

Dup.

Dempsey. Frederick

104,517

(Surname.)

(Christian name in full.)

(Army serial number.)

Pvt.

Co. L 369th Inf

(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States?

(Yes or no.)

If remains are brought to the United States, do you
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)

(Number and street or rural route.)

(City, town, or post office.)

(State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card.

RETURNED
UNCLAIMED

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G.R.S. Form #114 B

To The A. G. O.

13685

OCT 9 - 1926

DATE 9/21/21.

1. NAME DEMPSEY, Frederick

SERIAL No. 104517

RANK Pvt.

ORGANIZATION Co. L, 369th Inf. 93rd Div
& DIVISION

GRAVE LOCATION Argonne Amer. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, #1232 Sect.92

CTY. NAME

NUMBER

122

Sect.92

3

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

2. ORIGINAL BATTLE AREA GRAVE LOCATION

Ripont,

Marne

GRAVE

COMMUNE

DEPT.

COORDINATES Verdun 35 SW

274.2 N

279.2 E

CONCENTRATED TO 6/4/19

122

Sec 92

3

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

PLOT

Meuse Argonne Cemetery

1232

CEMETERY

CTY. NUMBER

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

G.R.S. tag on body, tag on cross.

DATE OF DEATH

Sept. 26, 1918

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME

N.Y.

data F-1.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED

none

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 9/21/21.

17

33

DATE

GRAVE

ROW

Block H

Robert O. Davis,

Major General.

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

CEMETERY

OCT 11 1926

WORLD WAR DIV.

OCT 13 1920

AUDITED BY
M.W. 4-27-23



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.



Date June 14th, 1919.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Remains of:

Name: DEMPSEY, F.

Number 104517

Rank: Unkn

Organization 369 Inf.

Disinterment and Reburial made by Group:

Unit

Disinterred (Date)

From (Give complete location)

6 4th June 1919.

Grave #1, ISOLATED? RIBONT MARNE

Map 35 SW E 279.2 N 274.2

Reburied (Date)

In: (Give complete location)

4th June 1919.

Grave #122, Sec. 92, Plot 3.

1232

ARGONNE AMERICAN CEMETERY No. 1252

ROMAGNE MEUSE

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

Burial good Buried in uniform Body badly decomposed

Was any identification tag found upon the body? Yes

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

Note:

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

Supervised by: Lt. Hanes

R. H. ROSENTHAL

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

H.O'K

G.O. (Corp)

Unit

10993

CONFIRMED No. D

CODE SLIP



HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME	Dempsey	3	45-03
	Frederick	1	1
BURIED	CEMETERY	1232	17
	GRAVE	17	33
	ROW	33	8
	BLOCK	14	37
STATE	N. J.	2	2
RANK	Priv	1	93
DIVISION	93	2	369
ORGANIZATION	369	3	1
ARM	Inf.	1	1
MARTIAL	Yes	1	45-03
NAME	Mrs Viola Dempsey	3	35
	Dem	2	13
RESIDENCE	STATE	N. J.	2
	COUNTY	Monmouth	3
	CITY	Freehold	5
RELATION	Widow	1	1
OTHER		1	
ELIGIBILITY	Yes	1	
NATIVITY		1	
RACE	BLACK	1	2
ENGLISH		1	
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH		1	
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF TRIP	MO.	1	
	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE		1	

*Mother Dead
Stepmother living
No Soc*

AUDITED
JAN 18 1932

DMW

Post Office Department

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Return to _____

Q. M. GENERAL

Street and Number,
or Post Office Box, _____

(NAME OF SENDER)
MUNITIONS BUILDING

WASHINGTON,

DEMPSEY, FREDERICK (MA) x

D. C.

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1 PM
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PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE
IF NO PAYMENT OF
POSTAGE, \$300.

POSTMARK OF DELIVERING
OFFICE

AND DATE OF DELIVERY

RETURN RECEIPT

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

Mrs. Viola Hempsy

(Signature or name of addressee)

(Signature of addressee's agent)

Date of delivery, 19

Form 3811

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WAR DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

WASHINGTON

QM 293 A-M

Dempsey, Frederick (MA) x

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold,
New Jersey.

January 6, 1933.

Dear Madam:

During the past three years, numerous communications have been forwarded you relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended.

Under the law, 1933 is the last year you may make the pilgrimage at the expense of the Government, and it is imperative that this office have an expression from you as to whether or not you desire to take advantage of the opportunity afforded you.

It is requested therefore you answer the following inquiry, sign your name, and return this letter to this office.

DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE IN 1933? _____
(Yes) or (No)

Sign here

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Encl.:
Env.

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

Capt H.

Helen - inelig 5 M.

Cordelia - aunt who
cared for him since he
was 4 - Neither wants
to go -

QM 293 A-M

WAR DEPARTMENT

Oct. 13, 1932

Dempsey, Frederick

MA-x

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.

Dear Madam:

Your Government has provided an opportunity for all Mothers and Widows of deceased members of the American Forces who were lost, buried at sea, or whose remains are now interred in Europe, to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe. This was done in the hope that all who may make the pilgrimage will derive a measure of comfort and solace from the visit.

You are numbered among those who are privileged to make this pilgrimage.

During July and September of this year, inquiries were addressed to you as to whether or not you desire to make the pilgrimage to Europe. To these inquiries no reply has been received from you.

You probably do not realize how important it is that a reply be received from you. If we do not receive replies, it becomes very difficult to make the necessary and proper arrangements for those who are to make the trip, as everything must be arranged in advance. Consequently, it is just as important for the Government to know the names of those who do not desire to take advantage of its offer as it is to know the names of those who do.

Will you please devote a few moments of your time to write either the word "YES" or "NO" in the following space _____, thus indicating whether or not you desire to make the pilgrimage during 1933 and sign your name here _____. Use the enclosed envelope, which requires no postage, and return this sheet.

This reply will assure your Government that no worthy Mother or Widow has failed to receive its offer in commemoration of a loved one departed, and will greatly assist in making the necessary preparations for those of them who wish to take advantage of the privilege.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

*Ben 94 - 6
17
23*

- 7 aunt took him

16 father died

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

Sept. 8, 1932

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Dempsey, Frederick (MA) x-

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.

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.

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

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

Dempsey, Frederick (MA) - x

July 13, 1932.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.

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) _____

Dempsey Frederick
Pvt Co L 369th Inf

B - 6 - 294 MA x
104517

vd

enul 7-16-17

XC-108 4

1-28-17

MOTHER

dead + father dead

WIDOW

? see other side

~~LOCO~~

~~SM~~

lived with S. M 4 years
is Bury after father died in 1910

Miss Helen Dempsey

1126 Embury Ave

Neptune - N. J.

Step-mother claims she
knows nothing of veto marriage
He gave Viola Dempsey - info on
emergency ad - makes claim for
ins. was asked to send in
proofs of marriage etc and
has never answered address
Freehold - N. J.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Dempsey, Frederick (MA) Wx

October 2, 1931.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. To date information has not been received as to whether or not you desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, in honor of the deceased veteran named above.

In order that the records may be complete, 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.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Dempsey, Frederick Pvt (MA) W x

July 1, 1931.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold,
N.J.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Dempsey, Frederick

September 20, 1930

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, New Jersey.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your communication of recent date relative to the pilgrimage authorized by Congress in the Act approved March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

It is possible that you may qualify under the terms of section 4 (a) of the Act mentioned, as amended, which reads in part as follows: "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the soldier, sailor, or marine becoming eighteen years of age".

In the event you believe yourself eligible, under this provision of the law to make a pilgrimage, it is requested that you have the enclosed forms completed by at least two persons not related to you, and return them to this office in order that your eligibility, under the Act may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

Enclosures:
Act-Amendment.
Aff. Forms.
Envelope.

Do not follow up
LVP

~~Handwritten scribbles and signatures~~

QM 293 A-M
Dempsey, Frederick 1232

September 15, 1930

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, New Jersey.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of the questionnaire completed by you relative to the pilgrimage authorized by Congress in the Act approved March 2, 1929.

It has been held that in order for a woman to occupy the status of stepmother of a deceased veteran, she must have been married to the father at the time of the enlistment and death of his son. The information submitted by you under date of October 21, 1929, does not indicate that you could qualify as stepmother to make this pilgrimage at the expense of the Government.

The only provision of the law under which you could be considered for this privilege is contained in section 4 (a) of the Act, as amended May 15, 1930, which reads in part as follows: "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the soldier, sailor, or marine becoming eighteen years of age".

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

Should you desire to make the pilgrimage during the year 1931, 1932 or 1933, and believe yourself eligible under this provision of the law to make the journey, it is requested that the enclosed forms be completed and returned to this office, in order that your eligibility under the Act may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 9, 1930.

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Dempsey, Frederick 1232 SM

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Ave.,
Neptune, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

2. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not remarried?

If so, give her name and address:

3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

If so, give her name and address:

*I am His Mother
I don't wish
to take the trip.
Mrs Helen Dempsey
I don't know
of any Hilatt
of the deceased
Mrs Helen Dempsey
1126 Embury Ave
Neptune N.J.*

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

Enclosures:
Envelope
Act
Amendment

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



WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 19, 1930.

Dempsey, Frederick 1232 W

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold,
N. J.

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,

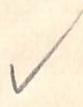
A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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

(Write answer here)

(Sign here)

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON



IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929

Dempsey, Frederick 1232 -Sm

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, N. J.

*Not eligible
Father died prior to enlistment*

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.

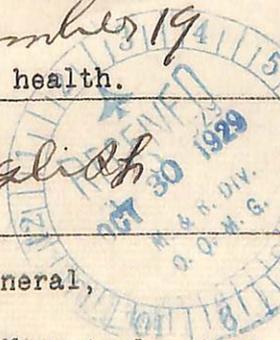
In order that the report referred to may be made and plans completed for conducting the pilgrimages, it is requested that you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office by return mail in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

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 <u>66</u> Health (Years) (Good) (Poor)
5. What language do you speak? <i>English</i>	English - (Yes) (No) Other language <u>No</u> (Specify language spoken)

I Home Base No 57. December 19

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

Very truly yours,



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

Encl.
Act
Envelope

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WORLD WAR DIVISION
PERSONNEL RECORDS SECTION

.....1929

TO

No application received.

At Enl.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey, wife,
12 West 134th St., New York City.

~~also~~ also shown as

93 West 134th St., Apt 5,
c/o Calhoun, New York City, N.Y.

also shown as

100 - West 141st, New York City.

Cordelia Dempsey, Aunt, -
1004 Brook Ave.,
New York, N.Y.

HIM # 58

QM 293 A-C
Dempsey, Frederick

October 21, 1929.

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Esbury Avenue,
Reptune, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show you were the step-mother of the late Private Frederick Dempsey. Therefore, in order to determine your eligibility to make the pilgrimage to his grave, as provided in the Act, it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

SC:LS
1 Encl.
Act.

#1252

QM 293 A-C
Dempsey, Frederick

October 21, 1929.

Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey,
1004 Brook Avenue,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 19, 1929, relative to the pilgrimage authorized by Congress in the Act of March 2, 1929.

As the U. S. Veterans Bureau has charge of insurance matters, your letter has been forwarded to that Bureau for reply to your question as to the insurance policies of your nephew, the late Private Frederick Dempsey, and you will no doubt receive the desired information in due course.

This office is pleased to advise that it has been able to secure the addresses of the wife and stepmother of the late Frederick Dempsey, and communications have been sent to them at the following addresses:

Mrs. Helen Dempsey, stepmother,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, N. J.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey, wife,
Freehold, N. J.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

SC:LS

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Dempsey, Frederick

October 21, 1929.

1232

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, N. J.

letter 10-7-29
sent 10-30-29

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show you were the step-mother of the late Private Frederick Dempsey. Therefore, in order to determine your eligibility to make the pilgrimage to his grave, as provided in the Act, it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

- (1) Date of your marriage to the *October 29* father of Private Dempsey. *1901*
- (2) Were you married to Mr. Dempsey *His father* at the time his son entered the military service?
- (3) Were you married to Mr. Dempsey *His father* at the time of his son's death? *His father*
If not, give date of your separation from him, or of his death. *of 20 years*

For The Quartermaster General.



Very truly yours,
A. D. Hughes
A. D. HUGHES,
Captain, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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QM 293 A-C
Dempsey, Frederick

October 15, 1929.

The Director,
U. S. Veterans Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

There is forwarded herewith copy of letter from Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey, 1004 Brook Avenue, New York City, dated September 19, 1929, for reply to that part which refers to the insurance policies of the late Private Frederick Dempsey. Mrs. Dempsey has been advised of this reference.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

Oct. 12, 1929.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, New Jersey.

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 widow of the late Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L, 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?
2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?
3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?
4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

Oct. 10, 1929.

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Ave.,
Neptune, N.J.

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 step-mother of the late Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L, 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address.
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I Don't know
I am his step
Mother
Mrs Helen Dempsey
1126 Neptune N.J.
I Don't bear to
take the trip

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederik,

Oct. 5, 1929.

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 - Embury Ave.,
Neptune, N.J.

Dear Madam:

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Dempsey Embury
Neptune N.J.

For The Quartermaster General,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Dempsey, Frederick

September 25, 1929.

The Director,
U. S. Veterans Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

There is forwarded herewith copy of letter from Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey, 1004 Brook Avenue, New York City, dated September 19, 1929, for reply to that part which refers to the insurance policies of the late Private Frederick Dempsey. Mrs. Dempsey has been advised of this reference.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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1 Enclosure:
C/Let. 9-19-29.

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS



Mr Leonard Dempsy
67 W. 134th St
New York

RETURN TO
DO NOT POST AGAIN IN THIS
ENVELOPE OR WRAPPER



Co
N. D.

New York City Sept 12 1929

My Dear Nephew I am very
well at the present time and
hoping you are the same
Dear Leonard I am asking
you to send me your ~~step~~
mother's address or other
wise you come up in the
Bronx to see me tell me
something Helen whereabouts
her location. I want you
to come I received a letter
from the War Department
in Washington DC last
week concerning of Fred
Wife and mother please
come up if possible from
your Aunt Cordeba Dwyer
1004 Brook ave Bronx Nyc

1232

1004 Brook Avenue,
New York, N. Y.
September 19, 1929.

Major John T. Harris,
Quartermaster Corps,
U. S. Army,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of September 12, 1929 (QM 293 A-C) concerning Frederick Dempsey, #1232, requesting me to fill out certain questions therein.

In reply I beg to state that I am unable to furnish the information which you ask for concerning Frederick Dempsey, except concerning myself. I am his aunt, being the only relative of whom I am aware. I have tried to locate his brother, Leonard Dempsey, with whom I have been in touch up until a year ago. I don't know whether he is dead or alive or anything about his whereabouts, nor do I know anything about his step-mother or his wife.

I took Frederick Dempsey to raise soon after his mother died when he was four years of age. I cared for him until he was nearly of age. His father got married the second time. His step-mother is Helen Dempsey. I have not seen or heard from her in seven or eight years; neither Frederick Dempsey's wife.

I am too old to travel on the water now and am unable to make the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe.

You will find a card enclosed whereby I tried to locate Leonard Dempsey.

You will oblige me very much if you will inform me in regard to the beneficiary of Frederick Dempsey's insurance policies.

Respectfully,

Mrs Cordelia Dempsey

Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey.



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1004 Brook Avenue,
New York, N. Y.
September 19, 1929.

Major John T. Harris,
Quartermaster Corps,
U. S. Army,
Washington, D. C.

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Respectfully,

(Sgd.) Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick
1232

September 12, 1929.

Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey,
1004 Brook Ave.,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Aug. 31, 1929, making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

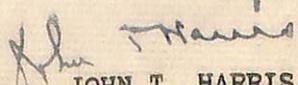
1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried? If so, give her complete address:

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

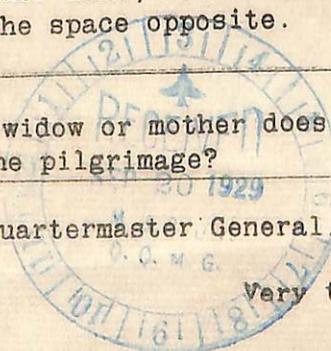
3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,


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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

(*married*)

August 31, 1929

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
93 W. 134th St., Apt. 5,
New York, N. Y.

108324
Step-17
Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Ave.,
Neptune, N. J.

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 widow of the late Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L. 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?
2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?
3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?
4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

August 31, 1929

Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey,
1004 Brook Ave.,
New York, N. Y.

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 Aunt of the late Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L. 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address.
3. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

For The Quartermaster General,

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

Aug. 16, 1929.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
12 West 134th St.,
New York City.

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 widow of the late Private Frederick Dempsey, Co. L, 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?

2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?

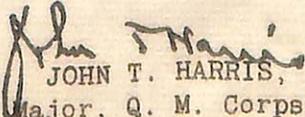
3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

August 7, 1929

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, New York

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 Step-Mother of the late Private Frederick Dempsey, Co. L. 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

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For The Quartermaster General,

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John T. Harris
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

DATE 7-23-29

NAME	RANK	SERIAL	ORGANIZATION	DATE OF DEATH
<u>Dempsey, Frederick</u>	<u>Pvt.</u>	<u>104517</u>	<u>Co. L, 369th Inf.</u>	<u>10-2-18</u>

STATE	CTY. NO.	GRAVE	ROW	BLOCK
	<u>1232</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>H</u>

	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>	
NAME	MOTHER	: : :	<i>Mrs. Helen Dempsey</i> <i>1126 Embury Ave,</i> <i>Neptune,</i> <i>N.Y.</i>
AND	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service) ←	: ← : :	
ADDRESS	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	
	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	: : :	
		: : :	
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Veterans Bureau Claim Number
29/156

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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STATE Married. CTY. NO. 1232 GRAVE 17 ROW 33 BLOCK H

	<u>Check relationship</u>	<u>Living - Deceased</u>	
NAME	MOTHER	: : :	C-108324
AND	STEPMOTHER (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: ✓ : :	
ADDRESS	MOTHER THRU ADOPTION (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	Step-14 <u>Ms. Helen Dempsey</u> <u>1126 - Embury Park,</u> <u>Neptune, N. J.</u>
	MOTHER IN LOCO PARENTIS (For the year prior to commencement of service)	: : :	
	WIDOW (Who has not remarried)	: : :	1/16/28.

Veterans Bureau Claim Number 29/156

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Sept. 8, 1932

Dempsey, Frederick (MA) x-

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.

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.

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

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,

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

Dempsey, Frederick (MA) - x

July 13, 1932.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.

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) _____

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M

Dempsey, Frederick (MA) Wx

October 2, 1931.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to previous correspondence relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930. To date information has not been received as to whether or not you desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer months of 1932, in honor of the deceased veteran named above.

In order that the records may be complete, 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.

1. Do you desire to make a pilgrimage in 1932?	
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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

Encl:
Env.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Dempsey, Frederick Pvt (MA) W x

July 1, 1931.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold,
N.J.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick Pvt. (MA) W x

May 6, 1931.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold,
New Jersey.

Dear Madam:

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

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

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?

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

3. Please give your age and state your health.

4. Do you speak English?

5. What other language do you speak?

Age
Condition of Health

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

QM 293 A-M

Dempsey, Frederick Pvt 1232 W

October 21, 1930

Mrs. Viola Dempsey
Freehold
New Jersey

Dear Madam:

A reply has not been received to office letter of recent date relative to the pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe, authorized by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929, as amended May 15, 1930.

The records of this office show that you are the widow of the deceased veteran named above and in order that plans may be completed for conducting the pilgrimages in 1931, it is requested you answer the following questions by filling out the blanks left therefor and return the letter to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage?	
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1931?	
3. Please give your age and state your health.	Age Condition of health
4. Do you speak English?	
5. What other language do you speak?	

For The Quartermaster General:

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-M
Dempsey, Frederick 1232

September 15, 1930

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, New Jersey.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of the questionnaire completed by you relative to the pilgrimage authorized by Congress in the Act approved March 2, 1929.

It has been held that in order for a woman to occupy the status of stepmother of a deceased veteran, she must have been married to the father at the time of the enlistment and death of his son. The information submitted by you under date of October 21, 1929, does not indicate that you could qualify as stepmother to make this pilgrimage at the expense of the Government.

The only provision of the law under which you could be considered for this privilege is contained in section 4 (a) of the Act, as amended May 15, 1930, which reads in part as follows: "or any woman who stood in loco parentis to the deceased member of the military or naval forces for a period of not less than five years at any time prior to the soldier, sailor, or marine becoming eighteen years of age".

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

Should you desire to make the pilgrimage during the year 1931, 1932 or 1933, and believe yourself eligible under this provision of the law to make the journey, it is requested that the enclosed forms be completed and returned to this office, in order that your eligibility under the Act may be determined. Under paragraphs 1 (c) and 1 (d), sufficient information should be included to permit an intelligible decision as to eligibility.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

July 9, 1930.

Dempsey, Frederick 1232 SM

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Babuny Ave.,
Neptune, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

This office has no record of any person entitled under the Act mentioned to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries in Europe as the mother or widow of the above named deceased service man. To complete the list of eligibles and to assure that, if the above named man is survived by a mother or widow entitled to make a pilgrimage she receive an invitation to do so, it is requested you answer the following questions in the space provided on this letter and return to this office in the enclosed envelope which requires no postage.

1. Is the deceased survived by a mother?

If so, give her name and address:

2. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not remarried?

If so, give her name and address:

3. Is the deceased survived by any woman who stood in loco parentis to him according to the terms of Section 4 (a) of the enclosed Act as amended?

If so, give her name and address:

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

June 19, 1930.

Dempsey, Frederick 1232 W

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold,
N. J.

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)



UNITED STATES VETERANS BUREAU

WASHINGTON

October 31, 1929.

THIS LETTER REFERS TO
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Office of the Quartermaster General,
Washington, D.C.

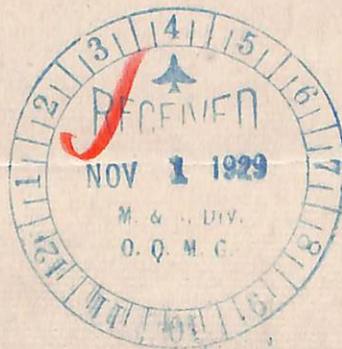
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Attention: A. D. Hughes,
Captain, Q. M. Corps, Assistant.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your communication dated October 15, 1929, with enclosed communication from Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey, an aunt of the above named deceased soldier, requesting information with reference to the designated beneficiary of the insurance in this case.

Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated by the Bureau.



By direction,

H. H. Milns

H. H. MILNS,
Chief, Awards Division.

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QM 293 A-C
Dempsey, Frederick

October 21, 1929.

Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey,
1004 Brook Avenue,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 19,
1929, relative to the pilgrimage authorized by Congress in the Act
of March 2, 1929.

As the U. S. Veterans Bureau has charge of insurance mat-
ters, your letter has been forwarded to that Bureau for reply to
your question as to the insurance policies of your nephew, the
late Private Frederick Dempsey, and you will no doubt receive the
desired information in due course.

This office is pleased to advise that it has been able
to secure the addresses of the wife and stepmother of the late
Frederick Dempsey, and communications have been sent to them at
the following addresses:

Mrs. Helen Dempsey, stepmother,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, N. J.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey, wife,
Freehold, N. J.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Dempsey, Frederick

October 21, 1929.

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

The records of this office show you were the step-mother of the late Private Frederick Dempsey. Therefore, in order to determine your eligibility to make the pilgrimage to his grave, as provided in the Act, it will be appreciated if you will furnish the following information:

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

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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QM 293 A-C
Dempsey, Frederick

October 15, 1929.

The Director,
U. S. Veterans Bureau,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

There is forwarded herewith copy of letter from Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey, 1004 Brook Avenue, New York City, dated September 19, 1929, for reply to that part which refers to the insurance policies of the late Private Frederick Dempsey. Mrs. Dempsey has been advised of this reference.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

Oct. 12, 1929.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, New Jersey.

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 widow of the late Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L, 569th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?
2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?
3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?
4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Dempsey, Frederick 1232 -Sm

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, N. J.

Dear Madam:

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

October 7, 1929.

Dempsey, Frederick 1232 -M

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, New Jersey.

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.

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1. Do you desire to make this pilgrimage if eligible?	(Yes)	(No)
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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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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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October 7, 1929.

Dempsey, Frederick 1232 -H

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.

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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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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October 7 1929.

Dempsey, Frederick 1232 -W

**Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
Freehold, N. J.**

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.

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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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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick
1232

September 12, 1929.

Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey,
1004 Brook Ave.,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated Aug. 31, 1929, making inquiry concerning the name and address of the mother and widow of the deceased service man above named. These addresses are desired with a view to ascertaining the number of mothers and widows who desire to make a pilgrimage to the cemeteries of Europe in which the remains of their sons and husbands are interred.

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

Write answers in space below

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

Oct. 10, 1929.

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Ave.,
Neptune, N.J.

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 step-mother of the late Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L, 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address.
3. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

For The Quartermaster General,

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
Assistant.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederik,

Oct. 5, 1929.

Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 - Embury Ave.,
Neptune, N.J.

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 step-mother of the late Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L, 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?

2. If so, give her complete address.

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

JOHN T. HARRIS,
Major, Q. M. Corps,
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Mr. Viola Dempsey

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Step mother

Mrs Helen Dempsey

1126 Embury Ave

Neptune

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

August 31, 1929

Mrs. Cordelia Dempsey,
1004 Brook Ave.,
New York, N. Y.

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 Aunt of the late Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L. 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address.
3. If he is survived by a mother, stepmother, mother thru adoption, or any other woman who stood in loco parentis to him, according to the terms of Section 4 of the enclosed Act, give her name, address, and relationship in the space opposite.

For The Quartermaster General,

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Major, Q. M. Corps,
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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Dempsey, Frederick

August 31, 1929

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
93 W. 134th St., Apt. 5,
New York, N. Y.

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 widow of the late **Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, Co. L. 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse Argonne Amer. Cty. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.**

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?
2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?
3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?
4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

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Dempsey, Frederick

Aug. 16, 1929.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
12 West 134th St.,
New York City.

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 widow of the late **Private Frederick Dempsey, Co. L, 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.**

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Have you remarried since the death of the above named veteran?
2. If not, do you desire to make the pilgrimage?
3. Is the deceased survived by a mother?
4. If so, give her name and complete address.

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
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Dempsey, Frederick

August 7, 1929

**Mrs. Helen Dempsey,
1126 Embury Avenue,
Neptune, New York**

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 **Step-Mother of the late Private Frederick Dempsey, Co. L. 369th Inf., whose remains are now interred in the Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse, France.**

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

Write answers in space below:

1. Is the deceased survived by a widow who has not since remarried?
2. If so, give her complete address.
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For The Quartermaster General,

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Assistant.

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OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to:
QM - 293 C-R

July 24, 1923.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
12 West 134th St.,
New York City, N.Y.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private Frederick Dempsey, Company L, 369th Infantry, is Grave 17, Row 33, Block H, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-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 headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The 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.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing 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,

H. J. Conner
H. J. Conner, R
Assistant.

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Mrs. Viola Demsey,

12 West 134th St.,

New York City,

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In reply refer to:
QM - 293 C-R

July 24, 1923.

Mrs. Viola Dempsey,
12 West 154th St.,
New York City, N.Y.

Dear Madam:

The Quartermaster General desires that you be informed that the permanent grave of Private Frederick Dempsey, Company L, 369th Infantry, is Grave 17, Row 33, Block H, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-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 headstone of white marble, of suitable design, with name, rank, division, organization, date of soldier's death and State from which he came. The 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.

In effecting removal, the utmost care and reverence were exacted and more than willingly accorded by those performing 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,

O. Q. M. G.
Central Mail & Files Branch



H. J. Conner,
Assistant.

JUL 24 1923
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293-Washington, W.H.C. Pvt.

Hqrs., Meuse-Argonne Cemetery, Romagne/s Montfaucon (Meuse) May 16th, 1923.
TO: Chief, AGRS., Q.C., in E., 8, Avenue d'Iena, Paris (Seine).

1. The grave locations of the deceased American soldiers listed in basic communication are as follows:

WASHINGTON, William H.C., 2337085, Pvt. Co. L, 372nd Infantry,
Grave 17, Block E, Row 33, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232

✓ DEMPSEY, Frederick, 104517, Pvt. Co. L, 369th Infantry,
Grave 17, Block H, Row 33, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery #1232.

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E. P. DOYLE,
Commanding.

File No: *293.8 by 1232* 3rd Ind.

HW.

Hqtrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8 Avenue D'Iena, Paris, May 24th, 1923, TO: The Quartermaster General, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

1. Attention is invited to preceding indorsement with the request that G.R.S. Forms sent you in the case of Frederick Dempsey, Pvt., Co. L, 369th Infantry be corrected accordingly.



JUN-81913

R. P. Harbold
R. P. Harbold,
Chief.

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 C-R
Washington, William H.C.
Dempsey, Frederick Pvt.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

May 7, 1923.

SUBJECT: Discrepancies.

TO: Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C.
in Europe.

1. Pvt. Frederick Dempsey, #104517, Co.L, 369th Inf. has been reported concentrated into Grave 17, Row 33, Block E, Meuse-Argonne American Cemetery. Pvt. William H.C. Washington, #2337085, Co.L, 372nd Inf. has also been reported reburied into the same grave location.

2. Information is requested as to the correct grave locations for these two soldiers.

By order of the Quartermaster General:

LN

H.J. Conner
H.J. CONNER,
Assistant.



File No: *293.8 Cty 1232* 1st Ind. HW.

Hqtrs. American G.R.S., Q.M.C. in Europe, 8 Avenue D'Iena, Paris, May 15th, 1923. TO: Commanding Officer, Meuse Argonne American Cemetery, Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, Meuse.

1. It is directed this office be advised correct grave locations of soldiers mentioned in basic communication by indorsement hereon with the least practicable delay.



R.P. Harbold
R. P. Harbold,
Chief.

QM 293 C-R
Washington, William H.C.
Dempsey, Frederick Pvt.

May 7, 1928.

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By order of the Quartermaster General:

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H. J. CONNER,
Assistant.

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1. G. R. S. Form No. 1.

Hq. G. R. S. File

2. Soldier's No. 10457

3. **DEMPSEY** *Frederick*
Surname (in block letters) First Name and Initials

4. Rank Company Regt. or Corps

5. Date of Death Cause, if known *K. I. R. A.*

6. Date of Burial Cemetery

7. *Ripont* *ARDENNES*
Town or Commune (in block letters) Department

8. *4* (Isolated) Grave No. Plot No. or Letter

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

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

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

CMPT. Ripont (Marne)

(C-455) SHT. 35 S.W. COORD [E. 279.3 N. 274.1]

12. *Verdun 35 S.W. 274.1 N. 270.3 E.*
Map Reference, if interment is outside of cemetery

13. Give name of Chaplain or Burial Officer

Signed *H. E. Feltes 2nd Lt.*

Group *3* Unit *302* G. R. S.

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5-10-21

(Date)

FORM 115 has been compiled on the following case:-

CEMETERY NO. 1232 SECTION 92

FORM 115 Sheet No. 44

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(Initials)

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Form No. 1011.

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New York N Y

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9/12/20*

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**WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON,**

August 18, 1919.

Dear Madam:

This is the second request for information concerning this matter that has been sent to you. Inasmuch as no reply has been received to the first request it is presumed you did not receive it, and as the information indicated on the inclosed card is necessary to complete the records it will be appreciated if you will fill in and return the card at the earliest practicable date.

P. C. HARRIS,
The Adjutant General.

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American Expeditionary Forces

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Mrs. Viola Dempsey

~~12 West 134th St.,~~

New York, N. Y.

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Mrs. Viola Dempsey
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State of _____)
County of _____) ss

Name of deceased soldier _____

Rank _____ Organization _____

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

(a) _____ stood in loco parentis to _____
(name of applicant) (deceased soldier)
from _____ to _____

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

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

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

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

(a) A person must act the part of a lawful father in performing the duty of providing for him; taking the place of a father in this particular.

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

Signed: _____

Address: _____

Signed: _____

Address: _____

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

(Seal)

(Notary Public)

1126 Amherst Ave Neptun N.J.
I am sending Pappas Back Nat
since because I don't want to
go to France I know married
to Frederick Dempsey father
in 1901. Then she lived 4 years
in San Gallo as I can
remember from
Mrs Helen Dempsey



Place Roanne 1232.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 20, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF DEMPSKY, Frederick SERIAL NUMBER 104517

RANK Pvt. ORGANIZATION Co. L. 369th Inf.

2. Disinterred (date): Sept. 20, 1921 From (give complete location): Gr 122, Sec 92 Plot 3.

By: Group 4 Unit 2

3. Reburied (date): Sept. 21, 1921 In (give complete location): House Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Gr 17 Plot 2 Row 53

*auth 2nd hand
5/16/23
19B 6/11/23*

By: Group re-burial Unit Nature of reburial unlined casket

4. Report as to nature of original burial and condition of body upon disinterment: wooden box and burlap and uniform, badly decomposed, features not recognizable.

5. (a) Identification tags: Buried with body? no On grave marker? yes.

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

G.R.S. plaque found on body reads, "Demp---, partly corroded, shoes about size 8, 1/2."

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? 30 RIBS. 1, 17, s.f. 1, 17, 18, 31 cavity

(a) Height (actual measurement) impossible to determine. 4, 9, 11, 23, 24, 25, 26, missing.

(b) Weight (estimated) do

(c) Hair—Color do

Quantity do

Characteristics do

(d) Hair on face—Color do

Location do

Quantity do

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

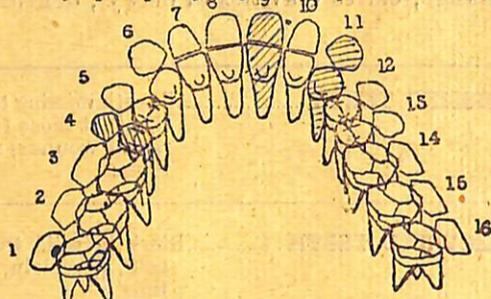
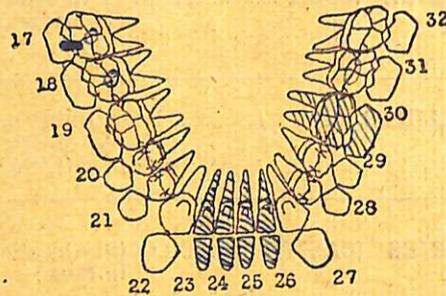


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



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

three ribs missing two vertebrae and both hands missing.

7. Disinterment supervised by H. J. Renouard

Approved: Geo. C. Bland
(Title) 1st Lt. Q.M.C.

8. Reburial supervised by W. B. Shields

Approved: J. W. Younger
(Title) Capt. Q.M.C.

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

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

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

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

6. Give all information as to body description and dental chart as nearly correctly as the condition of the body will allow. Items (e) and (f) under the body description are very important and should be very complete. The dental chart is also very important and should be filled in with great care. There are 32 teeth to be accounted for, as shown by the numbers on the chart. Beginning at the middle line in both upper and lower jaws, the teeth are arranged symmetrically on either side and classed as incisors (cutting teeth), cuspids or canines (tearing teeth), 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:

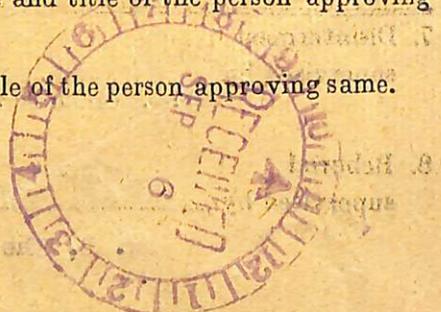


CARIES (CAVITIES).....Outline location and size of cavity, shade in thus:



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.



To be prepared in triplicate.

DATE Sept. 20, 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 DEMPSEY, Frederick

10. Name

2. No. 104517

11. No.

3. Rank Pvt.

12. Rank

4. Org. Co. L. 369th Inf.

13. Org.

5. D.D. Sept. 26-Oct. 2nd

14. (a) D.D.

6. C.D. KIA

(b) D.B. No discrepancies

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 122 Sec. 92

15. Grave No. Sec.

8. Plot 3 Row

16. Plot Row

9.

17. No discrepancies

18. Cemetery Argonne Amer.

19. Commune or town Romagne-sous-Montfaucon

20. Dept. or County Meuse

21. Country France

22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 1232 Sect. 92

23. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 20, 1921

By E. J. Renouard

24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Frederick Dempsey

Serial No.

Rank Pvt.

Organization Co. L, 369th Inf.

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

W.H. Woodward

Wilbur N. 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). GRS plaque found on body reads: "Dempsey, Demps--" partly corroded. Shoes about size 8

27. Condition of body Badly decomposed. Features not recognizable.

28. Nature of burial Wooden box in uniform and burlap.

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 Sept. 20, 1921 By E. J. Renouard

31. Casket sealed by E. J. Renouard

Signature of Embalmer, (Supervisor) E. J. Renouard



SHIPMENT. (Show actual markings of box.) Box No. C-6151

32. Designation of body

Name DEMPSEY, Frederick Serial No. 104517

Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I, 369th Inf.

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Argonne Amer. Romagne-sous-Montfaucon, #1232

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept. 20, 1921 By E.J. Renouard

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 Geo. C. Bland
Geo. C. Bland,
1st Lt, QMC

36. Remarks none

37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date) Sept. 20, 1921

To point of Concentration Morgue Romagne Albert M. Jackson
(Name)

Convoyer W. J. Royed Signature Shipping Officer Albert M. Jackson
Capt. CAC bee

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

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred Meuse Argonne Cemetery # 1232 Sept 21, 1921.
(Date)

42. Grave No. 123 17 Section 92

43. Plot BLOCK X H Row 33

G.R.S. Representative James Younger
Jo. W. Younger, Capt QMC

jt.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File #71704

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD:

(a) Name DEMPSEY, Frederick Ser. No. 104517
(b) Rank Pvt. Organization Co. I, 369th Inf.
(c) Date of death 9-26/10-2-18 (d) Cause of death k/a.
TYP. HWL.
CKR. 30

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

(a) Grave No. 122 Row - Plot 3 Sec. 92 TYP. HWL.
(b) Emerg. Address Mrs. Viola Dempsey (Wife) 12 West 134th St., N.Y. City.

III. ~~Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases~~ CKR. 30

No card in file no 5-9-21

IV. A. G. O. DISPOSITION CARD:

(a) Name _____ (b) Relationship _____
(c) Address _____
(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.? _____
(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at _____
(f) Shipping instructions upon arrival of body in U. S. _____
(g) Disposition instructions if not brought to U. S. _____

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____, 1920.

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

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

Examiner's Initials _____ Date _____, 1920.

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

no request for disposition.

(a) Cancellation memos referred to? _____

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Examiner's Initials me Date 5-9-21, 1920.

COUNTRY France CEMETERY No. 1232, Sec. 92 SHEET No. 44.

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with 9/23/21/c

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

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on _____, 192
letter of transmittal on MAY 20 1921, 192

Sec 92 **PARAGRAPH 2 - NOT TO BE RETURNED** (H.A.S)

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

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS.

Table with 4 columns: Date of and source, Relationship and name, Desires, Action taken. Multiple rows of dashed lines for data entry.

VIII. Form 115 received from G. R. S., Hoboken, N. J. _____, 192

COUNTRY _____ CEMETERY No. _____ SHEET No. _____