

# TUSCANIA

## Brown, Ernest Clarence 1887 KS – 1948 CA

BROWN ERNEST CLARENCE		AC 1 668 747
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Ssn 251 391	Died 11-22-48	T 535 195
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U. S. VETERANS BUREAU  
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## Ernest Clarence Brown

Vital • California Death Index, 1940-1997

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EDIT

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Name **Ernest Clarence Brown**  
 Sex **Male**  
 Father's Name **[Brown](#)**  
 Mother's Name **[Montgomery](#)**  
 Event Type **Death**  
 Event Date **22 Nov 1948**  
 Event Place **Madera, California, United States**  
 Event Place (Original) **MADERA**  
 Birth Date **10 Jan 1887**  
 Birthplace **Kansas**

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BORN - Kansas

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NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) BROWN ERNEST C.		U. S. REGIMENT, STATE ORGANIZATION, AND DIVISION 1st. Supply Train, Army	
DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year) Jan. 10, 1887	DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Year) Nov. 22, 1948	LOCATION (City and State) Madera, California	
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Life:

# DEWEY COUNTY'S SOLDIERS ARE DRAFTED

The Exemption Board of Dewey County has completed the list of names which call the first 212 men for examination. They have been notified by mail and will report to the county board here beginning with the first contingent of sixty men next Saturday. The next division will report for examination on Monday and the remainder in the first call will be examined Tuesday.

Dewey County is required to furnish 105 men exclusive of the volunteers who enlisted before the registration. Acting upon the advice of the War Department, the local board has drawn twice the number needed, so that with the expected fifty per cent discharges on account of exemptions, they will have the required quota. In the event however, that more than fifty per cent of the men summoned fail to qualify, the next men in order on the draft will be ordered to report for examination.

For the benefit of the young men in the various parts of the county who have been selected as our first fighting men, we are publishing a complete list of all names and numbers drawn in the first call. The serial number is given first and the draft number after each name.

Serial No.	Name	Address	Draft No.
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749	Charlie Hunter,	Lenora,	91
525	Eddie M. Jackson,	Vici,	92
760	W. G. Epperly,	Camargo,	93
183	J. -H. Williams,	Thomas,	94
56	Ernest C. Brown,	"	95
792	William R. Coons,	Seiling	96
5	J. C. Blackwell,	Camargo,	97
350	Robert A Nall,	Trail,	98
54	William G. Berry,	Taloga,	99
870	C. E. Gaylord,	Seiling,	100





## *On Their Way to Camp Travis*

More of County's Quota on Way to  
Training Camp and Berlin



The third contingent of Dewey County's soldiers left today by way of Canton, over the Orient for the training camp near San Antonio, Tex. This makes a total of 75 of the 105 young men from Dewey who will train for active service—whether they get it or not—over the big pond. Those who have gone on before seem to be playing their new role of life in a matter-of-fact way and in a philosophical manner, believing that nothing lasts, why worry.

Upon information that the boys would pass through Seiling on their way to the train, ar-

In France, or near, by Christmas,  
In the trenches there next spring;  
In the wake of fleeing Germans  
We'll make our bullets sing.

That you may remember the boys who go, we are giving here a list of names:

Roy Burchett, Clyde C. Jaquith, Roy A. Cornwell, Harry F. Goss, Ralph A. Taylor, George D. Redinger, Wilber J. Alkire, Ralph A. DePugh, Harry G. Clow, Seiling; William B. Barton, Jerome Cole, Lester M. Sauter, Jesse N. Page, John W. Quattlebaum, Foster Jones, Jesse C. Rountree, Albert L. Forsythe, Leede; Thomas H. Grimes, Lawrence E.

rangements were made for the school to march down town in a body and sing on the street. The different rooms grouped four abreast and came down like a small army; lined up on the east side of Main street and as soon as a photograph could be made of the soldiers-to-be and as they were taking their leave the school sang America and was dismissed for the forenoon.

The Red Cross ladies pinned a bouquet of flowers on each one of the boys who were also given a badge on which was printed, "Wise Today, Tomorrow Wiser—On Our Way to Swat the Kaiser, Dewey County Boys;" at the instigation and expense of Dan R. Wright of Taloga.

At Canton a splendid demonstration was given, in which the schools had a part, and as the train pulled out carrying a hundred or more from up the line on their way to the camp the fine spirit of the boys was plainly evident and proof that if they ever

do have to face the enemy on foreign soil they will prove every inch men.

Not one of them have any disposition to show the white feather and we can and do feel justly proud of our boys. Every one of them feel that if it comes to the real thing it will or may be

McCool, Lenora; Everett E. Brown, Joseph P. Smiley, Trail.

Jesse L. Estee, Wm. R. Terrell, Orville D. Parks, Maurice D. Miller, Earl Lopshire, S. Francis Reisdorph, Wm. G. Greenfield, Camargo.

Earnest C. Brown, Thomas; Chas. H. Crabb, Rhea; Everett E. Van-Winkle, Leonel; Frederick E. Reynolds, Canton.

John F. Gilbert, Leo M. Kopp, Glen W. Ruddell, Putnam.

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Willis A. Davis, George Lord, Eddie M. Jackson, James A. Dyke, Fred G. Terrell, George P. Hewes, Vici.

Roy F. Jason, John W. Freeman, Wm. W. Mitchel, Ernest Yehle, Chas. H. Dolander, Clay W. Houts, Oakwood.

Claud Franklin Hedges, Cestos; Richard R. Johnson, Fay; Roy Hawley, Thomas; Walter J. Dawson, Cestos; Jesse W. Howard, Taloga; George T. Tolle, Cestos; Robt. C. Star, Fay; Archie M. Murdy, John Renfrow.



City. | RICHARDSON PETERS, Ravina. | WILLIAM W. WRIGHT, Bismark.

The following list contains the names of Oklahoma men known definitely to be among the saved, according to cablegrams reaching the war department:

WILL E. ARMSTRONG, Cement.

**B.**

ALLEN W. BARNETT, Comanche.  
 ARTHUR G. BERRY, Orlando.  
 JAMES C. BLACKBURN, Shawnee.  
 SILAS J. BUMPASS, Corinne.  
 MACK BAILEY, New Wilson.  
 ALBERT J. BENGE, Frederick.  
 TOM BOONE, Fairfax.  
 LOUIS D. BAKER, Okarche.  
 CHARLES BARTHOLOMEW, Glencoe.  
 ELMER L. BASINGER, Tuttle.  
 JOHN C. BATE, Stillwater.  
 WAYNE H. BOX, Coweta.  
 HENRY S. BURLSON, Minco.  
 OTTO BUSSAMUS, Indianola.  
 RUEL BLAGG, Weatherford.  
 ERNEST C. BROWN, Thomas.  
 JACK BRACKETT, Woodward.  
 OLVIN BINKLEY, Ralston.  
 NOLLIS BUNNUP, Eagletown.

**C.**

"Daily Oklahoman" (Oklahoma City OK) Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 1

## Custer Co. Boys On the Tuscania

There were three Custer county boys on the Tuscania, the troop transport that was torpedoed and sunk off the coast of Ireland last week.

Ruel Blagg of Weatherford, Ernest C. Brown of Thomas and Frank T. Allen of Independence.

The two former are definitely known to be among the list of survivors, and the name of the latter was among those missing, according to Monday morning's report.

Tuesday's dispatches show that Frank T. Allen of Independence was also among those rescued.

"Clinton (OK) Messenger" Thursday 14 Feb 1918 p 1

**GET YOUR**  
**HARNESS OILED**

You can't afford to let your harness ruin for want of oil. Our price is right and our guarantee is behind our work.

¶ Special attention given to all kinds of repair work, including shoes. Get your shoes repaired and save money.

**Returned Soldier**

ERNEST C. BROWN, recently returned from France, has entered my employ. He is a first-class harness maker. Bring us your work.

**C. H. BUCHANAN**  
THOMAS, OKLAHOMA

"Thomas (OK) Tribune" Thursday 30 Oct 1919 p 4

Father:



**Obituary.**

Died: At the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alfus Moore, near Thomas, Okla., June 5th, 1911, Mr. George P. Brown, age 75 year, 6 months and 28 days.

The deceased was born in Bangor Me., in 1835. He moved to Cass County Illinois in 1853 where he joined the Presbyterian church.

On September 23, 1861 he was married to Mary E. Montgomery. To this union were born eleven children, of whom five sons and one daughter survive him. His companion preceded him to the better world October 7, 1907.

Bro. Brown served his country during the Civil war, enlisting in Company E. 108 Ill. Volunteer Infantry, and remained with his regiment till his discharge on August 5, 1865. The same year he settled in Crawford County, Kansas and in 1886 removed to Greenwood County where for many years he engaged in the hardware business in Piedmont.

During the twenty years of his residence in this community he was respected and loved by all. When he removed to Oklahoma he re-joined with the Presbyterian church and remained a faithful member until his death.

The funeral was conducted in the Methodist church by the pastor. In the case of the deceased the words of the text seemed very applicable: "He looked for a city which hath foundations, whose builder and maker is God."

The remains were shipped to Piedmont, Kans., and interred beside those of his wife, the casket being borne by his comrades in the army.

E. W. McDonald,  
Pastor M E Church.

"Binger (OK) Journal" Friday 15 Jun 1911 p 8

Saturday night. G. P. Brown's hardware store at Piedmont was burglarized of \$35 worth of knives and razors.

"Eureka (KS) Herald" Friday 10 Aug 1900 p 1

Mr. G. P. Brown, hardware and furniture merchant at this place is absent this week visiting his children in Oklahoma. His store is being conducted by his son John.

He's a hardware merchant, some family are in OK – but who is son John? – “Severyite”  
(Severy KS) Thursday 29 Oct 1903 p 8

## AN OLD MAP.

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Map of Twenty-One Years Ago Shows  
Remarkable Changes Wrought in  
Coal District Since Then.

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E. W. Alberty has hanging in his office one of the first maps made of Crawford county. The map is a curiosity in many ways. It was published in 1883, over twenty years ago, by F. A. Hill. One of the striking things first noticed in observing the map is the difference in the appearance of Baker and Washington townships. These townships, which are now thickly dotted with coal shafts and coal camps, some of them towns of considerable pretensions, were then thinly settled and the map which now shows numerous towns and coal camps in these townships, showed then only farms.

There were only two coal camps in the county outside of Pittsburg, which was then little more than a camp. They were Litchfield and Midway.

The old map shows that where the thriving town of Frontenac now stands, was nothing but farm land. The land was not even owned by coal companies, not being reckoned as of any value as coal land.

J. C. Armstrong and R. J. Herrin owned the farms north of the section line which is now Frontenac's main street. E. J. Denmar owned the land south of the section line. J. J. Leach owned the land southeast of the section corner, now the street car terminus, and R. J. Herron owned an entire quarter section which is now covered with the camp.

The land upon which Chicopee now stands was then owned by several farmers. H. E. Giddings and C. S. Jennis owned the land north of the section line and G. P. Brown owned that south of the line. The only semblance of the approaching settlement was a district school house which stood at the corner where the post-office in Chicopee now stands.

Fleming stands on land then owned by Thos. Shaw, Willis White, Matthias Later and L. K. Smith.

W. C. Franklin owned nearly all of the section, upon the southwest corner of which Arma now stands.

Englevale now stands on land then owned by J. J. Engle, David Dick and Jos<sup>N</sup> E. Martin.

Two farmers named E. C. and W. T. Boaz had eighties where Yale camp now stands.

The land where Cornell camp is now located, and where the Bolen-Darnell coal properties are located, was not then claimed, being considered too poor to cultivate and worthless. It now sells for \$150 an acre.

The old map shows that Pittsburg at that time covered about half a section. The Frisco railroad was almost at the southern boundary of the town. A little settlement of East Pittsburg was a mile east of the eastern limits of Pittsburg, the Lone Elm Mining & Smelting Co. owning the intervening land.

The Lone Elm Co. also owned all of the southwest part of what is now the city, including the principal residence part of the city as it now is.

The Rogers Coal Co. then owned nearly all of the southeast part of the city as it now exists.

There were two railroads into Pittsburg then, the Girard and Joplin and the Gulf. The Santa Fe, or Southern Kansas, run from Chanute to Girard, but stopped at the latter place.

On the old map are given the advertisements of the leading business men of that day. Among the ads are the following from Pittsburg:

Blake & Ford, F. D. Gill, J. W. Jennings and J. M. Hamlin, all in the real estate business. H. R. Thurston, lawyer. Geo. F. Keener, lumber dealer. F. W. Henry, furniture and lumber. Fletcher & Boaz, attorneys. C. H. Strong, physician and surgeon. J. W. Magie and H. G. Magie, farmers. P. Carlton, coal dealer. W. H. Houghton and J. Shawger, farmers.

Not one of these old firms are still engaged in business in Pittsburg, all having retired, moved away, or passed beyond.

"Pittsburg (KS) Daily Headlight" Thursday 14 Jan 1904 p 3

**G. P. Brown of Piedmont orders his MESSENGER sent to Bingen Oklahoma. We understand he will embark in the harness business.**

"Eureka (KS) Democratic Messenger" Thursday 31 Mar 1905 p 4

Mother:



## Illinois, Marriage Index, 1860-1920

View record

Name Mary E Montgomery  
 Gender Female  
 Marriage Date 23 Sep 1861  
 Marriage Place Cass, Illinois, USA  
 Spouse Name George P Brown  
 Spouse Gender Male

Mary Emily Montgomery Brown - <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/108517970/person/102138364545/facts>

Siblings:

**Standard Certificate of Death** State File No. 5403  
 Local Registrar's No. 173

**1. PLACE OF DEATH** AUG 17 1945  
 (a) County Klamath  
 (b) City or town Klamath Falls  
 (c) Name of hospital or institution Hillside Hospital  
 (d) Length of stay in hospital or institution 5 weeks  
 (e) Length of stay in this community 25 yrs in state 25 yrs

**2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED:**  
 (a) State Oregon (b) County Klamath  
 (c) City or town Klamath Falls  
 (d) Street No. 604 North Ninth St.  
 (e) If foreign born, how long in U.S.A.?

**3. (a) FULL NAME** Byron Ezra Brown  
 (b) If veteran, NE  
 (c) Social Security NE  
 (d) Sex M race W (e) Color or NE  
 (f) Name of husband or wife Maggie Brown (g) Age of husband or wife 77 years  
 (h) Birth date of deceased September 1 1866  
 (i) Age: Years 78 Months 10 Days 21 If less than one day, specify hours and minutes.

**4. Birthplace** Pittsburg Kansas (State or foreign country)  
**5. Usual occupation** Farming  
**6. Industry or business** Retired  
**7. Name** George P. Brown  
**8. Birthplace** Bangor Maine (State or foreign country)  
**9. Maiden name** Emily Montgomery  
**10. Birthplace** No Record Kentucky (State or foreign country)

**11. Informant's own signature** Maggie Brown  
**(b) Address** 604 N. Ninth St. K. Falls  
**12. Burial** 7/27/45 (b) Date thereof (Month, Day, Year)  
**(c) Place: burial** Mt. Lak 1 Cemetery  
**(d) Signature of funeral director** Ed. White  
**(e) Address** Klamath Falls, Oregon

**13. (a) 7/25/45** (b) P. N. Reynolds  
 (State or foreign birth) (Registrar's Signature)

**14. MEDICAL CERTIFICATION**  
**15. Date of death:** Month July Day 22nd Year 1945 Hour 6 Minute 10 P.M.  
**16. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from** July 7 to July 22, 1945 that I last saw him alive on July 21, 1945 and that death occurred on the date and hour stated above.  
 Immediate cause of death Arterial accident 7-20-45  
 Due to generalized arteriosclerosis  
 Due to Design, prostate  
 Other conditions hypertrophy & urinary obstruction  
 Of autopsy Underline the cause to which death should be charged statistically

**17. If death was due to external causes, fill in the following:**  
 (a) Accident, suicide, or homicide (specify)  
 (b) Date of occurrence  
 (c) Where did injury occur? (City or town) (County) (State)  
 (d) Did injury occur in or about home, on farm, in industrial place, in public place, or while at work? (Specify type of injury)  
**18. Signature** E. J. McIntire 7-23-45  
**Address** McIntire, Or. Date signed

OR death record – brother Byron Ezra Brown (1866-1945) – Find A Grave 24037511



#### OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Byron E. Brown, who reside on the Merrill highway, observed their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday afternoon, December the thirty-first, at their home. Many friends called to offer congratulations during the day.

—Picture by Wesley Guderian  
of The Herald and News.

“Klamath Evening Herald” (Klamath Falls OR) Saturday 4 Jan 1941 p 6



Linked to Byron Ezra Brown – who would appear to be the man at far left – others not identified – his siblings? - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/191381139/person/112493355060/media/fcc4a9c8-9266-4993-bd11-d422ce64a25d?queryId=322be03d-4cc1-40c4-a9f1-118d692b17fc&phsrc=cPx21912&phstart=successSource>



**Front Row: Samuel Potter Latta, never married; Hannah Reed Latta, mother; William Anderson, father; Benjamin Franklin (Frank) Latta, never married**  
**Back Row: Mill Latta Ross, married to Wm. Ross; Marshall (Marsh) Ellsworth Latta, never married; Nell Latta, never married; Charles William Benjamin Latta, married Maggie Ghent; Margaret (Maggie) Latta Brown, married Byron Ezra Brown**  
**Missing, Peggy Ann Latta Brown, married to Leonard (Bert) Brown**  
**Picture courtesy of Sandy Johnston, Branch 1**

Brothers Byron Ezra Brown & Leonard Bert Brown married sisters Margaret (Maggie) Latta & Peggy Ann Latta - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/34210178/person/342027572398/media/07227f0d-12c5-4c5b-a5d2-e0006483f8a6>

# Kansas, County Marriages, 1811-1911



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Name **Byran E Brown**  
 Gender **Male**  
 Age **24**  
 Birth Date **abt 1866**  
 Marriage Date **30 Dec 1890**  
 Marriage Place **Greenwood, Kansas, USA**  
 Spouse **Maggie Latta**  
 Film Number **001783791**

**STATE OF KANSAS,**  
**GREENWOOD COUNTY.**

**Office of Probate Judge of Said County.**

**BE IT REMEMBERED,** That on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of Dec A. D. 1890, there was issued from the office of said Probate Judge, a Marriage License, of which the following is a true copy:

## **MARRIAGE LICENSE.**

Greenwood County, State of Kansas, Dec 29<sup>th</sup> A. D. 1890

To any Person Authorized by Law to Perform the Marriage Ceremony, Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to join in Marriage Byron E Brown  
 of Greenwood CO aged 24 years and Maggie Latta  
 of Greenwood CO aged 18 years and of this License you will make due return to my office within thirty days.

(Seal)

Allen Emerson Probate Judge.

And which said Marriage License was afterwards to wit: on the 6 day of Jan A. D. 1891, returned to said Probate Judge, with the following Certificate endorsed thereon, to wit:

**STATE OF KANSAS,**  
**GREENWOOD COUNTY.**

I, Geo B Craig do hereby certify, that in accordance with the authorization of the within License, I did, on the 30 day of December A. D. 1890 at Piedmont in said County, join and unite in marriage the within named Byron E Brown and Maggie Latta

WITNESS my hand and seal the day and year above written.

ATTEST:

Allen Emerson Probate Judge.

Geo B Craig  
Minister M.E.C.



<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/108517970/person/102138364542/facts>

**BYRON EZRA BROWN**  
 Funeral services for the late Byron Ezra Brown, who passed away in this city on Sunday, July 22, 1945, following an illness of several months will be held in the chapel of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine at Sixth, on Friday, July 27, 1945, at 3 p. m. with the Rev. P. C. Alderson, pastor of the Seventh Day Adventist church of this city officiating. Commitment services and interment in family plot in Mt. Laki cemetery. Friends are invited.

"Klamath Falls (OR) Herald & News" Wednesday 25 Jul 1945 p 4

**BYRON EZRA BROWN**  
 Byron Ezra Brown, a resident of Klamath Falls, Ore., for the last 23 years, passed away in this city on Sunday, July 22, 1945, at 6:10 p. m., following an extended illness. He was a native of Pittsburgh, Kas., and at the time of his death was aged 78 years, 10 months and 21 days. Surviving are his wife, Maggie Brown, this city; two sons, Jesse A., of Tulelake, Calif., and Ross H. Brown, this city; one daughter, Mrs. William (Blanche) Kaylor, this city; three brothers, George P., of Madera, Calif. Loren L., of Boise, Idaho, and Ernest Brown, of Oakland, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Rose Moore, of Thomas, Okla.; fifteen grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. The remains rest in the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home, Pine at Sixth, where friends may call after noon Tuesday. Notice of funeral to be announced at a later date.

"Klamath Falls (WI) Herald & News" Monday 23 Jul 1945 p 6

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## Benjamin F Brown

in the South Dakota, U.S., State Census, 1915



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### Detail Source

Name	Benjamin F Brown
Age	45
Birth Year	1870
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Place	Kansas
Nationality	American
Marital Status	Widowed
Marriage Year	1899
Spouse Name	Mary J Perry
Arrival Year in Country	1870
Arrival Year in State	1897
Arrival State	South Dakota
Arrival Country	USA
Father's Birth Place	New York
Mother's Birth Place	Indiana
FHL Film Number	2283173
Sheet Number	17
Residence in 1915	South Dakota, United States

Brother Benjamin Franklin Brown (1869-1920) - [https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/397676:60160?tid=108517970&pid=102138364539&queryid=dd4e6986-9783-4481-bad7-8ae080fae4d9&\\_phsrc=cPx21916&\\_phstart=successSource](https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/397676:60160?tid=108517970&pid=102138364539&queryid=dd4e6986-9783-4481-bad7-8ae080fae4d9&_phsrc=cPx21916&_phstart=successSource)



## Frank Brown

in the South Dakota, U.S., State Census, 1905




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Detail	Source
Name	Frank Brown
Gender	Male
Race	White
Marital Status	Married
Age	36
Birth Date	1869
Birth Place	Kansas
Years in State	8
Arrival Year in State (Estimated)	1897
Residence Place	South Dakota, United States
Years in United States	36
Arrival Year in the United States (Estimated)	1869
Father's Birthplace	New York
Mother's Birthplace	New York
FHL Film Number	2281139

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## Frank Brown

in the South Dakota, U.S., Death Index, 1879-1955



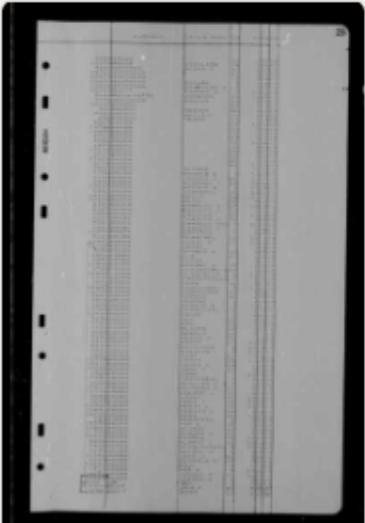
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Detail	Source
Name	Frank Brown
Death Date	10 Jan 1921
Death Place	Dewey, South Dakota, USA
Certificate Number	73635
Page number	118

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## Mary J Brown

in the South Dakota, U.S., Death Index, 1879-1955



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Detail	Source
Name	Mary J Brown
Death Date	7 Dec 1907
Death Place	Spink, South Dakota, USA
Certificate Number	9693
Page number	25

Mary Jane Perry Brown died 7 Dec 1907 Spink Co. SD -

[https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/290363:8659?tid=108517970&pid=102138363443&queryid=87b6b67f-72fa-4e80-a8c0-bda30cf33b60&\\_phsrc=cPx21938&\\_phstart=successSource](https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/290363:8659?tid=108517970&pid=102138363443&queryid=87b6b67f-72fa-4e80-a8c0-bda30cf33b60&_phsrc=cPx21938&_phstart=successSource)

# Mary J. Perry

Birth • Virginia, Library of Virginia State Archive, Births, Marriages, and Deaths 1853-1900

Name **Mary J. Perry**  
 Sex **Female**  
 Race **White**  
 Father's Name **[Minor G. Perry](#)**  
 Father's Sex **Male**  
 Father's Residence Place **Virginia, United States**  
 Mother's Name **[Sophina Perry](#)**  
 Mother's Sex **Female**  
 Event Type **Birth**  
 Event Date **2 January 1877** ✓  
 Event Place **Carroll, Virginia, United States**  
 Event Place (Original) **Carroll**

<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:6ZGF-6QTD>

SCHOOL CENSUS.				
District <u>Athol</u> No. <u>One</u> , Spink County, South Dakota.				
				ENUMERATOR.
<u>E. M. Sullivan</u> <u>School Clerk</u>				
NO.	PARENT OR GUARDIAN	MALES OF SCHOOL AGE	FEMALES OF SCHOOL AGE	AGE
1	<u>M. G. Perry</u>	<u>Elick Perry</u>	<u>'</u>	<u>18</u>
2	<u>" " "</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Mattie Perry</u>	<u>15</u>
3	<u>" " "</u>	<u>Emit Perry</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>13</u>
4	<u>" " "</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Lacie Perry</u>	<u>9</u>

1893 Athol, Spink SD school census - <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:33SQ-G581-9X21?view=index&personArk=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQK7Q-SYLM&action=view>

Return to County Superintendent.

## SCHOOL CENSUS.

*Athol* SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. *One*, SPINK COUNTY, STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA.  
*C. M. Sullivan* Enumerator.

<i>M. G. Perry</i>	<i>Ella Perry</i>	<i>Isma Perry</i>	<i>19</i>
		<i>Mollie Perry</i>	<i>16</i>
		<i>Jessie Perry</i>	<i>10</i>
	<i>Emmet Perry</i>		<i>13</i>
TOTAL.		TOTAL.	

I, *C. M. Sullivan*, Enumerator of *Athol* School District No. *One* Spink County, South Dakota, certify that the above is a true and correct enumeration of all the persons of school age (six years old and under twenty years), living in District No. *One* on the 1st day of May, 1894.  
*C. M. Sullivan* Enumerator.

1894 Athol, Spink SD school census - <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:33SQ-G581-9XDJ?view=index&personArk=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQK7Q-3MJG&action=view>

RETURN TO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1ST.

## SCHOOL CENSUS.

OF *Athol* SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. *1*, SPINK COUNTY, STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA.  
*E. J. Matteson* ENUMERATOR.

No.	PARENT OR GUARDIAN.	MALES OF SCHOOL AGE.	FEMALES OF SCHOOL AGE	AGE.
1	<i>M. Perry</i>	<i>Emmet Perry</i>	<i>Mollie Perry</i>	<i>18</i>
2				<i>16</i>
3			<i>Jessie Perry</i>	<i>18</i>
4		<i>Harvie Perry</i>		<i>8</i>

1897 Athol, Spink SD school census - <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:33SQ-G581-9NF4?view=index&personArk=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQK7Q-3Q2G&action=view>

### California, Death Index, 1940-1997

[View record](#)

Name George Perry Brown  
 Gender Male  
 Birth Date 27 Feb 1871  
 Birth Place Kansas  
 Death Date 17 May 1947  
 Death Place Madera  
 Mother's Maiden Name Montgomery  
 Father's Surname Brown

Brother George Perry Brown (1871-1947) - <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/108517970/person/102138364535/facts>

## G P Brown

in the Oklahoma, U.S., County Marriage Records, 1890-1995



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#### Detail Source

Name	G P Brown
Gender	Male
Age	36
Birth Date	abt 1871
Marriage Date	25 Dec 1907
Marriage Place	Frederick, Tillman, Oklahoma, USA
Spouse	Marnie Jackson
Film Number	002208599



**MARRIAGE LICENSE.**

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, Tillman COUNTY. IN COUNTY COURT.

To Any Person Authorized to Perform the Marriage Ceremony, Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to join in marriage Mr. G.P. Brown of Frederick, County of Tillman, State of Oklahoma, aged 26 years, and Miss Mamie Jackson, of Piedmont, County of Greenwood, State of Kansas, aged 25 years.

And of this License you will make due return to my office within thirty days from this date.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 25 day of Dec A. D. 1907.

T.E. Campbell County Judge.

Recorded this 26th day of Dec 1907.

T.E. Campbell  
County Judge

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**CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE.**

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, Tillman County, ss.

I, T.E. Campbell County Judge, County Seat of Frederick in Tillman County, State of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that I joined in marriage the persons named in and authorized by this License to be married, on the 25 day of Dec A. D. 1907, at Frederick in Tillman County, State of Oklahoma, in the presence of Joseph Curtis of Frederick and Wm. Curtis of Frederick.

T.E. Campbell  
County Judge

Returned and Recorded this 26th day of Dec 1907.

T.E. Campbell  
County Judge

[https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/63914802:61379?tid=108517970&pid=102138364535&queryid=37ca7d64-9464-4f27-a1e7-c3d6a49e869e&\\_phsrc=cPx22006&\\_phstart=successSource](https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/63914802:61379?tid=108517970&pid=102138364535&queryid=37ca7d64-9464-4f27-a1e7-c3d6a49e869e&_phsrc=cPx22006&_phstart=successSource)

#### California, Death Index, 1940-1997

View record

Name	Mamie M Brown
Social Security #	558789317
Gender	Female
Birth Date	8 May 1880
Birth Place	Indiana
Death Date	14 Feb 1976
Death Place	Fresno

George's wife Mamie Jackson Brown - <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/108517970/person/102138364623/facts>



**BROWN**, in Fresno, Feb 14, Mamie Brown. Survived by daughter Dorothy Dodgers of Fresno. 3 grandchildren. 2 great grandchildren. Foster daughter Ruth McKown. Funeral services will be held Wed. 2 p.m. in the JAY CHAPEL, Madera. Burial Arbor Vitae Cemetery.

"Fresno (CA) Bee" Tuesday 17 Feb 1976 p 47

are down from near 100 a short visit.  
G. P. Brown was called to Binker, Oklahoma, last week to see his son Bert who was dangerously sick. Later: Bert Brown a former Piedmont young man died at his home near Binger Saturday.

Brother Leonard (Bert) Brown (1873-1905) – "Eureka (KS) Herald" Thursday 27 Apr 1905 p 3

Leonard B. Brown and Annie Latta, both of Piedmont, were granted a marriage license on Thursday of last week.

"Eureka (KS) Democratic Messenger" Friday 20 Mar 1896 p 3

# Annie Latta

in the Kansas, U.S., County Marriage Records, 1811-1911



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## Detail Source

Name	Annie Latta
Gender	Female
Age	20
Birth Date	abt 1876
Marriage Date	14 Mar 1896
Marriage Place	Greenwood, Kansas, USA
Spouse	<a href="#">Leonard B Brown</a>
Film Number	001783791

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/900114985%3A61371>

G. P. Brown was called to Binker, Oklahoma, last week to see his son Bert who was dangerously sick. Later: Bert Brown a former Piedmont young man died at his home near Binger Saturday.

Went to Binger OK – “Eureka (KS) Herald” Thursday 27 Apr 1905 p 3

**Obituary.**

Bert Brown died about 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Latta, just west of town. He was sick about a week, and everything that could be done for him was done, but to no avail.

His aged father arrived Saturday evening from Kansas, and was able to be with him during his last hours.

Bert Brown was born in Kansas in 1873, and came to this neighborhood when the new country was opened. He was one of our most worthy and industrious farmers and held the respect of all who knew him. He leaves a wife and four children who have the sincere sympathy of the community.

Rev. Asa Countryman conducted the funeral services Monday afternoon at the Congregational church. A large audience was present, and many teams followed the corpse to its last resting place in the Murray cemetery.

## CHILDREN GO TO HUNT MOTHER AND FIND HER CORPSE

Binger, Ok., June 10.—(Spl.)  
—When the children of Mrs. Anna Brown, widow of Albert Brown, went to notify her that a neighboring woman was coming to call, they found the mother dead on the floor, a suicide from drinking strychnine during a spell of despondency. She lived on a farm and with the aid of her children had in a crop of corn and cotton.


Widow Anna Latta Brown, suicide – “Oklahoma News” (Oklahoma City OK) Thursday 10 Jun 1909 p 8 -<https://www.newspapers.com/image/582177892/>

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Married, at the Commercial hotel,  
Wednesday evening, by Probate Judge  
Worley, James A. Moore and Miss  
Rosa Brown, both of Piedmont, Ks.

Sister Rosa Lettie Brown Moore (1878-1966) – “Eureka (KS) Republican” Friday 22 Dec 1899 p 3

Kansas, County Marriages, 1811-1911

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[View record](#)

Name	Rosa L Brown
Gender	Female
Age	21
Birth Date	abt 1878
Marriage Date	20 Dec 1899
Marriage Place	Greenwood, Kansas, USA
Spouse	James A Moore
Film Number	001783791

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/108517970/person/102138364530/facts>

**Granted Diplomas.**  
The following is the list of those who were successful in the recent examinations held over the county for diplomas.

**MADISON.**  
Floyd Martin, Fred Johnson, Nina Kipp, Helen Braucher, Francis Long, Nina Long, Rena Brown, MableSharff.

"Eureka (KS) Herald" Tuesday 19 Apr 1904 p 1

Rena M. Brown (1881 - )

<p><b>Institute Attendance</b></p> <p>The following is the names with the number of days attendance at the last Greenwood County Teachers' Institute:</p>	<p><b>Margaret Vaughan, 17</b></p> <p><b>Rena Brown, 18</b></p> <p><b>Ethel Miller, 19</b></p>
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"Severyite" (Severy KS) Thursday 8 Jul 1909 p 5

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## Rites Held For Loren L. Brown

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday morning in the Lockstone Funeral Home Chapel for Loren L. Brown, 71, with Rev. Clarence Davis, of Okeene, officiating. He passed away Monday in the Thomas Memorial Hospital.

Born in Kansas, he had made his home with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Moore, of Thomas, for several years. He was quite active in the field of baseball and played professional baseball for a number of years.

Survivors include his sister, Mrs. J. A. Moore, Thomas, and several nieces and nephews. His father, mother seven brothers and two sisters preceeded him in death.

Burial was in the Mound Valley Cemetery with Lockstone Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



Brother Loren Lemuel Brown (1884-1956) – "Thomas (OK) Tribune" Thursday 16 Feb 1956 p 1

Oklahoma > Ash, Gilbert Benjamin - Deino, Bob > Brown, E K - Brown, Thomas Wilson

**REGISTRATION CARD—(Men born on or after April 28, 1877 and on or before February 16, 1897)**

<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b> U 1808	<b>1. NAME (Print)</b> Loren Lemuel Brown. (First) (Middle) (Last)	<b>ORDER NUMBER</b>
<b>2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print)</b> R F D 1- Thomas, Custer Co., Okla. (Number and street) (Town, township, village, or city) (County) (State)		
[THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON THE LINE ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]		
<b>3. MAILING ADDRESS</b> Same (Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same insert word same)		
<b>4. TELEPHONE</b>	<b>5. AGE IN YEARS</b> 58 <b>DATE OF BIRTH</b> Mar, 11, 1884 (Exchange) (Number) (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)	<b>6. PLACE OF BIRTH</b> Pittsburg, Kan. (Town or county) (State or country)
<b>7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS</b> Mrs. J. A. Moore, Thomas, Okla.		
<b>8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS</b> J A Moore, Thomas, Okla		
<b>9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS</b> Thomas, Okla. (Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)		
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.		
<b>D. S. S. Form 1</b> (Revised 4-1-42)	(over)	16-21630-2 <i>Loren L. Brown</i> (Registrant's signature)

**REGISTRAR'S REPORT**

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT			
RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION
White	5-10	160	Sallow
Negro			Light
Oriental			Huddy
Indian			Dark
Filipino			Freckled
			Light brown
			Dark brown
			Black

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification: None

I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:  
None to my knowledge.

Registrar for Local Board 1 Custer Co., Okla.  
(Number) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration: Local Board No. 1  
Custer County  
City Hall  
CUSTER, OKLAHOMA  
001

(The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the Registrant shall be placed in the above space)

16-21630-1

WWII draft registration -

[https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/1002/images/004139678\\_01345?pld=11930143](https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/1002/images/004139678_01345?pld=11930143)

**Abbreviations:**

b = born

d = died

F: = Find A Grave ([www.findagrave.org](http://www.findagrave.org))

NOK = next-of-kin

**Name: Ernest Clarence Brown**

Name variations: Earnest C. Brown (on Tuscania passenger list & WWI draft card)

Military:

On Tuscania: Camp Travis Det. 1, 165th Depot Brigade - private

Serial number: 251,391

Entered service from: Thomas, Custer OK

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Earnest C. Brown

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": sister Mrs. Rosa J. Moore, Thomas OK

Returned from war on: "Von Steuben" Aug 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Ernest C. Brown

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: sister Rosa Lettie Moore, RFD No. A, Thomas OK (pvt, Co. E, 1st Ammunition Train)

World War I draft registration (1917): As Earnest C. Brown - b. Jan ["don't know date"] 1887 Piedmont KS; res: Thomas, Dewey OK. Farming for self. Single. Claims exemption from draft: "yes – I can tender more service farming then [sic] at the front." Card is signed Earnest C. Brown. Short & slender.

National Tuscania Survivors Association 1939 roster: 111-1/2 E. Yosemite, Madera CA

World War II draft registration (1942): as Ernest Clarence Brown - b. 10 Jan 1887 Piedmont KS; res: 111 ½ Yosemite Ave., Madera, Madera CA. NOK Rose Moore, Thomas OK [his sister]. Self-employed at Yosemite address. Height 5'5 ½", 210 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 4 Oct 1917

Discharged 29 Sep 1919

Address: Thomas, Custer OK

Rank/unit: private, Co. E, 1<sup>st</sup> Ammunition Train

Veteran headstone application: serial 251,391, in service 4 Oct 1917 – 29 Sep 1919. 1<sup>st</sup>

Supply train, Army. B. 10 Jan 1887, d. 22 Nov 1948. Burial in Arbor Vitea [sic] Cemetery, Madera CA. Application signed by Veterans Service Officer, Madera [not a family member]

Birth & death:



Born: 10 Jan 1887 Piedmont, Greenwood KS

Died: 22 Nov 1948 Madera Co. CA

Find A Grave record: 65154381, presence on Tuscania noted in flower

Burial location: Madera, Madera CA

Cemetery: Arbor Vitae

Tombstone: veteran flat - Kansas Pvt 1 Sup Tn 1 Div WWI

Father: George Porter Brown, 9 Nov 1835 North Bangor, Franklin NY – 5 Jun 1911 Thomas, Custer OK.

Son of William Randall Brown & Eliza C. Wood.

Civil War soldier for the Union, in the 108<sup>th</sup> Illinois Volunteers.

Buried as G.P. Brown in Piedmont Cemetery, Piedmont, Greenwood KS.

Find A Grave: 54890748

Mother: Mary Emily Montgomery Brown, 17 Aug 1842 Louisville, Jefferson KY – 7 Oct 1907 Piedmont, Greenwood KS.

Buried in Piedmont Cemetery, Piedmont, Greenwood KS.

Find A Grave: 54890766

Parents' marriage: 23 Sep 1861 Cass Co. IL

Spouse:

Spouse Find A Grave:

Children:

Siblings: In his mother's Oct 1907 obituary, it said she gave birth to 11 children, 7 of whom survived her. In his father's Jun 1911 obituary, it said he was the father of 11 children, 6 of whom survived him.

- Byron Ezra Brown, 1 Sep 1866 Pittsburg, Crawford KS – 22 Jul 1945 Klamath Falls, Klamath OR. Died from "cerebral accident" – according to the death certificate on his Find A Grave record. Born in KS, moved to Caddo Co. OK in 1901 where he lived for 19 years, then moved to OR, married Maggie Latta at Piedmont KS 1891. - His wife was Margaret (Maggie) H. Latta (1868-1956, F: 24037649) whom he married 30 Dec 1890 in Greenwood Co. KS. She was the daughter of William Anderson Latta (1836-1914, F: 24046691) & Hannah Reed (1843-1924, F: 24046643). Maggie's sister (Peggy) Anna Latta married Byron Brown's brother Leonard Brown. - "Klamath News" (Klamath Falls OR) 5 Jan 1941 p 6 – photo – Mr. & Mrs. Byron E. Brown, who live on the Merrill highway, celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on 31 Dec 1940 at their home. - Buried in Mount Laki Cemetery, Lost River, Klamath OR. F: 24037511
- Benjamin Franklin Brown, 3 Jun 1869 Baker, Crawford KS – 10 Jan 1921 Timber Lake, Dewey SD. Used the name "Frank Brown." Online genealogies cite a death date of 10 Jan 1920 but "Frank Brown" was still alive when the 1920 census conducted 23/24 Jan 1920 in Timber Lake, Dewey SD. The SD death record indicates his death

occurred 10 Jan 1921 in Dewey Co. SD. - Frank married Mollie Jane Perry in SD in 1899. Mollie Jane [birth name: Mary Jane] was born in Carroll Co. VA on 2 Jan 1877 to Mina Griggs Perry (7 Dec 1845 Grayson Co. VA – 7 Sep 1913 Spink Co. SD, F: 50539158) & Sophina Bedsaul (ca. 1845 VA-by 1900). Mary J. Brown died 7 Dec 1907 in Spink Co. SD. She is buried in Athol Cemetery, Athol, Spink SD, F: 115062515 (on 28 Sep 2024, was listed as “Mrs. Frank Brown.” – Mollie’s father Mina (Miney) Perry had enlisted in the Confederate Army on 5 Mar 1862 in Carroll Co. VA, serving in the 29<sup>th</sup> VA Infantry. He “deserted to the enemy” on 15 Mar 1865 (a few weeks before the war ended) – and then moved to South Dakota. Mina & Sophina had married post-war in Carroll Co. VA, on 18 Aug 1867. In the 1885 SD state census for Spink Co. SD is listed Sophina Perry (wife) with children Charlott (16), Ruthy (14), Margie (12), Alexander (10), Mary (7), Emmot (age ?) & a daughter whose name is indicepherable (age 1), all born in VA. - Mina Perry is buried in Athol Cemetery, Athol, Spink SD, F: 50539188; it is believed his wife Sophina is buried there also. - In the 1900 census for Clifton, Spink SD, Frank Brown (30 KS, Jun 1869, father b. NY, mother b. KY, farmer) lived with wife Mary (22 VA, Dec 1887 – an obvious error as age 22 computes to a birthdate ca. 1878 -parents b. VA). They had been married zero years & she had borne zero children. In the household was Frank’s brother George P. Brown (29 KS, Feb 1871, father b. NY, mother b. KY, single, a farm laborer).- In 1910, Benjamin F. Brown (40 KS, father b. NY, mother b. IN, widowed) was a laborer on a railroad section. In his household in Athol, Spink SD were 3 of his children: Pearl (9 SD), Emma (8 SD) & Ernest (8 SD), whose father was born in KS & whose mother was born in VA. - In 1920, he was widowed, age 50, b. KS, a laborer & listed as the “partner” (roommate) of Jess Hogendyke (24 Belgium). The other 2 partners were Edward B. Rosbury (57 IL, harness maker, single) & Christian L. Jansen (28 Denmark, single, laborer). – Buried in Athol Cemetery, Athol, Spink SD as “Frank Brown.” F: 115061424

- George Perry Brown, 27 Feb 1871 Pittsburg, Crawford KS – 17 May 1947 Madera Co. CA. Shoemaker. In 1900, George lived with his married brother Benjamin Frank Brown (AKA “Frank Brown”) & his wife Mary Jane (Perry) Brown in Clifton, Spink SD. - Resident of Madera CA for 27 years when he died. – On 25 Dec 1907 in Frederick, Tilman OK, George married Mamie M. Jackson (8 May 1880 IN – 14 Feb 1976 Fresno, Fresno CA). According to Mamie Brown’s obituary, she too is buried in Arbor Vitae Cemetery but is not on Find A Grave as of 28 Sep 2024. - Survived by wife Mamie & 2 daughters. Survived by brothers Ernie Brown (Madera CA), Loren “Drown” (Brown) of OK & sister Mrs. J.A. Moore (OK). Buried in Arbor Vitae Cemetery, Madera, Madera CA. F: 187636036
- Lewis H. Brown, 1872 Kansas City, Wyandotte KS (?) – 27 Oct 1873 Kansas City, Jackson MO or Kansas City, Wyandotte KS. Tombstone reads son of G.P. & M.E. Brown. Buried in Langdon Lane Cemetery, Pittsburg, Crawford KS. F: 40803953
- Leonard (“Bert”/”Bent”/Albert) Brown, 1 Mar 1873 Pittsburg, Crawford KS – 23 Apr 1905 Binger, Caddo OK. Married on 14 Mar 1896 in Greenwood Co. KS to Peggy Anna Latta (who used the name Anna/Annie Latta) (20 Sep 1875 Severy, Greenwood KS – 30 May 1909 Binger, Caddo OK. Annie Latta’s sister Maggie Latta married

Leonard's brother Byron Brown. Leonard died at the home of Maggie & Anna's father. Anna was the daughter of William Anderson Latta (1842-1914, F: 24046691) & Hannah Reed (1843-1924, F: 24046643). Buried as Anna Brown in Binger Cemetery, Binger, Caddo OK, F: 66260533. Although her death date was 30 May 1909, she was found dead in her home in Binger OK by her children on 10 Jun 1909; she had committed suicide by drinking strychnine. - Obituary: "Binger (OK) Journal" 28 Apr 1905 p 1 – Bert Brown died about 4 p.m. Sunday (23 Apr 1905) at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. Latta, just west of town. He was sick about 1 week. His aged father arrived the evening of 22 Apr & was able to spend Bert's last hours with him. He was born in KS in 1878 & came here when the new country opened up. He was one of our most worthy & industrious farmers. A wife & 4 children survive him. His funeral was held 24 Apr at the Congregational Church, with burial in the Murray Cemetery. [this cemetery also known as the Binger Cemetery, Binger, Caddo OK. Tombstone reads L.B. Brown. F: 66260538

- Marion W. Brown, 7 Sep 1876 Pittsburg, Crawford KS – 29 Sep 1877 Pittsburg, Crawford KS. Tombstone lists parents as G.P. & M.E. Brown. Buried in Langdon Lane Cemetery, Pittsburg, Crawford KS. F: 40803961
- Rosa Lettie Brown Moore, 8 Feb 1878 Pittsburg, Crawford KS – 18 Nov 1966 Thomas, Custer OK. Married James Alpheus Moore (1874-1966, F: 19756325) on 20 Dec 1899 in Eureka, Greenwood KS at the Commercial Hotel. - Buried in Mound Valley Cemetery, Thomas, Custer OK. F: 18562155
- Rena M. Brown, Jun 1881 KS (according to 1900 census). Listed in the 1905 KS state census in Otter Creek, Greenwood KS with her family – which is the last confirmed record found for her. She does not appear in her father's Oct 1907 obituary.
- Loren Lemuel Brown, 11 Mar 1884 Pittsburg, Crawford KS – 13 Feb 1956 Thomas, Custer OK. His obituary reported he played professional baseball (level not indicated). Buried in Thomas OK, same cemetery as sister Rosa Moore: Mound Valley Cemetery, Thomas, Custer OK. F: 71466887

Notes:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Obituary:

Social Security Number: 558-32-4007

Censuses:

1870 Baker, Crawford KS

George Brown, 35 NY, farmer

Mary E., 28 KY, keeping house

Byron E., 4 KS

Benjamin, 1 KS

& farm laborer Samuel Smith, 20 IL

1880 Baker, Crawford KS

George Brown, 44 NY, father b. VT, mother b. NY, farmer

Mary, 39 KS, parents b. KS, keeping house

Byron, 13 KS, at school

Benjn., 11 KS, at school

George, 9 KS

Leonard, 7 KS

Rosa, 2 KS

1895 KS state census – Otter Creek, Greenwood KS

George P. Brown, 59 NY

Mary E., 52 KY

Rose, 16 KS

Rena, 13 KS

Loron L., 12 KS

Earnest C., 10 KS

Lenord Bert, 22 KS

Ben F., 25 KS

1900 Otter Creek, Greenwood KS

G.P. Brown, 64 NY, Nov 1835, father b. VT, mother b. NY, married 37 years, hardware

Mary E. 57 KY, Aug 1842, father b. WV, mother b. KY, gave birth to 10 children, 8 are living

Rena, 18 KS, Jun 1881

Lorol, 16 KS, Mar 1884 [Loren], day laborer

Earnest, 13 KS, Jan 1887, at school

1905 KS state census – Otter Creek, Greenwood KS

Found at: [https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-](https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/5017640:1088?tid=108517970&pid=102138364607&queryid=d5b1aa5b-e106-429e-a87d-91983cbb4a99&_phsrc=cPx22047&_phstart=successSource)

[content/view/5017640:1088?tid=108517970&pid=102138364607&queryid=d5b1aa5b-e106-429e-a87d-91983cbb4a99&\\_phsrc=cPx22047&\\_phstart=successSource](https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/5017640:1088?tid=108517970&pid=102138364607&queryid=d5b1aa5b-e106-429e-a87d-91983cbb4a99&_phsrc=cPx22047&_phstart=successSource)

G.P. Brown, 69, male

M.E., 62, female

L.L., 21, male

R.M., 23, female

E.C., 18, male

1910 Dewey, Dewey OK

Earnest C. Brown, 23 KS, single, father b. NY, mother b. KY, hired man, living with

W. Alfred Moore, 35 KS, in 1<sup>st</sup> marriage, married 10 years

Rosa G. Moore, 32 KS, father b. NY, mother b. KY, in 1<sup>st</sup> marriage [Ernest's sister]

& 3 Moore daughters

1910 Alfalfa, Tilman OK – his brother George Perry Brown & father George Porter Brown

George B. Brown, 39 KS, father b. NY, mother b. US, in 1<sup>st</sup> marriage, married 2 years, merchant, harnes [sic/harness]

Mamie, 30 IN, parents b. IN, in 2<sup>nd</sup> (?) marriage, gave birth to 1 child, 1 is living [wife]

George, 74 NY, widowed, father b. KS, mother b. IN, income [father]

1920 Thomas, Custer OK – Broadway – line 90

Earnest C. Brown, 33 KS, parents b. NY, harness maker, harness shop

Living with head of household Lyman B. Haver, 64 PA, divorced (?), hardware

1930 Dewey, Dewey OK

Earnest Brown, 43 KS, father b. NY, mother b. IL, single, WWI veteran

Listed on the same page are J.A. Moore & his wife Rosie [Ernest's sister], she b. KS, father b. NY, mother b. KY [on line 68]

1940 Madera, Madera CA -111 ½ E. Central – rented – same place in 1935 – line 38

Ernest C. Brown, 53 KS, single, shoemaker, shoe

1950 deceased