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G.R.S. Form #114 B

To The A.G.O.

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1. NAME DAVIS, John Lloyd DATE 10/10/21
 RANK Cpl. ORGANIZATION Co. G, 354th Inf. 89 Div.
 GRAVE LOCATION Argonne Amer. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, #1232 Sect. 108
 CTY. NAME 162 NUMBER 4
 GRAVE ROW PLOT

AUG 16 1926

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION Bayonville et Chenery, Ardennes
 GRAVE COMMUNE on 5x8 DEPT. (uncon data gr. 9, isolated crumme of Barriecourt, ard.)
 COORDINATES Verdun 35NE, 294.4N, 305.4E OK per 16
 CONCENTRATED TO 6/24/19 162 108 4
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT
Meuse-Argonne 1232.
 CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

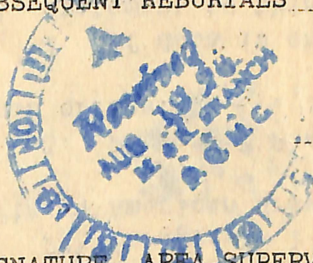
Data concerning any identification found on remains when concentrated, such as collar insignias, letters, broken bones, missing parts, etc.

Tag on body.

DATE OF DEATH Nov. 6, 1918
 STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME Wisconsin
 MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED None

Data from Form #1.

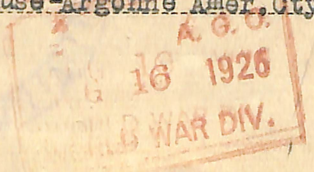
SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY
 SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR M. B. Birdseye M. B. BIRDSEYE
1st Lt., Q.M. Corps, U.S. Army



3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 10/10/21 39 32 Block F
 DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

AUDITED BY 8 ERB 5/8/23

Meuse-Argonne Amer. Cty 1232, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, (France)

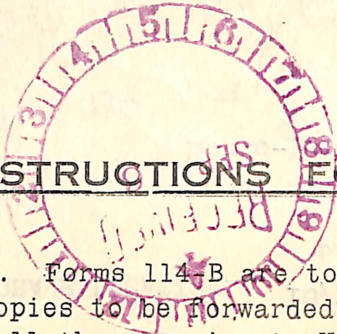


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Robert G. Davis, Major General, The Adjutant General, By ab

AUG 13 1926 abc 4-13-28

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B



1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.
2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.
3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.
4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form I6, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

Davis John L.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Davis (Surname). 2505 (Number). John L. (First Name and Initials).

(Rank). 3rd Lt. (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL: Nov. 6, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: 2505-3-2745

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

GRAVE NUMBER: 9

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? Cross?

Headboard? Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body?

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: *Chaplain E. C. Woods*
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

Kia 11/6/18 Cur 20262 cc 337
GRAVE LOCATION

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE

Davis, 2833808 [initials]
(Surname) (Number) (First Name and Initials).
Corp. [initials] 357
(Rank) (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH:

CAUSE OF DEATH:

DATE OF BURIAL: Nov. 6, 1918

PLACE OF BURIAL: 305: 5-29415

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

Map of Remonville
120000

GRAVE NUMBER: 9

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? yes Cross?

Headboard?

Bottle?

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? yes

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

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

NEAREST RELATIVE:

ADDRESS:

RELATIONSHIP:

REPORTED BY: Chaplain J. E. Woods, Lt. [initials]
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

Co G 354th Inf.
89th Division

DAVIS, John L.- Cpl. 2833000

Killed in action, November 6th 1918.

There are no eye witnesses present with company who seem to know how Cpl Davis was killed. However, I saw him dead on Barricourt Hill after the conflict of Nov. 2nd 1918. He was buried on Barricourt Hill with other Co G men.

INFORMANT : Duennes, August- 1st Sgt. 2179268
Co G 354th Inf.

EMERGENCY ADDRESS : HOME : Marile, Illinois.
Griff Davis (father) SIGNED : August Duennes, 1st Sgt. 354th Inf.
Green Lake, Wis.

J. Clarence Grunner,
Captain 354th Infantry.

A/A/

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL.

Remains of:

Name **Davis John L**Number: **2833000**Rank **Unkn**

Organization:

Unkn

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From: (Give complete location)

24th June 1919**Unknown****35NE 305.4E 294.4N**

Reburied (Date)

in: (Give complete location)

24th June 1919**Grave # 162 Sec 108 Plot 4****ARGONNE AMER CTY: # 1232****ROMAGNE MEUSE****1232**

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

Burial good, buried in Uniform, body badly decomposed.Was one identification tag found upon the body? **yes**What other means of identification were found upon the body? **none****11994**

Note:

CONFIRMED No. D.

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

Supervised by **Lt Killoughs.**

r/s

C.O. Group

Unit

Davis, John L.
Cpl.

WESTERN MILITARY BUREAU

ROUTE AND SCHEDULE

EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE SAILING FROM NEW YORK CITY June 14, 1930

Jackson County, State of Wisconsin

Name Davis, Mrs. Griff G-8

Address Merrillan, Wis.

Route going: C&NW Chicago, Wabash Buffalo, DL&W New York

Return: Same route

Itinerary going	ROAD	TRAIN	TIME	DATE
✓ Lv Merrillan	C&NW	504	10:43 PM	June 10
✓ Ar Chicago	C&NW	"	6:50 AM	" 11
✓ Lv "	Wab	6	10:30 AM	" 11
✓ Ar New York (Hoboken)	DL&W	2	3:30 PM	" 12
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Accommodations: Standard sleeper Merrillan, Wis. to Chicago, Ill. and Chicago, Ill. to New York, N.Y.

Elapsed Time: 39 Hrs:47 Min.

13/4

Extra Fare:

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	DAVIS	3	412 ^X
	John Lloyd		
BURIED	CEMETERY	1	1
	GRAVE	2	37
	ROW	2	32
	BLOCK	1	6
STATE	Miss	2	57
RANK	Cpl	1	2
DIVISION	89	2	89
ORGANIZATION	354	3	354
ARM	Inf	1	1
MARTIAL	Mar	1	2
NAME	Davis	3	412 ^X
	Mrs Lloyd		
RESIDENCE	STATE	2	57
	COUNTY	2	18
	CITY	3	XXX
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	1
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	Good	1	1
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	1930
ACCEPTANCE	yes	1	1
	Age		70

Saved
 1930
 11/19/30

AUDITED
 OCT 14 1931
 PJB

ITINERARY OF MEUSE-ARGONNE GROUP

Sailed on the PRESIDENT HARDING from Pier 4 Hoboken, N.J. on June 14th @ Captain Funk in charge of the party.

Arrived Cherbourg some time during the night of June 21-22. Met by Major Dailey, Captains Saulnier, Ochs, Mallett and Reynolds, Lieutenants Paquet, Freeman, Morin, Captain Kinderman (M.C.) Miss Rulon and 5 other nurses and 2 civilian employees. Left Cherbourg at 8:25 a. m. arriving at Gare des Invalides Station in Paris at 2:30 P.M. Met by Colonel Ellis and members of his staff-also interpreters and nurses. Taken to hotel.

June 23rd - Transaction of personal affairs. Left hotel by motor bus at 3 P.M. and proceeded to the Arc de Triomphe where a wreath was laid on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier by Mrs E. R. Ponnill of Virginia who had been selected for the honor by members of the party. Then conducted to the Restaurant Laurent where the usual tea and reception tendered by the U. S. Government was held. Prominent persons, including Ambassador Edge, were present and spoke to the pilgrims. To hotel for dinner and to pack for the trip to the cemetery.

June 24th - Departed at 7:15 for Montmirail-Chalons-sur-Marne- St. Memehould VERDUN.

June 25th-26th-27th-28th- Visited cemetery daily.

June 29th - Visited cemetery then to Suippes-Reims

June 30th - Sightseeing -Reims Cathedral-lunch at Reims- then to Chateau Thierry and on to Paris.

July 1st - Visited Fontainebleau and taken on night trip

July 2nd - A. M. free or shopping -visited Napoleon's tomb.

July 3rd - Visited Notre Dame -Versailles

July 4th- Visited Sacre Cocur, Louvre and Suresnes American Cemetery.

July 5th -Train left station for Cherbourg at 2:12 P.M. Sailed on the PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT at 11:30 P.M. Captain R. H. Darrell in charge of party.

July 15th arrived New York at 9:15 A. M.-taken to McAlpin Hotel-those who desired went on a sightseeing trip to Coney Island that evening.

Mrs. Griff Davis

Name..... DAVIS, Mrs Griff

Paris Hôtel..... HOTEL AMBASSADOR

BOULEVARD HAUSSMANN

Home address..... Merrilan, Jackson County, Wisconsin

Party..... G..... Group..... I..... Unit..... S/S HARDING

Date of arrival..... JUNE 22, 1930..... Date of departure..... JULY 5, 1930 S/S ROOSEVELT

Relationship..... Mother

Name of deceased..... DAVIS, John Loyd

Rank..... Cpl..... Organization..... 354th Inf. 89th Div.

Cemetery..... Meuse-Argonne

REMARKS



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

==
OFFICIAL BUSINESS

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

Davis, Mrs Griff

THE PULLMAN COMPANY

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

Pullman

From -----

To ----- **CHICAGO.** -----

Accommodations *L 12* ----- Car *62* -----

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

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

Office 27-12 Form 1000-3

Office 27-12

3253

Passengers

1 2 3

Mrs Griff Davis

"G"

EST. P. H. G. U. S.

JUN 1 1930

DEPT. OF COMMERCE

JUN 10 1930

ST. LOUIS

THE PULLMAN COMPANY

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

CHICAGO,

From **NEW YORK, N.**

To -----

Accommodations *L7* Car *W10*

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

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

Office 27-12x Form 1000-3

Office 27-12x

Passengers

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Mrs. Griff Davis

" B "

ST. LOUIS, MO.
JAN 20 1880

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1167

NAME DAVIS, MRS. GRIFF

S.S. ROOSEVELT JUL 13 1930

HOME Merrilan, Wisc.
Jackson County

R.R. D.L + W. to Buffalo - WAB
of Chic. -

STATION C + W. & Chic. St. Paul
TRAIN # Mpls + Omaha Ry to dest.

CAR #

BERTH OR SEAT

TIME

DATE Aug 9 ' 930
WAB

Arrange for stop
over involys at Chicago
for 3 days, extra
cost not to exceed \$10⁰⁰

May 27, 1930

Mrs. Griff Davis
Merrillan,
Wisc.

Dear Madam:

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

2 Bags

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

For The Officer in Charge:

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

Enclosures:
2 tags.

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

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

Party G
 Number 1167

REQUEST FOR PULLMAN RESERVATION

Davis, John Loyd

M.A.

Mrs. Griff Davis
 Name of Traveler
Merrillan, Jackson County
 Home Address
Wis.

Estimate cost of through Pullman.

New York, to Merillan, Wis.

\$ 10.13

New York, to Merillan, Wis.
 Destination.

Via D.L. & W to Buffalo - WAB. To Chicago - C. & NW & CHI. ST. PAUL, MPLS & OMAH RY.
 to dest.

July 14th, 1930
 Date of Departure

Ticket expires - Aug. 9/30

	Road	Tr. NO.	Date	Time	Lower or Seat	car	U.S.G. Order NO.	Est. Cost
LV Hoboken	DL&W	5	JULY 14	220P	L1	L16	Wg-1021846	9.00
ARCHICARO	WAB	11	15	450P			0	
LV								
AR								
LV CHICAGO	C&NW	401	19	1030A	S		Wg-1021847	1.13
AR WYEVILLE	"	401	19	410P			8	
LV "	"	401	19	420P	Coach			
AR MERRILLAN	"	401	19	535P				
LV								
AR								
LV								
AR								

TOTAL 10.13

Remarks: :

STOP OVER - Chicago, Ill. (3days)

Escorted to station by Ft. Moore

Davis, John Loyd Cpl. '9 Div. 354 Inf. Wisc.

Mother sailed

28 69 6

Widow

Single

KPG

Mrs Rhodes

NAME

Davis, Mrs. Griff

ADDRESS

Merrellan, Wisconsin

DATE

July 14

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. Griff Davis

WAR DEPARTMENT

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE \$300.

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OFFICIAL BUSINESS



PILGRIMAGE, WAR MOTHERS AND WIDOWS

225 WEST 34TH STREET,

NEW YORK, N. Y.

STATE

WISCONSIN

Loyd
DAVIS, JOHN LOYD

Mother

Merrillan
Jackson County

NAME DAVIS, MRS. GRIFF HOME ADDRESS

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST KIN
Mr. G. Davis Johnston County
Merrillan, Wis.

*3:30 pm
arr by Capt. Kesheter*

ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK

DATE *June 12* HOTEL *Lucaly* ROOM NO. *924*
with Mrs. Kate Verdulet

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE JUN 14 1930 VESSEL S/S HARDING CABIN NO. *124-c*

DESTINATION CHERBOURG, FRANCE CEMETERY MEUSE-ARGONNE

RETURN NEW YORK

DATE JUL. 13. 1930

Mother's

Jackson County

NAME ... Davis, Mrs. Griff HOME ADDRESS ... Merillan, Wisc.

RETURN ON S. S. **S/S ROOSEVELT** HOTEL **MCALPIN** ROOM NO. *1808*

with Mrs. Agnes Davis

DEPARTURE NEW YORK

DATE *7/14*

ROAD *SLW* TRAIN *5* CAR *L16* BERTH or SEAT *L1*

REMARKS
Chicago 3 days
.....
.....

1237-C *Harding* 6/14/30

RETURN RECEIPT

232

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

Max Giff Davis

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery, *May 20*, 192*0*

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 926313

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

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



Return to Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box,

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

1237

Harding

6/14/30

RETURN

RECEIPT

1232

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

Mrs. Gustaf Hansen

(Signature or name of addressee.)

(Signature of addressee's agent.)

Date of delivery,

May 22

, 192

1930

Form 3811

05-6116

Post Office Department

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

REGISTERED ARTICLE

No. 927950

INSURED PARCEL

No. _____

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



Return to _____

Q. M. GENERAL

(NAME OF SENDER)

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

MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Davis, John ~~L~~oyd 1232M
Harding 6-14

May 10, 1930

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wis.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not furnished the name of your Emergency Addressee as requested in letter of instructions from this office.

It is requested that in the blank space below you write the name and address of the person in the United States whom you desire to be notified in case you become seriously ill or other emergency arises while you are making the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Mr Griff Davis
Name

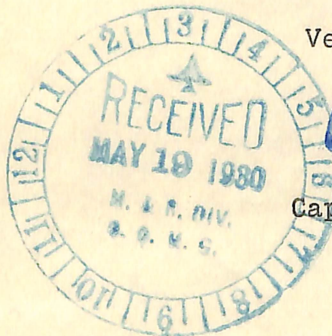
Merrillan Wis
Address

noted

Please fill in the above and mail it TODAY in the self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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

Encl.
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 15, 1930.

Davis, John ~~Loyd~~, 1232 N

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wisc.

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.

Harding

6/14/30 ✓

1232

Davis, John Lloyd

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. Griff Davis

(Name)

Merrillan, Jackson County, Wisconsin.

(Town or City)

(State)



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

October 7, 1929.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Davis, John Loyd 1232 M.

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wis.

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.

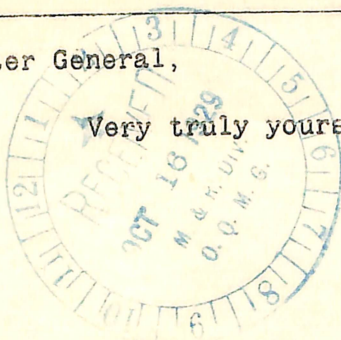
1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	<i>Yes</i>	(No)
3. Have you at any time made a previous visit to the grave of the deceased member of the military or naval forces in whom you are interested?	(Yes)	<i>no</i> (No)
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age <i>70</i> Health <i>Poor</i> (Years) (Good) (Poor)	
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) (No) Other language <i>no</i> (Specify language spoken)	

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
Act
Envelope



Saved

JUN 14 1930

QM 293 A-C
Davis, John L.

May 3, 1929.

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan,
Wisconsin.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 26th, 1929, making request to be permitted to make the pilgrimage to Europe as provided by a recent Act of Congress.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Corporal John L. Davis, Company G, 354th Infantry, whose remains are interred in Grave 39, Row 32, Block F, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery in France. As the mother of this late soldier you will be eligible to make the pilgrimage to Europe under the above mentioned law and will be extended the necessary invitation at an early date. These pilgrimages will not be made prior to May 1, 1930, and prior to that date you will be furnished an application blank and detailed information concerning the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

To Be
ATTACHED to Form 114-B
CTY-1232.

FILE UNDER NO.

293 Davis, John, L.

12/2/30.

INDEX SHEET

1st Ind.

From OOMG

SYNOPSIS

To Fin.Of. Transp.Br. Wash DC

Payment to the Pullamn Co. for the lower berth furnished Mrs.Davis from Chicago to Merrillion on T/R 1,021,847, is authorized.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.

552.01 Pilgrimage,Gold Star

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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.

3-6642

553.4 T B
Pullman R 158907

ESC--BHD
November 17, 1930

Subject: T/R 1021847

To: The Quartermaster General, Washington, D C

1 On July 14, 1930, T/R 1021847 was issued by Lt George F R Taylor, at New York City to Mrs Griff Davis, authorizing one seat from Chicago, Ill., to Wyeville, Wisconsin.

2 The Pullman Company furnished 1 lower berth from Chicago to Merrillian, a difference in cost of \$1.37.

3 It is requested that this office be advised whether the additional cost to the Government shall be paid from public funds.

For The Finance Officer:

P A SCHOLL
Captain Finance Department
Transportation Branch

QM 293 A-M Davis, John L. 1232 1st Ind.
~~December 2, 1930~~
Finance Officer, Transportation Branch, Washington, D. C.

These pilgrims are entitled to a lower berth from New York City to their homes. Payment to the Pullman Company for the lower berth furnished Mrs. Davis from Chicago to Merrillian on Transportation Request 1,021,847 is authorized.

For The Quartermaster General,

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

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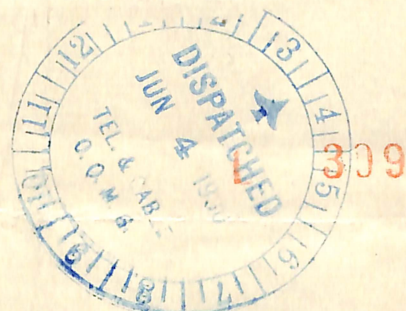
DISREGARD WIRE SENT YOU TRANSPORTATION NOW RECEIVED THANKS

MRS GRIFF DAVIS

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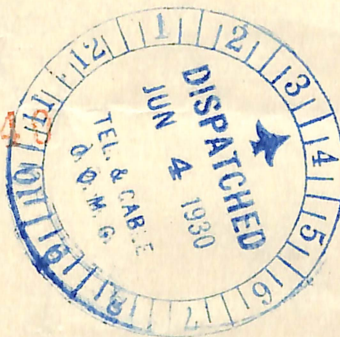
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M 293

Davis, John L. 1232

May 26, 1930

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wisconsin.

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. Merrillan	CSt(M&O)	No. 504	10:43 PM	June 10
Ar. Chicago	C&NW	No. 504	6:50 AM	June 11
Lv. Chicago	Wab	No. 6	10:30 AM	June 11
Ar. New York	DL&W	No. 2	3:30 PM	June 12
	(Hoboken)			

All railroad employees have been instructed by their officials to see that you are shown every courtesy and given assistance, particularly at points where it is necessary to change cars.

Should you not receive your ticket six days before the date shown for your departure please take up at once with the ticket agent and if he does not have your ticket, telegraph this office, collect, to that effect.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Davis, John Lloyd 1232M
Harding 6-14

May 10, 1930

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wis.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office show that you have not furnished the name of your Emergency Addressee as requested in letter of instructions from this office.

It is requested that in the blank space below you write the name and address of the person in the United States whom you desire to be notified in case you become seriously ill or other emergency arises while you are making the pilgrimage to Europe authorized by the Act of Congress approved March 2, 1929.

Name

Address

Please fill in the above and mail it TODAY in the self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

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
Davis, John Lloyd -1232 M
Harding 6-14

May 5, 1930

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wisconsin.

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.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

April 15, 1930.

Davis, John Lloyd, 1232 M

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wisc.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to QM 293 A-C

Davis, John Lloyd 1232-M

March 25, 1930

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wisconsin

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

1 Enclosure.
Regulation.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Davis, John Loyd 1232 M.

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan, Wis.

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.

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QM 293 A-C
Davis, John L.

May 3, 1929.

Mrs. Griff Davis,
Merrillan,
Wisconsin.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of April 26th, 1929, making request to be permitted to make the pilgrimage to Europe as provided by a recent Act of Congress.

The records of this office show that you are the mother of the late Corporal John L. Davis, Company G, 354th Infantry, whose remains are interred in Grave 39, Row 32, Block F, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery in France. As the mother of this late soldier you will be eligible to make the pilgrimage to Europe under the above mentioned law and will be extended the necessary invitation at an early date. These pilgrimages will not be made prior to May 1, 1930, and prior to that date you will be furnished an application blank and detailed information concerning the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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Merrillan, Wisconsin.

April 26 1929.

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Davis, John H

Secretary of War,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

As the mother of John L. Davis who died while in the military service of the United States of America during the World War and whose body remains buried over seas, I request that I be permitted to have the opportunity of making the pilgrimage to Europe as provided by a recent act of Congress extended to the mothers and widows of members of the military or naval service of the United States who died between April 5, 1917, and July 1st, 1921, and whose remains remain interred in European cemeteries.

Yours truly,

Mrs Griffith Davis

Merrillan

Mrs

ASSISTANT AND CHIEF CLERK
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Davis,
(Surname.)

John I.
(Christian name in full.)

2,833,000
(Army serial number.)



Cpl.

Co G, 354th In
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Father

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

No

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you wish them interred in a national cemetery?



(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remain's.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

*Gruff Ellis Davis
Green Lake Wis*

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

Drawn by HRP

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November 9, 1923.

Mr. Griff Davis,
Green Lake,
Wisc.

Dear Sir:

The Quartermaster General desires you to be informed that the permanent grave of Corporal John L. Davis, Company C, 354th Infantry, is Grave 39, Row 32, Block F, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagnous-Montfaucon (Meuse), France.

This is one of the permanent American military cemeteries to be maintained by this Government in Europe. Each grave will be marked by a headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, 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.

You are assured in effecting removal of the remains, the utmost care and reverence were exercised and more than willingly accorded by those who performed this sacred duty. The grave of the deceased will be perpetually maintained by this Government in a manner befitting the last resting place of our heroes.

Very truly yours,

R. L. FOSTER
Assistant.

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JDK

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Romagne sous Montfauvon
Place

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 16, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF DAVIS, JOHN L. SERIAL NUMBER 2833000

RANK Cpl. ORGANIZATION Co., G. 354th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Sept. 16, 1921. From (give complete location):

Gr. 162 Sec. 108 Pt. 4, Meuse-Argonne Cem., #1232.

By: Group Maife Unit Sec. 1

3. Reburied (date): In (give complete location):

Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232.

Oct. 10, 1921. Row 32, Bloc, F, Grave 39.

By: Group Reburial S. Unit Nature of reburial Unlined casket

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

Box. U. S. uniform, wrapped in burlap.

disarticulated features unrecognizable.

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

Tag on body: "John L. Davis, U.S.A. 2833000."

(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) Impossible to determine

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to determine

(c) Hair—Color Apparently dark brown

Quantity medium

Characteristics straight

(d) Hair on face—Color none

Location None

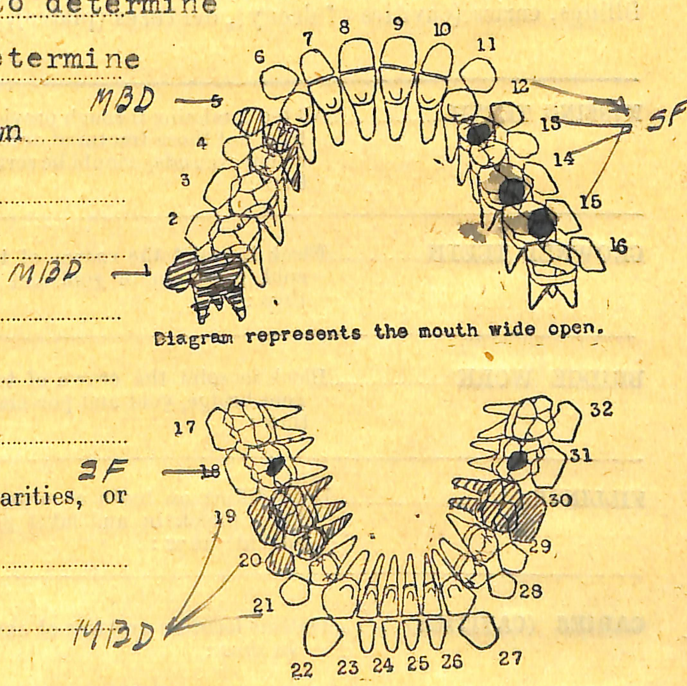
Quantity None

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

missing parts) None

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

None visible



7. Disinterment supervised by E. Maife S. E. Approved: H. S. Harpole 1st. Lt. QMC (Title)

8. Reburial supervised by W. S. Sheld Approved: James W. Younger, Captain, QMC (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), bicuspid (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:

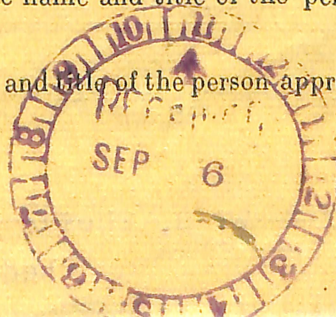


CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



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.



Sept. 16. 1921

G.R.S. FORM #114-A.

STATION

Romagne s/s Montfaucon

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE

Sept. 16. 1921

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

- 1. Name DAVIS, John L.
- 2. No. 2833000
- 3. Rank Cpl.
- 4. Org. Co. G, 354th Inf.
- 5. D.D. Nov. 6th
- 6. C.D. KIA

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

- 7. Grave No. 162 Sec. 108
- 8. Plot 4 Row _____
- 9. _____

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

- 18. Cemetery Argonne Amer.
- 20. Dept. or County Meuse
- 22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 Sect-108

- 19. Commune or town none. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon
- 21. Country France

- 23. Disinterred (Date) _____
- 24. Inscription on grave marker: _____

By Edmo Maire

- Name Davis, John L.
- Rank Cpl.

- Serial No. 2833000
- Organization Co. G. 354th Inf.

- 25. Was identification disc found on grave marker? _____ On body? yes
- Signature G. J. Rasch
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).

none.

27. Condition of body badly decomposed, unrecognizable.

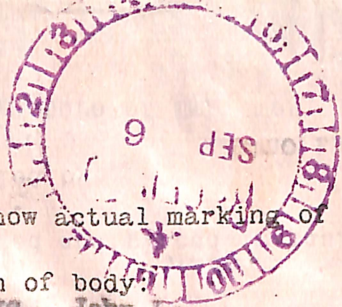
28. Nature of burial Pine box, Uniform & burlap.

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 Sept. 16. 1921 By Edmo Maire

31. Casket sealed by _____
Signature of Emb. mer, (Supervisor) Edmo Maire

AUDITED BY



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

32. Designation of body: DAVIS, John L. 2833000

Name _____ Serial No. _____

Rank Cpl. Organization Co. G, 354th Inf

33. Consigned to: Argonne Amer. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon #1232

Name of Permanent Cemetery _____

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept. 16, 1921 By Edmo Maire

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 [Signature]

36. Remarks _____

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Sept. 16, 1921

To point of Concentration Argonne Cem. #1232.

Convoyer _____ (Name) Signature Shipping Officer J. Gerald Cole

J. GERALD COLE
Captain, C.A.G.

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 Sept 16, 1921

G.R.S. Representative [Signature]

41. Reinterred Meuse-Argonne Cemetery #1232. Oct. 10, 1921. (Date)

42. Grave No. Row 32, Block F, Grave 39 Section _____

43. Plot _____ Row _____

G.R.S. Representative [Signature]
Rec. James W. Younger, Captain, C.A.C.



COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File 63063

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DAVIS, John J. L. Ser. No. 2833000 } TYP. b
 (b) Rank Cpl. Organization Co. G, 354th Infantry } CKR. 36
 (c) Date of death 11-6-18 (d) Cause of death k/a

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

(a) Grave No. 162 Row - Plot 4 Sec. 108 TYP. b
 (b) Emerg. Address Griff Davis (father) Green Lake, Wisc.

III/ Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases / / / / / / / CKR. 37

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt none

(a) Name Griff Ellis Davis (b) Relationship father
 (c) Address Green Lake, Wisc.
 (d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? no
 (e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____

(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. _____

(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

Examiner's Initials NR Date 5-17, 1921

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

_____, dated _____

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

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____, 192

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

no request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? yes

Examiner's Initials NR Date 5-17, 1921

COUNTRY FRANCE CEMETERY No. 1232-Sec. 108 SHEET No. 50

VII. G. R. S. Form No. 114 made _____, 192

Typed by _____, Checked by _____, 192

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
letter on **MAY 31 1921**, 192

See 108

Par. #2, Not To Be Returned (EGS)

IX.

REMARKS

WRITE NOTHING BELOW THIS LINE.

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Soldier's No. 2833000

Name DAVIS, JOHN L.

Rank _____ Co. _____ (Regt) (Corps)

Date of Death Nov 6, 1918 Cause _____

Date of Burial _____ Cemetery Ma VERDUN N.E. 35, 294.4 N. 305/25 E.

Town or Commune ARDENNES Dept. _____

Grave No. 9 Plot _____ Sec. _____

Unknown buried with body

Tag attached to CROSS

Chaplain - Burial Officer (which?)

E. W. Morrison 2nd Lt. Q.M.C.

Signature _____ Rank _____

Group 2 Unit 310 G. R. S. _____

Baricourt (Ardenne)

(0493) SPT 351/E COORD { 15305.25 N 294.4

