TUSCANIA

Tuscania casualty Altwein, George Alexander 1896 TX – 5 February 1918 on Tuscania



George Alexander Altwein – from Find A Grave 53225255

U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995 for George A Altwien

Texas > Temple > 1917 > Temple, Texas, City Directory, 1917

Altwien Fred W (Ella É), carp, r 1008 S 19th. Altwien Fritz E, helper Y Q Baker, b 1008 S 19th. Altwien George A, fireman Prairie Queen Ldry, b 1008 S 19th. Altwien Viola Z, b 1008 S 19th.

1917 Temple TX city director - https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryuicontent/view/404084226:2469?tid=75244082&pid=34551230221&queryld=1bba38460e5c b3b022c0175e48d78a9d&_phsrc=cPx1709&_phstart=successSource

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Transcript

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q=cache:SmPoGwqg7_EJ:www.rootsweb.com/~txbell/nannie12.htm+Altwein&hl=en &ct=clnk&cd=1&gl=us&client=google-coop Nannie's Scrapbook Book 1 page 100 Temple Boy Loses Life on the Tuscania-The fate of George A. ALTWEIN of Temple who was aboard the Tuscania when it was sunk by a German submarine Feb. 5, has been definitely settled and the war department has advised his parents, Mr. an Mrs. Fred W. ALTWEIN of this city that their son is officially reported among the missing. George ALTWEIN was twenty-one years of age, his birthday occurring June 3rd, just two days prior to the date of registration for the draft. A difference of three days in his birth was the difference between life and death, for had his natal day occurred that much later he would not have been within registration age and the tale might have been different. He had resided here since he was three years of age and was well known to many people. He was in the first contingent sent to Camp Travis. Of the eight Bell county boys who were on the ill-fated transport, seven escaped injury and death. ALTWEIN being the sole sacrifice. (Note to File: SS Tuscania: On the evening of February 5th, 1918, a German U-boat sent the Tuscania to the bottom of the North Channel Sea)

Detail

Bell County News

Web address

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Source information

Title

Nannie's Scrap Book

Publisher location

Bell County, Texas

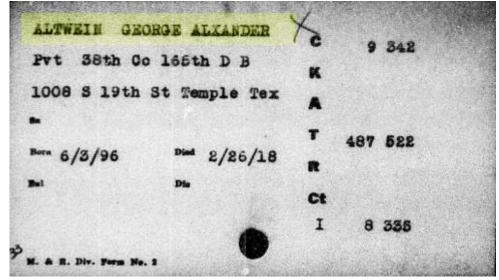
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*Enlisted *R.A. *N.C. *E.R.G. *Inducted at Temple, Tex on Sept 1910 Place of birth: Taylor, Tex Age or date of birth: 21 5/12 yrs.	
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TEXAS WHITE: ENLISTED	IN REGULAR ARMY	OR ASSIGN	ED THERETO UPON INDUC	TION
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Altwien, George A.		Pvt	165 Depot Brig 38 Co Cp Travis Det No 2	Feb 5/18

Surname spelled ALTWIEN - https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-C3MW-K92X-L?view=index&personArk=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQPH7-HD54&action=view

Life:

TUSCANIA'S LIST OF THE MISSING RECEIVED, SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Names of Survivors, as Far as Possible, Are Checked Against Passenger List, But Names Still Coming in and Further Changes May Be Made; One El Pasoan, Lauro Armijo, and Morenci Man, Still Missing.

Camp Travis detachment No. 2, overseas casuals: Privs. George A. Altwien, Temple, Tex.; Gustave Beyer, Utica, Minn.; David Cisneros, Brownsville, Tex.; Florencio Erras, Alice, Tex.; Elton L. Edmondson, Strawn, Tex.; Guadalupe Garza, Rio Grande, Tex.; Thomas E. Hudgeons, Hallettsville, Tex.; Robert E. Lee Hickey, Denton, Tex.; Robert E. Lee Hickey, Denton, Tex.; Roy W. May, Lindale, Tex.; William Moreau, Leon Springs, Tex.; George Moreno, Pearsall, Tex.; Sydney R. Nall, Gainesville, Tex.; Ban V. Owens, Canadian, Tex.; Henry Oxford, Turnerville, Tex.; Angel Perez, San Antonio, Tex.; Juan A. Perez, Boerne, Tex.; Theodore Pollak, Adkius, Tex.; Robbie C. Ray, Seymour, Tex.; Lucio Ramos, San Antonio, Tex.; Barney H. Ray, Temple, Tex.; Cirilio Rodriguez, Bergsmill, Tex.; Edward L. Routt, Pecan Gap, Tex.; Jessie D. Smith, Coleman, Okla.; Arthur (Continued on Page 4, Col. 6.)

"El Paso (TX) Herald" Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 1

Two Bell County Boys on Tuscania.

Temple, Tex., Feb. 11.-Two of the eight Bell county boys aboard the torpedoed transport Tuscania had not been heard from up to a late hour today. They are George A. Altwein; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Altwein of Temple, and Bernard H. Ray, parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Ray, near Both men left here Heidenheimer. with the drafted contingent from Camp Travis in September and in December were ordered to a camp in New Jersey. Those officially reported as safe are Robert L. Holley, Harry Ellison and Lewis H. McCann of Temple, and William C. Mann of Salado, George W. Dunlap of Little River and Milton T. Blankenship of Rogers.

"Waco (TX) Times-Herald" Tuesday 12 Feb 1918 p 5

Temple Boy Believed Lost.
Temple, Tex., Feb. 27.—Mr. and
Mrs. Fred W. Altwein of this city
have received a message from the war
department stating that their son,
George A. Altwein, who was aboard
the Tuscania, is officially reported as
among the missing.

"Waco (TX) Times-Herald" Thursday 28 Feb 1918 p 3

55 CASUALTIES ARE ANNOUNCED

Twenty-five Are Tuscania Victims, Identified by Their Finger Prints.

Washington, D. C., March 30.—To-day's casualty list contains 55 names 25 of them soldiers lost in the sinking of the Tuscania. These were reported as missing at sea but have positively been identified by finger prints taken from the bodies.

Excerpt:

Died at sea: (Tuscanla), Pvts. George A. Altwein. Temple, Texas; Verner C. Branland. Colton, Oregon: Joe Cochran. Lawton, Okla.: Leonard H. Dethman, McCabe, Montana; Rosendo Diaz, Najarena, Texas; Elton L. Edmondson, Strawn, Texas, Florencio Erras, Alice, Texas; Edward C. Feyrer, Weiner, Texas; Sixton Flores, Lice, Texas; Guadulupe Gerza, Rio Grande, Texas; Edward C. Grahamer, Scranton, Pa.: Frank Kossaeth, San Antonio, Texas; Joseph Marlin, Checotah, Okla.: Roy Muncaster, Denver, Colo.: Ben V. Owens, Canadian, Tex.: Clarence Paul, Alexandria, La.: cook Clyde C. Pelley, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Pvts. Juan A. Perez, Boerne, Texas; Ondis Powell, Sasakwa, Okla.: Cirilo Rodriguez, Bergemill, Texas; Richard Schulz, Boerne, Texas; Arthur Stranch, Miles, Texas; Patrick H. White, Dallas, Texas; Paul A. Williams, Pueblo, Colo.: Jose Ybarra, Laredo, Texas.

"El Paso (TX) Herald" Saturday 30 Mar 1918 p 11

MANY TEXANS ON NEW LIST OF DEAD FROM TUSCANIA

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 30 -Today's casualty list contains fifty-five names, twenty-five of them soldiers lost in the sinking of the Tuscania. These were reported as missing at sea, but have been positively identified by finger prints taken from the bodies-

The list is divided as follows: Killed in action, 2; died of wounds, 4; died of disease, 14; died of accident, 2; died, cause unknown, 1; wounded slightly, 7; previously reported missing at sea, not reported dead, 25.

The only officer named in today's list was Lieut Howard H. Davis, who was slightly wounded.

Privates Gustav Killed in action:

Mattes, Winfred L. Perrin.
Died of wounds: Privates Karl
Braun, James L. Doss, George O. Harris, Joseph C. Miller.
Died of disease: Sergeants Harvey

pneumonia; Nathan W. Warner, pneu-

Died of accident: Privates John W. Roberts, Westley K. Staples.

Died, cause unknown: Private Willis Langston.

Wounded slightly: Lieut, Howard H. Davis, Cooks Einar Johnson, Loughron Justice, Privates Joseph C. Sheehan, James B. Cristian, Richard

Major, Edward Mannix.

Died at sea (Tuscania): Privates George A. Altwien, Temple, Texas: Verner C. Braanland, Colton, Ore; Joe Cochran, Lawton, Okla; Leonard H. Dethman, McCabe, Mont.; Rosendo Dethman, McCabe, Mont.; Rosendo Diaz, Naparena, Texas; Elton L. Edmondston, Strawn, Texas; Florencio e Erras, Alice, Texas; Edward C. Yeyrer Weiner, Texas; Sixton Flores, a Alice, Texas; Guadlupe Garza, Rio o Grande, Texas; Edward C. Grahamer, b Scranton, Pa.; Frank Kosseth, San I Antonio, Texas; Joseph Marlin, Shepotah, Okia; Roy Munesster, Denyer, In ris, Joseph C. Miller.

Died of disease: Sergeants Harvey
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Borders, pneumonia; Henry L. Kling,
pneumonia; Walter Bigger, pneumonia; Lawrence P. Gavin, pneumonia; Lawrence P. Gavin, pneumonia; Earl N. Lisbler, endocaritis;
Morgan L. Mowyck, pneumonia; Ben
Obahasky, pneumonia; Karl Oskins,
cardiac dilation; Charles Phillips,

"Austin (TX) American-Statesman" Sunday 31 Mar 1918 p 1

TEMPLE, Oct. 18 .- The body of Private George D. Altwein, the Bell County boy who went down with the Tuscania, will arrive from Scotland this week. Upon arrival the body will be taken in charge by the American Legion.

MILITARY FUNERAL FOR TWO AT TEMPLE

TEMPLE, Texas, Oct. 23.—Under the auspices of Temple Post, American Legion, a double military funeral will be held here Sunday in honor of Privates George A. Altwein of Temple and Jesse Hoover of Rogers, Bell County, victims of the World War. Altwein went down with the Tuscania in February, 1918, while Hoover succumbed to pneumonia in a Scotland training camp in October the same year.

Full military honors will be accorded at the double funeral.

"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Sunday 24 Oct 1920 p 22

Father:



Frederick William Altwein - Find A Grave 53246901

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TX death record of Frederick William Altwein -

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Mother:



Mother Ella Eliza Hook Altwein – Find A Grave 53246963



Ella's Find A Grave 53246963 – his mother & siblings identified as Bill (William Hubert), Teabie (Matilda Gertrude), Fritz (Frederick), mother Ella Hook Altwein, Pearl (Margaret Pearl) & Arthur Henry

Siblings:



Brother Joe Milton Altwein (1889-1936) – Find A Grave 84349512

TEMPLE VETS TO HAVE FIFE AND DRUM CORPS

TEMPLE, Nov. 24 .- The American Legion post, which is planning the organization of fife and drum corps, has raised \$663 for the purpose from 35 of its membership, and will continue solicitation of funds until an ample amount is in hand. Lewis K. Black, commander, resigned on account of removal from the city, and Sidney E. Pilgrim was elected to fill his unex-At the same time Joe pired term. Altwein was elected first vice com mander, while M. M. McDonald was elected second vice: Munger Martin. adjutant; E. A. Buehring, sergeantat-arms, and F. E. Bradshaw, historian.

"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Sunday2 5 Nov 1928 p 13

More Permits To Fight Promoters

AUSTIN, Sept. 11.— (AP)—Jack Flynn, state boxing and wrestling commissioner, today issued permist to promoters in several cities and also designated inspectors and doctors.

Boxing and wrestling permits were given S. E. Pilgrim of Temple, W. T. Barkett of Marshall and the American Legion at Victoria. Wrestling permits were issued to J. Glen Groves of Wichita Falls and E. M. Thielman of McKinney. Boxing licenses were given George B. Peeler of Taylor and the Mexia lodge of Elks at Mexia.

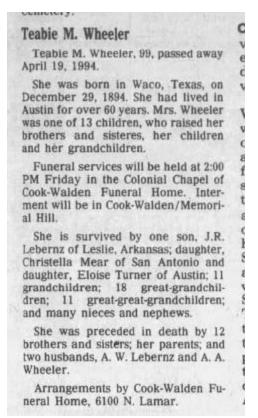
Inspectors: George Merkle of Wichita Falls, L. L. B. Hofer of Victoria, Joe Altwein of Temple, S. G. Gernert of Taylor, Ed F. Reidel of San Angelo, R. C. Sturgeon of Pampa, G. A. Murphy of Ranger, L. Q. Linson of Palestine, Fred Gantner of McAllen, J. A. Marr of Corsicana, C. S. Beckwith of Bryan, V. H. Francis of Borger, C. H. Deere of Breckenridge and W. E. Willis of Marshall.

Doctors: Major John Fletchner of Wichita Falls, J. V. Hopkins of Victoria, C. L. Powers of Temple, Edmond Doak of Taylor, John T. Elder of San Angelo. Henry B. Celaya and W. A. King of San Antotnio, Roy Webb of Tampa, Harry Logsdon of Ranger, J. Knight of McKinney, A. D. Sanders of Corsicana, R. Henry Harrison Jr. of Bryan, I. C. Morris of Berger, H. H. Cartwright of Breckenridge and Carl McCurdy of Marshall.

"Waco (TX) News-Tribune" Tuesday 12 Sep 1933 p 4

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TX death record of Joe Milton Altwein – homicide, shot in the face - https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2272/images/40394_b062108-02556?pld=22002148



Obituary of sister Teable M. Altwein Lebernz Wheeler (1894-1994) – "Austin (TX) American-Statesman" Thursday 21 Apr 1994 p 31

Teable Wheeler vs. Adam A. Wheeler, divorce, granted.

Teabie's divorce from 2nd husband Adam A. Wheeler - "Austin (TX) American" Thursday 16 Sep 1954 p 23



Brother Fritz Elias Altwein (1897-1956) - Find A Grave 84349499

Fritz Altwein Rites at Temple

TEMPLE, Aug. 3—SPL—Funeral services for Fritz Altwein, 58, a life-long resident of Temple, were to be held at 4 p. m. Friday at the Pace Funeral Home. Burial was to be in Hillcrest Cemetery. Mr. Altwein died Wednesday in a Houston hospital.

Survivors include his widow; the former Dona Elizabeth Collie of Temple; his mother, Mrs. Ella Altwein of Temple; two sisters, Mrs. A. L. Wheeler of Temple and Mrs. Teable Wheeler of Austin, and two brothers, Bill Altwein of Houston and Arthur Altwein of Los Angeles, Calif.

"Waco (TX) Times-Herald" Friday 3 Aug 1956 p 3

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TX death record of Fritz Elias Altwein - https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/22308312:2272?tid=159875683&pid=432505801212&queryld=6bdfc4132d9 051f9c452f1fb04d726fd&_phsrc=cPx1689&_phstart=successSource



Sister Viola Zillian Altwein Pernitza Taylor Strange (1900-1937) – Find A Grave 31527488



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Sister Margaret Pearl Altwein Wheeler (1902-1985) – Find A Grave 31528385



Brother William Hubert Altwein (1904-1965) - Find A Grave 8434956

Wilbur Lee Altwein

BIRTH 1 DEC 1907 • Temple, Bell, Texas, USA DEATH 20 DEC 1907 • Temple, Bell, Texas, USA

Birth

1 Dec 1907 • Temple, Bell, Texas, USA

No birth record found. Infant when he died per newspaper. Another tree had this date.

Death

20 Dec 1907 • Temple, Bell, Texas, USA

The Temple Daily Telegram. (Temple, Tex.), Vol. 1, No. 29, Ed. 1 Saturday, December 21, 1907, Infant of Fred Altwein died yesterday.

https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/75244082/person/180058936950/facts

Altwein Rites Set at Temple

TEMPLE (SPL) — Funeral h services for W. H. Altwein of W Houston will be at Hewett Chapel here at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday. Burial will be in Hillcrest Cemetery.

Mr. Altwein died of a heart attack while visiting at the home of A. L. Wheeler in Temple, He was 60.

Mr. Altwein was born in Temple. He had lived in Houston for 25 years, where he was employed as a car inspector for a railroad company there. He was a member of the United Brethren Church of Temple.

Survivors are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Joan Centera of Temple; two sisters, Mrs. Teable Wheeler of Houston and Mrs. A. L. Wheeler of Temple; one brother, A. H. Altwein of Los Angeles, Calif.; one stepson, R. C. McWhirter of Houston; one grandson and five stepgrandcaughters.

Obituary of William Henry Altwein - "Waco (TX) Times-Herald" Tuesday 2 Feb 1965 p 5



Brother Arthur H. Altwein (1909-1975) - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/75244082/person/34311392665/media/fbb0cedc-585c-4d2c-be19-388b5d094161

TRAIN TOSSES BOYS AT TEMPLE, BUT THEY ARE UNDAMAGED

Temple, Tex., July 3 .- Two small boys, Arthur Altwein and Ellis Coe, are congratulating themselves today over the fact they are not filling premature graves and a locomotive engineer, name unknown, on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway doubtless is recovering from the effects of a severe nerve shock. boys were driving a buggy across the railroad tracks Tuesday when the outfit was struck by the Katy Special. The buggy was torn to kindling and the horse and boys scattered along the right-of-way, but all miraculously escaped without a scratch. The lads were so frightened, however, that it was with difficulty they told their names. Altwein is a brother of Private George Altwein of this

city, who went down with the Tusca-nia.

Arthur – "Waco (TX) Times-Herald" Friday 4 Jul 1919 p 4

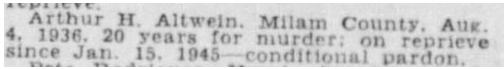
Texas, U.S., Convict and Conduct Registers, 1875-1954 for Arthur H Altwien



https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2143/images/32745_1020703347_00 18-00751?pld=13953

The report lists cases which obviously show terrible abuses of the pardons and paroles system. "The stated purposes of the Texas Penal Code is to protect the public and punish the offender," the report said, "At the rate convicts have been turned loose from the penitentiary during the past few years, it would seem that neither of these purposes is being achieved." A typical case reported by the committee follows: "Arthur H. Altwein, white male, was sentenced to 20 years for murder with malice from Milam County on Aug. 4, 1936. The records show that while a trusty he was found drunk while driving an automobile. On May 14, 1942, he was given a six months reprieve and on Nov. 11, 1942. he was returned to prison as a parole violator. On Nov. 4, 1944, he was assessed 93 hours solitary confinement for drunkenness and fighting-yet, on Jan. 15, 1945, two months after this last offense, he was given a six months reprieve which, on July 14, 1945, was extended one year."

"El Paso (TX) Times" Monday 10 Jun 1946 p 4



"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Saturday 26 Jul 1947 p 2

Mesan Guilty Of Molestation

A 53-year-old Costa Mesa carpenter has been found guilty of molesting a seven-year-old neighbor girl.

In a brief non-jury trial, Judge Kenneth E. Morrison pronounced Arthur H. Altwein guilty of the charge, and ordered him to undergo psychiatric tests to determine whether he is a sexual psychopath.

Hearing on the sex psychopathy status of Altwein has been schedsuled for Nov. 1 in Judge Morrison's court.

"Santa Ana (CA) Register" Tuesday 23 Oct 1962 p 22

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

F: = Find A Grave (www.findagrave.org)

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: George Alexander Altwein

Name variations: Surname spelled ALTWIEN on Tuscania roster so appears in 1918

newspapers with that spelling

Military:

On Tuscania: Camp Travis Det. 2, 165th Depot Brigade, 36th Co. - private

Serial number: not assigned when died Entered service from: Temple, Bell TX

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: George A. Altwien [sic]

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": mother Mrs. Fred W. Altwien [sic], 2008 S. 19th St., Temple TX

Burial on Islay, Scotland: 1st buried at Kilnaughton, Islay, Scotland - grave 77, as George A. Altwien

Body returned from war on: "Antigone" arriving Hoboken 29 Sep 1920

Listed on return ship as: George A. Altwien

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: no NOK on this list, pvt, Casual Co. #2

World War I draft registration (1917): as George Alexander Altwein - b. 3 Jun 1896 Taylor TX, res: 1218 – A19, Bell Co. TX. Single. Fireman at Prairie Queen Laundry, Temple TX. Claimed exemption from draft: "mom" Medium height & build.

Texas World War I records: residence: 1008 S. 19th St., Temple, Bell TX. Inducted into Army at Temple TX 19 Sep 1917 at age 21 years 5 months. Born Taylor TX. Co. B, 10 Battalion, 165th Depot Brigade, Camp Travis Casual Det. 2 to death. Private. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to death on 5 Feb 1918 in sinking of Tusania. NOK Ms. Fred W. Altwein, 1008 S. 19th St., Temple TX

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Name listed as George Alxander Altwein, death date given as 26 Feb 1918

Enlistment date not listed

Address: 1008 S. 19th St., Temple TX Rank/unit: private, 38th Co., 165th D B

Birth & death:

Born: 3 Jun 1896 Taylor, Williamson TX

Died: 5 Feb 1918, Tuscania

Find A Grave record: 53225255, presence on Tuscania noted in text

Burial location: Temple, Bell TX

Cemetery: Hillcrest

Tombstone: veteran tombstone: Texas Pvt 165 Depot Brig

Father: Frederick William Altwein, 1 Aug 1865 Germany [Prussia]– 10 May 1938 Temple, Bell TX. Son of August Ferdinand Altwein & Caroline Frederike Henriette Zibell. - TX death certificate spells surname ALTWIEN. Died at age 72 years, 9 months, 9 days. Retired carpenter. Son of August Altwein. Informant wife Ella (Mrs. F.W.). Buried in Hillcrest Cemetery, Temple, Bell TX.

Find A Grave: 53246901

Mother: Ella Eliza Hook Altwein, 26 Mar 1869 Cameron TX - 27 Sep 1958 Temple, Bell TX. Daughter of Joseph E. Hook & Amanda E. Odom. Buried in Hillcrest Cemetery, Temple, Bell TX.

Find A Grave: 53246963 Parents' marriage: 1887

Spouse:

Spouse Find A Grave:

Children:

Siblings: Teabie claimed she raised her 12 siblings.

- Joseph (Joe) Milton Altwein, 17 Oct 1889 Rockdale, Milam TX (WWI draft: 17 Oct 1890) 3 May 1936 Temple, Bell TX. Married 24 Dec 1911 to Alma A. Albright. Married to Mary Thresy Lesikar (1898-1973, F: 31527873) on 4 Nov 1919 in Bell Co. TX; she later married James Thomas Tice (1888-1966, F: 31527872). In the 1920 census, Joe & Marie lived with his parents & some of his siblings. in Temple, Bell TX. In the 1930 census for Temple, Bell TX, Joe, living with wife Marie T., was a salesman for a radio company. Died of a homicide in a public place in Thorndale TX shotgun wound to the face. Died at Scott-White Hospital, Temple, Bell TX. Was a stone & brick mason/contractor, married, res: 1012 S. 2nd St., https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:KSBL- name spelled ALTWIEN on death certificate. Unable to locate any newspaper articles about his death. Buried in Hillcrest Cemetery, Temple, Bell TX. F: 84349512
- Lydia C. Altwein, 14 Feb 1892 Rockdale, Milam TX 19 Sep 1894 TX. Buried as Liddy Altwein in First Street Cemetery, Waco, McLennan TX. F: 88867725
- Serlena L. Altwein, 29 Mar 1893 Rockdale, Milam TX 4 Oct 1893, likely TX.
- Matilda Gertrude ("Teabie") Altwein Lebrenz Wheeler, 29 Dec 1894 Waco, McLennan TX – 19 Apr 1994 San Antonio, Bexar TX. First married to Adolph William Duffy Lebrenz (1884-1937, F: 7577770). They married 21 Jan 1911 in Bell Co. TX. – Married to Adam Archie Wheeler (1883-1956, F: 33182677); they divorced Sep 1954. Adam's son by his marriage to, Alvin L Wheeler, married Teabie's sister. Buried as Teabie Wheeler in Cook-Walden Memorial Hill Cemetery, Austin, Travis TX. F: 58718503
- Frederick (Fritz) Elias Altwein, 24 Dec 1897 Rockdale, Milam TX 1 Aug 1956
 Houston, Harris TX. Husband of Dona Elizabeth Collie. Buried in Hillcrest Cemetery,
 Temple, Bell TX. F: 84349499
- Albert L. Altwein, 25 Jul 1899 Temple, Bell TX 5 Sep 1900 TX. Was listed in the 1900 census, conducted 13 Jun 1900.
- Viola Zillian Altwein Pernitza Taylor Strange, 30 Sep 1900 Temple, Bell TX 7 Aug 1937 Temple, Bell TX. Married 10 May 1919 in Bell Co. TX to Ray Hayes Pernitza (1898-1976, F: 43437103), son of Frank Louis Pernitza & Mary Louise Hook. Viola Pernitza married 25 Apr 1924 in Bell Co. TX to Jack Leo Taylor. He is identified as J. Leo Taylor on their marriage record. His birthplace is listed as Texas on the TX death record of their daughter Barbara Taylor, born 2 Jan 1925, died 3 Nov 1926 of Influenza/pneumonia. Around 1926, became the wife of William Brittain/Britton Strange (1893-1952, F: 31527489). Buried in Hillcrest Cemetery, Temple, Bell TX. F: 31527488
- Pearl Margaret Altwein Kannady Ulrich Wheeler, 22 Mar 1902 TX 9 Nov 1985. –
 Married 14 May 1917 (or 14 May 1918, as the 2 official records do not agree) in Bell
 Co. TX to Thomas Hardy Kannady (1894-1978, F: 75563900). Married 22 Jul 1922 in

Bell Co. TX to John Henry Frederick Ulrich (1891-1972, F: 14802328). - Wife of Alvin Lee (A.L.) Wheeler (1911-1998, F: 31528376). Alvin was the son of Adam Archie Wheeler, who was the 2nd husband of Pearl's sister Teabie & Artie A. Raney (1897-1975) who also married an Edward Kolba & died with the surname Reece. Adam Wheeler had several marriages. - Pearl Wheeler is buried in Hillcrest Cemetery, Temple, Bell TX. F: 31528385

- William Hubert ("Bill") Altwein, 9 Aug 1904 Temple, Bell TX 1 Feb 1965 Temple, Bell TX. Husband of Melissa Jane Singleton (1905-1967, F: 123034214). Melissa was also married to Roy A. McWhorter (1895-1964, F: 22676493). – William is buried in Hillcrest Cemetery, Temple, Bell TX. F: 84349516
- Wilbur Lee Altwein, 1 Dec 1970 Temple, Bell TX 20 Dec 1907 Temple, Bell TX.
- Arthur Henry Altwein. Resident of Los Angeles CA when Fritz died in Aug 1956. Incarcerated for murder in Texas. His pardon was a matter of contention. He appears to have had numerous marriages. Listed on Ancestry.com is a marriage to Isal Rita Gretna Sumner (1910-1990) on 8 Jun 1930 in Bell Co. TX. Her other husbands include Jesse Baxter Howard (1907-2006) 7 Elmer Leroy Quick (1915-1959, marrying him 13 Dec 1953 in Bossier Parish LA). But he might also have married Lillian Hyman on 14 Feb 1934 in Bexar Co. TX or Catherine Elizabeth Norwood on 17 Feb 1955 in Harris Co. TX or divorced Mae L. Erickson in Orange Co. CA in Aug 1968.

Wartime:
Post-war:
Obituary:
"Galveston [TX] Daily News" 19 Oct 1920 p 4 The War Department has notified parents Mr. 8 Mrs. E.W. Altwein that hady of their sen
The War Department has notified parents Mr. & Mrs. F.W. Altwein that body of their son George D. [sic] Altwein, Tuscania casualty, has arrived from Scotland & was sent to Temple

TX on 15 Oct under escort, American Legion has completed funeral plans

Censuses:

Notes:

1870 Guadalupe County TX Aug. Altwine, 33 Prussia, farmer hand Caroline, 26 Prussia William, 7 Prussia Fred, 5 Prussia

1900 Temple, Bell TX – 119 S. 8th - conducted 13 Jun 1900

Fred W. ALTWEEN (but can also be read as Altwien), 35 Germany, Aug 1864, parents b. Germany, emigrated 1867, in US for 33 years, naturalized, married 12 years, baker Ella, 30 TX, Mar 1870, father b. PA, mother b. LA, gave birth to 7 children, 5 are living Jo, 11 TX, Oct 1878 [sic, should be 1889] [son Joe Milton]

Matilda, 5 TX, Dec 1894 [daughter Teabie]

George, 4 TX, Jun 1895

Fred, 2 TX, Dec 1897

Albert, 11 months TX, Jul 1899 [he dies 5 Sep 1900]

1910 Temple, Bell TX – conducted 23 Apr 1910

Fredirek W. ALLTWINE, 44 Germany, parents b. Germany, married 22 years, carpenter, house

Ella E., 41 TX, father b. PA, mother b. LA, house work, at home, gave birth to 8 children, 8 are living

Joseph M., 19 TX, stage manager, opera house

Matilda G., 15 TX

George A., 13 TX

Fridrick E., 12 TX

Viola, 8 TX

Pearl M., 8 TX

Hubert C., 5 TX

Arthur H., 11 months TX

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1920 Temple, Bell TX – George has died in WWI – the census taker placed the middle initial first & then the 1st name – this has been switched to the normal first name/middle initial configuration – all but one "boarder" is a relative

Fred W. ALTWIEN, 55 Germany, parents b. Germany, emigrated 1872, naturalized 1899, carpenter, house

Ella E., 50 TX, father b. PA, mother b. LA, keeper, boarding house [wife]

Hubert C., 15 TX, father b. Germany, mother b. TX [son]

Arthur H., 10 TX, father b. Germany, mother b. TX [son]

Joe M., 30 TX, father b. Germany, mother b. TX, married, mechanic, garage [listed as boarder, this is Fred & Ella's son]

Marie, 21 TX, parents b. TX, married, clerk, dry goods store [boarder – this is son Joe's wife] Fritz E., 22 TX, father b. Germany, mother b. TX, married, plumber, tin shop [listed as boarder, this is Fred & Ella's son]

Dona, 21 TX, parents b. TX, married [boarder – this is Fritz's wife]

Hays R. Pertritza, 21 TX, parents b. TX, married, engineer, electrical system [boarder – this is wife of their daughter Viola]

Viola Pertritza, 19 TX, father b. Germany, mother b. TX, married [boarder – this is their daughter Viola Altwein]

Leo Pertritza, 20 TX, parents b. TX, single, laborer, laundry [boarder – probably Viola's brother-in-law]

1940 Temple, Bell, TX – in 1935 resident of Galveston, Galveston TX Mrs. F.W. Altwein, 71 TX, widow [head of household] W.H. Altwein, 35 TX [son] Fritz E. Altwein, 42 TX, sanitarium maintenance man [son] Dona I. Altwein, 41 TX [daughter-in-law – wife of Fritz]