

TUSCANIA

Bennett, Herman Lee
1895 MO – 1967 MO

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BENNETT HERMAN LEE
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1. NAME OF DECEASED - LAST - FIRST - MIDDLE (Print or Type) BENNETT, Herman L.						14. NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY (City and State) Memorial Park, Cape Girardeau, Mo.	
2. SERVICE NUMBER 81 467		3. PENSION OR VA CLAIM NUMBER XC: 1172 13 37				IMPORTANT: Item 18 on reverse side must be completed. See attached instructions and complete and submit both copies.	
4. ENLISTMENT DATE (Month, day, year) 5-22-1915		5. DISCHARGE DATE (Month, day, year) Mar. 18-20 6-4-1920 (over)				15. This application is submitted for a stone or marker for the unmarked grave of a deceased member or former member of the Armed Forces of the U. S., soldier of the Union or Confederate Armies of the Civil War or for an unmarked memorial plot for a non-recoverable deceased member. I hereby agree to accept responsibility for proper placement at the grave or memorial plot at no expense to the Government.	
6. STATE Missouri		7. DECORATIONS None shown				NAME OF APPLICANT (Print or Type) Lela Bennett	
8. GRADE OR RANK PFC		9. BRANCH OF SERVICE, COMPANY, REGIMENT, DIVISION 372nd. Aero Squadron, Army				RELATIONSHIP Widow	
10. DATE OF BIRTH (Month, day, year) July 7, 1895		11. DATE OF DEATH (Month, day, year) March 24, 1967				ADDRESS OF APPLICANT (Street address, City and State) 109 S. Hanover Cape Girardeau, Mo. 63701	
12. RELIGIOUS EMBLEM (Check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X		13. CHECK TYPE REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE <input type="checkbox"/> FLAT MARBLE MARKER <input type="checkbox"/> STAR OF DAVID (Hebrew) <input type="checkbox"/> FLAT GRANITE MARKER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X- <input type="checkbox"/> NO EMBLEM				SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT Lela Bennett	
DO NOT WRITE HERE FOR VERIFICATION 11 APR 1967 B/L 42334		ORDERED 1 MAY 1967 CONTRACTOR Sheldow Bronze (381) Kingwood, W. Va.				DATE 3-30-1967	
PFC 372 Aero Sq / WWI		16. FREIGHT STATION Cape Girardeau, Mo.				17. NAME OF CONSIGNEE WHO WILL TRANSPORT STONE OR MARKER Cape County Memorial Park	
		ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE (Street address, City and State) Highway 61 North Cape Girardeau, Mo. 63701				I HAVE AGREED TO TAKE THE STONE OR MARKER TO THE CEMETERY.	
		SIGNATURE OF CONSIGNEE Lela Bennett					
DD FORM 1330, 1 NOV 62		EDITION OF DEC 61 MAY BE USED.		APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER		Form Approved Budget Bureau No. 22-R205	

FOR ADDITIONAL SERVICE 5: Enn-furloughed to reserves on Mar 18, 1920. Hon. discharge June 4, 1920.	
18. The grave or memorial plot is unmarked and if a <u>Flat Bronze Grave Marker</u> (Insert type of stone or marker shown in Item 13) is furnished by the Government, it will be permitted at the grave or memorial plot and all necessary arrangements for its placement have been made.	
DATE 4/3/67 ADM. SERVICE OFFICE	SIGNATURE AND TITLE (Superintendent, Section, or other cemetery official) Lela Bennett v. Pres.
MAIL COMPLETED FORMS TO: Chief of Support Services Headquarters, Department of the Army ATTN: Memorial Division Washington, D. C. 20315 NEPMA-W Revisions 4/19/67	DO NOT WRITE HERE TO PROCESSING UNIT 21 APR 1967 TO ORDER UNIT 27 APR 1967 TO RESOLUTION UNIT TO TRANSPORTATION UNIT TO FUNDS AND CONTRACT UNIT CANCELLATION RENEWAL REPLACE REACTIVATE FILE

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MISSOURI DIVISION OF HEALTH - STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH									
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE									
Registration District No. <u>53</u> Primary Registration District No. <u>3010</u> Registrar's No. <u>162</u> STATE FILE NUMBER <u>67 0009589</u>									
FILED APR 4 1967 DO NOT WRITE ON THIS SUB AMENDED VS 300 Rev. 4/59 1 <u>0168</u> 2 <u>0168</u> 3 4 <u>0</u> 5 <u>1</u> 6 7 <u>0</u> 8 <u>0</u> 9 <u>4201</u> 10 11 12 <u>1-2</u> 13 <u>1-0</u>									
1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>Cape Girardeau</u> b. CITY (if outside corporate limits, give TOWNSHIP only) <u>Cape Girardeau</u> Length of stay in lb. <u>6 Years</u> c. FULL NAME OF (if NOT in hospital, give location) <u>Cape Osteopathic Hosp</u> Inside Limits <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> 2. USUAL RESIDENCE (where deceased lived, if institution: residence before admission) a. STATE <u>Missouri</u> b. COUNTY <u>Cape Girardeau</u> c. CITY <u>Cape Girardeau</u> Inside Limits <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> d. STREET ADDRESS <u>109 So. Hanover St.</u> Reside on Farm <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>									
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) First <u>Herman</u> Middle <u>Lee</u> Last <u>Bennett</u> 4. DATE OF DEATH Month <u>March</u> Day <u>24</u> Year <u>1967</u> 5. SEX <u>Male</u> 6. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u> 7. Married <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> 8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>7/7/1895</u> 9. AGE (last birthday) <u>71</u> 10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) <u>Retired Male Nurse</u> 11. BIRTH-PLACE (City and state or country) <u>DeSoto, Mo.</u> 12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY <u>U.S.A.</u> 13. FATHER'S NAME <u>Samuel Bennett</u> 13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Susan ?</u> 14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE <u>Lela Bennett</u> 15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) <u>Yes V.W. #1</u> 16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>489-14-4508</u> 17. INFORMANT <u>Mrs. Lela Bennett-Cape Gir. Mo.</u> 18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).) PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) <u>Coronary Thrombosis</u> DUE TO (b) <u>Arteriosclerosis</u> DUE TO (c) <u>Anginis Pectoris</u> PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH but not related to the terminal disease condition given in PART I (a) <u>Prostatitis, Diabetic Mellitus</u> PART III. If deceased was female, was there a pregnancy in last 90 days. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown 19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 20. TIME OF INJURY Month, Day, Year <u>June 1962</u> 20a. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 20b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.) 20c. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION <u>Cape Girardeau</u> COUNTY <u>Cape Girardeau</u> STATE <u>Mo.</u> 21. I attended the deceased from <u>June 1962</u> to <u>March 22, 1967</u> saw him alive on <u>March 22, 1967</u> Death occurred at <u>11:45 P. M.</u> on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated. 22a. SIGNATURE (Degree or title) <u>Dr. M. Stevenson D.O.</u> 22b. ADDRESS <u>1300 Building Cape Gir. Mo.</u> 22c. DATE SIGNED <u>3/25/67</u> 23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <u>Burial</u> 23b. DATE <u>3/27/1967</u> 23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>Memorial Park</u> 23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) <u>Cape Girardeau, Mo.</u> 24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR <u>C.J. Lorberg-Cape Girardeau, Mo.</u> 25. DATE RECD. BY LOCAL REG. <u>3-29-67</u> 26. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>Gene Kasten</u>									

MO death certificate of Herman Lee Bennett -

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Life:

Belgrade.

Mr. Fendal Blount, of Palmer, was in Belgrade Monday of last week.

J. W. Andes and wife have both been ill the past week.

Sam Bennett and family, of Potosi, visited relatives near here last week.

Is this his family? "Potosi (MO) Journal" Wednesday 16 Apr 1902 p 4
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MISSOURI AND ILLINOIS MEN ON THE TUSCANIA

List of Those on Torpedoed Ship
Given, but Fate Is Not Known;
St. Louisans Included.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—In the list of soldiers on the Tuscania when she was torpedoed, made public by the War Department, the names of many Missouri and Illinois men appear. Their individual fate will not be known until the full list of survivors arrives. Those from Illinois and Missouri on board the transport were:

Percy H. McAllister, 158th Aero Squad, Joplin, Mo.
 Ambrose V. Bullock, private, 158th Aero Squad, Kansas City, Mo.
 Emil Christman, private, 158th Aero Squad, Lewiston, Mo.
 Herman L. Bennett, private, 158th Aero Squad, Belleville, Ill.
 Howard Blaine Bushnell, Captain, E. R. C., Clinton, Ill.
 Thomas Wiley Clayton, Captain, Dixon, Ill.

List continues – St. Louis (MO) Post-Dispatch" Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 5

Squad.
 Herman L. Bennett of Belleville, also a private in the 158th Aero Squad, was one of those on board.

"St. Louis (MO) Post-Dispatch" Sunday 10 Feb 1918 p 27

Following is a supplemental list of those who were aboard the Tuscania and who have not been reported as survivors:

Private Walter Albert McClain, Octavia, Okla.; Private Frank T. Allen, Independence, Okla.; Private Anthony Abbond, Detroit; Private Homer Llewelyn Anderson, Cumberland, Wis.; Private Clarence W. Allen, Traverse City, Mich.; Sergt. Benjamin Harrison Brown, Barron, Wis.; Private Herman L. Bennett, Bellevue, Mo.; Private Walter Crellin, Virginia, Minn.; Private Raymond T. Hurst, Pocasset, Okla.; Private Robert F. Lind, Poy Sippi, Wis.; Private John Mitchell, Kenosha, Wis.; Corp. Lawrence P. Miller, Hortonville, Wis.; Private Manuel Rames, Paia Mau, Hawaii; Private William V. Smith-peter, Fort Cobb, Okla.; Private Henry S. Spedel, New York City; Carl S. Winnie, Schenectady, N. Y., cook.

"St. Joseph (MO) News-Press" Tuesday 12 Feb 1918 p 2

MISSOURIANS ON TUSCANIA

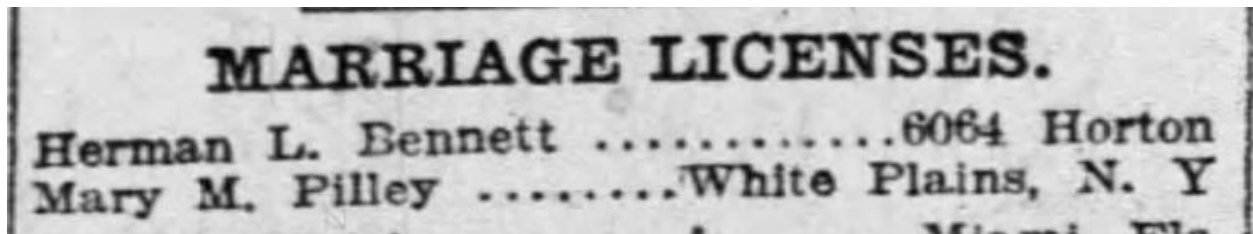
The following named from Missouri were aboard the Tuscania which was torpedoed and sunk off the coast of Ireland Wednesday of last week. It is thought that 101 of the 2,177 officers and soldiers aboard the transport are all that were lost.

The names of the surviving Missourians follow:

Herman L. Bennett, LaBelle,
Gordon S. Bailey, Columbia,
Alva S. Beal, Newcastle,
Millard S. Brooks, Brunot,
Oscar Axon, Braymer,
Charles L. Burkett, Thayer,
Emil Christman, Lewiston,
Evan W. Chase, Mountain Grove,
Paul Griffith, Nevada,
Porter S. Smith, Liberty,
Steve S. Brewer, Dexter,
Hurley Sears, Harrisonville,
Percy H. McAllister, Joplin.

"Shelbina (MO) Torchlight" Friday 15 Feb 1918 p 1

Wife Mary Pilley:




“St. Louis (MO) Globe-Democrat” Saturday 16 Oct 1920 p 18



MARY M. PILLEY

Mary Mackness Pilley Bennett Gill – “Ups & Downs Magazine” May 2010 – Find A Grave
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Mary Mackness Pilley was a British Home Child emigrated to Canada by Dr Barnardo Homes. On May 31, 1908, Mary arrived in Quebec aboard the Dominion. From there, Mary travelled with her travelling party to Hazelbrae Home in Peterborough, ON

Left by Home Children Canada on 11 Feb 2023

Flower on Mary's Find A Grave 23549032

Mary Mackness Pilley

Birth • England and Wales Birth Registration Index, 1837-2008

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Name **Mary Mackness Pilley**

Event Type **Birth Registration**

Event Date **1896**

Event Place **Rotherham, Yorkshire, England**

Registration District **Rotherham**

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Affiliate Line Number **153**

Registration Quarter **Jan-Feb-Mar**

Registration Year **1896**

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THE DIVISION OF HEALTH OF MISSOURI
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State File No. 27714

1. PLACE OF DEATH
a. COUNTY
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write HDBA), and give street or town 915 N. Grand, St. Louis, Mo. c. LENGTH OF STAY (If in this place) 27 Days
d. FULL NAME OF (If not in hospital or institution, give street address or location) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION VETERANS ADMINISTRATION HOSP.

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution, residence before admission)
a. STATE MISSOURI b. COUNTY ST. LOUIS
c. CITY OR TOWN MAPLEWOOD 4334
d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) 2286 Yale

3. NAME OF DECEASED
a. (First) Mary b. (Middle) M. c. (Last) GILL (Married Name)
(Type or Print) Mary M. GILL (Army Name)

4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) 8-20-55

5. SEX FEMALE 6. COLOR OR RACE WHITE 7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) MARRIED 8. DATE OF BIRTH 11-13-1895 9. AGE (In years, months, days) 59

10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Classified of work done during most of working life, area if retired) Registered Nurse 10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Medicine 11. BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country) London, Ontario, Canada 12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? YES

13a. FATHER'S NAME John Pilley 13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Elizabeth McIntosh 14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE Harry V. Gill.

15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give year or dates of service) Yes WWI 16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 492 07 2673 17. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE OR NAME VA Hospital Records, St. Louis 6, Mo. ADDRESS

18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c))
*This does not mean the cause of dying, such as heart failure, arthritis, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.
I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) Carcinoma of Ovaries with Metastasis
ANTECEDENT CAUSES
Aortic conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (b) stating the underlying cause last.
DUE TO (c)
II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS
Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death.

19a. DATE OF OPERATION 8-5-55 19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION Carcinoma of Ovaries - With Omental Implants 20. AUTOPSY? YES ☒ NO ☐

21a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify) 21b. PLACE OF INJURY (a. In or about home, farm, factory, street, office (bldg., etc.) 21c. (CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP) (COUNTY) (STATE) 175X
21d. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour) 21e. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT ☐ WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐ 21f. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?

22. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from 7-24-55, 19 to 8-20-55, 19, and that death occurred at 8:10pm., from the causes and on the date stated above.

23a. SIGNATURE H. LUKE, M.D. 23b. ADDRESS VAH, 915 N. Grand St. Louis, Mo. 23c. DATE SIGNED 8-21-55

24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) Removal 24b. DATE 8/24/55 24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY National Cem. 24d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) Jeff. Bks. Mo.

DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REG. AUG 22 1955 25. STRAUB'S SIGNATURE 26. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE Edward F. Smith 5411 S. Hwy

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Application for License to Marry

AFFIDAVIT OF MALE

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
County of St. Louis,

I, Harry B. Gill
Walter G. Jones County of St. Louis State of Missouri
desiring to procure a license to marry Mary M. Bennett
Walter G. Jones County of St. Louis State of Missouri

do solemnly swear that I am of the age of 49 years, and that I am single and unmarried, and may lawfully contract and be joined in marriage. Affiant further states that to the best of his knowledge he is free from syphilis and that hereto attached and made a part of this application is:

- (a) Report of laboratory serological test for syphilis, of affiant and the said

Mary M. Bennett

- (b) Certificate from physician duly licensed to practice in Missouri, that Affiant and the said

Mary M. Bennett

have been examined and are not infected with syphilis, or, if infected are not in the stage where the disease is communicable; with laboratory certificate attached.

- (c) Certificate from physician duly licensed in Missouri stating that

is on his or her death bed and unlikely to consummate the marriage.

Mary M. Bennett

is on his or her death bed and unlikely to consummate the marriage.

(d) Certificate from physician duly licensed in Missouri that.....

..... is pregnant.

As required by Section 3364-A, Article I, Chapter 20, Revised Statutes of Missouri, enacted by the 62nd General Assembly.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1944
 by Stewart Schwager Deputy, Gerald J. Donwirth
 Recorder of Deeds.

FILED
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 At
 O'clock
 GERALD J. DONWIRTH
 RECORDER OF DEEDS

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1622 MISSOURI DIVISION OF HEALTH - STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE

Registration District No. 318 Primary Registration District No. 1003 Registrar's No. 3253 STATE FILE NUMBER 67 0011960

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DOCUMENT

1. PLACE OF DEATH
 a. COUNTY St. Louis
 b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, give TOWNSHIP only) St. Louis
 Length of stay in 1b 10 Days
 c. CITY OR TOWN St. Louis
 Inside Limits Yes ☒ No ☐
 d. STREET ADDRESS 6836 Southwest Ave.
 (If outside, give location) Yes ☐ No ☒

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived; if institution: Residence before admission)
 a. STATE Missouri
 b. COUNTY St. Louis
 c. CITY OR TOWN St. Louis
 Inside Limits Yes ☒ No ☐
 d. STREET ADDRESS 6836 Southwest Ave.
 (If outside, give location) Yes ☐ No ☒

3. NAME OF DECEASED
 First Middle Last
 Harry V. Gill
 4. DATE OF DEATH
 Month Day Year
 Mar. 31st 1967

5. SEX Male
 A. COLOR OR RACE White
 7. Married ☐ Never Married ☐
 Widowed ☒ Divorced ☐

8. DATE OF BIRTH 4-19-1895
 9. AGE (last birthday) 71
 IF UNDER 1 YEAR IF UNDER 24 HRS
 Months Days Hours Min.

10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Factory Worker
 10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Shoe Mfg.
 11. BIRTHPLACE (City and state or country) Sterling, Ill.
 12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY USA

13a. FATHER'S NAME Unknown Gill
 13b. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Unknown
 14. NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE Mary M. Gill

15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) No
 16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 492-32-3525A
 17. INFORMANT Fannie Kelly
 Address Above

18. CAUSE OF DEATH (If two or more causes, give first for (a), (b), and (c).)
 PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY:
 IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Bronchopneumonia
 Conditions, if any, which gave rise to above cause (b), stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) 491X
 DUE TO (c)
 PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH, but not related to the terminal disease condition given in PART I (a) Cardiac Deformation
 Red Corneal Necrosis
 PART III. If deceased was female, was there a pregnancy in last 90 days?
☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown

19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES ☒ NO ☐
 20a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE
 20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED (Enter nature of injury in PART I or PART II of item 18.)
 20c. TIME OF INJURY Hour Month, Day, Year
 20d. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☒
 20e. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)
 20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION COUNTY STATE

21. I attended the deceased from 5-18-53 to 9-31-67 and last saw him alive on 9-31-67
 Death occurred at 3:20 PM on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.

22a. SIGNATURE Ernest A. Schaefer, M.D.
 (Degree or title)
 22b. ADDRESS 7200 Manchester
 22c. DATE SIGNED 7-11-67

23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) Removal
 23b. DATE 4-4-1967
 23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY National Cemetery
 23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) St. Louis Co. Mo.
 (State)

24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR JAY B. SMITH, Maplewood, Mo.
 ADDRESS
 25. DATE REC'D. BY LOCAL REG. APR 5 1967
 26. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE Earl Smith, M.D.

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MO death record of Harry V. Gill (1895-1967) - https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/3386460:60382?tid=&pid=&queryId=fadcc451-8d83-4ed0-b2bc-1df527e352a5&_phsrc=cPx6724&_phstart=successSource

GILL, MARY M.		8/29/55 CT		Xc- 224 110	
PILLEY, MARY M.					
BENNETT, MARY M. PILLEY					
Nurse ANC		K-			
6044a Suburban Ave., St. Louis, Mo.		N-			
Sa. -	Died 8/20/55	H-			
Born 12-13-95		V-			
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Father:

From Samuel T. Bennett's Find A Grave record #130081638. Samuel b. 28 Jun 1859 Washington Co. MO, d. 23 Sep 1913 St. Louis MO. Buried in the Potters Field (cemetery for the poor):

Samuel Bennett was the son of Jackson Bennett and Nancy Rutledge of Liberty, Washington Co, MO. He married Susan J. Hays, d/o John Hays and Josephine Tanguier, also of Washington Co, MO. They had 4 children: Lilly, Mary, Herman and Caroline. When the youngest, Caroline was about 3 years old, her mother Susan died. Unable to care properly for his two youngest children, Herman and Caroline, Sam put them in St. Vincent's Children's Home in St. Louis and they were later adopted out. However, Samuel retained the right in Caroline's adoption papers to continue to have rights to see her and that she know him to be her father. However, her grandchildren do not believe she ever saw him again. It is unknown what happened to his two oldest daughters. They were in their teens at the time and likely married young. Although Sam and Susie lived in DeSoto, MO at the time of her death, Sam moved to St. Louis and remained there, working until the time of his death.

Mother:

Died, at De Soto, Mo., on Jan. 23, 1902, of consumption, Mrs. Susie S. Bennett, aged 32 years. She was the wife of S. T. Bennett, formerly of Potosi.

Obituary of Susan Josephine Hays Bennett – “Potosi (MO) Journal” Wednesday 29 Jan 1902
p 4

Mrs. Susie Bennett, wife of S. T. Bennett, died at her home in this city on Thursday of last week after a lingering illness. The remains were taken to Potosi, her old home, for interment.

“De Soto (MO) Press” Saturday 1 Feb 1902 p 5

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

STATE OF MISSOURI, **COUNTY OF** Washington

This License Authorizes any Judge, Justice of the Peace, Licensed or Ordained Preacher of the Gospel, or any other person authorized under the Laws of this State, to **Solemnize Marriage** Between Samuel T. Bennett of Liberty Township County of Washington and State of Missouri, who is man the age of twenty-one years; and Susie L. Hays of Liberty Township in the County of Washington and State of Missouri, who is under the age of eighteen years.

The Father of Susie L. Hays, (John P. Hays) gave his consent to this marriage in writing

Witness my hand as Circuit Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder, with the seal of office hereto affixed at my office in Paris this 9th day of November 18 86

By _____ Deputy. Andrew G. Carey Circuit Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder.

Witness my hand as Circuit Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder, with the seal of office hereto affixed at my office in Paris this 9th day of November 18 86

By _____ Deputy. Andrew G. Carey Circuit Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss. This is to certify that the undersigned Justice of the Peace County of Washington did, at Liberty Township in said County, on the 10th day of November A. D. 1886, unite in Marriage the above named persons.

The foregoing Certificate of Marriage was filed for Record in my office, on the 29th day of November 18 86, at 4 o'clock and _____ minutes _____ M. By _____ Deputy. Andrew G. Carey Circuit Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder.

Marriage of Samuel T. Bennett & Susie Hays married 10 Nov 1886 in Washington Co. MO – since Susie was underage, her father John P. Hays gave his consent -

<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QS7-894R-C9M9?view=index&personArk=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AWX1M-S8PZ&action=view>

PENSIONS.

The List of Certificates Issued for Kansas and Missouri.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—[Special.] The following pensions were issued to-day:

MISSOURI.

Original Invalids—Joseph Reinhold, Independence; James W. Brown, Ganma; George B. D. Haynes, Trenton; William H. Born, Thayer; Sheplar Reasoner, Goshen; Richard Britt, deceased, Higginsville; John Coalman, Mayesburgh; Joseph C. Dampier, Gunter; Joel Sanders, Bogard; William T. Pangle, Three Springs; John S. Rains, deceased, Travisville; James V. Bodine, Holcomb; Alexander Vaugh, Hayward; Christian Hull, Kansas City; Milton Williams, Bradleyville; Christian Ganahl, Perryville; George W. Wallace, Lowry City; Edward B. Condra, Cornland; George Sievers, St. Louis; Bird Hixson, Bainbridge; William Caraway, deceased, Shell Creek; Julius Sauer, St. Louis.

Increase—Jefferson Bess, Lutesville; Enos Pickering, Boliver; Samuel Allen, Macon; Henry W. Sanderson, Peculiar.

Reissue—Adam Dootzel, alias Charles Rieth, St. Louis; Lucius McGowan, Zincite.

Original widows—Margaret, mother of Perry Tipton, Farber; Temperance, widow of Thomas Mattox, Wakenda; Henry, father of Henry Loes, Jr., Oak Ridge.

Reissue—Minor of Thomas Lambert, Wein; minors of William A. Bates, Richmond; Susanna Snyder, former widow of Daniel Wammack, Fair Grove; George W., father of Stephen R. Dewitt, Canton; Elizabeth F., mother of W. H. Stanley, Brockfield; minors of Lorenzo White, Blodgett; Catherine, widow of Wencerlans Stodol, St. Louis; Josephine Hayes, former widow of Elijah Bays, Potosi; minor of Elijah Bays, Potosi; Ann E., widow of Jeremiah V. Rominous, Motherly.

Susan Hays's mother Josephine Tanquer Bays Hays – "Kansas City (MO) Journal" Tuesday 15 Apr 1890 p 1

Josephine Tanquer

in the Missouri, U.S., Compiled Marriages, 1754-1850

Name	Josephine Tanquer
Spouse	Elijah Bass
Marriage Date	29 Oct 1850
Marriage County	Washington

https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/163065:2094?tid=&pid=&queryId=2fc3918b-3302-4396-9d5f-414895fe2902&_phsrc=cPx6765&_phstart=successSource

State of Missouri
 Washington County I do hereby certify that I joined in marriage
 the John Hays & Josephine Bays on the 20th day of March 1867
 in the County of Washington Mo
 Filed April 12th 1867
 J. B. Bell Recorder
 S. B. Humphreys
 Justice Peace

Marriage of Susan's mother Josephine Tanquer Bays [misread as Baysons] on 20 Mar 1867
 to John P. Hays - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/510278353:1171>

Adoptive parents:

ROEHRS, MARGARETTA—Asleep in Jesus
 at Pilot Knob, Mo., July 12, 1939, at 4
 p. m., dear mother of Martin C. and
 Herman W. Roehrs, dear wife of the
 late Christ Roehrs, dear mother, grand-
 mother and great-grandmother, in her
 86th year.
 Interment at Northwest Lutheran Ceme-
 tery, Marcus and Lexington avenues,
 St. Louis, 2 p. m. Friday.

Obituary of Margaretta Roehrs – “St. Louis (MO) Star & Times” Thursday 13 Jul 1939 p 27

Married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schulz, on Tuesday, April 14th, at 2 o'clock, Miss Elsie Schulz to Herman Roeh of Belleview. Rev. Wideman of Farmington pronouncing the words that made them man and wife. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schulz and has a host of friends in this vicinity, while the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roehrs of near Belleview and is very popular in that community. The bride was gowned in a beautiful white messaline dress draped with silk chiffon and with lillies of the valley arranged in her veil and hair. The

groom was attired in a black suit. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Esther, who wore a dress of pale silk soisette trimmed in shadow lace and messaline. The groomsman was Ernest Schulz. The couple left the same evening for St. Louis, where they will spend several days. They will be at home to their many friends after April 20th, near Belleview, where the groom has furnished a neat little home.—Bismarck Gazette.

Sibling:

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO MARRY

AFFIDAVIT OF MALE

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of St. Louis, }

I, Thomas J. Coughlin
St. Louis and state of Mo.
desiring to procure a license to marry Caroline G. Graber
a University City and State of Mo. do solemnly swear
that I am of the age of 27 years, and that I am single and unmarried and may lawfully con-
tract and be joined in marriage.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of Sept 1920
By W. J. Keef Deputy, Thomas J. Coughlin
Wm. H. Leggett Recorder.

AFFIDAVIT OF FEMALE

STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
County of St. Louis, }

I, Caroline G. Graber
do hereby solemnly swear that I am the person named in the above application for a marriage license
and that I am of the age of 21 years, and that I am single and unmarried and may lawfully con-
tract and be joined in marriage.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of Sept 1920
By W. J. Keef Deputy, Caroline G. Graber
Wm. H. Leggett Recorder.

CONSENT OF PARENTS

Sister Caroline G. Bennett, adopted name Graber, Coughlin (1898-1957) -

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/500118073:1171>

COUGHLIN, THOMAS J., of 5246 Paulian pl., on Tues., Aug. 23, 1955, beloved husband of Caroline Coughlin (nee Graber), dear father of Mrs. Marjorie Terry, Mrs. Rose Briscoe and Mrs. Helen Schweiss, dear brother of Mrs. Lottie Smith and Mrs. Agnes Hynes, dear father-in-law and grandfather.
Funeral from STUART & SONS' Chapel, Union and Page bl., on Fri., Aug. 26, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Mark's Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Member of St. Louis Printing Pressmen's Union No. 6. In parlors after 2 p. m., Wed.

Obituary of brother-in-law Thomas J. Coughlin – "St. Louis (MO) Globe-Democrat"
Thursday 25 Aug 1955 p 13

FILED AUG 19 1957

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

29337

STATE FILE NUMBER

Registration District No. 318 Primary Registration District No. 1003 Registrar's 6748

1. PLACE OF DEATH
a. COUNTY

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: Residence before admission)
a. STATE MISSOURI b. COUNTY ST. LOUIS

3. CITY (If outside corporate limits, give TOWNSHIP only)
a. CITY OR TOWN St. Louis b. INSIDE LIMITS Yes ☒ No ☐

4. CITY OR TOWN St. Louis 4000 c. INSIDE LIMITS Yes ☒ No ☐

5. FULL NAME OF (If NOT in hospital, give location)
a. HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION Mo. Baptist b. LENGTH OF STAY IN 1b 6 wks c. STREET ADDRESS 6016 BROWN ROAD d. (If outside, give location) e. RESIDE ON FARM Yes ☐ No ☒

6. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print)
a. First CAROLINE b. Middle c. Last COUGHLIN

7. SEX FEMALE 8. COLOR OR RACE White 9. MARRIED ☒ NEVER MARRIED ☐ 10. DATE OF BIRTH 10-27-1898 11. AGE (In years last birthday) 58 12. IF UNDER 1 YEAR If under 1 year If under 24 hrs. Month Day Hour 8 20 None

13. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Housewife 14. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Home 15. BIRTHPLACE (City and state or country) De Soto Missouri 16. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? U.S.A.

17. FATHER'S NAME CHARLES GRABER 18. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME UNKNOWN

19. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) No 20. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 492-20-9958 21. INFORMANT ROSE BRISCOE 22. ADDRESS 6016 BROWN Rd.

23. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).)
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY:
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Cardiovascular Accident
Conditions, if any, which gave rise to above cause (a), stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) Thrombophlebitis, acute
DUE TO (c)
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I(a)

24. INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH 1 week 2 weeks

25. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES ☒ NO ☐

26a. ACCIDENT ☐ SUICIDE ☐ HOMICIDE ☐ 26b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED: (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of item 18.)

27a. TIME OF INJURY Hour Month, Day, Year
p. m.

27b. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐ 27c. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.) 27d. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION COUNTY STATE

28. I attended the deceased from July 1 to July 17, 1957 and last saw her alive on July 17, 1957. Death occurred at 3:30 pm on the date stated above; and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.

29. SIGNATURE (Degree or title) J. A. Nitcher, M.D. 30. ADDRESS 114 No. Taylor St. 31. DATE SIGNED 7/19/57

32. BURIAL OR CREMATION REMOVAL (Specify) Burial 33. DATE 7-20-1957 34. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY CALVARY CEMETERY 35. LOCATION (City, town, or county) St. Louis MO.

36. FUNERAL DIRECTOR W. Berimuehle ADDRESS 3819 So. Grand 37. DATE RECD. BY LOCAL REG. JUL 19 1957 38. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE J. A. Nitcher, M.D.

(If Licensed Embalmer's Statement on Reverse Side)

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/1283255:60382>

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Herman Lee Bennett

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 158th Aero Squadron [then 213th Aero Squadron, then 372nd Aero Squadron, then Medical Detachment] - private

Serial number: 81,467

Entered service from: Bellevue, Iron MO

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Herman L. Bennett

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": uncle J.C. Rochrs, Belleview MO

Returned from war on: "St. Louis" Apr 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Herman L. Bennett

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: uncle John C. Roehrs, Belleview ME (should be MO) (PFC, 372nd Aero Sq) Uncle appears to be adoptive father Johann Christoph Roehrs (John C. Roehrs), 2 Jan 1845 Germany – d. 3 Mar 1928, Belleview, Iron MO. F: 27652170, buried in St. Louis MO.

Enlistment: 22 May 1915 Jefferson Barracks MO, at age 17

Service record:

Hospital Corps: 22 May 1915 – 15 Oct 1917 (Jefferson Barracks MO)

HQ Medical Detachment: 16 Oct 1917 – 21 Dec 1917

158th Aero Squadron: 22 Dec 1917 – 23 Feb 1918

213th Aero Squadron: 24 Feb 1918 – 3 Apr 1919

372nd Aero Squadron: 4 Apr 1919 – 3 May 1919

Medical Detachment: May 4, 1919 – March 18, 1920

World War I draft registration (1917):

Missouri Archives – serial 81467, resident of Belleview MO, inducted Jefferson Barracks 22 May 1915, age 19 5/6 years, b. De Soto MO. Private Apr 1916. Overseas 23 Jan 1918 – 1 May 1919.

World War II draft registration (1942): as Herman Lee Bennett - b. 7 Jul 1895 De Soto MO; residence & employed by: City Hospital, 1515 Lafayette Ave. St. Louis MO. NOK Mary M. Bennett, Glenwood Sanitarium, Webster Groves MO. Scar on right cheek. Height: 5'9" – 161 ½ lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index for Herman:

Enlisted 6 Apr 1917

Discharged 4 Jun 1920

Address: 6044a Suburban Ave., St. Louis MO [same address as his wife, also a veteran]

Rank/unit: PFC, Medical Dept.

Veterans Administration Military Index for Mary M. Pilley Bennett / Mary M. Pilley / Mary M. Gill (the Gill entry a later addition)

Enlisted 21 Sep 1918

Discharged 29 Oct 1919

Address: 6044a Suburban Ave., St. Louis MO [same address as Herman]

Birth & death:

Born: 7 Jul 1895 (tombstone & WWII draft) – also found as 1898 – in DeSoto, Jefferson MO

Died: 24 Mar 1967 Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau MO (of coronary thrombosis)

Find A Grave record: 158569119 - presence on Tuscania noted in flower

Burial location: Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau MO

Cemetery: Cape County Memorial Park

Tombstone: veteran flat: Missouri PFC 372 Aero Sq WWI

Father: Samuel T. (Sam) Bennett, 28 Jun 1859 Washington Co. MO – 23 Sep 1913 St. Louis, St. Louis City MO. Son of Jackson Bennett (ca. 1830 VA, who fought for the Confederacy in the Civil War & Nancy J. Rutledge (1834-1904, F: 5276287). His parents married 24 Nov 1857 in Washington Co. MO.

In the 1860 census for Liberty, Washington Co. MO, Jacson [sic] Bennett, age 30, b. VA, blacksmith, lives with wife Nancy (26 MO) & son Saml (age 1 MO).

In the 1870 census for Liberty, Washington Co. MO, Samuel lives with his mother Nancy & sister Eliza, listed on the same census page as his future wife, Susan Hays. His 2 younger children. Her marital status is not recorded; his father is not listed.

In the 1880 census for Liberty, Washington Co. MO, Nancy lists herself as a widow.

Samuel's two younger children – Herman & Caroline – were adopted after the death of his wife in 1902. He appears to have had rare, or no, contact with them.

Buried in Potter's Field, St. Louis, St. Louis City MO.

Find A Grave: 130081638

Mother: Susan Josephine (Susie) Hays Bennett, Apr 1870 [or Jul 1870?] Liberty, Washington Co. MO – 23 Jan 1902 DeSoto, Jefferson MO [erroneously found as 1903]

Daughter of John P. Hays, ca. 1817/1819 MO. He had fought in the Civil War for the Confederacy. There are several earlier marriage possibilities for John in Washington Co. MO.

Her mother was listed as Josephine Tanquer when she married her 1st husband, Elijah Bays, on 29 Oct 1850 in Washington Co. MO. Elijah had fought in the Civil War for the Union, in the 31st Infantry. In the 1860 census for Liberty, Washington Co. MO, Josephine Bays (24 MO) lived with husband Elijah Bays (30 MO, miner) & their daughter Mary (4 MO). Mrs. Josephine Bays married John Hays on 20 Mar 1867 in Washington Co. MO.

In the 1870 census for Liberty, Washington Co. MO, conducted 3 Aug 1870, John P. Hays (53 MO), farmer, lived with wife Josephine (34 MO) & children Mary J. (here listed with surname Hays) (14 MO), John (13 MO) & Susan (1 month MO). On the same page is apparently Susan's future husband – Nancy Bennett, 35 MO, keeping house, with children Samuel F. Bennett (12 MO) & daughter Eliza N. (9 MO).

In the 1880 census for Liberty, Washington Co. MO, John Hays (61 MO), farmer & miner, lived with wife Josephine (45 MO) & daughters Susan (10 MO) & Eliza (6 MO).

According to her obituary, buried in Potosi, Washington Co. MO, which has numerous cemeteries.

Find A Grave:

Parents' marriage: Samuel J. Bennett & Susie H. Hays, daughter of John Hays, on 10 Nov 1886 Suhwty township, Washington Co. MO

Adoptive parents:

Living with J.C. & Maggie Roehrs in the 1910 census in Iron Co. MO; listed as "adopted son."

John C. Roehrs, 2 Jan 1845 Niedersachsen/Fintel/Prussia (Germany) – 3 Mar 1928 Bellevue, Iron Co. MO. Originally named Johann Christof Roehrs/Rohrs. Buried in Western Lutheran Cemetery, St. Louis, St. Louis City MO. F: 27652170

Margaretta Riebesel Roehrs, 8 Feb 1854 Germany – 12 Jul 1939 MO. Buried in Western Lutheran Cemetery, St. Louis, St. Louis City MO. F: 27727874

Spouse: Mary Mackness Pilley Bennett Gill, 13 Dec 1895 [Veterans Administration Master Index & MO death certificate] or 24 Nov 1895 [tombstone] London, Ontario, Canada – 20 Aug 1955 St. Louis MO (in the Veterans Administration Hospital). SSN 492-07-2673.

According to her MO death record, born in London, Ontario, Canada. According to Find A Grave, born in Rotherham, Metropolitan Borough of Rotherham, South Yorkshire, England. Daughter of John Pilley & Elizabeth McIntosh.

According to the “flower” on her Find A Grave record provided by Home Children Canada, Mary Pilley was a British “home child” brought to Canada by Dr. Bernardo Homes. On 11 May 1908, Mary arrived in Quebec, Canada, aboard “Dominion.” From there, she traveled with her traveling party to Hazelbrae Home in Peterborough, Ontario, Canada. This, however, appears to be a record for a different Mary Bennett, who crossed the Atlantic with the Bennett surname. Mary Pilley did not become a Bennett until her 1920 marriage to Herman Lee Bennett. Birthdate & place remains a question.

Perhaps the Mary Pilley, a student, who entered VT at St. Alban’s Crossing in 1916, a student, from Guelph, Canada, age 21, guardian Charles Abbott, Belmont, Ontario, Canada. Heading to Hudson NY.

Married Herman V. Gill, age 49, on 12 Jun 1944 in St. Louis, St. Louis City MO. Both were residents of Webster Groves, St. Louis City MO. Harry V. Gill was born 19 Apr 1895 in Sterling, Whiteside IL & died 31 Mar 1967 St. Louis, St. Louis City MO. His MO death certificate lists his parents as unknown; his wife is Mary M. Gill. He is buried in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, Lemay, St. Louis Co. MO, F: 23582000.

In the 1950 census, Harry V. Gill (53 IL), a stationary fireman for a shoe factory, lived with wife Mary M. Gill (53 Canada), a registered nurse on private duty, in Maplewood, St. Louis MO, at 2286 Yale.

Died of ovarian cancer.

Buried under surname Gill in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, Lemay, St. Louis Co. MO.

Tombstone reads Nurse / Army Nurse Corps / WWI.

Spouse Find A Grave: 23549032

Marriage: “St. Louis (MO) Globe-Democrat” Saturday 16 Oct 1920, p 18 – application for marriage license: Herman L. Bennett, 6064 Horton – Mary M. Pilley, White Plains NY. In the 1950 census, Herman reports his marital status is “divorced.”

Spouse: Lela --- Bennett, Herman’s surviving widow at the time of his death in Mar 1967. Might she be the Lela Bennett, b. 27 Sep 1893, d. 28 Apr 1983, buried in New Lorimier Cemetery, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau MO, F: 7393065?

Children:

Siblings:

- Lilly Bennett, Jun 1887 Washington Co. MO (in 1900 census). The family is unable to trace her; does not appear to be adopted after her mother's death. They speculate she may have married young.
- Mary Bennett, Sep 1889 DeSoto, Jefferson MO (in 1900 census) The family is unable to trace her; does not appear to be adopted after her mother's death. They speculate she may have married young.
- Caroline Grace (Carrie) Bennett, adopted by Graber, Coughlin, 27 Oct 1898 St. Louis City MO – 17 Jul 1957 St. Louis City MO. Adopted at age 3 following the death of her mother by Charles Graber (F: 52803218) & wife Helene Kruger Graber (F: 52803220), with the stipulation that her father Samuel could continue to know her as her father. But family believes Samuel never saw Carrie again, although he lived in St. Louis MO for some time after the adoption. Married in 1920 to Thomas Joseph Coughlin (1888-1955, F: 52225297). – Obtained a marriage license 15 Sep 1920 in St. Louis City MO; she was age 21 & he age 27. Buried in Calvary Cemetery & Mausoleum, St. Louis, St. Louis City MO. F: 52224396

Notes:

Wartime:

“St. Joseph (MO) Gazette” 12 Feb 1918 p 10 – not yet reported as survivor: Herman L. Bennett of Bellevue MO.

Post-war:

Obituary:

Social Security Number: 489-14-4508

Censuses:

1910 Valle township, DeSoto city, Jefferson Co. MO – 559 Boyd
 Samuel Bennett, 41 MO, father b. VA, mother b. MO, engineer, stationery
 Susan, 30 MO, Apr 1870, parents b. MO
 Lilly, 12 MO, Jun 1887
 Mary, 10 MO, Sep 1889
 Herman, 5 MO, Sep 1894
 Carrie, 1 MO, Oct 1898

1910 Iron, Iron Co. MO – with the couple who adopted him from the orphanage
 J.C. Roehrs, 65 Germany, parents b. Germany, in 1st marriage, married 32 years, farmer
 [indexed as Roches]

Maggie Roehrs, 56 Germany, parents b. Germany, in 1st marriage, gave birth to 7 children, 2 are living [wife]

Herman Roehrs, 28 MO, parents b. Germany, farm labor, working out [son]

Herman Bennet [sic], 14 MO, parents b. MO [adopted son]

1920 cannot locate

1930 St. Louis MO – 5955 Romaine

Herman L. Bennett, 34 MO, parents b. MO, age 24 at 1st marriage, conductor, street car, WWI veteran, renter

Mary M. Bennett, 34 Canada (English), both parents b. Canada (English), age 24 at 1st marriage

1940 cannot locate Herman

1940 Gravois, St. Louis Co. MO – his wife Mary Pilley – line 75 – Glenwood Sanitarium
Mary Bennett, 44 Canada (English), married (but with the M crossed through), same institution in 1933, registered nurse, employee

1950 St. Louis, St. Louis City MO – 245 South St.

Herman L. Bennett, 54 MO, divorced, hospital attendant, private hospital
Lodger along with many others in the household of Otto Mosenthien