

TUSCANIA

Dillingham, Charles Lee
1895 IN – 1947 IN

**Two Indianapolis Soldiers Among
Those Aboard Transport Tuscania**



RAY OREBAUGH (LEFT), CHARLES DILLINGHAM.

Fears are felt for the safety of two Indianapolis men who are listed among the soldiers on board the Tuscania, which was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine. Private Ray Orebaugh, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth Aero Squadron, is a son of Martin Orebaugh, 1223 Woodlawn avenue. His mother, Mrs. Mary C. Orebaugh, died last week. Young Orebaugh does not know of his mother's

death. The other local man is Charles Dillingham, 619 Lynn street, who enlisted in the aviation corps last September. Dillingham had been in the automobile business in Indianapolis, being employed by the Paige Motor Car Company here as a salesman. Relatives of Dillingham are his wife, Mrs. Floy Dillingham; his daughter, Vivian Louise; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dillingham, who live near West Indianapolis, south of the National road, and a brother, Chapin Dillingham.

On the right: Charles Lee Dillingham, pictured with his daughter Vivian Louise -
"Indianapolis (IN) Star" Saturday 9 Feb 1918 p 5 -
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"Indianapolis (IN) News" Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 11 -
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Defies Weather



Snow or not, Indiana has its fishing to do. Charles L. Dillingham, operator of Dillinghams Electric Service, is shown with a large-mouth bass weighing seven and one-half pounds, he caught Sunday in Traders Point Lake. An avid fisherman, he lives on West 71st street.

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Federal Security Agency
U. S. Public Health Service

INDIANA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
Division of Vital Records
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Local No. 55
Registered No. 16386

1. PLACE OF DEATH:
County Marion
City or town Indigo
Street address, hospital, or institution: RR 1 Box 2014 New Augusta Ind
Stay in hospital or inst. (yrs. or mos., or days)
Stay in this community (yrs. or mos., or days) 52

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (HOME) OF DECEASED:
(For newborn infants give residence of mother)
State Ind County Marion
City or town New Augusta Ind
Street No. 049-5
(If rural give LOCATION)

3. (a) FULL NAME Charles Lee Dillingham 3. (b) Social Security Number none

4. Sex M. 5. Color or race W. 6. (a) Single, married, widowed, or divorced Married

7. Birth date of deceased (mo., day, yr.) Jan 22-1895

8. AGE: Years 52 Months 3 Days 21 If less than one day

9. Birthplace Indigo Ind
(Town, county and state)

10. Usual occupation Retired Electrician

11. Industry or business

12. Name Albert Dillingham

13. Birthplace Maine

14. Maiden name Mabel Wall

15. Birthplace Maine

16. Informant Mrs. Mabel Smith Dillingham
Address RR 1 Box 2014 New Augusta

17. Burial Date thereof 5-21-47
(Burial, cremation, or removal. Which?) (month) (day) (year)
Cemetery or crematory Brown Hill
Location Indigo Ind

18. Funeral director J. H. B.
Address

20. Date of Death 5-18-47 at 11 P.M.

21. I CERTIFY that death occurred on the date above stated; that I attended deceased from May 15 to May 18, 1947 and that I last saw him alive on May 18, 1947

Immediate cause of death Coronary Artery Disease DURATION 2 yrs

Due to 131A-041-

Other conditions

(Include pregnancy within 3 months of death)

Major findings:
Of operations
Of autopsy

22. VIOLENCE: If death was due to external causes all in the following:
Accident, suicide, or homicide Date of
Where did injury occur? (City or town) (County) (State)
Injured at home, farm, industry, public place (where?)
Injured at work? Means of injury

23. Signature James W. Cook M. D.
Attending Physician
Address New Augusta Date signed 5-18-47

Filed 5-21-47 1947 a.m. Hetherington
SBH 2-24-2 (46-100M) Health Officer

EMBALMER'S NAME Emil Orsienius
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FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S LICENSE No. 258

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Charles Dillingham

Charles Lee Dillingham, 52, died Sunday at his home, R. R. 1, Box 201-H, New Augusta.

He was a native of Indianapolis, and was an electrician. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the First Congregational Church.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Mable Dillingham; a sister, Mrs. E. F. McPike, San Diego, Cal., and a brother, Chapin F. Dillingham, Indianapolis.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday in Flanner and Buchanan Mortuary. Burial will be in Crown Hill Cemetery. The Rev. Marcus Johnson, pastor of the First Congregational Church, will officiate.

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DILLINGHAM—Charles Lee, New Augusta, husband of Mrs. Mable Dillingham, brother of Mrs. E. F. McPike, San Diego, Cal., Chapin F. Dillingham, of Indianapolis, passed away Sunday p. m. Services at the Flanner & Buchanan Mortuary Wednesday, 3:30 p. m. Entombment Crown Hill Mausoleum. Friends invited. Friends may call at mortuary.

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His obituaries do not mention his daughter Vivian

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Life:

INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Edward McIntosh Knocked Senseless When Cars Meet in Collision.

Edward McIntosh, 3723 Robson street, was injured seriously shortly after midnight last night in an automobile accident at the intersection of New York street and Indiana and Capitol avenues. McIntosh, accompanied by his brother, Dallas McIntosh, 852 Sherman drive, was driving his car east on New York street and was struck by a car driven by Lee Dillingham, who was accompanied by Miss Floyd Perkins, 1942 West Michigan street. Patrolmen Finney and Stevens, who saw the accident, said that McIntosh drove his car directly in front of the other machine. McIntosh was knocked senseless, but regained consciousness before being removed to the City Hospital. He was driving a car owned by the Central Supply Company, where he is employed. The automobile was badly demolished. None of the other persons was injured.

As "Lee Dillingham" – accompanied by Miss FLOY Perkins, who will marry him in 1915 – in a car collision –

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Indianapolis IN

AUTO STRIKES TRUCK.

Additional Excitement for Those Waiting for Labor Parade.

A crowd waiting at Washington and Meridian streets for the labor day parade had additional excitement when a horse hitched to an Indianapolis Transfer Company theater truck was knocked down and the tongue of the truck was broken, by an automobile driven by Lee Dillingham, Haughville rural route No. 18. The driver of the truck, Robert Turner, 213 Toledo street, was attempting to turn north from the south side of Washington street when the auto struck it. The horse was uninjured.

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YOUNG MEN OF 15TH WARD REGISTERED FOR WAR.

N. Belmont.
Harry Marvin Dale, 1930 W. Michigan;
Johnie Marion Dale, 1927 W. Vermont; Ed-
ward Daniels, 950 N. Elder; Glen Warren
Davis, 801 Cable; Hugh Delaney, 2015 Wil-
cox; Thomas Albert Deppe, 1907 Wilcox;
James Columbus Dillinder, 714 N. Miley;
Charles Lee Dillingham, 1942 W. Michigan;
Charles Dillon, 763 N. Belmont; Archer Don-
aldson, 130 N. Miley; Frank Emmett Don-
aldson, 2019 W. Vermont; Paris Olan Dough-
erty, 528 Lynn; Roy Elijah Dougherty, 2009
W. Wilcox; Charles Albert Drury, 322 Cable;
Frank Joseph Duffey, 2013 W. Michigan;
David Dugger, 547 N. Lynn; Fred Duncan,
531 N. Elder.

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Former Auto Salesman.

Charles Dillingham, 519 Lynn street, one of the Indianapolis men reported to have been on the *Tuscania*, enlisted in the aviation corps in this city on September 27 last, but did not go to camp until November 17. He was sent to Kelly field, Texas, and after a short training there was sent to an embarkation port. He was twenty-four years old and sailed on his birthday, January 22. Dillingham had been in the automobile business in this city for some time and was last employed by the Paige Motor Car Company in this city as a salesman. He was an expert mechanic.

Relatives of Dillingham are his wife, Mrs. Floy Dillingham; his daughter, Vivian Louise; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dillingham, who live near West Indianapolis, south of the National road, and a brother, Chapin Dillingham.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—At a late hour tonight nine of seventeen Indiana soldiers aboard the ill-fated Tuscania had been reported to the War Department from London as among those who survive. At this hour only 1,000 names of the more than 2,000 survivors had been cabled here.

The Indiana men so far reported saved are as follows:

CHARLES L. DILLINGHAM, 519 Lynn street, Indianapolis.

LLOYD LEDBETTER, Lapel.

RUSSELL JAMES MORRISON, Rural Route No. 1, Lagrange.

OSCAR J. NICKEL, 308 East South street, Indianapolis.

HARRY C. PETERS, New Albany.

RUSSELL E. EIKENBERRY, Elwood.

FRANCIS WILLARD HARDESTY, Fairmount.

JAMES T. MOSS, Cory, Ind.

ELVIA LEWIS, Madison, Ind.

The Tuscania's roster held here showed only fourteen Indiana men aboard the transport, but apparently there were at least seventeen. Oscar J. Nickel of Indianapolis, Francis W. Hardesty of Fairmount and Elvia Lewis of Madison, were not known here to have been aboard the ship, but they are now reported as among the survivors.

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A representative of The Star notified

Mrs. Charles Dillingham, 519 Lynn street, that her husband was one of those saved and she crowded back the tears of joy and replied: "I'm so glad to hear that he is among those rescued."

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TUSCANIA TOLL CLAIMS BROTHER OF RESIDENT

MANY SURVIVORS WERE
FROM ARIZONA, INCLUD-
ING TWO FROM THIS
COUNTY; ALL ASSIGN-
ED TO ENGINEER CORPS

(From Sunday's Daily)

The Tuscania horror has a sad local angle, the probable loss of a brother of Miss Mary Dillingham, a teacher of the High school in this city, being noted in a telegram she received on Friday from the war department at Washington.

This young man is among those missing, and it is believed death overtook him with others who as yet have not been accounted for.

"Prescott (AZ) Weekly Journal-Miner" 13 Feb 1918 p 5 – the account of Charles's death was a bit premature

TELLS STORY OF THE SINKING OF TUSCANIA

INDIANAPOLIS MAN ONE OF THE
SURVIVORS.

NOW WITH AERO SQUADRON

The story of his experience in the sinking of the Tuscania is told in a letter received in Indianapolis from Charles L. Dillingham, formerly a salesman for the Fisher Automobile Company, who lived at 1942 West Michigan streets. He is a member of the 100th aero squadron of the American expeditionary force, now in England. The Tuscania was sunk by a German torpedo off the Irish coast the evening of

February 5.

The letter, dated March 29, was written to Harry Hammond, vice-president of the Fisher company, and is as follows:

"Just a few lines to let you know I am still on the map and O. K. I suppose you know about our troop ship, the Tuscania, being sunk, but I will tell you what I can about it, as perhaps the paper 'dope' was off a little.

Was in Bed.

"We had it fairly good most of the time, save a little seasickness, which is

quite bad, but nothing compared with what happened on the evening of February 5. I got the mumps about three days at sea and both sides of my face were swollen so I could hardly eat, and was in bed on the evening of the 5th. It was getting dark about 5:45 p. m. The first sitting had returned from supper and I had just finished some stew when all at once without any warning at all, our liner gave a sudden lurch which took us with the greatest surprise, for we all thought we were safe as we could see land on both sides about ten or more miles away.

"I was tumbled clear out of bed on

my head with a big crash, and then the lights went out. Most of our boys had their life belts on, but I didn't, so didn't have time to look for it. I don't remember who got on deck first, but will admit I wasn't far behind the first one. I stumbled on something and luck was with me for once, as it was a life belt. Oh, it sure was bad. The ocean was rough and the air was very cold and I stood on the bow clad only in a shirt and the belt. Owing to the heavy list of the ship at first it was awfully hard to lower the lifeboats. About six were torn up on the side we were hit on, so all the boats had more men than were supposed to be in them, this causing a few of them to go to pieces. Perhaps you have been in a boat when one goes over a rock or two. Well, it was like that, only a thousand times worse.

"At last we got our boat ready to slip over the edge of the liner when the blocks gave a little and it slipped over the side O. K., we thought, but when we all got in, much to our grief, we found that the ties on the bottom of the boat were split, so we started to bail the water out with a bucket, hats

"At last we got our boat ready to slip over the edge of the liner when the blocks gave a little and it slipped over the side O. K., we thought, but when we all got in, much to our grief, we found that the ties on the bottom of the boat were split, so we started to bail the water out with a bucket, hats and a bottom of a lantern. We kept this up for nearly four hours. I was nearly frozen, for the sea was getting very rough and the icy waves were breaking all over us, nearly swamping our boat. Many of our boys were praying and some were singing hymns. I think I did my part at this, too.

Officer's Experience.

"One little thing happened out there which I laugh at now, but not then.

"A large, fat officer was giving orders and he gave his hat to one of the boys to dip water, forgetting that the top of his head would make a good skating rink, and by the time he was nearly frozen he called for his hat, which was handed him full of icy water. This he put on hurriedly and all the water went down his neck, but he took it in a good

way.

"Next we saw a little trawler, and this is where I began to feel a little better. They handled their craft with great skill as they didn't bump us at all. They were husky lads on that boat. One of them got hold of my arm and I went sprawling on that unforgettable trawler. They treated us very well and served us with hot tea and coffee, which we all needed, for I don't think we could have stood it any longer. The skipper treated us just fine and served us with hot tea and blankets and other things that we needed. He was a rough-looking fellow with about three years of whiskers on. He said that he was not going to shave until the war was over, and I truly believe him. The leather boots were all wrinkled and came up to his hips, and altogether he made a very good specimen of a pirate. We had a long talk which was most interesting of his experiences at sea. It takes a lot of nerve to go out to sea on a dark night, believe me. So at last we landed in Ireland. I shall never forget the good treatment we received in Ireland. They did everything they could for us."

Fourteen Wounded Hoosiers Reach Camp Taylor Hospital

Tuscania Survivor From Here Tells of Swim in Icy Water With Broken Wrist.

[Special to The Indianapolis Star.]

CAMP TAYLOR, Ky., Dec. 15.—Fourteen Indiana heroes are among the ninety-three wounded and sick soldiers returned from overseas who have arrived here aboard a special hospital train from debarkation hospitals in New York.

A survivor of the Tuscania, the transport carrying American troops that was torpedoed by a Hun U-boat, Private Charles L. Dillingham, son of Albert Dillingham of Marion County, near Indianapolis, related how he swam for half an hour with a broken wrist and was saved finally. Paralysis, caused by the icy water and concussion occasioned by depth bombs that British destroyers sent after the submarine affected his left side. Dillingham was a member of the Tenth Aero Squadron, aboard the ill-fated transport.

Hurled From Bunk.

"The explosion knocked me off a top bunk, breaking my left wrist," said Dillingham. "I had on only my underwear and had no time to grab other clothing. By the time I got out of the room water was two feet deep on the floor. The lifeboats on our side of the ship had been crushed by the explosion. I managed to get to a rope and slipped down into the water. For half an hour I floundered about before I was dragged into a lifeboat. During the time I was in the water I almost froze. There was sleet on the ship deck that night, so you can realize how cold the water was. The lifeboat was leaking and we used the bottom of a lantern and hats to ball her. It was five hours before we were picked up by the British destroyer Grasshopper. It landed us on Larne Island."

Dillingham was returned to America on the Mauritania, which reached Staten Island a week ago Monday.

"They say that the destroyers got the sub that hit us, but that is not official," said the soldier.

"Indianapolis (IN) Star" Monday 16 Dec 1918 p 8 – Charles was picked up after 30 minutes in the water & 5 hours in the lifeboat until picked by the "Grasshopper" – the false rumor persisted months later that German submarine UB-77 had been destroyed. It was handed over to the victorious Allies after the war ended.

COURTING HAS ITS PERILS

When Charles Glass, 268 Hendricks place, was arrested early today on a charge of vagrancy in connection with the investigation of an attack on two men in an automobile southwest of the city, he accounted for a gash over one eye by saying he received it when a girl, whom he had been calling on, scratched him. He denied that he had anything to do with the automobile attack.

The arrest was made by Patrolman Halstead, after C. L. Dillingham, 314 North Delaware street, and T. G. Jordan, of Plainfield, had reported that they were attacked in Kentucky avenue, between Harding street and Belmont avenue.

They said another automobile blocked the road. Dillingham thrust his head out of the car and asked whether there was any trouble. A man then stepped from the side of the other machine and struck Dillingham on the head with a club. The man then struck Jordan on the arm.

Glass, the police said, explained his presence in the neighborhood by saying he had been to call on a girl near Maywood, and was walking to a street car line.

C. L. Dillingham is looking for passengers for a short ride in the Chalmers model displayed at the show. The ride is merely from the auto show building to the grand stand, where Leonard Strode's jumping horse jumps over a loaded Chalmers each night. Dillingham, who is connected with the Conduit Motors Company, said yesterday he had no trouble in getting passengers, but they didn't like to stick with the car during the jumping act.

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Two Face Speeding Charges

C. L. Dillingham, 28, of 314 N. Delaware St., and James Dunville, 46, colored, 2217 Martindale Ave., were arrested on speeding charges today.

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BACK HOME AGAIN

Automobiles reported found by police belong to:

Walter Dye, 54 S. Oriental St., Ford, in east side.

John Huck, 2516 N. New Jersey St., Maxwell, at Georgia and Illinois Sts.

Ideal Heating Company, 2437 Central Ave., at 220 S. Illinois.

Charles L. Dillingham, 324 N. Delaware St., Maxwell, at Washington and Gelsendorff Sts.

George E. Graham, 2143 Olney St., Chevrolet, at Meridian and North Sts.

Guy B. Stohr, 1422 Broadway, Ford, near Statehouse.

L. W. Payne, 4597 Gale St., Chevrolet, downtown.

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Mon, Mar 24, 1924 · Page 12

AUTO HITS BIG 4 WALL; THREE HURT

Three men were injured seriously late yesterday afternoon when an automobile in which they were riding skidded at West Washington street and the elevated tracks of the Big Four railroad and crashed into the concrete retaining wall. It was said at the City hospital, where the injured men were taken after the accident, that they probably would recover.

Louis Jones, 402 North East street, driver of the car, suffered a broken rib, bruises about the chest and cuts about the hands, arms and head. Charles Minor, 1325 Churchman avenue, was cut about the head and neck, and Creed Dehoney, colored, 146 South West street, was cut about the hands and arms.

Witnesses told Sergt. Allison and a police emergency squad that Jones was driving at a high rate of speed and that his car skidded in mud at the north side of the concrete pavement as the car ran beneath the track elevation. Police believe that Jones lost control of the car.

The car turned completely over and fell on the wheels. It was badly damaged. The injured men were taken to the City hospital by C. L. Dillingham, 314 North Delaware street, a passing motorist. All three of the men were unconscious.

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POWDER BURNS IN EYES

C. L. Dillingham Victim of Hunting Mishap—Injuries Not Serious.

C. L. Dillingham, proprietor of the Dillingham Auto Sales Company, 322-26 North Delaware street, is in the Methodist Hospital recovering from powder burns in both eyes as a result of a hunting accident near Plainfield, Thursday.

Attaches of the hospital said Dillingham's shotgun "backfired," burning his eyes. His condition is not serious, it was said.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

37506. Gregory & Appel vs. C. L. Dillingham. Replevin. A. F. Lauck.

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Judgment Withheld.

Judgment was withheld in the case of Charles Dillingham, South Holt road, who, it was alleged by Motorcycle Policemen Hudgins and McMahon, was driving forty miles an hour in the center of the car tracks on Virginia avenue January 31. Hudgins said he timed Dillingham from Pine to Buchanan streets and testified in court that Dillingham passed seven cars. Dillingham told the judge he was taking a nurse to a home some ten blocks from the point at which he was stopped by the officers. He said he was to be at his destination at 5 p. m. Hudgins said it was exactly 5 o'clock when he and McMahon stopped Dillingham.

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—Room 4.—
30867. Pascal R. Pyle vs. Charles L. Dillingham. Services rendered. Homer J. Sandusky.

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13 TRAFFIC ARRESTS

Eleven Motorists Are Slated on Charges of Speeding.

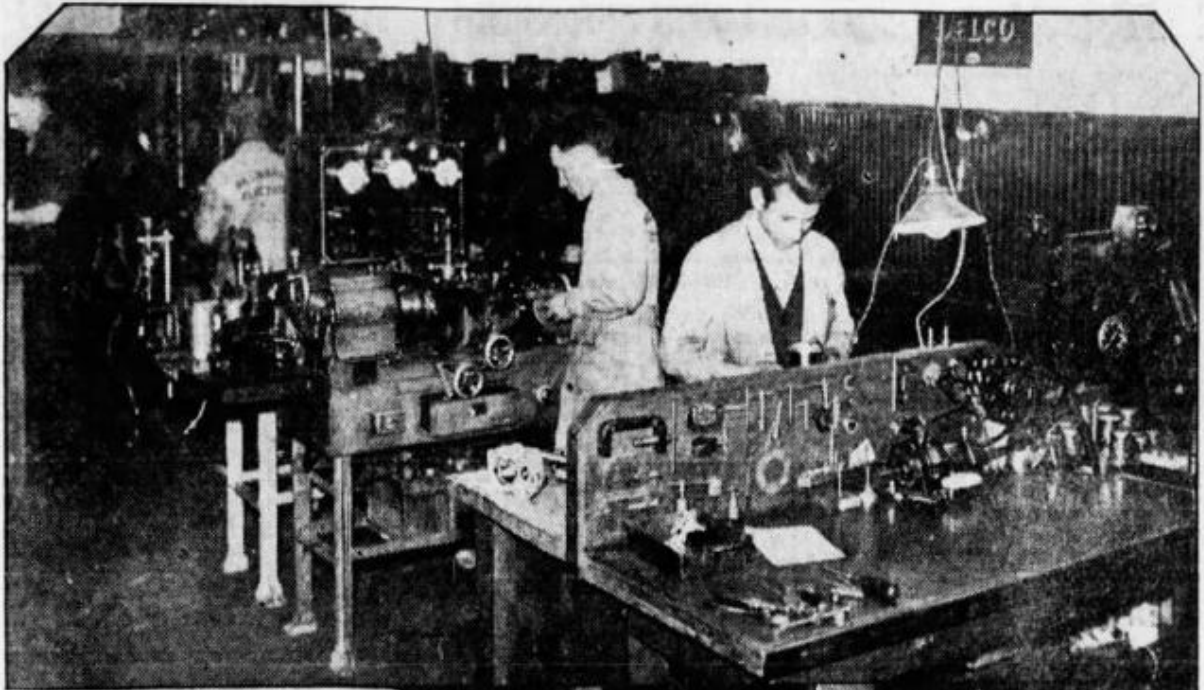
Four persons have been arrested on speeding charges and two others have been arrested for driving an automobile while intoxicated by police and deputy sheriffs in the last twenty-four hours. One person was slated on both charges.

Those arrested on speeding charges gave their names and addresses as Charles L. Dillingham, 1033 North Meridian street; Claude Goodloe, 3047 North Illinois street; George Purvis, 5261 Carrollton avenue; John Woodrum, 1229 Laurel street; Gordon Haggard, 2916 Washington boulevard; Charles Heuss, 1840 Lexington avenue; George Allen, 6122 Lowell avenue; Ray Dautman, 1052 North Mount street; Joseph Edwards, 409 Euclid avenue; H. W. Harrison, Elks Club, and Edward Schon, 849 Drexel avenue.

Woodrum is charged also with drunkenness and operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor. Coleman M. Davis, 1020 North Illinois street, and George Leap, 1814 Sugar Grove avenue, were also arrested on these charges.

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DILLINGHAM SERVICE HAS STEADY GROWTH.



At top is shown a section of the Dillingham shop. Below the personnel, left to right: C. L. Dillingham, general manager; Miss Mabel Smith, secretary; Homer Keller, in charge of sales; Arvel Crouch, service; Leroy Mitchell, service manager, and Claude Realey, service.

in employment. An Auburn car represents probably more than a hundred days of labor and we believe that, while it may be necessary in



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Steady growth throughout the six years of its history, Dillingham Auto Electric Service, 324 North Delaware street, is still expanding, according to C. L. Dillingham.

Recent addition to the staff of workmen of Arvel Crouch, formerly superintendent of service of the H-T Electric Company, is announced, bringing the service crew to a new level of efficiency.

Spring conditioning of cars promises to boost the Dillingham business still further, it is said, and shop machinery of the latest type is kept in perfect condition for turning out the work.

The company has occupied the same location since beginning business with service entrance on Dela-

ware street. Authorized service is offered on the following ignition battery and generator equipment: Delco-Remy, North East, Leece-Neville, American Bosch, Robert Bosch, AC products and Cheat-Proof Governors. A full stock of parts is carried for Stewart-Warner, Eise-mann, Berling, Bendix, Splitdorf and Auto-Lite products.

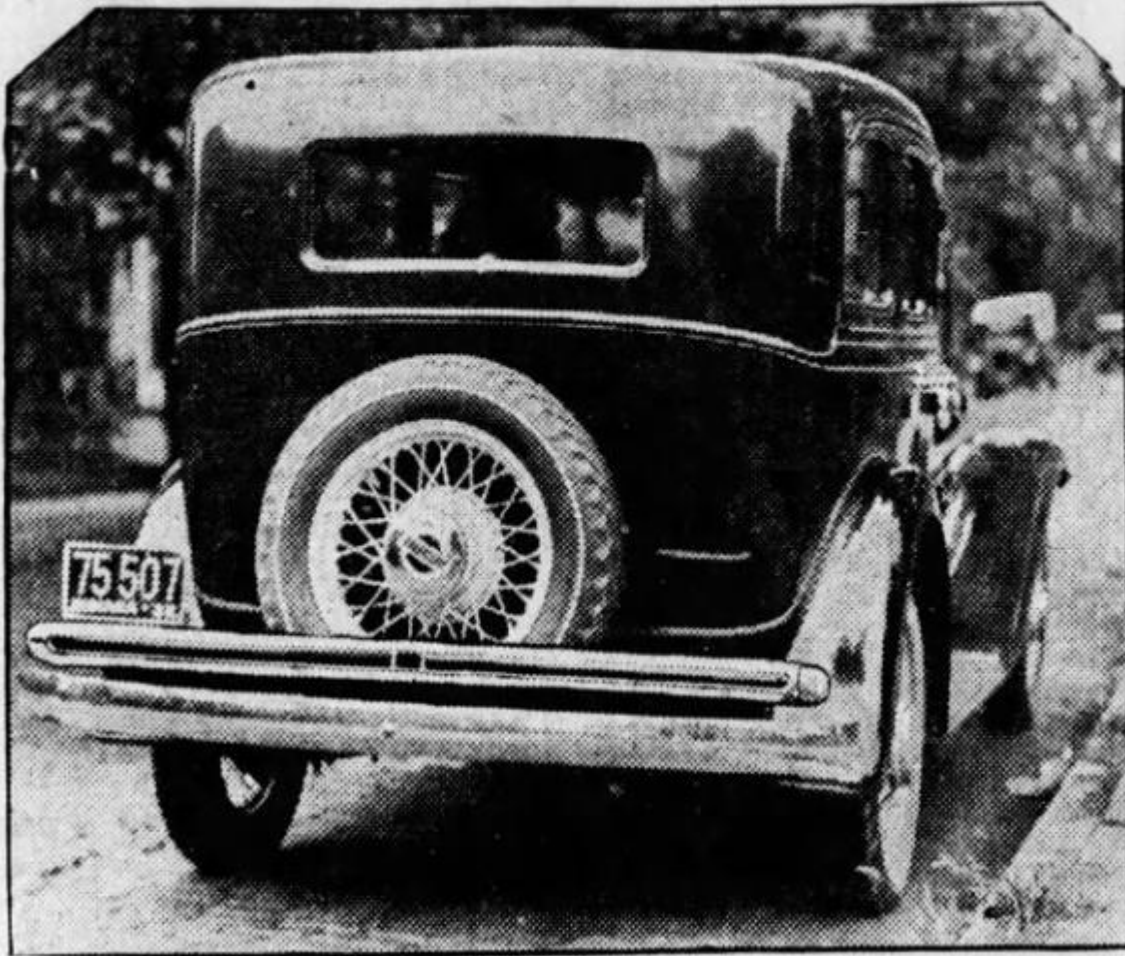
Day and night service is a feature of the Dillingham business.

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Note Charles Lee Dillingham is the man in the overcoat at the left of the people pictured.
Second from left is Mabel Smith, who becomes Charles's 3rd wife in 1935

COMPANY FORMED TO MARKET SAFETY AUTO LIGHTING DEVICE

(Photo by Virginia Edwards.)



SHOWING "STREEK-O-LITE" INSTALLATION.

Incorporation of the Streek-O-Lite Corporation for the manufacture and distribution of a new type of safety light for motor cars was announced here yesterday.

The company holds exclusive manufacturing and sales rights for its product known as the "Streek-O-Lite." It is headed by C. L. Dillingham, president; W. K. Krauss, vice president, and J. C. Schaf Jr., secretary and treasurer. All are local men.

Mr. Dillingham is also head of the Dillingham Electric Service and is the inventor of the "Streek-O-Lite." Production has already begun and it was announced the output has been sold for several months ahead.

Shows Vehicle Width.

The "Streek-O-Lite" is a safety lamp which extends across the entire width of the vehicle in front and rear, giving a bar of light one and one-half inches wide for the guidance of other cars on the road, the red being used in the tail light and the green in the light designed for use in front of the vehicle. A stop light operating from the brake pedal adds considerably to the volume of light when in play. Lights are wired through the standard wiring system

and require less current than the two conventional tail lights now in use.

The light thrown out by the new product is visible for one and one-quarter miles at night. It is equipped with a reflex unit which is readily visible to oncoming traffic and complies with all the state laws.

Indorsed by leading safety organizations the "Streek-O-Lite" is claimed to reduce rear-end collisions and reduce to a minimum the hazards of night driving, not only because of its long distance visibility but because it clearly defines the exact width and overhang of the vehicle that is to be approached or passed.

Production Contract Let.

Distributing quarters are located at 329-31 West Ohio street, and contract for manufacture has been let to the largest automobile lamp producers in the world, which is located in Indiana.

Cost of producing the unit was said to compare advantageously with that of ordinary signal lighting equipment for the same purpose and its sponsors say it complies with the requirements of all existing statutes in the various states.

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INCORPORATIONS.

Phoenix Sprinkler and Heating Company (Michigan corporation); change of resident agent to Mary S. Bucknam, 305 Merchants Bank building, Indianapolis.

Streek-O-Lite Corporation, Indianapolis; capital stock of 1,000 shares having no par value; objects, to manufacture electrical and mechanical apparatus. Incorporators, Charles L. Dillingham, Willfred K. Krauss and Joseph C. Schaf Jr.

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REPUBLICAN EXPENSE \$169,844 IN INDIANA

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\$300; Joseph T. Markey, \$50; E. W. Johnson, \$100; Glenn B. Ralston, \$150; Charles R. Ettinger, \$48; Judge John F. Geckler, \$200; J. P. Johnson, \$150; John Kuhn, \$200; H. C. Hoffstatter, \$50; L. H. Wilson, \$50; George Rice, \$200; V. M. Drake, \$200; Dan R. Anderson, \$100; Herman Maher, \$100.

Burns, Maguire & Fisher, \$250; Thomas Kaston, \$225; John J. Bulger, \$125; Charles M. Galm, \$100; Fred C. Webber, \$160; C. L. Dillingham, \$75; Leo McNamara, \$100; Henry Dithmer, \$50; John Berry Sr., \$50; Judge Smiley N. Chambers, \$200.

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DILLINGHAM ADDS TO SERVICE PLANT

Expansion of the automobile service facilities of Dillingham Auto Electric Service is announced by C. L. Dillingham, head of the company.

Recent installation of automobile

radiator sales

and service was

followed by the

introduction to

Dillingham pa-

trons of a new

type motor ana-

lyzer.

Now, the ad-

dition of radi-

ator cleaning

service is an-

ounced along

with the regular

functions of the

Dillingham staff

which has long

been prominent



C. L. Dillingham.

in automobile ignition service.

Avoid Difficulties.

Being experts on ignition problems, Mr. Dillingham points out, his workmen have avoided common interference to motor performance often traced to faulty radio installation. Used radio sets, traded in on new units, are rebuilt in the Dillingham shops and resold.

The motor analyzer, he said, has assisted workmen materially in tracing quickly and accurately all motor ailments affecting the electrical system and compression. The radiator department is nearing completion, according to Mr. Dillingham, and soon will be available for complete service.

A complete stock of all electrical parts is carried by the service company.

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St. Vincent's Guild Benefit Tomorrow

Third Annual Supper Dance Is Prominent Affair of Season.

One of the prominent affairs of the week end will be the third annual supper dance of St. Vincent's Hospital Guild tomorrow night in the Indianapolis Athletic Club. This will be one of the larger benefit balls of the season.

Additional reservations for the supper dance have been made by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wells and in the party will be Messrs. and Mesdames P. W. Zimmer, E. T. Johnston, Wilbur Appel, Francis Sinex, Roy Badolotti, C. B. Crist and J. D. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mohlenkamp will be with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Dehner, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Weisenberger and Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Fulkerson.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Schmitt, Miss Lucile Smith and Dr. Willis Curry will be together.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hettington of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Queisser and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kemper will form a party.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Marquette will attend.

With Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dillingham will be Messrs. and Mesdames J. E. Reed, Norman Wolf and Gus Worman.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sims and Mr. and Mrs. John Lange will be at another table.



AT FIFTY CLUB'S DANCE.



LERON SISTERS.

The Leron sisters, specialty dancers, will provide entertainment for the Fifty Club's annual Thanksgiving dance tomorrow night in the Hotel Severin roof garden.

Table reservations have been made by C. C. Cohee, Dr. P. C. Beckner, Frank W. Spooner, Dan R. Anderson, C. C. Cooper, W. V. DeWitt, Edward J. Schneider, Billy Grimes, Dr. C. E. Morgan, Sam Boyd, James E. Reed, Brooks Lloyd, T. J. Farrell, Elmer Singer, A. P. Worman, Norman G. Wolf, M. H. Peters, Earl C. Wolf, Al J. Wehlage, D. M. Isgrigg, V. M. Armstrong, W. A. Morgan, Paul Korby, H. B. Kempe, W. R. McCullough, Joe Freihage, G. M. Lutz, L. W. Miller, Dewey H. Lewis, Russell Andrews, T. J. Lenehan, C. L. Dillingham, W. B. Sullivan, G. G. Storms, Harold McCoy, Irving Ellis, Clifford Crowell, Dr. W. T. Burris, Paul H. Trout, Robert H. Browning and Ira Thomas.

Mr. Cohee is chairman of the entertainment committee and Dr. Beckner will be master of ceremonies. Officers of the club are Mr. Spooner, president; Norman G. Wolf, treasurer, and Mr. DeWitt, secretary. Dr. C. E. Morgan is vice-president.

Don Phillips's Minute Men orchestra will provide music.

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700 Will Welcome New Year at I. A .C.

***Reservations for "West
Point" Ball to Close at
6 O'Clock Tonight.***

MORE THAN SEVEN HUNDRED Indianapolis Athletic Club members and their guests will welcome the New Year at the club's "West Point" ball, starting at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow night.

The fourth floor ballroom, adjoining parlors and the Lantern room will be decorated in colorful cutout figures which will carry out the military decorative scheme. Table decorations will include military hats and a variety of noisemakers. There will be favors for men and women.

Reservations Listed.

Among those who have arranged parties for the event are C. C. Cooper, Raymond F. Murray, E. F. Sullivan, W. C. Bevington, Robert Zaiser, Jack Gehrt, Clyde Bowers, Ralph Knode, C. F. Kottowski, E. J. Dockter, Dr. Frank M. Gastinau, Ed Hilgemeier, C. W. Mason, T. E. Gahafer, Harry J. Herff, Sam Allen, Leroy Sanders, Miss Mary Helen McKee, P. O. Ferrell, Carl R. Yoak, A. E. Dorsey, A. G. Wilson, E. B. Bibbins, Dr. O. P. Hannebaum, John J. Lange, Herbert Reade, R. M. Everline, Charles Ray, James A. Watson, Don G. Kaga, Jean Chapman, Jack A. Thomson, John B. Dunne, George E. Davis, George Brinkworth, Charles L. Dillingham, Dr. L. J. Hord, R. C. Fox, C. B. Tichenor, Ben Domont, T. D. Coridan, S. Pat Solomon, Maurice Sims, George F. Hilgemeier, W. V. Sines, Leroy E. Cummings, J. L. Hanna, H. S. Pierce, Thomas Selmier.

Others to Attend.

Robert L. Hiner, A. B. Witt, D. P. Andrews, Arthur M. Hood, Marcus Feinberg, Leo Wexler, William A. Kunkel, Harold Jaffe, Jack Strickland, Paul Starrett, John R. Kelley, Rex Judy, Vincent Shea, Howard Kemper, C. C. Crumbaker, Harry Geisel, Thomas A. Pledge, T. G. Keck, Dr. Gordon Thomas, T. E. Reilly, O. P. Welborn, C. A. Barth, George H. Kingsbury, J. M. Oliver, F. G. Fleming, D. D. Cutright, Jacob Weiss, H. L. Dithmer Jr., H. E. Willett, Fred Millis, Charles E. Hays,

A. M. Ogle, Don R. Hall, E. A. Clafey, B. C. Simons, Q. G. Noblitt, E. G. Delgado, Edwin G. White, Frank W. Black, John Bulger, Francis Courtney, Raymond F. Clapp and Dr. T. D. Rhodes.

The reservation list will close tonight at 6 o'clock.

Wife Floy Perkins

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John W. Montgomery Jr. and Regina L. Hall.

Lee Dillingham and Floy Perkins.

Will H. Prather and Lorena Fendley.

Harold P. Linder and Grace I. Robinson.

Thomas Brown and Hattie Stanley.

Claude L. Hume and Grace M. Woodal.

John E. Gaalema and Edna L. Beatty.

Claude E. Parham and Helen B. Rauffe.

Myrl McIntyre and Mary Meade.

Fred H. Leicht and Fern Herold.

Homer L. Blankenship and Jessie L. Thompson.

David R. Branham and Mary Gorton.

Clarence W. Maxey and Julia M. Collins.

Ralph R. Masters and Blanche Minett.

Earl D. Ellis and Goldie E. Tittle.

William F. Dandors and Pauline Hantem.

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Charles Lee Dillingham

in the Indiana, U.S., Select Marriages Index, 1748-1993



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Detail Source

Name	Charles Lee Dillingham
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	23 Jan 1893
Birth Place	Indianapolis, Ind
Marriage Date	03 Jul 1915
Marriage Place	Indianapolis, Marion, Indiana
Marriage Age	22
Father	Albert Dillingham
Mother	Nettie Wall
Spouse	Floy Perkins
FHL Film Number	499406
Reference ID	pg573

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Indiana, U.S., Marriage Index, 1800-1941

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Name **William W Smith**
 Marriage Age 25
 Birth Date 5 Aug 1895
 Marriage Date 8 Apr 1920
 Marriage Place Marion, Indiana, USA
 Spouse Name Floy Dillingham

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/58188263/person/272297521448/facts>

William W. Smith, 25, garment cleaner,
3327 East Michigan, and Floy Dilling-
ham, 24, 1140 North Bellevue Place.

Indiana Daily Times
Fri, Apr 09, 1920 · Page 15 *Indianapolis IN*

Grover White

in the Web: Marion County, Indiana, U.S., Marriage Index, 1925-2012



Detail Source

Name	Grover White
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	5 Jun 1943
Marriage Place	Marion, Indiana, USA
Spouse	Marie Perkins

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INSTRUCTIONS

DECEASED NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST SEX DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)

1. Floy White Female 4/27/74

RACE AGE - LAST BIRTHDAY (YEARS) UNDER 1 YEAR MONTHS DAYS UNDER 1 DAY HOURS MIN. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) COUNTY OF DEATH

4. White 77 5b. 8/15/96 7a. MARION

CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION - NAME (IF NOT IN EITHER, GIVE STREET AND NUMBER)

7b. Indpls, INDIANA 7c. yes 7d. Indiana University Hospital

STATE OF BIRTH (IF NOT IN U.S.A., NAME, COUNTRY) CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY 10. MARRIED ☐ NEVER MARRIED ☐ SURVIVING SPOUSE (IF WIFE, GIVE MAIDEN NAME)

8. Indiana 9. C.S.A. 11. WIDOWED ☒ DIVORCED ☐

USUAL RESIDENCE WHERE DECEASED LIVED - IF DEATH OCCURRED IN INSTITUTION, GIVE RESIDENCE BEFORE ADMISSION DUAL OCCUPATION (GIVE KIND OF WORK DONE DURING MOST OF WORKING LIFE, EVEN IF RETIRED) KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY

13a. Sales Lady 13b. Betty Gay Press Shop

RESIDENCE - STATE COUNTY CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) TOWNSHIP

14a. In 14b. Marion 14c. Indpls 14d. Yes 14e. Warsaw

STREET AND NUMBER 14f. 210 N. Exeter 14g. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) 15. RESIDENT ON A FARM? YES ☐ NO ☒

FATHER - NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST MOTHER - MAIDEN NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST

15. JOHN B PERKINS 16. ELIZABETH Cordelia GUNN

INFORMANT - NAME RELATIONSHIP MAILING ADDRESS (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP)

17a. Vivian Skirvin 17b. Daughter 17c. 202 N. Exeter Indpls Ind

PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: (ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (a), (b), AND (c)) APPROXIMATE INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH

18. 1538 (a) Dilatation secondary to recurrent (b) adenocarcinoma of colon

CAUSE PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO CAUSE AUTOPSY YES ☐ NO ☒ IF YES WERE FINDINGS CONSIDERED IN DETERMINING CAUSE OF DEATH 19a. YES ☐ NO ☐

DATE & TIME OF DEATH MONTH DAY YEAR HOUR DATE SIGNED MONTH DAY YEAR

20. April 27 1974 10:05 AM 21a. 4/27/74

PHYSICIAN'S NAME - TYPE OR PRINT LAST IN ATTENDANCE SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN PHY. CODE NO.

22a. MARVIN L. SMITHERMAN, M.D. 22b. M. Smitherman MD

MAILING ADDRESS - PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE NO. CITY OR TOWN STATE ZIP

23. 1100 W. MICHIGAN ST. INDPLS IN 46202

BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (INDICATE) CEMETERY, CREMATORY, FUNERAL HOME LOCATION CITY OR TOWN STATE

24a. Burial 24b. Washington Park East Indpls Indiana

DATE (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) FUNERAL HOME - NAME AND ADDRESS (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP)

24c. April 30 - 1974 24d. CONKLE WEST 16 ST INDPLS IN

HEALTH OFFICER'S SIGNATURE DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER

25b. 26a. APR 30 1974

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EMBALMER'S NAME Dick K. Fyfe
FURNAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE John Conkle
LICENSE No. 2019
FURNAL HOME No. 642

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WHITE

Mrs. Floy White, age 77, 210 N. Exeter Ave., mother of Mrs. Vivian Skiryin, sister of Mrs. Willna Heid and Raymond Perkins, 4 grandchildren, 9 great-grandchildren, passed away Saturday. Services Tuesday 2:30 p.m. CONKLE FUNERAL HOME SPEEDWAY CHAPEL, 4925 W. 16th St. Friends invited. Friends may call at funeral home any time.

Mrs. Floy White

Ser v i c e s for Mrs. Floy White, 210 North Exeter Avenue, will be held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Conkle Speedway Funeral Home, with burial in Washington Park East Cemetery. Mrs. White, the widow of Grover White, died Saturday in Indiana University Hospital. She was born in Indianapolis and returned here in January after residing about 40 years at Richmond. She was employed as a sales clerk for the Betty Gay Dress Shop and the Hoosier Department Store, both at Richmond. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Vivian Skirvin of Indianapolis.

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Grover F. White

Grover F. White, 72 years old, 805½ South E street, died early Thursday morning. He was a retired real estate agent. Mr. White, a native of Franklin township, had resided in Richmond since 1918 and was a member of the Christian church at White-water.

Survivors include the widow, Floy; a daughter, Mrs. Fred Foley of Richmond; a son, Corlis White of Connersville; eight grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Herman Thomas of Richmond; a nephew; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Vivian Wilson of Indianapolis, and four stepgrandchildren.

Services for Mr. White will be Saturday at 9 a. m. at the Jones and Placke funeral home. Rev. Fred Perry will officiate. Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery at Indianapolis. Friends may call at the funeral home from 3 to 5 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m. Friday.

Husband Grover Forest White – Find A Grave 128895912

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Wife Virginia Claire Potter

Charles L Dillingham

in the Indiana, U.S., Marriage Certificates, 1960-2012



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Detail	Source
Name	Charles L Dillingham
Gender	Male
Race	White
Marriage Age	28
Birth Date	22 Jan 1894
Birth Place	Indiana
Marriage License Date	29 Aug 1922
Marriage Date	29 Aug 1922
Marriage Place	Vigo, Indiana, USA
Residence Place	Indianapolis, Indiana
Father	Abert Dillingham
Mother	Nettie Wall
Spouse	Virginia C Potter
Officiator	H B Roller

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Miss Virginia Claire Potter and Miss Josephine Flife left Monday for Chicago and will go by boat to Mackinac island and Detroit. They will be gone two weeks.

Has reverted to her maiden name following her 1922 marriage -

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Virginia Claire Myers

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007



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Detail Source

Name	Virginia Claire Myers [Virginia C Myers] [Virginia Claire Potter]
Gender	Female
Birth Date	30 Oct 1903
Birth Place	Indianapolis, Indiana
Death Date	11 Aug 1993
Father	Joseph L Potter
Mother	Bessie Fordney
SSN	302408408
Notes	Nov 1962: Name Listed As Virginia Claire Myers; 14 Aug 1993: Name Listed As Virginia C Myers

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Virginia Myers

in the Ohio, U.S., Death Records, 1908-1932, 1938-2022



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Detail Source

Name	Virginia Myers [Virginia Potter]
Gender	Female
Race	White
Marital Status	Widowed
Death Age	89
Birth Date	30 Oct 1903
Birth Place	Indiana, USA
Death Date	11 Aug 1993
Death Place	Stark, Ohio, USA
Death Hospital	Other/Residence
Industry	Own Home/At Home
Occupation	Housewife/Homemaker
Education	4 Years College
Father	Potter
Mother	Fourtney
Certificate Number	063995
Inquest Hospital	Home
Inquest Questions	Time of Death: 04:17 Am

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/5763/records/1853633>

MMR. AND MRS. J. L. POTTER of Miami Beach and Indianapolis are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Virginia Potter and Worth C. Myers, March 31 at the Miami Beach Community church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Elisha King in the presence of the immediate family and a few close friends. The bride was attired in an ensemble of pink crepe with matching accessories. Her hat was a small model of balibuntl.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers left immediately after the ceremony for a wedding trip to Havana. Upon their return they will motor to Asheville, Washington and New York before going to the bridegroom's home in Canton where they will reside.

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Miami FL

Virginia C Potter

in the Florida, U.S., County Marriage Records, 1823-1982



Detail	Source
Name	Virginia C Potter
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	31 Mar 1929
Marriage Place	Florida, USA
Spouse	Worth C Myers

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AREA DEATHS

- **Myers, Virginia C.,** of Canton. Thursday. Spiker-Foster-Shriver funeral home.

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Wife Mable D. Smith

Charles L. Dillingham

in the Indiana, U.S., Marriage Certificates, 1960-2012



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Detail	Source
Name	Charles L. Dillingham
Marriage Date	24 Feb 1935
Marriage Place	Marion, Indiana, USA
Spouse	Mable Smith
Certifier	Glenn B. Ralston
Officiator	E. W. Hay

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Daily Vital Statistics

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Charles Stewart. Bessie Leach.
 Harry LeMaster. Maxine Pelley.
 Charles Dillingham. Mable Smith.
 Carl Ferleman. Iva Skillman.
 Rader Virt. Marie King.
 Robert Baker. Elda Lashbrook.
 Hardwick Eyden. Ruby Hackney.
 Charles Seery. Irene Gimbel.
 Harold Jackson. Martha Davis.
 Walter Bunnell. Ella Callaway.
 Hubert Raquet. Frances Brooks.

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Charles Dillingham, 40
 3540 North Pennsylvania
 Mabel Smith, 28 .1516 North Pennsylvania

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At an informal party to be given by the Rodney E. Currys before the affair will be Messrs. and Mesdames Fred Hoffman, E. B. Hibbs, C. Winfield Hunt, Harold Unger, Mrs. Charles L. Dillingham and Jack Spratt.

Widowed, Mable attends a party with future husband Jack Spratt –

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

William Thompson, 22, 1426 Brookside;
 Lillie Mae Cox, 17, 1435 East 12th.
 Robert Phelps, 22, 2426 Kenwood; Fern
 Mayes, 19, 2250 North Capitol.
 Harold A. Schultz, 34, 3011 Guilford;
 Mary Ardella Trueblood, 26, 2214 North
 Pennsylvania.
 Don Edward Matthews, 22, 3716 East Rob-
 son; Betty Jean Schrader, 18, 106 South
 Ewing.
 Bobbie Leonard Spangler, 20, San Diego
 Marine Recruit Depot; Ardith M. Mull,
 17, 433 North Chester.
 Charles Dashiell, 33, 14 North Whittier
 Place; Wilda Louise Martin, 21, 2336
 Broadway.
 Leonard Schley, 35, 1439 South Meridian;
 Mae Welsbach, 37, 1439 South Meridian.
 Felix E. Spratt, 46, 2116 Central; Mable
 Smith Dillingham, 43, New Augusta.
 James E. Gillahan, 22, 3615 East 32d;
 Lillian Beryl Demaree, 18, 1614 North
 Alabama.

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*marriage license of widowed Mable Dillingham with Felix
 Edward Spratt*

ATTENTION ESTATE: Disclosure of the SSN we need to pursue our responsibilities is voluntary and there will be no penalty for refusal.

INDIANA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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DISPOSITION

CAUSE OF
DEATH

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HEALTH
OFFICER

1. DECEASED—NAME (First Middle Last) Mable D. Spratt		2. SEX Female		3a. TIME OF DEATH 1:35 A.		3b. DATE OF DEATH (Month Day Year) November 15, 1993	
3c. AGE—Last Birthday (Years) 85		3d. UNDER 1 YEAR Months Days		3e. UNDER 1 DAY Hours Minutes		6. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo. Day Year) December 13, 07	
7. BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country) Fillmore, IN.		8. PLACE OF DEATH (Check only one. See instructions) ☐ Hospital ☐ Inpatient ☐ Outpatient ☐ Other (Specify) ☐ Nursing Home ☐ Other (Specify) ☐ Residence					
9a. WAS DECEDENT A U.S. VETERAN? NO		9b. YEAR LAST SERVED IN U.S. ARMED FORCES		10. FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street and number) Brown Co. Comm. Care Center			
11. SURVIVING SPOUSE (If wife, give maiden name) NONE		12. DECEDENT'S USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life. Do not use retired) Realtor/Sales		13. KIND OF BUSINESS/INDUSTRY Real Estate			
14. RESIDENCE—STATE Indiana		15. COUNTY Brown		16. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION Nashville		17. STREET AND NUMBER P.O. Box 667 HWY 135 E.	
18a. ZIP CODE 47448		18b. INSIDE CITY LIMITS ☒ No ☐ Yes		19. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA		20. WAS DECEDENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? ☒ No ☐ Yes (If yes, specify Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, etc.)	
21. RACE—American Indian, Black, White, etc. (Specify) White		22. DECEDENT'S EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed) Elementary/Secondary (1-12) 12 College (1-4 or 5+) 12					
23. FATHER'S NAME (First Middle Last) Alonzo J. Smith				24. MOTHER'S NAME (First Middle Last) Alice Christy			
25a. INFORMANT'S NAME (Type/Print) Martha Gardner				25b. MAILING ADDRESS (Street and Number or Rural Route Number, City or Town, State, Zip Code) R3 Box 77A Nashville, IN. 47448		25c. Relationship SISTER	
26a. METHOD OF DISPOSITION ☒ Burial ☐ Cremation ☐ Removal from State ☐ Donation ☐ Other (Specify)		26b. DATE AND PLACE OF DISPOSITION (Name of cemetery, crematory, or other place) November 18, 1993 Crown Hill Cemetery		26c. LOCATION—City or Town, State Indianapolis, IN.			
27a. EMBALMER'S NAME Lee Etta R. Mitchell		27b. EMBALMER'S LICENSE NO. FD08601470		27c. WAS DEATH REPORTED TO CORONER? ☒ No ☐ Yes			
28a. SIGNATURE OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR <i>Lee Etta R. Mitchell</i>		28b. LICENSE NUMBER of Licensed FD08601470		28c. NAME, ADDRESS AND LICENSE NUMBER OF FUNERAL HOME Serenity Chapel FH83004984 R3 Box 212 Nashville, IN. 47448			
29. PART I: Enter the disease, injury, or complication that caused the death. Do not enter responses in terms such as cardiac or respiratory arrest, shock, or heart failure. List only one cause on each line. Cerebrovascular accident years							
30. PART II: Other significant conditions - Conditions contributing to death but not previously stated in Part I.							
31a. CERTIFIER (Check only one) ☒ HEALTH OFFICER ☐ CORONER		31b. CERTIFYING PHYSICIAN: To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at the time, date, and place and due to the cause(s) as stated. On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion, death occurred at the time, date, and place and due to the cause(s) as stated. On the basis of examination and/or investigation, in my opinion, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) and manner as stated.					
32a. SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF CERTIFIER <i>Dr. Tim Alward</i>		32b. MEDICAL LICENSE NO. 23808		32c. DATE SIGNED (Month Day Year) November 17, 1993			
33. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO COMPLETED CAUSE OF DEATH ITEM 26 (Type/Print) Dr. Tim Alward P.O. Box 1160 Salt Creek Medical Arts Building							
34a. HEALTH OFFICER'S SIGNATURE <i>Robert Gerard M.D.</i>		34b. DATE FILED (Month Day Year) Nov. 18, 1993					
35. MANNER OF DEATH ☐ Natural ☐ Pending Investigation ☐ Accident ☐ Suicide ☐ Could not be Determined ☐ Homicide		36a. DATE OF INJURY (Month Day Year)		36b. TIME OF INJURY		36c. INJURY AT WORK? (Yes or no)	
36d. PLACE OF INJURY—As home, farm, street, factory, office, building, etc. (Specify)		36e. LOCATION (Street and Number or Rural Route Number, City or Town, State)					
37a. DATE PROHOUNCED DEAD (Month Day Year)		37b. MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT? (Yes or no) If yes, specify driver, passenger, pedestrian, etc.					

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Mable D. Spratt

in the U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014



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Detail Source

Name	Mable D. Spratt
Social Security Number	311-30-3178
Birth Date	13 Dec 1906
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	Indiana
Last Residence	47448, Nashville, Brown, Indiana, USA
Death Date	15 Nov 1993

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/3693/records/59232658>

Mable D. Spratt

Former real estate agent Mable D. Spratt died Monday, November 15, 1993, at the Brown County Community Care Center in Salt Creek Park.

Mrs. Spratt was 85.

She was born December 13, 1907, in Fillmore to Alonzo J. and Alice Christy Smith.

Mrs. Spratt worked in real estate sales and was a member of the Brown County Humane Society.

She married Jack Spratt, and he preceded her in death.

Survivors include two sisters, Lillian Darnall of Greencastle and Martha Gardner of Nashville.

Services and burial were Thursday at Crown Hill Cemetery in Indianapolis.

The Serenity Chapel on State Road 135 North was in charge of arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the Brown County Humane Society.

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Nashville IN

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Daughter by Floy Perkins

Vivian Louise Dillingham

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007



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Detail Source

Name	Vivian Louise Dillingham [Vivian L Fidger] [Vivian Wilson] [Vivian Skirvin] [Vivian Louise Pilling]
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	19 Aug 1916
Birth Place	Indianapolis, Indiana [Indpls Mario??, Indiana]
Death Date	5 Feb 2005
Father	Charles L Pilling
Mother	Floy Perkins
SSN	317018924
Notes	May 1937: Name Listed As Vivian Louise Dillingham; Jun 1947: Name Listed As Vivian L Fidger; Sep 1948: Name Listed As Vivian Lou Wilson; Jun 1971: Name Listed As Vivian Louise Skirvin; 15 Feb 2005: Name Listed As Vivian L Skirvin

Vivian Louise Dillingham -

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60901/records/27339305?tid=&pid=&queryId=734b378f-f8a4-46f5-b2e8-faadb04a4e22&_phsrc=cPx42469&_phstart=successSource

PLACE OF BIRTH
County of Marian **INDIANA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH**
Township of Indpes **DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS**
City of Indpes **CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH** 38770

Registered No. 1942 W Michigan St. 15 Ward 15

FULL NAME OF CHILD Vivian Louise Dillingham
If child is not named, make supplemental report.

Sex of Child Female Twin, Triplet, or other? No Number and in order of birth 1 Legitimacy yes Date of Birth Aug 19 1916

Full Name of FATHER Charles L. Dillingham Full Maiden Name of MOTHER Floy Perkins

Residence 1942 W. Mich St Residence Indpes

Color or Race White Age at last Birthday 28 Color or Race W Age at last Birthday 26

Birthplace Indpes Birthplace Harmon Co. Ind.

Occupation Auto Salesman Occupation

Number of children born to this mother, including present birth 1 Number of children, of this mother, now living, including present birth 1 Were precautions taken against ophthalmia neonatorum? yes

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE
I hereby certify that I attended the birth of this child, who was born alive at 8:15 M. on the date above stated.

(Signature) [Signature]
(Address) 2602 W. Michigan
Filed Aug 23 1916

HEALTH OFFICER.

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60871/records/154524303>

Charles L Pilling

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007



Detail Source

Name	Charles L Pilling
Gender	Male
Spouse	Floy Perkins
Child	Vivian Louise Dillingham

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60901/records/627339305>

A new campfire group registered last week is Owasaka of School No. 46. Miss Clara Moore is the guardian of the following girls: Helen Peters, Ruth Sanders, Lucille Hollingsworth, Virginia Hamilton, Lottie Gross, LeVerne Case, Ruth Brenton, Evelyn Boles, Violet Douglass, Martha Dalton and Vera McQuire. Another new group is Okihi of Christamore Settlement. Miss Genevieve Pickerell is guardian of the following girls: Byrl Byron, Vivian Dillingham, Edith Hooser, Pauline Jug, Matilda Kagel, Juanita Kirkham, Beulah Lyons, Dorothy Parker, Bertha McKinzie, Mary Patterson, Thelma Patterson, Ida Zualitza, Mary Rutar, Elsie Stock, Elizabeth Wilson and Luella Wolf.

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Vivian Louise Dillingham

in the Indiana, U.S., Marriage Certificates, 1960-2012



Detail Source

Name	Vivian Louise Dillingham
Marriage Date	3 May 1934
Marriage Place	Marion, Indiana, USA
Spouse	Harry J Nutter

Marriage to Harry J. Nutter 1934 -

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61009/records/95769383>

Harry J. Nutter

in the U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014



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Detail Source

Name	Harry J. Nutter
Social Security Number	335-10-0407
Birth Date	2 Dec 1915
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	Illinois
Last Residence	60172, Roselle, Du Page, Illinois, USA
Death Date	16 Jul 1988

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/3693/records/45892075>

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Andre Albera, 41.....3471 North Illinois
 Harriett Melroy, 41.....3464 North Illinois
 Herschell Coil, 37.....South Bend
 Annabelle Lackey, 28..3451 North Meridian
 Robert Harris, 58...727 West Twenty-fifth
 Danner Aldrige, 45.....2516 Indianapolis
 Claude Coppock, 21.....Coryton, Tenn.
 Ruby Sierman, 23...5014 East Washington
 Robert Scharfe, 28.....1521 Orange
 Pauline Daum, 24.....844 Lincoln
 Garry Nutter, 22.....826 Oakland
 Vivian Dillingham, 19.1948 West Michigan

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—Room 5.—

82090. Joseph Broyles vs. William Ryan. Damages. Grant & Grant.
 82095. Charles Smith vs. Rose Smith. Divorce. Karrer, Peden & Deardorff.
 82100. Vivian Nutter vs. Jerry Nutter. Divorce. John McNelis.

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Charles L Dillingham's Spouses and Children

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Floy Perkins	Wife	F		▼
Vivian L Dillingham	Daughter	F	23	^
Name Thomas B Barnes Sex Male Age 25 Birth Year (Estimated) 1915 Father's Name Chester Barnes Mother's Name May Mcguire Spouse's Name Vivian L Dillingham Spouse's Sex Female Spouse's Age 23 Spouse's Birth Year (Estimated) 1917 Spouse's Father's Name Charles L Dillingham Spouse's Mother's Name Floy Perkins Event Type Marriage Event Date 27 Apr 1940 Event Place Louisville, Jefferson, Kentucky, United States Event Place (Original) Louisville				

Marriage License No. 620
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

To Any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:
You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Thomas B. Barnes and *Vivian L. Dillingham*

Given under my hand, as Clerk of County Court of Jefferson
County, Kentucky, this *27* day of *Apr*, 19*40*

C. P. Heisen
Clerk

By *Florence Ross* D. C.

Marriage Certificate, Kentucky. In the Clerk's office of the County Court, for the County of Jefferson.

Date of Marriage *Apr. 27* 19*40* Place of Marriage *Lou Ky*

Full Names of Parties *Thomas B. Barnes* and *Vivian L. Dillingham*

Age of Husband *25* years; Condition (single, widowed or divorced)

Age of Wife *23* years; Condition (single, widowed or divorced)

Husband's Place of Birth *Providence Ky* Residence *Indianapolis Ind*

Wife's Place of Birth *Indpls Ind* Residence *3114 1/2 La Salle Place*

Names of Parents of Husband *Charles Barnes* and *Ray M. Myers*

Names of Parents of Wife *Charles L. Dillingham* and *Flora Perkins*

Occupation of Husband *Sheet metal worker*

Given under my hand, this *27th* day of *April* 19*40*

C. P. Heisen
Clerk

By *Florence Ross* D. C.

Certificate of Time and Place of Marriage

I, *Clarence J. Steusle*, a Justice Of The Peace of the *Jefferson County* Church or religious order of that name, do certify that on the *27th* day of *April* 19*40* at *Louisville* Kentucky, under authority of the above license, I united in Marriage the persons named and described therein, in the presence of *Andrew A. Jutt* and *Pat Terry*

I qualified and gave bond, according to law, authorizing me to celebrate the rites of Marriage in the County of *Jefferson* State of Kentucky.

Given under my hand, this *27th* day of *April* 19*40*

Clarence J. Steusle
Person Performing Ceremony

NOTE—The State requires the names of at least TWO witnesses to be inserted in the foregoing Certificate, and return of this license and certificate within 90 days to the County Court Clerk. If this license is not returned in 90 days, the party performing the ceremony is liable to a fine of \$100.

<https://www.familysearch.org/en/tree/person/sources/LBZ6-HH5>

BIRTHS.	
Floyd, Geneva Gigax, Methodist, boy.	
Allen, Evelyn Alexander, Methodist, boy.	
Max, Marion Taylor Methodist, boy.	
Vernon, Olive Ryerson Methodist, boy.	
Lawrence, Golda Henderson, Methodist, boy.	
George, Philena Shaner, Methodist, boy.	
Lawrence, Marguerite Carr, Methodist, boy.	
Volney, Myrtle Wilson, Methodist, boy.	
Richard, Rosemary Grabhorn, Methodist, boy.	
Thomas, Vivian Barnes, Methodist, boy.	

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Listed as son Thomas L. Barnes in the 1950 census with stepfather Addison W. Wilson Jr. & mother Vivian L. Wilson –

Tommy Lee Wilson

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007



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Detail Source

Name	Tommy Lee Wilson [Tommy Lee Barnes] [Thomas Barnes]
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	3 Nov 1942
Birth Place	Indianapolis, Indiana
Death Date	3 Jun 2006
Father	Thomas B Barnes
Mother	Vivian L Dileham
SSN	309440978
Notes	Aug 1959: Name Listed As Tommy Lee Wilson; 30 Sep 2004: Name Listed As Tommy Lee Barnes; 24 Nov 2004: Name Listed As Thomas Lee Barnes; 07 Jun 2006: Name Listed As Thomas L Barnes

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60901/records/48461889?tid=&pid=&queryId=e3ecf79b-519f-4b16-bde0-d9a7fa4f05b7&_phsrc=cPx42477&_phstart=successSource

BARNES, Thomas L.

age 63 of Brooksville died Sat., June 3, 2006. He came here 8 years ago from his native Indianapolis, IN. He was a retired Lab Technician for Dow Agri-Sciences after 28 years of service, a U.S. Army Veteran of the Vietnam Era. Tom raised & showed horses all his life. He placed in the top 10 at National Quarter Horse, Paint and Pinto horse shows numerous times. After retiring to FL he and his wife, Kathleen focused on raising Skipper W Paints. He was a member of the APHA, AQHA, the Shoemaker Skipper W. Association and the Christ Lutheran Church.

Survivors include his Wife: Kathleen E. Barnes of Brooksville; Sisters: Carol Jean Byrd & Barbara Bolin & Susan Burton all of Indianapolis, IN; his Father: Addison Wilson.

Visitation for friends will be 2-4 & 6-8pm, Wed., June 7, 2006 at the Merritt Funeral Home, Brooksville Chapel. Private Services will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hernando-Pasco Hospice or the American Cancer Society.

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Tue, Jun 06, 2006 · Page 43

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V. S. 1  **INDIANA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH**
 Department of Commerce **BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS** Local No. **7591**
 Bureau of the Census **CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH** Registered No. **63700**

1. PLACE OF BIRTH: *Marion*
 a. County *Marion Ind.*
 b. City or town *Indianapolis Ind.*
 c. Name of hospital or institution *Methodist*
 d. Mother's stay before delivery: *In hospital or institution*

2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER:
 a. State *Indiana*
 b. County *Marion*
 c. City or town *Indianapolis*
 d. Street No. *425 S. Manhattan Ave*

3. FULL NAME OF CHILD (Please print child's name) *Thomas Lee Barnes*

5. Sex *Male* 6. Twin, Triplet or other: *No* 7. Number months pregnancy *9* 8. Is mother married? *Yes* 9. Date of birth *11-3-42*
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

FATHER OF CHILD
 10. Full name *Thomas B. Barnes*
 11. Color or race *White* 12. Age at time of this birth *27 yrs.*
 13. Birthplace *Princeton Ky*
 14. Usual occupation *Shift metal worker*
 15. Industry or business *Carlson Bros*

MOTHER OF CHILD
 16. Full maiden name *Vivian L. Dillingham*
 17. Color or race *White* 18. Age at time of this birth *26 yrs.*
 19. Birthplace *Indianapolis Ind*
 20. Usual occupation *Housewife*
 21. Industry or business

22. Children born to this mother: (a) How many other children of this mother are now living? *0* (b) How many other children were born alive but are now dead? *0* (c) How many children were born dead? *0*

23. Were precautions taken against ophthalmia neonatorum? *Yes*

24. Was a serological test for syphilis made on the mother? (a) During pregnancy? *Yes* (b) at delivery? *No* (c) If no test was made, state reason: *Early pregnancy*

DO NOT RECORD RESULT OF BLOOD TEST ON THIS CERTIFICATE

25. I hereby certify that I attended the birth of this child who was born alive at the hour of *7:55 P. M.* on the date above stated and that the information given was furnished by *Vivian Barnes*

26. Filed **NOV 10 1942** 27. Attendant's own signature *Vivian Barnes* Address *915 S. Main St. Indianapolis Ind* *11/5/42*
 (OVER)

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60871/records/324842711>

Thomas Fidger

in the Web: Marion County, Indiana, U.S., Marriage Index, 1925-2012



Detail Source

Name	Thomas Fidger
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	22 Feb 1946
Marriage Place	Marion, Indiana, USA
Spouse	Vivian Barnes

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<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/70441/records/38646045>

Vivian L Fidger

in the Indiana, U.S., Marriage Certificates, 1960-2012



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Detail Source

Name Vivian L Fidger

Maiden Name Dillingham

Gender Female

Birth Place Indianapolis, Indiana

Spouse [Thomas W Fidger](#)

Child [Barbara Ann Fidger](#)

Description Marion-Whitley

Notes 2 N

Reference Number 1 Bx1454

Reference Number 2 Tr8296

Certificate Number 90-042945

Box Number Box 4h

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61009/records/1501634464?tid=&pid=&queryId=93f02a62-bb59-48cd-b234-2f3e4e31fc9b&_phsrc=cPx42460&_phstart=successSource

SUPERIOR COURT
—Room 1—
46016. Henry F. Sims vs. Doris Lee
Sims. Divorce. Alexander Bell.
36021. Mildred Wood Hudson vs.
American Red Ball Transit Co. Dam-
ages. Henry M. Dowling.
46026. Elizabeth B. Oswalt vs. Elden
E. Oswalt. Divorce. H. L. Eads.
46031. Thomas William Fidger vs.
Vivian Louise Fidger. Divorce. Miller,
Studevant & Miller.

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SUPERIOR COURT**

—Room 1—

53541. Anna Lee Beasley vs. Flavie
Edward Beasley. Divorce.
54551. Frances J. Clark vs. Herman C.
Clark. Divorce.

—Room 2—

54547. Kathryn Hicks vs. Ruel Hicks.
Divorce.
54552. Loretta M. Melloh vs. William
Otto Melloh. Divorce.
54557. Ivan Ellwood vs. Hazel Ell-
wood. Divorce.

—Room 3—

54543. Vivian Louise Fidger vs. Thomas
William Fidger. Divorce.
54553. Crawford J. Walker vs. Cordella
Walker. Divorce.

Room 4—

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Madison Courier---February 7, 2005

Vivian Mae Dillingham Skirvin, 88, of 290 State Road 156, Vevay, died Saturday, Feb. 5, 2005, at Swiss Villa Living Center in Vevay.

She was born Aug. 19, 1916, in Indianapolis, the daughter of Charles L. and Floy White Dillingham. She was a homemaker and enjoyed animals, fishing, boating and being outdoors. She and her husband moved to Switzerland County in December 1979. She was a member of the Vevay American Legion Post 185 Auxiliary and the Vevay VFW Post 5396 Auxiliary.

She is survived by her husband, Edward L. "Peanut" Skirvin Sr., whom she married April 5, 1970; three daughters, Barbara Ann Bolin, Susan K. Burton and Carol Jean Byrd, all of Indianapolis; one son, Thomas Lee Barnes of Florida; three step daughters, Linda Anast-May of Chicago, Brenda Rickett of Mooresville and Sandy Taylor of Avon; two step sons, Edward Skirvin Jr. of Greenwood and Allen Dean Skirvin of Indianapolis; 13 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren, step grandchildren and step great-grandchildren; and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

The funeral will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay. Burial will be in Vevay Cemetery. Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home. The American Legion and VFW post auxiliaries will conduct a service at 7:30 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to the Swiss Villa Living Center Memorial Fund. Cards are available at the funeral home.

Online condolences can be sent at the funeral home's Web site guest book at www.haskellandmorrison.com

Obituary of Vivian Mae Dillingham (1916-2005) – Find A Grave 16425569

Birth Returns.

Ross and Sarah Plummer, 530 N. Temple, boy.

Ross and Julia Mitchell, 2127 Alfree, girl.

Charley and Gertrude Jay, 3801 Orchard, boy.

William and Maud Mayer, 1340 Tremont, girl.

John and Mary Gonzalez, 964 N. Belmont, boy.

Robert and Alma Krele, 2115 Singleton, boy.

Charles and Grace Bornemann, 2704 Columbia, girl.

Charles and Floy Dillingham, 1942 W. Michigan, girl.

Joseph and Irene Williams, 525 Camp, girl.

Albert and Abby Fishers, 737 S. Missouri, girl, boy.

The Indianapolis News
Wed, Aug 23, 1916 · Page 12

Vivian Skirvin Obituary

Published by Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home - Vevay on Feb. 6, 2005.

Vivian Mae Skirvin entered this life on August 19, 1916, in Indianapolis, Indiana, the daughter of Floy White Dillingham, who preceded her in death. She was raised in Indianapolis, graduating from Washington High School in 1934. She was united in marriage to Edward L. Skirvin, Sr. in Indianapolis, Indiana. They moved to Switzerland County in December 1979. She was a homemaker all of her life and enjoyed horses & the farm. She loved any type of animals, going fishing, going boating, & the outdoors. She was a member of the Vevay American Legion Auxiliary Post 185 & Vevay VFW Auxiliary Post 5396. She had been in ill health for several years and passed quietly away on Saturday, February 5, 2005, at 7:40 am at the Swiss Villa Living Center in Vevay, Indiana.

Vivian leaves to mourn her passing her husband: Edward L. "Peanut" Skirvin, Sr. of Vevay, Indiana; her daughters: Barbara Ann Bolin, Susan K. Burton, Carol Jean Byrd all of Indianapolis, Indiana; her son: Thomas Lee Barnes of Florida; her step daughters: Linda Anast-May of Chicago, Illinois; Brenda Rickett of Mooresville, Indiana; Sandy Taylor of Avon, Indiana; her step sons: Edward L. Skirvin, Jr. of Greenwood, Indiana; Allen Dean Skirvin of Indianapolis, Indiana; 13-Grandchildren; Several Great Grandchildren, Step Grandchildren, Step Great Grandchildren, & Other Relatives.

Vivian will be remembered in a funeral ceremony conducted by Rev. Howard Wade on Tuesday, February 8, 2005, at 1:00 pm at the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home, 208 Ferry Street Vevay, IN. Interment will follow at the Vevay Cemetery. Friends may call on Monday from 5-8 pm at the funeral home. Auxiliary Services will be conducted on Monday at 7:30 pm at the funeral home, by Post 185 & Post 5396. Memorials in memory of Vivian are to the Swiss Villa Living Center Memorial Fund, contributions cards are available at the funeral home.

Caring Services By:
Rodney & Roger Nay & Staff
Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home
208 Ferry Street—Vevay, Indiana 47043

<https://www.legacy.com/us/obituaries/name/vivian-skirvin-obituary?id=18854013>



Father:

Form V. S. 4

STATE OF INDIANA—DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

No. **228**

PERMIT FOR BURIAL

County **MARION** Township **CENTER** City or Town **INDIANAPOLIS**

Date of Death **Jan. 7** 19**35**

Decedent's full name **Albert Dillingham** Age **83**

Cause of death **Angina Pectoris**

Medical attendant **W. S. Bowles**

Place of death **Marianna Fla.**

Proposed date of burial **Jan. 12** 19**35**

Proposed place of burial **Green Hill**

Undertaker **Furness Bros. Inc.** Address **Indy**

A Certificate of Death having been filed in my office in accordance with law, I hereby authorize the removal and burial of the body of said deceased person as stated above. In the case of death from a dangerous communicable disease, the burial must be conducted according to the rules of the State Board of Health.

Dated **1.11** 19**35**

Name of Health Officer or Deputy **J. H. Morgan**

Address **Indy**

(Holder should preserve this Permit)

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/62721/records/49118>

HOOSIER DIES IN FLORIDA

MARIANNA, Fla., January 8 (Spl.) —Albert Dillingham, age eighty-three, 623 South Holt avenue, Indianapolis, died of heart disease last night in a Marianna hotel, where he and his wife and two sons, Charles L. and Chapin S. Dillingham, had registered yesterday afternoon. The Dillinghams were returning to Indianapolis from Gulfport, Miss. The body will be sent to Indianapolis today for burial. Mr. Dillingham was a retired lumber dealer.

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Indianapolis IN

Albert J Dillingham

in the Florida, U.S., Death Index, 1877-1998

NAME	PLACE	SEX	AGE	VOL	NUMBER	DATE
Wick, William Lee	Bethesda	M	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971
Wick, Mary A.	Bethesda	F	5	100	10171	1971

Detail Source

Name	Albert J Dillingham
Gender	Male
Race	White
Death Date	1935
Death Place	Jackson, Florida, United States

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/7338/records/5170142>

Mother:

DILLINGHAM—Nettie J., widow of the late Albert Dillingham and mother of Mrs. Eugene McPike, of Chicago, Ill.; Chapinn F. and Charles Lee Dillingham, of this city, passed away Monday, Nov. 8, 1937, at the residence of her daughter in Chicago. Funeral Thursday, Nov. 11, at 3 p. m. at FINN BROTHERS FUNERAL HOME, 1639 N. Meridian. Interment Crown Hill cemetery. Friends invited.

The Indianapolis News
Wed, Nov 10, 1937 · Page 23

Indianapolis IN

DILLINGHAM—Nettie J. Dillingham, Nov. 8, at home of daughter, Mrs. Eugene F. MacPike, 5220 Blackstone avenue, and mother of Chapin F., and Charles Lee Dillingham of Indianapolis, Ind. Service Tuesday, at 4:30 p. m., at chapel, 5203 Lake Park-av. Burial at Indianapolis, Ind., Wednesday.

Chicago Tribune
Tue, Nov 09, 1937 · Page 16

Mrs. Nettie Dillingham Dies in Daughter's Home

Mrs. Nettie J. Dillingham, 79 years old, widow of Albert Dillingham, Indianapolis lumber dealer, died yesterday in Chicago after a brief illness in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eugene F. McPike, 5220 Blackstone avenue, according to word received here. Mrs. Dillingham, a native of Hallowell, Me., was educated at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston. She taught for a time in Michigan City 50 years ago, later moving to this city. Survivors are Mrs. McPike and two sons, Chapin Dillingham and Charles Dillingham of Indianapolis.

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E H Smith

Siblings:

The original and each copy of an application for a passport must have attached to it a copy of the applicant's photograph.
A loose signed photograph of the applicant must accompany the application.
The photograph must be on thin paper, should have a light background, and be not over three inches in size.

NOTE—This blank must be completely filled out. The legal fee of one dollar, in currency or postal money order, must accompany the application.

A woman's application must state whether she is married or not, and a married woman must state whether her husband is a native citizen.

The rules should be carefully read before mailing the application to the Department of State, Division of Passport Control, Washington, D. C.

[EDITION OF 1918.]

[FORM FOR NATIVE CITIZEN.]

No. _____

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

STATE OF Florida
COUNTY OF Hillsborough ss.

I, Mary Wall Dillingham, a NATIVE AND LOYAL CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, hereby apply to the Department of State, at Washington, for a passport, for myself.

I solemnly swear that I was born at Michigan City, in the State of Indiana, on or about the 22 day of April, 1885; that my ~~father~~ husband Alfred Dillingham was born in Michigan and is now residing at Indianapolis Ind. 489 (that he emigrated to the United States from the port of _____ on or about _____, 1 _____; that he resided _____ years, uninterruptedly, in the United States, from _____ to _____, at _____; that he was naturalized as a citizen of the United States before the _____ Court of _____, at _____, on _____, 1 _____, as shown by the accompanying Certificate of Naturalization);

that I have resided outside the United States at the following places for the following periods:

from _____ to _____
 from _____ to _____

and that I am domiciled in the United States, my permanent residence being at Indianapolis
 in the State of Indiana, where I follow the occupation of Student

My last passport was obtained from _____, on _____
 and was _____ I am about to go abroad temporarily; and I
 intend to return to the United States within 1 ^(Disposition of passport.) year ^(years) with the purpose of residing and per-
 forming the duties of citizenship therein; and I desire a passport for use in visiting the countries here-
 inafter named for the following purpose:

Liberalta, Spain Israel - Travel
 (Name of country.) (Object of visit.)
Great England - "
 (Name of country.) (Object of visit.)
France, Italy, Egypt, "
 (Name of country.) (Object of visit.)
Creece, Cyprus, South "
 (Name of country.) (Object of visit.)
can. I intend to leave the United States from the port of New York, N.Y.
 (Name of port.)
 sailing on board the Celtic on Jan, Feb, 1920
 (Name of vessel.) (Date of departure.)

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

Further, I do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States
 against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and
 that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: So help me God.

Sworn to before me this 30 day Mary W. Pillingham
 of December, 1920 ^(Signature of applicant.)
 [REAL OF COINS] Pearl Robin
Dep. Clerk of the Dist. Court at Tampa Fla ²⁶⁸

* A person born in the United States should submit a birth certificate with his application, or if the birth was
 not officially recorded, affidavits from the attending physician, parents, or other persons having actual knowledge
 of the birth.

533 of 794  was born in this country, lines should be drawn through the blanks in brackets.
 [OVER.]

DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT.

Age: 35 years. Mouth: medium
 Stature: 5 feet, 2 inches, Eng. Chin: Regular
 Forehead: high Hair: Brown
 Eyes: Brown Complexion: medium
 Nose: small Face: Round, small
 Distinguishing marks: None

IDENTIFICATION.

Dec 30, 1920

I, Albert Dillingham, solemnly swear that I am a native citizen
 of the United States; that I reside at Indianapolis Ind.; that I have known
 the above-named Mary W. Dillingham personally for 35 years and
 know her to be a native citizen of the United States; and that the facts stated in her affidavit
 are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Albert Dillingham
Victim
 (Occupation)
Indianapolis Ind.
 (Address of witness.)

Sworn to before me this 30 day

of December, 1920

[SHAL.]

Pearl Robins

Dep. Clerk of the Dist. Court at Tampa Fla

Applicant desires passport to be sent to the following address:

1441 Langerine Ave
St. Petersburg
Fla.
C.S.

A signed duplicate of the photograph to be attached hereto must be sent to the Department with the application, to be affixed to the passport with an impression of the Department's seal.



passport application of **sister Mary Wall Dillingham McPike (1889-1978)** on 30 Dec 1920 - <https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/1174/records/600620087>

Sunday, October 1, 1939

First Meeting Scheduled For A.A.U.W. Spanish Department

**Newest University Group Meets Tuesday
In House Of Hospitality Clubrooms**

First meeting of the newest section of the San Diego branch, American Association of University Women, the Spanish department, will be held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the clubrooms, House of Hospitality. The section is directed by Dr. Mary Dillingham McPike (Mrs. Eugene F. McPike), who holds a degree of

languages from the University of Chicago. There will be no fee for the class, but members are required to furnish their own texts and materials.

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San Diego CA



TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STATE OF TEXAS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

STATE FILE NO. 29931

1. PLACE OF DEATH
a. COUNTY **Dallas**

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institution, residence before admission)
a. STATE **Texas** b. COUNTY **Dallas**

3. CITY (If outside corporate limits, write RURAL and give precinct no.)
a. CITY OR TOWN **Dallas** b. LENGTH OF STAY (In this place) **6 WKS**

4. FULL NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION (If not in hospital or institution, give street address or location)
3107 Lanoue

5. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location)
3107 Lanoue

6. NAME OF DECEASED
a. (First) **Chapin** b. (Middle) **Foster** c. (Last) **Dillingham**

7. DATE OF DEATH
June 26, 1956

8. SEX **Male** 9. COLOR OR RACE **White** 10. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (Specify)
Married

11. DATE OF BIRTH
July 9, 1891 12. AGE YEARS MONTHS DAYS
64 11 17

13. USUAL OCCUPATION (Occupation of work done during part of week immediately prior to death)
Machinist 14. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY
Indiana

15. FATHER'S NAME **Albert Dillingham** BIRTHPLACE **Michigan**

16. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME **Nettie J. Wall** BIRTHPLACE **Maine**

17. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes or no) **No** 18. SOCIAL SECURITY NO.
No

19. INFORMANT'S SIGNATURE
Mr. Reta Dillingham

20. CAUSE OF DEATH
Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c)
I. DISEASE OR CONDITION DIRECTLY LEADING TO DEATH* (a) **Ischemic**
ANTECEDENT CAUSES
Nervous conditions, if any, giving rise to the above (b) **Hypertensive Cardiovascular-Renal Disease**
DUE TO (c) **Ischemic**
II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS
Conditions contributing to the death but not related to the disease or condition causing death.
Cerebro-vascular accident with left

21. DATE OF OPERATION
June 27, 1956 22. MAJOR FINDINGS OF OPERATION
Unstable

23. AUTOPSY?
YES ☐ **NO** ☒

24. ACCIDENT SUICIDE HOMICIDE (Specify)
Accident 25. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office, etc.)
Home

26. CITY, TOWN, OR PRECINCT NO. 1
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

27. TIME OF INJURY (Month) (Day) (Year)
6/26/56 28. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE AT WORK ☐ NOT WHILE AT WORK ☐

29. HOW DID INJURY OCCUR?
Stroke

30. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from **6/26/56**, to **6/26/56**, that I last saw the deceased alive on **6/26/56**, and that death occurred at **1:40 PM**, from the causes and on the date stated above.

31. SIGNATURE (Degree or title)
J. M. Henry M.D. 32. ADDRESS
Dallas, Texas

33. DATE SIGNED
6/27/56

34. FUNERAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify)
Removal 35. DATE
6/27/56

36. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY
Crown Hill

37. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State)
Indianapolis Indiana

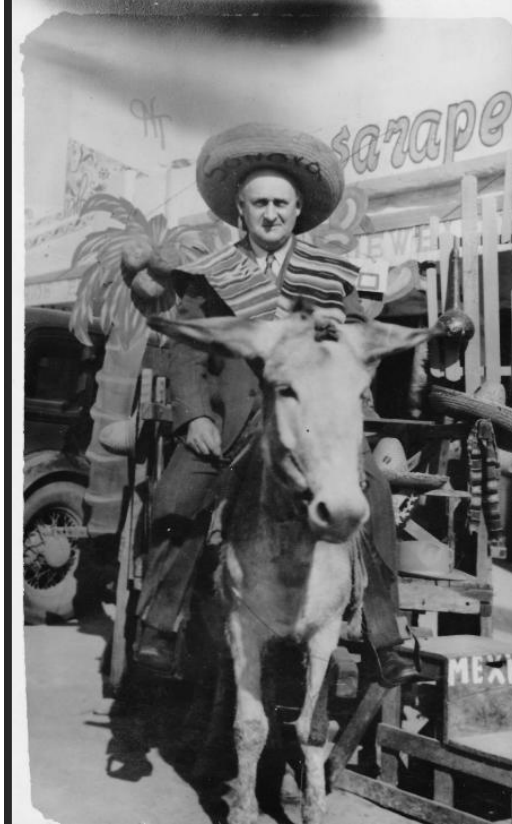
38. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE
Dudley M. Hughes

39. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO.
2650 40. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR
JUN 27 1956

41. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE
J. W. Bass By *Maureen Lashin*
Acting Registrar

Brother Chapin Foster Dillingham (1891-1956) -

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/2272/records/81431108?tid=7447729&pid=24449817635&queryId=8b5b4606-06bf-4570-9eb3-d5d6d6158c96&phsrc=cPx42379&phstart=successSource>



Chapin - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/56446993/person/332315663629/media/3ddac497-dd1d-46a0-9280-f7bd0f386a9b>

Chapin F. Dillingham

Chapin F. Dillingham, 64, former Indianapolis resident, will be buried in Crown Hill Cemetery after services at 1:30 p.m. Saturday in Harry W. Moore Peace Chapel. He died Monday in his home at Dallas, Tex.

Mr. Dillingham had moved to Dallas last January. He formerly was a machine repairman at the Indiana Gear Works.

Surviving are the widow, Reva Dillingham; a daughter, Mrs. Charles M. Peter, Carmel; two sons, Charles A. Dillingham, Dallas, and James Dillingham, Whiteland; a sister, Mary W. McPike, San Diego, Cal., and two grandchildren.

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Chapin Dellingham

in the Indiana, U.S., Marriage Certificates, 1960-2012



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Detail Source

Name	Chapin Dellingham
Gender	Male
Race	White
Marital Status	Single
Marriage Age	21
Birth Date	abt 1889
Birth Place	Ind'p'lis, Ind.
Marriage Date	26 Oct 1910
Marriage Place	Indianapolis, Marion, Indiana, USA
Father	Albert Dellingham
Mother	Nettie Wall
Spouse	Margerite Stricker

Marriage to Margerite Stricker on 26 Oct 1910 -

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61009/records/6845225>

PLACE OF BIRTH		INDIANA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH	
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS.		CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH.	
County of <u>Marion</u>	Township of <u>Wayne</u>	Registered No. <u>34866</u>	
Town of _____	City of _____	Registered No. <u>412</u>	
FULL NAME OF CHILD <u>Evelyn Josephine Dillingham</u>		(No. <u>West</u> <u>North</u> <u>County</u> <u>St.</u> <u>Ward</u>)	(Born <u>Alive?</u> <u>Yes</u>)
Sex of Child <u>Female</u>	Legitimacy <u>Legit</u>	Date of Birth <u>Sept 12</u> 19 <u>12</u>	
Full Name of FATHER <u>Chapin J. Dillingham</u>	Full Name of MOTHER <u>Marguerite Stricker</u>		
Residence <u>West North County</u>	Residence <u>Do</u>		
Color or Race <u>White</u>	Age at last Birthday <u>21</u>	Color or Race <u>Do</u>	Age at last Birthday <u>20</u>
Birthplace <u>Indianapolis Ind.</u>	Birthplace <u>Middletown Ohio</u>		
Occupation <u>Farm</u>	Occupation _____		
Number of child of this mother <u>1</u>	Number of children, of this mother, now living <u>1</u>	Were precautions taken against Ophthalmia neonatorum? <u>Yes</u>	
CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE* I hereby certify that I attended the birth of above child; and that it occurred on <u>Sept 12</u>, 19<u>12</u>, at <u>7:45</u> <u>A</u>.M. (Signature) <u>M. Stricker</u> (Attending physician, midwife, householder, etc.) Given or Christian name added from a supplemental report _____ Dated <u>Sept 17</u> 19<u>12</u> Address <u>Box 20 West St.</u> Filed <u>Oct 4</u> 19<u>12</u> <u>H. S. Mackey</u> HEALTH OFFICER.			

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Marguerite Dillingham

in the Oklahoma, U.S., County Marriage Records, 1890-1995



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Detail Source

Name	Marguerite Dillingham
Gender	Female
Age	25
Birth Date	abt 1892
Marriage Date	27 Oct 1917
Marriage Place	Tulsa, Oklahoma, USA
Spouse	Mowry Bates
Film Number	001020736

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61379/records/964261578>

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses were granted Saturday to the following: Mowry Bates, Tulsa and Mrs. Margaret Dillingham, Tulsa; Richard O. Kelly, Avant, and Olga E. Jones, Avant; P. U. Henson, Okmulgee, and Mrs. Ada Atkins, Okmulgee; Archle J. W. Frey, Tulsa, and Una Mae Ryland, Tulsa; Earl B. Bartley, Colorado Springs, and Lillian J. Dotts, Tulsa; J. E. Smith, Sapulpa, and Leona Rutherford, Sapulpa.

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Marguerite Bates

in the California, U.S., Death Index, 1940-1997



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Detail Source

Name	Marguerite Bates [Marguerite Stricker]
Social Security #	561125816
Gender	Female
Birth Date	15 Aug 1892
Birth Place	Ohio
Death Date	7 Mar 1995
Death Place	Sonoma
Father's Surname	Stricker

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/5180/records/433420>

BATES, Marguerite — Died in Petaluma, CA Tuesday, March 7, 1995. Loving mother of the late Evelyn J. Babcock. Adored grandmother of Patricia S. Barnes and Sandra L. Babcock both of Potter Valley, California. Loving great-grandmother of Deborah L. Dalton of Potter Valley and Brian E. Schmidt of Rohnert Park. Loving great-great-grandmother of David P. Dalton of Potter Valley. Mrs. Bates was initiated into the Order of the Easter Star in Oklahoma in 1918. She was a 50 year plus member of Chapter #215 Order of the Eastern Star in San Rafael. She was an avid horsewoman and was very proud of owning the famous trick horse Canela who traveled on the circuit with the Kiwanis and Shriner Clubs. A native of Ohio. Age 102 years.

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Santa Rosa CA

Chapin F. Dillingham

in the Indiana, U.S., Select Marriages Index, 1748-1993



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Detail Source

Name	Chapin F. Dillingham
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	25 Dec 1915
Marriage Place	Marion Co., Indiana
Father	Albert Dillingham
Mother	Nettie Wall
Spouse	D. Pearl Crawley
FHL Film Number	499407
Reference ID	Page 49

Marriage to Daisy Pearl Crawley 25 Dec 1915 -

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60281/records/1336657?tid=7447729&pid=24449817740&queryId=c704182a-1704-4ee1-9526-a3ca9581052a&phsrc=cPx42384&phstart=successSource>

C F Dillingham

in the Indiana, U.S., Marriage Certificates, 1960-2012



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Detail	Source
Name	C F Dillingham
Marriage Age	36
Birth Date	9 Jul 1892
Marriage Date	17 Jun 1929
Marriage Place	Indiana, USA
Father	Albert Dillingham
Mother	Nettie Wall
Spouse	Reva E Burns
Certifier	Chas. F Reeves

Marriage to Reva Burns 17 Jun 1929 -

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61009/records/6080324?tid=7447729&pid=24449817740&queryId=3f4945d1-9a43-4ec6-820c-f60655eb786f&_phsrc=cPx42386&_phstart=successSource

Mrs. Reva Dillingham

Graveside services for Mrs. Reva Dillingham, 69, Houston, Tex., a former Indianapolis resident, will be held at 2 p.m. Friday in Crown Hill Cemetery. The widow of Chap Dillingham, she died March 14 in a Houston hospital. Born in Indianapolis, she lived here 50 years. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Teter of Indianapolis, and two sons, James Dillingham of Panorama City, Calif., and Charles Dillingham of Houston.

Wife of Chapin Foster Dillingham _

The Indianapolis Star
Indianapolis, Indiana
23 Mar 1977

Find A Grave 45917756

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Charles Lee Dillingham

Name variations: Lee Dillingham

Military:

On Tuscania: 100th Aero Squadron, 14th Squad - private

Serial number: not assigned when an incoming passenger – and a serial number is not recorded by the Veterans Administration Military Index

Entered service from: Indianapolis, Marion IN

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: Charles L. Dillingham

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: wife Flory [crossed off; handwritten correction: Floy]

Dillingham, handwritten 519 Lyn? St., Indianapolis IN

Returned from war on: "Mauretania" Nov or Dec 1918, "all sick & wounded - from American Red Cross Mil. Hosp. No. 4, Liverpool"

Sailed on return ship as: Charles R. Dillingham

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Albert Dillingham, Box 10 RRC, Indianapolis IN (pvt, 100th Aero Sq)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Charles Lee Dillingham - b. 23 Jan 1894

Indianapolis IN; res: 1942 W. Indianapolis, Indianapolis IN. Wife & child. Salesman, Fisher Auto Co., Indianapolis IN. Has dependent wife & child. Claimed exemption from draft: “suport [sic] of family.” Medium height & build.

National Tuscania Survivors Association 1939 roster: 324 N. Delaware St., Indianapolis IN

World War II draft registration (1942): as Charles L. Dillingham - b. 22 Jan 1895 Marion IN; res: mailing address of RR 1, New Augusta IN (resident of 71st St. & Lakeside Drive & Pike).

NOK Mrs. Mabel Dillingham of same address. Employed by Dillingham & Lewis, 320 N.

Delaware St., Indianapolis IN. “Bad index finger on R.H. Scar on left arm” Height: 5’5 ¾” – weight: 203 lbs. Registered 27 Apr 1942.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 22 Nov 1917

Discharged 8 Feb 1919

Address: 3246 N. Delaware St., Indianapolis IN

Rank/unit: private, 1st Co., Conv Center [probably Convalescent Center]

IN, WWI, Enrollment Cards – entered Army 22 Nov 1917 at Fort Thomas, Campbell KY, age 23, private, born Indianapolis IN.

Birth & death:

Born: 23 Jan 1893 or 1894 (WWI draft registration) or 22 Jan 1894 or 1895 (WWII draft registration & tombstone) Indianapolis, Marion IN

Died: 18 May 1947 Indianapolis, Marion IN (at his home, RR 1, Box 201-H, New Augusta, Indianapolis, Marion IN)

Find A Grave record: 45917750, presence on Tuscania indicated in text & flower

Burial location: Indianapolis, Marion

Cemetery: Crown Hill

Tombstone:

Father: Albert J. Dillingham, Sep 1854 MI (1900 census) or Feb 1853 Howell, Livingston MI (FL death record) – 7 Jan 1935 Marianna Hotel, Marianna, Jackson FL.

Son of John B. Dillingham & Mary Tibbetts.

FL death record indicates he was a resident of Indianapolis IN; son of John B. Dillingham & Mary Tibbetts.

Buried in Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis, Marion IN.

Find A Grave: 45917744

Mother: Julia Nettie Wall Dillingham, 19 Dec 1856 Hallowell, Kennebec ME – 8 Nov 1937 Chicago, Cook IL.

Daughter of George Jesse Wall & Julia S. Perkins.

Obituary: "Indianapolis Star" 11 Nov 1937 p 23 – Nettie J. Dillingham, widow of the late Albert Dillingham, mother of Mrs. Eugene McPike (Chicago) & Chapinn [sic] F. Dillingham & Charles Lee Dillingham of this city. Died Monday 8 Nov 1937 at her daughter's residence in Chicago IL.

Buried in Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis, Marion IN.

Find A Grave: 45917754

Parents' marriage: 23 Mar 1882 LaPorte IN

Spouse #1 – married 1915

Spouse: Floy Perkins Dillingham Smith White, 15 Aug 1896 Hamilton Co. IN – 15 Apr 1974 Indianapolis, Marion IN (in Indiana University Hospital).

Daughter of John Barker Perkins & Elizabeth Dunn.

Floy Perkins married Charles Dillingham in 1915, then married William W. Smith in Marion Co. IN on 8 Apr 1920.

William W. Smith, the son of Edwin B. Smith & Marion Ellinger, was born 5 Aug 1895 in Indianapolis, Marion IN. In the 1900 census for Indianapolis, Marion IN, Wm. W. Smith (age 4, b. IN) lived at 911 E. 11th St. with his parents Edward B. (b. MO) & Marion (b. OH).

Listed as Marie Perkiins, she married Grover Forest White (1889-1961, F: 128895912) in Marion Co. IN on 5 Jun 1943.

Obituary: "Richmond (IN) Palladium-Item" 30 Apr 1974 p 7 – Mrs. Floy White, 805 ½ South "E" St., died 27 Apr 1974 in University Hospital, Indianapolis. Survived by daughter Mrs. Virginia Skirvin.

Buried in Washington Park East Cemetery, Indianapolis, Marion IN with Grover White.

Spouse Find A Grave: 128895903

Marriage: 3 Jul 1915 Indianapolis, Marion IN. Divorced in 1919.

Spouse #2 – married 1922

Spouse: Virginia Claire Potter Dillingham Myers, 30 Oct 1903 Indianapolis, Marion IN – 11 Aug 1993 Canton, Stark Co. OH.

Daughter of Joseph L. Potter & Bessie Fordney/Fourtney. Virginia's IN death record lists her mother's maiden surname as Fourtney.

Had 4 years of college.

Married 31 Mar 1929 in Miami Beach Community Church, Miami FL, to Worth C. Myers (1898-1960, F: 75753598). She was listed as "Miss Virginia Potter."

Virginia & Worth Myers are buried together in North Lawn Cemetery, Canton, Stark OH.

Spouse Find A Grave:89456028

Marriage: 29 Aug 1922 Terre Haute, Vigo Co. IN.

Virginia C. Potter, b. 30 Oct 1903 OH, age 19, her 1st marriage, at home, daughter of Joseph L. Potter (b. OH, manufacturer) & Bessie Fordney (also found as Fournety, b. IN) & Charles Lee Dillingham, b. 22 Jan 1894 IN, age 28, married & divorced in 1919, salesman, son of Albert Dillingham (MI, retired) & Nettie Wall (b. MA, at home). Both were residents of Indianapolis IN.

Spouse #3 – married 24 Feb 1935

Spouse: Mable (Mabel on headstone) D. Smith Dillingham Spratt, 13 Dec 1907 Fillmore, Putnam IN - 15 Nov 1993 Nashville, Brown IN.

Daughter of Alonzo J. Smith & Alice C. Christy.

Her parents lived in Wayne, Marion IN in 1930. Albert was age 77, b. MI & Julia W. was age 73, b. ME.

Buried with husband Felix Edward ("Jack") Spratt (1902-1974, F: 46017058).

Widowed by Charles's death, "Mable Smith Dillingham" married Felix in Oct 1948 in Indianapolis, Marion IN.

Obituary: "Columbus (IN) Republic" 17 Nov 1993 p 10 – real estate salesperson.

Buried in Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis, Marion IN

Spouse Find A Grave: 46017080

Marriage: 24 Feb 1935 in Marion Co. IN. In May 1932, she is pictured with Charles Dillingham at his company – Dillingham Auto Electric Service – where she was employed as a secretary.

Child: by his 1st wife Floy Perkins

- Vivian Louise (buried as Vivian Mae) Dillingham Nutter Fidger Barnes Wilson Skirvin, 19 Aug 1916 Indianapolis, Marion IN – 5 Feb 2005 Vevay, Switzerland Co. IN. - Vivian dies 87 years to the day after the sinking of the Tuscania. - Birth: "Indianapolis News" 23 Aug 1916 p 12 – A daughter born to Charles & Floy Dillingham of 1942 W. Michigan. Married to Harry J. (Jerry/Gerry) Nutter in Marion Co. IN on 5 May 1934; divorced Apr 1935. - Marriage: "Indianapolis Star" 4 May 1934 p 20 – marriage license: Garry Nutter, 22, 826 Oakland & Vivian Dillingham, 19, 1948 W. Michigan. Divorce: "Indianapolis Star" 2 Apr 1935 p 19 – divorce case to be heard: Vivian Nutter v. Jerry Nutter, #82100. Obituary on Find A Grave: Daughter of Charles L. Dillingham & Floy White Dillingham. Resident of 290 State Rd., Vevay IN. – She was then married on 27 Apr 1940 in Louisville, Jefferson KY to Thomas Benjamin Barnes (28 Feb 1915 Providence KY – 1999, buried in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Greenwood, Johnson IN, F; 148605942), the son of Charles Barnes & Lelia May McGuyer. Her marriage license lists her as Vivian L. Dillingham, divorced in 1936. Thomas Barnes is single. - When Thomas Barnes registered for the WWII draft on 16 Oct 1940 in Indianapolis, Marion IN, he resided with wife "Vivien" Louise at 1625 W.

Vermont. - Vivian then married **Addison Wheeler Wilson Jr.** (3 Jun 1927 – 7 May 2020, both in Indianapolis, Marion IN, F: 2102402633), the son of Addison Wheeler Wilson Sr. & Christina Louise Barnhart. He is buried in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Greenwood, Jackson IN. - In the 1950 census, her son Thomas L. Barnes (age 7, b. IN) lived with Vivian L. & Addison W. Wilson Jr. (his stepfather) & his half-sister Barbara A. Wilson (later Bolin, age 3, b. IN). - Social Security shows a surname change to **Fidger** in Jun 1947. Listed as Vivian Barnes, she married in Marion Co. IN on 22 Feb 1946 to **Thomas William (Bill) Fidger** (16 Apr 1915 Indianapolis, Marion IN – 22 Aug 1986 Clayton, Hendricks IN, F: 37055643), the son of John Frederick Fidger Sr. & Mary Alice Sprinkle. Divorce proceedings were begun in Apr 1947. - Her Social Security record shows a surname change to **Wilson** as of Sep 1948. As of the 1950 census for Decatur, Marion IN, conducted 8 Apr 1950, Vivian L. Wilson (27 IN) was the wife of Addison W. Wilson Jr. (24 IN), a punch press operator for a chain manufacturing company. In their household were son Thomas L. Barnes (7 IN) & daughter Barbara A. Wilson (3 IN). - Moved to Switzerland Co. IN in Dec 1979 with husband, **Edward L. ("Peanut") Skirvin Sr.** (1928-2005, F: 16425389), whom she married 5 Apr 1970. - Divorce: "Indianapolis Star" 26 Jun 1975 p 79 – divorce suit of Vivian Skirvin v. Edward Skirvin. - Buried in Vevay IN. F: 16425569

Siblings: Charles was the youngest of the surviving children. One had died prior to 1900 census.

- **Mary Julia Wall Dillingham McPike**, 22 Apr 1889 Michigan City, LaPorte IN – 30 Jan 1978 San Diego Co. CA. Was teaching in Prescott AZ during WWI. Earned a doctorate. - When she applied for a US passport on 30 Dec 1920, Mary Wall said she would be sailing on the "Celtic" in Jan or Feb 1921 from NY, to travel to Gibraltar, Spain, England, France, Italy, Egypt & Greece. - Married 25 Dec 1932 in Marion Co. IN to **Eugene Fairfield McPike** (1870-1946, F: 138158231). - Eugene McPike's obituary: "Chicago Tribune" 24 Aug 1946 p 14 – Eugene McPike died in San Diego CA on 21 Aug 1946 at age 76. Husband of Mary J.W. McPike; also survived by 2 daughters. Interment in Oak Woods Cemetery in IL. His Find A Grave record lists wife Ada F. Dentore (1870-1918). Buried in Oak Woods Cemetery, IL. F: 196953550. - She is buried as Mary J.W.D. McPike in Greenwood Memorial Park, San Diego, San Diego Co. CA.
- **Chapin Foster Dillingham**, 9 Jul 1891 Indianapolis, Marion IN – 26 Jun 1956 Dallas, Dallas TX. - Married 26 Oct 1910 in Indianapolis, Marion IN to Marguerite Stricker (15 Aug 1892 OH – 7 Mar 1995 with the surname Bates in Sonoma Co. CA. On 27 Oct 1917, Marguerite Dillingham married Mowry Bates (19 Sep 1875 – 17 Nov 1926, buried in Hollywood Forever, Hollywood, Los Angeles CA, F: 33473990). - Chapin married Daisy Pearl Crawley (1882-1966, F: 218900240) in 1915. - Married in IN on 17 Jun 1929 to Reva Ellen Burns (1908-1977, F: 45917756). Died of uremia at his home, 3107 Lanoue, Dallas TX. Buried in Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis, Marion IN. F: 45917748

Pre-war:

“Indianapolis Star” 10 Aug 1913 p 12 – Edward McIntosh, 3723 Robson St., was seriously injured after midnight at the intersection of New York Street and Indiana & Capitol avenues. He was driving east with his brother Dallas McIntosh on New York Street when his car was hit by a car driven by Lee Dillingham, accompanied by Miss Floyd [sic/Floy] Perkins of 1942 W. Michigan St. [who will become his 1st wife 2 years later]. Patrolmen Finney & Stevens saw the accident & said the McIntosh car drove directly in front of the other car. Edward was knocked out but regained consciousness by the time he got to the hospital. He was driving a car owned by his employer, Central Supply Co., and it was completely demolished.

Wartime:

“Indianapolis Star” 8 Feb 1918 p 1 – No report on the 13 Hoosiers aboard, one of whom is Pvt. Charles Dillingham, 100th Aero Squadron, wife Mrs. Floy Dillingham, 519 Lynn St., Indianapolis IN

“Indianapolis News” 8 Feb 1918 p 1 – “Two Indiana Men Reported Safe” – Charles Dillingham, 519 Lynn St., 1 of the Indianapolis men reported on the Tuscania, enlisted in the aviation corps in this city on 27 Sep 1917 but did not go to camp until 17 Nov. He was sent to Kelly Field TX & after a short training period was sent to an embarkation port. He was 24 years old & sailed on his birthday, 22 Jan. [Fact check: the Tuscania sailed 24 Jan]. Dillingham had been in the automobile business in this city for some time & was last employed by the Paige Motor Car Co. in this city as a salesman. He was an expert mechanic. Relatives of Dillingham are his wife, Mrs. Floy Dillingham – his daughter Vivian Louise Dillingham – his father & mother, Mr. & Mrs. Albert Dillingham, who live near West Indianapolis, south of the National Road – and a brother, Chapin Dillingham.

“Indianapolis Star” 10 Feb 1918 p 1 – a representative of the “Star” newspaper notified Mrs. Charles Dillingham, 519 Lynn St., that her husband Charles was safe “and she crowded back the tears of joy and replied ‘I’m so glad to hear that he is among those rescued.’ “

“Muncie (IN) Star Press” 10 Feb 1918 p 1 – at 9 p.m. on 9 Feb 1918, eight of the 16 IN soldiers aboard were reported safe by the War Department. One is Charles L. Dillingham, 519 Lynn St., Indianapolis.

“Prescott (AZ) Weekly Journal-Miner” 15 Dec 1918 p 6 – Miss Mary Dillingham of the high school faculty received news that her brother Charles L. Dillingham, rescued from Tuscania, has been decorated with the French Legion of Honor for his role as a balloon observer.

Post-war:

Obituary:

"Indianapolis News" 19 May 1947 p 7 & 20 May 1947 p 20 - age 52, d. at his home, b. Indianapolis, owner/operator of Dillingham Electrical Co. for 24 yrs., WWI vet, survived by wife Mable, sister & brother, burial Crown Hill

IN death record: died at his home near Augusta IN of renal disease (had for 2 years). Wife Mable Smith. Born 22 Jan 1895; died at age 53 years, 3 months, 26 days. Retired electrical business. Buried in Crown Hill Cemetery.

Social Security Number:

Censuses:

1900 Wayne township, Marion IN – conducted 4 Jun 1900

Albert Dillingham, 46 MI, Sep 1854, father b. NY, mother b. MI, married 17 years, foreman, lumber yard

Nettie, 44 (45?) ME, Dec 1856, parents b. ME, gave birth to 4 children, 3 are living

Mary, 16 IN, Apr 1884, at school

Chapin F., 9 IN, Jul 1891, at school

Lee C., 6 IN, Jan 1894

Arthur, 48 MI, Mar 1852 [Albert's brother]

Julia Wall, 69 ME, May 1831, widow, parents b. MA [mother-in-law]

1910 Wayne township, Marion IN – conducted 29 Apr 1910

Albert Dillingham, 57 MI, parents b. NY, in 1st marriage, married 27 years, superintendent, lumber company

Nettie, 51 ME, parents b. ME, in 1st marriage, gave birth to 4 children, 3 are living [wife]

Chapin, 18 IN, farm laborer, own farm [son]

Lee, 17 IN [son, i.e. Charles Lee]

Arthur, 58 MI, single, parents b. NY, salesman, dry goods [brother]

1920 Indianapolis, Marion IN – Michigan St. - conducted 12 Jan 1920 – his ex-wife Floy & daughter with Floy's parents & siblings

John B. Perkins, 56 IN, parents b. IN, foreman, factory

Lizzie Perkins, 45 IN, parents b. IN [wife]

Clarence E. Perkins, 30 IN, single, metal worker, sheet [son]

Wilma Perkins, 18 IN, single, clerk, department store [daughter]

Floy Dillingham, 23 IN, married, clerk, department store [daughter]

Vivian L. Dillingham, 3 years 4 months IN, parents b. IN [granddaughter]

1930

1940 Pike township, Marion IN – in 1935 living in Indianapolis, Marion IN – conducted 14
May 1940

Charles L. Dillingham, 44 IN, electrician

Mable L., 33 IN, assistant electrician

1950 dead