

TUSCANIA

Clabby, William John 1888 NY – 1955 CA

Clabby, William J.		250,126	white	1½
(Surname)	(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	(Race: White or colored)	
Residence:	10 Hicks St	Flushing	NEW YORK	
	(Street and house number)	(Town or city)	(County)	(State)
* Enlisted in	RA Mineola L I N Y Dec 11/17			
† Born in	New York N Y 25 3/12 yrs			
Organizations:	213 Aer Sq July 13/18; 644 Aer Sq to Aug 17/18; 641 Aer Sq to disch			
Grades:	Pvt 1 cl Jan 5/18; Cfr Sept 1/18; 1 Sgt Jan 30/19-			
Engagements:	-			
Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.				
‡ Served overseas:	Jan 24/18 to May 26/19			
§ Hon. disch.	June 4/19 on demobilization			
Was reported	0 per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.			
Remarks:	-			
Form No. 724-1½, A. G. O. *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. March 12, 1920. ‡Give dates of departure from and arrival in the United States. §Give date.				

NY, WWI Army card - <https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/3030/records/325633>

CLABBY WILLIAM JOHN		12255 Smith X c8283470	
Pt Hob Cas Co 583		K	
153 Noe St San Fran Cal		A 1 464 298	
Sn 250 126	Died 11-15-55	T 4 167 243	
Born 8/4/92		R	
Enl 12/11/17	Dis 6/4/19	Ct 609 720	
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Veterans Administration Master Index –

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New York, New York, Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909

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Name	Elizabeth Clobby
Maiden Name	Boland
Gender	Female
Residence Age	29
Birth Place	Ireland
Residence Address	942
Number of Children Born	4
Number of Children Living	3
Certificate Number	21753
Spouse	John Clobby
Child	William Clobby

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/656174852/facts>

William John Clabby
in the California, U.S., Death Index, 1940-1997



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Detail	Source
Name	William John Clabby
Social Security #	551078144
Gender	Male
Birth Date	3 Aug 1888
Birth Place	New York
Death Date	15 Nov 1955
Death Place	Los Angeles
Mother's Maiden Name	Bowling
Father's Surname	Clabby

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Clabby Wm J (Estelle) slsmn h433 Vista

William J Clabby

in the U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995



Detail	Source
Name	William J Clabby
Gender	Male
Residence Year	1948
Street Address	433 Vista
Residence Place	Temple City, Los Angeles, California, USA
Occupation	Salesman
Spouse	Estelle Clabby
Publication Title	Temple City, California, City Directory, 1948

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<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/2469/records/1438919589>

William Clobby

in the New York, New York, U.S., Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909



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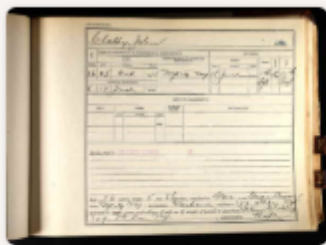
Detail Source

Name	William Clobby
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	3 Aug 1888
Birth Place	Manhattan, New York City, New York, New York, USA
Residence Address	10th Avenue 942
Certificate Number	21753
Father	John Clobby
Mother	Elizabeth Clobby
Mother Maiden Name	Boland

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61779/records/438902>

John Clabby

in the New York, U.S., Mexican Punitive Campaign Muster Rolls for National Guard, 1916-1917



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Detail Source

Name	John Clabby
Age	28
Birth Year	abt 1889
Birth Place	New York City, New York
Enlistment Date	28 Jun 1916
Federal Activation Date	25 Oct 1915
Rank	Sergeant
Company	H
Regiment	12th Infantry

6-22-16-15,000 (40-18447)

Clabby, John 236

AGE	DATE OF COMMISSION OR ENLISTMENT IN STATE SERVICE				HOME STATION OR COMPANY RENDEZVOUS	MUSTERED			GRADE	COMPY	REG'T
	YEAR	DAY	MONTH	YEAR		DAY	MONTH	YEAR			
26	25	Oct.	1915		<i>Wapcity, N.Y.</i>	28	June	1916	<i>1st Lt.</i>	<i>N.</i>	<i>12th</i>
DATE OF APPEARING											
	19	June	1916								

LEFT THE ORGANIZATION

HOW	WHEN			IN WHAT GRADE	EXPLANATION
	DAY	MONTH	YEAR		
			191		

REMARKS: ENLISTMENT EXPIRES 19

Age 26 years; height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches; complexion *fair*; eyes *Grey*; hair *Brown*
 born *Wapcity, N.Y.*; occupation *Mechanic*; residence *209 9th Ave., N.Y.*
 married or single; name and address of wife or (if single) of parent or guardian *Helen Clabby*
209-9th Ave., N.Y.; relationship *Wife*

William J Clabby

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



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Detail	Source
Name	William J Clabby
Birth Date	3 Aug 1888
Claim Date	16 Feb 1954
SSN	551078144
Notes	27 Dec 1978: Name listed as WILLIAM J CLABBY

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60901/records/7787568>

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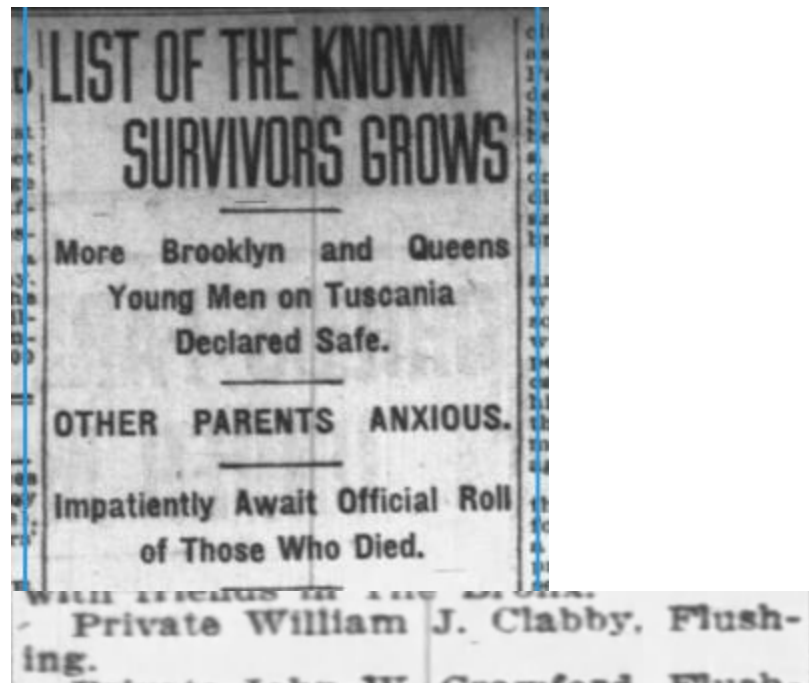
Life:

There were nine Flushing young men who are known to have been on the *Tuscania*. They are Anthony Albarno, 12 Willow Street; John J. Trapp, 197 Amity Street; Lester J. McKenna, 3 Taylor Avenue; David M. Lowry, 49 Linden Avenue; William J. Clabby, 10 Hicks Place; Edward J. Duffy, 81 Linden Avenue; Joseph Crawford, 4 Covert Place; Lawrence Doyle, 64 State Street, and J. Lawrence Smith, 181 Washington Street. It is also believed that Richard F. Outcault, Jr., a son of the cartoonist, was on board. He was the original of his father's "Buster Brown" pictures and a member of the 213th Aero Squadron.

The New York Times
Fri, Feb 08, 1918 - Page 3

The Brooklyn and Long Island men who sailed on the *Tuscania* follow:
R. Rosenberg, 125 Madison street.
WILLIAM J. CLABBY, private;
mother, Mrs. John Claby, 10 Hicks street, Flushing.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
Fri, Feb 08, 1918 - Page 14



Times Union
Sat, Feb 09, 1918 - Page 2

Brooklyn NY

Many New York Fliers Aboard the Tuscania

Many sons of New York and its vicinity were among the contingent of United States troops aboard the torpedoed Tuscania.

Late advices give no intimation of what the fate of the majority may have been, but five have been heard from as safe. They are William Mackintosh, of Sutton Manor, N. Y.; E. Wynne Abel, of Port Chester, N. Y.; Douglas East, of Mineola, Long Island, and E. C. Dubuque and Sergeant Muller, of Brooklyn.

When the father of George Ludlam, of Oyster Bay, one of the soldiers aboard, failed last night after a day of anxiety to hear of his son he said:

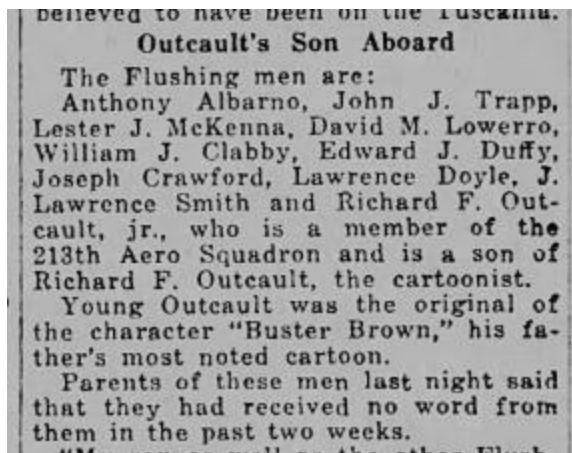
"It's a damned shame! If George had had a chance to fight he would have fought, but they killed him like a rat."

It was of the 213th Aero Squadron that most of the New Yorkers aboard the Tuscania were members. A few are listed in War Department records as enlisted men in the 20th Engineers, but it is not yet known whether they were in the companies of that contingent which sailed on the ill fated transport.

transport.

In Long Island the anxiety over the safety of the soldiers was greatest, for several towns near the Mineola training station are represented on the roster of the 213th Squadron.

Flushing alone gave ten young men to this branch of the service. All are believed to have been on the Tuscania.



Excerpts –

New-York Tribune
 Fri, Feb 08, 1918 -Page 1

Two Flushing Youths Tell of Their Escape

Flushing, March 2.—Letters were received here yesterday from William Clabby, of Hicks place, and Joseph Crawford, of Osgood place, two more Flushing boys, who were on the torpedoed troopship *Tuscania*. In his letter to his parents Clabby said:

"I left New York from Hoboken on the *Tuscania*, January 22, and arrived at Halifax on the twenty-fifth. Saw the ruins of explosion. Left there that night for Liverpool. I was not seasick, and everything went well until 6:20 last night. All of a sudden there was a crash and the lights went out.

"We had had boat drill every day, with life preservers, each man being assigned to a boat or raft in case of an accident. I was assigned to a boat on Deck B. As the stairway was broken I slid down a lifeline to a raft and kept warm by rowing until picked up by a trawler, which landed me in Larne. I was cared for by a good Samaritan, a fine old Irish woman named Mrs. O'Neill. In fact, all of the natives treated us fine, giving up dry clothing and doing everything for our comfort. While this is all I can say at present, I will write again in a little while, with love to all."

"After a great and awful experi-

ence I am here and safe," writes Crawford to his mother. "I have been all over this place, and it sure is a beautiful place. I have tried to get a chance to write before, and I hope you received a previous letter. I am a whole lot wiser and have seen things, and know what it is to be at death's door. The people here have treated us royally since we arrived, and I am thankful to the English and Irish for food and clothing.

"We were torpedoed at 6 o'clock and didn't leave the ship until 8:30. We had an awful time, but were saved by a couple of destroyers, and we sure were thankful to see them pull alongside. We slid down the ropes, and it was a great sensation to get our feet on the destroyer. Well, mother, if you get this let Mary know and I will write her today. Good-by, mother, and God bless you. Your son."

Both young men are members of the 213th Aero Squadron, and are now somewhere in Ireland.

Letter from William John Clabby - "Brooklyn (NY) Times Union" Saturday 2 Mar 1918 p 6

FLUSHING MEN RETURNING.

Flushing, May 28.—There are several Flushing young men on board the transport Louisville, which is due to land in New York Sunday. They are David M. Lowerre, John Trapp, Edward Duffy, Joseph Crawford, Lester McKenna, William Clabby and Lawrence Doyle, all members of the 213th Aero Squadron. They were on board the transport Tuscania when she was torpedoed off the Irish coast on February 5, 1918. All escaped without any serious injuries.

MILITARY FUNERAL FOR JOHN J. TRAPP

Flushing Comrades Pay Final Tribute to Tuscania Hero.

Several of his comrades who were with him on board the transport Tuscania when it was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Ireland on Jan. 24, 1918, paid final tribute yesterday to John J. Trapp, 38, of Flushing, who died Thursday in the Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, of heart trouble.

Trapp and his associates, all of them residents of Flushing, were members of the 213th Aero Squadron and were on their way to England when their transport was sunk.

Funeral services for Trapp were conducted yesterday in the home of his sister, Mrs. Joseph McLaughlin, 142-39 Roosevelt ave., Flushing, by Rev. George Ferrand Taylor, rector of St. George's Episcopal Church, Flushing. Members of William A. Leonard Post, A. L., of Flushing, led by their commander, Anthony Abarno, attended the services and also the burial in Flushing Cemetery, where a firing squad of regular U. S. Army soldiers from Fort Schuyler fired the salute over the grave and a bugler sounded taps.

The Rev. Peter C. Schroeder chaplain of Leonard Post and of the American Legion in Queens, conducted the Legion services at the McLaughlin home Friday night and also at the grave yesterday.

The other Flushing young men who were with Trapp on the Tuscania when it was sunk were Anthony Abarno, Lawrence Doble, David Lowerre, Lester McKenna, William Clabby, Richard F. Outcalt, jr., son of the originator of Buster Brown cartoons; Joseph Crawford and Lawrence Smith.

Trapp was born in Flushing and was a son of the late George Trapp, who conducted a wheelwright business there. His uncle, the late John J. Trapp, was a well known lawyer in Queens. For five years Trapp lived in Syracuse, where he was connected with the Franklin Automobile Company. He leaves his wife, two children, his mother and one sister.

W. Wellows, Oakland.
Registered at Barker Hotel —
 Fredric McPherson, Jr., Santa Cruz; Harold Gordon Christman, Santa Cruz; W. O. Rutledge, Dinuba; Mrs. W. O. Rutledge, Dinuba; S. D. Cocbran, Jr., Dinuba; Mary E. Myers, Dinuba; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clabby, Salinas; E. W. Loucks, Palo Alto; R. Montague, San Francisco; A. W. Guy, Oakland; H. W. Schaedla, San Francisco; W. Davenport, Oakland.

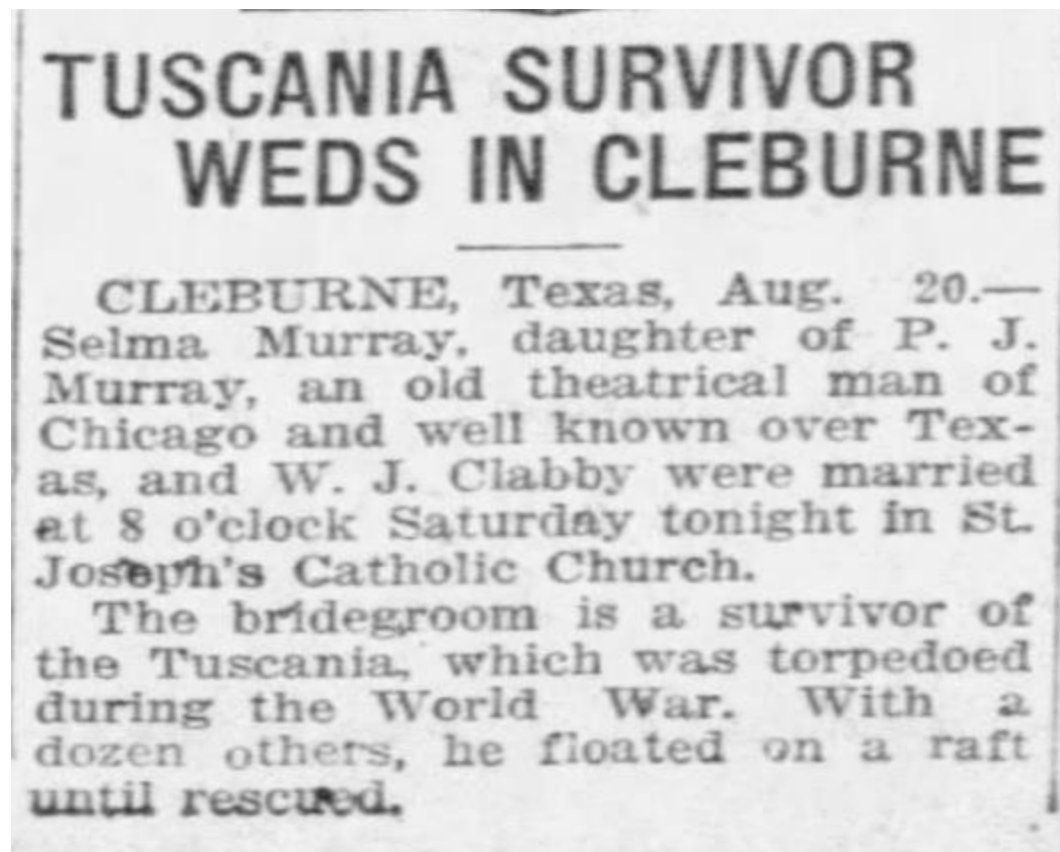
The Peninsula Times Tribune
 Wed, Apr 06, 1927 - Page 2

Palo Alto CA

Wife Selma Murray – 1921



Selma & Fenton – Find A Grave 20256222



Fort Worth Star-Telegram
Sun, Aug 21, 1921 · Page 22

Fort Worth TX

Salma Murray

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

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Detail	Source
Name	Salma Murray
Gender	Female
License Date	19 Aug 1921
License Place	Johnson, Texas, USA
Marriage Date	20 Aug 1921
Marriage Place	Johnson, Texas, USA
Spouse	W J Clabby

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Murray James L, 188, b 202 S Washn av.
 Murray Patrick J (Minnie), r 1213 Gleason av.
 Murray Robert L, student, b 202 S Washn av.
 Murray Robert W (Amanda C), carp G C S F Ry, r 202 S Washn av.
 Murray Selma, b 1213 Gleason av.
 Murray Wm B, lab, b 202 S Washn.av.

Selma Murray

in the U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995



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Detail Source

Name	Selma Murray
Residence Year	1921
Street Address	1213 Gleason av
Residence Place	Cleburne, Texas, USA
Publication Title	Cleburne, Texas, City Directory, 1921

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/2469/records/402683499>

Suits Filed For District Courts.
 (O. M. DuClos, District Clerk.)

Ex Parte Mose Schwartz removal of disabilities. (Eightieth.)

Melloio Andrade vs. Antonio Andrade, divorce. (Eightieth.)

Mrs. Irma Richter vs. Nixon Richter, divorce. (Eightieth.)

Edyth Moore vs. Paul B. Moore, divorce. (Eightieth.)

Otis Allen vs. Dorisa Allen, divorce. (Eightieth.)

City of Houston vs. John L. Wortham, taxes. (Eleventh.)

H. L. Sadler vs. B. A. Lottman et al. debt. (Fifty-fifth.)

J. N. Taun vs. Mrs. Anita B. Stewart, debt and foreclosure. (Sixty-first.)

City of Houston vs. L. E. Miller, taxes. (Eleventh.)

Jessie Walton vs. Dan Walton, divorce. (Fifty-fifth.)

Sakowitz Bros. vs. T. H. Scanlan Estate et al. debt. (Sixty-first.)

Leota F. Farr vs. Barton G. Farr, divorce. (Eightieth.)

William J. Clabby vs. Selma Clabby, divorce. (Eightieth.)

Rose Simons vs. Louis Simons, divorce. (Eightieth.)

Anna Bell Duplantis vs. Louis J. Duplantis, divorce. (Eightieth.)

Mary Louise Robinson vs. Jeff Robinson, divorce. (Eightieth.)

Valeria Pollard Braboy vs. Casper Braboy, divorce. (Eightieth.)

The Houston Post
 Sat, Dec 23, 1922 Page 5

Divorce suit _____ Houston TX

MARRIAGE LICENSE

(GOOD IN OKLAHOMA COUNTY ONLY)

State of Oklahoma, } ss.
Oklahoma County, }

IN THE COUNTY COURT

To Any Person Authorized to Perform the Marriage Ceremony, Greeting:

You are hereby authorized to join in marriage Mr. Ray O Lane
of Elmore Okla aged 23 years, and Miss Edna Murray
of Id aged 22 years, and of this license you will make due return to my office
within thirty days from this date.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at my office in
Oklahoma City, in said County, this 6th day of Oct 1909

C. D. Pruitt
Judge - Clerk of County Court.

CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

State of Oklahoma.

I, Edward Lewis Oldfield, Justice of the Peace
(Name Official or Minister.) (Official or Clerical Designation.)

Oklahoma city Township of Oklahoma city
(Name of County or Corporation) (Name of place where located)

in Oklahoma County, State of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that I joined in marriage the persons named in and
authorized by this license to be married, on the 6th day of Oct A. D. 1909

at Oklahoma city, in Oklahoma County, Oklahoma, in the presence
of J. C. Wheeler of Oklahoma city and Miss Katherine Wheeler
of Oklahoma city Edward Lewis Oldfield

EL RENO COUPLE SPRING SURPRISE

**RAY LANE AND MISS MURRAY
MARRIED AT OKLAHOMA CITY**

**Young Couple Elude Their Friends
in This City and Are Quietly
Married Wednesday Night.**

Completely surprising their many friends in this city, Miss Selma Murray and Ray O. Lane, Wednesday boarded an eastbound train and were quietly married at Oklahoma City. The couple are now on their honeymoon and have not revealed their whereabouts but are expected here the latter part of the week. The wedding comes as a complete surprise to the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lane in this city. It was known that these young people were good friends but neither one had hinted of an approaching wedding and El Reno young people were wholly unprepared for the announcement. However, the young couple has been forgiven by the young people of this city who are now anxiously awaiting their return to shower congratulations.

Miss Murray is well known in the younger set in El Reno. For some time she has been cashier at the Southern Hotel where her services were highly valued by the management. She has during her residence here been a popular society leader, her popularity due to her many accomplishments as well as her charming personality.

Mr. Lane is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Thos. Lane of this city and for some time past has been in the employ of the Rock Island railroad in this city. Mr. Lane has always been popular in local society and successful in business pursuits. He supplemented a course in the state university with a commercial college education and is ably fitted to hold his own in the business world. He will continue with the Rock Island when he returns to this city.

Until Mr. and Mrs. Lane returns to this city it will not be known where they will live, as neither one divulged any of the arrangements before leaving here. However, they will make their home in this city where they will be warmly welcomed by El Reno's social set, and Mr. Lane's business associates.

The El Reno Daily American
Fri, Oct 08, 1909 - Page 8

El Reno OK

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Selma Barnsley

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



- Request copy of original application
- Add or update information
- Report a problem

Detail	Source
Name	Selma Barnsley
Social Security Number	554-36-4408
Birth Date	15 Apr 1887
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	California
Last Residence	California, USA
Death Date	Jun 1963

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NOTE THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR ON THE REVERSE SIDE

1. PLACE OF DEATH
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Uvalde
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. Uvalde Ross' Nurses Home for the Aged
GIVE STREET AND NUMBER OR NAME OF INSTITUTION

2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED Minnie Murray

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE WHERE DEATH OCCURRED 2 YEARS 7 MONTHS 19 DAYS (SOCIAL SECURITY NO. none)

RESIDENCE OF (STREET THE DECEASED AND NO. 112 W. Colina CITY Uvalde COUNTY Uvalde STATE Texas)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE white

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (WRITE THE WORD) unmarried

6. DATE OF BIRTH Unknown

7. AGE YEARS 82 MONTHS - DAYS - IF LESS THAN 1 DAY HOURS - MIN -

8A. TRADE, PROFESSION OR KIND OF WORK DONE Invalid

8B. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH ENGAGED -

9. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Germany

10. NAME Unknown

11. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Unknown

12. MAIDEN NAME Unknown

13. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Unknown

14. SIGNATURE Mrs. R.R. Ross
ADDRESS 112 W. Colina, Uvalde, Texas

15. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Uvalde cemetery DATE November 1, 1946

16. SIGNATURE Carl Voss
ADDRESS Uvalde, Texas

17. DATE OF DEATH Oct. 31 1946

18. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM Oct 29 1946 TO Oct 31 1946

I LAST SAW HER ALIVE ON Oct 29 1946

THE DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE AT 7:40 P.M.

THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF DEATH WAS: Carcinoma of Intestines

CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES WERE:

IF NOT DUE TO DISEASE, SPECIFY WHETHER: ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE

DATE OF OCCURRENCE

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE

MANNER OR MEANS IF RELATED TO OCCUPATION OF DECEASED, SPECIFY

SIGNATURE Theresa L. Ross M.D. COR Uvalde, Texas

20. FILE NUMBER 111 FILE DATE Nov 8, 1946 SIGNATURE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR W. E. Ross POSTOFFICE ADDRESS Uvalde, Texas

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
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Wife Estelle (Stella) McDougle - 1923

W. J. Clabby

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



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Detail Source

Name	W. J. Clabby
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	1923
Marriage Place	Harris, Texas, United States
Spouse	Stella E. McDougle
FHL Film Number	25248

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60183/records/2441973>

Marriage Licenses

Luther A. Lewis and Mrs. Aletha Ferguson; L. D. Moeck and Mazlerin Billings; Irby E. Rosen and Miss Ella Eva Giffin; J. J. Blount and Daley B. Taylor; John L. Johnson and Lutretta Ruth Roland; Murry L. Busch and Miss Phyllis Triggs; Lawrence Hinton and Miss Hedwig Spitzberger; Earl Jones and Lillie McGee; Victor Arceneaux and Edna Willard; Eugenio Rios and Miss Maria Martinez; J. C. Porter Jr. and Miss Lena Quinn; Leonard Lahey and Miss Eva Rollins; Laurence J. Whaling and Miss Margaret Louise Bruce; B. Calero and Miss Estofa Gonzales; J. W. Beverly and Miss Ina Tullar; R. L. Wilson and Miss Ruth Anderson; H. Russell and Miss Dewey Harris; S. F. Fuller and Miss Lillian Groce; Nathan Jackson and Olivia George; Elbert Folsom and Rosalie Rucker; Will Hurston and Louise Smith; Arthur O. Taylor and Mrs. Harriett Snow; Saddy Hamilton and Shurle Lewis; W. H. Martin and Miss Veda Williams; Lee Cupley and Miss Lethon McDonald; W. J. Clabby and Miss Stella E. McDougle; J. A. Buford and Mrs. Mattie Lee Snider; J. E. Whitehead and Mrs. Ruby Estelle Taylor; L. J. Williams and Anna Montgomery; Willie Grumbles and Annie Tolver; Amos Moton and Nettie Hadnot.

The Galveston Daily News
Wed, Apr 04, 1923 - Page 2

Galveston TX

Texas, County Marriage Records, 1870-2012


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Name Stella E McDougale
 Marriage Date 31 Mar 1923
 Marriage Place Harris, Texas, USA
 Spouse W. J. Clabby
 Document Number 58594

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:

You or either of You are hereby authorized to join

In the Holy Union of Matrimony

W. J. Clabby
 with
Miss Stella E. McDougale
 In Accordance with the Laws of this State

HEREIN FAIL 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 said County and State, and official Seal at office in Houston,
 this 31 day of Mar A.D. 1923

ALBERT TOWNSEND
 Clerk County Court, Harris County, Texas

By B. E. Engle Deputy

OFFICERS' RETURN

Solemnized by the undersigned authority this 31st day of Mar 1923

No. 58594
 Book 31 Page 365

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Stella E Clabby & hsh to N E
Davis & wf 12 on Prec. Sect 8 199
ptn lots 3 to 6 blk 3, San Carlos 1 k

The Times
Mon, Jun 04, 1928 · Page 7

San Mateo CA

Social Security Death Index

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Name	Estelle M. Clabby
Social Security Number	551-01-7720
Birth Date	19 Oct 1892
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	California
Last Residence	77355, Magnolia, Montgomery, Texas, USA
Death Date	4 Feb 1989

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/420002714019/facts>

Texas Death Index, 1903-2000

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Name	Estelle Clabby
Death Date	4 Feb 1989
Death County	Harris
Gender	Female

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NOTE THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR ON THE REVERSE SIDE

1. PLACE OF DEATH		TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		50836
STATE OF TEXAS				
COUNTY OF <u>Harris</u>				
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. <u>Houston</u>		<u>417 Plymouth</u>		
2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED <u>Robert Boyce McDougle</u>		GIVE STREET AND NUMBER OR NAME OF INSTITUTION		
LENGTH OF RESIDENCE WHERE DEATH OCCURRED <u>84</u> YEARS <u>0</u> MONTHS <u>8</u> DAYS (SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>None Given</u>)				
RESIDENCE OF DECEASED (STREET AND NO. <u>417 Plymouth</u>) CITY <u>Houston</u> COUNTY <u>Harris</u> STATE <u>Texas</u>				
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS				
3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	17. DATE OF DEATH <u>11-6-41</u> 1941		
5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED <u>Widowed</u>		18. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM <u>Nov 1</u> 1941 TO <u>Nov 6</u> 1941		
6. DATE OF BIRTH <u>October 28, 1857</u>		I LAST SAW HIM ALIVE ON <u>Nov 1</u> 1941		
7. AGE YEARS <u>84</u> MONTHS <u>0</u> DAYS <u>8</u>	IF LESS THAN 1 DAY HOURS <u> </u> MIN <u> </u>	THE DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE AT <u>8 P</u> M.		
8A. TRADE, PROFESSION OR KIND OF WORK DONE <u>Retired</u>		THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF DEATH WAS: <u>Senility.</u>		
8B. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH ENGAGED		DURATION		
9. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>Harris County, Texas</u>		CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES WERE		
10. NAME <u>Ellison A. McDougle</u>				
11. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>No Record</u>				
12. MAIDEN NAME <u>No Record</u>				
13. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>No Record</u>				
14. SIGNATURE <u>Mrs. Frank Fruta</u>		IF NOT DUE TO DISEASE, SPECIFY WHETHER: ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE		
ADDRESS <u>Houston, Texas</u> TEXAS		DATE OF OCCURRENCE		
15. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>McDougle CEM</u> TEXAS		PLACE OF OCCURRENCE		
DATE <u>11-8-</u> 1941		MANNER OR MEANS IF RELATED TO OCCUPATION OF DECEASED, SPECIFY		
16. SIGNATURE <u>Farthman Funerals J.B. Farthman #1152</u>		SIGNATURE <u>L. L. Handley</u> M.D.		
ADDRESS <u>Houston, Texas.</u> TEXAS		ADDRESS <u>Houston, Texas</u> TEXAS		
20. FILE NUMBER <u>3721</u>	FILE DATE <u>NOV 8 1941</u>	SIGNATURE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR <u>A. H. Williams</u>		POSTOFFICE ADDRESS <u>Houston</u> TEXAS

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1. PLACE OF DEATH STATE OF TEXAS		TEXAS STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		Registrar's No. <u>7</u> 8248	
COUNTY OF <u>Harris</u>		CITY OR PRECINCT NO. <u>Spring</u> No. <u>10</u> Street <u>10th</u>			
Length of residence in city where death occurred yrs. mos. days ? How long in U. S. if foreign born? yrs. mos. days					
2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED <u>Mrs. Hermann McDough</u>					
Residence: No. _____ Street _____ If non-residence give city, or town and state _____					
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS					
3. SEX <u>Female</u>		4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>		5. Single Married Widowed Divorced (Write the word) <u>Married</u>	
6. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>Robert McDough</u>					
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>unknown</u>					
7. AGE <u>74</u> Years Months Days If LESS than 1 day, hrs. min.					
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. <u>Housewife</u>					
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, saw mill, bank, etc.					
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)					
11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation					
12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Jefferson Co. Texas</u>					
13. NAME <u>Jac. McDough</u>					
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Louisiana</u>					
15. MAIDEN NAME <u>unknown</u>					
16. BIRTHPLACE (City or town) (State or county) <u>Louisiana?</u>					
17. INFORMANT <u>Robert McDough</u>					
(Address) _____					
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Spring, Texas</u> Date <u>2-11-1935</u>					
19. UNDERTAKER <u>Allegre Undertaking</u>					
(Address) <u>Spring, Texas</u>					
20. FILE DATE AND SIGNATURE OF REGISTRAR <u>2-28 1935 Ed Bliss</u>					
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH					
21. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) <u>Feb. 10, 1935</u>					
22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <u>Feb. 3, 1935</u> to <u>Feb. 10, 1935</u>					
I last saw her alive on <u>Feb. 8, 1935</u> ; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at <u>2:20 a. m.</u> Date of onset _____					
The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows: <u>Coronary Thrombosis</u>					
Other contributory causes of importance: <u>Influenza</u>					
Name of operation <u>None</u> date of _____					
What test confirmed diagnosis? _____ Was there an autopsy? _____					
23. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following:					
Accident, suicide, or homicide? _____					
Date of injury _____ 19 _____					
Where did injury occur? _____ (Specify city or town, building and street)					
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.					
Manner of injury _____					
Nature of injury _____					
24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? _____					
If so, specify _____					
(Signed) <u>G. R. McNeil</u> M. D.					
(Address) <u>Bonham, Tx</u>					

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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:

You or either of You are hereby authorized to Join

In the Holy Union of Matrimony

W. J. Clabby
 with
Miss Stella E. McDough
 In Accordance with the Laws of this State

HEREIN FAIL 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 said County and State, and official Seal at office in Houston,
this 31 day of Nov A. D. 1923

ALBERT TOWNSEND
Clerk County Court, Harris County, Texas

By B. E. Engle Deputy

OFFICERS' RETURN

Solemnized by the undersigned authority this 31st day of Nov 1923

W. J. Clabby

No. 58594

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<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/9168/records/26279237>

Father:

New York, New York, Death Index, 1862-1948

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Name John J Clabby
 Age 74
 Birth Year abt 1850
 Death Date 29 Feb 1924
 Death Place Queens, New York, USA
 Certificate Number 958

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/656184293/facts>

New York, New York, Index to Death Certificates, 1862-1948

[View record](#)

Name John J Clabby
 Gender Male
 Race White
 Marital Status Widowed
 Age 74
 Birth Date abt 1850
 Birth Place USA
 Years in US life
 Death Date 29 Feb 1924
 Death Street Address 10 Hicks Pl Flushing
 Death Place New York City, Queens, New York, USA
 Cause of Death uraemia chronic interstitial nephritis
 Burial Date 3 Mar 1924
 Burial Place Calvary cemetery
 Occupation Foreman Street Cleaning Sept N Y City
 Father's Birth Place Ireland
 Mother's Birth Place Ireland
 Father Patrick Clabby
 Mother Elizabeth Clabby
 Executor Elizabeth J. Clabby
 Executor Relationship Wife
 Certificate Number 958

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/656184293/facts>

CARE FOR SEWER WORKERS.

Long Island City, April 28.—Borough President Connolly has announced several appointments. Dr. James H. McCarthy, of Corona, has been made temporary examiner at the Corona sewer tunnel at a compensation not to exceed \$750 per annum. This is a rather unique position in the borough service, but the appointment was necessary owing to the hazardous work done in tunnelling more than ninety feet under the surface of the street.

The following inspectors of regulating, grading and paving at the compensation of \$4 a day have been named to inspect work now in progress: Henry Wingrove, 2324 Madison street, Ridgewood; William F. Kearns, Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn; John J. Clabby, 10 Hicks street, Flushing; Aaron Ingvall, Sherwood House, Queens; August W. Dietsel, 449 Hancock street, Long Island City.

Adolph Suehsdorf, of 11 Oakland place, Woodhaven, has been appointed steam roller engineer at \$5 a day.

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Conveyances.

MARCH 2.

A I Namm & Son to D F Shea, Alsop & Oceanview av, Jamaica, w s Tyndal st, 100 ft n Chichester av, 100x100, Jamaica. nom
Amani, A C, to L Tuvermina, 3 Folsom av, Glendale, w s Folsom av, 89 ft n Myrtle av, 27x95, Glendale nom
Bautz, A Jr, to J J Clabby, 10 Hicks pl, Flushing, w s Hicks pl, 233 ft n Chestnut st, 33x100, Flushing nom

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John J. Clabby.

A requiem mass was offered in St. Michael's Catholic Church, Flushing, at 10 o'clock this morning for John J. Clabby, 74 years old, who died Friday night at his home, 10 Hicks place, Flushing, after a long illness. He had been a resident of Flushing twelve years and for many years was engineer in charge of grading and paving in the Highway Bureau, of Queens. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Michael's Church and is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Clabby, two sons, Frank J. and William and two married daughters. The funeral services were largely attended and burial followed in Calvary cemetery.

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Mon, Mar 03, 1924 - Page 9

Decree, *March 11, 1924*
File No. *1155-1924* 192
X
SURROGATE'S COURT, QUEENS COUNTY

In the Matter of the Transfer Tax
upon the Estate of
JOHN J. CLABBY,
Deceased.

PETITION, NOTICE
and
ORDER

FREDERICK S. RAUBER
Attorney for Petitioner
(Office and Post Office Address)
38 Park Row
Borough of Manhattan New York City

To Esq.

Sir:

PLEASE NOTE that

of which the within is a true copy, will be presented for settlement and entry herein to Mr. Justice

one of the Justices of the within named Court at

In the Borough of
in the City of New York

on the day of 192
at o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated N. Y. 19
Yours, &c.,
FREDERICK S. RAUBER
Attorney for
(Office and Post Office Address)
38 Park Row
Borough of Manhattan New York City

To Esq.

Service of a copy of the within

is hereby admitted.

Dated N. Y. 19
Filed *May 29, 1924*

Attorney for

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TRANSFER TAX OFFICE
KINGS COUNTY
H. D. Dwyer Secy

CITY AND COUNTY OF
MAY 27 1924
AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY MAIL
I, the undersigned, being sworn depose and say that the within is a true copy of the within named document, and that the same was served on the within named party at the within named place, on the within named day of the within named month, 1924, by the undersigned, or by the undersigned's agent, in accordance with the within named process, and that the undersigned is duly qualified to administer the within named estate.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of 1924.

Notary Public for the City and County of Kings

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AT A SURROGATE'S COURT, held in and
for the County of Queens, at the
Surrogate's Office, in Jamaica, in
said County, on the 11th day of June
1924.

PRESENT: HON. DANIEL NOBLE, SURROGATE.

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In the Matter :
of the : ORDER FIXING
Transfer Tax Upon the Estate of : TAX ON MOTION.
JOHN J. CLABBY, :
Deceased. :
----- X

On reading and filing the petition of ELIZABETH J. CLABBY, duly verified the 23 day of May, 1924, and it appearing that the said decedent died on the 29 day of February, 1924, and left certain property, the transfer of which is subject to the tax imposed by law in relation to the taxable transfers of property, described in said petition and proof having been made of due service of said petition and the notice of motion for this order upon the attorney for the State Tax Commission, now on motion of FREDERICK S. RAUBER, Esq., Attorney for the petitioner herein; WM. DWIGHT TEESE, Esq., attorney for the State Tax Commission appearing and not opposing; it is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the cash value of the property referred to in said petition, the transfer of which is subject to the tax imposed by the act relating to taxable transfers of property and the tax to which the said transfer is liable, is as follows:

Beneficiary.	Relationship	Amount Received	Amt. Taxable	Tax. Assessed.
Elizabeth J. Clabby	Widow	6397.21	1397.21	13.97

Daniel Noble
Surrogate

Fol. 1 SURREGATE'S COURT, QUEENS AT a Term of the Surrogate's Court held in and for the County of Queens at the Surrogate's Court Room, Jamaica, County of Queens, City of New York, on the day of June, 1934.

IN THE MATTER
 of the Transfer Tax upon the Estate of

P R E S E N T :

HON. DANIEL NOBLE,
 SURREGATE

*****X the Affidavit of

IN THE MATTER
 of the Transfer Tax upon the Estate of

" 2 JOHN J. CLABBY,
 Deceased.

*****X the Affidavit of

On reading and filing the affidavit of Elizabeth J. Clabby, verified the 23rd day of May, 1934 and on reading and filing the notice of this motion, with admission of service by William D. Teece, Esq., as attorney for the State Tax Commission, and due deliberation having been had;

NOW, on motion of Frederick S. Bauber,

" 3 attorney for the petitioner; it is

ORDERED, that the Estate of John J. Clabby late of Flushing, Queens County, New York, be, and the same is hereby declared exempt from taxation under the Inheritance Tax Laws of the State of New York.

Attorney for State Tax Commission,
 Borough of Brooklyn,
 City of New York.

SURREGATE

SURROGATE'S COURT, QUEENS COUNTY

*****X

IN THE MATTER

of the Transfer Tax upon the Estate of

JOHN J. CLABBY,

Deceased.

*****X

TAKE NOTICE, that upon the affidavit of ELIZABETH J. CLABBY, verified May 23rd, 1924, and upon all other papers and proceedings herein, a motion will be made at a term of the Surrogate's Court to be held in and for the County of Queens, City and State of New York, on the 3rd day of June, 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order declaring the estate of the above named decedent not taxable under the transfer tax laws of the State of New York, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem proper.

Dated, May 23rd, 1924.

Frank Keight, 2nd

Willie Keight, 2nd

Marie M. Paine, 2nd

Isabelle B. Paine, 2nd

FREDERICK S. RAUBER,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Office & P.O. Address:
38 Park Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.

TO:

WILLIAM D. TRESK, ESQ.,
Attorney for State Tax Commission,
Borough of Brooklyn,
City of New York.

Pol. 1 SURROGATE'S COURT, QUEENS COUNTY

Pol. 2

IN THE MATTER
of the Transfer Tax upon the Estate of
JOHN J. CLABBY,
Deceased.

TO THE SURROGATE'S COURT OF THE COUNTY OF QUEENS:

The petition of Elizabeth J. Clabby respectfully shows:

- " 2 I. That your petitioner resides at Flushing, Borough of Queens, City of New York; that she is the widow of the above named John J. Clabby, deceased.
- II. That said John J. Clabby died at Flushing, Borough of Queens, State of New York, on the 29th day of February, 1924, intestate.

III. That said deceased left him surviving the following:

Elizabeth J. Clabby, widow

Elizabeth Mesigh, daughter

Frank Mesigh, son

William Mesigh, son

Marie M. Pierce, daughter

Isabelle D. Pierce, daughter

IV. That said deceased died seized as a tenant by the entirety with your petitioner, of the following real estate:

A parcel situate at Flushing, Queens County, New York, on the west side of Hicks Place, known as No. 10 Hicks Place, consisting of ground $33\frac{1}{3}$ x 100 ft., with a

estate:

A parcel situate at Flushing, Queens County, New York, on the west side of Hicks Place, known as No. 10 Hicks Place, consisting of ground $33\frac{1}{3}$ x 100 ft., with a

Fol. 4 single family frame dwelling about twelve years old. That said property is known on the Tax Map of the City of New York as Ward 3, Volume 6, Block 792, Lot 25. That the assessed valuation for the year 1923 was \$5200. That the fair market value of said property is \$8000. That the same is encumbered by a mortgage to secure the payment of \$3000.

That said deceased was also seized of three vacant lots in the Village of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York, known as Lots numbers 247, 248 and 249 in Block 7 on "Map of Hempstead Heights, Addition No. 1". That the
" 5 fair market value of said lots is \$900.

V. That said deceased died owning a joint interest in certain moneys on deposit in the Queens County Savings Bank under Account 49162 in the name of "John J. Clabby and Elizabeth Clabby, either or survivor", amount \$1141.96, including interest to January 1st, 1924.

VI. That said deceased was a member of the New York City Employees' Pension Fund. The death benefit payable thereunder is payable to your petitioner as his widow. The amount payable is \$1363.00.

6 VII. That decedent was not insured for the benefit of any person or for the benefit of his estate except as above stated.

VIII. The following deductions are claimed:

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays for an order declaring the estate of said John J. Clabby exempt from inheritance tax imposed by law.

Dated: May 23rd, 1924

Elizabeth J. ^{an} ~~Clabbe~~ ^{Clabbe}
Petitioner,
^{ma}

COUNTY OF QUEENS) SS:

ELIZABETH J. CLABBY, being duly sworn, deposes and says that she has read the foregoing petition, and knows the contents thereof; that the same is true to her own knowledge except as to the matters herein stated to be alleged on information and belief and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Sworn to before me this
23rd day of May, 1924.

Elizabeth ^{Ann} H. Clabb
March

John T. Raulo

Notary Public, Queens Co. No. 895
Certificate filed in N. Y. Co. No. 166 Reg. No. 6166
Commission expires March 30th, 1926

U.S., Register of Civil, Military, and Naval Service, 1863-1959



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Name	John J. Clabby
Birth Place	New York
Residence Date	1 Jul 1887
Station or Residence Place	Steam engineering dep't, New York, USA
Year	1887
Title	Official Register of the United States, Containing a List of Officers and Employees in the Civil, Military, and Naval Service
Volume	Volume 1

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Mother:

New York, New York, Marriage Indexes 1866-1937

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Name	John J Clabby
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	20 Nov 1881
Marriage Place	Manhattan, New York, USA
Spouse	Eliz J Bowland
Certificate Number	9037

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/656184293/facts>

Mrs. John J. Clabby SCARSDALE—

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Clabby, ninety-four, mother of Mrs. William F. McDermott of 14 Hillview Drive, died Thursday while visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. A. J. Donahue Jr. in Stamford, Conn.

Mrs. Clabby had made her home with her daughter for the past 22 years. They moved to Scarsdale three years ago. Her husband, John J. Clabby, died in 1924.

Born Jan. 25, 1857 in Ireland, she was the daughter of John and Elizabeth Kenny Boland. She was a communicant of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Scarsdale.

Also surviving are another daughter, Mrs. James J. Pierce of Beachhurst, L.I.; a son, William J. Clabby of San Gabriel, Calif., 16 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

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Sat, Oct 18, 1952 - Page 7

White Plains NY

MRS. JOHN J. CLABBY**Resident of Scarsdale**

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Clabby of 14 Hillview Drive, Scarsdale, widow of John J. Clabby, died Thursday while visiting a granddaughter in Stamford, Conn. She was ninety-four.

A resident of Scarsdale for the last three years, where she made her home with a daughter, Mrs. William F. McDermott, Mrs. Clabby was a communicant of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Church. She was born in Ireland Jan. 25, 1857, daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Kenny Boland.

Surviving in addition to Mrs. McDermott is another daughter,

Mrs. James J. Pierce of Beechhurst, Long Island, and a son, William J. Clabby of St. Gabriels, Calif. Mrs. Clabby's husband died in 1924.

Connecticut Death Index, 1949-2001

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Name	Eliza Clabby
Gender	Female
Race	White
Marital Status	Widowed
Birth Date	abt 1858
Residence	Out of State, New York
Death Date	16 Oct 1952
Death Place	Stamford, Fairfield, Connecticut
Age	94 Years
Spouse	John
State File #	16141

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/656174852/facts>

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Siblings:

New York, New York, Marriage Indexes 1866-1937

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Name	Elisabeth G Clabby
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	7 Sep 1904
Marriage Place	Manhattan, New York, USA
Spouse	John Messigh
Certificate Number	25473

Sister Elizabeth Clabby Mesigh (1883-1951) - <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/1588781752/facts>

New York, New York, Death Index, 1949-1965



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Name Elizabeth Mesigh
 Age 67
 Birth Date abt 1884
 Death Date 4 May 1951
 Death Place Queens, New York, New York, USA
 Certificate Number 4209

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/1588781752/facts>

Eliz Gertrude Mesegh

in the New York, New York, U.S., Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909



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Detail	Source
Name	Eliz Gertrude Mesegh
Maiden Name	Clabby
Gender	Female
Residence Age	24
Birth Place	New York City
Residence Address	Nelson Ave Bronx
Number of Children Born	1
Number of Children Living	2
Certificate Number	2081
Spouse	John J. Mesegh
Child	Reta Katherine Mesegh

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61779/records/30222232>

SEEKS TO REVOKE SISTER'S LETTERS

Surrogate James A. Foley today in the Surrogate's Court, Manhattan, appointed Maurice Marks referee to pass on the application of John J. Mesigh, of 19 Hicks place, Flushing, that the letters of administration granted to his sister, Mrs. Catherine C. Flynn, of 262 West Eighty-ninth street, Manhattan, be revoked.

Mesigh in his petition recites that when his mother, Catherine Mesigh, died in 1909, under her will he was left in trust the income from \$16,000 and the income from a house at 1339 Fifth avenue, Manhattan, and that his sister, Catherine, and her husband, James J. Flynn, were appointed executors and administrators to carry out the provisions of the will.

Mesigh says his brother-in-law died in September, and that he recently ascertained that in eleven years, or since the time of his mother's death his two kinsmen have failed to file with the court an account of their stewardship of the estate, as required by law. His sister, Mrs. Flynn, says ever since their appointment she had much confidence in her husband, and she left the entire affairs of the estate in her husband's hands, and that, therefore, she has no knowledge of the estate, but since her husband's death, her son, Frank L. Flynn, has undertaken to straighten out matters, and will make a report to the Surrogate's Court. Therefore, she asked the Court to exempt her from personally rendering an accounting.

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New York, New York, U.S., Extracted Birth Index, 1878-1909

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Name	Male Clabby
Birth Date	7 Dec 1884
Birth Place	Manhattan, New York, USA
Certificate Number	415984

Brother Francis Aloysius Clabby (1884-1927) – <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/6009426469/facts>

New York, New York, U.S., Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909

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Name	Claby
Gender	Male
Birth Date	7 Dec 1884
Birth Place	Manhattan, New York City, New York, New York, USA
Residence Address	W. 63 Street 404
Certificate Number	415984
Father	John Claby
Mother	Lizzie Claby
Mother Maiden Name	Boland

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/6009426469/facts>

Handwritten record snippet:
 Clabby, Francis A. 16, Hamilton, N.Y. Capt. Irwin, New York City, N.Y. 18 5/12 1884
 3 Inf. B. 2 a 7 inf 1403 Spelled May 7.06 at Fort St. Seward, Ala. by 1st Regt. Inf. 1st Div. 1st Regt. Inf. 1st Div.

U.S. Army, Register of Enlistments, 1798-1914

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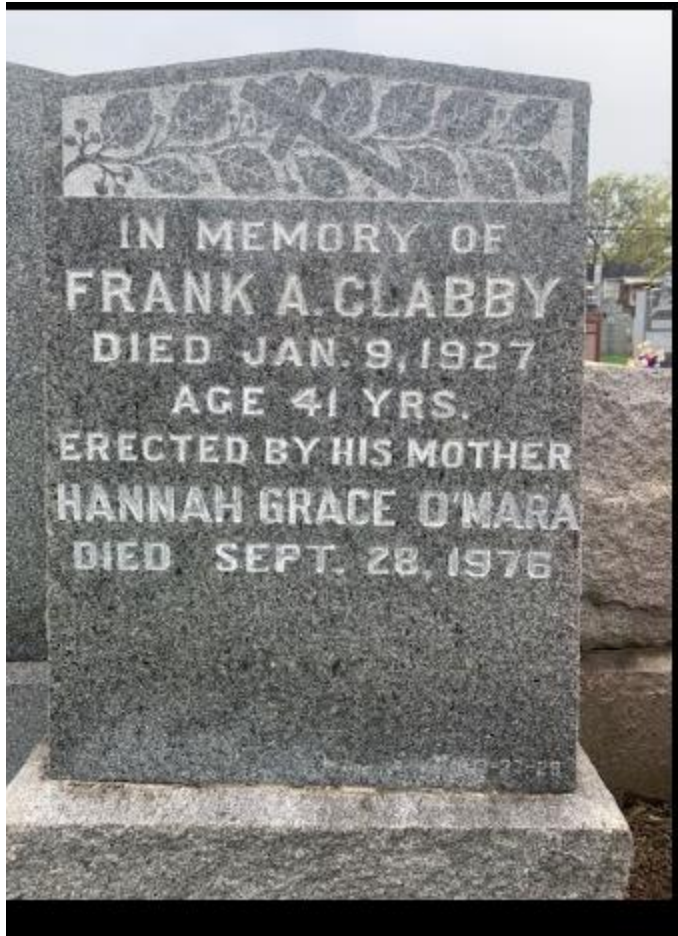
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Name	Francis A Clabby
Birthyear	abt 1884
Birthplace	New York, United States
Enlistment Age	18 5/12

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/6009426469/facts>

FRANK A. CLABBY

A requiem mass will be offered in St. Andrew's Church tomorrow morning for Frank A. Clabby, of 23-19 200th st., Treasureland, Bayside, who died in the Flushing Hospital, Sunday of pneumonia. Mr. Clabby had been employed as a plumber. He was born in Manhattan and had lived in Flushing about 15 years. He is survived by his wife, Agnes McManus Clabby; 3 sons and 1 daughter. The burial will take place in Mt. St. Mary's Cemetery, Flushing.



<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/163065446/frank-a-clabby#view-photo=185385875>

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OFFICER—ORC

O'Mara, Hanna Grace white

(Surname) (Christian name)

Residence 568 W 161 St., New York NEW YORK

(Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

* Born in Ireland Apr 12/91

† Called into active service as Nurse July 5/18 fr CL ‡ Training Camp.

Promotions: none

Organizations and staff assignments: BH CP Dix, NJ to Nov 2/18; Mob Sta to Dec 3/18; BH #77 to Dec 17/18; BH #5 to July 20/19; Demob Sta to disch

Principal stations:

Engagements: none

Wounds received in action: None.

§ Served overseas Dec 3/18 to July 20/19

|| Hon. disch. Aug 9/19 for convenience of the Government, services no longer required.

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

Remarks: RESERVE NURSE—RELIEVED FROM ACTIVE DUTY; NOT DISCHARGED

Form No. 84c-1 A. G. O. Mar. 17, 1921.

* Give place and date. † Insert (a) grade; (b) arm or staff corps or department; (c) date; (d) source, civil life (CL), RA, NG, ORC, NA; and (e) designation of training camp attended, if any. ‡ Strike out if he did not attend a training camp. § Give dates of departure from and return to the United States. || Give date.

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Francis A Clably

in the New York, New York, U.S., Extracted Marriage Index, 1866-1937



Detail	Source
Name	Francis A Clably
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	31 Aug 1919
Marriage Place	Queens, New York, USA
Spouse	Anna McManus
Certificate Number	1782

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<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/9105/records/2478541>

Claby

in the New York, New York, U.S., Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909



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Detail Source

Name	Claby
Gender	Male
Birth Date	7 Dec 1884
Birth Place	Manhattan, New York City, New York, New York, USA
Residence Address	W. 63 Street 404
Certificate Number	415984
Father	John Claby
Mother	Lizzie Claby
Mother Maiden Name	Boland

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61779/records/689565>

Frank Clabby

in the New York, New York, U.S., Extracted Death Index, 1862-1948



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Detail Source

Name	Frank Clabby
Age	33
Birth Year	abt 1894
Death Date	9 Jan 1927
Death Place	Queens, New York, USA
Certificate Number	245

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/9131/records/2952019>

REGISTRATION CARD

SERIAL NUMBER	69	ORDER NUMBER	3492
1 <i>Francis Aloysious Clabby</i>			
2 PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS: 10 <i>Nichols Pl. Flushing Queens NY</i>			
Age in Years	Date of Birth		
3 <i>33</i>	4 <i>DEC</i>	5 <i>7</i>	6 <i>1884</i>
RACE			
White	Negro	Oriental	Indian
7 <i>yes</i>	8 <i>—</i>	9 <i>—</i>	10 <i>—</i>
U. S. CITIZEN		ALIEN	
Native Born	Naturalized	Citizen by Father's Naturalization & Age Registrant's Majority	Declarant
11 <i>yes</i>	12 <i>—</i>	13 <i>—</i>	14 <i>—</i>
15 If not a citizen of the U. S., of what nation are you a citizen or subject?			
PRESENT OCCUPATION		EMPLOYER'S NAME	
16 <i>Plumber</i>		17 <i>Cornell & Co</i>	
18 PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS: <i>New Penn Hotel NY City</i>			
NEAREST RELATIVE			
Name	19 <i>Elizabeth Clabby</i>		
Address	20 <i>10 Nichols Pl Flushing Queens NY</i>		
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE			
P. M. G. O. <i>Francis Aloysious Clabby</i>			
FORM NO. 1 (REG) (Registration & signature of mark) (OVER)			

REGISTRAR'S REPORT							
DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT							
HEIGHT			BUILD			COLOR OF EYES	COLOR OF HAIR
Tall	Medium	Short	Slim	Medium	Stout		
21 <i>Yes</i>	22 <i>Yes</i>	23 <i>—</i>	24 <i>—</i>	25 <i>Yes</i>	26 <i>—</i>	27 <i>Light Brown</i>	28 <i>Blk</i>
29 Is the person lost arm, leg, hand, eye, or is he obviously physically disqualified? (Specify.)							
<i>None</i>							
30 I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark, and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:							
<i>Louis A. C. deWeller</i> Signature of Registrar							
Date of Registration <i>Sept 17/18</i> <i>Town Hall</i> <i>Flushing, N.Y.</i>							
Local Board Div. 185 City & State of N. Y. TOWN HALL, BROADWAY, FLUSHING, NEW YORK (STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD)							
(The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the area in which the registrant has his permanent home shall be placed in this box.)							

Anne M Clabby

in the New York, New York, U.S., Marriage License Indexes, 1907-2018



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Detail	Source
Name	Anne M Clabby
Gender	Female
Marriage License Date	10 Jun 1943
Marriage License Place	Manhattan, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	William A James
License Number	12105

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1950 census Queens NY – William A. James (46 Newfoundland, Canada, iron worker, construction) & wife Anne (49 NY) & stepson Robert E. Clabby (23 NY, pipe fitter helper) - Ann
https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/62308/records/277451580?tid=&pid=&queryId=b1b8596a-548e-4585-8398-75e4db916fad&_phsrc=cPx35547&_phstart=successSource

Anna McManus

in the New York, New York, U.S., Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909



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Detail	Source
Name	Anna McManus
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	16 Aug 1899
Birth Place	Manhattan, New York City, New York, New York, USA
Residence Address	E 115 64
Certificate Number	30749
Father	Frank McManus
Mother	Anna McManus
Mother Maiden Name	Lee

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61779/records/594021?tid=45643657&pid=272207133252&queryId=2ec628f7-b632-438e-8912-c242f4c53ced&_phsrc=cPx35555&_phstart=successSource

Queens Man Lost In Sea Air Crash

(Reprinted From Sunday's Late Editions)

Mrs. William Janes of 3319 200th St., Bayside, was notified yesterday (Saturday) by the War Department that her son, Marine Staff Sgt. Frank Clabby, 20, was lost Friday morning in the crash of a land plane on a training flight off the North Carolina coast. The body has not been recovered.

Sergeant Clabby had been home on a 10-day furlough, the first since he enlisted Oct. 19, 1942, just six weeks ago. His youngest brother, Robert E. Clabby, 18, is scheduled to arrive home on his first leave since enlisting in the navy five weeks ago. A third brother, Staff Sgt. John Joseph Clabby, 22, also a marine, is in the South Pacific.

Sergeant Frank, recently stationed at Cherry Point, N. C., was a graduate of Bayside High School, where he was a member of the basketball team. He also played on the team of Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament, of which church he was a member. At the time of his enlistment he was employed by a Manhattan brokerage firm.

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William James

in the New York State, U.S., Death Index, 1957-1972



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Detail Source

Name	William James
Gender	Male
Age	54
Birth Date	abt 1904
Residence Place	Beechwood, Monroe, New York, USA
Death Date	12 Mar 1958
Death Place	New York, USA
Certificate Number	18893

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61668/records/59779?tid=&pid=&queryId=d8b37896-ade3-48e9-8d02-f117e8685ba1&_phsrc=cPx35566&_phstart=successSource

JAMES—William James of 20 Symington Place, March 12, 1958.
—Private service will be held at Frear's Funeral Home, 1340 Lake Ave., on Tuesday, March 18. Interment, Mt. Hope Cemetery.

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Tue, Mar 18, 1958 · Page 24

is this him?

Rochester NY

8	Holloway	Mildred	17	✓	S	Teacher	Yes	English	Yes	Ufld.	English	05	Ufld.	Portland,	Ex-Order		89	U.S.A.	Brin.N.Y.
9	James	William A.	26	✓	M	Iron-Worker	Yes	English	Yes	Ufld.	English	08	Ufld.	Brigue	Ex-Order		89	U.S.A.	Brin.N.Y.

Form 50-1
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Immigration Service

List

LIST OR MANIFEST OF ALIEN PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES

ALL ALIENS arriving at a port of continental United States from a foreign port or a port of the insular possessions of the United States, and all aliens arriving at a port of said insular possessions from a foreign port, a port of continental United States, or a port of the insular possessions of the United States.

This (yellow) sheet is for the listing of

S. S. "ROSALENE" Passengers sailing from ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., MARCH April, 1951

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William A James

in the New York, U.S., Arriving Passenger and Crew Lists (including Castle Garden and Ellis Island), 1820-1957



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Detail Source

Name	William A James
Gender	Male
Marital Status	Married
Age	43
Birth Date	abt 1904
Departure Port	Saint John, New Brunswick
Arrival Date	10 Nov 1947
Arrival Port	New York, New York, USA
Ship Name	Fort Townshend

7	James	William A.	43	☒ M	☐ M
U. S. Supreme Court Bronx, N.Y. March 11, 1932		33-19-200th St Flushing, N.Y.			
port of continental United States, or a port of another insular possession.					
FIRST CLASS					
LIST OF UNITED STATES CITIZENS (FOR THE IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES)					
229					
S. S. Fort Townshend Sailing from St. John's, Nfld., November 5th, 1947, Arriving at Port of New York November 10th, 1947.					

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New York, New York, Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909

[View record](#)

Name	John J. Clabby
Gender	Male
Residence Age	40
Birth Place	Ireland
Residence Address	10 Avenue
Occupation	Inspector
Certificate Number	35357
Spouse	Eliza Clabby
Child	Mary Clabby

Sister Mary Clabby Pierce (1890-1974) -<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/656184293/facts>



Captioned: 4 generations at 240 Dare Rd., Selden NY – linked to Marie Mary Clabby -
https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/54400692/person/13664751036/media/53b64a2e-d4f6-4f9e-b62c-5dec9c24903e?queryId=4f535851-9681-40e9-bcd7-204ecd9ecc5c&searchContextTreelId=578712&searchContextPersonId=1588805497&_phsrc=cPx35479&_phstart=successSource

New York, New York, Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909

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Name	Mary Clabby
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	29 Oct 1890
Birth Place	Manhattan, New York City, New York, New York, USA
Residence Address	10 Avenue 942
Certificate Number	35357
Father	John J. Clabby
Mother	Eliza Clabby
Mother Maiden Name	Boland

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/1588805497/facts>

New York, New York, Marriage Indexes 1866-1937

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Name	Marie M Clabby
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	16 Aug 1911
Marriage Place	Queens, New York, USA
Spouse	James J Pierce
Certificate Number	1148

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/1588805497/facts>

QUEENS MARRIAGE LICENSES.

For the twenty-four hours ended at 6 p.m. yesterday the following marriage licenses were issued by Deputy City Clerk Frenz of Queens: John Stumpf, 21, of 98 First st, Union Course, Mary Dielmann, 18, of 45 Shaw av, Union Course.

James Pierce, 21, of 509 Amsterdam av, Manhattan, Marie Clabby, 20, of 10 Hicks st, Flushing.

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Brooklyn NY

James J. Pierce.

James J. Pierce, 36, of 5829 Highland ave., Queensboro Hill, Flushing, died yesterday in the Flushing Hospital from heart trouble. He was born in Manhattan and had lived in Flushing five years. For several years he had been employed in the Customs House in Manhattan. He is survived by his wife, Marie, and four children, Muriel, Norman, Natalie and James J. Pierce, jr. He also leaves one brother, Dennis J. Pierce, of Flushing.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
Tue, Sep 28, 1926 - Page 3

25-5608-21-2, Form 15-17

STATE OF NEW YORK
Department of Health of The City of New York
BUREAU OF RECORDS

1 PLACE OF DEATH
BOROUGH OF Queens

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Name of Institution Flushing Hospital Register No. 5184

2 FULL NAME James Pierce

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, or DIVORCED married (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH November 25, 1890
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 35 yrs. 10 mos. 1 ds. or less than 1 day. less min.

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

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) U. S. A.

10 How long in U. S. (If of foreign birth) life (B) How long resident in City of New York 15 yrs.

PARENTS OF DECEASED
10 NAME OF FATHER Dennis Pierce
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Ireland
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Margaret Kane
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Ireland

14 Special INFORMATION required in deaths in hospitals and institutions and in deaths of non-residents and recent residents.
Former or usual residence 50-29-136th St. N.Y.
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

15 DATE OF DEATH Sept. 26, 1926
(Month) (Day) (Year)

16 I hereby certify that the foregoing particulars (Nos. 1 to 15 inclusive) are correct as near as the same can be ascertained, and I further certify that deceased was admitted to this institution on Sept. 26, 1926 that I last saw him alive on the 26 day of Sept. 1926, that he died on the 26 day of Sept. 1926, about 5:35 o'clock A. M. or P.M., and that I am unable to state definitely the cause of death; the diagnosis during his last illness was: uraemia
duration 1 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.
Contributory chronic interstitial nephritis (Secondary) duration 1 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.
Witness my hand this 26 day of Sept. 1926
Signature Walter Horner M.D.
House Attending

17 I hereby certify that I have this 26 day of Sept. 1926, performed an autopsy upon the body of said deceased, and that the cause of death was as follows:

Signature _____ M. D.
Pathologist _____ Hospital _____

FILED 18 PLACE OF BURIAL St. Maryslean DATE OF BURIAL Sept 30th 1926
19 UNDERTAKER W. H. Mason ADDRESS Flushing & Whitehouse
Box 889.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING. NO MUTILATED CERTIFICATE WILL BE RECEIVED

<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/collection/1030/tree/49061367/person/232051606797/media/69166f79-cfdd-403b-a49a-e7889672288d?queryId=d5dc0f07-cc77-4792-ae7f-a4ee0225b463&searchContextTreelId=&searchContextPersonId=&phsrc=cPx35521&phstart=successSource>

Social Security Death Index

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Name	Marie Pierce
Social Security Number	078-16-5384
Birth Date	24 Oct 1890
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	New York
Last Residence	11357, Flushing, Queens, New York, USA
Death Date	Sep 1974

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/1588805497/facts>

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Sister Catherine (Isabel) Clabby Pierce McDermott (1893-1980) –

<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui->

<viewer/tree/578712/person/656169371/media/af3984e6-ea6f-4d1e-8790-09b649329a24>

New York City, Marriage Indexes, 1907-1995



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Name	Isabel Dolores Clabby
Gender	Female
Marriage License Date	29 Jun 1914
Marriage License Place	Queens, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Dennie John Pierce
License Number	1374

Married Dennis John Pierce 29 Jun 1914 - <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/656169371/facts>

New York, Death Index, 1880-1956



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Name	Dennis J. Pierce
Death Date	25 Jul 1936
Death Place	New Rochelle, New York, USA
Certificate Number	44323

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/656166716/facts>

Dennis J. Pierce
 NEW ROCHELLE — Dennis J. Pierce, a member of the New York Stock Exchange since 1921, died Saturday of a heart attack during an afternoon nap at his home, 240 Beechmont Drive. He was forty-four years old.

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Mount Vernon NY

DENNIS J. PIERCE DIES DURING NAP; BROKER SINCE '21

Sudden Heart Attack Kills
Beechmont Man at
His Home

Dennis J. Pierce, of 240 Beechmont Drive, a member of the New York Stock Exchange since March 10, 1921, died suddenly Saturday night of a heart attack, during a nap at his home. He was 45 years old.

A New Rochelle Hospital ambulance was summoned by the family at 7:30 P. M. Mr. Pierce was pronounced dead by the interne. He had been in good health up to that time. The body was removed to the Brady Funeral Home, 472 North Avenue.

Mr. Pierce was born in New York City, and received his college education at City College of New York.

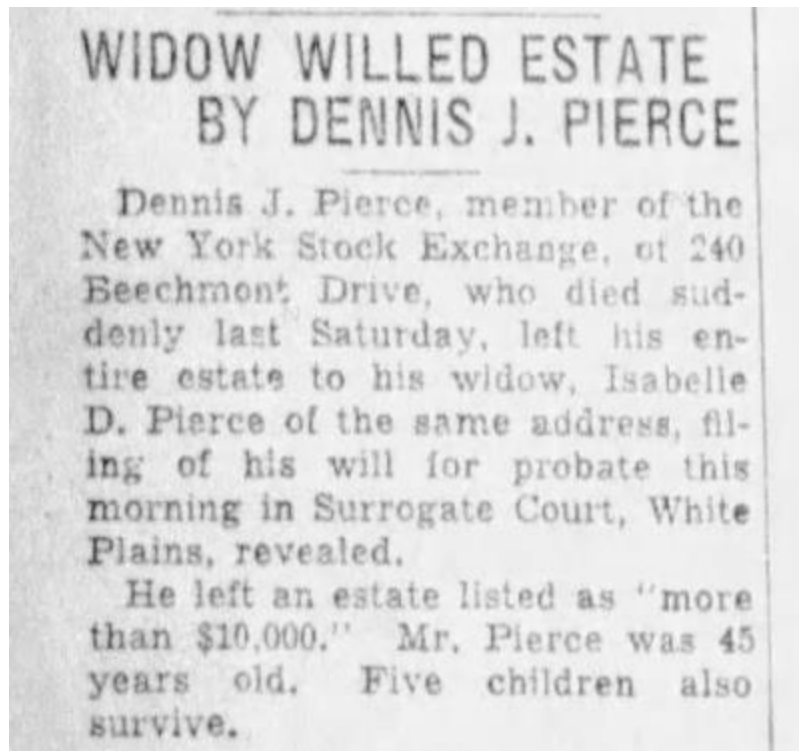
He was an independent stock broker and maintained an office with Stafford & Company, 20 Exchange Place, Manhattan.

Surviving are his widow, Isabelle (Clabby) Pierce, and five children, Elaine, Jack, Virginia, Dennis, Jr., and Robert.

Services will be held from his late residence tomorrow at 10:30 A. M. Solemn Requiem Mass will be offered at the Church of the Holy Family at 11 A. M. Interment will take place in Gates of Heaven Cemetery, Mount Pleasant.

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New Rochelle NY



New Rochelle NY

New York City, Marriage Indexes, 1907-1995

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Name	William Z McDermott
Gender	Male
Marriage License Date	20 Jan 1944
Marriage License Place	Manhattan, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Isabel McDermott
License Number	1728

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/578712/person/6134284509/facts>

WILLIAM F. McDERMOTT

A High Requiem Mass for William F. McDermott, 72, retired senior partner of the law firm of Hardy, Stancliffe & Hardy, 750 Third Ave., and a director of the United Cork Co., will be offered at 10 A.M. today in St. Mary's Church, Stamford, Conn. He died Saturday in his home at 35 Downes Ave., Stamford.

McDERMOTT, Isabel Pierce age 84 at Stamford, Ct., died April 1, 1980 in Stamford. Beloved mother of Robert J. Pierce, Mrs. William F. Standing and Mrs. Alphonsus J. Donahue Jr. Funeral service will be held from the Leo P. Gallagher & Son Funeral Home, Stamford, Ct., on Thursday April 3 at 10:30 a.m. then to St. Clement Catholic Church for Blessing at 11 a.m. Interment Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Valhalla, N.Y. There will be a Memorial Mass of Christian Burial on Saturday April 19 at St. Clement's Catholic Church, Stamford, Ct., at 10 a.m. The family prefers donations to the American Heart Association.

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Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

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Name: William John Clabby

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 213th Aero Squadron - private

Serial number: 250,126

Entered service from: Flushing, Queens NY

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: William J. Clabby

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": mother Mrs. John Clabby, 10 Hicks St., Flushing NY

Returned from war on: "Princess Matoika" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: William J. Clabby

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother Mrs. Elizabeth V. Clabby, 10 High St., Flushing, Long Island NY (pvt, Aero Sq)

World War I draft registration (1917): as William John Clabby - b. 4 Aug 1890 New York City, NY; res: 10 Hicks Pl., Flushing NY. Single. Chauffeur for Miss F.F. Davage, 430 W. 116th St., NYC. Father & mother dependent on him. Medium height & build.

World War II draft registration (1942): as William John Clabby - b. 3 Aug 1888 NY, NY; res: 433 Vista, San Gabriel, Los Angeles CA. NOK Mrs. Wm. J. Clabby at the same address. Self-employed at the home address. Height: 6'6 ½" & weight: 140 lbs. Registered 26 Apr 1942.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 11 Dec 1917

Discharged 4 Jun 1919

Address: 153 Noe St., San Francisco CA

Rank/unit: private, Hob Cas C

NY WWI Army Card: William J. Clabby, serial 250126, resident of 10 Hicks St., Flushing NY. Enlisted in Army at Mineola, Long Island NY on 11 Dec 1917 at age 25 years, 3 months. Born NY, NY. In 213th Aero Squadron to 13 Jul 1918 – in 844th Aero Squadron to 17 Aug 1918 – in 641st Aero Squadron to discharge. Promoted to private 1st class 5 Jun 1918, to chauffeur 1 Sep 1918, to 1st sergeant 30 Jan 1919. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to 26 May 1919. Discharged 4 Jun 1919. 0% disabled.

Birth & death:

Born: 3 Aug 1888 Manhattan, NY, NY (WWII & CA Death Index & tombstone & NY birth) - or - 4 Aug 1890 NYC, NY (World War I draft). NY birth record (indexed as William Clobby) – born 3 Aug 1888 to John & Elizabeth Clobby, at 942 – 10th Ave., NYC

Died: 15 Nov 1955 Los Angeles Co. CA

Find A Grave record: 104195875, presence on Tuscania noted in flower

Burial location: San Gabriel, Los Angeles CA

Cemetery: San Gabriel Mission

Tombstone:

Father: John J. Clabby, Oct 1854 [also found as 1851] NY – 29 Feb 1924 Queens NY.

Son of Patrick & Elizabeth Clabby.

Obituary: "Brooklyn Times Union" 3 Mar 1924 p 9 – Requiem Mass at St. Michael's Catholic Church, Flushing NY, on 3 Mar 1924 for John J. Clabby, age 74, who died at home at 10 Hicks Place, Flushing, after a long illness. A resident of Flushing for 12 years. For many years an engineer in charge of grading & paving in the Highway Bureau of Queens. Survived by wife Mrs. Elizabeth Clabby, 2 sons: Frank J. & William, and 2 married daughters (unnamed). His funeral was "largely attended."

His NY death record reports he is widowed, but then that his executor is Elizabeth J. Clabby (his wife), which is validated by the copy of his will copied above. He was age 74, born ca. 1854, the son of Patrick & Elizabeth Clabby, who were born in Ireland. He died at his residence, 10 Hicks Place, Flushing, Queens NY of "uraemia chronic interstitial nephritis." Employed as a foreman, street cleaning department, NYC.

Buried in Calvary Cemetery. This is likely Calvary Cemetery, Woodside, Queens NY. There are several Clabby burials there on Find A Grave, but not John's.

Find A Grave:

Mother: Elizabeth J. Boland Clabby, Jan 1856 (1900 census) or 25 Jan 1857 (obituary) Ireland – 16 Oct 1952 Stamford, Fairfield CT.

Her maiden surname also found as Bowland (marriage license index) & Bowling.

Daughter of Joannis/John Boland (1819-1908) & Bridget [or Elizabeth, according to her obituary] Kenny (1813-1883).

Arrived in the US in 1873 or 1875 or 1877

In the 1930 census, Elizabeth J. Clabby, 66 Ireland, parents b. Ireland, widow, lived with her married daughter Isabelle D. Pierce (36 NY), her son-in-law Dennis J. Pierce (38 NY, broker on the stock exchange) & their 5 children in Queens, Queens NY. This census was conducted 11 Apr 1930.

Elizabeth died while visiting her married granddaughter, Mrs. A.J. Donohue Jr., in Stamford, Fairfield CT.

Find A Grave:

Parents' marriage: 20 Nov 1881 Manhattan, NY

Spouse: Selma Murray Lane Clabby Barnsley, 15 Apr 1887 IL – 22 Jun 1963 Alameda Co. CA.

Daughter of Patrick J. Murray and Minnie Krummri/Krumri.

In the 1900 census for Hammond, Lake IN, Patrick Murray (36 Ireland, Apr 1864) was a bill poster [i.e. advertising posters]. He lived with wife Minnie (34 Germany, Mar 1866) & their 4 children, including Selma Murray (13 IL, Apr 1887). This census was conducted 12 Jun 1900.

Selma Murray married Raymond Otto (Ray) Lane (1888-1975, F: 45145238) on 6 Oct 1909 in Oklahoma County OK. He became a dentist.

In 1920, Patrick & Minnie Murray resided in Cleburne, Johnson TX. Living with them was daughter Selma Murray, age 32, b. IN, single. This census was conducted 1/2/3 Jan 1920. Selma was a mail clerk in a hotel while her father Patrick was in advertising, bill placing,

own business. In 1930, Patrick J. & Minnie lived in Precinct 6, Bexar Co. TX. Minnie died in Uvalde, Uvalde TX of cancer of the intestines on 31 Oct 1946.

Following her marriage to William Clabby, she married Foster Fenton Barnsley (1879-1964, F: 18410002).

The burial details for both Selma and Foster Barnsley are unknown.

Find A Grave: 20256222

Marriage: Tuscania survivor W.J. Clabby married Selma Murray, daughter of P.J. Murray, in Cleburne, Johnson TX on Saturday 20 Aug 1921 in St. Joseph's Catholic Church. He filed a He filed a divorce petition against Selma Clabby in Houston, Harris TX in Dec 1922.

Spouse: Estelle (Stella) E. McDougale Clabby, 19 Oct 1892 TX – 3 Feb 1989 Harris Co. TX. Daughter of Robert Boyce McDougale (1857-1941, F: 32629200) & Elizabeth (Leseman, Lessman) Boudeaux (1862-1935, F: 32640862).

In the 1900 census for Justice Precinct 7, Harris Co. TX, Robert McDougale (42 TX, farmer) lived with wife Lismann (38 TX) & their 7 children, which included Stella (7 TX, Oct 1894, at school).

Robert is buried in the McDougale Family Cemetery, Tomball, Harris TX.

Has 2 Find A Grave records:

The one in San Gabriel Mission Cemetery, San Gabriel, Los Angeles CA has incomplete death information on the headstone

Spouse Find A Grave: 104195904

the other in TX contains full details so she is likely buried there.

Buried in Perry Cemetery, Houston, Harris TX.

Spouse Find A Grave: 19139979

Marriage; 31 Mar 1923 in Harris Co. TX. W.J. Clabby & Stella E. McDougale.

Children:

Siblings: plus 2 siblings who had died by the 1900 census

- **Elizabeth Gertrude Clabby Mesigh**, Jan 1883 NYC, NY (1900 census) - 4 May 1951 NY, NY. - She married John J. Mesigh (1870-1940, F: 176793127, the son of Francis L. Mesigh & Catherine McNabe/McNabb) on 7 Sep 1904 in Manhattan NY. - A link to the 1918 home address of William Clabby in "Brooklyn Times Union" 17 Jun 1921 p 2: surrogate James A. Foley appointed Maurice Marks today in Surrogate's Court, Manhattan NY, as referee to pass on the application of John J. Mesigh, 10 Hicks Place, Flushing, asking that letters of administration granted his sister, Mrs. Catherine C. Flynn, 262 W. 89th St., Manhattan, be revoked. When John's mother Catherine died in 1909, he inherited income from \$16,000 & from a house at 1339 Fifth Ave., Manhattan. In the 11 years since, there has been no annual accounting of the handling of the estate by the steward as required by law. Catherine's husband died Sep 1920. Catherine says she left the handling of the estate to her husband & she knows nothing. – Buried in Mount Saint Mary Cemetery, Flushing, Queens NY. F: 176792911.

- **Francis Aloysius (Frank) Clabby**, 7 Dec 1884 NY, NY – 9 Jan 1927 Flushing, Queens NY (interred 12 Jan 1927). – His NY birth record lists him as the son of John & Lizzie Clabby. - On his WWI draft record, he was a plumber, living at 10 Hicks Place (also the address of William). b. Dec 1884 NY (1900 census). Francis A. Clabby, b. NYC, age 18, plumber, enlisted in the Army (Coast Artillery) on 16 May 1903, and was discharged 15 May 1906. – He married Anna McManus (4 Jul 1898 NY-6 Jul 1976, daughter of Frank & Anna McManus) on 31 Aug 1919 in NY. Frank A. Clabby, plumber, b. Manhattan NY, who died in Flushing NY of pneumonia on 12 Jan 1927 (“Brooklyn Times Union” 11 Jan 1927 p 55). – Anne Clabby married William A. James (b. ca. 1904 Newfoundland, Canada) on 10 Jun 1943 in Manhattan NY. In the 1950 census, William & Annie James live in Queens NY with his stepson Robert Emmet Clabby (b. 8 Aug 1925 Flushing, Queens NY.) - Frank is buried in Mount Saint Mary Cemetery, Flushing, Queens NY, F: 163065446. The headstone says it was erected by his mother, Hannah Grace O’Mara, who died Sep 1976. This is a mystery. See below.
- **Marie (Mary) Muriel Clabby Pierce**, 29 Oct 1890 NYC, NY – 30 Sep 1974 Flushing, Queens NY. - SSN 078-16-5384. – Her NY birth record lists parents as John J. & Eliza Clabby. - Born Oct 1890 NY (1900 census). - Marie Muriel Clabby married on 16 Aug 1911 in Queens NY to James Joseph Pierce (25 Nov 1889 NY – 27 Sep 1926 Flushing, Queens NY, of uraemia, F: 176862819), the son of Dennis John Pierce (1891-1936 & Margaret T. Cahill [spelled Kale on James’s NY death certificate). – James Pierce was the brother of Dennis John Pierce, who was the 1st husband of Marie Clabby’s sister Catherine/Isabel Clabby. – Buried in Mount Saint Mary Cemetery, Flushing, Queens NY. F: 176862965
- **Isabel (Catherine/Kate) Dolores Clabby Pierce McDermott**, 21 Oct 1892 (Oct 1892 in 1900 census, in which she is 7 years old) or 21 Oct 1895 (Find A Grave) Manhattan, NY, NY - 1 Apr 1980 Stamford, Fairfield CT. Born Oct 1892 NY according to the 1900 census. - Married 29 Jun 1914 in Queens NY to Dennis John Pierce (1891-26 Jul 1936 New Rochelle, Westchester NY, F: 135798326), the son of Dennis John Pierce & Margaret T. Cahill. Dennis’s brother James Pierce married Catherine Clabby’s sister Marie Clabby. – Her husband, a broker on the New York Stock Exchange since 1921, died at his home in New Rochelle NY of a heart attack while he was napping. – Newspaper accounts said Dennis’s estate, left to his wife Isabel, was worth at least \$20,000. In 2025 dollars, this ranges from \$454,000 to \$457,000. - On 20 Jan 1944 in Manhattan NY, she then married William Francis (Billy) McDermott (1892 NY-1964 CT, F: 135791157). Isabel McDermott is buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Flushing, Queens NY. F: 135797318

Notes: Served in the Mexican border conflict prior to WWI.

His father John’s will lists the following survivors:

Elizabeth J. Clabby, his widow

Daughter Elizabeth Mesigh

Son Frank Mesigh [which should read Clabby]

Son William Mesigh [which should read Clabby]
 Daughter Marie M. Pierce
 Daughter Isabelle D. Pierce

Hannah Grace O'Mara, who inscribes on Francis (Frank) Aloysius Clabby's headstone that she is his mother, has SSSN 090-30-1684. She was born 12 Apr 1891 & her last residence was in Flushing, Queens NY when she died 28 Sep 1976.
 In 1940, Hannah Omara, 48 Eire [Ireland], a naturalized citizen, lived at 310 Park Place as a lodger with John G. & Jennie Bene. In 1935 she reported living in Kings Co. Hannah had served in the US Army in WWI (5 Jul 1918 – 10 Oct 1918).

Wartime:

His mother is also reported in the "Long Island Farmer" & "New York Sun" as Mrs. William J. Clabby. His father is also reported as J.H. Clabby of 49 Linden Ave., Flushing NY (but that is fellow passenger David Loweree's address)

"New York Tribune" 10 Feb 1918 p 14 – 1 of 2 local men not reported safe is William J. Clabby

"Brooklyn Times Union" 2 Mar 1918 p 6 – letters received in Flushing NY from William Clabby of Hicks Place & Joseph Crawford of Osgood Place. William's letter copied above.

Post-war:

1948 Temple City CA city directory:
 Clabby, Wm. J. (Estelle), salesman, resident of 433 Vista

Obituary:

CA death record: William John Clabby, d. 15 Nov 1955 at 7:30 a.m. at 6041 N. Vista, San Gabriel, Los Angeles CA at age 67. Married – wife Estelle Clabby. Salesman, furniture store. Father: John Clabby, b. Ireland. Mother: Elizabeth Bowling, b. Ireland. WWI veteran. SSN 551-07-8144. Had lived in San Gabriel 15 ½ years. Autopsy was performed. Cause of death: congestive heart failure. Buried in San Gabriel Mission Cemetery.

Social Security Number: 551-07-8144

Censuses:

1900 Manhattan, NY, NY – 448 Amsterdam St. – conducted 12 Jun 1900
 John J. Clabby, 45 NY, Oct 1854, parents b. Ireland, married 19 years, inspector, public highways

Elizabeth, 40 Ireland, Jan 1860, emigrated 1877, in US for 23 years, gave birth to 7 children, 5 are living [wife]

Elizabeth, 17 NY, Jan 1883, school [daughter]

Francis, 15 NY, Dec 1884, school [son]

William, 11 NY, Aug 1888, school [son]

Mary, 9 NY, Oct 1890, school [daughter]

Catherine, 7 NY, Oct 1892, school [daughter]

1905 NY state census – Manhattan NY

John J. Clabby, 52

Elizabeth, 42

William, 16

Mary, 14

Isabel, 12

1910 Manhattan, NY, NY – W. 83rd St. – conducted 16 Apr 1910

John J. Clabby, 61 NY, parents b. Ireland, married 28 years, inspector, highways

Elizabeth, 50 Ireland, parents b. Ireland, housework, private, gave birth to 7 children, 5 are living

William J., 21 NY, single, chauffeur, garage

Mary S., 19 NY

Catharine S., 17 NY, stenographer, china store

1915 NY state census – Queens NY – as of 1 Jun 1915

John Clabby, 64 US, inspector, highway department

Elizabeth, 59 Ireland, housewife

Wm. John, 27 US, chauffeur

1920 Queens, Queens NY – 10 Crawford Place – conducted 17/18/19 Apr 1920

John J. Clabby, 71 NY, father b. Ireland, mother b. England, inspector, N.Y.C.

Elizabeth J., 59 Ireland, emigrated 1875, naturalized 1881

William J., 29 NY, single, mechanic, automobiles

1930 Chicago, Cook IL – 2921 Washington Blvd. – rented

Found at:

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/6224/records/24855253?tid=&pid=&queryld=c95689d7-1941-4007-99bd-f996d5a3bcfc&_phsrc=cPx35497&_phstart=successSource

William Joe Clabby, 39 NY, father b. NY, mother b. Ireland, age 27 at 1st marriage, salesman, store, WWI veteran

Stella M. Clabby, 28 TX, parents b. TX, age 28 at 1st marriage, age 28 at 1st marriage, bookkeeper, office [wife]

& 2 lodgers Idella McGinnis, 38 WI, stenographer & Raymond Roberts, 48 NY, janitor

1940 San Gabirle, Los Angeles CA – in 1935 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles CA – conducted 13 Apr 1940

William J. Clabby, 51 NY, salesman, retail furniture

Eselle [sic] E., 47 TX

1950 San Gabriel, Los Angeles CA – 433 Vista – conducted 6 Apr 1950

William J. Clabby, 61 NY, furniture salesman, retail department store

Estelle, 57 TX, bakery clerk

1950