Drawn by L.H.

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Attached 1-4-21

Hagadorn Alice 554,1-9
(Surname.) (Christian name in full) (Army serial number.)

Nurse Med. Det. US Army Cp. Hosp # 4 A.E.F.
(Rank and organization.)

State your relationship to the deceased Mother

Do you desire the remains brought to the United States? No
(Yes or no.)

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

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

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

(Number and street.) (City or town.) (State.)

(Sign here) Mrs. Sarah H. Ross

Palmer, Saratoga Co., N.Y.

(Number and street or rural route.) (City, town, or post office.) (State.)

Read carefully the letter accompanying this card. 3—6713

Q. M. C. Form 358 (Old No. 490)
Revised July 26, 1918

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Alice Hagadorn, Nurse, Army Nurse Corps.

SERIAL NUMBER	FROM—	DATE	TO—	SYNOPSIS
	Fort Myer, Va.	5-8-29	Mr. Bell - Mrs. Ruth	
File retained in Mail and Record Division O.Q.M.G. May 9th 1929. H. Bell.				

Records from
Eu[illegible] Claims Unit
Fi[illegible] No. 14.

INSTRUCTIONS.—When papers on a subject become numerous they will be numbered serially and brief entries made on this form.

G.R.S. Form #114-B

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FULL NAME ..... HAGADORN, Alice .....

RANK ..... Reserve Nurse, A.N.C. ..... SERIAL ..... None given. .....

DIVISION & ORGANIZATION ..... M.D. US A ~~Cp. Hosp. No. 14~~ Camp A. E. F. .....

DATE OF DEATH ..... May 25, 1919 ... In line of duty. .....

STATE FROM WHICH HE CAME ..... New York. .....

MEDALS OR DECORATIONS AWARDED. Medaille d'Honneur des Epidemies

FINAL GRAVE LOCATION ..... 3 (Grave) 5 (Row) B (Block) .....

Date

Suresnes, #34

..... Cemetery

23/306/ARK

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF THE GRAVE OF

HAGADORN — ALICE
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

NURSE - A.N.C. CAMP HP. #4
(Rank). (Organization).

PLACE OF DEATH NEAR CHATEAU THIERRY

CAUSE OF DEATH: MAY-25-1919 AUTO ACCIDENT CAUSING SKULL FRACTURE

DATE OF BURIAL: MAY-28-1919

PLACE OF BURIAL A.E.F. CEM. #34

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

SURESNES (SUR SEINE)

GRAVE NUMBER: 505

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? — Cross? YES

Headboard? — Bottle? —

IDENTIFICATION TAGS: ✓

Was one buried with body? YES

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

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

PROT.

NEAREST RELATIVE: MRS. SARAH HAGADORN ROSS

ADDRESS: PALMER, SARATOGA, CO. N.Y.

RELATIONSHIP: MOTHER

REPORTED BY:

H. Chaplain W.M. Quintard

(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

Hdq. Paris

This portion to be forwarded to Central Records Office, A. G. O., A. E. F.

G. R. S. Form. No. 16-A

Place Am. Cem #34, Suresnes(Seine)

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT AND REBURIAL

Date Sept. 1, 1921.

1. REMAINS OF HAGADORN, Alice. SERIAL NUMBER

RANK Nurse. ORGANIZATION Med. Dept. USA. Camp Hosp #4.

2. Disinterred (date): Sept. 1, 1921 From (give complete location): Grave 505 Am. Cem #34, Suresnes

By: Group 2 Unit Field Sec #6

3. Reburied (date): Sept. 1, 1921. In (give complete location): Grave 3 Row 5 Am Cem. 34, Suresnes (Seine) Block B

By: Group 2 Unit FS #6 Nature of reburial Shipping Case, metallic casket, and blanket, and Nurses uniform

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

Partially decomposed, features recognizable, Nurses uniform and pine box.

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

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

No effects. U. S. Med. Corps insignia found on collar of uniform.

Tag on body reads, "Alice Hagadorn, Mobile Operating Unit A.N.C. US
Exhumed for reburial in permanent cem.

6. What does examination of body show as regards the following identifying items? No tooth chart taken as this body is embalmed and identified, and the making of a tooth chart would require cutting the flesh, mutilating the jaws and unnecessary mutilation.

(a) Height (actual measurement): 5 ft 4 inches.

(b) Weight (estimated) 130 lbs

(c) Hair—Color Light brown

Quantity medium

Characteristics straight

(d) Hair on face—Color None visible

Location "

Quantity "

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

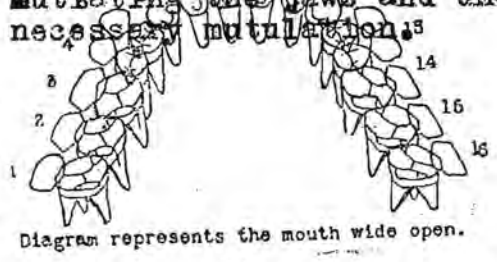
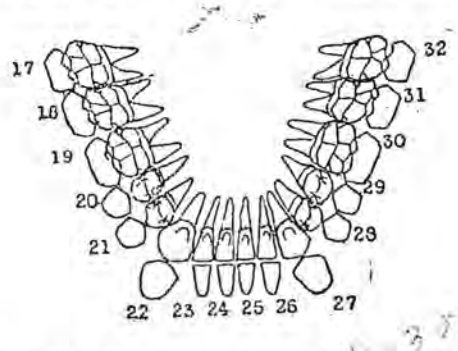


Diagram represents the mouth wide open.



(f) Wounds or missing parts (received at time of casualty) None visible.

7. Disinterment supervised by J. A. Lee. Approved: E. J. Riordan

(Title) Capt. QMC.

8. Reburial supervised by J. A. Lee. Approved: E. J. Riordan

(Title) Capt. QMC.

CODE SLIP

HEADING	SUB-HEADING	NO. OF COLS	CODE
NAME Hagadorn, Alice	Hag	3	8 1 7
	CEMETERY 34	1	6
BURIED	GRAVE 3	2	0 3
	ROW 5	2	0 5
	BLOCK B	1	2
STATE	N. Y.	2	3 7
RANK	Nurse	1	7
DIVISION	Med Corps	2	5 2
ORGANIZATION		3	X X X
ARM	Army Nurse Corps	1	5
MARTIAL		1	
NAME Mrs. Sarah H. Ross	Ros	3	0 8 0 5 0 9
	STATE N. Y.	2	3 7
RESIDENCE	COUNTY Saratoga	2	4 6
	CITY Palmer	3	X X X
RELATION	Mother	1	1
OTHER	Sister	1	2
ELIGIBILITY	yes	1	
NATIVITY		1	
RACE		1	
ENGLISH	yes	1	1
ATTENDANT		1	
HEALTH	bad	1	2
NO. OF SONS		1	
DATE OF	MO.	1	
TRIP	YR.	1	
ACCEPTANCE	no	1	2
29/514/PJ	age		73

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-M
Hagadorn, Alice (Sur)

July 12, 1932

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer, N. Y.

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.

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933? No
(Write answer here)

(Sign here) Sarah H Ross

many thanks

Offic of the Quartermas is General
Washington.

A. D. Hughes -

Dear Sir - In reply to your kind offer - regarding a visit to my daughter's grave (Alice Hagadorn). I wish to thank you and also decline - poor health being my reason. I would like very much to make the pilgrimage but am unable to walk only a few steps at a time. Again thanking

you. I remain
Very gratefully yours.
Mrs. Sarah H. Ross
Palmer
New York.

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Hagadorn Alice (Sur) } References -

QM 293 A-M
Hagadorn, Alice (Sur)

January 26, 1932.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer,
New York.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to correspondence forwarded you from this office relative to a pilgrimage to the grave of your daughter, the late Nurse Alice Hagadorn. In reply to a questionnaire, you advised that you did not desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer of 1932.

It is noted you previously stated your health was poor and in this connection you are advised that personnel to care for your comfort and needs will be provided, and doctors and nurses will be available. During the past two years many mothers who were in poor health and of advanced age made the pilgrimage and appeared to benefit by the sea air and the excellent care they received.

In the event you change your mind and desire to visit your daughter's grave during the coming summer, it is requested that you so notify this office. Should you make a pilgrimage you are assured that the journey will not only be made at the expense of the Government but that everything possible for your comfort and welfare will be provided.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM
Hagadorn, Alice Nurse (Sur) M

July 27, 1931.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer, New York.

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

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

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1932? No
Write answer here

Sarah H Ross
Sign here

I thank you

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C June 10, 1930.

Hagadorn, Alice - 34 M

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer, N. Y.

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? no
(Write answer here)

Many thanks Sarah H Ross
(Sign here) Sarah H Ross

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Hagadorn, Alice 34 M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer,
New York.

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) no
2. Do you desire to make the pilgrimage in the calendar year 1930?	(Yes) (No) 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) no
4. Please give your age and state of health.	Age 73 (Years) Health (Good) (Poor) poor
5. What language do you speak?	English - (Yes) yes (No) Other language (Specify language spoken)

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

John T. Harris

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

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QM 293 A-C
Hagadorn, Alice

September 6, 1929.

Miss Stella C. Hagadorn,
Palmer,
New York.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of August 30, 1929, relative to the Pilgrimage of the Gold Star Mothers and Widows to Europe.

In reply thereto you are advised that although detailed plans for the pilgrimage have not yet been completed at this time, it is not thought that it will be necessary to assign any personnel in addition to the regular War Department personnel for duty on the pilgrimages. Your letter has been placed on file, however, and you are assured that your request to go as a nurse on the pilgrimages will be given serious consideration if it is found that additional personnel will be required.

You are further advised that the Act of March 2, 1929 provides that an invitation shall be extended only the mothers and widows, and it does not contain any provision which will permit the mother or widow to be accompanied by a member of her family. It is therefore regretted to have to advise that you are not eligible under the law to make this pilgrimage.

Blanks upon which to make formal application for the pilgrimage will be furnished your mother within a reasonable time prior to the beginning of the pilgrimage.,(May 1930). Space will be provided thereon for her to indicate the time she desires to make the journey.

You are assured that competent personnel will be assigned by the War Department to look after the welfare and comfort of the mothers and widows making the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

SC:LS

Palmer, Saratoga Co. N. Y.
August 30th 1929

Major John T. Harris,
Quarter Master Corps,
Washington. D.C.

Dear Major - My Mother "Sarah H. Ross" Mother of Alice B. Hagadorn ("G-M 293 A-C) asked me to write and tell you - that she would ~~like~~ like to take the pilgrimage to France - if I her daughter could get a position with the pilgrimage as nurse or in some capacity.

I am a New York State Registered Nurse and would give up my present work to take the trip with my mother or go into Government service for the months that the pilgrimage is on.

If there is a possibility will you kindly advice me where I made application, to whom, and how?

(2nd sheet)

I doubt if my Mother will be able to go unless I can be with her or in her assignment.

Mother wishes me to thank you for making it possible to visit the grave of her daughter - whether she can take the pilgrimage or not.

If you will advise me in regards to position I will appreciate it greatly. Thanking you in advance

I remain, Very truly yours,

Stella C. Hagadorn,
Palmer.
New York.

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Hagadorn, Alice
34

August 10, 1929.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer,
New York.

Dear Madam:

The records of this office do not indicate that a reply has been received to our communication dated May 9, 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.	Mother Sarah H. Ross Palmer,
3. If survived by a widow or mother does she desire to make the pilgrimage?	? New York.

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
Hagadorn, Alice

May 9, 1929.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer,
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 mother of the late Alice Hagadorn, Nurse, Camp Hospital #4, Army Nurse Corps, whose remains are now interred in the Suresnes American Cemetery, Suresnes, Seine, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

5/23

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-M

Hagadorn, Alice (Sur)

July 12, 1932

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer, N. Y.

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.

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For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

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

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DO YOU DESIRE TO MAKE A PILGRIMAGE DURING THE YEAR 1933?_____
(Write answer here)

(Sign here)_____

QM 293 A-M
Hagadorn, Alice (Sur)

January 26, 1932.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer,
New York.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to correspondence forwarded you from this office relative to a pilgrimage to the grave of your daughter, the late Nurse Alice Hagadorn. In reply to a questionnaire, you advised that you did not desire to make a pilgrimage during the summer of 1932.

It is noted you previously stated your health was poor and in this connection you are advised that personnel to care for your comfort and needs will be provided, and doctors and nurses will be available. During the past two years many mothers who were in poor health and of advanced age made the pilgrimage and appeared to benefit by the sea air and the excellent care they received.

In the event you change your mind and desire to visit your daughter's grave during the coming summer, it is requested that you so notify this office. Should you make a pilgrimage you are assured that the journey will not only be made at the expense of the Government but that everything possible for your comfort and welfare will be provided.

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

July 27, 1931.

Hagadorn, Alice Nurse (Sur) M

IN REPLY REFER TO QM-293-AM

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer, New York.

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.

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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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Hagadorn, Alice - 34 M

June 10, 1930.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer, N. Y.

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.

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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)

QM 293 A-C
Hagadorn, Alice

September 5, 1929.

Miss Stella C. Hagadorn,
Palmer,
New York.

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of August 30, 1929, relative to the Pilgrimage of the Gold Star Mothers and Widows to Europe.

In reply thereto you are advised that although detailed plans for the pilgrimage have not yet been completed at this time, it is not thought that it will be necessary to assign any personnel in addition to the regular War Department personnel for duty on the pilgrimages. Your letter has been placed on file, however, and you are assured that your request to go as a nurse on the pilgrimages will be given serious consideration if it is found that additional personnel will be required.

You are further advised that the Act of March 2, 1929 provides that an invitation shall be extended only the mothers and widows, and it does not contain any provision which will permit the mother or widow to be accompanied by a member of her family. It is therefore regretted to have to advise that you are not eligible under the law to make this pilgrimage.

Blanks upon which to make formal application for the pilgrimage will be furnished your mother within a reasonable time prior to the beginning of the pilgrimage.,(May 1930). Space will be provided thereon for her to indicate the time she desires to make the journey.

You are assured that competent personnel will be assigned by the War Department to look after the welfare and comfort of the mothers and widows making the pilgrimage.

For The Quartermaster General.

Very truly yours,

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

SC:LS

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C

Hagadorn, Alice
34

August 10, 1929.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer,
New York.

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	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,

2 Incls.
Act of Congress
Envelope

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON

IN REPLY REFER TO QM 293 A-C
Hagadorn, Alice 34 M

October 7, 1929.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer,
New York.

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,

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~~
Hagadorn, Alice

May 9, 1929.

Mrs. Sara H. Ross,
Palmer,
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 mother of the late Alice Hagadorn, Nurse, Camp Hospital #4, Army Nurse Corps, whose remains are now interred in the Suresnes American Cemetery, Suresnes, Seine, France.

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

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

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

For The Quartermaster General,

Very truly yours,

5/23

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

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2 incls.
Act of Congress.
Envelope.

FILE UNDER NO. 293 - Hagadorn, Alice Oct. 15, 1924.

INDEX SHEET

SYNOPSIS

1st Ind. - from A.G.O.,

To - The Q.M.G., Re: Markers for Y.M.C.A. Workers.

Advising - "Requested data furnished." This in reply to 1st Ind. dated Oct. 15, 1924, from The Surgeon General's Office, which advised as follows: "G.R.S. Form #114-B herewith returned, has been checked with the records on file in this office and the necessary information added."

DOCUMENT FILED UNDER NO. 293. - Europe

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

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Q. M. C. Form 489
Revised July 26, 1918

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL OF THE ARMY
WASHINGTON June 10, 1922.

FILE: 293.8 C-R - #106792-- (Hagadorn, Alice. Nurse.)

FROM: The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.

TO: Mrs. Sara H. Ross, Palmer, New York.

SUBJECT: Permanent Grave Location of Nurse. Alice Hagadorn, Medical Detachment, U.S.A. Camp Hospital #4.

File 6/10/22

1. The permanent grave of this nurse is No. 3, Row 5. Block B, The American Cemetery of Suresnes, Department of Seine, France.

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

3. 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.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

MAILED JUN 10 1922 G.R.S.

GEORGE H. PENROSE,
Colonel, Q. M. Corps,
Chief, Graves Registration Service.

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G.R.S. Form #114 B

DATE

1. NAME HADADORN, Alice SERIAL No.

RANK Nurse ORGANIZATION Med Dept. U. S. A.Cp.Hosp 4

GRAVE LOCATION Suresnes Amer. 34
CTY. NAME NUMBER

505
GRAVE ROW PLOT

2. ORIGINAL ~~BATTLE AREA~~ GRAVE LOCATION 505 SURESNES Seine.
GRAVE COMMUNE DEPT.

COORDINATES Amer. Cty. #34.

CONCENTRATED TO Original burial.
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT

CEMETERY CTY. NUMBER

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

Original burial.

SUBSEQUENT REBURIALS None.
DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

DATE GRAVE ROW PLOT CEMETERY

SIGNATURE, AREA SUPERVISOR G.V.S.QUACKENBUSH.
Lieut.-Col., Q.M.C. Chief, Operations Div.

3. FINAL GRAVE LOCATION 9-1-21. 3. 5. Block B.
DATE GRAVE ROW ~~BLOCK~~

SURESNES AMERICAN CEMETERY #34 SURESNES (SEINE).
CEMETERY

AUDITED BY
C 13/1. 2-20-22

G.R.S. FORM #114-A. STATION Am. Cem #4, Suresnes (Seine)

To be prepared in triplicate. DATE Sept. 1, 1921.

REPORT OF DISINTERMENT, PREPARATION, SHIPMENT AND REBURIAL OF BODY

DISINTERMENT

Records of G.R.S. Headquarters.

1. Name HAGADORN, Alice
2. No.
3. Rank Nurse
4. Org. Med Dept.USA Cp.Hosp 4
5. D.D. May 25th
6. C.D. Accident

COMPARATIVE REPORT

Discrepancy found upon exhumation of body

10. Name
11. No.
12. Rank
13. Org. Mobile Operating Unit ANC US
14. (a) D.D.
(b) D.B.

Discrepancy found upon disinterment

7. Grave No. 505 Sec.
8. Plot Row
9.

15. Grave No. Sec.
16. Plot Row
17. No discrepancies.

18. Cemetery Amer. Cty.
19. Commune or town Suresnes
20. Dept. or County Seine
21. Country France
22. G.R.S. Hdqrs. Code No. 34
23. Disinterred (Date) Sept. 1/21 By J. A. Lee.
24. Inscription on grave marker:

Name Alice Hagadorn Serial No.
Rank Nurse Organization Med. Dept. U.S.A. CP Hosp 4

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

William H. Warren
Signature Junior Technical Assistant

PREPARATION

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

No effects, Collar ornaments (U.S) and Med Corps. found on uniform.

27. Condition of body Partially decomposed, features recognizable
28. Nature of burial Nurses uniform, pine box.
29. Any discrepancy noted upon examination of body, as compared with G.R.S. records quoted above? Body tag disagrees(Organization) see above.
30. Body prepared and placed in casket: Date Sept. 1/21 By J. A. Lee.
31. Casket sealed by J. A. Lee.

Signature of Embalmer, (Supe. isor) J A Lee

SHIPMENT. (Show actual marking of box.) Box No. C-5166

32. Designation of body:

Name HAGADORN, Alice Serial No.

Rank Nurse Organization Med. Dept. USA Cp. Hosp 4

33. Consigned to:

Name of Permanent Cemetery Suresnes Amer. Cty. 34

34. Casket boxed and marked (Date) Sept. 1/21 By J. A. Lee.

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 E. J. Riordan Capt. QMC

36. Remarks Exhumed for reburial in permanent cem at Suresnes.

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37. Shipped from point of Operation: (Date)

To point of Concentration

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer (Name)

38. Received at Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

By G.R.S. Representative

39. Shipped from Railhead or Point of Concentration: Date

To Permanent Cemetery

Convoyer Signature Shipping Officer (Name)

40. Received: Date

G.R.S. Representative

41. Reinterred: ~~Sept~~ Sept. 1/21 (Date)

42. Grave No. 3 Section

43. ~~Plot~~ Block B Row 5

G.R.S. Representative E. J. Riordan. Capt. QMC.

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

File # 106792

I. Location Index Card:

(a) Name HAGADORN, Alice Ser. No. ---

(b) Rank Nurse Organization Med. Det. U.S. A. C. H. TYP. EK #4. A.E.F. (1-11-21) CKR.

(c) Date of death 5/25/19 (1-27) R. (d) Cause of death Accidentally killed, result skull fracture.

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

(a) Grave No. 505 Row -- Plot -- Sec. -- TYP. EK

(b) Emerg. Address --- (Red Cross.) Mrs. Sara H. Ross, Palmer, N. Y. (1-11-21)

III. Files of soldiers dying from contagious diseases --- CKR.

IV. A. G. O. Disposition Card: (1-11-21) Date of receipt

(a) Name (b) Relationship

(c) Address

(d) Remains to be brought to U. S.?

(e) To be interred in National Cemetery in U. S. at

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

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

Examiner's Initials Date, 1920.

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

, dated

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

Examiner's Initials Date, 1920.

VI. G. R. S. Files, Correspondence—shows as follows:

(a) Cancellation memos referred to?

Examiner's Initials Date, 1920.

COUNTRY France Cemetery No. 34 Sheet No. 375

G. R. S. Form No. 115
Amended April 6, 1920 3—7729

FORM 115 - A COMPLETED

Make Form No. 115

Marked 1-11-21

FEB 23 1921 F.L.

CARDED

Concentrated into P. A. C. 34

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

Typed by ....., Checked by ....., APR 2 8 19 ....., 1920.

VIII. FINAL ACTION: CEMETERIAL DIVISION MAR 12 1921

CEMETERIAL DIVISION

Following advice forwarded to Europe by { cable on ....., 1920 / letter on JAN 21 1921, 1920 }

Par. 2 Not to be returned. (MEX)

IX. **CORRECTIONS**

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

X. SUSPENSION REMARKS:

COMPILATION OF DISPOSITION OF REMAINS DATA

I. LOCATION INDEX CARD: File # 106792

(a) Name HAGADORN, Alice Ser. No. ---

(b) Rank Nurse Organization Med. Det. U.S. A. C. H. #4. TYP. EK A.E.F. (1-11-21)

(c) Date of death 5/25/18 19 1-23-21 (8) Cause of death Accidentally killed result skull fracture.

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

(a) Grave No. 505 Row -- Plot -- Sect. -- TYP. EK

(b) Emerg. Address Red Cross. Mrs. Sara H. Ross, Palmer New York (1-11-21)

III. Files of soldiers dying from contageous disease CKR

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

Attn card - Mother (Mrs. Sarah H. Ross - Palmer - Saratoga Co - NY) wishes body left in France (HA) 2/19/21

V. Following advice forwarded to Europe by - (cable on 192 (letter of transmittal on JAN 21 1921

Par. 2 Not to be returned. (Grex)

VI. Form 115 forwarded to G.R.S. Hoboken, N.J. MAR 10 1921 192

VII. SUPPLEMENTARY REQUESTS

Date of and Source	Relationship and name	Desires	Action taken

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

COUNTRY	CEMETERY NO.	SHEET NO.
G.R.S. FORM 115-A August , 1920		
S-666/MB France	34	375

Concentrated into P. A. C. 34 FEB 23 1921 F. L.

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GRAVE LOCATION BLANK

LOCATION OF GRAVE OF

HAGADORN — ALICE
(Surname). (Number). (First Name and Initials).

NURSE A.E.F. CAMP HD. #4
(Rank). (Organization).

FILE

PLACE OF DEATH NEAR CHATEAU THIERRY MAY-25-1919

CAUSE OF DEATH AUTO ACCIDENT CAUSING SKULL FRACTURE

DATE OF BURIAL: MAY-28-1919

PLACE OF BURIAL A.E.F. CEM. # 34

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

SURESNES (SUR SEINE)

GRAVE NUMBER: 505

HOW MARKED: Name Peg? — Cross? YES

Headboard? — Bottle? —

IDENTIFICATION TAGS:

Was one buried with body? YES

Was one fastened to name peg or stake used as a grave marker? 34

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

PROT.

NEAREST RELATIVE: MRS SARAH HAGADORN ROSS

ADDRESS: PALMER, SARATOGA, CO., N.Y.

RELATIONSHIP: MOTHER

REPORTED BY:

Chaplain W.H. Armistead
(Signature and Rank of Reporting Officer).

Nagl. Paris

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

G.R.S. FORM NO. 15

Refer to this

(Office) No. 106792

INQUIRY

Request by Mrs. Bartlett,
43 Rue Washington,
European address
New York City.

Relationship to dec'd Friend.

For location grave of:

Hagadorn, Alice
Last name. Serial No. First name

Nurse, M.D. USA Cp. Hospital
Rank Org. Date of death

Date of request 7/8/21.
Rec'd. by HK
(Initials) Other information:

FILE

INFORMATION FURNISHED

Location of grave Country
#34/ Suresnes. Amer Cty. at
Cemetery Commune (town) Dept.
Paris.

Grave No. 505 Section

Plot Row

Furnished by Date
(Initials)

(Hagadorn, Alice) 1st Ind. bsr-mel

War Department, S.G.O., January 7, 1921, To: The Cemeterial Division, Munitions Building (Room 1128), Washington, D.C.

1. Returned. The records of this office indicate that Alice Hagadorn was assigned to active service as a Reserve Nurse in the Army Nurse Corps from Palmer, New York; executed her oath of office May 24, 1918; reported to the Holley Hotel, Nurses' Mobilization Station New York City, May 25, 1918, to await transportation to Europe; sailed for Europe July 4, 1918; reported at Camp Hospital #4 A.E.F. July 21, 1918; Died May 25, 1919, accidently killed, skull fractured, in an automobile accident, in line of duty. Name and permanent address of nearest relative, Mrs Sara H. Ross, Palmer, New York.

For the Surgeon General:

Julia C. Stimson,
Major, Superintendent, Army Nurse Corps.

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Adjustment Made
JAN 14 1921
File No. 106792

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WAR DEPARTMENT
Office of the Quartermaster General of the Army
Washington

RECEIVED A.G.O. JAN 5 1921

G.R.S. Form 8-W-A-O
Information requested of A.G.O. Date 1/5/21.

File No. Requistration.

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

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

Subject: Information required for G.R.S.

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

a. Surname **Hagadorn,**

b. Christian name **Alice.**

c. Serial Number ~~5541-9~~

d. Organization **Med.Det.U.S.A.C.H.#4.**

e. Rank **Nurse.**

f. Date of death **5/25/18.**

g. Cause of death **Accidentally killed, result skull fracture**

h. Authority (C.O.#)

i. Emergency address

j. Relationship

BODY DESCRIPTION
(See page #2 of the Service Record)

a. Age of enlistment

b. Color of eyes

c. Color of hair

d. Height

e. Weight

f. Permanent marks and physical defects at enlistment (Old fractures or breaks)

DENTAL CHARTS
(See Physical report of examination prior to enlistment)

a. Strike out teeth missing

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
upper right upper left

8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
lower right lower left

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

BY: H. J. Conner

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

CEMETERY NO: 34.

SHEET NO: 375.
TYPED BY: rln.

3/713/LML Souder