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b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

TUSCANIA**One of the Baraboo (WI) 21
Stewart, Paul LaVere
1894 WI – 1986 WI**

PAUL L. STEWART

Paul LaVere Stewart



Paul LaVere Stewart – courtesy of Steven Schwartz of Renton WA

NEWS REPUBLIC, Thursday, Mar. 31, 1983, page 3, Sec. B



Paul Stewart

Stewart closes books after 43 years of city service

By JEFF STROBEL
BNR staff writer

BARABOO — When Paul Stewart looks out his livingroom window, the view looks a lot different today than it once did. Paul and his wife, Evelyn, reside across the street from city hall and the fire department, where he worked most of his life.

Few people in Baraboo have invested as much time to city service as 88-year-old Paul Stewart, former city clerk and secretary of the water department. While Paul officially retired as a city employee in 1960, he continued as accountant for the parks department until this year.

Adding that to his pre-retirement work, Paul has been working for Baraboo for 43 years. He's still chairman of the Board of Appeals and treasurer of the Municipal Employees Credit Union.

Stewart was city clerk from 1940 to 1950. At that time the job included keeping books for the water department as well as the city school system, and dispatching for the police and fire departments. Police didn't keep office hours back then, they were always on the streets. When someone called in an emergency, Paul activated flashing lights on poles downtown and an officer would run down to city hall.

Paul kept a fire telephone for fire calls in his home, which at that time was next to his current residence on Ash Street. The phone was installed under the stairway; when Paul said he might not be able to hear it ringing there, the installer hooked an extension line to an alarm underneath his bed. Someone was always at home back then — Paul, Evelyn or one of the kids — to answer the phone.

Paul was a long-standing fire department member too, from 1916 to age 65. He owned a shoe store downtown for 25 years until he sold it in 1940. He was manager of the local American Legion band for 25 years after serving in World War I, and is currently president of the Legion's Building Corporation in Baraboo. He's also active in the Masons, and is the city's oldest living Elks Club member. Stewart has been a senior warden on the vestry of the Trinity Episcopal Church for many years.

Evelyn shares the credit for what is perhaps Paul's greatest accomplishment; the couple celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary in October.

The municipal credit union had only 15 members when he helped start it with Harold Simon, street commissioner. Now it has over 800, and assets reached \$1 million this year.

Yes, Paul saw a lot of changes over the years. The school district consolidated, the new schools were constructed and civic center established; the old water reservoir was installed, as well as the old wastewater treatment plant; and city government grew as the city grew.

Paul wrote out all the water bills by hand until he convinced the city to purchase the billing machine still used today. The tedious billing work happened to fall every three months at four holidays — Christmas, Easter, Fourth of July and Labor Day.

"You won't believe how things have changed," Stewart remarks. As clerk, he was paid only \$185 per month, and today, he says, it takes seven people to do all the jobs he did. But the city has grown, he admits, while the dollar has shrunk.

"A dollar back then was about this big," he says, spreading his hands apart about a yard. "Now you can't even see it — that's the difference."

Paul Stewart: one of the last of 'Baraboo's 21'



Paul Stewart was one of the famous "Baraboo 21."

Editor's note: This is one in a series of articles focusing on area veterans.

By PAMELA KITZMAN
BNR staff writer

BARABOO — War never seems real to the people who stay back home. Reports come in. Headlines tell stories. Still it doesn't seem real. Unless word is received that a hometown boy was wounded. Then everyone's attentions turns toward the family and the community awaits the news — good or bad.

It was no different back in 1918 when the *Tuscania* was blown up by a Nazi torpedo, plunging 1,500 soldiers — 21 of whom were from Baraboo — into the icy winter waters of the northern Atlantic between England and Ireland.

Paul "Stub" Stewart, 89, can reit.

"**IF THE MOST** tragic thing happened to you in your life, don't you think you would remember it?" Stewart said of his *Tuscania* experience.

The story of the *Tuscania* and famous Baraboo "21" has been told and re-told hundreds of times since Feb. 5, 1918. And each time it is told, there are fewer and fewer men to help supply some of the details. Now there is only Stub, who was a first lieutenant with H.Q. Company of the 107th Supply Train at the time, and Richard L. Mahler, then a corporal with E Company of the 107th.

Paul recruited a company in 1917 and it left here in July for Waco, Texas. The company was split up and Paul landed in the 107th. He stayed with that company until he retired as a major, 41 days short of a 20-year career. At the time, he thought his overseas duty

would count as double-time. It didn't.

JUST A FEW days before Veteran's Day, Paul and his wife, Evelyn, were willing to live those years of war. Veterans and their families will always remember.

Evelyn and Paul went together for seven years before they were married. She can remember getting word that the *Tuscania* had been sunk with some Baraboo boys aboard.

For days she was just sick with worry. She didn't know if Paul was on it and, if he was, was he alive? Communications in 1918 were not as quick or complete. Evelyn waited.

Meanwhile, Paul mustered up all the money he had to buy a four-word cable.

"Landed safe. Love Paul."

A teacher at Best Ever School, Evelyn remembers the mailman rushing up to class with the news.

"I wasn't scared," Paul says now. "I didn't know enough to be scared. Everybody that had any guts went to war. As far as war is concerned, you just don't think of being scared."

'THE LAST TIME I saw the boat, the front end stuck up in the air and the back was in the water. The lifeboat I was assigned to was over where the torpedo hit, so I had no boat.

"But I wasn't anymore excited then as I am now."

Is he patriotic?

"I know I'm patriotic, hell...I've never been

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Paul Stewart one of the last of 'Baraboo's 21'

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anything else," he insists.

He willingly took on the responsibility of bringing together a company and enlisting. When he did that, Paul was willing to do what was commanded to do — get on the boat and go to Europe.

"I've never had any desire to go back to Europe," he said.

There were tough times and there were good times. He tries to remember just the good. But no veteran can remember just the fun. Occasionally, they can still see the war, full of its suffering and killing, Paul added.

PAUL RETURNED ON the U.S.S. Virginia. Evelyn and Paul's sister went to Newport Beach to greet him. Evelyn had saved all her money to buy a brand new suit. When the boat came in, she remembers, they threw the rope overboard to tie off the ship. As it came hurling down to the pier, it hit her on the shoulder and ripped a hole in the suit!

"There were mostly tears," Evelyn remembered. "You couldn't believe they were fortunate enough to be back."

Their parents were proud of him. He went, won and came home alive.

"You better be proud if they are willing to give up their lives and then have to see what there was to come back to," Evelyn said.

"This doggone war business is for real. You can't fool around," Paul interrupted. "But I go along with the idea that we have to help people because we are obligated to them."

PAUL ENTERED the family shoe business, then served as city clerk. Retiring last year, he continued to work in various committee secretary positions until 1982.

In 1920, he was asked to start a second National Guard unit, at which time he organized Company H of the 108th Infantry. He was made captain and then promoted to major of the battalion.

When this country's entry into World War II was inevitable, Paul tried to enlist again, but he says he had too much rank.

Sons Stuart, John and Larry served, though.

By the time the "Baraboo 21" returned home, someone had printed up a small book honoring them. A one-page verse preceded their pictures.

"Neither now nor in the years to come will this volume be needed to quicken memories of the days when all Baraboo, torn between hope and fear, wait-

ched and waited for news of its boys who sailed on the Tuscania. It was then that men spoke in softer tones; then that brave women crowded back their tears; then that Baraboo found itself united as never before. War had been brought home to us. In the face of a common sorrow we found ourselves met on common ground; united even more than before against a common and ruthless enemy. Then came the first of those messages, fraught with good tidings. Still others came. 'Safe and well.' Never before had the words meant so much. Finally came the assurance that all were safe. Baraboo's brave Twenty-one spared to a man, ministered to by angels of the Red Cross and pressing onward; onward toward France and victory! 'All safe.' The wonder of it! Out of the sea had come a blessing in disguise. We had been welded as one without paying the price that might have been exacted! United in the bonds of sorrow; thrice united in the gladness of rejoicing. And so this little volume is in token of gratitude and of thankfulness. He who giveth did not take away but merely moved in a mysterious way His wonders to perform. Herein are the likenesses of Baraboo's Twenty-one — spared for a better and braver destiny. They are Our Boys. They are the lads who did not shrink when death seemed near. They are of those who will go over the top. They are of those who will win the war. Hail to you, Boys of Baraboo! We who love you, salute you."

“Baraboo (WI) News-Republic” Thursday 10 Nov 1983 p 1 & p 3 -
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<https://www.newspapers.com/image/869927032/>



Paul LaVere Stewart & Evelyn Mandilla Martiny Stewart - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/156204107/person/252057680968/media/38acfed4-3199-4e62-8608-ad0741d173b9>



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Stewart, Paul L.

BARABOO — Paul L. Stewart, age 91, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, January 8, 1986, at the Jefferson Meadows Care Center. He was a life-long member of Trinity Episcopal Church. He is survived by two sons, Reverend Stuart M. Stewart (Deborah) of Takoma, Washington, John H. Stewart (Barbara) of Minneapolis, Minnesota; a daughter, Mrs. John (Diane) McLeroth of Baraboo; eight grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; nieces; nephews; and other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 11, at 10:30 a.m. at the TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH, with Father Bryce Hunt and Father James DeGolier officiating. Burial will be in the Walnut Hill Cemetery. There will be a vigil at the church from 3:00 p.m. on Friday until

time of service on Saturday. Memorials may be made to Trinity Episcopal Church and Nashotah House Seminary in Nashotah, Wisconsin. The REDLIN FUNERAL HOME is in charge of arrangements.

Wife:

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Martiny of Baraboo announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Evelyn, and Lieutenant Paul Stewart, by Rev. Henry Guy Goodsell of the First Methodist church, which took place Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart are to live in Baraboo where the groom is connected with the Brewer-Rowland Shoe Co.

Marriage of Paul LaVere Stewart & Evelyn Martiny – “Madison (WI) Capital Times” Thursday 16 Oct 1919 p 5

Stewarts Observe Golden Wedding

A celebration of the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stewart was hosted by the couples four children.

The 7:30 mass at Trinity Episcopal Church was concelebrated by their son, the Rev. S. M. Stewart of Chicago with the Rev. Arthur K. D. Kephart. Two grandsons Richard and Michael Stewart were the acolytes.

A breakfast was served at the parish house for members of the family after the church service.

The Rev. S. M. Stewart, Jack, Larry and Diane McLeroth, children of the Stewarts, and their wives and husband entertained friends and relatives at a reception at the Baraboo Country Club. Eight grandchildren assisted at the festivities.

Golden wedding anniversary – “Baraboo (WI) News-Republic” Wednesday 15 Oct 1969 p 1

MRS. PAUL (EVELYN) STEWART

Evelyn Stewart, 88, Baraboo, passed away early Tuesday morning at Jefferson Meadows Care Center.

She was born in the Town of Dellona April 5, 1896 and had been a Baraboo resident all her life. She married Paul Stewart Oct. 11, 1919 in Delton. She was very active in community service work, a member of Trinity Episcopal Church and its organizations. Survivors include her husband; two sons, Stuart M., Tacoma, Wash., and John H., Minneapolis; a daughter, Mrs. John (Mary Diane) McLeroth, Baraboo; nine grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; nieces; nephews; and other relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by a son, Larry; and a grandson, Richard.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church. She will lie in state at the church from 1 p.m. Wednesday until time of services Thursday. Father Bryce Hunt will officiate. Memorials may be made to the Nashotah House Seminary in Nashotah, Wis., the Trinity Altar Guild or the Convent of Holy Nativity. The Redlin Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Obituary of Evelyn Mandilla Martiny Stewart – "Baraboo (WI) News-Republic" Wednesday 19 Dec 1984 p 4

MRS. PAUL (EVELYN) STEWART

Funeral services were held for Evelyn Stewart Thursday at 10 a.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church with Fathers Bryce Hunt and James DeGollier officiating. The organist was George Perry. The pallbearers were Robert Wolkowski, Frank Terbilcox, Donald Nanson, Robert Scheible, Irwin Rhode and Edward Borski.

"Baraboo (WI) News-Republic" Friday 21 Dec 1984 p 4

Children:

The Rev. Stuart M. Stewart

The Rev. Stuart M. Stewart, 75, died March 14, 1997 due to complications from pneumonia. He was ordained in 1948 and served in several parishes and missions throughout the United States. Preceded in death by his son, Richard, Sr. and daughter, Peggy Renninger.

Survivors include his loving wife, Deborah; youngest son, Michael (Roberta); daughter-in-law, Susan Stewart; 8 grandchildren and 1 great grandson.

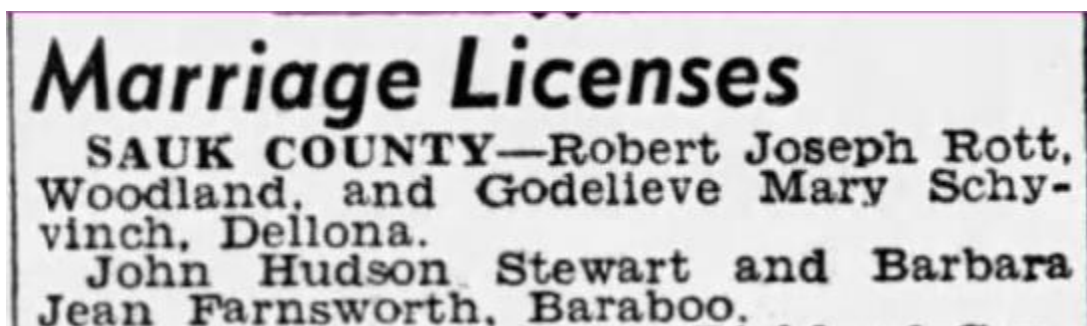
Memorial Eucharist service will be held Wednesday, March 19, 1997, 10:00 am at St. Joseph's-St. John's Episcopal Church, 11111 Old Military Road, Tacoma. Inurnment will be in Nashotah House Seminary, Nashotah, WI. Arrangements by Mountain View Funeral Home. 584-0252.

Obituary of son **Stuart Martiny Stewart (1921-1997)** – “Tacoma (WA) News Tribune” Monday 17 Mar 1997 p 16

Name:	John Hudson Stewart
Gender:	Male
Marital Status:	Married
Death Age:	78
Record Type:	Cremation
Birth Date:	19 Dec 1924
Birth Place:	Baraboo, Wisconsin, USA
Inferred Residence Date:	Abt 2003
Residence Place:	Waseca, Waseca, Minnesota, USA
Occupation:	Mechanic
Education:	2 Years College
Industry or Location:	Airlines
Death Date:	12 Mar 2003
Death Place:	Waseca, Waseca, Minnesota, USA
Death Registration Date:	2003
Cremation Date:	13 Mar 2003
Mother's Maiden Name:	Martiny
Informant:	Barbara Stewart
Informant Relation:	Spouse
Father:	Paul Stewart
Mother:	Evelyn Martiny
Spouse:	Barbara Stewart
Certificate Number:	2003-Mn-008407

MN death record of son John Hudson Stewart (1924-2003) -

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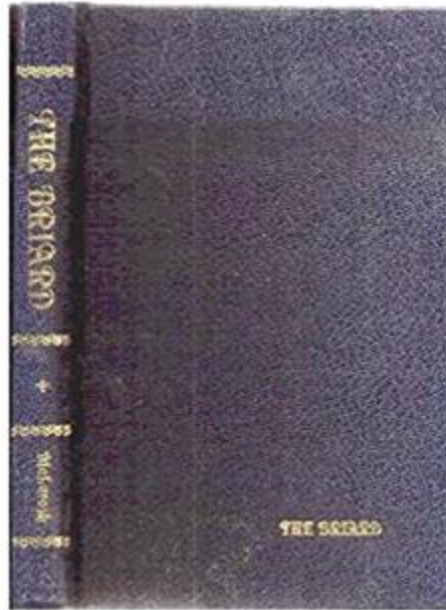
“Wisconsin State Journal” (Madison WI) Monday 18 Jun 1951 p 8



Son Larry Atkinson Stewart (1929-1984) - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/117522286/person/380157617603/media/52de6dd0-b19a-4817-8470-3efa065ec8b0>

LARRY A. STEWART
Larry A. Stewart, 53, Longboat Key, Fla., passed away
Sunday.
His father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stewart,
reside in Baraboo.

Death notice of son Larry Atkinson Stewart – “Baraboo (WI) News-Republic” Wednesday 22 Feb
1984 p 4



The Briard Hardcover – January 1, 1982

by **Diane McLeroth** (Author)

Book by daughter **Mary Diane Stewart McLeroth** - https://www.amazon.com/Briard-Diane-McLeroth/dp/0963986007/ref=sr_1_1?crid=14QUPFPVXHDHC&keywords=mcleroth+briard&qid=1676287165&prefix=mcleroth+briar%2Caps%2C456&sr=8-1

Bridal Shower For Diane Stewart

Mrs. Jacques Pfannstiehl and Mrs. Theodore Mandt were hostesses, Thursday night, at a bridal shower honoring Mary Diane Stewart. Their home on Ash street was beautifully decorated in a garden theme, with painted white watering cans filled with flowers and miniature ones for the tables.

After a delightful dessert, the guest of honor was presented with a wheel barrow filled with packages. Miss Stewart's marriage to John K. McLeroth, jr., of Oak Park, Ill., will take place August 29th at the Trinity Episcopal church.

Bridal shower for Mary Diane Stewart – “Baraboo (WI) News-Republic” Saturday 25 Jul 1953 p 4

Father:

**C. S. Stewart
Dies Wednesday**

Charles S. Stewart, retired engineer and resident of Baraboo for many years, passed away at his home, 614 Ash street, shortly after midnight Wednesday following an illness of several weeks.

Deceased is survived by his wife and the following children: three sons, Walter of Montana, Captain A. B. in the service, and Paul L. of Baraboo; two daughters, Mrs. Dean Luce of LaCrosse and Mrs. F. R. Huntley of Binghamton, N. Y.

Two brothers preceded the Baraboo man in death.

Mr. Stewart was 69 years of age and was born in Newport, Wisconsin.

Funeral services Sunday afternoon at 2:30 from the home and interment in Walnut Hill cemetery.

Obituary of father Charles Hudson Stewart – “Baraboo (WI) Daily News” Thursday 17 Jun 1926 p 3

Charles H. Stewart, for 48 years employed on the C. and N. W. railroad and retired a year ago, died at his home on Ash street, Thursday. He had been in poor health for some time. He is survived by his wife and four children: Mrs. F. R. Huntly, Binghamton, N. Y.; Captain A. B. Stewart of the U. S. Army; Mrs. Deane Luce, LaCrosse; and Captain Paul L. Stewart, Baraboo.

This obituary has the correct middle initial of his father – “Wisconsin State Journal” (Madison WI) Friday 18 Jun 1926 p 2

Mother:

Baraboo Woman Dies 3 Weeks After Husband

Mrs. Charles Stewart, Baraboo, died suddenly Monday afternoon at her home. She was the widow of Charles Stewart, retired engineer of the Chicago-North Western railroad, who died three weeks ago.

She is survived by three sons, Capt. Paul Stewart of Baraboo, who

is now at Camp Williams (Camp Douglas), Capt. Del Stewart of the U. S. army, and Walter Stewart of Montana, and two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Humphrey, Binghamton, N. Y., and Mrs. Dean Luce of La Crosse. Mrs. Walter Stewart, Mrs. Humphrey, and Capt. and Mrs. Del Stewart, whose home is in Brooklyn, N. Y., are still in Baraboo, having been called there by Mr. Stewart's death. Mrs. Del Stewart was formerly Miss Ruth Kuhns of Madison.

Obituary of mother Anna Belle Brewer Stewart – "Madison (WI) Capital Times" Tuesday 13 Jul 1926

p 3

Siblings:

Sidney Man Accorded Rites

SIDNEY—Funeral services were conducted at the Cloyd-Gorder Mortuary Chapel in Sidney for Walter Hudson Stewart, 74, who died at the Northern Pacific station in Glendive of a heart condition while en route to Helena.

Mr. Stewart was born at Baraboo, Wis., July 22, 1881. He came to Sidney in 1915 to manage the Occident Flour Mill. He became active in civic affairs and served as mayor of Sidney.

During the 30s he spent a year in Texas in the automobile business then returned here. He was appointed county treasurer in 1943 to fill out the term of K. G. Carpenter and was elected to the office in 1946. He also managed the state liquor store here for a time.

He was a past master of the Lower Yellowstone Lodge No. 90, AF & AM, and was treasurer of the Loyal Order of the Moose.

Surviving are an adopted son, Robert Stewart, LaSalle, Ill.; a brother, Paul Stewart, and two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Huntley and Mrs. Ann Luce, all of Baraboo.

At the services the Rev. Reuben Dutton of Lonsdale Methodist Church officiated. Carl Johnson sang "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" and "Abide With Me" with Mrs. Lionel Gall as accompanist. Pallbearers were E. H. Turner, Donald Dawes, William Redgren, Ernest H. Poff, Frost Wilder and Peter Norduane. Burial was in the Sidney Cemetery.

Obituary of **brother Walter Hudson Stewart (1881-1955)** – "Billings (MT) Gazette" Saturday 3 Dec 1955 p 7

The wedding of Miss Ruth Kuhns of Madison, Wis., formerly of Louisville, and Capt. A. B. Stewart of New York, took place December 17, at "The Little Church Around the Corner," in New York City.

Marriage of brother Adelbert Brewer Stewart (1888-1944) to Ruth Cordelia Kuhns – “Louisville (KY) Courier-Journal” Sunday 30 Dec 1923 p 24



Funeral of sister Anna Louise Stewart Luce (1891-1965) – “Baraboo (WI) News-Republic” Friday 5 Mar 1965 p 4

Mrs. Luce Passes Away

Mrs. Ann Stewart Luce, 73, a resident of Baraboo most of her life, passed away Monday evening in a Madison hospital following a long illness.

Mrs. Luce was the former Ann Stewart. She was a member of the Trinity Episcopal church of Baraboo.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Jack Willson, Rockton, Illinois; four grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Mabel Huntley, Baraboo; one brother Paul L. Stewart, Baraboo; and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 11:30 at the Trinity Episcopal church.

Burial will be made in Walnut Hill cemetery.

It is requested that memorials be made to the Trinity Episcopal church.

Obituary of Ann Stewart Luce – “Baraboo (WI) News-Republic” Tuesday 2 Mar 1965 p 4



614 Ash St., Baraboo, Sauk WI - https://www.zillow.com/homedetails/614-Ash-St-Baraboo-WI-53913/79448190_zpid/

Name: Paul LaVere Stewart

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 107th Eng. (1938 NTSA, 107th Supply Train, Co. C) – 1st lieutenant

Serial number: US Army officers were not assigned serial numbers in WWI

Entered service from: Baraboo, Sauk WI

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: Paul L. Stewart

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: father Charles H. Stewart, 614 Ash St., Baraboo WI

Returned from war on: "Virginian" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Paul L. Stewart

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Charles H. Stewart, 614 Ash St., Baraboo WI (1st Lt, Inf, Co C, 107th Supply Train)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Paul LaVere Stewart - b. 15 Aug 1894 Baraboo WI; res: 614 Ash, Baraboo, Sauk WI. Single. Salesman, Brewer Rowland Shoe Co., Baraboo WI. Medium height & build. Card signed P.L. Stewart.

National Tuscania Survivors Association (1939): 1939 NTSA: 614 Ash St., Baraboo WI - 1955 WI Survivors: 620 Ash St., Baraboo WI

World War II draft registration (1942): as Paul LaVere Stewart - b. 15 Aug 1894 Baraboo WI; res: 614 Ash St., Baraboo, Sauk WI. NOK Evelyn Stewart, same address. Employed by City of Baraboo WI. Height: 5'7 ½" – 185 lbs. Card signed P.L. Stewart.

Veterans Administration Military Index: cannot locate record

Enlisted:

Discharged:

Address:

Rank/unit:

Birth & death:

Born: 15 Aug 1894 Baraboo, Sauk WI

Died: 8 Jan 1986 Baraboo, Sauk WI (Jefferson Meadows Care Center)

Find A Grave record: 69727488 – photo – presence on Tuscania indicated in flower

Burial location: Baraboo, Sauk WI

Cemetery: Walnut Hill

Tombstone: veteran flat: Maj US Army WWI

Father: Charles Hudson Stewart, 13 Mar 1857 Sauk Co. WI – 17 Jun 1926 Baraboo, Sauk WI. Son of Normal L. Stewart & Mary Elizabeth Poole. Buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery, Baraboo, Sau WI.

Find A Grave: 69727479

Mother: Anna Belle Brewer Stewart, 15 May 1861 Fort Atkinson, Jefferson WI – 13 Jul 1926 Baraboo, Sauk WI. Daughter of John Brewer & Martha A. Finch. Died 3 weeks after her husband Charles. Buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery, Baraboo, Sauk WI.

Find A Grave: 69727478

Parents' marriage:

Spouse: Evelyn Mandilla Martiny Stewart, 5 Apr 1896 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 15 Dec 1984 Baraboo, Sauk WI (in the Jefferson Meadow Care Center). Daughter of Riley John Martiny (1869-1945, F: 68091270) & Mary Lucy (May) Atkinson (1873-1931, F: 68091269). Buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery, Baraboo, Sauk WI.

Spouse Find A Grave: 69727481

Marriage: 11 Oct 1919 Delton, Sauk WI.

Children:

- Stuart Martiny Stewart, 15 May 1921 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 14 Mar 1997 Tacoma, Pierce WA. SSN 399-01-7524. Minister. Married 1 Jun 1948 in IN to Deborah Fleming (1923-2009). He was a vicar in the Episcopalian Church at the time of his marriage. Rev. Stewart was a resident of Tacoma WA in Jan 1986 when his father died.
- John Hudson ("Jack") Stewart, 19 Dec 1924 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 12 Mar 2003 Waseca, Waseca MN. SSN 399-16-1898. Husband of Barbara Jean Farnsworth (1933-2017), daughter of Beech Dwight Farnsworth; they obtained a marriage license in Jun 1951. Resident of Minneapolis, Hennepin MN in Jan 1986 when his father died.
- Larry Atkinson Stewart, 27 Dec 1929 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 20 Feb 1984 Sarasota Co. FL. SSN 389-24-0162. Married Dorothy Hamilton 25 Dec 1944 Santa Rosa FL. Married Donna Mae Fraider on 7 Feb 1957 in Cook Co. IL.
- (Mary) Diane Stewart McLeroth, ca. 1933 WI - . Wife of John K. McLeroth Jr. whom she married 29 Aug 1953 at Trinity Episcopal Church, Baraboo, Sauk WI. At the time of their marriage, he was a resident of Oak Park IL. Resident of Baraboo, Sauk WI in Jan 1986 when her father died. Appears to be the author of a book on a dog breed, entitled "The Briard."

Siblings:

- Walter Hudson Stewart, 22 Jul 1881 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 27 Nov 1955 Glendive, Dawson MT. Married in Minneapolis, Hennepin MN on 14 Jul 1909 to Virginia Esperance (1879-1933, F: 217894497). Buried in Sidney Cemetery, Sidney, Richland MT. F: 142160329
- (Laura) Mabel Stewart Huntley, 12 Feb 1886 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 29 Nov 1977 Milwaukee Co. WI. Wife of Frederick Raymond Huntley (1888 NY – 1940 NY, F: 84091046). Buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery, Baraboo, Sauk WI. F: 153176467
- Adalbert Brewer ("Del") Stewart, 3 Oct 1888 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 20 Oct 1944 San Diego, San Diego CA. Was a major in the US Army. Married 17 Dec 1923 in Manhattan NY to Ruth Cordelia Kuhns (1896-1972, F: 3433596), the daughter of George J. Kuhns & Clara A. Hall. Buried in Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery, San Diego, San Diego CA. F: 3433526
- Ann Louise Stewart Luce, 24 Nov 1891 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 1 Mar 1965 Madison, Dane WI. Wife of Dean S. Luce (1891-1941, F: 2891504). Buried in Walnut Hill Cemetery, Baraboo, Sauk WI. F: 67898324

Notes:

Pre-war:

Wartime:

Post-war:

"Wisconsin Rapids (WI) Daily Tribune" 9 Feb 1942 p 19 - NTSA reunion held in Wisconsin Rapids WI. One of the "ranking officers" attending is Capt. P.L. Stewart of Baraboo WI, commander of Co. C, 107th Supply Train.

"Wisconsin State Journal" (Madison WI) 4 Feb 1944 p 9 - Baraboo 21 reunion on 5 Feb will mark 26 years after the sinking. Those aboard are now fathers of sons in service, or are themselves working behind the lines for war. Paul Stewart, Baraboo WI city clerk, has 2 sons in the military. The US Navy decorated him for meritorious service in Naval recruiting.

Obituary:

"Wisconsin State Journal" (Madison WI) 11 Jan 1986 p 18 - age 91, d. 9 Jan 1986 in Jefferson Meadows Care Center, survived by 2 sons: Rev. Stuart M. Stewart (Tacoma WA) & John H. (Minneapolis) & daughter Diane (Mrs. John) McLeroth (Baraboo). Funeral 11 Jan, burial Walnut Hill

Social Security number: 390-34-1606

Censuses:

1900 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 409 Broadway

Chas. H. Stewart, Mar 1857, 43 WI, father b. NY, mother b. IN, married 19 years, engineer
Anna B., 39 WI, May 1861, parents b. WI, gave birth to 6 children, 5 are living

Walter H., 18 WI, Jul 1881, railroad clerk

Mable, 14 WI, Dec 1886, at school

Albert, 11 WI, Oct 1888, at school

Anna L., 8 WI, Nov 1891, at school

Paul, 5 WI, Aug 1894

1905 WI state census – Baraboo, Sauk WI

Chas. Stewart, 57 WI, parents b. NY, railway engineer

Anna, 43 WI, father b. MN, mother b. IN

Mabel, 19 WI, school teacher

Dell, 17 WI, bell boy

Anna Louise, 13 WI, student

Paul, 11 WI, student

1910 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 614 Ash St.

Charley H. Stewart, 53 WI, parents b. NY, in 1st marriage, married 30 years, engineer, locomotive

Anna B., 48 WI, parents b. IN, in 1st marriage, gave birth to 6 children, 5 are living
Mable L., 24 WI, book keeper, lumber yard
Anna L., 18 WI
Paul L., 15 WI

1920 Baraboo, Sauk WI
Paul L. Stewart, 25 WI, parents b. WI, shoe salesman, retail shoe store
Evelyn M., 23 WI, parents b. WI

1930 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 614 Ash St. – conducted 4 Apr 1930
Paul L. Stewart, 35 WI, parents b. WI, merchant, shoe, WWI veteran
Evelyn M., 34 WI, parents b. WI
Stewart M., 8 WI
John H., 5 WI
Larry A., 3 months WI

1940 Baraboo, Sauk WI – 614 Ash St. – same house in 1935
Paul L. Stewart, 45 WI, merchant, retail shoe store
Evelyn M., 43 WI
Stuart M., 18 WI
John H., 14 WI
Larry A., 10 WI
Diana, 7 WI
& maid Leona Keene, 22 WI

1950 Baraboo, Sauk WI
Paul Stewart, 55 WI, city clerk
Evelyn, 54 WI
John, 25 WI, never married, aeronautical engineer, airplane company
May, 17 WI