

TUSCANIA

Fisher, Charles James
1892 PA – 1944 NY

1½

Fisher, Charles J 250,141 White

(Surname) (Christian name) (Army serial number) (Race: White or colored)

Residence: Oakdale Jeddo LUZERNE PENNSYLVANIA 1295

(Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

* Enlisted in RA Mineola LI NY _ Dec 7/17

† Born in Beaver Meadow Pa _ 25 3/12 yrs

Organizations: 213 Aer Sq to Disch

Crades: Pvt 1cl Jan 20/18

Engagements: -

Wounds or other injuries received in action: None

‡ Served overseas: Jan 24/18 to May 31/19

§ Hon. disch. June 10/19 on demobilization

Was reported 0 per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.

Remarks: -

Form No. 724-1½, A. G. O. March 12, 1920. 3-7688

* Insert "R. A.", "N. G.", "E. R. C.", "N. A.", as case may be, followed by place and date of enlistment. † Give place of birth and date of birth, or age at enlistment. ‡ Give dates of departure from and arrival in the United States. § Give date.

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PA, WWI Veterans Service & Compensation Files -

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FISHER CHARLES JAMES *9/12/44* c 1883479
Pvt 1st cl 213th Aero Sqdn K
231 Putnam Ave Brooklyn NY A 3 675 889
Sn 250 141 Died *9-12-44* T 489 322
Born 8/4/92 R
Enl 12/7/17 Dis 6/10/19 Ct 2 781 456
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U. S. VETERANS BUREAU
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Form 71002—Rev. Sept., 1926
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Veterans Administration Master Index - <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-CS1N-Q939-K?cc=2968245&personUrl=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQRSF-XNN2>

Charles Fisher

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



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Detail Source

Name	Charles Fisher
Social Security Number	184-28-3197
Birth Date	4 Mar 1896
Issue year	1952-1953
Issue State	Pennsylvania
Last Residence	18104, Allentown, Lehigh, Pennsylvania, USA
Death Date	Nov 1979

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/3693/records/19383392>

Charles James Fisher

in the New York, New York, U.S., Index to Death Certificates, 1862-1948



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Detail	Source
Name	Charles James Fisher
Gender	Male
Race	White
Marital Status	Married
Age	52
Birth Date	4 Aug 1892
Birth Place	Pennsylvania, Carbon, Beaver Meadow
Residence Street Address	130-30 231 Street
Residence Place	New York
Death Date	12 Sep 1944
Hospital	Veterans Administration
Death Place	New York City, Bronx, New York, USA
Cause of Death	Carcinoma, Cardia of Stomach Involving Lower End of Esophagus
Burial Date	15 Sep 1944
Burial Place	Pinelawn National Cemetery
Occupation	Structure Maintainer
Father's Birth Place	Ireland
Mother's Birth Place	Ireland
Father	James Fisher
Mother	Helen Fisher

Spouse	Sophia Fisher
Informant	Information Obtained from Records of Deceased
Executor	Sophie Fisher
Executor Relationship	Wife
Certificate Number	8936

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I. J. Higgins & Son, Directors.

FISHER—CHARLES J., on September 12, 1944, husband of Sophia and father of Brother Irvin. Reposing at the Thos. F. O'Reilly Chapel, 137-40 Brookville Boulevard, Rosedale, L. I. Solemn requiem high mass will be offered at St. Clare's R. C. Church on Friday, September 15, at 10 a.m. Interment Long Island National Cemetery.

Brooklyn Eagle

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Brooklyn NY

Life:

War Service Roster in 9th Ward's Two Districts

NINTH WARD. First District.

Ralph Fred Andreas, Charles J. Armbruster, Joseph F. Burns, William J. Beala, Victor Baird, Lawrence C. Charles, Alwood, William Collins Baumeister, Robert Emmett Francis Breen, Thomas E. Boster, Jr., Edward Francis Burns, Harry Robert Baumeister, Frank Binder, Adolph Bauer, John Budner, Thomas Henry Bernhard, Richard Arthur Bernhard, James William Byrne, Frank Alysius Bauer, Edward Boehole, Charles N. Berninger, William John Barry, Raymond Charles Bachman, Germanus Bauer, John Peter Brucker, Clarence Augustus Bierman, Charles E. Clark, James Franklin Cunningham, Joseph Chando, Archie Edwood Christman, Charles W. Carl, Joseph G. Doll, Albert Deany, Raymond Duimer, Gustav Dopfer, Joseph Dancsio, Frank Roy Diehl, Harry A. Deardorff, James Lawrence Devlin, John Domweber, Charles F. Doll, Charles DeFrango, Abner F. Dunmoyer, Stanley E. Danner, Harry M. Epp, Edward Joseph Epp, Carvin L. Ell, Charles W. Eck, George J. Ehrbacher, Lewis A. Engle, John Fasman, John Fark, Joseph Finkbinder, Raymond William Foulke, Francis Henry Fichter, Edward L. Fichter, Charles E. Fatzinger, Alexander Bernard Fisher, George Samuel Fisher, Alois Fischl, Royal H. Ferrel, Raymond A. Ferrel, George L. Ferguson, John J. Flood, Charles J. Fisher, Robert B. Gurskey, Robert Guggy, Arthur J. Gruver, Joseph Glaiser, Charles

L. Griffin, Harry Nathan Gross, Howard E. Gilbert, John S. Grigas, Alvin Grasley, Mike Gruber, Oliver E. Glering, Robert W. Gruver, Clarence H. George, Charles Nicholas Gersbach, Frank Hoffman, Harry Hadasin, William Holz, George J. Hohn, Harry Alfred Hall, Joseph Huttie, John Henry Heard, Harvey Charles Harwick, Milton C. Hillegas, Julius Herbst, Frederick J. Houser, Lawrence C. Holben, Francis Leo Jack, Sherman Webster Johnson, Earnest Garbkin Johnson, Herman C. Kuebler, Ammon Keck, Peter Kelach, James Kessler, Paul C. Koch, Joseph Christian Kuebler, Charles Edward Keyser, Frank Kokosz, Nikotius Kukitz, Joseph Julius Kistler, Allen Hamilton Keyser, Wm. A. Kistler, Arthur C. Kufen, Louis C. Kistler, Ernst Knarr, Charles Jacob Keyser, Adam Kotol, Stephen Keiri, Joseph Kogelman, Joseph Karunya, Terrence Dewitt Kelley, Warren Peter Keck, William R. S. Kennedy, Milton Henry Kramer, Ray G. Leiser, Joseph Lorenz, Louis Eugene Laurent, Arthur Laury, Joseph Lorenz, Gustav Laudenslager, Charles J. Luettgen, Robert Edward Lehr, George Ralph Lawal, Frederick C. Mohl, Lawrence T. Meier, Francis Joseph Miller, James Frank Markley, Julius Madl, Harry W. Mertis, Joseph Mattes, Peter Vincent Maher, Michael A. Miller, Christof Musler, Clarence Charles Miller, George March, Edwin John Morell, Ferdinand Morth, Frank Jas. Muringer, Raymond Nipper, (Continued on Page Six.)

The Allentown Democrat

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Allentown PA

Penna. Men on Board

The following Pennsylvanians were aboard the Tuscania. Whether or not any of them are among the missing is not yet known.

Linden.
CHARLES J. FISHER, private;
mother, Mrs. Ellen Fisher, Jeddo.

The Evening News
Fri, Feb 08, 1918 · Page 12

Harrisburg PA

Pennsylvania Boys on Board.

The Pennsylvania survivors of the Tuscania disaster so far reported are: Joseph E. Burkhardt, Johnstown; Charles J. Fisher, Oakdale, Jeddo; Charles D. Feather, Lindell; Roland E. Duncan, Wilmerding; Chauncey I. DeLong, Beech Creek and Lieut. Lauren Thompson of Beaver.

Lieutenant Thompson's father, F. E. Thompson of Beaver received a cable from his son who had arrived at Guncarn, Ireland, stating his safe arrival.

The Record-Argus
Sat, Feb 09, 1918 · Page 1

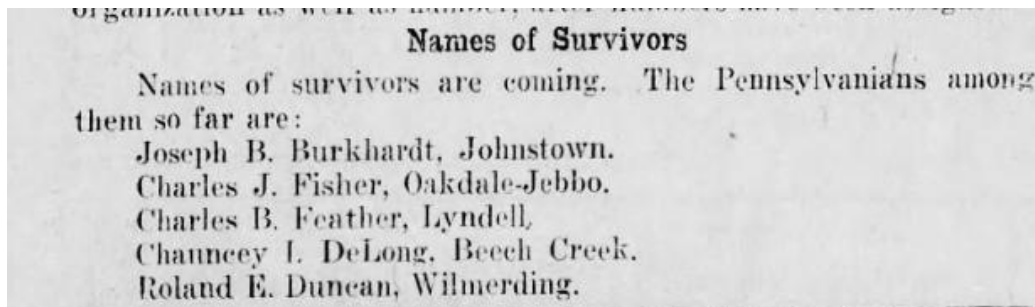
Greenville PA

HAZLETON MAN LOST?

Charles J. Fisher, of Oakdale, near Hazleton, is one of the Luzerne county men who was on board the British transport Tuscania, torpedoed by the Germans off the coast of Ireland Tuesday night. It is not known definitely whether or not there were other Luzerne county men on board and Fisher's friends have received no word from him since the disaster.

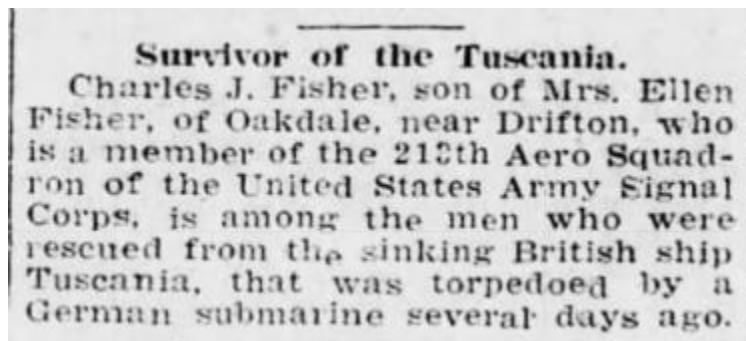
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Wilkes-Barre PA

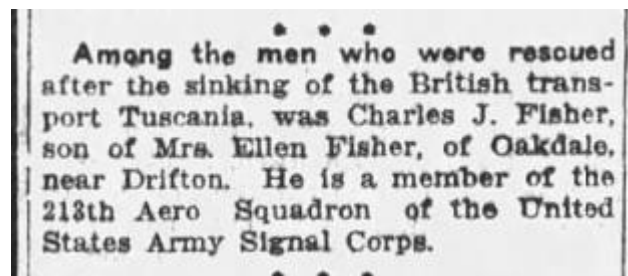


The Kane Republican
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Kane PA

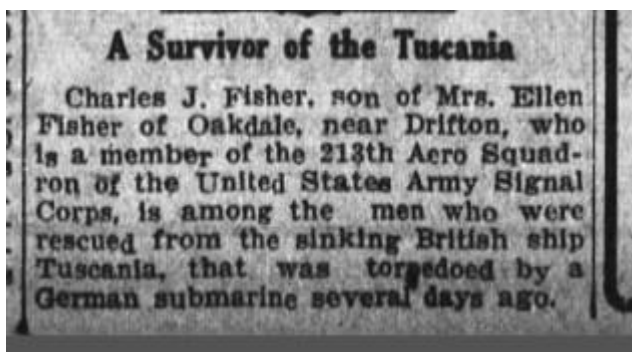


"Pittston (PA) Gazette" 11 Feb 1918 p 6



Wilkes-Barre Times Leader
Mon, Feb 11, 1918 · Page 18

Wilkes-Barre PA



The Times Leader
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Wilkes-

Barre PA

Mrs. Ellen Fisher, a widow, living at Oakdale, near Hazleton, late Saturday night was overjoyed when told that her son, Charles J. Fisher, private in the 213th aero squadron, is among the survivors of the Tuscania. Fisher has an older brother in the air service and was formerly employed about the mines.

"Pottsville (PA) Republican & Herald" Tuesday, 12 Feb 1918 p 3

Lands Near Town of Mother's Birth.

Hazleton, Pa., Feb. 15.—Cabling home that he has fully recovered from the effects of his experience in escaping from the submarined Tuscania, Charles J. Fisher, a private in the aero squadron, said that he was landed at a point on the Irish coast near Buncrana where his mother was born seventy years ago. She is Mrs. Ellen Fisher, a widow, living at Oakdale, a mining town north of Hazleton.

"Carlisle (PA) Evening Herald" 15 Feb 1918 p 3 – his mother was born near Buncrana, Ireland

Charles J. Fisher, the Oakdale boy who was found on the Tuscania, the transport sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Ireland, writing to his mother, says that he has recovered entirely from his thrilling experience and is now in a British camp awaiting transfer to France. Fisher is a private in the aero squadron.

From the "Hazleton Happenings" column – "Philadelphia Inquirer" Monday 25 Feb 1918 p 4

Arrived at Home.

Charles J. Fisher, of Oakdale, survivor of the Tuscania, has returned to his home after being honorably discharged from the U. S. army.

Standard-Speaker
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Hazleton PA

Wife

FISHER—Sophia (nee McGinley). Oct. 11, 1968. Native of Gueedare, Co. Donegal, Ireland. Beloved wife of the late Charles. Loving mother of James Fisher. Dear sister of Mrs. Mary Coyle. Reposing Wm. A. Martin Funeral Home, Classon Ave. cor. Sterling Pl., Bklyn. Funeral Monday, 9:30 A.M. Requiem Mass, St. Teresa's Church, 10 A.M. Interment Tuesday, St. Ann's Cemetery, Drifton, Pa. Please omit flowers. Masses preferred.

Daily News
Sat, Oct 12, 1968 · Page 28

NY, NY

CHARLES FISHER, 31, 11 Jefferson av.
SOPHIE MCGINLEY, 28, 1373 Union st.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
Fri, Oct 23, 1925 · Page 54

Sophie McGinley

in the New York, New York, U.S., Marriage License Indexes, 1907-2018



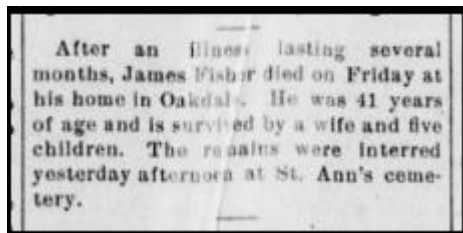
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Detail	Source
Name	Sophie McGinley
Gender	Female
Marriage License Date	22 Oct 1925
Marriage License Place	Brooklyn, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Charles J Fisher
License Number	18808

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Father



Freeland Tribune, April 23 1900

James Fisher – Find A Grave 136711125

Mother

Form T. R. No. 5-1003-10-14-18.

PLACE OF DEATH
County of Kuzens
Township of Freeland
Borough of Oakdale
City of Oakdale

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
Registration District No. 665
Primary Registration District No. 2944
(No. Oakdale St. Ward.)

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.
File No. 129549
Registered No. 125
(If death occurred in a Hospital or Institution, give its NAME, number of street and number.)

2. FULL NAME Ellen Fisher

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS
3. SEX F 4. COLOR OR RACE M 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Widowed
6. DATE OF BIRTH Don't know (Month) Day (Year) 1859
7. AGE 52 If LESS than 1 day how many hrs. or min. min.
8. OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or, particular kind of work Housework
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) At home
9. BIRTHPLACE (State or Country) Ireland
10. NAME OF FATHER James McNeilis
11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Country) Ireland
12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Ellen Roarty
13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Ireland
14. THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) Mr. J. J. Doyle (Address) Freeland Pa

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
15. DATE OF DEATH Dec 23 1919 (Month) Day (Year)
16. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from Dec 21 1919 to Dec 23 1919 that I last saw him alive on Dec 23 1919 and that death occurred, or the date stated above, at 1230 M. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Cerebral apoplexy
64-81
Contributory arterio sclerosis
(Duration) 1 yrs. 2 mos. 2 ds.
(Signed) A. J. Devereux M. D.
*State the Immediate Cause of Death, as in death from Violent Causes, and MEANS OF INJURY; and (C) WHETHER ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.
17. LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents).
At place of death. yes no ds. In the State yes no ds.
Where was disease contracted, If not at place of death?
Former or usual residence St. Clouds
18. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL St. Clouds DATE OF BURIAL 12/26 1919
19. UNDERTAKER Doyle Bros ADDRESS Freeland

Filed 12/25 1919 David Doyle Local Registrar

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Siblings

THOMAS P. FISHER

Thomas P. Fisher, 81, of 5543 Regent street, Philadelphia, died Wednesday evening at Mercy Douglas Hospital in Philadelphia after a brief illness.

Born in Beaver Meadows, he had also resided in Oakdale before locating in Philadelphia and was a member of Most Blessed Sacrament R. C. Church in Philadelphia.

He is survived by a niece, Mrs. Helen Buck of Folcroft and a nephew, Joseph McNiece. A sister, Mrs. Mary McNiece, died in March.

Funeral services will be conducted at O'Rourke Funeral Home, 1709 South 56th street, Philadelphia, Monday morning. Solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated in Most Blessed Sacrament Church at 10 a.m. Monday. Further services will be held from the Boyle Funeral Home, 100 South Wyoming street, Tuesday at 11 a.m. Interment will be in St. Ann's Cemetery, Freeland. Friends may call from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday.

Standard-Speaker

Hazleton, Pennsylvania • Fri, Aug 25, 1967

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Brother Thomas Patrick Fisher (1886-1967) –

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915 1½

Fisher, John J 959,767 **White**
 (Surname) (Christian name) (Army serial number) (Race: White or colored)

Residence: **Jeddo LUZERNE PENNSYLVANIA**
 (Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

* Enlisted in RA at Columbus Bks Ohio Aug 16/17
 † Born in Middleport Pa 29 4/12 yrs
 Organizations: 100 Aer Sq to Feb 8/18; 44 Aer Sq to May 3/18; 260 Aer Sq to disch
 Grades: Corp Feb 1/18; Pvt May 16/18; Corp May 21/18; Sgt 1c1 July 1/18
 Engagements: -
 Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.
 ‡ Served overseas No
 § Hon. disch. Jan 14/19 on demobilization
 Was reported 0 per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.
 Remarks: -

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 March 12, 1920.
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His brother **John J. Fisher (1888-1958)** - WWI service record - This computes to a birth date of April 1888 -

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John Fisher

John Fisher, Farmingdale, Long Island, a former local resident, died yesterday morning in the Meadow Brook Hospital, Hempstead, Long Island.

Born in Middleport, he was a son of the late James and Ellen Rourty Fisher. He formerly lived in Hazleton and Jeddo.

Fisher is survived by a brother, Thomas Fisher, Philadelphia, and a sister, Mrs. Mary McNiece, Philadelphia.

Funeral services will be held from the Boyle Funeral Home, Hazleton, at a time to be announced.

Standard-Speaker
 Thu, May 15, 1958 · Page 12 Hazleton PA

REGISTRATION CARD—(Men born on or after April 28, 1877 and on or before February 16, 1897)

SERIAL NUMBER U 3291	1. NAME (Print) JOHN JAMES FISHER (First) (Middle) (Last)	ORDER NUMBER
2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) 31 STAPLES ST. FARMINGDALE, N.Y. (Number and street) (Town, township, village, or city) (County) (State)		
[THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON THE LINE ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]		
3. MAILING ADDRESS Same (2) (Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same insert word same)		
4. TELEPHONE FIDALE 837 (Exchange) (Number)	5. AGE IN YEARS 54 DATE OF BIRTH April 17, 1888 (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)	6. PLACE OF BIRTH Middleport, Pa. (Town or county) (State or country)
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS MRS. KEITH - Same address (2)		
8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS NASSAU COUNTY SANITORIUM		
9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS FARMINGDALE, N.Y. (Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)		
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.		
D. S. S. Form 1 (Revised 4-1-42)		16-21630-2 John J. Fisher (Registrar's signature)

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT					
RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION		
White	5.7	160	Sallow		
	EYES	HAIR	Light		
Negro	Blue	Blonde	Ruddy		☒
	Gray	Red	Dark		
Oriental	Hazel	Brown	Freckled		
	Brown	Black	Light brown		
Indian	Black	Gray	Dark brown		
		Bald	Black		
Filipino					

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification
- NONE

Appendix seen

I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

Frank W. Keide
(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for Local Board **712 HICKSVILLE, N.Y.**
(Number) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration **April 26, 1942**

LOCAL BOARD No. 712
Hicksville Court House
Hicksville, L. I., N. Y.
(STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD)

(The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the registrant shall be placed in the above space.)

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Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
VETERAN'S COMPENSATION APPLICATION 209480
NUMBER (3)

Read instructions and then type or print answers to the following questions striking out words that do not apply. Numerals in parentheses refer to corresponding numerals in the instructions.

COUNTY OF ALLENTOWN

being duly sworn, deposes and says: I am the veteran named in the following descriptive information; I served in the military or naval forces of the United States from August 16th 1917 to January 14th 1919; I claim veteran's compensation as authorized by Act No. 54, approved January 5, 1924; I was a resident of Pennsylvania at time of entry into service; I make this claim with full knowledge of the penalty for making a false statement relative to a material fact concerning this claim and the answers to the following questions and descriptive information are true:

(1) Fisher John James 959767 White
(Last name) (First and middle names) (Serial number) (White or colored)

(2) Legal residence at entry into service 32 Oakdale Street, Jeddo, Pennsylvania
(Street and house number) (Town or city) (County and State)

(3) Present residence: 1477 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, New York
(Street and house number) (City, County and State)

(4) Enlisted, ~~enlisted~~ RA in RA Aug 16th 1917 at Allemtown, Pennsylvania on August 16th 1917

(5) On active duty in Navy or in Reserve from No to No

(6) Place and date of birth Middleport, Pennsylvania April 18th 1889

(7) Names and addresses of dependents: Wife (full name) None
Minor children None
Mother (full name) Ellen Roarty
Father James Fisher

(8) Service in organization, at stations or on vessels in the order named as follows:
U.S. Air Service, Instructor from August 16th 1917 to January 14th 1919
from to
from to

(9) Grades or ratings with dates of appointments or promotions: Sergeant First Class

(10) Engagements: None

(11) Wounds or other injuries received with dates: None

(12) Served overseas from No to No

(13) Honorably discharged on January 14th 1919 at Camp Dix, New Jersey

(14) Did you ever apply for or receive a bonus or veteran's compensation from any other State? No

(15) Did you ever refuse on conscientious, political or other grounds to perform full military duty or to render unqualified service? No

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of March 1919
at Allemtown Notary Public (Signature of Notary)
My commission expires March 1st 1935

CERTIFICATE OF IDENTIFICATION February 8th 1919
(Date)

(16) I, George B. Evans, do hereby certify that I am Lieut. U.S. Navy
(Rank of person certifying to) (Title of office)
Commanding 2201 Co.; that John James Fisher applies for Veteran's
(Name of applicant) (Rank of applicant)
Compensation is known to me to be the applicant named in the application; that he is mentally competent; that the signature of the applicant is the signature of the applicant.

Signature and impression of seal or stamp of identifying office or position held.
G. B. Evans, Lt. U.S. Navy, Fin. Officer
(Signature of person identifying applicant) (Rank of person identifying applicant)
Commanding 2201 Co. Company-DOC-VC

Read instructions (13) before signing:
(1) 17 Months at \$13.50 per month. Total \$ 229.50
(2) Computed by G. B. Evans Reviewed by B. H. H. H.
(3) Checked and approved by G. B. Evans
For The Adjutant General



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3004-11-45
HVS-20143 Rev. 11-59
LOCAL REG. NO. 6215
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
030345-67

PRIMARY DIST. NO. 80

1. DEATH OCCURRED (In) Philadelphia, Philadelphia
c. If death did not occur in City or borough, give name of township (Do not use R. D. or Box Number)
d. Full Name of Hospital or Institution (if not in hospital, give street address) Misericordia Hospital

2. DECEASED'S MAILING ADDRESS 5543 REGENT ST
b. Post Office, Zone, and State PHILADELPHIA - PA. 19143

3. VETERAN Yes ☐ No ☒
a. Which War
b. Serial No.

4. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) a. (First) MARY b. (Middle) MC NIECE c. (Last)
5. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) 3/24/67

6. WHERE DID DECEASED ACTUALLY LIVE? a. State PA b. County Phila c. Did deceased live in a township? ☐ Yes, deceased lived in township. ☒ No, deceased lived within actual limits of city or borough. Phila

7. SEX F 8. RACE White 9. MARRIED ☒ NEVER MARRIED ☐ DIVORCED ☐ 10. DATE OF BIRTH 16 Mar 1890 11. AGE On years (last birthday) 77 12. MONTHS (Days) (Hours) (Min.)
12. USUAL OCCUPATION (even if retired) MSW 13. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 207209276 14. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) OAKDALE - PA 15. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? USA

16. FULL NAME OF SPOUSE Arthur J. McNiece 17. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME Eileen Rarty
18. FATHER'S NAME James Fisher 19. INFORMANT'S NAME AND ADDRESS Helen Buck 3008 Heath Rd - Folcroft - Pa

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE (Items 20 through 23 must be completed by physician only)
20. CAUSE OF DEATH Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b) & (c).
PART I. Death was caused by:
IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) Respiratory arrest
Conditions, if any, which gave rise to above cause DUE TO (b) Bronchopneumonia
(a) starting the underlying DUE TO (c) Arteriosclerosis Cor
cause last. DUE TO (d) Coronary Artery Disease - Arteriosclerotic
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS: contributing to death but not related to the immediate cause given in Part I (d)
21. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED Yes ☐ No ☒

22. a. ACCIDENT Yes ☐ No ☒ 22. b. DESCRIBE HOW ACCIDENT OCCURRED
22. c. TIME OF ACCIDENT Hour Month Day Year
22. d. ACCIDENT OCCURRED While at ☐ Not while at work ☒ 22. e. PLACE OF ACCIDENT (e.g., home, farm, street, etc.)
22. f. CITY, BOROUGH, TOWNSHIP COUNTY STATE

23. I hereby certify that I attended the above named deceased and that death occurred from the causes and on the date stated above at 11:00 P.M. E.S.T.

a. Signature [Signature] b. Address Misericordia Hosp. c. Date signed 3/25/67
24. a. BURIAL OR CREMATION ☐ CREMATION ☒ 24. b. DATE 29 Mar 1967 24. c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY ST ANN'S Cem. 24. d. LOCATION (City, Town, & County) (State) Freehold - Luzerne Co. Pa
25. DATE RECD BY REG 3-25-67 26. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE [Signature] 27. SIGNATURE AND ADDRESS OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR [Signature] 1749 So. 5th St PHILA - Pa

REC'D. CERT. ON 3-25-67
BURIAL PERM. ISSUED
JOHN G. DAVIS, 23 235

Sister Mary Fisher McNiece (1890-1967) -

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MRS MARY G. McNIECE
Mrs. Mary G. McNiece, 5543 Regent street, Philadelphia, died Friday night in Misericordia Hospital, Philadelphia. She was 77.
Mrs. McNiece was born in Oakdale and lived in Philadelphia for the last 27 years.
Her husband was the late Arthur J. McNiece.
She was a member of Most Blessed Sacrament Church, West Philadelphia.
Surviving are one son, Joseph McNiece, Chicago; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Buck, Folcroft, and a brother, Thomas P. Fisher, Philadelphia.
The funeral mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. tomorrow in Most Blessed Sacrament Church, West Philadelphia. The funeral will be held from the Boyle Funeral Home, 100 South Wyoming street, this city at 11 a.m. Wednesday. Interment will be in St. Ann's Cemetery, Freehold. Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. tomorrow.

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Arthur J McNiece

in the New York, New York, U.S., Marriage License Indexes, 1907-2018



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Detail Source

Name	Arthur J McNiece
Gender	Male
Marriage License Date	27 Feb 1928
Marriage License Place	Brooklyn, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Mary G Fisher
License Number	3132

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DIES FROM SHOCK AND 25 FT. FALL

Joseph Fisher, aged 26 years, of Freeland, employed in the Transmission Department of the Pennsylvania Light and Power Company, working between Williamsport and Norris-town, died this morning at the State Hospital at Shamokin from effects of 23,000 volts of electricity passing through his body and a fractured skull.

The young man was on a wire tower painting this morning when his right arm came in contact with a high power wire. He was held fast several moments, then fell 25 feet, landing on his head on the cement base, causing a fracture of the skull. He was taken to the hospital immediately where he died ten minutes after being admitted.

Mr. Fisher was married six months ago to Miss Bertha Novak of Freeland. He was well known here because of having come to this city about three times a week lately.

Death of brother Joseph Fisher - "Mount Carmel (PA) Item" 1 Feb 1921 p 1 – although birth date conflicts with WWI & 1900 census

Form V. S. No. 5-100M-4-25-30

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1. PLACE OF DEATH
County of *Northampton*
Township of *Coal*
or
Borough of
City of

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
Registration District No. *740*
Primary Registration District No. *3117*
(No. *Manokin State Hospital* Words.)

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
File No. *2119*
Registered No. *58*
(If death occurred in a Hospital or Institution, give in NAME, instead of street and number.)

2. FULL NAME *Joseph Fisher*

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX *Male*
4. COLOR OR RACE *White*
5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED *Married*
(Write the word.)
6. DATE OF BIRTH *April 15 1894*
(Month) (Day) (Year)
7. AGE *23* yrs. *9* mo. *17* days
If LESS than 1 day how many hours, or minutes?
8. OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work *Electrician*
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)
9. BIRTHPLACE, (State or Country) *Penn*
10. NAME OF FATHER *James Fisher*
11. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Country) *Penn*
12. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER *Ellen Rarey*
13. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) *Penn*
14. THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.
(Informant) *Mr. Joseph Fisher*
(Address) *Hagerton Pa*
15. *Feb-1st 21 21 Roberts*
Filed *Feb-1st 21 21 Roberts* Local Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16. DATE OF DEATH *2 7 1917*
(Month) (Day) (Year)
17. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from *1916* to *1917*
that I last saw him alive on *9/18/16* M.
and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at *his work*
The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:
Electrocuted at his work
(Duration) *1916* yrs. mos. da
Contributory *Electrocuted, coming in contact with live wires*
(Duration) *1916* yrs. mos. da
(Signed) *C. B. Roberts* M. D.
18. 21 (Address) *Shamokin*
*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH: or is death from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY and (2) WEAPON, ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDE, or HOMICIDE?
19. LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents).
At place of death *yes* *no* *ch* In the State *yes* *no* *ch*
Where was disease contracted?
If not at place of death?
Former or usual residence
19. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL *Hagerton Pa* DATE OF BURIAL *Feb 5 1917*
20. UNDERTAKER *John Capitan + Son Shamokin Pa* ADDRESS

https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/5164/images/41381_2421406274_06_09-00713?pld=750781536

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Charles James Fisher

Name variations: some 1918 newspapers use Charles B. Fisher

Military:

On Tuscania: 213th Aero Squadron - private

Serial number: 250,141

Entered service from: Jeddo, Luzerne PA

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Charles J. Fisher

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": mother Mrs. Ellen Fisher, Oakdale, Jeddo [handwritten, with Geddo crossed off] PA

Returned from war on: "Louisville" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Charles J. Fisher

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother Mrs. Ellan (sic) Fisher, Oakdale PA (PFC, 213th Aero Aq)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Charles J. Fisher - b. 4 Aug 1892 Beaver Meadow PA; res: Oakdale St., Jeddo, Luzerne PA. Single. Machinist, Baldwin Locomotive Works, Eddystone PA. Dependent mother. Short in height & medium build. Form is undated.

World War II draft registration (1942): as Charles J. Fisher - b. 4 Aug 1892 Beaver Meadow PA; res: 130-30 – 231st St., Laurelton, Queens NY. NOK Mrs. C. Fisher, same address. Employed at Brooklyn Manhattan Transit Co., Flatbush Ext., Brooklyn NY, BMT Division, 1130 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn NY. “scars on right cheek and on forehead at hair-line” – Height: 5’7 ½” – 150 lbs. Registered 25 Apr 1942.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 7 Dec 1917

Discharged 10 Jun 1919

Address: 231 Putnam Ave., Brooklyn, NYC NY

Rank/unit: private 1st class, 213th Aero Squadron

Birth & death:

Born: 4 Aug 1892 Beaver Meadows, Carbon PA

Died: 12 Sep 1944 Bronx, NYC NY [Veterans Administration Hospital]

Has two Find A Grave records:

Find A Grave record: 101497964, presence on Tuscania noted in text

Burial location: Freeland, Luzerne PA

Cemetery: Saint Ann’s Parish

Tombstone: veteran flat: CPL US Army WWI

Find A Grave record: 82613416

Burial location: East Farmingdale, Suffolk NY

Cemetery: Long Island National

Father: James Fisher, 1859 Ireland – 20 Apr 1900 Oakdale, Jeddo, Luzerne PA.

Died at age 41; survived by wife & 5 children.

Buried in St. Ann’s Parish Cemetery, Freeland, Luzerne PA.

Find A Grave: 136711125

Mother: Ellen Roarty Fisher, Nov 1863 or 1867 [Find A Grave] Ireland – 23 Dec 1919 Jeddo, Luzerne PA [according to Find A Grave, died in Minneapolis, Hennepin MN but conflicts with her PA death certificate].

One Ancestry.com family tree lists her as Ellen McNelis, daughter of James McNelis & Ellen Roarty of Ireland, as does her Find A Grave record, but her children’s birth/death records list her surname as Roarty.

Daughter of John sean Roarty & Ellen Friel.

An Ancestry.com family tree reports her birth in Meenanillar, Derrybeg, County Donegal, Ireland.

Her obituary says she was born in Gueedare, County Donegal, Ireland. Newspapers in 1918 report that her son Charles landed in Buncrana, Ireland, after the sinking of the Tuscania, which was close to her birthplace.

Listed as Helen on Charles’s NY death record.

Buried in St. Ann's Parish Cemetery, Freeland, Luzerne PA.

Find A Grave: 213892689

Parents' marriage:

Spouse: **Sophia McGinley Fisher**, 1896 Ireland – 11 Oct 1968 Brooklyn, Kings NY.

Obituary: "Hazleton (PA) Standard-Speaker" 11 Oct 1968 p 28 – Mrs. Sophia Fisher, 502 Prospect Pl., Brooklyn NY, a former local resident, died at her home 11 Oct 1968 after an illness of 1 month. Born in Ireland, daughter of the late James & Margaret (McBride) McGinley. She lived in Brooklyn most of her life. Her husband Charles died 1945. Survived by son James Fisher of Brooklyn & sister Mrs. Mary Coyle (Brooklyn NY). Funeral 15 Oct 1968 at St. Ann's Church with burial in the parish cemetery.

Tombstone in St. Ann's Parish Cemetery, Freeland, Luzerne PA with that of Charles's.

Spouse Find A Grave: 101498069

Marriage: 22 Oct 1925 Brooklyn, NYC NY – Charles J. Fisher & Sophie McGinley

Children:

- **James Fisher**, ca. 1927 NY. - Age 3 in 1930 census & age 13 in 1940 census. - Referred to as "Brother Irvin" (a Catholic religious brother?) in his father's Sep 1944 obituary. - In 1950, resided as a fellow lodger with his mother in the household of widower Neal Divers. - Alive when his mother died Oct 1968; name listed in her obituary as James Fisher.

Siblings: Charles was the 2nd-youngest.

- **Thomas Patrick Fisher**, 8 Aug 1886 Beaver Meadows, Carbon PA – 22 Aug 1967 Philadelphia, Philadelphia PA. - PA death record: d. 22 Aug 1967 at Mercy-Douglass Hospital, Philadelphia, Philadelphia PA. Residence: 5543 Regent St., Philadelphia. WWI veteran. Serial number 2713679. Never married. Retired pipefitter. Son of James Fisher & Ellen Roarty. Informant: Helen Buck [i.e. Helen McNiece Buck, his niece]. Obituary: "Hazleton (PA) Standard-Speaker" 25 Aug 1967 p 20 – Thomas P. Fisher, 81, of 5543 Regent St., Philadelphia, d. 23 Aug 1967 at Mercy Douglas Hospital after a brief illness. Born in Beaver Meadows PA; also lived in Oakdale before moving to Philadelphia. Survived by niece Mrs. Helen Buck of Folcroft & nephew Joseph McNiece. His sister Mrs. Mary McNiece just died in Mar 1967. Buried in St. Ann's. - Buried in St. Ann's Parish Cemetery, Freeland, Luzerne PA according to PA death certificate but not on Find A Grave as of 20 Oct 2020 & 15 Oct 2025.
- **John James Fisher**, 17 or 18 Apr 1888 Beaver Meadows, Luzerne PA [or Middleport PA] – 14 May 1958 Hempstead, Long Island NY. – In the 1950 census a resident of Cleveland, Columbus PA, never married. - Obituary: "Hazleton (PA) Plain Speaker" 15 May 1958 p 16 – John Fisher of Farmingdale, Long Island NY, a former local resident, died yesterday morning [i.e. 14 May 1958] in Meadow Brook Hospital, Hempstead, Long Island NY. Born in Middleport NY [agrees with the WWI service card copied above], son of the late James & Ellen Roarty Fisher. He formerly lived in Hazleton & Jeddo PA. Survived by his brother Thomas Fisher & sister Mrs. Mary McNiece, both of Philadelphia. Obituary: "Hazleton (PA) Plain Speaker" 19 May 1958 p 12 – funeral for John Fisher was held this morning at the Boyle Funeral Home in Hazleton PA, with a requiem funeral Mass at St. Ann's Church, followed by burial in the parish cemetery. – Buried in St. Ann's Parish Cemetery, Freeland, Luzerne PA. Not on Find A Grave as of 20 Oct 2020 & 15 Oct 2025.
- **Mary G. Fisher McNiece**, 16 Mar 1890 Oakdale, Jeddo, Luzerne PA – 24 Mar 1967 Philadelphia, Philadelphia PA. - PA death record: resident of 5543 Regent St., Philadelphia

PA. Died 24 Mar 1967 at Misericordia Hospital, Philadelphia. Widowed. Husband was Arthur J. McNiece. Daughter of James Fisher & Ellen Roarty. Informant: Helen Buck [her daughter]. – Mary married on 27 Feb 1928 in Bronx NY to Arthur J. McNiece (1903-1939, F; 101569529). - Buried in St. Ann's Parish Cemetery, Freeland, Luzerne PA. F: 101569603

- **Joseph A. Fisher**, 4 Jul 1897 Oakdale, Jeddo, Luzerne PA [or 15 Apr 1896] – 1 Feb 1921 Coal, Northumberland PA. - WWI draft card (1917) lists his NOK as Mrs. Ellen Fisher of Jeddo PA. He is employed at G.B. Makle Co., #4, Jeddo PA. - But the PA death certificate for Joseph Fisher gives a birth date of 15 Apr 1896 PA, son of James Fisher (b. PA) & Ellen Rarety (b. PA), who died 1 Feb 1921 in Cool, Northumberland PA. He was an electrician, “electrocuted at his work” – “accident coming in contact with life wire.” The informant was Mrs. Joseph Fisher of Hazelton [sic] PA. Died at the Shamokin Hospital. He was buried in Hazelton Cemetery on 5 Feb 1921. One news story copied above. - Other story: “Scranton (PA) Tribune” 3 Feb 1921 p 3 – Shamokin PA – Joseph Fisher of Freeland, lineman employed by the PA Power & Light Co., was fatally shocked here today when he touched a high tension wire carrying 23,000 volts of electricity. He was at work on a tower at the local generating plant. He died 10 minutes after arriving at the hospital. - Had married Bertha Novak 6 months earlier. The cemetery appears to be the Vine Street Cemetery (also known as the Hazleton Cemetery) in Hazleton, Luzerne PA but not on Find A Grave as of 20 Oct 2020 & 15 Oct 2025.

Notes:

Social Security record for Charles lists parents as James Fisher & Ellen Roarty, as do the PA death certificates of his siblings Thomas Patrick Fisher & Mary Fisher McNiece.

Wartime:

From research provided by Steven Schwartz & entered onto Find A Grave 101497964:

In the St. Mihiel (France) offensive 12 Sep 1918 to 16 Sep 1918

In the Meuse-Argonne offensive 26 Sep 1918 to 11 Nov 1918

“Greenville (PA) Record-Argus” 9 Feb 1918 p 1 – Among the PA survivors so far: Charles J. Fisher, Oakdale, Jeddo PA

Post-war:

Obituary:

“Brooklyn (NY) Daily Eagle” 14 Sep 1944 p 13 – Fisher, Charles J., died on 12 Sep 1944. Survived by wife Sophia & son Brother Irvin. Requiem funeral mass on 15 Sep 1944 with burial in Long Island National Cemetery.

NY Index to Death Certificates:

Charles James Fisher, age 52, married, b. 4 Aug 1892 Beaver Meadow, Carbon PA. Resident of 130-30 – 231st St. Died 12 Sep 1944 at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Bronx, NYC NY of carcinoma of the stomach. Buried in Pinelawn National Cemetery. Father James Fisher, mother Helen Fisher, wife Sophia Fisher. Structure maintainer. Parents b. Ireland

Social Security Number: 052-01-2703

Censuses:

1900 Hazle, Luzerne PA – conducted 16 Jun 1900

Ellen Fisher, 36 Ireland, Nov 1863, widow, parents b. Ireland, emigrated 1883, in US for 17 years, gave birth to 5 children, 5 are living

Thomas, 13 PA, Aug 1886, patcher, coal mine

John, 12 PA, Apr 1888, laborer, coal mine

Mary A., 10 PA, Mar 1890, at school

Charles J., 7 PA, Aug 1892, at school

Joseph, 2 PA, Jul 1899

[Note: The parents of the children were both born in Ireland. Note that 13-year-old Thomas & 12-year-old John work in coal mines.]

1910 Hazle, Luzerne PA – conducted 25 Apr 1910

Ellen Fisher, 44 Ireland, widow, parents b. Ireland, gave birth to 5 children, 5 are living

Thomas P., 22 PA, single, black smith, repair shop

Joseph, 17 PA

Charles, 18 PA, laborer, mine locomotive

& nephew James Brogan, 17 NY, dumpman, coal breaker

[for the Fisher children: both parents b. Ireland]

1920 Hazle, Luzerne PA – Charles & his siblings – conducted 13 Jan 1920

Found at:

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/6061/records/34189759?tid=&pid=&queryId=d10428d3-2ae0-4d0d-acec-30415e47e245&_phsrc=iKj30&_phstart=successSource

Thomas Fisher, 39 PA, miner, coal mine [head of household]

& his siblings:

John, 36 PA, locomotive patcher, coal colliery

Mary, 32 PA

Charles, 27 PA, dumpman, coal colliery

Joseph, 23 PA, jig runner, coal mine

[both parents b. in Ireland – all are single]

1930 Brooklyn, Kings NY – 297 Irving Ave. – conducted 4 Apr 1930

Charles J. Fisher, 36 PA, parents b. Ireland, age 32 at 1st marriage, carpenter, jobbing, WWI veteran

Sophia, 33 Ireland, parents b. Ireland, age 28 at 1st marriage

James, 3 NY

1940 Queens NY – 130-30 – 231st St. – same place in 1935 – conducted 10 Apr 1940

Found at:

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/2442/records/3826269?tid=&pid=&queryId=22b10644-b290-4bb5-a127-89ebfd3742ee&_phsrc=iKj39&_phstart=successSource

Charles Fisher, 46 PA, carpenter, B.M.T. [Brooklyn Manhattan Transfer]

Ophie, 44 Ireland [Sophia]

James, 13 NY

1950 Charles Fisher is dead

1950 Brooklyn, Kings NY – 502 Prospect Place – conducted 10 Apr 1950 – the place of birth is given,
not the state for Neal & Sophia

Neal Divers, 67 Erie, widower

Sophia Fisher, 54 Erie, widow [lodger]

James Fisher, 23 NY, never married, property clerk, Armed Forces