

TUSCANIA

Cheek, Hamby Joe / Joseph Hamby
1890/1894/1897 TX – 1979 TX



Hamby Joe Cheek – “Daily Oklahoman” (Oklahoma City OK) Sunday 17 Feb 1918 p 17 -
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STATE OF TEXAS *10/01-4 10/01* CERTIFICATE OF DEATH *4409* STATE FILE NO. *43684*

1. PLACE OF DEATH
a. COUNTY **Harris**
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) **Houston**
c. LENGTH OF STAY (If in hospital) **55 years**
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) **3510 Sherman**
HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION **Benner Conv. Center**
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 **Harris**
c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) **Houston**
d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) **157 Woodvale**
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 **Hamby** b. Middle **Cheek** c. Last **Cheek**
4. DATE OF DEATH **June 5, 1979**

5. SEX **Male** 6. COLOR OR RACE **White** 7. Married ☐ Never Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐ 8. DATE OF BIRTH **December 14, 1896** 9. AGE (In years, last birthday) **82** 10. UNDER 1 YEAR: Months **0** Days **0** Hours **0** Minutes **0** 11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) **Texas** 12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? **U.S.A.**

13. FATHER'S NAME **Mark Cheek** 14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME **Mary Goodman**
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (If yes, give war or dates of service) **Yes W.W. I** 16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. **466-05-7874** 17. INFORMANT **Mrs. Edna L. Cheek**

18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).)
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY:
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) **Generalized Arteriosclerosis** years **0**
Conditions, if any, which gave rise to above cause (b), stating the underlying cause last: **xxx** (b) **Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease** years **0**
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? **YES ☐** NO ☒

20. MEDICAL CERTIFICATION
20a. ACCIDENT ☐ 20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of item 18).
20c. TIME OF INJURY **REC'D JUL 5 1979**
20d. INJURY OCCURRED: 20e. HOME, farm, factory, 20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION **Houston** COUNTY **Harris** STATE **Texas**

21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from **April 16, 1979** to **June 5, 1979** and last saw the deceased alive on **May 1, 1979**. Death occurred at **5:30 A.M.** on the date stated above and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.
22a. SIGNATURE **Alma Ramirez-Mendez M.D.** 22b. ADDRESS **5319 Dashwood #9 Bellaire, TX 6-8-79** 22c. DATE SIGNED **6-8-79**

23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (See 23b) **Burial** 23b. DATE **June 7, 1979** 23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY **Houston National Cemetery**
23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) **Houston, Texas** 24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE **Forest Park Funeral Home** 24b. DATE **6-7-79**

25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. **6210** 25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR **JUNE 12, 1979** 25c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE **R. W. Wink**

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APPLICATION FOR VICTORY MEDAL
ENLISTED MEN Camp Travis, Tex.
Cheek, Hamby J. 250490 Pvt. 7th Co. Convalescent Center.
(Surname) (Christian name in full) (Army serial number) (Grade and organization—Instr. 1)

I apply for Victory Medal with appropriate clasps for service in the United States Army in The World War. Major operations participated in (Instruction 2):

CAMBRAI	SOMME OFFENSIVE
SOMME DEFENSIVE	OISE-AISNE
LYS	YPRES-LYS
AINNE	ST. MIHIEL
MONTDIDIER-NOYON	MEUSE-ARGONNE
CHAMPAGNE-MARNE	VITTORIO-VENETO
AINNE-MARNE	

Defensive sector service (Instruction 3): _____
Service abroad not entitling me to battle clasp, in (Instruction 4) _____
2. FRANCE; ITALY; SIBERIA; RUSSIA; ENGLAND
Signature of Applicant (Instr. 6) **Hamby J. Cheek**
Address **General Delivery, Lufkin, Texas.** Date **2/4/21**
3-7740 (Instructions 7 and 9)

U.S. ARMY RECRUITING STATION
778396
To The Adjutant General of the Army (Instr. 1)
Signature _____
To the Depot Officer, G. S. Depot, Phila., Pa. (Instr. 8)
Approved for Victory Medal.
With battle clasps: _____
With clasp... for service not entitling to battle clasp: _____
Signature of Approving Officer **Bertrand Morrow**
Bertrand Morrow (Rank and designation)
*If none, so state.

TX, WWI, application for Victory Medal

CHEEK HAMBY		C 622 942
Pvt 17 Co 20 Engrs		K
Houston Tex		A 2 746 334
Sn 250 490	Died	T 1 026 357
Born 12/14/26		R
Enl 8/5/17	Dis 3/27/19	Ct 1 911 789
		I

U. S. VETERANS BUREAU
MAIL AND RECORDS
Form 7302—Rev. Sept., 1926

INDEX CARD

gfo 2-12000

1 1/2

Cheek, Hamby 250,490 White
(Surname) (Christian name) (Army serial number) (Race: White or colored)

Residence: Lufkin - Angelina TEXAS
(Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

* Enlisted in NG at Lufkin Tex on July 10/17
† Born in Angelina Co Tex 20 8/12 yrs
Organizations: Co M 5 Inf Tex NG to disch ; 17 Co 20 Engrs to disch

Grades: Pvt

Engagements:

Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.

‡ Served overseas Jan 24/18 to Jan 6/19

§ Hon. disch. Mch 27/19 on demobilization

Was reported 0 per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.

Remarks:

Form No. 724-1 1/2, A. G. O. March 12, 1920.
3-7033

* Insert "R. A.", "N. G.", "E. R. C.", "N. A.", as case may be, followed by place and date of enlistment. † Give place of birth and date of birth, or age at enlistment. ‡ Give dates of departure from and arrival in the United States. § Give date.

TX, WWI Military Record

Form 1 <u>693</u> REGISTRATION CARD		No. <u>191</u>
1	Name in full <u>Hamby (Joe) Cheek</u>	Age in years <u>21</u>
2	Home address (No.) <u>Lufkin</u> (City) <u>Texas</u> (State)	
3	Date of birth <u>December 14</u> (Month) <u>1896</u> (Year)	
4	Are you (1) a natural-born citizen, (2) a naturalized citizen, (3) an alien, (4) or have you declared your intention (specify which)? <u>Natural born citizen</u>	
5	Where were you born? <u>Lufkin Texas U.S.A.</u> (Town) (State) (Nation)	
6	If not a citizen, of what country are you a citizen or subject? _____	
7	What is your present trade, occupation, or office? <u>Saw Mill Laborer</u>	
8	By whom employed? <u>Lufkin Lumber Co.</u>	
9	Where employed? <u>Lufkin</u>	
10	Have you a father, mother, wife, child under 12, or relative brother under 12, solely dependent on you for support (specify which)? <u>Mother</u>	
11	Married or single (which)? <u>Single</u> Race (specify which)? <u>Caucasian</u>	
12	What military service have you had? Rank <u>None</u> ; branch <u>None</u>	
13	Do you claim exemption from draft (specify grounds)? <u>No</u>	

I affirm that I have verified above answers and that they are true.

Hamby Cheek (Signature or date)

1034
If wrong in any of these items, take off this card

WWI draft card

Life:

OFFICIAL LIST OF OKLAHOMA MEN ON SHIP	
Washington Bureau of The Oklahoman WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Thirty-five Oklahoma men were on the Tuscania, according to lists of the transport's passengers, made public tonight by the committee on information. Whether any of them was lost is not known. All of the men were in the Engineers' corps of the 100th aero squadron. The list follows:	
A	Frank Ackerson, Ochaltree. Ralph S. Adams, Oilton. Olank Anderson, Vinson. Will E. Armstrong Cement. Arthur F. Austin, Callsby.
B	Jack Brackett, Woodward. Herzschel O. Baird, Wagoner. Silas J. Bumpass, Corrinne. Joe E. Bagby, Chickasha. Louis D. Baker, Okarche.
C	Grover W. Craft, Rufe. Henry Curtwright, Bismark. Ed Cain, Ruth. Hamby Cheek, Miami.
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"Daily Oklahoman" (Oklahoma City OK) Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 1

Oklahomans on Board.
The following were from Oklahoma: Captain Leo P. Lebron, Guthrie; First Lieutenant Ora L. Hempill, Tyrone, route 2; Herschell O. Baird, Wagoner; Silas J. Bumpass, Corinne; Oscar McCollom, Lone Wolf; Grover W. Craft, Bufe; Henry Curtwright, Bismark; Ed Cain, Buth; Hamby Cheek, Miami; Boone Milburn Hammers, Crum Creek;

List continues – "Waco (TX) Times-Herald" Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 3

Oklahomans Rescued.

The following Oklahomans have been reported as safe:

Frank J. Ackerson, Ochelata.
 Ralph S. Adams, Oilton.
 Frank T. Allen, Independence.
 Olank Anderson, Vinson.
 Clarence O. Anderson, Hobart.
 Will E. Armstrong, Cement.
 Arthur F. Austin, Catesby.
 O. C. Atchley, Gould.
 John F. Autrey, Frederick.
 Silas J. Bumpass, Corinne.
 Joe E. Bailey, Chickasha.
 Mack Bailey, New Wilson.
 Louis D. Baker, Okarche.
 Jack Brackett, Woodward.
 W. Allen Parnett, Comanche.
 Charles Bartholomew, Glencoe.
 Elmer Basinger, Tuttle.
 James C. Blackburn, Shawnee.
 Wayne H. Box, Coweta.
 Otta Bussamus, Indianhoma.
 Henry S. Burison, R. R. No. 2, Minco.
 Albert J. Bengel, Frederick.
 Ruel Blagg, Weatherford.
 Alvin Binkley, Ralston.
 Tom Boone, Fairfax.
 Ernest Brown, Thomas.
 Nollis Bunnup, Eagletown.
 Grover W. Craft, Rufe.
 Henry Curtwright, Bismark.
 Ed. Cain, Ruth (may mean Rufe or Roby).
 Hamby Cheek, Miami.
 Ernest Carter, Seminole.
 Raymond L. Carter, Sperry.

"Edmond (OK) Sun" Thursday 14 Feb 1918 p 2

Hamby Cheek of Miami, may be among the dead. Nothing has been heard from him by his brother-in-law, J. M. Hanson, who resides here. It was reported that he was safe, but Mr. Hanson has been unable to verify this statement.

"Tulsa (OK) Tribune" Sunday 17 Feb 1918 p 27

LEGION HOSPITAL NOTES	
J. S. COLLEY, Correspondent	
The following have been discharged since last report: Hiram Savoie, Forrest G. Miller, W. A. B. Cornitius, Leonard G. Matberry, Hamby J. Cheek, Rubin G. Gorman, Oliver Angel, William C. Cargile, Joe W. Davenport, George K. Desha, Robert K. Whitfield.	

"Kerrville (TX) Mountain Sun" Thursday 14 Aug 1930 p 9

Wife Ruby Stanley

Joe Cheek

in the Texas, U.S., Select County Marriage Index, 1837-1965



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Detail	Source
Name	Joe Cheek
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	1919
Marriage Place	Nacogdoches County, Texas, United States
Spouse	Ruby Stanley
FHL Film Number	25315

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Eightieth District Court.

(J. D. Harvey, Judge)

Divorces were granted in the following cases:

Selma Thibodeaux vs. Joseph Thibodeaux.

Short Johnson vs. Sam Johnson.

R. Perkins vs. G. Perkins.

George Roberts vs. Alma Roberts.

Abraham Tolbert vs. Sally Tolbert.

Sarah White vs. Frank White.

Opal Mitchell vs. C. F. Mitchell, maiden name restored.

Elzette Hickman vs. Christopher Hickman.

Etta Smith vs. Frank Smith, maiden name restored.

R. J. Golding vs. Sarah E. Golding.

Francis Bryan vs. I. R. Bryan Jr.

Marguerite Kennedy vs. Orvil B. Kennedy.

Mrs. F. E. Dwinney vs. C. M. Dwinney.

A. Trimble vs. Edward Trimble.

Howard Kensey vs. Gladys Kensey.

Elizabeth McLean vs. G. Milton McLean.

Susie White vs. Edgar White.

Nellie Huie vs. B. Huie.

B. F. Mack vs. Victor Mack, divorce denied.

Gus Peterson vs. Della Peterson, custody of minor child-as per decree.

J. C. Calahan vs. Jennette Callahan.

Ruby Cheek vs. Hamby Cheek.

Elizabeth Jones vs. Arthur Jones.

Mattie Harris vs. Alfred Harris.

Florence Drive vs. Abe Drive.

Angellina McNees vs. Will McNees.

Rose Glass vs. Mayba Glass.

Sarah Rogers vs. Joseph Rogers.

“Houston (TX) Post” Sunday 29 Jul 1923 p 19

Wife Gertrude Alford

Hamby J. Cheek

in the Texas, U.S., Select County Marriage Records, 1837-1965

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Harris

Be the Holy Union of Matrimony

Hamby J. Cheek

Miss Gertrude Alford

Witnesses: [Signatures]

OFFICIAL RETURN

Recorded in the [blank] volume of the [blank] County Marriage Records, at [blank] o'clock [blank] of the month of [blank] 1926.

By [Signature]

Detail

Source

Name	Hamby J. Cheek
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	13 Nov 1926
Marriage Place	Harris, Texas, USA
Spouse	Gertie Alford
Document Number	74252

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HARRIS

To any regularly licensed or Ordained Minister of the gospel, Jewish Rabbi,
Judges of the District and County Courts, and all Justices of the Peace,
GREETING:

Yes, or either of You, are hereby authorized to join

In the Holy Union of Matrimony

Hamby J. Schick
Groom
Miss Gertrude Clifford
Bride

In accordance with the Laws of the State

HEREIN FAIRLY NOT, that you make due return of this, your authority, to my
office in the City of Houston, within sixty days thereafter, certifying in
what capacity you executed the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness Albert Townsend, Clerk of the County
Court in and for said County and State, and official Seal at office in
Houston, this 11 day of Nov A. D. 1926

ALBERT TOWNSEND,
Clerk of the County Court, Texas

By *Alto Hockel* Deputy

OFFICERS' RETURN

Solemnized by the undersigned authority this 11 day of Nov 1926

E. R. Townsend

No. 24252

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1140
STATE OF TEXAS 174-01-2 037-00 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH STATE FILE NO. 29084

1. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) GERTRUDE ALFORD ARNEY		2. SEX FEMALE		3. DATE OF DEATH 3-20-1980	
4. RACE CAUCASIAN		5a. WAS THE DECEDENT OF SPANISH ORIGIN? NO		5b. IF YES, SPECIFY MEXICAN, CUBAN, PUERTO RICAN, ETC. NO	
6. DATE OF BIRTH 1-13-1903		7. AGE (In years last birthday) 77		8. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	
9. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) MARRIED		10. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) LOUISIANA		11. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? U.S.	
12. WAS DECEDENT EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? NO		13. SURVIVING SPOUSE (If wife, give maiden name) ALVIS ARNEY		14. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 422-10-1509-A	
15a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) HOUSEWIFE		15b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY DOMESTIC		16a. RESIDENCE - STATE TEXAS	
16b. COUNTY CHEROKEE		16c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, show rural) (RURAL) WELLS		16d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) BOX 644	
17. FATHER'S NAME J. D. ALFORD		18. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME MARY SIMMONS		19. SIGNATURE OF INFORMANT Alvis Arney	
20. PART I IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), (c)) (a) <i>Bilateral pneumonia</i> (b) <i>Pleural effusion (right)</i> (c) <i>A.S.H.D. & mitral stenosis</i> Interval between onset and death <i>48 hours</i> <i>48 hours</i> <i>48 hours</i>					
21. PART II OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS - CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO CAUSE GIVEN IN PART I (a) <i>Severe Cardiomegaly</i> Interval between onset and death <i>48 hours</i> 11. AUTOPSY? NO					
22a. ACC. SUICIDE, HOMICIDE, OR PENDING INVEST. (Specify)		22b. DATE OF INJURY (Mo., Day, Yr.)		22c. HOUR OF INJURY	
22d. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED		22e. PLACE OF INJURY - At home, farm, street, factory, office building, etc. (Specify)		22f. LOCATION STREET OR R.F.D. NO. CITY OR TOWN STATE	
23a. To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at the time, date, and place and due to the cause(s) stated (Signature and Title) <i>James Allen</i>					
23b. DATE SIGNED (Mo., Day, Yr.) <i>24 Mar 80</i>		23c. HOUR OF DEATH 6:25 A.M.		23d. NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN (Type or print) Dr. James I. Allen	
24a. On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion death occurred at the time, date, and place and due to the cause(s) stated (Signature and Title) TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REC'D MAY 12 1980 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS		24b. PRONOUNCED DEAD (Mo., Day, Year) ON		24c. PRONOUNCED DEAD (Hour) AT	
25a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) BURIAL		25b. DATE 3-21-1980		25c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY GANN CEMETERY	
25d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) LUFKIN, ANGELINA COUNTY, TEXAS		26. SIGNATURE OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR OR PERSON ACTING AS SUCH <i>James P. Hunter, III</i>		27. SIGNATURE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR <i>N. L. Ballo by Deputy</i>	
27a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. 116		27b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR 3-28-80		27c. SIGNATURE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR <i>N. L. Ballo by Deputy</i>	

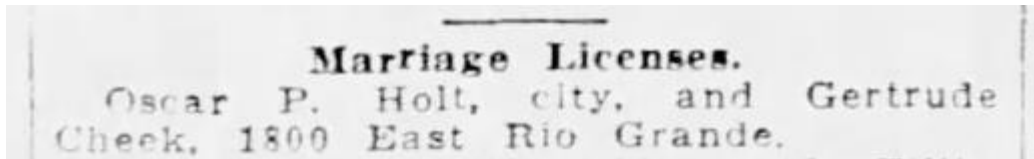
J. D. Alford

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White; born in Louisiana; resident of Rt. 2 Lufkin, TX; date of death: 19 November 1936; date of birth: 18 December 1867; age: 69 yrs; date of funeral: 20 November 1936; services at Gann; clergyman: T. A. Ford & Wright Dunn; religion of deceased: Methodist; place of death: Lufkin, TX; cause of death: heart trouble; certifying physician: Gandy & Birch; address: Lufkin, TX; name of father: Joe Alford; birthplace: Sabine Parish, LA; maiden name of mother: Fannie Cook; interment at Gann Cemetery.

Lufkin Daily News, Sunday, 22 November 1936, page 1
Funeral services were held 2:30 PM at the family residence with Rev. Wright Dunn of Broadus officiating. Survivors include his wife and four sons, Herman, S. E., Willie of Lufkin and J. L. Alford of Tomball; and eight daughters, Mrs. Henry Billingsley, Mrs. M. F. Alexander, Mrs. Kate Collins, Mrs. Della Mott, all of Lufkin, Mrs. Ethel Wilcox and Mrs. A. T. Moses of Houston, Mrs. Nell Brinkley of Bryan, and Mrs. Gertrude Hayes of Ozark, Ala. Pallbearers were C. B. Massingill, Ed Green, C. M. Smith, L. Gilchrest, S. R. Danton, and L. L. Swor.

Find A Grave 46808418 - published in the "Lufkin (TX) Daily News of 22 Nov 1936



Is this her? – “Fort Worth (TX) Record-Telegram” Friday 31 Aug 1928 p 11

Father

By virtue of a decree of the Chancery Court at Columbia, Tenn., rendered at its April Term, 1875, in the case of Asa Hardison, administrator, &c., vs. Wm. Holcomb, et al., I will sell to the highest bidder at the court-house door in the town of Columbia Tenn., on Saturday the 2d day of October, 1875, the following described tract or parcel of land lying in Maury county, civil district No. — bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the west by Jerry Cheek, south by Henry T. Osborne, east by Ben Crawford, and west by the lands of Thomas Amls, containing 90 acres more or less. Said land will be sold on a credit of one and two years, except the sum of \$200 to be paid in cash, notes with good security with interest, and lien retained for payment of the purchase money,
Aug. 27, '75-4w D. B. COOPER, C. & M.

Is this him? - “Columbia (TN) Herald & Mail” Friday 10 Sep 1875 p 6

Jerimiah Cheek
in the Tennessee, U.S., Marriage Records, 1780-2002



Detail	Source
Name	Jerimiah Cheek [Jeremiah]
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	11 Mar 1852
Marriage Place	Marshall, Tennessee, USA
Spouse	Nancy M J Rainey

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Where Stillborn given as cause of death, file birth Certificate. Every item of information should be given in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Ellis

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Reg. Dis. No. 22449 V. S.
Registered No. D

City Itasca, Tex. R.F.D. (No. St. Ward)

2 FULL NAME Stephen Eli Cheek (a) RESIDENCE NO. St.
(If nonresident give city or town and State)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH August 18 1847
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 71 yrs. 10 mos. 9 ds.
If less than 2 years state if breast fed If less than 1 day
Yes No hrs. mins.

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Farmer
(b) General nature of industry, business or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) North Carolina Tenn

PARENTS

10 NAME OF FATHER erry Cheek

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) North Carolina

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Jane Rainey

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) North Carolina

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE

(Informant) Mrs. W.B. Whitson
(Address) Itasca, Texas

15 AUG 19 1925 R. L. Hill
Filed Registrar

MEDICAL PARTICULARS

16 DATE OF DEATH June 27 1925
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 1925 to 1925
that I last saw him alive on 1925
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
apoplexy
(duration) yrs. mos. 3024

Contributory (Secondary)
(duration) yrs. mos. ds.

18 Where was disease contracted
if not at place of death?

Did an operation precede death? Date of

Was there an autopsy?

What test confirmed diagnosis?
(Signed) as at pen M. D.
June 27 1925 (Address)

*State the Disease Causing Death, or in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means and Nature of Injury, and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Files Valley, Texas DATE OF BURIAL 6/28/25 1925

20 UNDERTAKER Brown Hallman Reas ADDRESS Itasca, Tex

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Jerome Cheek

in the U.S., Civil War Draft Registrations Records, 1863-1865



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Detail	Source
Name	Jerome Cheek
Marital Status	Unmarried (Single)
Race	White
Age	40
Birth Year	abt 1823
Birth Place	Tennessee
Residence Date	1 Jul 1863
Residence Place	Perry, Pike, Illinois, USA
Congressional District	9th
Class	1
Series Number	Nm-65, Entry 172
Description	Class 1, A-K, Volume 1 of 7

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J M Cheek

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



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Detail	Source
Name	J M Cheek
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	5 Nov 1884
Marriage Place	Van Zandt, Texas, USA
Spouse	Mary Moton
Film Number	001578918

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Mother:

1. PLACE OF DEATH
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Harris
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. Houston
2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED Mary Cheek
LENGTH OF RESIDENCE WHERE DEATH OCCURRED 22 YEARS MONTHS DAYS (SOCIAL SECURITY NO. None)
RESIDENCE OF THE DECEASED AND NO. 918 Richmond CITY Houston COUNTY Harris STATE Texas
GIVE STREET AND NUMBER OR NAME OF INSTITUTION 918 Richmond 13480

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

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS
3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE White
5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (WRITE THE WORD) Widowed
6. DATE OF BIRTH About 1871
7. AGE Abt 73 YEARS MONTHS DAYS IF LESS THAN 1 DAY
8A. TRADE, PROFESSION OR KIND OF WORK DONE House
8B. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH ENGAGED
9. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Missouri
10. NAME Dk
11. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Dk
12. MAIDEN NAME Dk
13. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Dk
14. SIGNATURE Bramby Cheek
ADDRESS Houston, Texas. TEXAS

MEDICAL PARTICULARS
17. DATE OF DEATH March 4, 1944 194
18. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM March 3 194
I LAST SAW H. March 3 ALIVE OF March 3 194
THE DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE AT March 3 N.
THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF DEATH WAS:
Pulmonary Edema
CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES WERE
Heart & Kidneys
IF NOT DUE TO DISEASE, SPECIFY WHETHER:
ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE
DATE OF OCCURRENCE
PLACE OF OCCURRENCE

15. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Forest Park Cemetery TEXAS
DATE March 5, 1944 194
16. SIGNATURE Clifford L. Housh
ADDRESS Houston Funeral Home. TEXAS
20. FILE NUMBER (15) 313 FILE DATE MAR - 9 1944 SIGNATURE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR H. J. Albright POST OFFICE ADDRESS HOUSTON TEXAS

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Dear Mother / Mary Cheek - Find A Grave 259159274

Siblings:

B F Cheek

in the Texas, U.S., Select County Marriage Index, 1837-1965

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Detail	Source
Name	B F Cheek
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	25 Jul 1909
Marriage Place	Angelina, Texas, United States
Spouse	Fannie Thorn
FHL Film Number	1035041

brother Benjamin Franklin Cheek (1887 -)- <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/410786:60183?tid=&pid=&queryid=342b8f8f-bd5e-470d-9afd-c154524deb4b&phsrc=cPx24578&phstart=successSource>

187-0-0-1 187-0-0 TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH 4200 25
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STATE OF TEXAS CERTIFICATE OF DEATH STATE FILE NO. 57085

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY Polk		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institution, residence before admission). a. STATE Texas b. COUNTY Polk	
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) Carmona		c. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) Carmona	
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION Home		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) Carmona, Texas	
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or Print) a. (First) Fannie b. (Middle) Elfie c. (Last) Jones		4. DATE OF DEATH Oct. 12th 1957	
5. SEX Female	6. COLOR OR RACE White	7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) Married	8. DATE OF BIRTH January 5th 1883
9. AGE 74		10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of preceding life, even if retired) Housewife	11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Helmie, Texas
12. FATHER'S NAME Perry Thorne		13. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Ann Richardson	14. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give year or dates of service)
15. SOCIAL SECURITY NO.		16. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE <i>Max Wilson Jones</i>	
17. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c)) I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) Bronchial Pneumonia ANTECEDENT CAUSES Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) Chronic heart failure DUE TO (c) arteriosclerotic heart disease II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or conditions causing death. Chronic Tuberculosis		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH 3 days 3 weeks years 18 mos.	
18a. DATE OF OPERATION		18b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION	
19a. ACCIDENT (Specify) SUICIDE HOMICIDE		19b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office, etc.)	
19c. CITY, TOWN, OR PRECINCT		19d. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?	
20a. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour) (Minute)		20b. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐	
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from 2-7-56 , to Oct 12-57 , that I last saw the deceased alive on Oct 10, 1957 , and that death occurred at 4:20 P.M. , from the causes and on the date stated above.			
22a. SIGNATURE <i>John E. Steep M.D.</i>		22b. ADDRESS Box 56, Houston, Texas	
22c. DATE SIGNED 10-17-57		23a. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Bennett cemetery	
23b. DATE Oct. 13th 1957		23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Bennett cemetery	
23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) Trinity County Texas		24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <i>J. E. Biscary</i>	
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. 155		25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR 10-24-57	
25c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <i>H. L. Turner R.R.</i>			

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M D Cheek

in the Texas, U.S., Select County Marriage Index, 1837-1965



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Detail Source

Name	M D Cheek
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	26 Feb 1910
Marriage Place	Angelina, Texas, United States
Spouse	Carrie Vester
FHL Film Number	1035041

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Mark Cheek

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



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Detail Source

Name	Mark Cheek
Social Security Number	449-09-0897
Birth Date	7 Jul 1889
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	Texas
Last Residence	77327, Cleveland, Liberty, Texas, USA
Death Date	Jan 1978

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STATE OF TEXAS 015-01-2 015-01 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 4/23/32 STATE FILE NO. 71990

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY Bexar		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution, residence before admission) a. STATE Texas b. COUNTY Bexar	
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) San Antonio		c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) San Antonio	
c. LENGTH OF STAY in 1 b. 32 yrs		d. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) 256 Lorenz Rd.	
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION St. Benedict's Hospital		e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐	
f. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐		g. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES ☐ NO ☒	
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) a. First NANNIE b. Middle MAY c. Last HANSEN		4. DATE OF DEATH October 9, 1974	
5. SEX Female	6. COLOR OR RACE White	7. Marital Status Married ☒ Never Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐	8. DATE OF BIRTH July 10, 1900
9. AGE (in years last birthday) 74		10. IF UNDER 1 YEAR: Months 11 Days 18 Hours 15 Minutes 00	
11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Texas		12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA	
13. FATHER'S NAME (UNKNOWN) Cheek		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Mary Elizabeth Robinson	
15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) no (If yes, give war or dates of service)		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 467-09-3963 B	
17. INFORMANT Henry N. Hansen		18. DEATH CERTIFICATE OF HEALTH IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Pulmonary Edema which gave rise to above cause (a) acute left ventricular failure DUE TO (b) arteriosclerotic heart disease DUE TO (c) hypertensive atherosclerosis - Generalized arteriosclerosis	
19. PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (a) hypertensive atherosclerosis - Generalized arteriosclerosis		20. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter name of injury in Part I or Part II of item 18.)	
21. TIME OF INJURY Hour 2:30 a.m. PM Month 10 Day 9 Year 1974		22. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office building, etc.)	
23. INJURY OCCURRED While at work ☐ Not while at work ☐		24. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION San Antonio	
25. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from June 10, 1963 to Oct 9, 1974 and last saw the deceased alive on Oct 9, 1974 . Death occurred at 2:30 A.M. on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.		26. ADDRESS 1028 S. Alamo St, San Antonio, Tex 78204	
27. SIGNATURE Robert M.D.		28. DATE SIGNED 10/11/74	
29. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) Burial		30. DATE October 11, 1974	
31. LOCATION (City, town, or county) San Antonio		32. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Sunset Memorial Park	
33. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. 5496		34. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE 3459 Sunset Funeral Chapels by John Pope	
35. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR OCT 11 1974		36. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE R. M. Wainwright	

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Sister Nannie Mae Cheek Hansen (1900-1974) -

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Detail	Source
Name	Nannie Cheek
Gender	Female
Age	19
Birth Date	abt 1898
Marriage Date	14 Jun 1917
Marriage Place	Carter, Oklahoma, USA
Spouse	H N Henson
Film Number	001313677

APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE
IN COUNTY COURT.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
County of H. H. Henson

I, H. H. Henson,
whose residence is Okla City,
do hereby certify that I have personal knowledge of the facts herein stated; that the names, ages and places of residence of said parties are truly and correctly set out above; that neither of said parties are disqualified or ineligible under the laws of marriage; that the marriage of said parties is lawful and proper under the laws of Oklahoma; and that I am
State of Okla
County of Okla

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15 day of June, 1912.
By R. B. Holloman Deputy.

I, the undersigned,
do hereby certify to
that in the above application nothing of the age of
Dated at Okla City, Okla this 15 day of June, 1912.
Parent or Guardian

STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
County of H. H. Henson BEFORE ME,
I, the undersigned, do hereby certify to
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Dated at Okla City, Okla this 15 day of June, 1912.
Parent or Guardian

MARRIAGE LICENSE
IN COUNTY COURT.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
County of H. H. Henson

To any Person Authorized to Perform and solemnize the Marriage Ceremony.—GREETING:

You are hereby authorized to join in marriage:
of Okla City County of H. H. Henson State of Okla
aged 24 years, and Martha E. Henson County of Maricopa State of Arizona
aged 24 years, and of this License you will continue to have full effect from this date.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, at Okla City, Okla this 15 day of June, 1912.
By R. B. Holloman Deputy.

Recorded this 15 day of June, 1912.
R. B. Holloman

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
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STATE OF TEX. 015-01-2 015-01 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 4107 STATE FILE NO. 58467

1. PLACE OF BIRTH a. COUNTY Bexar		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institution, residence before admission) a. STATE Texas b. COUNTY Bexar	
3. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) San Antonio		c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) San Antonio	
4. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION St. Benedict's Hospital		4. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) 455 Rexford Dr.	
5. IS PLACE OF DEATH IN-SIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐		6. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐	
7. NAME OF DECEASED (a) First HENRY (b) Middle WELLS (c) Last HANSEN		DATE OF DEATH August 5, 1978	
8. SEX Male	9. COLOR OR RACE White	10. DATE OF BIRTH February 20, 1893	11. AGE (In years, last birthday) 85
12. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, never of record) Cost Estimator		13. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Construction Co.	
14. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Minnesota		15. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA	
16. FATHER'S NAME Hans John Hansen		17. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Sine Marie Hassmussen	
18. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMY OR NAVY (If yes, no. or unknown) (If yes, give year or years) NO		19. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 467-09-3963 A	
20. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), (c).) PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: NAME OF CAUSE (a) Pulmonary Edema CONDITIONS, if any, which gave rise to above cause (b) acute ventricular failure DEFINING THE UNDERLYING CAUSE (c) arteriosclerotic heart disease		21. DEATH CERTIFICATE NO. 6496	
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (a) Myocardial Infarction due to acute coronary occlusion			
22. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II from 18.) Myocardial Infarction due to acute coronary occlusion			
23. TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REC'D AUG 23 1978 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS			
24. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION San Antonio		25. COUNTY Bexar	
26. STATE Texas		27. DATE August 8, 1978	
28. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Sunset Memorial Park		29. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE John R. Rose	
30. REGISTRY FILE NO. 4547		31. DATE REC'D 724 - 2008	

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Henry Nels Hansen

in the Minnesota, U.S., Births and Christenings Index, 1840-1980



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Detail	Source
Name	Henry Nels Hansen
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	20 Feb 1893
Birth Place	Windom, Cottonwood, Minnesota
Father	Hans J. Hansen
Mother	Sina M. Hansen
FHL Film Number	1428608

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/669623:2550>

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Hamby Joe Cheek

Name variations: Joseph H. Cheek – Joseph Hamby Cheek – Hanby Cheek

Military:

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

Serial number: 250,490

Entered service from: Miami, Ottawa OK

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: Hamby Cheek

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: brother-in-law H.N. Hansen, Miami OK

Returned from war on: “Pastores” Jan 1919 – “sick & wounded in hospital” – from Base Hospital No. 6

Sailed on return ship as: Hanby [sic] J. Cheek

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother Mrs. M.E. Cheek, Lufkin TX (private, 17th Co., 20th Engineers)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Hamby (Joe) Cheek - b. 14 Dec 1896 Lufkin TX; res: Lufkin TX. Single. Dependent mother. Saw mill laborer, Lufkin Land & Lbr. Co. Did not claim exemption from the draft. On the 2nd page (note from registrar): “mother is not dependent” – medium height & build.

World War II draft registration (1942): as Hamby Joe Cheek - b. 14 Dec 1897 Lufkin TX; res: 406 Travis St., Houston, Harris TX - "unemployed - disabled war veteran" Next-of-kin: Mr. H.N. Hansen, Harlingen TX [his sister Nannie's husband; the same contact on the Tuscania passenger roster]. Height: 5'7", 128 lbs. Conducted 27 Apr 1942.

Veterans Administration Military Index: as Hamby Cheek
 Enlisted 5 Aug 1917
 Discharged 27 Mar 1919
 Address: Houston TX
 Rank/unit: private, 17th Co., 20th Engineers

TX, WWI Record: Hamby Cheek, serial 250490. Enlisted in National Guard 10 Jul 1917 at age 20 years, 8 months. Born Angelina Co. TX. Co. M, 5th Infantry TX National Guard to ---; 17th Co., 20th Engineers to discharge. Private. Served 24 Jan 1918 to 6 Jan 1919. Discharged 27 Mar 1919. 0% disabled.

TX, WWI Record, Application for Victory Medal – Cheek, Hamby J. - serial 250490. Pvt., 7th Co., Camp Travis Convalescent Center. Address: General Delivery, Lufkin TX.

Birth & death:

Born: 14 Dec 1896 (WWI draft, TX death record & Find A Grave) - or - 14 Dec 1894 (TX military records) - or - 14 Dec 1897 (WW II draft) - Lufkin, Angelina TX
 Died: 5 Jun 1979 Houston, Harris TX (Benner Convalescent Center)
 Find A Grave record: 97815924, presence on Tuscania noted in flower
 Burial location: Houston, Harris TX
 Cemetery: East Hillside
 Tombstone: veteran flat: Pvt US Army WWI

Father: Jerry M. Cheek, also found as Jery M. Cheek and Mark Cheek (on Hamby's TX death certificate – may have been Jerry Mark Cheek).

Either born TN (ca. 1838 in 1910 census) or MS (May 1834, in 1900 census). First name may be Jeremiah or Jerimiah. –

There are numerous J.M. Cheek records, for men born in either MS or TN, and if the 1910 census accurately lists him as in his 4th marriage, a long trail of records (or non-existent records). –

He may have been a soldier in the Confederate Army, as some men named J.M. Cheek were; he would have been the right age to serve. –

Appears on tax rolls of Angelina Co. TX in 1882, 1883, 1885, 1889, 1890.

In the 1850 census for District 25, Maury Co. TN, Jeremiah Cheek, 36 TN, farmer lives with Polly Cheek (74 NC, head of household) & woman (presumably his sisters) Mary (32 NC) & Elizabeth (24 N) who also live with Jeremiah & wife Nancy in Hickman Co. TN in 1860, apparently unmarried.

A Jeremiah Cheek married 11 Mar 1852 to Nancy M.J. Rainey. Jeremiah & Nancy M.J. Rainey live in District 14, Hickman Co. TN in the 1860 census.

His wife moved to Houston TX ca. 1922.

Find A Grave:

Mother: Mary Elizabeth Goodman? Goodwin? Robinson? Cheek. Listed as Mary Goodman on his TX death certificate; also found as Goodwin. - Mrs. M.E. Cheek is Hamby's next-of-kin when returning from war. Also found as the mother on his siblings' death certificates. Born May 1874 TN (1900 census) or ca. 1872 MO (1910 census) or ca. 1871 (TX death certificate) – died 4 Mar 1944 Houston, Harris TX. - In 1940 census, widowed, living with Hamby in Houston TX. - TX death certificate: Mary Cheek, b. ca. 1871 in MO, died at circa 73 years, on 4 Mar 1944 in Houston, Harris TX. Resident of 918 Richmond, Houston TX. Resident of Houston 22 years. Widow. Parents' names & birthplaces not known. Informant: Bramby [Hamby?] Cheek of Houston. Died of pulmonary edema. Buried in Forest Park Cemetery [Houston, Harris TX] on 5 Mar 1944 according to TX death record.

Buried in Forest Park Lawndale Cemetery, Houston, Harris TX.

Find A Grave: 259159274

Parents' marriage: ca. 1885 (married 15 years in 1900 census & 24 years in 1910 census). A man named J.M. Cheek married Mary Moton on 5 Nov 1884 in Van Zandt Co. TX

Spouse: Ruby Stanley Cheek.

Marriage: 1919 in Nacogdoches Co. TX.

There are numerous "Ruby Stanley" records in online genealogies. A Ruby Stanley did marry Leon Fisher on 31 Jul 1919 in Harris Co. TX.

Divorce: filed by Ruby Cheek vs. Hamby J. Cheek in Jul 1923 in Houston, Harris TX.

Spouse: Gertrude (Gertie/Gerthie) Alford/Allford Cheek Hayes Arney, 13 Jan 1903 LA – 20 Mar 1980 Nacogdoches, Nacogdoches TX.

Appears to be the Gertie A. Alford [different spelling], b. 1904 LA, living with her parents Mr. Dora U. Alford (52 LA) & Mary M. Alford [48 LA] in 1920 in Justice Precinct 2, Angelina Co. TX. Her father is Julius Isadore Alford; her mother Mary Simmons.

When her father (F: 46808418) dies in 1936, she is listed in his obituary as Mrs. Gertrude Hayes of Ozark AL.

At the time of her death, Gertie is married to Alvis William Arney (1918-2003, F: 98141383). Alvis Arney's obituary in the "Tyler (TX) Courier-Times" of 20 Apr 2003 p 14 lists his deceased wife as Gertrude Allman Arney.

There are numerous marriage records for Gertie/Gerthie/Gertrude Alford.

Buried in Gann Cemetery, Pollok, Angelina TX.

Spouse Find A Grave: 98141391

Marriage: 13 Nov 1926 Hamby J. Cheek to Miss Gertie Allford, in Harris Co. TX – cannot locate 1930 census – divorced by 1940 census.

Children:

Siblings:

- Benjamin Franklin/Frank Cheek, Jul 1887 TX (1900 census) - . In the 1910 census, Benjamin F. Cheek, age 24, b. TX, father b. MS, mother b. MO, living in Justice Precinct 5, Angelina Co. TX with wife Fannie E. (age 27 TX, father b. MS, mother b. MO). - Married Fannie E. Thorn (Thorne) on 25 Jul 1909 in Angelina Co. TX. They were both in their first marriage, married 1 year. – Frances Elpha (Fannie) Thorne, 5 Jan 1883 Helmic, Trinity TX – 12 Oct 1957 Carmona, Polk TX, was the daughter of Perry Wayne Wesley Thorne & Martha Ann Richardson. She married James J. Jones (1886-1965, F: 196709486) by the time of the 1920 census for Trinity Co. TX (conducted 8/9 Jan 1920). Frances Jones is buried in Bennett Cemetery, Apple Springs, Trinity TX, F: 196709582. Her Find A Grave record notes her marriage to Ben F. Cheek. So either Ben died between the 1910 and 1920 censuses or Ben & Fannie divorced. A Benjamin B.J. Cheek, birth & death dates unknown, is buried in Odd Fellows Cemetery, San Antonio, Bexar TX, F: 85780678, in “Strangers Row.”
- Marcus Delafote/Dilafote (Mark) D. Cheek, 6 Jun 1899 Lufkin, Angelina TX (WWI draft) or 7 Jul 1889 Lufkin, Angelina TX (WWII draft) or Aug 1890 TX (1900 census) – 24 Jan 1978 Cleveland, Liberty TX. – On his TX death record, Mark’s father is listed as Andrew Cheek & his mother as Mary Elizabeth Robinson. - Mark married Carrie Vestal (listed as indexed version of Vester on record) on 26 Feb 1910 in Angelina Co. TX. Carrie, the daughter of Selman Balch Vestal & Dollie Ann Moore, was born 11 Aug 1895 & died 10 Mar 1984, F: 29652280. - In 1910 census, Mart [sic] D. Cheek (20 TX, father b. TN, mother b. MO) was living with wife Cairy Cheek (14 TX) in Justice Precinct 5, Angelina Co. TX. – When he registered for the WWI draft on 5 Jun 1917, Marcus’s middle name was recorded as Delafote, with an alternative spelling of Dilafote. He was a sawmill laborer for William Cameron & Co., Saron TX & had a wife & 2 children. He claimed exemption from the draft due to his dependents. – When he registered for the WWII draft on 27 Apr 1942, his name was listed as M.D. Cheek, b. 7 Jul 1889. He worked for B.L. Ziegler Lumber Company in the Cotton Belt. He had “Six scars across right forearm.” - Mark D. Cheek is buried in Cleveland Memorial Cemetery, Cleveland, Liberty TX. TX. F: 29652333
- Margie A./Mogie A. Cheek, Sep 1897 TX (1900 census) -
- Nannie Mae Cheek Hansen, 10 Jul 1900 TX – 9 Oct 1974 San Antonio, Bexar TX. Listed as Nina M. Cheek in the 1900 census, b. Jul 1900 & as Mannie L. Cheek, age 10, in the 1910 census. - Mrs. H.N. Hansen [Henry N. Hansen] is named as Hamby’s next-of-kin when he sails on Tuscania. – Married in Ardmore, Carter OK on 14 Jun 1917 to Henry Nels Hansen (20 Feb 1892 Windom, Cottonwood MN – 5 Aug 1978 San Antonio, Bexar TX), the son of Hans John Hansen & Sina Marie Rassmussen. – At the time of their marriage, Henry was a resident of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Co. OK & Nannie Cheek was a resident of Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. - In the 1930 census for Harlingen, Cameron TX, Harry N. Hansen, 36 MN, parents b. Denmark, age 24 at 1st marriage, was a building contractor. In his household were wife Nannie M. (29 TX, father b. TN, mother b. MO) & daughter Bonnie M. (9 LA). - TX death certificate: Died at St. Benedict’s Hospital. Father’s 1st name not listed; surname Cheek. Mother: Mary Elizabeth Robinson. SSN 467-09-3963. Informant: Henry N.

Hansen. Died of pulmonary edema. Buried in Sunset Memorial Park, San Antonio, Bexar TX on 11 Oct 1974.

Notes:

Wartime:

"Tulsa (OK) Democrat" 16 Feb 1918 p 1 – Hamby Cheek of Miami OH may be dead. Nothing has been heard by his brother-in-law J.M. Hanson who lives here. Hamby was reported safe but Hanson has not been able to verify this.

"Daily Oklahoman" (Oklahoma City OK) 17 Feb 1918 p 17 - photo

Post-war:

"Kerrville (TX) Mountain Sun" 14 Aug 1930 p 4 – under "Legion Hospital Notes": discharged, last report, Hamby J. Cheek

Obituary:

TX death certificate: Hamby Cheek, d. 5 Jun 1979 Benner Convalescent Center, 3510 Sherman, Houston, Harris TX at age 82. Divorced. Born 14 Dec 1896 TX. Self-employed, jeweler. Father: Mark Cheek. Mother: Mary Goodman. WWI veteran. SSN 466-05-7874. Informant: Mrs. Edna Bu—ica. Cause of death: generalized arteriosclerosis (had condition for years) & chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (had for years). Buried in Houston National Cemetery 7 Jun 1979.

Social Security Number: 466-05-7874

Censuses:

Is this Hamby's father?

1860 District 14, Hickman TN
Jerimiah Cheek, 35 TN, farmer
Nancy M.J. Cheek, 24 TN
Eli J., 7 TN
Mary M., 3 TN
Franklin, 6 months TN
Mary, 49 NC
Elizabeth, 38 TN

1900 Justice Precinct 8, Angelina Co. TX (conducted 6 Jun 1900)

Jery M. Cheek, 66 MS, May 1834, parents b. MS, married 15 years, farmer
May (or Mary) J., 26 TN, May 1874, parents b. TN, gave birth to 6 children, 5 are living

Benjiman, 12 TX, Jul 1887

Marcus D., 5 TX, Aug 1890

Joseph B., 4 TX, Jun 1895 [this must be Hamby, whose birth month is actually Dec]

Margia A., 3 TX, Sep 1897

Nina M., 9 months, Jul 1900

1910 Justice Precinct 5, Angelina Co. TX

Jerry M. Cheek, 72 TN, parents b. NC, in 4th marriage, married 24 years

Mary K., 38 MO, parents b. TN, in 1st marriage, gave birth to 6 children, 5 are living

Joseph H., 15 TX [i.e. Hamby]

Mogie A., 13 TX

Mannie L., 10 X

No one lists an occupation

The next entry on the page is Hamby's brother:

Mart D. Cheek, 20 TX, in 1st marriage, married 1 years, foreman, lumber mill

Cairy, 14 TX, in 1st marriage, gave birth to zero children

1920 cannot locate

1930 cannot locate

1940 Houston, Harris TX – 1809 Lewis St. – all residents were in the same house in 1935

Rosa Barreta, 34 TX, widow

Gilbert Barreta, 16 TX [Rosa's son]

Melba L. Lopez, 10 TX [Rosa's granddaughter]

Mary Cheek, 60 MO, widow [lodger – Hamby's mother]

Hamby Cheek, 42 TX, divorced, attendant for operating room, government hospital

1950 Houston, Harris TX – 1116 Welch – record is separate & does not appear with other residents of 116 Welch

Hamby Cheek, 51 TX, widow, lodger