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Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

TUSCANIA

Riley, Thomas Patrick
1878 NY - ?

RILEY THOMAS PATRICK		X C	506 426
Sgt 162 Aero Sqdn		K	
832 Washington St Gary Ind		A	2 618 729
No 250 046	Died	T	462 051
Born 6/23/78		R	
Kel 7/24/17	Dte 2/13/19	Cl	1 140 815
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INDEX CARD

<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:WSFK-4NW2>

Riley Thomas P 400		250,046	white	1 1/2
(Surname)	(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	(Race: White or colored)	
Residence: 207 Day Ave		Rome	Oneida	NEW YORK
(Street and house number)		(Town or city)	(County)	(State)
* Enlisted in	RA Ft Thomas Ky	—	July 24/17	—
† Born in	New York N Y	—	39 1/12 yrs	—
Organizations:	83 Aero Sq to Sept 12/17; 118 Aero Sq to Dec 15/18— 158 Aero Sq to Aug 30/18; 1107 Aero Sq to Oct 21/18; 162 Aero Sq to disch			
Grades:	Corp Jan 1/18; Pvt Nov 18/18; Sgt Dec 1/18 —			
Engagements:	— —			
Wounds or other injuries received in action: None. —				
‡ Served overseas:	Jan 24/18 to Feb 2/19 —			
§ Hon. disch.	Feb 13 19 on demobilization —			
Was reported	0	per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation. —		
Remarks:	—			

Form No. 724-1 1/2, A. G. O. *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.

NY, WWI Army service card - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/412862:3030?tid=&pid=&queryId=1650c970c0e9850b0714f8e680a5132f&phsrc=hFB49487&phstart=successSource>

Additional List of Survivors

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The War Department to-night announced the following additional survivors of the Tuscania:

NEW YORK

WALTER LANKENAU, 301 East 162d Street.
 CHARLES RAY, Rouse's Point.
 LOUIS R. VIENT, Keeseville.
 ROSWELL P. BLAKE, 312 East Eighteenth Street.
 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ELLISWORTH, Jr., 230 West 108th Street.
 MERWIN B. GRAY, care Reformatory, Bedford Hills.
 CHARLES A. FIRTH, 238 Abingdon Road, Kew Gardens, L. I.
 WALTER J. MARTIN, 550 Hamburg Avenue, Brooklyn.
 WILLIAM J. BLACKMAN, 519 Clinton Avenue, Brooklyn.
 BENNETT H. PETERSON, 1410 West Avenue, Utica.
 THOMAS P. RILEY, 207 Day Avenue, Rome.
 FRANK SOFFIN, 1477 Fulton Avenue.
 JOSEPH F. LEE, 609 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn.
 JOHN J. STEFFERUD, Norwich American Line, 810 Bridge Street.
 EDWARD C. TEFPEAU, 824 Third Avenue.
 CLARENCE ARTHUR WACKWITZ, Irvington-on-Hudson.
 WINFRED C. DOTY, 709 Wood Street, Rome.
 MINER C. MARKHAM, 116 Chaffee Avenue, Syracuse.
 CHARLES G. WEBER, South Wales.
 EARL CUSHMAN, R. F. D. 2, Upper Troy.
 HOWARD SNOW, Camden, N. Y.
 CHARLES PAUSEWANG, 4090 Fulton Street, Woodhaven.
 CHARLES H. COFTS, 307 Carlton Avenue, Brooklyn.
 THOMAS C. PERROTT, 345 Pacific Street, Brooklyn.
 GRAGG RICHARDS, 52 Broadway.
NEW JERSEY
 REUBEN G. LOGAN, Box 16, Woodstown.

SAMUEL J. PITTINGER, Belvidere.
 VINCENZO SIMMONE, 127 Bellinger Street, Newark.

CONNECTICUT

NATHAN PERLMAN, 25 Davenport Avenue, New Haven.
 RAYMOND W. SOMERSET, 53 Bond Street, Hartford.
 HERBERT M. EDMUNDS, Ninth Street and Laurel Avenue, Keansburg.

MASSACHUSETTS

KENNETH S. HALL, 8 Shaffner Street, Worcester.
 CLIFTON E. STEELE, West Acton.
 THOMAS A. CAREY, 38 St. Andrews Road, East Boston.

PENNSYLVANIA

JAMES CLEVELAND M'CORMICK, 1408 North Twelfth Street, Philadelphia.
 MARVIN W. ALCOCK, Endeavor.
 MILTON JURELL, Lititz.
 ROY K. BROWN, 12 Hamilton Avenue, Duquesne.
 LAWRENCE T. DUBBS, Belwood.
 CHESTER H. JONES, Endeavor.
 EVAN JONES, 194 South Main Street, Carbondale.
 WILLIAM W. RINN, jr., Port Allegheny.
 ANDREW SHOUNLISKEY, 842 Mullenburg Avenue, Reading.
 THEODORE C. WINGERT, Cross Fork, Potter County.
 ELMER S. LANDIS, Main Street, Akron.
 LEROY HINKEL, 1167 Cotton Street, Reading.
 RUFUS W. HUFFORD, jr., 722 North Fifth Street, Reading.
 EUGENE A. KANE, 723 Grace Street, Williamsport.
 WHEELER S. SNOKE, 30 North Earl Street, Shippensburg.
 STANLEY VINCENT CHESLEY, Coal Porte.
 MARTIN R. M'LAUGHLIN, 614 East Tenth Street, Erie.

"New York Tribune" Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 2

Name: Thomas Patrick Riley

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 158th Aero Squadron to 30 Aug 1918, then 1107th Aero Squadron to 21 Oct 1918; then 162nd Aero Squadron - corporal

Serial number: 250,046 ["Connecticut" passenger roster & NY WWI Army card] – 250,045 on Veterans Administration Master Index card

Entered service from: Rome, Oneida NY

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Thomas P. Riley

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": brother James J. Riley, 207 Day Ave., Rome NY

Returned from war on: "Connecticut" Jan 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Thomas P. Riley

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: brother James J. Riley, 207 Day Ave., Rome NY (sgt, 162nd Aero Squadron)

World War I draft registration (1917):

World War II draft registration (1942):

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted: 24 Jul 1917

Discharged: 13 Feb 1919

Address: 832 Washington St., Gary IN

Rank/unit: sergeant, 162nd Aero Squadron

Birth & death:

Born: 23 Jun 1878 NY, NY (Veterans Administration Master Index, which agrees with NY Army Card, enlisted 24 Jul 1917 at age 39 years, 1 month)

Died: no death date in Veterans Administration Master Index

Find A Grave record:

Burial location:

Cemetery:

Tombstone:

Father:

Find A Grave:

Mother:

Find A Grave:

Parents' marriage:

Spouse:

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage:

Children:

Siblings:

- James J. Riley

Notes:

Pre-war:

Wartime:

Enlisted Ft. Thomas KY 24 Jul 1917, age 39 years, 1 month – resident of 207 Day Ave., Rome NY

Post-war:

Obituary:

Social Security number:

Censuses:

1920 Hammond, Lake IN – Oakley Ave. - might this be him?

Thomas P. Reiley, 41 NY, single, parents b. Ireland, lineman, electrical, roomer at the rooming & boarding house operated by Carrie Streightil (39 PA, widow) & numerous other boarders