

# TUSCANIA

## Yarbrough, Albert Franklin 1888 AL – 1960 TX

**A. F. Yarbrough  
Rites Wednesday**

Funeral services for A. F. Yarbrough will be held at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday from the Hampton-Vaughan Funeral Home Chapel. Yarbrough died at 10:30 a.m. Monday in a Dallas Veterans Hospital.

Burial will be in the Byers Cemetery under direction of Hampton-Vaughan.

Yarbrough, a retired postal employee, moved to Wichita Falls from Byers 32 years ago. He served in France with the American Expeditionary Forces during World War I.

A member of the Joseph A. Kemp Masonic Lodge, Yarbrough is survived by his widow, Ida; a daughter, Mrs. Frank Cleveland of Fort Worth; three sisters, Miss Iula Yarbrough of Byers, Mrs. James Wilbur of Houston and Mrs. Abbie Smith of Lockney, Tex.; a brother, B. A. Yarbrough of Munday; and a granddaughter, Judy Cleveland of Fort Worth.

Obituary of Albert Franklin Yarbrough – “Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News” Tuesday 31 May 1960 p 4

## A. F. Yarbrough Rites Conducted

Funeral services for A. F. Yarbrough, a retired postal employe were held Wednesday at Hampton-Vaughan Funeral Home chapel with graveside rites conducted by members of Joseph A. Kemp Masonic Lodge at the Byers Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Earl Neal, Corpus Christi, and Herman Balbertsedt, Bill McMurry, Elmo Gray, Ab House and Johnny Rhine, all of Wichita Falls.

Yarborough died Monday in a Dallas hospital. He moved to Wichita Falls from Byers 32 years ago.

“Wichita Falls (TX) News” Wednesday 1 Jun 1960 p 2

## Yarbrough

Birth • Alabama Births and Christenings, 1881-1930

Name **Yarbrough**

Sex **Male**

Father's Name **Thomas J. Yarbrough**

Father's Sex **Male**

Mother's Name **Mary A.**

Mother's Sex **Female**

Event Type **Birth**

Event Date **25 Sep 1888**

Event Place **Tallapoosa, Alabama, United States**

Event Place (Original) **Talapoosa, Alabama, United States**

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## Albert Franklin Yarbrough

Vital • Texas Births and Christenings, 1840-1981

Name **Albert Franklin Yarbrough**  
Sex **Male**  
Race **w**  
Ethnicity **American**  
Father's Name **Thomas Josiah Yarbrough**  
Father's Sex **Male**  
Mother's Name **Mary Almada Collins**  
Mother's Sex **Female**  
Event Type **Birth**  
Event Date **25 Sep 1888**  
Event Place **Dadeville, Tallapoosa, Alabama, United States**  
Event Place (Original) **Dadeville, Tallapoosa, Al**

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STATE OF TEXAS CERTIFICATE OF DEATH STATE FILE NO.

1. PLACE OF DEATH  
a. COUNTY Dallas  
b. CITY OR TOWN (if outside city limits, give precinct no.) Dallas  
c. LENGTH OF STAY 2 Days  
d. NAME OF (if not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION V. A. Hospital  
e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (where deceased lived. If institution, residence before admission)  
a. STATE Texas b. COUNTY Wichita  
c. CITY OR TOWN (if outside city limits, give precinct no.) Wichita Falls  
d. STREET ADDRESS (if rural, give location) 2010 McGregor St.  
e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐ f. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES ☐ NO ☒

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print)  
(a) First Albert (b) Middle F. (c) Last Yarbrough  
4. DATE OF DEATH 5-30-1960  
5. SEX Male 6. COLOR OR RACE White 7. MARRIAGE STATUS Married ☒ Never Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐  
8. DATE OF BIRTH 9-25-1888 9. AGE (in years last birthday) 71  
10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, give location) Post Office Clerk 10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY  
11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Alabama 12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? U.S.  
13. FATHER'S NAME Tom Yarbrough 14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Molly Wallace  
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (For no. or unknown, if yes, give war or dates of service) Yes WW-1 16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. -  
17. INFORMANT Ida F. Yarbrough (Wife) 2010 McGregor St., Wichita Falls, Texas

18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).)  
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY:  
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Thrombocytopenia, with hemorrhage in intestinal tract and skin 48 Hours  
DUE TO (b) Adenocarcinoma of prostate gland with metastasis to bone 2-3 Years  
DUE TO (c)  
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (a)  
19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES ☒ NO ☐

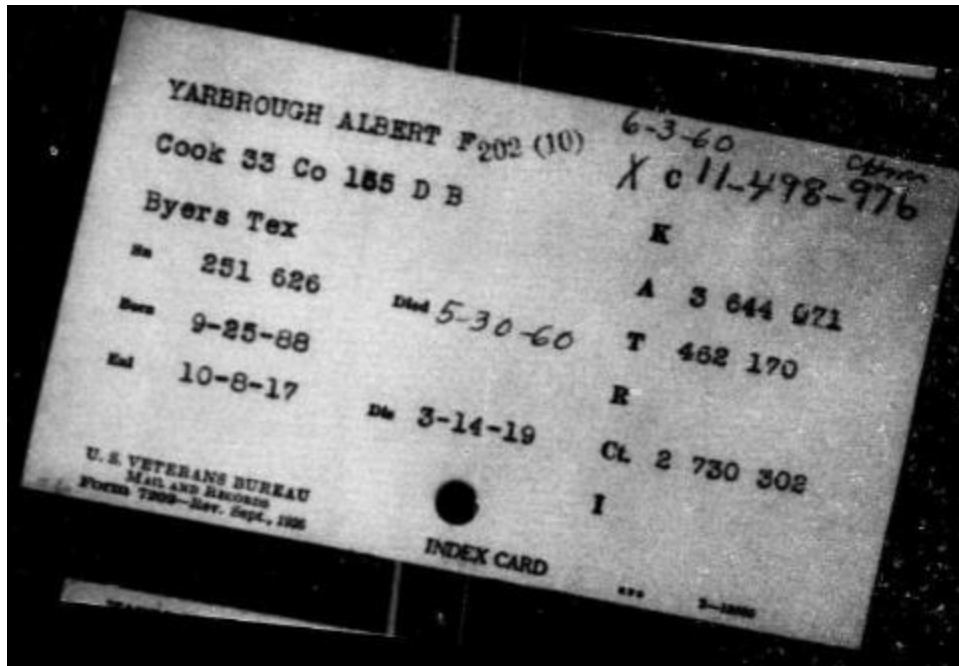
20a. ACCIDENT ☐ SUICIDE ☐ HOMICIDE ☐  
20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of Item 18.)  
20c. TIME OF INJURY Hour Month Day Year  
20d. INJURY OCCURRED  
20e. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.)  
20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION  
20g. COUNTY  
20h. STATE

21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from May 29 1960 to May 30 1960 and last saw the deceased alive on May 30 1960. Death occurred at 10:45 AM on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.

22a. SIGNATURE (Signature of Registrar) (Degree or title)  
22b. ADDRESS VA Hospital, Dallas, Texas  
22c. DATE SIGNED 5-30-60  
23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) Removal 23b. DATE 5-30-60  
23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Byers Cemetery  
24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE Sparrow-Brand Inc., Dallas, Texas  
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. 2860 25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR MAY 30 1960  
25c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE J.W. Bass BY Laurence Lamm ACTING REGISTRAR

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
MEDICAL CERTIFICATION  
VS-112, REV. 1-58

TX death record of Albert Franklin Yarbrough - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/68433236:2272>



<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-C3M8-14JY-X?mode=g&cc=2968245&personaUrl=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AW7NW-PMPZ>

IN MEMORY OF MR. A. F. YARBROUGH
DATE OF DEATH MAY 30, 1960
SERVICES AT HAMPTON-VAUGHAN CHAPEL
CLERGYMAN OFFICIATING REV. L. H. HOOD
FINAL RESTING PLACE BYERS CEMETERY

Funeral card of Albert Franklin Yarbrough - [https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/9149977/person/-820389184/media/cfbdc2fc-274c-4513-8c78-ea9aa54a991b?\\_phsrc=hFB71302&\\_phstart=successSource](https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/9149977/person/-820389184/media/cfbdc2fc-274c-4513-8c78-ea9aa54a991b?_phsrc=hFB71302&_phstart=successSource)

Life:

**LIST OF THOSE  
SAVED FROM LOST  
LINER TUSCANIA**

THE CHECK UP BY THE WAR DEPARTMENT REVEALS A LONG LIST OF SURVIVORS.

**FEW TEXANS ARE LOST**

The Transport Tuscania, Carrying 2,397 Americans, Was Torpedoed By a German Submarine Off the Irish Coast.

Washington.—Over eighteen hundred names of American soldiers rescued from the torpedoed liner Tuscania had been reported Monday to the war department, leaving 345 of the soldiers on board unaccounted for. No official report has reached the department to change the estimate that all except 113 of the men were saved, but the names have been coming in very slowly over the cables and there is no assurance as to when the list will be complete.

The following list of Texas survivors of the Tuscania disaster off the Irish coast last Wednesday was received by the war department:

Excerpt:

Whiteacre, Denison; Lloyd Webb, Route 2, Arlington; Joseph D. Walker, Goldthwaite; Albert F. Yarbrough, Beyers; Robert L. Eastis, Sour Lake; Grover C. Edwards, San Antonio; Jesse L. Keisler, Shiro; Sidney E. Landrum, Fort Worth; Carl A. Moler, Route 2, Arnett; Charles R. Polley, Farrisville; Austin J. Shawyer, Evant;

“La Meschacebe” (Lucy LA) Saturday 16 Feb 1918 p 1

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough, T. J. Yarbrough and daughter, Miss Iula, were in Wichita Falls last Saturday.

Albert, wife Ida, father Thomas & sister (Sarah) Iula – “Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News” Sunday 18 Nov 1923 p 4

*Mr. and Mrs. Ray Riggs of South Bend, Texas, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough.*

“Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Tuesday 23 Sep 1930 p 4

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 ¶ Mr. and Mrs. Al F. Yarbrough and daughter, Dorothy Erlyene, have returned to Wichita Falls after being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. R. Riggs of South Bend, Texas, for several days.  
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“Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Friday 1 Jan 1932 p 4

♦  
 Mr. and Mrs. Al F. Yarbrough have returned to their home after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Riggs of South Bend.  
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“Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Thursday 10 Mar 1932 p 4



## MANY PAY CITY-SCHOOL TAXES FOR 1932 HERE

New payments of city and school current taxes have been listed as follows:

Mrs. Sadie Kell Bulington, Fort McHam, Charles Rosenthal, W. H. Farmer, L. N. Bassett, W. S. James, W. H. Fowler, Mrs. Dora Fowler, Green Denman, Mrs. H. B. Sammon, John Shroeder, G. W. Edgins, Mrs. M. D. Goodwin, Howry & Goodwin, Postal Telegraph and Cable company, G. Heiserman estate, Hazel F. Hunter, Lula M. Dobson, Gregorio Lujan, United Advertising corporation, B. W. Miner, B. B. Calfee, G. L. Vinson, T. H. Grennell, Dunlop Tire and Rubber company, Lee C. Moore & Co., Dr. H. D. Pritchard, Real Silk Hosiery company, Wichita Cigar and Tobacco company, W. C. McKinney, J. M. Sowell, J. J. Wilkes, L. G. Shanklin, R. L. Underwood, R. C. Whittington, Bezie Kerr, Grace Nolen French, Garrison & Mathis, J. E. Duncan, T. W. Blackerby, Parkersburg Rig and Reel company, Howard Tate, J. H. Dick-ey, Dora Wharton, A. R. Westfall, C. M. Waggoner, Fred Shirley, S. Edna Berner, W. B. Guthrie, A. F. Yarbrough, G. A. Remington, W. G. Cappock, S. H. Kress & Co., R. C. Williams, S. J. Taylor, C. H. Milton, George W. Anderson, Mrs. D. A. Kelly, and J. W. Bussey.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Tuesday 29 Nov 1932 p 6

## *Local Courts*

Suits Filed in District Court

North Texas Building and Loan associa-  
tion vs. A. F. Yarbrough, et al., debt.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Tuesday 10 Jan 1933 p 9



### Counts of Indictment

The indictment charges Ebers with killing Graves by striking him with his fist, striking him with a blackjack, striking his head against an iron post or striking his head against the concrete floor.

Veniremen questioned Monday were as follows:

T. S. Andrews, 2120 Brown street, challenged by the defense; M. T. Bagley, Electra oil field worker, challenged by the defense; O. P. Faucett, Electra pumper, excused by the court because he was prejudiced against the testimony of prisoners; M. T. Bagley, oil field worker near Electra, scruples against infliction of the death penalty; A. B. Norwood, railroad man, 1519 Ervay street, challenged by the state; W. F. Jansen, Electra, challenged by the state; A. F. Yarbrough, 1202 Clark street, postal clerk, juror No. 1.

Jury duty – "Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Monday 7 Jan 1935 p 2

Selection of a jury to try Ed Ebers on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Percival G. Graves in the Wichita county jail last November opened Monday before Judge Irvin J. Vogel in the 78th district court.

Four jurors had been selected early Monday afternoon. They are A. F. Yarbrough, postal clerk, 1202 Clark street; T. B. Eitzen, 2126 Avenue J, Continental Oil company; M. R. Hall, farmer from north of Electra; and J. D. Paget, farmer from southwest of Burk Burnett.

George W. Anderson, assistant county attorney, is qualifying on the death penalty. Special prosecutors are Judge Henry G. Wills, of Dallas, and George Smoot, sitting in on the case at the request of relatives of the deceased.

Ebers is represented by Wayne Somerville, Bert E. Derden and Ensign Rexford, appointed by the court. The defendant is a tall man, two or three inches over six feet in height and well proportioned. He appeared in court clean shaven and wearing grey trousers, tan shirt, blue tie and snuff colored leather jacket.

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“Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Monday 7 Jan 1935 p 1

### **NEW AUTOMOBILE LICENSES** **Jim Robinson, Tax Collector**

**A. F. Yarbrough, Wichita Falls, Nash-Lafayette sedan.**

“Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News” Wednesday 2 Jun 1937 p 10

Vacationing from duties in the United States post office here are A. F. Yarbrough, clerk, 1202 Clark, and C. K. Johnson, superintendent of mails, 2007 Taft.

“Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Friday 18 Jun 1937 p 7

Mr. and Mrs. Al Yarbrough,  
1202 Clark, and their daughter,  
Miss Dorothy Yarbrough, member  
of the Seymour High School fac-  
ulty, have gone to St. Louis to  
spend the Thanksgiving holidays.

“Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Thursday 27 Nov 1941 p 5

Wife:

Ida F Balch	
in the Texas, U.S., Select County Marriage Index, 1837-1965	
Name	Ida F Balch
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	24 Dec 1919
Marriage Place	Clay, Texas, United States
Spouse	A F Yarbrough
FHL Film Number	1403383

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/36696:60183>

## Ida B. Yarbrough

**FORT WORTH** — Ida Balch Yarbrough, 96, a retired educator, died Friday at a local hospital.

**Funeral:** 10 a.m. Monday at Thompson's Harveson and Cole. Graveside service: 2 p.m. Monday at Riverside Cemetery, Byers.

Ida Yarbrough was born March 17, 1900, in Boyd. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Wichita Falls. She had been a Fort Worth resident since 1973. She was formerly a resident of Wichita Falls more than 50 years. She taught in the public school system of Byers.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Al F. Yarbrough.

**Survivors:** Daughter, Dorothy Yarbrough Cleveland of Fort Worth; sister, Ann Riggs of Olney; grandchildren, Judy Cleveland Roberts of Beaumont; great-grandchildren, Cody and Diana; and several nieces and nephews.

Thompson's Harveson & Cole  
702 Eighth Ave., 336-0345

Obituary of wife Ida Balch Yarbrough – "Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Sunday 13 Oct 1996  
p 41

## Ida Balch Yarbrough

FORT WORTH — Ida Balch Yarbrough, 96, died Friday in a Fort Worth hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Thompson's Harveson & Cole Funeral Home. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Monday in Riverside Cemetery in Byers, Texas.

Mrs. Yarbrough was born March 17, 1900, in Boyd, Texas. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Wichita Falls. She had lived in Fort Worth since 1973, having previously lived in Wichita Falls more than 50 years. She had taught in the public school system of Byers.

Survivors include a daughter, Dorothy Yarbrough Cleveland of Fort Worth; a sister, Ann Riggs of Olney; a grandchild; and two great-grandchildren.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News" Sunday 13 Oct 1996 p 2

## IOWA PARK

### PERSONALS

Miss Dewey Balch of Petrolia, Annye Balch of Archer City and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough of Wichita Falls visited their sister, Mrs. W. R. Bradford, last week.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News" Thursday 22 Apr 1926 p 9

### Honor Roll

Thirty-nine students' names appeared on the Junior college honor roll for the second six-week period of the first semester. Students making the honor roll were: Mrs. J. B. Allen, Annie H. Anderson, Elizabeth Beumler, Alice Brown, Jane Cameron, Don Ruth Coffee, Curtis Cook, Sara Creath, Edward Crump, Virgil Daniel, Bill Duncan, Robert Lee Gohlke, Chiquita Grennell, Seldon Hale, Mary Kathryn Hankerson, Alice Hartman, Eloise Hawkins, Mrs. B. M. Hester, Gertrude Heiserman, Mrs. W. H. Hindman, Dillon Holt, Mrs. J. A. Hood, Jack Jamison, Bernice Jeter, Wilbur Kent, Aldis King, Adalene Kirk, Mary Louise Staley, Iva Tate, Mack Thomas, Wilma Thomas, Doris Tiner, Merle Trigg, Rita Bob Turner, Virginia Belle Walker, Frank Ward, Lloyd Wyatt and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Wednesday 12 Dec 1928 p 11

Thirty-three names appear on the Junior college honor roll for the first six-week period of the second semester, according to office records. As more time is required in the determining of the high school scholastic status, the high school list will not be prepared until the latter part of next week, according to Registrar A. K. Presson.

The following students made an average of B during the first period:

Katherine Ashford, Jim Tom Barton, Elizabeth Beumler, Jane Cameron, Don Ruth Coffee, Curtis Cook, Virgil Daniel, Bill Duncan, Robert Lee Cohlke, Wanda Lou Goodman, Natalie Gorin, Mary Kathryn Hankerson, Mrs. B. M. Hester, Gertrude Hieserman, Mrs. Mary Hindman, Mrs. Ida Hood, Jack Jamison, Bernice Jeter, Wilbur Kent, Aldis King, Adalene Kirk, Evelyn Pederson, Pauline Pool, Mary Louise Staley, Newby Staton, Iva Mary Tate, Mack Thomas, Wilma Thomas, Merle Trigg, Ruth Turley, Virginia Belle Walker, Eva Lucille Westmoreland, Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Sunday 10 Mar 1929 p 18

Mrs. Charles R. Riggs, who has had a severe attack of influenza at the home of her sister, Mrs. Al F. Yarbrough, on Clark street, has recovered and returned to her home in South Bend.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Sunday 3 May 1931 p 20

## Petrolia Couple Honored At Birthday Dinner

Special to The Record News.

PETROLIA, Texas, Sept. 30.—Children of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Balch Sr., gathered at the family home Sunday to celebrate the birthdays of the parents. An elaborate dinner was served to the honorees and the following children and grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Galey, Iowa Park; Mrs. Minnie Head, Rhome; Mr. and Mrs. Edd Balch and Loveta, Byers; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bradford and Bobbie Jo of Iowa Park; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Balch and children, Petrolia; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Galloway and children, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Balch and children, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough and Dorothy Erlene of Wichita Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Riggs, South Bend.

All children of the couple were present except a son, Rev. J. R. Balch of Seymour, and a daughter, Mrs. Nolia B. Dodd of Knoxville, Tenn.



Birthday party for parents of Ida Fidella Balch Yarbrough – her father James Edwin Balch was born 2 Sep 1849 & her mother Fidella Virginia Hulett Balch was born 22 Sep 1860 –  
 “Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News” Thursday 1 Oct 1931 p 3

♦  
 Mrs. J. E. Balch of Petrolia and daughters, Mrs. C. R. Riggs and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough, have returned from Decatur where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Willie Standley.

“Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Monday 16 May 1932 p 3

### **CLAY COUNTY PIONEER DIES WEDNESDAY AFTER SEVERAL YEARS ILLNESS**

PETROLIA, Texas, July 19.—J. E. Balch, 83, pioneer farmer of Clay county, died at his farm home here Wednesday morning. He had been ill for the last few years.

Born in Alabama, he came to Texas in 1891, making his home in Wise county. In 1916 he brought his family to a farm near Petrolia.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the Baptist church here with the Rev. W. N. Neesmith of Richport officiating. Burial will be in Iowa Park.

Survivors are the widow; seven daughters, Mrs. E. L. Galloway and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough of Wichita Falls, Mrs. J. F. Galey and Mrs. W. R. Bradford of Iowa Park, Mrs. Ray Riggs of South Bend, Mrs. Minnie Head of Aurora and Mrs. J. G. Shannon of Asheville, Tenn.; four sons, Ed Balch of Byers, Fred Balch of Petrolia, W. N. Balch of Wichita Falls and the Rev. J. R. Balch of Seymour; 24 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Death of Ida's father James Edwin Balch – “Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Wednesday 19 Jul 1933 p 1

## Wichitan Talks With Purse Thief

Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough of 1202 Clark, confronted in her back yard about dusk by a man who failed to answer her queries as to what he was doing there, discovered a short time later Thursday night that he had burglarized her home, taking three purses.

Police were seeking to identify the man from the description Mrs. Yarbrough gave and believed him responsible for the series of "purse burglaries" which have victimized a large number of Wichita Falls homes.

Mrs. Yarbrough met the man while going to the house from a smaller house at the rear where her mother lives.

"He wouldn't answer me but said twice, 'the laws are after me,'" Mrs. Yarbrough related. Then he jumped over the back fence.

Two of the purses belonged to Miss Dorothy Yarbrough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Yarbrough, and the other belonged to Mrs. Yarbrough. They were in a back bedroom. The burglar had removed a screen and raised a window in entering the home.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Friday 22 Dec 1939 p 12

## Two New Teachers For County Schools Named

Two new teachers and a returnee for the Wichita County schools were announced Tuesday by Supt. B. M. Dinsmore.

Mrs. Edna Lucy will be the primary grade teacher at City View School. She will succeed Mrs. Myrtle Hawkins, who will be on the faculty at Iowa Park.

Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough will be teacher at Howard School and Mrs. Christine Hawkins will be principal at Friberg School. Mrs. Hawkins is returning after a year's absence.

Iowa Park schools open Sept. 2; all others of the county Sept. 8, Dinsmore said. The government will assist in the school lunch programs to the extent of six cents per meal for Class A lunches, which includes milk, he said. All county schools will participate, with the exception of Howard.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Tuesday 26 Aug 1947 p 11

crappie; Bill Walker, Holliday, five crappie and a black bass weighing three and one-half pounds; Mr. and Mrs. E. Moore, nine good crappie and a two and one-half pound bass; A. F. Yarbrough and Jim Bryan, 37 crappie; Dickie Coleman, Scotland, and Marvin McBride, four bass and five crappie, weighing 18 pounds dressed; Mr. and Mrs. Art March-

Fishing report - "Wichita Falls (TX) Sunday 6 Apr 1952 p 15

## Three Civil Suits Being Heard

Trials continued in two damage suits and another opened in an action resulting from an appeal of an Industrial Accident Board decision in district courts Tuesday.

A jury was picked in 78th District Court in the trial of the IAB decision appeal filed by Dennis Relford against Texas Employers Insurance Association.

Relford, a Wichita Falls Negro, asks \$9,850 workman's compensation for severe burns allegedly suffered May 28, 1951, while he was employed by Standard Iron and Metal Company.

Relford's petition claims another employe caused gasoline he was pouring into a tank to be ignited and declares that a resulting explosion tossed burning gasoline on Relford. He alleges he suffered numerous burns with the most severe causing a permanent leg injury.

Jurors picked in the trial before Judge Temple Shell are Grady D. Atchley, Bruce M. Barker, C. M. Morrow, Spencer C. Hills, Pat H. Simmons, L. R. Barnes, A. F. Yarbrough, W. T. Mitchell, Charles F. Hudson, B. O. Willis, L. C. Snow and Leonard R. May.

Jury duty – "Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Tuesday 25 Nov 1952 p 6

Daughter:



Dorothy Erlyene Yarbrough – Wichita Falls (TX) High School yearbook, 1935 -

[https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/80402400/person/262160553247/media/7a8cc77d-cb0f-48be-a4cb-f12243563ece?\\_phsrc=hFB71347&\\_phstart=successSource](https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/80402400/person/262160553247/media/7a8cc77d-cb0f-48be-a4cb-f12243563ece?_phsrc=hFB71347&_phstart=successSource)



Dorothy Evelyn Yarbrough and Bobbie Joe Bradford are cousins and are among Wichita Falls' talented children. Both girls appeared recently in a recital given by expression pupils of Miss Margaret Fisher. Bobbie Joe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bradford, and Dorothy Evelyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough.

“Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News” Sunday 5 May 1929 p 26

# H-SU IN ITS FIFTIETH YEAR

## Golden Jubilee of School to Be Celebrated

Special to The Record News.

ABILENE, Texas, Nov. 5.—Hardin-Simmons university, in Abilene, opening its 50th year since its founding as a pioneer West Texas educational institution, is beginning its golden jubilee celebration with the highest fall semester enrollment in a decade.

Dr. W. R. (Billy) White, national figure in the denomination, is beginning his administration as the seventh president. He was elected July 29 to succeed the late Dr. J. D. (Prexy) Sandefer, university head for 31 years who died last March.

The Hardin-Simmons student body this year includes undergraduates from 111 Texas counties, and 12 states. Taylor county, with Abilene as county seat, leads with 206 students.

One of the early golden jubilee programs is to be the inauguration of Dr. White.

of Dr. White.

Enrolled in H-SU from Wichita county are 18 students. From Wichita Falls, with the highest enrollment of any town besides Abilene, come Jayne Lee and Wanda Abbott, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Abbott; Herchel Chittum, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Chittum; Claude Burnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burnett; Robert Foley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Foley; Nell Gomillion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Gomillion; Lehman Gregg, son of the Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Gregg; Irvin W. Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ray; Ada Ruth King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. King; Guy Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. King; Tommy Lindsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Lindsey; Dorothy Yarbrough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough; W. C. Woody, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Woody, and Earnest Westmoreland, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Westmoreland.

From Burkburnett are Tex Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen, Luke Grace, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Grace; Murray Evans, son of Mrs. A. A. Morris; from Electra, Helen Dunham, daughter of Mrs. A. I. Dunham.

# SIX WICHITANS TO GET H-S U. DEGREES

Degrees from Hardin-Simmons university in Abilene will be awarded five Wichitans Monday, June 2, according to announcement by Dr. W. R. White, president. One hundred and sixty degrees will be presented in that 49th annual commencement ceremonial.

Wichitans expected to receive degrees are Miss Jayne Lea Abbott, Lehman Gregg, Miss Juanita Lenora Hayes, Luke Grace, Miss Jess Sutphen and Miss Dorothy Yarbrough.

Excerpt:

A bachelor of arts degree is being sought by Miss Dorothy Yarbrough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Yarbrough. She is majoring in Spanish and is another affiliate of the Cowgirls.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News" Wednesday 6 Nov 1940 p 3



## Couple Wed by Groom's Father

Officiating at the marriage of his son, Rev. J. L. Cleveland of Wills Point read nuptial rites here Saturday evening to unite Miss Dorothy Yarbrough of this city and Corp. Paul Frank Cleveland of Abilene. The wedding ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Yarbrough, 1202 Clark Street.

For the recitation of the vows, the couple stood before the fireplace, the mantel of which was covered with ivy. Extremities of the mantelpiece were marked with branched candelabra in which white tapers burned. Flanking the fireplace were tall baskets filled with white stock and carnations. Decorations were completed with a cluster of white candles on the piano.

Miss Helen Benninger, vocalist, sang the pre-nuptial solo, "Because" with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Mary Frances Rice. The latter also played the traditional processional music from Wagner's "Lohengrin" as the bridal party entered the room. Her muted interpretation of "I Love You Truly" backgrounded recitation of the vows.

### Lovely Bride

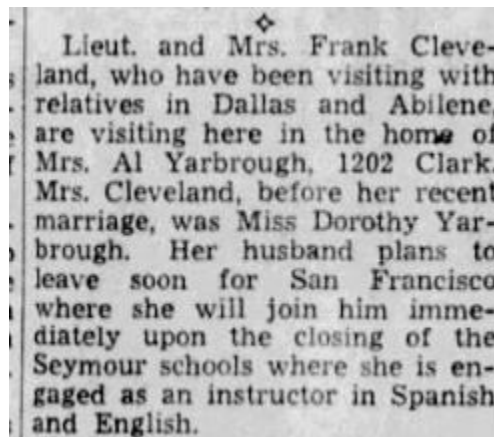
Al Yarbrough gave his daughter in marriage. She was gowned in a floor-length frock of white mousseline de soie and lace. The gown featured a fitted, basque style waist and Bishop sleeves of white lace. The extremely full skirt was of the mousseline and the costume was completed with a short veil of illusion which extended from a halo of pearlized orange blossoms. The bride's only jewelry was a single strand of pearls, the "something old," belonging to her aunt, Mrs. C. R. Riggs of Graham. For "something borrowed," she carried a beautiful white lace handkerchief belonging to Mrs. W. A. Ehlert. The "something blue" was the tiny cluster of blue forget-me-nots, which surrounded the white orchid atop her white Bible.

Mrs. Cleveland is a graduate of the Wichita Falls High School, Hardin Junior College and Hardin-Simmons University. While attending the latter institution, she affiliated with the Cowgirls' organization. At present, she is teaching Spanish and English in the Seymour High School.

Corporal Cleveland is the son of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Cleveland of Wills Point. He is a graduate of Polytechnic High School in Fort Worth, attended Texas Technological College and was graduated from Hardin-Simmons University. He now is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., where he is attending the field artillery officers' candidate school.



Marriage on 21 Mar 1942 in the home of Albert & Ida Yarbrough, 1202 Clark St., Wichita Falls TX – “Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Sunday 22 Mar 1942 p 15 & 16 (pages 1 & 2 of Section 2) - <https://www.newspapers.com/image/774167042/>



“Wichita Falls (TX) Times” Thursday 21 May 1942 p 6

**LT. PAUL CLEVELAND  
WINS PROMOTION**

Lt. Paul Cleveland of Wichita Falls recently was promoted to the rank of first lieutenant in the field artillery while serving on Guadalcanal, it has been announced. Shortly after his graduation from the Field Artillery school at Fort Sill, Okla., he left for duty in the South Pacific theater, and was assigned to a field artillery battalion, a component of the fighting troops under Maj. Gen. J. Lawton Collins.

Lieutenant Cleveland's wife and child reside at 1202 Clark Street, Wichita Falls.

"Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News" Saturday 12 Jun 1943 p 6

## Dorothy Y. Cleveland



**FORT WORTH** — Dorothy Yarbrough Cleveland, a retired South Hills Elementary School teacher, died Friday, Jan. 23, 1998, at home.

**Funeral:** 2 p.m. Tuesday at Harveson & Cole Funeral Home. Burial: Greenwood Memorial Park. Visitation: 5 to 7 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Dorothy Cleveland was born in Byers. She was reared in Wichita Falls. She was a member of Hemphill Presbyterian Church. She was a graduate of Hardin Simmons University and Texas Christian University. She earned a Bachelor's degree in Language and a Masters in Education.

She was a widow of Paul Frank Cleveland.

**Survivors:** Daughter, Judy Roberts of Beaumont; and grandchildren, Diana Roberts of Austin and Clayton Cody Roberts of Beaumont.

Thompson's Harveson & Cole  
702 Eighth Ave., 336-0345

Obituary of daughter Dorothy Yarbrough Cleveland – “Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram”  
Sunday 25 Jan 1998 p 57

## Dorothy Erlyene Cleveland

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007

Name	Dorothy Erlyene Cleveland [Dorothy Yarbrough Cleveland] [Dorothy Cleveland] [Dorothy Erlyene Yarbrough]
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	19 Dec 1920
Birth Place	Byers Clay, Texas
Death Date	23 Jan 1998
Father	Albert F Yarbrough
Mother	Ida F Balch
SSN	454327548
Signature on SSN Card	Frank Cleveland
Relationship of Signature	Signature name differs from NH's name.
Notes	Feb 1943: Name listed as DOROTHY ERLYENE CLEVELAND; Mar 1943: Name listed as DOROTHY YARBROUGH CLEVELAND; 03 Feb 1998: Name listed as DOROTHY CLEVELAND

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/26024924:60901>



Marriage license Mar 1942 – “Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News” Tuesday 17 Mar 1942



Mother:



Mother Mary Almedia Collins Yarbrough - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/17336625/person/20367310771/media/a568cbcd-6519-43c3-9740-b4c04e0de732>

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**THE STATE OF ALABAMA,**  
Tallapoosa County.

To any Licensed or Ordained Minister of the Gospel, Judge of the Circuit or Probate Courts, or Justice of the Peace for said County—GREETING:

**You are hereby Authorized to celebrate the Rites of Matrimony between**

*Thomas J. Yarbrough* and *Mary A. Collins*  
and this shall be your sufficient authority for so doing.

Given under my hand and seal this 25 day of September A. D. 1872

*Allen P. Sturdivant* L.S.  
Judge of Probate.

The above named parties were married by me on the 26 day of September A. D. 1872

*M. G. Slaughter*  
O. M.

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**THE STATE OF ALABAMA,**  
Tallapoosa County.

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, *Thomas J. Yarbrough and*

are held and firmly bound unto the State of Alabama in the sum of Two Hundred (\$200) Dollars, for which payment, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our and each of our heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals and dated this 25 day of September A. D. 1872

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That if there be no lawful cause why *T. J. Yarbrough* and *Mary A. Collins* should not be joined together in the HOLY UNION OF MATRIMONY, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

*Thomas J. Yarbrough* L.S.  
L.S.

Marriage of parents on 25 Sep 1872 Tallapoosa Co. AL - <https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/61365/images/TH-1971-34743-6738-5?iId=1764307>

BE CAREFUL TO GIVE THE COMPLETE RESIDENCE OF THE DECEASED, STATING BOTH CITY, COUNTY AND STATE. THE RESIDENCE IS THE USUAL PLACE OF ABODE.

IF NON-RESIDENT,

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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REGISTRAR  7

1. PLACE OF DEATH  
STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF Blair  
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. Byers NO. \_\_\_\_\_ STREET \_\_\_\_\_  
IF IN AN INSTITUTION, GIVE NAME OF INSTITUTION INSTEAD OF STREET AND NO.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE IN CITY \_\_\_\_\_ YEARS \_\_\_\_\_ MONTHS \_\_\_\_\_ DAYS HOW LONG IN U. S. IF FOREIGN BORN: \_\_\_\_\_ YEARS \_\_\_\_\_ MONTHS \_\_\_\_\_ DAYS

2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED Mary A. Yarbrough  
RESIDENCE OF THE DECEASED NO. \_\_\_\_\_ STREET \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE ☒ MARRIED ☐ WIDOWED ☐ DIVORCED ☐  
(WRITE THE NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE OF DECEASED)

6. DATE OF BIRTH Nov. 20, 1852  
(MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR)

7. AGE 85 YEARS 10 MONTHS 10 DAYS OR 1 DAY \_\_\_\_\_ HRS. \_\_\_\_\_ MIN.

8. TRADE, PROFESSION, OR PARTICULAR KIND OF WORK DONE, AS SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, ETC.

9. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH WORK WAS DONE, AS SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, ETC.

10. DATE DECEASED LAST WORKED AT THIS OCCUPATION (MONTH AND YEAR)

11. TOTAL TIME (YEARS) SPENT IN THIS OCCUPATION

12. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) ala.

13. NAME A. A. Collins

14. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Don't know

15. MAIDEN NAME Don't know

16. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) Don't know

17. INFORMANT Wm. J. Yarbrough  
(ADDRESS) Byers Pr

18. BURIAL PLACE Byers Pr DATE 10/2 1938

19. UNDERTAKER L. C. Harris  
(ADDRESS) Byers Pr

20. SIGNATURE AND FILE DATE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR  
10-12-1938 H. D. Vaughn  
(FILE DATE) (SIGNATURE)

MEDICAL PARTICULARS

21. DATE OF DEATH Sept 30 1938  
(MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, THAT I ATTENDED DECEASED FROM Jan 1931 TO Sept 20 1938  
I LAST SAW HIM ALIVE ON Sept 30 1938

THE PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH AND RELATED CAUSES OF IMPORTANCE WERE AS FOLLOWS:  
Myocardial infarction DATE OF ONSET 1931

OTHER CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES OF IMPORTANCE:

NAME OF OPERATION \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? Clinical WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? no

23. IF DEATH WAS DUE TO EXTERNAL CAUSES (VIOLENCE) FILL IN ALSO THE FOLLOWING:  
ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF INJURY \_\_\_\_\_ 1938

WHERE DID INJURY OCCUR? (SPECIFY CITY OR TOWN, COUNTY, AND STATE) \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIFY WHETHER INJURY OCCURRED AT HOME, OR IN PUBLIC PLACE, \_\_\_\_\_

MANNER OF INJURY \_\_\_\_\_

NATURE OF INJURY \_\_\_\_\_

24. WAS DISEASE OR INJURY IN ANY WAY RELATED TO OCCUPATION OF DECEASED? \_\_\_\_\_

IF SO, SPECIFY \_\_\_\_\_

(SIGNED) H. D. Vaughn M. D.  
(ADDRESS) Byers Pr

TX death record of mother Mary Almedia Collins Yarbrough -  
[https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2272/images/40394\\_b062152-02285?pld=23983637](https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2272/images/40394_b062152-02285?pld=23983637)

Siblings:

Arthur Pleasant Yarbrough

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007



Name	Arthur Pleasant Yarbrough
Birth Date	7 Dec 1873
Birth Place	Alexander City, Alabama [Alexander Ci]
Claim Date	21 Apr 1945
SSN	462056238
Notes	25 Nov 1977: Name listed as ARTHUR PLEASANT YARBROUGH

Brother Arthur Pleasant Yarbrough (1873-1941) - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/6409638:60901>

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CERTIFICATE OF DEATH E 904948

STATE OF TEXAS

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1. PLACE OF DEATH  
a. COUNTY **El Paso**  
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) **El Paso**  
c. LENGTH OF STAY **15 yrs.**  
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION **R. E. Thomason General Hospital**  
e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? **YES**

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institution, residence before admission)  
a. STATE **Texas**  
b. COUNTY **El Paso**  
c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) **El Paso**  
d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) **440 Ben Swain Drive**  
e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? **YES**  
f. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? **NO**

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print)  
a. First **Arthur**  
b. Middle **Yarbrough**  
c. Last **September 30, 1959**

4. DATE OF DEATH  
a. AGE (In years, last birthday) **86**  
b. IF UNDER 1 YEAR: Months **0** Days **0** Hours **0** Minutes **0**

5. SEX **male** COLOR OR RACE **white** Married ☐ Never Married ☐ Widowed ☒ Divorced ☐

6. DATE OF BIRTH **12-7-1873**

7. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) **Alabama**

8. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? **United States**

9. FATHER'S NAME **A. P. Yarbrough**

10. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME **Nellie Brown**

11. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) **No** (If yes, give war or dates of service)

12. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. **462-05-6238**

13. INFORMANT **Juanita E. Wells**

14. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).)  
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY:  
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) **PNEUMONIA**  
Conditions, if any, which gave rise to above cause (b), stating the underlying cause last.  
DUE TO (b) **Old age, debilitation; bedridden from fractured OLD AGE, DEBILITATION, & BEDRIPPEN FROM FRACTURED TIBIA & FIBULA**  
DUE TO (c) **tibia and fibula**

15. PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART (a)

16. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? **NO**

17. ACCIDENT ☐ SUICIDE ☐ HOMICIDE ☐

18. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II, if applicable)

19. TIME OF INJURY: Hour **11:25 AM** Month **09** Day **30** Year **1959**

20. INJURY OCCURRED: PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.) **R. E. Thomason General Hospital** CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION **El Paso** STATE **Texas**

21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from **September 10, 1959** to **September 30, 1959** and last saw the deceased alive on **September 30, 1959**. Death occurred at **11:25 AM** on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.

22. SIGNATURE **Dr. Joseph Goulding** ADDRESS **R. E. Thomason General Hospital** DATE SIGNED **10-1-59**

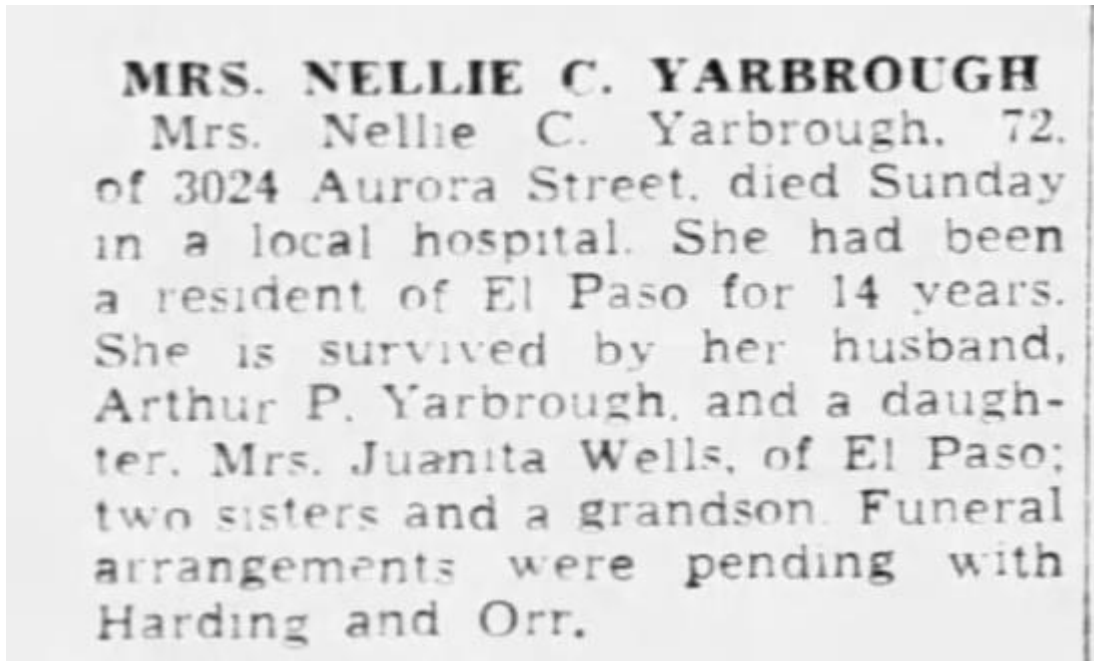
23. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) **Burial** DATE **October 1, 1959** NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY **Evergreen Cemetery**

24. LOCATION (City, town, or county) **El Paso** (State) **Texas** FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE **HARDING AND ORR FUNERAL HOME**

25. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. **1407** DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR **OCT - 5 1959** REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE **Algo**

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
REC'D OCT 14 1959  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

TX death record of Arthur Pleasant Yarbrough – Nellie was his wife, not his mother – and father entry is incorrect also – <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/22710472:2272>



Obituary of Nellie Cornelia Brown Yarbrough – “El Paso (TX) Times” Monday 30 Jul 1951 p

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TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

STATE OF TEXAS

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

STATE FILE NO. 61443

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NOTE THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR ON THE REVERSE SIDE

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>Clay</u>		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission). a. STATE <u>Texas</u> b. COUNTY <u>Clay</u>	
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) <u>Petrolia</u>		c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) <u>Petrolia</u>	
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location)	
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) a. (First) <u>John</u> b. (Middle) <u>Marion</u> c. (Last) <u>Yarbrough</u>		4. DATE OF DEATH <u>August 8 1950</u>	
5. SEX <u>Male</u>	6. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <u>Married</u>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>February 19 1876</u>
9. AGE YEARS <u>74</u> MONTHS <u>5</u> DAYS <u>19</u>		10. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <u>Clay County Ala.</u>	
11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <u>Alabama</u>		12. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Mary Collins</u>	
13. FATHER'S NAME <u>J.T. Yarbrough</u>		14. BIRTHPLACE <u>Alabama</u>	
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give year or dates of service)		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>Mrs J.M. Yarbrough</u>	
17. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c)  *This does not mean the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asthma, etc. It means the disease, injury, or complication which caused death.		MEDICAL CERTIFICATION I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) <u>Acute coronary occlusion</u>  ANTECEDENT CAUSES Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) _____ DUE TO (c) _____  II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death.	
18a. DATE OF OPERATION		18b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION	
19a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify)		19b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)	
19c. (CITY, TOWN, OR PRECINCT NO.) (COUNTY) (STATE)		19d. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?	
20a. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour) (Minute)		20b. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/>	
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from <u>Aug. 8</u> , 19 <u>50</u> , to <u>Aug. 8</u> , 19 <u>50</u> , that I last saw the deceased alive on <u>Aug. 8</u> , 19 <u>50</u> , and that death occurred at <u>10:15 A.M.</u> from the causes and on the date stated above.			
22a. SIGNATURE <u>D. Ordanwell</u>		22b. ADDRESS <u>Petrolia, Texas</u>	
22c. DATE SIGNED <u>8/15/50</u>			
23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <u>Burial</u>		23b. DATE <u>August 10/50</u>	
23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>Hope</u>			
24a. LOCATION (City, town, or county) <u>Henrietta</u>		24b. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <u>J.P. Harkins</u>	
24c. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. <u>Aug 8-1950</u>		24d. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>J.M. Hall</u>	

TX death record of brother John Marion Yarbrough (1874-1950) -

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## Old-Timer's Rites To Be in Petrolia

HENRIETTA, Texas, Aug. 9. (Special) — Funeral services will be held Thursday at the Petrolia Methodist Church for John Marion Yarbrough, 74-year-old resident of Petrolia who died at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday after suffering a heart attack.

An employe of the state highway department Yarbrough was working on the highway near the Lone Star plant at Petrolia. He became ill while on the job.

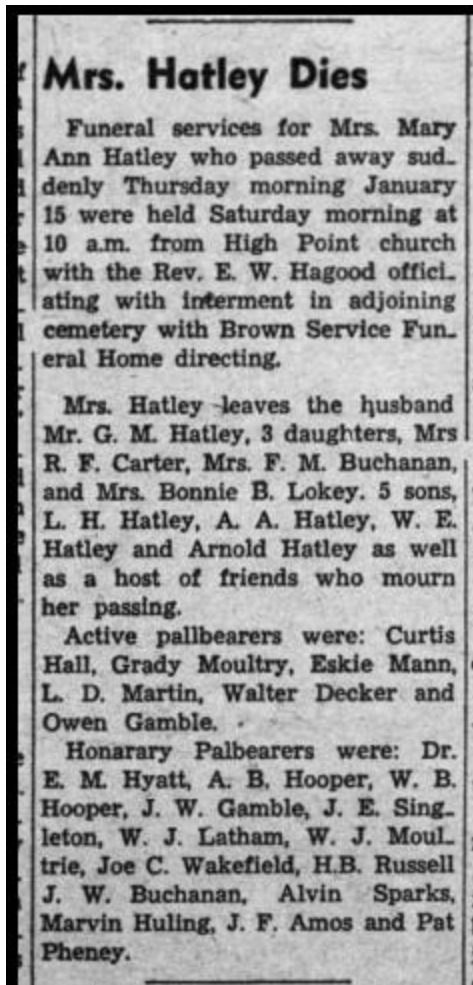
A long-time resident of Texas, he was born in Clay County, Ala., Feb. 19, 1876. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Herman Kellen, assisted by Reverend Sullivan of Petrolia. Interment in the Henrietta Cemetery under direction of Hawkins Funeral Home will include Masonic rites conducted at the graveside.

Yarbrough is survived by his wife, Mrs. J. M. Yarbrough of Petrolia; a son, John Thomas Yarbrough of Petrolia; a daughter, Mrs. Roxy Ann Rutledge of Wichita Falls; three brothers, A. F. Yarbrough of Wichita Falls, B. A. Yarbrough of Munday and A. P. Yarbrough of Burbank, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Grace Wilber of Houston, Mrs. Abby Smith of Groom, Texas, and Miss Lula Yarbrough of Byers, Texas, and two grandchildren.

Obituary of John Marion Yarbrough – "Wichita Falls (TX) Times" Wednesday 9 Aug 1950 p 9

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Obituary of **sister Mary Ann Yarbrough Hatley (1877-1942)** – published in the “Albertville (AL) Herald” Friday 23 Jan 1942 – on Find A Grave 36559446

Alabama, Deaths and Burials Index, 1881-1974	
Name	Mary Ann Hatley
Birth Date	abt 1879
Birth Place	Hackneyville, Alabama
Death Date	15 Jan 1942
Death Place	Albertville, Marshall, Alabama
Burial Date	17 Jan 1942
Burial Place	High Point, Marshall, Alabama
Death Age	63
Marital Status	Married
Gender	Female
Father Name	T J Yarbrough
Mother Name	Mary Yarbrough
Spouse Name	G M Hatley
FHL Film Number	1908611

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/17336625/person/20367314926/facts>

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REGISTRATION CARD				
SERIAL NUMBER	1616			ORDER NUMBER
1 <i>William Thomas Yarbrough</i>				
2 PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS:				
2 <i>Byers Clog Texas</i>				
Age in Years	Date of Birth			
28	Jan 29 1880			
RACE				
White	Negro	Oriental	Indian	
5 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6	7	8 Citizen	9 Non-citizen
U. S. CITIZEN			ALIEN	
Native Born	Naturalized	Citizen by Father's Naturalization Before Resident's Majority	Declarant	Non-declarant
10 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	11	12	13	14
15 If not a citizen of the U. S., of what nation are you a citizen or subject?				
PRESENT OCCUPATION			EMPLOYER'S NAME	
16 <i>Farming</i>			17	
18 PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS:				
19 <i>Byers Clog Texas</i>				
20 <i>Millie Yarbrough</i>				
21 <i>Byers Clog Texas</i>				
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE				
P. M. C. O. Form No. 1 (Red)				
<i>X William Thomas Yarbrough</i>				

## REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT							
HEIGHT			BUILD			COLOR OF EYES	COLOR OF HAIR
Tall	Medium	Short	Slender	Medium	Stout		
21	22	23 ✓	24	25	26 ✓	27 Blue	28 Light

23. Has person lost arm, leg, hand, eye, or is he obviously physically disqualified?  
(Specify.)

No

30. I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark, and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

Date of Registration

J W Gerard  
Leht 12

Local Board Clay County  
Henrietta, Tenn.  
(STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD)

(The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the area in which the registrant has his permanent home shall be placed in this box.)

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WWI draft registration on 12 Sep 1918 of **brother William Thomas Yarbrough (1880-1940)** - [https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/6482/images/005152534\\_01859?pld=15726186](https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/6482/images/005152534_01859?pld=15726186)

STATE OF TEXAS *0370-2 039-00* CERTIFICATE OF DEATH *4291* STATE FILE NO. *25* **68690**

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <b>CLAY</b>		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission) a. STATE <b>TEXAS</b> b. COUNTY <b>CLAY</b>	
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) <b>Henrietta</b>		c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) <b>BYERS</b>	
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <b>CLAY COUNTY HOSPITAL</b>		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location)	
e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		f. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> g. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) (a) First <b>SARAH</b> (b) Middle <b>LULA</b> (c) Last <b>YARBROUGH</b>		4. DATE OF DEATH <b>NOV. 23-1964</b>	
5. SEX <b>FEMALE</b>	6. COLOR OR RACE <b>WHITE</b>	7. Married <input type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <b>MARCH 2, 1882</b>
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) <b>HOME WORK</b>		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <b>TALPOCOCA CO. ALABAMA</b>	
13. FATHER'S NAME <b>THOMAS J. YARBROUGH</b>		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <b>MARY ALMEDA COLLINS</b>	
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service)		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <b>NONE</b>	
17. INFORMANT <i>James G. Wilber</i> <b>JAMES G. WILBER, HOUSTON, TEXAS</b>		12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <b>USA</b>	
18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).) PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) <i>Myocardial infarction</i> DUE TO (b) _____ DUE TO (c) _____ DUE TO (d) _____ Conditions, if any, which gave rise to above cause (a), stating the underlying cause last.			
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART II(a)			
19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>			
20a. ACCIDENT <input type="checkbox"/> SUICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> HOMICIDE <input type="checkbox"/>			
20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of Item 18)			
20c. TIME OF INJURY Hour _____ a.m. _____ p.m. Month _____ Day _____ Year _____			
20d. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/>			
20e. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.)			
20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION <b>CLAY COUNTY</b>			
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from <i>3-25-1882</i> to <i>death</i> 19 <i>64</i> and last saw the deceased alive on <i>November 23</i> 19 <i>64</i> . Death occurred at <i>9:40 a.m.</i> on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.			
22a. SIGNATURE <i>James G. Wilber</i>		22b. ADDRESS <i>Henrietta, Texas</i>	
22c. DATE SIGNED <i>11-24-64</i>			
23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <i>removal</i>		23b. DATE <i>11-25-64</i>	
23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <i>Riverside</i>		23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <b>BYERS, TEXAS</b>	
24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <i>Willis C. Worley</i> <b>WILLIS C. WORLEY AND SONS, WAURICA, OKLA.</b>		25. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <i>C.M. Feden, J.P.</i>	
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. <i>732</i>		25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR <i>11-24-1964</i>	

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TX death record of **sister Sarah Lula Yarbrough (1882-1964)** -

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## Byers Resident Rites Wednesday

BYERS, Tex. (Special) — Miss Sarah Iula Yarbrough, 82, a resident of Byers since 1908, died at 9 a.m. Monday in a Henrietta hospital.

Funeral services will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday from the First Methodist Church of Byers with Rev. M. E. Yarbrough and the pastor, Rev. Walter Zimmerman, officiating. Burial will be in Riverside Cemetery in Byers under the direction of Worley Funeral Home of Waurika, Okla.

Born March 2, 1882, in Tallapoosa County, Ala., Miss Yarbrough was one of Byers' oldest citizens.

Survivors include a brother, B. A. Yarbrough of Munday, Tex.; a sister, Mrs. Grace Wilber of Houston; three sisters-in-law, Mrs. Bertha Yarbrough of Petrolia, Mrs. Ida Yarbrough of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Florence Yarbrough of Munday.

Pallbearers will be Lee Powell, Fred Gibbs, Earl Clayton, Lewis Cocanower, Billy Henderson and James Graves.

Obituary of Sarah Iula Yarbrough – "Wichita Falls (TX) Times Record News" Tuesday 24 Nov 1964 p 9

NOTE WELL—INSTRUCTIONS ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

WRITE PLAINLY WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

Where still-born is given as cause of death, the birth certificate. Every item of information should be carefully stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. EXACT statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

1 PLACE OF DEATH		TEXAS STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		Reg. Dis. No. <b>6280</b>	R.O.V.S. FORM <b>D</b>
County <i>Blay</i>		City <i>Byers</i> (No. _____) St.; Ward) _____		Registered No. _____	
2 FULL NAME <i>Arnold Oscar Yarbrough</i>					
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL PARTICULARS		
3 SEX <i>Male</i>	4 Color or Race <i>White</i>	5 Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced <i>Single</i>	15 DATE OF DEATH <i>Feb 2</i> 191 <i>8</i> (Month) (Day) (Year)		
6 DATE OF BIRTH <i>Feb 29</i> 188 <i>4</i> (Month) (Day) (Year)			17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <i>Feb 1st</i> 191 <i>8</i> , to <i>Feb 2</i> 191 <i>8</i> , and that I last saw him alive on <i>Feb 2</i> 191 <i>8</i> , and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at <i>4</i> P.m.		
7 AGE <i>33</i> yrs. <i>11</i> mos. <i>3</i> ds. If less than 2 years state if breast fed If less than 1 day			The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <i>Cerebral Blood clot (Paralysis)</i> (64) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.)		
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <i>Farmer</i> (b) General nature of industry, business or establishment in which employed (or employer) <i>Good</i>			CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.) <i>John B. Jones</i> M. D. <i>Feb 6</i> 191 <i>8</i> (Address) <i>Byers, Tex.</i>		
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or Country) <i>ala</i>			*Use International List of Causes of Death—State the disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, State (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.		
10 NAME OF FATHER <i>J. T. Yarbrough</i>			18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents) At place of death <i>8</i> yrs. <i>6</i> mos. <i>21</i> yrs. <i>2</i> mos. <i>12</i> ds.		
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Country) <i>La</i>			Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Former or usual residence		
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <i>Mara A. Pollard</i>			19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <i>Byers, Tex.</i>		
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) <i>ala</i>			DATE OF BURIAL <i>Feb 3</i> 191 <i>8</i>		
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <i>J. T. Yarbrough</i> (Address) <i>Byers, Tex.</i>			20 UNDERTAKER <i>L. H. Hemm</i> ADDRESS <i>Byers, Tex.</i>		
15 Filed <b>FEB 6 - 1918</b> Form A-1148			Registrar		

TX death record of brother Arnold Osco/Oscar Yarbrough (1884-1918) -

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STATE OF TEXAS *077-88-1 077-88* CERTIFICATE OF DEATH *4201 25* STATE FILE NO. *74692*

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <b>FLOYD</b>		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution, residence before admission) a. STATE <b>TEXAS</b> b. COUNTY <b>FLOYD</b>	
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) <b>LOCKNEY</b>		c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) <b>LOCKNEY</b>	
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <b>404 S. W. 3RD</b>		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) <b>404 S. W. 3RD ST</b>	
a. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		a. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
b. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) <b>ABBIE JANE SMITH</b>		4. DATE OF DEATH <b>DECEMBER 8, 1962</b>	
5. SEX <b>F</b>	6. COLOR OR RACE <b>WHITE</b>	7. Married <input type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <b>2/21/1886</b>
9. AGE (In years last birthday) <b>76</b>		10. IF UNDER 1 YEAR: Months _____ Days _____	
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done) <b>HOUSEWIFE</b>		10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <b>HOME</b>	
11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <b>ALABAMA</b>		12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <b>USA</b>	
13. FATHER'S NAME <b>THOMAS J. YARBROUGH</b>		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <b>MARY ALMEDA COLLINS</b>	
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service)		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO.	
17. INFORMANT <b>MRS. H. E. MUSSER</b>			
18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).) PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) <i>Acute Myocardial Infarction</i> <b>immediate</b> DUE TO (b) _____ DUE TO (c) _____ PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (a) 20a. ACCIDENT <input type="checkbox"/> SUICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> HOMICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> 20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of Item 18.) 20c. TIME OF INJURY: Hour _____ a.m. _____ p.m. Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ 20d. INJURY OCCURRED: WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE AT WORK <input type="checkbox"/> 20e. PLACE OF INJURY (a.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.) _____ 20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION _____ 21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from _____ 19____ and last saw the deceased alive on _____ 19____. Death occurred at _____ m. on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated. 22a. SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i> (Degree or title) <b>M.D.</b> 22b. ADDRESS <b>Box 37 Lookney, Texas</b> 22c. DATE SIGNED <b>12-8-62</b>			
23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <b>REMOVAL</b>		23b. DATE <b>12/10/62</b>	
23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <b>GROOM CEMETERY</b>		24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i> <b>ERWIN C. BOYD</b>	
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. <b>46</b>		25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR <b>12-15-62</b>	
26. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <i>[Signature]</i> <b>ST. P. ROGERS &amp; P</b>			

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TX death record of **sister Abbie Jane Convada Yarbrough Smith (1886-1962)** -  
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STATE OF TEXAS  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

83139 DUPLICATE FILED FOR  
STATE OF TEXAS

1. PLACE OF DEATH  
a. COUNTY **HARRIS**  
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) **HOUSTON**  
c. LENGTH OF STAY in 1 b. **1**  
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) **M. D. ANDERSON Hosp**  
e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? **YES** ☒ NO ☐

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution, residence before admission)  
a. STATE **TEXAS** b. COUNTY **KNOX**  
c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) **MUNDAY**  
d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location)  
e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? **YES** ☒ NO ☐ f. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? **NO** ☐ YES ☐

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print)  
(a) First **BENJAMIN** (b) Middle **A.** (c) Last **YARBROUGH**  
4. DATE OF DEATH **DECEMBER 18, 1965**

5. SEX **MALE** 6. COLOR OR RACE **WHITE** 7. ☒ **DK** ☐ **Married** ☐ **Widowed** ☐ **Divorced**  
8. DATE OF BIRTH **(9-7-1890)** 9. AGE (In years last day) **75** 10. **3** **11** **Hours** **Minutes**

10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) **SELF** 10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY **HOTEL OWNER**  
11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) **Alabama** 12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? **U.S.A.**

13. FATHER'S NAME **THOMAS J. YARBROUGH** 14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME **MARY ALMEDA COLLINS**  
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? **NO** 16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. **457-38-9880** 17. INFORMANT **Mrs. Ben Collins**

18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).)  
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY:  
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) **Cardiac Arrest**  
Conditions, if any, which gave rise to above cause (a): **of the lungs**  
DUE TO (b)   
DUE TO (c)   
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART (a)   
19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? **NO** ☐ YES ☐

20a. ACCIDENT ☐ SUICIDE ☐ HOMICIDE ☐ 20b. TIME OF INJURY Hour **8:40 P.** Month **12** Day **18** Year **1965**  
20c. INJURY OCCURRED ☐ WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐ 20d. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.) **Anderson Hospital**  
20e. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION **MUNDAY** COUNTY **KNOX** STATE **TEXAS**

21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from **12-17** to **12-18** and last saw the deceased alive on **12-18** at **8:40 P.** on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.  
22a. SIGNATURE **M. D. Anderson Hospital** 22b. ADDRESS **12-21-65** 22c. DATE SIGNED **12-21-65**

23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) **REMOVAL** 23b. DATE **12-19-65** 23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY **JOHNSON CEMETERY**  
23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) **MUNDAY, KNOX CO. TEXAS** 23e. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE **ESCOFF INC. 1001 59th. St. # 5535**  
24a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. **DEC. 20, 1965** 24b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR **DEC. 20, 1965** 24c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE **John Collins**

TX death record of brother Benjamin Avery Yarbrough (1890-1965) -

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### Social Security Death Index

View record

Name Benjamin Yarbrough  
Social Security Number 451-38-9880  
Birth Date 7 Sep 1890  
Issue year Before 1951  
Issue State Texas  
Last Residence 78371, Munday, Knox, Texas, USA  
Death Date Dec 1965

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/17336625/person/20367310777/facts>

## Florence Fouler

in the Texas, U.S., County Marriage Records, 1817-1965

Name	Florence Fouler
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	28 Mar 1928
Marriage Place	Knox, Texas, USA
Spouse	<a href="#">B A Yarbrough</a>
Film Number	001434118

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/900432765:61383>

## Florence Etta Yarbrough McDaniel

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007

Name	Florence Etta Yarbrough McDaniel [Florence E Yarbrough] [Florence McDaniel] [Florence Etta Yarbrough Roberts]
Gender	Female
Birth Date	14 Dec 1899
Birth Place	Dodge City, Texas [Dodge City]
Death Date	29 Nov 1993
Claim Date	1 Dec 1960
Father	<a href="#">Earnest A Roberts</a>
Mother	<a href="#">Mattie Lou</a>
SSN	457666973
Notes	10 Jan 1977: Name listed as FLORENCE ETTA YARBROUGH MCDANIEL; 01 Dec 1960: Name listed as FLORENCE E YARBROUGH; 11 Dec 1993: Name listed as FLORENCE E MCDANIEL

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/22516095:60901>

## Florence Yarbrough McDaniel

MUNDAY — Florence Yarbrough McDaniel, 95, died Monday in a Knox City hospital.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. today in the Johnson Memorial Cemetery with Larry Fitzgerald officiating, directed by McCauley-Smith Funeral Home.

Born in Lannius, Mrs. McDaniel was a retired beautician and cosmetologist. She was a member of the Munday Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, James McDaniel of Munday; and several nieces and nephews.

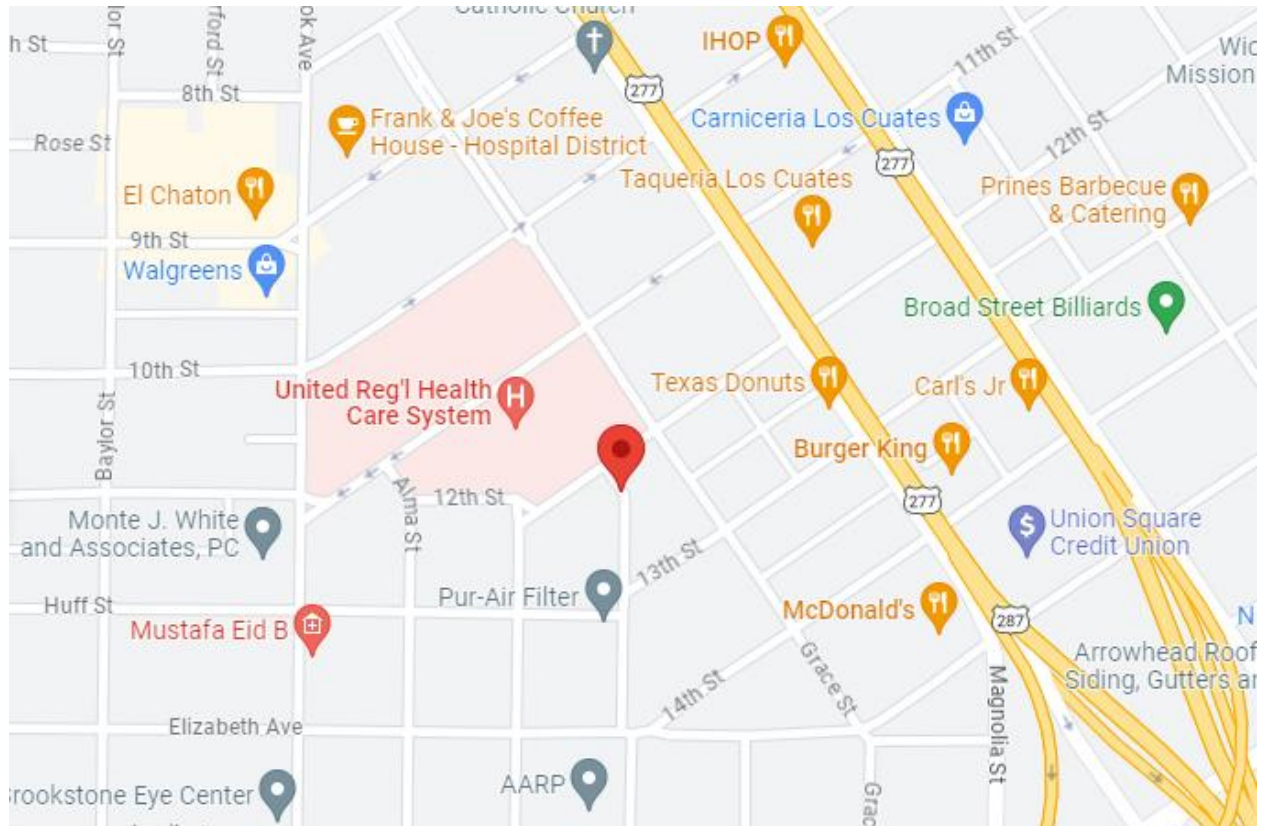
Obituary of Florence Roberts Foulter Yarbrough McDaniel – “Abilene (TX) Reporter-News”  
Wednesday 1 Dec 1993 p 25

## Grace I. Wilber

in the U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014

Name	Grace I. Wilber
Social Security Number	453-34-8439
Birth Date	10 Sep 1895
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	Texas
Last Residence	77011, Houston, Harris, Texas, USA
Death Date	21 Nov 1987

Sister Grace Isola Yarbrough Wilber (1895-1987) - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/67217609:3693>



The Yarbrough house appears to be gone -  
Location of 1202 Clark St., Wichita Falls TX -

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**Abbreviations:**

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

**Name: Albert Franklin Yarbrough**

Name variations: Yarborough – Al F. (tombstone)

Military:

On Tuscania: Camp Travis Det. 2 - private

Serial number: 251,626

Entered service from: Byers, Clay TX

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: Albert F. Yarbrough

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: father Thos. J. Yarbrough, Byers TX

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

Sailed on return ship as: Albert F. Yarbrough

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Frank J. Yarbrough, Box 162, Beyers TX (cook, Co. E, 161st Inf) (handwritten note: Tuscania S S/R)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Albert Franklin Yarbrough - b. 25 Sep 1888

Hackneyville AL; res: Byers, Clay TX. Single. Farmer for myself, Byers TX. Card signed A.F. Yarbrough. Medium height, stout build.

National Tuscania Survivors Association (1939): Byers TX

World War II draft registration (1942): as Albert Franklin Yarbrough - b. 25 Sep 1888

Hackenville AL; res: 1202 Clark St., Wichita Falls, Wichita TX. NOK Mrs. Frank Cleavland [sic/Cleveland, his married daughter Dorothy, living at home while her husband was in the military], same address. US employee (US Post Office). Height: 5’10” – 190 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted: 8 Oct 1917

Discharged: 14 Mar 1919

Address: Byers TX

Rank/unit: cook, 33<sup>rd</sup> Co., 165<sup>th</sup> Depot Brigade

Birth & death:

Born: 25 Sep 1888 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL (WWI draft) or Hackenville AL (WWII draft) or Hackneyville LA (TX military records)

30 May 1960 Dallas, Dallas TX

Find A Grave record: 10576235 – presence on Tuscania indicated in flower

Burial location: Byers, Clay TX

Cemetery: Riverside

Tombstone: buried as Al F.

Father: Thomas Josiah Yarbrough, 29 May 1852 GA – 14 Jun 1932 Byers, Clay TX. Son of Pleasant & Margaret Byers. He lived with his parents in the Western Division of Tallapoosa Co. AL in the 1880 census. Buried in Riverside Cemetery, Byers, Clay TX.

Find A Grave: 10576228

Mother: Mary Almedia (“Sis”) Collins Yarbrough, 20 Nov 1852 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL – 30 Sep 1938 Byers, Clay TX. Daughter of Arthur Avery Collins & Sarah Ann Baker. Buried in Riverside Cemetery, Byers, Clay TX.

Find A Grave: 10576229

Parents’ marriage: 25 Sep 1873 Tallapoosa Co. AL.

Spouse: Ida Fidella Balch Yarbrough, 17 Mar 1900 Aurora, Wise TX - 11 Oct 1996 Fort Worth, Tarrant TX. Daughter of James Edwin Balch (F: 36199225) & Fidella Virginia Hulett (F: 36199200). Her mother Fidella died at Ida’s home in Wichita Falls, Wichita TX. Ida is buried in Riverside Cemetery, Byers, Clay TX. F: 10576238

Spouse Find A Grave: 10576238

Marriage: married Ida Fidella Balch 24 Dec 1919 Henrietta, Clay TX.-

#### Children:

- Dorothy Erlyene Yarbrough Cleveland, 19 Dec 1920 Byers, Clay TX– 23 Jan 1998 Fort Worth, Tarrant TX. Wife of Paul Frank Cleveland (1916-1971, F: 108236696). They obtained marriage license in Wichita Falls, Wichita TX in Mar 1942 & married on 21 Mar 1942 at her parents’ home, 1202 Clark St., Wichita TX, with his father Rev. James Lee Cleveland as the officiant. - School teacher. Graduate of Hardin Simmons University & Texas Christian University. Had a B.A. degree in language & a M.A. in education. Buried in Greenwood Memorial Park & Mausoleum, Fort Worth, Tarrant TX. F: 108236836

Siblings: [https://www.ancestry.com/family-](https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/17336625/person/20367314915/facts)

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- Arthur Pleasant Yarbrough, 7 Dec 1873 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL – 24 Sep 1941 Houston, Harris TX. His middle name Pleasant was the first name of his paternal grandfather, Pleasant Yarbrough. Married to Nellie Cornelia Brown (1879-1951, F: 141746724) on 27 Sep 1898 in Hunt Co. TX. - In the 1900 census, Arthur P. Yarbrough (26 AL, Dec 1873, father b. GA, mother b. AL) lived with wife Nellie (22 TX, Mar 1878) in Justice Precinct 6, Hunt Co. TX. He was a life insurance agent. On the same census page is his maternal grandfather, Arthur A. Collins (69 TX, Sep 1830) living with a sister-in-law Mary Collins. – Buried in Evergreen Cemetery, El Paso, El Paso TX. F: 141747028
- John Marion Yarbrough, 19 Feb 1874 Clay Co. AL [TX death record, also found as Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL] – 8 Aug 1950 Petrolia, Clay TX. Married 16 Feb 1925 in Clay Co. TX to Bertha Kirby (1897-1983, F: 97765641). Buried in Hope Cemetery, Henrietta, Clay TX. F: 97765596



- Mary Ann Yarbrough Hatley, 30 Mar 1877 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL – 15 Jan 1942 Albertville, Marshall AL. Married in 1896 in Hunt Co. TX to Green M. Hatley (1876-1958, F: 36559424). – In the 1900 census, Green M. Hatley (22 AL, May 1877, farm laborer) resides with wife Mary A. (22 AL, father b. GA, mother b. AL) & their 3 children. Their entry is on sheet 21 of the census, immediately after the entry for her parents Thomas & Mary Yarbrough & Mary Ann's siblings. – Buried in High Point Baptist Church Cemetery, Marshall Co. AL. F: 36559446
- William Thomas ("Will") Yarbrough, 29 Jan 1880 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL – 10 Oct 1940 Clay Co. TX. Married in 1900 to Millie Brock (1881-1961, F: 10576247). Millie's real name may be Mary Elizabeth Brock. - Buried in Riverside Cemetery, Byers, Clay TX. F: 10576245.
- Sarah Iula Yarbrough, 2 Mar 1882 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa Co. AL – 24 Nov 1964 Henrietta, Clay TX. Used the name Iula, which is inscribed on her tombstone. She is listed as Sarah I. in the 1900 census. According to her TX death certificate, she never married. Buried in Riverside Cemetery, Byers, Clay TX. F: 10576231
- Arnold Osco [or Oscar on TX death record] Yarbrough, 29 Feb 1884 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL – 2 Feb 1918 Byers, Clay TX. Arnold died 3 days before the Tuscania was torpedoed & sank. Cause of death on his TX death certificate: "cebral [sic]cerebral blood clot (paralysis)". He was single & a farmer. Buried in Riverside Cemetery, Byers, Clay TX. F: 10576240
- Abbie Jane Convada Yarbrough Smith, 21 Feb 1886 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL – 8 Dec 1962 Lockney, Floyd TX. Wife of James Raymond Smith (1882-1954, F: 65243904). They married ca. 1906 (reporting having been married 4 years in the 1910 census, conducted 26 May 1910) & had 3 children. Buried in Groom Cemetery, Groom, Carson TX. F: 65243881
- Benjamin Avery Yarbrough, 7 Sep 1890 AL – 18 Dec 1965 Houston, Harris TX. Married in Knox Co. TX on 28 Mar 1928 [not 1925 as indicated on Find A Grave]to Florence Etta Roberts (1897-1993, F: 144974353). She was the daughter of Earnest A. & Mattie Lou Roberts. Her surname was "Fouler" when she married Benjamin. Florence later married James McDaniel & her TX death records lists her name as McDaniel, but she is buried as Yarbrough with Benjamin. – The couple lived in Munday, Knox TX. Erroneous Ancestry.com reports say Benjamin was married to Florence Elizabeth Dugger, but she was married to Milton Avery Yarbrough. - Benjamin is buried in Johnson Memorial Cemetery, Munday, Knox TX. F: 144974335
- Enoch Freeman Yarbrough, 28 Dec 1892 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL – 1899. The death year of 1899 is found on Ancestry.com family trees. His mother reported 1 of her children had died by the time of the 1900 census.
- Grace Isola (Gracie) Yarbrough Wilber, 10 Sep 1895 Hackneyville, Tallapoosa AL – 27 Nov 1987 Houston, Harris TX. Married in 1926 to James Gibbons ("Jamie") Wilber (1895-1978, F: 252776314). Buried in Riverside Cemetery, Byers, Clay TX. F: 10576155

Notes:

Records list at: <https://www.familysearch.org/tree/person/sources/L26F-NPH>

Pre-war:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Obituary:

Social Security number: 459-60-4551

Censuses:

1900 Justice Precinct 6, Hunt Co. TX

Thos. Josiah Yarbrough, 48 GA, May 1852, parents b. SC [a note saying "thought to be" in the boxes for the parents' birthplaces may apply to the previous line, instead of Thomas's], married 27 years, farmer

Mary, 47 AL, Nov 1852, father b. GA, mother b. SC, gave birth to 11 children, 10 are living  
William J., 20 AL, Jan 1880, farm labor

Sarah I., 18 AL, Mar 1882

Arnold O., 16 AL, Feb 1884

Abbey J., 14 AL, Feb 1886

Albert F., 11 AL, Sep 1888

Benj. A., 9 AL, Sep 1890

Gracie I., 4 AL, Sep 1895

1910 Justice Precinct 3, Knox Co. TX

Albert Yarbrough, 21 AL, father b. AL, mother b. GA, farm laborer, working out, hired man for Jim H. McGuire (61 AL) who resides with wife Sarah McGuire & their 5 children

1920 Byers City, Clay TX

Albert H. Yarbrough., 31 AL, parents b. AL, farmer, general

Ida F., 19 TX, father b. AL, mother b. TX, teacher, public school

1930 Wichita Falls, Wichita TX

Albert F. Yarbrough, 41 AL, parents b. AL, age 30 at 1<sup>st</sup> marriage, Post Office clerk, WWI veteran

Ida B., 30 TX, father b. AL, mother b. TX, age 19 at 1<sup>st</sup> marriage

Dorothy E., 9 TX

1940 Wichita Falls, Wichita TX – 1202 Clark St. - same house in 1935

Albert Franklin Yarbrough, 52 AL, retail clerk, US Post Office  
Ida Fidella, 40 TX  
Dorthy Erlyone, 19 TX

1950 Wichita Falls, Wichita TX – 1202 Clark St.  
Albert F. Yarbrough, 61 AL, postal clerk, Post Office  
Ida F., 50 TX, elementary teacher, country school

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