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393.8-Cem.#13447-(Kirkpatrick, John, Corp.)

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

To: Mrs. Agnes Ivison, Stafford, N.Y.

Subject: Relative to rank of soldier.

1. In reply to your letter of Aug. 26, 1920, you are advised that the records of this office show the rank of your son as that of "Corporal" and the Chief, American Graves Registration Service, Q.M.C., in Europe, will be requested to change the inscription on the cross, marking the grave of this soldier, to read accordingly.

2. The records of this office show that it is your wish that the remains of your son, the late Corp. John Kirkpatrick, be permanently interred in France and instructions will be issued that your wishes be complied with, provided there is no relative whose legal right to direct disposition has priority over yours.

By authority of the Quartermaster General:

CHARLES C. PIERCE,
Major, U.S. Army,
Chief, Cemeterial Division

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By:

CHARLES J. WYNNIE,
Captain, Q.M.C.

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