your stepson, the late Private John J. Connolly, this summer.

It is deeply regretted that you are unable to take advantage of the offer of the Government at this time, and sincerely hoped you will be able to make a pilgrimage at a later date. You will be communicated with again relative to your desire to visit your stepson's grave when pilgrimages are being arranged for 1933, which is the last year for which they are authorized.

All expenses of the trip, 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.

Your inquiry concerning a bonus has been referred to the Director, Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C., for reply, as this is a matter coming within the jurisdiction of that office.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

KK *ETC*

QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (StM)

May 7, 1932

Subject: Bonus.

To: Director, Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C.

1. There is enclosed herewith a copy of a letter received in this office from Mrs. John Connolly, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for attention to so much thereof as pertains to your department.

2. Mrs. Connolly has been advised of this reference.

For The Quartermaster General.

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

Enclosure:
Cp. Lt. 5/3/32.

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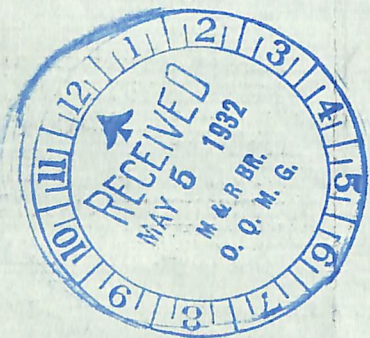
ETX

February 18, 1902.

Appreciating anything
you may be able to do
for me & awaiting your
kind answer in this
respect, I am

Obligingly yours,
Mrs. John Connelly

1945 Mt. Troy Road.



1233 Connelly
John

Pittsburgh, Penna.
May 3rd, 1932.

P. E. Shannon, Capt,
2. M. Corps. Asst.
Washington, D. C.

X
213.

Dear Capt Shannon:-

I wish to acknowledge
with thanks your kind
offer to me for a trip
abroad to the mothers whose
sons served in the World
War, who are buried in
Europe.

1932
I am very sorry to
(over) Paper to V.B.

SM
OK
PB

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Husband received prior to his death. Any thing that could be done in this respect would certainly help me out greatly, as I am a poor woman who is very much in need of it.

I know my husband received money after the death of my son, that is my step-son, whom I cared for since he was about seven years of age & gave him the care of a mother.

In reference to the request as to when I married his father, I wish to say
(cont'd)

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say that my financial circumstances will not permit me to do so, even though the expense of the trip would be taken care of by the government, as I am a poor widow woman, who must make her living doing housework at a mere small wage, practically for room & board.

However, I was just wondering if I would not be entitled to the money, that is the bonus, my

QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (StM)

April 28, 1932

Mrs. John Connolly,
1945 Mountroy Road,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

This office is making an earnest endeavor to communicate with all women who may be eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

Therefore, in order that your eligibility to visit the grave of the late Private John J. Connolly may be determined, it is requested that you advise the date of your marriage to his father.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:
Envelope.

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The Prudential

Insurance Co. of America
Home Office, Newark, N.J.



IN RE DM 793A-M

OFFICE OF COMPANY AT Braddock, Pa

April 23 1932

*Mr. A. D. Hughes
Captain in U. S. Corps
Dear Sir.*

*In reply to your letter
of Mar 30 I just located my
step mother to day and you
can write to her at
1945 Mountroy Road
Pittsburgh, Pa.*

*Very Truly Yours
T J Connelly*

See letter



QM 293 A-M
Connelly, John J. (StM)

March 30, 1932

Mr. T. J. Connolly,
Box #295,
Braddock, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sir:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and accurate, it will be appreciated if you will advise the correct address of Mrs. John Connolly, stepmother of the late Private John J. Connolly. 0

Correspondence forwarded Mrs. Connolly at 5448 ^{North} ~~West~~ Humberland Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, has been returned unclaimed. ✓

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:
Envelope.

KK *et*

Row 600-95
end 9-8-17

~~XC 48 661~~ Connelly, John J.

1233

single

Mother dead

Step-Mother - Bridget Connelly, 5448 N. Humberland Ave.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

get an active address

Bro - ins (can give S-M. active address)
T. A. Connelly
Box 295 - Bradock - Pa

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

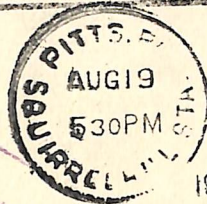
WASHINGTON D. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID

PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$300

TO
STREET AND
NUMBER



REASON

Unclaimed

Returned

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No such post office

Address unknown

Address refused

State named

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Connelly, John J. - 1233

*Priv 607 62nd
732734 - Serial*

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
5448 N. Humberland Ave.,
Pittsburgh, Penna.

August 14, 1930

*Latest add same
9-9-30*

Dear Madam:

According to our records this office has received no reply from you in response to our letter of June 12, 1930 which read as follows:

"Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, enabling the mothers and widows of the members of the military and naval forces of the United States now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries.

"The records of this office indicate that you were the stepmother of the late Private John J. Connolly and in order to determine your eligibility under the Act to make the pilgrimage to his grave it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

- (1) Date of your marriage to the father of Private Connolly.
- (2) Were you married to Mr. Connolly at the time his son entered the military service?
- (3) Were you married to Mr. Connolly at the time of his son's death?
- (4) If not, give date of your separation from him.
- (5) If Mr. Connolly is deceased, give date of his death.

In order that there may be the least possible delay in obtaining the above requested information you are invited to use for your reply the enclosed Government envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

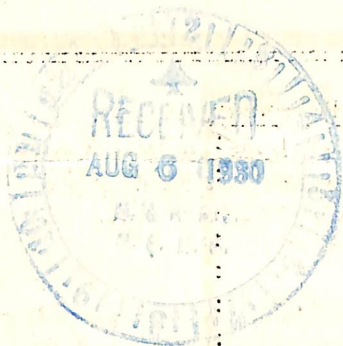
R. E. Shannon
R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

2 Encls.
Act.
Env.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535



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QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. - 1233

June 12, 1930.

Mrs. John Connolly,
5448 N. Humberland Ave.,
Pittsburgh, Penna.

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- (5) If Mr. Connolly is deceased, give date of his death.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

2 Encls.
Act.
Env.

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

QM 293 A-C
Connolly, John J.

August 2, 1929.

Mr. T. A. Connolly,
Box 295,
Braddock, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 23, 1929, wherein you give the address of your stepmother, Mrs. John Connolly, 5448 N. Humboldt Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

As the records of this office do not show that Private Connolly had a stepmother at the time of his death or enlistment in the service, it will be appreciated if you will please forward information as to the date of the remarriage of Private Connolly's father in order to complete the records of this office.

As the matter of compensation is one which is handled by the United States Veterans Bureau, Washington, D. C., your letter has been referred to that office for necessary information to so much thereof as pertains to compensation of the late Private John J. Connolly.

All personal effects belonging to deceased soldiers have been transmitted to the General Accounting Office. Your letter has, therefore, been sent to that office for necessary attention to so much thereof as pertains to personal effects of your brother.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
CONNELLY, John J.

July 30th, 1929

1233
5/28/29

The Director,
United States Veterans Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

The enclosed copy of a letter from Mr. T. J. Connelly is referred to your office for necessary attention of so much thereof as pertains to compensation due in the case of the late John J. Connelly.

Mr. Connelly has been advised of this reference.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

BSM/GR

1 Enclosure

Copy of letter

QM 293 A-C
CONNELLY, John J.

1233
5/18/29

July 30th, 1929

Claims Division,
General Accounting Office,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

The enclosed copy of a letter from Mr. T. J. Connelly is referred to your office for necessary attention to so much thereof as pertains to personal effects of the late Private John J. Connelly, Company "F", 6th Infantry.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

AM/GR
1 Enclosure:
Copy of letter

Counnelly J. V. J.

June

1929

War Department.

Office of the Quartermaster General.

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of May 28, 1929 I am sending you the address of my step-mother Mrs John Counnelly 5448 N. Humblerland ave Pittsburgh, Pa.

Also I have not heard from my Father John Counnelly for over four years and I have been wondering if he is still getting his compensation check if not when he stoped getting it. Also about a year ago you wrote me stating that you had some things belonging to my Brother Private John J. Counnelly. Did my Father claim them if not what became of them.

Very Truly Yours
over#1233
5-28-29



Bradford

Box 295

T. J. Connelly

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Connolly, John J

May 28 , 1929.

Mr. Thomas J. Connolly,
2337 Woodstock Ave.,
Swissvale, Penna.

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 brother of the late Private John J. Connolly, Co. F, 6th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Connolly, John J. S.N. 732734
Pvt., Co. F, 6th Inf.
Son

October 19, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
1712 Braddock Ave.,
Swissvale, Pa.

Dear Madam:

In compliance with your recent request,
instructions have been issued to forward you a
flag in honor of the above named decedent, pro-
vided a flag has not previously been furnished
for him.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Colonel, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

Copy to Commanding Officer, Washington, Q. M. Depot.
With instructions to furnish a flag.

EM/vd

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1933 OCT-19 - PM 2:28

OQMG M&R BR

American Gold Star Mothers

OF THE WORLD WAR, INC.
NEW YORK STATE



Headquarters: Pennsylvania Hotel, Seventh Avenue and 33rd Street, New York City

Quarter Master General
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have been informed that I am entitled to an American flag from the Government in memory of

my beloved Son SON OR DAUGHTER Name of Deceased John J. Connelly

Address of Deceased

Army, Navy, Marine 6th Infantry Division 5.
RANK REGIMENT COMPANY

Stationed at France

Lost at Sea Among the Missing Or Unknown

Place and Date of Death Born M. Keesport, Penna. France - Sept 12 - 1918

Where Buried St. Michael's Cemetery - France

Name of Mother Mrs Bridget Connelly

Address 1712 Brodbeck Ave, Swissvale, Pa.
NUMBER STREET CITY STATE

I will be very grateful if same will be forwarded to me.

Respectfully yours,

Mrs Bridget Connelly

American Gold Star Certificate

OF THE WORLD WAR, INC.
NEW YORK STATE



Headquarters: Transylvania Hotel, Second Avenue and 33rd Street, New York City

Quarter Master General
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have been informed that I am entitled to an American flag from the Government in memory of

my beloved John J. Connelly Name of Deceased

Address of Deceased St. Vincent's Hospital

Army, Navy, Marine Service Stationed at

Lost at Sea Among the Missing Or Unknown

Place and Date of Death St. Vincent's Hospital, New York City, N.Y., August 1918

Where Bred St. Michael's Cemetery - France

Name of Mother John J. Connelly

Address 1112 13th Street, N.W., Wash. D.C.

I will be very grateful if same will be forwarded to me.



Respectfully yours,

John J. Connelly

QM 293 AM
Connelly, John J. StM

July 5, 1933.

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
717 Braddock Ave.,
Swissvale, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 26th,
relative to your passport to be used for your pilgrimage to the
St. Mihiel American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York
on the SS President Roosevelt, July 26, 1933.

Please be advised that this matter has been taken up
with the Department of State, and your passport will be delivered
to you aboard the ship. It is regretted that you have been put to
any inconvenience in this matter.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

0500

1933 JUL - 5 - PM 3:03

QQMG M & R BR

June 12, 1933.

QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (STM)

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
1212 Braddock Avenue,
Swissvale, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Immediately following receipt of your acceptance of the invitation to make a pilgrimage to Europe, sailing July 26, 1933, a letter containing detailed information of importance was mailed to you. In this letter you were told how to proceed to obtain a passport which you must have before you can visit Europe. Your passport has not yet been received in this office.

If it is your intention to make the pilgrimage, you should go at once to the Clerk of the United States District Court in Philadelphia, taking with you:

1. Four (4) photographs of yourself on thin paper (unmounted) not more than 3 x 3 inches or less than $2\frac{1}{2}$ x $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches in size;
2. Your invitation and any evidence of citizenship you may have;
3. Someone who has known you at least two years to identify you.

The Clerk will help you fill out the application and He will forward it to the proper office. The passport will be delivered to you aboard ship. No charge will be made for the application or the passport.

If you have changed your mind and do not intend to make the trip please so inform this office at once. It is necessary to know at this time whether or not you intend to make the pilgrimage in order that reservations and other arrangements may be made for you.

It is requested you advise whether you are making application for passport or whether you have decided not to make the pilgrimage. A self-addressed envelope which requires no postage is enclosed for your convenience in replying.

The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.
Env.
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JAS. H. LAUBACH,
Lt. Col., Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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1933 JUN - 13 11:30 AM

OQMG M&RP BR

QM 293 A-M
Connelly, John J. (StM)

February 16, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connelly,
1712 Braddock Ave.,
% Mrs. Anna Carr,
Swissvale, Penna.

Dear Madam:

In compliance with your request of recent date, you are advised the last known address of Mr. John Connelly, Sr., father of the late Private John J. Connelly, was 2177 Glenbury Ave., Lakewood, Ohio. Mr. Connelly has not been heard from since 1925.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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1933 FEB -17 - PM 12:10

OQMG M & R BR

QM 293 AM
Connolly, John J. (St M)

February 15, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connolly,
1712 Braddock Avenue,
Swissvale, Pa.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your request for a stopover at Philadelphia, Pa. on your return from a pilgrimage to the St. Michael American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, July 26, 1933.

Arrangements for this stopover will be made accordingly. This will involve no additional cost to you other than expenses incurred during your visit at Philadelphia which, of course, must be paid from your personal funds.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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1933 FEB - 15 - PM 4:18

OQMG M&R BR

QM 293 A-M
Connelly, John J. (StM)

January 30, 1933

Mrs. Bridget Connelly,
1712 Braddock Ave.,
% Mrs. Anna Carr,
Swissvale, Penna.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 26th, making inquiry as to the last known address in Cleveland of the late Private John J. Connelly.

The records show that at the time of enlistment, Private Connelly gave his residence as 819 East 72nd Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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1933 JAN - 31 - PM 3:09
CQMG M&R BR



QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (StM)

May 7, 1932

Mrs. John Connolly,
1945 Mt. Troy Road,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 3rd advising that you are unable to make a pilgrimage to the grave of your stepson, the late Private John J. Connolly, this summer.

It is deeply regretted that you are unable to take advantage of the offer of the Government at this time, and sincerely hoped you will be able to make a pilgrimage at a later date. You will be communicated with again relative to your desire to visit your stepson's grave when pilgrimages are being arranged for 1933, which is the last year for which they are authorized.

All expenses of the trip, 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.

Your inquiry concerning a bonus has been referred to the Director, Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C., for reply, as this is a matter coming within the jurisdiction of that office.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (StM)

May 7, 1932

Subject: Bonus.

To: Director, Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C.

1. There is enclosed herewith a copy of a letter received in this office from Mrs. John Connolly, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for attention to so much thereof as pertains to your department.

2. Mrs. Connolly has been advised of this reference.

For The Quartermaster General.

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

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Enclosure:
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QM 293 A-M
Connolly, John J. (StM)

April 28, 1932

Mrs. John Connolly,
1945 Mountrouy Road,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Dear Madam:

This office is making an earnest endeavor to communicate with all women who may be eligible to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

Therefore, in order that your eligibility to visit the grave of the late Private John J. Connolly may be determined, it is requested that you advise the date of your marriage to his father.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosure:
Envelope.

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, John J. (StM)

March 30, 1932

Mr. T. J. Connelly,
Box #295,
Braddock, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sir:

In order that the records of this office may be complete and accurate, it will be appreciated if you will advise the correct address of Mrs. John Connelly, stepmother of the late Private John J. Connelly.

Correspondence forwarded Mrs. Connelly at 5448 ^{North}~~West~~ Humberland Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, has been returned unclaimed.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosures
Envelope.

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, John J. - 1233

August 14, 1930

Mrs. Bridget Connelly,
5448 N. Humberland Ave.,
Pittsburgh, Penna.

Dear Madam:

According to our records this office has received no reply from you in response to our letter of June 12, 1930 which read as follows:

"Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, enabling the mothers and widows of the members of the military and naval forces of the United States now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries.

"The records of this office indicate that you were the stepmother of the late Private John J. Connelly and in order to determine your eligibility under the Act to make the pilgrimage to his grave it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

- (1) Date of your marriage to the father of Private Connelly.
- (2) Were you married to Mr. Connelly at the time his son entered the military service?
- (3) Were you married to Mr. Connelly at the time of his son's death?
- (4) If not, give date of your separation from him.
- (5) If Mr. Connelly is deceased, give date of his death.

In order that there may be the least possible delay in obtaining the above requested information you are invited to use for your reply the enclosed Government envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 295 A-G
Connolly, John J.

August 2, 1929.

Mr. T. A. Connolly,
Box 295,
Braddock, Pa.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 23, 1929, wherein you give the address of your stepmother, Mrs. John Connolly, 5448 N. Rumberland Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

As the records of this office do not show that Private Connolly had a stepmother at the time of his death or enlistment in the service, it will be appreciated if you will please forward information as to the date of the remarriage of Private Connolly's father in order to complete the records of this office.

As the matter of compensation is one which is handled by the United States Veterans Bureau, Washington, D. C., your letter has been referred to that office for necessary information to so much thereof as pertains to compensation of the late Private John J. Connolly.

All personal effects belonging to deceased soldiers have been transmitted to the General Accounting Office. Your letter has, therefore, been sent to that office for necessary attention to so much thereof as pertains to personal effects of your brother.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 298 A-C
CONNELLY, John J.

July 30th, 1929

Claims Division,
General Accounting Office,
Washington, D. C.

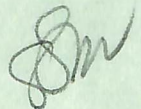
Gentlemen:

The enclosed copy of a letter from Mr. T. J. Connelly
is referred to your office for necessary attention to so much
thereof as pertains to personal effects of the late Private
John J. Connelly, Company "F", 8th Infantry.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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



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Copy of letter

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DIVISION OF
GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D. C.

QM 293 A-C
CONNELLY, John J.

July 30th, 1929

The Director,
United States Veterans Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

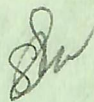
Dear Sir:

The enclosed copy of a letter from Mr. T. J. Connelly is referred to your office for necessary attention of so much thereof as pertains to compensation due in the case of the late John J. Connelly.

Mr. Connelly has been advised of this reference.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,



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

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, John J. - 1233

June 12, 1930.

Mrs. John Connelly,
5448 N. Humberland Ave.,
Pittsburgh, Penna.

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929, enabling the mothers and widows of the members of the military and naval forces of the United States now interred in the cemeteries of Europe to make a pilgrimage to these cemeteries.

The records of this office indicate that you were the stepmother of the late Private John J. Connelly and in order to determine your eligibility under the Act to make the pilgrimage to his grave it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

- (1) Date of your marriage to the father of Private Connelly.
- (2) Were you married to Mr. Connelly at the time his son entered the military service?
- (3) Were you married to Mr. Connelly at the time of his son's death?
- (4) If not, give date of your separation from him.
- (5) If Mr. Connelly is deceased, give date of his death.

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-C
Connolly, John J

May 28, 1929.

Mr. Thomas J. Connolly,
2337 Woodstock Ave.,
Swissvale, Penna.

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 brother of the late Private John J. Connolly, Co. F, 6th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Mourthe-et-Moselle, 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.

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

Connelly

(Surname.)

John J

(Christian name in full.)

732,734

(Army serial number)

Pvt.

Co. F, 6th Inf.

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased.

Brother

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)

Thos J. Connelly

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

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12-2-21
1233-689

Mr. Thomas J. Connelly

707 Talbot Ave

Braddock, Pa.

12-2-21
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CONNELLY, John J., Pvt.

March 14, 1924

Mr. Thomas J. Connelly,
2337 Woodstock Ave.,
Swissvale, Penna.

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,

1- Incl.
Record card.

Assistant.

R. L. POSTER



GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF GRAVE OF

221
Connelly 732 734 John J.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Priv. Co. H. Inf.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL.....

PLACE OF BURIAL.....

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

Isolated

Map 52 N. C.

Points 236.40 N, 266.20 E.

FILE

GRAVE NUMBER 9.....

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?.....

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

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

GROUP N° 1
Unit 301 G. R. S.

REVIEWED
ESP

8 OCT 1941

REPORTED BY:

Sgt. W. J. Durison
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

This portion to be forwarded to Adj. Gen'l, G. H. Q., A. E. F.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #22691

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CONNELLY, John Ser. No. 732734
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F, 6th Inf. TYP. evs.
(c) Date of death 9/12/18 (d) Cause of death k/a CKR. B.I.

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

(a) Grave No. 205 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 1 TYP. evs.
(b) Emerg. Address Mr. Thomas Connelly (Brother) 707 Talbot Ave., Braddock, Penna. (over)

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

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Thomas J. Connelly (b) Relationship Brother
(c) Address Braddock Pa. 707 Talbot Ave. Braddock Pa.
(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 MH Date 2-2-21, 1920.

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

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

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials MH Date 2-2-21, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to?

Examiner's Initials MH Date 2-2-21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE

CEMETERY No. 1233

SHEET No. 689

MAR 12 1921

CARDED

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 1920

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

RECEIVED BY
MAIL UNIT

JUN 9 1921

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by

cable on _____

letter on _____

1920
Cemetery Division

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1920
Cremation Project Sub-Station

Par. 2 Not to be returned.

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IX.

CORRECTIONS

CHANGE OF ADVICE.

ACTION TAKEN.

Desires body be _____

Body to be shipped to _____

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

B.C.W.R.

*Mr. Simon J. Connelly (brother)
25 N. Columbus St., Massillon, Ohio.*

(3.9.21) cl

*4/18/21 (T#120) Thomas J. Connelly
Brother 2337 Woodstock Ave, Swissvale
Pa. requests that the body remain
in Europe. (father nk John Connelly
Ohio) 4/5/21 cms*

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Aug. 1, 1922.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

jw.

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name CONNELLY, John F.

10. Name _____

2. No. 732734

11. No. _____

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank _____

4. Org. Co.F, 6th Inf.

13. Org. _____

5. D.D. 9/12/18

14. (a) D.D. _____

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B. None

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 205 Sec. 1

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____

8. Plot 4 Row _____

16. Plot _____ Row _____

9. _____

17. None

18. Cemetery St.Mihiel American

19. Commune or town Thiaucourt

20. Dept. or County M-et-M.

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. # 1233

23. Disinterred (Date) Aug. 1, 1922

By James McGourty

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name CONNELLY, John F.

Serial No. 732734

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co.F.6th Inf.

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

C.T. Brown
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

C.T. Brown

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).

Gold ring, dark stone set, found on body, placed in envelope and forwarded as effects. No evidence found on body to disprove identity.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden box, burlap and U.S. uniform.

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 Aug. 1, 1922 By James McGour

31. Casket sealed by James McGourty

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

James McGourty
James McGourty

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11-9-23

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-29565

32. Designation of body:

Name John F. CONNELLY Serial No. 752734

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. F, 6th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

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

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Aug. 11 1922 By James McGourty

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., G.M.C.

36. Remarks

None

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Aug. 1, 1922

To point of Concentration

Convoyer _____ (Name) _____
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

To Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel Amer. 1233, Thiaucourt, France.

Convoyer _____ (Name) _____
Signature Shipping Officer *O. E. Davis*
O. E. Davis, 1st Lt., G.M.C.

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred

Aug. 1st. 1922 (Date)

42. Grave No. 18 Section

43. Plot XXIX Bk. D Row 2

G.R.S. Representative *A. E. Dowey*
A. E. Dowey 1st. Lt. G.M.C.

Place Thiaucourt, France.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Aug 1, 1922.

1. REMAINS OF CONNELLY, John F. SERIAL NUMBER 732734
RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. F. 6 Inf.

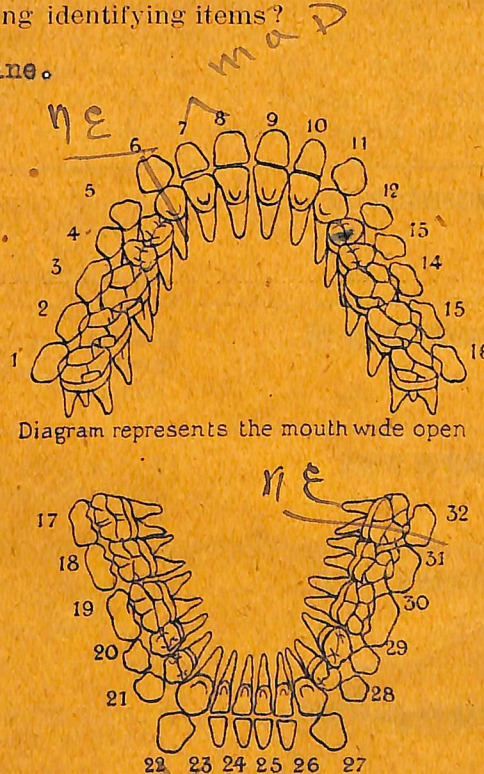
2. Disinterred (date) : Aug 1, 1922. From (give complete location) : Gr 205, Sec 1, Pl 4, Cem 1233.
By : Group 3 Unit 1

3. Reburied (date) Aug. 1st. 1922 In (give complete location) : Gr. 18 Bk. D Row 2
Cem. 1233
By : Group Reburial Unit Casket & shipping case Nature of reburial

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment :
Wooden box burlap and 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 :
Gold ring dark stone set, found on body placed in envelope
and forwarded as effects. NO evidence found on body to disprove
identity.

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items?
(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine.
(b) Weight (estimated) do
(c) Hair—Color do
Quantity do
Characteristics do
(d) Hair on face—Color do
Location do
Quantity do
(e) Permanent marks on body (old scars, peculiarities, or missing parts) None visible.



Missing after death 7,8.
irregular 22,23,
Not erupted 6,32.

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty)
Left humerus fractured.

7. Disinterment supervised by James McGourty Approved : Och...
James McGourty (Title) O.E. Davis, 1st Lt. QMC.

8. Reburial supervised by H. L. Kramer Approved : A. B. Dewey
H. L. Kramer (Title) A. B. Dewey 1st. Lt. QMC

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

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

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

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

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

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

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

File #22691

(a) Name. ^{J.} CONNELLY, John R. Ser. No. 732734

(b) Rank... Pvt. Organization... Co. F. 6th Inf. Cause of

TYP... SVS... B.J.

(c) Date of death 9/12/18 death E/a

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

(a) Grave No. 205 Row Plot 4 Sect 1 TP SVS

(b) Emerg. Address Mr. Thomas Connelly (Brother) 707 Falbot Ave. Braddock, Penna.

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

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

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V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on FEB 18 1921 letter of transmittal on 1921

Par. 2 Not to be returned.

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. MAR 16 1921 1921

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of Relationship and Source and name Desires Action taken

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VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. 6-9- 1921

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

CEMETERY NO.

SHEET NO.

S/656/LML

FRANCE

1253

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MAR 12 1921

PRIORITY: 104

June 7th, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Cem.Div.Cor.Br.

Re: Connelly John J. Pvt. Ser.
No. 732734, Co.F, 6th Inf.

Mr. Thomas J. Connelly,
2337 Woodstock Ave.,
Swissvale, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Your shipping inquiry dated April 18th, 1921, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery has been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

The Cemeterial Division, Washington, D.C., will furnish you the grave location in the permanent American Cemetery as soon as possible after the body has been placed therein.

The Department desires to renew its previous expression of sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

Director's Office
F. C. PALLAS, *Director*
Executive Assistant.

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JUN 7 1921
BY:
COR. BR. C. R. S.

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June 7th, 1921.

File No. 228.8 Gen.Div.Cor.Hx.

Re: Connelly John J. Pvt. Ser.
No. 732734, Co. F, 6th Inf.

Mr. Thomas J. Connelly,
2327 Woodstock Ave.,
Swissvale, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Your shipping inquiry dated April 18th, 1921, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery has been forwarded to the General Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

The General Division, Washington, D.C., will furnish you the grave location in the permanent American Cemetery as soon as possible after the body has been placed therein.

The Department desires to renew its previous expression of sympathy in your bereavement. By authority of the Quartermaster General:

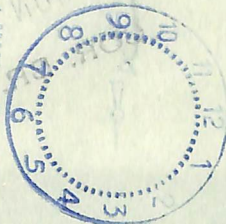
R. R. SHANNON,
Captain, C.M. Corps,
Officer in Charge.

Executive Assistant,
General Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

JUN 9 1921

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JUN 10 1921
S. H. S.
BY:



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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION

WASHINGTON

APR 9 1921

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.
To: Mr. Thomas J. Connelly, 707 Talbot Ave., Braddock, Pa.
SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. John J. Connelly Ser No. 732734 Co. F 6 Inf

2337 Woodstock Ave Swissvale M.M.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named
soldier remain in Europe

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,
Colonel, Q. M. C.

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 WHETHER or not these relatives are STILL LIVING.

Was soldier married? *No.*

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
1			
2			
3			
Father <i>John Connelly</i>			<i>Ohio</i>
Mother			
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <i>Thomas J</i>	<i>2337 Woodstock Ave</i>	<i>Swissvale Pa</i>	
2 <i>Simon J</i>	<i>66 Wayne St</i>	<i>Youngstown Ohio</i>	
3			
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)			
1 <i>Mary</i>			
2			
3			

*noted 4/15/21
C.M.S.*

Date *April 18, 1921*

Signature *Thomas J. Connelly*

Address *2337 Woodstock Ave
Swissvale Pa.*

Relationship *Brother*

April 18, 1921

I, the undersigned, am the Brother and nearest living next of kin of the within-named

soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

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MAIL UNIT
JUN 9 1921

1. ~~As stated on first page of this sheet.~~

2. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to~~

(Name)
Cemeterial Division
Cremation Pro (State)

3. ~~To be returned to the U. S. and buried in~~ National Cemetery.

4. To remain in Europe, for burial in a permanent American Cemetery.

Signature Thomas J. Connelley

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

1. If definite instructions for the disposition of a body are not received from the next of kin within two weeks of its arrival at New York, burial will be made without further notice in the World War Section of Arlington National Cemetery.

2. The transfer of bodies will be made ENTIRELY at Government expense.

3. This paper MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON WHO IS THE NEXT OF KIN IN THE ORDER shown in the square on the other side of this sheet.

4. This paper must be returned showing the name and address of each of the nearest next of kin in the spaces provided therefor on the other side of this sheet.

5. 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.

6. If YOU are not the nearest next of kin, please ask the nearest next of kin, if living near you, to fill out this paper.

7. If YOU are not the nearest living next of kin and do not know who or where the nearest relatives are, please fill out this paper AT ONCE and mail to this office.

8. You are requested to return this paper AT ONCE in order to avoid delay in the case of this body.

9. Use the inclosed envelope—pay no postage.

NOTE.—INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS will be issued by this office upon the properly executed authority of the legal next of kin in each case. The widow is the first person having disposition of the remains of her husband. Should there be no widow or children, the father and, in turn (upon his decease), the mother, is the proper authority. The brothers, in order of seniority, and then the sisters in order of seniority, if there are no brothers, rank next in authority to decide. Under an opinion rendered by the Judge Advocate General of the Army, if a widow has remarried she forfeits her right, and the next of kin as given above will make decision.

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

*Please
rush!*

Harlow C.W.

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Connelly, John J., Pvt.

1233 - 689

2/26/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

732734

Co. F, 6th Inf.

Date of death - 9/12/18.

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WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department

Date 3.10.21 - CL

DATE March 8, 1921.

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Mr. Simon J. Connelly,

Brother

Address

25 N. Columbus St., Massillon, Ohio.

S/709/LML.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Connolly 732734 John J.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. Co. H. U.S.A.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... 22691 14 1918

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

Boise De Loge Manquin
Vasquez

FILE

GRAVE NUMBER.....

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

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

IDENTIFICATION TAGS :

Was one buried with body?.....

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

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

CMME. Maney (M-27 M)
(149) 11T. 52 SE. CO. RD. E 369.1
{ 2239.9

REPORTED BY :
Chaplain Bergs 311 Inf
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

REMAN

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Communal List No. 149-2436
Daily Report No.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Commodore 737931 John J.
.....
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

Private 1st Class 54
.....
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH: *Vosges*

CAUSE OF DEATH: *Shrapnel*

DATE OF BURIAL: *Sept 14 1918*

PLACE OF BURIAL: *Vosges*

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

~~CMME~~

~~(C-) INT. COORD~~

GRAVE NUMBER: *8*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *yes* Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? *yes*

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: *Chaplain Berg*

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

27 SEP 1918

G.H.Q., American E.F.
Adjutant General's Office.

FROM : Adjutant General.
To : Chaplain Bergs
311th Infantry.
SUBJECT : Burial report.

I. Your report of the burial of
Connolly, 732734 John J.
Pvt. Co. H.
requires completion or correction as follows :

You have failed to state

- (a) Disposition of both tags.
- (b) Grave marking.
- (c) Map reference. ~~1/50000~~ Bois de Loge Vosges
369.1
- (d) Commune in which grave is located.
239.9
- (e) Department in which grave is located.
- (f) Soldier's number.
- (g) You have not sent a reliable sketch of the
place of burial, as required by G.O. 30, G.H Q , 1918.

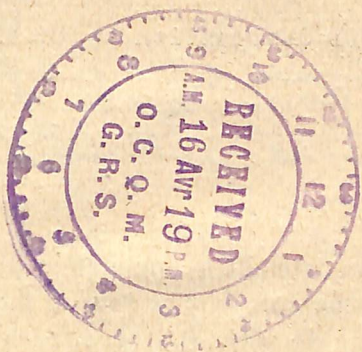
Full designation as to organization.

*Presumably Co. D. Inf. since he was found
near Priv. Sandler on Dr. Michel drive. He
showed no other identification except Inf. Co. H.
U.S. buried near to Sandler*

An immediate completion of your report on reverse
side hereof, will be sent to the Chief, Graves Regis-
tration Service, A.P.O. 717.

By Command of General Pershing :

ROBERT C. DAVIS,
Adjutant General.



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G.H.Q., American E.F.
Adjutant General's Office.

FROM : Adjutant General.

To : Chaplain Berge
311th Infantry.

SUBJECT : Burial report.

I. Your report of the burial of
Connolly, 732734 John J.

Pvt. Co. V.

requires completion or correction as follows :

You have failed to state

- (a) Disposition of both tags.
- (b) Grave marking.
- (c) Map reference. 1/50000
- (d) Commune in which grave is located.
- (e) Department in which grave is located.
- (f) Soldier's number.
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Full designation as to organization.

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By Command of General Pershing :

ROBERT C. DAVIS,
Adjutant General.

G.H.Q., American E.F.
Adjutant General's Office.

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By Command of General Pershing :

ROBERT C. DAVIS,
Adjutant General.

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Connelly John J. #732734

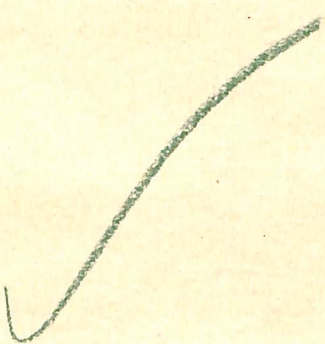
P.H.


Sept. 14th.

Bois de Log Mayigin, Vosges

Chaplain F.J. Bergs
311th Inf.

(Special #8)



FROM:  M. G.
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room 1128

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

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2/4/21.

WAR DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-0

Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 2/4/21.

File No. 22691 Requisition.

From: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, (Ceneterial 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 Connelly ✓
- b. Christian name John F. or (John J.) ✓
- c. Serial Number 732734 ✓
- d. Organization Co. F, 6th Inf. ✓
- e. Rank Pvt. ✓
- f. Date of death 9/12/18. ✓
- g. Cause of death K/A. ✓
- h. Authority (C.O.#)
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship

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

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

BY: *H. J. Conner*

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

CEMETERY NO: 1233

SHEET NO: 689

TYPED BY: I.W.

S/713/LML

Rec'd World War Dept.
Date FEB 5 1921

Rec'd 9 & 8 Div. A.G.O.
FEB 5 1921 6

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Date 26th May 1919

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REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

No card

Remains of:

Name: ^LCONNELLY, John ^F

Number: 732754

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Unkn Co. F 6th. Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group _____ Unit _____

Disinterred (Date) _____ From: (Give complete location) _____
2nd May 1919. B/A Cemetery Grave No 1

REMENAIVILLE, M-et-M 52NE 365.6E 236.9N

Reburied (Date) _____ in: (Give complete location) _____
2nd May 1919 Grave No255Sec 1 Plot 4

1233

St. Mihiel American Cemetery #1233

THIACOURT, M-et-M 52NE 362.05E 241.44N

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

Buried in uniform, body badly decomposed, burial very poor.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

What other means of identification were found on the body? None

CONFIRMED No. D 10406

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as is required by G.O. 170, G.H. 2, 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: Lt. Scott

R. H. ROSENTHAL

2nd Lieut. Q.M.C.U.S.A

RJB.

C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

MEMPHIS

Date 26th May 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: CONNOLLY, John S.

Number: 432734

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Ordn Co. F. 1st Div.

Unit

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

From: (Give complete location)

Disinterred (Date)

2nd May 1919 B/A Cemetery Grave No 1

MEMPHIS, N-ET-M 32ND 383.037 383.037

To: (Give complete location)

Reburied (Date)

2nd May 1919 Grave No 383.037 1st A

St. Michael American Cemetery #1233

MEMPHIS, N-ET-M 32ND 383.037 383.037

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

buried in uniform, body badly decomposed, burial very poor.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? Yes

What other means of identification were found on the body? None



Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Medical Dept direct as is required by G.O. 140, G.H.S. 1918. After being carefully examined for signs of identity in doubtful cases, notification thereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Lt. Scott

R. H. ROSENTHAL
1st Lieut O.M.C.U.S.A.
Unit C.O. Group