

TUSCANIA

Barker, Edward Cadman 1891 CT – 1941 NY

BARKER, EDWARD CADMAN		X-	3 010 031
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210 JONES ST., PORT JEFFERSON, N Y		RH-	
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Barker, Edward C		250,121	White
(Surname)	(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	(Race: White or colored)
Residence: Jones St		Port Jefferson	Long Island NEW YORK
(Street and house number)		(Town or city)	(County) (State)
* Enlisted in	RA at Mineola LI. N.Y. on Dec 6/17		
† Born in	Bridgeport Conn 26_5/12 yrs		
Organizations:	213 Aer Sq to discharge		
Grades:	Pvt 1cl Jan 5/17; Corp June 1/18; Sgt July 15/18; Pvt Sept 1/18; Sgt Sept 30/18; Sgt 1cl May 1/19		
Engagements:	—		
Wounds or other injuries received in action:	None.		
‡ Served overseas:	Jan 24/18 to May 31/19		
§ Hon. disch.	June 10/19	on demobilization	
Was reported	0	per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.	
Remarks:	—		

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New York Army Card: serial 250121. Residence: Jones St., Port Jefferson, Long Island NY. Enlisted in Army at Mineola, Long Island NY 6 Dec 1917, age 26 years, 5 months. B. Bridgeport CT. In 213th Aero Squadron to discharge. Promoted to PFC 5 Jan 1917, to corporal 1 Jun 1918, to sergeant 15 Jul 1918, made a private 1 Sep 1918, promoted to sergeant 30 Sep 1918, to sergeant 1st class 1 May 1919. Overseas 24 Jan 1918-31 May 1919. Honorably discharged 10 Jun 1919. 0% disabled.

BARKER—On December 8, at Port Jefferson, N. Y., **EDWARD C.**, beloved husband of Luta M., and father of Virginia and Robert; beloved son of Charles and Catherine Barker; beloved brother of Mrs. Charles Coyle. Requiem mass Thursday, December 11, 10 a.m., Infant Jesus Church, Port Jefferson, N. Y.

Obituary of Edward Cadman Barker – “Brooklyn Daily Eagle” Wednesday 10 Dec 1941 p 15
- <https://www.newspapers.com/image/59244554/>

Edward Barker Dies

Word has been received of the death of Edward Barker of Port Jefferson, Long Island, N. Y., who died Monday at his home.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Luta Barker, of the home, a former resident of this community and em-

ploye of The Forum; one son, Robert, and a daughter, Virginia. Mrs. Barker is a sister of L. D. Moody and Mrs. J. W. Davis, Maryville; Clay Moody, Graham, and Mrs. Sumner Shockley, Worth, Mo.

Obituary – “Maryville (MO) Daily Forum” Thursday 11 Dec 1941 p 2

Life:

Automobile Owners of Brooklyn and Long Island.

48879 1910 Reo—Edward C. Barker, Port Jefferson, L.I.

“Brooklyn Life” Saturday 27 May 1911 p 35

MINSTREL SHCW TO-NIGHT.

Port Jefferson Black-Face Artists to
Entertain Kings Park People.

KINGS PARK, March 19.—To-night the Port Jefferson minstrel troupe will delight the people of this place with their excellent show for the benefit of the baseball club.

The programme includes the following solos: “In a Lonely Cabin on a Lonesome Road in a Lonely Part of Tennessee,” H. T. Aldrich; “The Curse of an Aching Heart,” Walter Bryant; “Floating Down the River,” R. A. Bassarear; “When the Twilight Comes to Kiss the Rose Good Night,” Guy Homan; “Do You Take this Woman for Your Lawful Wife?” Will Robbins; “Dear Old Girl,” Ray Homan; “Sit Down, You’re Rocking the Boat,” Edward Barker; “Last Night Was the End of the World,” Frank Bayles; “Zit for You, Zat for You,” J. Arthur Dower; “Hello, Winter Time,” Company.

The olio will include Kenny and Whitney, modern ballroom dances; Dower and Henrichs, the German Senators; Barker and Bassarear, “The Insurance Policy;” Petty and Cosler, “Fun on the Diamond;” Homan and Homan, “The Goat Getters.”

The grand finale will be “The First Part Rehearsal,” by J. Arthur Dower, “The New Leader.” The executive staff is composed of Ralph A. Bassarear, Richard Henrichs, Edward C. Barker, Walter Bryant, William Robbins.

This performance was given also at Port Jefferson, Sayville and Mattituck.

“Brooklyn Times Union” Thursday 19 Mar 1914 p 8

PORT JEFFERSON FIREMEN
GIVE A GOOD REPORT

Port Jefferson, Oct. 9.—Charles Bergen was re-elected Chief, and Edward C. Barker, Assistant Chief of the Port Jefferson Fire Department Wednesday night. The report of Chief Bergen showed that only three fires had occurred here during the year, with a total loss of \$2,400, all covered by insurance except \$150. John F. Hawkins and Charles Jones were elected trustees. Resolutions of respect were passed in memory of the late H. H. Skinner, who for many years was a trustee.

“Brooklyn Times Union” Friday 9 Oct 1914 p 9

1,500 VAMPS IN LINE
IN TODAY'S PARADE
AT PORT JEFFERSON

Old and New Fire Fighting
 Methods Are Contrasted
 in Procession.

TOURNAMENT “MAIN SHOW.”

In Spite of Threatening Weather,
 Crowd of 8,000 Throng Streets
 of North Side Village.

with six former chiefs leading.
 Edward C. Barker, assistant chief of the Port Jefferson Fire Department, commanded the second division. Then followed in the order named a band, the Patchogue Fire Department, Vanguard Hose Company No. 1 of Patchogue with engine, Union Hook and Ladder Company, Live Oak Engine Company and Woodland Hose Company No. 4 of Rockville Centre.

“Brooklyn Daily Eagle” Thursday 15 Jun 1916 p 12

FROM him last night that all was well. Nothing has been received from five Port Jefferson boys, members of the 213th Aero Squadron, who were stationed at Mineola up to two weeks ago. They are Roscoe B. Loper, formerly in the garage business under the firm name of Bishop & Loper; Raymond L. Davis of Port Jefferson, son of Lester H. Davis; Alfred Davis of Miller Place, son of Hewlett Davis; Edward C. Barker, son of Charles Barker, and Luther E. Smith, son of Captain John Smith.

"Brooklyn Daily Eagle" Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 1

MORE TUSCANIA MEN WIRE HOME

Many Brooklyn and Long Isl- and Victims Heard From.

The list of Brooklyn and Long Island men on the Tuscania who have been heard from since the disaster, grew longer today. Some of the men cabled briefly of their safety; others were reported safe in cablegrams sent by comrades.

The names of those whose arrival in Ireland has been made certain of, are as follows:

A.

Anthony F. Abramo, Flushing.

B.

Lieut. W. J. Blackman, 519 Clinton avenue.
Robert Blumberg, 63 Allen street, Jamaica.
Corporal Walter R. Botta, jr., Hempstead.
Corporal John E. Borhard, 247 St. Nicholas avenue.
Corporal Adolph Bartolomo, Astoria.
Edward C. Barker, Port Jefferson.

"Brooklyn Times Union" Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 2

Port Jefferson Survivor of Tuscania Writes Home

Port Jefferson, March 16.—A letter has been received from Edward C. Barker, who was aboard the Tuscania. It is dated February 11, and postmarked at Belfast, Ireland. In part, it follows:

"Well, I am still here and able to write, but I surely have had some experience since I left. After our start across the ocean everything went along smoothly until the night of the thirteenth day—the 5th of February—when, at 5:45 o'clock, there was a big bang, and we found that the ship had been torpedoed and we were sinking. When the ship was struck I was below, and, with others, went on deck. Here I found that the lifeboat that I had been assigned to had been torn away. The Lieutenant in Command gave orders to take the life rafts. These rafts were thrown over the side of the ship and the soldiers slid down to them, hand over hand, by means of ropes fastened to the ship's deck. On my raft there were eleven other soldiers, and, after rowing around, we picked up two fellows who were swimming in the water.

"After bein' gon the raft about one hour, we were standing in water up to our waist, the raft having settled to that depth. But we didn't mind that; as we were already thoroughly wet through. This pleasant experience lasted for two hours, when we were picked up by a torpedo boat destroyer and taken on board.

"When I got up my legs were cramped to a kneeling position, and the sailors from the boat carried me down below, took off my clothes, wrapped blankets around me and gave me a hot bown of tea. After looking around for survivors, the torpedo boat destroyer went into port, where we were taken off and sent to a hospital. We were given a big feed, after which we were taken to a barracks. By this time it was 6 o'clock in the morning, but we went to sleep in a hurry, as we were all in. In all, there were about three hundred survivors aboard the destroyer, but only seven of them were from my squadron. In the morning some more of the soldiers came over, and among them were Raymond Davis and Fred Davis. I have not as yet seen anything of Roscoe Soper or Luther Smith, but I understand there is another bunch of the boys to meet us here today, and I certainly hope they will be among them.

"Believe me, the people here have

certainly treated us fine. They even gave us their beds and—talk about eats!—after eating an ordinary meal, they would insist on us eating more. We thank God that we came out of it as well as we did.

"At present, we are like a one-night stand circus. Since we have landed here, we have been in five different towns, and are still going. As the saying goes, 'We are on our way, but we don't know where.' You should see my uniform! I am wearing a civilian cap, United States soldier's overcoat and blouse, a British sailor's trousers and Irish leggings and shoes. I am some sight, but, nevertheless, with all this toggery, I am feeling fine. Haven't even had a headache. When the ship went down I lost everything, except what was actually on my person. This included my razor and shaving outfit, which must immediately be replaced."

DEMOCRATS NAME
SUFFOLK NOMINEES

Edward C. Barker, Port Jefferson electrical contractor, has been named Democratic nominee for Suffolk tax collector.

Barker has been a member of the Democratic County Committee many years.

Katherine King has been endorsed for Democratic town trustee of Bellport to succeed Capt. Ira Rogers. Her designation is the first given a woman for the post. Mrs. Mary Morgan of Medford was designated for membership on the Board of Assessors.

"New York (NY) Daily News" Tuesday 12 Sep 1933 p 200

HAWKINS ASSUMES TAX POST DUTIES

**New Brookhaven Town Com-
missioner Appoints
Assistants.**

Patchogue, Dec. 2.—After a lapse of 21 years, Herman P. Hawkins became Receiver of Taxes of Brookhaven Town again today as he took up his duties after having qualified just before noon yesterday following two days of hectic business in getting his bond finally approved by the Brookhaven Town Board.

That body met Wednesday to approve his bond of \$50,000, but when it was reviewed it was found that it was not in the form desired by the board and Town Counsel Ralph J. Hawkins, so it was sent back to Brooklyn by a special messenger to be redrafted.

The board remained in session until 4 o'clock that afternoon when the new bond was produced. On being analyzed it was found that one important word was missing and again the board had to refuse to sign it. This time Town Counsel Ralph J. Hawkins got in touch directly with an official of the bonding company who drew up a new bond that night and mailed it so it was ready for action at 9 o'clock yesterday morning.

The Town Board members were on hand at that hour and after finding this bond satisfactory signed it and it was then rushed to Riverhead by special messenger so Mr. Hawkins would be qualified by law to receive the tax books from the Supervisor on Dec. 1. The collection of taxes will start on Dec. 10.

Mr. Hawkins, a Democrat, served two terms from 1909 to 1912. At the time he was on a fee system and now he is on a salary of \$3,600 less a 20 per cent. refund which the Democratic officials who were elected last month have agreed to make to the town.

Mr. Hawkins, tax receiver, who comes from Port Jefferson, has announced his appointments for the coming six months. Included in the list are several Republicans who assisted in the office under Frank Hocker, jr., during the past term but for the most part the appointees are new and followers of the Democratic party. The list is headed by Edward C. Barker, who was looked on as the Democratic choice for Tax Receiver until the convention when Hawkins was nominated.

One change is the appointment of men to assist in the office for in the past it has been staffed entirely by women. Mr. Hawkins announced shortly after his election that he would appoint some men to office, and four are included.

The list follows: Edward C. Barker, Charles E. Hulse, Frank J. Overton, Irene Baldwin, Lillian Mills, Lulu Edwards, Ruth Ebert, Della Gover, Anna Fallon, Mary J. Morgan, Regina Quirk, Madeline Mills, Alice Harned, Martha Du Ryker, Charles Davis, Dora Green, May Wood, Rose Leonard, Ruth Stromberg and Mary McGarrick.

"Brooklyn Times Union" Sunday 3 Dec 1933 p 6

Wife:

BARKER—Luta Margaret, on March 21, 1988, age 95, of Port Jefferson, LI and Charleston, SC. Beloved mother of Robert E. Lee Barker. Loving grandmother of five and great-grandmother of five. Reposing at O.B. Davis Funeral Home, Nesconset Hwy. (Route 347), Port Jefferson Station. Visitation Wednesday 7-10 PM. Funeral mass, 10 AM Thursday, Infant Jesus R.C. Church. Interment St. James R.C. Cemetery, Setauket. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Hope House Ministries, Port Jefferson, LI 11777.

Obituary of Luta Margaret Moody Barker – “Newsday (Suffolk Edition”) (Melville NY)
Tuesday 22 Mar 1988 p 24

Luta M Moody


in the New York State, Marriage Index, 1881-1967

Name	Luta M Moody
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	3 Jun 1922
Marriage Place	Pt Jefferson, New York, USA
Spouse	Edward C Barker
Certificate Number	30014



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Margaret Luta Moody

in the Colorado, U.S., Roman Catholic Diocese of Colorado Springs Sacramental Records, 1800-1967



Detail	Source
Name	Margaret Luta Moody
Baptism Age	20
Record Type	Baptism
Birth Date	21 Nov 1892
Baptism Date	17 Aug 1913
Baptism Place	Colorado Springs, Colorado, USA
Baptism Church	St Mary Cathedral
Father	Isaac E. Moody
Mother	Catherine Benfield

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Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY.
Hannam, 42. Farmers, 114

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Dinner Yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shinabargar entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their country home ten miles southwest of Maryville. Their guests were: Miss Leta Gray of St. Joseph, state demonstrator of the Hoover War Bread and Miss Rose Shinabargar.

Party At Parnell
Miss Besse Welch and Miss Opal Thummell entertained twenty-six of their friends last night at a party at the home of Miss Helen Welch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Welch of Parnell. Toasting marshmallows and roasting weiners afforded pleasure for the young people.

As newspaper columnist – “Maryville (MO) Weekly Democrat-Forum & Maryville Tribune”
Thursday 18 Oct 1917 p 6

Miss Moody to Washington.
 Miss Luta Moody, who has been employed for the past two years as society editor of the Democrat-Forum, will leave tonight for Washington, D. C., where she has a position as typist in the adjutant general's office.

To work in Washington DC for Adjutant General – “Maryville (MO) Daily Forum” Friday 2 Aug 1918 p 3

Mrs. Edward Barker, Jefferson, R.I., arrived Tuesday to visit her brothers, Carroll D. “Doc” Moody, Maryville, and Clay Moody, Graham. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher, Maryville, entertained Mrs. Barker with dinner Wednesday evening. Mrs. Barker is the former Miss Luta Moody and has taught school in Nodaway County and also worked three years as a reporter at the Daily Forum. Omer Fisher, Lodi, Calif., arrived Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fisher and son, Robert.

“Maryville (MO) Daily Forum” Saturday 8 May 1976 p 3

Announce Wedding At Port Jefferson Last Saturday

A wedding of interest to Bridgeporters took place Saturday morning, June 3rd, at the Church of the Infant Jesus in Port Jefferson, N. Y., when Miss Lulu M. Moody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Moody of Maryville, Missouri, became the bride of Edward A. Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker of Port Jefferson, formerly of this city. Rev. John Roex officiated at the nuptial high mass.

The attendants were Miss Maude Barker, sister of the groom, and Hugh P. Arthur of Huntington, N. Y.

Mr. Barker is now one of the most popular young business men of Port Jefferson, being in the electrical business. During the war he served eighteen months overseas with the A. E. F. in the 213 Aero Squadron. He is one of the survivors of the ill-fated troopship, "Tuscania" which was torpedoed off the coast of Ireland. The bride was a commercial teacher at the U. S. Veterans bureau for Vocational Training in Port Jefferson. She served as a stenographer in the Adjutant General's office in Washington during the war.

"Bridgeport (CT) Times & Evening Farmer" Friday 9 Jun 1922 p 8

Children:

California, Death Index, 1940-1997

[View record](#)

Name	Virginia Catherine Thompson
Social Security #	059248252
Gender	Female
Birth Date	12 Jul 1928
Birth Place	New York
Death Date	31 Dec 1979
Death Place	Alameda

CA Death Index of daughter Virginia Catherine Barker Thompson (1928-1979) -
<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/77024183/person/150036547666/facts>

U.S., World War II Cadet Nursing Corps Card Files, 1942-1948 for Virginia C Barker

New York > Brooklyn Hospital School of Nursing > B

Form 300-A (Revised May 1944)
 FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
 U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
 DIVISION OF NURSE EDUCATION

Budget Bureau
 No. 68-R145.1.
 Approval expires
 8-31-45

School of Nursing - Brooklyn Hosp.

SERIAL NO 207997

**UNITED STATES CADET NURSE CORPS
 MEMBERSHIP CARD A**

Name of Cadet:
 Barker Virginia C.
 (Last) (First) (Middle initial)

Virginia Barker
 (Signature of cadet)

Cadet's home address:
 121 Main Street
 (Number and street, or R. F. D.)

Port Jefferson New York
 (City) (County) (State)

Cadet's age on date of admission to Corps 17
 Date of birth 7-12-28

Dates of admission to school: (Fill in all that apply)
 (1) Originally 9-13-45
 (2) By readmission
 (3) By transfer from another school 3-13-45

Date of admission to Corps 3-13-45
 Date of prospective beginning of Senior Cadet period 3-13-45
 Date of issuance of Form 300, Certificate of Membership 9-21-45

Verna Bennett

New York (Brooklyn State)

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 Withdrawal (a) (b) 4/3/46
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Robert E. Lee Barker Charleston - Robert E. Lee Barker, of Charleston, South Carolina, passed away on October 28, 2018, following a brief illness, in the company of his husband, David Johnson. Born in Port Jefferson, New York on October 20, 1929, Bob was preceded in death by his father, Edward Cadman Barker, mother, Luta Margaret Moody Barker, and beloved sister, Virginia Catherine Barker Thompson. Bob was raised in Port Jefferson, New York, and served his country in the United States Army during the Korean War. Following his discharge from the Army, Bob returned to Port Jefferson where he pursued his professional passions in interior design and historic preservation with considerable success for over two decades before moving to Charleston with his mother, Margaret, in the mid-1970s. Once settled in Charleston, Bob continued his work in design and historic preservation on larger canvas that Charleston represents. Bob's love of Charleston shone through this passion for historic preservation and his active role in many renovation projects. Throughout his adult life, Bob always held a special place for Drayton Hall located just outside of Charleston. Bob had the great fortune to visit the iconic 18th century Palladian estate in the 1960s, while it was still owned by the Drayton family, and returned in the 1970s to help open Drayton Hall as a historic site of the National Trust for Historic Preservation. Serving as Interim Executive Director on occasion, Bob's passion for interpreting and presenting history touched countless individuals through his magical tours as Drayton Hall's Senior Interpreter for nearly four decades. In 2012, Drayton Hall established a fund in Bob's name to honor his dedication to Drayton Hall and our shared American past. Bob remained active in retirement. He was an enthusiastic gardener and chef, whose Thanksgiving dinners were widely regarded as culinary masterpieces. Bob was active in many local causes, and was a dedicated parishioner at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church on Anson Street in Charleston. Bob married his husband, David Johnson, in 2016. They resided happily on Ashley Avenue in Charleston until Bob's passing. Bob is survived by David, as well as by his nephews and nieces, Craig, Shelly, Keith, Lisa and Kyle Thompson, and his cousins, Dr. Margaret M. Coyle of Asheville, North Carolina, with whom he shared many adventures, John, James and Ellen Coyle. Memorial arrangements will be the subject of a further announcement. In lieu of other remembrances, donations in celebration of Bob's life may be made to St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 67 Anson Street, Charleston, South Carolina 29401, or to Drayton Hall, 3380 Ashley River Road, Charleston, South Carolina 29414 for the Robert E. Lee Barker Interpretation Fund. Arrangements entrusted to PALMETTO CREMATION SOCIETY, 11 Cunningham Ave., Charleston, SC 29405. Online condolences may be shared at www.palmettocremationsociety.com. Visit our guestbook at www.legacy.com/obituaries/charleston



obituary & photo of son Robert E. Lee Barker (1929-2018) from Find A Grave

Father:

“Brooklyn Times Union” 25 Sep 190 p 8 – Charles E. Barker, of Port Jefferson, six indictments for selling liquor on Sunday; pled guilty to one. Also charged with keeping a

slot machine. Promised to get out of the business. Paid \$50 fine for liquor tax law violation & \$5 for slot machine.



Linked to Charles Edward Barker - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/115058704/person/280138103294/media/be762cc4-ea78-45d7-a978-515615720e01?_phsrc=cPx4083&_phstart=successSource

Sibling:



Marriage of sister Maude Barker (1894-1982) to Charles A. Coyle – 18 Jun 1924 – with Edward Cadman Barker as best man - "Brooklyn (NY) Times Union" Wednesday 18 Jun 1924 p 8

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Edward Cadman Barker

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 213th Aero Squadron - private

Serial number: 250,121

Entered service from: Port Jefferson, Suffolk NY

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Edward C. Barker

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": mother Mrs. Catherine Barker, Jones St., Port Jefferson NY

Returned from war on: "Louisville" May 1919,

Sailed on return ship as: Edward C. Barker

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother Mrs. Catherine Barker, Jones St., Port Jefferson NY (sgt 1st class, 213th Aero Sq)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Edward C. Barker - b. 8 Jul 1891 Bridgeport CT; res: Port Jefferson NY. Single. Electrical contractor for self, Port Jefferson NY. Claimed exemption from draft? "No – Deaf in one ear." Tall & slender.

National Tuscania Survivors Association 1939 roster: 210 Jones St., Port Jefferson NY [this was his 1918 address]

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 6 Dec 1917

Discharged 10 Jun 1919

Address: 210 Jones St., Port Jefferson, Suffolk NY

Rank/unit: sergeant, Army

Birth & death:

Born: 7 Jul 1891 on Find A Grave & Veterans Administration Master Index] or 8 Jul 1891 Bridgeport, Fairfield CT [Veterans Administration: 7 Jul 1891]

Died: 8 Dec 1941 Port Jefferson, Long Island NY (at his home) – died the day after the attack on Pearl Harbor

Verification of: burial, death, middle name info from son Robert Barker, Charleston SC 14 Aug 2018

Find A Grave record: 236590791

Burial location: Setauket, Suffolk NY

Cemetery: Saint James Roman Catholic Church Cemetery

Tombstone:

Father: Charles Edward Barker, 25 Oct 1865 England – 7 Feb 1945 Mineola, Nassau NY. Emigrated 1868. Naturalized 1897. He had been married to Katie T. Barker for 13 years in the 1900 census, making the marriage occur about 1887. In the 1910 census, Charles indicates it is his 2nd marriage, and he has been married 13 years (therefore, circa 1897) to Catherine, who is in her 1st marriage but indicates she has not given birth to any children. Buried in St. James Roman Catholic Church Cemetery, Setauket, Suffolk NY. Find A Grave: 241994120

Questions remain about Charles & his "marriages."

Mother: Catherine (Katie) T. Leverty Barker, 1864 CT (Mar 1863 CT in 1900 census) – 4 Oct 1944 Brookhaven, Suffolk NY. Daughter of James & Catherine Leverty. In the 1900 census Katie T. Barker originally answers that she gave birth to 0 children, with 0 living, then amended it to 2 birthed, 2 living. In the 1910 census, Catherine Barker indicates she had 0 children. -In the 1910 census, she indicates it is her first marriage but her husband's 2nd. In the 1900 census – Katie T., b. Mar 1863 CT, parents b. Ireland. Buried in St. James Roman Catholic Church Cemetery, Setauket, Suffolk NY.
Find A Grave: 241994111

Spouse: Luta Margaret Moody Barker, 21 Nov 1892 Graham, Nodaway MO - 21 Mar 1988 Mount Sinai, Suffolk NY. SSN 082-20-7579. Daughter of Isaac Enszer Moody (1854-1941, F: 21898733) who married 22 May 1879 to Katherine Jamima Benfield (F: 21898717). Baptized 17 Aug 1913 in St. Mary's Cathedral, Colorado Springs CO. When Isaac died, he was survived by 4 daughters: Mrs. J.E. Davis (Maryville MO), Mrs. Ola Burlingame (Milford DE), Mrs. C.S. Shockley (Worth MO), Mrs. Edward C. Barker (Port Jefferson NY) and 5 sons: H.C. Moody (Skidmore), C.D., L.D. & Robert Moody of Maryville & Frank Moody of Hemet CA. Buried in St. James Roman Catholic Church Cemetery, Setauket, Suffolk NY.
Spouse Find A Grave: 236590770

Marriage: Parents' marriage: Edward C. Barker & Luta M. Moody married 3 Jun 1922 Port Jefferson, Suffolk NY.

Children:

- Virginia Catherine Barker Thompson, 12 Jul 1928 Brookhaven, Suffolk NY – 31 Dec 1979 Union City, Alameda Co. CA. Was 1 year 9 months old when 1930 census conducted 28 Apr 1930. Wife of George Edward Thompson (1929-2003, F: 45310454) whom she married 30 Dec 1951 in Brookhaven, Suffolk NY. Buried in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Hayward, Alameda CA. F: 45310482
- Robert E. Lee Barker, 20 Oct 1929 Port Jefferson, Suffolk NY – 28 Oct 2018 Charleston SC, after a brief illness. Korean War veteran. After war returned to Port Jefferson NY where he was involved in interior design & historic preservation. Moved to Charleston SC with his mother Margaret in the mid-1970s. Served as interim executive director on occasions for Drayton Hall & was its senior interpreter for almost 4 decades. Drayton Hall established the Robert E. Lee Barker Interpretive Fund in 2012. In 2012, Robert married his husband David Johnson. Body was cremated; burial place unknown. F: 211694592

Siblings:

- Maude Barker Coyle, Aug 1894 NY – 1982. Wife of Charles A. Coyle (1883-1988, F: 168958110) whom she married 18 Jun 1924 in Port Jefferson, Suffolk NY. Buried in same cemetery as Edward & her parents & husband: St. James Roman Catholic Church Cemetery, Setauket, Suffolk NY. F: 168958083.

Notes:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Obituary:

Social Security Number: 518-03-7639

Censuses:

1900 Brookhaven, Suffolk NY

Chas. E. Barker, 35 England, Oct 1865, emigrated 1867, in US for 33 years, naturalized, married 13 years, hotel

Katie T. Barker, 37 CT, Mar 1863, parents b. Ireland, originally entered 0 children, 0 living – then changed to: gave birth to 2 children, 2 are living

Edward C., 9 CT, Jul 1891, scholar

Maud M., 6 [which is crossed off, and “5” added] CT, Aug 1894

And two female servants who are Black:

Estelle Smith, 23 NY, cook

Hannah E. Mills, 45 NY, waitress

1910 Brookhaven, Suffolk NY

Charles E. Barker, 45 England, in 2nd marriage, married 13 years, proprietor, hotel

Catherine, 46 CT, in 1st marriage, parents b. Ireland, has given birth to 0 children, 0 living

Edward C., 18 CT, father b. England, mother b. CT

Maude E., 16 CT, father b. England, mother b. CT

1915 NY state census – Brookhaven, Suffolk NY – Main St.

Charles Barker, 49 US, hotel keeper

Catherine, 51 US, house work

Edward C., 23 US, electrician

1920 Brookhaven, Suffolk NY

Charles Barker, 54 England, proprietor, hotel, emigrated 1868, naturalized 1897

Catherine, 55 CT, parents b. Ireland

Edward C., 28 CT, single, eletritian [sic/electrician], contractor

Maude M., 26 CT, single

1930 Brookhaven, Suffolk NY - conducted 28 Apr 1930

Edward Barker, 38 CT, father b. England, mother b. CT, age 30 at 1st marriage, electrical contractor, WWI veteran

Luta M., 37 MO, parents b. NC, age 29 at 1st marriage

Virginia, 1 year 9 months NY

Robert E., 5 months NY

1940 Brookhaven, Suffolk NY – 118 Campbell St. – same house in 1935

Edward Barker, 48 CT, electrician, electrical

Luta, 47 MO, corsetiere (spelling?), corset

Virginia, 11 NY

Robert, 10 NY

1940 Brookhaven, Suffolk NY – same places in 1935

At 810 High Street:

Charles E. Barker, 74 England

Catherine T., 76 CT

Next door at 808 High Street:

Charles Coyle, 47 MO, service station manager, own gas station

Maude, 46 CT [daughter of Charles & Catherine]

Donald, 12 NY

1950 deceased