

G.R.S. Form #114-B CAUSE OF DEATH

Die of wounds

FULL NAME.....DAILY, William J. *OK*

RANK.....Corporal..SERIAL....62605 *OK*

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION.....Hq. Co., 101st. Infantry *OK 26 Div*

DATE OF DEATH.....7-17-18 *16 OK*

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME.....*Mass*

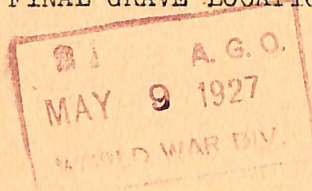
MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED.....*none fd*

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION.....

Date Grave Row Block

.....1764.....

Cemetery



10440-276

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ORIGINAL PAPER FILED

D.M.G.O.

Co. HQ, 101st Infantry
26th division.

Daly, William J.-Corp.
Home : Fitchburg, Mass.

On the night of July 14-15 1918, I was sleeping at Regimental Headquarters near the town of "Dompton" northwest of Chateau-Thierry. The enemy started shelling about 10.00 P.M. and at 11.30 p.m. the shells were dropping all around the Chateau in which we were billeted. One shell struck the barn in which th 5th platoon of HQ Co. were sleeping. The gas alarm was sounded and all the men were awakened while standing near the barn I heard my name called by William Daly, and Mech Green. They asked me to help them so I led them to a place of safety behind the barn. They appeared to be badly gassed so we sent them away in an ambulance. Several days after they were reported as dead to the company.

No record of Burial.

Informant : McGlone, Joseph C - Sgt. 62566
Co. HQ, 101st Infantry.
Home : Jackson Court, Watick Mass.

Searcher : G.S. Long, 1st Lt. 101st Inf.
February 15th 1919.

Emergency address :
Mr. Henry Gorman.
Fairmount.
J.R

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CODE SLIP

| HEADING | SUB HEADING | NO. OF COLS | CODE |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| NAME <i>Daly, William J</i> | <i>DAL</i> | 3 | <i>410</i> |
| BURIED | CEMETERY <i>1764</i> | 1 | <i>4</i> |
| | GRAVE <i>3</i> | 2 | <i>03</i> |
| | ROW <i>1</i> | 2 | <i>01</i> |
| | BLOCK <i>B</i> | 1 | <i>2</i> |
| STATE | <i>mass</i> | 2 | <i>25</i> |
| RANK | <i>Cpl.</i> | 1 | <i>2</i> |
| DIVISION | <i>26</i> | 2 | <i>26</i> |
| ORGANIZATION | <i>101</i> | 3 | <i>101</i> |
| ARM | <i>Inf</i> | 1 | <i>1</i> |
| MARITAL | <i>no</i> | 1 | <i>2</i> |
| NAME <i>Mrs Bridget Daly</i> | <i>D. A. L.</i> | 3 | <i>410</i> |
| RESIDENCE | STATE <i>mass</i> | 2 | <i>25</i> |
| <i>60 Lincoln St</i> | COUNTY <i>Suffolk</i> | 2 | <i>13</i> |
| | CITY <i>Charlottesville</i> | 3 | <i>XX King</i> |
| RELATION | <i>mother</i> | 1 | <i>Washington</i> |
| OTHER | | 1 | <i>(Illness)</i> |
| ELIGIBILITY | <i>yes</i> | 1 | <i>1931</i> |
| NATIVITY | | 1 | |
| RACE | | 1 | |
| ENGLISH | <i>yes</i> | 1 | |
| ATTENDANT | | 1 | |
| HEALTH | <i>Bad</i> | 1 | |
| NO. OF SONS | | 1 | |
| DATE OF TRIP | NO. | 1 | |
| ACCEPTANCE | YR. | 1 | |
| <i>29/514/EAB</i> | <i>no</i> | 1 | <i>2</i> |
| | <i>Age 63</i> | | <i>66</i> |

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declined Washington
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Daly William J AM

September 7 1932

Mrs Bridget Daly
60 Lincoln St
Charlestown Mass

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

In order that your desires may be of record, and arrangements made accordingly, it is requested you complete the form below by writing in the space provided, your answers to the questions listed, sign your name and return this letter in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

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|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No") | No ✓ |
| 2. Please state your age and condition of health: | Age: 66 Health: Poor |
| 3. Do you speak English? | Yes |
| 4. What other language do you speak? | No |

Mrs Bridget Daly
Sign here

NOTE CAREFULLY, THIS IS THE LAST CHANCE WHICH YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE THE PILGRIMAGE, AND THERE IS NO PROVISION OF LAW FOR A MONEY ALLOWANCE INSTEAD.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Daly William J (AM)

July 11 1932

Mrs Bridget Daly
60 Lincoln St
Charlestown Mass

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

QM 293 A-M
Daly, William J. Cpl. (AM) M

~~December 31, 1931.~~

Jan. 6 1932

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, Mass.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to correspondence forwarded you from this office relative to a pilgrimage to the grave of your son, the late Corporal William J. Daly. In reply to a questionnaire you advised that you did not desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer of 1932.

It is noted you declined to make the pilgrimage in 1931 because of ill health, and in this connection you are advised that personnel to care for your comfort and needs will be provided should you make the pilgrimage next summer, and doctors and nurses will be available. During the past two years a number of mothers in poor health made the pilgrimage and appear to have benefited by the sea air and the excellent care they received.

It is believed that you would experience no difficulty in making the journey, and should you later decide to visit your son's grave next summer, it is requested that you so notify this office. You are assured that not only will the pilgrimage be made at the expense of the United States, but everything possible will be provided for your comfort and welfare.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Daly, William J. Cpl (AM) M

June 20, 1931.

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

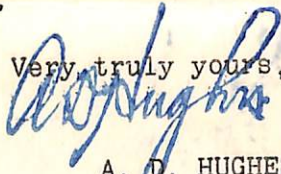
To assure proper and satisfactory accommodations, reservations for steamship transportation required during the summer of 1932 must be made by this office not later than August 1st of this year. It is therefore desired that you answer the question below by writing either of the words "Yes", "No", or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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,



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



DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932?

Write answer here

no

Sign here

Mrs Bridget Daly

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 18, 1930.

Daly, William J. 1764 M

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

No

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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



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

No ✓
(Write answer here)

Mrs Bridget Daly
(Sign here)

May 8, 1930.

QM 293 A-C
Daly, William J. 1764 M

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln Street,
Charlestown, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam : -

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication declining the invitation to sail on the SS. WASHINGTON July 23, 1930, to visit the grave of your son the late Corporal William J. Daly, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Washington

7/23/30

1764

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Daly, William

5/2/30
(because of ill-health) ans-5-7-30

I decline the invitation extended
(Accept or decline)

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

Mrs Bridget Daly 1931

Mrs. Bridget Daly

(Name)

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~~16~~ Lincoln St., Charlestown, Suffolk Co., Mass.

(Town or City)

(State)





UNITED STATES VETERANS BUREAU

BOSTON, MASS.

OFFICE OF REGIONAL MANAGER

December 6, 1929

THIS LETTER REFERS TO
YOUR FILE NUMBER: QM 293 A-C

IN REPLY REFER TO: C-13.60

Quartermaster General,
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

DALY, William J.
XC-81 815

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find application to participate in pilgrimage to the cemeteries during 1930, executed by Mrs. Bridget Daly, 60 Lincoln Street, Charlestown, Massachusetts. Please acknowledge receipt.

Very truly yours,

William J. Blake
WILLIAM J. BLAKE,
Regional Manager.

encl.



X C - 81-815
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

October 7, 1929.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Daly, William J. 1764-M

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, 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) 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 63 Health GOOD | (Poor) |
| 5. What language do you speak? | ENGLISH | (No) |
| | Other language | (Specify language spoken) |

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl.
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Envelope



UNITED STATES VETERANS BUREAU

BOSTON, MASS.

OFFICE OF REGIONAL MANAGER

August 1, 1929

THIS LETTER REFERS TO
YOUR FILE NUMBER: QM 293 A-C

IN REPLY REFER TO: C-13.60

Office of the Quartermaster General,
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

DALY, William J.

~~AC-~~

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find application of Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln Street, Charlestown, Massachusetts, mother of the
above captioned deceased. Mrs. Daly is interested in the pilgrimage
to the Aisne Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, France.

By direction,

Hugh H. Hickey
HUGH H. HICKEY,
Chief, Contact Unit,
Regional Office,
Boston, Massachusetts.

encl.



July 30, 1929

Your ref: Q. M. 293 A-C

DALY, William J.

Office of the Quartermaster General,
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

It is requested that as the mother of the above named deceased veteran, the Government extend to me an invitation to make the pilgrimage to the Aisne Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, Aisne, France between May 1930 and October 1933.

The veteran never married.

Very truly yours,



Mrs Bridget Daly

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St., (new address)
Charlestown, Mass.

(Old address .5 Salem St.
Boston (Charlestown) Mass.)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June , 1929.

Daly, William J. 1764

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Mrs. Bridget Daly,
5 Salem Street,
Charlestown, Boston, 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 Corporal William J. Daly, Edge Co. 101st Inf, whose remains are now interred in the Aisne-Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, 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 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,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Daly William J AM

September 7 1932

Mrs Bridget Daly
60 Lincoln St
Charlestown Mass

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to the questionnaire recently forwarded you, making inquiry as to whether you desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe during the summer of 1933, and inviting attention to the fact that 1933 is the LAST YEAR for which the pilgrimages are authorized. To date no reply has been received.

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| 1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1933? (Answer "Yes" or "No") | |
| 2. Please state your age and condition of health: | Age: Health: |
| 3. Do you speak English? | |
| 4. What other language do you speak? | |

Sign here

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl:
Env.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Daly William J (AM)

July 11 1932

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

2 Encls.

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here) _____

QM 293 A-M
Daly, William J. Cpl. (AM) M

~~December 31, 1931.~~

Jan 6, 1932

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, Mass.

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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-AM-M~~

Daly, William J. Cpl (AM) M

June 20, 1931.

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

Write answer here

Sign here

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Daly, William J. 1764 M

June 18, 1930.

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, Mass.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

May 8, 1930.

QM 293 A-C
Daly, William J. 1764 M

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln Street,
Charlestown, Massachusetts.

Dear Madam : -

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication declining the invitation to sail on the SS. WASHINGTON July 23, 1930, to visit the grave of your son the late Corporal William J. Daly, under the provisions of the Act of March 2, 1929.

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

→ Mrs. Anne Daly

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to QM 293 A-C

Daly, William J. 1764-M

March 31, 1930

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, Mass.

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
Daly, William J. 1764-M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
60 Lincoln St.,
Charlestown, 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,

Encl.
Act
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Daly, William J.

June 12 , 1929.

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
5 Salem Street,
Charlestown, Boston, 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 Corporal William J. Daly, Hdqs Co. 101st Inf. whose remains are now interred in the Aisne Marne American Cemetery, Belleau, 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 invitation to her to make the pilgrimage. Both mothers and widows are entitled to make the pilgrimage.

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

Q.M.G. R.O.IV.

JUN 13 1929

DISPATCHED

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

gr.

G.R.S. Form #114-B

293 P

DATE _____

1. NAME DALY, William J. SERIAL No. 62605

RANK Cpl. ORGANIZATION Hq. Co. 101st Inf.

GRAVE LOCATION American Cty., MOUROUX (S-et-M) 276
CTY. NAME NUMBER

152

GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION 152 Amer. Cem. #276 MOUROUX (S-&-M)
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES _____

CONCENTRATED TO _____
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Information in paragraph 2 taken from Form 1-A

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS _____
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR G.F. WAUGH

G.F. WAUGH, Major, Inf., Supervisor, Area §2.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION Dec. 13, 1922 3 1 Block B
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

Aisne Marne American Cemetery #1764, Belleau Aisne,
CEMETERY

ADMITTED BY

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF FORM 114 B

1. Forms 114-B are to be prepared by Registration Branch in quadruplicate, three copies to be forwarded to Area Supervisor who will accomplish paragraph 2 and return all three copies to Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service.

2. Paragraphs 1 and 3 will be accomplished by Registration Branch, Headquarters, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe.

3. Paragraph 2 will be accomplished by Area Supervisor from data on file in his office.

4. If data is entered on Form 114-B from Form 1, Form 16, Form 1-A or Form 16-A, statement to this effect will be made on Form 114-B STATING WHICH G.R.S. form data is taken from. If data concerning co-ordinates is approximate and NOT accurate, statement to this effect will be made on these forms.

gr.

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

STATION MOUROUX,

To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Nov 22-21.

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 DALY, William J.
 2. No. 62605
 3. Rank Cpl.
 4. Org. Hq. Co. 101st. Inf.
 5. D.D. 7.17.18
 6. C.D. DOW

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

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 152 Sec. _____
 8. Plot _____ Row _____
 9. _____

15. Grave No. _____ Sec. _____
 16. Plot _____ Row _____
 17. None.

18. Cemetery Amer.

19. Commune or town MOUROUX

20. Dept. or County S-et-M

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 276

23. Disinterred (Date) Nov 22-21

By W.J. Logan

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name William J. DALY
 Rank Cpl.

Serial No. _____
 Organization Hq. Co. 101st. Inf.

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

Wilbur H. Woodward
 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).
No effects found.

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed recognition impossible.

28. Nature of burial Blanket under box. Found under cross

29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? None.

30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Nov 22-21 By W.J. Logan

31. Casket sealed by W.J. Logan

W.J. Logan
 Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor W.J. Logan)

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. **C-17803**

32. Designation of body:

Name **William J. DALY**

Serial No. **62605**

Rank **Cpl.**

Organization **Hq. Co. 101st Inf.**

Officer in charge

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery **Aisne-Marne Amer. Cty. #1764, BELLEAU (AISNE)**

Nov. 22-21

W.J. Logan

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date)

By

35. I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

Signature of G.R.S. Inspector

J. P. Glendon Capt. QMC.

36. Remarks

November 22-21

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

Aisne-Marne Am. Cty. 1764 Belleau, Aisne

To point of Concentration

J.S. Hughes

(Name)

Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer

J. P. Glendon Capt. QMC.

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

(Name)

Convoyer

Signature Shipping Officer

40. Received: Date

Nov. 23. 21

G.R.S. Representative

W.D. Cleary

41. Reinterred **Dec. 13, 1922.**

Aisne-Marne Amer. Cem. 1764.

(Date)

42. Grave No.

3

Section

43. Plot

Block B

Row

1

G.R.S. Representative

W.D. Cleary

W.D. CLEARY, Lt. Chaplain USA.

Place MOUROUX.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Nov. 22, 21.

1. REMAINS OF DALY, William I. J. SERIAL NUMBER 62605

RANK Cpl. ORGANIZATION Hq. Co., 101st Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Nov. 22, 21. From (give complete location):

Grave 152. Cemetery 276.

By: Group 4 Unit Field Section 3.

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

Dec. 13, 1922. Grave 3, Row 1, Block B, Cem. 1764, Belleau (Aisne)

By: Group re-burial group Unit Nature of reburial lined casket

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

Blanket; under cross.

Badly decomposed; recognition impossible.

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

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

No effects found.

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

(a) Height (actual measurement) Impossible to determine

17, 18, 32.
MBD. 1, 3, 12, 14, 15, 16.
Sil. Fil. 2, 5, 13, 19, 30.

(b) Weight (estimated) Impossible to determine

(c) Hair—Color Impossible to determine

Quantity Impossible to determine

Characteristics Impossible to determine

(d) Hair on face—Color Impossible to determine

Location Impossible to determine

Quantity Impossible to determine

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

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

None visible.

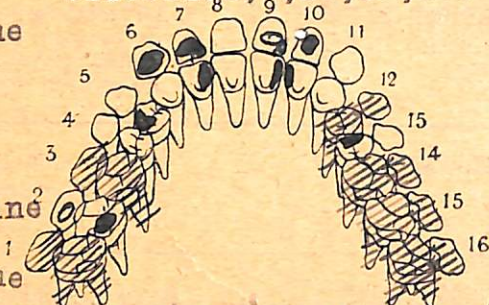
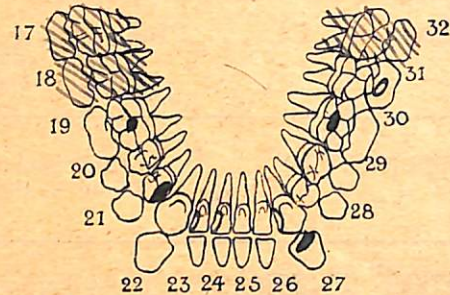


Diagram represents the mouth wide open
Cav. 2, 9, 23, 24, 27, 31.



G. Fil. 6, 7, 9, 10, 21, 27.

7. Disinterment supervised by W. J. Logan

W. J. LOGAN.

Approved: J.P. Glandon
J.P. Glandon, Capt. QMC.
(Title)

8. Reburial supervised by L.D. Hays






L.D. HAYS

Approved: W.D. Cleary
(Title) W.D. CLEARY, Lt. Chaplain USA

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

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

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

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

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

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File# 11370

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DAILY, William J. Ser. No. 62605
(b) Rank Cpl. Organization (8-11-21) M.P.T. Hdqrs. Co. 101st Inf.
(c) Date of death 7/16/18 (d) Cause of death W/A

TYPEK
CKR

Exhumed
Coroner's Certificate
Celine-Marie # 1764
MacB. 6-19-27

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

(a) Grave No. 152 Row -- Plot -- Sec. -- TYP. EK
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Henry Gorman (adopted mother) (over)
563 Fairmont St., Fitchburg, Mass.

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases CKR.

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

Date of receipt

(a) Name Henry Gorman (b) Relationship Adopted Father
(c) Address 563 Fairmount St. West Fitchburg 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.

Examiner's Initials PF Date 2-17-1920

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

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

No correspondence

Examiner's Initials PF Date 2-17-1920

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

No request for disposition

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? Yes PF

Em

Examiner's Initials PF Date 2-17-1920

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 276 SHEET No. 55

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

Make Form No. 114

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

CARDED

Checked 3/17/21

4-5-3-18-21

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

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Typed by _____, Checked by _____, JUN 24 1921, 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION:

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 1920
letter on 2/24/21, 1920

Cemeterial Dues

Par 2 Not to be returned (E&S)

IX.

CORRECTIONS

| CHANGE OF ADVICE. | ACTION TAKEN. |
|-----------------------------|---------------|
| Desires body be _____ | |
| Body to be shipped to _____ | |

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

*B.A. H.R. Mrs. Bridget Daly
(Mother) 5 Salem St., Charlestown, Mass.
(3-17-21) 'M'*

*April 13, 1921 - 7#120, Mrs. Bridget Daly,
5 Salem St., Charlestown, Mass. mother
n.r. desires body remain in Europe.
7.6-10-21 am.*

.....
Rank

Serial No.

ORG.
Remarks

.....
A. G. O. Card & Corr.

.....
Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

ORG.
Remarks

.....
G. R. S. Corr.

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Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

ORG.
Remarks

.....
Checkers *Murphy*

.....
Discrepancies

Name

Rank

Serial No.

ORG.
Remarks *Ed*

Ed
2/17/21
1/6/21

APR 7 1921

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
CEMETERIAL DIVISION
WASHINGTON.

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FROM: Chief, Cemeterial Division, O. Q. M. G.
TO: **Mrs. Bridget Daly, 5 Salem St., Charlestown, Mass**
SUBJECT: Remains of **Cpl. William J. Daly Ser. No. 62605 Hdqrs Co. 101 Inf**
Henry Gorman, 563 Fairmount St., W. Fitchburg, Mass has
The records of this office show that you ~~have~~ requested that the body of the above
named _____
soldier remain in Europe

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

The nearest next of kin may choose between (1) return of 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.

APR 14 1921

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

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

Was soldier married? No

| NAME OF | NO. AND STREET | TOWN | STATE |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| Soldier's widow <u>None</u> | | | |
| 1 <u>None</u> | | | |
| Soldier's children (Name oldest first) 2 <u>None</u> | | | |
| 3 <u>None</u> | | | |
| Father <u>Lawrence</u> | <u>Unknown</u> | | |
| Mother <u>Bridget</u> | <u>5 Salem St</u> | <u>Charlestown</u> | <u>Mass</u> |
| 1 <u>John F.</u> | <u>3 Westminister St</u> | <u>Fitchburg</u> | <u>Mass</u> |
| Brothers, 2 (Name oldest first) 3 | | | |
| 1 <u>Mary G.</u> | <u>5 Salem St</u> | <u>Charlestown</u> | <u>Mass</u> |
| 2 <u>Green M.</u> | <u>5 Salem St</u> | <u>Charlestown</u> | <u>Mass</u> |
| Sisters, 3 (Name oldest first) 3 | | | |
| <u>Bridget</u> | <u>5 Salem St</u> | <u>Charlestown</u> | <u>Mass</u> |
| <u>Marion</u> | | | |
| <u>Theresa</u> | | | |

*Noted 7th 115
H. 6-10-21*

Date April 13, 1921 Signature Mrs Bridget Daly
Address 5 Salem St Relationship mother

Important - CAREFULLY read instructions before filling out this paper

April 13 1921

I, the undersigned, am the Mother and nearest living next of kin of
(Relationship)
the within named 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 Mrs Bridget Daly

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT.

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

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

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

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

5. If there are minor children of the deceased soldier and no widow, the LEGALLY APPOINTED GUARDIAN of the children should ascertain their wishes and act for them in this matter.

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

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

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

9. Use the inclosed envelope-pay no postage.

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

W-1000/100

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JUN 24 1921

These regulations...
Cemeterial Division
Overseas Project Sub-Section

1. The purpose of this regulation is to...

2. It shall be the duty of the...

3. It shall be the duty of the...

4. It shall be the duty of the...

5. It shall be the duty of the...

6. It shall be the duty of the...

7. It shall be the duty of the...

8. It shall be the duty of the...

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9. It shall be the duty of the...

10. It shall be the duty of the...

11. It shall be the duty of the...

12. It shall be the duty of the...

13. It shall be the duty of the...

14. It shall be the duty of the...

15. It shall be the duty of the...

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Revised -

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
Harlow, C.W. CEMETERIAL DIVISION
OVERSEAS PROJECT SUB-SECTION

| NAME OF DECEASED SOLDIER | | CEMETERY NO. | DATE |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------|----------|
| DALY, William J. | Cpl. | 276 - 55. | 2/18/21. |
| SERIAL NUMBER | ORGANIZATION | | |
| 62605. | Hq. Co. 101st Inf. | | |
| | D-D. 7-17-18. | | |

WAR RISK INSURANCE INFORMATION

Copy forwarded to
Adjustment Department
Date 3-17-21 PM

DATE 3/12/21

| NAME OF BENEFICIARY | RELATIONSHIP |
|--|---------------|
| <u>Mrs. Bridget Daly</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Address <u>5 Salem St. Charlestown, Mass.</u> | |

S/709/LML

June 20th, 1921.

File No. 293.8 Gen.Div., Cor.Br.

Mrs. Bridget Daly,
5 Salem St.,
Charlestown, Mass.

Re: Daly, William J., Cpl., Serial
No. 62605, Hdqrs. Co. 101st Inf.

Dear Madam:-

Your shipping inquiry dated April 13th, 1921, requesting that the remains of the deceased soldier named above be left in France for burial in a permanent American cemetery has been forwarded to the Cemeterial Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, Washington, D.C., for necessary action.

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

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

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

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

BY:

F. C. PALLAS,
Executive Assistant.

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MAILED
JUN 22 1921
COR. BR. G. R. S.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File# 11370

See Form 115-
made
6-19-22

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DALT, William J. Ser. No. 62605
 (b) Rank Cpl. Organization (8-11-21) M.D.T. Hqrs. Co. 101st Inf. } TYP EK
 (c) Date of death 7/17/18 (d) Cause of death W/A } 3/1

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

(a) Grave No. 152 Row _____ Plot (8-11-21) M.D.T. Sec. _____ TYP. _____ EK
 (b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Henry Gorman (adopted mother)
563 Fairmont St., Fitchburg, Mass. CKR. ✓

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases

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

*also card - Henry Gorman (adopted father)
 563 Fairmount St., West Fitchburg, Mass.
 requests body not returned to U.S.
 - ap. 3/18/21*

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
 letter of transmittal on 2/24/, 192

Par 2. Not to be returned (E.S.)

MAR 21 1921

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

| Date of and source. | Relationship and name. | Desires. | Action taken. |
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VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. 6-24-, 1921

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____

4/12/21

Cty. 276

Mrs. Landman:

The E.A. in the case of Cpl. William J. Daly, #62605, Hdqrs. Co. 101st Inf., was previously rept. as, Mrs. Henry Gorman, (Adopted Mother) has been changed to read as follows: Mr. Henry Gorman, (Adopted-Father), 563 Fairmont St., Fitchburg, Mass. (Same Address as Mother)

S-55.

S. Nelson,
Adjustment Department.

B

S. J. J.

Daly,

(Surname)

William J.

(Christian name in full.)

62,605

(Army serial number.)

Corp

Hq Co 101 Infantry

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Adopted Father.

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

No.

(Yes or no.)

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

(Yes or no.)

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

(Name of person to receive remains.)

(Express office.)

(Telegraph office.)

(Number and street.)

(City or town.)

(State.)

(Sign here)

Henry Gorman

563 Fairmount St. West Fitchburg, Mass.

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

3-6713

Answer by Pt

2-17-21

276-55

checked
3/17/21
E.M.

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

302
LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

Daley
Daley, 62605 William J.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

Corporal, Hdq. Co. 101 Inf.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... July 18, 1918.

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

Chateau Montanglaust, Near Coulommiers

S & M. Fifth grave in Row Eight

Sect B.

GRAVE NUMBER.....

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? No Cross? Yes

Headboard? No 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:

C. M. DeForest
Maj. M.R.C., U.S.A. Adj.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

Received
A.G.O.

22 JUL 1913

G. L. ...

FILE UNDER NO.

293 Daly, William J,

INDEX SHEET

Letter

SYNOPSIS

3/30/25.

From OQMG

To Mr. F. Clark,
New Haven, Conn.

Re letter from Mr. Clark advising that while in France he visited Cemetery at Belleau Woods and while there took photos of 2 graves- Cpl. W. J. Daly and Pvt. M. H. Campbell- he desires to send the photographs to their relatives - Giving addresses of adopted-father of Daly and father of Myers.

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO.

095 Clark, F,

mm

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

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B

Daly, William, J. Corp.
Hdqs. Co. 101st Inf. 293 A-C

March 30, 1925.

Mr. Henry Gorman,
563 Fairmont St.,
Fitchburg, Mass.

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

Very truly yours,
R. P. Harbold,
Major, Q.M.C.,

Assistant.

1-Incl.
Record card.



293 Gorman, Henry

GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

11370
..... Dailey, 62605 William J.
(Surname.) (Number.) (First Name and Initials.)

..... Corporal, Hdq. Co. 101 Inf.
(Rank.) (Organization.)

DATE OF BURIAL... July 18, 1918.

PLACE OF BURIAL... American Grave Yard

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

..... Chateau Montanglaust, Near Coulommiers

..... S & M. Fifth grave in Row Eight

Sect. B. W. 100

GRAVE NUMBER.....

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? No Cross? Yes

Headboard? No 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:

..... See 276

REPORTED BY: C. M. DeForest

Maj. M.R.C., U.S.A. Adj.

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer.)

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

30 JUL 1918

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Daily William J. #62605

Daily
Pvt.

DB 7/18/18

Buried Montanglaust Chateau Cemetery

Sec B

Gr 152

276

B 522 ✓

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Cty 276

DALY

William J.

Corporal Hg. Co. 101st Inf.

Bureau information required for Inquiry Section A.R.C.

Died 7-17-18

Cause Wounded in action.

Buried July 18, 1918.

Cty American, Chateau Montanglaust,
Mouroux, Seine-et-Marne,

Grave No. Row 8, Sec B.

CC 302 Sub.par. 87.

N.R. Mrs. Henry Gorman (adopted mother)

(Jan 8, 1918.)

563 Fairmont St., Fitchburg, Mass.

(Over)

MARKING

INFORMATION GRAVE

DATE OF INTERMENT

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

One buried with body:

One attached to grave marker:

DISPOSAL OF TAGS

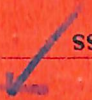
GRAVE MARKING

NP CROSS



WIDBRD

DTTL



ADDRESS

NAME

PLACE OF DEATH

DN

RECORDING DEATH

CAUSE OF DEATH

WAR DEPARTMENT EB 8 201
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

FILE

IN REPLY REFER TO

201(Daly, William J.)WW

April 6, 1921.

SUBJECT: Correct date of death.

ADJUSTMENT MADE

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To:

The Quartermaster General of the Army,
Washington, D. C.

AUG 11 1921
FILE 11370

Received, Comptroller Div., O. O. M. G.
File # 2938
11370

1. Upon investigation, it has been ascertained by the War Department that the date of death of Corporal William J. Daly, #62,605, Headquarters Company, 101st Infantry, heretofore communicated to you is erroneous, and that this soldier died July 16, 1918 of wounds received in action, while serving as a member of the American Expeditionary Forces in France. A notation to that effect has been placed upon the official records.

2. It appears from the records that the deceased enlisted May 8, 1917, and designated Mr. Henry Gorman, Adopted Father, 563 Fairmount Street, Fitchburg, Mass., as the person to be notified in case of emergency.

By order of the Secretary of War:

J. Gorman
Adjutant General.

Daly

Daly, William J.

Adjustment Made
APR 13 1921.
File No. 11370

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APR 7 1921
G. H. S.

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON

Date 1-26-21

File No. Registration.

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

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, Sixth and B Streets NW., Washington, D. C.

Subject: Information required for G. R. S.

11370

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

- a. Surname. *Henry Daly* ✓
- b. Christian name. *Daly* ✓
- c. Serial number. **62605** ✓
- d. Organization. *Hq Co 1 01 Inf.* ✓
- e. Rank. *Cpl* ✓
- f. Date of death. *July 17, 18* ✓
- g. Cause of death. *D. M. I. A.* ✓
- h. Authority (C. C. No.) *302 s. p. 87* ✓
- i. Emergency address. *Mrs Henry Gorman* ✓
- j. Relationship. *Adopted Mother* ✓

BODY DESCRIPTION.

(See page 2 of the Service Record.)

- a. Age at 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.)

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Donnelly L.P.B.
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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 |
| Upper right. | Upper left. |
| 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 |
| Lower right. | Lower left. |

FILE

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

By

H. J. Conner

H. J. CONNER,
Captain, Q. M. C.

1st Lt.

World War Div.
Date.....
JAN 27 1921

Rec'd S & S Div. A.G.O.
JAN 27 1921

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H. T. COZIER

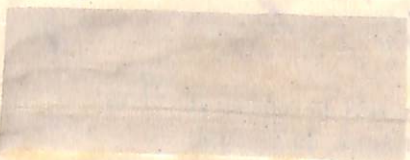
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Information relative to the following

- a. Name
- a. Height
- a. Color of hair
- a. Color of eyes
- a. Age at enlistment

(See page 2 of the Service Record)

BODY DESCRIPTION

- a. Rank
- a. Organization
- a. Serial number
- a. Christian name
- a. Signature

Postal office Postal office
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- a. State and date of birth
- (See original report of examination for enlistment)

DEVELOPMENT

- a. Relationship
- a. Emergency address
- a. Address (C. C. No.)
- a. Cause of death
- a. Date of death

WIFE

It is requested that the items checked below be completed. Request continuation of all information

Subject: Information required for G. B. S.

To: The Adjutant General of the Army, 614 and B Streets N.W., Washington, D. C.

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

File No. Registration

Date J-se-21

WASHINGTON
 OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
 WAR DEPARTMENT

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HDQRS. GRAVES REGISTRATION SERVICE
Quartermaster Corps
American Expeditionary Forces

Reference-11370.

February 3, 1919.

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E. F.
TO: Home Communication Section A.R.C., Paris.
SUBJECT: Corporal William J. Daly, Hdq. Co., 101st Infantry,
American E. F.

1. Reference office letter of January 6, in respect of place of burial of above named soldier, information has been received at these headquarters that he is buried in Row 8, Section B, American Cemetery, Chateau Montanglaust, at MOUROUX, Department of the SEINE-ET-MARNE.

2. The above information is for the official use of the American Red Cross and may not be communicated to the public.

By direction

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., A.E.F.

per

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

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FILE

Hdqs. Graves Registration Service
Quartermaster Corps
American Expeditionary Forces

January 6, 1919

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E. F.
TO: Home Communication Section, A. R. C., Paris. (Home Hospital Bureau)
SUBJECT: Corp. Wm. J. Daly, 101st Inf., Hdqs. Co., 26th Div.

Reference to your inquiry dated December 3rd, 1918, in respect to place of burial of above mentioned soldier, I beg to advise that a burial report has not as yet been received here. Inquiry is being made, and immediately this information is received, you will be informed.

By direction CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., A.E.F.

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

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AMERICAN RED CROSS 4-860

INTER-OFFICE LETTER

From Home and Hospital Bureau

Date Dec. 3, 1918.

Eng. 262.

To Capt. M.B. Dix, A.R.C., Graves Reg. Bureau, A.P.O. 717

Subject Corp. Wm. J. Daly, 101st Inf., Hdqrs. Co., 26th Div.

Information concerning the above man's death was received on Nov. 5th from Central Records Office, when they stated he died from wounds received in action July 17th. We also have a report from the 26th Division representative which confirms the Central Records Office statement. As soon as you have burial information, will you kindly send it to us.

Home Communication Section.

LR-RB

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Reference:

ENQ-10-P

Hdqrs. Graves Registration Service,
Quartermaster Corps,
American Expeditionary Forces,

11370
November 26, 1918

FROM: Chief, Graves Registration Service, American E.F.
TO: Home Communication Section, A.E.C., Paris
SUBJECT: Cpl. William J. Daly, Hdq. Co., 101st. Inf.

Reference your 4-860, dated the 9th ult., I beg to inform you that neither death nor burial information in respect to the above mentioned soldier have been received here. Kindly advise as to the source of your information.

By direction

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Lieut.-Colonel, Q.M.C., A.E.F.

per

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

File
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MBD-mf

Reference 4-860
November 9, 1918.

11370

Captain Dix, A.R.C.,
Graves Registration Bureau
A.P.O. 717

Eng/10/D

Cpl. William J. Daly, Hdq. Co., 101st Inf.

Above man reported having died July 17th of wounds received in action. Can you give us number of hospital and location of grave?

Home Communication Section
Bureau of Home and Hospital Service
AMERICAN RED CROSS Paris

ZWB MMB

J. A. B.

11379

Inf.
Duffy

TO: - REGISTRATION BRANCH, G.R.S.

File Number:

From: - A.R.C.

Date:

Please furnish information as indicated below regarding the following soldier:-

NAME Dailey, William J. NUMBER -

RANK Cpl. ORGANIZATION Hq. Co. 101st Inf.

| No. | Question | Reply |
|-----|---|--|
| 1 | Do particulars of soldier given above agree with Records? | H.B. All proper names to be printed in PLAIN BLOCK LETTERS |
| 2 | Date of Death | 1. DAILEY, 62605 William J. |
| 3 | Cause and place of death | |
| 4 | Number of Casualty Gaslogram | |
| 5 | Date buried | |
| 6 | Grave location (a) complete record required (b) name of cemetery or commune only required. | 6 - 0 |
| 7 | Who reported burial? | |
| 8 | Has report been confirmed by G.R.S. | 8. no |
| 9 | Report as to grave marker. | |
| 10 | Report as to identification tags. | |
| 11 | Who is nearest relative? | |
| 12 | Has W/R been notified (give date)? | 12. No |
| 13 | Report the exact position of your inquiry on this case. (Reply in all cases if no information on record). | |
| 14 | What is the photograph No.? | |

RK
12/28/18