

Dahill,

(Surname.)

Stephen ~~Barnard~~ 135,059

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt 1c1

Btry D 102 FA ~~Barnard~~

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased Mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? No.

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery? } (Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.) (Express office.) (Telegraph office.)

Mrs Margaret E Dahill

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(over) (Sign here) 120 Robeson St

New Bedford Mass

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Letter Sent to:

Mrs W. Dahill
120 Robeson St.,
New Bedford, ^NMass.

Drawn by mks
608-705
12-14-20

Checked
14-15-20
W. S. M.

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To The A. S. G.

G.R.S. Form #114-B

2252

JAN 7 - 1926

FULL NAME ... DAHILL, Stephen B.

RANK... Private, First Class

SERIAL

135059

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ... Battery D, 102nd Field Artillery

26 Div

DATE OF DEATH...

July 22, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME...

Mass

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED.

none

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION...

37-
-1

28-
-23

B

Date

Grave

Row

Block

608

Cemetery

Walker

Robert O. Davis,
Major General,
The Adjutant General,
By *CRK*

JAN 7 - 1926

3 A.G.O.
JAN 8 1926
WORLD WAR DIV.

AUDITED BY
202 8-1-24

23/306/ARK



JAN 9 26
M. & R. BRANCH
O. Q. M. G.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Dahill, 135059, Stephen B.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. 1st. Class Btry D, 102d P.A.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... 23 July 18

PLACE OF BURIAL... { 2 k. no. of
Chambrisant Farm
5 km. of Chateaufort
(Give Cemetery, Town and Department.) Map reference must
specify clearly what map is used. *issue*

Coordinates of Military Cemetery...
85.765
62546 *in woods*

Conde-En-Brie $\frac{1}{20,000}$

GRAVE NUMBER... #4

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross? Yes

Headboard? 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 :

REPORTED BY :

Francis K. Cameron 2nd Lt. 102d P.A.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Dahill, Stephen B.
P.F.C.

Gold Star Pilgrimages
Party I, Sailing June 23, 1939

Route Going and Returning: HESS Co.

Itinerary:

June 23, Leave New Bedford Wharf	6:45P.M. EST Boat
June 24, Arrive New York (Pier 14 ER)	6:00A.M. EST Boat

Stateroom on boat, New Bedford Wharf to New York.

Elapsed time, 11 hrs. 15 min.

Dahill, Mrs. Margaret E. I-9
27 Bullock St., New Bedford, Mass.

Party I

MEDICAL RECORD

Dahill, Stephen B.
PFC, Baty D, 102 FA
26 Div

Station: Republic

Date: _____

Name Dahill, Mrs. E. J.

Home address 27 Pollock St., New Bedford, Mass.

Address of Nearest friend or relative Mr. E. J. Dahill

same address

Religion Catholic

Age 70

History of Present complaint:

7/7/30 recovered, O.K. A.W.K.

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

(over)

Diagnosis and complications: (*include dates*)

July 4th, ingrown Rt toe-nail

Treatment and Progress: (*include dates*)

July 4th, incised, cleansed,
5th, dressed.

Argyrol 15% swab

Disposition: (*include dates*)

Remarks: Toenail incised, wound clean, should be looked at in a week.
E.H. Linnehan, MD.

V. Mistovi

Dahill, Stephen B.

MEDICAL RECORD Party J. Group II

PFC, Baty D, 102 F.A. 26 Div.

Station: de Paris, Paris

Date: 12th July 1930

Name Mrs. Margarete Dahill

Home address 27 Bullock St, New Bedford Mass.

Address of Nearest friend or relative Edward Dahill (son)

179 Highland St, Taunton, Mass.

Religion Catholic Age 70

History of Present complaint: July 12th. Rheumatic pain in knee -
Baume Benque applied.

July 16th - 30 To Cherbourg - Beach

(over)

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Diagnosis and complications : (*include dates*)

Treatment and Progress : (*include dates*)

Disposition : (*include dates*)

Remarks :

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Dahill	3	418
BURIED	CEMETERY 608	1	2
	GRAVE 37	2	37
	ROW 28	2	28
	BLOCK 13	1	2
STATE	Mass.	2	25
RANK	Pvt. 1/cl	1	2
DIVISION	26	2	26
ORGANIZATION	102	3	102
ARM	7 A	1	3
MARITAL	no	1	2
NAME	Dahill	3	418
RESIDENCE	STATE Mass	2	25
	COUNTY Bristol	2	03
	CITY New Bedford	3	102
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	YR. 1930	1	
29/514	yes	1	

Sailed June 25, 1930

Quoted OCT 9 1931 ad

Age

69

Party "I" - Itinerary - Oise-Aisne Group

Sailed June 25, 1930 on SS REPUBLIC. Capt. F. M. Child and Lt. G. E. Young in charge. Arrived Cherbourg 10.30 pm July 5th. Tender arrived 5.35 am July 6th, bearing Major Dailey and 8 other officers; 4 nurses and 2 civilian employees. Train left at 8.21 am. Arrived Gare des Invalides 2.15 pm. Met by Col. Ellis, members of his staff and a detail of interpreters and nurses.

July 7th. Morning devoted to transaction of personal business. Exchange of money, preparation of laundry, etc. Left hotel by bus at 3 pm for Arc de Triomphe where Mrs. Emmeline Neubert placed a wreath on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Tea and reception at Restaurant Laurent after ceremony. Returned to hotel for dinner. Evening free.

July 8th. Morning free. Lunch at hotel. 1.40 pm left for Rendez vous point Via Porte de Pantin, 4.00 pm arrive La Ferte s/s Jouarre. Rest stop Hotel de la Terrasse. Left La Ferte s/s Jouarre 4.30 pm. Via Chateau-Thierry. Arrive Soissons 6.15 pm. ~~xxxxxxx~~

July 9th, July 10th. Daily trips from Soissons to Oise-Aisne American Cemetery.

July 11th. Visited Cemetery in morning. Lunch at Hotels Soissons. 2.00 pm left Soissons Via Vaurains Ferme, right on to Chemin-des-Dames, Craonne, Corbeny, Berry-aubac. Arrive Reims 4.45 pm. Dinner and sleep Hotel Bristol Crystal.

July 12th. Left ~~Rix~~ Reims 8.00 pm Via Fismes. Arrive Soissons 10.00 am. Rest stop Hotel Lion Rouge. Left Soissons 10.30 am. Arrived Compiègne 12.00 noon. Lunch Hotel Rond Royal & du Golf. Left Compiègne 2.00 pm. Via La Croix St. Ouen, Senlis. Arrived Chantilly 4.00 pm. Rest stop Hotel du Parc. Left Chantilly 4.30 pm. Arrived Paris 5.45 pm. Dinner at hotel.

July 13th. Morning free. Lunch at Hotel. 2.15 pm depart sightseeing trip Paris Sacre Coeur. Dinner at Hotel.

July 14th. Fontainebleau via Melun. Lunch Hotel Legris. Visit Chateau. Arrived Paris 6.30 pm. Dinner at Hotel.

July 15th. Morning free. Lunch at hotel. 2.15 pm left for visit Louvre. Dinner at hotel. Sightseeing Night Trip.

July 16th. Versailles. Lunch Belle Cycliste. Afternoon free. Dinner at hotel.

July 17th. Boat train for Cherbourg 10.30 am. Arrived Cherbourg 4.13 pm. SS AMERICA sailed shortly after 6.10 pm. Capt. Child and Lt. Young in charge. Arrived New York July 26th.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill

41673

NAME DAHILL, MRS. MARGARET E.

S.S. AMERICA

JUL 25 1930

HOME NEW BEDFORD, BRISTOL COUNTY, MASS.

R.R. New England SS. to dest

STATION

TRAIN #

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE

Aug 23-30

Mr. Edward Dahill
179 Highland St.,
Taunton, Mass

Name DAHILL, Mrs. Margaret E.,
HOTEL DE PARIS
Paris Hôtel BOULEVARD DE LA MADELEINE
Home address 27 Bullock St., New Bedford, Bristol County, Massachusetts
Party I Group 2 Unit SS. REPUBLIC.
Date of arrival July 6, 1930. Date of departure SS. AMERICA. July 17, 1930.
Relationship Mother
Name of deceased DAHILL, Stephen B.
Rank Pvt. 1 cl. Organization Bty. D, 102d F.A.
Cemetery Oise-Aisne

REMARKS

Desires quarters with Mrs. COOK, Annie G. 6 Green St., New Bedford, Mass.
See Group O.A.



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

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

Party I
 Number 1673

DAHILL, STEPHEN B.

Q.A.

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

MRS. MARGARET E. DAHILL

Name of Traveler
 NEW BEDFORD, BRISTOL COUNTY

Home Address
 MASS.

Estimate cost of through Pullman.

New York, to NEW BEDFORD, MASS.

515 \$ *2.25*

New York, to NEW BEDFORD, MASS.
 Destination.

Via S.S. NEW ENGLAND (S.S. COMMONWEALTH)

via Providence

JULY 27, 1930

Date of Departure

LIMIT - AUG 23-30

	Road	Tr. NO.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	car	U.S.G. Order NO.	Est. Cost
<i>12 Mid night</i>								
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TOTAL

Remarks:

Escorted to pier by Capt. Richard Cornell

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WAR DEPARTMENT
PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS & WIDOWS
225 WEST 34TH ST., N. Y., N. Y., ROOM 901

VIA POSTAL.

A. C. TIPPON
MAJOR INF. (POL).

JULY 26 1950.

MRS CHARLES BRADLEY
27 BULLOCK STREET
NEW BEDFORD MASS.

MRS MARGARET E DAHILL
ARRIVED SAFELY WILL BE HOME TUESDAY 11 A.M.

COLONEL WILLIAMS

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill, Party "I", Hotel McAlpin.

June 10th, 1930

Mrs. Margaret E. Dehill,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

Please attach the enclosed tags to each piece of baggage, thus to protect the safe arrival of same in New York.

Upon your arrival in this City, you will be met at the Railroad Station by a United States Army Officer, in uniform, who will wear on the left sleeve of his coat a blue cloth band, showing a Gold Star and the word "Pilgrimage". This officer will escort you and your baggage to your Hotel in New York City.

For The Officer in Charge:

L. Bays

George F. R. Taylor,
1st. Lieut., C.M. Corps,
Assistant.

Enclosures:
2 tags.

WAR DEPARTMENT



OFFICIAL BUSINESS



PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE \$300.



PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

NAME Dahill, Mrs. Margaret E.

I

ADDRESS 27 Bullock St. New Bedford, Mass.

DATE July 28, 1930

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

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

SINCERELY,

(SIGNED) Mrs Margaret E. Dahill

STATE

M

... MASSACHUSETTS

*Dahill, Stephen B.*27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford

Dahill, Mrs. Margaret E.

NAME HOME ADDRESS

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN
Mr. Ed. Dahill 179 Highland St.
Taunton, Mass.ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

JUN 24 1930

PARAMOUNT

DATE HOTEL ROOM NO.

*with Mr. James Kelly*DEPARTURE NEW YORK

JUN 25 1930

DATE VESSEL ... S/S REPUBLIC ... CABIN NO. ... 342-C

DESTINATION CHERBOURG CEMETERY O. A.

MEDICAL RECORD

JULY 2, 1930

Party: "I"

----- Eastbound
S. S. REPUBLIC Westbound

Name MRS. A. M. DAHILL

Home Address

Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Religion

Age

History of present complaint:

JULY 4, 1930.

JULY 5, 1930.

INGROWING NAIL, GREAT TOE. R. FT. INCISED.

ING. RT. TOE NAIL INCISED, CLEANED.

PRESS. ON LEFT FOOT D.S.D.

(OVER)

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

Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks:

Party I
V. Mintovt, R.N.

MEDICAL RECORD

Station: de Paris

Date: July 12, 1930

Name Dahill, Mrs. Margaret 40.c.

Home address 27 Bullock St., New Bedford, Mass.

Address of Nearest friend or relative 179 Highland St., Taunton, Mass.

Son, Edward Dahill

Religion Catholic

Age 70

History of Present complaint: July 12th, Rheumatic pain in knee.
Baume Bengue applied.

July 17th, to Cherbourg Beach.

7/24/30 Cond. good
R.W.

(over)

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Diagnosis and complications : (*include dates*)

Treatment and Progress : (*include dates*)

Disposition : (*include dates*)

Remarks :

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1 DeLair

MEDICAL RECORD

Republic Eastbound
S. S. _____ Westbound

Party: "9" _____

Name Mrs E. J. Dahill ^{D-4} _____

Home Address 27 Pollock St. New Bedford, Mass. _____

Name and address of nearest relative or friend Mr. E. J. Dahill
_____ same address _____

Religion Cath. _____ Age 70 _____

History of present complaint:

7/7/30 - Recovered on aw

(OVER)

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

Diagnosis and complications: (include dates) July 4 - Inguinal Rt toe nail

Treatment and Progress: (include dates) July 4 - Incised - cleansed - 15% Argrol swab.
" 5 Dressed
July 22 - Old injury to knee - Banded.

Disposition: (include dates)

7/24/30 Cond. good K.W.
miser.

Remarks:

Toenail incised - wound clean. Should be
looked at in a wk. E. Hume (W.D.).

RETURN NEW YORK

JUL 26 1930

DATE

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 NAME ... Dabill, Mrs. Margaret E. ... HOME ADDRESS 27 Bullock St., ...
 New Bedford, *Mass*
 RETURN ON S. S. S/S AMERICA HOTEL MCALPIN ROOM NO. 917

with Mrs James Kelley Jr

DEPARTURE NEW YORKDATE 7/27

ROAD TRAIN CAR BERTH or SEAT

REMARKS

Pier 14 - Bullock St. NYC.
S. Providence, Room 515

MEDICAL RECORD

Party: "I"

S. S. JULY 22, k 1930. *Eastbound*
Westbound

Name MRS. MARGARET DAHILL

Home Address

Name and address of nearest relative or friend

Religion

Age

History of present complaint:

OLD INJURY TO KNEE

BANDAGED.

(OVER)

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Diagnosis and complications: (include dates)

Treatment and Progress: (include dates)

Disposition: (include dates)

Remarks:

BEDF
MAY 31
3 PM
1930
MASS

Post Office Department

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

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OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 926718

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

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AND DATE OF DELIVERY

Q. M. GENERAL

MUNITIONS BUILDING

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Street and Number, }
or Post Office Box, }

Post Office at _____

State Washington, D. C.

1736

Republic 6/25/30 608
RETURN RECEIPT.

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

Margaret E. Dahill
(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, 5/31/30, 192

Form 3811

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Deliver to addressee only.

Post Office Department

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AND DATE OF DELIVERY

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(NAME OF SENDER)

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State

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608

RETURN RECEIPT.

Republic 6/25/30

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

Miss Margaret E. Dahl

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, 6/9/30, 192

QM 293 A-M
Dhill, Stephen B. 608 M

August 8, 1950.

Mrs. Margaret B. Dhill,
27 Mallock Street,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The testimonial dated July 25th to the Secretary of War, which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS America were so kind as to send regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, has been referred to me for reply.

It is gratifying to know that the officers of the Army and the nurse in charge of your group rendered such courteous and efficient 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 shown by the mothers and widows who are making the pilgrimage.

I am indeed pleased to receive such complimentary remarks concerning the care and consideration shown the women making the journey by the personnel connected with the pilgrimage.

Sincerely yours,

J. L. DeWITT,
Major General,
The Quartermaster General.

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Dunhill, Stephen B. - 608

June 6, 1930.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dunhill,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Mass.

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. New Bedford Wharf	NEBS Co.	6:45 PM	(EST)	BOAT	June 23
Ar. New York (Pier 1-4HR)	" "	6:00 AM	"	"	" 24

Mrs. by Maj. Frederic W. Whitney

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

Dahill, Stephen B. 608 M

June 6, 1930

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill
27 Bullock Street
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

There is enclosed herewith Check No. ~~338,317~~ in the amount of \$ 5.00, to pay for your meals and incidental expenses from your home to New York on the pilgrimage authorized by the Act of March 2, 1929.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

1 Incl.
Check No.

May 19, 1930

QM 293 A-C

Kelley, James J. 1704 H

✓ Dahill, Stephen 606 H

Cook, Edward H. 606 H

Q32 Moore, Thos. H. 1252 H

for letter

Mrs. Agnes Moore,
50 Durfee Street,
New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 14 relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. James Kelley, Jr., Mrs. Margaret Dahill and Mrs. Annie G. Cook when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "Republic" June 25, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and that you can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

R. E. SHANNON,
Captain, U. S. Corps,
Assistant.

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QM 293 A-C

Orig Kelley, James J. 1764
Dahill, Stephen B. 608
Cook, Edward E. 608
Moore, Thomas N. 1232

for Patton
May 5, 1930

Mrs. James Kelley, Jr.,
297 Austin Street,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 24, 1930 relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill, Mrs. Edward Cook, and Mrs. Agnes Moore, when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "Republic" June 25, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and you can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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April 21, 1930

QM 293 A-C
Cook, Edward E. 608
Kelley, James J. 1764
Moore, Thomas N. 1232
X Dahill, Stephen B. 608

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 14 relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. Agnes Moore, Mrs. M. B. Kelley and Mrs. Annie G. Cook when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "Republic" on June 25, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and that you can be placed in the same cabins aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

Notation has also been made of your emergency address, Edward J. Dahill, 179 Highland St., Taunton, Massachusetts.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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Bullock St
New Bedford Mass.
April 14. 1930

Quatermaster General Ref. QM 293 A-C.
War Dept.
Wash D.C.

Bristol Co
608

Dear Sir - Referring to my trip to France
in June 25th as a gold star mother please
attempt to quarter me with the following -

X Mrs. Annie G Cook Edward E. Cook - 608
6 Green St New Bedford Mass.
Bristol Co

X Mrs. M. B. Kelley James J. Kelley - 1764
297 Austin St. Bristol Co

X Mrs. Agnes Moore Thomas N. Moore - 1232
50 Dunfer St Bristol Co

Sincerely Yours.
all four accept
Margaret E Dahill
Republic June 25

C.S. Kindly considered my emergency address as

Edward J Dahill
179 Highland St.
Taunton
Mass



Noted
Notations made
they desire quarters
together

293 - Dahill, Stephen B.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 5, 1930.

Dahill, Stephen B. 608 M

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Dahill, Stephen B

I accept the invitation extended
(Accept or decline)

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

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill

(Name)

27 Bullock St., New Bedford, Bristol County,

(Town or City)

Massachusetts.

(State)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Dahill, Stephen B. 608-M.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

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Dear Madam:

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

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

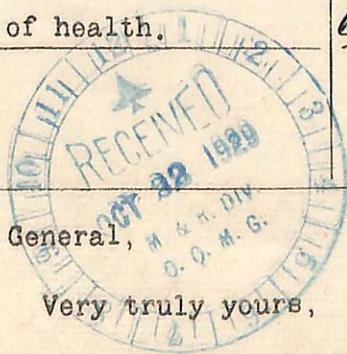
1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	(No) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age 69 (Years)	Health (Good) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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New Bedford
Mass
27 Bullock St

Mother-Margaret E. Dahill

Son-

Name- Stephen Bernard Dahill

Rank- Private- 1/ Class

Organization-Battery D 102 F.A.

Grave No. 37 Row 28 Block "B"

Cemetery Oise-Aisne American Cemetery

Location-Seringes-et Nesles Ainsé, France

Grading letter

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dahill, Stephen B.

June 24, 1929.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Pvt. 1st Cl. Stephen B. Dahill, Bat.D, 102nd F.A., 26th Div., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

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


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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

My son was never married.

Margaret E. Dahill

QM 293 A-M
Dahill, Stephen B. 608 M

August 8, 1930.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The testimonial dated July 26th to the Secretary of War, which you and the other mothers and widows returning on the SS America were so kind as to send regarding your pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, has been referred to me for reply.

It is gratifying to know that the officers of the Army and the nurse in charge of your group rendered such courteous and efficient 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 shown by the mothers and widows who are making the pilgrimage.

I am indeed pleased to receive such complimentary remarks concerning the care and consideration shown the women making the journey by the personnel connected with the pilgrimage.

Sincerely yours,

J. L. DeWITT,
Major General,
The Quartermaster General.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dahill, Stephen B. 608-M

June 12, 1930

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam:

Somewhat heavier clothing is required to be worn in Europe than is necessary in the United States, in order to be comfortable. During the summer in Europe it is cool during the day and the nights are frequently chilly. Considerable rain is usually encountered during this time.

In order that you may be comfortable at all times, regardless of the condition of the weather, and may avoid missing any of the sights or any part of the itinerary which has been planned for you, the following suggestions are made.

The clothing which you will take with you should be slightly heavier and warmer than you would normally wear in the United States during the summer and should be strong and durable. It is essential that you take with you the necessary equipment to afford protection from the cold and dampness. Be sure to take at least two pairs of comfortable shoes to provide a change in the event your feet become wet, a pair of rubbers, an umbrella, and a sweater or some warm wrap to be used should the weather become uncomfortably cool. It is very desirable that, in addition to the sweater, you have with you a full length coat of medium weight for general wear.

The shortages of suitable facilities for laundry and the frequency of the moves you will make while in Europe will make it impracticable to secure as frequent service of this nature as may be desired. You should therefore provide yourself with sufficient underwear, nightgowns, stockings and handkerchiefs to meet your requirements should it be impossible to have your washing done more frequently than once in two weeks.

If you will read carefully the suggestions made above, and comply with them, it will add greatly to your comfort throughout the trip and will assist the Government in carrying out successfully its plans for conducting the pilgrimage. This letter is being sent to every mother and widow who has accepted the invitation sent to her by the Government to visit the grave of her son or husband.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-C
Dahill, Stephen B. 608-M

June 2, 1930.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

The acceptances from the mothers and widows who are to make the pilgrimage to France, sailing on the SS REPUBLIC, June 25, 1930, are far in excess of the number anticipated, and due to this fact this boat will be somewhat crowded and the accommodations will not be as satisfactory as The War Department desires to furnish. Over 300 women have accepted invitations to sail on this boat and it is desired if possible to reduce this number to around 200 by voluntary transfers of women who are booked to sail.

Much more comfortable accommodations can be furnished on the SS REPUBLIC, sailing August 30, 1930, and should you change your sailing date to August 30th, a more comfortable trip can be assured.

If you desire to change from June 25th to August 30th, please notify this office at once, in order that the necessary adjustments can be made.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-C

May 19, 1930

Kelley, James J.	1764 M
Dahill, Stephen	808 M
Cook, Edward E.	808 M
Moore, Thos. W.	1232 M

Mrs. Agnes Moore,
50 Burfee Street,
New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 14 relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. James Kelley, Jr., Mrs. Margaret Dahill and Mrs. Annie G. Cook when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "Republic" June 25, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and that you can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

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
~~Dahill, Stephen E. 1252-M~~
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May 8, 1930

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

Requests for stop-overs on return from the pilgrimage to the American cemeteries in Europe are being received by this office, in some cases, too late to take action.

Transportation arrangements for the round-trip are made a month before departure and requests for stop-overs on return must be in this office at that time.

Stop-overs can not be allowed on the trip to New York or in Europe, but may be allowed at any point on return from New York provided there is no additional cost or, if there is, that it is paid in advance by the pilgrim.

If you desire stop-overs at any point on return, please advise this office AT ONCE as to the cities where you desire to stop and we will be glad to arrange accordingly, or advise you if there is any additional cost to be paid by you. Send your request direct to this office and do NOT include it with your passport application.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

QM 205 A-C

Kelley, James J. 1764

Dahill, Stephen E. 608

Cook, Edward E. 608

Moore, Thomas H. 1232

May 5, 1930

Mrs. James Kelley, Jr.
297 Austin Street,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 24, 1930 relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill, Mrs. Edward Cook, and Mrs. Agnes Moore, when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "Republic" June 25, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and you can be placed in the same cabin aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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293 Dahill, Stephen B. 608

April 21, 1930

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 14 relative to your desire to be quartered with Mrs. Agnes Moore, Mrs. M. B. Kelley and Mrs. Annie G. Cook when you make the pilgrimage to the grave of your son, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929, sailing on the SS "Republic" on June 25, 1930.

Notation has been made of your desire and it is believed that your wishes can be complied with and that you can be placed in the same cabins aboard ship and in the same hotel rooms in New York and Paris.

Notation has also been made of your emergency address, Edward J. Dahill, 179 Highland St., Taunton, Massachusetts.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Dahill, Stephen B. 608 M

April 5, 1930.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to QM 293 A-C

Dahill, Stephen B. 608-M

March 25, 1930

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Massachusetts.
Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Dahill, Stephen B. 608-M.

Mrs. Margaret B. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 24, 1929.

Dahill, Stephen B.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Pvt. 1st Cl. Stephen B. Dahill, Bat. D, 102nd F.A., 26th Div., whose remains are now interred in the Oise-Aisne American Cemetery, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-C

Dahill, Stephen B.

February 23, 1929.

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:

In order to conform to the plans for beautification of the permanent American Military Cemeteries in Europe it has been necessary to make a re-arrangement of the graves in these Cemeteries, which may be considered as permanent for all time.

The enclosed card gives the final resting place of your son, the late Stephen B. Dahill, Private, first class, Battery D, 102nd F. A.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

J. McCLINTOCK,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-C

DAHILL, Stephen B. - Pvt. 1cl

November 5, 1925

Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill,
27 Bullock St.,
New Bedford, Mass.

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 overseas military cemetery is to be maintained by the United States for all time. The graves will be permanently marked by white headstones inscribed with the name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. Headstones will be placed at all graves, as soon as possible, and without necessity 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 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,

L.W. REDINGTON,
Major, Q.M.G.,
Assistant.

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March 7, 1921.

File No. 393.8 Gen.Div.Cor.Br.
(DAHILL, Stephen B.)

Mrs. Margaret B. Dahill,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:-

Receipt of shipping inquiry of recent date relative to the remains of your son, the late Private First Class Stephen B. Dahill, serial number 185059, Battery D, 102nd Field Artillery, is acknowledged.

In accordance with your desire, the remains will be left in France for burial in a permanent American Cemetery. You are assured that the grave site will always be maintained as a fitting memorial of the late soldier's sacrifice.

The Department wishes to convey to you renewed assurance of its sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General;

R. B. SHANNON,
Captain, Q.M.C.,
Officer in Charge.

MAILED
MAR 11 1921
COR BR. C. R. S.

BY:

F. C. DALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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Noted on Form No. 107
Date 3/16/21

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March 7, 1921

File No. 233.8 Gen. Div. Coy. Dr.
(DANIEL, Stephen B.)

Mrs. Margaret M. Daniel,
27 Bullock Street,
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Madam:-

Receipt of shipping inquiry of record date
relative to the remains of your son, the late Private
First Class Stephen B. Daniel, serial number 18859,
Battery D, 103rd Field Artillery, is acknowledged.

In accordance with your desire, the remains
will be left in France for burial in a permanent moun-
tain cemetery. You are assured that the grave also
will always be maintained as a fitting memorial of the
late soldier's sacrifice.

The Department wishes to convey to you renewed
assurance of its sympathy in your bereavement.

By authority of the Quartermaster General,

H. H. SHANNON,
Captain, G.S.C.,
Officer in Charge.

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G. H. S.



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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON
Hoboken, N.J.
FEB 2 1921

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

To: Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill, ~~120 Robertson St.~~ ^{27 Bullock St.}, New Bedford, Mass.

SUBJECT: Remains of Pvt. 1/cl Stephen B. Dahill, Ser. No. 135059, Bat. D., 102nd F.A.

The records of this office show that you have requested that the body of the above-named soldier remain in Europe. *Yes, Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill*

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.

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

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

Was soldier married? *No*

NAME OF--	NO. AND STREET.	TOWN.	STATE.
Soldier's widow			
Soldier's children. (Name oldest first.)			
Father <i>Deceased</i>			
Mother <i>Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill</i>	<i>27 Bullock Street</i>	<i>New Bedford</i>	<i>Mass</i>
Brothers. (Name oldest first.)	<i>1 Edward J. Dahill</i>	<i>74 Waburn Street</i>	<i>Reading Mass</i>
	<i>2 William Bolton Dahill</i>	<i>57 Glenville Ave</i>	<i>Allston Mass</i>
	<i>3 Maurice Charles Dahill</i>	<i>Shartbury & Co Store</i>	<i>New Haven Conn</i>
Sisters. (Name oldest first.)	<i>1 Sister Deceased</i>		
	<i>2 Helen Francis Dahill</i>		

*Noted 2/15
2/25/21-mf*

Date

Signature

Address

Relationship

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.

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.

REGISTRATION SERVICE
CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH

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.

FEB 11 1921

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK.

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

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Dahill, 135059, Stephen B.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Pvt. 1st Class Btry D, 102d F.A.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL 23 July 18

PLACE OF BURIAL ^{1/2 m. n. of} *Champsant Farm*
5 K. n. of Leblanc Ferry
(Give Cemetery, Town and Department.) Map reference must specify clearly what map is used. *Rive*

Coordinates of Military Cemetery

85.765
62546

in woods

Conde-En-Brie $\frac{1}{20,000}$

GRAVE NUMBER #4

HOW MARKED: ~~Name~~ ~~Key~~? Cross? Yes

~~Headboard~~? 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 :

REPORTED BY :

J. H. Cannon 1st Lt. 102d F.A.
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

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1. U. S. Form No. 1.

Hq. U. S. File

2. Soldier's No.

3. Dahill, 135057, Stephen B.
Surname (In Block Letters) First Name and Initials

4. Pvt. D, 102nd F. A.
Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Date of Death Cause, if known

6. Date of Burial Cemetery

7. Town or Commune (In Block Letters) Department

8. 27 84- I. G. MYERS
Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

9. Name Peg?..... Cross?..... Headboard?..... Bottle?.....
Check Method of Marking

10. Buried with Body?..... 1 Attached to Grave Marker?..... 1
Identification Tags

11. If name unknown and tags missing, give marks and description

Exhumed -

Fr. woods NW of Champluisant Fe.

12. Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

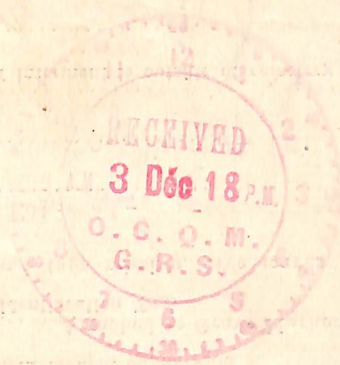
13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed RBBA 880 GROUP N° 1

Unit 303 G. R. S. G. R. S.

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Refer to this

(Office)

No. **6715**

INQUIRY

Request by Mr. Galligan.Hotel Louvois.

European address _____

New Bedford, Mass.Relationship to dec'd Friend.

For location grave of:-

Dahill, 135050, Stephen B.

Last name Serial No. First name

Pvt. 1/c1 Bat. D, 102nd F.A.

Rank Org. Date of death

7/27/21.

Date of request _____

Recd. by _____

(Initials) HK Other information:Died 7/22/18.

INFORMATION FURNISHED

Location of grave Country

#608. Seringes-et-Nesles.

Cemetery Commune (town) Dept.

Amer/ B/A Cty. Aisne.Grave No. 53 Section BPlot 2 Row _____

Furnished by _____ Date _____

(Initials)

FROM: ~~C. O. M. G.~~
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
Munitions Building
Room 1128

PLEASE
EXPEDITE

WAR. DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 12/16/20.

File No. *10715* Registration.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

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|---|----------------------------------|
| a. Surname Dahill, | f. Date of death 7-22-18. |
| b. Christian name Stephen B.
(Stephen Barnard) | g. Cause of death K/A. |
| c. Serial Number 135059. | h. Authority (C.O.#) |
| d. Organization Bat. D, 102nd FA. | i. Emergency address |
| e. Rank Pvt. 1/cl. | j. Relationship |

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

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

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

- a. Strike out teeth missing
- | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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FILE

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

BY: *H. J. Conner*

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

CEMETERY NO: 608.

SHEET NO: 705.
TYPED BY: rln.

8/713/IML

Rec'd World War Div.
Date **DEC 16 1920**

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WAR. DEPARTMENT

Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-7
Information requested of A.G.O.

Date 12/16/20.

File No. Requisition.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

- a. Surname Dahill,
- b. Christian name Stephen B.
(~~Stephen Barnard~~)
- c. Serial Number 135059.
- d. Organization Bat. D, 102nd FA.
- e. Rank Pvt. 1/cl.
- f. Date of death 7-22-18.
- g. Cause of death K/A.
- h. Authority (C.O.#)
- i. Emergency address
- j. Relationship

BODY DESCRIPTION

(See page #2 of the Service Record)

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

DENTAL CHARTS

(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

- a. Strike out teeth missing
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- 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left

FILE

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

BY: *H. J. Conner*
H. J. CONNER,
1st. Lieut. Q.M.C.

CEMENTERY NO: 608.

SHEET NO: 705.
TYPED BY: rln.

8/713/LML

Rec'd World War Div.
Date **DEC 16 1920**

*Donnelly LPH
EPS 707 12/10*

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AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
HEADQUARTERS SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTLERMASTER, A.E.F.
GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE

Reference-6715.

May 15th 1919.

FROM : Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO : Edward F. Dahill, Jr. Sgt. QMC., Co. I. 8th Regt.
American E.F.
SUBJECT: Private Stephen B. Dahill, Baty. D. 102nd F.A.
26th Div. American E.F.

In reply to your letter of inquiry, with reference to the
regretted death of this soldier, according to the records at these
headquarters he is buried in Grave No. 97, Plot-84, American
Military Cemetery at EPIEDS, Department of AISNE.

By direction:

(Enclosures G.R.S.:)
(10-B, .004.5)

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., U.S.A.

MBD-cb

Per

MAURICE B. DIX,
Captain, American Red Cross
Representative assigned to
Graves Registration Service.

Q.M.Serg't.E.F.Dahill. Jr
U.S.Army A.P.O. 909
A.E.F. France.



Graves Registration Bureau.

Hdq's S. O. S.

Tours, (Indre et Loire) France.

A.P.O. 717





Mrs Margaret E Dahill

New Address

27 Bullock St

old. 12 s. Roberson St

Address

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE January 18, 1928

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

1. Name DAHILL, Stephen B.

10. Name

2. No. 135059

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt., 1/cl.

12. Rank

4. Org. Bty. D, 102nd F.A.

13. Org.

5. D.D. July 22, 1918

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA.

(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 1 Sec.

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot Block B Row 23

16. Plot Row

9.

17.

18. Cemetery Oise-Aisne

19. Commune or town Seringes-et-Nesles

20. Dept. or County Aisne

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 608

23. Disinterred (Date) January 18, 1928 By P.N.McCabe

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name DAHILL, Stephen B.

Serial No. 135059

Rank Pvt., 1/cl.

Organization Bty. D, 102nd F.A.

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

Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

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

27. Condition of body

28. Nature of burial Pine box and burlap.

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above?

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date January 18, 1928 By P.N.McCabe

31. Casket sealed by P.N.McCabe

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor)

P.N. McCabe
P.N.McCabe

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. _____

32. Designation of body:

Name DAHILL, Stephen B. Serial No. 135059

Rank Pvt., 1/cl. Organization Bty. D, 102nd F.A.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Oise-Aisne, Seringes-et-Nesles, Aisne

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) January 18, 1928 By Charles E. Spahn

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 Charles E. Spahn
Charles E. Spahn

36. Remarks _____

37. Shipped from point of Operation; (Date) _____

To point of Concentration _____

Convoyer _____ (Name)
Signature Shipping Officer _____

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

By G.R.S. Representative _____

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date _____

To Permanent Cemetery _____

Convoyer _____ (Name)
Signature Shipping Officer _____

40. Received: Date _____

G.R.S. Representative _____

41. Reinterred January 18, 1928, Oise-Aisne American Cty.

(Date)

42. Grave No. 37 Section _____

43. Plot Block B Row 28

G.R.S. Representative William E. Moore
William E. Moore, Superintendent.

Place Oise-Aisne Cty. 608

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Jan. 18, 1928.

1. REMAINS OF DAHILL, Stephen B. SERIAL NUMBER 135059

RANK Pvt. 1cl. ORGANIZATION Bty. D, 102nd F.A.

2. Disinterred (date): Jan. 18, 1928. From (give complete location): Grave 1 Block B Row 23

By: Group Cty. Unit _____

3. Reburied (date): Jan. 18, 1928. In (give complete location): Grave 37 Block B Row 28

By: Group Cty. Unit _____ Nature of reburial Metal Casket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: Pine box & burlap

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

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

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) _____

(b) Weight (estimated) _____

(c) Hair—Color _____

Quantity 2 & 3 SF

Characteristics 1 MBD

(d) Hair on face—Color _____

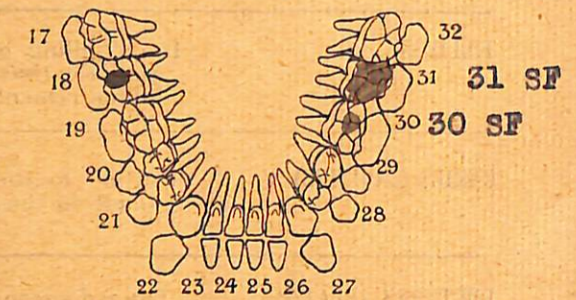
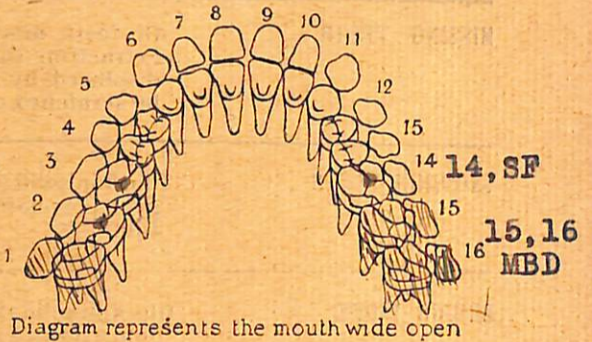
Location _____

Quantity 18 SF

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

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

Left femur fractured lower third.



7. Disinterment supervised by J. H. Hill^c Capt.

Approved: _____

(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by Charles E. Fisher

Approved: _____

(Title)

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:



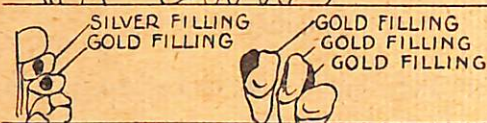
BRIDGE WORK

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.

Place Seringes (Aisne)
Date June 10/19

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name Stephen B. Dahill Number: 135059

Rank: Pvt. Organization: Btry. D. 102nd. F.A.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group _____ Unit 304

Disinterred (Date) June 10, 19 From: (Give complete location)

Grave # 97 Cemetery #711

Reburied (Date) June 10/19 in: (Give complete location)

Grave # 53 Section B Plot.#2. Cemetery #608 Seringes et Nesles (Aisne)

Map #33 Soissons. SE. 275.4N-195.25E

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

Buried 4 feet deep-- Body badly decomposed.

Was one identification tag found upon the body? None--One on cross.

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

Note:

If upon disinterment, effects are found upon the bodies, they will be promptly sent to the Effects Depot direct, as is required by G.O. 170, G.H.2, 1918. after being carefully examined for clues to identity in doubtful cases, notations whereof will be made and reported to Chief, Graves Registration Service.

Supervised by: C.E. Wise.

1st Lt. Oscar W. Forsberg.

C.O. Group _____ Unit 304

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CONFIRMED N° D

*file
210
1-20-18*

First Name: _____
Last Name: _____

Organization: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____
E-mail Address: _____

Occupation: _____
Education: _____

Other Information: _____

Signature: _____
Date: _____

Comments: _____

Additional Notes: _____

Remarks: _____

Printed Name: _____
Title: _____

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JUL 19 1971
O. C. O. M.
C. P. S.

DEPARTMENT AND ROOM

DATE

NO

RECORDED (date):
4 21 69

Group: _____
Numbered (date): _____

Place CTY. 608.

Date 4.26.21

DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

DAHILL, STEPHEN B. SERIAL NUMBER 135059

PTG ORGANIZATION BTY.D.102ND.F.A.

Disinterred (date): 4.26.21 From (give complete location): GR. 53, SEC. B, PT. 2.

By: Group RENOUARD'S Unit FIELD SECTION #7

3. Reburied (date): 4.26.21 In (give complete location): GR. 53, SEC. B, PT. 2.

By: Group RENOUARD'S Unit FIELD SECTION #7 Nature of reburial PINE BOX & BURLAP

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

FEATURES UNRECOGNIZABLE BADLY DECOMPOSED

UNIFORM & BURLAP.

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

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

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) _____

(b) Weight (estimated) _____

(c) Hair—Color _____

Quantity _____

Characteristics _____

(d) Hair on face—Color _____

Location _____

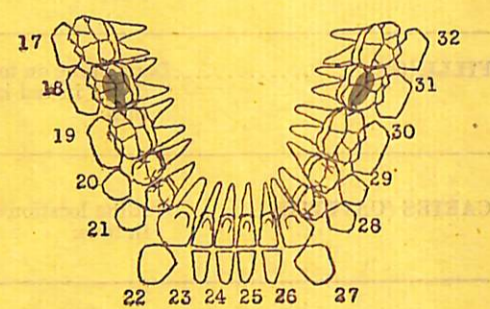
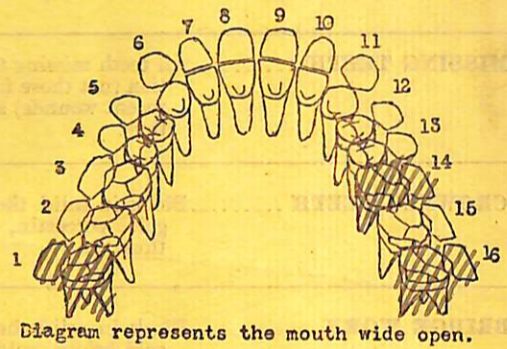
Quantity _____

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

missing parts) IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE

(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) 1, 14, 16, e. ext.; 18, al. fil;

FRACTURE OF LEFT FEMUR



1, 14, 16, e. ext.; 18, al. fil;
31, sil. fil.

7. Disinterment supervised by E. J. Renouard Approved: R. S. Williams
E. J. RENOUARD, SUP. EMB. (Title) R. S. WILLIAMS, 1st Lt. QMC.

8. Reburial supervised by E. J. Renouard Approved: R. S. Williams
E. J. RENOUARD, SUP. EMB. (Title) R. S. WILLIAMS, 1st Lt. QMC.

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

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

1. Show soldier's name, serial number, rank and organization, and by whom disinterred and reburied.
2. Give date and accurate information as to location from which the body was disinterred and the group and unit which made disinterment.
3. Give date and accurate information as to location of reburial and the group and unit which made reburial, and how reburial was made—in casket, wooden box, etc.
4. State to what degree decomposition has progressed, whether recognition is possible, and how the body was originally buried—in a casket, box, burlap, etc. This statement should be as complete as possible.
5. (a) State whether identification tags were found buried with body and on grave marker by reporting "Yes" or "No."

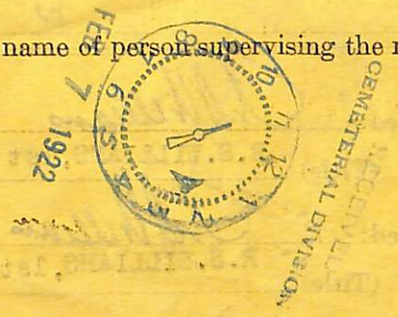
(b) State whether or not body appears to have been a hospital case. Were any identifying articles found in or on body or grave? List any personal effects, letters, money-order receipts, and the like found on body or in grave. Give any and all information which it is thought might be of use in identifying the body, other than that tabulated under Item No. 6.

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), bicuspids (chewing teeth), and molars (principal chewing teeth). An examination should be made and findings charted to cover the following basic conditions: Lost teeth, crowned teeth, bridge work, fillings, caries (cavities of decay), dentures (plates), and any deformity of jaws found.

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

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

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



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Bty D, 102nd F.A.
26th Div

DAHILL, Stephen B. - Pfc 135059
Home: New Bedford, Mass

Killed instantly 22 July 1918 during Chateau Thierry Drive, at Battery position near Paris Farm, by fragment of shell.

Informant: LEWIS, Lester T. - 1st Lt. 1528
Bty D 102nd F. A.
Home: ~~New Bedford, Mass.~~ (Mother)
New Bedford Mass.

Emergency address:
Mrs. Maurice Dahill (Mother)
120 Roberson St.
New Bedford Mass.

Searcher: William P. JESSE - 1st Lt.
102nd F. A.

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COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 6715

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DAHILL, Stephen B. (12-20) Ser. No. 135059
 (b) Rank Pvt. 1/c Organization Bat. D, 102nd F. A.
 (c) Date of death 7-22-18 (d) Cause of death K/A

TYP. DB
CKR. D/13

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

(a) Grave No. 53 Row - Plot 1 Sec. B TYP. DB
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. M. Dahill, (Mother) 120 Robertson St. New Bedford, Mass.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases --- CKR. D/13

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt _____

(a) Name Mrs. Margaret G. Dahill (b) Relationship Mother
 (c) Address 120 Robertson St. - New Bedford - Mass.
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? no
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____
 (f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. _____
 (g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

SEE SUSPENSION REMARKS

See Suspension

Examiner's Initials mks Date 12-14, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials mks Date 12-14, 1920.

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes 261
 Examiner's Initials 261 Date 12-15, 1920.

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 608 SHEET No. 705

G. R. S. Form No. 115
Amended April 6, 1920

Make Form No. 114

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

CARDED

JAN 24 1921

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Renewed 3/16/21 - ED



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

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

GENERAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SEC.

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on JAN 15 1921, 1920

Dahill Stephen B

PARAGRAPH 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: *Recd 2/11/21* F. #120- Mrs. Margaret E. Dahill, 27 Bullock St., New Bedford, Mass., mother n.k. wishes remains left in Europe. H-2/25/21-af.

3/7/21 - Hoboken advises mother her wish will be complied with. 3/16/21 BR

FORM 115 RETURNED BY HOBOKEN - BODY TO REMAIN IN EUROPE.

MAR 12 1921

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COMPILED BY: _____ DATA

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

Req. cards - Mrs Margaret E Dahill (mother)
120 Robeson St, New Bedford, Mass. requests that
body be not returned aer 1/19/21

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by (cable on 1921)
 (Letter of transmittal on 1921)
Dahill Stephen B

PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. JAN 27 1921 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken

VIII. Form 115 received from G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. MAR 12 1921 192

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY NO. 608 SHEET NO. 705
 G.R.S. FORM 115-A August 1920
 5-666/A.B

JAN 24 1921 - act

NAME

Stephen Cahill

FILE NUMBER

6715
1 MAY 1919

SERIAL NUMBER

RANK

Pvt

ORGANIZATION

102ndvF.A. 26th Div

NO.

QUESTION

REPLY

1. Do particulars of soldier given above agree with records? *(1) BTRY. 10 PV 104-135059*
2. Date of Death
3. Grave Location: *(2) Cty. # 711 GRAVE # 97 PL 14 84 AMER. Cty. EPIC'S, AISNE.*
4. Who reported burial?
5. Confirmed by G.R.S.? *yes*
6. How is grave marked?
7. Identification Tags:
- (a) Buried with Body?
- (b) Attached to grave marker?
8. Emergency address:
9. Has above been notified? (Give date). *R.P.B.*

ANALYSIS OF INQUIRY

Flowers, flags etc. (Par. #5, Bul, 10-B)	Effects (G.R.S. Form Nos 7 & 7-A)
Monuments (Par. #6, Bul. 10-B)	Accrued Pay (G.R.S. Forms 19 & 22)
Disinterments (Par. #8, Bul. 10-B)	Liberty Bonds (G.R.S. Forms 21 & 22)
Circumstances of death (G.R.S. Form No. 6)	War Risk Insurance (G.R.S. Forms 20 & 22)
Photograph requested (File 004.5)	Disposition of Remains (a) Return to U.S.) Form 23
Grave Location <i>CB</i>	(b) Remain in France Form 24
	(c) Miscellaneous letter

R.P.B.

REMARKS:

AMERICAN E. F. UNIVERSITY. BEAUNE FRANCE.

COMPANY. I. 8th. REGIMENT.

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GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

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