

BOOM YEARS
BY 001
EMMA LOUISE (KNEESE)
LEIFESTE
by
EDWARD W. HOUY

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PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
San Antonio, Texas

Nº 31556

Certificate of Birth

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that Edward Wesley Houy Jr.
CHILD'S NAME

(boy or girl) was born to Edward Wesley Houy
FATHER'S NAME

and Alice Koenig
MOTHER'S MARDEN NAME at 8:10 P. M.

o'clock, on the 3rd day of October, 1931,

in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, and Recorded in the Public
Health Department, Office of Vital Statistics in Register No. 4310

in the year 1931.

Date June 19, 1957

J. C. Weingarten M.D., M.P.H.

HEALTH OFFICER

M. D.

By E. Mooneyer
DEPUTY

Lillian Quinn
CITY REGISTRAR

Birth Certificate

EDWARD WESLEY HOUY

Son of

EDWARD WESLEY HOUY

&

ALICE MAE KOENIG

GEBURTSURKUNDE

Ea

(Standesamt Augsburg ----- Nr.1208/1927)

----- Annerose G a s t l -----

ist am 27. Mai 1927 -----

in A u g s b u r g ----- geboren.

Eltern: Xaver G a s t l und Emma, geborene Zech,

beide wohnhaft in Augsburg. -----

Änderungen des Geburtseintrags:

Augsburg, den 21. Februar 1959



Der Standesbeamte

Klytta
(Klytta)

DMo.50 Geb.Vz.Nr.16899

sa/f

Birth Certificate
ANNEROSE HOUY
Wife of
EDWARD W. HOUY

Translation

Birth Certificate

Ea

(Registry Office Augsburg -----No.1208/1927)

----- Annerose G a s t l -----
was born in A u g s b u r g on 27th May 1927.
Parents: Xaver G a s t l and Emma, née Zech,
both of them resident in Augsburg.-----
Changements of birth record: -----

Augsburg, on 21st February 1959

Round Seal: The Registrar:
Registry Office Signature: Klytta
Augsburg - Bavaria -2 (Klytta)
DM 0,50 Fees Reg. No. 16899 sa/Fu

Certified true translation:
Augsburg, 24th February 1959.



Rudolf Keil
SWORN INTERPRETER PUBLIC

HEIRATSURKUNDE

F

(Standesamt Stadtbergen-----Nr. 54/1957---)

Edward Wesley H o u y -----

----- protestantisch

----- , geboren am 3. Oktober 1931.

In San Antonio Kreis Bexar/Texas/USA.---

(Standesamt: Health Department, Office Nr. 43/O/1931---)

wohnhaft in Leitershofen, Nummer 183-----

----- und

Annerose G a s t l -----

----- katholisch

----- geboren am 27. Mai 1927.

In Augsburg-----

(Standesamt Augsburg-----Nr. 1208/1927---)

wohnhaft in Stadtbergen, Goethestraße 1-----

haben am 12. Oktober 1957----- vor dem Standesbeamten

des Standesamts Stadtbergen----- die Ehe geschlossen.



Stadtbergen , don 18. Februar 1959

Der Standesbeamte
In Vertretung:

[Signature]

Gebühr: 1. --- DM
Verz. Nr.

STA. 212 Heiratsurkunde - F
Richard Baurberg Verlag 35

Marriage Certificate

EDWARD W. HOUY

&

ANNEROSE GASTL

Translation

Marriage Certificate

F

(Registry Office Stadtbergen No. 54/1957-----)

Edward Wesley H o u y , Protestant , born on
3rd October 1931 at San Antonio Bexar County
Texas USA (Health Department, Office of Vital
Statistics No. 43/O/1931) resident at Leiters-
hofen , No. 183 , -----

a n d

Annerose G A S T L , Catholic , born on 27th
May 1927 in Augsburg (Registry Office Augsburg
No. 1208/1927) resident at Stadtbergen , Goethe-
strasse 1 , -----

----- c o n t r a c t e d m a r r i a g e -----
before the Registrar of Registry Office Stadt-
bergen on 12th October 1957.-----

Stadtbergen , on 18th February 1959

For the Registrar:

Signature: illegible

Fee: 0,50 DM Fees Reg.

Round Seal: Registry Office Stadtbergen-Bavaria

Certified true translation:

Augsburg , 24th February 1959.

[Signature]
SWORN INTERPRETER PUBLIC



Extract From the Family Bible of
LINA LOUISE OTTILIE (KNEESE) KOENIG
 Children

Note: Bible pages were found inserted in a 1888 Methodist Hymnal (in German) belonging to Otilie (Kneese) Koenig. Discovered by grandson Edward W. Houy. It is unknown why they were removed from the Bible. The original book has not been located.



Kinder

Lasset die Kindlein zu mir kommen, und wehret ihnen nicht; denn solcher ist das Reich Gottes.

Matf. 10, 14.

Wesley August Ludwig Koenig
 Born on Kneese Farm near Fredericksburg, Texas. July 20, 1906.

1964
 1906
 ———
 60

1st Child

Alice Mae Koenig
 Born at Marble Falls, Texas, May 20, 1908.

1964
 1908
 ———
 56

Birth of 2nd Child

Alice Mae Koenig
 20 May 1908
 Marble Falls, Texas

Mattie Foud Koenig
 Born at (near) Spice wood Texas May 14, 1910.

1964
 1910
 ———
 54

3rd Child

Clarence Benjamin Henry Koenig
 Born near Dow Texas. May 25, 1915.

1964
 1915
 ———
 49

4th Child

1964 notes were made by Otilie Koenig 3 years before her death in 1967.

1. PLACE OF BIRTH
STATE OF TEXAS

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH

County of Burnet

City or Precinct No. Marble Falls

Give Street and Number or Name of Institution

2. Full Name of Child Alice Mae Koenig

3. Sex Female	FOR PLURAL BIRTHS ONLY		6. Legitimate? Yes	7. Date of Birth May 20, 1908
	4. Twin, Triplet, Other	5. Number, In Order of Birth		

8. Full Name <u>Albert John Koenig (A. J. Koenig)</u>		14. Full Maiden Name <u>Ottile L. Kneese</u>	
9. Residence at Time of this Birth <u>Marble Falls, Texas</u>		15. Residence at Time of This Birth <u>Marble Falls, Texas</u>	

10. Color or Race <u>White</u>	11. Age at Time of This Birth <u>29 (Years)</u>	16. Color or Race <u>White</u>	17. Age at Time of This Birth <u>28 (Years)</u>
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12. Birthplace (State or Country) <u>Fredericksburg, Texas</u>	18. Birthplace (State or Country) <u>Fredericksburg, Texas</u>
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13A. Trade, Profession or Kind of Work Done <u>Teacher</u>	19A. Trade, Profession or Kind of Work Done <u>Housewife</u>
13B. Industry or Business in Which Engaged	19B. Industry or Business in Which Engaged

20. Number of Children Born to this Mother, Including This Birth <u>2</u>	21. Number of Children Born to this Mother, And Now Living <u>2</u>
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22. I hereby certify to the birth of this child who was ~~born~~ BORN ALIVE P. M. on the date stated above.

AFFIDAVIT A

STATE OF TEXAS, Bexar
COUNTY OF Bexar

Before me on this day appeared Albert John Koenig known to me to be the person who signed the Certificate attached hereto, who on oath deposes and says that the facts stated in the foregoing Birth Certificate of Alice Mae Koenig are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief, and that he was acquainted with the facts at the time of the event.

Signed A. J. Koenig
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of July, 19 43.

W. J. Peiper
Notary Public in and for Bexar County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT B

STATE OF TEXAS, Bexar
COUNTY OF Bexar

Before me on this day appeared Carl Francis known to me to be the person who signed this affidavit, who on oath deposes and says that the facts stated in the foregoing Birth Certificate of Alice Mae Koenig are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief, and that he is acquainted with the facts and that she is not related to the individual by blood or marriage.

Signed Carl Francis
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of July, 19 43.

W. J. Peiper
Notary Public in and for Bexar County, Texas.

STATE OF TEXAS, Burnet
COUNTY OF Burnet

THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF Alice Mae Koenig attached hereto, was submitted to this Court, as provided for in H. B. No. 614, 48th Leg., R. S. 1939.

It is the order of this Court that this record Be Accepted by the State Registrar for filing in the State Bureau of Vital Statistics.

(SEAL) Signed O. B. Zimmerman Co. Judge
Date July 17th, 19 43 of Burnet County

Alice Mae Koenig



Translation:

Alice May
born 20 May 1908 in Gillespie Co. Tex.
the Daughter of Mr. Albert Koenig
and his wife Ottielie born Kneese
received on 27 Dec. 1908 through the undersigned

The Holy Baptism

Hereby certified
John Hierholzer
Pastor

Original Size Full Document 12" x 16"

Extract From the Family Bible of
LINA LOUISE OTTILIE (KNEESE) KOENIG
Wedding Page

Tag der Trauung.

Ich und mein Haus wollen dem Herrn dienen.
Joh. 24, 15.

Wesley Koenig and Ottilie Kneese Koenig
June 11, 1923

Wesley A. L. Koenig and Jessie Cole
man, Koenig Dec. 2, 1928.

" " " May 10 — 1937

Wesley and Madeline 4 June 1946

Alice Koenig Edward Henry
Nov 16th, 1928 29

Mathw Ford Koenig to Wilbur
Russmann May 2 1934

Clarence Koenig to
April 2 — 1943

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Ottilie Kneese
3d Generation

1st Child
3 Marriages

Marriage of Second Child
Alice Mae Koenig
to
Edward W. Houy
16 November 1929

3rd Child

4th Child

CITY OF NEW ORLEANS
STATE OF LOUISIANA
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

CITY FILE NO. **650006783**

1. Birth No.		1b. First Name HOUY EDWARD		1c. Second Name W.		2a. Month Day Year 9-16-65		2b. Hour 5:40	
3. Sex MALE		4. Color or Race WHITE		5. Married <input type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/>		6. Name of Husband or Wife		6b. Age	
7. Date of Birth of Deceased APRIL 17, 1927		8. Age of Deceased Years 38 Months 4 Days 30		9a. Birthplace (City and State) DENTON, TEXAS		9b. Citizen of what Country U.S.A.			
10. Kind of Industry or Business SALESMAN		11. Was Deceased ever in U.S. Armed Forces? (If yes, no, or unknown) NO		11a. Social Security No. NO 455-03-6736					
12. City, Town, or Location NEW ORLEANS		13a. Parish ORLEANS		13b. Length of stay in New Orleans 15 YEARS		13c. Length of stay in Hospital or Institution NONE			
14. Name of Hospital or Institution (If not in hospital or institution give street address or location) LAZAR DUBLIN ST.		14a. City or Town NEW ORLEANS		14b. Parish ORLEANS		14c. State LOUISIANA			
15. Home Address—(If rural give location) LAZAR DUBLIN ST.		15a. Birthplace of Father (City and State) NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA		15b. Maiden Name of Mother LOUISE WIESE		15c. Birthplace of Mother (City and State) BRENHAM, TEXAS			
16. Name of Father E.H. HOUY		16a. Signature of Informant and Address <i>Mr. Edouard Houy, 103 Maple Street, New Orleans, La.</i>		16b. Date of Signature 9-18-65		16c. Interval Between Onset and Death			
17. Cause of Death (a) Immediate Cause (c) Coronary arteriosclerosis		17a. Due to (b) Complication of right lung		17c. Due to (d)		17d. Other Significant Conditions Contributing to Death But Not Related to the Terminal Disease Condition Given in Part (a)		18. Autopsy Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
19. Describe How Injury Occurred (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of Gen 17)		19a. Place of Injury (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office, shop, etc.)		19b. City, Town, or Location PARISH OF ORLEANS		19c. State			
20. Date of Death SEP 19 1965		20a. Name and Location of Crematory or Undertaker JOHN RIBOUDS CREMATORY BIRMINGHAM, ALA.		20b. Signature and Address of Funeral Director <i>J. H. Cassin M.D.</i>		20c. Date of Signature 9/19/65			
21. Date of Burial SEP 20 1965		21a. Name and Location of Burial Place ORLEANS		21b. Signature and Address of Burial Director <i>John Ribouds</i>		21c. Date of Signature			

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS A TRUE COPY OF THE ORIGINAL RECORD DULY RECORDED
IN THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS FOR THE PARISH
OF ORLEANS AND CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.

DATE: **SEP 23 1965**

Rodney J. Guy M.D.
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

Death Certificate
EDWARD WESLEY HOUY

Second Son of
GOTTHARDT HEINRICH HOUY
&
ELIZABETH LOUISE WIESE



Translation: Lina Louise Otilie Kneese daughter of Ludwig F. Kneese and his wife Minna L.K. born Imhoff born on 10 January 1880 in Palo Alto Gillespie County is received on 4 April 1880 through the undersigned, G. Koch, Pastor. Witnesses Lina Wissemann - Louise Kneese Fredericksburg April 10, 1880

Original Size 8" x 12"

Document 3-1 Baptism, Otilie Kneese

Document 3-2 Wedding Photo, A.J. Koebig

WEDDING OF ALBERT JOHN KOENIG AND LINA LOUISE OTTILIE KNEESE
11 JUNE 1903



Bride (3rd Generation)

Sister of Bride - Emma (Kneese) Leifeste

Minna (Imhoff) Kneese Ludwig Kneese
Mother and Father of bride (4th Generation)

Dorette Kneese (5th Generation)
Grandmother of Bride

Koenig Family and friends to right of groom — Kneese Family and friends on bride's side.

Mrs. Albert John Koenig, nee Otilie Kneese

Two newspaper articles to substantiate line of descent and descendants of Otilie (Kneese) Koenig.

From the San Antonio Light — January 1960
80th Birthday Celebration

From the Fredericksburg Standard/Radio Post
Report of the death of Mrs A.J. Koenig

Dinner Party for Mrs. Koenig

On Sunday, January 10, Mrs. A. J. Koenig, 220 E. Drexel, was honored with a surprise dinner at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Leifeste. Joint hostess with Mrs. Leifeste was her sister, Mrs. Wilbur Rossman, 219 Glenwood Court. The event marked the 80th birthday of Mrs. Koenig.

Guests included Mr. Leifeste and Mr. Rossmann; the honoree's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Kneese of Fredericksburg; her nieces and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kothmann, Llano, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Schmidt, Seguin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. West of San Antonio.

entire week

Mrs. A. J. Koenig Rites Are Held In San Antonio

Funeral services for Mrs. A. J. Koenig, 87, were held Saturday, April 8, 1967, at 10 a. m., at the Riebe - Saunders Chapel in San Antonio. The Reverends Dale Hasson and Charles Hardt officiated in the services.

Mrs. A. J. Koenig, the former Otilie Kneese, died in a Fredericksburg rest home on Wednesday, April 5.

She was born in Fredericksburg on Jan. 10, 1880, the daughter of Ludwig and Minna Kneese who were among Fredericksburg's pioneer settlers.

She was a charter member of the Aldersgate Methodist Church, of San Antonio, where she was a member of the Woman's Christian Service, in San Antonio.

She is survived by two daughters: Alice, Mrs. Lee Roy A. Leifeste, of Sunrise Beach; Mattie, Mrs. Wilbur Rossmann, of San Antonio; a son, Clarence B. Koenig, Grass Valley, Calif., and a grandson, Major Edward W. Houy of Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Jupiter has nine satellites.

Extract From the Family Bible of
LINA LOUISE OTTILIE (KNEESE) KOENIG
 Deaths

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Todesfälle

Selig sind die Toten, die in dem Herrn sterben, von nun an. Ja, der Geist spricht, daß sie ruhen von ihrer Arbeit; denn ihre Werke folgen ihnen nach. Offenb. Joh. 14, 13.

August Koenig Died Dec 14, 1909.

L. F. Kneese Died April 16, 1928. 78

Mrs. L. F. Kneese Died Jan. 16, 1940 87

Mrs. August Koenig Died Aug. 29 - 1945 73

Albert John Koenig Died Jan. 26 - 1953 79

Emma (Kneese) Leifeste " Jan. 23 - 1956 88

Hilda Kneese died May 31 - 1957

Ottile Kneese " Jan. 2 - 1908

Ceddie Leifeste died July 17 - 1959 Nov. 16

Bernie Kneese died Sep. 23 - 1963

- Ludwig Kneese
4th Generation
- Minna Kneese
Spouse
4th Generation
- Albert Koenig
Spouse
3rd Generation
- Emma Leifeste
Sister of
Ottilie (Kneese) Koenig

Newspaper Notice - Death of Ottilie (Kneese) Koenig - 3rd Generation - (Owner of Bible)
 Article in San Antonio Light

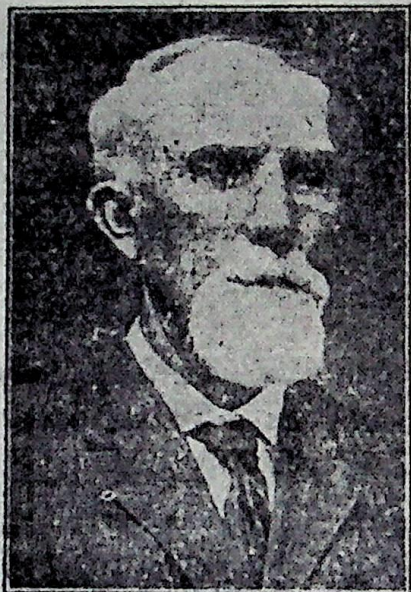
1-ANNOUNCEMENTS

1-Deaths *April 5, 1967*

KOENIG

Mrs. A.J. (Ottilie) Koenig, age 87 years, of 103 Isabel Street, died Wednesday in Fredericksburg, Texas. Charter member of Aldersgate Methodist Church and Women's Society of Christian Service. Survivors: Daughters, Mrs. L.A. (Alice) Leifeste of Sunrise Beach, Llano, Texas, and Mrs. Wilbur (Mattie) Rossmann of San Antonio; son, Clarence B. Koenig of Grass Valley, Calif.; grandson, Major Edward W. Houy of Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Services will be Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at Riebe - Saunders Chapels with the Rev. Dale B. Hasson and Rev. Charles D. Hardt officiating. Interment will be in Mission Burial Park. Pallbearers are Ed Koenig, Harold Kneese, Raymond Kneese, Leroy Koenig, Elmer Koenig, and Randolph Leifeste. Arrangements by **RIEBE-SAUNDERS CHAPELS** 1119 N. St Mary's Street at Brooklyn Ave.

Hill Country Comments



L. F. Kneese

We believe that when a man passes from our midst who will be hard to replace, it is becoming to pause from a discussion of the material things in this column, and to say a few brief words in behalf of his memory. The man referred to was a shining example of what all men ought to be. Even as an old man, you found him connected with and contributing to every movement calculated to improve the opportunities of the youth and the average man. He shared in the promotion of every civic improvement. Upon every matter of public concern, he was to be found upon the side of progress, of right and justice. Whenever there was any service to be rendered in behalf of his country, his county, his city or his community, notwithstanding his age, he was always ready to go. It is not known that he ever refused the call of duty in behalf of any enterprise.

LUDWIG FRIEDRICH KNEESE

(Article from the Fredericksburg, Texas Standard April 1928)

The article (3rd column) reports, among his accomplishments, his marriage on May 17, 1857 to Miss Minna Imhoff and the birth of four children (3 survived to adulthood and raised families of their own.

Mrs. Emma (Kneese) Leifeste was the oldest child. The sister of Emma, Lina Louise Ottilie (Kneese) Koenig, was the grandmother of Edward W. Houy (the applicant).

Ludwig's two daughters, Mrs. Eddie Leifeste of Castell, and Mrs. Albert Koenig of San Antonio are listed by name (5th column).

Wherever there was a dispute to be settled by means of friendly meditation, he would be called in as an arbitrator. Wherever there was a man who needed the help and sympathy of a real friend, this grand old man went to his assistance. As generous as he was, in matters pertaining to the public welfare, so was he equally with the needy individual. He was a kind neighbor, a model husband and father, and the ideal citizen. And today, as we stop to ponder upon his many virtues, we are forced to conclude that the Hill Country's really great man has passed into history. If there ever was a man who by his daily service earned reward in eternity, this wonderful man did. His soul will continue to live on and on as an example of what a true citizen of the Hill Country ought to be. And while he is no longer with us in his physical sphere, his spirit will continue among our midst to urge us on to higher patriotic ideals and personal virtues. His ashes will truly rest in peace and his soul will be remembered and admired for all time as the Hill Country's Greatest Patriot. Ludwig Kneese was truly the Hill Country's Greatest Patriot.

(Continued on Page ?, Col. 4.)

HILL COUNTRY COMMENTS.

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 1.)

Following we bring an obituary as read by his pastor Rev. C. F. Bohmfalk at the funeral services.

"Among the immigrants coming from Europe in 1846 were Fritz Kneese and his wife. They settled in the Live Oak Community, and there a son was born on September 30, 1849. This son was named after his father and uncle, Fritz Ludwig. In the home where he was born, piety prevailed, and the young son grew up to manhood with 6 brothers and sisters, and early learned to help provide for the family needs. But not only did he learn to work, but he also learned to economize, thus assisting the family in every way.

He wooed and won the hand of Miss Minna Imhoff and was united in holy wedlock on May 17, 1857, thus being permitted to live happily almost 53 years. In the course of time four children were born. One son, Emil Friedrich, preceeded him in death in 1892. The other children were reared in the fear and admonition of the Lord, and are today highly respected citizens.

It can truly be said that Mr. Kneese was a genuine Christian gentleman. His Christianity manifested itself in deeds of Kindness. He truly practiced what James emphasises, saying: "Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction and to keep himself unspotted from the world." James 1:27. In his quiet way he visited many sick

and shutins, and if anybody was in need, he never appealed to him in vain. His home was a home where hospitality prevailed. While still living on his ranch a few miles from the city, he often entertained sick and suffering folk, and several consumptives who sought a milder climate found shelter and an open home there.

He truly loved the church. Not only the church of his own choice, The Methodist Episcopal church, but all the churches. At the age of about 20 years he united with the Methodist Church, soon thereafter he was elected an officer in the church, and at the time of his passing away was both a steward and a trustee in the church. Several years ago, he expressed the desire to see a new church edifice for his own denomination. And the new church was planned and built, due to his untiring efforts.

Then he expressed an other desire, namely to have the Southern Annual Conference meet for its annual session in the church, and this request too was granted in 1925.

He was a regular attendant at all the services in the church. A very attentive listener to any and every message delivered by any one. The last service he attended was on Wednesday evening of last week at Prayer meeting. Seldom a week passed in which he didn't call on his pastor, to speak words of encouragement, thus he was ever ready to do his best.

Because of his friendly disposition, his sincerity and his open mindedness he made new friends wherever he made new acquaintances, and it was true there, that to know him was to love him.

In civic and political life he was known to be absolutely sincere. Often committees or individuals called upon him when confronting difficult problems, and in his clear logical way he would advise what to do and how to proceed. He served on important committees and thus left his imprint in various accomplishments in the city and county."

That he was greatly loved and highly respected was clearly shown at his funeral. There were 14 ministers present, several spoke words of comfort to the great sorrowing multitude. His funeral was pronounced the largest ever held in Fredericksburg, and was held from the church where he was used to worship.

After a very brief illness lasting only two days he passed peacefully away at his residence at Fredericksburg Monday evening at 6:45. He leaves to mourn his departure, his beloved wife, two daughters, Mrs. Eddie Leifeste of Castell, and Mrs. Albert Koenig of San Antonio, and one son, Bennie of Fredericksburg, one brother, three sisters, eleven grandchildren and many other relatives and friends.

Truly a great man has gone to his reward.

Two extracts from the article give credibility to the report.

"Ludwig Kneese was truly the Hill Country's Greatest Patriot."

"There were 14 ministers present... His funeral was pronounced the largest ever held in Fredericksburg..."

His children were well known to many of the individuals reading the report.

MRS. LUDWIG KNEESE, nee MINNA IMHOFF

(Articles from Fredericksburg Standard and Radio Post — June 1933 & January 1940)

When Minna (Imhoff) Kneese celebrated her 80th birthday all the generations represented in this application were present.

Daughters - Mrs. Ed. Leifeste & Mrs. Alb. Koenig
Daughter of Mrs. Koenig - Mrs. Eddie Houy
Son of Mrs. Houy (Applicant) - "and little son of San Antonio"

The notice of the death of Minna Kneese lists her marriage and names her two daughters, Emma, Mrs. Ed. Leifeste of Castell, Otilie, Mrs. A.J. Koenig, Houston...

80th Birthday Anniversary

The home of Mrs. L. F. Kneese was the scene of a very enjoyable gathering of relatives and friends Sunday, who had come to celebrate Mrs. Kneese's 80th birthday. Children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren had come from far and near to show their love and esteem by congratulations, well-wishes, and gifts. A delicious dinner and lunch was served to the following guests:

Mrs. Louise Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Schmidt of Seguin; Mrs. Alb. Koenig and children Mattie, Clarence and Mrs. Ed. die Houy and little son of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kothmann and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Leifeste and sons, Gilbert and Randolph of Castell; Mr. and Mrs. August Koenig of Denton; Miss Ida Leifeste of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kneese and family, Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Brannies and family, Mrs. Bertha Schmidt, Mrs. Alfred Henke and Miss Nora Henke, and Mrs. Henry Schimdtzsky of Fredericksburg.

A Guest

MRS. LUDWIG KNEESE WIFE OF PIONEER LEADER BURIED TODAY

Mrs. Ludwig Kneese, wife of the late pioneer civic leader, L. F. Kneese, was buried today, Thursday, afternoon, in rites held in Beckmann's Funeral Home and the Edison Street Methodist Church.

Mrs. Kneese, nee Minna Imhoff, was born in Fredericksburg on June 11, 1853, the daughter of Peter and Carolina Ahrens Imhoff and at the time of her death on Tuesday at 3:30 p. m. had attained the age of 86 years, 7 months, and 5 days.

Death came to her at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Leifeste in Castell, Texas, on Tuesday, after a lingering illness.

She was married to Ludwig Kneese on May 17, 1875, and her husband who preceded her in death on April 16, 1928 was one of Fredericksburg's early county officials, serving for many years as commissioner and cattle inspector, and as a civic leader being identified with many of the community building activities that took place during the years of his activity.

Children surviving include: Emma, Mrs. Ed. Leifeste of Castell, Otilie, Mrs. A. J. Koenig, Houston and Ben Kneese, Fredericksburg. One son died at the age of 10 years.

Also surviving are two half brothers, Henry and Louis Imhoff; one step brother, August Rabke; two half sisters, Hulda, Mrs. Charles Kneese and Mrs. Bertha Bahr. Three sisters, two half sisters, one step sister and one step brother preceded her in death. Eleven grandchildren and five great grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services this afternoon were conducted by the Rev. Kattner of the Edison St. Methodist Church, assisted by the Rev. F. W. Radetzky of the Castell Methodist church. The Edison Street Methodist church choir sang at the church services. Interment was in the City Cemetery.

**Mrs. Ed. Leifeste
Rites Are Held
At Castell**

Mrs. Ed C. Leifeste, nee Emma Kneese, succumbed in a local hospital on Monday, January 23, 1956, at 2:00 a. m. Funeral services were held at the Trinity Methodist Church in Castell on Tuesday, January 24 at 2 p. m. with the Rev. J. B. Jordan officiating. Interment was in the Trinity Methodist Cemetery at Castell.

Beckmann Funeral Home were in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Leifeste, a native of Gillespie County had attained the age of 79 years, 9 months and 23 days at the time of her death.

She was born March 25, 1876, the daughter of Ludwig and Minna Imhoff Kneese.

She was united in marriage with Ed. C. Leifeste on May 17, 1900.

Survivors include her husband, children Ruby, Mrs. Roy W. Kothmann, Llano; Ida, Mrs. Phil Frederick, Grass Valley, Calif.; Elsie, Mrs. Monroe Schmidt, Seguin; Gilbert Leifeste, Austin and Randolph Leifeste, Castell; sister Mrs. A. J. Koenig, San Antonio and a brother, Ben H. Kneese of Fredericksburg, 8 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

One brother, Emil Kneese preceded her in death.

EMMA KNEESE

Born: March 25, 1876, in Palo Alto, Gillespie County, Texas.

Married: Ed. C. Leifeste of Castell, Texas on May 17, 1900.

Died: In the hospital on Monday, January 23, 1956.

Internment: Trinity Methodist Cemetery at Castell, Texas.

Photographs

Lower left: Surviving children of Ludwig and Minna (Imhoff) Kneese. Emma, Otilie and Ben H.

Lower right: Sisters Emma and Otilie.

Newspaper Article

Fredericksburg Standard - January 1956



EDWIN C. AND EMMA KNEESE LEIFESTE

"Was mein Gott will, geschehe allezeit, JHK Lei Weste, 1804" is the inscription over the doorway of the old Leifeste home in Brostedt, Germany. This old world thinking was instilled in generations following, as they emigrated to Castell, Texas in 1852. They came by way of Indianola, Fredericksburg and settled on the northside of the Llano River. It was here that Edwin C. Leifeste was born to Heinrich August Conrad Leifeste, Jr. and Ida Wiedemann Leifeste on November 16, 1870.



Edwin and Emma Leifeste

He got his education at the Leningen school, plus his informal education coming of necessity to survive - being taught to ride, rope, brand and all other phases of cattle raising and farming. His father died when he was eighteen and he was forced to practice all he had learned, to help his mother maintain the family home and support her three children — Ed (1870-1959), Arnold (1874-1911), and Elsie (1883-1968).



Edwin Leifeste Family

Ed was married to Emma Kneese in Fredericksburg May 17, 1900. Emma was born March 25, 1876 to Ludwig and Wilhelmina Imhoff Kneese in Gillespe County. Mr Kneese was instrumental in starting the peach industry and bringing the railroad into Gillespe County.

Ed brought his bride to the home built by his father in 1874, where they lived and reared their family, until 1940 when they moved to a smaller, nearby house, to be close to their youngest son, Randolph, who had married in 1939.

Both families, Leifeste and Kneese, were strong believers in the church, their parents have been charter members of early day Methodist Churches at Hoersterville (now Trinity at Castell) and Edison Street Methodist Church in Fredericksburg.

Besides farming and ranching, Ed hauled freight, by wagon, for neighbors. He continued his ranching operation until his death, owning twenty cows, at the time. He used the same brand L2 used by his father, and still used by his son Randolph. Ed made a trip to the St. Louis World's Fair in 1904. There he saw and purchased the first Aeromotor windmill delivered and used in Llano County area. The windmill is still used on the Leifeste Ranch at Castell.

Emma had arthritis and was confined to her wheelchair for many years. She did much beautiful handwork, tatting, crocheting, embroidery, and sharing it with family and friends. Her greatest gift was her cheerfulness, courage, and perseverance, in spite of her discomfort. She died January 23, 1956, following an operation.

Ed continued to be active in and around the ranch until he died in his home July 7, 1959. The children were: Ruby Kothmann 1901-1984; Ida Frederick 1904-1974; Elsie Schmitt 1905-; Gilbert 1910-1987; and Randolph 1913-. Mr. & Mrs. Leifeste are buried in Trinity Methodist Cemetery at Castell. (Lillie Mae Liefeste)

Extract (part of page 184) from a Family History Book published by the Llano County Historical Society.

The last paragraph in the first column reports:

The Bride (Emma Louise Kneese) was brought to the Liefeste Homestead in Castell after the wedding (May 17, 1900). They lived in the same house until 1940.

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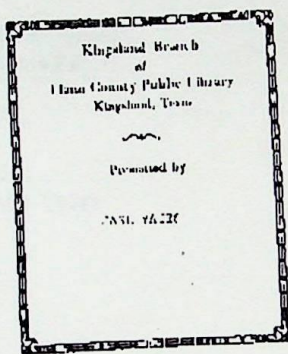
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The 1910 US Census reports the family of Edwin C. Leifeste living in Justice Precinct #8 in Llano County, Texas. Emma, Age 34 [Emma (Kneese) Leifeste born 25 March 1876] is listed as the wife.

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039-046 LANG, H. W.	43	W M	Head	Farmer	Tx.	Ger	Ger
Anna	38		wife		"	"	"
Ervin A.	17		son	Farm laborer	"	Tx.	Tx.
Perry W.	7		"		"	"	"
Clarence M.	6		"		"	"	"
Wilson A.	4		"		"	"	"
Homer A.	1 & 10/12		"		"	"	"
Selma	15		dau		"	"	"
Pearl M.	8/12		"		"	"	"

End of Prec. #2 8

JUSTICE PREC. #7 8

040-047 LEIFESTE, Ida		W F	Head	Own Income	Tx.	Ger	Ger
048 LEIFESTE, Edwin C.	39	W M	Head	Farmer	"	"	"
Emma	34		wife		"	Tx.	Tx.
Ruby	9		dau		"	"	"
Ida	6		"		"	"	"
Elsie	4		"		"	"	"
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(last name not readable)							
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Johanna	62		wife		"	"	"
050 ROGERS, I. J.	37	W M	Head	Farmer	Tx.	NC	SC
Mina	29		wife		"	Ger	Ger
Rena	8		dau		"	Tx.	Tx.
042-051 KOEPMANN, J. H.	32	W M	Head	Farmer	Tx.	"	"
Henrietta	34		wife		"	Ger	"
			dau		"	Tx.	"
			"		"	"	"

Family Group Record

Husband Edward Wesley Jr HOUY			
Birth	3 Oct 1931	San Antonio Bexar Co TX	B:
REFN		H7-9-1 K4-2-1	E:
Death			SP:
Burial			
Marriage	12 Oct 1957	Stadtbergen/Augsburg GER	SS:
Father	Edward Wesley HOUY (b 18 Apr 1907)		
Mother	Alice Mac KOENIG (b 20 May 1908)		

Wife Annerose GASTL			
Birth	27 May 1929	Augsburg Germany	B:
REFN		H7-9-1a	E:
Death			SP:
Burial			
Father	Xavier GASTL		
Mother	Emma ZECH		

Children	
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Family Group Record

Husband Edward Wesley HOUY			
Birth	18 Apr 1907	Denton TX	B:
Death	16 Sep 1965	New Orleans LA	E:
REFN		H7-9	SP:
Burial			
Marriage	16 Nov 1929	San Antonio TX	SS:
Divorce	1944		
Father	Gotthardt Heinrich HOUY (b 4 May 1865)		
Mother	Elizabeth Louise WIESE (b 8 Aug 1886)		
Wife Alice Mae KOENIG			
Birth	20 May 1908	Marble Falls TX	B:
REFN		H7-9a	E:
Death			SP:
Burial			
Father	Albert John KOENIG (b 3 Jun 1879)		
Mother	Lina Louise Ottilie KNEESE (b 10 Jan 1880)		
Other spouse	Lee Roy Alvin LEIFESTE (m 29 Jul 1950)		SS:
Children			
1 M	Edward Wesley Jr HOUY		
Birth	3 Oct 1931	San Antonio Bexar Co TX	B:
REFN		H7-9-1 K4-2-1	E:
Death			SP:
Burial			
Spouse	Annerose GASTL (m 12 Oct 1957)		SS:
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Family Group Record

Husband Albert John KOENIG			
Birth	3 Jun 1879	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	B:
Death	26 Jan 1953	San Antonio TX	E:
REFN		K4	SP:
Burial		San Antonio TX	
Marriage	11 Jun 1903	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	SS:
Father	August KOENIG (b 9 Aug 1846)		
Mother	Sophia WEBER (b 2 Nov 1855)		
Wife Lina Louise Otilie KNEESE			
Birth	10 Jan 1880	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	B:
Death	5 Apr 1967	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	E:
Burial	8 Apr 1967	San Antonio TX	SP:
REFN		K4a	
Father	Ludwig Friedrich KNEESE (b 30 Sep 1849)		
Mother	Minna IMHOFF (b 11 Jun 1853)		
Children			
1	M	Wesley August Ludwig KOENIG	
	Birth	20 Jul 1906	Gillespie Co TX
	Death	3 Apr 1960	Temple TX
	REFN		K4-1
	Burial		
	Spouse	Mattie Lee BOOTH	SS:
	Spouse	Jessie COLEMAN (m 2 Dec 1928)	SS:
	Spouse	Madilin KELSEY (m 2 Jun 1946)	SS:
2	F	Alice Mae KOENIG	
	Birth	20 May 1908	Marble Falls TX
	REFN		H7-9a
	Death		
	Burial		
	Spouse	Edward Wesley HOUY (m 16 Nov 1929)	SS:
	Spouse	Lee Roy Alvin LEIFESTE (m 29 Jul 1950)	SS:
3	F	Mattie Ford KOENIG	
	Birth	14 May 1910	Spicewood Burnet Co TX
	Death	25 Oct 1990	San Antonio TX
	REFN		K4-3
	Burial		San Antonio TX
	Spouse	Wilbur Randolph ROSSMANN (m 2 May 1934)	SS:
4	M	Clarence Benjamin Henry KOENIG	
	Birth	25 May 1915	Doss TX
	REFN		K4-4
	Death		
	Burial		
	Spouse	Margaret Juanita GRAY (m 2 Apr 1943)	SS:
	Spouse	Eugenia L. DODSON (m 29 Jul 1950)	SS:
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Family Group Record

Husband Edwin Conrad Theodore LEIFESTE			
Birth	16 Nov 1870		B:
Death	7 Jul 1959	Castell Llano Co TX	E:
Burial			SP:
Marriage	17 May 1900	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	SS:
Wife Emma Louise KNEESE			
Birth	25 Mar 1876	Gillespie County TX	B:
Death	23 Jan 1956	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	E:
Burial			SP:
Father	Ludwig Friedrich KNEESE (b 30 Sep 1849)		
Mother	Minna IMHOFF (b 11 Jun 1853)		
Children			
1 F	Rubye Ida LEIFESTE		
Birth	1 Apr 1901		B:
Death			E:
Burial			SP:
Spouse	Roy Wesley KOTHMANN (m 20 May 1926)		SS:
2 F	Ida Lillian LEIFESTE		
Birth	18 Jan 1904		B:
Death	12 Mar 1974		E:
Burial			SP:
Spouse	Phil Peter FREDERICKS (m 14 Mar 1945)		SS:
3 F	Elsie Otilie LEIFESTE		
Birth	25 Sep 1905		B:
Death			E:
Burial			SP:
Spouse	Monroe William SCHMITT (m 21 Jun 1927)		SS:
4 M	Gilbert August LEIFESTE		
Birth	6 Sep 1910		B:
Death			E:
Burial			SP:
Spouse	Frances Ozella WITTER (m 18 Jun 1938)		SS:
5 M	Randolph Clarence LEIFESTE		
Birth	29 Jan 1913		B:
Death			E:
Burial			SP:
Spouse	Lillie Mae MCKINNEY (m 25 Jun 1939)		SS:
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Family Group Record

Husband Ludwig Friedrich KNEESE				
Birth	30 Sep 1849	Live Oak Gillespie TX	B:	
Death	16 Apr 1928	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	E:	
Burial			SP:	
Marriage	17 May 1875	Gillespie Co TX	SS:	
Father	Johann Friedrich Ferdinand KNEESE (b 25 Sep 1821)			
Mother	Dorette "Dorothea" BIERSCHWALE (b 5 Oct 1825)			
Wife Minna IMHOFF				
Birth	11 Jun 1853		B:	
Death	16 Jan 1940		E:	
Burial			SP:	
Father	Peter IMHOFF			
Mother	Caroline AHRENS			
Children				
1	F	Emma Louise KNEESE		
	Birth	25 Mar 1876	Gillespie County TX	B:
	Death	23 Jan 1956	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	E:
	Burial			SP:
	Spouse	Edwin Conrad Theodore LEIFESTE (m 17 May 1900)		SS:
2	F	Lina Louise Ottilie KNEESE		
	Birth	10 Jan 1880	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	B:
	Death	5 Apr 1967	Fredericksburg Gillespie Co TX	E:
	Burial	8 Apr 1967	San Antonio TX	SP:
	REFN	K4a		
	Spouse	Albert John KOENIG (m 11 Jun 1903)		SS:
3	M	Emil KNEESE		
	Birth	22 Oct 1882		B:
	Death	7 Nov 1892		E:
	Burial			SP:
	Marriage			SS:
4	M	Ben H. KNEESE		
	Birth	23 Dec 1887		B:
	Death	23 Sep 1963		E:
	Burial			SP:
	Spouse	Adele SCHMIDT (m 28 Oct 1913)		SS:
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COMMEMORATIVE CERTIFICATE - BIOGRAPHY OF ANCESTOR

D. Name of Ancestor **Emma Louise (Kneese) Leifeste**

Emma Kneese was the oldest child of Ludwig Friedrich and Minna (Imhoff) Kneese; grandchild of Johann Friedrich Ferdinand Kneese (Born 25 September 1821 at Friedrichshagen, Grafschaft Schaumburg, Kurfurstenthum Hessen, Germany; died on 27 January 1900 at Gillespie County, Texas) and Dorette Bierschwale (Born 5 October, 1825 in Germany; married 26 November 1848; died 2 May 1915 at Gillespie County, Texas); great-grandchild of Heinrich Ferdinand Kneese (Born 8 May 1799 at Friedrichshagen, Grafschaft Schaumburg, Kurfurstenthum Hessen, Germany; died on 9 July 1867 at Gillespie County, Texas) and Maria Catharina Schermer (Born 8 March 1796 at Krankenhagen, Grafschaft Schaumburg, Kurfurstenthum Hessen, Germany; married 7 December 1817 at Exten, Germany; died 9 November 1869 at Gillespie County, Texas).

Emma grew up in the home of early Texas Pioneers. Her grandparents, Fritz and Dorothea Kneese, are recognized among "Texas First Families" who resided in Texas before 19 February 1846 when the republic of Texas officially became the State of Texas. Her father at age 18 started freighting from Gillespie County out west to Fort Concho, Fort McKavett, and sometimes as far as the Mexican border, usually using a four-yoke team of oxen. When her parents married they moved to a farm near her father's parents place in the Palo Alto Community near Fredericksburg, Texas. In addition to farming, her father served in the elected office of Mark and Brand Inspector for Gillespie County and engaged in buying and selling cattle for most of his life. He was one of the first Texas cattlemen to use registered Herford cattle. He was also a pioneer in the development of the peach industry in Gillespie County.

Emma was raised in a Christian family. Her grandparents, Fritz and Dorothea Kneese, while living on Beaver Creek (near the community now known as Hilda, Mason County, Texas) were listed among the sixty-three members of the Methodist congregation of the Llano River District when it was organized in 1856. Membership was comprised of people living up and down the Llano river in communities later known as Hilda, Squaw Creek, Art, Mason, Castell and Simonsville. Five of the church's quarterly conferences were held in the Fritz Kneese home. In the family home on May 5, 1871, after moving back to Gillespie County, the Methodist congregation later known as the Methodist Episcopal Church North was organized. Fritz donated the land, in Fredericksburg, upon which the first church building of that congregation was built in 1872. Emma's father, Ludwig, was a charter member of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Fredericksburg and was largely responsible for the building of the new church which served the Fredericksburg United Methodist Church. He donated much of his time to church work and held many offices in the organization.

Before their marriage, Emma and her husband Ed. C. Leifeste, shared farming and ranching experiences, growing up in German communities, and close ties to the M.E. Church. As a young boy Ed learned to ride, rope, brand and all the other phases of cattle raising. Before Ed was 18 his father died and he was forced to put this part of his education to good use. For twelve years Ed, his younger brother and mother operated the farm and ranch without losing any of it due to his father's death. At age 30 he married Emma Kneese. Following the wedding, Ed and Emma moved in with his mother. They remained in the Castell, Texas house until their youngest son married, then moved to a smaller house about 200 yards east of the homestead where they spent the remainder of their married lives.

Ed and Emma were strong believers in the church. She was a charter member of the Women's Missionary Society in the Hoersterville Church and remained a member all her life. Ed was a Sunday School superintendent and teacher, member of the Board of Stewarts and Trustee at various times.

Both were buried in the Trinity Methodist Cemetery in Castell, Texas. Their children were Rubye Ida (Kothmann), Ida Lillian (Fredericks), Elsie Otille (Schmitt), Gilbert August and Randolph Clarence Leifeste.

Source: Some information from "The Heinrich Ferdinand Kneese Family" book Printed by Herring Printing Company, Kerrville, Texas and "Look Unto The Hills - The Leifeste Family in the United States" Copyright 1985 Ruby E. and Julius DeVos.

COMMEMORATIVE CERTIFICATE - LINE OF DESCENT CHART

1. Full Name of Applicant **Edward Wesley HOUY**

Date & Place of Birth **3 October 1931 - San Antonio, Bexar, Texas**

Name of Spouse **Annerose GASTL**

I am the child of **Edward Wesley HOUY** born on **18 April 1907** at **Denton, Texas** died at **New Orleans, Louisiana** on **16 September 1965** and his 1st wife **Alice Mae KOENIG** born on **20 May 1908** at **Marble Falls, Texas** died at _____ on _____ married on **16 November 1929** at **San Antonio, Texas**.

2. The said **Alice Mae KOENIG** was the child of **Albert John KOENIG** born on **3 June 1879** at **Fredericksburg, Texas** died at **San Antonio, Texas** on **26 January 1953** and his 1st wife **Lina Louise Otilie KNEESE** born on **10 January 1880** at **Fredericksburg, Texas** died at **Fredericksburg, Texas** on **5 April 1967** married on **11 June 1903** at **Fredericksburg, Texas**.

3. The said **Lina Louise Otilie KNEESE** was the child of **Ludwig Friedrich KNEESE** born on **30 September 1849** at **Live Oak, Gillespie, Texas** died at **Fredericksburg, Texas** on **16 April 1928** and his 1st wife **Minna IMHOFF** born on **11 June 1853** at **Fredericksburg, Texas** died at **Castell, Texas** on **16 January 1940** married on **17 May 1875** at **Gillespie County, Texas**.

Family Sheets Enclosed with Application:

1. Edward Wesley Houy Jr. & Annerose Gastl
2. Edward Wesley Houy & Alice Mae Koenig
3. Albert John Koenig & Lina Louise Otilie Kneese
4. Edwin Conrad Theodore Leifeste & Emma Louise Kneese

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COMMEMORATIVE CERTIFICATE - PROOF OF DESCENT

List Sources of proof by generation. Number photocopied proofs to correspond to generation numbers. The applicants name should be placed on the back of each photocopied proof.

Generation 1. Edward Wesley HOUY

- Document 1-1 - Birth Certificate of Applicant Edward W. Houy Jr.
- Document 1-2 - Birth Certificate of Annerose Gastl.
- Document 1-3 - Marriage Certificate of Edward Wesley Houy and Annerose Gastl.

Generation 2. Alice Mae (Koenig) HOUY

- Document 2-1 - Birth of Alice Mae Koenig - Family Bible
 - Document 2-2 - Standard Certificate of Birth - Alice Mae Koenig
 - Document 2-3 - Baptism Certificate of applicant's mother - Alice Mae Koenig
 - Document 2-4 - Marriage of Alice Koenig to Edward Houy - Family Bible
 - Document 2-5 - Death Certificate of applicant's father - Edward Wesley Houy
(Includes date/place of birth and parents)
- Social Security Numbers: Edward W. Houy Sr. SS# 455-03-6736
Alice M. (Koenig)(Houy) Leifeste SS# 450-24-7355

Generation 3. Lina Louise Otilie (Kneese) KOENIG

- Document 3-1 - Baptism Certificate of applicants grandmother - Otilie Kneese
 - Marriage of A.J. Koenig & Otilie Kneese - See Document 2-3 - Family Bible
 - Enclosure 3-2 - Wedding Photo - A.J. Koenig & Otilie Kneese
 - Document 3-3 - Newspaper death notice Mrs. A.J. Koenig
 - Document 3-4 - Death of A.J. Koenig - Family Bible
- Buried in Mission Burial Park, 1700 S.E. Military Drive, San Antonio, Texas.
North Half of Lot 2 in Block 16.

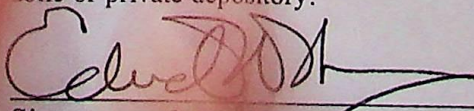
Section 4. Link between sisters Emma and Otilie Kneese

- Document 4-1 - Newspaper Report on the death of their father - Ludwig Kneese
- Document 4-2 - Two newspaper reports about their mother - Minna (Imhoff) Kneese
- Document 4-3 - Report of death of Emma (Kneese) Leifeste and two family pictures.
- Death of Emma (Kneese) Leifeste - See Document 3-4 - Family Bible

Section 5. Residency in Llano County - Emma (Kneese) Leifeste

- Document 5-1 - Article from Llano County Family History Book
- Document 5-2 - 1910 US Census Report - Llano County, Texas

Information included in this application is true and accurate according to the best of my knowledge. I release all information included in/with my application to the Kingsland Genealogical Society, and authorize placement in public or private depository.



Signature of Applicant

13 July 1996
Date Submitted

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**BOOM YEARS
001**

ANCESTOR

**Emma Louise (Kneese)
Leifeste**

name on the
undable.

- A. Direct Descendant Collateral Relative Lina Louise Otilie (Kneese) Koenig
(Name of individual on your descent chart that was
a sister, brother, aunt or uncle of qualifying ancestor)

- B. **Edward Wesley Houy**
(Name of Applicant as it will appear on certificate)

111 Glen Oaks Drive
(Address of Applicant)

Sunrise Beach, Texas 78643
(City, State, and ZIP Code)

- C. Name of Ancestor

Emma Louise (Kneese) Leifeste
(As it will appear on the Certificate)

25 March 1876 **Palo Alto, Gillespie County, Texas**
Date of Birth Place of Birth

23 January 1956 **Fredericksburg Hospital and Clinic, Texas**
Date of Death Place of Death

17 May 1900 **Fredericksburg M.E. Church Gillespie County, Texas**
Date of Marriage Place of Marriage

Edwin Conrad Theodore Leifeste
(Name of Spouse)

17 May 1900
(Date of Arrival in Llano (or Gillespie) County)

Palo Alto, Gillespie County, Texas
(Arrived from)

- D. Biography of Ancestor - This should include occupation, military service, religious preference,
and any other known information such as parents, siblings, etc. (Use blank second page, place
name of Ancestor on top line. Leave at least 1 1/2" blank left border.)

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Name KNEESE
(Ancestor)

Date Rcd 15 JUL 96

Completed 11 AUG 96

Date 12 AUG 96
(Certificate)

Comments: _____

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ANCESTOR

Samuel George Lane

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A. Direct Descendant Collateral Relative _____
(Name of individual on your descent chart that was a sister, brother, aunt or uncle of qualifying ancestor)

B. Joe Ellis Ericson
(Name of Applicant as it will appear on certificate)

1614 Redbud Street
(Address of Applicant)

Nacogdoches, Texas 75961-2936
(City, State, and ZIP Code)

C. Name of Ancestor

SAMUEL GEORGE LANE
(As it will appear on the Certificate)

17 March 1851 Surry Co., VA
Date of Birth Place of Birth

07 July 1921 Porterville, CA
Date of Death Place of Death

ca 1874 probably Arkansas
Date of Marriage Place of Marriage

1) Eliza Margaret Bedwell
(Name of Spouse)

prior to 1876 - first child born 5 March 1876 Llano Co., TX
(Date of Arrival in Llano (or Gillespie) County)

Arkansas
(Arrived from)

D. Biography of Ancestor - This should include occupation, military service, religious preference, and any other known information such as parents, siblings, etc. (Use blank second page, place name of Ancestor on top line. Leave at least 1 1/2" blank left border.)

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Completed <u>27 Nov 96</u>
Date <u>27 Nov 96</u> (Certificate)
Comments: _____

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TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH						
1. PLACE OF BIRTH STATE OF TEXAS		COUNTY OF <u>Throckmorton</u>		503231		
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. <u>Swenson ranch</u>		GIVE STREET AND NUMBER OR NAME OF INSTITUTION				
2. FULL NAME OF CHILD <u>Joe Ellis Ericson</u>						
3. SEX male	4. TWIN, TRIPLET, OTHER		5. NUMBER, IN ORDER OF BIRTH	6. LEGITIMATE? yes	7. DATE OF BIRTH June 9th. 1925	
8. FULL NAME Lester Yelma Ericson			14. FULL MAIDEN NAME Lena Agnes Ellis			
9. RESIDENCE AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH Swenson ranch Throckmorton			15. RESIDENCE AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH Swenson ranch Throckmorton, Co.			
10. COLOR OR RACE white		11. AGE AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH 25 YEARS		17. AGE AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH 22 YEARS		
12. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Jones County Texas			16. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Diokens County Texas			
13A. TRADE, PROFESSION OR KIND OF WORK DONE Cowboy			19A. TRADE, PROFESSION OR KIND OF WORK DONE Housewife			
13B. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH ENGAGED Ranching			19B. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH ENGAGED II			
20. NUMBER OF CHILDREN BORN TO THIS MOTHER, INCLUDING THIS BIRTH one			21. NUMBER OF CHILDREN BORN TO THIS MOTHER, AND NOW LIVING one			
I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE BIRTH OF THIS CHILD WHO WAS BORN ALIVE AT _____ M. ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE.						
22. SIGNATURE <u>Lester Yelma Ericson</u> ADDRESS <u>SPUR - TEXAS</u>						

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DICKENS
BEFORE ME ON THIS DAY APPEARED LESTER VELMA ERICSON KNOWN TO ME TO BE THE PERSON WHO SIGNED THE CERTIFICATE ATTACHED HERETO, WHO ON OATH DEPOSES AND SAYS, THAT THE FACTS STATED IN THE FOREGOING BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF JOE ELLIS ERICSON ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, AND THAT HE WAS ACQUAINTED WITH THE FACTS AT THE TIME OF THE EVENT.
SIGNED: Lester Yelma Ericson
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, THIS 18th DAY OF April, 1942
L. D. RATLIFF JR., L. D. Ratliff Jr.
[SEAL] NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR Dickens COUNTY, TEXAS.

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Dickens
BEFORE ME ON THIS DAY APPEARED J. R. Rucker KNOWN TO ME TO BE THE PERSON WHO SIGNED THIS AFFIDAVIT, WHO ON OATH DEPOSES AND SAYS THAT THE FACTS STATED IN THE FOREGOING BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF Joe Ellis Ericson ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF, AND THAT HE IS ACQUAINTED WITH THE FACTS AND THAT SHE IS NOT RELATED TO THE INDIVIDUAL BY BLOOD OR MARRIAGE.
SIGNED: J. R. Rucker
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, THIS 20 DAY OF April, 1942
[SEAL] NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR Dickens COUNTY, TEXAS.

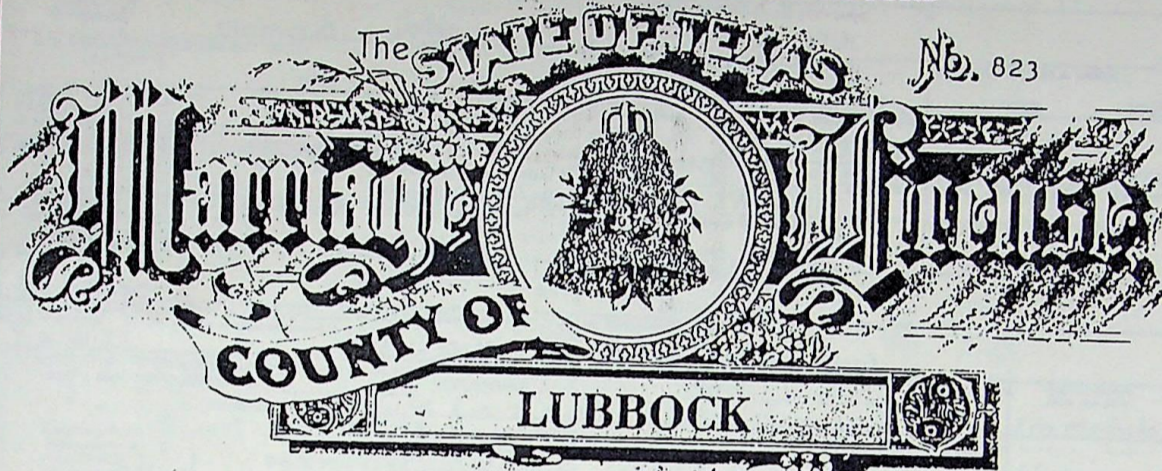
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Throckmorton
THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF Joe Ellis Ericson ATTACHED HERETO, WAS SUBMITTED TO THIS COURT, AS PROVIDED FOR IN H. B. No. 614, 46TH LEG., R. S. 1939. IT IS THE ORDER OF THIS COURT THAT THIS RECORD BE ACCEPTED BY THE STATE REGISTRAR FOR FILING IN THE STATE BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.
SIGNED: J. R. Rucker CO. JUDGE
DATE April 24 1942 OF Throckmorton COUNTY

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TRAVIS

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS AN EXACT PHOTOGRAPHIC COPY OF THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE FILED IN THE BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, AUSTIN, TEXAS

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CERTIFIED COPY OF MARRIAGE RECORD



To any Person authorized by the Laws of the State of Texas to celebrate the Rites of Matrimony in the State of Texas, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO SOLEMNIZE THE

• RITES OF MATRIMONY •

Between Mr. Joe Ellis Ericson and Mrs. Carolyn Reeves Easter
and make due return to the Clerk of the County Court of said County within sixty days thereafter, certifying your action under this License.

(SEAL)

WITNESS my official signature and seal of office in Lubbock, Texas,
the 14 day of July 1955

By Janie Hudson Deputy Louie F. Moore, Clerk of the County Court,
Lubbock County, Texas

I, Martin Y. Tucker hereby certify that on the 16 day of July 1955

I united in Marriage Mr. Joe Ellis Ericson and Mrs. Carolyn Reeves Easter
the parties above named.

WITNESS my hand this 16 day of July 1955

Martin Y. Tucker, Minister
(Signature) (Title)

First Baptist Church Lubbock, Texas.
(P. O. Address) (Town)

Returned and Filed for Record the 19 day of July A. D. 1955

and recorded the 19 day of July A. D. 1955

By Floe Swenson Deputy Louie F. Moore, County Clerk

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF LUBBOCK

I, Frank Guess, Clerk of the County Court, in and for Lubbock County, Texas, hereby
certify that the above is a correct copy of the record of said Marriage License as the same appears of Record in Book 22

Page 326 of the Marriage License Records of Lubbock County, Texas.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office in the City of Lubbock, Lubbock
County, Texas, this 11 day of July 1983

(SEAL)

FRANK GUESS
COUNTY CLERK, LUBBOCK COUNTY, TEXAS

By Linda Nelson Deputy.
Linda Nelson

b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) Denver City		c. LENGTH OF STAY in 1 b. 1 week	c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) Seminole	
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION Chaparral Lodge		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) 611 SW 17th		
e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	f. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) (a) First Lester (b) Middle Yelma (c) Last Ericson		4. DATE OF DEATH 3-8-74		
5. SEX M	6. COLOR OR RACE W	7. Married <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/>	8. DATE OF BIRTH Feb. 9, 1900	
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Ret. Merchant		10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Vareity Store	11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Stamford, Texas	
13. FATHER'S NAME Joe Ericson		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Dora Lane		
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (If yes, give war or dates of service) Yes WW I		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 454-30-4233		17. INFORMANT Lester Ericson (Son)
18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).) PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Acute Coronary Occlusion DUE TO (b) Atherosclerotic Heart Disease DUE TO (c) Myocardial Infarction				INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH Immediate 18 mo. 10 yrs
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I(a)				19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
20a. ACCIDENT <input type="checkbox"/> SUICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> HOMICIDE <input type="checkbox"/>		20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of Item 18.)		
20c. TIME OF INJURY Hour _____ Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ a.m. _____ p.m. _____		20d. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/>		
20e. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.)		20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION COUNTY _____ STATE _____		
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from 2-26-74 to 3-8-74 and last saw the deceased alive on 3-4-74 . Death occurred at 9:30 p.m. on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.				
27a. SIGNATURE Cecred A. Bellmore, D.O.		27b. ADDRESS 204 187 Seagraves, Texas		27c. DATE SIGNED 3-21-74
23a. BURIAL OR CREMATION REMOVE (Specify) Removal Burial		23b. DATE 3-11-74		23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Spur Cemetery
23d. LOCATION Spur Texas		24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE Singleton Funeral Home Roger P. Brossa		
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. 592		25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR 3-25-74		25c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE D. W. Harling

Filed 4-1-74 at 11:00 A.M., Recorded 4-1-74
at 11:30 A.M., Death Records, Book 5, Page 339

Ruby Bruton
County Clerk, Yoakum County, Texas
Glennis Spencer, Deputy

THE STATE OF TEXAS X
COUNTY OF YOAKUM X

I hereby certify that the above is an exact photographic copy of the CERTIFICATE OF DEATH of LESTER YELMA ERICSON recorded in Volume 5, Page 339, of the Death Records of Yoakum County, Texas.

Witness My Hand and Seal of Office this 3rd day of OCTOBER, 19 88.

RUBY BRUTON, County Clerk

By Susan Gilpin
SUSAN GILPIN Deputy

b. CITY OR TOWN (if outside city limits, give precinct no.) Denver City		c. LENGTH OF STAY 1 week		c. CITY OR TOWN (if outside city limits, give precinct no.) Seminole	
d. NAME OF (if not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION Chaparral Lodge			d. STREET ADDRESS (if rural, give location) 611 SW 17th		
e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		e. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
1. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) Lester Yelma Ericson		4. DATE OF DEATH 3-8-74		9. AGE (in years last birthday) 74	
5. SEX M	6. COLOR OR RACE W	7. MARRIAGE STATUS Married <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/>	8. DATE OF BIRTH Feb. 9, 1900	10. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Stamford, Texas	
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Retail Merchant		10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Variety Store		12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? U. S.	
13. FATHER'S NAME Joe Ericson			14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Dora Lane		
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) Yes WW I		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 454-30-4233		17. INFORMANT Lester Ericson (Son)	
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20e. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.)			20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION COUNTY _____ STATE _____		
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from 2-26-74 to 3-8-74 and last saw the deceased alive on 3-4-74. Death occurred at 9:30 p.m. on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.					
22a. SIGNATURE Cedred A. Williams, D.O.		22b. ADDRESS Box 189 Seagraves, Texas		22c. DATE SIGNED 3-21-74	
23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) Removal Burial			23b. DATE 3-11-74		23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Spur Cemetery
23d. LOCATION Spur Texas			24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE Singleton Funeral Home Roger P. ...		
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. 592		25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR 3-25-74		25c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE D. Williams	

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County Clerk, Yoakum County, Texas
Glennis Spencer, Deputy

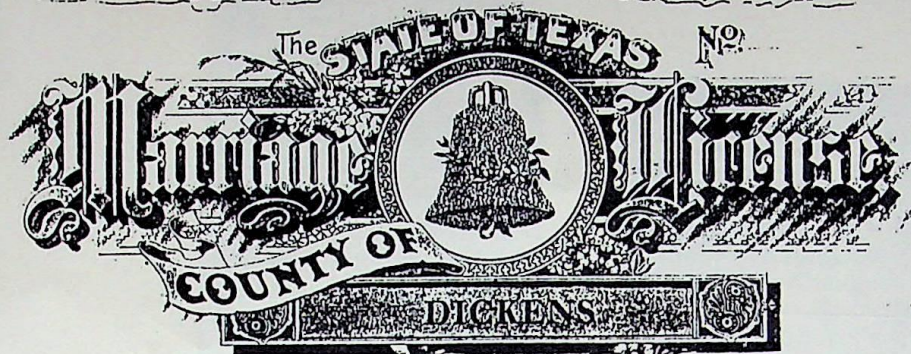
THE STATE OF TEXAS X
COUNTY OF YOAKUM X

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Witness My Hand and Seal of Office this 3rd day of OCTOBER, 19 88.

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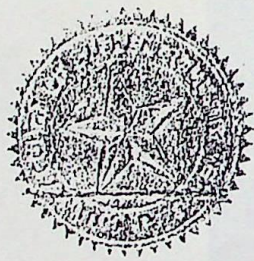
By Susan Gilpin
SUSAN GILPIN Deputy



Having Regularly Served as Quorum Master, of the Suppl. Justice Public Judge District
 & County Court, & County Justice Peace, in the State of Texas, I hereby

**YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO SOLEMNIZE THE
 RITES OF MATRIMONY**

Between Mr. Lester Ericson and
Miss Lena Ellis
 and make due return to the Clerk of the County Court
 of said County within sixty days thereafter, certifying
 your action under this license.



Witness my official signature and seal of office,
 at Dickens Texas, the 16 day of June 1921
Arthur Clerk of County Court,

By _____ Deputy, _____ Dickens County, Texas.

J. Ches M. Laughlin hereby certifies that on the 16 day of June 1921
 I united in Marriage Mr. Lester Ericson
 and Miss Lena Ellis the parties above named.

Witness my hand, this 16 day of June 1921
J. Ches M. Laughlin
 County Judge, Dickens Co



J. O. Arthur Clerk County Court,
 Dickens County, Texas, hereby certifies that the
 above is the original marriage license issued to the above
 named parties and with the return thereon was duly record-
 ed in my office in book 2 page 102 Marriage
 License Record of Dickens County, on the
16 day of June 1921

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 16 day of June 1921
Arthur County Clerk
 Deputy, _____ Dickens County, Texas.

Ericson

Funeral services for Lester Ericson, 74, were held Monday morning at 10 a. m. in the First United Methodist Church, Seminole, Rev. Rodney Williams, officiating.

Masonic graveside rites were held in Spur Cemetery at 1:30 p. m.

Ericson died about 4 p. m. March 8 in a Denver City convalescent home following a short illness. A native of Stamford, he worked for several years on the Swenson Ranch, Spur. He also operated a grocery store in Spur, and more recently a variety store. He was a resident of Spur for some 30 years.

Mr. Ericson was a member of the Metho-

dist Church, a member of the Masonic Lodge No. 957, Order of the Eastern Star, Lubbock Scottish Rites Bodies, and Full Gospel Businessmen's Assn.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lena Ericson, Seminole; two sons, Joe Ericson, Nacogdoches and Lester Lane Ericson, Seminole; and six grandchildren.

Rites read for Lester Ericson

Services for Lester Ericson, 74, were held at 10 a. m. Monday in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Rodney Williams officiating.

Masonic graveside services were at 1:30 p. m. Monday in Spur Cemetery with Singleton Funeral Home of Seminole in charge of arrangements.

Ericson died at 4 p. m. Friday in a Denver City convalescent home following a short illness. He operated businesses in Lubbock 16 years, and in Spur for 30 years. He had lived in Seminole for the past six years.

Ericson was a Methodist, a member of the Masonic Lodge No. 957, Order of Eastern Star, Lubbock Scottish Rite Bodies, and Full Gospel Businessmen's Association.

He is survived by his wife, Lena; two sons, Joe of Nacogdoches and Lester Lane of Seminole; and six grandchildren.

Lena Agnes Ericson

Graveside services for Lena Agnes Ericson, 92, of Seminole, were at 2 p.m., Saturday, February 10 in Spur Memorial Cemetery.

Rev. Shell Denison, First United Methodist Church, Seminole, officiated. Burial was in Spur Memorial Cemetery under direction of Campbell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ericson died February 8, 1996 in Seminole Memorial Health Care Center. She was born in Dickens County May 13, 1903 and lived in Dickens County most of her life before moving to Seminole in 1968. She married Lester Y. Ericson in Spur on June 16, 1921. He preceded her in death on March 8, 1974.

She was a clerk and a homemaker. She was also a member of the Eastern Star and had been a hospital auxiliary volunteer for 16 years. She was a member of the First United Methodist

Church.

Survivors include two sons, Joe E. Ericson of Nacogdoches and Lester Lane Ericson, Seminole; nine grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the First United Methodist Church or Eastern Star Home, Grand Chapter of Texas--OES, 1111 E. Division in Arlington.

State of Texas, Jones County:

Regularly Licensed or Jewish Rabbi
To any Judge of the County or District Court, Ordained Minister of the Gospel, or Justice of the Peace, in and
for said County of Jones GREETING:

You are hereby authorized to solemnize the RITES OF MATRIMONY between
Mr. Joe Ericson and Miss Dora Lane
and make due return to the Clerk of the County Court of said County within sixty days thereafter, certifying your action under this License.

WITNESS my official signature and seal of office, at office in Anson this 15th
day of Feb. A. D. 1899 J. D. Pickens
By _____ Deputy.
Clerk of the County Court Jones County.

I, J. P. Siler hereby certify that on the 15th day of Feb.
A. D. 1899, I united in Marriage Mr. Joe Ericson and Miss Dora Lane
the parties above named
WITNESS my hand this 15th day of Feb. A. D. 1899
J. P. Siler
Minister of the Gospel.

Filed for record this 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1899 J. D. Pickens
By Walker L. Orr Deputy. COUNTY CLERK.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF JONES

I, Bunyl Rye, Clerk of the

County Court of Jones County, Texas do hereby certify that
the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original
Marriage License as the same appears in the Wedding Records of said
County in Volume 11 Page 41. Witness my hand
and seal of the County Court of said County, at office in
Anson, Texas this 15th day of Feb. 1999.

Newark, Delaware

By Margaret Jones Deputy
Clerk

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Ericson Heads C. of C. Next Year

Lester Ericson, Spur grocer, was elected President of the Spur Chamber of Commerce for the new year, at the annual meeting Monday night in the basement of Bryant-Link Company. Cap McNeill was elected vice president and H. P. Gibson, treasurer. Henry Alexander is the retiring president.

The new board of directors elected were: W. F. Gilbert, V. V. Parr, Joe B. Long, Clifford B. Jones, W. B. Lee, E. D. Engleman, and Ray Taylor.

In the absence of President Alexander, Lester Ericson, vice president presided. Refreshments were served first, after which the secretary, D. L. Granberry, gave his annual report. Mr. Granberry gave a financial statement and a detailed account of the activities of the organization for the past year. High points of the program included securing WPA aid for work on the high school grounds, aided in securing the Swenson Park development through WPA money and S. M. Swenson and Sons, promoted two dollar days, and put on a special Christmas week program in Spur.

Mr. Granberry was loaned for two months to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to do some special work for the Centennial Frontier Celebration at Ft. Worth. The loan was made on the condition that Mr. Granberry return to his duties at Spur on completion of the WTCC work. 4-16-36

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ericson and sons, Joe and Lester Lane, left Friday for an extended vacation tour of the Western States; up the West Coast and in to British Columbia and returning through the Eastern route. 7-13-39

Joe Ericson, Pioneer Cow Man Died Sat.

Joe Ericson, 72, one of the most widely known cattle men of Texas, died of heart failure, Saturday morning while supervising a round-up at Clairmont Mills in Kent County. He was seated in his car at the round-up ground at the time of the attack and was dead before his companions realized what had happened.

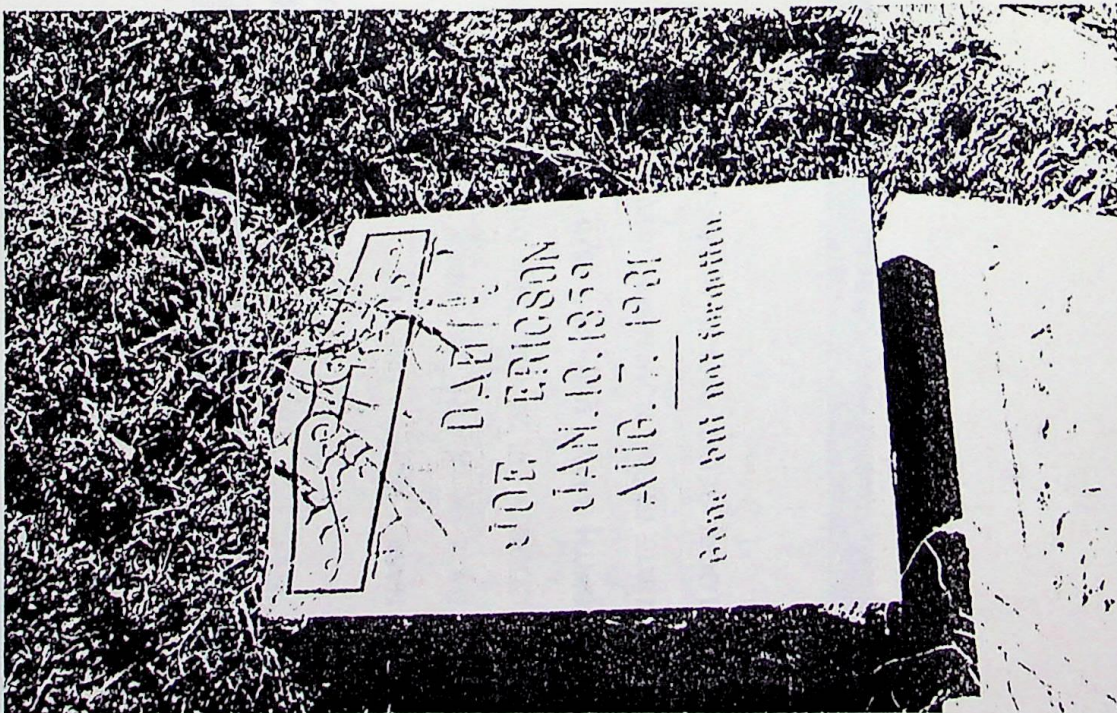
"Uncle Joe", as he was familiarly known to the cowboys, was born in Sweden, January 7, 1859, but emigrated to this country with his parents at the age of 10, the family settling near Austin. He began working for the Swenson Ranch interests in 1882 and three years later was made general ranch superintendent, the method of handling the work at that time being for one big outfit to travel from ranch to ranch. In 1911 the ranches were separated, it being impossible for a single crew to handle all the work properly, and Mr. Ericson came here to take charge of the Spur Ranch. He was still looked upon as general superintendent, however, and his advice and services were often sought at the other ranches of the company.

In 1890 he was married to Miss Dora Lane, in Throckmorton county, and to this union was born one son, Lester Ericson who is a resident of this city.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. L. Burnham at Spur Cemetery Saturday afternoon at four, the rites being recited in the presence of one of the largest gatherings the cemetery has ever held. Many friends were here from all sections of the state to pay the last tribute of respect to this pioneer cattleman who has gone to follow the trails in the land of greener pastures.

pallbearers were: A. Swenson, W. G. Swenson, Stanford, August, Holesburg, Tongue River, Jim Gilmore, Al Bingham, John Selmon, Flat Top, Frank Rhodes, and Deak Ellis of Throckmorton.

Honorary pallbearers were J. L. Taylor, Bill Rucker, Bob Dixon, Grady Swanner, New Bingham, Jack Cravy, Alie Sofrey, Jeff Parker, Ross Cannon, Lee Dixon, Lee Kelly, Berta Foster, Charlie Foster, Vete Austin, Bob Rucker, Theodor Segstrom, Raag Mason, Bat Criswell, Roy Phillips, Tom Gilmore, Buck Shipman, Monk Rucker, Lelan Selfreys, Olds Harrington, Henry Slack, Harry Ellis, Dad Ellis, Bl Davis, H. G. Arnold, Loyd Young, Luke Lyckman, R. W. Lyckman, Ann Arnold, Dock Gustafson, Streed Gustafson, W. W. Ellis, Ned Bowser, Mack Maples, Doc Clary and R. W. Hatcher.



STATE OF CALIFORNIA

**SAN DIEGO COUNTY RECORDER
CERTIFIED ABSTRACT OF DEATH**

NAME: DORA J BRENNER

DATE OF DEATH: OCTOBER 25, 1959

COUNTY OF DEATH: SAN DIEGO

BIRTH DATE: MARCH 5, 1876

DATE FILED: NOVEMBER 1959

LOCAL REGISTRATION NUMBER: 005350

SEX: FEMALE

SSN: NONE/NOT AVAILABLE

DATE ISSUED: OCTOBER 24, 1988

This is to certify that this document is a true abstract of the official record filed with the County Recorder.

Vera Lyle

VERA LYLE
COUNTY RECORDER



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CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

STATE OF CALIFORNIA—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

LOCAL REGISTRATION

DISTRICT AND 8009

CERTIFICATE NUMBER 5350

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PERSONAL
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OF
DEATH

LAST USUAL
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LIVE—IF IN INSTITUTION
ENTER RESIDENCE BEFORE
ADMISSION) X0
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PHYSICIAN'S
OR CORONER'S
CERTIFICATION

FUNERAL
DIRECTOR
AND
LOCAL
REGISTRAR

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AND AUTOPSY

INJURY
INFORMATION

MEDICAL AND HEALTH DATA

1A. NAME OF DECEASED—FIRST NAME Dora			1B. MIDDLE NAME J.		1C. LAST NAME Brenner		2A. DATE OF DEATH—MONTH, DAY, YEAR Oct. 25, 1959		2B. HOUR 3:00 A.M.			
3. SEX Female	4. COLOR OR RACE White	5. BIRTHPLACE Texas		6. DATE OF BIRTH March 5, 1876		7. AGE (LAST BIRTHDAY) 83 YEARS		IF UNDER 1 YEAR IF UNDER 24 HOURS				
8. NAME AND BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Samuel G. Love, Arkansas			9. MAIDEN NAME AND BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Elizabeth Edwell, Mo.			10. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY U.S.A.		11. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER None				
12. LAST OCCUPATION Housewife		13. NUMBER OF YEARS IN THIS OCCUPATION 34	14. NAME OF LAST EMPLOYING COMPANY OR FIRM			15. KIND OF INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS						
16. IF DECEASED WAS EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES, GIVE WAR OR DATES OF SERVICE No		17. SPECIFY MARRIED NEVER MARRIED WIDOWED DIVORCED Widowed		18a. NAME OF PRESENT SPOUSE		18b. PRESENT OR LAST OCCUPATION OF SPOUSE						
19a. PLACE OF DEATH—NAME OF HOSPITAL Reynard Way Conv. Hospital				19b. STREET ADDRESS—GIVE STREET OR RURAL ADDRESS OR LOCATION DO NOT USE P. O. BOX NUMBER 3025 Reynard Way				19c. CITY OR TOWN San Diego		19d. COUNTY San Diego	19e. LENGTH OF STAY IN COUNTY OF DEATH 35 YEARS	19f. LENGTH OF STAY IN CALIFORNIA 35 YEARS
20a. LAST USUAL RESIDENCE—STREET ADDRESS (GIVE STREET OR RURAL ADDRESS OR LOCATION DO NOT USE P. O. BOX NUMBER) 1504 Grand Ave.			20b. CITY OR TOWN San Diego		20c. STATE Calif.		21a. NAME OF INFORMANT (IF OTHER THAN SPOUSE) Lester Ericson, son					
22a. PHYSICIAN: I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT DEATH OCCURRED AT THE HOUR, DATE AND PLACE STATED ABOVE FROM THE CAUSES STATED BELOW AND THAT I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM [DATE] TO [DATE] AND THAT I LAST SAW THE DECEASED ALIVE ON [DATE]			22b. CORONER: I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT DEATH OCCURRED AT THE HOUR, DATE AND PLACE STATED ABOVE FROM THE CAUSES STATED BELOW AND THAT I HAVE HELD [DATE]		22c. PHYSICIAN OR CORONER—SIGNATURE Co. Hoover M.D.		22d. ADDRESS 1434-62nd Ave. San Diego		22e. DATE SIGNED 10-27-59		DEGREE OR TITLE	
23. SPECIFY BURIAL, ENTOMBMENT OR CREMATION Burial		24. DATE 10/27/59	25. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Mt. Hope Cemetery			26. EMBALMER—SIGNATURE (IF BODY EMBALMED) LICENSE NUMBER M. J. [Signature] 3171						
27. NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR (OR PERSON ACTING AS SUCH) Pacific Beach Mortuary			28. DATE ACCEPTED FOR REGISTRATION BY LOCAL REGISTRAR OCT 27 1959		29. LOCAL REGISTRAR—SIGNATURE Mrs. [Signature]							
30. CAUSE OF DEATH PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (A) acute Endocarditis CONDITIONS, IF ANY, WHICH GAVE RISE TO THE ABOVE CAUSE (B) [Blank] DUE TO (B) [Blank] DUE TO (C) [Blank] PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (A) [Blank]												
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AL JENNINGS, FORMER TRAIN ROBBER, FAILS TO APPEAR IN COURT

Reformed Bandit Was Arrested in May for Speeding in Tulare and Disregarded Summons of Court

TULARE, California, July 7.—When Traffic Officer W. E. Willey arrested Al Jennings on the highway near here on May 27 for speeding at a rate of 45 miles an hour, he did not know he had arrested the famous Oklahoma ex-bandit, author and movie picture actor. Al Jennings, now of Los Angeles, and the identity of the man only developed today when Judge Ward O. Bush of the justice court received a letter from the sheriff of Los Angeles county.

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It is known that Uttenbach was working as a clerk in the Exchange hotel, Pittsburg. When Mr. Kaber, her daughter, Marian McArdle, and her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Brickett, were indicted for the murder of Daniel F. Kaber, Uttenbach informed County Prosecutor Stanton that he would be present as a witness for the state at their trials.

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The challenging Democrats open the hour by making a sweeping attack on the entire bill in a minority report. Submission of this report will be followed by a general debate in the next ten days or two weeks.

Despite overwhelming odds the Democrats plan to fight the battle every step. One of the first clashes probably will be over the oil tariff. Scores of protests have been received from American companies who have investments in Mexican oil fields against the proposed duty of 30 cents a barrel on crude oil and 25 cents on fuel.

FATE OF IRELAND RESTING WITH THE BIG CONFERENCE

LONDON, July 7.—The fate of peace in Ireland apparently hinges upon the result of tomorrow's conference in Dublin.

Eamonn de Valera, president of the "Irish republic," will then resume his conversations with representatives of the Unionists.

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FAMOUS MEETING PLACE OF BANDITS TAKEN BY LADIES

JACKSON, Wyo., July 7.—The Jackson Kool country, one time rendezvous of bandits and notorious outlaws, has fallen under the domination of the railroad.

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OFFICER CALLED TO BALL RESIDENT FOR THIEF LAST NIGHT

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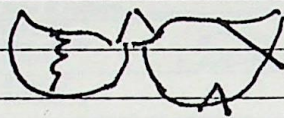
E. R. Lane - Grantor 10 Nov. 1879 BK J 527
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S. G. Lane & wife Oct. 13, 1897 Vol 30, p. 130

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S. G. Lane deed Dec 18, 1878 Book D p. 37

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Left side cattle
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Bertha Lee Bedwell m. W. L. Jeffrey
17 Nov. 1894

Cemeteries of Llano Co. & Adjacent Areas
Gladys Hanks Johnson
Jan. 1971

p. 153 Llano City Cemetery - Copied 1966
#949 Floid Lane Feb. 21, 1879
Feb. 24, 1891
Son of S. G. & E. M. Lane

PLACE OF DEATH, DIST. No. (To be inserted by Registrar)
 County of _____
 City or Town of _____
 or Rural Registration District _____

California State Board of Health
 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
 STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State Index No. _____
 Local Registered No. 66

(No. _____ St.; _____ Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number and fill out Nos. 18a and 18b.]

FULL NAME Samuel W. Lane

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OR RACE White SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married

DATE OF BIRTH March 17 1857
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 70 years 3 months 23 days or _____ min.
 If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH July 6th 1921
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from _____ 19____, to _____ 19____ that I last saw h_____ alive on _____ 19____ and that death occurred on the date stated above at _____ m.

OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Retired
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____

CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Accidental burns

BIRTHPLACE (State or country city or town) Tennessee

(Duration) _____ years _____ months _____ days

NAME OF FATHER _____

Contributory _____

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (city or town) (State or country) Unknown

(Duration) _____ years _____ months _____ days

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown

Where was disease contracted _____
 If not at place of death? _____
 Did an operation precede death? _____ Date of _____
 Was there an autopsy? _____

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (city or town) (State or country) Unknown

What test confirmed diagnosis? _____
 (Signed) J. M. Hadley M. D.
July 7 1921 (Address) Tulsa Cal

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE At Place of Death _____ years _____ months _____ days
 (Primary registration district) (If nonresident, give city or town and state)
 In California 17 years _____ months _____ days

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether (probably) ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL. (See reverse side for additional space.)

THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) J. E. Evans
 (Address) Porterville, Cal

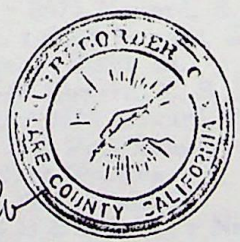
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Filed _____ 19____ Subregistrar Geo. W. Avery
 Filed July 12 1921 Registrar or Deputy

UNDERTAKER C. F. Loyd ADDRESS PORTERVILLE EMBALMER'S LICENSE No. 269

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Lane Lawrence, slsmn, r 405, 4th.
Lane Lee A (Helen M) (Indian Delivery and Transfer Co) and
messgr P O, h 863 State.
Lane Nathaniel L (Alice M) condr S D Elec Ry, h 1419 Monroe av.
Lane Robt D (Addie L), r 3640 Utah.
Lane Saml G, clk A M Lane, r 3595 Granada av.
Lane Sidney, lab Water Dept, r Dulzura.
Lane Susan E, clk Whitney & Co, r 2735 Market.
Lane Violet, tchr Washington Sch, r 715, 10th.
Lane Walter S (Gertrude T) watchmn Cecil Cafe, h 3172 Bay av.
Lane Willis A (Hotel Barbara Worth), h 319 Plaza.
Lane & Co (G C Lane, G W Cleveland) jewelers 521 Bway.
Lang see also Laing.
Lang Celia S Mrs, prop Highland Apts, h 1133, 27th.
Lang Christian C (Marie) carp, h 3824 Colonial av, E. S. D.
Lang Danl F (Celia S) slsmn, h 1133, 27th.
Lang Dora, lndywrk, r Logan av se cor Highland av, Chollas Valley.
Lang Emily A (wid Edwd G), h 1928 Columbia.
Lang Emily F, cook 3929, 4th.
Lang Frank J (Anna) gardener, h 3394 Lemon Grove blvd.
Lang Fred W dept mgr Marston Co, r 1928 Columbia.
Lang Harry J (Pearl) carp, h 4171 Georgia.
Lang Harry J (Essie) real est, h 1825, 3d.
Lang Henry (Julia) baker Sou Cal Bakery, h 2435 M.
Lang Henry W, foremn S D Elec Ry, r 4214 Alabama.
Lang Mrytle L, student, r 4214 Alabama.
Lang Pearl I, r 4214 Alabama.
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Langdale Harold, r 317 W Ash.
Langdale Saml S (Nellie R) musician, h 317 W Ash.
Langdon Blanche, tchr Central Sch, r 3575 Howard, E. S. D.
Langdon Chas V (Louise P), h 3575 Howard, E. S. D.
Langdon Dennis J, slsmn Russ Lmbr & Mill Co, r 1854, 3d.
Langdon Elmer J, student, r 3575 Howard, E. S. D.
Langdon Everett J, student, r 3575 Howard, E. S. D.
Langdon Sarah A (wid Wm), r 3330, 2d.
Langdon S May, bkpr, r 3575 Howard, E. S. D.
Langdon Walton V, student, r 3575 Howard, E. S. D.
Lange Eugene B, private U S A Fort Rosecrans.
Lange Wm R (Martha), h 2912 Granada.
Langell Chas S, boatbldr, h 1935 Atlantic.
Langenbuch Fred, foremn S D & S E Ry, r National City.
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Langley Sarah Mrs, h 3070 Ma
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Langston Benj T (Artie B) lab
Langston Bessie, r 1117, 13th.
Langston Cecil A (Blanche) tile
Langston Edwd A (Nellie M) m
Langston Wm E (Verdalyn M) s
Langwell Mollie, maid Hotel Sa
Langwell Wm (Mary), h 1012 A
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Lanier L King, clk Hotel Chure
Lankenow John F, blksmth C S
Lanning Lawrence E (Nanny)
Main.
Lanning Susan (wid Gursham)
LANNON EDWARD T (Alice M)
ruptcy and notary, suite 505
r 3d, h 3536 Front.
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CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE
17-021776

STATE INDEX NO. _____
 LOCAL REGISTERED NO. 142

GROOM _____ BRIDE _____

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS		PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS	
FULL NAME	<u>Samuel G. Leno</u>	FULL NAME	<u>Mary C. Enoch</u>
RESIDENCE	<u>San Diego, Cal.</u>	RESIDENCE	<u>San Diego, Cal.</u>
AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY	<u>66</u> Years	AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY	<u>65</u> Years
COLOR	<u>White</u>	COLOR OR RACE	<u>White</u>
SINGLE OR DIVORCED	<u>Divorced</u>	SINGLE OR DIVORCED	<u>Widowed</u>
NUMBER OF MARRIAGE	<u>2nd</u>	NUMBER OF MARRIAGE	<u>3rd</u>
BIRTHPLACE	<u>Virginia</u>	BIRTHPLACE	<u>Wisconsin</u>
OCCUPATION	<u>Clerk</u>	OCCUPATION	<u>None</u>
NAME OF FATHER	<u>George B. Leno</u>	NAME OF FATHER	<u>A. J. Trickle</u>
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER	<u>Virginia</u>	BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER	<u>Illinois</u>
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	<u>Jane Lanier</u>	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	<u>Elizabeth Crothers</u>
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER	<u>Virginia</u>	BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER	<u>Illinois</u>
GROOM: <u>Samuel G. Leno</u>		BRIDE: <u>Mary C. Trickle</u>	

IF THE GROOM AND BRIDE NAMED IN THIS CERTIFICATE, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION GIVEN THEREIN IS CORRECT TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

CERTIFICATE OF PERSON PERFORMING CEREMONY

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT Samuel G. Leno and Mary C. Enoch were joined in marriage by me

in accordance with the laws of the State of California, at San Diego, Calif.

his 20th day of July 1915

Signature of Person Performing the Ceremony: John H. Ferry
 Official Station: Minister of M. S. S.

Filed July 24 1915 at San Diego, Calif.
 Signature of Registrar: John H. Ferry
 Residence: San Diego, Calif.



—Associated Press photos.

littered streets and piles of sand bags greeted the Japanese soldiers as they marched into Nanking. Retreating Chinese set fire to the city to retard the Nipponese. Smoke from the flames can be seen in the background.

OBITUARY

MRS. EVA B. LONG
Eva B. Long, 35, of 4127 Fifth st., died in a local hospital after a brief illness. Long came here from Hearne, six years ago. Surviving are her husband, Roland Long, two daughters, Evelyn and Frances, a son, William Long, and her mother, Mrs. Anna McDonald, all in San Diego; two sisters, Mrs. Kriger and Mrs. Ora De and a brother, Joe McDonald, San Antonio, Tex. Funeral arrangements will be handled by Bonham brothers' bury.

MRS. CAROLINE BROGLE
Caroline Brogle, 84, 1309 Hicks st., died Tuesday in a hospital after a fall in her Merkle's mortuary will conduct funeral and interment services in Forest Lawn cemetery, Glendale, but the date has not been set.

Mrs. Brogle, a native of Mill Creek, Ill., came here three months ago from Los Angeles. Surviving are her children, John P. Brogle and Mrs. C. G. Gette, both of San Diego, and Roy M. Brogle and Mrs. Paul D. Burks of Los Angeles.

PAUL PHILLIPS
Services for Paul Phillips, who died yesterday at his home, 5127 Long Branch ave., will be held at Bonham Brothers' mortuary tomorrow at 1:30, the Rev. John Osborn officiating. Interment will be in Greenwood Memorial park.

Mr. Phillips was a retired cattle man. Fifty years ago he went from England to New Mexico where he resided until 17 years ago when he came here. Surviving is a son, Paul C. Phillips, Ocean Beach.

MRS. ELIZA M. LANE
Rites will be conducted today at 11 in the Bradley Woolman St. Cecelia chapel, 1620 Sixth ave., for Mrs. Eliza M. Lane, 86, who died Monday in a local hospital. Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Lane was born in Indiana and came here 25 years ago. She resided at 4064 First ave. She was the mother of Albert and Harlow Lane of San Diego.

MRS. EMMA NODINE
Services for Mrs. Emma Nodine, 62, widow of Aiden Nodine, were read yesterday in the Bradley-Woolman St. Cecelia chapel, Dr. Roy Campbell officiating. Entombment was in Greenwood mausoleum.

Mrs. Nodine, a native of Albany, N. Y., died Sunday at her home, 2135 Prosser st., West Los Angeles.

MRS. LURA BLACKBURN
Mrs. Lura D. Blackburn, 2828 Collier st., died Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dorris B. Stout.

Born in Oconomowoc, Wis., Mrs. Blackburn came here in 1912. Sur-

for a brief stay, then to Goldfield, Nev., where they again entered the hotel and restaurant business.

Aided Unfortunate Girls
In Goldfield Mrs. Hurley made a name for herself as a humanitarian. In those days Goldfield was a "wide open" town. Aunt Sue established two cabins where unfortunate girls were given a place to live without cost. A Dr. Wheeler in Goldfield became interested in Aunt Sue's single-handed humanitarian efforts and volunteered his services. Scores of girls and women were given aid and medical treatment through the kindly interest of Aunt Sue.

Oceanside residents have said that Aunt Sue's home was her heaven and she was happiest when friends were enjoying her hospitality and food.

The Hurleys seldom were addressed with the prefix of "Mr." or "Mrs." In speaking of his wife Tom always called her "Aunt Sue," and when she addressed him she called him "Uncle Tom."

For eight years before the Elks' annual Christmas parties for needy children, Aunt Sue and Uncle Tom filled as many as 80 baskets and distributed them to poor families. After the Elks took up the Oceanside charity work the Hurleys became their leaders.

The writer cherishes memories of a Sunday visit in the home of the Hurleys last summer. Although Aunt Sue hard-

chicken she cooked for you." I gave them a pair of blue and gold buttons for membership in The Union's True Vow Keepers club, telling them that April 1, 1938, they would become members. Both had looked forward to that date.

5 Relatives Survive
Mrs. Hurley is survived by three sisters and two brothers. The sisters are Mrs. A. R. Angelo, Mrs. Sara McGill and Isabelle Newell, Ocean side. A brother, Elwood Richmond lives in North Carolina, and Josiah Richmond resides in Philadelphia, Pa. W.

\$100,000 LOVE SUIT FILED
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 29 (A.P.).—A \$100,000 alienation of affection suit of Mrs. Edna Levy against M and Mrs. Harry Tomansky and the daughter, Mrs. Sarah L. Brown, divorced, was on file today. Mrs. Levy charged the defendants offered her husband, Joseph Levy, \$25,000 to divorce her and marry Mrs. Brown.

HIT DRAFT FOR "UNDER 40"
AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 29 (A.P.).—Concluding "life ends at 40," members of Travis post of the American Legion adopted a resolution last night suggesting no man under 40 be drafted for military service. Government and private industry "have no use for the man past 40," the resolution added.

DEATHS

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GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
—Dec. 28, 1937. Eliza M. Lane, widow of Mrs. Dora Brenner, San Diego. R. D. Lane, Pasadena; Samuel Lane, Glendale; M. L. Lane, Superior; Albert M. Lane, San Diego; Mrs. J. Peterson, Camp Walton, Ore.; J. D. Lane, San Diego. Native of Indiana, aged 86 years. Friends are invited to attend services at Bradley-Woolman St. Cecelia chapel, 1620 Sixth st., today (Thursday), Dec. 30, at 11 a.m. James Sharp of Los Angeles, officiating. Interment Greenwood.

—Dec. 28, 1937. Eva Beatrice Long, widow of Roland Long, mother of William and Frances Long, daughter of Mrs. Anna McDonald, sister of Mrs. Lucille Kriger, Joe McDonald and Mrs. Ora De Salma, all of San Antonio, Texas; aged 35 years. Announcement later by Bonham Brothers' bury.

—At the residence, 1275 West 43rd st., December 28th, 1937. Morris A. Search, widow of the late Judge Search, mother of Helen N. Search of Huntington Park, Calif.; aged 75 years; a native of Illinois. Friends are invited to attend services at the Benbough Funeral Parlors, corner 15th and Date st., Friday at 10 a.m. Dr. Howard B. Bard officiating. Interment Benbough crematory.

—At the residence, 4336 Park

WHAT'S THAT? YOU SAY
DURING THE INTERMISSION
YOU HEARD A SHRILL ALARM?

San Diego Union Dec 30, 1937

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      8 +- Josef ERICKSSON
          b 19 Apr 1827, Waldshult, Jonkoping, Sweden
          m 24 Jun 1862, Kalleryd, Jonkoping, Sweden
          d 1872, Austin, Travis Co., Texas

      4 +- Sven Josef (Joseph) Ericson
          b 14 Jan 1859, Kalleryd, Jonkoping, Sweden
          m 15 Feb 1899, Anson, Jones Co., Texas
          d 7 Aug 1931, Dickens Co., Texas

          9 +- Josephine Johannesdotter
              b 28 Jan 1837, Kalleryd, Jonkoping, Sweden
              d 21 Dec 1912, Austin, Travis Co., Texas

      2 +- Lester Yelma Ericson
          b 2 Feb 1900, Ericsdale, Texas
          m 16 Jun 1921, Spur, Dickens Co., Texas
          d 8 Mar 1974, Denver City, Yoakum Co., Texas

          10 +- Samuel George LANE
              b 17 Mar 1851, Surry Co., Virginia
              m 1874, TX?/AR?
              d 7 Jul 1921, Porterville, Tulare Co., California

          5 +- Dora LANE
              b 5 Mar 1876, Llano, Llano Co., Texas
              d 25 Oct 1959, San Diego, San Diego Co., California

              11 +- Eliza Margaret Bedwell
                  b 25 Sep 1851, Indiana
                  d 27 Dec 1937, San Diego, San Diego Co., California

      1 +- Joe Ellis Ericson
          b 9 Jun 1925, Throckmorton Co., Texas
          m Carolyn Reeves, 16 Jul 1955, Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas
          lives, 17 Mar 1990, 1614 Redbud Street, Nacogdoches, Texas 75961

          12 +- Edward Smith Ellis
              b ca 1832, Missouri
              m ca 1856, Fort Worth, Tarrant Co., Texas
              d 1882, Menard Co., Texas

          6 +- Smith Ellis
              b 7 Apr 1875, Menard Co, Texas
              m 6 Mar 1901, Spur, Dickens Co., Texas
              d 5 Aug 1939, Stamford, Texas

              13 +- Julia Ann Howard
                  b 18 Dec 1839, Missouri
                  d 25 Jun 1902, Snyder, Scurry Co., Texas

      3 +- Lena Agnes Ellis
          b 13 May 1903, Spur, Dickens Co., Texas
          d 8 Feb 1996, Seminole, Gaines Co., TX

          14 +- Samuel Thomas Pruitt
              b about 1842, Conway Co., Arkansas
              m 9 Sep 1868, Henderson Co., Texas
              d 28 Apr 1906, Monument, Lea Co., New Mexico

      7 +- Martha Jane Pruitt
          b 23 Oct 1883, Montague Co., Texas
          d 9 Mar 1906, Spur, Dickens Co., Texas

          15 +- Mary Ellen Curry
              b 6 Dec 1851, Coles Co., Illinois
              d Jan 1936, Lea Co, New Mexico
    
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Family Group - George and Jane (Lanier) LANE

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HUSBAND:

George B. LANE

b about 1800 Sussex Co., Virginia
d 21 Apr 1858 Hickory Withe, Fayette Co., TN
m Jane Lanier, 4 Oct 1834 Southampton Co., Virginia

His Father: Drury LANE (1773-1816)

His Mother: Sarah ---- (1790-)

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WIFE:

Jane Lanier

b about 1812 Sussex Co., VA
d 16 Jan 1867 TX/AR?
m George B. LANE, 4 Oct 1834 Southampton Co., Virginia

Her Father: Herbert Lanier (1775-1850)

Her Mother: Nancy ---- (1785-1850)

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CHILDREN:

1. Robert D. LANE

b about 1838 Sussex Co., VA
d before Oct 1867 White Co.?, AR

2. Annette M. LANE

b about 1840 Sussex Co., VA
m Jack REDMAN, about 1860? AR?

3. Vanderla J. LANE

b about 1840 Sussex Co., VA
d TN

4. Samuel George LANE

b 17 Mar 1851 Surry Co., Virginia
d 7 Jul 1921 Porterville, Tulare Co., California
bur 9 Jul 1921
m Eliza Margaret Bedwell, 1874 TX?/AR?
m Mary C. TRICKLE ENOCH, 20 Feb 1917 San Diego, San Diego
Co., CA.

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Family Group - Samuel and Eliza (Bedwell) LANE

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HUSBAND:

Samuel George LANE

b 17 Mar 1851 Surry Co., Virginia
d 7 Jul 1921 Porterville, Tulare Co., California
bur 9 Jul 1921
m Eliza Margaret Bedwell, 1874 TX?/AR?
m Mary C. TRICKLE ENOCH, 20 Feb 1917 San Diego, San Diego
Co., CA.

His Father: George B. LANE (1800-1858)

His Mother: Jane Lanier (1812-1867)

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WIFE:

Eliza Margaret Bedwell

b 25 Sep 1851 Indiana
d 27 Dec 1937 San Diego, San Diego Co., California
bur 29 Dec 1937
m Samuel George LANE, 1874 TX?/AR?

Her Father: James 3 Bedwell (1817-)

Her Mother: Margaret Ball (1820-1880)

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CHILDREN:

1. Dora LANE

b 5 Mar 1876 Llano, Llano Co., Texas
d 25 Oct 1959 San Diego, San Diego Co., California
bur 27 Oct 1959 Mt. Hope Cemetery, San Diego, California
m Sven Josef (Joseph) Ericson, 15 Feb 1899 Anson, Jones Co.,
Texas

2. Robert Drury LANE

b 3 Jul 1877 Llano, Llano Co., TN.
d 29 Mar 1962
m Addie FISHER

3. Floyd LANE

b 21 Feb 1879 Llano, Llano Co., TX.
d 24 Feb 1891 Llano, Llano Co., TX.
bur Feb 1891 Llano, Llano, TX.

4. Samuel L. LANE

b 4 Nov 1880 Llano, Llano Co., TX.
d Feb 1955
m Hallie JACKSON

5. Mollie LANE

b 27 Sep 1882 Llano, Llano Co., TX.
d 19 Aug 1901 Jones Co.?, TX.

Family Group - Samuel and Eliza (Bedwell) LANE

6. Nathaniel LANE

b 13 Nov 1884 Llano, Llano Co., TX.
d 19 May 1955
m Alice MAHLER

7. Albert M. LANE

b 9 Jul 1887 Llano, Llano Co., TX.
m Queene THOREN, 11 Aug 1907

8. Jeanette "Nettie" LANE

b 26 Feb 1890 Llano, Llano Co., TX.
d 17 Oct 1949
m Sam STEWART

9. James Duff LANE

b 2 May 1893 Llano, Llano Co., TX.
d 1 Apr 1959
m Emma O'STEIN

NOTES:

According to family tradition, the couple married, perhaps in Arkansas, and then came to Texas in a wagon train with Eliza's parents, James & Margaret (Ball) Bedwell. The Lanes stayed in Texas, but the Bedwells must have preferred another location. They have not been found after the time of the 1880 census. A search of the courthouse did not reveal the location of their move.

COMMEMORATIVE CERTIFICATE - BIOGRAPHY OF ANCESTOR

D. Name of Ancestor Samuel George Lane

Samuel George Lane was born 17 March 1851 in Surry County, Virginia, the son of George B. and Jane [Lanier] Lane. He was the grandson of Drury Lane, one of the first ordained Methodist ministers in the state of Virginia. His ordination papers were signed by Bishop Asbury, himself.

Due to poor health of his father, the family left Virginia in 1854 and moved to West Tennessee. The father and one of his sisters died in Tennessee, and the mother and the remaining children moved to Arkansas. Here the mother and older brother died leaving Sam Lane an orphan, who moved in the household of his older, married sister, Annette Lane Redman.

Jack and Annette [Lane] Redman moved to Cook County, Texas after the Civil War. S. G. Lane lived with them and for a time lived with his brother-in-law's parents in Denton County, Texas. Jack Redman was dissatisfied in Texas and wanted to return to Arkansas. I presume that Samuel George Lane and Eliza Margaret Bedwell were married in Arkansas, but a marriage record has never been located.

When Samuel George and Eliza Margaret [Bedwell] Lane came to Texas, they were in a group containing Eliza's brother, Sterling Bedwell and his family, and her parents, James and Margaret [Ball] Bedwell. They were all listed in the 1880 Census of Llano County, Texas.

Eliza Margaret [Bedwell] Lane was the mother of nine children, all born in Llano County. Floyd [Floid] Lane died 24 February 1891, and is buried in the Llano City Cemetery. In 1894 the family moved to Jones Co. Texas. About the turn of the century the family moved to El Paso and later to Morenci, Arizona where the men worked in the copper mines.

The family later moved to San Diego, California. Eliza Margaret and Samuel George Lane were divorced, and he married second to widow Mary C. [Trickle] Enoch on 20 February 1917. S. G. Lane developed cancer, and was bedfast in his last days. He died tragically when an oil cook stove exploded and he was unable to get out of bed. He died 7 July 1921 in Porterville, California. His name was wrong in his obituary and also on his death certificate. The information was given by his step-son, who did not know much about the family. Tracing his lineage has been a real challenge.

Source obituary, death certificate and/or Prepared by Carolyn Reeves Ericson
Lanier family history; census records.

COMMEMORATIVE CERTIFICATE - LINE OF DESCENT CHART

1. Full Name of Applicant JOE ELLIE ERICSON

Date & Place of Birth 9 June 1925 Throckmorton Co., Texas

Name of Spouse Carolyn Reeves Ericson

I am the child of Lester Yelma Ericson born on 2 Feb 1900
at Ericsdale, Texas died at Denver City, TX on 8 March 1974
and his (1) wife Lena Agnes Ellis born on 13 May 1903
at Dickens Co., Texas died at Seminole, Texas on 18 Feb 1996
married on 16 June 1921 at Spur, Dickens Co., Texas

2. The said Lester Yelma Ericson
was the child of Sven Josef (Joseph) Ericson born on 14 Jan 1859 at
Sweden died at Dickens Co., Texas on 7 Aug 1931
and his (1) wife Dora Lane born on 5 Mar 1876
at Llano Co., Texas died at San Diego, CA on 25 Oct 1959
married on 15 Feb 1899 at Anson, Jones Co., TX

3. The said Dora Lane
was the child of SAMUEL GEORGE LANE born on 17 Mar 1851 at
Surry Co., VA died at Porterville, CA on 7 July 1921
and his (1) wife Eliza Margaret Bedwell born on 25 Sept 1851
at Indiana died at San Diego, CA on 27 Dec 1937
married on _____ at _____

4. The said _____
was the child of _____ born on _____ at
_____ died at _____ on _____
and his () wife _____ born on _____
at _____ died at _____ on _____
married on _____ at _____

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was the child of _____ born on _____ at
_____ died at _____ on _____
and his () wife _____ born on _____
at _____ died at _____ on _____
married on _____ at _____

6. The said _____
was the child of _____ born on _____ at
_____ died at _____ on _____
and his () wife _____ born on _____
at _____ died at _____ on _____
married on _____ at _____

COMMEMORATIVE CERTIFICATE - PROOF OF DESCENT

List Sources of proof by generation. Number photocopied proofs to correspond to generation numbers. The applicants name should be placed on the back of each photocopied proof.

Generation 1. birth certificate of applicant, marriage license
death certificate of father, obituary of mother, parents marriage
license. obituary of father.

Generation 2. marriage license of grandparents; obituary of grandfather
photo of tombstones of father and grandfather; two death certificates
for grandmother. Photo of Dora Lane Ericson, and son, Lester Yelma
Ericson.

Generation 3. photocopy of obituary of Samuel George Lane, typed copy;
records from Llano Co. courthouse; death certificate of S. D. Lane;
San Diego City Directory of 1915 showing correct name; marriage license
to second wife showing his parents names. Obituary of Eliza Margaret.

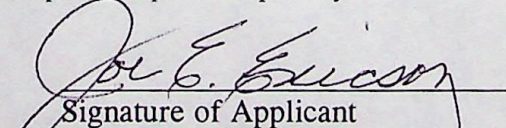
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Generation 6. _____

Generation 7. _____

The information included in this application is true and accurate according to the best of my knowledge. I release all information included in/with my application to the Kingsland Genealogical Society, and authorize placement in a public or private depository.


Signature of Applicant

12 November 1996
Date Submitted

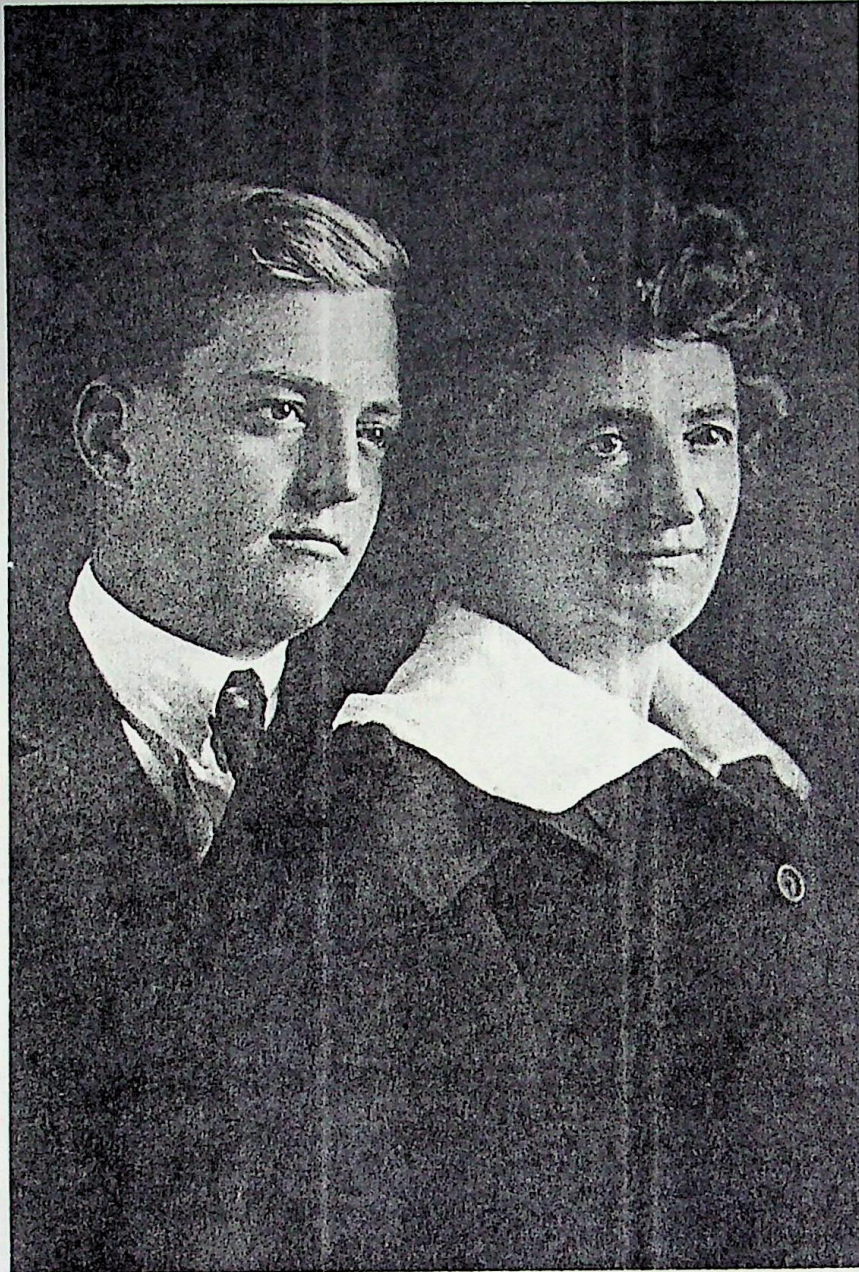
Note: Photographs of Ancestor, or ancestor and family, are not required but will add a personal touch to the recorded history of your ancestor. Photographs will not be returned, identify all individuals on the photograph if possible. Good photocopies are acceptable. Do not send photographs containing copyright statements or any commercial photograph taken after the New Copyright Act of 1976 unless you also submit a release from the photographer.



Mary C. Trickle and Samuel George Lane
[second wife]



*Eliza Margaret [Bedwell] Lane
1st wife of Samuel George Lane*



Lester Yelma Ericson and Dora [Lane] Ericson