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The research has not been completed, so there may be errors and omissions.

This document lacks 1950 census data.
Please return to Tuscania1918.org in the future to see if a revised and
finalized version is available.

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

The logo for Tuscania, featuring the word "TUSCANIA" in a stylized, black, serif font with a double outline, set against a solid red rectangular background.

Knott, Joseph Carlton
1893 IA – 1975 WA



FORMER W. S. C. MEN ARE REPORTED SAFE

Two of the W. S. C. Men on the Ill-Fated Tuscania Are Named in the Partial List of Survivors

Joseph C. Knott and Charles Hanson, two former W. S. C. men, are named in the partial list of survivors which has been received at the administration office. While here both men were registered in the school of agriculture and would have graduated this spring.

Early last fall they enlisted in the forestry division of the 29th engineers in Spokane.

Other W. S. C. men believed to have been on the boat are not named among the list of survivors. Some time will be necessary before their exact whereabouts can be ascertained.

Joseph Carlton Knot – "Pullman (WA) Herald" 15 Feb 1918 p 3 -

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Likeness

Dr. J. C. Knott, dairy professor emeritus at Washington State University, who retired in 1958, stands behind the photograph of himself which will be installed in the reception room of WSU's J. C. Knott Dairy Center this week. The photograph was by R. R. Hutchison of Pullman.

"Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Thursday 17 May 1962 p 14



Recognition for 44 years of "service to agriculture in Washington" was presented to Dr. J. W. Kalkus, standing left, at the banquet of experiment station and extension service workers held at the State College of Washington,

Pullman, Thursday. Presenting the award to Dr. Kalkus is Dr. J. C. Knott, director of the WSC institute of agricultural sciences. Seated are Mrs. Knott and Dean A. L. Deering of the University of Maine, banquet speaker.

Joseph Carlton Knott is standing at the far right, with his 2nd wife – Rae Russell – seated at the far left – "Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Friday 16 Jun 1953 p 36



Joseph Carlton Knott is at the far left – “Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review” Tuesday 14 Sep 1943 p



Dr. J. C. Knott

Dr. Joseph Carlton Knott explained request by Washington State University for state funding –
 “Spokane (WA) Chronicle” Saturday 26 Feb 1955 p 5

friends wherever he goes and who has established a brilliant record in research, publications and teaching is Professor Joseph C. Knott, who will take over October 1 on retirement of Director Frank E. Balmer as head of the agricultural extension service.

A veteran of the first World war and an employee of the state college since 1920, this professor of dairy husbandry will be in charge of a state-wide organization of nearly 150 specialists. Alone and in cooperation with co-authors he has published 35 books, bulletins and major magazine articles.

Starting in 1920 as herdsman, Dr. Knott became an instructor in dairy husbandry in 1926 and won regular promotions through the ranks, becoming a professor in 1940. He is a director in the American Dairy Science association and a member of the American Society of Animal Production.

Will Direct W. S. C. Extension Work

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, PULLMAN, Sept. 25.—A smiling giant of a man who makes



“Spokane (WA) Chronicle” Friday 25 Sep 1942 p 15

Dairy scientist dies

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP)—Dr. J. C. "Joe" Knott, who worked his way from a herdsman to one of the nation's leading dairy scientists, has died.

Knott died at a Pullman hospital Wednesday after a short illness. He was 82.

Knott retired from WSU in 1958, after 38 years as a faculty member and administrator. He joined the school as a herdsman in the Department of Dairy Science in 1920, but became one of the nation's top dairy authorities, a school spokesman said.

Knott later became

superintendent for dairy testing, assistant professor of dairy husbandry, associate professor and in 1940 full professor.

Knott was named director of the Washington Agricultural Extension Service in 1942.

Obituary of Dr. Joseph Carlton Knott – "Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Thursday 20 Nov 1975 p 11

Death Claims Dr. J.C. Knott

PULLMAN, Wash.—Longtime Washington State University faculty member Dr. J. C. "Joe" Knott, 92, died today at a Pullman hospital following a brief illness.

Knott was the retired director of the Institute of Agricultural Sciences at WSU and a leading dairy scientist.

He retired from WSU in 1958 after 38 years as a faculty member and administrator here.

Funeral services are pending.

J. C. Knott

PULLMAN, Wash.—A memorial service will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. at Simpson Methodist Church, Pullman, for Dr. J. C. "Joe" Knott, 82, professor emeritus of dairy science and retired director of the institute of agricultural services at Washington State University. He died early yesterday in a Pullman hospital following a short illness.

Left: obituary of Joseph Carlton Knott - "Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Wednesday 19 Nov 1975 p 1 – right: funeral arrangements Thursday 20 Nov 1975 p 6

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News of Agriculture

WSU Bills Dairy Ceremony

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY, PULLMAN — WSU and the state's dairy industry will join forces Tuesday to honor Dr. J. C. Knott, dairy professor emeritus, Dairy Hall of Fame member, teacher extraordinary, and master dairy judge.

Occasion will be the dedication of WSU's J.C. Knott Dairy Center, named for the longtime university faculty member and administrator and agricultural leader.

The new dairy research and teaching facility is located 3½ miles south of Pullman on the

Tula Hasting Young farm willed to WSU some years ago.

Dedication of the Dairy Center is set for 3 p.m., Tuesday afternoon. Dr. C. Clement French, WSU president, will make the dedication address.

A banquet in honor of Dr. Knott will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the CUB on the university campus. Guest speaker will be Dr. Ralph E. Hodgson, Washington, D. C. Dr. Hodgson is chief of the animal husbandry research division of the Agricultural Research Service.

An all-day open house at the center will be held in conjunction with the dedication. Visitors

will be able to inspect the new layout from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

They will see an integrated unit including a T-shaped multi-purpose main building with five open-shed barns at the rear. The barns are arranged in parallel and at right angles to the cross-bar of the T-shaped main building.

Contents Told

The barns include one for calves, two for cows and young stock, one for bulls, and one for hay. A nutrition laboratory is housed in one of the cow barns. And the bull barn contains a laboratory for semen studies.

The main building contains a

hospital ward, a holding pen and milking parlor, and a maternity ward. An office, reception room, milk room, glass-walled observation classroom and living quarters for dairy science seniors and graduate students are also included in the main structure.

Construction and equipment in the new center were financed by legislative appropriations and dairy plant earnings.

Service Long

Dr. Knott has been connected with WSU since 1914 when he enrolled as a dairy science student, except for a 2-year break for service in World War I. From herdsman in the dairy department in 1920, he had advanced to full professor of dairy science by 1940. Dr. Knott served as director of the university's Agricultural Extension Service from 1942 to 1946, and as director of the Institute of Agricultural Sciences from 1946 to 1955. He returned to full-time teaching in 1955, and retired in 1958.

Washington State University names its new building the J.C. Knott Dairy Center — "Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Thursday 13 Jul 1961 p 9

FORMER W. S. C. MAN IS REPORTED SAFE

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Joseph C. Knott, who is named in a partial list of survivors of the Tuscania, given out here today, is a former student at the Washington State college at Pullman. With his room mate at college, Charles Hanson, Knott enlisted in Spokane in the forestry division of the 20th engineers early last fall. The fate of Hanson is unknown. Knott's home is at Monroe, Wash.

"Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 8

TELLS EXPERIENCES

COLFAX, Wash., June 20.—(Special.)—The American legion program, presented at the chamber of commerce luncheon Wednesday noon, included a narrative by Joe Knott, head of the animal husbandry department at Washington State college. Knott told in an unassuming way of his experience when the transport Tuscania was sunk off the coast of Ireland early in 1918. He was one of the soldiers aboard.

"Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Thursday 28 Jun 1934 p 21

Our Town

BY

Dorothy R. Powers

He Was There!

Brief days ago, Edna Jo Laurence, S717 Cowley, lamented that "all but a few have forgotten that 45 years ago today (Feb. 5) a great tragedy occurred for a great many."

That tragedy was the German torpedoing of the British liner "Tuscania," carrying American troops and hit just off the Irish coast.

Comes now a dramatic letter from J. C. Knott, 1818 Duncan Lane, Pullman, Wash.

"Yes," he begins, "I remember the 'Tuscania' and Feb. 5, 1918.

"I was there!

"I remember the embarkation in New York, the bitter cold morning in Halifax harbor and the desolate, snow-covered hills rising from the harbor where Halifax had been literally blasted from the earth by the explosion of an ammunition ship.

"Here we picked up our convoy. Then long monotonous days at sea. I remember the evening of Feb. 5. We were all elated because tomorrow we would land in Liverpool, and we farm boys had seen enough salt water to last us for a long, long time. It gets dark early up there off the tip of Ireland in February. Some of us had eaten and come up on deck. Some were waiting to go below to eat.

"I remember the boom, the stricken ship shuddering, the sharp list of the ship and the sloping deck. The lights below went out and the silence was ominous with the ship's machinery dead.

"I remember that sort of all-gone feeling when our convoy pulled out and left us. We had 'had it.' There was nothing they could do for us; their job was to get out of there before someone else got it.

"I remember the breaking ropes, the fouled-up lifeboat launchings, how cold that Irish Sea was in a half-filled lifeboat.

"Our eyes were accustomed to the darkness, and we could still see the darker blob in the night that had been our ship.

"Suddenly someone shouted, 'There she goes!'

"Slowly the stern raised almost perpendicular, with fully half of the ship above water, and then with a whoosh she dived for the bottom and it seemed sort of lonely floating around in the dark out there that cold evening of Feb. 5, 1918.

"The sea was rough, and under those conditions four hours can seem like a long, long time.

"I remember how welcome was the sound of a vessel's motors, our signal with a flashlight, the answering hail — in English. I also remember how hard it was to get aboard the Irish trawler from the lifeboat in a rough sea and with no lights showing. Then the comforting warmth of the forecabin, the drying out and then sleep in the sailors' bunks.

"I remember the beautiful green hills of Larne, Ireland, as we came into the harbor next morning, and solid earth felt so good under your feet.

"Yes, I am one of the few who remember the 'Tuscania' and Feb. 5, 1918."

Joseph recounts 45 years later the torpedoing, the lifeboats, watching the sinking (stern in the air) of "Tuscania" and his rescue from a lifeboat by an Irish trawler, his landing in Larne, Ireland. The original letter asking if anyone remembered Tuscania was written to the newspaper by Edna Josephine Laurence, the wife of fellow Tuscania survivor, Paul Laurence — "Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Wednesday 13 Feb 1963 p 6 -

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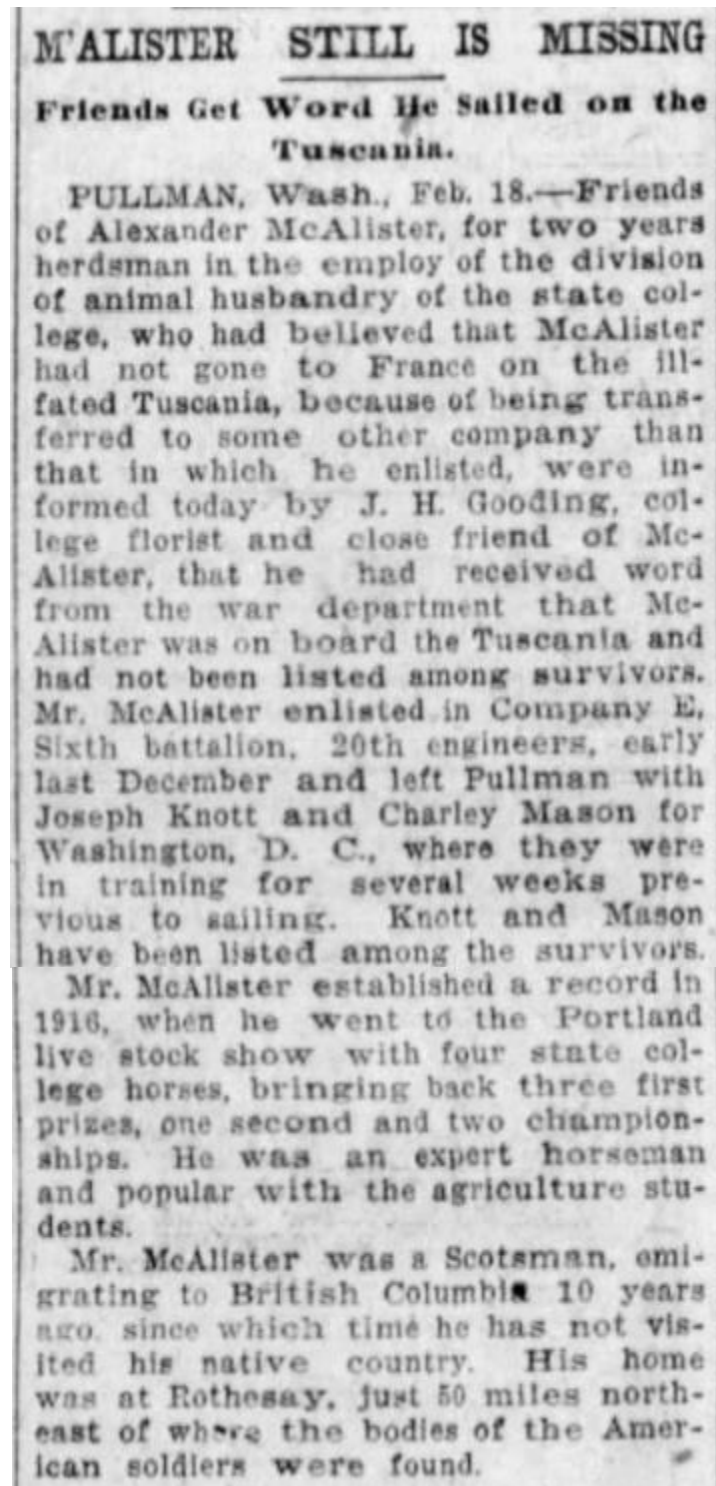
1941. KNOTT, JOSEPH CARLTON. B.S.A. '20, M.S.A. '30, State College of Washington.

Major: Dairy Husbandry. Minor: Agricultural Economics.

Thesis: Growth, Reproduction, Production and the Economy of Growth and Production by Dairy Cattle Fed Rations of Roughage Alone and Roughage with Added Concentrates.

Major Adviser: Prof. J. B. Fitch.

Register of Ph.D. Degrees, 1938-1956, University of Minnesota – he received his doctorate at ceremonies in Northrup Auditorium, University of Minnesota campus in Minneapolis MN on 20 Mar 1941



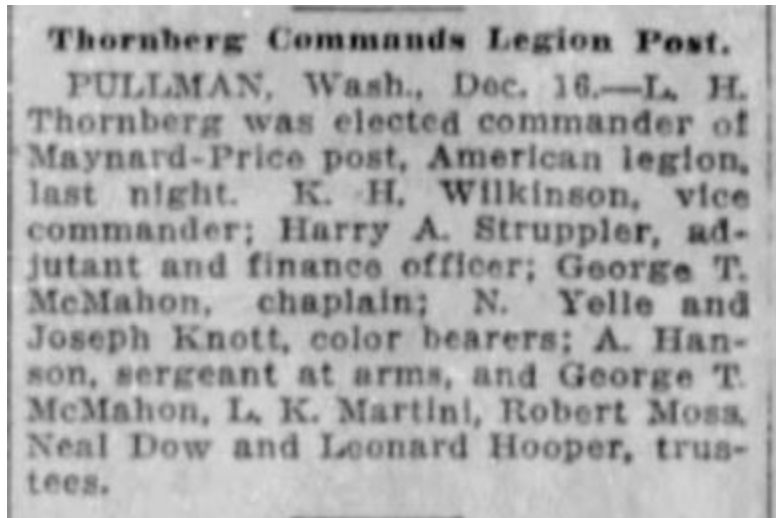
“Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review” Tuesday 19 Feb 1918 p 10 -
<https://www.newspapers.com/image/568486370/?terms=knott%20tuscania&match=1>

Knott, Joseph C		250,554	white	1½
(Surname)		(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	(Race: White or colored)
Residence:		Monroe	WASHINGTON	
(Street and house number)		(Town or city)	(County)	(State)
* Enlisted in	N G Monroe Wash		Dec 9 17;	
† Born in	Tipton, Iowa		24 7/12 yrs	
Organizations:	Co 1 7 20 Engrs to disch			
Grades:	Corp ----- Sgt May 1/18;			
Engagements:	—			
Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.				
‡ Served overseas:	Jan 24/18 to May 28/19;			
§ Hon. disch.	June 11/19 on demobilization			
Was reported	0	per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.		
Remarks:	—			

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

WA state WWI record



In the American Legion at Pullman WA – "Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Saturday 17 Dec 1921 p 10

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, PULLMAN, Dec. 27.—Joseph C. Knott, superintendent of official testing and member of the state college dairy department, has been elected chairman of the western division of the American Dairy Science association. The other officers elected are: Dr. I. R. Jones, Oregon State college, vice chairman, and D. R. Theophilus, University of Idaho, secretary-treasurer.

Seek National Meeting.

The division includes 11 western states and holds its annual meeting at Portland during the Pacific International Live Stock show. The association handles the dairy cattle and dairy products judging contests at Portland. The membership includes those who have had scientific training and experience and who hold responsible positions in the field of dairy science.

The western is one of four or five regional divisions of the national association. This division hopes to get the meeting of the national association on the Pacific coast during the summer of 1931, which would mean a series of meetings to cover about two weeks at different agricultural colleges on the Coast.

PICK W. S. C. MAN FOR DAIRY POST

J. C. Knott, Testing Superintendent, Is Chairman of Western Organization.

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Saturday 28 Dec 1929 p 28

BALMER LEAVES POST AT W. S. C.

Extension Service Director to
Be Succeeded by Dr.
Joseph Knott.

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, PULLMAN, Sept. 22.—The board of regents today announced the resignation, effective October 1, of F. E. Balmer, for 12 years state college extension service director. Attesting to an excellent record the extension service staff at W. S. C. has seen a 100 per cent increase during Professor Balmer's directorship.

He will be succeeded by Dr. Joseph C. Knott, popular chairman of student-faculty relations, who received his B. F. degree at Washington State in 1920.

Professor Balmer, a graduate of Kansas State Agricultural college, taught school for several years and later was district superintendent of county agents at the University of Minnesota before becoming state county agent at that institution.

Dr. Knott, who was born in western Washington and served overseas during the first World war, was awarded his M. F. degree at W. S. C. in 1930 and spent 1941 at the University of Minnesota to receive his Ph. D. In his long association with Washington State he has been herdsman, superintendent of official testing, associate professor of dairy husbandry, head of research work at the main experiment station, and since 1940 professor of dairy husbandry.

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Wednesday 23 Sep 1942 p 18

BALMER RESIGNS AS W. S. C. REGENT

PULLMAN, Wash., Sept. 23. (AP) —F. E. Balmer, director of the extension service of Washington State college for the last 12 years, will retire October 1, the board of regents announced today.

The announcement did not give a cause for the resignation.

Doctor Joseph C. Knott, chairman of the student-faculty relations committee and a graduate of W. S. C. in 1920, will succeed Balmer in the extension post. Except for a period at the University of Minnesota where he won his Ph. D. degree, Knott has been almost continually associated with the W. S. C. agricultural school since his graduation.

Joseph received his Ph.D. degree from the University of Minnesota, then returned to Washington State College – “Spokane (WA) Chronicle” Wednesday 23 Sep 1942 p 7

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PUBLIC HEALTH STATISTICS SECTION				STATE FILE NO. 1424	
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH				REGISTRAR'S NO.	
1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY Snohomish		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (choose deceased lived in institution; residence before death) a. STATE Washington b. COUNTY Snohomish			
3. CITY (if outside corporate limits, with RURAL) OR TOWN Everett (Rural)		4. LENGTH OF STAY (in this place) 25 years		5. CITY (if outside corporate limits, with RURAL) OR TOWN Everett (Rural)	
6. FULL NAME OF (if not in hospital or institution, give street address or location) INSTITUTION OR ADDRESS 601 Pecks Drive		7. STREET (in rural, give location) ADDRESS 601 Pecks Drive			
8. NAME OF A (NAME) DECEASED (Type in full) Ralph Lupton		9. (NAME) Knott		10. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) Jan. 31, 1956	
11. SEX Male	12. COLOR OR RACE White	13. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) Married	14. DATE OF BIRTH 10-25-1889	15. AGE (in years) 66	16. If Under 1 Yr. (Month) (Day) (Year)
17. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during past 12 months; if none, give last occupation) Conductor		18. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Railroad		19. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) Chadron, Nebraska	
20. FATHER'S NAME Carl Joseph Knott		21. BROTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Ida M. Lupton		22. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA	
23. WAS RECEIVED FIVE IN U. S. ARMED FORCES (If yes, give war or cause of interest) NO		24. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. Unknown		25. INTERMEDIATE Mrs. Clara Jane Knott	
26. CAUSE OF DEATH (Give only one cause for the first, the next for the second, the third for the third, etc.)		27. MEDICAL CERTIFICATION (Disease or condition directly leading to death) (a) Died suddenly without medical attention. Known severe asthmatic for twenty years. Death due to natural causes of unknown etiology.		28. INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH	
29. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS (Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death)		30. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION		31. AUTOPSY (Yes) (No) ()	
32. PLACE OF BURIAL (a, b, or c) (a) Home, (b) Cemetery, (c) Other (Specify)		33. (CITY, TOWN, OR TOWNSHIP) (COUNTY) (STATE)		34. DATE OF BURIAL 2-1-56	
35. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from _____, 19____, to _____, 19____, that I last saw the deceased alive on _____, 19____, and that death occurred at 10:30 A.M. from the causes and on the date stated above.		36. SIGNATURE (Type in full) Helen E. Masten W. D.		37. ADDRESS Everett, Washington	
38. DATE 2-2-56		39. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Evergreen Cemetery		40. LOCATION (City, town, or county) Everett, Washington	
41. REGISTRATION SIGNATURE B. Fuhr		42. FUNERAL DIRECTOR Purdy & Walters, Inc., Everett		43. ADDRESS	

WA death certificate of his brother, Ralph Lupton Knott -
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Joseph Knott, herdsman at the State College, returned Tuesday evening from his honeymoon trip.

“Pullman (WA) Herald” Friday 14 Jul 1922 p 2

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FORM 2.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

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CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF MARRIAGE

REGISTERED Number 17-K-22
(For use of Registrar of Vital Statistics.)

City, Town or District

Municipality

BRIDEGROOM

1. Full name Knott Joseph Carlton
(Surname) (Given name)
2. Occupation Inspector
3. Bachelor, Widower or Divorced Bachelor
4. Age 29 5. Religious Denomination Methodist
6. Residence Pullman Wash.
(If in Canada, province, county and Post Office address. If foreign, state country.)
7. Place of birth United States
(If born in Canada, province, county and Post Office address. If foreign, state country.)
8. Name of father Carlton Joseph Knott
9. Place of birth of father United States
10. Maiden name of mother Ida McKee Luffman
11. Place of birth of mother United States
12. Can bridegroom read? Yes Write? Yes

BRIDE

13. Full name *Shelton* *Bessie Eunice*
(Surname) (Given name)

14. Occupation *Living at Home*

15. Spinster, Widow or Divorced *Spinster*

16. Age *28* 17. Religious Denomination *Methodist*

18. Residence *Olympia, Wash.*
(If in Canada, province, county and Post Office address. If foreign, state country.)

19. Place of birth *Olympia, Wash.*
(If born in Canada, province, county and Post Office address. If foreign born—country.)

20. Name of father *George Shelton*

21. Place of birth of father *Ireland*

22. Maiden name of mother *Ella Cora Knott*

23. Place of birth of mother *United States*

24. Can bride read? *Yes* Write? *Yes*

25. When married *21st* day of *June* 19*23*
(Month) (Year)

26. Place of marriage *1061 Pendrell St. Vancouver B.C.*
(Name of church or clergyman's residence or location of dwelling house)

27. By license or banns *76338*
(If by license, give number)

28. Signature of { Groom *Joseph Carlton Knott*
Bride *Bessie Eunice Shelton*

29. Witness { Name *Marion Cathcart*
Address *2648 St. Catharines St. - Vancouver B.C.*
Name *M. G. Linderton*
Address *1061 Pendrell St. B.C.*

I certify the above stated particulars are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Clergyman *J. S. Henderson D.D.*
(Signature)
Address *1061 Pendrell St. Vancouver*
Religious Denomination *Presbyterian*

Registered Number *665* Filed at this office *28th* day of *June* 19*23*
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District Registrar

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS		WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		2 State File No. <u>40</u>
				Registrar's No. <u>23</u>
1. PLACE OF DEATH		2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED:		
(a) County <u>Whitman</u>		(a) State <u>Wash</u> (b) County <u>Whitman</u>		
(b) City or town <u>Colfax</u> (If outside city or town limits, write RURAL.)		(c) City or town <u>Pullman</u> (If outside city or town limits, write RURAL.)		
(c) Name of hospital or institution: <u>Bryant Weisman Clinic</u> (If not in hospital or institution write street number or location)		(d) Street No. <u>Dringan Lane</u> (If rural give location)		
(d) Length of stay: In hospital or institution <u>3 days</u> (Specify whether In this community (Years, months or days) <u>3 days</u>)		(e) If foreign born, how long in U. S. A? _____ years		
3. (a) FULL NAME <u>Bessie Eunice Knott</u>		3. (c) Social Security Number _____		
(b) Was decedent ever a member of the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States? <u>No</u> Name of organization in which such service was rendered _____ Rank _____ Period of service _____		MEDICAL CERTIFICATION		
4. Sex <u>Female</u> 5. Color or race <u>white</u> 6(a) Single, widowed, married, divorced <u>Married</u>		20. Date of death: Month <u>February</u> day <u>20</u> year <u>1946</u> hour <u>11</u> minute <u>20 pm</u>		
6. (b) Name of husband or wife <u>Joseph Carlton Knott</u> 6(c) Age of husband or wife if alive <u>52</u> years		21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from <u>12/20/43</u> , 19 <u>43</u> , to <u>2/20</u> , 19 <u>46</u> that I last saw her alive on <u>2/20</u> , 19 <u>46</u> ; and that death occurred on the date and hour stated above.		
7. Birth date of deceased <u>March 22 1894</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		Immediate cause of death <u>Hypernephroma of kidney</u>		
8. AGE: Years <u>51</u> Months <u>10</u> Days <u>28</u> If less than one day hr. _____ min. _____		Due to <u>Arteriosclerosis of kidney</u> <u>3 wks.</u>		
9. Birthplace <u>Clumphia Wash</u> (City, town or county) (State or foreign country)		Due to _____		
10. Usual occupation <u>At home</u> <u>940</u>		Other conditions <u>Left kidney removed 20 yrs ago</u>		
11. Industry or business _____		Major findings: _____		
12. Name <u>George Sleater</u>		Of operations <u>none</u>		
13. Birthplace <u>Ireland</u> (City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)		Underline the cause to which death		
14. Maiden name <u>Ella Knott</u>		Of autopsy <u>none</u>		
15. Birthplace <u>IOWA</u> (City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)		22. If death was due to external causes, fill in the following:		
16. (a) Informant's own signature <u>J. C. Knott</u>		(a) Accident, suicide, or homicide (specify) _____		
(b) Address <u>Pullman Wash</u>		(b) Date of occurrence _____		
17. (a) <u>Burial</u> (b) Date thereof <u>2/23/46</u> (Burial, cremation, or removal) (Month) (Day) (Year)		(c) Where did injury occur? _____ (City or town) (County) (State)		
(c) Place: burial or cremation <u>Pullman Wash</u>		(d) Did injury occur in or about home, on farm, in industrial place, in public place? _____ (Specify type of place)		
18. (a) Signature of funeral director <u>Dale E. Phinley</u>		(e) Means of injury _____		
(b) Address <u>Pullman Wash</u>		23. Signature <u>B. Morton</u> <u>M.D.</u>		
19. (a) <u>2/23/46</u> (b) <u>W. A. Mitchell</u> (Date received local registrar) (Registrar's signature)		Address <u>Pullman Wash</u> <u>2/23/46</u>		

WA death certificate of 1st wife, Bessie Eunice Sleater Knott -

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 Mrs. Ella C. Sleater, wife of George Sleater, died at her home in Pleasant Glade, four miles from Olympia, Tuesday, January 6, 1914. November 18 she suffered a severe attack of apoplexy, which left the left side completely paralyzed. All that medical skill and loving ministry could do was of no avail and she was called home after several weeks of suffering. At her bedside, when the end came, were the husband and entire family.

Ella Cora Knott was born in Cedar county, Iowa, in 1860, and at the age of 18 was married to George Sleater at Tipton, Iowa. Three sons, Thomas, Fred and Foster, and four daughters, Mrs. H. O. Porter of Oakville, Mrs. Harry Ellis and Misses Effie and Bessie, were born to them. At an early age she united with the Methodist Episcopal church and her entire life was that of an earnest, consistent Christian woman, and her influence in the family and community will long be felt.

Besides the immediate family and a host of friends, made during her 32 years' residence in Thurston county, she leaves four sisters and one brother in Iowa, one sister in Oklahoma, one brother in Colorado, one brother in Minnesota and one in Monroe, Wash., to mourn her untimely end.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. C. A. Bowen at the home, January 8,

interment being made in the Masonic cemetery. The floral tributes were many and very beautiful, attesting to the high esteem in which the deceased was held by the entire community.

Obituary of Joseph's mother-in-law Ella Knott Sleater, who is also his aunt – "Washington Standard" (Olympia WA) Friday 16 Jan 1914 p 5

George V. Young, 39, Spokane, who pleaded guilty Thursday to drunken driving, was fined \$50 by Justice H. J. Welty today. He drove a car head on into one driven by J. C. Knott, Pullman, last Wednesday night, resulting in a knee fracture for Knott.

The police department, continuing its drive against speeders, made six arrests during the week end. Most of the offenders were strangers driving through the city.

Bess E. Knott, Pullman, left her interest in an \$8000 community estate to her widower, J. C. Knott, the will presented for probate today revealed.

Car accident & wife Bessie Knott's estate – "Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Tuesday 12 Mar 1946 p 8

MRS. J. C. KNOTT DIES IN COLFAX

PULLMAN, Wash., Feb. 21.—Mrs. J. C. Knott, 51, wife of the director of the W. S. C. institute of agricultural sciences, died last night in a Colfax hospital. She had been in ill health several years.

During her 23-year residence in Pullman she had been active in many civic and social organizations, including membership in the Eastern Star, Red Cross, Community Chest, Legion auxiliary, Pullman Woman's club and Matrons' club.

She is survived by her widower; a son, Robert, stationed at San Diego with the navy; two brothers, T. C. Sleater, Edmonds, Wash., and E. F. Slater, South Prairie, Wash.; three sisters, Mrs. H. O. Porter, Oakville, Wash.; Mrs. Cora Caldwell, Pullman, and Mrs. Effie Guthrie, Olympia.

Obituary of wife Bessie Streater Knott – “Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review” Friday 22 Feb 1946 p 2 -

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/569352431/?terms=%22j%20c%20knott%22&match=1>

KNOTT SERVICES TODAY.
PULLMAN, Wash., Feb. 22.—Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday at the Pullman Methodist church for Mrs. J. C. Knott, wife of the director of the W. S. C. institute of agricultural sciences. A son, Robert, will arrive for services from San Diego, Calif., where he is stationed with the navy.

“Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review” Saturday 23 Feb 1946 p 1

**MISS RUSSELL'S TROTH*
ANNOUNCED AT PARTY**
WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, PULLMAN, April 30.—The engagement of Miss Rae Russell, state extension agent, to Dr. J. C. Knott, director of the institute of agricultural sciences, was announced at a party given at the Max Hinrich's home near Pullman Tuesday evening by Miss M. Elmina White, assistant director of the state extension service.
Traveling the greatest distance to attend the announcement party was a close friend of Miss Russell, Miss Alice Sundquist, clothing specialist with the United States department of agriculture, Washington, D. C. Miss Russell's mother was present from Spokane.

Engagement to 2nd wife, Rae Russell – “Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review” Thursday 1 May 1947 p 9

14 SPOKANE CHRONICLE
Saturday, July 26, 1947.

COLLEGE STAFF MEMBERS WILL WED TONIGHT

Miss Rae Russell, daughter of Mrs. James Lee Russell, Veradale, will be married this evening to J. C. Knott of Pullman, director of the institute of agricultural sciences at Washington State college. The ceremony will take place at 8 p. m. in the Russell home.

The Rev. Lincoln Wirt, pastor of the Federated Congregational church at Pullman, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Victor McKee, pastor of the Spokane Valley Baptist church.

Special Flowers

The bride-elect will be married in a pale blue dress. Her flowers will include a white carnation lei and a white orchid. They are being sent to her by her niece, Mrs. R. A. Cheatham, who is having the orchid sent from her former home in Honolulu, and the lei from San Francisco, where she now resides. Miss Alice Sundquist of Mount Vernon, maid of honor, has chosen an aqua blue outfit.

Robert Knott will be best man for his father. Mrs. Herbert Berger will sing, accompanied by Ted Dragoo, violinist, and Mrs. McKee, pianist.

A reception will follow with Miss Ruth McCammon of Walla Walla, Mrs. E. V. Ellington, Miss M. Elmina White, Miss Inez Eckblad and Miss Velma Phillips, dean of the home economics department at Washington State college, assisting.

The couple will live in Pullman. The bride is a former member of the extension service staff at Washington State college.

Marriage of Joseph Carlton Knott to his 2nd wife, Rae Russell, on 26 Jul 1947 in Veradale WA
 – "Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Saturday 26 Jul 1947 p 14

Rae Knott*Pullman*

Family graveside service will be held Saturday at Pullman City Cemetery for Rae Russell Knott. Memorial service is planned for 2 p.m. Saturday at Simpson United Methodist Church. Kimball Funeral Home in Pullman is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Knott, who died Sunday, was 98. She was born in Joplin, Mo.

She graduated from Cheney High School and attended Cheney Normal School and the University of Washington, graduating with a bachelor's degree in home economics.

She taught home economics and music in Veradale and was the assistant Traffic Chief with Interstate Telephone Co. in Spokane. She also worked as a food demonstrator with General Food Corp., as a home economics teacher in Rosalia, and as nutrition program supervisor for schools in Casper, Wyo. In 1934 she returned to Pullman and was the extension nutritionist at Washington State University for one year and was the State of Washington extension agent for home economics for three years. She retired from Washington State University in 1947 as the extension nutritionist.

She was a member of Simpson United Methodist Church, the Women's Faculty Club, Gamma Phi Beta sorority, a founding member of Pullman Garden Club, and helped establish Finch Memorial Hospital, now known as Pullman Memorial Hospital. She also volunteered with the American Cancer Society.

Her husband, Joseph Knott, died in 1975. She is survived by four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Obituary of 2nd wife, Rae Russell Knott – "Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Friday 15 Jul 1994 p 49

Dora Russell

Mrs. Dora Russell, 89, Spokane Valley, died Wednesday at a Spokane hospital.

She had been a Veradale resident for 35 years and an Inland Empire resident for 52 years.

Mrs. Russell was a member of the Spokane Valley Baptist Church and Ramona Rebekah Lodge, a member of Victory Chapter 161 of the Order of Eastern Star and the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

Survivors include a son, Herbert, Spokane; three daughters, Mrs. Bertha Wall, Spokane, Mrs. Rae Knott, Pullman, Wash., and Mrs. Myrtle Egnor, Carmel Valley, Calif.; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Obituary of mother-in-law Dora (Mrs. James Lee) Russell – "Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Thursday 7 Sep 1961 p 6

Robert Joseph Knott, 65, of Bremerton died Wednesday at Harrison Memorial Hospital.

He was born April 30, 1927, in Colfax, Whitman County to Joseph and Bessie Knott. He grew up in Pullman, Whitman County.

On Sept. 8, 1948, he married Lois Briggs in Pullman. They later divorced.

Mr. Knott served in the Navy during World War II.

After the war he graduated with an engineering degree from Washington State College. He retired from Naval Undersea Warfare Center, Divison Keyport.

Mr. Knott was active in Boy Scouts of America and received scouting's highest honor, the Silver Beaver Award. He enjoyed outdoor activities, including hiking, camping and bird watching, and was an accomplished woodworker.

Survivors include three sons(Donald of Madison, Wis., David of Charletson, S.C., and Daniel Max of San Pedro, Calif.; a daughter, Diane Brittell of Montesano, Grays Harbor County; and seven grandchildren.

Memorial services will be 3 p.m. Sunday at St. Luke's United Methodist Church in East Bremerton.

Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society, c/o Chairman, P.O. Box 4258 Wycoff Station, Bremerton 98312.

Obituary of son Robert Joseph Knott - https://products.kitsapsun.com/archive/1993/03-05/281413_obituaries.html

LOIS BRIGGS WEDS KNOTT

PULLMAN, Wash., Sept. 10. — Miss Lois Briggs, daughter of Mrs. Walter G. Briggs, Pullman, became the bride Wednesday evening of Robert Knott, son of Dr. J. C. Knott of the WSC staff, in United Presbyterian and Christian church in a double ring ceremony, the Rev. John T. Haupt and the Rev. A. R. Graves officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by Max Hinrichs, a close family friend. Mrs. Morris Malmquist was matron of honor and maid of honor was Miss Jo Ann Campbell of Spokane. Bridesmaids were Helen Bendixen, Shirley Phelps, Dorothy Ingham and Wilma Appel. Best man was Don Ingham and ushers were Henry Basso, Bob Hinrichs, Stan Jacobsen and Ted Ellis. Clem Young played the organ and vocal soloist was Richard Guthrie of Spokane.

Bride in Ivory Satin

The bride wore a gown of ivory slipper satin and fingerlength veil, which fell from a tiara of seed pearls. The gown was made with fitted bodice, sweetheart neckline and full skirt which swept into a long train. For jewelry she wore a lavalier of pearls, a gift from the groom which had been his mother's. The bridal bouquet was of white roses and stephanotis centered with an orchid corsage.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity house.

The couple will make their home in Pullman while Mr. Knott con-

tinues his studies at WSC. Mrs. Knott, who had made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Max Hinrichs, is a September graduate of St. Luke's school of nursing in Spokane.

Marriage of son Robert Joseph Knott to Lois Briggs on 8 Sep 1948 – "Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Friday 10 Sep 1948 p 46

Lois Briggs Knott Forbes*Silverdale, WA**April 24, 1927**to Dec. 27, 2016*

Lois was born in Spokane to Walter C. and Mabel (Pulliam) Briggs. She spent her youth in Orogrande, Idaho and Pullman, and graduated from Pullman High School. In 1948, after attending Washington State College and completing registered nurse training at St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing in Spokane, Lois married Robert J. Knott of Pullman. They moved to Bremerton, where they raised four children. In 1983, Lois married John K. Forbes of Bremerton (children Lynn Forbes and Laura Guerra) and moved from the family home in East Bremerton, eventually settling in Silverdale.



Lois Briggs Knott Forbes, 89
 Lois Briggs Knott Forbes, 89

During her nursing career, Lois worked at Harrison Memorial Hospital, the Bremerton-Kitsap Health Department, and served in public schools, youth camps, and as a private duty nurse. Following her retirement, she remained involved in health care through membership in the Captain Sue Dauser Guild, an organization that supports the Tacoma Orthopedic Association.

In addition to the great joy she got by visiting with family and friends, she enjoyed and excelled at cooking and baking, much to their benefit! Her prize-winning pies pleased many a palate among judges at the Kitsap County and Western Washington fairs. They were consumed, with great appreciation, by her family and friends at home and at countless receptions and charity auctions throughout the county. An avid gardener and a recent member of the Kitsap County Rose Society, Lois carefully tended flower and vegetable plantings at her homes in Bremerton and Silverdale. As a long-time member of the Methodist church in Bremerton, Lois was a founding member of St. Luke's Methodist Church and, more recently, a member of Bremerton United Methodist Church.

Lois is survived by her brother, Daniel Briggs of Edmonds; her children, Don Knott of Janesville, Wisconsin, David (Elizabeth) Knott of Charleston, South Carolina, Diane Knott Brittell of Montesano, Daniel (Ellen) Knott of Seattle; and by seven grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by five siblings; husbands, Robert Knott and John Forbes; and her son-in-law, John David Brittell.

A memorial service for Lois will be held on January 14th at 1 p.m. at Bremerton United Methodist Church on Marine Drive. At her request, memorial donations may be made to the Bremerton United Methodist Church, the Captain Sue Dauser Guild, or to the Kitsap County Rose Society.

Obituary of his son Robert Joseph Knott's wife. Lois Briggs Knott Forbes – from the “Kitsap (WA) Sun” -

<https://www.kitsapsun.com/story/life/announcements/obituaries/2017/01/04/lois-briggs-knott-forbes-89/96164978/>

Growth, Reproduction, Production and the Economy of Growth and Production by Dairy Cattle Fed Rations of Roughage Alone and Roughage with Added Concentrates



Joseph Carlton Knott
University of Minnesota., 1941 - Feeds - 104 pages
★★★★★
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Probably his doctoral thesis at the University of Minnesota, 1941 -

https://books.google.com/books/about/Growth_reproduction_production_and_the_e.html?id=rAQnAQAAAMAJ&hl=en

Name: Joseph Carlton Knott

Name variations: Joe Knott, J.C. Knott

Military:

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

Serial number: 250,554

Entered service from: Monroe, Snohomish WA

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: Joseph C. Knott

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: father Carlton J. Knott, Monroe WA

Returned from war on: "Santa Paula" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Joseph C. Knott

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Carlton J. Knott, Monroe WA (sgt, 17th Co., 20th Engrs, Forestry)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Joseph Carlton Knott - b. 26 May 1893 Tipton IA; res: Monroe, Snohomish WA. Single. Student. A sergeant for 2 years at WA State College. Tall in height, medium build. Registered on 25 May 1917, before national registration day

National Tuscania Survivors Association (1939 roster): College Station, Pullman WA

World War II draft registration (1942): as Joseph Carlton Knott - b. 26 May 1893 Tipton IA; res: College Station, Pullman WA. NOK Mrs. Bess E. Knott, same address. Employed at State College of Washington, Pullman WA. Signed J.C. Knott. Height: 6'2" – 210 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 9 Dec 1917

Discharged 11 Jun 1919

Address: 1308 ½ Maiden Lane, Pullman WA

Rank/unit: sergeant, Co. E, 6th Battalion, 20th Engineers

WA state, WWI record:

Joseph C. Knott, serial 250554, resident of Monroe WA, enlisted in the National Guard at Monroe WA on 9 Dec 1917 at age 24 years 7 months. Born Tipton IA. In Co. 17, 20th Engineers to discharge. Promoted to corporal, then to sergeant on 1 May 1918. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to 28 May 1919. Discharged 11 Jun 1919. 0% disabled.

Birth & death:

Born: 26 May 1893 Tipton, Cedar IA

Died: 19 Nov 1975 Whitman Co. WA

Find A Grave record: 73249266, presence on Tuscania indicated in flower

Burial location: Pullman, Whitman WA

Cemetery: Pullman City [buried with both his wives in the same plot]

Tombstone:

Father: Carlton J. ("Joe") [or Joseph Carlton] McCroskey Knott, 9 Feb 1864 Cedar Co. IA – 31 Aug 1932 Monroe, Snohomish WA. Son of Joseph Scull Knott & Catherine Dale. Buried in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Monroe, Snohomish WA.

Find A Grave: 77453581

Mother: Ida McKee Lupton, 24 Sep 1868 Stark Co. OH – 4 Feb 1954 Everett, Snohomish WA.

Daughter of Jonathan Rood Lupton (1838-1931, F: 79481173) & Martha Jane McKee (1841-1879 PA).

Buried in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Monroe, Snohomish WA.

Find A Grave: 77453611

Parents' marriage: 29 Nov 1888 NE. Carlton Knott, age 24, b. IA, son of Joseph Knott & Catherine Dail, married Ida Lupton, age 20, b. PA, daughter of J. Lupton with mother's information left blank on license, in Sioux County NE. Both were residents of Tipton IA. They were married by a Methodist Episcopal Church minister, John A. Seamahorn (spelling?).

Spouse: Bessie Eunice Sleater Knott, 22 Mar 1894 South Bay, Thurston WA – 20 Feb 1946 Colfax, Whitman WA (in the Bryant Weisman Clinic). Daughter of George Sleater & Ella Cora Knott.

Her original birth record was amended so there are entries written later on the lines. She was born as Slayter (with Bessie Eunice Sleater added in that space), in South Bay WA, to Ella C. Knox (with Knott added), age 34, b. IA & father George Slaytor (with Sleater added), age 68, Ireland, farmer. Bessie was her mother's 7th child. – Resident of Duncan Lane, Pullman WA at time of death, from kidney problems.

Buried in Pullman City Cemetery, Pullman, Whitman WA.

Spouse Find A Grave: 73249341

Marriage: 21 Jun 1922 Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. Bessie Sleater & Joseph Knott appear to be 1st cousins. Bessie's mother Ella Cora Knott Sleater was the sister of Joseph's father, Carlton Joseph Knott. [There are no consanguinity restrictions on marriage in Canada currently.] Joseph Carlton Knott, age 29, b. US, Methodist, bachelor, resident of Pullman WA, son of Carleton Joseph Knott & Ida McKee Lupton, married Bessie Eunice Sleater, age 28, b. Olympia WA, Methodist, spinster, daughter of George Sleater (b. Ireland) & Ella Cora Knott (b. US). They were married at 1061 Tendrill St., Vancouver, BC.

Spouse: Rae Georgia Russell Knott, 1 Feb 1896 Joplin MO – 10 Jul 1994 Pullman, Whitman WA.

Daughter of James Lee Russell (1866- 1909, F: 15146632) & Dora E. (1872-1961, F: 96080663).

Earned a B.A. degree in home economics from the U of WA. She was a college instructor, state extension agent from WA State College, corporate employee & worked as a food specialist for the federal government. Buried in Pullman City Cemetery, Pullman, Whitman WA in the same plot with Joseph & Bessie.

Spouse Find A Grave: 73249468

Marriage: 26 Jul 1947 Veradale, Spokane Co. WA at the Russel home, by Rev. Lincoln Wirt, pastor of Federated Congregational Church of Pullman WA.

Child: by his 1st wife, Bessie Eunice Sleater

- Robert Joseph Knott, 30 Apr 1927 Colfax, Whitman WA – 3 Mar 1993 Bremerton, Kitsap WA (residence in Silverdale, Kitsap WA). SSN 519-24-9179. Served in the US Navy in WWII & Korea. – Married Lois Briggs (1927-2016, F: 204609010) on 8 Sep 1948 in Pullman Co. WA. She was the daughter of Walter Carl Briggs (1886 IA – 1941 ID, F: 63876759) & Mabel May Pulliam (1894-1990, F: 63804753). – After her divorce from Robert, Lois married John K. (Jack) Forbes (1923-2009, F: 204607078) whose 1st wife was Dorothy Margaret Wheildon (1921-1981) whom he had married 10 Jun 1950). John Forbes married Lois Knott in Feb 1983. After the war earned an engineering degree from WA State College. Retired from the Naval Undersea Warfare Center, Division Keyport. Died in Harrison Memorial Hospital. Buried in Miller-Woodlawn Memorial Park, Bremerton, Kitsap WA. F: 204606069

Siblings: Joseph was the 2nd of 4 children.

- Ralph Lupton Knott, 25 Oct 1888 Chadron, Dawes NE – 31 Jan 1956 Everett, Snohomish WA. Married on 21 Apr 1916 in Ziebach Co. SD to Clara J. Hoyle (1895-1968, F: 132665880) when Ralph was age 26 & Clara age 20, by Lutheran minister A.W. Blauert. Clara was the daughter of John & Sarah A. Hoyle. In 1942 on his WWII draft registration, they lived in Mobridge SD & Ralph was employed at the Mobridge station of the Chicago, Minneapolis & St. Paul Railway as a conductor. – Died suddenly without medical attention; had severe asthma for 20 years. Buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Everett, Snohomish WA. F: 132665879
- Letty Mabel (“Sookie”) Knott Niquette, 6 Jan 1897 IA – 21 Mar 1981 Tacoma, Pierce WA. SSN 533-36-1415. Married on 21 Jun 1919 in Tacoma, Pierce WA to Wesley Henry Niquette (1894-1971, F: 39026486). Buried as L. Mabel Niquette in Trinity Lutheran Cemetery, Tacoma, Pierce WA. F: 39026484
- Dorothea Knott Carr, b. 2 Dec 1900 Tipton, Cedar IA – 28 Aug 1967 Snohomish Co. CA. SSN 533-22-4192. Her IA birth certificate was amended on 26 Jan 1939, with data supplied by Dr. E.J. Van Metre, the physician who delivered her. She was listed as the daughter of Carl Knott (36, farmer) & Ida Lupton (32, housewife), both residents of Tipton IA. – In the 1940 census for Snohomish, Snohomish WA, Dorothea Knott, 39 IA, grade school teacher, was the head of household; living with her was her mother, Ida M. Knott, 71 OH. – In the 1957 Everett WA city directory, Dorothea Carr lived with her husband Joseph Carr with address Box 1045. Died with the surname Carr.

Notes:

Family tree at:

https://www.ancestry.com/search/?name=joseph+carlton_knott&birth=1893_iowa&death=1975_washington&count=50&defaultFacets=PRIMARY_YEAR.PRIMARY_NPLACE&father=carlton+joseph_knott&mother=ida_mckee&spouse=rae_russell&spouse2=bessie+eunice_sleater

Pre-war:

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Tuesday 3 Sep 1912 p 6 – Joe Knott & his sisters Miss Mabel & Miss Dorothy Knott of Monroe WA were guests at the home of "their --- [margin is cut off] George Sleataer last week.

"Washington Standard" (Olympia WA) Friday 22 Sep 1916 p 5 – Joe Knott of Monroe WA visited the George Sleater home last week. [At first this appeared to be his courtship of his future wife Eunice, the daughter of George, but George is married to his father's sister, so Joe is visiting his relatives.]

Wartime:

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" 11 Feb 1918 p 1 – among the saved: Joseph C. Knott, father Carlton J. Knott, of Monroe WA

Post-war:

"Washington Standard" (Olympia WA) Friday 23 May 1919 p 5 – Miss Bessie Sleater & her cousin Miss Mabel Knott went to Oakville Saturday to visit Mrs. H.O. Porter. Mabel arrived last week for a visit.

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Tuesday 1 Mar 1921 p 7 – the new AGR chapter has petitioned Alpha Gamma Rho, the national agricultural social fraternity. Among the charter members is Joseph C. Knott of Monroe WA.

"Spokane (WA) Spokesman-Review" Tuesday 24 Mar 1925 p 8 – the 4th annual gridiron banquet took the form of a police court, with a judge whose identity was later revealed as a teacher, where "Foolishness ran rampant." There were 325 attendees who were prominent people affiliated with WA State College, some of whom were sentenced for their "crimes." – "For offering the college cows intoxicating silage, Joseph C. Knott, college superintendent of official testing, was sentenced to spend a half hour each day in the pen with the college bull."

Educational degrees:

Bachelor of Science in Agriculture – Washington State College [now University] Jun 1920

"Spokane (WA) Chronicle" Tuesday 1 Jun 1920 p 18 – receiving a degree: Joseph Carlton Knott of Monroe WA

Master of Forestry degree – Washington State College, 1930

Ph.D. degree, University of Minnesota, ca. 1940

Served as Pullman (WA) Chamber of Commerce president in 1934.

Obituary:

Social Security number: 533-36-9419

Censuses:

1900 Center, Cedar IA

Carl Knott, 36 IA, Feb 1864, parents b. PA, married 11 years, farmer

Ida, 31 OH, Sep 1868, parents b. OH, gave birth to 3 children, 3 are living

Ralph, 10 NE, Oct 1889

Joseph, 7 IA, May 1893

Mable, 3 IA, Jan 1897

1910 Everett, Snohomish WA – Wetmore Ave.

Carlton J. Knott, 45 IA, parents b. Germany, in 1st marriage, married 24 years, farmer

Ida, 41 OH, parents b. Germany, in 1st marriage, gave birth to 4 children, 4 are living

Joseph, 16 IA

Mable, 13 IA

Dorthea, 9 IA

1920 Milton, Snohomish WA – branch of Noods (spelling?) Creek Rd.

Carl Knott, 55 IA, parents b. PA, farmer, general farm

Ida M., 51 OH, parents b. OH

Joseph C., 26 IA

Dorothy J., 18 IA

1930 Pullman, Whitman WA – conducted 15 Apr 1930

Joseph C. Knott, 36 IA, father b. IA, mother b. PA, age 28 at 1st marriage, instructor, Dairy Dept., WSC [WA State College], WWI veteran

Bessie E., 36 WA, father b. Ireland, mother b. IA, age 28 at 1st marriage

Robert S., 2 years 11 months WA

1940 Rose Hill, Ramsey Co. MN – 2024 Commonwealth Ave. – in 1935 resided in Whitman Co. WA [note: Joseph lived in a neighborhood of Falcon Heights, Ramsey MN called “University Grove.” The land is owned by the University of Minnesota, while the single-family houses are owned by individuals. Unless there is a waiver, those living in University Grove have some connection to the University of Minnesota. Joseph earned his doctorate from the St. Paul campus operation – the University’s agricultural school.]

Because Joseph’s name appeared on Line 14, one of the two lines on the form that required supplemental questions, he supplied more data than the usual person.]

Joseph C. Knott, 46 IA, father b. IA, mother b. PA, professor at the state college

Bess S., 46 WA

Robert J., 12 WA