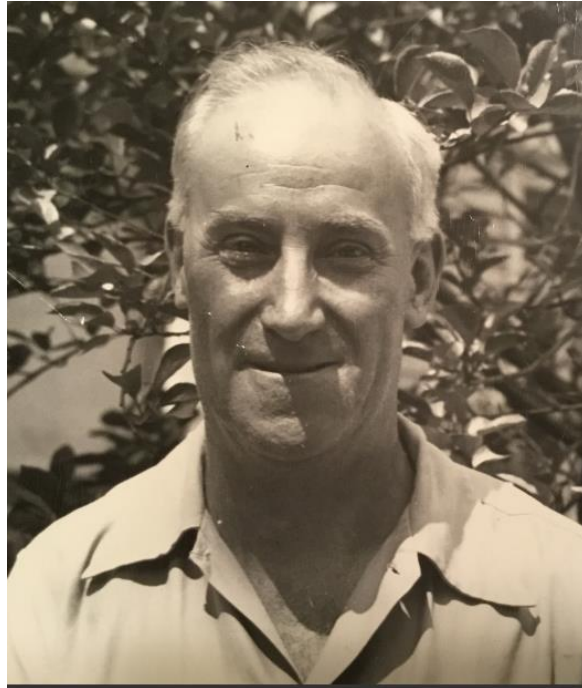


TUSCANIA

Tyson, Norbert Martin
1899 WI – 1959 WI



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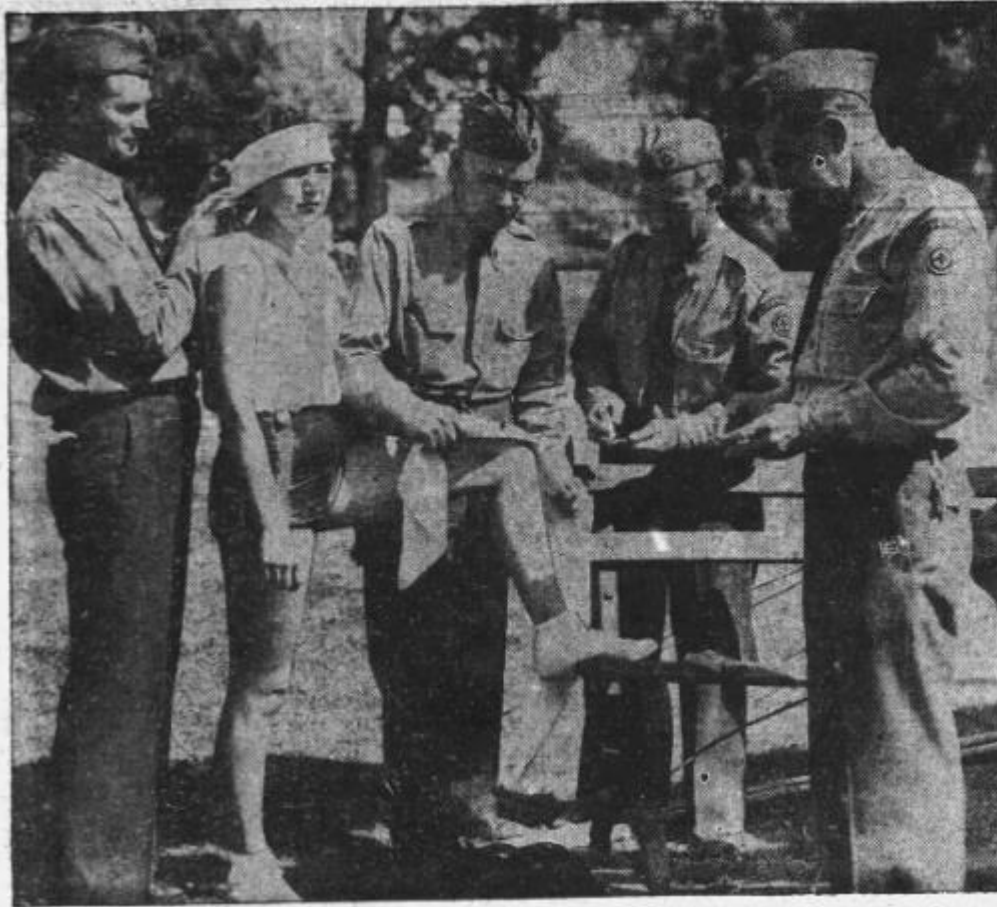


At St. James Catholic Church, Kenosha, Kenosha WI – parents of the bride & groom - the wedding of Norbert's daughter Rosemary Tyson to Robert William Petersen – from left to right: Norbert Martin Tyson, Margaret Schmitz Petersen, Norbert's wife Rose/Ruzena Macner Tyson, Walter Petersen Sr. – 21 Oct 1950 - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/111523846/person/140090382408/media/42d5f3f8-7250-4b4e-bc63-13c93436a34b?_phsrc=hFB63816&_phstart=successSource



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Kenosha's Red Cross Volunteers in Action



Organized to give first aid in any section of the city or county whenever their services are sought, a group of Kenosha men is active as the Kenosha Red Cross first aid team. They serve at picnics, athletic meets, and stand guard at lake resorts in the county and in the parks of the city.

A group of men is shown in action above at a recent demonstration of their usefulness at Washington Park. Left to right above are Arnold R. Rowe, Miss Ann Istvanek, the patient in the demonstration, Charles Waite, coach and team instructor, Norbert Tyson and Carl Johnson.

Norbert Martin Tyson is 2nd from right – “Kenosha (WI) News” Saturday 28 Jul 1934 p 7

Tuscania Survivor Succumbs at Hospital

Norbert M. Tyson, 60, 1701 61st St., died Tuesday evening at St. Catherine's hospital. Tyson, a survivor of the sinking of the USS Tuscania, had been ill a short time.

The deceased was born June 19, 1899. His parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tyson. He was educated in Kenosha schools, had been employed at the Simmons Co. from 1923 to 1958 and was custodian at the Vocational school for the past year.

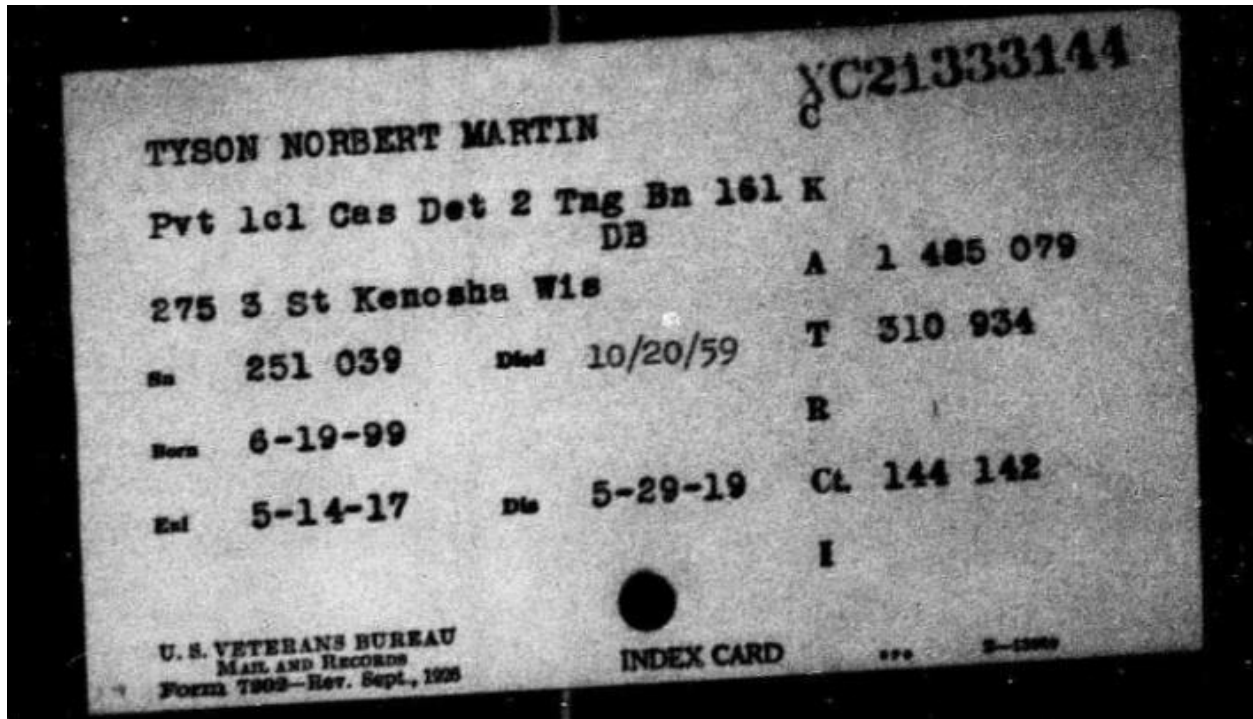
On May 14, 1917, he enlisted in the Army and served with the 32nd Division in a series of major battles in France. He was discharged May 29, 1919. On July 4, 1923, he married Miss Rose Macner at St. Francis church, Wilmette, Ill. He was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Red Arrow division organization, Building Service Employees Local 168 and the Holy Name Society of St. James church, where he was a member. Survivors, in addition to the widow, are: three daughters, Mrs. Curtis Hammond, Mrs. Carl Swanson and Mrs. Robert Petersen, all of Kenosha; and 11 grandchildren.

TYSON — Funeral services for the late Norbert M. Tyson, of 1701 61st St., will be held on Friday, October 23, 1959 at 9:30 a.m. from Mischler's Home For Funerals and 10:00 from St. James Church. Interment in St. James Cemetery. Friends may call at Mischler's after 2:00 p.m. Thursday and the Holy Name and parish rosary will be recited Thursday at 8:00 p.m.

"Kenosha (WI) News" Thursday 22 Oct 1959 p 30

16-11453-12 <i>A/D-7-15 WW I/7</i>		WW II	KOREA	ORIGINAL
1. NAME OF DECEASED - LAST-FIRST-MIDDLE (Print or Type) TYSON, Norbert M.		APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER (See attached instructions. Complete and submit both copies)		
2. SERVICE NUMBER 251039	3. PENSION OR VA CLAIM NUMBER XC 21 333 144	13. NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY (City and State) St. James Cemetery, Kenosha, Wis.		
4. ENLISTMENT DATE (Month, day, year) 5/14/17	5. DISCHARGE DATE (Month, day, year) 5/29/19 <i>Hon.</i>	14. 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 United States, soldier of the Union or Confederate Armies of the Civil War or for an unmarked memorial plot for a non-recoverable deceased member of the Armed Forces of the United States.		
6. STATE Wisconsin	7. MEDALS unknown none	I hereby agree to accept responsibility for properly placing the stone or marker at the grave or memorial plot at no expense to the Government.		
8. GRADE, BRANCH OF SERVICE, COMPANY, REGIMENT AND DIVISION Co. B, 107th Supply Trn. 32nd Div. Army		NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT (Print or Type) Rose Tyson, 1701 -61st St. Kenosha, Wis.		RELATIONSHIP widow
9. DATE OF BIRTH (Month, day, year) June 19, 1899	10. DATE OF DEATH (Month, day, year) Oct. 20, 1959	SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT <i>Rose M. Tyson</i>		DATE 12/28/59
11. RELIGIOUS EMBLEM (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> LATIN CROSS (Christian) <input type="checkbox"/> STAR OF DAVID (Hebrew) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO EMBLEM	12. CHECK TYPE REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE <input type="checkbox"/> FLAT MARBLE MARKER <input type="checkbox"/> FLAT GRANITE MARKER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FLAT BRONZE MARKER		15. FREIGHT STATION Kenosha, Wis.	
DO NOT WRITE HERE		16. SHIP TO (Print or type name and address of person who will transport stone or marker to cemetery) Calvin Hewitt, Veterans Service Officer, Ct. House, Room 103, Kenosha, Wis.		
FOR VERIFICATION JAN 6 - 1960	ORDERED JAN 26 1960	The applicant for this stone or marker has made arrangements with me to transport same to the cemetery.		
S/L 6747	CONTRACTOR JAS. H. MATTHEWS CO. (262) PITTSBURGH, PA.	SIGNATURE <i>Calvin Hewitt</i>		
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Life:

CLOSING DAYS NEAR

Catholic Schools of the City
Make Plans For Annual
Commencement Exercises

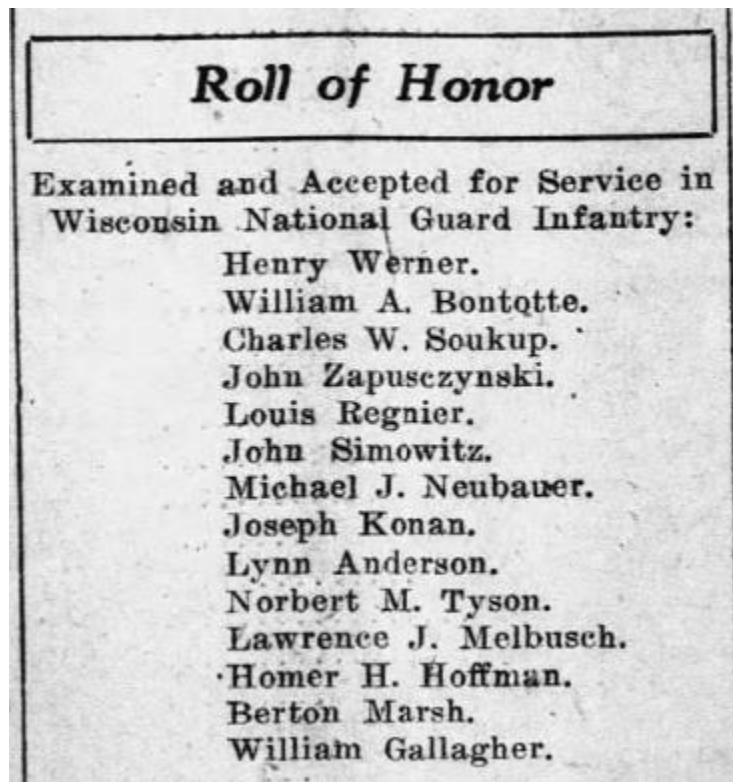
ST. JAMES' PROGRAM NOTABLE

St. Thomas Students to Have Graduation Exercises on Friday Evening With a Class of Fourteen Receiving Diplomas.

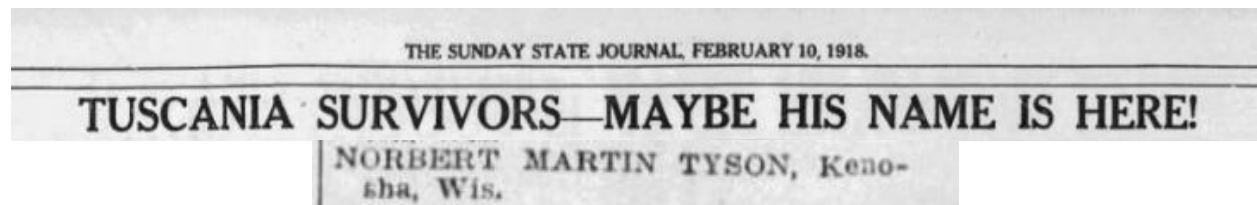
Class of 1915—Madeline Bain, Clarence Cummings, Lavera Derwae, Wm. Fanning, Robert Hughes, Lillian Kristersen, Monica Lawler, Elmer Milligan, Roger Murty, Joseph Rider, Lawrence Thomas, Norbert Tyson, Elizabeth Willems, Urban Zeivers.

Class Motto—The Cross is my Anchor.
Class Flower: The White Rose.
Class Colors: Gold and White.

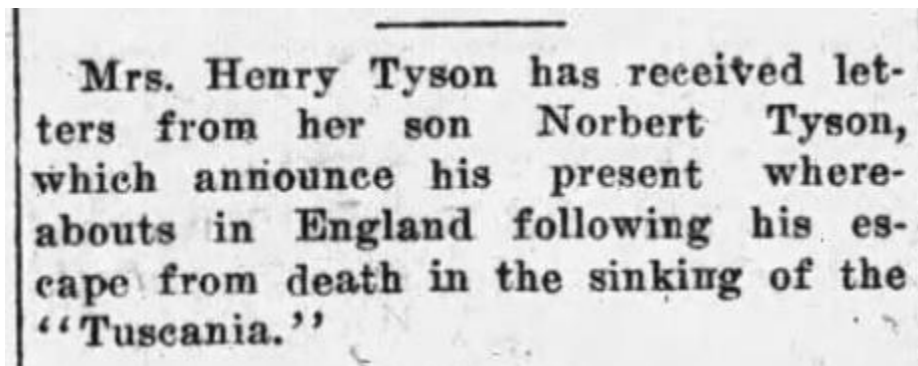
"Kenosha (WI) News" Wednesday 9 Jun 1915 p 5



"Kenosha (WI) News" Tuesday 15 May 1917 p 1



"Wisconsin State Journal" (Madison WI) Sunday 10 Feb 1918 p 4



Letter to his stepmother Mary Jane Rogers Tyson – "Kenosha (WI) News" Saturday 9 Mar 1918 p 3

COMPANY M BOYS SAFE IN PORT

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Hans T. Anderson, Harold W. Bresnahan, Leo F. Hopper, Karl A. Hultenius, Michael J. McGinn, Otto Mowrey, Dominik Petracci, Louis E. Regnier, Robert F. Riley, Edward W. Schmidt, William H. Seltrecht, George J. Schunk, Ray S. Coshun, Peter Stoiber, Hals R. Tolleth, Henry W. Werner, Elmer W. Williams, Clarence White, John Yung, Joseph Bartol.

Privates — Paul Bussa, Lawrence Garglas, William L. Garner, Bruce S. Goulder, Rudolph A. Hultenius, Henry M. Kleist, Frank M. Lane, Norbert M. Tyson, August Zura, Dominick Leonetti, Joseph Bizunowicz, Peter Kletsky, Joseph Marsolek, John Mitchell, Otto Romanek, George T. Roskos, and Earl M. Harding.

Cook—Frank H. Tanking.

"Kenosha (WI) News" Wednesday 21 May 1919 p 8

WELCOME HOME THE TUSCANIANS

(Continued from page .1)

Privates, First Class, Drivers.
251042—Paul Bussa.

Assistant Mechanics
251045—Lawrence Garglas.
251036—William L. Garner.
251028—Bruce S. Goulder.
251047—Rudolph A. Hultenius.
251006—Henry M. Kleist.
251002—Frank M. Lane.
251039—Norbert M. Tyson.
251059—August Zura.
Domonic Leonetti

Privates, Assist. Drivers.
251041—Joseph Bizunowicz.
251048—Peter Klepesky.
251054—Otto Romanik.
251012—George T. Roskos.
250999—Corp. Joseph Bartol.
Corp. Lynn Anderson.
Pvt. Vieton Novak.

"Kenosha (WI) News" Saturday 31 May 1919 p 8

Totts-Zimmermann.

Miss Mary A. Totts, daughter of Mrs. M. Totts of 574 Pomeroy street, and Harvey Zimmermann, son of Mrs. L. Zimmermann of Galesburg, Ill., were quietly married in the parsonage of St. James church at ten o'clock this morning. The Rev. Father R. J. Smith read the service.

Miss Totts wore a traveling suit of navy blue and hat of navy taffeta. Her flowers were a corsage of roses and sweet peas. Miss Sarah Totts, who served her sister as bridesmaid, wore a navy tailleur and hat of navy taffeta. Her flowers were roses and sweet peas. Norbert Tyson attended the groom.

A wedding dinner to the members of the immediately family was served at the home of the bride at twelve o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Zimmermann have gone south on a short honeymoon trip.

Best man for Harvey Zimmermann - "Kenosha (WI) News" Wednesday 11 Aug 1920 p 3

DROWNING GIRL SAVED IN TIME

**Little Florence Mahons is
Rescued from Drowning
at Lincoln Park.**

NORBERT TYSON HERO

**Lad Dives into Lagoon and by
His Quick Work Saves
Girl's Life.**

Quick and heroic action on the part of Norbert M. Tyson, 216 Pleasant street, prevented a drowning in the lagoon at Lincoln Park early Saturday evening when he dived into the water and rescued seven-year-old Florence Mahon from drowning after she had gone down for the third time in the deepest part of the lagoon. Tyson carried the girl's body out of the water and after more than fifteen minutes work resuscitated her. The child was unconscious when pulled out of the water and it was only the quick work of her rescuer that saved her life.

She was later carried to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mahon, 772 Fleet street, where she recovered entirely from the effects of her experience other than the fright which accompanied it.

Was Wading in Water.

The little girl along with several other children was wading in the waters of the lagoon despite the warnings of their parents to be careful. Florence had walked out on the planks of the old foot-bridge which has been replaced by a new and larger one; part of the bridge had been removed and she stepped off of a plank into the water at a point where it is more than five feet deep. The children with whom she was playing became terrified when they saw the girl struggling in the water.

Michael Bruno, one of the lads with her, realized the danger and began screaming for help. Tyson with another man, whose name could not be learned, heard the boy's screams and ran towards the scene of the near-drowning.

Dived Into the Water.

Tyson reached the bridge just in time to see the girl go down for the third time. Realizing the necessity of immediate action he dove into the water just beside the place where he saw the eddying circles showing where the girl's body had gone down. Luckily he found the child immediately and lifting her out of the water carried her to the shore.

Others who were in the park had gathered by this time and aided in the work of resuscitation. All of these were high in the praise of Tyson for his quick action and heroic work in saving the child's life. He was barely able to wade in the water at the place where the child had stepped into the hole, the water reaching his neck and shoulders.

A Warning to Others.

Residents of the Lincoln Park neighborhood are hoping that the near-drowning will serve as a warning to other children and will prevent them from wading in the waters of the lagoon. It is declared that there are several deep holes there and that immediate steps should be taken by authorities to prevent children from attempting to use the lagoon and the ditch leading to it for wading.

The episode has renewed the agitation for closer supervision of the parks as suggested by the park board recently in their request for two policemen to be put on park duty exclusively. It is maintained that these are needed more to guard against accident than against prowlers or wrongdoers of any kind. It was pointed out today that when the parks are taken over for the summer to become playgrounds, attendants will be named whose presence will help to reduce the danger of such accidents to a minimum. It is also said that steps will be taken to placard the stream and lagoon at Lincoln Park so as to warn children against wading there.

“Kenosha (WI) News” Monday 12 Jun 1922 p 2

Troop 2

One of the peppiest meetings of the year was held by the scouts of troop 2 in their hall Friday evening. During the scout business meeting our Scoutmaster Norbert M. Tyson discussed with the members of the troop the coming city-wide overnight hike and several other important matters.

“Kenosha (WI) News” Saturday 4 Jun 1927 p 4 – and many articles on Scout leadership & activities on Newspapers.com

Seven Bodies Missing, Purser Tells Federal Officials in Inquiry

Probe Into Sinking of S. S. "Wisconsin" Opens Here
Today; Officers Tell Story of Grim Tragedy of
Lake; Laud Kenosha's Help

Possibility that 16 men in all lost their lives when the S. S. Wisconsin went down off Kenosha Tuesday morning was brought out in the federal investigation of the disaster which was opened by Capt. Fred J. Meno, of Detroit, supervising inspector of the Federal Steamship inspection office, at the county court house here this morning.

Purser Harvey C. Lyon testified that there were 71 members of the crew of the Wisconsin and four passengers. Seventy-five was definitely set as the number aboard when the ship sank.

[article with photographs on page 1 & continuing on page 7]

Rescue Crews Are Praised for Heroism

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were on the way to the scene of the disaster.

Modest Heroes

None of the men who went out on the crews could be persuaded to talk of their own parts in the rescue work, but no limit of credit was given each for the other. Stories of men diving into the chill water to pull out survivors and the bodies of the dead and accounts of men leaving the surf-boats and clambering onto the rafts to carry bodies to the boats were many.

In the face of possible death in the storm that sank the Wisconsin the men sailed out time after time, each time returning with a load of victims, some of whom had been picked up from the water, some from life-boats and some from rafts. Many of the rescuers were themselves suffering from exposure before the great task was ended.

Boy Scouts Aid Search

Fifty boy scouts and sea scouts were dismissed from school Tuesday afternoon to join in the patrol work along the south shore in the hope that additional bodies of the ill-fated Wisconsin might wash ashore.

During the night Scout Executive Howard A. Gatley, Norbert Tyson, William H. Bullamore, and Stig Wiren spent the long hours searching the south shore.

Wreckage washed up included eight life boats, life belts, and considerable quantities of wood broken off from the ship and floated into shore. Many of the searchers picked up pieces of the wreckage and carried them off as souvenirs.



"Kenosha (WI) News" Wednesday 30 Oct 1929 p 7

Kenosha Veterans on Ship Torpedoed Going to Convention

Kenosha will join with Milwaukee when more than 100 survivors of the torpedoed troop transport Tuscania will meet in Milwaukee February 5 to celebrate the fourteenth anniversary of their rescue from one of the World war's major sea disasters.

In Kenosha there are 31 members of the division that was on hand the Tuscania at the time, and many of these are planning on attending the meeting in Milwaukee at the Randolph hotel.

The Kenoshans are Henry M. Kleist, Norbert M. Tyson, Frank Tanking, H. Anderson, August Zura, Otto Mowry, Elmer Williams, Karl Hultenius, Rudolph Hultenius, Hodgeson Vale, Claude Forbes, Henry Huetten, Frank Lane, Edward W. Schmidt, Ernest Bolton, Harvey Earl, Lawrence Garglas, Fred Johnke, Louis Ed. Regnier, Robert F. Riley, Fred Mitchell, Otto Nelson, Victor J. Novak, Dominic Leonetti, Harold Bresnahan, Ray Stephenson, William Seltrecht, Henry Werner, Leo Hopper, Floyd Hill, and Fred A. Scholey.

Taking Reservations

Scholey is taking reservations for the Kenosha men for the banquet and meeting in Milwaukee. These should be telephoned to 2-3131 or 2-1184.

At Milwaukee the veterans will pay tribute to the 225 American soldiers, most of them from Wisconsin and Michigan, who perished, and will drink a toast to 1,954 comrades who were rescued.

The Tuscania Survivors' association, with headquarters in Milwaukee, will be host at the annual meeting, which will be featured this year by message of good will from the commander of the German submarine which sank the Tuscania.

Other features will be the appearance of the Wauwatosa drum corps of 42, champions of the American Legion, and presentation of souvenir medals to all attending members by the Cunard line, owners of the Tuscania.

Shipdeck is Reproduced

The medals picture the deck and cabin of the Tuscania, as it appeared with its cargo of soldiers.

A recital of the presentation of medals for valor in the rescue, given by the association in the last year, will be made.

Officers All Milwaukeeans

Of the 1,000 members of the association, 15 live in Milwaukee. All the officers are Milwaukee residents. They are M. W. Collins, 2735 N. Bartlett street, president; L. V. Zimmerman, 5502 W. Washington boulevard, vice-president, and Tracey Greene, 5362 N. Thirty-sixth street, secretary.

To Mr. Zimmerman, on behalf of the association, Dr. Wilhelm Meyer, commander of the U-77 that sent the Tuscania down, has written his greetings and well wishes for the annual survivors' reunion.

Written from Saarbrücken, Germany, the latter gives an insight into German political affairs. It says in part:

"Here in Germany our circumstances are becoming worse from day to day. Politically, we are threatened on the one side by French imperialism, from another by Russian bolshevism.

Will Fight for Liberty

"The inner political situation regarding the frenzied payment of tribute to former enemy powers is such that in consequence we are stripped to a degree that threatens to knock down our economic stability. We have now over 5,000,000 unemployed and still more factories are being closed and workers laid off.

"That under these circumstances still further reparations be paid is impossible. The Versailles treaty must be annulled, otherwise there will be no peace in Europe. We Germans, and especially we former front line soldiers, do not further desire to live in servitude, and we will hazard everything to bring about again the freedom of our people."

Page Mr. Norbert Tyson—he confided in this reporter that his kids were always razzing him about his name appearing in this column so often. Well, kiddies, if your dad doesn't go "hot" in the Simco bowling sweepstakes, you haven't seen anything yet. Yowsah!

Simco (Simmons Co.) news article - "Kenosha (WI) News" Friday 6 Mar 1936 p 17



"Kenosha (WI) News" Friday 26 Jun 1936 p 8

Tuscania Group Meets Feb. 7-8

**Wisconsin Rapids Host to
National Association; 20
Kenosha Members**

Twenty Kenoshans are among the 250 survivors of the Tuscania disaster of the first World War who are expected to attend the annual convention of the National Tuscania Survivors association in Wisconsin Rapids on Feb. 7 and 8.

The Kenosha members are: Claude H. Forbes, Floyd S. Hill, Leo Hopper, Henry W. Huetten, Carl Hultenius, Rudolph Hultenius, Henry M. Kleist, Charles Knaup, Albert Larson, John Mitchell, Louis E. Regnier, Edward Schmidt, Fred A. Scholey, George R. Stephenson, Peter Stolber, Frank H. Tanking, Norbert M. Tyson, Clarence J. White, John J. Young, and August Zura.

Notable Chapter

The meeting this year, in a time of war and national emergency when such events as the torpedoing of the troopship *Tuscania* off Ireland on Feb. 5, 1918, are again the public mind, recalls one of the notable chapters of the World war.

Dr. F. F. Firnstahl of Wisconsin Rapids, president of the association, and Vernon H. Kelly, also of Wisconsin Rapids, the secretary-treasurer, are two of the 2,393 U. S. officers and soldiers who were aboard the ship. Of that number, 269 perished.

The rest, bound in a common bond of danger, sacrifice and heroism, formed the unique association which gathers each year to remember the early evening hour in 1918 when a German submarine sent the *Tuscania* to the bottom of the Atlantic.

Those who cannot come will pause at the anniversary time—5:50 p. m.—to say silent prayers for departed comrades. Many will send messages to comrades at the convention in a gesture of friendship and memory of the peril they knew together.

“Kenosha (WI) News” Tuesday 27 Jan 1942 p 7

123 Simmons Veterans Given Gold Watches

Honored for 20 Years of
Service with Company at
Annual Dinner Monday

Lewis S. Simonson, Frank J. Stukel, Matthew L. Stukel, Sami-
oni Sturdo, Eugenio Trecroci, Law-
J. Trottier, Norbert M. Tyson, An-
tone Van De Leest, Sam S. Vite,
Paul Volodko, Joseph Volpentesta,
John Wankovich, William White,
Wendelin F. Willems, Michael F.
Wolfe, Miss Kathryn G. Zeitler,
Louis A. Ziesemer.

"Kenosha (WI) News" Tuesday 15 Dec 1942 p 9

Mark 30th Year For Company M

Thirty years ago this morning, Company M, Fourth Wisconsin Infantry, marched through Kenosha to the railway station and embarked on a trip from which many never returned.

Company M was the first infantry unit to be furnished by Kenosha during the war, although a cavalry troop, later converted to an artillery battery under Capt. John S. Coney, had left previously. The company was recruited personally by its company commander, Captain Ed Dayton, after other recruiters had given up the attempt as impossible.

The company trained at Camp Douglas, Wisconsin, Camp MacArthur, Texas, and Camp Merritt, New Jersey, before beginning its eighteen months of combat service at the front in France. In addition to Capt. Dayton, it was staffed by Lieutenants Asbury H. Vale and Francis A. Singer.

Part of the company sailed to Europe on the liner Tuscania which was torpedoed and sunk en route. Cpl. Arthur Junker was lost in this action, one of Kenosha's first casualties.

Roster of Veterans

The final muster of the men who made up the Kenosha unit prior to its departure was released today by Capt. Dayton and is reprinted here as a tribute to their service.

[article continues]

R. T. Toney, John C. Toney,
Norbert M. Tyson, Edward L. Van
Lone, Mike Vidkos, Philip W. Unti, Wil-
liam Weiss, Hosea E. Wells, Roy Wernitz,
Clarence White, Elmer Williams, Arthur
Woodward, John J. Young, John Zap-
ustewski, August Zura.

Tuscania Survivors Mark Anniversary of Tragedy

Today, the remaining members of the Red Arrow division will meet at their headquarters in Milwaukee, 31 years to the day, marking the tragic anniversary of the sinking of the Tuscania. Three former Kenosha men, also survivors of the torpedoing, now living in surrounding communities, will join the 23 Kenoshans to attend the vent.

The original list of the 31 Kenosha survivors included Henry M. Kleist, Norbert M. Tyson, Frank H. Tanking, H. Anderson, August Zura, Otto Mowry, Elmer W. Williams, Karl Hjelmarm Hultenius, Rudolf A. Hultenius, Hodgeson Vale, Claude H. Forbes, Henry W. Huetten, Frank M. Lane, Edward W. Schmidt, Ernest Bolton, Harvey Earl, Lawrence Garglas, Fred Johnke, Louis E. Regnier, Robert F. Riley, Fred Mitchell, Otto Nelson, Victor J. Novak, Dominic Leonetti, Harold Bresnahan, Roy Stephenson, William Seltrecht, Henry Werner, Leo Hopper, Floyd Hill and Fred A. Scholey.

New Tuscania List Compiled

An updating of Kenosha's list of S. S. Tuscania survivors was offered today by John J. Young, 7401 41st Ave.

Young was one of four Kenoshans who attended a reunion of the survivors of the World War I sinking of the British troopship at Milwaukee Cudworth American Legion Post clubhouse last week. Other Kenoshans who attended the meeting that marked the 40th anniversary of the tragedy were Hans Andersen, Claude Forbes and Otto Mowrey.

In the sinking of the ship in the north channel off the Irish coast on Feb. 5, 1918, 226 American soldiers lost their lives. In 1926, a group of the survivors formed the National Tuscania Survivors Association in a meeting at Milwaukee, and since that time reunions have been held on an annual basis.


In the meeting all officers of the association were re-elected. They are President Harry Livens, Milwaukee; Secretary-treasurer Edward T. Lauer, Wauwatosa; Historian Leo V. Zimmermann, Milwaukee, and Chaplain Harry Vanderburg, Mukwonago.

Young's new listing of the present Kenosha survivors of the disaster includes in addition to the four who attended the reunion: William L. Garner, Floyd S. Hill, Leo Hopper, Karl Hultenius, Rudolph Hultenius, Henry W. Huetten, Charles W. Knaup, John Mitchell, Louis E.

Regnier, Norbert M. Tyson, Frank H. Tanking, Fred Young and August Zura. Young pointed out that in the intervening years since the troopship was sunk by German torpedoes, many of the members of the association have died and many have moved away from this area. He said that he is interested in securing a complete listing of the known survivors.

“Kenosha (WI) News” Thursday 13 Feb 1958 p 11

8 MEMORIAM



THE LIGHT SHINES!

Tonight, the 1866 Kenosha
(Southport) Lighthouse shines
in loving memory of

Happy Birthday to:
ROSE M. TYSON
June 11, 1901 – Nov. 25, 1998
Mother and Best Friend

NORBERT M. TYSON
June 19, 1899 – Oct. 20, 1959
Beloved Father

CARL R. SWANSON
June 23, 1924 – Apr. 3, 1999
Husband and Partner
for 53 years.

I love you and miss
you very much.
SHIRL

To light the light
Call 262-654-5770
Tues.-Fri.

“Kenosha (WI) News” Sunday 11 Jun 2000 p 49

Wife:

MACNER-TYSON.

Kenosha Man Marries Wilmette Girl in Pretty Ceremony July 4.

Norbert Tyson, son of Henry Tyson of 214 South Pleasant street, and Miss Rose M. Macner, of Wilmette, were married on Wednesday morning, July 4, at the St. Francis Xavier's church, Wilmette, at eight o'clock. Rev. Father Griffin performed the ceremony at an altar decorated with roses.

The bride wore white crepe de chine, with a veil, and carried Kilarney roses and lilies of the valley. Her maid of honor, Miss Florence Arns, wore green silk, and carried Kilarney roses and sweet peas. Matt Mura was best man.

A reception at the bride's home followed the ceremony. Thirty guests were present, and the residence was beautifully decorated with roses. Mr. and Mrs. Tyson have left for a trip into northern Wisconsin, and will make their home after August 1, at 624 Prairie avenue. Mr. and Mrs. H. Tyson, and Miss Ethel Rogers of Kenosha attended the wedding. Mr. Tyson is well known here, and is employed at Simmons company.

Marriage of Norbert Martin Tyson & Rose M. Macner on 4 Jul 1923 – "Kenosha (WI) News"
Saturday 7 Jul 1923 p 4

Rose M. Tyson

Rose M. Tyson, 97, of Kenosha, died on Wednesday (Nov. 25, 1998) at her residence.

Born June 11, 1901 in Pilsen in what is now the Czech Republic, she was the daughter of the late Frank and Barbara (Neradova) Macner. She was educated in Pilsen, came to the United States as a young woman and moved to Kenosha in the 1920s.

On July 4, 1923, in St. Francis Catholic Church in Wilmette, Ill., she married Norbert Tyson. He died Oct. 20, 1959.

She was employed as a nanny for several years while in Wilmette, and then at Tyson's Sport for five years and Segal's Women's Clothing for several years.

She was a homemaker and a member of St. James Catholic Church, and attended St. Peter's Catholic Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Shirley Swanson and Rosemary Petersen of Kenosha; 15 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Also preceding her in death were a daughter, Barbara Hammond; three great-granddaughters; and two brothers, Frank and Oldrich Macner.

The Lendman-Mischler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Obituary of Rose Macner Tyson – “Kenosha (WI) News” Friday 27 Nov 1998 p 20 (found at Find A Grave 170855674)

Norbert M Tyson

Marriage • Illinois, Cook County Marriages, 1871-1968

Name	Norbert M Tyson
Sex	Male
Age	24
Birth Year (Estimated)	1899
Spouse's Name	Rose M Macner
Spouse's Sex	Female
Spouse's Age	19
Spouse's Birth Year (Estimated)	1904
Event Type	Marriage
Event Date	04 Jul 1923
Event Place	Cook, Illinois, United States
Event Place (Original)	Cook, Illinois, United States

<https://www.familysearch.org/tree/person/sources/MVMB-XG2>

Children:



Norbert's daughters Shirley (b. 1926), Barbara (b. 1924) & Rosemary (b. 1929) -
https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/111523846/person/140090382247/media/0610e571-f9a2-444c-88a3-d8ed965aaf8a?_phsrc=hFB63842&_phstart=successSource

Barbara Hammond

Barbara Hammond, 61, Houston, Texas, formerly of Kenosha, died Saturday morning (May 18, 1985) in Alvin, Texas, after an automobile accident.

The daughter of Norbert and Rose (Macner) Tyson, she was born April 20, 1924 in Kenosha.

She married Curtis Hammond on June 7, 1947 at St. James Church.

In 1975, she moved to Houston. She was secretary for Nurses Administration at Pasadena Bayshore Medical Center in Houston. She had been employed in the County Clerk and Register of Deeds offices while in Kenosha.

Survivors are three sons, Michael, Houston, and Kevin and Timothy, both of Kenosha; her mother; two sisters, Mrs. Robert (Rosemary) Petersen and Mrs. Clark (Shirley) Swanson, both of Kenosha; and three grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father.

The Lendman-Mischler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Barbara Hammond

Monday's obituary for Barbara Tyson Hammond incorrectly listed her name and that of a surviving sister's husband, Carl Swanson.

Obituary of daughter Barbara Ann Tyson Hammond (1924-1985) - "Kenosha (WI) News" Monday 20 May 1985 p 10 and correction in the "Kenosha News" Tuesday 21 May 1985 p



Barbara Ann Tyson Hammond - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/111523846/person/140095654667/media/c7454eb8-b377-44f3-b24b-013fcf52c60d?_phsrc=hFB63836&_phstart=successSource



Barbara Ann Tyson, Kenosha (WI) High School, 1942 yearbook -
https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/1265/images/1265_b918515-00039?treeid=50944653&personid=150177115587&rc=&usePUB=true&_phsrc=hFB63837&_phstart=successSource&pld=1455742759

To Mr. and Mrs. Norbert M. Tyson
of 275 Third street, a daughter, Bar-
bara Ann, Sunday, at the Kenosha hos-
pital.

Birth of Barbara Ann Tyson – “Kenosha (WI) News” Monday 21 Apr 1924 p 3

Engagement Told
Mr. and Mrs. Norbert M. Tyson,
of 1006 Fifty-ninth street, an-
nounce the engagement of their
daughter, Barbara Ann, to Paul J.
Landa, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs.
Paul Landa, of Route 3, Kenosha.
Miss Tyson and her fiance have
not yet set a date for their mar-
riage.

Barbara Ann Tyson engaged to Paul J. Landa Jr. – marriage does not seem to have occurred
- “Kenosha (WI) News” Saturday 24 Oct 1942 p 4

Kenoshans Wed in Pretty Church Rites

Rites uniting Miss Barbara Ann Tyson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert M. Tyson, 1701 Sixty-first street, and Curtis George Hammond, 1709 Sixty-first street, were performed by the Rev. Harold Petronis at St. James church this morning at 10. Vari-colored gladioli decked the altars, and an arch at the head of the aisle was covered with huckleberry. Miss Edna Mae Holm was soloist.

The lovely gown worn by the bride was made on princess lines with bell sleeves from Chinese silk sent from Belgium by the bridegroom when he was stationed overseas. Alonzo lace was used in the headpiece which held her fingertip veil of French illusion.

Lilies of the valley centered her bouquet of steponatis and gladioli.

Both a maid and matron of honor attended the bride. They were sisters, Rosemary, and Mrs. Carl R. Swanson, in pink and blue dotted Swiss, respectively, Miss Joy Schmidt, in aqua, and Miss Helen Jobick, in yellow, were bridesmaids. All attendants held round bouquets of harmonizing carnations and fever few.

Mr. Hammond's attendants were Martin Valaske, best man; Bernard Tyson, groomsman; and Jack Golen and Keith Lawler, ushers.

Breakfast at the Tyson home was followed by dinner at St. James hall, and a reception for 300 guests this evening, also at the church hall, will climax the festivities. Mr. and Mrs. Hammond will return from a week's trip to live at 1817 Sixty-second street. She works as a fiscal accounting clerk at Great Lakes, Ill., and Mr. Hammond is employed at Nash-Kelvinator.

Marriage of Barbara Ann Tyson to Curtis George Hammond on 7 Jun 1947 – "Kenosha (WI) News" Saturday 7 Jun 1947 p 3

Curtis G. Hammond

Curtis George Hammond, 66, Livingston, Texas, died Wednesday (Sept. 27, 1989) at the St. Joseph Medical Center, Houston, Texas.

He was born in Kenosha April 26, 1923, the son of the late George and Minnie (Litzparsi) Hammond.

He attended schools in Kenosha.

He served in the U.S. Army in Korea and was a member of the Air Force Reserve for 30 years, where he earned the rank of master sergeant.

He was employed with the

MORE deaths, page 16

Kenosha Street Department before moving to Houston, where he worked as a carpenter, until retiring five years ago.

Surviving are three sons, Michael and Kevin, both of Kenosha, and Timothy, Charleston, S.C.; two brothers, Jack, Florida, and Larry, New York; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a brother and a sister.

The Earthman Funeral Home, Houston, Texas, is handling arrangements.

Obituary of Barbara's widower Curtis George Hammond – "Kenosha (WI) News" Saturday 30 Sep 1989 p 15



MRS. CARL SWANSON—Before her marriage at St. James' rectory Saturday afternoon, she was Miss Shirley Mae Tyson.

Tyson-Swanson Rites in Rectory

In St. James rectory Saturday afternoon at 2, Miss Shirley Mae Tyson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert M. Tyson, 1701 Sixty-first street, and Carl Robert Swanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Swanson, 1618 Fifty-sixth street, repeated the vows that united them in marriage. The Rev. Claude T. O'Brien performed the ceremony.

Dropped shoulder neckline and sheer yoke were features of the bride's white slipper satin gown. A heart-shaped crown formed by clusters of seed pearls held her veil. The gladioli she carried were arranged in a cascade bouquet.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attended by her sister, Barbara, who was maid of honor in a lemon colonial gown with a full skirt and bustle. She wore a matching blusher and held green carnations and Esther Reed daisies. Another sister, Rose Mary, was bridesmaid, wearing a similar gown in aqua. She carried pink carnations and daisies.

Mr. Swanson's best man was William H. Tyson, and Curtis Hammond was groomsman.

Dinner was served at Oage Thomsen's, followed by a reception for 200 at Simmons clubhouse. Miss Carme Taglianetti and Miss Edna M. Wyman poured. Mr. and Mrs. Swanson left afterward for northern Wisconsin, to live at 3512 Fourteenth avenue when they return. He works at Nash and she is employed at the Newberry store here.

Marriage of daughter Shirley Mae Tyson (1926 -) to Carl Robert Swanson on 26 Apr 1947 in Kenosha, Kenosha WI – "Kenosha (WI) News" Monday 28 Apr 1947 p 4

Carl R. Swanson

Carl R. Swanson, 74, of Kenosha, died Saturday (April 3, 1999) at St. Catherine's Hospital.

Born June 23, 1924, in Kenosha, he was the son of the late Carl J. and Edna (Badke) Swanson. He attended local schools.

He served in the U.S. Army from 1942 to 1946 and on April 26, 1947, he married Shirley M. Tyson at St. James Catholic Church.

He was a special checker at American Motors for 30 years before retiring in 1976. He was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church, United Auto Workers Local 72 and the DAV.

He was an avid hunter, fisherman and gardener and a lifelong Chicago Cubs fan. He also enjoyed going to Dairyland Greyhound Park.

Survivors include his wife; four daughters, Elizabeth "Betty" Olson, Rosemarie Johnston, Karen Rongholt and Kathy Kaminski, all of Kenosha; a brother, Thomas of Kenosha; eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Glenn, Richard and William and two grandchildren, Allyson and Nicole Kaminski.

The Lendman-Mischler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Rosemary Petersen

1929 -- 2005

Rosemary Petersen, 75, of Kenosha passed away Sunday April 10, 2005 at her residence.

Born in Kenosha on May 13, 1929, the daughter of the late Norbert M. and Rosemary (Macner) Tyson. A life-long resident of Kenosha. She attended local schools, St. James Grade School, Lincoln Jr. High School and was a 1947 graduate of Mary D. Bradford High School.

On October 21, 1950, she married Robert W. Petersen at St. James Catholic Church in Kenosha.

She had been employed by Dr. Rauch and St. Catherine's Hospital as a Nurses Aid.

She was a member of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, St. Elizabeth Christian Mothers and the former St. George PTA. Rosemary was also a den mother and girl scout assistant.

Surviving are her husband,



Surviving are her husband, Robert W. Petersen of Kenosha; three sons, Thomas, John (Tami) and James Petersen all of Kenosha; five daughters, Kristine (Larry) Fonk, Barbara (Dale) Robertson and Jean (John) Dubrava all of Kenosha, Melanie Petersen of Milwaukee, Susan (Danny) Poole of Gurnee, Ill.; one sister, Shirley Swanson of Kenosha; 15 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a sister Barbara Hammond and two grandchildren, Whitney Robertson and Olivia Poole.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, April 13 at Proko Funeral Home at 10 a.m. Mass to be celebrated at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church at 10:30 a.m. Interment to follow at St. George Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Tuesday (today) from 5 to 8 p.m. at Proko Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorials to Hospice Alliance or St. Elizabeth Catholic Church would be appreciated by the family.

Proko Funeral Home
& Crematory

5111 - 60th Street

Ph. 262-654-3533

www.prokofuneralhome.com



Rosemary Tyson Petersen - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/111523846/person/140090382247/media/88f2cb61-fc46-48c5-97a0-c08f0f4ffae9?_phsrc=hFB63839&_phstart=successSource



Rosemary Tyson with husband Robert W. Petersen - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/111523846/person/140090382247/media/78d9d2ec-659b-452e-86d8-e48df76df99d?_phsrc=hFB63840&_phstart=successSource

Born

At the Kenosha hospital:

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Julius, 6316 Twenty-eighth avenue, a daughter, May 9.

To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Schu-
lien, 5491 Twenty-third avenue, a
daughter, May 13.

To Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Tyson, 5720 Sixteenth avenue, a daughter, May 13.

To Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Anderson, 6245 Twenty-seventh avenue, a daughter, May 14.

Birth of Rosemary Tyson – "Kenosha (WI) News" Tuesday 14 May 1929 p 4

Rosemary Tyson St. James Bride Of Mr. Petersen

Miss Rosemary Tyson became the bride of Robert William Petersen at 9 o'clock this morning at St. James church.

The Rev. James Cotter officiated at the rites uniting the daughter of the Norbert M. Tysons, 1701 61st St., and the son of the Walter Pctersens, 2007 30th St. Bouquets of white mums and pompons were at the altar. Palms were along the inside of the communion rail. Green foliage bound with white satin bows decorated the pews. Soloist was Miss Edna Mae Holm.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white satin gown featuring a closely-fitted bodice styled with a high neckline and long tapering sleeves. The added detail on the dress was the elaborate beaded motifs of rhinestones and silver bugle beads on both sides of the neckline. The bouffant skirt swept into a full court train. The bride's silk illusion veil of fingertip length was caught to a beaded satin halo effect bonnet. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses and pompons with an orchid center.



Rosemary Tyson Petersen

Five Attendants

Miss Helen Wall, maid of honor, was attired in a seafoam green satin gown. A fitted jacket which buttoned down the front was styled with small Peter Pan collar and bat wing sleeves. The skirt was very full and caught up in the back in a double bustle. On her head was a seafoam green satin crown. She carried a cascade bouquet of yellow roses and white pompons. The Misses Mary Morone, Betty O'Hare, and Patricia Skotski, bridesmaids, chose identical outfits and carried yellow mums and pompons. Sandra Petersen, sister of the bridegroom, was junior bridesmaid in an orchid satin gown like the bridesmaids and carried a cascade bouquet of yellow mums and pompons.

Joseph Tait was the bridegroom's best man. Ushers were Walter Petersen, brother of the bridegroom, Roger Miller, and Donald Hughes. Breakfast was served after the ceremony at the home of the bride, and 2:30 dinner will be held at the American Legion hall. Over 300 guests from South Bend, Ind., Chicago, Ill., Milwaukee, and Kenosha, will attend tonight's reception at American Legion hall.

After a week's honeymoon, the couple will live at 4918 7th Ave. Both the bride and bridegroom are graduates of Kenosha high school. The bride is employed by Dr. A. M. Rauch. The bridegroom is a Nash employe.

Robert W. Petersen

1929 – 2010

Robert W. Petersen, 80, passed away on Monday Jan. 11, 2010, at Aurora Health Center of Kenosha.

He was born in Kenosha on Feb. 3, 1929, the son of the late Walter and Margaret (Schmitz) Petersen. He was a graduate of Mary D. Bradford High School. Robert served in the U.S. Army during WWII. On Oct. 21, 1950, he married the late Rosemary Tyson at St. James Catholic Church. He



spent his life in Kenosha and was employed by the Kenosha Police Dept from 1952-1984 where he retired as a captain.

He was a member of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church and the St. Jude League.

Surviving Robert are his eight children; Thomas N. of Kenosha, John (Tami) of Kenosha, James of Kenosha, Kristine (Larry) Fonk of Kenosha, Barbara (Dale)

Robertson of Kenosha, Jean (John) Dubrava of Kenosha, Melanie Petersen of Milwaukee and Susan (Danny) Poole of Gurnee, Ill.; 15 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. He is also survived by two sisters; Dorothy Tait of Kenosha and Sandra Marting of Kenosha.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife; one brother, Walter Petersen and one sister, Lorraine Sparks.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday Jan. 15, at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church 4816 7th Ave., Kenosha at 10 a.m. Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Thursday, Jan. 14, from 4-8 p.m. and will continue on Friday at the funeral home from 8:30 until 9:30 a.m. then process to St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church. Interment will take place at St. George Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to St. Elizabeth Catholic Church or Hospice Alliance appreciated by the family. The family would like to give a special thank you to the medical staff at Aurora ICU for the wonderful care given to our father and our family.

Obituary of Robert William Petersen – "Kenosha (WI) News" Thursday 14 Jan 2010 p 4

Father:

Death Claims Henry Tyson

Funeral Services Planned for Monday Morning

Henry O. Tyson, 69 years, a well known resident of Kenosha, died at his home, 5615 Eighteenth avenue, Friday afternoon following a long illness. The deceased was born at Pentwater, Michigan, April 20, 1870, a son of the late Martin and Margaret Tyson. He came to Kenosha with his parents when he was a child. He attended St. George parochial school. For many years he was employed at the Simmons company. Eight years ago he retired from active work. He was widely known throughout the city and leaves an extended circle of friends and relatives to mourn his passing.

He was a member of St. James church and a member of the Holy Name society of that parish. He was also a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

On September 25, 1919, he united in marriage with Miss Mary Jane Rogers at St. James church.

Surviving are his widow and one son, Norbert M. Tyson, Kenosha. One brother and three sisters also survive; F. Charles Tyson, Kenosha, Mrs. Thomas Call, Milwaukee, Mrs. Mary Holland, Libertyville, and Miss Josephine Tyson, Kenosha. Three grandchildren, Barbara Ann, Shirley May, and Rose Mary Tyson, also survive.

The body was removed from the Crossin funeral home to the late residence this afternoon. Funeral service will be held from there Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Mass will be read at St. James church at 9 o'clock. Interment will follow in the family plot in St. James cemetery.

Obituary of father Henry Otho Tyson – "Kenosha (WI) News Saturday 3 Jun 1939 p 7

Mother:

MRS. HENRY TYSON DEAD.

**Well Known Young Woman of the City
Passed Away This Morning.**

Mrs. Anna Callahan Tysen, wife of Henry Tysen, a well known matron of the city, died at eight o'clock this morning at the Tysen home at 633 Ashland avenue. Mrs. Tysen was thirty-seven years of age and for the past year she had been suffering from consumption.

The deceased was born in Pleasant Prairie on April 29, 1867, but had lived most of her life in Kenosha. She was married to Mr. Tysen six years ago. The husband and one child are the sole survivors of the family.

The funeral will be held from St. James church on Saturday morning and the remains will be interred in St. James cemetery.

Obituary of mother Anna Veronica Callahan Tyson – "Kenosha (WI) News" Thursday 6 Aug
1903 p 1

Callahan-Tyson Nuptials.

Married—Thursday, June 18, at 8 a. m., by Rev. Father Roche, Miss Anna V. Callahan to Henry O. Tyson, both popular young people of Kenosha. The bride's cousin, Miss Mamie Shanley, of Dover, acted as bridesmaid, and the groom's cousin, John Pfeiffer, of Milwaukee, as best man. The church was decorated with palms and roses, and the wedding was one of the prettiest of the season.

The bride looked very lovely dressed in pale grey and carrying pink roses. The groom wore conventional black. After the ceremony the bridal pair with their immediate relatives, adjourned to the bride's home to partake of the sumptuous wedding breakfast served there.

Those who attended the wedding from abroad were, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lyons, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heidersdorf, of Paris; Mrs. Geo. F. Shanley and son, Dover; and Miss Mabel Callahan, Friend, Neb.

At about 1 o'clock the happy couple left for Milwaukee for a few days. A number of the young people preceded them to the depot and received them right royally with showers of rice and good wishes.

Wedding of Anna Callahan & Henry Tyson on 18 Jun 1896 – “Kenosha (WI) News” Monday 22 Jun 1896 p 2

Stepmother:

Mrs. Mary Jane Tyson Dies at Her Residence

Mrs. Mary Jane Rogers Tyson, 77, 5615 18th Ave., died at her home Tuesday evening following a brief illness.

She was born in Somers township, Feb. 8, 1872, and attended the St. Mark's parochial school.

On Sept. 25, 1919, she married Henry Tyson at St. James church. He died June 2, 1939.

She was a member of St. James church, the Altar society of St. James and the St. Thomas Aquinas church, the Women's Benefit association and the ladies auxiliary of the Eagles.

Surviving are a son, Norbert, a sister, Mrs. Ethel Rogers, three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, all of Kenosha.

Obituary of stepmother Mary Jane Rogers Tyson – "Kenosha (WI) News" Wednesday 21
Dec 1949 p 7

HAD EARLY MORNING WEDDING.

Miss Mary Jane Rogers and Henry Otto Tyson Married at St. James' Church at Dawn This Morning.

The culmination of another Kenosha romance was marked by a marriage ceremony at St. James Church at five o'clock this morning when the Rev. R. J. Smith officiated at the marriage of Miss Mary Jane Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers of Pleasant street, and Henry Otto Tyson, well known employee of Simmons Company. The ceremony was read in the presence of a few friends of the bride and groom. The bride wore a blue traveling suit and carried a prayer book and rosary. She was attended by Miss Katherine Kerin as maid of honor. The best man was William T. Rogers a brother of the bride.

A wedding breakfast followed at the home of the bride and covers were laid for only the members of the bridal party and close personal friends of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Tyson will make their home at 652 Park street and will be at home to their friends after the first of November. Both bride and groom are widely known in Kenosha and they will have the best wishes of many friends.

Wedding on 25 Sep 1919 of Henry Otto Tyson & his 2nd wife, Mary Jane Rogers – "Kenosha (WI) News" Thursday 25 Sep 1919 p 3

Pioneer Resident Died on Saturday

**John Henry Rogers, Aged 79 Years,
Died Saturday Evening After
Long Illness.**

John Henry Rogers, aged seventy-nine years, a pioneer resident of Kenosha, died Saturday evening at his home at 214 Pleasant street, after a long illness from the weaknesses due to his advancing years. He had been critically ill for several weeks and for this reason death was not unexpected.

The deceased was born in Cornwall, England, October 17, 1841, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers. At an early age he came to Wisconsin and settled first near the city of Superior. Later he came to Kenosha county and for many years lived in the town of Somers. In 1870 he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Ann Hunt at the St. Mark's parsonage in Kenosha and since that time the family had lived in Kenosha. He had been employed for many years in dock shipping and was well known and liked among the people who used the docks. He was a charter member of the dock wallopers union.

The deceased is survived by four children, Mrs. H. O. Tyson, Miss Ethel Rogers and Harry and William Rogers, all of Kenosha. He was also the father of Miss Anna Rogers who died only a short while ago. The wife and mother died in 1919.

The funeral services will be held on Tuesday morning at nine o'clock at the St. James church with interment following in the family plot in the St. James cemetery.

Death of stepmother's father John Henry Rogers – "Kenosha (WI) News" Monday 2 May 1921 p 9



Home in Kenosha, Kenosha WI – 1701 – 61st St. - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/16626096/person/400012738/media/119a9e30-442e-4946-ba4e-8cb7ed1a51e4?_phsrc=hFB63821&_phstart=successSource

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Norbert Martin Tyson

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 107th Supply Co. B - private

Serial number: 251,039

Entered service from: Kenosha, Kenosha WI

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Norbert Martin Tyson

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": father Henry O. Tyson, 504 Fremont Ave., Kenosha WI

Returned from war on: "Virginian" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Norbert M. Tyson

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Henry O. Tyson, 504 Fremont Ave., Kenosha WI
(PFC, Co. B, 107th Supply Train)

World War I draft registration (1917): had enlisted in Army on 14 May 1917, before the 5 Jun 1917 national registration day

National Tuscania Survivors Association (1939): 1006 - 59th St., Kenosha WI (1939 NTSA & 1955 WI Survivors)

World War II draft registration (1942): as Norbert M. (Martin) Tyson – b. 19 Jun 1890

Kenosha WI; res: 1006 – 59th St., Kenosha WI. NOK Rose M. Tyson, same address.

Employed at Simmons Co., 5th Ave., Kenosha WI. "mole on right lip. Scar across left thumb at nail." Height: 5' 6 ³/₄" – 179 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted: 14 May 1917

Discharged: 29 May 1919

Address: 275 – 3rd St., Kenosha WI

Rank/unit: private 1st class, Casual Detachment, 2nd Training Battalion, 161st Depot
Brigade

Birth & death:

Born: 19 Jun 1899 Kenosha, Kenosha WI

Died: 20 Oct 1959 Kenosha, Kenosha WI

Find A Grave record: 170855332 – presence on Tuscania indicated in text

Burial location: Kenosha, Kenosha WI

Cemetery: St. James

Tombstone: veteran tombstone: Wisconsin PFC Co B 107 Supply Tn WWI

Father: Henry Otto Tyson, 20 Apr 1870 MI [obituary lists city as "Pentworth"] – 2 Jun 1939
Kenosha, Kenosha WI. Son of Martin Tyson & Margretha Scherkenbach. Buried in Saint
James Cemetery, Kenosha, Kenosha WI.

Find A Grave: 143621884

Mother: Anna Veronica Callahan Tyson, 29 Apr 1866 Pleasant Prairie, Kenosha WI – 6 Aug
1903 Kenosha, Kenosha WI. Daughter of John P. Callahan & Anna McGinn. Died of
consumption (tuberculosis). Buried in Saint James Cemetery, Kenosha, Kenosha WI.

Find A Grave: 143521774

Parents' marriage: 18 Jun 1896 Kenosha Co. WI

Stepmother: Mary Jane Rogers Tyson, 8 Feb 1872 Somers township, Kenosha Co. WI – 20 Dec 1949 Kenosha, Kenosha WI. Daughter of John Henry Rogers (1841-1921, F: 142713603) & Mary Ann Hunt (1851-1919, F: 142713593).

Buried in Saint James Cemetery, Kenosha, Kenosha WI.

Stepmother's Find A Grave: 143621923

Stepmother's marriage: 25 Sep 1919 Kenosha, Kenosha WI in St. James Catholic Church.

Spouse: Rose (Ruzena) Macner Tyson, 11 Jun 1901 Pilsen [Pizeň in Czech language], Czech Republic – 25 Nov 1998 Kenosha, Kenosha WI. Surname also found as Macnerova.

Daughter of Frank Macner & Barbara Naradova. Educated in Pilsen; came to the US as a young woman. Buried in Saint James Cemetery, Kenosha, Kenosha WI.

Spouse Find A Grave: 170855674

Marriage: 4 Jul 1923 in Saint Francis Xavier's Catholic Church, Wilmette, Cook IL.

Children:

- Barbara Ann Tyson Hammond, 20 Apr 1924 Kenosha Co. WI – 18 May 1985 Alvin, Brazoria TX. Barbara's engagement to Paul J. Landa Jr. was announced in Oct 1942. The marriage did not appear to have occurred. Paul (1922-2004, F: 142539514) was also engaged to Mary Ann Pomeroy in Jan 1947 & is buried with wife Mary Ann Roberts. – Barbara married 7 Jun 1947 to Curtis George Hammond in St. James Catholic Church, Kenosha, Kenosha WI. Curtis was born 26 Apr 1923 in Kenosha, Kenosha WI, the son of George Sylvester Hammond (F: 127617626) & Minnie Litzperski & died 27 Sep 1989 in Houston, Harris TX. - Barbara Hammond died following a car accident. Buried in Saint James Cemetery, Kenosha, Kenosha WI. F: 170818639
- Shirley Mae Tyson Swanson, 27 Apr 1926 Kenosha, Kenosha WI - . Married 26 Apr 1947 in Kenosha, Kenosha WI at St. James Catholic Church to Carl Robert Swanson, 23 Jun 1924 Kenosha, Kenosha WI – 3 Apr 1999 Kenosha, Kenosha WI, buried in Saint James Cemetery, Kenosha, Kenosha WI, F: 169696299). Carl was the son of Carl J. Swanson & Edna Badke.
- Rosemary ("Posie") Tyson Petersen, 13 May 1929 Kenosha, Kenosha WI – 10 Apr 2005 Kenosha, Kenosha WI. First name also found as Rose Mary. Wife of Robert William Petersen (3 Feb 1929 – 11 Jan 2010, F: 248846778), son of Walter Petersen Sr. (F: 24426775) & Margaret E. Schmitz (F: 244267848), whom she married on 21 Oct 1950 in St. James Catholic Church, Kenosha, Kenosha WI. Rosemary & Robert had 8 children & are buried in Saint George Cemetery, Kenosha, Kenosha WI. F: 248846996

Siblings: Norbert was an only child.

Notes:

Pre-war:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Obituary:

Social Security number:

Censuses:

1900 Kenosha, Kenosha WI – 613 Ashland Ave. – conducted 18 Jun 1900

Henry O. Tyson, 30 MI, Apr 1870, parents b. Germany, married 3 years, buffer – brass

Anna Tyson, 30 WI, Apr 1870, parents b. Ireland, gave birth to 1 child, 1 is living [wife]

Norbert Tyson, 11 months WI, Jun 1899, parents b. WI [son]

Anna Callahan, 77 Ireland, Jun 1822, parents b. Ireland, emigrated 1837, in US for 63 years, gave birth to 12 children, 10 are living [mother-in-law]

1905 WI state census – Kenosha, Kenosha WI

Margretta THIESEN, 70 WI, widow

Charles F., 36 MI, buffer

Henry O., 31 MI, buffer [Norbert's father]

Margaret A., 34 MI

Josephine, 30 WI, dress maker

Norbert M., 6 WI

1910 cannot locate

1920 Kenosha, Kenosha WI – 216 Third St.

John Rogers, 78 England, parents b. England, widowed, emigrated 1858, naturalized, no occupation

William T. Rogers, 38 WI, father b. England, mother b. NY, single, painter, house [son]

Ethel C. Rogers, 23 WI, father b. England, mother b. NY, single, laborer, auto factory [daughter]

Henry Tyson, 49 MI, parents b. England, married, buffer, bed factory [son-in-law]

Mary Tyson, 48 WI, father b. England, mother b. NY, married [daughter]

Norbert Tyson, 20 WI, father b. MI, mother b. WI, single, roller, brass factory [grandson]

1930 Kenosha, Kenosha WI – 5720 – 16th Ave. – conducted 10 Apr 1930

Norbert M. Tyson, 30 WI, father b. MI, mother b. WI, age 23 at 1st marriage, laborer, bed factory, WWI veteran

Rose M., 27 Czechoslovakia, parents b. Czechoslovakia

Barbara A., 5 WI

Shirley M., 3 WI

Rose M., 10 months WI

1940 Kenosha, Kenosha WI – 1006 – 59th St. – same house in 1935

Norbert M. Tyson, 40 WI, woodroom, bed factory

Rose M., 38 Czechoslovakia

Barbara A., 16 WI

Shirley M., 13 WI

Rose Mary, 11 WI

1950 Kenosha, Kenosha WI

Norbert M. Tyson, 50 WI, supervisor, bedding company

Rose M., 47 Czechoslovakia

Rosemary, 20 WI, physician's assistant, local doctor