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Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

TUSCANIA

Tuscania casualty
Lintow, Frederick Marion
1894 TX – 5 February 1918 Tuscania



Frederick Marion Lintow, probably 1917 - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/11497419/person/-453150035/media/6100a8a8-1f89-46a1-a373-9ae78912f78a?_phsrc=hFB27562&_phstart=successSource



Frederick Marion Lintow, ca. 1916 - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/11497419/person/-453150035/media/f0187151-7485-48c8-ad03-ebc7534792ec?_phsrc=hFB27562&_phstart=successSource

FRED M. LINTOW, of Lamoine, Shasta County, a member of the Twentieth Engineers, who was buried in a trench on Scottish soil with seventy-eight other soldier dead.



LAMOINE SOLDIER DIES ON TUSCANIA

**Name of Fred Lintow Appears
on Official List of Soldiers
Killed at Sea**

(The Bee's Special Service.)

REDDING (Shasta Co.), February 15. Fred M. Lintow, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lintow of Lamoine, a member of the Twentieth Engineers which was on board the torpedoed Tuscania, has been reported as among those buried in a trench on Scottish soil.

Conflicting reports were at first received in regard to Lintow, followed by an official report of his burial with seventy-eight other victims of the German U-boat.

Lintow enlisted at a Redding recruiting station three months ago and was assigned to the Twentieth Engineers.

Besides his parents, two brothers, Floyd and Virgil, and two sisters, Esther and Mrs. L. Liesenquist of San Francisco, survive him.

"Sacramento (CA) Bee" Friday 15 Feb 1918 p 1 -

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/616711032/?terms=%22g%20a%20lintow%22&match=1>

Wartime:

JOINS ENGINEERS.

LA MOINE (Shasta Co.), October 19.—This little lumbering town sent another volunteer to the front yesterday in Fred M. Lintow, who joined the Engineers.

“Sacramento (CA) Bee” Friday 19 Oct 1917 p 8

Lintow Enlisted

LAMOINE (Shasta Co.), February 11. Fred Lintow, who is reported among the 345 soldiers still unaccounted for on the Tuscania, is 25 years old. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lintow of this place. He lived here for ten years until the time of his enlistment in Redding three months ago, when he joined the Twentieth Engineers.

“Sacramento (CA) Bee” 11 Feb 1918 p 8

Lintow Reported Safe
(The Bee's Special Service.)

LAMOINE (Shasta Co.), February 12.—Fred M. Lintow, who has been listed among those aboard the Tuscania unaccounted for, is to-day reported on information received here as among the survivors.

His parents, who reside here, were overjoyed at the glad tidings. Lintow was enlisted in the Twentieth Engineers, the Forestry Regiment.

By the time this report appeared that Fred had survived, he was already buried on Islay –

“Sacramento (CA) Bee” Tuesday 12 Feb 1918 p 9

Shastan, Once Safe, Is Dead.

Conflicting reports for the past two days have been received as to the fate of several Superior Californians, one especially—Fred M. Lintow of Lamoine, Shasta County—first reported among the list of 345. His parents were sorrow-stricken and feared he was dead. Then came word Lintow had not been reported dead, and the sorrowing parents re-

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joiced. To-day came the hardest blow of all—the official report that Lintow was among the dead, and rests in a trench on Scottish soil with seventy-eight other soldier dead. He is No. 59 in this row of dead heroes.

First his parents think him dead, then alive, then listed as buried in Scotland –

“Sacramento (CA) Bee” Wednesday 13 Feb 1918 p 1, continued on p 8

FOUR TUSCANIA VICTIMS FROM NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Four residents of Northern California counties are among the men who were the victims of the submarine attack on the Tuscania, and have been buried in trenches at various points along the Scottish coast. The names of these men have been officially verified and they are Fred M. Lintow of LaMoine, Clyde L. Jenkins of Chico, William H. Raisner of Corning, and Alfio Licari of Eureka. Read C. Davis of Colusa is still among the missing.

"El Dorado (CA) Republican" Friday 15 Feb 1918 p 1

CARD OF THANKS.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who showed their unbounded sympathies for our son, Fred M. Lintow, who was among those lost on the ill-fated Tuscania.

PARENTS, G. A. and N. C. LINTOW.
BROTHERS, FLOYD P. and VIRGIL LINTOW.
SISTERS, ESTHER E. LINTOW and MRS. L. M. RINQUIST.

"Sacramento (CA) Bee" Monday 18 Feb 1918 p 5

SHASTA COUNTY BOY WHO DIED OVERSEAS TO BE BURIED HERE

LA MOINE (Shasta Co.), October 22.—Among the bodies of the soldier dead due to arrive in California today from overseas is that of Fred Lintow of La Moine.

Lintow was the first Shasta County soldier to perish abroad. He was drowned off the coast of Scotland when the Tuscania went down. Lintow was one of the first in Shasta County to volunteer. He was a private in Company F, 20th Engineers.

The soldier was a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lintow of La Moine. The parents went to Sacramento a week ago so as to be sure to be there when the body arrived from the East. The funeral will be held in Sacramento, the family having a plot in the Sacramento Cemetery.

“Sacramento (CA) Bee” Friday 22 Oct 1920 p 9

Vet to Be Buried Here

Funeral services are to be held here for Pvt. Fred M. Lintow, who was drowned at sea off the coast of Scotland, Feb. 5, 1918. Lintow was a member of Co. F, 20th Engineers. He leaves a mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lintow; sisters, Mrs. Esther Hurtzig and Mrs. Ethel Renquest, and brothers, Virgil and Floyd Lintow.

“Sacramento (CA) Star” Saturday 23 Oct 1920 p 3

CARD OF THANKS.

A card of thanks from the relatives of the late Fred M. Lintow, private of Company F, 20th Eng. We thank those ever faithful friends, who sent their tokens in flowers and those who were present at the funeral. Especially the War Mothers, Red Cross and American Legion.

“Sacramento (CA) Bee” Monday 25 Oct 1920 p 5

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Fred M Lintow

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CALIFORNIA WHITE INDUCTED INTO NATIONAL ARMY OR ASSIGNED THERETO UPON ENLISTMENT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SERIAL NO.</u>	<u>RANK</u>	<u>ORGANIZATION AT TIME OF DEATH</u>	<u>DATE OF DEATH</u>
Lintow, Fred M.		Pvt	Co F 20 Engrs 6 Bn	Feb 5/18

<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-C3MW-K9JC-D?cc=2996059&personUrl=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQPH6-9ZJF>



The Lintow family, Christmas 1914, in Lamoine, Shasta Co. CA – from left: Bessie Lintow (Calavan), Virgil Lintow (standing boy, check shirt), Fred Lintow (suit & tie, who dies on Tuscania), Esther Lintow (Hurtzig), unknown male, bearskin on wall, Ethel Lintow Renquist, unknown male, Floyd Lintow (standing boy), mother Nina Sallis Lintow (seated) & father Gustavus Lintow (standing) - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/28528439/person/12561637986/media/625f00be-4f1f-4c00-8846-afcef5f14fe3>

Parents:



Left: father Gustavus ("Gus") Lintow, ca. age 26, 1895, McKinney TX -
<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/28528439/person/12561637986/media/c0d4111a-2fed-4ab1-aff9-ca0d3f4f6458> - right: mother Nina Clara Sallis Lintow -
<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/28528439/person/12561580894/media/6a5ba3bc-d738-4073-ba8f-3c5e0418e452>



Parents Augustus (Gus) Lintow & Nina Sallis Lintow - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/28528439/person/12561580894/media/86870730-3db0-4be5-a385-88a6e35fa8a0>

EXPIRES IN OAKLAND
 Rev. A. Raymond Grant of the First Methodist Church will conduct the funeral services for Mrs. Nina C. Lintow, 67, of Oakland, at 2 P. M. tomorrow in the chapel of W. F. Gormley & Sons, 2015 M Street.
 Mrs. Lintow died Wednesday in Oakland. The burial will be in the City Cemetery in the family plot.
 She is survived by her children, Mrs. Renquist, Virgil and Floyd Lintow, all of Oakland, and Mrs. Ester Hurtzig of Sacramento; her grandchildren, Blanche, Claire, Frederick, and Raymond Hurtzig, all of Sacramento.

Obituary of mother Nina Clara Sallis Lintow – “Sacramento (CA) Bee” Friday 4 Nov 1938 p 4

Siblings:

DEATHS.

CALAVAN—In this city, May 25, 1917. Bessie Irene Calavan, beloved wife of Charles Larkin Calavan; beloved daughter of G. A. and Nina C. Lintow; sister of Esther, Floyd, Fred and Virgil Lintow and Mrs. Ethel Renquist; a native of Texas, aged 20 years 6 months and 13 days. Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from mortuary parlors of W. F. Gormley, 720 H St., where funeral services will be held. Interment City Cemetery.

Obituary of sister Bessie Irene Lintow Calavan – “Sacramento (CA) Bee” Friday 25 May 1917 p 5



Fred's twin sisters Esther & Ethel, born 17 Sep 1899 TX - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/28528439/person/12561637990/media/4ecac4a4-5488-4bc7-8cb4-c3a7a653a009>



Esther Lintow with husband (or soon-to-be) Frederick N. Hurtzig, ca. 918 -

<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/28528439/person/12561637990/media/466e7341-f8d1-4ee6-af4a-f9cc29cfc1f8>

Esther E. Hurtzig

Private funeral services for Esther E. Hurtzig, 72, whose late husband, Fred, operated the National Employment Agency for more than 50 years in downtown Sacramento, will be held tomorrow.

The Rosary will be recited at 7:30 tonight in the W. F. Gormley & Sons Chapel, 2015 Capitol Ave.

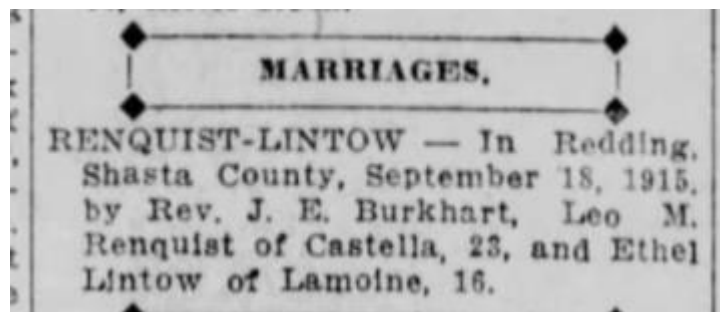
Mrs. Hurtzig died Monday. Her husband died three years ago, and his employment agency is now operated by a son, Raymond.

Survivors, in addition to him, include another son, Fred N. Jr. of Stockton; daughters, Mrs. Blanche Mondavi of St. Helena and Mrs. Claire Ehrman of Sacramento; brothers, Virgil and Floyd Lintow, both of Oroville, and 15 grandchildren.

LEO M. RENQUIST AND MISS E. LINTOW

Leo M. Renquist of Castella and Miss Ethel Lintow of Lamoine were united in marriage in Redding Saturday by Rev. J. Burkhardt. Those present at the ceremony were Mr. A. Lintow, the bride's father, Miss Mildred Buckner of Red Bluff and A. Steward of Lamoine. Renquist is employed in a sawmill at Castella and the bride of sixteen summers has lived in Lamoine several years. The happy couple will make their home in Castella. The News-Tribune extends congratulations.

Left: Obituary of sister Esther Elizabeth Lintow Hurtzig – “Sacramento (CA) Bee” Wednesday 26 Jan 1972 p 26 – Right: marriage of sister Ethel Blanche Lintow to Leo M. Renquist on 18 Sep 1915 in Redding CA, “Dunsmuir (CA) News” Friday 24 Sep 1915 p 1



Marriage of sister Ethel Blanche Lintow to Leo Melvin Renquist - “Sacramento (CA) Bee” Monday 20 Sep 1915 p 8

Floyd P. Lintow

Arrangements are pending at Scheer Memorial Chapel for Floyd P. Lintow, 82, who died today at Oroville Hospital. Mr. Lintow, a 32-year resident of Oroville, was born July 2, 1902, in Texas. He was a retired lumber worker.

Obituary of brother Floyd Payne Lintow – “Oroville (CA) Mercury Register” Monday 31 Dec 1984 p 2

Floyd P. Lintow

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. in Scheer Memorial Chapel for Floyd P. Lintow, 82.

Mr. Lintow, who died Monday in Oroville Hospital, was born July 2, 1902, in Texas.

He was a retired lumber worker.

He is survived by a niece, Blanche Mondavi of St. Helena and a stepdaughter, Helen Buis of Oroville.

Friends may call at the chapel tomorrow until 8 p.m.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Obituary of brother Floyd Payne Lintow – “Oroville (CA) Mercury Register” Wednesday 2 Jan 1985 p 2

Two Orchestras Are Consolidated

Plumas county is to have a new dance orchestra—a consolidation of two of its most popular playing aggregations.

This was announced this week by Leo Renquist and "Bill" Hayes, leaders of the former "Five Aces" and "Bill Hayes Band" respectively. The new orchestra will be known as the Sierra Serenaders.

Renquist will play piano, to be relieved from time to time by Hayes. Hayes will also play accordion.

Virgil Lintow, who enjoys a great following with dance fans, will be the orchestra's saxophonist.

Dick Davis of Quincy, banjoist, Andy Keefer, drummer, and a trumpeter who is yet to be selected, will complete the personnel.

The new orchestra will announce its schedule of engagements, shortly, Hayes said yesterday.

Leo Renquist (married to Fred's sister Ethel Lintow), leader of the Five Aces band – brother Virgil Lintow, saxophonist – "Feather River Bulletin (Quincy CA) Thursday 3 Mar 1932 p 4

Name: Frederick Marion Lintow

Name variations: Fred

Military:

On Tuscania: 20th Eng. 18th/Co. F - private

Serial number: Army enlisted men were not assigned serial numbers in WWI until after the sinking of the Tuscania showed their value

Entered service from: Sacramento, Sacramento CA

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Fred M. Lintow

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": mother Mrs. Nina Lintow, Lamoine CA

First buried on the isle of Islay, Scotland: at Kilnaughton, Islay, Scotland - grave 58, as Fred. M. Linton

Body returned from war on: "Antigone" arriving Hoboken NJ 29 Sep 1920

Body listed on return ship as: Fred M. Lintow

Rank & unit on return ship: pvt, Co. F, 20th Engrs

World War I draft registration (1917): as Fred Marion Lintow - b. 29 Sep 1894 Thorndale TX; res: Lamoine, Shasta CA. Single. Laborer for Lamoine Lumber & T---, Woods Dept., Lamoine CA. Medium height & build.

Veterans Administration Military Index: as Fred Marion Lintow or Fred C. Linton or Lintow
 Born 29 Sep 1894
 Died 6 Feb 1918
 Address: Box 85, LaMoine CA
 Rank/unit: private, Co. H, 20th Engineers

Birth & death:

Born: 29 Sep 1894 Thorndale, Milam TX
 Died: 5 Feb 1918 Tuscania
 Find A Grave record: 43081505 – presence on Tuscania indicated in text
 Burial location: Sacramento, Sacramento CA
 Cemetery: Sacramento City
 Tombstone: note: Co. F 20th Engr on Findagrave; killed in action WWI plaque at grave

Father: Gustavus Adolphus (“Gus”) Lintow, 6 Jun 1869 Utica, Oneida NY – 13 Nov 1939
 Sacramento, Sacramento CA. Son of William Frederick Lintow & Dorothea Juliane/Julia Gebhardt.
 Buried in Sacramento City Cemetery, Sacramento, Sacramento CA.
 Find A Grave: 84156108

Mother: Nina Clara Sallis Lintow, 14 Dec 1871 Calhoun City, Calhoun MS – 2 Nov 1938 Oakland (or San Leandro), Alameda CA. Daughter of Francis Marion (Frank) Sallis & Anna Elizabeth Petree.
 Buried in Sacramento City Cemetery, Sacramento, Sacramento CA.
 Find A Grave: 84156252
 Parents’ marriage: 27 Jul 1892 Falls Co. TX (also found as Milam Co. TX)

Spouse:
 Spouse Find A Grave:
 Marriage:

Children:

Siblings: Frederick was the oldest child, of those who survived. An additional sibling was born before the 1900 census who died.

- Bessie Irene Lintow Calavan, 12 Oct 1896 Thorndale, Milam TX – 25 May 1917 Sacramento, Sacramento CA. Married on 20 Mar 1915 in CA to Charles Larkin Calavan (1894-1968, F: 123025550) in May 1917. Thomas is buried with wife May Lemley (1889-1961). Buried in Sacramento City Cemetery, Sacramento, Sacramento CA. F: 41571484
- Esther Elizabeth Lintow Hurtzig, 17 Sep 1899 Thorndale, Milam TX – 24 Jan 1972 CA. Twin sister of Ethel; listed 1st in 1900 census & 2nd in 1910 census. Wife of Frederick N. Hurtzig (1895-1968, F: 192146082). Buried in Saint Mary’s Catholic Cemetery & Mausoleum, Sacramento, Sacramento CA. F: 192146095
- Ethel Blanche Lintow Renquist, 17 Sep 1899 Thorndale, Milam TX – 5 Dec 1960 San Joaquin Co. CA. Twin sister of Esther; listed 2nd in 1900 census & 1st in 1910 census. Married Leo

Melvin Renquist (1892-1963, F: 170100561) on 18 Sep 1915 in Redding, Shasta CA. Buried in Sacramento City Cemetery, Sacramento, Sacramento CA. F: 84156539

- Floyd Payne Lintow, 2 Jul 1902 Thorndale, Milam TX – 31 Dec 1984 Oroville, Butte CA. Buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Oroville, Butte CA. F: 93804469
- Virgil Chatman Lintow, 3 Feb 1906 CA – 6 Jan 1978 Oroville, Butte CA. Husband of Vera Doris Porter (1908-1977, F: 58430430). Buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Oroville, Butte CA. F: 58430512

Notes:

Pre-war:

Wartime:

Post-war:

"Oakland [CA] Tribune" 22 Oct 1920 p 22 - body among 15 returned to CA in the 8th shipment, Pvt. Fred M. Lintow, Co. F, 20th Engineers, Destination: G.A. Lintow, Sacramento CA

"Sacramento (CA) Bee" Friday 11 Feb 1927 p 8 – Shasta County CA lost over 30 men in the war. Fred Lintow of Lamoine drowned at sea.

Obituary:

Censuses:

1900 Justice Precinct 8, Milam Co. TX – conducted 6 Jun 1900

Gus. A. Lintow, 30 NY, Jun 1868, parents b. Germany, married 8 years, farmer

Nina C., 29 MS, Dec 1870, father b. GA, mother b. NC, gave birth to 5 children, 4 are living

Fred M., 5 TX, Sep 1894

Bessie, 3 TX, Nov 1896

Ester, 8 months TX, Sep 1899 [twin]

Ethel, 8 months TX, Sep 1899 [twin]

1910 Delta township, Lamoine, Shasta CA – surname indexed as SINTOW but obviously misread Gustavis [sic] A. Liintow, 40 NY, parents b. Germany, in 1st marriage, married 17 years, laborer, saw mill

Nina, 38 MS, father b. GA, mother b. NC, in 1st marriage, gave birth to 7 children, 6 are living

Fred, 15 TX, laborer, box factory

Bessie, 13 TX

Ethel, 10 TX

Esther, 10 TX

Lloyd, 7 TX [i.e. Floyd]

Virgil, 4 CA

On the same census page a few entries above is the family of Alfred & Cordelia Renquist & their son Leo, age 18, b. CA – who will marry Ethel Lintow