

TUSCANIA

Wethern, Oliver
1893 MN – 1967 MN



Captioned "Oliver Wethern and Boys" – presumably 4 of his 6 sons -

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Wethern, Oliver		2,506,767	1	
(Surname)	(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	* White *Colored.	
Residence: St James Hospital, Butte		MONTANA		
(Street and house number)	(Town or city)	(County)	(State)	
Enlisted R.A. *N.G.* E.R.C. *Inducted at		Butte Mont Nov. 14/17	on _____, 19__	
Place of birth: Anoka Minn		Age or date of birth: 23 5/12 yrs.		
Organizations served in, with dates of assignments and transfers: _____				
17 Co 20 Engrs to disch.				
Grades, with date of appointment: _____				
Pvt.				
Engagements: _____				
Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.				
Served overseas from Jan 24/18 to June 29/19, from † _____ to † _____				
Honorably discharged on demobilization July 7/19, 19__				
In view of occupation he was, on date of discharge, reported 0 per cent disabled.				
Remarks: _____				
Form No. 724-1, A. G. O. * Strike out words not applicable. † Dates of departure from and arrival in the U. S.				
Nov. 22 1919				

MT, WWI military record -

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WETHERN OLIVER		202 (10)	10-367	
Pvt 17 Co 20 Eng		K 1681633		
2316 Madison St St Paul Minn		A	2 784 961	
No	250 676	Died 9-1967	T	1 200 769 F
Born	6/15/94		R	
Enl	11/14/17	Dte 7-7-19	CL	1 558 738
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U. S. VETERANS BUREAU MAIL AND RECORDS Form 7502-Rev. Sept., 1926		INDEX CARD		

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DEATHS

Grace Borstad, 85, 1298 Pascal Av. N.
 Anna Carlson, 84, 1246 Juno Av.
 George Espenson, 57, 976 S. Robert St.,
 West St. Paul.
 Hattie Johansen, 77, 1298 Pascal Av. N.
 Bernard Jung, 78, 430 Bay St.
 Emma Kadrie, 60, 657 Burr St.
 Leonard Koeck, 54, 703 Canton St.
 Elmer Leech, 76, 476 Arlington Av. E.
 Charles Maulik Sr., 83, 437 Clifton St.
 James Okey, 44, Rt. 1, St. Paul Park
 Mary Raiter, 54, 1671 Edmund Av.
 Orin Robbins, 56, 630 Bryant Av. S.,
 Minneapolis.
 Andrew Ullstrom, 90, Baudette, Minn.
 Helen Unger, 66, 1614 Hillcrest Av.
 Oliver Wethern, 73, 1227 Randolph Av.
 Beda Woolsey, 86, 484 Ashland Av.
 Nevada York, 86, 510 Arlington Av.

Death in Hennepin Co. MN – "Minneapolis Star Tribune" Friday 29 Sep 1967 p 29

4th I give and bequeath to each of my grandchildren
 Thalia Wethern, Oliver Wethern and Minnie
 Wethern the sum of six hundred dollars
 Said sum to be paid to each of them by my
 executor or his successor out of the proceeds
 of the sales of the real estate as aforesaid

From will of maternal grandmother Emily Weaver of Anoka MN - \$600 each to Thalia, Oliver
 & Minnie Wethern - [https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-](https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/4599713:9070?tid=26998702&pid=12472043507&queryId=bc472b2ec3b56e382f495313911f3b45&_phsrc=hFB67501&_phstart=successSource)
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Life:

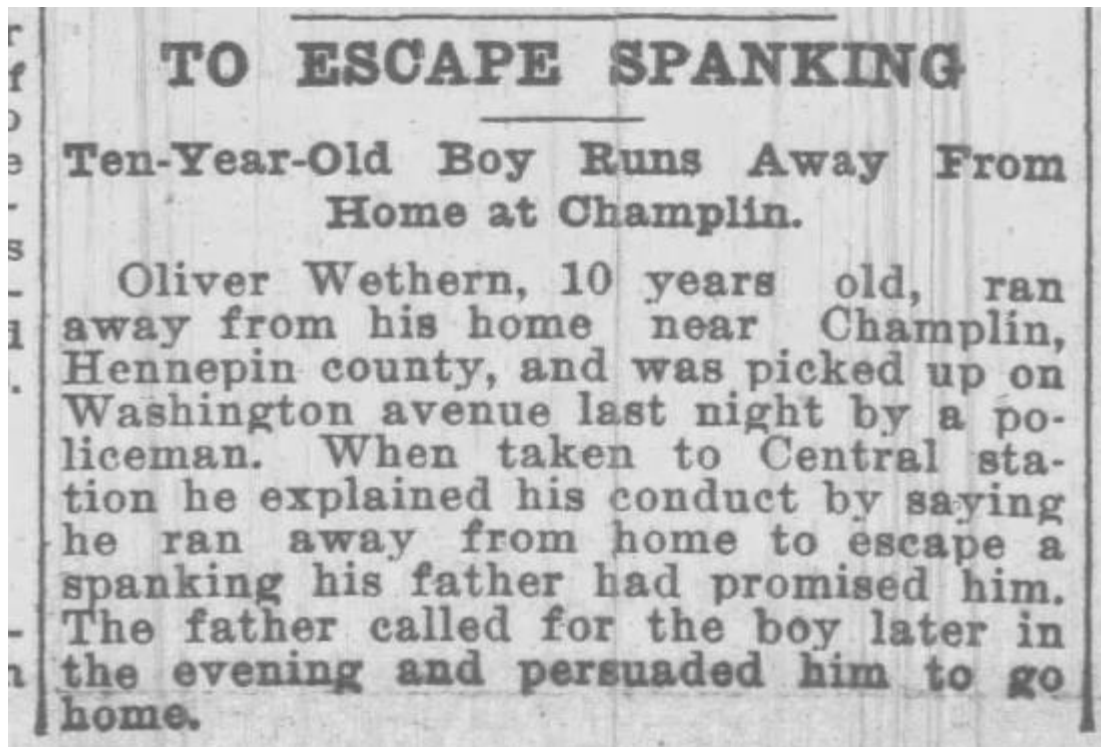
RUNS AWAY FROM HOME TO AVOID A SPANKING

Ten-year-old Oliver Wethern, ran away from his home on a farm near Champ-
lin, Hennepin county, because he was
afraid he would be spanked by his parents.

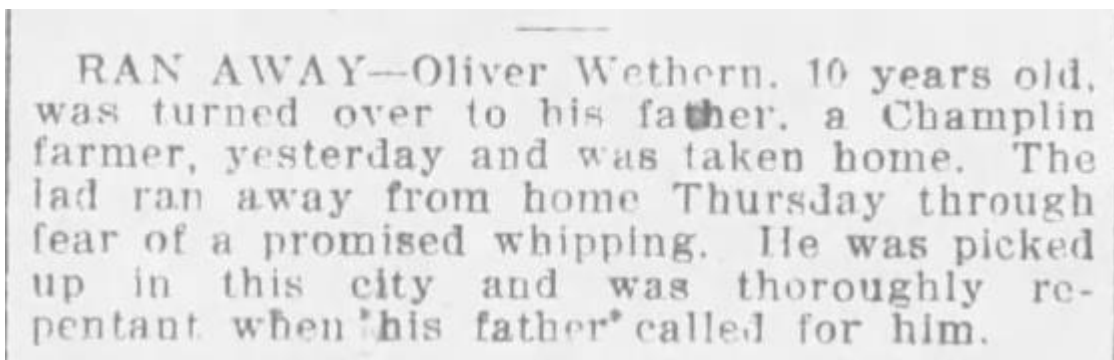
Two days after he left he was picked
up by the police of this city and locked
up.

Yesterday the father, who ever since
the lad's disappearance last Thursday has
been searching for him came upon his son
in the police station. The son was
properly repentant and ready to go home.
The only thing he feared was a whipping
from his step mother. The father prom-
ised that he would not be whipped where-
upon the runaway boy went home.

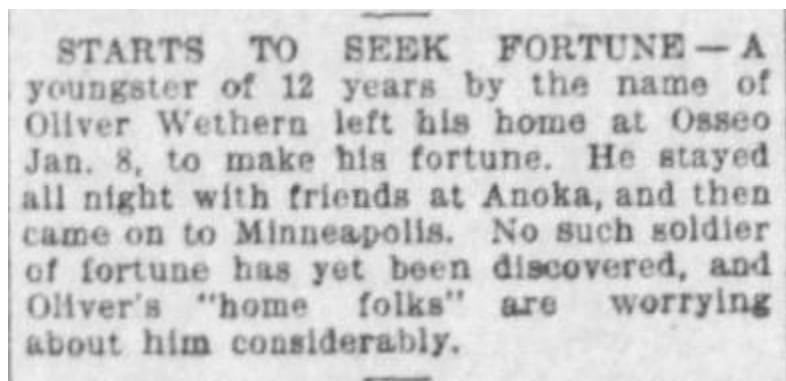
"Minneapolis (MN) Star Tribune" Monday 14 Nov 1904 p 5



"Minneapolis (MN) Journal" Monday 14 Nov 1904 p 4 – Washington Avenue is in downtown Minneapolis



"Minneapolis Daily Times" Tuesday 15 Nov 1904 p 5



"Minneapolis (MN) Star Tribune" Friday 11 Jan 1907 p. 7



"Harlem (MT) News" Friday 26 Mar 1915 p 5

Doctors who made the examination of the first class of men to be examined by the Butte city board reported yesterday that 25 per cent of the men examined Saturday had been marked rejected. Under weight proved to be one disbaring feature, with flat feet and hernia ruling out others. This percentage is equal to that of the county and shows that the 1,582 men called last week will not be sufficient to secure the city's quota when exemptions are considered. The doctor will keep up with the work of passing on the notations made on the drafted men's examination slips, so that tomorrow night the number physically fit will be known.

Below are printed 2,000 names and it is predicted that the first 1,000 of these will be called for examination before the desired number are secured. This list is not a call for appearance, but it notifies those whose names appear below in what order they will appear before the board when the official order is sent out by Charles Treacy, secretary of the Butte city board. First is the serial number, next the name and then the draft number:

1747—James Sullivan, 2062.
1447—Oliver Wethern, 2063.
7638—Paul Golombeck, 2064.

"Anaconda (MT) Standard" Monday 13 Aug 1917 p 10

According to news dispatches Oliver Wethern, a Harlem boy, whose home is on the Big Flat near Turner, was on the transport Tuscania when it was sunk by a German torpedo last Thursday. His name is among the 41 Montserratians who were saved. His father, Mr. Wethern, received a government message Sunday stating that he was safe and sound. Oliver Wethern was the last draft and went from Great Falls to American Lake. He is 23 years old, and a member of the 20th Engineers. The last time his father heard from him was a month ago just before he left American Lake. Percy W. D. Phegley, who live on a claim north of Harlem, have a brother, J. R. Phegley, who was also on the ill-fated ship. He is reported among the survivors, but must have been injured, for he is reported to be in a hospital in Ireland. Phegley was employed by the Empire Lumber company at Great Falls until he enlisted in the 20th Engineers.

"Chinook (MT) Opinion" Thursday 21 Feb 1918 p 5

MONTANA MEN SAVED FROM THE TUSCANIA

Special Dispatch to the Standard.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Of the Montana men aboard the transport Tuscania when she was sunk by a torpedo 40 have been reported saved late tonight. The total list of saved is still several hundred names short, and those Montanans not yet accounted for may appear on lists to be issued by the war department later. Montana men reported saved, of whom all but one is a member of the Twentieth engineers, are:

Willard C. Hall, 725 West Granite street, Butte (107th engineer train).

David G. Hudtloff, Colonial block, Butte.

George L. St. Clair, Plains.

Peter J. Layelle, Kalispell.

James J. Tucker, Kalispell.

Alexander D. Davidson, Perma.

Clifford McK. Fletcher, Victor.

Stewart J. Cairncross, Kalispell.

Ollie Edwin Oleson, Thompson Falls.

Oliver Wethern, Harlem.

Van W. Gladden, Sidney.

George Upham, Missoula.

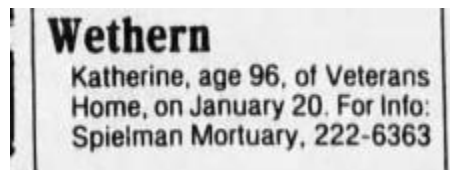
[list continues]

"Anaconda (MT) Standard" Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 1

Wife:



Wife Katherine Margaret Betzler Wethern, Aug 1942 - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/26998702/person/1969671110/media/00eae4c8-6287-4867-a784-86d0963c320a>



Obituary of Katherine Betzler Wethern – “Minneapolis Star Tribune” Sunday 22 Jan 1995 p 29

Children:



Chuck, Frank,
Gene, Bill, Dave,
Leo Wethern

May 10, 1935

In order of age: Francis/Frank, Charles (Chuck), Robert Eugene, William (Bill), David, Leo -
<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/26998702/person/1969680828/media/26451f8a-98f8-4b29-a472-1cd95049e704>

Oliver Wethern

Mentioned in the Record of **UNKNOWN** (Oliver Wethern's Child)

Name **Oliver Wethern**

Sex **M**

Oliver Wethern's Spouses and Children

[OPEN ALL](#)

[Catherine Betzler](#)

Wife

F



UNKNOWN

Child

St. Paul, Ramsey,
Minnesota, United States



Sex **Unknown**

Father's Name **Oliver Wethern**

Father's Sex **Male**

Mother's Name [Catherine Betzler](#)

Mother's Sex **Female**

Event Type **Birth**

Event Date **15 Apr 1921**

Event Place **St. Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States**

Daughter born 15 Apr 1921 & died 23 Apr 1921 in St. Paul, Ramsey MN – Oliver & Catherine married 4 Dec 1920 - <https://www.familysearch.org/tree/person/sources/LJYB-8ZS>

Where The Record Is Found (Citation)

"Minnesota Deaths and Burials, 1835-1990", database, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FD3X-8F4> : 16 January 2020), Oliver Wethern in entry for Wethern, 1921.

Name **Wethern**

Sex **Female**

Age **0**

Father's Name **Oliver Wethern**

Father's Sex **Male**

Mother's Name [Catherine Betzler](#)

Mother's Sex **Female**

Event Type **Death**

Event Date **23 Apr 1921**

Event Place **St. Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, United States**

MN death record of daughter - <https://www.familysearch.org/tree/person/sources/LJYB-8ZS>



Son Francis Oliver Joseph Wethern (1922-2020) – left: <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/26998702/person/1969631871/media/62af3f15-aec0-4974-8f86-0778d0dd8a2e> and right: Monroe High School (St. Paul MN) yearbook 1940

Francis "Frank" WETHERN

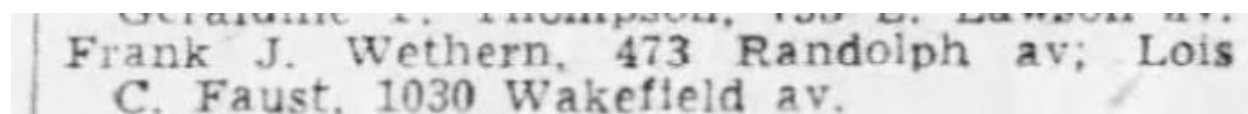


Age 97, of St. Paul Passed peacefully February 21, 2020
 At the MN Veterans Home. Preceded in death by his
 loving wife, Lois; and his youngest and eldest sons,
 Francis and Thomas. Survived by his 9 children, Mary (Bill)
 Moeller, Terri (Ray) Finn, Bern (Sherri), Philip, Clare, Marge,
 Anita (Tony) Deutsch, John (Amy) and Lorraine; 25 grand
 children; 19 great-grandchildren; and brother, Gene. Mass of
 Christian Burial 10:30 AM Thursday, February 27 at MATERNITY
 OF MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH, 1414 N. Dale St., St. Paul.
 Interment Ft. Snelling National Cemetery. Visitation at
 MUELLER-BIES FUNERAL HOME-ROSEVILLE, 2130 N. Dale St.
 @ Cty Rd B from 5-7 PM Wednesday and at the church from
 9:30-10:30 AM on Thursday. In lieu of flowers memorials
 preferred to the MN Veterans Home. MUELLER-BIES 651-487-
 2550

www.muellerbies.com

Published by Pioneer Press on Feb. 23, 2020.

<https://www.legacy.com/us/obituaries/twincities/name/francis-wethern-obituary?id=2197537>



Frank J. Wethern, 473 Randolph av; Lois
 C. Faust, 1030 Wakefield av.

Marriage license – “Minneapolis Star” Monday 11 Dec 1950 p 19



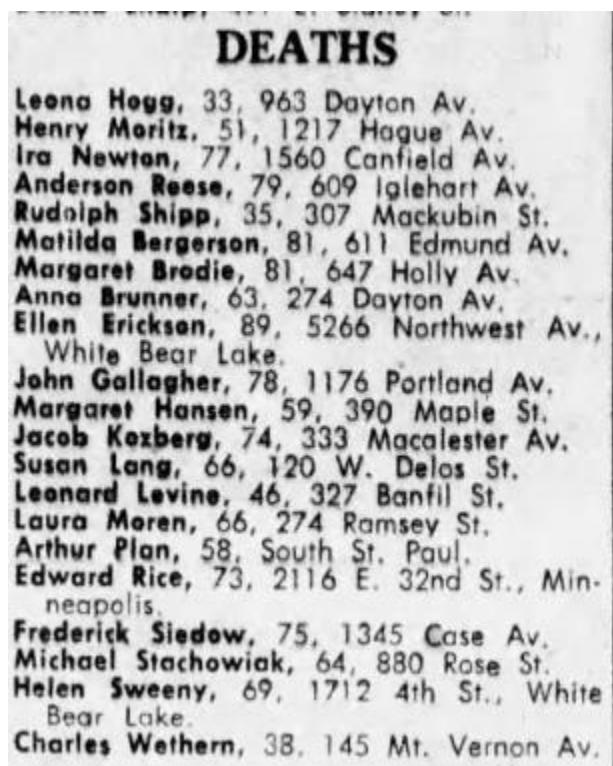
Son Charles James Wethern (1924-1962) - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/26998702/person/1969680826/media/88b1938e-1ba9-4b75-92cc-ac69fe533b92>



Charles James Wethern – Monroe High School (St. Paul MN), 1940 yearbook - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/423813619:1265>



Marriage license of Charles James Wethern & Rita Mary Bloom – “Minneapolis Star” Monday 20 Jan 1947 p 13



Death in St. Paul, Ramsey MN of Charles Wethern – “Minneapolis (MN) Star” Saturday 13 Oct 1962 p 15

Robert Eugene "Gene" WETHERN



Robert WETHERN Obituary

Of Coon Rapids Passed away peacefully in his home on July 6, 2022, at the age of 97, in the arms of his eldest daughter, Ann Marie, wearing his Cursillo Cross necklace, and holding one of many rosaries. Preceded in death by his parents, Oliver and Katherine Wethern, loving wife of 41 years, Marion; infant sister Leona; brothers, Frank (Lois), Charles (Rita), William (Amada), David (Lucille), Leo (Eleanor); sister and brother-in-law, Dorothy and Edward Hagberg I. Survived by children, Ann Marie Deneen (Craig), Barbara Kurtoglu (Levent), Susan Wethern-Kestner, Kay Lindner (Bill), and Christine Wicks (Randall); grandchildren, Mark Kestner, David Kestner (Jules), Katie Watkins (James), Robert Wicks, Julia Wicks, Selin Lager (James), Simon Wicks, and Valerie Lindner; nephew, Edward Hagberg, II (Ann) and family; many nieces and nephews; long-time friends, especially Mary Jean Prokop, Finlayson friends, and his Epiphany Pines Community. Thank you to the North Memorial Hospice Care Team. Visitation: Tuesday, July 12, 2022 from 4:00pm - 8:00pm Washburn -McReavy Coon Rapids Chapel, 1827 Coon Rapids Blvd NW, Coon Rapids, MN 55433. Visitation and Memorial Mass: The Church of the Epiphany: Wednesday, July 13, 2022 9:30-10:30am; 10:30am Mass The Church of the Epiphany, 1900 -111th Ave NW, Coon Rapids, MN 55433. Memorials preferred to: Food for the Poor washburn-mcreavy.com Coon Rapids Chapel 763-767-1000
Published by Pioneer Press on Jul. 12, 2022.

Son Robert Eugene Wethern (1925-2022) -

<https://www.legacy.com/us/obituaries/twincities/name/robert-wethern-obituary?id=35723641>

Wethern

Marion Margaret (Kopet), age 61, of St. Paul, died suddenly on September 11 of a stroke. She was born October 19, 1934, and lived a full life, touching family and friends. Survived by beloved husband, Robert (Gene). She gave the blessing of life to 5 daughters, Ann Marie (Craig) Deneen of Mpls, Barbara Jean (Levent) Kurtoglu of Roseville, Susan Mary (Tom) Kestner of Phoenix, Kay Ellen Wethern of St. Paul, Christine Louise (Randy) Wicks of Mpls. She cherished her six grandchildren, Mark, David and Katie Kestner, Robert and Julia Wicks, and Selin Kurtoglu. Also survived by loving parents, Frank & Ella Kopet of West St. Paul; special friend and sister, Dorothy Hagberg of West St. Paul; nephew, Edward (Ann) Hagberg, Jr. of Eagan; many other relatives and friends.

Mom, thank you for being so in love with Dad all these years. You were the life of our home. Your unending willingness to give, listen, play and dance will remain with us forever. "God bless you." Love, your Girls. Mass of Christian Burial 10 A.M. Monday at St. Agnes Catholic Church. Visitation 4-8 P.M. Sunday (TODAY) at O'HALLORAN & MURPHY FUNERAL HOME, 575 So. Snelling Avenue, St. Paul (698-0796). Interment Resurrection Cemetery.

Obituary of Marion Margaret Kopet Wethern, wife of son Robert Eugene Wethern - "Minneapolis Star Tribune" Sunday 15 Sep 1995 p 35

**William John Wethern, 473 Randolph av.;
Muriel Orvilla Morey, 473 Randolph av.**

Marriage license of [son William John Wethern \(1926-2002\)](#) with 1st wife, Muriel Orville Morey - "Minneapolis Star Tribune" Tuesday 28 Jan 1947 p 16

FORM APPROVED
Budget Bureau No. 33-R012-42

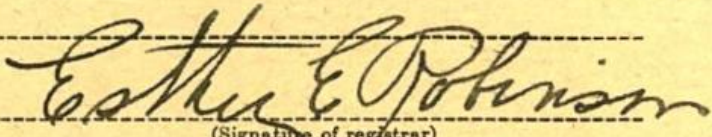
REGISTRATION CARD (Men born on or after July 1, 1924, and on or before December 31, 1924)
(Also for the registration of men as they reach the 18th anniversary of the date of their birth on or after January 1, 1943.)

SERIAL NUMBER W. 242-C	1. NAME (Print) William John Wethern		ORDER NUMBER 12185-C
2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) 473 Randolph, St. Paul, Ramsey County, Minnesota			
[THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON LINE 2 ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]			
3. MAILING ADDRESS same			
(Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same, insert word same)			
4. TELEPHONE CE 2026	5. AGE IN YEARS 19	6. PLACE OF BIRTH St. Paul	
DATE OF BIRTH July 17, 1926		Minnesota	
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS Oliver Wethern, father, same address			
8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS Hon Disch Naval Service 6-11-46 Enl. 6-16-44			
9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS			
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.			
DSS Form 1 (Rev. 11-16-42)		e16-21630-4 (OVER)	
		William J. Wethern (Registrant's signature)	

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE		HEIGHT (Approx.)		WEIGHT (Approx.)		COMPLEXION	
White	X	5' 3"		150#		Sallow	
Negro		EYES		HAIR		Light	
Indian		Blue	X	Blonde		Ruddy	X
Filipino		Gray		Red		Dark	
Japanese		Hazel		Brown	X	Freckled	
Other Oriental		Brown		Black		Light brown	
		Black		Gray		Dark brown	
				Bald		Black	


 (Signature of registrar)
 Registrar for Local Board Group B, Ramsey Co., Minn.
 (Number) (City or county) (State)
 Date of registration June 12, 1946
Local Board No. 3 74
 Ramsey County 123
 JUN 18 1946 005
 127 E. 8th Street
 St. Paul 1, Minnesota
 (The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the registrant shall be placed in the above space)
 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16c—21630-1

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Muriel Orvilla Stine

OCTOBER 16, 1927 - MAY 27, 2020



IN THE CARE OF
Stricklin/Snively Mortuary

Muriel Orvilla Morey Wethern Stine, William's 1st wife – no text in obituary -
<https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/long-beach-ca/muriel-stine-9124812>

Amada Almeida Pacheco

in the Web: Minnesota, U.S., Marriages from the Minnesota Official Marriage System, 1850-2019

Name	Amada Almeida Pacheco
Marriage Date	28 Sep 1961
Marriage Place	Anoka, Minnesota, USA
Spouse	William Wethern
Certificate Number	Mz0549
URL	https://moms.mn.gov/

Marriage to Amada Almeida Pacheco 28 Sep 1961 Anoka Co. MN -
<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/90110209:70873>

Amada Almeida-pacheco

in the U.S., Border Crossings from Mexico to U.S., 1895-1964

Name	Amada Almeida-pacheco
Gender	Female
Race/Nationality	Mexican (Latino)
Arrival Age	10
Birth Date	22 Oct 1938
Birth Place	Chihuahua Chh
Arrival Date	Aug 1949
Arrival Place	El Paso, Texas, USA
Accompanied by	Mother Amada Pachaco De Almeida
Record has photo?	No
Record Type	Card

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David George Wethern

in the Minnesota, U.S., Death Index, 1908-2017

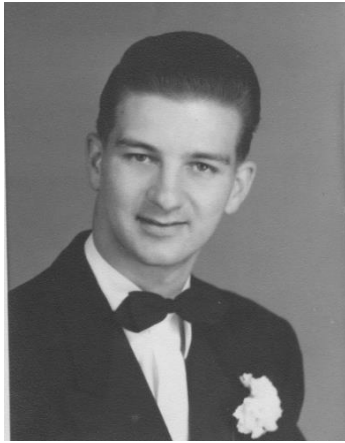
Name	David George Wethern
Gender	Male
Marital Status	Married
Death Age	80
Record Type	Burial
Birth Date	24 Dec 1928
Birth Place	Saint Paul, Minnesota, USA
Inferred Residence Date	Abt 2009
Residence Place	Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, USA
Occupation	Truck Driver
Education	8 Years
Industry or Location	Commercial Transportation
Death Date	19 Oct 2009
Death Place	Saint Paul, Ramsey, Minnesota, USA
Death Registration Date	2009
Burial Date	23 Oct 2009
Cemetery	Elmhurst Cemetery
Burial Place	Saint Paul, Minnesota, USA
Mother's Maiden Name	Betzler
Informant	Lucille Wethern
Informant Relation	Spouse
Father	Oliver Wethern
Mother	Katherine Betzler
Spouse	Lucille Wethern
Certificate Number	2009-Mn-030017

MN death record of son David George Wethern (1928-2009) -

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Leo J. Wethern, 473 Randolph av; Eleanor J. Merk, 315 W. Sidney st.

Marriage license application in St. Paul, Ramsey MN – son **Leo James Wethern (1930-1958)** & Eleanor J. Merk – “Minneapolis (MN) Star Tribune” Thursday 8 Sep 1949 p 9



Leo James Wethern - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/160003/person/24040200151/media/58be8e6c-50df-4ef4-ac36-f2c104848eb5>

ROY CASEY — A graveside service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Lakewood Memorial Park for Roy “Boots” Casey, 63, who died Monday in Modesto.

Visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. today in the Lakewood Funeral Home.

Mr. Casey had lived in Modesto for 45 years. He owned and operated Casey Roofing Co. for 43 years. He was a native of Texas.

He is survived by his wife, Eleanor Casey of Modesto; four sons, Roy Casey Jr., Larry Casey and Leo Wethern, all of Modesto, and David Casey of Sacramento; four daughters, Barbara Casey of Empire, Sandra Brazil of Ceres, and Leona Humphres and Sheila Brown, both of Modesto; a brother, J.A. Casey of Riverbank; five sisters, Fern Murry of Hughson, Gloretta Warren of Mariposa, Yvonne Green and Verda Webb, both of San Diego, and Thelma Nelson of Texas; 12 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Obituary of Roy Casey, 3rd husband of Eleanor Josephine Merk Wethern (Leo Wethern’s wife) – “Modesto (CA) Bee” Tuesday 12 Mar 1985 p 13

Social Security Death Index

[View record](#)

Name	Pumroy Casey
Social Security Number	558-18-5324
Birth Date	16 Nov 1921
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	California
Last Residence	95354, Modesto, Stanislaus, California, USA
Last Benefit	95354, Modesto, Stanislaus, California, USA
Death Date	Mar 1985

https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/5359375/person/48578591639/facts?_phsrc=hFB67490&_phstart=successSource

Father:

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Non-Coal

041716

Department of the Interior, U. S.
Land Office at Havre, Montana,
Dec. 4, 1920. Notice is hereby given that

WILLIAM H. TUGGLE,

of Turner, Mont., who on Nov. 16, 1917,
made homestead entry, No. 041716, for
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 7, and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8, Twp. 36
N., Rge. 26E., Montana Meridian, has
filed notice of intention to make three
year proof to establish claim to the
land above described, before Hughes E.
Shockley, U. S. Commissioner, at Turn-
er, Mont., on the 12th day of Jan., 1921.
Claimant names as witnesses: Robert J.
Fooks, William E. Kern, Llewellyn
Wethern, Giles C. Sheppard, all of
Turner, Mont.

M. W. HUTCHINSON, Register.

Rites Today for Anoka Woman, 102

Services were to be held today for Mrs. Manda Weaver, 102, Anoka's oldest resident, who died Thursday. Burial was to be in Champlain, Minn.

A resident of Anoka for 38 years, Mrs. Weaver was born in Emden, Maine. She was a member of the Ladies of the GAR for 50 years, and last summer was chosen queen of the Anoka centennial observance.

Death of paternal grandmother Amanda (Manda) Messer Wethern Weaver – clipping dated 1 Dec 1947 - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/34103892/person/18636049308/media/32e11a6e-f57a-4461-8f37-03e8cb9480d5?_phsrc=hFB67506&_phstart=successSource

Anoka Opens 3-Day Centennial Festival




—Daily Times Photos.
MARION PETERSON, MRS. AMANDA F. WEAVER
Anoka's Aqua queen candidate and centennial queen

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Residents of Anoka, Minn., and the surrounding area today launched a three-day centennial celebration of the founding of the community, with two 101-year-old Anokans as the festival's king and queen—Nathan Colburn, one of the state's oldest living members of the GAR, and Mrs. Amanda F. Weaver.

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NATHAN COLBURN
Centennial king

Also receiving royal homage is Marion Peterson, 20, Anoka's candidate for Queen of the Lakes in Minneapolis' Aquatennial.

Colburn and Mrs. Weaver will be interviewed in a broadcast over station WLOL at 7:30 p. m. today. Colburn will relate some of his Civil war experiences.

At dedication ceremonies at 7 p. m. today, the scheduled speakers will include Dean M. Schweickhard, state commissioner of education; Mayor R. B. Ehlen of Anoka and the mayors of Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Including water sports, band concerts and baseball games, the fete will have two highlights in the arrival of the Paul Bunyan canoe derby teams tomorrow night in their 450-mile race down

the Mississippi river to the Minneapolis Aquatennial and a parade to conclude the festival Friday.

Paternal grandmother Amanda Messer Wethern Weaver - "Minneapolis (MN) Daily Times"
Wednesday 16 Jul 1947 p 18



Queen of the celebration,
Mrs. Amanda F. Weaver,
101, blinked as her picture
was taken.

“Minneapolis Star” Thursday 17 Jul 1947 p 44



CENTENARIANS TO REIGN IN ANOKA—Wondering why Anoka is making such a fuss about its centennial are the queen and king—for the three-day celebration—Mrs. Amanda Weaver, and Nathan Colburn, both 101, of Champlin. Dedication ceremonies are set for 7 p.m. today with speeches by Dean M. Schweickhard, state commissioner of education, Mayor R. B. Ehlen of Anoka and the mayors of Minneapolis and St. Paul. Mrs. Weaver, whose 100th anniversary celebration in 1945 lasted two days, said Tuesday night she is looking forward to joining in the parade that will conclude the centennial Friday.

“Minneapolis Star Tribune” Wednesday 16 Jul 1947 p 1

Mother:

Mrs. Myrtle E. Wethern, wife of Llewellyn Wethern, town of Brooklyn, died last Sunday at her home, of inflammation of the stomach. Her interment was in Champlin Wednesday. Mrs. Wethern was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Weaver, Anoka, who have lived in Coon Rapids since 1854. She was the sister of B. O. Weaver, Brooklyn, J. L. Weaver, Anoka, Mrs. C. W. Moffett, Minneapolis. She left a husband and three children.

mother's obituary: "Minneapolis (MN) Star Tribune" Sunday 25 Mar 1900 p 7 –
<https://www.newspapers.com/image/180355784/>

Myrtle E. Weaver Wethern, wife of Llewellyn, Brooklyn Tsp, d. 18 Mar 1900 at her home of an inflammation of the stomach, interment Champlin, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. James Weaver, Anoka, residents of Champlin since 1854, survived by husband & 3 children, siblings B.O. Weaver (Brooklyn), J.L. Weaver (Anoka), Mrs. C.W. Moffett (Minneapolis)

Stepmother May Pelton:

Llewellyn Wethern	
in the Minnesota, U.S., Marriages Index, 1849-1950	
Name	Llewellyn Wethern
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	23 Sep 1902
Marriage Place	Shakopee, Scott, Minnesota
Spouse's Name	May Pelton
Spouse Gender	Female
Event Type	Marriage
FHL Film Number	1379416

Marriage of Llewellyn Wethern to May Pelton on 23 Sep 1902 -

https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/288196:2561?tid=26998702&pid=12238597818&queryId=a593962794cb887f4b17ca3fb287aa64&_phsrc=hFB67449&_phstart=successSource

DEATHS.

Ole K. Peterson, 88, 3559 Snelling av.
 Henry J. Bentley, 84, 4900 Bryant av S.
 Julia A. Reichel, 34, 3504 St. Paul av.
 Sumner S. Johnston, 82, 1328 S 8th st.
 Andrew Pederson, 81, 1813 5th st S.
 Catherine Quinn, 79, 3637 Pillsbury av.
 Charles W. Foley, 74, 2734 Polk st NE.
 Thomas J. Elwood, 73, 2501 28th av S.
 Andrew P. Heintz, 72, 3845 Bryant av S.
 William E. Ford, 65, 4216 Lyndale av S.
 William Steil, 60, Eden Valley, Minn.
 Ivy M. Smith, 58, Livingston, Mont.
 Barbara Romen, 57, 812 Marshall st NE.
 May Wethern, 56, 327 Oak Grove st.
 Dardania D. Hill, 54, St. Paul, Minn.
 Paul D. Carpenter, 54, 3404 Holmes av S.
 Julia B. Adams, 51, 918 W 36th st.
 Peter R. Grinde, 50, 3924 25th av S.
 Sander Peterson, 50, 1065 22nd av SE.
 Minnie L. Brook, 29, 5324 Bryant av N.
 Magni Ryden, 26, 1400 Bryant av N.
 Jeanteet M. Olson, 16, 3301 Lyndale av N.

Death of May Pelton Wethern - "Minneapolis (MN) Star Tribune" Thursday 4 Nov 1937 p 8

Siblings:

OR death record of **sister Thalia Lamont Wethern Shook (1891-1968)** - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/60738836:61675>

Mrs. Carrie A. Fletcher of Lincoln circle inspected Livermore circle Dec. 16. In the evening the circle held a reception for Sister Fletcher. Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, the annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Maria Reynolds; S. V. P., Emma Lynn; J. V. P., Rose Cole; treasurer, Annie Little; chaplain, Mary Berry; conductor, Aurella Cowden; guard, Viola Hewitt; delegates, Hattie Hewitt, Susan Colwell and Mattie Lewis; alternates, Mary Berry, Rose Cole and Jennie Brooks. Comrade Timothy Hunt was obligated and the Misses Mattie and Ida Saffell added their names to the rolls. Miss Minnie E. Wethern, the secretary, has been on the sick list for the past week. On the 30th, the circle will furnish the supper for Company B's grand ball.

Sister Minnie Wethern Wagner (1895-1961) – “Minneapolis (MN) Daily Times” Monday 19 Dec 1898 p 8

Minnie Wethern

in the Web: North Dakota, U.S., Select County Marriages, 1890-2020

Name	Minnie Wethern
Marriage Date	2 Oct 1919
Marriage Place	Ward, North Dakota, USA
Marriage Registration Place	Ward, North Dakota, USA
Page number	397
Spouse	Richard L. Wagner
URL	https://statemuseum.nd.gov/database/marriages/

Marriage of Minnie Wethern to Richard L. Wagner on 2 Oct 1919 in Ward Co. ND -
https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/90083184:70892?tid=26998702&pid=12472043507&queryId=bc472b2ec3b56e382f495313911f3b45&_phsrc=hFB67502&_phstart=successSource



473 Randolph Avenue, St. Paul MN - <https://housenovel.com/single-property/473-randolph-ave-st-paul-mn-home-history> - the Wethern house was demolished in the 1960s construction of Shepard Road in St. Paul MN.



473 Randolph Avenue, St. Paul MN now in the middle of the 4-lane Shepard Road highway -
[https://www.google.com/maps/place/473+Randolph+Ave,+St+Paul,+MN+55102/@44.927](https://www.google.com/maps/place/473+Randolph+Ave,+St+Paul,+MN+55102/@44.9274969-)

[93.1225307,16z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x87f62ae7aa95d043:0x3bbede8ee9c8d88e!8m2!3d44.9274969!4d-93.1199558?entry=ttu](https://www.google.com/maps/place/473+Randolph+Ave,+St+Paul,+MN+55102/@44.9274969-93.1225307,16z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x87f62ae7aa95d043:0x3bbede8ee9c8d88e!8m2!3d44.9274969!4d-93.1199558?entry=ttu)

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Oliver Wethern

Name variations: middle name not found in records, but family genealogy claims Oliver's middle name was Joseph

Military:

On Tuscania: 20th Eng. 17th/Co. E - private

Serial number: 250,676

Entered service from: Harlem, Blaine MT

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Oliver Wethern

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": father Lute Wethern, Harlem MT

Returned from war on: "Rijndam" [Ryndam] Jun 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Oliver Wethern

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Luke [sic] Wethern, Harlen (indexed as Marlen) MT (pvt, 17th Co., 20th Engrs)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Oliver Wethern - b. 15 Jun 1894 Anoka MN; res: St. James Hospital, Butte MT. Single. Laborer at St. James Hospital. Short & slender

World War II draft registration (1942): as Oliver [none] Wethern - b. 15 Jun 1894 Chapia [sic/Champlin] MN; res: 473 Randolph St., St. Paul, Ramsey MN. NOK Catherine Wethern, same address. Employed at North Western Fuel Co., Marshall & Snelling, St. Paul, Ramsey MN. Height: 5' 5 ½" – 153 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted: 14 Nov 1917

Discharged: 7 Jul 1919

Address: 2316 Madison St., St. Paul MN

Rank/unit: private, 17th Co., 20th Engineers

Birth & death:

Born: 15 Jun 1893 (WWII draft) or 15 Jun 1894 (Veterans Administration Master Index)

Anoka (city in Anoka Co. MN or Anoka Co. MN)

Died: 19 Sep 1967 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN

Find A Grave record: 3515702 – presence on Tuscania indicated in flower

Burial location: Minneapolis, Hennepin MN

Cemetery: Fort Snelling National

Tombstone:

Father: Llewellyn ("Lute") Wethern, 21 Jan 1870 Champlin, Hennepin MN – 24 Aug 1952 Champlin, Hennepin MN. Son of Hiram Wethern Jr. (1836-1884, F: 57280447) & Amanda F. Messer. His widowed mother Amanda remarried, on 30 Sep 1907 in Anoka Co. MN, to Levi Elbridge Weaver (1850 ME-1926 MN, F: 41512985). Levi had 2 other wives, Mary Ida Senear (1852-1911, married 7 Feb 1870 MN) & Amanda Malvinia Clark (1850-1903, married 25 Nov 1878, with whom he is buried). She lived until age 102 & reigned as the 102-year-old queen of Anoka, Anoka MN's 100th anniversary celebration in Jul 1947 (4 months before her death on 26 Nov 1947 in Anoka Co. MN).

Llewellyn married Ella Amelia Moline in 1938.

Buried In Champlin Cemetery, Champlin, Hennepin MN.

Find A Grave: 91306817

Mother: Myrtle E. Weaver Wether, 1872 Brooklyn Center, Hennepin MN – 18 Mar 1900 Hennepin Co. MN. Daughter of James Weaver & Emily C. Morris. Survived by 3 children & husband.

Buried in Champlin Cemetery, Champlin, Hennepin MN.

Find A Grave: 91306980

Parents' marriage: 1 Oct 1890 MN

Stepmother: May Pelton Wethern, 6 Feb 1881 MI – 1 Nov 1937 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN. Oliver ran away from his Champlin MN home in Nov 1904 & feared a whipping by his stepmother when he returned home. Died at Minneapolis General Hospital at age 56 & was

buried 3 Nov 1937. She resided at 327 Oak Grove St., Minneapolis MN at the time of her death. There is no grave marker in Oak Hill Cemetery, Minneapolis, Hennepin MN.

Stepmother's Find A Grave: 127217458

Stepmother's marriage: 23 Sep 1902 Shakopee, Scott MN

Stepmother: Ella Amelia Moline Wethern Hendrickson, 23 Apr 1905 Anoka Co – 25 May 2005 Sun City, Maricopa AZ.

In the 1940 census for Ramsey, Anoka MN, Llewellyn Wethern (70 MN) lives with wife Ella (34 MN). Neither has an occupation. Llewellyn had lived in 19356 in rural Anoka Co. MN & Ella had lived in Anoka, Anoka MN.

In the 1950 census for Ramsey, Anoka MN, Llewellyn Wethern (80) lived with wife Ella A. (44). Neither has an occupation nor birth state listed.

Married in 1956 to Charles Clifford Hendrickson (1899-1972, F: 17729896).

Buried in Conrad Memorial Cemetery, Kalispell, Flathead MT.

Stepmother's Find A Grave: 75727758

Stepmother's marriage: 1938

Spouse: Katherine Margaret ("Kay") Betzler Wethern, 22 Aug 1898 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN – 20 Jan 1995 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN. Daughter of William H. Betzler (1871-1946, F: 183807105) & Lillian Elizabeth Petit (1872-1928, F: 183807115). Buried in Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis, Hennepin MN.

Spouse Find A Grave: 1312721

Marriage: 4 Dec 1920 in St. James Church, St. Paul, Ramsey MN

Children:

- Infant daughter Wethern, 15 Apr 1921 St. Paul, Ramsey MN – 23 Apr 1921 St. Paul, Ramsey MN. Sex not noted on MN birth record but recorded as female on MN death record. Oliver & Catherine had married 4 Dec 1920 in St. Paul MN.
- Francis Oliver Joseph ("Frank") Wethern, 3 Dec 1922 St. Paul, Ramsey MN – 21 Feb 2020 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN. Married on 26 Dec 1950 to Lois Catherine Faust (1932-2015, F: 144067516), the daughter of Albert John Faust & Alice Daily/Dailey. Survived by 9 children; preceded in death by 2 sons. Buried with Lois, daughter Francis A. & son Thomas J. in Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis, Hennepin MN. F: 207310092
- Charles James ("Chuck") Wethern, 22 Mar 1924 Ramsey Co. MN - 7 Oct 1962 Ramsey Co. MN. Served in the US Navy. Husband of Rita Mary Bloom (1929-2011, F: 91042971). They obtained a marriage license in Minneapolis, Hennepin MN in Jan 1947. Rita was the daughter of William Drew Bloom (1898-1971, F: 184653936) & Cecilia Marie Rush (1900-1985, F: 184653929). Widowed, Rita Bloom Wethern married Joseph Leo Dousi (1920-2000, F: 33859224) on 8 Aug 1964 in Ramsey Co. MN. They divorced 30 Jun 1975. Buried in Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis, Hennepin MN. F: 3515699
- Robert Eugene (Gene) Wethern, 26 Feb 1925 St. Paul, Ramsey MN - 21 Jan 2009 Coon Rapids, Anoka MN. He registered for the WWII draft as Eugene Robert Wethern. Husband of Marion Margaret Kopet (1934-1996, F: 33474154), daughter of Frank Joseph Kopet & Ella Sylvia Shetka. They had 5 daughters. Died at his home. Buried in Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota Heights, Dakota MN. F: 241519891

- William John ("Bill") Wethern, 17 Jul 1926 St. Paul, Ramsey MN - 26 Dec 2002 Lancaster, Los Angeles CA. Served in the US Navy 16 Jun 1944 to 11 Jun 1946. - Married Muriel Orvilla Morey (16 Oct 1927 SD – 27 May 2020 CA). They had 2 or 3 children. She married Donald Korb Stine (1922 FL – 1994 CA, F: 230541391) on 23 Jul 1963 in Clark Co. NV. Muriel & Donald divorced in Los Angeles Co. CA in Jul 1976. Donald had at least 3 other wives. She died as Muriel Orvilla Stine. The birth of son Joseph Timothy Wethern is registered with the name Joseph Timothy Nutt on 6 May 1952 in Hennepin Co. MN; Joseph died 16 Feb 2006. – William, age 35, married Amada Cristina Alveida Pacheco, age 22, in Anoka Co. MN on 28 Sep 1961. She was born in Chihuahua, Mexico on 22 Oct 1938 & is living in Lancaster CA as of Jun 2023.- William is buried in Lancaster Cemetery, Lancaster, Los Angeles CA. F: 14849943
- David George Wethern, 24 Dec 1928 Ramsey Co. MN - 19 Oct 2009 St. Paul, Ramsey MN. Husband of Lucille J. ("Lou") Heroff (1928-2012, F: 87276882) whom he married in 1945 in St. Paul, Ramsey MN. Buried in Elmhurst Cemetery, St. Paul, Ramsey MN. F: 87276981
- Leo James Wethern, 30 Mar 1930 St. Paul, Ramsey MN – 19 Aug 1958 St. Paul, Ramsey MN. Married Eleanor Josephine Merk (1931-1996), the daughter of Joseph Merk (1895 Germany– 1971 MN, F: 241720978) & Catherina Fruehling (1899 Germany- 1995 MN, F: 241721161). Social Security records a surname change for Eleanor from Wethern to Miller as of Feb 1965. Eleanor then married Pumroy Brawner Casey (known as Roy B. or Boots), 16 Nov 1921 TX – 11 Mar 1985 Modesto, Stanislaus CA, F: 195151939). Roy was the son of William F. Casey (F: 226568089) & Ettie (F: 200534616). Eleanor Casey is buried with Pumroy/Roy in Lakewood Memorial Park, Hughson, Stanislaus CA, F: 195151903. – Leo is buried in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Maplewood, Ramsey MN. F: 183806742

Siblings:

- Thalia Lamont Wethern Shook, 13 Oct 1891 Anoka, Anoka MN – 11 Sep 1968 Portland, Multnomah OR. Wife of Edward Sanderson Shook (1880-1962, F: 198462062), whom she married 7 Oct 1909 in Champlin, Hennepin MN. Moved to Portland OR in 1950. Buried in Riverview Abbey Mausoleum & Crematory, Portland, Multnomah OR. F: 198462082
- Minnie W. Wethern Wagner, 8 Oct 1895 MN – 4 Aug 1961 Otter Tail Co. MN. Married to Richard L. Wagner (1888-1960, F: 138616496) on 2 Oct 1919 in Ward Co. ND. Buried in Riverside Cemetery, Moorhead, Clay MN. F: 138616495

Notes:

Family tree at: <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/26998702/person/1969667572/facts>

Pre-war:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Obituary:

Social Security number: 474-01-5854

Censuses:

1900 Champlin, Hennepin MN – conducted 7 Jun 1900; Oliver's mother had died 18 Mar 1900

Oliver Wethern, 5 MN, Jun 1894, parents b. MN

Boarder with Charles E. (45 Canada) & Rebekah E. (57 Canada) Ash. Charles Ash was a farmer.

1905 MN state census – Champlin, Hennepin MN – conducted 26 Jun 1905

Llewlyn Wethern, 35 MN, parents b. ME, farmer

Thalia, 13 MN, parents b. MN

Oliver, 10 MN, parents b. MN

Minnie, 9 MN, parents b. MN

1910 Brooklyn, Hennepin MN [currently there are 2 cities: Brooklyn Center & Brooklyn Park] – Oliver's 2 sisters

Thalia W. WETHERIN, a8 MN, Oct 1891, parents b. MN

Minnie M. Wetherin, a4 MN, Oct 1895, parents b. MN [double-counted, as also enumerated living with her father]

Also a John Wetherin, 10 MN, Dec 1880, father b. ME, mother b. MN [son of Frank Wethern & Hattie Rathburn]

All boarders with:

John O. & Anna B. Smith

1910 Champlin, Hennepin MN – his father & sister Minnie

Llewellyn Wethern, 40 WI, parents b. ME, widowed, farmer, general farm

Minnie Wethern, 14 MN, father b. WI, mother b. MN [daughter]

Clara M. Hallock, 40 MO, parents b. Germany, gave birth to 1 child, 1 is living [servant for private family]

& boarder Earle E. Hallock, 9 MN, father b. IA, mother b. MO [boarder – but likely the son of Clara M. Hallock]

Oliver is double-counted in the 1920 census, with conflicting information

1920 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN – US Army Post Hospital, Fort Snelling – conducted Jan 1920 - line 90

Oliver Wethern, 25 MN, parents b. MN, single, soldier in the Medical Department

1920 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN – US Army Post, Fort Snelling – conducted 9 Jan 1920 – line 49

Oliver Wethern, 24 VT, parents b. WV, single, US Army, teamster, infantry

1920 Progressive, Blaine MT – father

Llewelyn Wethern, 50 WI, parents b. ME, farmer, general
& housekeeper Clara Hallock, 48 MO, parents b. MO, widow

1930 St. Paul, Ramsey MN – 344 View - conducted 2 Apr 1930

Oliver Wethern, 35 MN, parents b. MN, laborer, City of St. Paul, WWI veteran

Katherine 37 MN, parents b. MN, age 23 at 1st marriage

Frank, 7 MN

Charles, 6 MN

Jene, 5 MN

William, 3 MN

David, 1 MN

Leo J., zero months MN

1940 St. Paul, Ramsey MN - 473 Randolph Ave – same place in 1935

Oliver Wethern, 45 MN, laborer, city Public Works

Katherine, 41 MN

Frank, 17 MN

Charles, 16 MN

Eugene, 15 MN

William, 13 MN

David, 11 MN

Leo, 10 MN