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Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

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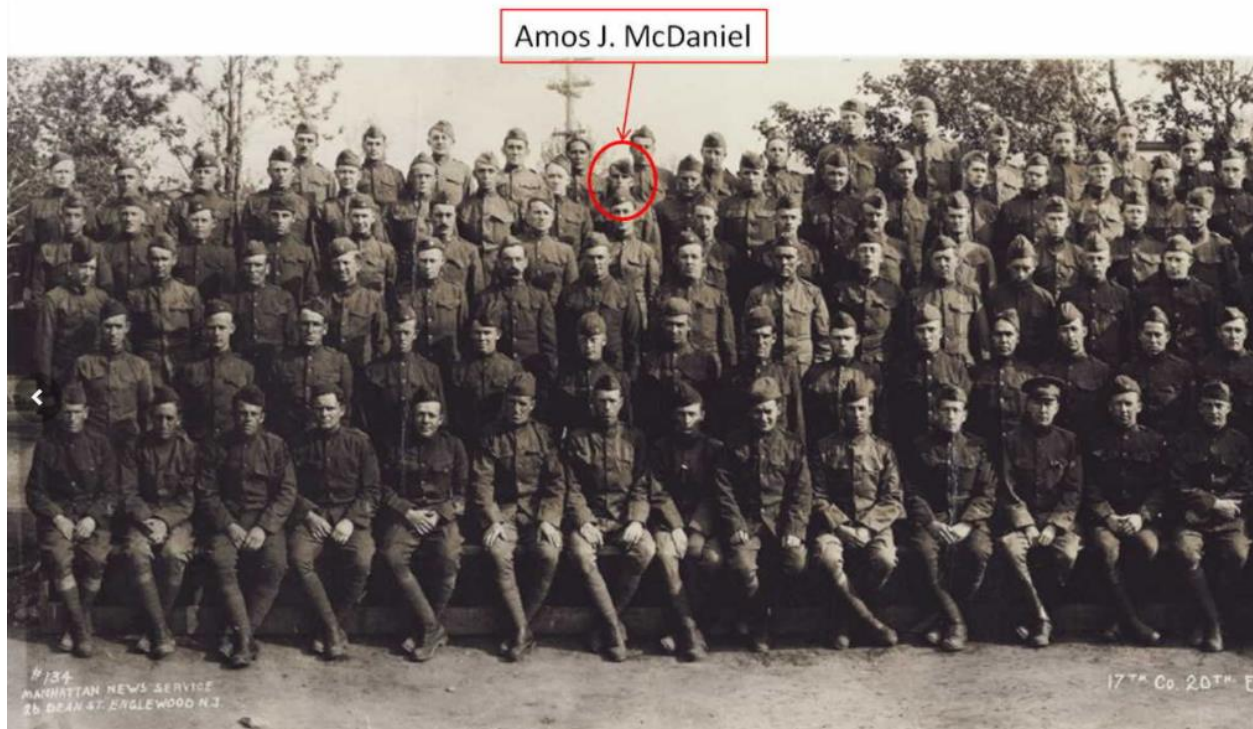
McDaniel, Amos John
1889 TX – 1948 TX



<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/63773373/person/36114389504/media/0d010835-710c-4098-864b-69257ebf0086>



Amos John McDaniel & wife Lottie, ca. 1916, shortly after their marriage -
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Co. E, 6th Battalion, 20th Engineers - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/63773373/person/36114389504/media/b7da0fd1-cc76-499e-9ad2-c6c445e973cb?_phsrc=hFB32401&_phstart=successSource

M-3246
3-22-46

MCDANIEL AMOS JOHN XC 1 457 467

Pvt 42 Co Dem Grp 6 Bn 20 EngK
Co D 360 Inf 90 Div 17 Co
Camp Wood Tex A 3 572 270

Ssn 250 574 Died T 487 558

Born 5/30/89 San A R

Enl 9/19/17 Dis 6/11/19 Cl. 2 557 239

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U.S. VETERANS BUREAU
MAIL AND RECORDS
Form 7302-Rev. Sept., 1908

INDEX CARD 2-12060

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McDaniel, Amos		250,574	1
(Surname)	(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	* White * Colored
Residence: _____		Conroe - <i>Montgomery</i>	TEXAS
(Street and house number)	(Town or city)	(County)	(State)
* Enlisted <i>12/18/18</i>		Inducted at Conroe Tex	Sept 19/17 on _____, 19____
Place of birth: <i>Uvalde Tex</i>		Age or date of birth: 28 4/12 yrs	
Organizations served in, with dates of assignments and transfers: _____			
<i>Co D 360 Inf to Nov 15/18; Co E 20 Engrs to disch</i>			
Grades, with date of appointment: _____			
<i>1st Lt</i>			
Engagements: _____			
Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.			
Served overseas from <i>† Jan 24/18</i> to <i>† May 28/19</i> , from <i>†</i> _____ to <i>†</i> _____			
Honorably discharged on demobilization <i>June 11/19</i> , 19____			
In view of occupation he was, on date of discharge, reported <i>0</i> per cent disabled.			
Remarks: _____			
Form No. 724-1, A. G. O. Nov. 22, 1919. *Strike out words not applicable. † Dates of departure from and arrival in the U. S.			
3-7362			

TX, WWI military record: <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QSQ-G9MN-H9YC-W?i=1281&cc=2202707&personaUrl=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQV18-FQZC>



Tommy to Amos Ltr 1945

📅 10 Jun 1945

📍 Camp Beale, Yuba, California, USA

Letter from Barbara (McDaniel)
Mostella to her father Amos J. upon
starting WAC service.

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up: mble
ORIGINAL

Born Texas

CHECK TYPE REQUIRED (See Instructions attached)		APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER (Please make out and return in duplicate)		
☒ UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE	ENLISTMENT DATE 9/19/17	SERIAL No. 250574	EMBLEM (Check one) ☒ CHRISTIAN ☐ HEBREW ☐ NONE	
☐ FLAT MARBLE MARKER	DISCHARGE DATE 6/11/19	PENSION No. 1 457 467		
☐ FLAT GRANITE MARKER		STATE Texas	RANK Pvt.	COMPANY 17th Co., 20th Engrs
☐ BRONZE MARKER (NOTE RESTRICTIONS)		U. S. REGIMENT, STATE ORGANIZATION, AND DIVISION		
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) McDANIEL, Amos J.		LOCATION (City and State)		
DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year) March 30, 1889		DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Year) March 11, 1948		
NAME OF CEMETERY VA Hospital Cemetery, Legion, Texas		NEAREST FREIGHT STATION (City and State) Kerrville, Texas		
SHIP TO (I CERTIFY THE APPLICANT FOR THIS STONE HAS MADE ARRANGEMENTS WITH ME TO TRANSPORT THE STONE FROM THE FREIGHT STATION TO THE CEMETERY) J. C. MICKLE, Registrar VA Hospital, Legion, Texas (SIGNATURE OF CONSIGNEE)		POST OFFICE ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE Legion, Texas.		
DO NOT WRITE HERE		I certify this application is submitted for a stone for the unmarked grave of a veteran. I hereby agree to assume all responsibility for the removal of the stone promptly upon arrival at destination, and properly place it at the decedent's grave at my expense.		
FOR VERIFICATION APR 2 1948		J. C. MICKLE, Registrar		
ORDERED Columbus, Miss. 4 AUG 1948		3/11/48		
B/L 2236758		APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE		
SHIPPED		DATE OF APPLICATION		
		ADDRESS (Street, City, State)		

QQMG FORM 623
REV 15 APR 47

IMPORTANT—Complete Reverse Side

16-11453-6 GPO

AMOS - Buried in 9 Apr 1948

133-0-1 232-0-1 293-4 24

1. PLACE OF DEATH
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF KERR R
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. VETERANS ADMINISTRATION HOSPITAL, LEGION, TEXAS *pre 1*
2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED McDANIEL, Amos J.
3. LENGTH OF RESIDENCE WHERE DEATH OCCURRED YEARS MONTHS 1 DAYS (SOCIAL SECURITY NO. _____)
4. RESIDENCE OF DECEASED STREET CITY Utopia COUNTY Uvalde STATE Texas

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

5. SEX Male 6. COLOR OR RACE White
7. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (WRITE THE WORD) Widowed
8. DATE OF BIRTH March 30, 1889
9. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS IF LESS THAN 1 DAY
58 9 12 HOURS MIN
10. OCCUPATION, TRADE, PROFESSION OR KIND OF WORK DONE Carpenter
11. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Texas
12. NAME OF MOTHER Jodie Stidham
13. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) Texas
14. SIGNATURE J. C. MICKLE, Registrar
ADDRESS VA Hospital, Legion, TEXAS
15. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE VA Hospital Cemetery, Legion, TEXAS March 16, 1948 194
16. SIGNATURE MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME
ADDRESS KERRVILLE, TEXAS TEXAS

MEDICAL PARTICULARS

17. DATE OF DEATH March 12, 1948 194
18. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM March 11, 1948 194 TO March 12, 1948 194
I LAST SAW HIM ALIVE ON March 12, 1948 194
THE DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE AT 2:55 A. M.
THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF DEATH WAS:
Hypertensive cardiovascular
disease Unknow
CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES WERE Cardiac failure " "
IF NOT DUE TO DISEASE, SPECIFY WHETHER:
ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE
DATE OF OCCURRENCE
PLACE OF OCCURRENCE
MANNER OR MEANS IF RELATED TO OCCUPATION OF DECEASED SPECIFY
SIGNATURE L. B. NEWMAN, M.D. M.D. COR
ADDRESS Vet. Adm. Hospital, Legion, TEXAS TEXAS

20. FILE NUMBER 44 FILE DATE 3/17 1948 SIGNATURE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR Virgil Starnes POSTOFFICE ADDRESS Kerrville TEXAS

NOTE THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR ON THE REVERSE SIDE

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
RECEIVED
APR 6 1948
TEXAS

TX death record - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/63773373/person/36114389504/media/40394_b062324-00191?_phsrc=hFB32401&_phstart=successSource

Prohibition violations:

The grand jury returned indictments against the following persons for alleged violations of the National Prohibition Act: Albert Campbell, possession, manufacture and possession of property for manufacture of intoxicating liquor; Robert Brady, conspiracy to violate National Prohibition Act; G. E. Owens and A. G. Martin, violation of National Prohibition Act; John Navarro, unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor; Adolfo Martinez, possession of intoxicating liquor; Charles McGill and Amos McDaniel, possession; John Roberson, possession and manufacture of intoxicating liquor; Joe Baniuso, Manuel Garcia and Frank Funari, carrying on business of distiller; Ben B. Burrows, possession and sale of intoxicating liquor; Cyrus A. Helvey, and William L. Zimmerman, conspiracy to have and possess intoxicating liquor; Laurence Flores, and Lasaro Sorla, possession and sale of intoxicating liquor; James H. Finch and Tom Howell, carrying on business of distiller; Charles McGill, possession of intoxicating liquor; Leo B.

Amos John McDaniel & 1st cousin, Charles Wesley Brice McGill arrested for Prohibition violations – "San Antonio Express" Saturday, 4 Oct 1924 p 7 -

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/51969/images/News-TE-SA_AN_EX-51969_1924_10_04_0007?pId=484773895

DOPE LAW VIOLATOR DRAWS \$100 FINE

Pleading guilty to an indictment charging unlawful dealing in narcotics, Arthur F. Noble was fined \$100 Saturday morning in United States District court.

A fine of \$500 was assessed against Amos McDaniel late Friday afternoon in federal court for the alleged possession of 17 1-2 gallons of whisky. McDonald was acquitted on four counts of a five-count indictment charging liquor law violations.

Charles McGill, tried jointly with McDaniel, was acquitted on all five counts of the indictment.

"San Antonio (TX) Light" Saturday 17 Jan 1925 p 9 -

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/51973/images/News-TE-SA_AN_LI.-1925_01_17-0009?pid=485016585

LIQUOR DEFENDANT WINS FIRST ROUND

**Man, Charged on Two
Cases, Acquitted On One
Count.**

Charles McGill was defendant in two liquor cases in Federal court Thursday afternoon. He was acquitted of the charge of possession of liquor as a third offense in the first case. Evidence was heard in the second case in which he is charged with violation of the liquor law on five counts and the trial will be continued Friday.

McGill was charged in the first case with possession of six gallons of intoxicating liquor about June 23. The indictment alleged that it was the third offense of possession of intoxicating liquor.

The second case charges McGill jointly with Amos J. McDaniel in violation of the National prohibition law. McDaniel pleaded guilty to the fifth count of the charge, which alleges possession of 17 1/4 pints of intoxicating liquor about December 29.

The men are charged in the first count with unlawfully carrying on the business of a distiller about December 29. The second count charges that they unlawfully made approximately 60 gallons of sugar and yeast mash in a shed near a dwelling house at 629 East Myrtle Street. They are further charged with unlawful use and possession of a copper still of about 80-gallon capacity, and possession of intoxicating liquor.

"San Antonio (TX) Express" Friday 16 Jun 1925 p 5 -

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/51969/images/News-TE-SA_AN_EX-51969_1925_01_16_0005?pid=485015557

Killing of Silas Franklin 1935:

Jury Names McDaniels As Slayer

Six Who Witnessed Gun Battle Testify At Inquest

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Franklin's Pistol Misfires

Officers said one bullet had been fired from Franklin's pistol and that the hammer clicked on another shell, but it failed to discharge. McDaniels was present at the inquest, but was not called upon to testify.

Chandler made no statement concerning charges he might file against McDaniels before returning to Florence with the prisoner tonight.

Funeral services for Franklin will be conducted at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow at Winkelman.

DEATH IS LAID TO M'DANIELS

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Pinal Slaying Hearing Set

(Exclusive Republic Dispatch)

FLORENCE, Nov. 20.—Preliminary hearing for Amos McDaniel, Aravaipa rancher charged with murder, will be held before Roy Guild, justice at 10 a. m. Friday.

McDaniel is charged with slaying Silas Franklin five miles from Mammoth last Thursday afternoon.

According to the story told by McDaniel, he shot Franklin in self-defense after Franklin fired two shots at him while they were in an automobile. McDaniel said they had been quarreling. They were returning from Mammoth to their Aravaipa ranch.

A Mexican, third occupant of the car, said the two men were quarreling but that as he cannot understand English he did not know who fired the first shot as he left the car when the quarrel became bitter.

"Arizona Republic" (Phoenix AZ) Thursday 21 Nov 1935 p 11

Rancher Held In Slaying Of Silas Franklin

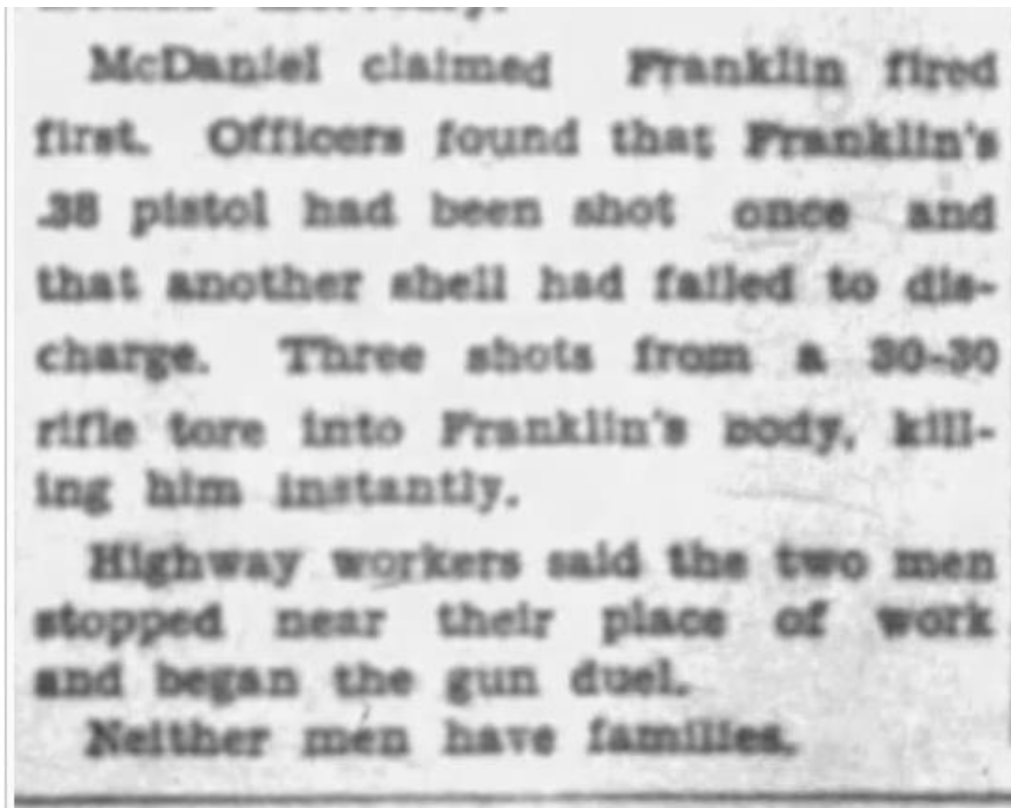
Amos McDaniels Dies In Gun
Duel On Mammoth-
Winkelman Road

WINKLEMAN, Nov. 15.—Following a gun duel in which Silas Franklin, 53, was shot and killed yesterday afternoon on the road between Mammoth and here, officers today held Amos McDaniels, 45-year-old rancher

as his slayer, McDaniel, after the shooting 16 miles from here, hailed a passing motorist and asked to be taken to officers.

He would not disclose the subject of their dispute. He had been residing for several months at Franklin's ranch near Aravaipa creek. He is an ex-service man. The men had been riding north in Franklin's car, when they stopped and got out. The gunplay followed.

McDaniel is being held in the Pinal county jail at Florence pending an inquest, which will take place this afternoon at Mammoth. The body of Franklin is being held at a Winkelman mortuary.



The erroneous subheading has Amos dead as well as Silas Franklin – “Tucson (AZ) Daily Citizen” Friday 15 Nov 1935 p 18 - <https://www.newspapers.com/clip/61352705/amos-mcdaniel-held-in-the-shooting/> AND <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/63773373/person/36114389504/media/e6b9c968-3e66-463f-9533-f7d6fd760695>

M'DANIELS FREED OF MURDER CHARGE

FLORENCE, Nov. 30.—(P)—Amos McDaniels was released from the Pinal county jail, where he had been held on a murder charge, to-day after a preliminary hearing in which the accusation in connection with the slaying of Silas Franklin, Aravaipa rancher, was dismissed.

The complaint was dismissed upon motion of the defense after the state introduced testimony of six witnesses.

Franklin was shot and killed in a gun duel on the Mammoth highway November 14.

All of the witnesses testified they saw the car in which McDaniels and Franklin were riding stop on the highway and both men get out. They said three or four shots were fired. The first shot, witnesses said, was "lighter" than the others.

McDaniels had declared he shot Franklin with a rifle after the latter fired at him with a pistol.

Jose Sanchez, who was riding with McDaniels and Franklin, testified he saw Franklin make a move as if to draw a gun, but did not see the weapon. He said he ran down the highway when the shooting began.

McDaniels said he and Franklin had been quarreling over Franklin's threats to leave the ranch where they had been living.

"Arizona Daily Star" (Tucson AZ) Sunday 1 Dec 1935 p 2 -

<https://www.newspapers.com/clip/61352450/amos-mcdaniel-cleared-of-murder-charges/> AND

<https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/63773373/person/36114389504/media/feffdd02-0e2e-4095-9c2d-090e6da5c1f8>

Father?

John McDaniel died at his home on the west side on Thursday of typhoid. He was ill but a few days and his death came as a sad surprise to his many friends. Mr. McDaniel was a good citizen and leaves a family. Interment was made in the west side cemetery on Friday.—Bridgeport Index.

"Wise County Messenger" (Decatur TX) Friday 5 Dec 1919 p 7

Wife #1 Lottie M. Wiley

NOTE WELL—INSTRUCTIONS ON THE REVERSE SIDE
Write plainly with Unfading Ink. This is a Permanent Record
When Stillborn, state as cause of death, file birth certificate. Every item of information should be carefully supplied. No statement of occupation should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified.

**TEXAS STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

**B.O.V.S.
FROM D**

(1) PLACE OF DEATH
County Wilson
City Stardale (No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

(2) FULL NAME Lottie McDaniel (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

(3) SEX Woman (4) Color or Race white (5) Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced Married

(6) DATE OF BIRTH October 19 1892
(Month) (Day) (Year)

(7) AGE 25 years 3 months 6 days
If less than 2 years, state if breast fed _____ If less than 1 day _____
Yes _____ No _____ hrs. _____ min.

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

(9) BIRTHPLACE (State or Country) Wilson Co Texas

PARENTS

(10) NAME OF FATHER Angus Wiley
(11) BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Country) Wilson Co Texas
(12) MOTHER NAME OF MOTHER Lionel Miller
(13) BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Wilson Co Texas

(14) THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Mrs. J. J. Hill
(Address) Stardale Tex

(15) Filed 11/27/19 Aug Frank Jr. Registrar

MEDICAL PARTICULARS

(16) DATE OF DEATH Jan 26 1918
(Month) (Day) (Year)

(17) I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Jan 18 1918 to Jan 26 1918, that I last saw her alive on Jan 26 1918, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 4:00 m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
General Peritonitis (Empyema).
(137)

Contributory (Secondary) abortion (Duration) years months 10 days

(Signed) J. M. Jones M.D. Jan 28 1918 (Address) Stardale Tex

*Use International List of Cause of Death—State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, State (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

(18) LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)
At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____

Former or usual residence _____

(19) PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Stardale DATE OF BURIAL Jan 27 1918

(20) UNDERTAKER W. H. Salmon ADDRESS Stardale, Tex

TX death record – Lottie Wiley McDaniel died 29 Jan 1918 of general peritonitis (puerperal) / abortion – Amos has sailed on Tuscania 5 days earlier -

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2272/images/33154_B061833-00468?pld=30110856

PLATE OF DEATH
County Brewer
City San Antonio (No. 1 Kennedy Sanit St. 1 Ward)

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Reg. Dis. No. 23100
Registered No. 23100

Full Name Mrs Leona Gill (a) RESIDENCE No. Stackdale, Texas
(If nonresident give city or town and State)
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 14 yrs. 11 mos. 14 ds. How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? 14 yrs. 11 mos. 14 ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sept 12 1871
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 47 yrs. 11 mos. 14 ds.
If less than 2 years state if breast fed If less than 1 day
Yes No hrs. mins.

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

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Texas

10 NAME OF FATHER A. R. Miller

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Texas

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER R. E. Lemon

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Texas

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE
(Informant) J. L. Gill
(Address) Stackdale

15 AUG 11 1919
Filed 191 Registrar

MEDICAL PARTICULARS

16 DATE OF DEATH Aug 12 1919
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Aug 2 1919, to Aug 12 1919
that I last saw her alive on Aug 12 1919
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 10:28 m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Peritonitis of Stomach
(duration) 10 yrs. 11 mos. 14 ds.

Contributory (Secondary) 10 yrs. 11 mos. 14 ds.

18 Where was disease contracted
if not at place of death? 10 yrs. 11 mos. 14 ds.

Did an operation precede death? Yes Date of Aug 12 1919

Was there an autopsy? Yes

What test confirmed diagnosis?
(Signed) John H. Kennedy M. D.
Aug 12 1919 (Address) Stackdale, Texas

*State the Disease Causing Death, or in death from Violent Causes, state (1) Means and Nature of Injury, and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal. (See reverse side for State Statutes.)

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Stackdale DATE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL 8/13 1919

20 UNDERTAKER Harry McDaniel ADDRESS 425 E. Pearl St

479-219-100M

TX death record of his WWI next-of-kin, mother-in-law Leona Miller Wiley Gill -

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2272/images/33154_B061858-01508?pld=30029825

Wife: Cynthia Lee/Laree Cotter



Cynthia Lee Cotter McDaniel Dockery - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/63773373/person/36114389505/media/92bb65fd-1233-4dcc-98c3-736a31c985aa>

Daughter:



Barbara Marie McDaniel Mostella Riewerts - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/63773373/person/36114390435/media/09efc2c9-f5a7-4bc4-870a-676bcad5b641>

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CITY COUNTY OF FAIRFAX **CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE** **COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA** 26459

FULL NAME OF GROOM ERROLL SINGMASTER RIEWERTS CLERK'S No. 330

PRESENT NAME OF BRIDE BARBARA RIEWERTS MAIDEN NAME BARBARA MOSTELLA

GROOM				BRIDE			
AGE	RACE	SINGLE, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED	NO. TIMES PREV. MARRIED	AGE	RACE	SINGLE, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED	NO. TIMES PREV. MARRIED
31	White	Divorced	Once	31	White	Divorced	Once

OCCUPATION M/Sgt. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS Army OCCUPATION None INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS - - -

BIRTHPLACE Petaluma, California BIRTHPLACE Brackettville, Texas

FATHER'S FULL NAME JOHN MARTIN RIEWERTS FATHER'S FULL NAME H. A. MOSTELLA

MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME STELLA SCOTT MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME LORRIANE WEST

RESIDENCE: CITY OR COUNTY MAILING ADDRESS Arlington, Virginia RESIDENCE: CITY OR COUNTY MAILING ADDRESS San Francisco, California

RESIDENCE: CITY OR COUNTY MAILING ADDRESS 805 N. Stuart St. 0020 RESIDENCE: CITY OR COUNTY MAILING ADDRESS 1233 Masonic Ave. 05

Date of Proposed Marriage September 15, 1948 Place of Proposed Marriage Fairfax, Virginia

Given under my hand this 15th day of September, 1948.

THOMAS P. CHAPMAN, JR., CLERK, Clerk of CIRCUIT Court.

By: Frank D. Swart Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE

I, THOMAS P. CHAPMAN, JR., authorized by the Circuit Court Church, or (Denomination)

to celebrate the rites of marriage in Fairfax County, Va. 0290

~~religious order of the same~~ do certify that on the 18th day of September, 1948 Co. Fairfax

Virginia, under authority of this license, I joined together in the Holy State of Matrimony the persons named and described therein. I qualified and gave bond according to law authorizing me to celebrate the rites of marriage in the county Fairfax of Fairfax Commonwealth of Virginia.

Given under my hand this 18th day of SEPTEMBER, 1948.

Address of celebrant FAIRFAX, VA.

(Person who performs ceremony sign here.)

MARGIN RE: The minister or other person celebrating this marriage is required within five days to fill out and sign both copies of this Certificate of Date and Place of Marriage and deliver them to the clerk who issued the license. The copy with the license and water on the back is for the clerk, the other for the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

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Almost all family information for bride in this record is false. For some reason, she listed a fictitious father (her first husband's last name), she listed her aunt, Irene West (who did raise her), but named Lorriane West. Place of birth also false.



Errol Singmaster Riewerts

(1917-2008)

1 Source

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/63773373/person/36114390435/facts>

Son: David Cotter McDaniel

MAJ. DAVID C. McDANIEL

SAN ANTONIO — Funeral for Maj. David Cotter McDaniel, a former resident of Austin, will be Monday at 10:30 a.m. at Porter Loring Chapel here. Burial will be in Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery with full military honors.

Maj. McDaniel, a resident of Austin for four years until 1967, died Feb. 7 in a Honolulu, Hawaii hospital.

Maj. McDaniel, a retired Air Force officer, attended the School of Business Administration at the University of Texas and taught at the University of Southern California in Los Angeles.

He served in World War II and in Korea.

He was teaching in Hawaii at the time of his death.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth McDaniel; three sons, David, Steven and William McDaniel; two daughters, Donna and Susan McDaniel; his mother, Mrs. Cynthia Dockery; his stepfather, Willis Dockery; one sister, Mrs. Barbara Riewerts; four brothers, James, Dan, Lee and Ted Dockery; one aunt, Mrs. Margaret Bulgawicz; one uncle, Irvin Cotter; and several nieces and nephews.

David C. McDaniel

Services for David Cotter McDaniel, 45, who lived in San Antonio 20 years, will be 10:30 a.m. Monday in Porter Loring Mortuary. Burial for the retired Army Major will be in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

McDaniel died Feb. 7 in Tripler General Hospital in Honolulu. He was teaching abroad when he died, but listed his address as Austin.

McDaniel is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Logan McDaniel; three sons, David, Steven and William McDaniel; two daughters, Donna and Susan McDaniel; his mother, Mrs. Cynthia Dockery; four brothers, James, Dan, Lee and Ted Dockery; and one sister, Mrs. Barbara Riewerts.



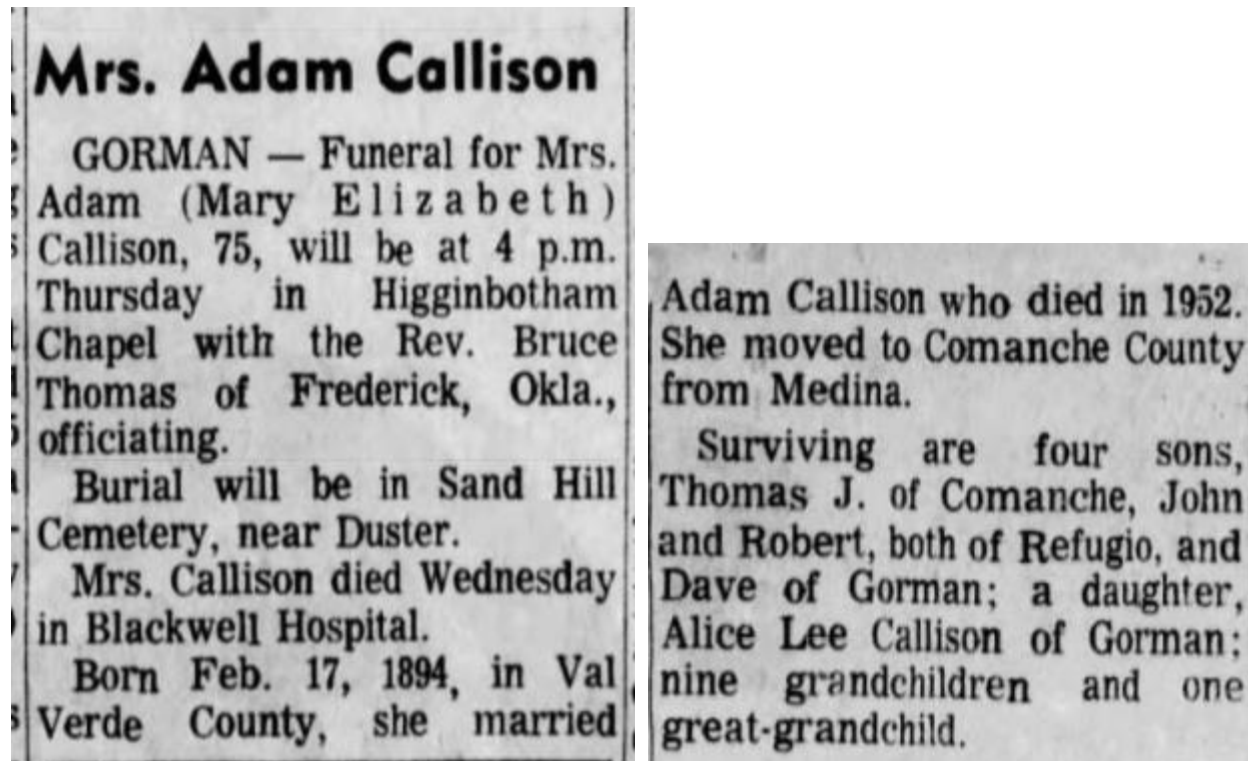
McDaniel

Left: "Austin (TX) American" Friday 14 Feb 1969 p 37 – Right: "San Antonio (TX) Express" Sunday 16 Feb 1969 p 20

Siblings:

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH		STATE FILE NO. 754	
1. PLACE OF DEATH		BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS		REGISTERED NO. 71	
COUNTY	Pima	STATE	ARIZONA		
TOWNSHIP	Oracle	OR VILLAGE			
CITY	Oracle	NO.			OR
(IF DEATH OCCURRED IN HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION, GIVE ITS NAME INSTEAD OF STREET AND NUMBER)					
LENGTH OF RESIDENCE		IN CITY OR TOWN WHERE DEATH OCCURRED			
FULL NAME		John McDaniel			
(A) RESIDENCE		Oracle, Pinal Co., Ariz.			
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS		MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH			
3. SEX	4. COLOR OR RACE	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED	21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR)		
Male	White	Single	Jan 17, 1927		
5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED			22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, THAT I ATTENDED DECEASED FROM		
HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF			LAST SAW ALIVE ON		
X			after death Jan 17, 1927		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR)			7. AGE		
Sept 13, 1897			45		
8. TRADE, PROFESSION, OR PARTICULAR KIND OF WORK DONE			9. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH WORK WAS DONE		
Locomotive			Fireman		
10. DATE DECEASED LAST WORKED AT THIS OCCUPATION			11. TOTAL TIME (YEARS) SPENT IN THIS OCCUPATION		
12. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN)			13. NAME		
Texas			John McDaniel		
14. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN)			15. MAIDEN NAME		
Texas			Joe Stedman		
16. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN)			17. INFORMANT		
Texas			J. McDaniel		
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL			19. EMBALMER		
Burial			W. H. Parker		
20. FILED			24. WAS DECEASED OR INJURED IN ANY WAY RELATED TO OCCUPATION OR		
2-10-1927			DECEASED		

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Is this his sister Mary? "Abilene (TX) Reporter-News" Thursday 29 Jan 1970 p 3

Name: Amos John McDaniel

Name variations:

Military:

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

Serial number: 250,574

Entered service from: Stockdale, Wilson TX

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Amos Mc Daniel

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": wife Mrs. Lottie M. Mc Daniel, Stockdale TX

Returned from war on: "Santa Paula" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Amos Mc Daniel

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother-in-law Mrs. Leona Gill, Stockdale TX (pvt, 17th Co., 20th Engrs, Forestry)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Amos McDaniel, b. 30 Mar 1889 Uvalde TX; res: Connor, Montgomery TX. Married, with wife & 1 child. Laborer, J.O.H. Bernette, Connor TX. Medium height & build.

World War II draft registration (1942): as Amos John McDaniel - b. 30 May 1889 Uvalde TX; res: De Leon, Comanche TX. Mailing address: Route 2, Comanche TX. NOK Mrs. Annie McDaniel, same address. Unemployed. Height: 6'. Weight: 180 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted: 9 Sep 1917

Discharged: 11 Jun 1919

Address: Camp Wood TX

Rank/unit: private, 42nd Co., Dem Grp, 6th Battalion, 20th Engineers – Co. D., 360th Infantry, 90th Division, 17th Co.

TX, WWI military record:

Amos McDaniel, serial 250,574. Resident of Conroe, Montgomery TX. Born Uvalde TX. Inducted into Army at Conroe TX on 19 Sep 1917 at age 28 years 4 months. In Co. D, 360th Infantry to 15 Nov 1918 – in Co. E, 20th Engineers until discharge. Rank: private. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to 28 May 1919. Discharged 11 Jun 1919. 0% disabled.

Birth & death:

Born: 30 Mar 1889 Uvalde, Uvalde TX

Died: 12 Mar 1948 Legion, Kerr Co. TX

Find A Grave record: 3060092 – presence on Tuscania indicated in text

Burial location: Kerrville, Kerr TX

Cemetery: Kerrville National

Tombstone: veteran tombstone: Texas pvt 20 Engrs WWI

Father: John S. McDaniel, Jan 1854 TX - ? A death date of 25 Jan 1919 in El Paso, El Paso TX is disputed on his Ancestry.com family tree. Son of Amos Kendrick McDaniel & Mary Catherine Brooks.

Find A Grave:

Mother: Georgia Ann (Jodie/Joe) Stidham Leakey Fairbanks McDaniel , Jun 1860 Nashville, Milam TX – died before 1910. Daughter of John Benjamin (Bunyon) Stidham (1828-1908, F: 79767444) & Jane (Jennie) Hobbs (1830-1908, F: 79767157).

Married 9 Aug 1876 in Kerr Co. TX to James Leakey.

Married 5 Mar 1878 in Bell Co. TX to R.J. Fairbanks.

Find A Grave:

Parents' marriage: 30 Aug 1883 Frio Co. TX

Spouse: Lottie M. Wiley McDaniel, 19 Oct 1892 Wilson Co. TX – 29 Jan 1918 Stockdale, Wilson TX. Tombstone inscribed with death date of 26 Feb 1918. Daughter of Francis Eugene Wiley (1868-1911, F: 80074527) & Leona Algerone ("Millie") Miller Wiley Gill (1874-1919). Her daughter Barbara (Tommie) McDaniel was born in 1916. Died from general peritonitis (puerperal) / abortion. (This is not differentiated as to a "criminal" abortion or a naturally occurring abortion of a fetus.) An infant boy was born/died circa 11 Jan 1918 in Wilson Co. TX. Buried in Stockdale Cemetery, Stockdale, Wilson TX.

Spouse Find A Grave: 83042654

Marriage: 1 Jan 1913 in Guadalupe Co. TX (also found as ca. 1914 in Stockdale, Wilson TX)

Spouse: Cynthia Lee/Laree ("Dood") Cotter McDaniel Dockery, 21 Jan 1906 Wilson Co. TX – 16 Feb 1985 San Antonio, Bexar TX.

Their son was David Oliver Cotter McDaniel (1923-1969), who was raised by his maternal grandparents. During his high school years, he used the surname Cotter.

Married to James Willis Dockery (1903-1991, F: 96018059). Their son James was born 13 Oct 1929. Buried in Mission Burial Park South, San Antonio, Bexar TX with James Dockery.

Spouse Find A Grave: 96018128

Marriage: ca. 1922 Stockdale, Wilson TX. Divorced ca. 1924 in Stockdale, Wilson TX.

? Spouse: Annie --- McDaniel. Listed as his 1942 WWII NOK at his address. But in 1940, listed as divorced. Ancestry.com family tree says a marriage record was not located, nor the presence of an Annie McDaniel in Comanche TX during this time period. Amos is listed as a widower on his 1948 TX death record.

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage:

? Spouse: Elizabeth Helen ("Lizzie") Cotter McDaniel? Hardin, b. 1887, claimed as a spouse on his Ancestry.com family tree. With a son, Roy Lee Cotter (1921-1999, F: 97997917). This does not seem accurate. Wife of Ernest H. Harding. Also had son John (Joe) Cotter (1915-1942).

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage:

Children: by 1st wife Lottie M. Wiley

- Barbara Marie ("Tommie") McDaniel Mostella Riewerts, 31 Oct 1916 Wilson Co. TX – 24 Jun 1983 San Antonio, Bexar TX. Married ca. 1934 to Archie Powell Mostella (1911-1948, F: 102134151). They were separated by 13 Jun 1944 & divorced by 28 Dec 1946. – Married Erroll Singmaster Riewerts (1917-2008, F: 55703689) on 15 Sep 1948 in Fairfax Co. VA. Her marriage license (copied above) claims she is the daughter of "H.A. Mostella" [Mostella being her 1st husband's surname], born Brackettville TX & mother "Lorriane West" (her aunt Irene West raised her). – Barbara was a staff sergeant in the US Army in WWII. Barbara M. Mostella enlisted in the Women's Air Corps on 16 Jun 1944 at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio TX. - She is buried with Errol in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, San Antonio, Bexar TX. F: 55703687
- Infant son McDaniel, born & died ca. 11 Jan 1918 Wilson Co. TX.

Children: by 2nd wife Cynthia Cotter

- David Oliver Cotter McDaniel, 9 Oct 1923 Wilson Co. TX – 7 Feb 1969 HI. Raised by his maternal grandparents; was known in high school as David Cotter. – Served in the US Air Force in WWII & Korea. - In the Korean War was awarded the Silver Star, 3 Distinguished Flying Crosses, the British Military Cross & 5 Air Medals. After the war was promoted to major but was "grounded" when the strep throat he contracted in the war became rheumatic heart fever, contributing to the stroke that killed him in 1969. – married to Dr. Elizabeth Alice Logan (1923 OH – 2013 TX) who received her B.A. from UCLA, her M.A. from the U of IL & her Ph.D. from the U of TX, Austin. She taught at TX State University (then Southwest TX State), was director of the graduate school psychology program for 25 years & developed the Inferred Self Concept Scale. – Prior to David's death, he also earned his Ph.D. & taught aerospace management to high-ranking Air Force officers in the Europe & East Asia. – Buried in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, San Antonio, Bexar TX. F: 64444752

Siblings: Amos was the 2nd of 4 living children in 1900.

- Robert McDaniel, May 1887 TX (in 1900 census) –

- Thomas ("Tom") McDaniel, 12 Sep 1891 Uvalde Co. TX – 17 Jan 1937 Oracle Junction, Pinal AZ. Served in WWI in the 340th Field Artillery, 69th Division. A locomotive fireman. Buried with tombstone as "Tom McDaniel" in Evergreen Memorial Park, Tucson, Pima AZ. F: 86385303
- Mary L. McDaniel Francis (Callison?), Feb 1894 TX (in 1900 census) - . Married John Francis on 1 Jan 1913 in Guadalupe Co. TX, having obtained a license 31 Dec 1912. Linked on Ancestry.com to Mary Elizabeth McDaniel Callison, 17 Feb 1894 Hondo, Val Verde TX – 28 Jun 1970 Gorman, Eastland TX. Her obituary skips over her parentage. Her TX death record lists her parents as unknown. - Wife of Adam Rufus Callison (1888-1952, F: 52290474). He was earlier married to Ella Mae Hibbard (on 24 Mar 1937 in Gillespie Co. TX). Buried in Sand Hill Cemetery, Comanche Co. TX. F: 52290511

Notes: Family tree at: <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/63773373/person/36114389504/facts>. Failure to find census & marriage records have left gaps in this man's biography.

Pre-war:

Wartime:

"Bonham (TX) Daily Favorite" Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 2 – "Texas Soldiers on Tuscania" include Amos McDaniel of Stockdale TX.

"Fort Worth (TX) Star-Telegram" Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 7 – as yet unaccounted for: in Co. E, 6th Battalion, 20th Engineers: Amos McDaniel, Stockdale TX

"Corsicana (TX) Semi-Weekly Light" Tuesday 12 Feb 1918 p 5 – among the Texans on Tuscania missing: Amos McDaniel, Stockdale TX.

Post-war:

In 1924 & 1925 Amos is arrested for Prohibition alcoholic beverage violations in San Antonio, Bexar TX.

Amos John McDaniel was presented for membership in the Bucky O'Neill Post 541 of the VFW in Prescott AZ on 4 Dec 1931.

On 14 Nov 1935 he shoots & kills Silas Franklin, with whom he had been living, in a "gun duel" on the Mammoth Highway after they got out of the car they were traveling in & exchanged gunfire. He was released because it was deemed self-defense.

In & out of the hospital:

"Arizona Daily Star" (Tucson AZ) Sunday 29 Sep 1935 p 3 – admitted during the past week to the US Veterans Hospital: Amos J. McDaniel

"Kerrville (TX) Times" Thursday 23 Jul 1936 p 4 – among the veterans admitted to Legion Hospital was Amos J. McDaniel of Stockdale TX.

“Kerrville (TX) Times” Thursday 17 Nov 1936 p 5 – admitted to Legion Hospital: Amos J. McDaniel of Aransas Pass TX

“Kerrville (TX) Mountain Sun” Thursday 12 Aug 1937 p 11 – admitted to Legion Hospital was Amos J. McDaniel of Comanche TX.

Obituary:

TX deaths: died at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Legion TX of hypertensive cardiovascular accident. Carpenter.

Social Security number:

Censuses:

1900 Justice Precinct 7, Bandera Co. TX

John S. McDaniel, 46 TX, Jan 1854, parents b. AR, married 16 years, farmer

Joe, 35 TX, Jan 1865, parents b. GA, gave birth to 6 children, 4 are living

Robert, 13 TX, May 1887, at school

Amos J., 11 TX, May 1889, at school

Thomas, 8 TX, Sep 1891, at school

Mary L., 6 TX, Feb 1894

1940 Aransas Pass, San Patricio TX – living with his daughter Barbara (Tommie) – Archie & Tommie resided in the same place in 1935

Archie P. Mostello [indexed as Kostello] 28 TX, water treater, Humble Oil Refinery

Tommie Mostello, 27 TX [wife]

Amos McDaniel, 51 TX, divorced, resident of Tucson [sic/Tucson] AZ in 1935 [father-in-law]