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Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

TUSCANIA

Jones, Evan
1895 PA – 1920 PA



Evan Jones – “Scranton (PA) Republican” 9 Feb 1918 p 1

PLACE OF DEATH.			CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.	
County of <u>Lackawanna</u>			Registration District No. <u>598</u>	File No. <u>37281</u>		
Township of _____			Primary Registration District No. <u>34</u>	Registered No. <u>92</u>		
or Borough of _____						
City of <u>Carbondale</u> (No. <u>So Main</u> St., _____ Ward.)					If death occurred in a Hospital or Institution, give its NAME, instead of street and number.	
2. FULL NAME <u>Evan Jones</u>						
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS						
3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED <u>Single</u>		16. DATE OF DEATH <u>Feb 28 1920</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH <u>Mar 23 1895</u>				17. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from <u>Feb 7th 1920</u> to <u>Feb 28th 1920</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>Feb 28th 1920</u> , and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at <u>6</u> P. M. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:		
7. AGE <u>24</u> yrs. <u>11</u> mos. <u>5</u> ds.	If LESS than 1 day how many.....hrs. ormin?		<u>Lobar Pneumonia</u> (Duration) yrs. mos. <u>5</u> ds. Contributory (Secondary) <u>Influenza</u> (Duration) yrs. mos. <u>10</u> ds. (Signed) <u>F. B. Price</u> M. D. <u>3rd 1920</u> (Address) <u>Carbondale Pa</u>			
8. OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or, particular kind of work <u>Clerk</u>						
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <u>A & Office</u>						
9. BIRTHPLACE (State or Country) <u>Carbondale Pa</u>						
10. NAME OF FATHER <u>J & Jones</u>						
11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Country) <u>So Wales</u>						
12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Mary J Lewis</u>						
13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) <u>So Wales</u>						
14. THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.						
(Informant) <u>J & Jones</u>						
(Address) _____						
15. <u>Mar 3, 1920</u> <u>H. G. LIKELEY</u> Local Registrar						
			19. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Broskadehem</u>		DATE OF BURIAL <u>Mar 3 1920</u>	
			20. UNDERTAKER <u>Ch Shyler</u>		ADDRESS <u>Carbondale Pa</u>	

Evan Jones – PA death certificate -

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Evan Jones.

Attended by a large number of friends and relatives, including a large delegation of ex-service men, Evan Jones, survivor of the Tuscania, was held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Jones of South Main street, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. Charles Lee, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and burial was made in Brookside cemetery. At the grave services were conducted by the Junior Order United American Mechanics. The casket-bearers were: Oswald James, Russell Jeffrey, S. Coles, Thomas Johns, C. Phillips and B. Lewsley. The floral bearers were: A. Morgan, S. Thomas, and Thomas Nelson.

"Carbondale (PA) Daily News" Thursday 4 Mar 1920 p 5

JONES EVAN		X C 677 237	
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LOCAL BOY IS SURVIVOR OF THE TUSCANIA

Relatives in This City Receive
Cheerful News from Car-
bondale Soldier Who was
on the Ill-Fated British
Transport.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Jones, of South Main street, received a cablegram today from their son, Evan Jones, who was one of the United States soldiers on the British Tuscania, when it was torpedoed Tuesday evening while making the overseas voyage. The cable gram contained the joyful news that the Carbondale young man is among the survivors of the wrecked transport and that he is now at one of Ireland's seaport town. Private Jones was a clerk in the medical corps and since the sinking of the ship, his relatives and friends have been scanning the official reports with much anxiety.

"Carbondale (IL) Daily News" 9 Feb 1918 p 1

It has not been positively proven that anyone from Scranton or vicinity was on the ill-fated vessel, but government dispatches give the names and numbers of all the detachments to which they belonged as being passengers on the Tuscania.

Briefly, it is believed that Everett L. Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hamilton, a member of Co. E, 20th Engineers; Sergeant Stanley L. Lessig, son of Mrs. Mary J. Arnold, of 236 Wyoming avenue, a member of the 100th Aero Squadron; Private Edward C. Grahamer, son of George Grahamer, of 1047 Irving avenue, a member of the 158th Aero Squadron, and Corporal Evan Jones, son of John E. Jones, of Carbondale, a member of the Hospital corps of the 213th Aero Squadron, were among the drowned soldiers.

All of the detachments to which these young men belonged were aboard the Tuscania and Washington advices give their names as among those who sailed from an Atlantic port last week when the vessel cleared for her last trip. Their names are not mentioned in the list of survivors who have been landed on the coasts of Scotland and Ireland. Young Jones was last heard from two weeks ago from Garden City, L. I. He had been in training for some time. He is twenty-two years of age. Grahmer also wrote from Garden City about two weeks ago. All of the other young men are well known in Scranton and have a host of friends with whom they have been corresponding and who will eagerly await some word of their safe arrival "Over There."

Premature news of his death – "among the drowned soldiers" – article also contains his photograph (copied above) - "Scranton (PA) Tribune" Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 1

**CORPORAL EVAN JONES
IS NOW IN ENGLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Jones, of South Main street, have received word from their son, Evan Jones, a member of an aviation section of the United States army, who was aboard the illfated Tuscania, when she was torpedoed off the Irish coast several weeks ago, that he is now in England and expects to be soon shipped across the channel to France.

Jones was confined to a hospital in Belfast, Ireland, for several weeks following his rescue from a raft in the water almost a day, following the sinking of the transport. He was ill from exposure, he stated, but has now completely recovered.

"Scranton (PA) Republican" 11 Mar 1918 p 6

CORPORAL EVAN JONES NOW IN LIVERPOOL WRITES TO M. G. WATT

Has Not Been in a Hospital but Was Detained There by the
Duty of Looking After Survivors of the Tuscania.

Some weeks ago upon reading of the Tuscania torpedoing and that Evan Jones of this city was one of the survivors but in a hospital in Ireland, M. G. Watt wrote him. Mr. Watt has just received a reply to his letter, which is as follows:

**U. S. DEBARKATION OFFICE,
Northwestern Hotel, Liverpool.**

April 3, 1918.

My Dear "Watty":

Your little note addressed to me at a hospital in Ireland, was received by me this morning. It is, perhaps, needless to say that same was highly appreciated as it was the first word that I had received from the old home town since I embarked for overseas the middle of January. I was pained to learn that an error had been made by someone in reporting me as lost. Cannot account for that, as I immediately turned my name and address over to the proper authorities as soon as I landed in Ireland. Will relieve your anxiety a little by telling you that I am not a patient in hospital in Ireland but was detained there in connection with the survivors of the Tuscania, to see that they had proper care, clothing, etc., and were sent on as soon as they recovered. Was glad to hear that they finally got a report through of my rescue.

Can assure you that I certainly had an exciting time from the moment we were struck until I landed. The first move I made, of course, was to get on deck and try and learn how hard we were hit. We took a list of possibly 45 degrees immediately after being struck. After going on deck, it felt rather cold and I went below for my overcoat, came back up and after possibly $\frac{1}{2}$ hr. had elapsed, the boat I was assigned to came down from on top and we started to slide down the

ropes to board the life-boat. I had a rather trying experience when I slid down the rope, (being the last one to board the life-boat) the life-boat started away and left me swinging on the rope, but came back on a wave and I boarded her O. K. Then we started away from the ship and rowed possibly 2 hrs. and a half, when we were picked up by a patrol boat. I shall certainly have some tales to recite, and some of the things shall haunt me the rest of my days.

I certainly have been blessed and thank the Lord for my safe deliverance.

Glad to learn that the old town is proud of me, and cannot tell you how glad I am to learn that everything at home is quite the same as usual. Remember me to all the people.

In Christian fellowship,

(Cp'l) EVAN. (JONES)

P. S.—Am temporarily on duty at Liverpool and shall write more about it later.

He was the last one on his lifeboat, not the last one off the ship – and he was rowing in a lifeboat, not floating in the water – as other reports told the story – “Carbondale (IL) Daily News” Friday 19 Apr 1918 p 8

SURVIVOR OF TUSCANIA IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

**Evan Jones, Who Had Miracu-
lous Escape from Torpedoed
Transport Succumbs to
Pneumonia.**

Evan Jones, one of the survivors of the Tuscania which was sunk off the Irish coast by a German submarine during the world war and who had a thrilling experience in his grapple for life, passed quietly and peacefully away at his home on South Main St., at 5:30 o'clock Saturday evening following a three weeks' illness of pneumonia. For some time after the sinking of the Tuscania relatives of the young man believed him to have been one of the victims but the despair was removed when a letter was received from him. The letter was writ-

ten in a hospital in Ireland and while convalescing from his horrifying experience.

Jones' experience on the ill-fated Tuscania was the most thrilling of any of his fellow passengers. He was among the last of the soldiers to leave the troop ship and while descending to a life boat, the rope ladder snapped and Jones fell. Almost exhausted from the battle for life, he was rescued by a British destroyer and with other survivors landed on the Irish coast. It was three weeks before he was able to get in touch with the American Expeditionary Forces in England and during that time his name was included among those reported missing, following the sinking of the transport.

Before returning to this country last June, Jones served with the American Expeditionary Forces in France and England. Upon his arrival home he resumed his duties as an employe in the D. & H. trainmasters office where he was employed up to the time of his recent illness. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Jones, two sisters, Mrs. Olive Woodland and Miss Jane Jones; and four brothers, William, Ernest, Wendall and John Jones. The funeral will be held from

his late home No. 104 South Main street, and burial will be made in the Brookside cemetery.

Obituary of Evan Jones – "Carbondale (PA) Daily News" Monday 1 Mar 1920 p 1

Jones Funeral Today.
 The funeral of Evan Jones will be held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Jones, of South Main street, at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Funeral services will be held at the late home, Rev. Charles Lee, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating. Interment will be made in Brookside cemetery. The service men of this city will attend the funeral in a body.

"Scranton (PA) Tribune" Wednesday 3 Mar 1920 p 10

Miss Elizabeth Pue, of Plymouth, is a guest at the Jones residence on South Main street.

Messrs. John and Wendell Jones, Mrs. Olive Woodland and son Lewis and Miss Jane Jones, motored to Plymouth yesterday where they spent the day with friends.

"Carbondale (PA) Daily News" Monday 26 Jun 1922 p 8



EVANS

On October 14, 1982 Olive M. (nee Jones) beloved wife of the late Harold S. Evans of Barrington. Survived by two sons J. Lewis Woodland of Marlton, Lloyd Woodland of Barrington, also a brother Ernest R. Jones of Perth Amboy and three grandsons. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend Graveside Services at 2 p.m. on Monday from the Hillside Cemetery Roslyn, Pa. Funeral under the direction of the DuBOIS FUNERAL HOME, 700 White Horse Pike Audubon.

Sister Olive Maude Jones Woodland Evans - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/32892675/person/18355179890/media/ce5132f4-321c-40c2-9ae1-de3b16d1460f> - her obituary from the "Camden (NJ) Courier-Post" Saturday 16 Oct 1982 p 22

Form V. S. No. 5

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
5-20
16546

1. PLACE OF DEATH
County of Lackawanna
Township of Newton
or
Borough of
or
City of

Registration
District No.
Primary Registration
District No. 35-19-82

File No. 16546
Registered No.

2. FULL NAME William Ivor Jones
(a) Residence, No. Hillside Hospital St. Ward.
(Usual place of abode) (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

6a. If married, widowed, or divorced
HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of Margaret Hoyle

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Dec. 10, 1888

7. AGE Years Months Days IF LESS than 1 day hrs. min.
42 2 10

8. OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Unknown
(b) General nature of industry, business or establishment in which employed (or employer)
(c) Name of employer

9. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Scranton, Pa.
(State or Country)

10. NAME OF FATHER John E. Jones
(State or Country) Wales

11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (city or town)
(State or Country)

12. NAME OF MOTHER Mary Jane Lewis
(State or Country) Wales

13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (city or town)
(State or Country)

14. Informant H. P. Lawelle
(Address) Clarks Summit, Pa.

15. Filed Feb. 21, 1931 Mary E. Brown
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH February 20, 1931
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from January 30, 1931 to February 20, 1931, that I last saw him alive on February 20, 1931, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 15 P.M.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
General Paralysis of the Insane
76-129
(duration) yrs. 5 mos. days
CONTRIBUTORY Chronic Interstitial Nephritis
(Secondary) (duration) yrs. Mos. days
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) Oliver R. Blair, M.D.
Feb. 20, 1931 (Address) Clarks Summit, Pa.
*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. (See reverse side for additional space.)

19. PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION OR REMOVAL Brookside Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Feb. 24, 1931
20. UNDERTAKER Oliver H. Shifley ADDRESS Carbondale, Pa.

(OVER)

MARGIN RESERVED FOR FINDING
WRITE PLAINLY WITH UNFADING INK
X. 2. Every item of information furnished must be true and correct. Physicians should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact Statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

PA death certificate for brother William Ivor Jones -

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Wendell Jones

Wendell O. Jones, a resident of the Hotel Casey, formerly of Carbondale, died Monday in State General Hospital after an illness.

Born in Carbondale, son of the late John E. and Mary Jane Lewis Jones, he was a member of Mitchell Hose Co., Carbondale, and was a retired D&H Railroad employe who later worked for Hendrick Manufacturing Co., Carbondale.

Surviving are two brothers, John R., Carbondale, and Ernest, Leisuretown, N.J.; and a sister, Mrs. H.S. Evans, Barrington, N.J.

Obituary of brother Wendell Oliver Jones – “Scranton (PA) Times-Tribune” Wednesday 16 Apr 1975

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

File No. 92431
Registered No. 10863

Primary Dist. No.

1. PLACE OF DEATH: (a) County Phila (b) Township Phila (c) Borough Phila (d) City Phila (e) Name of hospital or institution 1864 Poppleman St (f) Length of stay: In hospital or inst. (g) In this community

2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED: (a) State PA (b) County Phila (c) City or town Phila (d) Street No. 1864 Poppleman St (e) If citizen of foreign country, name country

3. (a) FULL NAME Miss Jane L. Jones (b) If U. S. Veteran, complete reverse side of certificate (c) Social Security No.

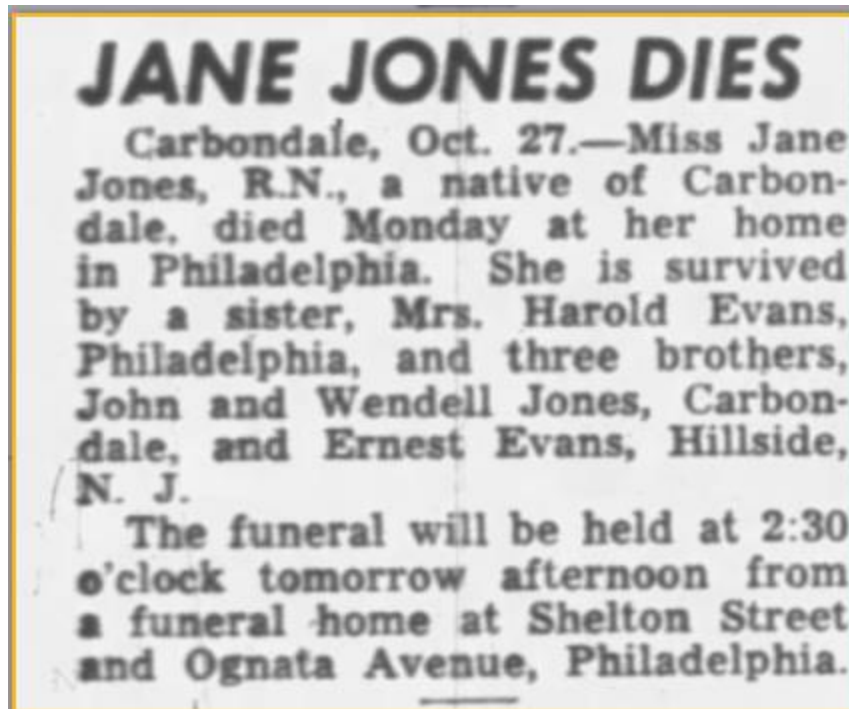
4. Sex female (5) Color or race (6) (a) Single, widowed, married, divorced (b) Name of husband or wife (c) Age of husband or wife if alive years (7) Birth date of deceased June 30 1898 (8) AGE: Years 50 Months 4 Days 22 If less than one day hr. min. (9) Birthplace (10) Usual occupation Registered Nurse (11) Industry or business (12) Name (13) Birthplace (14) Maiden name (15) Birthplace (16) (a) Informant's own signature (b) Address 1864 Poppleman St (17) (a) Date thereof Oct 25 1948 (b) Date thereof (c) Place of death (18) (a) Signature of funeral director (b) Address (19) (a) (b) (20) Date of death: Month Oct day 25 year 1948 hour 4 minute 45 P.M. (21) I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from Sept. 3, 1948 to Oct. 25, 1948 that I last saw her alive on Oct. 25, 1948 and that death occurred on the date and hour stated above. Immediate cause of death Metastatic carcinoma of lungs. Due to Due to Other conditions (Include pregnancy within 3 months of death) Major findings: Of operations 470 Of autopsy (22) If death was due to external causes, fill in the following: (a) (Probably) Accident, suicide, or homicide (specify) (b) Date of occurrence (c) Where did injury occur? (d) Did injury occur in or about home, on farm, in industrial place, in public place? (e) Means of injury (23) Signature Stanley E. Biddle (M. D. or other) Address 254 E. Independence Date signed 10/25/48

WRITE PLAINLY WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH. Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE must be stated. Exact Statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE must be stated. Exact Statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

PA death certificate for sister Jane L. Jones -

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Obituary of sister Jane Jones – “Scranton (PA) Times-Tribune” Wednesday 27 Oct 1948 p 6

Name: Evan Jones

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 213th Aero Squadron - corporal

Serial number: 4,769

Entered service from: Carbondale, Lackawanna PA

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: Evan Jones

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: father John E. Jones, 104 S. Main St., Carbondale PA

Returned from war on: "Plattsburg" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Evan Jones

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father John E. Jones, 104 S. Main St., Carbondale PA (sgt 1st class, Med. Dept.)

World War I draft registration (1917): he was already in the Army (entering 11 May 1917) so he did not register on 5 Jun 1917 (national registration day)

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 11 May 1917

Discharged 29 May 1919

Address: Carbondale PA

Rank/unit: sergeant 1st class, Disch Unit #3

Birth & death:

Born: 23 Mar 1895 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA

Died: 28 Feb 1920 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA

Find A Grave record: 20302884, presence on Tuscania indicated in text

Burial location: Carbondale, Lackawanna PA

Cemetery: Brookside

Tombstone: veteran tombstone: Pennsylvania Sgt 1 Cl 213 Aero Sq

Father: John Evan Jones, 3 Feb 1850 Clydach, Swansea, Glamorgan, Wales – 25 Dec 1934

Philadelphia, Philadelphia PA.

Find A Grave:

Mother: Mary Jane Lewis Jones, 3 Feb 1861 Wales – 28 Oct 1929 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA.

Daughter of William Lewis & Jane Rees. Buried in Brookside Cemetery, Carbondale, Lackawanna PA.

Find A Grave: 169716778

Parents' marriage: ca. 1877

Spouse:

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage:

Children:

Siblings: Evan was the 4th child.

- Olive Maude Jones Woodland Evans, 1 Nov 1888 Clydach, Glamorgan, Wales – 15 Oct 1982 Barrington, Camden NJ. SSN 138-40-6956. Married Lewis Streeper Woodland (1892-1918). They had 2 sons: J. Lewis & Lloyd Woodland. Married Harold S. Evans. Buried as Evans in Hillside Cemetery, Roslyn, Montgomery PA (according to her obituary) but not on Find A Grave as of 11 May 2021. Her sister Jane is buried in the same cemetery.
- William Ivor/Iver Jones, 10 Dec 1889 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA – 20 Feb 1931. Husband of Margaret E. Jones (b. 1903). Died in Hillside Hospital of general paralysis of the insane. Buried in Brookside Cemetery, Carbondale, Lackawanna PA but not on Find A Grave as of 11 May 2021.
- Ernest Russell Jones, 12 Oct 1892 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA – 4 Oct 1985 Sarasota, Sarasota FL [FL death record: Palm Beach Co. FL]. SSN 137-09-7234. Husband of Martha Haley Deeds (1891-1967) whom he married 2 Nov 1912 in Delaware; both were age 21. Not on Find A Grave as of 11 May 2021.
- Wendell Oliver Jones, 19 Apr 1896 PA – 14 Apr 1975 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA. SSN 175-01-7999. On his WWII (1942) draft registration, was living in Philadelphia PA at 1864 Mohican St. & employed at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. His next-of-kin was Mrs. Harold Evans of the same address. – A resident of the Hotel Casey in Scranton PA at the time of his death, he died in the State General Hospital. Retired employed of D&H Railroad; also employed at Hendrick Manufacturing Co. Not on Find A Grave as of 11 May 2021.
- Jane L. ("Jennie") Jones, 7 Jun 1898 PA – 25 Oct 1948 Philadelphia PA. A registered nurse. Her burial was to be in Hillside Cemetery [Roslyn, Montgomery PA] but not on Find A Grave as of 11 May 2021. Her sister Olive is buried in the same cemetery.
- John Roosevelt Jones, 21 May 1903 PA – May 1980. He applies for PA veterans compensation but is denied because he was not a resident of PA when he entered the service on 10 Sep 1942; was discharged 10 Jun 1945.

Notes:

Evan's parents John & Mary & oldest sister Olive were born in Wales. It would seem that between Olive's birth on 1 Nov 1888 in Wales and his brother William's birth on 10 Dec 1889 in Carbondale PA, his mother & Olive came to the US.

But - In the 1900 census, his father John said he emigrated in 1883 with his mother Mary emigrating in 1881 & his sister Olive in 1889. In the 1910 census, John says he emigrated in 1889 while Mary & Olive emigrated in 1881 [although Olive wasn't born yet]!

Pre-war:

Wartime:

Some reports say Evan was hospitalized in Ireland after the Tuscania. In a letter home, he said he was not in the hospital as a patient, but was assigned there to take care of other soldiers. (See "Carbondale [PA] Daily News" 19 Apr 1918 p 8 copied above)

Post-war:

Obituary:

PA death certificate - Died of lobar pneumonia, with influenza as a complicating factor. Died at his home on S. Main St., Carbondale, Lackawanna PA, at age 24 years, 11 months, 5 days. Clerk at a railroad office.

Social Security number:

Censuses:

1900 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA – 11 Sand St.

John E. Jones, 50 Wales, Feb 1850, parents b. Wales, married 13 years, emigrated 1883, in US for 17 years, naturalized, blacksmith

Mary J., 39 Wales, Feb 1861, parents b. Wales, emigrated 1881, in US for 19 years, gave birth to 6 children, 6 are living

Olive, 11 Wales, Nov 1888, emigrated 1889, in US for 10 years, at school

Willie, 10 PA, Dec 1889, at school

Earnest, 7 PA, Oct 1892

Evan, 5 PA, Mar 1895

Wendel, 4 PA, Apr 1896

Jennie, 1 PA, Jun 1898

1910 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA – Havanna St.

John E. Jones, 60 Wales, married 23 years, emigrated 1889, naturalized, blacksmith, shop

Mary J., 49 Wales, emigrated 1881, gave birth to 7 children, 7 are living

Olive, 21 Wales, emigrated 1881 [she wasn't born yet]

William, 20 PA, laborer, machine shop

Ernest, 17 PA, instrumental, works-glass

Wendle, 15 PA

Even, 14 PA

Jennie, 11 PA

John, 7 PA

John Lewis, 40 PA [brother-in-law – i.e. Mary's brother]

1920 Carbondale, Lackawanna PA – 104 S. Main St. – census conducted 19/20 Jan 1920; Evan dies
28 Feb 1920 after an illness of 3 weeks with influenza/pneumonia

John E. Jones, 70 Wales, blacksmith, Delaware Hudson [railroad]

Mary J., 58 Wales

William I., 30 PA, single, laborer, garage

Evan, 25 PA, single, stenographer, railroad office

Wendell, 24 PA, boiler maker, Delaware Hudson

John, 16 PA

Olive Woodland, 31 Wales, widow [daughter]

Louis Woodland, 2 years 4 months PA, parents b. PA [grandson]

Lloyd Woodland, 6 months PA, parents b. PA [grandson]