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

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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

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The word "TUSCANIA" is written in a large, black, serif font with a decorative, slightly gothic style. The letters are bold and have a classic, elegant appearance. The text is centered within a light blue rectangular background.

Lancaster, William Lee
1888 TN – 1969 TX

Homicide Charged In Death

American-Statesman Service

NEW BRAUNFELS — A charge of negligent homicide has been filed against a 21-year-old man in connection with the auto-pedestrian death Saturday of 79-year-old William Lancaster in New Braunfels.

The charge, filed with Corporation Court Judge Bob Kiesling, named Gilbert Gomez of New Braunfels as the driver of the car which struck Lancaster.

The accident occurred on the Old US Highway 81 near the trailer park where Lancaster resided Saturday at 2:30 p.m. Lancaster recently moved to New Braunfels from Houston.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Addie Lancaster; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Roberta Barber of Independence, Mo.; a stepson, William W. James of New Braunfels; and three grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at Doeppenschmidt Funeral Home in New Braunfels Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. Burial will be in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery at San Antonio.

Obituary of William Lee Lancaster, pedestrian killed by a car – “Austin (TX) American”

Tuesday 22 Apr 1969 p 2 -

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/386384858/?terms=%22william%20lancaster%22&match=1>

LANCASTER WILLIAM LEE
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Lancaster William L 250,560 1
(Surname) (Christian name) (Army serial number) * White * Colored

Residence: Haslam *Shelby* TEXAS
(Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

* Enlisted * R. A. * N. G. * E. R. C. * Inducted at Center Tex on Sept 19, 1917
Place of birth: Pocahontas Tenn Age or date of birth: 28 11/12 yrs

Organizations served in, with dates of assignments and transfers:
Co A 360 Inf to ----; 17 Co 20 Engrs to disch

Grades, with date of appointment:
Pvt

Engagements:

Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.

Served overseas from † Jan 24/18 to † May 28/19 from † to †

Honorably discharged on demobilization June 11, 1919

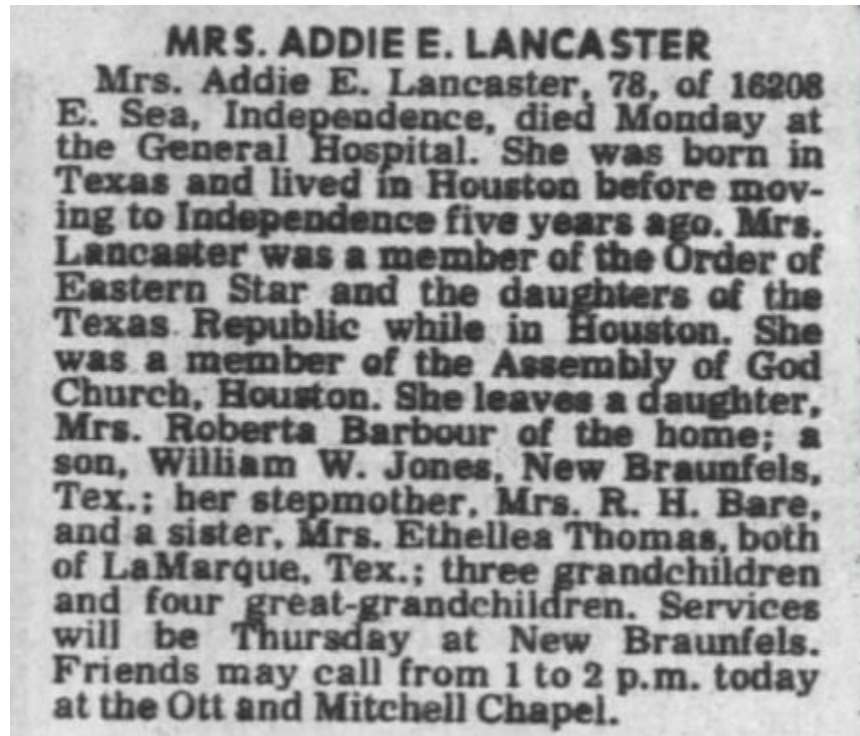
In view of occupation he was, on date of discharge, reported 0 per cent disabled.

Remarks:

Form No. 724-1, A. G. O. *Strike out words not applicable. † Dates of departure from and arrival in the U S.

TX, WWI service record - <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q57-89MN-HNQQ?i=1424&cc=2202707&personUrl=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQV18-XKV9>

Wife:



Obituary of wife Addie E. Bare Jones Lancaster – “Kansas City (MO) Times” 29 Jul 1975 p 6 - <https://www.newspapers.com/image/676716309/?article=c9beb160-ff63-4b0a-b91e-f634e9ce1a81&focus=0.34579736,0.066340536,0.5001616,0.15399864&xid=3355>

THE STATE OF TEXAS;
COUNTY OF FORT BEND

No. 15750

To any Regularly Licensed or Ordained Minister of the Gospel, Jewish Rabbi, Judge of the District or County Court, or any Justice of the Peace, in the State of Texas—GREETING:

You Are Hereby Authorized to Solemnize the Rites of Matrimony

Between Mr. W. L. Lancaster and Mrs. Addie Rhymes

and make due return to the Clerk of the County Court of said County within sixty days thereafter, certifying your action under this License.

WITNESS my official signature and seal of office, at office in Richmond, Texas, this, the 22nd day of Jan., 1938.

[SEAL] (L.S.)

C. D. Myers Clerk
of the County Court Port Bend County.
By Deputy.

I, A. B. Moses, hereby certify that on the 22nd day of January, 1938, I united in marriage Mr. W. L. Lancaster and Mrs. Addie Rhymes the parties above named.

WITNESS my hand this 22nd day of January, A. D. 1938.

Rev. A. B. Moses

Baptist Pastor

Returned and filed for record the 27th day of January, 1938, and recorded the 21st day of Feb. A. D. 1938.

C. D. Myers County Clerk.
By Deputy.

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Siblings:

THIS BECOMES A LEGAL RECORD WHEN PROPERLY EXECUTED AND WILL BE PLACED IN PERMANENT FILE.

WRITE PLAINLY WITH PERMANENT INK OR TYPEWRITER.

PHYSICIAN LAST IN ATTENDANCE MUST STATE CAUSE OF DEATH AND SIGN MEDICAL CERTIFICATION. IF NO PHYSICIAN IN ATTENDANCE, HEALTH OFFICER (OF CITY OR COUNTY) MUST SIGN.

CAUSE OF DEATH: ENTER CAUSE OF DEATH IN A. B. C. NOT MEANING DYING HEART FAILURE. IT MEANS THE DISEASE, INJURY OR COMPLICATION WHICH CAUSED DEATH.

FUNERAL DIRECTOR OR PERSON DISPOSING OF BODY, MUST FILE CERTIFICATE WITH LOCAL REGISTRAR WITHIN 72 HOURS AFTER DEATH AND PRIOR TO TRANSPORTATION BY COMMON CARRIER OR REMOVAL FROM STATE.

ALL ITEMS ARE TO BE COMPLETE AND ACCURATE.

FORM 120 S

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH		CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS	
STATE OF TENNESSEE		COOPERATING WITH NATIONAL OFFICE OF VITAL STATISTICS		DEATH NO. 55-08318	
BIRTH NO. 55-06		NAME Minnie # Jane Mohundro		DATE OF DEATH Jan. 27, 1955	
3. COLOR OR RACE White		4. SEX Female		5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY) Widowed	
6. DATE OF BIRTH 11-8-1872		7. AGE (IN YEARS) LAST BIRTHDAY 82		8. IF UNDER 1 YR. MONTHS DAYS HOURS MINS.	
B. PLACE OF DEATH		C. CIVIL DISTRICT 6		9. USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED (Where Deceased Lived, If Institution, Specify Before Admission)	
A. COUNTY McNairy		D. LENGTH OF STAY IN THIS PLACE Life		A. STATE Tenn. B. COUNTY McNairy C. CIVIL DISTRICT 6	
C. CITY OR TOWN (IF OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS, WRITE RURAL) Rural		E. STREET (IF RURAL, GIVE LOCATION) Rte. 2, Pocahontas, Tennessee		D. CITY OR TOWN (IF OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS, WRITE RURAL) Rural	
E. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION (If not in Hospital or Institution, Give Street Address and Location) Rte. 2, Pocahontas, Tennessee		10. USUAL OCCUPATION (Other Kind of Work Done During Most of Working Life, Even if Retired) Housekeeper		10a. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Own Home	
12. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? SPECIFY, YES, NO, UNKNOWN No		13. BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country) Tennessee		14. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA	
15. FATHER'S NAME John Lancaster		16. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Mattie Rutherford		17. INFORMANT Mr. Coates Mohundro, Pocahontas, Tenn.	
18. CAUSE OF DEATH		MEDICAL CERTIFICATION		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH	
1. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH (A) Cardiac failure 447 6 mos		ANTECEDENT CAUSES			
DUE TO (B) Hypertension		DUE TO (C) Arterio sclerosis			
2. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS		CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO THE DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE DISEASE OR CONDITION CAUSING DEATH			
19a. DATE OF OPERATION		19b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION		20a. AUTOPSY YES ☐ NO ☒	
21a. ACCIDENT (SPECIFY) SUICIDE HOMICIDE		21b. PLACE OF INJURY (If at Home, Home, Factory, Street, Office, Hotel's, etc.)		21c. PLACE OF INJURY CITY, TOWN OR RURAL COUNTY STATE	
21d. TIME OF INJURY MONTH DAY YEAR HOUR		21e. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE ☐ NOT WHILE ☐ AT WORK ☐ AT WORK ☐		21f. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR Nov 8 1955	
22. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE DECEASED DIED ON THE DATE AND FROM THE CAUSE STATED ABOVE SIGNATURE W. E. L. M. D. (SPECIFY) Bolivar DATE 4/6/55		23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (SPECIFY) Burial		23b. DATE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Jan. 30, 1955	
24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR Shackelford Funeral Dirs., Bolivar, Tennessee		25. NAME OF Occupant or Crematory Mathis Cemetery		25d. LOCATION CITY, TOWN OR COUNTY STATE Near Pocahontas, Tennessee	
26. DATE SIGNED BY 4-7-55		27. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE		28. DATE SIGNED BY 4-7-55	

TN death certificate of sister Minnie Jane Lancaster Mohundro – 8 Nov 1872 TN – 27 Jan 1955 TN -
https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2376/images/40059_b086808-16581?treeid=&personid=&hintid=&usePUB=true&usePUBJs=true&pld=16438350

NOTE THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR ON THE REVERSE SIDE

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STATE OF TEXAS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
STATE FILE NO. 22801

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1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>Harris</u>				2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission). a. STATE <u>Texas</u> b. COUNTY <u>Harris</u>			
b. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.) <u>Houston</u>				c. LENGTH OF STAY (If applicable state) <u>22 years</u>			
d. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION (If not in hospital or institution, give street address or location) <u>4414 Shelton Road</u>				e. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) <u>3326 Mierlane</u>			
3. NAME OF DECEASED a. (First) <u>Martha</u> b. (Middle) <u>H.</u> c. (Last) <u>Allgood.</u>				4. DATE OF DEATH <u>May 26th, 1954</u>			
5. SEX <u>Female</u>		6. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>		7. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify) <u>Married</u>		8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>May 17th, 1884</u>	
9. AGE <u>70</u>		10. MONTHS <u>0</u>		11. DAYS <u>9</u>		12. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <u>Tennessee</u>	
10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) <u>Housewife</u>				10b. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <u>Domestic</u>			
11. FATHER'S NAME <u>John Lancaster</u>				12. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Mattie Leatherwood</u>			
13. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) <u>NO</u>				14. IS SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>None</u>			
15. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c) 1. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) <u>Natural Causes, Probably Heart Attack</u> ANTECEDENT CAUSES Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to the above cause (a) stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (b) DUE TO (c) 11. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death. 18a. DATE OF OPERATION 18b. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION				16. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE <u>Martha Allgood</u> INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH			
20a. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify) <u>None</u>				20b. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.) <u>None</u>			
20c. (CITY, TOWN, OR PRECINCT NO.) (COUNTY) (STATE) <u>Houston Harris Texas</u>				20d. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year) (Hour) (Minute) <u>May 26, 1954 9:45 p.m.</u>			
20e. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐				20f. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR? <u>None</u>			
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from _____, 19____, to _____, 19____, that I last saw the deceased alive on <u>May 26</u> , 19 <u>54</u> , and that death occurred at <u>9:45 p.m.</u> , from the causes and on the date stated above.							
22a. SIGNATURE <u>J. P. & Coroner</u>				22b. ADDRESS <u>Harris County Court House</u>			
22c. DATE SIGNED <u>6-1-54</u>				23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <u>Removal</u>			
23b. DATE <u>May 28th, 1954</u>				23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>Copeland Chapel Cemetery</u>			
23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <u>Conroe, Texas</u>				24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <u>PAT H. FOLEY & CO: J. Cecil Landrum, Embalmer, No: 1834</u>			
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. <u>2555</u>				25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR <u>MAY 31 1954</u>			
25c. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>J. A. Alban</u>				25d. DATE OF DEATH <u>May 26, 1954</u>			

TX death certificate of sister Martha H. Lancaster Allgood – 17 May 1884 TN – 26 May 1954 Houston, Harris TX - https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2272/images/40394_b062443-00310?usePUB=true&usePUBJs=true&pid=83517704

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ARIZONA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

STATE FILE NO. 67-006429

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

REGISTRAR'S NO. 1419

1. PLACE OF DEATH
A. COUNTY PIMA
B. LENGTH OF STAY
IN THIS TOWN 10 yr. IN ARIZONA 10 yr.

2. USUAL RESIDENCE
A. STATE Arizona
B. COUNTY Pima
C. CITY OR TOWN Tucson
D. STREET (IF RURAL, GIVE LOCATION) ADDRESS 5825 E. 28th St.
E. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES ☐ NO ☒

3. NAME OF DECEASED
A. (FIRST) ROY
B. (MIDDLE) K.
C. (LAST) LANCASTER
4. SEX Male
5. COLOR OR RACE White
6A. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY) Widowed

6B. NAME OF SPOUSE
7. DATE OF BIRTH
MONTH 5 DAY 11 YEAR 1888
8. AGE (IN YEARS LAST BIRTHDAY) 79
9A. USUAL OCCUPATION (GIVE KIND OF WORK DURING MOST OF LIFE EVEN IF RETIRED) Carrier

9B. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Newspaper
10. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR FOREIGN COUNTRY) Tenn.
11. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? U.S.A.
12. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U. S. ARMED FORCES? (YES, NO, OR UNKNOWN) (IF YES, WAR OR DATES OF SERVICE) No
13. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 457-10-6846

14A. FATHER'S NAME John Lancaster
14B. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Tenn.
15A. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Martha Unknown
15B. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Tenn.

16. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE B. L. A. Lancaster
ADDRESS Tucson, Ariz.
17. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH) June (DAY) 28 (YEAR) 1967

18. CAUSE OF DEATH
ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (A), (B), (C).
THIS DOES NOT MEAN THE MODE OF DYING, SUCH AS HEART FAILURE, ASTHENIA, ETC. IT MEANS THE DISEASE, INJURY, OR COMPLICATION WHICH CAUSED DEATH.
I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH: (A) Bronchial Asthma
ANTECEDENT CAUSES MORBID CONDITIONS, IF ANY, GIVING RISE TO THE ABOVE CAUSE (A) STATING THE UNDERLYING CAUSE LAST. DUE TO (B) DUE TO (C)
II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO THE DEATH BUT NOT RELATING TO THE DISEASE OR CONDITION CAUSING DEATH.
PLACE DISEASE CONTRACTED.
19A. DATE OF OPERATION 19B. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION 20. AUTOPSY? YES ☐ NO ☒

21. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM 19. THAT I LAST SAW THE DECEASED ALIVE ON 19. AND THAT DEATH OCCURRED AT 19. FROM THE CAUSES AND ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE.

22A. SIGNATURE Arthur D. Fisher, M.D.
22B. ADDRESS Tucson, Ariz.
22C. DATE SIGNED 6-28-67

23A. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE NATURAL CAUSE NATURAL
23B. PLACE OF INJURY (E.G., IN OR ABOUT HOME, FARM, FACTORY, STREET, OFFICE BLDG., ETC.)
23C. (CITY OR TOWN) (COUNTY) (STATE)
23D. TIME (MONTH) (DAY) (YEAR) (HOUR) OF INJURY
23E. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐
23F. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?

24A. CORONER'S SIGNATURE G. R. R. R.
24B. ADDRESS 112 W. Pennington
24C. DATE SIGNED 6/29/67

25A. BURIAL OR CREMATION ☒ REMOVAL ☐
25B. DATE 6-30-67
25C. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY Tucson Memorial Park South Lawn
25D. LOCATION (CITY, TOWN, OR COUNTY) (STATE) Tucson, Arizona

26A. DATE REC. BY LOCAL REG. 6-30-67
26B. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE
27A. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE PALMS MORTUARY, INC.
27B. ADDRESS Tucson, Arizona
28A. EMBALMER'S SIGNATURE
28B. EMBALMER'S CERT. NO. 412A

FORM VS-2 REV. 5-3-60 - 20M

AZ death certificate of brother Roy Kane Lancaster, b. 11 May 1888 – d. 28 Jun 1967 -

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/8704/images/1967_de0029101485-06697?usePUB=true&usePUBJs=true&pId=60299265

LANCASTER, ROY K., 79, 5825 E. 28th St., passed away June 28th. Survived by daughters, Mrs. Mary Williford, and Mrs. Ellen Burns, of Tucson; sons, William, and Joseph, of Tucson, Jim, of Lawton, Oklahoma, Paul, Ft. Worth, Texas, John, of Los Angeles, Ben, of Fresno, Cal., Lonnie, of Tucson; brothers, William, of Houston, Tex. Ralph, of Ark.; 23 grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren. Services will be held Friday 2 p.m. in **Palms Mortuary** chapel, 5225 E. Speedway. Interment will in Tucson Memorial Park, South Lawn. Friends may call at Palms, Thursday afternoon and evening.

Obituary of brother Roy Kane Lancaster – “Arizona Daily Star” (Tucson AZ) Thursday 29 Jun 1967 p

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Name: William Lee Lancaster

Name variations: William E. Lancaster (on hospital sick list)

Military:

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

Serial number: 250,560

Entered service from: Kossuth, Alcorn MS

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: William L. Lancaster

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: father John Lancaster, Kosuth (sic/Kossuth) MS

Returned from war on: “Santa Paula” May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: William L. Lancaster

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father John Lancaster, Rison AR (pvt, 17th Co., 20th Engrs, Forestry)

World War I draft registration (1917): as William Lee Lancaster - b. 18 Oct 1889 Pocahontas TN; res: Haslam, Shelby TX. Single. Saw mill labor, W.R. Pickering Lbr. Co., Haslam TX. Tall in height, medium build. Card signed W.L. Lancaster.

World War II draft registration (1942): as William Lee Lancaster - b. 18 Oct 1888 Pocahontas TN; res: 9415 Ave. “L,” Houston, Harris TX. NOK Addie Lancaster, same address. Employed at Lone Star Cement Corp., Manchester, Houston, Harris TX. Card signed W.L. Lancaster. “scar on right side of nose – scar on left shoulder” – Height: 6’1” – 186 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 19 Sep 1917

Discharged 11 Jun 1919

Address: Nacogdoches TX

Rank/unit: private, 42nd Co., Demob Grp

TX WWI military record

William L. Lancaster, serial 250560. Resident of Haslam, Shelby TX. Born Pocahontas TN. Inducted at Center TX on 19 Sep 1917 at age 28 years 11 months. Served in Co. A, Infantry to --- ; Co. 17, 20th Engineers to discharge. Rank: private. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to 28 May 1919. Discharged 11 Jun 1919. 0% disabled.

Birth & death:

Born: 18 Oct 1888 Pocahontas (in Hardeman & McNairy counties)TN (WWI draft: 1889)

Died: 19 Apr 1969 New Braunfels, Comal TX (pedestrian hit by truck & killed on Old US Highway 81)

Find A Grave record: 898925 – presence on Tuscania noted in text

Burial location: San Antonio, Bexar TX

Cemetery: Fort Sam Houston National

Tombstone: veteran tombstone: Pvt 17 Co 20 Engineers WWI

Father: John Francis Marion Lancaster, Sep 1846 TN (1900 census) or MS? - Son of Lias & Mary Lancaster, residents of Hardeman Co. TN in 1870. There are several men of a similar name who could have fought in the Civil War, some for the Union, some for the Confederacy.

Find A Grave:

Mother: Martha S. (Mattie) Rutherford (also found as Ruthford & Leatherford), Aug 1843 AL (1900 census) -

Find A Grave:

Parents' marriage: 14 Jun 1871 McNairy Co. TN (he listed as J.F.M. Lancaster)

Spouse: Addie E. Bare Jones Rhymes Lancaster, 2 Mar 1897 TX – 28 Jul 1975 Independence, Jackson MO. SSN 454-14-2543. Daughter of Robert Henry Bare & Elizabeth Robinson (later Mrs. Leonard Alber Firth).

Addie married Harold Lyle Jones (1887 IA – 1955 TX, F: 63855772) on 5 Aug 1915 in Jefferson Co. TX. Addie & Harold had 2 children, William Wallace & Robert Elizabeth Jones. Following their divorce, Harold married a woman whose 1st name was Jewel.

Had surname Rhymes when she married William in 1938.

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage: 22 Jan 1938 in Fort Bend Co. TX. She was Addie Rhymes.

Children:

Stepchildren: by his wife Addie's marriage to Harold Lyle Jones

- William Wallace Jones, 3 Aug 1916 – 28 May 1995. Husband of Grace Marie (1921-2013). Master sergeant in US Air Force in WWII & Korean War. Buried in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, San Antonio, Bexar TX. F: 854237
- Roberta Elizabeth Jones Lessner Barbour Agnew Friedrichs Agnew Lessner, 19 Aug 1921 Galveston, Galveston TX – 19 Mar 1995. SSN 462-36-1494As Mrs. Roberta Barbour, a resident of Independence MO in Jul 1975 when her mother died. Social Security notes change to surname Lessner in Oct 1943 – to Barbour on 29 Aug 1984 – to Agnew on 16 Dec 1986 – then to Friedrichs – then back to Jones – then Oct 2006 to Agnew. - One husband was Delbert Leroy Barbour. – She died as Lessner (married to C.R. Lessner at one point).

Siblings:

- Minnie Jane Lancaster Mohundro, 8 Oct 1872 McNairy Co. or Pocahontas, Hardeman TN – 27 Jan 1955 McNairy Co. TN. Death place incorrect on Find A Grave, according to TX death certificate. Wife of Peter Jasper Mohundro (1862-1927) whom she married in 1894. Buried in Mathis Cemetery, McNairy Co. TN. F: 27018964
- Nancy Lancaster, ca. 1874 TN (listed in 1880 census)
- B.V. Lancaster, ca. 1876 TN. Male. Listed in 1880 census.
- Joseph J. Lancaster, May 1879 MS. Listed in 1900 census with family.
- Martha Hazeltine Lancaster Allgood, 17 May 1884 Pocahontas, Hardeman TN – 26 May 1954 Houston, Harris TX. Wife of John William Allgood (1872-1941) whom she married on 22 May 1902 in Jefferson Co. AR. Buried in Copeland Chapel Cemetery, Conroe, Montgomery TX. F: 153072576
- Roy Kane ("Jake") Lancaster, 11 May 1888 TN – 28 Jun 1967 Tucson, Pima AZ. Husband of Stella Mae Burton (1892-1964) whom he married 15 Nov 1913 in Whitney, Hill TX. Dead on arrival at St. Joseph's Hospital. Buried in South Lawn Memorial Cemetery, Tucson, Pima AZ. F: 198577383
- Rudolph Lancaster, 17 Oct 1893 Pocahontas, Hardeman TN - On his WWI (1917) draft card, he gave a birthdate of 17 Oct 1894. Served in WWI, returning from Europe in Jun 1919. On his WWII (1942) card, Rudolph was living in Brinkley, Monroe AR; his NOK was his sister, Mrs. Martha Allgood.

Notes:

Family tree at: https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/87770346/person/362293085047/facts?_phsrc=hFB24424&_phstart=successSource

Pre-war:

Wartime:

"Houston (TX) Post" 10 Feb 1918 p 1 – among those Tuscania survivors who are sick or injured in hospitals in Ireland: William E. Lancaster.

"Tennessean" (Nashville TN) 25 Feb 1918 p 1 – there are 63 Tuscania survivors in hospitals in Ireland. In Londonderry, Ireland: William L. Lancaster of Kossuth MS.

Post-war:

Obituary:

"Austin (TX) American" 22 Apr 1969 p2 - Charges of negligent homicide were filed against 21-year-old Gilbert Gomez of New Braunfels TX, whose truck struck & killed 79-year-old pedestrian William Lancaster on Old US Hwy 81 near the trailer park where Lancaster lived. Lancaster had moved to New Braunfels from Houston recently. Survived by wife Addie, stepdaughter, stepson William W. James (New Braunfels). Funeral 23 Apr 1969 with burial Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery.

Social Security number: 460-03-7959

Censuses:

1880 District 19, Hardeman Co. TN

John LANKSTER, 35 MS, parents b. TN, farm laborer

Martha, 32 MS, parents b. MS, house keeping

M.J., 8 TN [daughter] [Minnie]

Nancy, 6 TN [daughter]

B.V., 4 TN [son]

J.J., 1 MS [son] [Joseph J.]

1900 Madison, Grant AR

John Lancaster, 53 TN, Sep 1846, parents b. TN, married 30 years, farmer

Martha, 56 AL, Aug 1843, parents b. AL, gave birth to 9 children, 8 are living

Joseph, 21 MS, May 1879, day laborer

Martha, 16 TN, May 1884

Roy, 12 TN, May 1888, farm laborer

Willie, 8 TN, Oct 1891 [he was born Oct 1888]

Rudolph, 5 TN, Oct 1894

1910 Madison, Grant AR – parents & some of his siblings

Jas. Or Jno. F.M. Lancaster, 69 TN, parents b. TN, farmer

Martha, 60 AL, parents b. AL

Roy, 21 TN, laborer, farm

Rudolph 15 TN, laborer, farm

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Roy K. Lancaster, 32 TN, father b. MS, mother b. AL, laborer

Stella M., 27 TX, father b. SC, mother b. KY [wife]

Bernie B., 5 TX [son]

Pearl E., 3 TX [daughter]

Billie A., 1 TX [son]

William, 29 TN, single, father b. MS, mother b. AL, laborer, street car

1940 Houston, Harris TX – 9415 Avenue “L” – all residents of same place in 1935

William L. Lancaster, 51 TN, millwright, cement factory

Addie E., 43 TX

& roomer Fred Benten, 40 IN, foreman, petroleum refinery