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DEC 16 1925

DATE

1. NAME CONNELLY, Joseph L. SERIAL No. 162516RANK Pvt. 1-cl ORGANIZATION Co. E. 12th Engrs.GRAVE LOCATION St. Mihiel American Cty. THIAUCOURT (M-et-M) 1233

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

179

Sec. 2

4

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 54 Pl. 1. Sec. A Briey M et M cy 889

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Metz 36 SE 273.18 N 368.87 ECONCENTRATED TO 5/6/19 179 Sec. 2 4

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GRAVE

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St. Mihiel

1233

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

Tag on body and crossDATE OF DEATH Jan 28 1919STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME MoData F-1MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED none

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

DATE

GRAVE

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PLOT

CEMETERY

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GRAVE

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CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR I. H. JOFFEE, 1st Lt., QMC.3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Aug. 5, 1922 35 4 Block D

DATE

GRAVE

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PLOT

St. Mihiel American No. 1233, Thiaucourt

CEMETERY

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WORLD WAR DIV.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

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

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Connelly *162516* *Joseph S.*
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. Co. C *12* *Eng. (Light Railway)*
(Rank) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL *Jan 30, 1919*

PLACE OF BURIAL *Briey, France*

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

GRAVE NUMBER *54 Plot I*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *—* Cross? *Yes*

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:

REPORTED BY: *Erasmus Dooling*

Captain Evac Hosp No 18
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Handwritten signature in blue ink, possibly reading "John" or "John D."

RECEIVED
5 FEB 1919

RECEIVED
A. G. O.
5 - FEB. 1919
G. H. Q. A. R. P.

Date 29, MAY 1919.REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name: **CONNELLY, Joseph L.**Number: **162516**Rank: **Pvt.**Organization: **Co. E. 12th Engrs.**

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

6th, May 1919Grave 54 Plot 1 Sec A BRIEY, M-et-M AEF Cty.Map 36SE E 368.87 N 273.18

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

6th, MAY 1919Grave# 179 Sec 2 Plot 4ST. MIHIEL AMERICAN CEMETERY # 1233.THIAUCOURT, M-et-M 52NE E362.03 N 241.44

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

Body fully dressed, body ingood condition, buried in box.Was one identification tag found upon the body? **Yes**What other means of identification were found on the body? **None**

CONFIRMED

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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. Thos. H. Butcher.R. H. ROSENTHAL2nd Lieut. Q.M.C.U.S.A

C.O. Group _____ Unit _____

Date: 23 May 1919

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: CONNELLY, Joseph E.

Number: 123456

Rank: Pvt.

Organization: Co. E, 12th Regt.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

23 May 1919

Grave 54 Plot 1 Sec A BIRMINGHAM, N-27-N 4th CV.

Map 3232 N 323.27 N 273.13

Reburied

(Date)

In: (Give complete location)

Grave 179 Sec 2 Plot 4

23 May 1919

ST. MARY'S AMERICAN CEMETERY & 1234

THIAUCOURT, N-27-N 323.27 N 273.13

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

Body fully dressed, body in good condition, buried in box.

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 body, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct as in Regulation 11, G.M.S. 1918, after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, no action whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: Lt. Thos. H. Butcher.

R. H. ROSENTHAL

and Lieut. O. M. G. S.

G.O. Group

Corrected 6/19/31

WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU

ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY July 16, 1931JacksonCounty, State of MissouriName Mc Clure, Mrs Julia (L-7)Address 3231 Flora Ave. Kansas City, Mo.Route going: CMStP&P Chicago, NYC New YorkReturn: B&O Chicago, CMStP&P

Stopover at Philadelphia, Pa and Washington, D C

			ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE
Itinerary going	Lv	Kansas City	CMStP&P	26	6:00 PM	July 12
	Ar	Chicago	"	"	8:15 AM	" 13
	Lv	"	NYC	10	10:35 AM	" "
	Ar	New York	"	142	3:50 PM	" 14
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Accommodations:

Standard sleeper Kansas City, Mo. to Chicago, Ill. and Chicago, Ill. to New York, N.Y.

Elapsed Time:

44 Hrs: 50 Min

Extra Fare:

H68

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WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU

ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY July 16, 1931

Jackson

County, State of

Missouri

Name Mc Clure, Mrs Julia (L-7)

Address 3231 Flora Ave. Kansas City, Mo.

Route going: CMStP&P Chicago, NYC New York

Return: Same route

Itinerary going					
		ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE
✓Lv	Kansas City	CMStP&P	26	6:00 PM	July 12
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See enclosed routing sheet attached

Accommodations: Standard sleeper Kansas City, Mo. to Chicago, Ill. and Chicago, Ill. to New York, N Y

Elapsed Time:

44 hrs: 50 min

Extra Fare:

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WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU

ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY July 16, 1931

Jackson

County, State of Missouri

Name Mc Clure, Mrs Julia (L-7)

Address 3231 Flora Ave. Kansas City, Mo.

Route going: C&A St Louis, CCC&StL Cleveland, NYC New York

Return: Same Route

		ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE	
Itinerary going	✓ Lv	Kansas City	C&A	26	11:55 PM	July 12
	✓ Ar	St Louis	"	"	7:35 AM	" 13
	✓ Lv	"	CC&StL	22	8:40 AM	" 13
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Accommodations: Standard sleeper Kansas City, Mo. to St Louis, Mo. and St Louis, Mo. to New York, NY.

Elapsed Time: 40 hrs: 10 min

Extra Fare:

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Washington, D. C. June 18, 1931

Mr. H. W. Siddall, Chairman
Western Military Bureau
516 W. Jackson Blvd
Chicago, Illinois

AMERICA JULY SIXTEENTH JULIA MCCLURE KANSAS CITY PAGE SEVEN DESIRES
STOPOVER PHILADELPHIA WASHINGTON THIS WILL BE YOUR AUTHORITY TO CHANGE
RETURN ROUTE OF REQUEST ONE MILLION TEN THOUSAND FIVE FIFTY SEVEN ACCORDINGLY
FORWARD REVISED ROUTING SHEET

QM 2381

DEWITT
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

QM 523.091 A-M
Western Military Bureau

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Mothers' & Widows' Pilgrimage
Stopovers on return

Name: *McClure Mrs Julia*

Address: *Kansas City, Mo.*

Party: *L-7*

Stopovers desired at: *Ny - Phila. - Washington, D.C.*

Rail

Excess

none

Pullman

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Value</u>
<i>Ny</i>	<i>Phila</i>	<i>PC</i>	<i>50</i>
<i>Phila</i>	<i>Washu</i>	<i>PC</i>	<i>113</i>
<i>Washu</i>	<i>Kans City</i>	<i>LB</i>	<i>1200</i>

Total: *1388*
Thru Pullman Fare: *1350*
Excess: *38*

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

CODE SLIP

LOCO PARENTIS

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME CONNELLY	CON	3	334
BURIED Joseph L.	CEMETERY 1233	1	3
	GRAVE 35	2	35
	ROW 4	2	04
	BLOCK D	1	4
STATE	Missouri	2	29
RANK	Pvt 1/c	1	2
DIVISION	Engineers	2	49
ORGANIZATION	12	3	012
ARM	Regiment	1	1
MARTIAL	No	1	2
NAME McClure	MCC	3	333
Julia Connelly	STATE Missouri	2	29
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Jackson	2	48
Mother dead	CITY Kansas City	3	030
RELATION	Loco Parentis	1	4
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	Yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
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TRIP	YR. 1931	1	2
ACCEPTANCE	Yes	1	1
29/514/PJ	Oge		58

AUDITED
 NOV 11 1931
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Itinerary of Party "L" - St. Mihiel Group

Sailed July 16, 1931 on AMERICA. Captain T. B. Apgar in charge. Arrived Cherbourg July 25th at 4pm. Met by 7 officers, 4 nurses and 2 civilian employees. Train left for Paris at 5.35pm. Arrived Gare des Invalides 12.05am. Met by Officer in Charge, his staff, nurses, etc.

- July 26th. Church or free. Lunch at hotel. Sacre Coeur. Dinner at hotel.
- July 27th. Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Ceremony at Arc de Triomphe and reception and tea at Restaurant Laurent in afternoon. Dinner at hotel.
- July 28th. Notre Dame. Lunch at hotel. Afternoon free. Dinner at hotel.
- July 29th. Left Paris 7.15am for Verdun via Porte de Pantin, Montmirail (rest stop Vert Gallant Hotel), Chalons s/ Marne (lunch Haute Mere Dieu). Arrived Verdun 5.45pm. Quarters Hotel Nouvelle.
- July 30th. Visited cemetery daily. Montsec, Metz, The Ossuary,
- 31, Aug. 1. Fort Douaumont, Trench of Bayonets.
- Aug. 2nd. Left Verdun 7.30am for Paris via St. Menehould (rest stop Moderne Hotel), Suippes, Reims (lunch Hotel Bristol Crystal), Chateau Thierry (rest stop Hostellerie du Bonhomme), Hill 204, Montreuil. Arrived Paris for dinner at hotel.
- Aug. 3rd. Morning and afternoon free. Lunch and dinner at hotel. Sightseeing trip at nite.
- Aug. 4th. Colonial Exposition. Lunch at hotel. Napoleon's Tomb. Dinner at hotel.
- Aug. 5th. Morning free. Lunch at hotel. Versailles. Dinner at hotel.
- Aug. 6th. Shopping or free. Lunch and dinner at hotel.
- Aug. 7th. Louvre. Afternoon free. Lunch and dinner at hotel.
- Aug. 8th. Left Paris 10.30am for Cherbourg. Boarded tender at 6.45pm. PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT sailed at 7.30pm. Arrived New York August 16th.

Mrs. Julia McClure

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

Party "L"Number 1179**REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATIONS.**

McClure, Mrs. Julia
 Name of Pilgrim

3231 Flora Ave.
 City Home Address County

Kansas City, Mo.
 State

Actual cost of
 Through Pullman at the
 Lower Berth Rate.

New York, to Kansas City, Mo.Destination of Ticket Kansas City, Mo.\$ 13.50via B&O. to Chicago. - CM&STP. to Kansas City.

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 Date of Departure

Sept. 20, 1931
 Expiration Date of Ticket

	Road	Tr. No.	Date	Time	Lower Seat or Coach	Car	U.S.G. Order No.	Actual Cost
Lv. <u>Jersey City, N.J.</u>	<u>B&O</u>	<u>523</u>	<u>Daily</u>	<u>9:30am</u>	<u>18</u>			
Ar. <u>Philadelphia, Pa.</u>	"	"	"	<u>11:21 am</u>	<u>seat</u>	<u>690</u>	<u>1027039</u>	<u>.75</u>
Lv. "	"	<u>5</u>	"	<u>12:55 Pm</u>				
Ar. <u>Washington, D.C.</u>	"	"	"	<u>3:45 Pm</u>	<u>seat</u>		<u>1027040</u>	<u>1.13</u>
Lv. "	"	<u>7</u>	"	<u>7:50 Pm</u>				
Ar. <u>Chicago, Ill.</u>	"	"	"	<u>1:35 Pm</u>	<u>lower</u>			
Lv. "	<u>CM&STP</u>	<u>7</u>	"	<u>6 Pm</u>				
Ar. <u>Kansas City, Mo.</u>	"	"	"	<u>8 am</u>	<u>lower</u>		<u>1027041</u>	<u>12.00</u>
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13.88Stop Over New York City - Philadelphia, Pa. -

Through Rate

13.50Washington, D.C.

Excess

.38

Connelly, Joseph St-M LP

Mothers' & Widows' Pilgrimage

Stopovers on return

Name: McClure, Mrs. Julia

Address: 3231 Flora Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Party: L-7

Stopovers desired at: New York City, Philadelphia, Pa. & Wash. D. C.

Rail

Excess

NONE

Pullman

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Value</u>
New York	Philadelphia	P.C.	.75
Philadelphia	Washington	P.C.	1.13
Washington	Kansas City, Mo.	L.B.	12.00

Total: 13.88

Thru Pullman Fare: 13.50

Excess: .38

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

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PARTY L FILE NO. 1179

NAME McClURE, MRS. JULIA
3231 Flora Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

ROUTE OF TICKET

... B & O to Chicago Ill.
... C. M. & St. P. to Kansas City Mo.
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T.M.

Expiration date Sept 20, 1931

The following stop overs are requested.

..... New York City

..... Philadelphia

..... Washington, D.C.

no TR to sign

(Signature of Pilgrim)

PILGRIMAGE OF WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS

GENERAL RELEASE

File L-1179

Mrs. J. McClure

Address Kansas City Mo.

T. M.

230 pm

Released in New York.

To Sargent. Guler

Address Fort Jay New York.

7/18/31

RECEIVED RAILROAD AND PULLMAN TICKET

Mrs Julia McClure

Name McCLURE, Mrs. Julia

Paris Hôtel HOTEL LUTÉTIA
BOULEVARD RASPAIL

Home address 3231 Flora Ave., Kansas City, Jackson Co., Missouri

Party L Group _____ Unit SS. AMERICA

Date of arrival July 25, 1931. Date of departure SS. ROOSEVELT, August 8, 1931

Relationship LP, age 58

Name of deceased CONNELLY, Joseph L.

Rank Pvt., Organization Co. E, 12th Engrs.

Cemetery St. Mihiel Gr. 35 D 4

REMARKS

To be quartered with Mrs. F.X. Fraas, Sr., 8907 Missouri Ave., Kansas City,
Jackson Co., Missouri.



Connelly, Jos. L.
St M

PARTY "L"
June 25th, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

There are enclosed herewith two tags and four identification pasters which have been prepared for the purpose of protecting your baggage while in transit, and to insure its safe arrival at the hotel where you are to stop in New York City. Please attach the tags to the handle of each piece of your baggage and place a paster on each end of each piece of your baggage before leaving your home.

Upon your arrival in New York City, you will be met at the railroad station by an Army Officer who will be in uniform. During your sojourn in New York 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.

All mail intended to reach you between July 16th, 1931, the day you sail from the United States, and August 8th, 1931, the day you leave Europe, should be addressed to you in care of American Pilgrimage, 146 Avenue des Champs Elysees, Paris, France; for example:

Mrs. Mary Smith,
c/o American Pilgrimage,
146 Avenue des Champs Elysees,
Paris, France.

2 tags

In making reservations for your journey home from New York City, it is necessary for this office to furnish the railroads with the exact time and date of your departure. 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 accommodations will be made with the railroads by this office accordingly. Upon your return from Europe, it will therefore be necessary for you to remain in the hotel over night as a guest of the United States Government.

There is also enclosed herewith information relative to the cemeteries in Europe.

Very truly yours,

Arnold J. Funk

ARNOLD J. FUNK
Captain, Inf. (DOL)
Assistant

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

Sept. 2, 1931

FILE 201 - Mrs. Julia Mc Clure - L-7
X 201.22

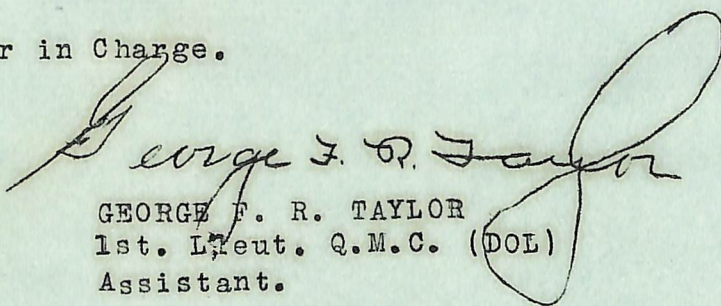
SUBJECT: Commendation

TO: Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.

1. Mrs. Julia Mc Clure of Kansas City, Mo. Member of Party "L" has returned postal card, furnished by this office, advising that she has arrived home safely and in good health, and expresses her satisfaction as follows:

"and gratefully"

For the Officer in Charge.


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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 523.091 A-M
Pilgrimage Gold Star

June 23, 1931

J.E.M.

SUBJECT: Routing Sheet

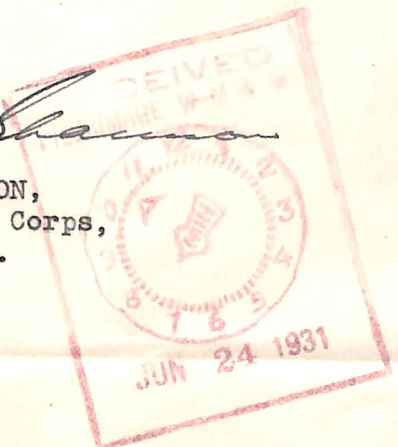
TO: Officer in Charge, Pilgrimage Port of Embarkation,
225 West 34th Street, Room 1211 Penma. Bldg.,
New York City.

1. There is enclosed herewith corrected duplicate
routing sheet covering movement of Mrs. Julia McClure (L-7)
Kansas City, Missouri, who is scheduled to sail on the
AMERICA, July 16th.

For The Quartermaster General.

1 Encl.
Route Sheet

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



201. Mrs. McClure, Mrs. Julia

GOLD STAR LEAGUE
OF
JACKSON COUNTY

KANSAS CITY, MO.

A. D. Hughes

Captain L. M. Coops

Dear Sir.

L. M. 293. A. M.
Cornelly Joseph L.
(S. F. M.) L. P.

It is with esteemed Gratitude
I wish to thank you for my Identification
Badge. I received a few days ago to Replace
the one I lost in Paris. I prized it very
highly but think I prize this even more
to have it made as I feel individually
I thank you very very much for your
kind favor.

Sincerely

Mrs. Julia Mc. Clure
sister of the late
Joseph L. Cornelly



No Reply

RETURN RECEIPT



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

Mrs. Julia C. McClure

(Signature or name of addressee)

(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery *2-11-*, 19 *22*

Form 3811

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

c 5-6116

Connelly, Joseph L.

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 92682-8

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

Return to **Q. M. GENERAL**

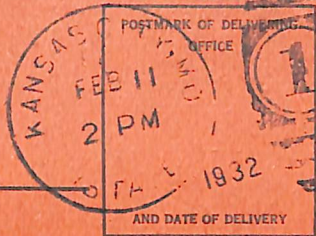
(NAME OF SENDER)

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

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

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



QM 293 A-M
Cornelly, Joseph L. (StM) LP

February 9, 1932.

Mrs. Julia Connelly McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Complying with the request made in your letter of
November 5, 1931, there is being forwarded you under separate
cover a new identification badge.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M

January 11, 1932.

Connolly, Joseph L. (STM)

Bailey, Banks & Biddle,
Silversmiths, Jewelers, Stationers,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sirs:

Reference is made to office letter of November 11, 1931, wherein you were requested to furnish a name plate for Mrs. Julia C. McClure, Missouri, and to your reply, dated November 17, in which you advised same would be forwarded in a weeks time.

To date the name plate has not been received in this office, and it is requested that the matter be looked into with a view to furnishing same.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

mf

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The Bailey, Banks & Biddle Company
Jewelers, Silversmiths, Stationers
Philadelphia

November
seventeenth
1931

Captain R. E. Shannon,
War Department,
Office of the Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your communication
of November eleventh requesting a duplicate badge for
Mrs. Julia C. McClure. Same will be forwarded in a
weeks time,

Trusting this is satisfactory, we remain

Very truly yours,

The Bailey, Banks & Biddle Company.

Geo. A. Muel

GAM: HAN

sailed 7-18-31

file
11/18/31
500. L. (25. m)

Pvt. Connelley

XC-174 245

Connelly, Joseph L. Pvt. Co. E. 12 Engrs. Missouri 11-14-31

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~~Widow~~?

Single

KPG

QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph L. (StM)

November 11, 1931

Mrs. Julia C. McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of November 5th, advising that you lost your identification badge while making the pilgrimage to the grave of the late Private first class Joseph L. Connelly.

In compliance with your request, a duplicate nameplate has been ordered under even date, and upon receipt in this office another badge will be forwarded you.

It is indeed gratifying to know that your pilgrimage was entirely satisfactory. The knowledge that the mothers and widows taking advantage of the offer of their Government have returned to their homes with a feeling of peace and contentment is sufficient reward for those responsible for the conduct of the pilgrimages.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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**GOLD STAR LEAGUE
OF
JACKSON COUNTY**

KANSAS CITY, MO. Nov. 5th 31

17 3¹³
Kansas City Mo

To War Department -

Quartermaster General.

18
D. M. 293: A. C.
Joseph L. Connelly
12th Engineers R. G.
deceased

while on my wonderful Pilgrimage
to France as a guest of our wonderful Government.
It was my misfortune to lose my Badge at The
Paris Exposition I felt very badly about it.
Lt. Lieutenant Wyley and Mr. Vanderaal who
were in charge of our Group and were lovely
& courteous at all times assured me every
effort would be made to find it. It was
the only cloud that marked my journey
they told me after a few months if I did
not hear from them to write the Quartermaster
General & make they would duplicate
same. I know it. So asking
a lot as they are works of art and
beautiful & cost something but I would
appreciate it very much.

4-7
Jos. L. Connelly
S. S. America
July 16

Very truly yours
Julia Connelly McClure
3231 Flora Ave
Kansas City Mo

MISS JULIA MCDONALD, 2231 FLORA AVENUE, PHOENIX, ARIZONA, 85018

510 MORRIS AVENUE, PHOENIX, ARIZONA, 85018

GOLD STAR LEAGUE
OF
JACKSON COUNTY

KANSAS CITY, MO.



QM 221 A-M
Pilgrimage, Gold Star

November 11, 1931

Bailey, Banks & Biddle,
Silversmiths, Jewelers, Stationers,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sirs:

Mrs. Julia C. McClure, Missouri, who sailed July 16th to visit the cemeteries of Europe, has advised this office that she lost her identification badge while in France.

In view of the fact that Mrs. McClure was desirous of keeping the badge as a souvenir of her trip, it is requested that a name plate be struck off for her and forwarded this office at your earliest convenience.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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NAME MC CLURE, MRS. JULIA

L-7

ADDRESS 3231 Flora Ave., Kansas City, Missouri

DATE Aug 28 Th 1931

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, *y. Gratefully*

(Signed) *Mrs. Julia McClure*

WAR DEPARTMENT

Q. M. CORPS PILGRIMAGE,

WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS, N. Y. C.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



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



PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

WAR DEPARTMENT
"PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS"
225 WEST 34TH ST., NEW YORK, N. Y.

Sept. 2, 1931

Connelly, Jos. L. 1233

FILE 201 - Mrs. Julia Mc Clure - L-7
X 201.22

SUBJECT: Commendation

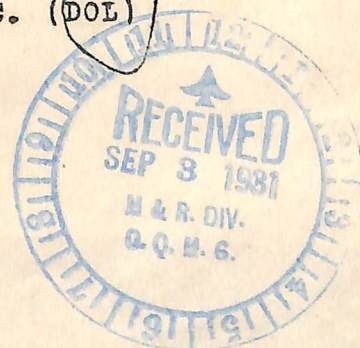
TO: Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.

1. Mrs. Julia Mc Clure of Kansas City, Mo.
Member of Party "L" has returned postal card,
furnished by this office, advising that she has arrived
home safely and in good health, and expresses her satis-
faction as follows:

"and gratefully"

For the Officer in Charge.

George F. R. Taylor
GEORGE F. R. TAYLOR
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C. (DOL)
Assistant.



PARTY

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EASTBOUND

STATE

GROUP

ST M

MISSOURI

58 LP

Mrs. McClure, Julia

Address 3231 Flora Ave., Kansas City

(Qts with Mrs. F. X. Fraas, Sr. (Agnes)-
 Gr ST.M. & Qts with Mrs. Mary
 Trego-Gr Som-U)

Missouri

Jackson

Mr. Richard Tobin

Address 632 Marshall St. Leavenworth

(Name of Nearest Kin)

(Street & No.)

(City or Town)

Kansas

(State)

(County)

ARRIVAL NEW YORK

VIA. R.R. NYC Train No. 142 Date 3:50 Pm. - July 14, 1931

Hotel Pennsylvania Room No. 1510-A

Roomed with Mrs. F. X. Fraas & Mrs. Mary Trego

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

Date July 16, 1931 Vessel AMERICA Cabin No. 289 C

In Cabin with Mrs. Mary Trego

(Over Westbound)

RPB-2-17-31-4M

WESTBOUND
ARRIVAL NEW YORK

120 C
~~120~~

Date ... August 16, 1931 ... Vessel ... S. S. Roosevelt ... Cabin No. ... 120 C
In Cabin with ... ~~Mrs. Mary Trego & Mrs. F. X. Fraas~~ *Mrs. Mary Trego - Mrs. F. X. Fraas* ~~Mrs. Goldberg~~ ~~Mrs. ...~~
Hotel Pennsylvania ... Room No. ... 1531
Roomed with Mrs. F. X. Fraas, Sr. & Mrs. Mary Trego

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

New York City Stop Over

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

REMARKS

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(C. Eastbound)

MEDICAL RECORD

Stm

Party: *L.* Hotel *PENNSYLVANIA* S. S. *AMERICA Eastbound*
ROOSEVELT Westbound

Name *McClure, Mrs. Julia, (Pvt. Jos. L. Connelly, 35 - 4 - D.)*

Home Address *3231 Flora Ave., Kansas City, Mo.*

Name and address of nearest relative or friend *Mrs. Richard Tobin,*
632 Marshall St., Leavenworth, Kansas.

Religion _____ Age _____

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: (incl. dates)

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks:

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RETURN RECEIPT

1233
Roco

S. S. Ananta

7-16-31

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

Mrs. Julia Mc Clure

(Signature or name of addressee)

(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery

6-22-1931

Form 3811

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1929

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Connelly. J. A.

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 25586

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

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



Return to Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

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

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

5017

1233

RETURN RECEIPT

A. S. Annica 7-16-31

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

Mrs. Julia M. Clark

(Signature or name of addressee)

(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery

6-22-1931

Form 3811

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1929

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Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. _____

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

Q. M. GENERAL

Return to _____

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(NAME OF SENDER)

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or Post Office Box, _____

WASHINGTON,

. C.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Connolly, Jos. L.

St. M

June 24, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Ave.,
Kansas City, Missouri

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. Kansas City	CHST&P	Train No. 26	6.00 P.M.	July 12
Ar. Chicago	"	" "	8.15 A.M.	July 13
Lv. Chicago	NYC	" 10	10.35 A.M.	July 13
Ar. New York (Gr Cent Sta)	"	" 142	3.50 P.M.	July 14

Accommodations: Standard sleeper Kansas City, Mo. to Chicago, Ill. and Chicago, Ill. to New York, N.Y.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Connelly, Jos. L. (St.-M) LP

June 19, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No ~~846~~,841 in the amount of \$17.50, to pay for your meals and incidental expenses from your home to New York on the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

1 Incl.
Check No.

QM 293 A-M

Connelly, Joseph St-M LP

June 26, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your money order in the amount of thirty eight cents (38¢), covering difference in pullman fare due to stopovers at New York City, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and Washington, D. C. on your return from a pilgrimage to the St. Mihiel American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the AMERICA, July 16, 1931. *noted*

Please be advised that arrangements for these stopovers will be made accordingly.

You may stopover at these points as long as you desire, providing you reach home within the limit of your ticket which expires seventy days from the date of issue.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Connelly, Joseph St-M LP

~~Mother's & Widows' Relief~~
Stopovers on return

Name: McClure, Mrs. Julia

Address: 3231 Flora Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Party: L-7

Stopovers desired at: New York City, Philadelphia, Pa. & Wash. D. C.

Rail

Excess

NONE

Pullman

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Value</u>
New York	Philadelphia	P.C.	.75
Philadelphia	Washington	P.C.	1.13
Washington	Kansas City, Mo.	L.B.	12.00

Total

13.88

Less Pullman Fare

13.50

Excess:

.38

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

McClure

Connolly, Joseph St-M IP Mothers' & Widows' Pilgrimage
Stopovers on return

Name: McClure, Mrs. Julia

Address: 3231 Flora Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Party: L-7

Stopovers desired at: New York City, Philadelphia, Pa. & Wash. D.C.

Rail

		Excess	None
<u>Pullman</u>			
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Philadelphia	Washington	P.C.	1.13
Washington	Kansas City, Mo.	L.B.	12.00

Total:	13.88
Thru Pullman Fare:	13.50
Excess:	.38

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph St-M LP

June 18, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 13th, requesting stopovers at New York City, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Washington, D. C. on your return from a pilgrimage to the St. Mihiel American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the AMERICA, July 16, 1931.

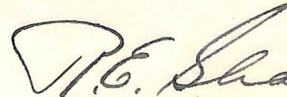
Arrangements can be made for these stopovers without additional cost to you for rail fare. However, an additional amount of thirty eight cents (38¢) will be required due to difference in pullman fare. Transportation is now being issued and it is requested that you advise immediately whether or not you desire these stopovers and if so, please forward money order immediately in the amount of thirty eight cents (38¢), payable to the Finance Officer, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

All expenses incurred by you during these stopovers must, of course, be paid from your personal funds.

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.

1 Encl.
Env.



McClure
Connally, Joseph St-M IP

Mothers' & Widows' Pilgrimage
Stopovers on return

Name: **McClure, Mrs. Julia**

Address: **3251 Florn Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.**

Party: **L-7**

Stopovers desired at: **New York City, Philadelphia, Pa. & Wash. D.C.**

Rail

Excess

None

Pullman

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Value</u>
New York	Philadelphia	P.C.	.75
Philadelphia	Washington	P.C.	1.15
Washington	Kansas City, Mo.	L.B.	12.00

Total: 13.86
Thru Pullman Fare: 13.50

Excess: .36

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

IF YOU DESIRE A 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.

*Amer
July 16*

Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

McClure, Mrs. Julia
3231 Flora Ave., Kansas City
Jackson Co., Mo.
Connolly, Joseph L., Pvt. 1233 LP

Sir:

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>New York</u>	<u>2 days</u>
<u>Philadelphia</u>	<u>2 days</u>
<u>Washington</u>	<u>2 days</u>
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Very truly yours,

Mrs Julia Mc Clure
(Your name)

3231 Flora Ave. Kansas City
(Your address)
Mo

THE GOLD STAR LEAGUE
OF JACKSON COUNTY

Kansas City, MISSOURI June, 13th '31

Office of Quartermaster General.
had. not- noticed that-
you had. to have. some time
on notification of stop over.
if it is not- to late I would
like to stop. over a few. days
at- the point- I have desig-
nated if It- Is. not- to late I
would appreciate It- very much.
& leave from. Washington. to.
Kansas City-

yours in. appreciation

Julia McClure
3231 Flora Ave
Kansas City
Mo

THE GOLD STATE LEAGUE
OF JACKSON COUNTY
MISSOURI



America
7-16-31
1233

Connelly, Joseph L., Pvt.

Loco

I accept the invitation extended
(Accept or decline)

me to make a pilgrimage to Europe at the expense of
the Government of the United States under the pro-
visions of the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

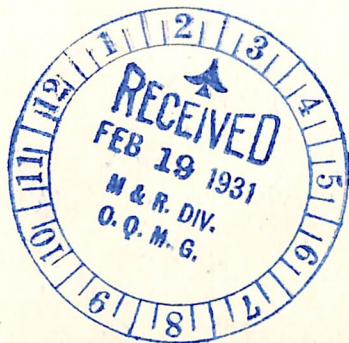
Mrs. Julia McClure

(Name)

3231 Flora Ave., Kansas City, Jackson Co., Missouri

(Town or City)

(State)



QM 293 A-M

February 3, 1931

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Fraas, Frank X. 1233 M
Connally, Joseph L. 1233 LP
Trego, Lawrence J. 636 U M

for letter

Mrs. Mary Trego,
659 Brookside Drive,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 23, 1931, relative to your desire to be quartered with certain women from Kansas City when you make the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 16, 1930.

The group sailing May 27th is composed of mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces whose remains were lost at sea. A special itinerary has been planned for this group which does not include a visit to the cemeteries to be visited by you and Mrs. Fraas and Mrs. McClure.

It is believed that you and Mrs. Fraas and Mrs. McClure can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel room in New York. In view of the fact, however, that you are not to visit the same cemeteries, it will not be possible to quarter you together in Europe.

It is requested that you advise this office of the name, rank and organization of the deceased son or husband of Mrs. Cornelius Finney Cole. Upon receipt of this information, you will be advised whether or not Mrs. Cole may accompany you on the journey.

Notation has been made of your desire to stopover in Detroit, Michigan and Rock Island, Illinois, and as soon as details of routing have been determined, you will be advised as to the cost to you, if any, of such stopovers.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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

McClure, Mrs. Julia
3231 Flora Ave., Kansas City
Jackson Co., Mo.
Connelly, Joseph L., Pvt. 1233 LP

Quartermaster General,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

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

Name

Mrs Richard Tobin
Address *632 Marshall St Leavenworth Kans*

Very truly yours,



(Your name) *Julia McClure*

(Your address) *3231 Flora Ave
Kansas City
Mo*

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Connelly, Joseph L. 1233 LP

September 8, 1930

Mrs. Julia McClure
3231 Flora Avenue
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

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

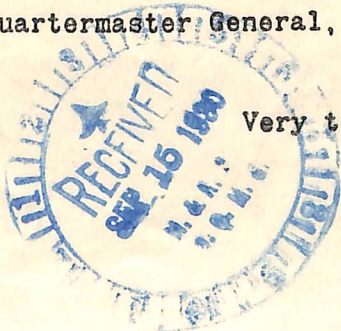
1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	Yes
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	Yes
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age 58 Condition of Health Good
4. Do you speak English? 2	Yes
5. What other language do you speak?	None

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment



QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph L. 1233 LP

September 2, 1930

Mrs. Julia Connolly McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of August 6, furnishing additional information, requested by this office, to substantiate your claim as having stood in loco parentis to the late Private, first class, Joseph L. Connolly.

Your claim has been favorably considered, and your name has been placed upon the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make the journey in 1931. You will be communicated with when the pilgrimages are being arranged for that year.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Power
THE GOLD STAR LEAGUE
OF JACKSON COUNTY
MISSOURI

Kansas City Mo
Aug 6th 1930

To. M. 293-A. M.

Joseph. L. Connolly - 1233 - L. P.

Capt. A. D. Hughes.

To. M. Corpo

In Reply to your Letter asking what Provision the Parents of the late Joseph. L. Connolly made Towards him after I assumed Responsibility of him. he was 9 years old. his Father died when he was 7 years old. and his mother died when he was 9 breaking up the home & him an Orphan. I Received no help from any source whatever assuming all Responsibility as to his Education & welfare. till he was able to work & take care of himself

Very Truly Yours
Julia Connolly Mc Clure

Chicago, Ill. 20
Aug 20 1880

THE NATIONAL BANK
OF CHICAGO
CHICAGO, ILL.

La. M. 293-A. M.
August 2, 1880

Capt. A. B. Hughes
La. M. 293-A. M.

The paper to your letter regarding what
concerns the interests of the late Joseph
J. Connelly made known to me the
circumstances of his death and when
was 7 years old and was the mother
of the same. He was 7 years old when
he died and I have no opinion as to
the cause of his death. I have no
doubt from the fact that he was
born in the same place as his mother
and father and was the same age as
the to which I have no doubt.



QM 293 A-M
Connolly, Joseph L. 1233 LP -

July 29, 1930.

Mrs. Julia Connolly McClure,
3231 Flora Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of affidavits which you submitted to this office to substantiate your eligibility to make the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the Act of March 2, 1929 as amended May 15, 1930.

It is requested that you furnish this office with information as to whether the parents of the late Joseph L. Connolly were living, and to what extent they provided for their son during the period you stood in loco parentis to him.

Upon receipt of this information you will be advised relative to your eligibility to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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State of Missouri)
) ss
County of Jackson)

name of deceased soldier Joseph Leo Connolly
Rank Co E. Organization 12th Engineer Reg

1. The undersigned disinterested persons, not related to the applicant or to the deceased soldier, depose and say of their own personal knowledge that:

(a) Mrs Julia McClure stood in loco parentis to Joseph L. Connolly
(name of applicant) (deceased)
from age of 9 yrs to time of enlistment
soldier)

(b) The age of the deceased soldier at the time the status in loco parentis began was _____ years, _____ months, _____ days. The age of Julia Connolly McClure at the time the status in loco parentis began was 20 years, _____ months, _____ days.
(name of applicant)

(c) Julia Connolly McClure during the time she stood in loco parentis to the said deceased soldier, actually provided for such soldier in the following manner and to the following extent:

Provided Clothing Food & Every thing a Mother could do
Educated him sent him to School as long as he would go

(d) The following additional circumstances, facts and declarations tend to show that the said applicant actually assumed the obligations which a father would have assumed in the matter of making provision for the support of the deceased soldier:

His Brother In Law The Late John P. McClure
assumed responsibilities as a Father &
acted as one on any occasion that was
necessary.

2. In making the above statements, it is understood that the term in loco parentis means that:

- (a) A person must act the part of a lawful father in performing the duty of providing for him; taking the place of a father in this particular.
- (b) To obtain the benefits of the Act of March 2, 1929, a woman must have occupied this status towards a particular deceased service man for a period of not less than 5 years at any time prior to the soldier, sailor, or marine becoming 18 years of age. Circumstances and facts should be stated in detail in order to insure intelligent decision. If additional space is required please write on the back of this sheet.

Signed: L W Rhodes

Address: 1307 Harrison St

Signed: Elizabeth Sherlock

Address: 2761 Peery

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of July 1930.

(Seal)

My Commission expires Oct. 28, 1931

Robt A Young clause
(Notary Public)

State of Missouri)
) SS
County of Jackson)

name of deceased soldier Joseph Leo Connolly
Rank Co E Organization 12th Engineer R.R.

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(name of applicant) (deceased)
from The age of 9 yrs to time of enlistment
soldier)

(b) The age of the deceased soldier at the time the status in loco parentis began was 9 years, few months, few days. The age of Mrs Julia McClure at the time the status in loco
(name of applicant)
parentis began was 20 years, old months, — days.

(c) Julia Connolly McClure during the time she stood in loco
(name of applicant)
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Signed: Ella Stallings

Address: 1310 North Ave.

Signed: Ella Stallings

Address: 1310 North Ave.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of July 1930.

(Seal)

My Commission expires Oct. 28, 1931.

(Notary Public)

QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph L. 1233

July 3, 1930

Mrs. Julia Connelly McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Further reference is made to your letter of December 28, 1929, relative to your desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of the late Joseph L. Connelly, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

Section 4 (a) of the Act was amended, under date of May 15, 1930, to read as follows: "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the soldier, sailor, or marine becoming eighteen years of age".

In order to satisfy the legal requirements, it will be necessary for you to furnish as proof of the relationship, in loco parentis, the affidavits of at least two persons who are not related to you.

In the event you believe yourself eligible, under this provision of the law, to make the pilgrimage, it is requested that the enclosed forms be completed and returned to this office in order that your eligibility under the Act may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-C
Connelly, Joseph L.

January 22, 1930

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Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of December 28, 1930, relative to your desire to make the pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Joseph L. Connelly, in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery in France, under provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

I appreciate the fact that you stood in loco parentis to your brother for a number of years; however, as explained in office letter of October 1, 1929, the only provision of the Act under which you might be considered for the privilege of making this pilgrimage is contained in Section 4 (a) thereof, which states "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for the year prior to the commencement of his service in such forces".

In view of the fact that your case does not come within the scope of this provision I regret to advise that you are ineligible, under the existing law, to make this pilgrimage at the expense of the Government.

44 For the Acting The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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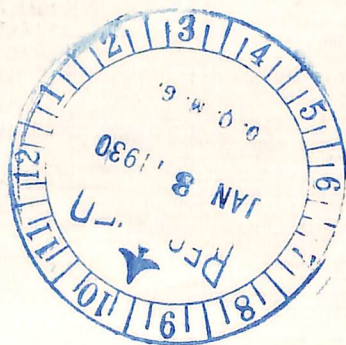
I was given to understand as a Foster mother & sister that I was entitled to The Pilgrimage to France with The Gold Star Mother to my Brother dependent. I was a mother to my Brother almost from the time of his Birth and took complete charge of him when he was between 8 and 9 years. Respectfully sent him to school, Educated him and he made his home with me until he went to war. was my main support as I had an Invalid Husband who died ten years ago. I get his Compensation from affidavits that was sworn to. who knew him from a child in a letter I received from A. D. Hughes of The Q. M. C. he says.

It has been said that within the meaning of The Law a Person cannot stand his Loss. Parent to an adult unless such Adult is Mentally or Physically Incapacitated. No man who was in the Military or Naval Forces. In as much as your Brother Joseph L. Connelly Private Company E. 12th Engineers was an Adult at the time of the service his age having been 27 years and one month no person could stand in Loss Parent to him for the year prior to

his Entry In to The Service Therefore
I Regret to advise you that you
are not Eligible Within The meaning
of The Law. to make This Pilgrimage
at the Expense of the Government.

In our press Christmas is a heading
The U. S. tries to pay its Debt and
tells of the Pilgrimage to France. if
This is considered a Debt. Then I feel
That I am just as deserving and
more so Than any real mother I
devoted my young womanhood in
his care and Education and gave
him up gladly for the Cause and
worked & kept Boarders to be able
to stay home and tend to an Invalid
husband. he is Buried in France
and I Think I have as much right
to visit his Grave as any mother I
have one. Brother who was Gassed and
died of T. B. and is buried in Santelle
Cal. and another Brother who was
in The Spanish American war and
There was no slackers. I had Relatives
from all over the Country in the
Late war. Mrs. H. H. McClure the
war mother told me to write you.
I am an associate member of the
war mothers. I hope you will consider
or reconsider how unjust and un-
fair This would be to deprive me of
This trip and hoping to hear from
you and a favorable Reply I am very
Truly yours.

Mrs Julia Mc. Clure
3231 Flora Ave Kansas City Mo



QM 293 A-C
Connolly, Joseph L.

October 1, 1929

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3251 Flora Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of the form letter from this office of August 29, 1929, furnishing information requested in connection with the Gold Star Mothers' and Widows' Pilgrimage to Europe, authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

It is assumed you desire the privilege of making this pilgrimage under the provisions of Section 4 (a) of the Act, which states in part "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for the year prior to the commencement of his service in such forces".

It has been held that within the meaning of the law a person cannot stand in loco parentis to an adult unless such adult is mentally or physically incapacitated. No man who was mentally or physically incapacitated was accepted for service in the military or naval forces. Inasmuch as your brother Joseph L. Connolly, Private, Company E, 12th Engineers, was an adult at the time of the commencement of his service, his age having been 27 years and 1 month no person could have stood in loco parentis to him for the year prior to his entry into the service. Therefore, I regret to advise that you are not eligible, within the meaning of the law, to make this pilgrimage at the expense of the Government.

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

August 29, 1929.

Connelly, Joseph L.
1233

Mrs. Julia McClure,
1308 Troost Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated May 28, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

Julia Connelly McClure
3231 Flora Ave Kansas City Mo
Sister & Foster Mother. Widow
of John McClure

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

Julia Connelly McClure
3231 Flora Ave.
Kansas City Mo
Sister & Foster Mother.

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

do. desire to make trip
if possible would like to
go. May 1930.
Gratefully
Julia McClure

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 Incls.

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Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

May 28 , 1929.

Connolly, Joseph L

Mrs. Julia McClure,
1808 Troost Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

27 1/2 yrs
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Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the sister of the late Private Joseph L. Connolly, Co. E, 12th Engrs., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph L. (StM) LP

February 9, 1932.

Mrs. Julia Connolly McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Complying with the request made in your letter of
November 5, 1931, there is being forwarded you under separate
cover a new identification badge.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M

January 11, 1932.

Connelly, Joseph L. (StM)

Bailey, Banks & Biddle,
Silversmiths, Jewelers, Stationers,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Dear Sirs:

Reference is made to office letter of November 11, 1931, wherein you were requested to furnish a name plate for Mrs. Julia C. McClure, Missouri, and to your reply, dated November 17, in which you advised same would be forwarded in a weeks time.

To date the name plate has not been received in this office, and it is requested that the matter be looked into with a view to furnishing same.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Connolly, Joseph L. (StM)

November 11, 1931

Mrs. Julia C. McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of November 5th, advising that you lost your identification badge while making the pilgrimage to the grave of the late Private first class Joseph L. Connolly.

In compliance with your request, a duplicate badgeplate has been ordered under even date, and upon receipt in this office another badge will be forwarded you.

It is indeed gratifying to know that your pilgrimage was entirely satisfactory. The knowledge that the mothers and widows taking advantage of the offer of their Government have returned to their homes with a feeling of peace and contentment is sufficient reward for those responsible for the conduct of the pilgrimages.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Jos. L. (STM) LP

September 3, 1951.

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Mrs. McClure:

I have the letter of August 14th which you and other mothers and widows who recently visited the St. Mihiel American Cemetery were so kind as to send in appreciation of the courteous care and attention you received throughout the journey.

I am delighted to know that your trip was entirely satisfactory and that the Officers of the Army and other personnel rendered such efficient and commendable service. The Quartermaster Corps is proud of the honor bestowed upon it by being charged with the conduct of these pilgrimages and has expended every effort that those making the journey might have a comfortable and pleasant trip. I feel, however, that the task has been materially lightened by the wonderful spirit of cooperation and consideration shown by the mothers and widows.

The pilgrimage was authorized by Congress in an endeavor to bring a measure of comfort and solace to the hearts of the mothers and widows whose loved ones made the supreme sacrifice for their country during the late war, and it would seem from the generous expressions contained in the letter that the effort has not been in vain.

You are assured that the St. Mihiel Cemetery will be perpetually maintained in the same fine condition in which you found it as it will continue to be the constant effort of the Quartermaster Corps to make it a fitting resting place for the heroes buried there.

Sincerely yours,

J. L. DeWITT,
Major General,

The Quartermaster General.

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph St-M LP

June 26, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your money order in the amount of thirty eight cents (38¢), covering difference in pullman fare due to stopovers at New York City, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and Washington, D. C. on your return from a pilgrimage to the St. Mihiel American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the AMERICA, July 16, 1931.

Please be advised that arrangements for these stopovers will be made accordingly.

You may stopover at these points as long as you desire, providing you reach home within the limit of your ticket which expires seventy days from the date of issue.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Connelly, Jos. L.

St. M

June 24, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Ave.,
Kansas City, Missouri

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. Kansas City	CMStP&P	Train	No. 26	6.00 P.M.	July 12
Lv. Chicago	"	"	" "	8.15 A.M.	July 13
Lv. Chicago	NYC	"	" 10	10.35 A.M.	July 13
Lv. New York	"	"	" 142	3.50 P.M.	July 14

(Gr Cent Sta)

Accommodations: Standard sleeper Kansas City, Mo. to Chicago, Ill. and Chicago, Ill. to New York, N.Y.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Connelly, Jos. L. (St.-M) LP

June 19, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
2231 Flora Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. 846,841 in the amount of \$17.50, to pay for your meals and incidental expenses from your home to New York on the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph St-M LP

June 18, 1931

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 13th, requesting stopovers at New York City, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Washington, D. C. on your return from a pilgrimage to the St. Mihiel American Cemetery in Europe, sailing from New York on the AMERICA, July 16, 1931.

Arrangements can be made for these stopovers without additional cost to you for rail fare. However, an additional amount of thirty eight cents (38¢) will be required due to difference in pullman fare. Transportation is now being issued and it is requested that you advise immediately whether or not you desire these stopovers and if so, please forward money order immediately in the amount of thirty eight cents (38¢), payable to the Finance Officer, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

All expenses incurred by you during these stopovers must, of course, be paid from your personal funds.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-M
Fraas, Frank X. 1233 M
Connelly, Joseph L. 1233 LP
Trego, Lawrence J. 636 U M

February 3, 1931

Mrs. Mary Trego,
659 Brookside Drive,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 23, 1931, relative to your desire to be quartered with certain women from Kansas City when you make the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, as amended May 16, 1930.

The group sailing May 27th is composed of mothers and widows of deceased members of the American forces whose remains were lost at sea. A special itinerary has been planned for this group which does not include a visit to the cemeteries to be visited by you and Mrs. Fraas and Mrs. McClure.

It is believed that you and Mrs. Fraas and Mrs. McClure can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel room in New York. In view of the fact, however, that you are not to visit the same cemeteries, it will not be possible to quarter you together in Europe.

It is requested that you advise this office of the name, rank and organization of the deceased son or husband of Mrs. Cornelius Finney Cole. Upon receipt of this information, you will be advised whether or not Mrs. Cole may accompany you on the journey.

Notation has been made of your desire to stopover in Detroit, Michigan and Rock Island, Illinois, and as soon as details of routing have been determined, you will be advised as to the cost to you, if any, of such stopovers.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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293 Connelly Joseph L.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

September 8, 1930

Connolly, Joseph L. 1233 LP

Mrs. Julia McClure
3231 Flora Avenue
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Madam:

Your attention is invited to the enclosed copy of an Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, together with an amendment thereto, approved May 15, 1930.

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

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?

2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage
in the calendar year 1931?

3. Please give your age and state your
health.

Age
Condition of Health

4. Do you speak English?

5. What other language do you speak?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph L. 1233 LP

September 2, 1930

Mrs. Julia Connolly McClure,
3231 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of August 6, furnishing additional information, requested by this office, to substantiate your claim as having stood in loco parentis to the late Private, first class, Joseph L. Connolly.

Your claim has been favorably considered, and your name has been placed upon the list of mothers and widows who are eligible to make the journey in 1931. You will be communicated with when the pilgrimages are being arranged for that year.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph L. 1233 LP

July 29, 1930.

Mrs. Julia Connelly McClure,
3231 Flora Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of affidavits which you submitted to this office to substantiate your eligibility to make the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe under the Act of March 2, 1929 as amended May 15, 1930.

It is requested that you furnish this office with information as to whether the parents of the late Joseph L. Connelly were living, and to what extent they provided for their son during the period you stood in loco parentis to him.

Upon receipt of this information you will be advised relative to your eligibility to make the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Connelly, Joseph L. 1233

July 3, 1930

Mrs. Julia Connolly McClure,
3251 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Further reference is made to your letter of December 28, 1929, relative to your desire to make a pilgrimage to the grave of the late Joseph L. Connolly, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

Section 4 (a) of the Act was amended, under date of May 15, 1930, to read as follows: "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the soldier, sailor, or marine becoming eighteen years of age".

In order to satisfy the legal requirements, it will be necessary for you to furnish as proof of the relationship, in loco parentis, the affidavits of at least two persons who are not related to you.

In the event you believe yourself eligible, under this provision of the law, to make the pilgrimage, it is requested that the enclosed forms be completed and returned to this office in order that your eligibility under the Act may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Connolly, Joseph L.

January 22, 1930

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3251 Flora Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of December 28, 1929, relative to your desire to make the pilgrimage to the grave of your brother, the late Private Joseph L. Connolly, in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery in France, under provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

I appreciate the fact that you stood in loco parentis to your brother for a number of years; however, as explained in office letter of October 1, 1929, the only provision of the Act under which you might be considered for the privilege of making this pilgrimage is contained in Section 4 (a) thereof, which states "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for the year prior to the commencement of his service in such forces".

In view of the fact that your case does not come within the scope of this provision I regret to advise that you are ineligible, under the existing law, to make this pilgrimage at the expense of the Government.

For the Acting The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Connelly, Joseph L.

October 1, 1929

Mrs. Julia McClure,
3231 Flora Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of the form letter from this office of August 29, 1929, furnishing information requested in connection with the Gold Star Mothers' and Widows' Pilgrimage to Europe, authorized by the Act of March 3, 1929.

It is assumed you desire the privilege of making this pilgrimage under the provisions of Section 4 (a) of the Act, which states in part "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for the year prior to the commencement of his service in such forces".

It has been held that within the meaning of the law a person cannot stand in loco parentis to an adult unless such adult is mentally or physically incapacitated. No man who was mentally or physically incapacitated was accepted for service in the military or naval forces. Inasmuch as your brother Joseph L. Connelly, Private, Company E, 12th Engineers, was an adult at the time of the commencement of his service, his age having been 27 years and 1 month; no person could have stood in loco parentis to him for the year prior to his entry into the service. Therefore, I regret to advise that you are not eligible, within the meaning of the law, to make this pilgrimage at the expense of the Government.

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

August 29, 1929.

Connelly, Joseph L.
1233

Mrs. Julia McClure,
1308 Troost Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated May 28, 1929 making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Connelly, Joseph L

May 28 , 1929.

Mrs. Julia McClure,
1308 Troost Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the sister of the late Private Joseph L. Connelly, Co. E, 12th Engrs., whose remains are now interred in the St. Mihiel American Cemetery, Thiaucourt, Meurthe-et-Moselle, France.

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

FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Connelly, Joseph L.

INDEX SHEET

SYNOPSIS

3/25/24.

Letter
From:
To:

Quartermaster General.
QMSO., Washington D.C., Washington, DC.

Submitting list of people to whom flags are to be sent.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.

424 - (Flags)

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

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Joseph L. Connelly-serial-162516 OK.

Serial -162512- belongs to a discharged man.

mw

See 424 (Flaggs)
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FILE

The American Red Cross
National Headquarters
Washington, D. C.

With deep sympathy in your loss

Kansas City - Mo

March 16th 24

O.Q.M.G.

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Commodore
J. H. Hart

Quartermaster General

W. H. Hart

I have been Informed That
on application you would
furnish a Flag to The Mother
or Widow of each Soldier
who is to remain in France
I am The Sister and Foster
Mother of the Deceased.
who is buried their
name Joseph L. Connelley
Rank Private
Organization Co. E. 12th Engineers
Grave No 35 — Row — 4 Block D.
Cemetery St. Mihiel American
Location Thiaucourt-Meurthe. Et-Maell. France

Serial no 162.572

I Receive The Insurance and
feel as though I am entitled
to it if there is one furnished.

Mrs Julia Mc Elver
1446 Admiral Blvd

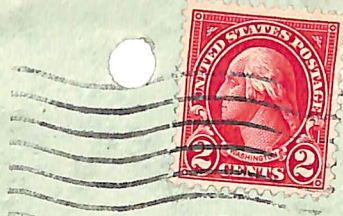
Kansas City Mo



MAR 20 1924

[Faint, illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

From
1446 Admiral Blair
Kansas City - Mo.



Quartermaster General
War Department
Washington
D. C.

CONNELLY, Joseph L., Pvt.

March 11, 1924

Mrs. Julia McClure,
1308 Troost Avenue,
Kansas City, Mo.

Dear Madam: 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. FOSTER

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #90580

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name CONNELLY, Joseph L. Ser. No. 162516
 (b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. E, 12th Engrs. TYP. evs ✓
 (c) Date of death 1/28/19 (d) Cause of death Accidental wounds CKR. 13.7.

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

(a) Grave No. 179 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 2 TYP. evs
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Julia McClure (Sister), 1308 Troost Ave.,
Kansas City, Mo. (over)

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

CKR. 13.7.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name (b) Relationship
 (c) Address
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.?
 (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 Date, 1920.

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

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

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

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

(a) Cancellation memos referred to?

Examiner's Initials MB Date 2-3-21, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1233 SHEET No. 690

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

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, _____ Cemetery Division, 1920.

Overseas Project Sub-Section

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on FEB 18 1921, 1920

MAR 4 1921

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.O.W.R.

Mrs. Julia McClure (sister)

1308 Troost Ave., Kansas City, Missouri

(2-25-21) CL

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Aug. 5, 1922

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

jc.

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name <u>CONNELLY, Joseph L</u>	10. Name _____
2. No. <u>162516</u>	11. No. _____
3. Rank <u>Pvt.</u>	12. Rank _____
4. Org. <u>Co. E. 12th Engrs.</u>	13. Org. _____
5. D.D. <u>Jan. 28th 1919</u>	14. (a) D.D. _____
6. C.D. <u>Accidental Wounds.</u>	(b) D.B. <u>None</u>

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. <u>179</u> Sec. <u>2</u>	15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
8. Plot <u>4</u> Row _____	16. Plot _____ Row _____
9. _____	17. <u>None</u>

18. Cemetery St. Mihiel American Cty.19. Commune or town THIAUCOURT20. Dept. or County M-et-M21. Country France22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 123323. Disinterred (Date) Aug. 5, 1922 By Charles P. Keating

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name CONNELLY, Joseph L. Serial No. 162516Rank Pvt. Organization Co. E. 12th Engrs.25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? No On body? YesSignature C.T. Brown Junior Technical AssistantC.T. Brown

PREPARATION

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

Tag on body reads: Jos. L. Connelly, 162516.27. Condition of body Badly decomposed, features unrecognizable.28. Nature of burial Wooden box, burlap and U.S. uniform29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Aug. 5, 1922 Charles P. Keating31. Casket sealed by Charles P. Keating

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

Charles P. KeatingAUDITED BY
157 11-8-23

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-29566

32. Designation of body:

Name Joseph L. CONNELLY Serial No. 162516

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. E. 12th Engrs.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery St. Mihiel American Cty. 1233 THIAUCOURT (M-et-M)

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Aug. 5, 1922 By Charles P. Keating

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, 1st Lt., Q.M.C.

36. Remarks

None

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Aug. 5, 1922

To point of Concentration

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

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

(Name)

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer

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

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred August 5, 1922

(Date)

42. Grave No. 35

Section

43. Plot Block D

Row 4

G.R.S. Representative

A. E. Dewey,
1st Lieut., Q.M.C.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Place Thiancourt, FranceDate August 5, 1922.1. REMAINS OF CONNELLY, Joseph L.SERIAL NUMBER 162516RANK PvtORGANIZATION Co., 12th Ingra2. Disinterred (date) : August 5, 1922

From (give complete location) :

Gr. 179 Sec 2 Plot 4 Cemetery 1233By : Group 3Unit Sec 1

3. Reburied (date)

August 5, 1922

In (give complete location) :

Gr 35 Row 4 Br DBy : Group Reburied

Unit

Nature of reburial

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

Wooden box, burlap and US uniformBadly decomposed. Features unrecognizable5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? yes On grave marker? no

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

Tag on body reads: "Jos. L. Connolly 162516"

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossibl 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

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

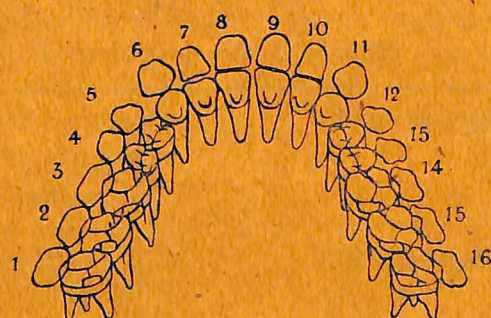
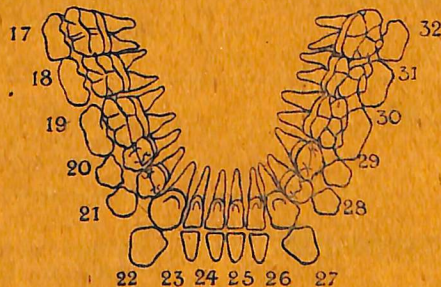
skull shattered, impossible to take tooth chart

Diagram represents the mouth wide open



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7. Disinterment
supervised byCharles P. Keating

Approved :

O B Davis
(Title) 1st Lieut QMC8. Reburial
supervised byH. L. Kramer
CONCENTRATION

Approved :

A. B. Dewey
(Title) 1st Lieut., A.M.C.

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

Enter information, as noted below, on reverse side of sheet in the *corresponding numbered space*. This form is supplemental to and is to be forwarded with G. R. S. Form 1-a, reporting reburial locations. To be used in answer to 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

File #90580

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name.....**CONNELLY, Joseph L.**.....Ser.No.....**168516**.....
 (b) Rank....**Pvt.**.....Organization**Co. E. 12th Engrs.**.....TYP....**EVS**.....
 Cause of**B.T.**
 (c) Date of death **1/28/19**.....death**Accidental wounds**

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

(a) Grave No. **179** RowPlot.....**4**.....Sect.....**2**.....TP....**EVS**.....
 (b) Emerg. Address **Mrs. Julia McClure (Sister), 1508 Troost Ave.,**
Kansas City, Mo.

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

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

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V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on.....192.....
 (letter of transmittal on.....**FEB 18**.....192.....
**1921**.....

Par. 2 Not to be returned.

MAY 1 - 1921

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

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.....192.....

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

CEMETERY NO.

SHEET NO.

S/666/LML

1233

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PRIORITY 104

FEB 28 1921 **J.L.**

WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON

APR 2 1921

FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.

To: Mrs. Julia McClure, 1308 Troost Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. Joseph L. Connolly Ser No. 162516 Co. E 12 Engrs

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named made no
request for the disposition of his remains

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? _____

NAME OF—	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. { 1			
(Name oldest first.) { 2			
{ 3			
Father			
Mother			
Brothers. { 1			
(Name oldest first.) { 2			
{ 3			
Sisters. { 1			
(Name oldest first.) { 2			
{ 3			

Date _____

Signature _____

Address _____

Relationship _____

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Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Division

Address _____ Relationship _____
Date _____ Signature _____

I, the undersigned, am the _____ and nearest living next of kin of the within-named
(Relationship.)
soldier, and desire the following disposition of his remains, viz:
(Strike out all except the one showing the disposition desired.)

1. As stated on first page of this sheet.

2. To be returned to the U. S. and shipped to _____
(Name.)

(R. R. station.) _____ (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.

Soldier's children _____
Soldier's widow _____

Signature _____

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.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Connelly *162516* *Joseph L.*
 (Surname) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Port. Co. E. 12 Eng. (Light Railway)
 (Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... *Jan 30, 1919*

PLACE OF BURIAL... *Briey France*

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

GRAVE NUMBER... *54* *Plot I*

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? *Yes* Cross? *Yes*

Headboard? *Yes* Bottle? *Yes*

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:

Briey (M + m)
598 *SHT. 365. E. COORD* { *E-369.0*
(C) { *N-274.0*
App

REPORTED BY: *Erasmus Dooly*
Chaplain Evac. Hosp. No 18
 (Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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Communal List No. 598-19421
Daily Report No.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
CENETERIAL DIVISION

Harlow C.W. OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

FILE

NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER

CEMETERY NO.

DATE

Connelly, Joseph L., Pvt.

1233 - 690

2/4/21.

SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

162516

Co. E, 12th Engrs.

Date of death - 1/26/19.

Adjustment Made
1922

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Orig att. 7-115- (2-25-21) CL

DATE

File No. 90580
1922

NAME OF BENEFICIARY

RELATIONSHIP

Address

Mrs. Julia C. McClure

Sister

S/709/LML

1308 Troost Ave., Kansas City, Missouri