

TUSCANIA

Burnett, Guy William 1890 IL – 1953 IL



supposedly Guy William Burnett but questionable – from Find A Grave 40016812 – but Guy was in the Army, not the Navy. At least one family member thinks this is Guy's brother Edwin. Caption:

Edwin or Guy Burnett

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Description

Original: The writing on the back shows Guy Burnett, however, Guy was in the Army Air Corp during WWI. According to the WWI Draft Card of Guy's brother, Edwin, Edwin had been a sailor.

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Right: Brothers Edwin William Burnett Jr. at left in photo & Guy William Burnett at right.
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Older sister Grace (Gracie) & Guy William Burnett (on the right) – their mother was a Cummins before her marriage & this is from the Cummins photography studio in Eldorado IL

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FEB 27 1953 LIST

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ORIGINAL

CHECK TYPE REQUIRED
(See Instructions attached)

☐ UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE
☐ FLAT MARBLE MARKER
☒ FLAT GRANITE MARKER
☐ BRONZE MARKER

APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER
(Please make out and return in duplicate)

ENLISTMENT DATE: Nov 24, 1917
DISCHARGE DATE: April 9, 1919

SERIAL NO.: 249954
PENSION NO.: None
STATE: Ill.
RANK: Sgt
U. S. REGIMENT, STATE ORGANIZATION, AND DIVISION: 158th Aero Sqdn. 98.

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial): BURNETT, Guy W.
DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year): Nov 24, 1889
DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Year): Jan 11, 1953
NAME OF CEMETERY: Wolf Creek
LOCATION (City and State): Eldorado, Ill.
NEAREST FREIGHT STATION (City and State): Eldorado, Ill.
POST OFFICE ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE: Eldorado, Ill.

SHIP TO (I CERTIFY THE APPLICANT FOR THIS STONE HAS MADE ARRANGEMENTS WITH ME TO TRANSPORT THE STONE FROM THE FREIGHT STATION TO THE CEMETERY)
SIMPSON MONUMENT CO.
(SIGNATURE OF CONSIGNEE)

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FOR VERIFICATION: FEB 13 1953
ORDERED: COLUMBUS MARBLE CO.
COLUMBUS, MISS.
B/L WY 2084357 JUL 1 1953
SHIPPED

I certify this application is submitted for a stone for the unmarked grave of a veteran.
I hereby agree to assume all responsibility for the removal of the stone promptly upon arrival at destination, and properly place it at the decedent's grave at my expense.

Mrs. Guy W. Burnett
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE
JAN 21, 1953
DATE OF APPLICATION
2113 Glenwood Ave - Eldorado, Ill.
ADDRESS (Street, City, State)

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IMPORTANT—Complete Reverse Side

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BURNETT GUY WILLIAM
Sgt 158 Aero Sqdn
Glenwood Ave Eldorado Ill
Sn 249-954
Born 11-24-90 Died 1-11-53
Enl 11/24/17 Dis 4/9/19

X C 427-822
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Guy W. Burnett, 62, Eldorado, Dies; Funeral Wednesday

Guy W. Burnett, 62, who lived at 2113 Glenwood avenue, Eldorado, died at 3:30 p. m. Sunday at the Veterans hospital in Marion. He had been ill for a number of years.

Mr. Burnett, who had retired as manager of Burnett's Hardware and Furniture store in Eldorado, is survived by his wife, Ruth; two sons, Lt. John C. Burnett in the Navy at Adak, Alaska, and Chas. H. Burnett, Eldorado; a daughter, Mrs. George Robert Russell, Eldorado, and one grandson.

The body will remain at the Martin funeral home until the funeral Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Calvary Baptist church in Eldorado. Rev. Paul Johnson will officiate and burial will be in Wolf Creek cemetery. It will be a military funeral.

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Life:

ILLINOISANS ON BOARD TRANSPORT TUSCANIA

Among the troops aboard the Tuscania when it was torpedoed were the following Illinois men: Otto Bethard, Beardstown; William P. Jordan, Pana; Leland S. Radcliffe, Dwight; Harry Carpenter, Potomac; Maurice E. Peck, Rockford; Kendall H. Peck, Monticello; James J. Norris, Odin; J. A. Booth, Springfield; Fred O. Barger, Decatur; Guy W. Burnett, Eldorado; Elmer Jones, Nebo; Morton McKendrick, Marion; Mo Sapp, Hillsboro; Joe H. Rice, Downer's Grove; Stanley E. Hull, Rockford; Alva Bowman, Carmi.

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Reserve Officer Tells of Govt. Debt

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term securities that fall due within a year. Twenty-eight per cent, he added, will fall due in late 1946 or 1947 and the balance or 25 per cent is in longer term securities. "The financial operations will continue on a large scale and the administrative problems will be heavy," he added.

Mr. Hitt stated that with a continued large national income the huge national debt would not be an unmountable problem.

"There are some advantages in a moderate debt," he pointed out. "It offers investments to capitalists, tends to increase savings which aid in the growth of capital, it helps thrift and creates a central banking that can control credit," he said. He pointed out, however, that the national debt could not be considered 'moderate,' but creates many problems which must be faced by the lawmakers.

Visitors at Rotary

Mr. Hitt is well known in banking circles in southern Illinois having been president of the First National bank at Zeigler for several years before appointment to his post in the Federal Reserve Bank in St. Louis. Frank S. Gray, president of the First National bank, and John B. Lee and Geo. O. Davenport, vice-presidents of the Harrisburg National bank, were special guests of the Rotary club at the meeting last night.

Other visitors were Loren D. Crecelius and Arthur M. Debes, and C. Fred Crowell, of Ashland, Ky. Visiting Rotarians were Guy Burnett, Carl Jones and Ed Baugher, of Eldorado, and Bruce Merwin, of Carbondale. Glenn Reed, a member of the club who is now in service in the Navy, was also present at the meeting.

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Reach Court Stipulation In Burnett Case

W. D. Upchurch Files Complaint Seeking to Halt Sale of Assets

Attorneys for W. D. Upchurch and C. H. Burnett, both of Eldorado, this morning entered into a stipulation before Circuit Judge Ross Reynolds of Vienna, following the filing of a complaint by Upchurch to set aside the sale of the C. P. Burnett and Sons Co. to C. H. and L. E. Burnett and for appointment of a receiver.

The stipulation stated that the hardware and furniture stores of the company be conducted as at present and that Burnett would not sell out the business without a 30-day notice.

Upchurch's complaint, the second filed by him against Burnett within a week, charged that stockholders voted to dissolve the company and to sell all assets to C. H. and L. E. Burnett for \$125,000.

It stated the board of directors, of which he was a member, voted in December to dissolve the corporation on Jan. 15. Upchurch, secretary-treasurer of the company, dissented on the vote.

Sale Unanimously Voted

The petition said that at a regular meeting of the board of directors on Jan. 21, C. H. Burnett was elected president of the corporation; Guy W. Burnett, vice president; and Thelma W. Clark, secretary-treasurer.

It declared that C. H. Burnett and L. E. Burnett, who resides in California, made a bid of \$125,000 for the corporation assets and the sale was unanimously voted. It contended the sale was made without notice thereof to the plaintiff and that no notice of any kind was given. It charged that C. H. Burnett acquired the assets for a "pittance" of the actual value, that the total value of the assets at the time of sale was \$210,000.

It added that the corporation consisted of members of one family owning 420 shares of stock and the plaintiff, who owned 80 shares. **Charges Squeeze Conspiracy**

The petition further stated that during 1938 C. H. and L. E. Burnett conspired to "squeeze" Upchurch out of the corporation for their own use and benefit, but that C. H. Burnett assured Upchurch he would be duly taken care of, leading him to believe that if assets were disposed of, C. H. Burnett would pay Upchurch full value for shares owned in the corporation.

It stated that in March, 1939, Burnett, without the knowledge and consent of the plaintiff, sold a major portion of the assets of the corporation to P. N. Hirsch & Co. for \$25,000, when the assets have inventoried \$100,000. The dry goods store, men's clothing store, shoe department and ladies' ready-to-wear store were sold to Hirsch.

The complaint stated that Upchurch objected to the sale and that damage accrued to the plaintiff and the corporation in the sum of \$285,000.

It demanded that the board of directors be enjoined from delivering possession of the assets to C. H. Burnett, and that he be enjoined from taking charge of the assets or dispose of them without notice and without bond. It asked that a competent receiver be appointed to take charge of and conserve all the assets; and that the court assess damage in the case.

Hearing on Injunction

Judge Reynolds today was holding a hearing on whether to make permanent a temporary injunction granted Upchurch last week which would restrain Burnett from selling Upchurch's 80 shares to the highest bidder. Burnett contended that Upchurch owed him \$17,425.94 on a note for \$10,000 made in 1925, and that the stock, put up as collateral, would be sold. Circuit Judge Harold Zimmerman of Marion granted a temporary injunction.

Upchurch is represented in the litigation by Rumsey and Dennis of Harrisburg and Harry J. Flanders of Eldorado. Burnett is represented by A. W. Summers of Eldorado.

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Dr. Ellis Bonnell Addresses Rotary, Kiwanis Meeting

Dr. Ellis Bonnell, in an address before a joint meeting of the Rotary and Kiwanis clubs last night at the Masonic temple, explained the work of a psychiatrist, who deals with the medical aspects of human relations.

"People have a mistaken conception of a psychiatrist," Dr. Bonnell stated, "and most people are afraid to be quizzed about their business," he added. "However," he said, "four-fifths of the complaints received by all doctors deal with the mind—where a patient is worried about the possible effects of his illness." The psychiatrist deals with the mental and emotional disturbances, which sometimes cause physical ailments themselves, Dr. Bonnell said. He is a medical doctor, but deals with the mentally ill type of ailments.

He listed four types of mentally ill patients psychiatrists deal with most:

First, patients who are medically ill, with heart trouble or some other physical ailment, who is not at ease in his mind and becomes anxious about his condition.

Second, people, who through physical ailments, have lost functions of their brain, and the psychiatrist attempts to get the patient to become reconciled to his condition.

Third, insane people, who must be dealt with in such a way that that they will believe their objective mind and forget the ideas formed by their subjective mind.

Fourth, neurotics, where there is no disease, but mostly bad habits. War veterans with combat fatigue illustrate the neurotic type of patient, and psychiatrists in veterans hospitals are trying to get rid of the emotional instability in these patients, Dr. Bonnell stated.

Dr. Bonnell is a son of Rotarian Clarence Bonnell, and is chief psychiatrist of the Veterans Bureau of the region centering at San Francisco. He was a lieutenant colonel in the army.

Guest Rotarians at last night's meeting were: Walter Berger, of Evansville, Ind., and Guy Burnett, of Eldorado. M. E. Casteel, of Evansville, was a guest of the Kiwanis club.

The meeting was presided over by Blu Hetherington, president of the Rotary club.

Seeks \$500 Damages For Damage to Automobile by Painter

Guy Burnett of Eldorado, in a circuit court complaint, seeks \$500 for damage to his auto, contending a painter got paint on it.

Defendants are Otis Carter, hatchery owner, and H. R. Farris, painter.

The complaint says Carter was having some buildings painted by Farris and that Burnett's wife, Ruth, a hatchery employe at the time, had parked the auto in the usual parking place. It charges paint fell onto the car and damaged it.

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The 1950 census reported that Ruth Burnett worked in the office at a chickery

Eldorado Woman is Seriously Injured When Struck by Auto

Mrs. J. W. Beasley of Eldorado was injured seriously last night when struck by an auto in front of the Martin funeral home. Reports were that she had been to the funeral home, where the body of Guy Burnett was lying in state, and was crossing Organ street to her home, which is just across the street from the funeral home. It was stated that the auto, driven by Ila Vessell of Eldorado, was traveling northward. Mrs. Beasley was taken to the Pearce hospital.

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C. H. Burnett Will Leaves Large Estate

**Executrix Fills
Bond for \$1,840,000;
Bulk to His Sister**

The late C. H. Burnett, Eldorado millionaire who died Jan. 14, left the bulk of his estate to his sister, Pet B. Speer of Eldorado, his will which was filed for probate yesterday revealed.

The bond filled by the executrix, \$1,840,000, is the largest ever filed in probate court here, it was learned.

Mr. Burnett, who never married, was familiarly known as "Colonel" Burnett. For years he headed the C. P. Burnett and Sons Co. in Eldorado, which owned a grocery, dry goods, men's clothing, women's clothing, shoe, furniture and hardware stores, a lumber yard and the C. P. Burnett and Sons, Bankers, in Eldorado.

In recent years he had sold out his retail holdings and the bank, maintaining his interest in the lumber yard.

Leaves Home to Sister

The will, which was dated Dec. 28, 1949, provides for the following:

His residence at 1104 Walnut street in Eldorado to his sister, Pet B. Speer;

To his sister, Clara B. Randall, Los Angeles, \$50,000;

To Ida Mae Goe, a friend, \$5,000;

To Bess Webber of Topeka, Kansas, a friend, \$5,000;

To Madeline Seagraves, who

To Madeline Seagraves, who worked in his household, \$1,000;

To C. P. Burnett of New York City, a nephew who is the son of his late brother, C. P. Burnett, \$5,000;

To Madeline Burnett, widow of his brother, C. P., \$5,000;

To Gail Burnett of Los Angeles, daughter of a deceased brother, \$5,000.

Remainder to Sister

Also listed were bequests of \$5,000 to Guy Burnett and Edwin Burnett of Eldorado, nephews, but they have died between the time the will was written and its filing for probate, and it was learned that these bequests go back into the estate and not to their heirs as the bequests are termed lapsed legacies.

The will said that the remainder of the estate should go to his sister, Pet B. Speer, to her and her heirs forever to keep, sell or dispose of as she chooses, upon condition that she pay to his sister, Elizabeth B. Lynn of St. Louis, \$2,000 each year upon the anniversary of the date of his death, as long as Mrs. Lynn shall live.

The will also pointed out that Mr. Burnett owned a half interest, Mrs. Speer a fourth interest and Ernie Tate a fourth interest in the Burnett Lumber Co., and provided that Mrs. Speer, whom the will appointed as executrix, should be substituted for him as partner in the lumber company.

The estate is being handled by two Benton attorneys, Roy Martin and Moses Pulverman.

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Wife:

1	1	3 Carpenter	3 Second
1	1	1 Guy W. Burnett	1 29 Years
2	2	2 white	2
3	3	3 Eldorado Ill.	3
1	1	1 Ruth Carnahan	1 21 Years
2	2	2 white	2
3	3	3 Eldorado Ill.	3
1	1	1 Berry Carnahan	1
2	2	2 Alice Hayman	2
3	3	3 First	3
1	1	1 at Eldorado Ill.	1 Nov 15 19.
2	2	2 Edwin W. Burnett - Mrs. E. W. Burnett	2 Nov 13 1919
3	3	3 A. E. Prince	3 Dec 5 19.

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Mrs. B. Carnahan and Mrs. Guy Burnett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carnahan yesterday, returning today to their home in Eldorado.

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Alton IL

Berry Carnahan, 81, of Eldorado, Dies at Alton

Berry Carnahan, 81, Eldorado, known to many friends as "Uncle Berry" and the father of Mrs. Guy Burnett, Eldorado, died early this morning at a sanitarium in Alton, where he had been a patient for several months. His death was attributed to old age.

Since the death of his wife, Mrs. Mary Alice (Allie) Carnahan, which occurred four years ago, he had lived with his children, spending most of his time in Eldorado and at the home of a daughter, Mrs. S. W. Haley, St. Petersburg, Fla. While visiting a son, Claude, at Bunker Hill, he became ill and was taken to the Alton sanitarium. Another son, Arthur, lives at Long Island, N. Y.

There are nine grandchildren and five great grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Lulu Bramlet, lives in Springfield.

Mr. Carnahan was a member of the Primitive Baptist church and was a staunch Democrat in politics, but had never sought election to office.

His body is being returned to Eldorado in a hearse from the Eldorado funeral home and will lie in state at the home of Mrs. Burnett, 1809 Glenwood avenue, where the funeral service will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. Elder T. Leo Dodd will conduct the service, and burial will be at Wolf Creek cemetery.

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Children:

John Carnahan Burnett

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



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Detail	Source
Name	John Carnahan Burnett [John Cornahan Burnett] [John Burnett]
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	21 Feb 1924
Birth Place	El Dorrade S, Illinois [Eldorado Sal??, Illinois]
Death Date	14 Jan 1998
Father	Guy W Burnett
Mother	Ruth E Cornahan
SSN	341183164
Notes	Feb 1940: Name listed as JOHN CARNAHAN BURNETT; Feb 1940: Name listed as JOHN CORNAHAN BURNETT; Apr 1953: Name listed as JOHN CARLOS BURNETT; 22 Jan 1998: Name listed as JOHN C BURNETT

Son John Carnahan/Carlos Burnett (1924-1998) -

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REGISTRATION CARD—(Men born on or after January 1, 1922 and on or before June 30, 1924)			
SERIAL NUMBER N. <u>284</u>	1. NAME (Print) <u>John Carlos Burnett</u> (First) (Middle) (Last)		ORDER NUMBER <u>11,331V</u>
2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) <u>1809 Glenwood Ave., Eldorado, Saline, Illinois</u> (Number and street) (Town, township, village, or city) (County) (State)			
[THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON THE LINE ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]			
3. MAILING ADDRESS <u>1109 S. Fourth St., Champaign, Illinois</u> (Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same insert word same)			
4. TELEPHONE <u>297</u> (Exchange) (Number)	5. AGE IN YEARS <u>18</u>	6. PLACE OF BIRTH <u>Eldorado, Illinois</u> (Town or county) (State or country)	
DATE OF BIRTH <u>Feb. 21 1924</u> (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)			
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS <u>Guy W. Burnett, 1809 Glenwood Ave., Eldorado</u>			
8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS <u>Student</u>			
9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS			
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.			
D. S. S. Form 1 (Revised 6-1-42)	(over)	e16-21630-3	<u>John C. Burnett</u> (Registrant's signature)

REGISTRAR'S REPORT					
DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT					
RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION		
White	5' 3"	128	Bellow		
	EYES	HAIR	Light		
Negro	Blue	Blonde	Ruddy		
	Gray	Red	Dark		
Oriental	Hazel	Brown	Freckled		
	Brown	Black	Light brown		
Indian	Black	Gray	Dark brown		
		Bald	Black		
Pilipino					

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification

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:

Registrar for Local Board #1 Ch. 4th City #1 Ill.
 (Number) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration 6-30-42

Local Board No. 2
 Saline County 165
 JUL 15 1942 002
 Post Office Building
 (STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD)
 (The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the registrant shall be placed in the above space)

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Ann Burnett

in the Illinois, U.S., Deaths and Stillbirths Index, 1916-1947



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Detail	Source
Name	Ann Burnett
Birth Date	2 Nov 1926
Birth Place	Ill
Death Date	3 Mar 1931
Death Place	Eldorado, Saline, Illinois
Burial Date	4 Apr 1931
Burial Place	Wolfcreek
Death Age	4
Occupation	At Home
Race	White
Marital Status	S
Gender	Female
Street Address	Glenwood Ave.
Father Name	Guy Burnett
Father Birth Place	Ill.
Mother Name	Ruth Carnahan
Mother Birth Place	Ill.
Comments	resident 4y
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Daughter Ann Burnett (1926-1931) -

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Charles Burnett

HARRISBURG — Charles Henry Burnett, 56, of 319 W. O'Gara St. died at 4 a.m. Friday, Aug. 5, 1988, in Welborn Baptist Hospital in Evansville, Ind.

Services will be at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Gaskins Funeral Home, with burial in Wolf Creek Cemetery in Eldorado. Visitation will be after 4 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Mr. Burnett was an innkeeper.

He was on the board of directors of the Henderson, Ky., Chamber of Commerce; was founder of the Henderson County Tourism Commission, which he chaired for three years; and was a member of the Eldorado Calvary Baptist Church; and several professional associations.

He was born June 30, 1932, in Eldorado to Guy and Ruth (Carnahan) Burnett.

He married Marilou Morris in 1953. She survives.

Other survivors include one daughter, Emilee Ann Burnett of Harrisburg; one brother, Dr. John Burnett of Kankakee; and one sister, Nancy Russell of Chillicothe, Mo.

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Son Charles Henry Burnett (1932-1988) – Carbondale IL

Marriage Bond

THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

No. 143

COUNTY COURT

BE IT KNOWN, That we _____
as principal, and _____
as surety, are jointly and severally bound to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, in the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS

THIS BOND IS CONDITIONED AS FOLLOWS:

That, whereas Marriage is intended to be solemnized between _____

and _____

Now, if there is no lawful cause to obstruct said Marriage, this bond shall be void, otherwise it shall be and remain in full force and effect.

Witness our hands, this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Attest:

Clerk.

Principal.

Surety.

By _____ D. C.

REGISTER OF MARRIAGE

No. _____

Full names of parties, Husband _____

Wife _____

*By Whom Married _____

REGISTER OF MARRIAGE

No. _____

Full names of parties, Husband _____

Wife _____

*By Whom Married _____

*Place of Marriage _____

County of _____

Kentucky.

*Date of Marriage _____

*Witnesses _____

and _____

Age of Husband 24 years; Condition (single, widowed, divorced) _____

Age of Wife 30 years; Condition (single, widowed, divorced) _____

Race: (white or colored) _____

Husband's Place of Birth Chilmark, Ill. Residence Chilmark, Ill.

Wife's Place of Birth Harrisburg, Ill. Residence Harrisburg, Ill.

Names of Parents of Husband Gary W. Burnett

and Ruth Cornish

Names of Parents of Wife Nelson Morris

and Winifred Hestherington

Occupation of Husband Cornet "Deary" Green

Date of License 29th day of October 19 54

THIS LICENSE IS VOID 30 DAYS AFTER DATE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Charles Henry Burnett & Marion Parker
this 29th day of October 19 54

By Ruddy P. P. P.

Clerk.

D. C.

***RECORD OF MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE**

I, Rev. Rudy Bouland a minister
of the First Baptist Church
or religious order of that name, do certify that on the 32nd day of October 19 54
at Paducah Ky. Kentucky, under authority of the above license, I united in Marriage
Charles Henry Burnett and Mary Lou Parker
the persons named and described therein, in the presence of Robert V. Wilson
and Eloise Hobbs

I qualified and gave bond, according to law, authorizing me to celebrate the rites of Marriage in the County of
Marshall State of Kentucky.

Given under my hand, this 30th day of October 19 54

A Copy, Attest Rev. Rudy Bouland
Rudy Pierce Clerk.
By Ruth Peyton D. C.

*Stamps to be filled for state after return of license.
Form M7

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MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

The minister or other person celebrating this marriage is required within five days to fill out and sign both copies of this certificate, and deliver them to the clerk who issued the license. The copy with the license and waiver on the back is for the clerk, the other for the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

V. S. 77

23384

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

CITY OF Norfolk

COUNTY OF XXXXX

FULL NAME OF GROOM Arthur Eugene Abney CLERK'S No. 3051

PRESENT NAME OF BRIDE Marilou Morris MAIDEN NAME Marilou Morris

AGE	RACE	SINGLE, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED	NO. TIMES PREV. MARRIED
<u>24</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Single</u>	<u>None</u>

OCCUPATION Ensign INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS USN

BIRTHPLACE Harco, Ill.

FATHER'S FULL NAME George Abney

MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Ada Hamilton

RESIDENCE: CITY OR COUNTY Naval Air Station MAILING ADDRESS 2640

AGE	RACE	SINGLE, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED	NO. TIMES PREV. MARRIED
<u>21</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Single</u>	<u>None</u>

OCCUPATION --- INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS ---

BIRTHPLACE Harrisburg, Ill.

FATHER'S FULL NAME Nelson Morris

MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Winifred Hetherington

RESIDENCE: CITY OR COUNTY 319 West O'Gara St. MAILING ADDRESS Harrisburg, Ill. 13

Date of Proposed Marriage September 28th 1943 Place of Proposed Marriage Norfolk, Virginia

Given under my hand this 28th day of September, 1943

M. A. Pauloff Clerk of Court.

CERTIFICATE OF DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE

I, Ernest C. Wilson, a Minister of the Commission Church, or (Denomination) City of 2640

religious order of that name, do certify that on the 28th day of September, 1943, at Norfolk, Virginia, under authority of this license, I joined together in the Holy State of Matrimony the persons named and described therein. I qualified and gave bond according to law authorizing me to celebrate the rites of marriage in the county (or city) of Norfolk, Commonwealth of Virginia.

Given under my hand this 28th day of September, 1943

Address of celebrant 1729 W. Ocean View Ave Ernest C. Wilson (Person who performs ceremony sign here.)

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Announcing Morris-Parker Wedding of April 15 At Paducah, Kentucky Miss Marilou Morris, daughter of Mrs. Nelson Morris, 804 South Granger street and Lee Parker, son of Lloyd L. Parker of this city, who were married on April 15, have returned to this city, and are at home at 804 South Granger street, temporarily. After their wedding which took place at the Presbyterian church in Paducah, Ky., the Rev. Turnbow, pastor, performing the single	ring ceremony, they went to Biloxi, Gulfport and New Orleans, on a wedding trip. The bride wore a blue costume suit with navy accessories, and her bridal flowers were yellow roses. She was graduated in 1941 from the Harrisburg Township high school and attended MacMurray college, Jacksonville, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, and the University of Colorado. Mr. Parker is the younger of two sons associated in business with
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Lloyd L. Parker at the Lloyd L. Parker Furniture store. He is a World War II veteran, who served in the air transport service, and has been flying his own plane for several years.

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**Accident Verdict
In Fatal Wreck**

Head injuries due to losing control of his car was given as the cause of death of Walter Lee Parker, 39, Harrisburg, at an inquest held today in Marion.

Parker died instantly after being thrown from his car on Birch Curve, two miles east of Crab Orchard on Route 13 about 7:40 a.m. Friday.

His car knocked down three guard rails, hit a tree, overturned, skidded 30 yards on its top and overturned onto its wheels in an 8-foot ditch.

Barney Massa, a member of coroner Sam Simmon's jury at the inquest, said he had heard that Parker had driven all night from Springfield, Mo.

Simmons said that Parker had possibly fallen asleep at the wheel but that no evidence could not be obtained to that effect. There was no evidence of intoxicants.

Parker was associated with his father, Lloyd L. Parker, and a brother Dick, in a furniture store.

Besides his father and brother, he leaves his wife, Mary Lou, and son, Steven.

Friends may call at the Harrisburg Funeral Home Chapel until 1 p.m. Saturday when the body will be removed to the First Baptist Church. Rev. R. W. Wallace will officiate at rites at 2 p.m. Burial will be in Sunset Lawn Cemetery.

Inquest jurors were:

- Roy Tanner
- McKinley McCuan
- Clifford Bichey
- B. J. Bailey
- Dorothy Pentecost and
- Massa.

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Carbondale IL

LOCAL

Marilou Burnett

Marilou Burnett, age 85, of Evansville, passed away on Thursday, September 3, 2009, at Deaconess Hospice Care Center.

Mrs. Burnett was a homemaker.

Surviving is her daughter, Emilee Burnett Ellis and her husband, Lonnie, of Evansville.

Marilou was preceded in death by her husband, Charles H. Burnett in 1988.

There will be no visitation or funeral services. Pierre Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

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Eldorado Wins Homecoming Game, 48 to 12

**Nancy Burnett
Crowned Queen After
Victory Over Olney**

A 48-12 victory over Olney, sandwiched between a colorful parade, dance and Queen coronation, made for a successful homecoming at Eldorado Friday.

Eldorado scored early and late to trample the Olney Tigers into the dust, making it five wins in six starts for the Eagles and six consecutive losses for Olney.

Miss Nancy Burnett, comely blonde and a member of the Senior class, was crowned Homecoming Queen at the 11 o'clock intermission of the dance. Football co-captains, Colbert and Berkel, participated in the coronation ceremony.

Olney scored two touchdowns in the opening period, twice as many as they had scored in five previous games, to hold a 12-6 lead at the end of the quarter.

Eagles Settle Down

Eldorado's Eagles seemed to be taking the game lightly and looked bad in the first quarter. After they realized Olney wouldn't roll over and play dead, the Eagles settled down and played the type of ball of which they are capable. In each of the last three quarters, Eldorado scored 14 points and held Olney completely in check.

Younger scored four of the touchdowns and one extra point; Berkel went over for a six-pointer on two occasions and scored one extra point; Phelps had a touchdown and extra point and Hagan, on two passes and Briddick, on a quarterback sneak, picked up the other points after touchdown.

Olney kicked off to start the game, Berkel taking the ball on the 20 and racing across midfield and down to the 40 before being stopped. Younger then ran for 15 yards, Berkel scooted for 20 and after Phelps was held for no gain, Younger cracked the line and scored standing up. The point try was a failure.

Olney Takes Lead

After scoring in five plays the Eagles seemed to be satisfied "it was in the bag." Olney then tied the count in one play.

Eldorado kicked to the 15. Though, a short-stepping back, picked up the ball, did a few side steps, was soon in the open and went the distance to score. The point try failed and the score was 6-6 with just a few minutes played.

Olney scored again in the period, a fumble setting up the score. Taking over only yards from a score, Olney advanced to the 2 on a pass, then Hatch circled his own right end and Olney had a 12-6 lead.

The team and fans went wild—it was the first time this season they had been ahead of anyone. It was well they enjoyed the unusual event to the fullest, as there was little to shout about the rest of the game.

Early in the second quarter Hagan ran to the 38, Younger and Briddick picked up 5 yards each, then Younger raced 28 yards to score, Phelps plunged for the point and Eldorado was ahead 13-12.

Half Time Score 20-12

Phelps scored again in the period on an 11-yard run and Briddick scored the point, making the half-time score read 20-12, Eldorado.

Younger scored again in the 3rd quarter on a 30-yard sprint and Berkel made the point.

Taking a punt in midfield, Eldorado started another drive, ending with Berkel getting the touchdown and Hagan taking a pass from Briddick for the point.

A long pass, Briddick to Berkel, accounted for a touchdown on the third play of the last frame and Younger plunged for the point.

Eldorado kicked off, recovered a fumble on the 26, two passes failed, then Younger scored standing up and Hagan took a pass for the point, ending the scoring for the night.

Eldorado was threatening when the game ended, 48-12 in favor of the Eagles.

After the disappointing opening inning, the entire Eldorado team looked good, with the two tackles, Roberts and Colbert, camping far and wide to smear Olney's runners before they would get started. These two boys were in on almost every play, getting the tackles regardless of which direction the play was run.

Play Cairo Next Week

Next week Eldorado will be host to the powerful Cairo Pilots, said to be the strongest outfit to represent the river town in many years.

Homecoming got underway shortly after 3 p. m. with a parade, led by the band. After covering the business district, the parade broke up, the band played a concert near the intersection of Locust and Fourth streets, then returned to the high school.

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During half time the band and twirlers entertained, the queen candidates, Nancy Burnett, Jean Carr, Shirley Sutton, Veva Nell Sutton and Carol Oglesby, were introduced and the two prize-winning floats circled the field. The floats were entered by the Ili Tri and French clubs of ETHS.

Following the game a dance was held in the gym and the coronation of Nancy Burnett as homecoming queen climaxed the big day.

Daughter Nancy Alice Burnett Russell Walters (1933-2003) –

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MISS NANCY BURNETT, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burnett, Eldorado. Sponsored by Craggs-Devillez Furniture of Eldorado.

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Beauty Contest, Auto Show Tonight

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Miss Nancy Burnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burnett, sponsored by the Craggs-Devillez furniture store, Eldorado.

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MISS NANCY BURNETT of Eldorado, who was crowned Queen of the 1951 Music Festival, held Friday in Harrisburg. Miss Burnett, a senior in Eldorado Township high school, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burnett.

**Massed Music Festival Concert Held at
HTHS Gym; Nancy Burnett Crowned Queen**

Threatening weather drove the music festival concert indoors and held down attendance, but had no effect on the performance of the massed bands and choruses Friday evening.

As a climax to the day-long Harrisburg Township high school sponsored music festival, the bands and choruses from five high schools gave a brilliant and entertaining concert in the HTHS gymnasium before a comparatively small crowd last night.

The concert was planned for Taylor Field, but, with the wind blowing and dark clouds rolling a decision was made to move the program inside.

Crowning of the festival queen was the final order of business and the candidates from the five high schools, plus the Queen of the 1950 festival, Miss Janet Burch of Rosiclare, walked slowly down the gym floor and to the stage.

Following announcement that Miss Nancy Burnett of Eldorado had been selected by the judges as Queen of the 1951 festival she was crowned by Miss Burch, who

Burnett was given a large bouquet of red roses. The Queen was also presented a gift by John Schork of the HTHS music department.

Miss Burnett, Eldorado high school senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burnett and was ETHS football homecoming queen last season.

Members of the queen's court were Dixie Lou Brothers of Harrisburg, Barbara Moore of Rosiclare, Ellouise Schneider of Murphysboro and Betty Shepherd of Carrier Mills.

Guest conductors for the concert were Floyd V. Burt, director of music in the Paducah, Ky. schools; Richard Farrell, Murray, Ky., and Floyd V. Wakeland of Carbondale.

The twirling routines were under the direction of Mrs. Champ Todd, director of music, Plymouth, Ill.

Five schools, Carrier Mills, Rosiclare, Murphysboro, Eldorado and Harrisburg, participated in the festival.

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Here Are the Saline County Beauty Contestants To Compete for Title 'Miss Saline County of 1951' at Fairgrounds Saturday Night



MISS NANCY BURNETT, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Burnett, sponsored by Baker Furniture of Eldorado.

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Nancy A. Walters**1933 - 2003**

CHILLICOTHE, Mo. — Nancy Alice (Burnett) Walters, 70, Chillicothe, died Wednesday, Sept. 17, 2003.

Mrs. Walters worked for Katie's Dress Shop in Chillicothe.

Surviving: husband, Ken; sons, Eric and George; daugh-

ters, Lisa Wheeler and Ann Whiteside; four grandchildren; five stepgrandchildren.

Service: 10:30 a.m. Monday, United Methodist Church, Chillicothe. Burial: Edgewood Cemetery, Chillicothe. Visitation: 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday; family visitation: 3 to 5 p.m. Sunday, at Lindley Funeral Home, Chillicothe.

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St. Joseph MO

Nancy Alice Burnett

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



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Detail	Source
Name	Nancy Alice Burnett [Nancy Alice Russell] [Nancy Walters]
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	14 Sep 1933
Birth Place	Eldorado Sal, Illinois [Eldorado, Illinois]
Death Date	18 Sep 2003
Father	Guy W Burnett
Mother	Ruth E Carnahan
SSN	348269788
Notes	Apr 1950: Name listed as NANCY ALICE BURNETT; Apr 1955: Name listed as NANCY ALICE RUSSELL; Mar 1964: Name listed as NANCY WALTERS; Jul 1967: Name listed as NANCY ALICE WALTERS; 27 Sep 2003: Name listed as NANCY A WALTERS

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NANCY BURNETT
G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Tri 1, 2, Group Officer 3, Accompanist 4; French Club 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3; Dramatics Club 4; Class Secretary 1; Vice-President 3; Glee Club Accompanist 4; Latin Club 1; Band 1, 2; Home Coming Queen 4; Annual Staff 4.

El Dorado (IL) High School yearbook 1951 – senior -
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Mother:

Edwin W Burnett

in the Illinois, U.S., Marriage Index, 1860-1920



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Detail	Source
Name	Edwin W Burnett
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	20 May 1888
Marriage Place	Saline, Illinois, USA
Spouse Name	Nannie E Cummins
Spouse Gender	Female

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60984/records/835574?tid=88075466&pid=42563000717&ssrc=pt>

DEATH OF MRS. NANNIE BURNETT—Mrs. Nannie Burnett, late of Eldorado, Ill., died at her temporary home in Brill addition on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Burnett accompanied by her three children—Grace, Guy and Edwin—came to Phoenix last June. Mrs. Burnett's health had been impaired for some time. She and her friends hoped that this mild climate and bright sunshine would restore her, but that great enemy to the human family—consumption—had taken such a hold upon her that their hopes were not realized. Mr. C. H. Burnett, a brother-in-law, who was in California with a sick sister, came here about a month ago. He

with Mrs. A. H. Hargrave, a sister of the deceased, her husband, and the three children were with her constantly, doing all that tender hands and loving hearts could to comfort her. Mrs. Burnett was a zealous Christian, a member of the Baptist church of Eldorado. Mr. A. H. Hargrave accompanied the remains and the children back to their home, Mr. Burnett going with them as far as Ash Fork. From there he will go to California to look after the comfort of his sister. Mrs. Hargrave goes to Congress, where she will remain until the return of her husband.

The Arizona Republic
Tue, Feb 20, 1906 · Page 6

Phoenix AZ

Siblings:



Sister Grace C. Burnett Cederlof (1889-1920) – at age 19 – Find A Grave 8475876

City papers please copy.
CEDERLOF. July 19. Mrs. Grace Burnett Cederlof,
aged 31 years, beloved wife of E. R. Cederlof,
mother of little Burnett Elizabeth and Nancy
Charibel Cederlof.
Funeral services Thursday, July 22, at 2:30
p.m., from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown,
1335 South Flower street.

The Los Angeles Times
Wed, Jul 21, 1920 -Page 16

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ALLEN—ROBERTS. Francis T. Allen, 71; Lizzie E. Roberts, 65.

ANDERSON—MORTENSON. Frank H. Anderson, 29; Hilma B. Mortenson, 28.

BOLZER — BLUMENSTOK. Jacob Bolzer, 21; Sadie Blumenstok, 23.

BURGESS—SHERMAN. Melbourne W. Burgess, 23; Emeline G. Sherman, 20.

CALVERT — TONNESON. William A. Calvert, 36; Astrid T. Tonneson, 30.

CEDERLOF — BURNETT. Ernest R. Cederlof, 34; Grace C. Burnett, 24.

The Los Angeles Times
Fri, Oct 01, 1915 - Page 10

E. W. Burnett, 58, Eldorado Resident, Dies

Edwin W. Burnett, 58, Eldorado resident, died at 6:45 p. m. Thursday at Welborn Memorial hospital, Evansville, Ind. He had been in failing health for three years and had been seriously ill for two weeks.

Mr. Burnett, co-owner of the Town House cafe on route 45, near Eldorado, is survived by his wife, the former Hallie Elder, and by one brother, Guy Burnett, also of Eldorado. A daughter, Carolyn Burnett, preceded him in death in 1940.

He was a World War one veteran and a member of the Calvary Baptist church where funeral services will be conducted at 3 p. m. Sunday. The Rev. Stanley Anderson, pastor of the church, will officiate at the services, assisted by the Rev. Charles Brannum, pastor of the Eldorado Church of Christ. Burial with military rites will be in Wolf Creek cemetery.

The body, received by the Bean and Tanner funeral home, has been moved to the Burnett home, 1105 Walnut street, and will lie in state at the church for the hour preceding funeral services.

Richard Lappin, nephew of Mr. Burnett, will assist with arrangements.

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Brother Edwin William Burnett (1892-1951) – Harrisburg IL

Indiana, U.S., Death Certificates, 1899-2017 for Edwin Wm Burnett

Certificate > 1951 > 03

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It is stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms dying away from home should be given in every instance.

PERSON ACTUALLY DIED, NOT WHERE LIVED

DECEASED'S NAME

DATE

INDIANA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH Division of Vital Records CERTIFICATE OF DEATH				Local No. 460	Death No. 10194
1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY Laurensburg		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution, residence before admission) a. STATE Illinois b. COUNTY Saline			
b. CITY OR TOWN Evansville		c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL) Eldorado			
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION Welborn Memorial Sept 5/51		4. STREET ADDRESS Rt. 45			
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) Edwin Wm Burnett		5. DATE OF BIRTH Nov-9-1892		6. DATE OF DEATH Mar-1-1951	
5. SEX M	6. COLOR OR RACE W	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) Married	8. AGE (In years) 58	9. If under 1 year: Months 3 Days 20 Hours 20 Min	
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) Ret.		10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Illinois	
13. FATHER'S NAME Edwin Wm Burnett		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Nannie Cummings		15. CITIZENSHIP USA	
16. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (If yes, give year or dates of service)		17. INFORMANT (NAME AND ADDRESS) Mr. Richard Lappin			
18. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c) *This does not mean the mode of death, such as		MEDICAL CERTIFICATION 1. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH: Hypertensive cardiovascular disease 2. ANTECEDENT CAUSES		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH: 6 years	

19a. DATE OF OPERATION		19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION		4438-020		90. AUTOPSY? Yes ☐ No ☒	
21a. ACCIDENT (Specify) SUICIDE HOMICIDE		21b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)		21c. (CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP) (COUNTY) (STATE)			
21d. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour) (m.)		21e. INJURY OCCURRED While at ☐ Work Not While at Work ☐		21f. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?			
22a. ATTENDING PHYSICIAN: I certify that I attended the deceased from Feb 24, 1951 to Feb 24, 1951, and that death occurred at 7:45 AM from causes stated and on above date.				22b. HEALTH OFFICER: I certify that I investigated cause of death of deceased and find that death occurred at 7:45 AM from causes stated and on above date.			
23a. Signature of Attending Physician or Health Officer Earl H. Antie				23b. ADDRESS Channahville, Indiana		23c. DATE SIGNED 3/2/51	
24a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify)		24b. DATE 3/4/51		24c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Wagon Creek		24d. LOCATION Eldorado, Ill.	
DATE REC'D BY LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER 3/5/51		SIGNATURE OF HEALTH OFFICER William W. Burnett		25. FUNERAL DIRECTOR W. J. Bean		ADDRESS Eldorado, Ill.	

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Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Guy William Burnett

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 158th Aero Squadron - corporal

Serial number: 249,954

Entered service from: Eldorado, Saline IL

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Guy W. Burnett

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": uncle Henry Burnett, handwritten street address : c/o Burnett Bank, El Dorado IL [both his parents were dead]

Returned from war on: "Mexican" Feb 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Guy W. Burnett

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: brother Edwin W. Burnett, Eldorado IL (cpl, 158th Aero Sq)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Guy William Burnett - b. 24 Nov 1891 Eldorado IL; res: Newark, Alameda CA. Single. Sheet iron worker for Jas. Graham Mfg. Co., Newark CA. Short & slender.

World War II draft registration (1942): as Guy William Burnett - b. 24 Nov 1890 Eldorado IL; res: 1809 Glenwood, Eldorado, Saline IL. NOK Mrs. Guy Burnett of the same address.

Employed by C.H. Burnett, Walnut St., Eldorado IL, 4th Street, Eldorado, Saline IL. Height: 5' 2", 146 lbs. Registered 28 Apr 1942.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 24 Nov 1917

Discharged 24 Nov 1890

Address: Glenwood Ave., Eldorado, Saline IL

Rank/unit: sergeant, 158th Aero SquadronBirth & death:

Born: 24 Nov 1890 Eldorado, Saline IL (also listed as 1889 – on his tombstone application) (obituary claims he died at age 62)

Died: 11 Jan 1953 Marion, Williamson IL (Veterans Hospital)

Find A Grave record: 40016812, presence on Tuscania noted in text

Burial location: Eldorado, Saline IL

Cemetery: Wolf Creek

Tombstone: from veteran headstone application: veteran flat tombstone, serial 249954, enlisted 24 Nov 1917, discharged 9 Apr 1919. From California – sergeant, 158th Aero Squadron AS. Born 24 Nov 1889. Died 11 Jan 1953. Burial in Wolf Creek Cemetery, Eldorado IL. Signed for by Mrs. Guy W. Burnett, 2113 Glenwood Ave., Eldorado IL, on 21 Jan 1953.

Father: Edwin William Burnett (Sr.), 24 Mar 1863 IL – 16 Oct 1892 Saline Co. IL.

Son of Charles Pinckney Burnett (1840-1891, F: 40454088, a Civil War veteran) & Clementine Musgrave (1843-1902, F: 40454119).

Buried in Raleigh Masonic Cemetery, Raleigh, Saline IL

Find A Grave: 40454154

Mother: Nancy (Nannie) E. Cummins Burnett, 11 Aug 1865 Eldorado, Saline IL – 17 Feb 1906 Phoenix, Maricopa AZ.

Daughter of William J. Cummins & Susan C. Lindle.

Summarized from the "Arizona Republic" (Phoenix AZ) of 20 February 1906, page 6: Mrs. Nannie Burnett, lately a resident of Eldorado IL, died at her temporary home in the Brill addition on Saturday, 17 February 1906, at 8 p.m. She was accompanied to Phoenix by her three children - Grace, Guy & Edwin - last June [1905]. Her health has been impaired for some time, and it was thought the mild climate and bright sunshine would restore her health. But her consumption [tuberculosis] was too advanced. Her brother-in-law, C.H. Burnett, who was in California with a sick sister, came to Phoenix about a month ago. He, along with her sister Mrs. A.H. Hargrave & her husband [i.e. Mr. Hargrave, as Nannie's husband Edwin had died in 1892] and the three children cared for her constantly. Nannie was "a zealous Christian" and member of the Baptist Church of Eldorado IL. Mr. Hargrave accompanied the body and the three children as far as Ash Fork, then went to California to care for his sister.

Buried in Raleigh Masonic Cemetery, Raleigh, Saline IL

Find A Grave: 40454577

Parents' marriage: 20 May 1888 Saline Co. IL [Edwin dies 4 years later]

Spouse: Ruth Ellen Carnahan Burnett, 31 Oct 1899 IL – 24 Nov 1968 Harrisonburg, Saline IL.

Daughter of Asbery (“Berry/Uncle Berry”) Carnahan (1864-1946, F: 262069558/) & Mary Alice (“Allie”) Hargrave (1868-1939, F: 262069115. She is buried in the same cemetery as her parents.

Buried in Wolf Creek Cemetery, Eldorado, Saline IL.

Spouse Find A Grave: 40016824

Marriage: 13 Nov 1919 Eldorado, Saline IL – of Guy W. Burnett, age 29, son of Ed Burnett & Nannie Cummins, to Ruth Carnahan, age 21, daughter of Berry Carnahan & Alice Hayman.

Children:

- John Carlos Burnett (Sr.), 21 Feb 1924 Eldorado, Saline IL – 14 Jan 1998 Kankakee, Kankakee IL. - Middle name also found as Carnahan (his mother’s maiden name) on his Social Security record. - A physician. - Married to Mary Ellen Hoelscher (1926-2005, F: 89173121). Obituary on Find A Grave: 1 of Kankakee IL’s most respected internists. Dr. Burnett died 14 Jan 1998 at Riverside Medical Center, Kankakee. Age 73; had cancer for 9 months. Began his medical practice in Kankakee about 40 years ago. Was on hospital staffs & chief of staff. Born 21 Feb 1924 in Eldorado IL to Guy W. & Ruth Ellen (Carnahan) Burnett. Enlisted in US Navy in 1943. Graduate of U of IL & St. Louis University School of Medicine (1947). Practiced in Eldorado IL until 1951 when he reentered the US Navy to serve in the Korean War. He graduated from the US Naval School of Aviation Medicine (Pensacola FL) & then served as a naval flight surgeon. Survived a plane crash on the island of Atka in Alaska while on a rescue mission. Also a historian & lecturer around the state on history. Celebrated 50th wedding anniversary with wife Mary Ellen (Hoelscher) on 16 Aug 1997. Survived by daughter & 2 sons. - Buried in All Saints Cemetery, Bourbonnais, Kankakee IL.
- Ann Burnett, 2 Nov 1926 Saline Co. IL – 3 Mar 1931 Eldorado, Saline IL. Died at age 4 years, 4 months. Buried in Wolf Creek Cemetery, Eldorado, Saline IL. F: 198523491
- Charles Henry Burnett, 30 Jun 1932 Eldorado, Saline IL – 5 Aug 1988 Evansville, Vanderburgh IL. - Died at age 56 in Welborn Baptist Hospital, Evansville IL. Former resident of Henderson KY where he was an innkeeper. Named KY’s Hotel Manager of the Year three times. Survived by sister Mrs. Ken (Nancy) Walters of Chillicothe MO, wife Marilou, daughter & brother Dr. John C. Burnett (Kankakee IL). – His wife was Marilou (Mary Lou) Morris Abney Parker (1924-2009, F: 236570120). Sometimes when her name is handwritten on forms, “Marilou” is indexed as “Marilon.” - Marilou Morris was the daughter of Nelson Marion Morris (F: 179153183) & Winifred Heatherington. She had married Arthur Eugene (“Gene”) Abney (1918-2008, F: 29865486), son of George Abney & Ada Hamilton on 28 Sep 1943 in Norfolk VA. She then married on 15 Apr 1945 in Paducah, McCracken KY to “Lee” Parker [Walter Lee Parker, 1913-1953, F: 187951728) who died in a car accident. He was the son of Lloyd L. Parker (1885-1983, F: 187951541) & Kate (F: 187951574). As Marilou Parker, she married Charles Burnett on 30 Oct 1954 in Paducah, McCracken KY. She was age 30, he age 24. - Buried in Wolf Creek Cemetery, Eldorado, Saline IL. F: 190710520

- Nancy Alice Burnett Russell Walters, 14 Sep 1933 Eldorado, Saline IL – 18 Sep 2003 Chillicothe, Livingston MO.- When her father Guy died in Feb 1953, Nancy was Mrs. George Robert Russell of Eldorado IL. George, 22 May 1928 Eldorado, Saline IL – 23 Jan 2008 FL, is buried in Bay Pines National Cemetery, Bay Pines, Pinellas FL, F: 51063233); he had married Sherry Kane in FL on Nov 1962. - She is buried as Nancy Walters with Kenneth W. Walters (b. 8 May 1940 – death date not yet inscribed on shared tombstone), whom she married 25 Dec 1962 (according to the tombstone). Buried in Edgewood Cemetery, Chillicothe, Livingston MO. F: 169375574

Siblings:

- Grace C. Burnett Cederlof, 4 Mar 1889 Eldorado, Saline IL – 19 Jul 1920 Los Angeles, Los Angeles CA. - Married Ernest Richard Cederlof (1878-1963, F: 8422536) on 4 Oct 1915 in Los Angeles Co. CA. - Buried in Inglewood Park Cemetery, Inglewood, Los Angeles CA. F: 8475876
- Edwin William Burnett, Jr., 9 Nov 1892 Eldorado, Saline IL – 1 Mar 1951 Evansville, Vanderburgh IN (in Welborn Memorial Hospital). - Note he was born after his father's death. - Husband of Hallie Elder (1892-1988, F: 33029312) whom he married 25 May 1916 in Raleigh, Saline IL. - Was co-owner of Town House Café on Rte. 45 near Eldorado IL. Survived by wife Hallie (Elder), & brother Guy Burnett of Eldorado IL. WWI veteran. Buried in Wolf Creek Cemetery, Eldorado, Saline IL. F: 33029351

Notes:

Wartime:

Post-war:

"Harrisburg (IL) Daily Register" 2 Mar 1954 p 1 – the late C.H. Burnett, Eldorado millionaire who died 14 Jan 1954, left the bulk of his estate to his sister, Pet B. Speer, of Eldorado IL in his will filed for probate yesterday. The bond of \$1.84 million is the largest ever filed in the probate court. C.H., who never married, was known as "Colonel" Burnett. His company, C.P. Burnett and Sons Co., of Eldorado owned a variety of stores, a lumberyard & a bank. His residence at 1104 Walnut was also left to his sister Pet Speer. He had willed \$5,000 each to his nephews, Guy Burnett & Edwin Burnett, of Eldorado, but both died between the time the will was written & when it was filed for probate, so these bequests go back into his estate & not to Guy's or Edwin's heirs.

Obituary:

"Harrisburg [IL] Daily Register" 12 Jan 1953 p 1 - Guy W. Burnett, age 62, resident of 2113 Glenwood Ave., Eldorado IL, ill a number of yrs, died at Veterans Hospital in Marion IL. Retired as manager of Burnett's Hardware & Furniture Store (Eldorado), survived by wife Ruth, 2 sons: Lt. John C. Burnett (US Navy, in Adak, Alaska) & Charles H. Burnett (Eldorado IL) & daughter Mrs. George Robert Russell (Eldorado IL), military funeral at Wolf Creek

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Censuses:

1900 East Eldorado, Saline IL – conducted 8 Jun 1900
Nancie Burnett, 33 IL, Aug 1866, parents b. KY, widow
Gracie, 11 IL, Mar 1889, parents b. IL
Guy, 9 IL, Nov 1890, parents b. IL
Edwin, 7 IL, Nov 1892, parents b. IL
No one has an occupation

1910 Emma, White IL – conducted 27 Apr 1910
Guy BARNETT, 19 IL, parents b. IL, single, hired man, farm laborer, in the household of:
Oliver & Anna Huff & their 6 children – Oliver is a farm laborer

1920 Eldorado, Saline IL – 2nd St. – conducted 16 Jan 1920
Guy W. Burnett, 29 IL, parents b. IL, salesman, hardware [likely for his uncle, C.H. Burnett]
Ruth, 20 IL, parents b. IL, bookkeeper, bank

1930 Eldorado, Saline IL – 1905 Glenwood Ave. – conducted 11 Apr 1930
Guy Burnett, 38 IL, parents b. IL, age 28 at 1st marriage, buyer, hardware store [likely for his uncle C.H. Burnett], WWI veteran
Ruth, 30 IL, parents b. IL, age 20 at 1st marriage
John C., 6 IL
Ann, 3 IL

1940 Eldorado, Saline IL – 1809 Glenwood Ave. – same house in 1935 – conducted 9 Apr 1940
Guy Burnett, 49 IL, manager, furniture & hardware store [likely for his uncle C.H. Burnett]
Ruth, 39 IL
John C., 16 IL
Charles, 7 IL
Nancy, 6 IL

1950 Eldorado, Saline IL – conducted 20 Apr 1950
Guy Burnett, 60 IL [occupation left blank]
Ruth, 50 IL, office work, wholesale chickery
Charles H., 17 IL, salesman, retail grocery
Nancy, 15 IL