

295 SPRAGUE, CLARENCE R. 01 292 079 1st. LT. EUROP.A. (N.Y.)  
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1		USMC ST. AVOLD, FRANCE Plot C, Row 3, Grave 56 Date reburied: 12 Feb 49		<b>DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE</b>	
		M.R. SWART CAPT. QMC		DIRECTIVE NUMBER 3574 11449	
SECTION A— NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED		DATE		15 01 48 DAY MONTH YEAR	
NAME SPRAGUE CLARENCE R		SERIAL NUMBER 01292079		RANK 1 LT	
CEMETERY ST AVOLD - METZ		DATE OF DEATH		1 3503 80 DAY MONTH YEAR	
PLOT G		ROW 4		GRAVE 901	
COUNTRY FRANCE		DISPOSITION OF REMAINS		1 3503 80 CODE DIST. PT.	
CAUSE OF DEATH		1			
SECTION B—CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN					
NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE ST. AVOLD, FRANCE			NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN MR. DORSEY SPRAGUE (FATHER) LIVINGSTON MANOR, NEW YORK FEB 16 1949 (Flag sent)		
SECTION C—DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION					
NAME SPRAGUE, Clarence R.		SERIAL NUMBER 0-1292079		DATE OF DEATH 25 August 1948	
IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER		ORGANIZATION USAGF		RELIGION P	
IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY Oliver E. Modin, Embalmer		NAME AND TITLE			
SECTION D—PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT					
NATURE OF BURIAL Uniform		CONDITION OF REMAINS Fractured skull. Disarticulated. No flesh.			
OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION None					
MINOR DISCREPANCIES / REMOVED PER O.I. 147. REPLACED BY EMB. PLATES. Identification tag found on cross. Reads SPRAGUE, Clarence. No identification tag found on body. No report of burial either.					
REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET					
DATE 8 September 1948		BY Oliver E. Modin, Embalmer			
CASKET SEALED BY Oliver E. Modin, Embalmer		EMBALMER (Signature) Oliver E. Modin			
CASKET BOXED AND MARKED		SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY All markings, tags & plates verified by William J. Smith			
DATE 8 Sept 48		BY Oliver E. Modin, Embalmer William J. Smith, 1st Lt CE			
I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct. Final Casketing By: William J. Smith William J. Smith, 1st Lt CE William J. Smith, 1st Lt CE 7859 AGRO 2nd					
SIGNATURE OF CAS INSPECTOR William J. Smith					
1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.					
RECORD OF DISINTERMENT FINAL LETTER SENT 7 APR 1949					



## RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

## 1. SHIPPED

FROM	TO
KIND OF CONVEYANCE	NAME OF CONVOYER
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER
DATE	DATE

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SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER
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THIRD ZONE  
AMERICAN GRAVES REGISTRATION COMMAND  
EUROPEAN AREA  
AFO 58 US ARMY

GRW-OP 332.3

12 February 1949

## C E R T I F I C A T E

I certify that I have removed the attached identification tag(s) from the remains of:

293 SPRAGUE CLARENCE R 1 LT 01292079  
 (Last Name) (First Name) (Initial) (Rank) (ASN)

The attached identification tag(s) removed for the following reason:

QMC Form 1194 indicates: Plot G, Row 4, Grave 901, St Avold

SPRAGUE CLARENCE R 1 LT 01292079  
 (Last Name) (First Name) (Initial) (Rank) (ASN)

Identification Tag indicates:

SPRAGUE CLARENCE 01292079  
 (Last Name) (First Name) (Initial) (Rank) (ASN)

Imprint of Tag:

SPRAGUE, CLARENCE  
 0-1292079

*Rafael T. Ruiz*  
 (Signature of Verifying Officer)  
 RAFAEL T. RUIZ  
 1st Lt PA

*Del 49*

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7 April 1949

1st Lt Clarence R. Sprague, ASN 01 292 079  
Plot G, Row 3, Grave 56  
Headstone: Cross  
St. Avoird (France) U. S. Military Cemetery

Mr. Dorsey Sprague

Livingston Manor, New York

Dear Mr. Sprague:

This is to inform you that the remains of your loved one have been permanently interred, as recorded above, side by side with comrades who also gave their lives for their country. Customary military funeral services were conducted over the grave at the time of burial.

After the Department of the Army has completed all final interments, the cemetery will be transferred, as authorized by the Congress, to the care and supervision of the American Battle Monuments Commission. The Commission also will have the responsibility for permanent construction and beautification of the cemetery, including erection of the permanent headstone. The headstone will be inscribed with the name exactly as recorded above, the rank or rating where appropriate, organization, State, and date of death. Any inquiries relative to the type of headstone or the spelling of the name to be inscribed thereon, should be addressed to the American Battle Monuments Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Your letter should include the full name, rank, serial number, grave location, and name of the cemetery.

While interments are in progress, the cemetery will not be open to visitors. You may rest assured that this final interment was conducted with fitting dignity and solemnity and that the grave-site will be carefully and conscientiously maintained in perpetuity by the United States Government.

Sincerely yours,

H. FELDMAN  
Major General  
The Quartermaster General

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OPTION I

REMAINS TO BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS

If you select this option, the remains of your loved one will be permanently interred in the United States Military Cemetery, St. Avold, France.



Thomas B. Barkin.  
Major General.

Mrs. Dorsey Sprague  
Livingston Manor, N. Y.

The Quartermaster General.

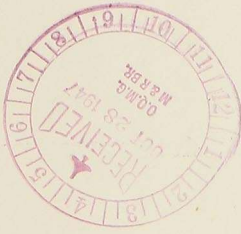
Oct. 23. 1947.

I thank you and the Army for doing so much for  
us. Our son, <sup>2nd</sup> Lt Clarence R. Sprague wanted to go  
across and we think he should rest where he is.  
Please let him rest in St. AVOLD, France.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Mrs. Dorsey Sprague







## REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

1st Lt Clarence R. Sprague, O-1 292 079  
 Plot C, Row 4, Grave 901,  
 United States Military Cemetery  
 St. Avoird, France

10 October 1947

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

A		C	
B		D	

NOTE.—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.  
 If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

## PART I

I, MRS MRS DORSEY SPRAGUE.

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

- ☐ WIDOW ☐ WIDOWER ☐ SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD  
☒ FATHER ☒ MOTHER ☐ BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD ☐ SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD  
☐ RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

- ☒ 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS. St. Avoird, France  
☐ 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

- ☐ 3. BE RETURNED TO \_\_\_\_\_ (FOREIGN COUNTRY) THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A

PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT \_\_\_\_\_

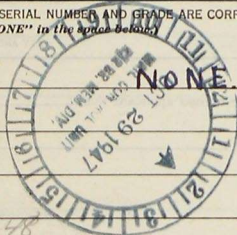
(LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

- ☐ 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT \_\_\_\_\_ (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)

(Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)

☐ YES ☐ NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)



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## PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
TELEPHONE No.		

OR I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.	

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY

REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4.)

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

(STREET AND NUMBER)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

(CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, at city (or town) of \_\_\_\_\_, county of \_\_\_\_\_, and State (or Territory or District) of \_\_\_\_\_

\*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.

(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)

(OFFICIAL TITLE)

If you are the next of kin and you desire  
I, THE \_\_\_\_\_  
NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY  
THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER  
LAST NAME  
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED  
NUMBER AND STREET  
WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE REMAINS

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE  
NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FORM  
SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME

RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED

NUMBER AND STREET

(SIGNATURE)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)



**PART II—RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY**

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE \_\_\_\_\_, (PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP) \_\_\_\_\_, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED. THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

_____	_____ (DATE)
(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)	(STREET AND NUMBER)
_____	_____
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	(CITY AND STATE)

**PART III**

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

_____	_____ (DATE)
(SIGNATURE)	(STREET AND NUMBER)
_____	_____
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)	(CITY AND STATE)





*All remarks and information entered here will be considered as part of the Notarial Attestation.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

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1st Lt Clarence R. Sprague, O-1 292 079  
 Plot G, Row 4, Grave 901,  
 United States Military Cemetery  
 St. Avold, France

10 October 1947

Mr. Dorsey Sprague

Livingston Manor, New York

Dear Mr. Sprague:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN  
 Major General  
 The Quartermaster General

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O. O. M. G.  
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH



QMGM 314.6  
Graves Registration  
(European Theater Area)

5 FEB 1947

SUBJECT: Burial Records

TO: Commanding Officer  
American Graves Registration Command  
European Theater Area  
APO 887, c/o Postmaster  
New York, New York

1. The discrepancy sheet submitted with the verified plot map sheet for the U. S. Military Cemetery, St. Avoird, France, was found to be in error. After reverification with official Adjutant General records available to this office, the following is found to be correct.

NAME	RANK GRADE	SERIAL NO.	PLOT	ROW	GRAVE
Spadafora, Onofrio F.	T/Sgt	12 129 244	H	24	2013
223 Sprague, Clarence R.	1st Lt	01 292 079	G	4	901
Tabbone, Nicholas J.	Pvt	36 442 356	A	3	34
Vistenzo, Anthony L.	Cpl	39 386 549	Q	5	2357

2. Request your records and grave markers be corrected in accordance with the above, if found to be as indicated on discrepancy sheet forwarded this office.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

MARTIN G. RILEY  
Major, QMC  
Assistant



## REPATRIATION RECORDS BRANCH

DATE

31 Jan 47

NAME

Sprague Clarence A

SERIAL NO. 01292079

CEMETERY

St. Agnes Franc

PLOT

G

ROW

4

GRAVE

901

## LETTER TO FIELD

Correct Records to Read:

SPRAGUE, CLARENCE, R.

Change middle initial from A to R.

Special Checker

L. B. Carriest

Discrepancy Verified Plot Map

File

Date

5 Feb 47

Virginia Dougherty

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SPQYG 293  
 Sprague, Clarence R.  
 01 292 079

Address Reply To  
 THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
 Attn: Memorial Division

19 December 1945

Veterans Administration  
 Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

The inclosed letter from Mrs. Daisy Sprague, Livingston Manor, New York, is forwarded to your office for necessary action regarding a flag in memory of her son, the late First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague, for whom a report of burial is on file in this office.

The official records of this office show the legal next of kin of the deceased to be Mr. Dorsey Sprague, the father, address same as mother's.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

1 Incl  
 ltr fr  
 Mrs. D. Sprague

JAMES L. PRENN  
 Major, QMC  
 Assistant

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 MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH DIVISION

GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION  
 DEC 19 2 14 PM '45  
 MEMORIAL DIVISION



SPQYG 293  
 Sprague, Clarence R.  
 01 292 079

Address Reply To  
 THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
 Attn: Memorial Division

19 December 1945

Mrs. Daisy Sprague  
 Livingston Manor, New York

Dear Mrs. Sprague:

Acknowledgment is made of your letter requesting a flag in memory of your son, the late First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague.

The policy of the War Department regarding the issuance of flags is that when the remains of our military personnel are returned to the United States for final interment, the flag which will drape the casket will be presented to the legal next of kin. However, the Veterans Administration has authority to furnish a flag at this time, in memory of military personnel who are buried outside the United States.

The official report of interment received in this office shows that the remains of your son were interred in Plot G, Row 4, Grave 901, in the United States Military Cemetery, St. Avold, France, located approximately twenty-five miles east of Metz, France.

Your request for a flag has been forwarded to the Veterans Administration, Washington 25, D. C., for necessary action.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your son.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

JAMES L. FREEMAN  
 Major, QMC  
 Assistant

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MAIL & RECORDS DIVISION  
 DEC 19 1945

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Dec. 7. 1945 <sup>m2</sup>

Could you please send me a flag my son  
1st Lt. Clarence R. Sprague was killed in action  
Dec. 17. 1944.

Thanks.

Mrs. Daisy Sprague.  
Livingston Manor.  
New York.

393 - Sprague, Clarence R.



GRAVES REGISTRATION SECTION  
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MEMORIAL DIVISION  
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## ARMY SERVICE FORCES

IN REPLY REFER TO: SPQYG 222 214.6

OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

8 December 1946

SUBJECT: Corrections of Reports of Interment

TO: Commanding General, Gersons  
European Theater of Operations  
APO 887, c/o Postmaster  
New York, New York  
FOR: The Chief Quartermaster

1. It is requested that the burial reports and grave markers for the following decedents, interred at the U. S. Military Cemetery, St. Avold, France, be changed to correct the discrepancies underlined, and that this office be advised when these corrections have been completed.

NAME	RANK/ GRADE	SERIAL NO.	BRANCH of SERV.	RELIGION	DATE OF DEATH	GR.	ROW	PLOT
X293 Sprague, Clarence H.	1st Lt.	Q-1 272 075	1st Inf. Regt.			901	4	C
Strzelosyk, Stanislaw J.	Pfc.	35 303 918	254 Inf. Regt.			1613	16	L
Thacker, Calvin E.	Pvt.	35 284 308	Co. I, 18th Inf. Regt.			403	10	C
Welteroth, George A., Jr.	Pfc.	35 303 938	162 Inf. Regt. 36th Div.			972	9	C

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

JAMES L. FISHEN  
Major, 430  
Assistant



Last Name First Name M.I.

Sprague, Clarence R.

Army Serial No. 0-1292079

Name of Cemetery St. Aul d, France

Plot

Row

Grave

Letter to:

Remarks: Add initial

File

30 Nov 45  
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**RESTRICTED**Q.M.C. Form 1 - GRS  
SOS NATOUSSA  
July 1943**REPORT OF BURIAL**  
AR 30-1815 & TM 10-830

30 March 1945

Date Report Filled Out

293 333

Sprague Clarence R 0-1292079 White

(Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Initial) (Serial No.) (Race)

1st Lt. Unknown 137 2/Rgt Army U.S.A.

(Rank) (Organization) (Branch) (Country)

Vic. Frauenberg, Fr. 17 Dec 1944 G.S.W. Back Unknown

(Place of Death) (Date of Death) (Cause of Death) (Religion : P, C, H, etc.)

Q 557 604

**MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION**

Identification Tags found on body : Yes ( ) ; No (X).

If no identification tags, other means used to identify body (identification card, letters, etc.) : Name and ASN of Dec. on Ident. Bracelet; S-2079 on Field Jacket, O.D. Shirt and Shoes of Deceased

Complete fingerprint chart of both hands on reverse side if body cannot be identified. See Reverse

Complete tooth-chart on reverse side and list anatomical characteristics and other data if fingerprints cannot be taken

If unidentified, give circumstances : Identified

List of Personal Effects found on Body and disposition of Same :

\*Per ltr dtd 21 Aug 1945 (293-ETO)

(Name of Emergency Addressee) (Address of Emergency Addressee)

Henry Wink 1st Lt., 180th Infantry

(Signature (or Name) of Person furnishing above data when other than the Officer reporting burial)

Shroud 1722 hrs. 21, March 1945 U. S. Mil. Cem. St. Avoird, France Q 260 584

(Time and Date of Burial) (Location, Name, & No. of Cemetery)

IF BURIAL OTHER THAN IN ESTABLISHED CEMETERY FURNISH SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE REVERSE SIDE THIS FORM

G 4 901 Temp. Wooden Gen. Service

(Plot No.) (Row No.) (Grave No.) (King Grave Markers) (Type of Religious Ceremony)

Identification Tag buried with body (X) ; Identification Tag attached to marker (X).

If identification Tags not present, what other identification data were buried with the body and in what kind of container ? QMC Form 1-GRS in sealed bottle buried with body

Bodies buried on either side (See paragraph 4 on reverse side this form.)

Right side : Beginning of Row

(Name) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization) (Grave No.)

Left side : Fogle, John E., Jr., 33843543 Pfc. Co. C. 255th Infantry 902

(Name) (Rank) (ASN) (Organization) (Grave No.)

(Signature of Person Reporting Burial)

(Verified by G.R.S. Officer)

C. S. TROIA, 1st Lt., QMC 46 QM G. R. Co.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT BURIAL REPORT : Make out QMC Form 1 - GRS in quadruplicate for U.S. dead, one additional copy for allied and enemy dead. Sign all copies. Submit report to nearest member of Graves Registration Service. Graves Registration Service will forward the original and two copies through at least one higher administrative headquarters to be checked against Casualty Reports and allied papers and all copies verified by the Graves Registration Officer of that headquarters to Base Section Graves Registration Service Officer. OVER FOR BURIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

**RESTRICTED**

H.Q. - 160-q - 12-43 - 250.000



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR BURIAL

1. PREPARATION OF BODY : Have body examined by member of Medical Department whenever possible (to attach E.M.T. Form 52b.) Remove all personal property; remove one identification tag, leave other on body in protected position (in case of enemy dead, leave  $\frac{1}{2}$  tag on body, forward  $\frac{1}{2}$  with personal effects.) If no tag present, make notation of identifying data on form, protect in sealed bottle, canteen, spent shell, or best available container and bury with remains. If unidentified, take fingerprints of both hands; if this not possible, fill out tooth-chart and note height, weight, color of eyes and hair tattoo marks, birthmarks, etc., and other data as serial no. of weapon, laundry marks, where body found, etc. Wrap body in shelter half, mattress cover, or blanket when available.

2. BURIAL : Dig grave to a depth of five feet (hasty battlefield burials, to sufficient depth to prevent elements from exposing the body). Place only body in a grave. Dig graves side by side, row behind row.

3. MARKING OF GRAVE : Fasten identification tag to temporary name peg and place at head of grave. For enemy dead, write data on peg. When pegs are not available copy data on a piece of paper, place in bottle, spent shell, or other receptacle, seal tightly and place so as to mark and identify grave. If identification tag cannot be fastened to peg or placed in container, do not leave at grave but forward with report of burial. If only one tag is found on body, it should be buried with body. The information thereon should be written on marker or placed in container at head of grave. Do not use weapons or helmets to mark graves.

4. LOCATION OF GRAVE : Report burials in established cemeteries by plot, row, and grave number (or show on cemetery map). For all other burials prepare sketch in space provided below; and give location by means of map references, or by reference to prominent permanent landmarks. Information must be specific, accurate, complete. Stand at foot of grave facing head to determine bodies buried to the left and right.

5. PERSONAL EFFECTS : List only personal effects taken from body on the Burial Report form. Place these with information as to identity of owner, organization, emergency addressee, in personal effects bag, or wrap in handkerchief, towel, or other available material and turn over to Grave Registration Service Personnel with report of burial. Government property is not to be included in personal effects but is to be turned in to Salvage Collecting Point.

## SKETCH AND MAP REFERENCE: N

## TOOTH-CHART

Impossible to Print Right  
Hand or Thumb, 2nd, 3rd and 4th  
fingers of Left hand - Skin Missing

Tooth Chart taken by Sgt. Alford  
46th QMG.R. Co.

Jacket 38 R  
Shirt Size 15-32  
O. D. Pants 32-33  
Height 5' 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Est.  
Weight 150 lbs. Est.  
Shoe Size 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  C  
Hair Brown  
Medium Build

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HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES

## MEMO ROUTING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

	NAME OR TITLE	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	INITIALS
1	EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER			
	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU			DATE
	KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI			
2				
3	293 Sprague, Clarence R			

10-129 2079

For necessary action.

✓  
 Orig. fwd. to K.C. by this office, R/R  
 PIERCE

2 Incl.  
 1 ltr dtd 22 Feb 45  
 1 ltr dtd 23 Mar 45

FROM:	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
irg				23 Mar 45
				TELEPHONE

MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION  
 BRANCH, TEMPO "C" WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

W. D., A. G. O. Form 6115  
1 October 1944This Form supersedes W. D., A. G. O. Form 6115, 23 March 1944,  
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IN REPLY REFER TO SPOYG 293Sprague, Clarence R.  
S. N. 01292079

23 March 1945.

Mrs. Dorsey Sprague,  
Livingston Manor,  
Sullivan Co., New York.

Dear Mrs. Sprague:

Reference is made to your inquiry regarding the personal effects of **First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague.**

A copy of your letter has been forwarded to the Effects Quartermaster, Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, for reply to you. That office has jurisdiction over the disposal of the personal effects of our military personnel outside the United States. However, considerable time is often necessary to process these personal belongings back to this country due to the lack of shipping space and the great amount of work involved.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in this period of anxiety.

For The Quartermaster General:

Sincerely yours,

C. C. PIERCE,  
Captain, Q. M. C.,  
Assistant.

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES

TRANSMITTAL<sup>sl</sup> SHEET

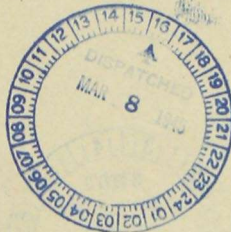
7 March 1945

TO	Dir., Memorial Division, OCMG, Room 1007,	
	Tempo C. Washington 25, D. C.	
	(Service, division, or organization)	(Location)
	(Branch or unit)	(Attention)
Subject:	Personal effects	
File No.		
AGFC-G 201 Sprague, Clarence R. Mrs. Dorsey Sprague	22 Feb 45	
	(Writer's last name)	(Date)
FROM	Cas. Br. Fam. Rel. Sub-Section, Munitions Building, 3825	
	(Service, division, or organization)	(Location) (Telephone extension)

1. For necessary action.
2. First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague, 01292079, has been reported missing in action since 17 December 1944.
3. Writer has not been advised of this reference.

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1 Incl  
Ltr dtd 22 Feb 45



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W. D., A. G. O. Form No. 0105  
March 27, 1943

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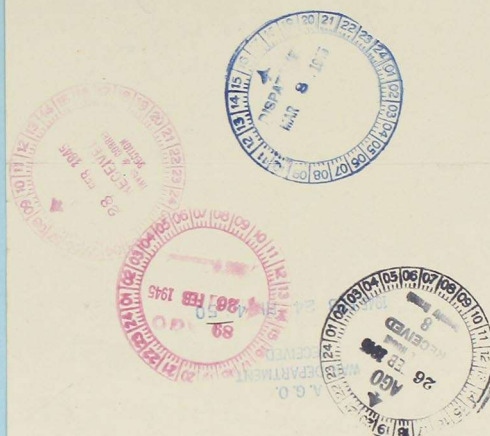
Livingston Manor  
New York  
Feb. 22, 1945.

Major Gen. Ellis:

Please refer to your file A.S. 201  
Clarence R. Sprague P.C.-N. ET 0294,  
as per your letter of Jan 8, '45.

A letter from my son on Nov. 9,  
preceding the action in which he  
has been reported missing, informed me  
that he was returning a foot locker  
containing some personal effects. To  
date I have not received same and  
wonder if anything can be done to  
trace same.

Thanking you for your attention  
to this matter.





Remain

Yours sincerely  
Mrs. Dorsey Sprague





Major Gen. J. A. Ulloa  
War Dept.  
The Adj. Gen. Office  
Wash. 25 D. C.



MRS. DORSEY SPRAGUE  
LIVINGSTON MANOR  
SULLIVAN Co.  
N.Y.











## SENSITIVE SURFACE - HANDLE LOGS ONLY

**WAR DEPARTMENT**  
 THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
 WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

## REPORT OF DEATH

djs/3831 DATE 17 July 1945.

FULL NAME <b>SPRAGUE, CLARENCE R.</b>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <b>01 292 079</b>	GRADE <b>1ST LT.</b>
HOME ADDRESS <b>Livingston Manor, New York</b>		ARM OR SERVICE <b>Inf</b>	DATE OF BIRTH <b>22 Aug 22</b>
PLACE OF DEATH <b>European Area</b>	CAUSE OF DEATH <b>Killed in action</b>		DATE OF DEATH <b>17 Dec 44</b>
STATION OF DECEASED <b>European Area</b>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <b>29 Aug 42</b>	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <b>Mrs. Dorsey Sprague, mother, Livingston Manor, New York</b>			
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) While an enlisted man he designated as his beneficiaries: <b>Mr. Dorsey Sprague, father, same as above.</b> <b>Mrs. Daisy Sprague, mother, same as above. (No break in service.)</b>			
INVESTIGATION MADE? YES NO	IN LINE OF DUTY YES NO	OWN MISCONDUCT YES NO	WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS YES NO
			AUTHORIZED ABSENCE YES NO
			IN FLYING PAY STATUS YES NO
			OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW) YES NO

## ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT


☒ BATTLE ☐ NON-BATTLE

## Combat Infantryman

The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 17 December 1944, until such absence was terminated on 8 May 1945, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from a commander in the European Area.

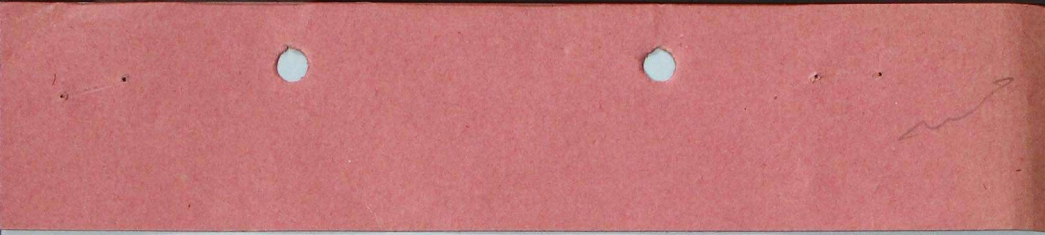
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S. O. G. H. G.	O. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE
		A. G. 201 FILE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

  
 ADJUTANT GENERAL

WD AGO FORM 52-1  
1 FEBRUARY 1945THIS FORM SUPERSEDES WD AGO FORM 52-1, 1 DECEMBER 1944,  
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## SENSITIVE SURFACE - HANDLE EDGES ONLY

WAR DEPARTMENT  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

358,527

## REPORT OF DEATH

djc/3831 DATE 17 July 1945.

FULL NAME <b>SPRAGUE, CLARENCE R.</b>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <b>01 292 079</b>		GRADE <b>1ST LT.</b>	
HOME ADDRESS <b>Livingston Manor, New York</b>		ARM OR SERVICE <b>Inf</b>		DATE OF BIRTH <b>22 Aug 22</b>	
PLACE OF DEATH <b>European Area</b>		CAUSE OF DEATH <b>Killed in action</b>		DATE OF DEATH <b>17 Dec 44</b>	
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EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <b>Mrs. Dorsey Sprague, mother, Livingston Manor, New York</b>					
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INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
				<b>X</b>	
				<b>X</b>	
ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BATTLE <input type="checkbox"/> NON-BATTLE  <b>Combat Infantryman</b>  <p>The individual named in this report of death is held by the War Department to have been in a missing in action status from 17 December 1944, until such absence was terminated on 8 May 1945, when evidence considered sufficient to establish the fact of death was received by the Secretary of War from a commander in the European Area.</p>					
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W.D., A.G.O. FORM NO. 0365  
16 JUNE 1944



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RTB:GC:kl  
November 1, 1945

Dear Mr. Sprague:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your son, First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague.

These effects, contained in two cartons, are being forwarded to you. If delivery is not made within thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer action may be instituted.

As previously indicated, personal property is transmitted by this Bureau for distribution according to the laws of the state of the officer's legal residence.

Extending every sympathy, I am

Sincerely yours,

HARRY NIEMIEC  
2nd Lt., QMC  
Chief, Correspondence Branch

ee  
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AMOUNT OF CHECK	DISCREPANCY IN	INCLOSE VALUABLES	RECIPIENT FROM
	NAME	SHIP VALUABLES	CASUALTY REPORT
ACCOUNT NUMBER	SERIAL NUMBER	VALUABLES SHIPPED BY (clerk)	INVENTORY
	RANK		FORM 20
<p>Mr. Dorsey Sprague</p> <p>Livingston Manor, New York</p> <p>1/Lt Clarence R. Sprague</p> <p>0-1292079</p> <p>358,527 D</p>			LETTER
			NO. & TYPE OF CONTAINER
			ENVELOPE
			CARTONS
			PACKAGE
			FOOT LOCKER
			SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
			REMOVE GI
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			SHIP DAMAGED
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REMOVE DAMAGED			
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DIARY REMOVED			
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			SHIPPING CLERK
			ROUTING
			ACCOUNTING BRANCH
WAREHOUSE			
FILE			
ORDER FOR ACTION			

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LAUNDRY INVENTORY  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

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DRY-CLEANING

Do not use		LAUNDRY		Do not use	
TRUSERS. WOOL		SHIRTS. WOOL			
COAT. SERVICE. WOOL		TROUSERS. COTTON			
OVERCOAT. LONG		TIE. COTTON			
OVERCOAT. SHORT. WOOL		UNDERSHIRTS. COTTON	04	1	
CAP. GARRISON		SHIRTS. DRESS. COTTON			
CAP. SERVICE		DRAWERS. COTTON	04	1	
TIES. WOOL		SWEATSHIRTS. COTTON OR WOOL			
GLOVES. LEATHER OR WOOL		DRAWERS. WOOL			
SCARFS. SILK. RAYON. OR WOOL		SOCKS. COTTON. PR.			
SWEATERS		SOCKS. WOOL. PR.	20	5	
TRUNKS. SWIM		PAJAMA TOPS			
LEGGINGS		PAJAMA BOTTOMS			
BATHROBES		FATIGUES. 1 PC.. COTTON			
BED ROLL		FATIGUES. TOPS. COTTON			
COMFORTER		FATIGUES. TROUSERS. COTTON			
		FATIGUES. CAP			
		BELT. COTTON			
		TOWEL. HAND			
		TOWEL. BATH			
		CLOTH. WASH			
		GLOVES. COTTON			
		JACKET. FIELD			
		SUPPORTERS. ATHLETIC			
		HANDKERCHIEFS			
		SCARFS. COTTON			
		CASE. PILLOW			
		TRUNKS. GYM			
		SHEETS. COTTON			
		BAGS. BARRACKS			

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TALLY NO.	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS.	EXAMINING DATE	BOX NO.	SHEET
		16 Oct 45		OF SHEETS
NAME		A. S. N.		
CLARENCE R. SPRAGUE		0-1292079		
ORGANIZATION		RANK	CASE NO.	
		1st Lt.		
WAREHOUSE SPACE	EXAMINED BY	SUPERVISOR'S OK	LAUNDRY REMOVED	
3514 OK	Probt.		FROM	
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION	WEIGHT	LISTED BY	FOOTLOCKER	
22 Oct 45		in Jackson		
1 ltr		CHECKED BY	SHIPPED	
		Brady	DATE	
		CHECKED AND PACKED BY	NOV 6 1945	
			BY WHOM	

EFF. QM FORM 11L (15 JUNE 45) 20M LARUE, K. C. 7-9-45

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ATTACHMENTS		EFFECTS INVENTORY ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		STATUS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	INBOUND INVENTORY			<input type="checkbox"/>	DECEASED
<input type="checkbox"/>	G. R. OR SUB GR LABEL			<input type="checkbox"/>	MISSING
<input type="checkbox"/>	WILL OR POWER OF ATTY.			<input type="checkbox"/>	P. O. W.
<input type="checkbox"/>	TALLY IN FORM 43			<input type="checkbox"/>	ABANDONED
				<input type="checkbox"/>	UNKNOWN
	BAGS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL	BELT	OVERCOATS		
	BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BOOKS, ADDRESS	PAPERS, PERSONAL		
	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)	BOOKS, PILOT LOG	PENCIL, MECHANICAL		
	BOOKS	BRUSHES	PEN, FOUNTAIN		
	BRACELET, IDENT.	CASE	PHOTOS		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CAMERAS	CLOTH, WASH	PIPES		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CLOTHING	COATS	RINGS		
	MISC. ARTICLES	FOOTLOCKER	SCARFS		
	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	FOOTWEAR, PR.	SHIRTS		
	RIBBONS, DECORATION	GLASSES	SOCKS, PR.		
	SHORT SNORTER	GLOVES, PR.	STATIONERY		
	SOUVENIR MONEY	HANDKERCHIEFS	TIES		
	SOUVENIRS	HEADWEAR	TOBACCO		
	TESTAMENTS	JACKETS	TOILET ARTICLES		
	TOWELS & WASHCLOTHS	KITS	TOWELS		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	U. S. MONEY (AMOUNT)	KNIVES	TROUSERS, PR.		
	WATCH	LETTERS	TRUNKS, PR.		
	WINGS	LIGHTERS	UNDERWEAR		
CONTAINERS ADDRESSED TO		INFORMATION			
None.		Ruth Harris 5710 Meade ave. San Diego 5 Cal. Mary Ruth 221 Duncan st. Jackson Miss.			
NAME AND STATUS VARIATIONS		CROSS REFERENCE			
tally shows A.S.N. 9079					
CHECK	REC'D BY	NUMBER	BUREAU CHECK		
MONEY ORDER			TRANSMIT ORIGINAL		
BOND		SYMBOL	ORIG. REG. MAIL		
TRAV. CHECK			TO G. A. O.		
FOREIGN CURRENCY		AMOUNT	MUTILATED		
U. S. CURRENCY		DATE	TO ISSUING AGENCY		
		BANK OR PLACE OF ISSUE			
		PAYEE			
		REMITTER OR DRAWER			
TALLY NO.	ORIG. NO. OF PKGS.	EXAMINING DATE	BOX NO.	SHEET OF SHEETS	
		16 Oct 45			
NAME		A. S. N.			
CLARENCE R. SPRAGUE		0-1292079			
ORGANIZATION		RANK	CASE NO.		
		1st Lt			
WAREHOUSE SPACE	EXAMINED BY	DIARY REMOVED			
W-40	Probt.	PHOTO FILM REMOVED			
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION	PACKED BY	MOTION PICTURE FILM REMOVED			
	Inspected	SHIPPED			
	STORED BY	DATE	BY WHOM		
		NOV 6 1945			



## ADDITIONAL REMARKS

REMOVALS (other than G.I.)

DAMAGES (List type of damage-extent)

1 pr. legging cut off  
1 tobacco pouch torn

## SHORTAGES

U. S. GOV'T CHECK SHORT

2 pr. arms Bands.  
1 lb. Scotland  
35 francs French.  
B 4.70 sym 212/199  
Helm 38

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

I certify that the above items were not in the containers  
inventoried by me.

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G. I. REMOVED



SPRAGUE, CLARENCE R LT 079				
BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY	TYPE PKG
	21		1250	BOX (D)



PERSONAL EFFECTS AND BAGGAGE DEPOT  
APO 518. U.S. ARMY

TALLY IN NO F430

INVENTORY RECORD

NAME SPRAGUE, CLARENCE, R RANK 1ST LT ASN 0-1492079

SHOWN ON CONSIGNORS T.O. AS

ORGANIZATION

DATE 1 MAY 45 CASEPARCEL BoxSTATUS MIA

ITEMS :

DESCRIPTION

REMARKS

1 RAINCOAT ✓ EMPTY RAZOR CASE ✓  
 2 GARRISON CAPS ✓ 1 BELT BARS ✓  
 3 GREEN SHIRTS ✓ IDENTIFICATION CHAIN ✓  
 1 PR. GREEN TROUSERS ✓  
 1 PR. WOOL TROUSERS ✓ 1 BELT ✓  
 2 WOOL SHIRTS ✓ 1 TIE ✓  
 1 WOOL KNITTED SWEATER ✓  
 1 FIELD JACKET ✓  
 1 COTTON UNDERSHIRTS ✓ 2 WOOL ✓  
 1 COTTON DRAWERS ✓ 2 WOOL ✓  
 1 HANDKERCHIEFS ✓ 1 TOWEL ✓  
 1 PR. LEGGINGS ✓ 1 PR. GLOVES ✓  
 1 PR. SHOES ✓ 1 PR. SOCKS ✓  
 2 TESTAMENTS ✓ 1 PHOTO ✓  
 2 BRUSHES ✓ 2 LIGHTERS ✓  
 1 CLOTH WATCH SAND TUS 254 SERIES 1574 ✓  
 1 SEWING KIT ✓ 1 EMPTY BULB ✓  
 2 PR. ARM BANDS ✓ 1 GARTER ✓  
 1 PERSONAL PAPERS ✓  
 2 METAL CROSS RIFLES ✓ METAL TARS ✓  
 1 EAR RING ✓ DEFENSE RIBBON ✓  
 1 GOOD CONDUCT RIBBON ✓ LETTERS ✓  
 2 SOUV. COINS ✓ SMALL AMERICAN FLAG ✓  
 1 BILLFOLD ✓ PERSONAL PAPERS PHOTOS ✓

INVENTORIED BY RENAUD, CWHSE  
SPACE

TYPE CONTAINER



HEADQUARTERS 137TH INFANTRY  
APO 35 U S ARMY

10 March 1945  
(Date)

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of:

SPRAGUE	CLARENCE	R	1st Lt	O-1292079
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(MI)	(Rank)	(ASN)

TO: Effects Quartermaster, Communication Zone, APO 371  
U S Army  
The above named individual of Company K, 137th

Infantry was reported Missing in Action About 26 December 1944  
(Status - KIA, MIA, Hosp) (Date)  
Designated Beneficiary if information readily accessible: unknown

#### INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

1 Raincoat	3 Metal Crossrifles
2 Garrison Caps with 1st. Lt. Bars	3 Metal 1st. Lt. Bars
2 Green Shirts (1 with Access.)	1 Earring.
2 Pr. Green Trousers	1 American Defense Ribbon
1 Pr. Wool Trousers	1 Good-Conduct Ribbon
2 Wool Shirt	2 Souv. Coins
1 Wool Knit Sweater	1 Small American Flag
1 Field Jacket	1 Empty Razor Box
6 Cotton Underhirts	1 Plastic Billfold with;
8 Cotton Undershorts	Personal Papers & Letters
2 Wool Undershirts	Photographs
2 Wool Undershirts	1 Souv. Piece of Cloth
7 Handkerchiefs	1 U.S. Paper 25¢ Piece
3 Pr. Leggings	(Series of 1874)
2 Pr. G.I. Shoes	
15 Pr. Socks	
1 Towel	
1 Pr. Gloves	
1 Tie	
1 Web Belt	
1 Identification Chain	
2 Testament	
3 Brushes	
1 Cloth Watch Band	
1 Sewing Kit	
1 Photograph	
2 Pr. Arm Bands (Garters)	
Personal Papers	
1 Empty Leather Billfold	
2 Cigarette Lighters	



1 Lt (Scotland) 0  
3 Lt (Czech) 0  
Money in the amount of \$ 4.70 has been turned in to

T E COONY

(Name of Finance Officer)

Form WD FD No 38 enclosed. 0

Lt Col, FD 212/199

(Symbol of Finance Officer)

Names and addresses of any banks in which accounts may be carried:

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects,  
secured by me of the above named individual and that they were  
forwarded to the Effects Depot by \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mail, Truck, etc) (Date)

Name

George E. King  
GEORGE E KING

Rank & ASN

1st Lt, O-1298717

Organization

Sv Co 137th Inf

Any additional pertinent information:





ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT

601 HARDESTY AVENUE  
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

RTB:CC:mjk  
October 8, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 358,527

Mr. Dorsey Sprague  
Livingston Manor, New York

Dear Mr. Sprague:

I am inclosing three United States Postal Money Orders in the total amount of \$240.00 made payable to Mrs. Dorsey Sprague and one United States Postal Money Order in the amount of \$15.00 made payable to Miss Ruth Harris by your son, First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague.

Our action in transmitting this property does not, of itself vest title in the recipient. Such property is forwarded for distribution according to the laws of the state of the decedent's legal residence.

I wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Sincerely,

A. G. SCHUMACHER  
Captain, QMC  
Asst. Chief, Adm. Division

Incls  
Money Orders (4)

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

## ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mr. Dorsey Sprague

Livingston Manor, New York

Effects of:  
Name 1st Lt. Clarence R. Sprague

ASN 0-1292079

Case No. 358,527-D

Wt.

DATE 4 October 1945

RTB:GC:mjk

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

## REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check  
 Acct. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Amount \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Inclose "Valuables" item  
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G.I.  
 Note discrepancy in \_\_\_\_\_  
 Film removed  
 Diary removed  
 Laundry removed

## ROUTING:

1 Accounting Branch  
 Warehouse Division  
 2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

VALUABLES SHIPPED

DATE

BY

## REMARKS

Franked  
 Est. Exp. Chgs. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Est. Frt. Chgs. \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. of package \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping Clerk

Eff. QM Form 14 (26 Dec 44)



9/222053

358,527?

Same  
LSP

11 July

See below \$255.00

U.S. Postal Money Order

See below

ITEM \_\_\_\_\_  
 NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_  
 ISSUED \_\_\_\_\_  
 DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 REMITTER \_\_\_\_\_  
 PAYEE \_\_\_\_\_  
 AMOUNT \_\_\_\_\_

MIA

1/Lt Sprague, Clarence R. O-129079 \$255.00 *2572/45 mg*

Request acknowledgement of receipt by indorsement hereon.

U.S. Postal Money Order No. 3539, \$15.00 Office No. X8540,  
 APO 35, N.Y.C., Payable to: Miss Ruth Harris. *San Diego Calif.*  
*Dec 14-1944*

U.S.P.M.O. #5540 \$ 40.00 Office No. X8540, APO 35, N.Y.C.  
 " #5541 \$100.00 " " " " "  
 " #5542 \$100.00 " " " " "

Payable to: Mrs Dorsey Sprague, *Livingston Manor, N.Y.*  
*all dated 14 Dec 1944 -*

Remitter - *Lt- Clarence R. Sprague*

Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City  
 Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty  
 Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri

Receipt acknowledged -  
 AUG 2 1945

For The Effects Quartermaster

VALUABLES SHIPPED

DATE *10/5/45*BY *mg*

INVENTORY @ 290



358, 295

\_\_\_\_\_



Summary Court-Martial  
ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT  
601 Hardesty Avenue  
Kansas City 1, Missouri

Case No. 358,527  
JRM:GG:mjk  
Date 4 October 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

Clarence R. Spague, 0-1292079 late a  
(Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)  
First Lieutenant, Infantry who died  
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)  
on the 17 day of December, 1944, at European Area

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department 25, D. C.

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City, Mo., pursuant to S.O. 228, Hq., KQCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedents camp or quarters, effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none, of which the sum of \$ none was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. none.)

c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ none, which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See inclosed receipt none, Incl. none.)

d. Disposition of decedent's effects (less money paid creditors, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the Quartermaster Corps, at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial FINDING below)

#### FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 3 October 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters, KQCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of

Dorsey Sprague for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, Dorsey Sprague  
(Name of person found entitled)

Livingston Manor State of  
(Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village)  
New York, is the father of the  
(Relationship or Capacity)

above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

**JOHN R. MURPHY, Colonel, QMC**

(Name, Rank, Organization)  
SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL



358527

S-10-18-45  
RTB:GC:lk  
August 14, 1945

Mrs. Dorsey Sprague  
Livingston Manor, New York

Dear Mrs. Sprague:

son, First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague.

1 package and contents

Yours very truly,

HARRY NIEMIEC  
2nd Lt., QMC  
Chief, Correspondence Branch

200  
Case No. 358527



ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. Dorsey Sprague

Livingston Manor, New York

Effects of:

Name 1st Lt. Clarence R. Sprague

ASN 01292079

Case No. 358527 M

Wt.

DATE 14 August 1945  
RTB:GC:lk

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

☐ Inclose Bureau Check  
☐ Acct. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Amount \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Inclose "Valuables" item  
☐ Ship "Valuables" item(s)

☐ Remove G. I.  
☐ Note discrepancy in \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Films removed  
☐ Diary removed  
☐ Laundry removed

ROUTING:

☒ Accounting Branch  
☒ Warehouse Division  
☒ Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS

Franked \_\_\_\_\_  
 Est. Exp. Chgs. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Est. Frt. Chgs. AUG 20 1945  
 No. of package 7

Shipping Clerk

Eff. QM Form 14 (26 Dec 44)



PACKAGE DESCRIPTION		ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MISSING <input type="checkbox"/> P.O.W. <input type="checkbox"/> ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/> TALLY NO. 9900 INV. DATE 26 July 1945 ORIG. NO. OF PGS. 1 BOX NO. 4 SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS ORGANIZATION	
#12188 NAME <u>Clarence Sprague</u> A.S.N. <u>01292079</u> RANK <u>1st Lt</u>		358,527			

Belt	TOILET & WASHCLOTHS	RINGS
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	CLOTHING	BATS, CLOTH OR TRAVEL
Cloth, wash	CRACKLE IRON	BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY)
Coats	Brushes	Case
Footwear, Pr.	CAMERAS	Footlocker
Gloves, Pr.	Glasses	KIT, GEN. TLT. OR WRITING
Handkerchiefs	Knives	BOOKS
Headwear	Lighters	Books, Address
Jackets	MISC.	Books, Pilot Log
Overcoats	Pen, Fountain	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DUTY)
Scarfs	Pencil, Mechanical	FILES
Shirts	Pipes	Letters
Socks, Pr.	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	Papers, Personal
Ties	REBONS, DECORATION	Photos
Towels	Rings	Shoe shine Articles
Trousers, Pr.	Tobacco	SHORT SHORTER
Trunks, Pr.	Toilet Articles	SORTABLES
Underwear	WATCH	SORTABLE MONEY
		Stationery
		STAMPERS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

REMARKS		ATTACHMENTS		X FORM 654 1 OR Label	
Front of ident. bracelet given Livingston Manor, N.Y.					
C.A.T. name		B.P.		WEIGHT B.I. REMOVED SHORTAGE ON REVERSE IDENT. TAGS REMOVED DIARY REMOVED LOCKED STORAGE LAUNDRY REMOVED FILM REMOVED	
WAREHOUSE SPACE	527	STORED BY	MW	DATE SHIPPED	AUG 20 1945
INVENTORIED BY	L. Brewer	CHECKED BY	cole	X483 OR ADDITIONAL	



ADDITIONAL REMARKS

SHORTAGES

U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER

DATE

SYMBOL

AMOUNT

I certify that the above listed items were  
not in the containers inventoried by me:

INVENTORY CLERK

SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVED



Serial No. 04292079 Name SPRATUE  
 Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Rank 1st Lt  
 Organization Unit  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nearest Relative \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Killed in Action yes Died of Disease \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital \_\_\_\_\_  
 Battle Area \_\_\_\_\_ Information \_\_\_\_\_  
9-4-90  
 Place of Burial US Mil Cem 86 A 501d Ft  
 Point of Coordination \_\_\_\_\_  
 Description of Body Q 100584  
 Members Missing EW

Contents belonged To A \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signed \_\_\_\_\_

**DECEASED SOLDIER**

Sentimental Value to Family



NAME SPRAGUE, CLARENCE 2079

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
	2	4	9900
TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED	
GRB			

EST. QM Form 43



EFFECT FOUND ON BODY

1. LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL SPFAGUE, Clarence		2. ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0-1292079		3. GRADE 1st Lt.		4. DATE OF DEATH Est. 15 Jan. 45	
5. ORGANIZATION OF DECEASED (Assigned) Unknown				6. PLACE OF DEATH			
7. CLASS I EFFECTS - SABER, INSIGNIA, DECORATIONS, MEDALS, CAMPAIGN CITATIONS, WATCHES, MANUSCRIPTS AND OTHER ARTICLES VALUABLE CHIEFLY AS KEEPSAKES (If necessary Class I Effects may be included and listed under 8.)							
NUMBER		DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLE		NUMBER		DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLE	
1		Ident. Bracelet ✓					
1		Sterling Army Ring, Red Stone ✓					
1		Inf. Insignia ✓					
1		1st Lt. Bar ✓					
8. CLASS II EFFECTS - MONEY, BANK DRAFTS, CHECKS, MONEY ORDERS, PERSONAL EFFECTS, BILFOLD ETC.							
NUMBER		DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLE		NUMBER		DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLE	
		No Money					
				\$ ENTER TOTAL AMOUNT OF CASH OR EQUIVALENT HERE			
FOR USE OF IMMEDIATE COMMANDING OFFICER OF ORGANIZATION SECURING EFFECTS							
9. CHECK HERE IF EFFECTS SENT TO THE EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT, KANSAS CITY, MO. NOTE: DO NOT SEND PERSONAL EFFECTS OF PERSONNEL DECEASED WITHIN THE UNITED STATES TO THE EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER.				11. I CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING INVENTORY COMPRISES ALL THE EFFECTS OF ABOVE NAMED DECEASED.  C. S. TROIA SIGNATURE			
10. EFFECTS ARE TO BE DELIVERED OR SHIPPED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A.M. 112 IF EFFECTS DELIVERED TO LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE MAKE ENTRIES HERE. NAME Effects QM, Personal Effects and ADDRESS Baggage Depot, APO 513, US Army CITY AND STATE Registry # DATE DELIVERED 4 April 1945				NAME AND GRADE C.S. TROIA, 1st Lt., QMC ORGANIZATION Hqs, 46th QM GR Co., APO 758, US Army 12. SIGNATURE OF RECIPIENT OR SUMMARY COURT OFFICER			



## REPORT OF SUMMARY COURT - AR 600-550

## 13. THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS DUE THE ESTATE OF THE DECEASED WERE COLLECTED

DATE	AMOUNT	RECEIVED FROM	DATE	AMOUNT	RECEIVED FROM
	\$			\$	
TOTAL					

## 14. THE FOLLOWING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF THE DECEASED WERE PAID

DATE	AMOUNT	PAID TO	DATE	AMOUNT	PAID TO
	\$			\$	
TOTAL					

15. OTHER TRANSACTIONS, INCLUDING SALE OF EFFECTS. REPORT EACH TRANSACTION IN DETAIL (See AR 600-550). NOTE: STOCKS, BONDS AND OTHER COMMERCIAL PAPER WILL NOT BE CONVERTED INTO CASH, BUT SENT TO THE ADJUTANT GENERAL WITH THIS REPORT IN CASE OF DOMESTIC DECEASE. FOR OVERSEAS CASUALTIES THESE EFFECTS WILL BE SENT TO THE EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER.

ENTER AMOUNT OF MONEY REALIZED FROM SALE OF EFFECTS HERE IN WORDS AND FIGURES.

\$

16.

## RECEIPT FOR FUNDS

PROCEEDS OF SALE OF PROPERTY OF DECEASED MILITARY PERSONNEL (AR 600-550)

(Normally not to be used for overseas casualties under Par. 16, W.D. Circular 195, 1943. Send Check to Effects Quartermaster.)

APPROPRIATION TO BE CREDITED BY DISBURSING OFFICER	AMOUNT (In words and figures) DEPOSITED WITH DISBURSING OFFICER
DATE, ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION OF DISBURSING OFFICER	SIGNATURE AND TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF DISBURSING OFFICER
17. DATE APPROVED BY COMMANDING OFFICER	18. DATE AND LOCATION
SIGNATURE OF COMMANDING OFFICER	SIGNATURE OF SUMMARY COURT OFFICER
TYPED NAME AND GRADE	TYPED NAME, GRADE AND ORGANIZATION



358527

(S-10-3-45)  
RTB:RW:cr  
August 13, 1945

Mrs. Dorsey Sprague  
Livingston Manor, New York

Dear Mrs. Sprague:

\$4.70,  
son, First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague.

Yours very truly,

C. B. QUINN  
2nd Lt., QMG  
Chief, Files Branch

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES  
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAUORDER FOR SHIPMENTSHIP TO: Mrs. Dorsey Sprague  
Livingston Manor, New YorkEffects of:  
Name 1st Lt. Clarence R. Sprague  
ASN O-1292079  
Case No. 358527 M  
Wt.DATE 13 August 1945  
RTB:RM:tor*A. B. Brien*  
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

## REMARKS:

x Inclose Bureau Check  
Acct. No. 138693  
Amount \$4.70 *ms*  
Inclose "Valuables" item  
Ship "Valuables" item(s)Remove G.I.  
Note discrepancy in  
Films removed  
Diary removed  
Laundry removed

## ROUTING:

1 Accounting Branch *Lat*  
Warehouse Division  
2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

120185 emb

138693

358527

August 20 45

Mrs. Dorsey Sprague

4.70

Four and 70/100

## REMARKS:

Franked  
Est. Exp. Chgs.  
Est. Frt. Chgs.  
No. of packages

Shipping Clerk



ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU  
INVENTORY

358527<sup>BA</sup>

CASE NO.		
TYPED BY	HMC	
DATE	7/14/45	
STATUS	DEC & MIA	
NAME	Clarence R. Sprague	
A.S.N.	0-1292079	
RANK	1st. Lt.	
ORGANIZATION		
AMOUNT	\$4.70	ACCOUNT NO. 138693mlh
LIST NO.	F-258	PAID-Check No. 1201857H
REMARKS		

M

ACCOUNTING INVENTORY



358,527

JRM:CH:ec  
April 18, 1945  
CBMrs. Dorsey Sprague  
Livingston Manor, New York

Dear Mrs. Sprague:

Your inquiry of February 22, addressed to The Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C., concerning the personal effects of your son, First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague, has been referred to this Bureau for reply.

I am sorry to report that the Army Effects Bureau has not yet received any of Lieutenant Sprague's property. Because of transportation difficulties, overseas "holding" periods and other delays encountered in the return of personal effects to the United States, the time of arrival at this Bureau is quite uncertain.

I am inclosing a circular, however, in order that you may have all information available as to when your son's effects may be expected to arrive here. Upon receipt of any property belonging to him, you will be notified.

Very truly yours,

G. I. NEWMAN  
Captain Q.M.C.  
Asst. Chief, Adm. DivisionIncl--  
Form 97



HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES

## MEMO ROUTING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

	NAME OR TITLE	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	INITIALS
1	EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER			
	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU			DATE
2	KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI			
3				

IMMEDIATE ACTION

For necessary action.

  
 PIERCE

2 Incl.

1 ltr dtd 22 Feb 45

1 ltr dtd 23 Mar 45

FROM:	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
irz				23 Mar 45
				TELEPHONE

MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION  
BRANCH, TEMPO "C" WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

W. D., A. G. O. Form 0115  
1 October 1944This Form supersedes W. D., A. G. O. Form 0115, 23 March 1944,  
which may be used until existing stocks are exhausted.  
16-51144-2 GPO



## HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES

## MEMO ROUTING SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED:

	NAME OR TITLE	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	INITIALS
1				DATE
2				
3				

	NAME	ORGANIZATION	BUILDING AND ROOM	DATE
FROM:				
				TELEPHONE

W. D., A. G. O. Form 0115  
1 October 1944This Form replaces W. D., A. G. O. Form 0115, 23 March 1944,  
which may be used until existing stocks are exhausted.

16-31046-2 GPO



358,527? CK  
Hill

Livingston Manor  
New York  
Feb. 22, 1945.

Major Gen. Ulio:

Please refer to your file A. G. 201 Clarence R. Sprague P-C-N ETO  
294, as per your letter of Jan. 8, 45.

A letter from my son on Nov. 9, precedint the action in which he  
has been reported missing, informed me that he was returning a foot - locker  
containing some personal effects. To date I have **not** received same and wonder  
if anything can be done to trace same.

Thankingyou for your attention to this matter.

I remain

Yours sincerely

Mrs. Dorsey Sprague

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IN REPLY REFER TO SPQYG 293OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.Sprague, Clarence R.  
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23 March 1945.

Mrs. Dorsey Sprague,  
Livingston Manor,  
Sullivan Co., New York.

Dear Mrs. Sprague:

Reference is made to your inquiry regarding the personal effects of First Lieutenant Clarence R. Sprague.

A copy of your letter has been forwarded to the Effects Quartermaster, Army Effects Bureau, Kansas City Quartermaster Depot, 601 Hardesty Avenue, Kansas City 1, Missouri, for reply to you. That office has jurisdiction over the disposal of the personal effects of our military personnel outside the United States. However, considerable time is often necessary to process these personal belongings back to this country due to the lack of shipping space and the great amount of work involved.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in this period of anxiety.

For The Quartermaster General:

Sincerely yours,

C. C. PIERCE,  
Captain, Q. M. C.,  
Assistant.

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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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23 March 1945

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,  
Department of Justice,  
Washington 25, D. C.

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Very truly yours,  
For The Quartermaster General:

Sincerely yours,

W. C. FLYNN  
Colonel, U. S. Army  
Kansas City, Mo.  
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