

TUSCANIA

Brady, Robert Elmer
1885 NY – 1951 NY



March 5-1920
PASSPORT APPLICATION

Applicant has applied ~~for~~ for a Department Passport

Fee..... No. *2849*
Date

NATIVE.

Issued *6 SEP 1919*

original

I, **Robert E. Brady**, a NATIVE AND LOYAL CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, hereby apply to the **Passport Bureau** at **Paris, France** for passport for myself, ~~and my wife~~ my wife, and minor children, as follows:

born on at
and born on at
and

I solemnly swear that I was born at **Katonah, N.Y.**, in the State of on **June 18, 1886**, that my father ~~born~~ **Joseph Brady** was born in **Katonah, N.Y.** and is now residing at **Katonah, N.Y.** for the purpose of **Residence**; ~~(that he resided to the United States from the part of on or about that he resided years uninterruptedly, in the United States, from to at that he was naturalized as a citizen of the United States before the Court of at on (Date.)~~

~~shown by the certificate of Naturalization exhibited herewith; that I am the bearer of a~~
U.S. Army Discharge, issued by **Gievres, France July 25, 1919** on that my legal domicile is at **Katonah, N.Y.** my temporary residence being **4 rue de Chevreuse, Paris** and I last left the United States on **Jan 24, 1918** ~~for~~ moved at **France** on **Aug 1918**, where I am now residing for the purpose of **Relief work** on behalf of **Red Cross** corporation, or other organization represented, if any.)

that I have resided outside the United States at the following places for the following periods:

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|----------------|------|-----------------|----|-----------------|
| England | from | Feb 1918 | to | Aug 1918 |
| France | from | 1918 | to | 1919 |
| | from | | to | |

and that I desire to remain a citizen of the United States and intend to return thereto permanently to reside and perform the duties of citizenship within **none** years ~~when~~

I have not applied elsewhere for a United States passport or for consular registration and been refused.

I desire a passport for use in visiting the countries hereinafter named for the following purpose:

France en route
Italy
Albania
Red Cross work

4 SEP 1919
AMERICAN CONSUL GENERAL
PARIS
FILE STAMP

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

Further, I do solemnly swear I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: So help me God.

Robert E. Brady

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU AT PARIS, FRANCE

Sworn to before me this 4 day of Sep. 1919
(Month and year.)

John C. Bull
(Name.)

(SEAL)

Vice-Consul of the United States of America.

DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT.

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| Age: 34 years | Mouth: Medium |
| Stature: 5 feet, 7 inches, Eng. | Chin: Pointed |
| Forehead: High | Hair: Dark |
| Eyes: Blue grey | Complexion: Fair |
| Nose: Straight | Face: Oval |

Identifying documents submitted as follows:


Army Discharge showing applicant to have been First Lieutenant in
 U.S. Army Air Service

Letter from Red Cross

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William G. Barrett, Portchester, N.Y.

George Carrington, 200 Broadway, N.Y. City



Robert E. Brady

Robert Elmer Brady – passport application to U.S. Passport Bureau in

Paris, France, on 6 Sep 1919 - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/2004831:1174?tid=&pid=&queryid=c54f11db-4346-4cf1-86fa-7432384e71b3&phsrc=cPx19486&phstart=successSource>

WWI Officer Cards > Brady, F - Brown, R (Box 672)

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|--|---|------------------------------------|
| Brady (Surname) | Robert Elmer (Christian name) | OFFICER—ORC White |
| Residence _____ (Street and house number) | Katonah (Town or city) | NEW YORK (State) |

* Born in **Katonah NY June 19/85** -----

† Called into active service as **1st Lt AS Sept 7/17 from ORC** ‡ **Training Camp.**

Promotions : -----

Organizations and staff assignments : **100 Aero Sq to disch** -----

Principal stations : **San Antonio Tex; AEF** -----

Engagements : -----

Wounds received in action : None.

§ Served overseas **Jan 24/18 to disch** -----

|| Hon. disch. **July 25/19** for convenience of the Government, services no longer required.

Was reported **0** per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.

Remarks : -----


Form No. 84c-1 * Give place and date. † Insert (a) grade; (b) arm or staff corps or department; (c) date; (d) source, civil life (CL), RA, NG, ORC, NA; and (e) designation of training camp attended, if any. ‡ Strike out if he did not attend a training camp. § Give dates of departure from and return to the United States. || Give date.

A. G. O.
Mar. 17, 1921.

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New York, New York, Death Index, 1949-1965



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Name Robert Brady
 Age 66
 Birth Date abt 1885
 Death Date 15 Aug 1951
 Death Place Manhattan, New York, New York, USA
 Certificate Number 17089

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/75604953/person/132125684568/facts>

BRADY ROBERT ELMER

1 Lt 100 Aero Sqdn
 2nd Army France
 Katonah N Y

Sn Died 8/15/51

Born 6/18/85

Enl 9/7/17 Dis 7-25-19

U. S. VETERANS BUREAU
 MAIL AND RECORDS
 FORM 7203-Rev. Sept., 1925

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Robert Elmer Brady

Miscellaneous • United States, YMCA World War I Service Cards, 1917-1919

| | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Name | Robert Elmer Brady |
| Sex | Male |
| Birth Date | 1885 |
| Residence Place | Katonah N Y |
| Marital Status | Single |
| Race | N |
| Religion | Methodist |
| Event Type | Military Service |
| Event Date | from 1917 to 1919 |
| Event Place | United States |

<https://www.familysearch.org/tree/person/sources/GCZ5-HW4>

PASSPORT APPLICATION

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Original

10/31/19

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I, Robert E. Brady, a NATIVE AND LOYAL CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, hereby apply to the Department of State, at Washington, for passport for myself, accompanied by my wife, Elizabeth Brady, and minor children, as follows: born on June 1868 at Katonah, N.Y. and born on at and born on at

I solemnly swear that I was born at Katonah, in the State of N.Y. on June 1868, that my father Joseph Brady was born in Katonah, N.Y. and is now residing at Katonah, N.Y. for the purpose of residence. (that he emigrated to the United States from the port of on or about that he resided years uninterruptedly, in the United States, from to at that has resided in the United States before the Court of at on (Date) that I am the bearer of U.S. Army discharge No. issued by Cieuvres, France July 25, 1919 on that my local domicile is

that my legal domicile is at Eatonville, N.Y. on May 20, 1919, my temporary residence being
4 rue de Chevreuse, Paris, and I last left the United States on Jan. 24, 1918
 and arrived at France on August 1918, where I am now
 residing for the purpose of Relief work on behalf of Red Cross

corporation, or other organization represented, if any.)
 that I have resided outside the United States at the following places for the following periods:

England from Feb. 1918 to August 1918
France from 1918 to 1919
 from to

and that I desire to remain a citizen of the United States and intend to return thereto permanently to
 reside and perform the duties of citizenship within one years months or when

I have not applied elsewhere for a United States passport or for consular registration and been
 refused.

I desire a passport for use in visiting the countries hereinafter named for the following purpose:

France on route
Italy on route
Switzerland on route
Albania, Balkans State Red Cross work.



OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

Further, I do solemnly swear I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States
 against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and
 that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; So help me God.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU AT PARIS, FRANCE

Sworn to before me this 14th day of September 1919

(Month and year)

(SEAL)

(Name)

Vice-Consul of the United States of America

DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT

| | |
|--|-------------------------|
| Age: <u>34</u> years | Mouth: <u>medium</u> |
| Stature: <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches, Eng. | Chin: <u>pointed</u> |
| Forehead: <u>high</u> | Hair: <u>dark</u> |
| Eyes: <u>blue gray</u> | Complexion: <u>fair</u> |
| Nose: <u>straight</u> | Face: <u>oval</u> |

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Letter from Red Cross

References:

William G. Barrett, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

George Carrington, 300 Broadway

10/31/19



AMERICAN PASSPORT BUREAU

68, Rue Pierre Charron

P A R I S

September 3, 1919

Gentlemen:-

Robert A. Brady

a member

of the American Red Cross, is being sent to Albania via Switzerland
Italy and return
on Red Cross work.

We request that you kindly issue him a Departmental Passport
for the journey in question.

So far as we have information at hand, we are able to
guarantee the applicant and to assume responsibility for the applicant
from the standpoint of national defense.

Anything you can do to facilitate this matter will be greatly
appreciated

Very truly yours,
[Signature]
Chief of Division of Passes and Passes.

Chief of Division of Passes and Passes.

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Manphill H. Haddock

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU AT PARIS, FRANCE

Sworn to before me this 2 day of Sept 1919
(Month and year)

John A. Deane
(Name)
Vice-Consul of the United States of America.

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LIST OF UNITED STATES CITIZENS
(FOR THE IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES)

Record on this blank United States citizens and citizens of insular possessions of the United States arriving at a port of continental United States from a foreign port or a port of the insular possessions of the United States, and such citizens arriving at a port of said insular possessions from a foreign port, a port of continental United States, or a port of another insular possession.

S. S. "TUSCANIA" sailing from HAVRE, August 28th, 1928, Arriving at Port of NEW YORK 3 SEP. 1928

| No. | NAME IN FULL | AGE | SEX | DATE OF BIRTH | PLACE OF BIRTH |
|-----|----------------------|-----|-----|--------------------|----------------------|
| 24 | BRADY Robert. Elmer. | 42 | M | June 18th, 1885. | NEW YORK CITY. (N.Y) |
| 25 | BRADY George. J. | 17 | M | November 10, 1910. | NEW YORK CITY. (N.Y) |

21 W. 8th St. NEW YORK CITY. (N.Y)

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Robert Elmer Brady

in the New York, U.S., Arriving Passenger and Crew Lists (including Castle Garden and Ellis Island), 1820-1957



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Detail Source

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Name | Robert Elmer Brady |
| Gender | Male |
| Marital Status | Single |
| Age | 42 |
| Birth Date | 18 Jun 1885 |
| Birth Place | New York |
| Other Birth Place | New York City |
| Departure Port | Le Havre |
| Arrival Date | 3 Sep 1928 |
| Arrival Port | New York, New York, USA |
| Ship Name | Tuscania |

Sailing on Tuscania II - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/2005142078:7488?tid=&pid=&queryid=1179d948-c0bf-4b00-84ac-e7510bf4907e&phsrc=cPx19488&phstart=successSource>

New York, U.S., World War I Veterans' Service Data, 1913-1919 for Robert Elmer Brady

Westchester > Bedford

The N.Y. State Department of Education Division of Archives and History is compiling a complete Honor Roll of Soldiers, Sailors and Marines in Service during The World War and is requiring under its direction, from the Town Boards the needed data. The time is limited to April 1922. In order that accurate records may be made will you kindly fill in the following blank and return it to

Mrs James S. Day,
503 West 121st St.,
New York City,
Local Historian,
Town of Bedford.

Name... *Robert Elmer Brady*
 Date of birth... *June 18, 1885*
 Place of birth... *Katonah, New York*
 Present address.....
 Your home address on entering service... *Katonah, N.Y.*
 Where did you enlist... *Washington, D.C.*
 Date of enlistment... *Aug. 27, 1917*
 In what Camps did you train... *Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas*
 Branch of service (army, navy or marine corps)... *Army*
 If in Navy on what ships.....
 In what organizations (Y.M.C.A., K. of G., Red Cross, etc.).....
 Rank - including promotions... *First Lieutenant, Air Service*
 Regiment Company.....
 Division... *2nd Army, A.E.F.* Unit... *100th Aero Squadron*
 Were you with A.E.F. ... *yes*
 If with A.E.F. date of arrival overseas ... *Feb. 5th, 1918*
 Ship on which you sailed - going... *Tuscania* Returning.....
 Date of return.....
 Date of discharge & place ... *July 25, 1919, Gisors, France*
 Engagements.....
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 In what actions.....

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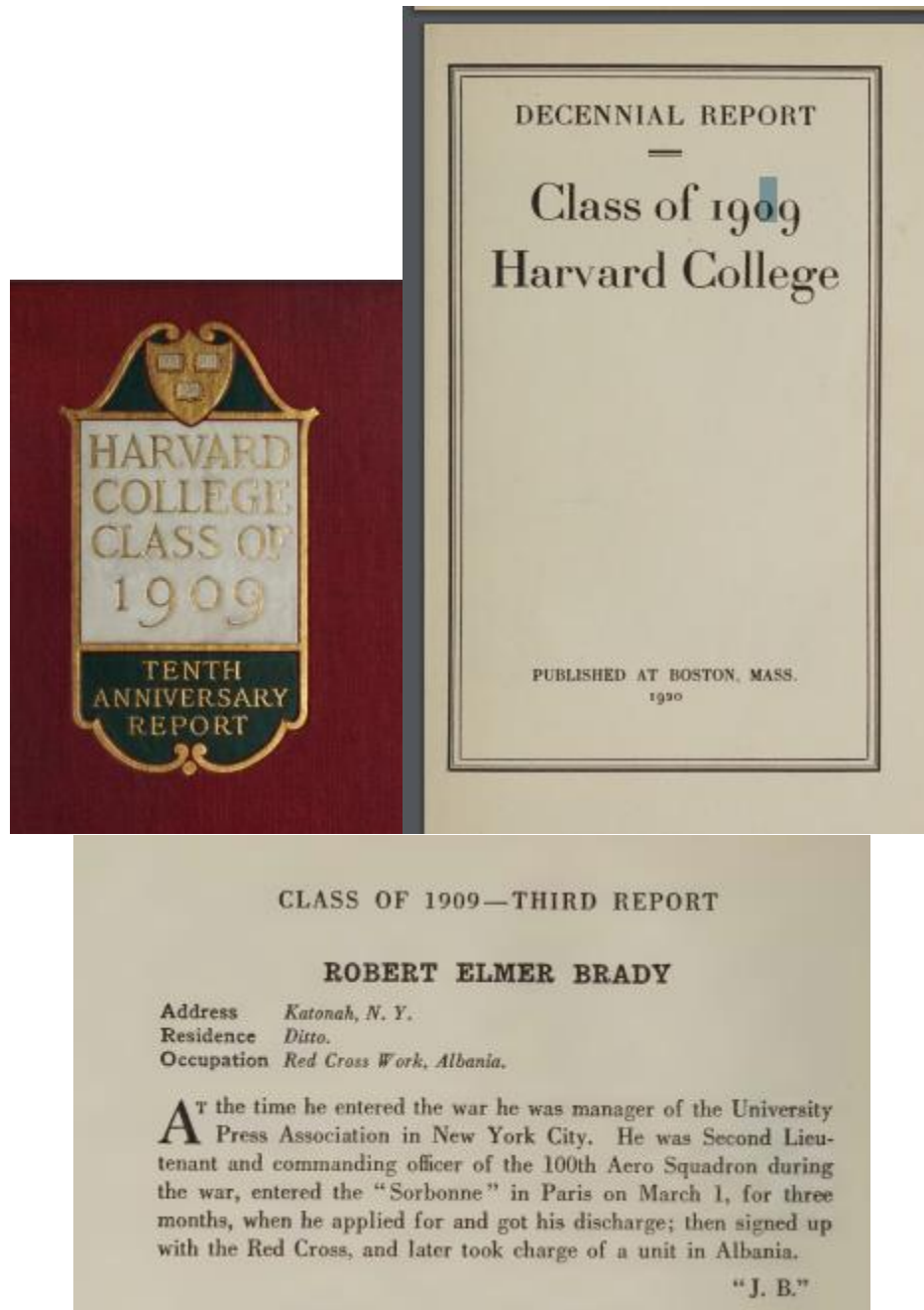
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... **ROBERT ELMER BRADY**. Address. Katonah, N. Y. Residence. Ditto. Occupation. Red Cross Work. Albania. time he entered the war he was manager of the University.

This result from a Google search on "Robert Elmer Brady" was not operational on 17 Aug 2024



Decennial Report Harvard University Class of 1909 p 36 -
<https://ia801504.us.archive.org/17/items/decennialreport00harv/decennialreport00harv.pdf>

Robert E. Brady

KATONAH—

Robert E. Brady, a former resident here, was found dead Wednesday in his room at the Hotel Iroquois, New York. Mr. Brady had been in poor health recently. Survivors include a brother, L. S. Brady of Hillsdale, and a nephew, George J. Brady of 11 Windsor Lane, Scarsdale.

"White Plains (NY) Reporter Dispatch" Friday 17 Aug 1951 p 13

Life:

GRADUATION EXERCISES AT THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS START TO-MORROW.

**Eight Grammar Schools to
Hold Commencement Ex-
ercises—Finally High
School Friday Night.**

To-morrow, the first of the commencement exercises to be held in nine of the public schools this week will take place at School No. 11, Kimball avenue, in the Seventh Ward, at 2 o'clock. There will be eight graduates in this school, as follows:

Earl McCullum, William Clark, Joseph Macmorris, Fred. Kumke, Farah Macmorris, William Hadley, Jennie Frost, Lottie Chapman.

At School No. 3, on Hamilton avenue, exercises will be held at 9.30 o'clock on Thursday. The graduates will be as follows:

Roy Allen, Clara Descher, Marlon Davenport, Harold Day, Marjorie Geer, Simon Hersch, Harold Housel, Florence Howarth, Olive Jones, Elsie Koffenberger, Rose Langer, Harold Land, Harold Le Born, Parker Moon, Bert Norris, Frank Mulrooney, Lillian Nelson, Robert Nicholas, John Rose, Ray Reeves, Louis Rutstein, Chas. Schoder, Mildred Taylor, Eugene

The High School graduates who will receive diplomas in Music Hall on Friday night at 8 o'clock will be as follows:

Business course—Alice Etta Dunstone, August Peter Hilger, Grace Adell Sugden, Harold Marshall Horton, Gladys Mortimer Woolfall. General course—James William Carr Bowden, Joseph Oakley Brown, Chester

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| THE SCHOOL GRADUATES. | |
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| (Continued from First Page.) | |
| Clifton Campbell, Pamel Joseph Flagg, | |
| Albert A. C. Jordan, Arthur Joseph | |
| Lockwood, William Marshall, Daniel | |
| Carroll Nolan, Jr., Berthold Hintz Nye, | |
| Leslie Thompson Sutherland, Alice | |
| Vera Card, Florence Estelle Dick, | |
| Anna Howard Eastburn, Beatrice Irene | |
| Geagen, Anna Hansen, May Bradshaw | |
| Jacobs, Mary Eugenia Kelly, Helena | |
| Gertrude Lechman, Adele Longbotham, | |
| Mary Lillian Moriarty, Ruth Paton | |
| Nelson, Grace Nita Power, Helen | |
| Frances Thompson, Katharine Romeyn | |
| Varick, Maud Phyllis Wand, Floyd Ed- | |
| ward Bliven, Robert Elmer Brady, | |
| George Baring Bunker, Edward Malen | |
| Deering, Raymond Arthur Holme, Ar- | |
| nette Royce Lawrence, Alfred Naum- | |
| burg, Howard Morgan Nugent, Harry | |
| Charles Rust, Harold Dubois Van Der- | |
| lyn, Kathryn Costello, Florence Crow- | |
| ther, Marjory Dugbar, Caroline Elias, | |
| Alice Catherine Grant, Grace Ward | |
| Hussey, Alice Winifred Kaltenbach, | |
| Helen Marie Kleece, Edna Lessels, | |
| Lauretta Coleman McKenna, Agnes | |
| Naumburg, Helen Ogden, Mildred De- | |
| zhon Schlesinger, Alice Rawlings | |
| Thomson, Bessie Semon Vermilya, | |
| Katherine Elizabeth Whitney. | |

Excerpts: "Yonkers (NY) Herald-Statesman" Tuesday 20 Jun 1905 p 1 and p 3

867 DEGREES AT HARVARD.

Continued From the First Page.

DEGREES CONFERRED.

Names of Men Who Received Honors
Today from the Faculty of Arts
and Sciences.

Degrees were conferred by the faculty
of Arts and Sciences as follows:

†Edward A Boyden
Robert Elmer Brady
Geo W C Braithwalte
Everett Newton Bray
Charles D Brewer
Templeton Briggs
†Arthur G Brodeur
Lloyd William Brooke
Paul Brooks

Graduate of Harvard University 1909 – "Boston Globe" Wednesday 30 Jun 1909 p 2

NEWS OF SURVIVORS ANXIOUSLY AWAITED

Several Long Island Young
Men on Board Ill Fated
Tuscania.

MANY PATHETIC SCENES

Telegraph Offices in Metro-
politan District Besieged
During Day.

All through the metropolitan territory yesterday scores anxiously awaited tidings concerning the fate of those near and dear to them who were on the ill fated Tuscania. In the few instances where the Government's scanty list of names of survivors included those belonging to local families, there were pathetic scenes.

Long Island was especially affected, as many of its young men were in the 213th Aero Squadron, which trained at Mineola. Members of this organization were gleaned from Sea Cliff, Glen Cove, Oyster Bay, Flushing, Mineola and Brooklyn.

Also in the squadron were two men from Greenwich, Conn., and five from Portchester. Among the officers on the transport of whom no word had been received yesterday, was Lieut. **Robert E. Brady** of the 100th Aerial Squadron, who before enlisting was manager of the University Press Association at 230 Broadway.

Lieut. Brady's home is at Katonah, N. Y., and he is a son of James Brady, a retired merchant of that town. He is a graduate of Harvard and studied flying at Mineola and Texas. He was formerly in the advertising department of Doubleday, Page & Co., and has an uncle in White Plains reputed to be one of its wealthiest residents.

Robert Elmer Brady – "New York Herald" Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 3

Partial List of Survivors of the Tuscania

Millard Brooks, Brunot, Mo.
Robert E. Brady, Katonah, N. Y.
William E. Boughner, 414 Town-
send street, Birmingham, Mich.
Oscar Bjork, 15 Pond street, Chip-
pewa Falls, Wis.

"Brooklyn (NY) Times Union" Sunday 10 Feb 1918 p 8

ULSTER CO. BOYS

ON THE TUSCANIA

Ulster County had a boy on the Tuscania, and he was among those saved, Floyd W. Longyear, of Shokan. There are two other Ulster County boys known to have been on the Tuscania. They are Private H. Avery and First Lieutenant Robert E. Brady of Katonah. Inasmuch as their names have not yet appeared on the lists of rescued their fate is unknown.

Private Allen O. Abrahams, of Maybrook was also on the ill-fated ship but whether he was among those landed safely in Ireland is not known.

"Poughkeepsie (NY) Eagle News" Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 8

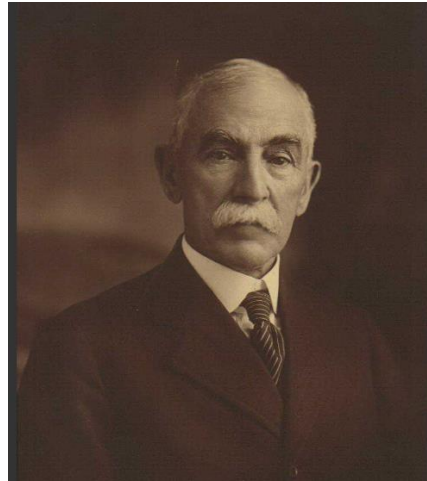
There are 20 New Yorkers whose names were on the original official passenger list given out by the War Department at Washington several days ago, and who have not yet been accounted for in the official passenger list. These include:

Robert E. Brady, First Lieutenant, Katonah.

George V. Zimmerman, private, New Rochelle.

"Yonkers (NY) Statesman" Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 1

Father:



Joseph Orser Brady Jr. - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/75604953/person/132125684566/media/7c8eb731-a312-4f80-a400-9b564f00a745>

Mother:



Harriet Miller Brady & Joseph Orser Brady Jr. - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/75604953/person/132125483647/media/f5747766-980f-4898-b437-3f4c9b40f41a>

Mrs. Joseph Brady

Scarsdale Man's Mother

KATONAH—Mrs. Harriet Miller Brady, widow of Joseph Brady and member of a Westchester pioneer family, died in her eighty-ninth year Saturday at her home on Bedford Road.

Surviving are two sons, Robert E. Brady, Katonah, and Louis S. Brady, Scarsdale.

One of Mrs. Brady's ancestors, William Miller, was chairman of the Committee of Safety of Westchester in 1807.

"Yonkers (NY) Herald Statesman" Monday 16 Aug 1943 p 2

Harriet E. Brady of Katonah, who died Aug. 14, left \$6,000 real and \$2,500 personal property. Her son, Robert E. Brady of Katonah, receives the residue and George J. Brady, Harriet B. Bonney and Emily B. Boney, grandchildren, all of 42 Walworth Avenue, Scarsdale, \$100 each.

"White Plains (NY) Reporter Dispatch" Wednesday 25 Aug 1943 p 6

Sibling:



Brother Louis Samuel Brady (1883-1958) - (<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/75604953/person/132125684706/media/6e0be951-7c8b-42cb-b386-142bb44dd3a0>)

LOUIS SAMUEL BRADY
HILLSALE — Louis Samuel Brady, former Walworth Ave., Scarsdale, resident and retired vice president of the Bankers Trust Co., in New York, died yesterday at Columbia Memorial Hospital.

"Port Chester (NY) Daily Item" Friday 25 Jul 1958 p 20

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Robert Elmer Brady

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 100th Aero Squadron, then American Students Detachment, University of Paris – 1st lieutenant

Serial number: Army officers were not assigned serial numbers in WWI

Entered service from: Katonah, Westchester NY

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: Robert E. Brady

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: as Robert E. Brady - NOK father Joseph Brady, Katona (sic) NY

Returned from war: Was discharged from US Army on 25 Jul 1919 at Gièvres, France. Then had residence at 4 rue de Chevreuse, Paris, while sent by American Red Cross to do relief work in Albania & the Balkan States. Sailed from Cherbourg, France, on 20 Apr 1921, aboard SS *Adriatic*, arriving in NYC on 29 Apr 1921.

Sailed on return ship as: Robert E. Brady

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: not applicable, no longer in Army

World War I draft registration (1917):

National Tuscania Survivors Association 1939 roster: Katonah NY

World War II draft registration (1942): as Robert Elmer Brady - b. 18 Jun 1885 Katonah NY; res: 42 Bedford Rd., Katonah, Westchester NY. NOK Louis S. Brady, 44 Walworth Ave., Scarsdale NY. “not regularly employed (free lance writer)” – employed as “newspaper man.” Height: 5’7” – 150 lbs. “Scars on left hand – arm – side / operation”

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 7 Sep 1917

Discharged 25 Jul 1919 [according to other documents, in Gievres, France]

Address: Katonah NY

Rank/unit: 1st lieutenant, 100th Aero Squadron / 2nd Army, France

NY Army Card - 1st lt. as of 7 Sep 1917, called from ORC Jul 1917. Resident of Katonah NY. Born Katonah NY 19 Jun 1885. 100th Aero Squadron until discharge. Stationed in San Antonio TX & with AEF. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to discharge. Honorable discharge 25 Jul 1919.

In Aviation Section, Signal Corps 27 Aug 1917 – 11 Sep 1917, in 100th Aero Squadron 12 Sep 1917 – 28 Feb 1919 – in American Students Detachment, University of Paris 1 Mar 1919 to discharge

Birth & death:

Born: 19 Jun 1885 Katonah, Westchester NY (18 Jun 1885 Vets Admin Military Index)

Died: 15 Aug 1951 Manhattan, New York Co. NY

Find A Grave record: 86943661, presence on Tuscania noted in flower

Burial location: Bedford, Westchester Co. NY

Cemetery: Union

Tombstone:

Father: Joseph Orser Brady Jr., 1851 Bedford, Westchester NY – 21 Jun 1939 Bedford, Westchester NY.

Son of Joseph Orser Brady Sr. & Clara N. Hoyt. Buried in Union Cemetery, Bedford, Westchester NY, with wife, 2 sons & daughter-in-law.

Find A Grave: 86943585

Mother: Harriet (Hattie) Miller Brady, Oct 1855 NY – 14 Aug 1943 Bedford, Westchester NY. Daughter of Hyde L. (Hurd) Miller & Mary (Polly) Hoyt. Buried in Union Cemetery, Bedford, Westchester NY, with husband, 2 sons & daughter-in-law.

Find A Grave: 86943518

Parents' marriage: 1878

Spouse:

Spouse Find A Grave:

Children:

Siblings:

- Louis Samuel Brady. 3 May 1883 Katonah, Westchester NY – 24 Jul 1958 Bedford, Westchester NY. A bank officer when he married Eva Ethel Maud McPherson (1882-1939, F: 86943471), whom he married 8 Sep 1908 in Grenville, Ontario, Canada. Vice-president of Bankers Trust Co. Both buried in Union Cemetery, Bedford, Westchester NY, with his parents & brother Robert. F: 86943614.

Notes: message to Stephen Schwartz from Robert's great-niece that he studied at the Sorbonne in Paris, France, before his discharge from the Army & later became a journalist for the "New York Times." Other documents verify he studied at the Sorbonne for 3 months, then worked for the Red Cross, in charge of a unit in Albania.

Wartime:

Full text of "Harvard's military record in the world war"

Brady, Robert Elmer, A.B. '09. Commissioned 1st lieutenant Aviation Section, Signal Corps August 27, 1917; assigned to 100th Aero Squadron. Kelly Field, Texas, September 12 and assumed officer in command; detailed to Hazelhurst Field, N.Y., October 18; sailed for England January 24, 1918; attached to Royal Air Force (British) in England in February;

to 2d Army A.E.F., France, in August; detailed to American Students' Detachment, University of Paris, March 1, 1919; discharged July 25, 1919 in France.

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From "Harvard's Military Record in the Great War" p 111 - Robert Elmer Brady, B.A., 1909, Harvard University, commissioned 1st lieutenant in Aviation Section, Signal Corps, 27 Aug 1917. Assigned to 100th Aero Squadron, Kelly Field TX 12 Sep 1917. Designated officer in command; detailed to Hazelhurst Field NY 18 Oct 1917. Sailed for England 24 Jan 1918. Attached to Royal Air Force (British) in England in Feb 1918. Sent to 2nd Army AEF in France in Aug 1918. Detailed to American Students Detachment, University of Paris, 1 Mar 1919. Discharged 25 Jul 1919 in France.

Commissioned officer 27 Aug 1917 – 1st lieutenant on 7 Sep 1917

"NY Evening World" 8 Feb 1918 p 4 - son of Joseph Brady, Katonah merchant, listed as Robert S. Brady, Harvard graduate 1903, manager of University Press Assn., 280 Broadway, Manhattan

NY, WWI Veterans' Service Data, 1913-1919 – a form sent by NY State Department of Education to compile an Honor Roll of WWI service: Robert Elmer Brady, b. 18 Jun 1885 Katonah NY, resident Katonah NY, home address at time entered service was Katonah NY. Enlisted 27 Aug 1917 in Washington DC. Trained at Kelly Field, San Antonio TX. Branch of service: Army. 1st Lieutenant, Air Service, 2nd Army AEF, 100th Aero Squadron. Arrived overseas 5 Feb 1918; had sailed on Tuscania. Discharged 25 Jul 1919 Gièvres, France. Left blank answers to war engagements, wounds, hospitals, citations & decorations.

Post-war:

Passport application at US Passport Bureau, Paris, France – on 4 Sep 1919 – Robert Elmer Brady, age 34, b. Katonah NY on 18 Jun 1885. Father: Joseph Brady, b. Katonah NY, resident Katonah NY. Discharged from US Army at Giévres, France, on 25 Jul 1919. Legal domicile Katonah NY. Temporary residence 4 rue de Chevreuse, Paris. Left US on 24 Jan 1918 for 7 months in France. On Aug 1918 resident in France for purpose of relief work on behalf of Red Cross. Resided outside the US in England Feb 1918 to Aug 1918, in France 1918-1919. Will return to US within 1 year. Will visit France & Italy en route to Albania & Balkan States for Red Cross work. Height 5' 7". His identification documents included "Army Discharge shoging [sic/showing] applicant to have been First Lieutenant in US Army Air Service" & letter from Red Cross.

Passport application at US Department of State, Washington DC – 4 Sep 1919 - Robert Elmer Brady, age 34, b. Katonah NY on 18 Jun 1885. Father: Joseph Brady, b. Katonah NY, resident Katonah NY. Discharged from US Army at Giévres, France, on 25 Jul 1919. Legal domicile Katonah NY. Temporary residence 4 rue de Chevreuse, Paris. Left US on 24 Jan 1918. Arrived in France Aug 1918, relief work for Red Cross. Resided outside the US in England Feb 1918 to Aug 1918, in France 1918-1919. Will return to US within 1 year. Will visit France, Italy & Switzerland en route to Albania & Balkan States for Red Cross work. Requested swift processing.

Returned from Europe on SS *Adriatic*, leaving Cherbourg, France, on 20 Apr 1921 & arriving NYC on 29 Apr 1921. Robert E. Brady, age 35, single, b. 18 Jun 1885 Katonah NY.

Obituary:

Social Security Number: 017-09-6367

A brave soul! Sailed on *Tuscania II* from Le Havre, France, on 25 Aug 1926, arriving in NYC on 3 Sep 1926. Brady, Robert Elmer – 42 years 11 months (?), single, b. 18 Jun 1885 NYC. Residence: 21 W. 8th St., New York City NY

Social Security Number: 017-09-6367

Censuses:

1880 Bedford, Westchester NY

Joseph Brady, 27 NY, parents b. NY, baker

Harriet, 25 NY, parents b. NY, keeping house

& 3 boarders

1900 Union, Broome NY – 26 Baldwin [father Joseph not listed here]

Harriet Brady, 34 NY, Oct 1855, parents b. NY, married, married for 22 years, boarding house proprietor, gave birth to 2 children, 2 are living

Robert E., 14 NY, Jan 1885, at school

& servant & 7 boarders

1900 Bedford, Westchester NY – father Joseph living with his parents
 Joseph O. Brady, 76 NY, Jan 1824, parents b. NY, married 30 years, dealer, provisions
 Susan, 57 NY, Dec 1842, parents b. NY, gave birth to zero children [wife]
 Joseph Jr., 47 NY, Sep 1852, parents b. NY, married [number of years married not listed],
 baker [son]

1905 NY state census – Bedford, Westchester NY
 Joseph Brady, 52 US, butcher
 Harriet L., 50 US, housework
 Louis S., 22 US, bank clerk
 Robert E., 19 US, at school
 & boarder Anna E. Van Tassel, 43 US, railroad clerk

1910 Bedford, Westchester NY – Edgemon Rd.
 Joseph Brady [also indexed as Brody], 57 NY, parents b. NY, in 1st marriage, meat market
 Harrel E., 55 NY, parents b. NY, gave birth to 2 children, 2 are living
 Robert L., 25 NY, no occupation
 Female servant & 4 boarders

1915 NY state census – Bedford, Westchester NY
 Joseph O. Brady, 62 US, butcher
 Harriet E., 60 US, housework
 Robert E., 30 US, salesman
 Helen Russell, 19 US, school
 \& servant Esty Portor, 29 Hungary & 5 lodgers

1920 American Red Cross, in Europe – line 92
 Robert E. Brady, 34 NY, b. Katonah [spelled Katomah], parents b. NY, single, publisher

1925 NY state census – Bedford, Westchester NY – Bedford Rd.
 Joseph Brady, 72 US, butcher
 Harriett E., 70 US, housewife
 Robert E., 39 US, reporter on [lines? Not decipherable]

1930 Bedford, Westchester NY – 82 Bedford Rd.
 Joseph Brady, 77 NY, parents b. NY, age 25 at 1st marriage
 Harriett E., 75 NY, parents b. NY, age 23 at 1st marriage
 3 boarders (2 female, 1 male)
 Robert E. Brady, 44 NY, single, critic, music, WWI veteran [their son]

1940 Bedford, Westchester NY – Bedford Rd. – same house in 1935 for the Bradys
 Harriet M. Brady, 85 NY
 Robert E. Brady, 54 NY, single, writer, newspaper [son]

Matilda E. Merrifield, 62 NY, companion/housekeeper, private home, in 1935 in Philmont, Columbia NY

1950 cannot locate