April 4, 1931

Mrs. Mary Broadway, 228 S. Queen Street, Chestertown, Maryland.

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BROADWAY, Wesley Civil War Veteran

Dear Madam:

Receipt is acknowledged of the evidence submitted in support of a claim for allowance toward burial expenses of the above named decrased.

This Bureau will make an allowance not to exceed \$100.00 plus the price of a flag not to exceed \$7.00 (if one was used to drape the casket of the veteran) toward the burial expenses of a veteran of any war who has not been dishonorably discharged from the military or naval forces of the United States, where death occurred subsequent to April 6, 1917 provided that the deceased did not leave net assets in excess of \$1,000.00 after deducting from such assets all outstanding obligations contracted by him and all exemptions allowed to his widow or minor children by the state of his domicile.

In order to complete this claim it will be necessary to submit an original burial bill on the regular business bill-head of the bader-taker who rendered service in the funeral and burial of this veterand. This bill should set forth the full name of the deceased and a separate charge for each article furnished or service rendered. If any part of the bill has been paid it must be receipted to show the full name of the person who made payment and the amount paid. The person receipting the bill must sign his name in full and indicate thereon the official capacity in which he represents the firm.

Form 531 enclosed must be executed by the undertaker, if any part of the bill remains unpaid. However, in the event the bill has been paid in full, this form must be executed by the person who paid the bill. It will also be necessary to surnish a certified copy of the public record of the veteran's death, bearing the signature of the custodian of such records.

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