TUSCANIA

Brother of Tuscania survivor Gordon Paine Herreid

Herreid, Carl Julian

1896 WI – 1987 WI

Republican-Herald photo

Six Winona Area Survivors of the sinking of the troop transport Tuscania 30 years ago met Thursday night at the city hall in Galesville, Wis., to draw up plans for a club of all such survivors from this area. Shown above at the meeting are, left to right, Gordon Herreid, Ettrick; Martin DeBoer, La Crosse; Oakly Parkhill, Galesville, elected president; Carl Herreid, Ettrick; John Helleckson, Blair, and Ray Marsh, Galesville, elected secretary-treasurer of the group. The organization will be called the Trempealeau County Tuscania club and will meet once a year on February 5, anniversary of the sinking. The members plan to enter a float in the Wisconsin Centennial parade at Whitehall this year. Each individual will write records of his experiences during the sinking and they will be placed in the county's historical records.

Carl Ettrick is 3rd from the right; his brother Gordon is at the far left – "Winona (MN) Daily News" Friday 6 Feb 1948 p 7

Survivors Of The Tuscania Troop transport sinking 31 years ago off the coast of Scotland met at Galesville Saturday night and Oakley Parkhill, Galesville, seated third from the left, was re-elected president of the Trempealeau county group. Those present for the reunion were: Left to right, front row, Henry Oksnee, Winona; Nat Carhart and Parkhill, Galesville; Martin DeBoer, La Crosse; Gordon Herreid, Ettrick; and August Cierzan, Winona, Minn.; back row, Lee Mattson, Blair; Oscar Jahr, Independence; Carl Herreid, Ettrick, and John Helleckson, Blair.

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Carl Julian Herreid, 2nd from left, standing in the back row – his brother Gordon Paine Herreid seated, 2nd from right – "La Crosse (WI) Tribune" 7 Feb 1949 p 2

Carl Herreid

ETTRICK — Carl J. Herreid, 90, Route 1, died Saturday at Lutheran Hospital, La Crosse.

He was born in Ettrick was a World War I Army veteran. He farmed and was a part-time carpenter in the Ettrick area.

Survivors include a brother, Richard, rural Ettrick; a sister, Grace Herreid, rural Ettrick.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at North Beaver Creek Faith Lutheran Church, with burial in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, both in rural Ettrick.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Jack Funeral Home, Blair, and an hour before services at church.

Carl's obituary, "Eau Claire (WI) Leader-Telegram" 23 Mar 1987 p 6

Carl J. Herreid

ETTRICK, Wis. — Carl J. Herreid, 90, of Ettrick, died Saturday (March 21, 1987) at Lutheran Hospital in La Crosse, Wis.

He was born Sept. 29, 1896, in Ettrick to Ole G. and Martha Paine Herreid. He never married.

An Army veteran of World War I, he was a member of the Pederson-Runnestrand American Legion Post 354 of Ettrick. He lived and farmed in the Ettrick area all his life, and was a part-time carpenter.

Survivors include a brother, Richard, of rural Ettrick; and a sister, Grace Herreid of rural Ettrick.

Two brothers and five sisters have died.

A funeral will begin at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the North Beaver Creek Faith Lutheran Church, the Rev. Robert Nelson officiating. Burial will be in the Faith Lutheran Cemetery.

Friends may call at any time after 4 p.m. today at the Jack Funeral Home in Blair, and from 10-11 a.m. Tuesday at the church.

Pallbearers will be Roger Foss, Gary Weisenberger, Vernon Bue, Spencer Instenes, and Stewart and Goethel Crivits.

Obituary from the "Winona (MN) Daily News" 23 Mar 1987 p 4

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He was an Army veteran of World War I and a member of the Pederson-Runnestrand American Legion Post 354.

Herreid lived and farmed in rural Ettrick all of his life and also was employed as a carpenter.

Survivors are a brother, Richard of rural Ettrick; and a sister, Grace Herreidof rural Ettrick.

He was preceded in death by two brothers and five sisters.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the North Beaver Creek Faith Lutheran Church. The Rev. Robert Nelson will officiate. Burial will be in the Faith Lutheran Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Jack Funeral Home, Blair, today after 4 p.m. and at the church Tueday from 10 to 11 a.m.

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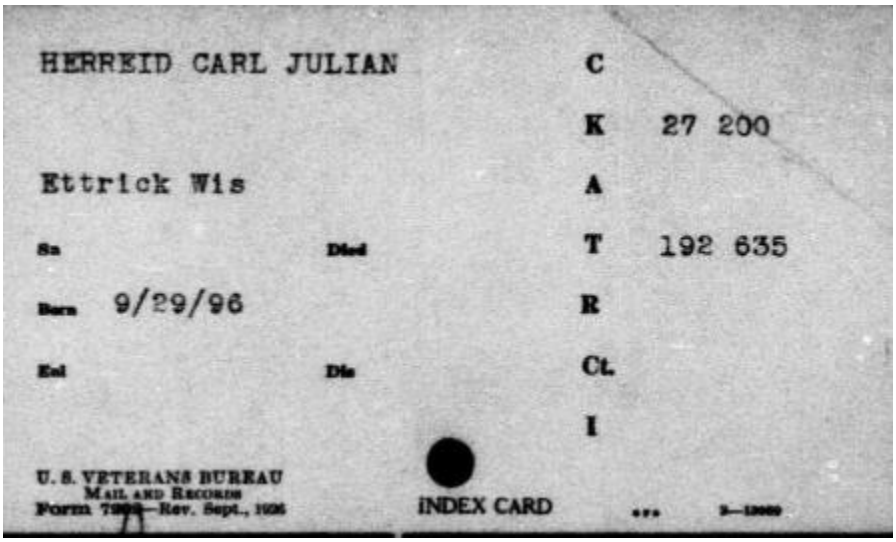

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Ole G Herreid in U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969

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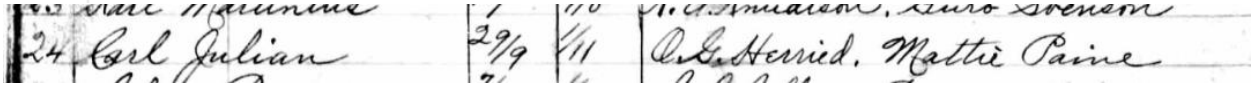
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Carl Julian Herreid – born 29 Sep 1896 – baptized 11 Jan 1897

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Wisconsin, U.S., Death Index, 1959-1997

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Emma, Gordon, Leo

This book of poetry by American poet James Whitcomb Riley – *Songs of Friendship* – was sent to Mrs. Marion (Campbell) Kerr, sister of Duncan Campbell, who rescued soldiers at the Oa on Islay, by Mrs. Ole G. (Martha Paine) Herreid of Ettrick, Wisconsin. Siblings Duncan and Marion Campbell clothed and comforted one of Mrs. Herreid's sons – Gordon Paine Herreid - after he came to their home on February 6, 1918. Mrs. Herreid's two sons, Carl and Gordon, were both aboard the ship. The book, signed *Mrs. O.G. Herreid, 1918*, was donated to the Museum of Islay Life by Marion Kerr Warnock, the daughter of Marion Campbell Kerr. (*photograph by Marilyn Gahm, 3 May 2018*)

From Marilyn C. Gahm's "The Sinking of the Tuscania" – page 323 – at www.tuscania1918.org

Wisconsin, U.S., Births and Christenings Index, 1801-1928

View record

Name	**Carl Julian Herried**
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	29 Sep 1896
Birth Place	Ettrick, Trempealeau, Wisconsin
Father	Ole G Herried
Mother	Mattie Parie
FHL Film Number	1305595

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Wisconsin, U.S., Death Records, 1959-2004

View record

Name	**Carl J Herreid**
Death Date	21 Mar 1987
Death County	La Crosse, Wisconsin, USA

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Life

Gordon Herried and Karl Herried, both members of the 107th supply train, are brothers of Miss Villa Herried, who is employed as a maid in the home of S. R. Pflaum, 1924 James av S. Their home is in Ettrick, Wis. Miss Herried today said her brothers enlisted together a few months ago, and in a letter to her several weeks ago told her they expected to leave for France in February.

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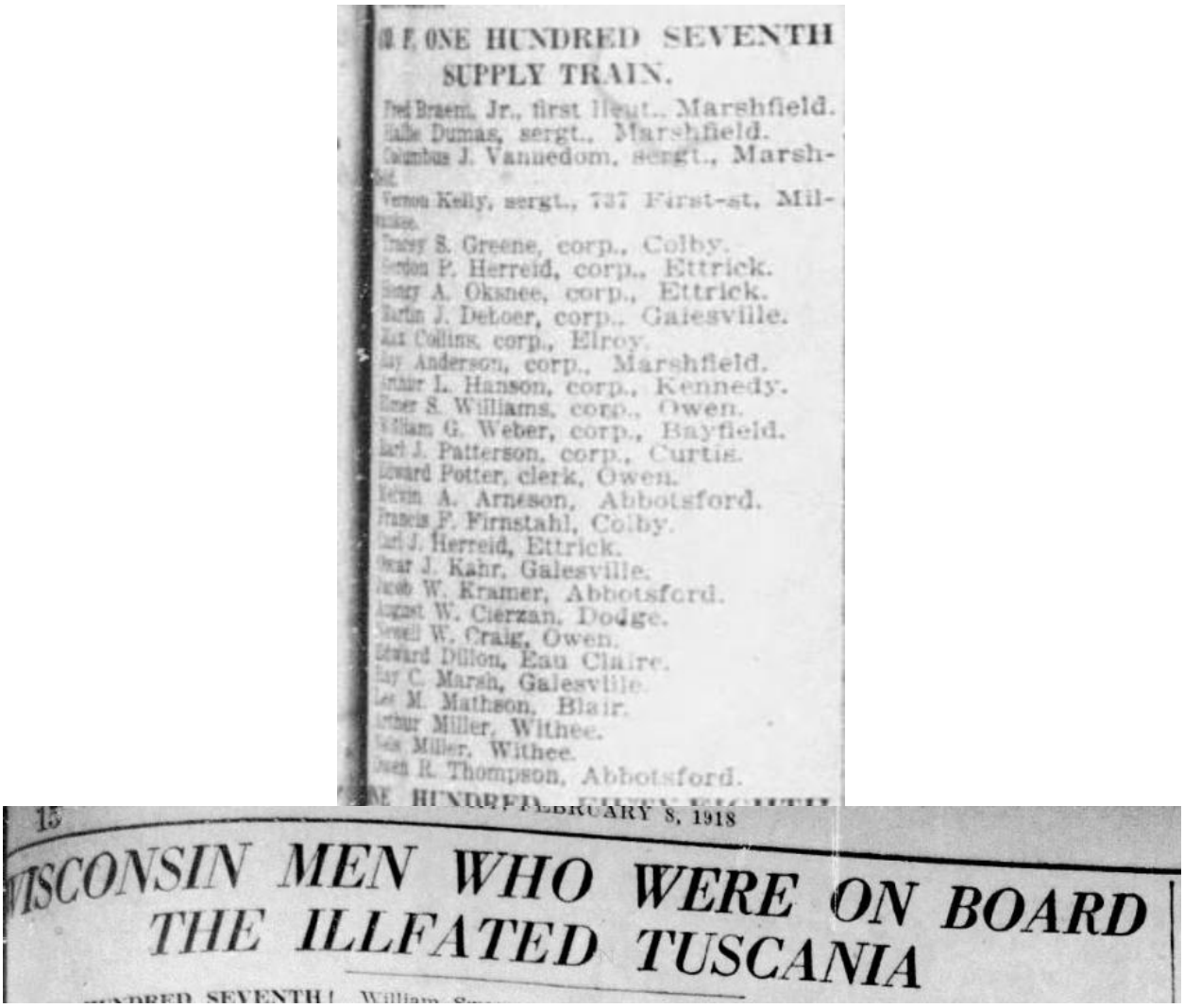
Minneapolis MN – Willa Herreid



OF ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH SUPPLY TRAIN.

Fred Braem, Jr., first lieut., Marshfield.
Hallie Dumas, sergt., Marshfield.
Columbus J. Vannedom, sergt., Marshfield.
Vernon Kelly, sergt., 737 First-st, Milwaukee.
Tracey S. Greene, corp., Colby.
Gordon P. Herreid, corp., Ettrick.
Henry A. Oksnee, corp., Ettrick.
Martin J. DeToer, corp., Galesville.
Max Collins, corp., Elroy.
Ray Anderson, corp., Marshfield.
Arthur L. Hanson, corp., Kennedy.
Elmer S. Williams, corp., Owen.
William G. Weber, corp., Bayfield.
Earl J. Patterson, corp., Curtis.
Edward Potter, clerk, Owen.
Melvin A. Arneson, Abbotsford.
Francis F. Firnstahl, Colby.
Carl J. Herreid, Ettrick.
Oscar J. Kahr, Galesville.
Jacob W. Kramer, Abbotsford.
August W. Cierzan, Dodge.
Newell W. Craig, Owen.
Edward Dillon, Eau Claire.
Ray C. Marsh, Galesville.
Lee M. Mathson, Blair.
Arthur Miller, Withee.
Nels Miller, Withee.
Owen R. Thompson, Abbotsford.

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WISCONSIN MEN WHO WERE ON BOARD THE ILLFATED TUSCANIA

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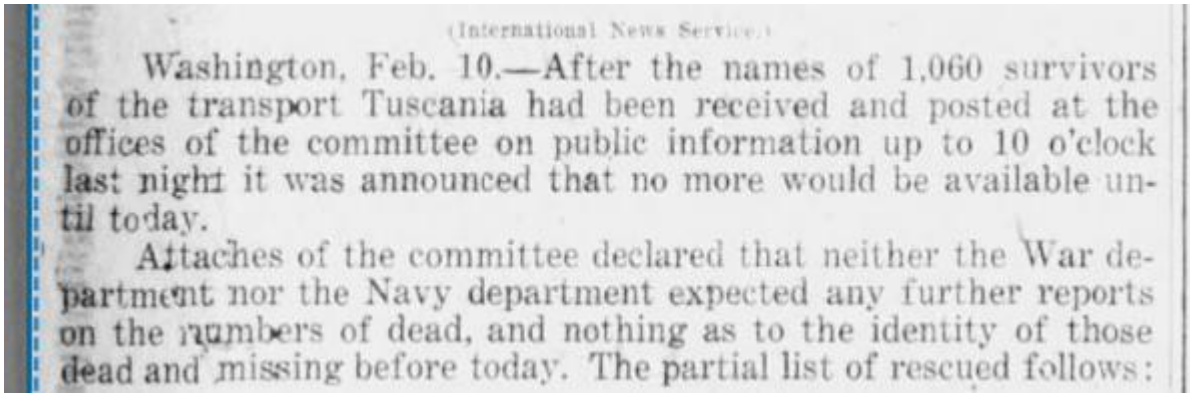
Gordon & Carl -



(International News Service.)

Washington, Feb. 10.—After the names of 1,060 survivors of the transport Tuscania had been received and posted at the offices of the committee on public information up to 10 o'clock last night it was announced that no more would be available until today.

Attaches of the committee declared that neither the War department nor the Navy department expected any further reports on the numbers of dead, and nothing as to the identity of those dead and missing before today. The partial list of rescued follows:

Elmer A. Hebbe, New London, Wis.
Carl J. Herreid, Ettrick, Wis.
Rudolph August, Ettrick, Wis.
Robert L. Holley, Temple, Texas.

Randall Hamilton Herfort, Baraboo, Wis.
Gordon P. Herreid, Ettrick, Wis.
William C. Hickling, Leicester, England.
Floyd Steven Haill, Kenosha, Wis.

Carl & Gordon –

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Minneapolis MN

Farmer With Two Sons on Tuscania Awaiting Tidings

Seventeen Boys From His County Were Aboard Ill-Fated Troop Ship.

Winona, Feb. 10.—A little town in Trempealeau county, Wis.,—Ettrick, a few miles from Galesville—was in a frenzy Thursday when press reports carried information to the effect that the Cunard liner Tuscania, sunk off Ireland last Tuesday evening, had aboard, when the torpedo struck her, five of that village's young men.

"The kaiser is only strengthening the blow that will be delivered against him by such sneaking attacks," said Ole Herried, a farmer living near Ettrick, while in the village general store yesterday. Just then the telephone rang and the merchant was given the name of Corporals G. H. Herried and Earl J. Herried as among those aboard the ill-fated troop ship. That was the first information the father had. These two brothers although badly needed on the farm, were given to the colors by Ole Herried. Now, six months after they marched away with L company, Sixth Wisconsin, the parent is anxiously awaiting word whether the two boys are numbered with the victims.

Ettrick has only 200 residents. Five boys on the Tuscania were the village's offering to the cause of freedom. Business was suspended Thursday and the fate of the quintet will continue the one topic until the names of the missing are known.

Trempealeau county, with 17 men on the Tuscania's roster, is experiencing the wildest excitement.

Note surname is misspelled Herried - "Minneapolis (MN) Star-Tribune" 10 Feb 1918 p 2

THE SUNDAY STATE JOURNAL, FEBRUARY 10, 1918.

TUSCANIA SURVIVORS—MAYBE HIS NAME IS HERE!

Wis.
CARL J. HERREID, Etterick, Wis.
RUDOLF AUGUST HOLTENIUS, Kenosha, Wis.
ROBERT L. HOLLEY, Temple, Tex.
STANLEY S. HOUTS, Seattle, Wash.
LOUIS JOHN HARTMAN, Chippewa Falls, Wis.
CHARLES G. H. HEARNLY, Seattle, Washn.
LOOMIS M. HALES, Clayton, N. C.
RICHARD D. HAHN, Oakland, Calif.
INGWALD HARRY HANSON, Chippewa Falls, Wis.
FRANK EDWARD HANN, Abbottsford, Wis.
RANDALL HAMILTON HERFORT, Baraboo, Wis.
GORON P. HERREID, Ettrick, Wis.
FLOYD STEVEN HILL, Kenosha, Wis.

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Carl & Gordon (with Gordon misspelled) – Madison WI

1920

Ettrick Advance: Carl Herried, world war veteran, celebrated the day following Armistice Day by having two fingers severed on his left hand. Mr. Herried was operating a corn shredder and was shredding on the Joe Johnson farm when the accident occurred. His left hand was caught in the husking roll gears. No one knew of what had happened as Mr. Herried got himself loose from the gears and then calmly walked over and shut down the engine. Carl is getting along as well as can be expected.

Accident on 12 Nov 1925 – note surname is misspelled - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/32464229/person/190160081838/media/07773c17-0a75-4167-b19f-46f7d87317d8?_phsrc=hFB14285&_phstart=successSource

Carl Herried of North Beaver Creek had the misfortune of losing two of his fingers on his left hand in the rollers of the corn shredder Thursday of last week. Mr. Herried is getting along as well as can be expected.

Also misspelled as Herried - "La Crosse (WI) Tribune" 19 Nov 1925 p 8

1930

Ettrick Trio Holds Vivid Recollection Of Tuscania Sinking

ETTRICK, WIS.— (Special) — Vivid in the memories of Carl and Gordon Herried and John Helleckson remains the night of February 5, sixteen years ago. For on that night, during the World war, occurred the sinking of the Tuscania, of which these men are survivors.

Sister to Lusitania

The Tuscania, a sister ship to the equally ill fated Lusitania, had been built a first class passenger ship. During the war she was used for transporting trops. At the time she was torpedoed by a German U-Boat, she was bound for Liverpool, with 2,700 men on board. Of these, 250 lost their lives. Many were from Wisconsin. She was nearing the end of her voyage; the British had sent a convoy of three destroyers to escort her safely into port. They were making good time between the shores of Scotland and Ireland about five miles at sea. Shortly before she was struck, a light house had been sighted on the Irish coast.

The weather was cold and skies were overcast; a strong wind was blowing. It was about 5:45 in the evening, and in that northern clime, darkness had fallen early. The men had had mess, and had gone below for the night.

Were Playing Cards

The Ettrick men, who were enlisted in Company F, 107th Supply Train, were playing cards. They felt safe with their convoy of destroyers, and so near their journey's end. They had ceased to worry over submarines.

in between the life boat and the Tuscania, causing the life boat to rise to a level with the deck of the Mosquito.

A cable stretched around the deck of the destroyer was grasped by the men in the small boat. The cable broke, letting some of the men fall back into the sea. Helleckson got his arm around a steel post and clung there until helped aboard by a British sailor. Looking down, he could see eight or nine men in the small boat which he had left. One, with his leg doubled under him, broken when he fell into the boat, was screaming for help. But no aid could be given and he and his companions were swept into the water.

Emergency lights had been placed on the deck of the Tuscania, and threw a little ring of light around the ship. Beyond that ring was utter darkness.

Gordon Herried Rescued

Gordon Herried, after floating about in the water for some time, was picked up by half a dozen men in a life boat. The boat was finally washed ashore on the coast of Scotland, near the humble cottage of two Scotch women. Herried, with uniform soaked, his hair standing straight up, stiff with the salt water, tried to make the women understand. He was so cold he could not talk, and the women, who had never before seen an American soldier, nearly fainted with fright. When they finally understood what had happened, they eagerly made the men welcome and gave them food, beds and blankets.

Without warning, the boat was struck. The concussion was so great that Helleckson, who was seated on a life preserver, was knocked completely from his perch, and suffered a violent nose bleed.

All was instantly dark. Guns were fired from the Tuscania, but the U boat was never sighted, and escaped scot free. The Tuscania, struck in the region of the boiler rooms, remained afloat three hours. The men, who had previously been instructed as to where to station themselves on deck in case of disaster, were scrambling upward in darkness. Temporary bunks had been built, one row above the other, with aisles between so narrow two men could not pass. Helleckson had forgotten his life preserver. He could not pass the hurrying men in the aisles and was forced to crawl back on hands and knees over the row of bunks.

There was some panic aboard, but for the most part, all were oderly. Having reached the deck, orders were given to lower away the life boats. All life boats on the side which was torpedoed were blown to bits. The men, unused to ropes and knots, lowered the first boat, filled with men. Half way to the water, the ropes became entangled, the men were dumped into the ocean, and the boat left hanging in air, midway. Helleckson and his companions then decided to lower their boat first, and get into it afterward. The boat was successfully lowered. Helleckson and Carl Herried, with a dozen others, slid down a rope and into the small boat. When Gordon Herried came down the same rope, the boat was gone, and he was thrown into the icy waters of the Atlantic.

Destroyer Comes to Aid

The destroyer, "Mosquito" swept

beds and blankets.

Helleckson and Carl Herried, on the destroyer, Mosquito, landed at Buncrana, Ireland, with 200 other survivors. The waters there were so shallow the Mosquito was unable to land, and the men had to be taken off on a side wheeler. They were taken to barracks, served with tea and hot soup, and given blankets to sleep on the floor. They remained a week before going on to Liverpool.

Helleckson, is now a rural carrier on route 1, Ettrick, and scoutmaster of Troop 56. Carl Herried is occupied with farming, while his brother Gordon is a carpenter. Henry Oksnee, formerly of Ettrick, who is also a survivor of the Tuscania, now lives at Winona.

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La Crosse WI

Members of the Beaver Creek congregation of the Lutheran church Sunday afternoon will hold a birthday party for those whose birthdays occur in September and October. The following will be hosts and hostesses: Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lindstrom, John A. Knutson, Selmer Knutson, Paul Nordhus, Melvin Torkelson, Emery Johnson, Olai Leque, Gordon Herreid Carl Herreid, Mrs. Martha Herreid, Mrs. L. K. Underheim, Mrs. Helen Legreid, Mrs. E. J. Brovold, Mrs. Knut Lynghamer, Mrs. Edward Loken, Mrs. Gilbert Austinson, Mrs. Tilman Twesme, and the Misses Nellie Herreid, Mildred Torkelson and Myrtle Henderson.

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La Crosse WI

One-Act Play Given By Community Club

Ettrick, Wis.—(Special)—A one-act play, "Goose Money," was presented by members of the Beach Community club, at the Beach school Friday evening. In the cast were included Miss Lillian Brovold, Kilmer Erickson, Hensel Johnson, Jeanette Johnson, Loraine Lund, Myrtle Henderson, Jeanette Instenes, Ingvald Johnson, Oleanna Erickson and Carl Herreid. A violin selection was presented by Geraldine Lynghamer and accordion music was provided by Peter Strand. About 100 pere present.

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ETTRICK

Ettrick, Wis.—(Special)— Plans have been completed for the lutefisk supper, which will be prepared and served by members of the North Beaver Creek Lutheran church, the Rev. T. E. Sweger's charge, Tuesday evening, in the church basement. Committees named to take charge of arrangements are: Mmes. Lloyd Quammen, Charles Renning and Althord Saed, Miss Mabel Herreid and Messrs. Archie Wheeler and Ernest Knutson, meat balls, potatoes and rutabagas; Miss Irene Herreid, Lars Myrland, A. J. Brovold and Irvin Herreid, lutefisk, butter and cranberries; Misses Mildred Torkelson and Bessie Knutson, lefse, flatbread and strul; Miss Jennie Knutson, Charles Renning, Chester Moen and Melvin Legreid, coffee, cream and bread. Mrs. Roy Richolson, Misses Ida Herreid, Ethel Paine, Grace Herreid and Myrtle Henderson will be waitresses. Dish washers will include Leroy Sexe, Carlyle Johnson, Helmer Sexe, Arnold Paine and Carl Herreid. Entertainment will be provided by the Pigeon Falls Lutheran church orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. Clifford Fremstad.

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Grace Herreid a waitress, Carl a dishwasher

ETTRICK

Ettrick, Wis. —(Special)— The Beach Community club presented a two-act comedy, "Hey Teacher," with 20 characters at the Beach school Friday evening. Other numbers of the program included vocal selections by Clinton Orean, Marian Knudtson and the Lokken brothers, and violin solos by Isaac Nelson. Officers elected are: Carl Herreid, president; A. J. Brovold, vice president; Bernice Twinde, secretary; and Ernest Frickson, treasurer. Former officers were Kilmer Erickson, Ingvald Johnsen, Lucile Twinde and Spencer Instenes. Baseball bats have been purchased for the school by the organization and a table for the school basement. Meetings have been discontinued until October.

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Carl elected president of the Beach Community Club

Bever Creek Church Will Serve Ludefisk Supper on Friday

Blair, Wis.—(Special to The Republican-Herald)—Members of the Beaver Creek Lutheran church, located in the Blair vicinity, will serve a public ludefisk supper at 6 p. m. Friday. The ludefisk will be a portion of a shipload which came to the Northwest for distribution at Superior, Wis., after a trip across the Atlantic ocean from Norway and through the St. Lawrence river, the Welland canal and the Great Lakes.

Committee members who will have charge of the supper are as follows: Fish, Lars Underheim, Leonard Sexe, Irene Herreid and Ida Herreid; dining room, Thelma Torkelson, Irene Bratland, Theresa Bratland, Carol Hellikson, Arlene Leque, Selmer Knutson, Alden Heimdahl, Orton Leque and Robert Wheeler; coffee, Mrs. Martin Satber and Mrs. Helmer Sexe; meat balls and rutabagas, Mrs. Althord Saed, Mrs. Lloyd Quammen and Jennie Knutson; potatoes, Mabel Herreid and Carl Herreid; special service, Carl Sexe and treasurer, John Hellikson.

The Rev. T. E. Sweger is pastor of the church.

The Winona Daily News
Wed, Nov 17, 1937 · Page 5

Winona MN

Carl is in charge of potatoes at the LUTEFISK supper

A group of friends and neighbors gathered at the E. P. Osgood home Saturday evening to help Miss Bernice Osgood celebrate her birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbu. Osgood; the Misses Mable and Myrtle Henderson, Irene Herreid, Kathryn and Arlene Benrud, Helen Whiteberg, Jeannette Johnson, Marion Knutson, and Elvina Erickson; W. Lein, Carl Herreid, Barnie Knutson, Silas Gunderson, Wendell and Gilbert Herman, Hensel Johnson, Ralph and Victor Kittleson, James and John Severson, Kilmer Erickson, Archie Jr., Arnold and Glenn Brovold and Ray Anderson. Cards and games provided diversion, and Miss Osgood was given a purse of money. Birthday cakes were made by Mrs. Eugene Osgood and Mrs. Wilbur Osgood.

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La Crosse WI

Several fishermen from Blair traveled to the Brule river in northern Wisconsin Sunday but struck a poor day and returned Monday with Alf Lynghammer the only one making a catch. The others making the trip were Le Roy Sexe, Frankling Skogstad, Alf Peterson and Carl Herreid, who only got a good ducking when their canoe overturned while shooting the rapids.

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Thu, May 12, 1938 · Page 11

No fish, just wet

p. m.

Thirty-two prizes, donated by fish and game tackle companies through local merchants, were awarded as follows: First prize in the membership drive, George clatt, with 116; second, Alfred Lynghammer, Ettrick; third, Sever Gunerson, Blair; crow, Sebert Matson, first, Torval Nyberg, second, and Albert Austad, third; tallest fisherman present, Tilman Halvorson; shortest fisherman present, Bennie Johnson; and to Joe Horn, Lucian Amundson, N. I. Gilbert, Landis Berg, Carl Herreid, Col. Grinde, Stanley Kirkpatrick, Oswald Slette, Fred Dahlberg, Ray Solberg, August Stephenson, Donold Stenberg, Omer Thompson, Carl Sexe, John P. Johnson, Allen Berg, C. H. Luhrsen, Carl Sackerson, Elfin Helland, Henry Torson, J. O. Knutson, Leon Nyberg, Carl Thompson and P. F. Schroeder. Complimentary tickets were awarded members present.

John Hellickson of Ettrick heads the club this year as president.

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ETTRICK

Ettrick, Wis. —(Special)— The lutefisk supper which was to have been served Sunday evening at the Hardies Creek Lutheran church has been postponed until Dec. 1.

Alfred Pederson, Henry Knutson, Charles Hewitt, Fred Fillner, S. C. Stone, George Larson, Lester Larson, Robert Larson, Orin Van Vleet, James Berg, John Hellekson, Alf Lynghammer, William Eckart, Frank Williams, Gordon Herreid, Carl Herreid and Leroy Sexe are among those who will hunt deer in northern Wisconsin the next few days.

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Carl & Gordon & their 1st cousin John Hellekson -

Entries Received for Husking Match on Galesville Farm

Galesville, Wis.—(Special to The Republican-Herald)—Five so far have registered for the first cornhuskers contest ever held here. It is scheduled for October 24 as a Trempealeau county event. County Agent E. H. Florence, who has general charge of arrangements, has entered Iver Hanson, Whitehall; Roderick J. Smith, Galesville; Carl Herreid and Sanford Waller, Ettrick; and Julius N. Amundson, Blair, in the event. Entries are limited to 12 men.

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Blair Man Wins Trempealeau Co. Husking Contest

Herbert Blair Finishes Tenth of a Bushel Ahead of Sanford Waller.

Galesville, Wis. — (Special to The Republican-Herald)—Clifford Herbert of Blair won the Trempealeau county corn husking championship here Tuesday with a margin of only one-tenth of a bushel over the total husked by the second-place winner, Sanford Waller of Ettrick.

Herbert had 18.7 bushels net while Waller had 18.6 bushels net.

Third place went to Jacob Dykstra of Caledonia township.

Other contestants were Roderick Smith of Galesville, Julius N. Amundson of Blair, Carl Herreid of Ettrick, George Tucker of Galesville, Carsten Linrud of Whitehall and Paul Baer of Whitehall.

More than 1,500 persons watched the contest which was conducted on the W. D. Young & Son farm one and a half miles south of here. E. H. McIntyre, editor of the Wisconsin Agriculturist, which is sponsor of the state contest, assisted County Agent E. H. Florence in conducting the contest.

The margin between first and second-place totals was the closest ever recorded in any contest in Wisconsin, it is believed.

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Memorial Services To Be Held In Blair For Three Casualties

WHITEHALL, Wis. —(Special) Memorial services will be held at the Zion Lutheran church in Blair Sunday at 2 p. m. for three Blair boys who are casualties of World War II: They are S. Sgt. Fillmore C. Radcliffe, 22, who was killed in action in Italy on June 24; Pfc. Landis Berg, 22, who died July 11 of wounds received in France two days earlier and Pfc. Wallace Amundson, 20, who was wounded in France on July 14 and died as the result of those wounds.

The services will be conducted by the Rev. O. G. Birkeland of Whitehall, who has been substituting for the Rev. T. E. Sweger during his illness and the Rev. K. M. Urberg of First Lutheran church, Blair. Clarence A. Knudson Post No. 231, American Legion of Blair will advance the colors and will make the presentation of the U. S. flags to the nearest of kin.

A service flag with a gold star will also be presented to each of the mothers from the Blair Legion auxiliary. The church choir will sing "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" and "God Be With You;" Howard Tuoflat, soloist, will sing "The Lord's Prayer" by Malotte, and the audience will sing "God Bless Our Native Land."

Topic of Pastor Birkeland's sermon will be "Though Dead, Yet They Speak." Prelude and postlude will be played by Mrs. Harold Haugh, church organist. Taps will be sounded by Darrell Slette and Carl Herreid and the audience will stand for 30 seconds in silent tribute to the dead.

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Tuscania Survivors at Galesville to Organize

Galesville, Wis. —(Special)— Formation of a unit of the national Tuscania Survivors group is planned for Galesville Thursday evening.

Such survivors here are planning a 7 o'clock dinner at the Coffee Cup cafe, with an organization meeting at the city hall to follow. They urge all survivors of that ill-fated ship to join them if they are in Trempealeau county or the immediate area.

The day, February 5, is the 30th anniversary of the sinking of the troop transport with loss of 144 of the 2,500 soldiers it carried. Most of the men were of Wisconsin and Michigan, and many were of the 32nd division. The ship was torpedoed four miles off the coast of England at 6 p. m., sinking within two hours.

Ray C. Marsh, Galesville, told Monday of the experience, when those who survived swam the four miles to shore, escaped in lifeboats when picked up by British ships, or clung to wreckage until saved. Other local men among known survivors are Nat Carhart and Oakley Parkhill and Henry Oksnee, formerly of Ettrick but now of Winona. Others mentioned by Marsh are Gordon and Carl Herreid, Ettrick; Martin DeBoer, now of La Crosse; Jack Hellickson, Blair; Oscar Jahr, Independence, and August Cierzan, Dodge.

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Tuscania Went Down 30 Years Ago Today

Whitehall, Wis. — (Special) — Thirty years ago today the steamer Tuscania, hit by a German torpedo, went down off the Irish coast. Among the 2,179 American troops aboard were 15 from Trempealeau county, one of whom lost his life in the disaster.

Otis E. Hutchins, Whitehall, was killed then and later buried with other American soldiers in Scotland. The total loss of American servicemen was placed at 345.

The other 14 Trempealeau county boys aboard the ship were Gordon P. Herreid, John A. Hellekson, Henry A. Oksnee and Carl J. Herreid, Ettrick; Arthur Bidney, Joseph Marsolek and Henry Veum, Independence; Martin J. DeBoer, Oscar Jahr and Ray C. Marsh, Galesville; Lee M. Matheson and Omer Houkum, Blair, and Henry F. Vandenburg and Nathan Carhart, Trempealeau.

Whitehall's first American Legion post was organized in the early 20's and was named after Hutchins, the first casualty from this city and area. After World War II another name was added to the title of the post, that of Stendahl, to commemorate Harold Stendahl who was the first casualty in this area.

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Tuscania Club Holds Perrot Picnic Sunday

GALESVILLE, Wis. — (Special) —The Tuscania will be remembered Sunday, Aug. 7, when survivors of her sinking will reunite for their second annual picnic in Perrot state park.

Not that she needs remembering, but when word of her torpedoing on Feb. 5, 1918, reached Trempealeau, "remember the Tuscania" became a byword in the whole area, and enlistments jumped.

The sinking cost one man his life. Otis E. Hutchins, son of Dr. S. E. Hutchins, Whitehall, never reached the war in Europe, but was all the more dearly a war casualty.

Fifteen Trempealeau county men were aboard the submarine victim. They were, in addition to Hutchins, Gordon P. Herried, John A. Hellekson, Henry Oksnee and Carl J. Herried, Ettrick; Arthur Bidney, Joseph Marsolek and Henry Veum, Independence; Oakley Parkhill, Martin DeBoer, Oscar Jahr and Ray C. Marsh, Galesville; Lee M. Matheson and Omer Houkum, Blair; and Henry Vanderburg and Nathan Carhart, rempealeau.

Oksnee now lives in Winona; and De Boer lives in La Crosse. Parkhill is president of the group.

Not all will be present for the reunion Sunday, although a majority of them are expected to be. Gov. Rennebohm was invited, but it was not known if he could attend.

There were 2,179 American GI's on the Tuscania that day. Of them, 345 lost their lives. They belonged to these units: Companies D, E and F of the 20th engineers; the 170th and 107th engineer trains; the 107th supply train; the 100th and 158th and 213th aero squadrons; replacement detachments 1, 2 and 3 of the 32nd division; and 51 casual officers.

The Whitehall American Legion post was named for Otis Hutchins, the first casualty of World war I from the area. Harold Stendahl, first casualty of World war II, become linked in living memory with Hutchins when the post added his name to become the Hutchins-Stendahl American Legion unit.

The picnic is to be a family affair, eaching bringing its own lunch.

"La Crosse (WI) Tribune" 7 Aug 1949 p 13

Tuscania Club Holds Dinner

Galesville, Wis. —(Special)— The second annual meeting of the Trempealeau county Tuscania club was held at a dinner meeting in the city hall here Saturday evening.

Fourteen members who survived the ill-fated American troop transport Tuscania formed a club last year. The ship was sunk by a German mine off the coast of Scotland February 5, 1918. At that time 174 soldiers were lost and 53 of the crew drowned.

Club members were at one time living in Trempealeau county but now have scattered. Ray Marsh, formerly of Winona and later Galesville, now living in California, was unable to attend. He was one of the club's organizers, and was a former secretary and treasurer.

Oakley Parkhill, Galesville, was re-elected president; John Hellekson, Blair, vice-president and Nat Carhart, Galesville, secretary and treasurer.

Other members present were Oscar Jahr, Independence; Lee Mattson, Blair; Carl and Gordon Herreid, Ettrick; Henry Oksnee, and August Clerzan, both of Winona; Sigurd Simonson, Chippewa Falls; Henry Veum and Clarence Jaquish, both of Eau Claire and Martin De Boer, La Crosse.

A telegram from Governor Oscar Rennebohm was read at the meeting. Greetings of the Wisconsin state legislature were brought by G. M. Wiley, Galesville assemblyman. Lon Tubbs, Whitehall, county veterans service office, brought greetings from the county. Clarence Brown and Bert Gipple, both of Galesville, represented the city.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 5, 1950 in Whitehall. Plans were also made for a summer picnic meeting at Perrot park at Trempealeau August 7.

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Old Buddies Meet

Nine survivors of the sinking of the Tuscania by German U-boats during World War I met at the annual Trempealeau County Tuscania club banquet at Whitehall Sunday. They are, top row, left to right: Oscar Jahr, Lee Mathson, Martin DeBoer, Oakley Parkhill and Henry Veum. Bottom row, left to right: Lewis B. Rist, John Hellekson, Otto F. Bates and Nathan Carhart. The club is one of the few of its kind in the United States. It was started three years ago at Whitehall.

Trempealeau Tuscania Club Holds Reunion at Whitehall

WHITEHALL—(Special)— Thirty-one persons attended a banquet of the Trempealeau County Tuscania club at the Walgert hotel Sunday evening on the 32nd anniversary of the sinking of the largest of American troop ships torpedoed by German U-boats in World War I.

The group included nine Tuscania survivors, Nathan Carhart of Trempealeau, secretary-treasurer of the club; Oakley L. Parkhill of Galesville, president; Lewis B. Rist and Henry Veum, Eau Claire; Otto F. Bates, Durand; Oscar Jahr, Independence; Lee Mathson and John A. Hellekson, Blair, vice-president; and Martha J. DeBoer, La-Crosse.

Guests included Col. George Sherman from the adjutant general's office, Madison, speaker for the evening; Assemblyman G. M. Wiley, Bert A. Gipple and Clarence E. Brown of Galesville, honorary members; P. M. Paulson of Whitehall city council who welcomed the group; Mrs. Guy E. Carlson of Trempealeau, sister of Otis E. Hutchins, the only Trempealeau county boy lost in the sinking; Carlson, Lon F. Tubbs, and wives or lady friends of the men.

Reviews 32nd Division

Col. Sherman gave a history of the Wisconsin 32nd Division since World War I when it was organized. He praised the example set by this famous division, called "Les Terribles" by Clemenceau during the war, and the success of it in the Pacific theatre in World War II, the division to which the Japanese general Yamoshita surrendered.

Cards received from Tuscania survivors and friends throughout the state, unable to be present, were read. Among them was a card from Governor Rennebohm.

All officers were re-elected and the group voted to hold its annual summer picnic on July 23 at Irvine Park, Chippewa Falls.

Club Three Years Old

The Trempealeau County Tuscania club, unique organization although there are reunions in Minneapolis, Green Bay and at other places, was organized three years ago by Parkhill and Ray Marsh, now of Puente, Calif. Marsh retains his membership here, while Olin Thompson of Rib Lake and Jake Cramer of Medford are also members. The club has a membership of 15 although it started with six.

The record shows that 14 of the 15 Trempealeau county boys on the Tuscania survived. They were Gordon P. Herreid, Hellekson, Henry A. Oksnee and Carl J. Herreid of Ettrick, Arthur Bidney, Joseph Marsolek and Veum of Independence, DeBoer, Jahr and Marsh of Galesville, Mathson and Omer Houkom of Blair and Henry P. Vanderburg and Carhart of Trempealeau. These were their addresses when they enlisted in the company organized by Capt. William F. Rowles at Galesville. At Waco, Tex., where they were sent for training the boys were separated.

Otis E. Hutchins, the victim from this group, was a sergeant in the 107th supply train. That he died a valiant death was later told by his commanding officer and members of his company, including Sgt. Parkhill and Cpl Houkom, who wrote to his parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Hutchins of Whitehall, telling that Hutchins sacrificed his place to another buddy.

The life boat assigned to his group was destroyed and the men waited on board the ship for two hours before a boat was available. Hutchins' absence was not noted until the life boat was clear of the ship.

Buried In Ireland

His body was later washed up on the Island of Islay off Lorne, Ireland, and he was buried there with the other 172 American soldiers lost. Later his remains were moved to Arlington cemetery.

The men recalled the torpedo striking at 5:35 p.m. Feb. 5, 1918, and they didn't need the whistle signal to tell them that the Germans had "packed a wallop."

DeBoer said he had been playing poker. He held a royal flush. Like the others he rushed to the top deck, and discovered that he was still holding the cards.

All remained orderly until the men reached the deck and were awaiting their turn into life boats, with the ship listing heavily.

All but 173 of the 2500 American soldiers and 54 of the crewmen survived. They were drenched, cold and near despair before being picked up by fishing trollers off the Ireland coast.

Oakley has a diary of the events that he wrote on the stationery of the Kings Arms inn at Lorne, County Antrim, Ireland, where he rested after the disaster.

Hutchins-Stendahl American Legion post at Whitehall is named for Otis E. Hutchins, and the organization loaned its Legion and American flags to the club for the banquet. A 10-second pause before the dinner was observed while all faced the east in respect to the Tuscania passengers who did not survive.

Paulson of the city council and Mrs. William M. Rogers, present on behalf of the press, were made honorary members of the club.

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Eau Claire WI

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Carl Herreid and Hellekson were safe aboard the Mosquito, which docked at Buncrana, Ireland, with 300 other survivors. The American soldiers were taken to a nearby barracks, served tea and hot soup and given blankets. They remained there a week before going on to Liverpool.

Carl Herreid and his first cousin, John Hellekson, left the Tuscania aboard the British destroyer, "Mosquito" & landed at Buncrana on the north coast of Ireland. Carl's brother Gordon left the Tuscania on a lifeboat which landed on the isle of Islay, Scotland. Helleksons mother Sena Herreid Hellekson was the sister of Carl & Julian's father, Ole Gilbert Herreid. All 3 men were from Trempealeau Co. WI. "La Crosse (WI) Tribune" 27 Mar 1966 p 20
Fact-check: Captain Wilhelm Meyer did NOT address the 1932 (scheduled for 1933) National Tuscania Survivors Association at any time. They landed in Buncrana, Ireland.

250 SOLDIERS LOST LIVES

Ettrick Area Brothers Survived Tuscania Sinking 48 Years Ago

By RUTH BRYE

(La Crosse Tribune Correspondent)

ETTRICK, Wis.—Carl Herreid, 69, and his brother, Gordon, 71, who live in the North Beaver Creek area, are survivors of the ill-fated SS Tuscania, which was sunk the night of Feb. 5, 1918, during World War I.

The Tuscania, a sister ship of the equally ill-fated Lusitania, had been built as a first class passenger ship. During World War I she was used for transporting troops, and at the time she was torpedoed by a German U-boat she was bound for Liverpool with 2,700 American soldiers on board. Of these, 250 lost their lives, many of them from Wisconsin.

She was nearing the end of her voyage, and the British had sent a convoy of three destroyers to escort her safely into port. They were making good time between the shores of Scotland and Ireland and were about five miles at sea.

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The weather was cold and skies were overcast, with a strong wind blowing. It was about 5:45 p.m. and in that northern clime darkness had already fallen. The men had had mess and had gone below for the night.

The Ettrick men, who were members of F Company, 107th Supply Train, were playing cards. With them were John Hellekson, now dead, and Henry Oksnee, 75, who lives in Winona. They felt safe with their convoy of destroyers, and so near their journey's end. They had ceased to worry about submarines.

Without warning the ship was struck, and all was instantly dark. The Tuscania guns were fired, but the U-boat was never sighted and escaped.

The ship, struck in the region of the boiler rooms, remained afloat three hours.

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There was some panic aboard, but for the most part the men remained calm. Orders were given to lower lifeboats, but the boats on the side which was torpedoed had been blown to bits.

The men, unused to ropes and knots, lowered the first boat filled with men. When the boat was halfway down, the ropes became entangled, the men were dumped into the water and the boat left hanging in air.

The Herreids and their companions then decided to lower their boat first and get into it afterward, and the boat was successfully lowered.

Carl Herreid, with a dozen others, slid down a rope and into the small boat, but when Gordon came down the boat was gone and he was thrown into the icy waters of the Atlantic.

The destroyer HMS Mosquito swept in between the lifeboat and the Tuscania, causing the lifeboat to rise to a level with the destroyer's deck.

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After floating about in the water for some time, Herreid was picked up by men in a lifeboat, and the boat was finally washed ashore on the coast of Scotland near the cottage of two elderly Scotch women.

Herreid, with his clothing soaked, his hair standing on end, stiff with the salt water, tried to make the women understand, but he was so cold he could not speak, and the women nearly fainted with fright. When they finally understood what had happened, they eagerly made Herreid welcome and gave him food, bed and blankets.

Carl Herreid and Hellekson were safe aboard the Mosquito, which docked at Buncrana, Ireland, with 300 other survivors. The American soldiers were taken to a nearby barracks, served tea and hot soup and given blankets. They remained there a week before going on to Liverpool.

Harry Vanderburg, 71, of

Mukwanago, was a chaplain on the Tuscania and was the last man off the ship. He is married to the former Gertrude Halderson of Galesville. In a recent letter to his sister-in-law, Mrs. Alvin Young of Galesville, Vanderburg wrote that he had recently attended the 48th reunion of the Tuscania survivors in Milwaukee.

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According to Vanderburg, the captain of the U-77 which sank the Tuscania was located many years after the war and came to Chicago in 1932 to speak to the survivors. He is Capt. Wilhelm Meyer, who had a crew of 35 on his U-boat. The captain and the Tuscania survivors exchanged greetings annually until 1940, when the captain's notes became less cordial.

A cairn has been erected on the Isle of Ismay in Scotland and the Tuscania victims whose bodies were washed ashore are buried in Kilnaughten Military Cemetery.

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Several people reported being the last off the ship. The count of soldiers on board & casualties (215) are incorrect.

Legion at Ettrick Presents 13 Life Memberships

ETTRICK, Wis. (Special) — The Rev. Oran Heuck, Baptist pastor from Galesville, discussed dissenting voices and conscientious objectors in his Memorial Day address at Ettrick Community Hall Tuesday morning. He was introduced by Robert Brush, commander of Runnestrand - Pederson American Legion Post.

Thirteen life memberships to the American Legion were presented to World War I veterans. Recipients were: Carl and Gordon Herreid, George Tidquist, Ed Schelberg, Ferdinand Sveen, Dr. C. O. Rogen, Elfin Helland, C. H. Nelson, Peter Odegaard, Harold Hanson, Ben Redsten, Albert Hegge and Ed Simonson.

The presentation was by Brush and the adjutant, Paul Bishop. The response was by Dr. Rogne.

More than 80 crosses bearing the names of dead veterans were placed on the lawn outside the hall.

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Veteran Thresherman Injured

Ole G. Herried, of North Beaver Creek, said to be Trempealeau county's oldest thresherman, is recovering from an accident which cost him the loss of the thumb and index finger of his left hand. The accident occurred while the veteran was engaged in sawing wood for his threshing engine, with a saw attached to the engine. Mr. Herried has operated his threshing outfit for fifty years, and was the first man in this community to introduce the steam thresher.

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Beaver Creek.

The fire department answered a call to extinguish a chimney fire at the Ole G. Herreid farm, about three miles from Ettrick, at 11 p. m. Saturday.

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Hold Helleckson Funeral Friday

Galesville, Wis. — (Special) — Funeral services for Mrs. Sena Helleckson, 67, were held Friday afternoon from the home here and the North Beaver Creek Lutheran church, of which she was a life-long member. Services were conducted by the Rev. T. E. Sweger, Blair, with burial in the family lot beside her husband, the late A M. Helleckson.

Mrs. Heleckson had been in gradually failing health, and for several weeks had been confined to her bed by a lingering illness. Her death Wednesday followed in less than a year that of her husband, who died March 19, 1937.

As Sena Herried, she was born in North Beaver Creek in the township of Ettrick, May 30, 1870. She attended school there and was confirmed in the Lutheran church of that community. June 29, 1893, she married A. M. Helleckson, and they operated the Helleckson farm in Ettrick township until they retired 16 years ago, purchasing property here.

Six children, eight grandchildren and three brothers survive Mrs. Helleckson. The children are: John, Ettrick; Charles, Mrs. Cornel Leque and Mrs. Ella Molstad, Galesville; Mrs. Eric Frey, Ketchikan, Alaska; and Lawrence, Los Angeles, Calif. All have been with their mother except the last, who was unable to attend the funeral today. Her brothers are Iver and Thomas Herried, Galesville, and Ole Herried, Ettrick.

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Ole alive when his sister Sena Herreid Hellekson died –

Ole G Herried

Wisconsin, U.S., Death Records, 1872-2004

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Detail

Name	Ole G Herried
Death Date	6 Oct 1938
Death County	Trempealeau, Wisconsin, USA

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Mother

Wisconsin Marriages, pre-1907

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Name	Ole G Hereid
Marriage Date	9 Oct 1890
Marriage Place	Trempealeau, Wisconsin, USA
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Household members

Name	Age
Ole G Hereid	
Marthe P Paine	

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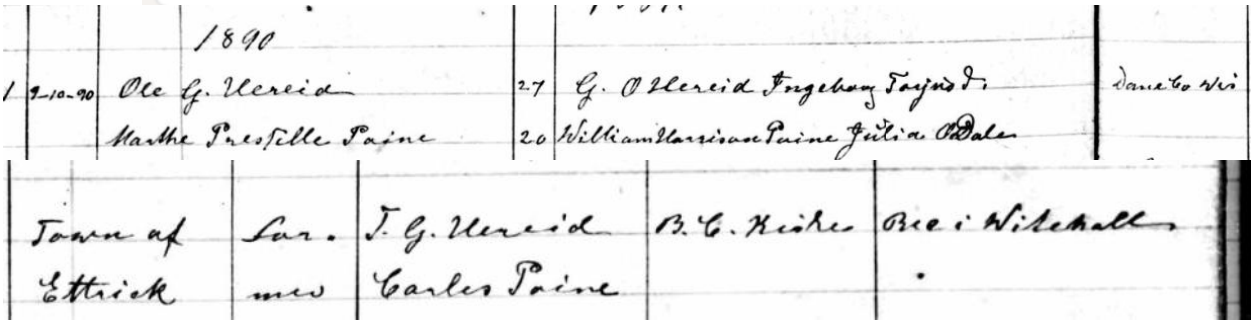
Ole G Hereid

U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969

Name	Ole G Hereid
Gender	Male
Record Type	Marriage
Marriage Date	2 Oct 1890
Marriage Place	Whitehall, Wisconsin, USA
Father	G O Hereid
Mother	Ingeborg Torjnòd
Spouse	Marthe Porestelle Paine
Church Name	North Beaver Creek Congregation
Church Location	Trempealeau County, Wisconsin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Town of Ettrick	Lar. mer	J. G. Hereid Carles Paine	B. C. Keiser	Rev i Whitehall		

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Mrs. Ole G. Herried died suddenly Monday of heart failure. She was born September 21, 1870, at Madelia, Minn. She was married to Ole G. Herried. Thirteen children were born to them, of whom three died in infancy. Besides her husband, ten children survive: Emma, Gordon, Carl, Leo, Grace and Richard, all at home; Mrs. P. P. Hammerle, Marshfield; Mrs. Joseph Olson, Franklin; Mrs. Bert Lipke, Winona, and Mrs. Martin T. Anderson, Hegg. There are also a sister and a brother, Mrs. Will Casey, Ettrick, and Charles Paine, Beaver Creek. The funeral was held Wednesday at the Beaver Creek church, Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. Pall bearers were four sons and two sons-in-law, Gordon, Carl, Leo and Richard Herried, Joseph Olson and Martin Anderson. Flower bearers were Merlin and Lyle Anderson, Wallace and Donald Hammerle and Marian Elvira Johnson.

Obituary of his mother Martha Paine Herreid – "La Crosse (WI) Tribune" Sunday, 9 Jul 1933 p 5

Siblings

Miss Emma Herreid

ETTRICK, Wis. (Special) — Miss Emma Herreid, 72, died at her home in North Beaver Creek Saturday morning following a long illness.

She was born May 31, 1891, in the Town of Ettrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Herreid. Several years ago she was employed by the late Mrs. J. C. Gaveney and the late Mrs. Hattie Beach in Whitehall.

Survivors are: Four sisters, Mrs. J. A. (Rachel) Olson, Melrose; Mrs. Martin (Bernice) Anderson, Blair; Mrs. William S. (Blanche) Johnson, Houston, Minn., and Grace, North Beaver Creek, and four brothers, Gordon, Carl, Leo and Richard, North Beaver Creek.

Funeral services will be Monday at 2 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church, Town of Ettrick, the Rev. Lindley Jacobson officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Friends may call today from 7-9 p.m. at Runnestrand Funeral Home and at the church after 12:30 p.m.

#1 - sister Emma Herreid (1891-1963) – "Winona (MN) Daily News" 11 Aug 1963 p 17

Emma Herried

Wisconsin, U.S., Births and Christenings Index, 1801-1928

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Detail

Name	Emma Herried
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	31 May 1891
Birth Place	Ettrick, Trempealeau, Wisconsin
Father	Ole G Herried
Mother	Marte Carleson
FHL Film Number	1305595

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Ole G Herreid in U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969

Congregational Records > Wisconsin > Trempealeau County > Beaver Creek Congregation

Emma confirmed 13 May 1906 – born 31 May 1891 - https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/60722/images/41742_314964-00192?pId=153633368

MISS EMMA HERREID

ETTRICK, Wis.—Miss Emma Herreid, 72, of North Beaver Creek died Saturday morning, Aug. 1, at her home following a long illness.

She was born May 31, 1891, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole G. Herreid, at Ettrick. She never married.

Survivors are four sisters, Mrs. J. A. Olson, Mrs. Martin Anderson, Mrs. William Johnson and Grace, and four brothers, Gordon, Carl, Leo and Richard, all of North Beaver Creek.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. in Faith Lutheran Church, Ettrick, with Rev. Lindley Jacobson officiating.

Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Friends may call Sunday from 7 to 9 p.m. at Runnestrand Funeral Chapel in Ettrick and at the church Monday from 12:30 p.m. until the funeral.

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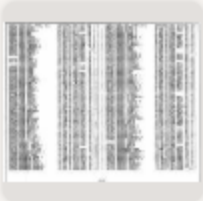
La Crosse WI – Emma died 10 Aug 1963 – 1 Aug 1963 would not have been a Saturday

Wisconsin Death Index, 1959-1997



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Name	Emma Herreid
Age	72
Sex	F (Female)
Birth Date	abt 1891
Death Date	10 Aug 1963
Certificate	026161

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Mrs. Hammerle Dies at Age 67

Resident of This Area Since 1929

Mrs. Willa Hammerle, 67, of 306 State Ave., died at 7:45 a. m. today at the Bethel Convalescent Home, where she had been a patient for about a week.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:30 p. m. Sunday in the Hansen Funeral Home. The Rev. Douglas P. Oyan, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will officiate and burial will be made in Hill-

Mrs. Willa Hammerle

side cemetery. Friends may pay their respects at the Hansen Funeral Home beginning Friday afternoon and until the time of services.

Mrs. Hammerle, nee Willa Herreid, was born Nov. 28, 1892, in Preston, Trempealeau County, and lived there during her childhood. She worked in Minneapolis as a young woman, coming to Marshfield in 1929. She had lived here since that time. She was a member of the V.F.W. Auxiliary and the Rebecahs.

Survivors include two sons, Donald, Los Angeles, Calif.; and Wallace, Marshfield. Also surviving are five sisters, Miss Grace Herreid, Miss Emma Herreid, both of Ettrick; Mrs. William (Blanche) Johnson, Houston, Minn.; Mrs. Joseph (Rachel) Olson, Wild Rose; Mrs. Martin (Bernice) Anderson, Blair; and four brothers, Carl, Gordon, Leo and Richard Herreid, all of Ettrick. Several sisters preceded her in death. One granddaughter also survives.

#2 - sister Willa Herreid Hammerle (1892-1961) – "Marshfield (WI) News-Herald" Thursday 14 Sep 1961 p 16

Ole G Herried in U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969

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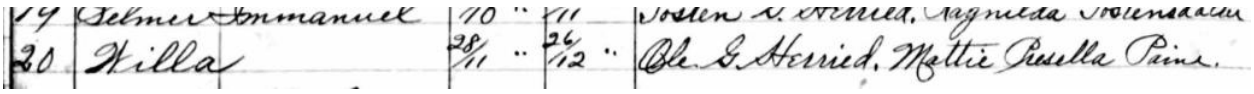

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WEB: Minnesota, Marriages from the Minnesota Official Marriage System, 1850-2019

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Name	**Willa Herried**
Marriage Date	2 Jul 1919
Marriage Place	Hennepin, Minnesota, USA
Spouse	Peter P Hammerle
Certificate Number	2230444

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Wisconsin, Births and Christenings Index, 1826-1908

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Name	**Willa Herreid**
Gender	Female
Birth Date	28 Nov 1892
Birth Place	Preston, Trempealeau, Wisconsin
Father	Ole G Herreid
Mother	Mattie P Paine
FHL Film Number	1305595

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Hammerle Rites

The Rev. Douglas P. Oyan, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiated at services Sunday afternoon at the Hansen Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Willa Hammerle, 68, of 306 S. State Ave., who died Thursday morning at the Bethel Convalescent Home. Burial was made in Hillside cemetery.

Pallbearers were Jerry Normington, Pete Krier, Arnold Federwitz, Henry Felhofer, Robert Howard and Tony Thomer.

William Allen, accompanied at the organ by Maldon Plank, sang "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Abide With Me."

Attending the services from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Casey, Gordon Herreid, Carl Herreid, Richard Herreid and Leo Herreid, Ettrick; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Aleckson, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Anderson and Mrs. Oscar Frederickson, Blair; Mrs. William Johnson, Houston, Minn.; Mrs. Joseph Olson, Wild Rose; Mrs. John Mickett, Thorp; and Miss Margaret Johnson and Mrs. Helen Mike, La Crosse.

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Peter Hammerle and family recently moved to this city from Minneapolis and are making their home at 411 St. Joseph's street. P. W. Hammerle, father of Peter, moved to this city from Greenwood and is making his home with his son.

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OPENS OFFICE IN CITY

Peter P. Hammerle, doctor of naprapathy, of Marshfield, has rented office rooms in the Kearns building over the Woodward chain store, in Neillsville and plans to spend Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at Neillsville.

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We Have With Us Every Day

Peter Paul Hammerle.

Doctor of Naprapathy, 411 St. Joseph's street.

Peter Paul Hammerle is a veteran of the World war, in which he served 15 months, 12 months of that time in France as an instructor in an army motor school. He was with the motor transport corps. Before going overseas he was stationed at Camp Dodge, Iowa; Camp Johnston, Fla., and Camp Hill, Newport News, Va.

Mr. Hammerle, son of Paul W. Hammerle, city, was born in Glencoe, Minn., April 12, 1896, and lived there until 6, when his parents located in St. Paul. His early education was received in a Catholic school in St. Paul and in public and Catholic schools in Minneapolis. From August 1912 to July 1915 he attended an auto school in Chicago. After this he followed the occupations of a hardware store clerk and a chauffeur in Minneapolis until his enrollment in April 1918, for war service.

Returning to Minneapolis after the war, he resumed work as a chauffeur and three months later embarked in the draying business, in which he continued six years. In May 1926, he became a student of a college of naprapathy in Chicago and finished his course in December 1927. A month later he opened an office in this city to practice his profession.

He was married to Miss Willa Herried in Minneapolis, Minn., July 22, 1919. They have two children, Wallace 6, Donald 8. Mrs. Hammerle's parents are Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Herried, Ettrick, Trempealeau county, Wis.

trick, Trempealeau county, Wis.

Politically, he is independent.

His hobby is motoring.

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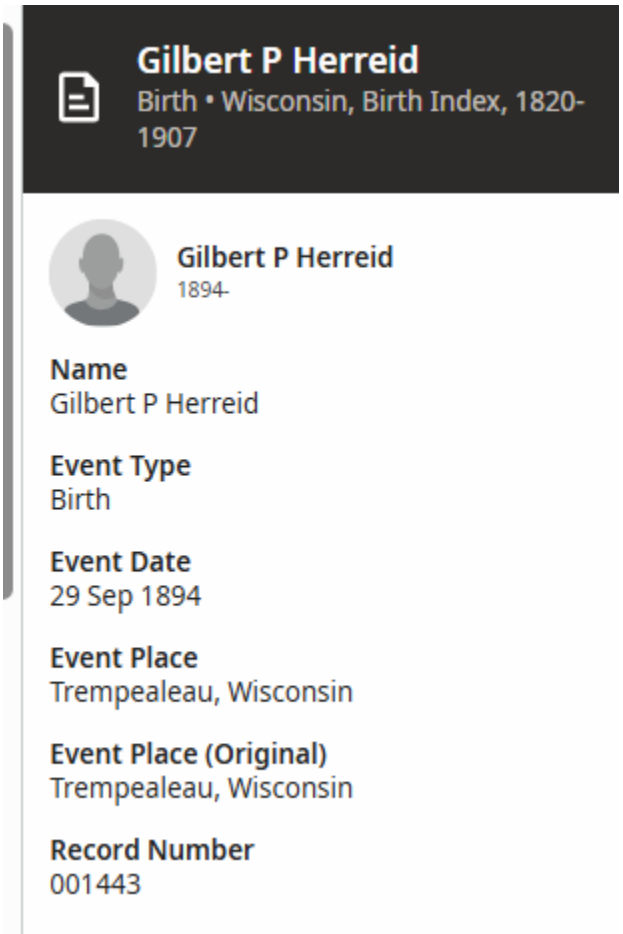
#3/4 - TWIN - Brother Gordon Paine Herreid (1894-1975) – see full biography at www.tuscania1918.org



Gilbert P Herreid
Birth • Wisconsin, Birth Index, 1820-1907

Gilbert P Herreid
1894-

Name
Gilbert P Herreid

Event Type
Birth

Event Date
29 Sep 1894

Event Place
Trempealeau, Wisconsin

Event Place (Original)
Trempealeau, Wisconsin

Record Number
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#3/4 - TWIN – brother Gilbert Paine Herreid (1894- by 1900?)

Gilbert Panie Herreid

Vital • Wisconsin, Births and Christenings, 1826-1926

Name	**Gilbert Panie Herreid**
Sex	**Male**
Father's Name	**Ole G Herreid**
Father's Sex	**Male**
Mother's Name	**Martha Prisilla Paine**
Mother's Sex	**Female**
Event Type	**Birth**
Event Date	**29 Sep 1894**
Event Place	**Ettrick, Trempealeau, Wisconsin, United States**
Event Place (Original)	**Ettrick, Treempealeau, Wisconsin, United States**

Gilbert Panie Herreid's Parents and Siblings OPEN ALL

Ole G Herreid	Father	M
Martha Prisilla Paine	Mother	F

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#5 is Carl Julian Herreid himself

Leo Herreid

ETTRICK, Wis. — Leo Herreid, 77, Ettrick, died at his home Saturday evening.

He was a town of Ettrick farmer.

The son of Ole G. and Martha Herreid, he was born in the town of Ettrick April 5, 1900. He never married.

Survivors are: two brothers, Carl J. and Richard D., Ettrick Rt. 1, and four sisters, Mrs. Joseph (Rachel) Olson, Melrose, Wis.; Mrs. Blanche Johnson, Houston, Minn.; Mrs. Bernice Anderson, Blair, Wis., and Miss Grace Herreid, Ettrick Rt. 1. One brother and two sisters have died.

Funeral services will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church, North Beaver Creek, the Rev. Herman Madland officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Friends may call Tuesday after 4 p.m. and until 11:30 a.m. Wednesday at Jack Funeral Home, Blair, then at the church from 1 p.m. until time of services.

Pallbearers will be Spencer Instenes, Vernon Bue, Floyd Back, Roger Foss, Ralph and Gery Weisenberger.

#6 - brother Leo Herreid (1900-1978) – "Winona (MN) Daily News" Monday, 27 Feb 1978 p 9 – has birthdate wrong – was 6 Apr 1900

Ole Herreid in U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969

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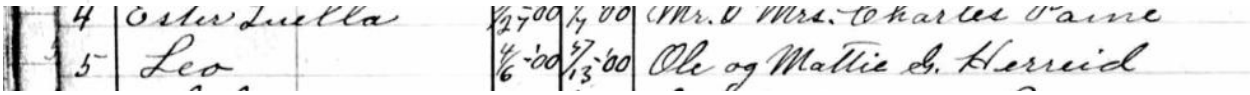

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Leo Herreid

Wisconsin, U.S., Death Index, 1959-1997

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Detail

Name	Leo Herreid
Age	77
Sex	M (Male)
Birth Date	abt 1901
Death Date	25 Feb 1978
Location	Ettr
Certificate	005391

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REGISTRATION CARD—(Men born on or after February 17, 1897 and on or before December 31, 1921)

SERIAL NUMBER T 633

1. NAME (Print) LEO (First) HERREID (Middle) (Last)

ORDER NUMBER T 10933

2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) ETTRICK (Number and street) TREMP. (Town, township, village, or city) (County) WISCONSIN (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

[Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same insert word same]

4. TELEPHONE ETTRICK (Exchange) NONE (Number)

5. AGE IN YEARS 41

DATE OF BIRTH APRIL (Mo.) 6 (Day) 1900 (Yr.)

6. PLACE OF BIRTH TREMP. Co. (Town or county) WISCONSIN (State or country)

7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS GORDON P. HERREID ETTRICK, WIS.

8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS MYSELF - FARMING

9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS R.F.D. #1 (Number and street or R. F. D. number) ETTRICK (Town) TREMP (County) WIS. (State)

I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.

Leo Herreid (Registrant's signature)

D. S. S. Form 1 (Revised 1-1-42) (over) ☆ GPO 16—21630-2

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE		HEIGHT (Approx.)		WEIGHT (Approx.)		COMPLEXION	
		6 ft 1 in		185			
White	✓	EYES		HAIR		Sallow	
						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.....

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:

(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for Local Board 1 (Number) TREMP (City or county) Wis. (State)

Date of registration FEB 16, 1942

LOCAL BOARD No. 1
COURT HOUSE
WHITEHALL
TREMPEALEAU COUNTY, WISCONSIN

(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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LEO HERREID

ETTRICK, Wis. — Leo Herreid, 77, of R.1, Ettrick, died Saturday, Feb. 25, at his home.

He was born April 5, 1900, in the town of Ettrick to Ole G. and Martha Herreid. He farmed on the home farm.

Survivors are two brothers, Carl J. and Richard D., both of rural Ettrick; and four sisters, Mrs. Joseph (Rachel) Olson of Melrose, Mrs. Blanche Johnson of Houston, Minn., Mrs. Bernice Anderson of Blair and Grace Herreid of rural Ettrick.

A brother and two sisters preceded him in death.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Faith Lutheran Church, North Beaver Creek, with the Rev. Herman Madland officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Friends may call at the Jack Funeral Home, Blair, Tuesday after 4 p.m. and Wednesday until 11:30 a.m., and at the church Wednesday from 1 p.m. until the services.

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MRS. RACHEL OLSON

TAYLOR, Wis. — Mrs. Joseph (Rachel) Olson, 75, of R.1, Melrose, died Saturday, March 18, in Black River Memorial Hospital.

Herried was born May 12, 1902, in Trempealeau County to Mr. and Mrs. Ole Herried. She married Joseph Olson on June 2, 1925, at Winona, Minn., and they farmed in the Melrose area for many years.

Survivors are her husband; three brothers, Carl, Richard and Douglas, all of Ettrick; and three sisters, Mrs. William (Blanche) Johnson of Houston, Minn., Mrs. Martin (Bernice) Anderson of Blair and Grace Herried of Ettrick.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Upper Beaver Creek Lutheran Church, south of Taylor, with the Rev. Vern Barlow officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Taylor.

Friends may call at the Jensen Funeral Home, Hixton, Monday from 4 to 9 p.m., and at the church Tuesday from 1 p.m. until the services.

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#7 - Sister Rachel Herreid Olson (1902-1978)

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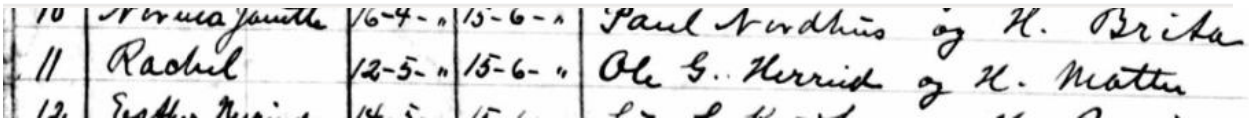

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Rachel Herreid

Wisconsin, U.S., Births and Christenings Index, 1801-1928

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Detail

Name	Rachel Herreid
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	12 May 1902
Birth Place	Ettrick, Trempealeau, Wisconsin
Father	Ole Herreid
Mother	Mattie Paine
FHL Film Number	1305596

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No. 140 00960

1. FULL NAME OF CHILD	Rachel Herried
2. COLOR	White
3. SEX	Female
4. NAMES OF OTHER ISSUE LIVING	Emma, Willa, Gordon, Carl and Ida Herried.
5. FULL NAME OF FATHER	Ole Herried
6. OCCUPATION OF FATHER	Farmer
7. FULL MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	Mattie Paine
8. DATE OF BIRTH	Monday May 12-1902 11 P M
9. PLACE OF BIRTH	Town of Ettrick Trempe Co. Wis
10. BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER	Koshkonong, Dane Co. Wis.
11. BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER	Madelia Minn
12. NAME: ATTENDANT SIGNING CERTIFI	Mrs Anna Polkedahl
13. RESIDENCE OF SUCH PERSON	Ettrick
14. DATE OF CERTIFICATE	June 16- 1902.
15. NAME OF HEALTH OFFICER OR CLERK	A. T. Olsen M.D.
16. RESIDENCE	Ettrick, Wis.
17. DATE OF REGISTRATION	June 18- 1902.
18. ANY ADDITIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES	

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ETTRICK NEWS

ETTRICK, Wis.—Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sorenson were Galesville callers Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. Casey and son spent Saturday at the Martin Anderson home in South Beaver Creek.

The masquerade dance held here Friday evening was very well attended. There were 175 numbers sold.

Miss Rachel Herried of North Beaver Creek spent Saturday evening at the Will Casey home.

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Rachel Herried

Web: Minnesota, U.S., Marriages from the Minnesota Official Marriage System, 1850-2022

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Name	Rachel Herried
Marriage Date	6 Feb 1926
Marriage Place	Winona, Minnesota, USA
Spouse	Joseph Olson
Certificate Number	Olsjoherra
URL	https://moms.mn.gov/

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Blanche Johnson

HOUSTON, Minn. — Mrs. Blanche Johnson, 76, Houston, died Thursday, May 6, in Valley View Nursing Home, Houston.

She was born Aug. 5, 1905, to Ole and Martha (Paine) Herreid. She married William S. Johnson on Aug. 11, 1939, in Blair. He died in 1968.

Mrs. Johnson was a graduate of La Crosse Lutheran Hospital School of Nursing in 1926. She had been a nurse at La Crosse Lutheran Hospital and a special nurse for the homebound.

She was a member of the La Crosse Lutheran Nurses' Association.

Survivors are two brothers, Richard and Carl J. Herreid, both of Ettrick; and two sisters, Grace Herreid of Ettrick and Mrs. Bernice Anderson of Blair.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by two brothers and three sisters.

Services will be Monday at 1:30 p.m. in Looney Valley Lutheran Church, rural Houston. The Rev. Adrienne Heskin will officiate and burial will be in the Silver Creek Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Cook Funeral Home, Houston, Sunday from 4 to 9 p.m., and on Monday from 9 to 11 a.m. Friends also may call at the church on Monday from 12:30 p.m. until the services.

#8/9 TWIN - sister Blanche Herreid Lipke Johnson (1905-1982) – "La Crosse (WI) Tribune" Friday 7 May 1982 p 2

Ole G Herried in U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969

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Blanche & Berenice -
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ETTRICK

Ettrick, Wis. —(Special)— Funeral services are to be held Saturday for Bert Carl Lipke, 43, who died suddenly at La Crosse Wednesday.

Mr. Lipke was born at New London, Wis., March 23, 1894, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Lipke. He was a graduate of the New London high school. For 15 years he was a railroad man in the employ of the Chicago and Northwestern. He had lived in La Crosse since last January, being employed at the Belmont cafe.

Oct. 6, 1932, he was united in marriage to Blanche Herreid of Ettrick. He is survived by his wife, who is a registered nurse at the Lutheran hospital in La Crosse; a sister, Mrs. Mae Anderson of New London; and a brother George of Sheboygan.

Services are to be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at the North Beaver Creek Lutheran church, the Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. Pallbearers will be Joseph Olson of Melrose, Martin Anderson of Blair and Gordon, Carl, Leo and Richard Herreid, Ettrick. Burial will be in the cemetery adjoining the church.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE

William S. Johnson, Houston, and Blanche Herreid, R.N., Ettrick. No date was set for the marriage.

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Ettrick, Wis. —(Special)—Miss Blanche Herreid, R. N., who has been employed at the Lutheran hospital, La Crosse, has returned to her home in North Beaver Creek. Announcement has been made of her approaching marriage to William S. Johnson of Houston, Minn.

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WILLIAM JOHNSON

HOUSTON, Minn.—William S. Johnson, 78, died in his home Saturday, Aug. 24.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Looney Valley Lutheran Church with Rev. Dale Seffrood officiating. The American Legion will conduct military rites in the church cemetery.

Friends may call at Hill Funeral Home Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mr. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Severin Johnson, was born in Houston. He was a carpenter and was forced to retire 10 years ago after he was injured in a fall from a roof. He continued to manage his farm and was an insurance salesman. He married Blanche Herreid Sept. 1, 1929.

He is survived by his widow; one brother, Sidney Johnson of Houston; and a sister, Mrs. E. S. Eielson of Hamden, Conn. Three brothers preceded him in death.

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La Crosse Nurse Married At Blair

Ettrick, Wis.—Blanche Herreid, R.N., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ole G. Herreid of North Beaver Creek, was united in marriage to William S. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Severin Johnson of Houston, Minn., Friday morning at the parsonage of Zion Lutheran church at Blair. The Rev. T. E. Sweger read the double ring ceremony, with Mrs. Sweger and Frederic Sweger as witnesses.

A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride, with immediate relatives present, and the couple left for a wedding trip to New York city where they will attend the world's fair, and to New Haven, Conn.

After Oct. 1 they will be at home at Houston, where Mr. Johnson is engaged in the insurance business, and is proprietor of a monument firm. Mrs. Johnson is a graduate of the Lutheran Hospital Nurses Training school at La Crosse, and until her marriage was engaged in nursing there.

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Minnesota, Death Index, 1908-2002

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Name	**Blanche Johnson**
Death Age	76
Record Type	Death
Birth Date	5 Aug 1905
Death Date	6 May 1982
Death Place	Houston, Minnesota, USA
Death Registration Date	1982
Mother's Maiden Name	Paine
Certificate Number	012032
Record Number	2077506

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Wisconsin, Births and Christenings Index, 1826-1908

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Name	**Blanche Herreid**
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	8 Aug 1905
Birth Place	Ettrick, Trempealeau, Wisconsin
Father	Ole G Herreid
Mother	Mattie P Paine
FHL Film Number	1305596

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Berenice Anderson

BLAIR — Berenice Anderson, 81, died Tuesday at Grandview Care Center, Blair.

Berenice Herreid was born in rural Ettrick and married Martin Anderson Nov. 15, 1923. She moved to Blair in 1935.

Survivors include a son, Lyle, Blair; a daughter, Fern Aleckson, Taylor; two brothers, Carl, Richard, both of Ettrick; a sister, Grace Herreid, Ettrick; seven grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Zion Lutheran Church, Blair, with burial in the church cemetery.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. Thursday at Jack Funeral Home, Blair, and an hour before services at the church.

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#8/9 TWIN - Sister Berenice Herreid Anderson (1905-1986)

Blanche

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WEB: Minnesota, Marriages from the Minnesota Official Marriage System, 1850-2019

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Name	**Bernice Herreid**
Marriage Date	15 Nov 1923
Marriage Place	Winona, Minnesota, USA
Spouse	Martin Anderson
Certificate Number	Andmaherbe

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Ole G Herried in U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969

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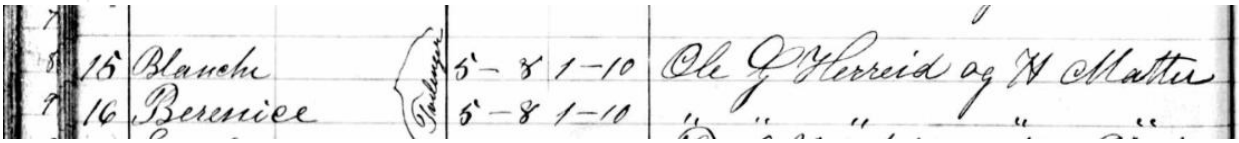

Blanche & Berenice -
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Ettrick, Wis.—(Special)—Martha Odele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Anderson, died at the Whitehall hospital Sunday morning following a brief illness. She was born Sept. 3, 1934. She is survived by two brothers, Merlin and Lyle; her parents, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole G. Herried and Anton Anderson of Hixton. Funeral services will be held Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. at the Ole G. Herried home and at 2 at the North Beaver Creek Lutheran church, the Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. Burial will be in the North Beaver Creek cemetery.

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Berenice Anderson

BLAIR, Wis. — Berenice Anderson, 81, of Blair died Tuesday, Oct. 14, 1986, in Grand View Care Center, Blair.

She was born Aug. 5, 1905, in rural Ettrick to Ole and Martha (Paine) Herreid.

She married Martin Anderson on Nov. 15, 1923. He died in March 1969.

She had lived in the Blair area since 1935.

She was a member of the Blair American Legion Auxiliary and was a Gold Star Mother.

Survivors are a son, Lyle of Blair; a daughter, Fern Aleckson of Taylor; seven grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Carl and Richard Herreid, both of Ettrick; and a sister, Grace Herreid of Ettrick.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by two sons, a daughter, two brothers, seven sisters, a grandchild and a great-grandchild.

Services will be Friday at 11 a.m. in the Zion Lutheran Church, Blair. The Rev. Ray Reinholtzen will officiate. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Friends may call at the Jack Funeral Home, Blair, on Thursday after 4 p.m. and at the church Friday from 10 to 11 a.m.

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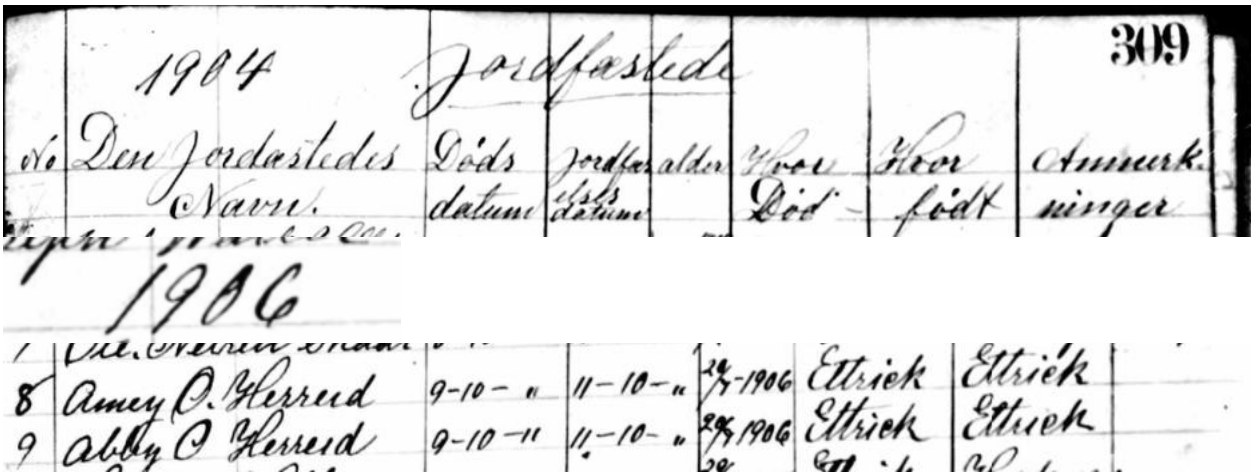

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Amy & Abby were baptized 9 Oct 1906 (the " is a ditto mark, not the number "11") – the day they died

#10/11 - TWIN - Sister Amy Herreid (1906-1906)

Amy Herried

Wisconsin, U.S., Births and Christenings Index, 1801-1928

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Detail

Name	Amy Herried
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	20 Jul 1906
Birth Place	Ettrick, Trempealeau, Wisconsin
Father	Ole G Herried
Mother	Mattie Paine
FHL Film Number	1305596

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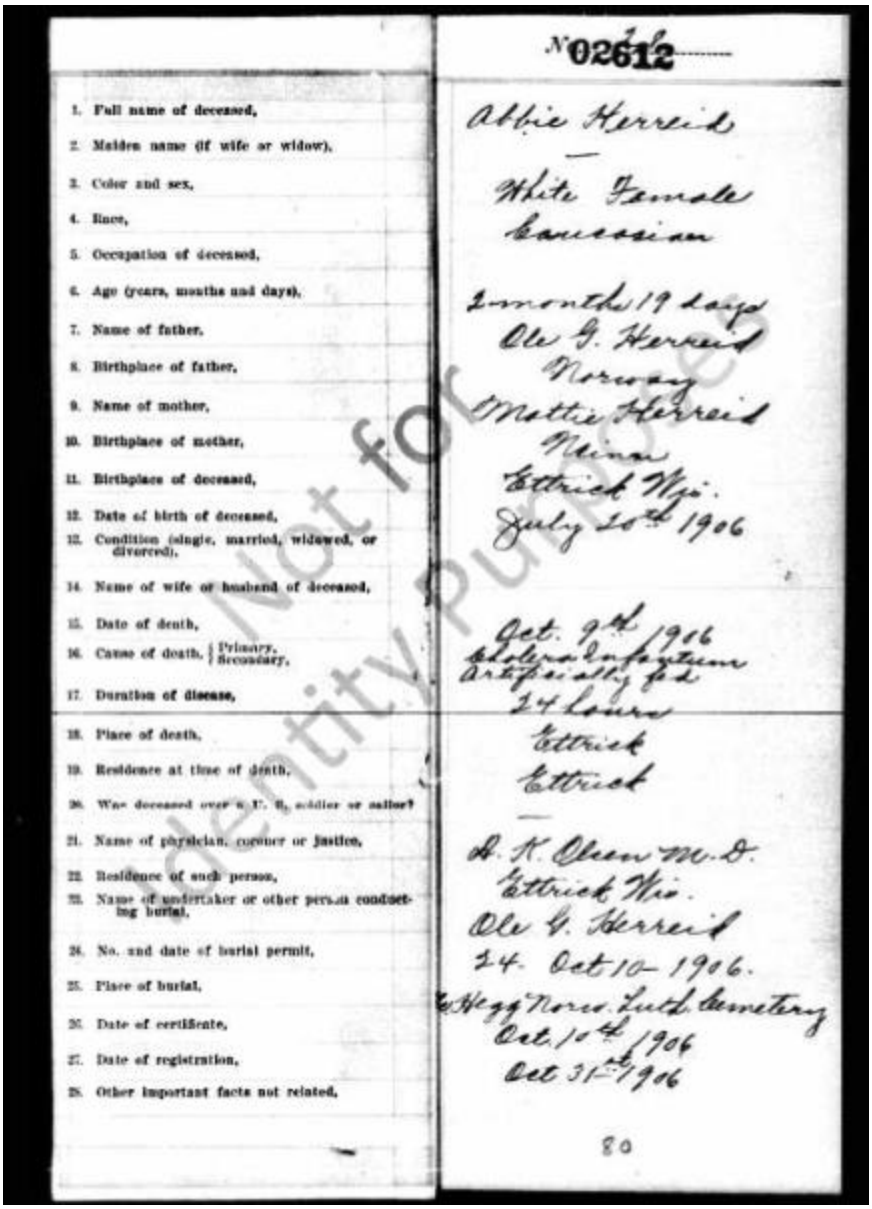

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2. Maiden name (if wife or widow),	—
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4. Race,	Caucasian
5. Occupation of deceased,	
6. Age (years, months and days),	2 months 19 days
7. Name of father,	Ole G. Herreid
8. Birthplace of father,	Norway
9. Name of mother,	Mattie Herreid
10. Birthplace of mother,	Nina
11. Birthplace of deceased,	Ettrick Wis.
12. Date of birth of deceased,	July 20th 1906
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14. Name of wife or husband of deceased,	
15. Date of death,	Oct. 9th 1906
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17. Duration of disease,	24 hours
18. Place of death,	Ettrick
19. Residence at time of death,	Ettrick
20. Was deceased ever in U. S. soldier or sailor?	—
21. Name of physician, coroner or justice,	A. K. Olson M.D.
22. Residence of such person,	Ettrick Wis.
23. Name of undertaker or other person conducting burial,	Ole G. Herreid
24. No. and date of burial permit,	24. Oct 10 1906.
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Wisconsin, Births and Christenings Index, 1826-1908

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Name	**Abbie Herried**
Gender	Female
Race	White
Birth Date	20 Jul 1906
Birth Place	Ettrick, Trempealeau, Wisconsin
Father	Ole G Herried
Mother	Mattie Paine
FHL Film Number	1305596

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#10/11 TWIN – sister Abbie Herreid (1906-1906)

Abby O Herreid in U.S., Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Church Records, 1781-1969

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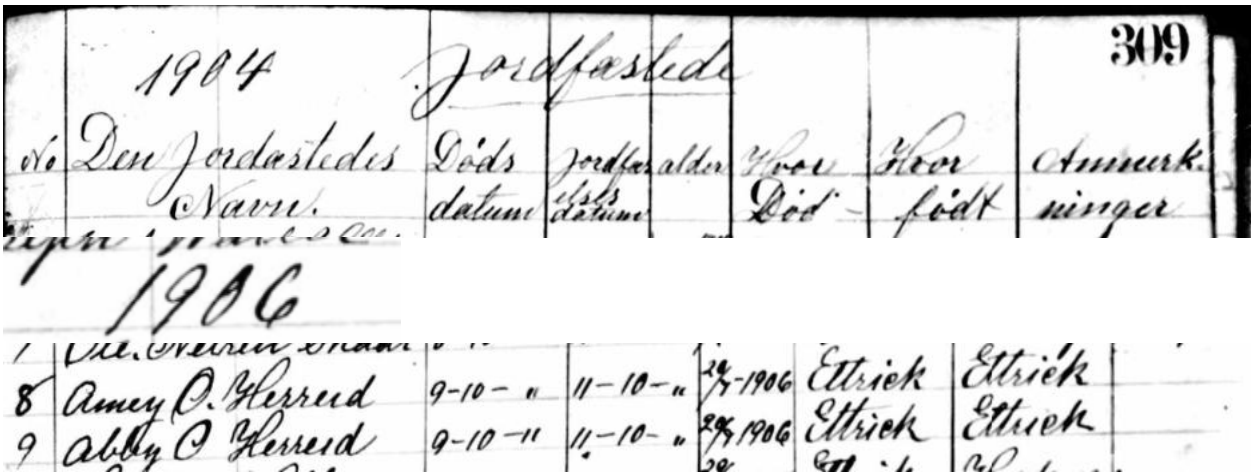

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Abbie Herreid

Wisconsin, U.S., Death Index, 1808-1907

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Detail

Name	Abbie Herreid
Death Date	9 Oct 1906
Death Place	Trempealeau, Wisconsin, USA
Volume	02
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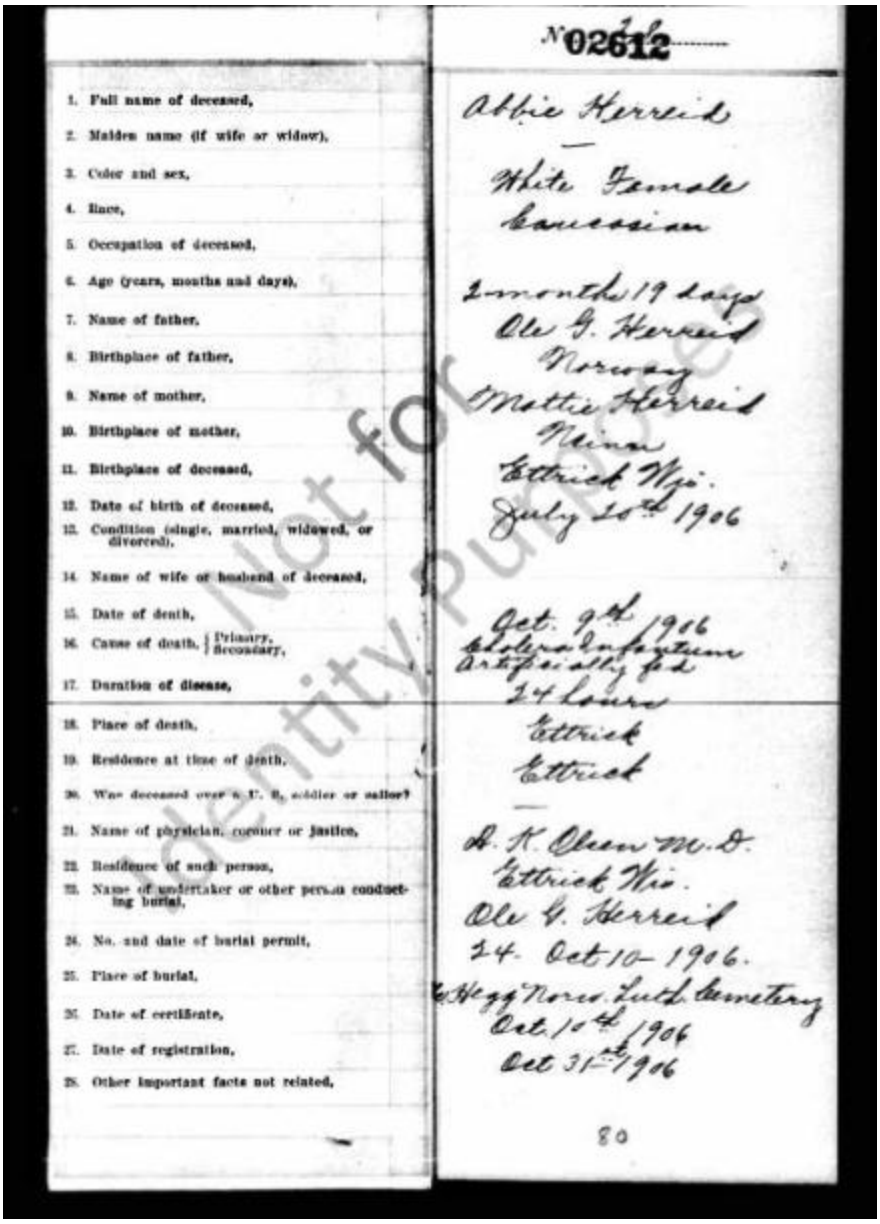

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Grace K. Herreid

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Grace farmed with her brothers. She enjoyed history, reading, bird watching and country music.

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Casket bearers will be Richard and Corey Crivits, Ralph and Gary Weisenberger, Al Foss and Cody Aleckson.

Visitation will be today from

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Visitation will be today from 6 to 8 p.m. at Jack Funeral Home in Blair, and also one hour prior to the services at the church Friday.

Memorials may be designated to the North Beaver Creek Lutheran Church building project fund.

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#12 - Sister Grace Katrina Herreid (1909-2004) -

U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-Current

View record

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Name	**Grace Herreid**
Social Security Number	398-05-9354
Birth Date	17 Jan 1909
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	Wisconsin
Last Residence	54627, Ettrick, Trempealeau, Wisconsin, USA
Death Date	22 Mar 2004

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Douglas Herreid

ETTRICK, Wis. — Douglas G. Herreid, 60, of Rt. 1, Ettrick died Saturday (April 4, 1992) in La Crosse, Wis.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at North Beaver Creek Parish, Faith Lutheran Church, rural Ettrick.

Burial will be in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, next to the church.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. Tuesday and 9-11 a.m. Wednesday at Jack Funeral Home, Blair, and also one hour before the service at the church Wednesday.

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Winona MN

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Large Selectee Group Leaving Whitehall Soon

Ettrick To Send 12 Men Of Quota, Galesville Has 11

Whitehall, Wis. — (Special) — The largest single contingent to report for induction into the army through selective service channels from Trempealeau county will leave Whitehall next Thursday. The boys will gather at the court house at 5:30 a. m. and go by chartered bus to Eau Claire for their final physical examination. Those meeting requirements will go from Eau Claire to Fort Sheridan, Ill. for induction.

Leaving with the Trempealeau county group but credited to quotas of counties where they originally registered will be Ralph Fernholz of Arcadia, who registered at Pontiac, Mich.; Eugene Thursten of Blair, who is registered with the board at Lakota, N. D. and Clarence Ness, Whitehall barber who came here from Jefferson, Wis.

Included in the April class of selectees are: Harold Oksnee, Andrew Jorgenson, Urban Dykstra, Neal Brenengan, Richard Thornton, John Gardner, Leo Olson, Lloyd Hanson, Lester and Arnold Bleken and Joseph Malesker, of Galesville.

Clarence Halverson, Odin Ulberg and Oscar Nyseth of Eleva.

George Thomas, Roman Slaby, Ralph Fernholz and Roman Kulas of Arcadia.

Edmund Halverson, Forrest Spangberg, Alton Amundson and Howard Johnson of Strum.

Ira Crow, Minard Storsven, Charles Nelson, Ernest Erickson, Paul Bishop, Richard Herreid, George Evenson, Theodore Peterson, Bernard Severson, Pyrl Christianson, Roland Johnson and Elmer Evenson, of Ettrick.

Bennie Kampa, Frank Kwosek, Arthur Johnson, Lyle Mattson, Roman Morchinek, Andrew Jaszewski, El Roy Mattson, Sanford Folkedahl, Joe Kampa and Maximilan Rombalski of Independence.

Arden Skadahl, Pigeon Falls; Reidar Oftedahl and Harry Crow, Osseo; Raleigh Trentor, Tommy Lee and Clarence Ness of Whitehall; Roman Eichman, Morton Pappenfuss and Peter Pellowski, of Trempealeau; Omer Thompson, Basil Mathson, Orvin Mattison, Orton Blom, Oliver Sagen, Edwin Arneson and Eugene Thursten of Blair.

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#13 - Brother Richard Donald Herreid (1911-1987)

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11	Richard Donald	5-8-11	8-10-11	O. G. Herrud & H. Mattson

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BLAIR

Blair, Wis.—(Special)—R. E. Dissmore went Tuesday to Chetek on business. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Duxbury and daughter Barbara visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tosten Thompson at Wisconsin Rapids. Miss Barbara remained and will visit with the Thompson children for several days longer.

Mark Metzger went Monday to Madison on business. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Herreid, Beloit, spent the week end with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Herreid. Richard Herreid of Hamden, Conn., who had been visiting at Beloit, accompanied them and will visit here a short time and with friends and relatives in Wisconsin and Minnesota.

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Ettrick, Wis. —(Special)—Lester Forseth of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. is visiting his parents in South Beaver Creek. Pyrl Christianson and Richard Herreid are located at Fort Lewis, Wash.

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Ettrick Vows Join Couple

ETTRICK, Wis.—Mrs. Viola Bleken and Richard Herreid were united before Rev. James Ennis Saturday, Oct. 5, at 11 a.m., at St. Bridget's Catholic Church. Organ music was by Suzanne Sheehy.

Attending were Nancy Bleken and Thomas Stellflue. The bride wore a brocaded sheath of irridescent green and blue, her flowers pink roses. Miss Bleken wore a brown flowered sheer over tan satin and a corsage of orange colored roses. Both had black hats.

Dinner was served to the immediate family at Jackson's Riverview Restaurant, Trempealeau.

The couple will reside in Ettrick until their new home is built. Mr. Herreid is engaged in farming in the North Beaver Creek area.

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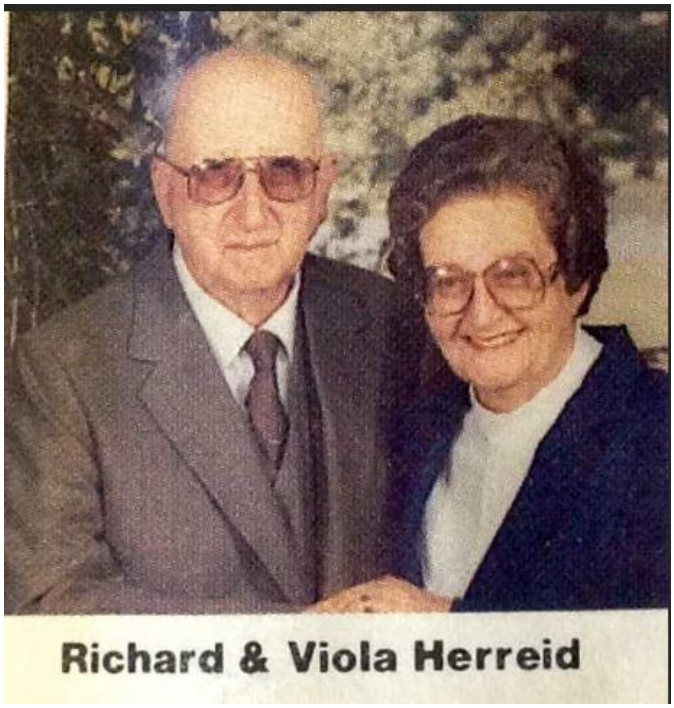

Richard & wife Viola Decker Bleken Herreid - https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/115619804/person/262550667585/media/d9008a11-c053-4266-adef-5af0e63c130e

Ettrick Postnuptial

ETTRICK, Wis.—Mrs. Richard Herreid was given a housewarming and postnuptial shower Wednesday afternoon by nearly 50 women from the Beach area. In charge of arrangements were Mrs. Edwin Gunderson, Mrs. Sander Lynghamer and Mrs. Eugene Herreid.

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ETTRICK, Wis.—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Herreid announce the engagement of her daughter, Nancy Lou Bleken, to Thomas Stellflue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stellflue. Miss Bleken is enrolled at Coleman Vocational School, La Crosse, and Stellflue is engaged in trucking for the Weiss Construction Co. Their wedding will be at St. Bridget's Catholic Church Saturday, June 20.

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Viola A. Herreid

ETTRICK, Wis. — Viola A. Herreid, 71, R.1, Ettrick, died Saturday, Aug. 2, 1986, in La Crosse Lutheran Hospital.

She was born May 29, 1915, in Freemont, Minn., to Jacob and Mathilda (Sechell) Decker.

She married Clarence Bleken. He died Jan. 19, 1957.

On Oct. 5, 1963, she married Richard Herreid, in Ettrick.

She was a member of the Ettrick American Legion Auxiliary Post 354, and St. Bridget's Catholic Church Altar Society.

Survivors are her husband; a son, John Bleken of La Crosse; three daughters, Mary Emmons of Copperas Cove, Texas, Nancy Stellflue and Gloria Bleken, both of Ettrick; seven grandchildren; a great-grandson; and two sisters, Lorine O'Rourke and Josephine Lorbiecki, both of Winona.

Services will be Tuesday at 11 a.m. in St. Bridget's Catholic Church, Ettrick. The Rev. Thomas McInnis will officiate. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Friends may call at the Fossum Funeral Home, Ettrick, today from 4 to 9 p.m. with a rosary to be recited at 8 p.m.

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Richard D. Herreid

ETTRICK, Wis. — Services for Richard D. Herreid, 76, R.1, Ettrick, will be at 11 a.m. Friday in Faith Lutheran Church, North Beaver Creek, Ettrick. The Rev. Robert Nelson will officiate. Burial will be in the church cemetery, with military rites by Runnestrand Pederson Post 354, Ettrick.

Friends may call from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the Fossum Funeral Home, Ettrick, with a prayer service at 8 p.m. Friends may also call at the church from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday.

Herreid died Tuesday, Aug. 18, 1987, in Lutheran Hospital, La Crosse.

He was born Aug. 5, 1911, in Ettrick to Ole and Martha (Paine) Herreid.

He married Viola A. Bleken Oct. 5, 1963 in St. Bridget's Catholic Church, Ettrick. She died Aug. 2, 1986.

He was a swine farmer all his life.

A veteran of World War II, he was a member of American Legion Post 354 for 41 years.

Survivors are a son, John Bleken of La Crosse; three daughters, Mary Emmons of Copperas Cove, Texas, Nancy Stellflue and Gloria Bleken, both of Ettrick; a sister, Grace Herreid of Ettrick; seven grandchildren; a great-grandson; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by three brothers and seven sisters.

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Abbreviations:
b = born
d = died
F: = Find A Grave (www.findagrave.org)
NOK = next-of-kin

Name: Carl Julian Herreid
Name variations: Earl J. Herreid (in error) – surname often misspelled Herried
Military:
On Tuscania: 107th Supply Co. F - private
Serial number: 251,315
Entered service from: Ettrick, Trempealeau WI
Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Carl J. Herreid
Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": mother Mrs. Ole T. Herreid, RR 1, Ettrick WI
Returned from war on: "Virginian" May 1919
Sailed on return ship as: Carl J. Herreid
Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Ole G. Herreid, Ettrick WI (sailed home on same ship with brother Gordon Herreid) (PFC, Co. F, 107th Supply Train)

World War I draft registration (1917):

National Tuscania Survivors Association 1939 roster: 1939 NTSA: Route #1, Ettrick WI - 1955 WI Survivors: 215 - 4th St., Baraboo WI. 1939 NTSA: Route #1, Ettrick WI - 1955 WI Survivors: 215 - 4th St., Baraboo WI. (also listed as Earl J.)

World War II draft registration (1942): as Carl Julian Herreid - b. 29 Sep 1896 Ettrick WI; res: Ettrick, Trempealeau WI. NOK sister Grace Herreid. Employed by Carl Herreid, farming in Ettrick, Trempealeau WI. "one finger missing on left hand" Height: 5'11" – 180 lbs. Registered 27 Apr 1942.

Veterans Administration Military Index:
Enlistment, discharge, rank/unit & death dates not listed.
Address: Ettrick WI
Born: 29 Sep 1896

Birth & death:
Born: 29 Sep 1896 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI
Died: 21 Mar 1987 La Crosse, La Crosse WI (Lutheran Hospital in La Crosse WI)
Find A Grave record: 143584946, presence on Tuscania noted in flower
Burial location: Hegg, Trempealeau WI
Cemetery: Faith Lutheran
Tombstone:

Father: Ole Gilbert Herreid, 5 Apr 1863 Lodi, Columbia WI – 6 Oct 1938 Trempealeau Co. WI.
Son of Gilbert Olson Herreid & Ingeborg Torgersdater Twinde. Also found as Ole Gulbrandson Herreid.
Farmed 155 acres in Ettrick township, Trempealeau Co. WI At age 18 began working in the woods in the wintertime & continued to live with his parents until age 27, when he purchased his farm from his father. Also operated a threshing outfit. Stockholder in Ettrick Creamery Company; operated a cream route. –
Buried in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI.
Find A Grave: 30692469

Mother: Martha Pricilla/Prisilla Paine ("Mattie") Herreid, 21 Sep 1870 Madelia, Watonwan MN – 8 Jul 1933 Trempealeau Co. WI.
Daughter of William G. (or Harrison) Paine & Guri Dale (Dahl) Paine Johnson.
Her father was born in MA & at age 14 had gone to sea on his uncle's whaling vessel. After 5 years, he enlisted in the 8th Rhode Island Artillery & served 3 years in the Civil War. William came west with a military company under the command of General Sibley, which disbanded in St. Cloud MN, where William began operating a hotel, then moved to Madelia MN. After William's death, Julia married Ed Instenes Johnson. –
Buried in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI.
Find A Grave: 30692478
Parents' marriage: 9 Oct 1890 Whitehall, Trempealeau WI – in North Beaver Creek Congregational Church

Spouse: never married

Siblings:
There were 13 children, with 10 alive in 1933. Dying in childhood were Gilbert, Amy & Abbie.
Carl was born after the twins Gordon & Gilbert.
There were 3 sets of twins: Gordon/Gilbert, Berenice/Blanche & Abbie/Amy.

- Emma Herreid, 31 May 1891 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 10 Aug 1963 Trempealeau Co. WI. – Confirmed 13 May 1906 in Beaver Creek Congregation Evangelical Lutheran Church. - Never married. - Buried in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI. F: 203956226
- Willa Herreid Hammerle, 28 Nov 1892 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 14 Sep 1961 Marshfield, Wood WI. – Baptized in Beaver Creek Congregation Evangelical Lutheran Church on 26 Dec 1912. - Married 2 Jul 1919 in Hennepin Co. MN to Peter Paul Hammerle (1896-1961, F: 185543737). Her marriage record at www.moms.mn.gov misspells her surname as Herried. The marriage apparently dissolved. - Her obituary from the "Marshfield (WI) News-Herald" 14 Sep 1961 p 16 is copied above. She worked in Minneapolis as a young woman & was survived by 2 sons, 5 sisters & 4 brothers. - Buried in Hillside Cemetery, Marshfield, Wood, WI. F: 126355318
- Gordon Paine Herreid, 24 Sep 1894 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 12 May 1975 La Crosse, La Crosse WI. - Twin of Gilbert. Fellow Tuscania survivor of brother Carl. Full biography available separately at www.tuscania1918.org. - Buried in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI. F: 145531499
- Gilbert Paine Herreid, 24 Sep 1894 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – by 1900 presumably. - Twin of Gordon. - Died as a child. Not listed in 1900 census; mother indicates 1 child has died. – His twin Gordon was baptized in North Beaver Creek Evangelical Lutheran Church on 28 Oct 1894, which leads to the supposition that Gilbert had died in his first month of life.

- Leo Herreid, 6 Apr 1900 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 25 Feb 1978 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI. – His birthdate of 6 Apr 1900 appears on his church records, WWI & WWII draft records. - Baptized 13 May(?) 1900 in Beaver Creek Congregation Evangelical Lutheran Church. His obituary from the "Winona (MN) Daily News" 27 Feb 1978 p 9 copied above. - Never married. - Buried in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI but not on Find A Grave as of 9 Aug 2026.
- Rachel Herreid Olson, 12 May 1902 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 18 Mar 1978 Black River Falls, Jackson WI. - Church records of Beaver Creek Congregation Evangelical Lutheran Church show her baptism on 15 Jun 1902 & birth on 12 May 1902. -Wife of Joseph Arnold Olson (1895-1984, F: 79568008). Rachel "Herried" (her surname misspelled on MN records) married Joseph Olson in Winona Co. MN on 6 Feb 1926. - Buried in Woodlawn Cemetery, Taylor, Jackson WI. F: 79568228
- Blanche Herreid Lipke Johnson, 5 Aug 1905 rural Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 6 May 1982 Houston, Houston MN. - Twin of Berenice. Blanche is listed before Berenice in the 1910 & 1920 censuses, so presumably the older of the twins? - Married to Bert Carl Lipke (1894 WI – 1937 WI) whom she married 6 Oct 1932. Bert's obituary in the "La Crosse (WI) Tribune" 8 Dec 1937 p 7 – he was born 23 Mar 1894 in New London WI & died 1 Dec 1937 in La Crosse WI. He married 6 Oct 1932 to Blanche Herreid of Ettrick, who is a registered nurse at Lutheran Hospital, La Crosse WI. He was buried in the cemetery next to North Beaver Creek Lutheran Church. – As Blanche Herreid, she married William S. (Willie) Johnson (1889 MN – 19968 MN, F: 39557111), the son of Severin Johnson & Johanna Christina Carlson, on 11 Aug 1939 in Blair, Trempealeau WI. Marriage: "La Crosse (WI) Tribune" Sunday, 3 Sep 1939 p 8 – Blanche Herreid, R.N., daughter of the late Mr. & Mrs. Ole G. Herreid of North Beaver Creek married William S. Johnson, son of Mr. & Mrs. Severin Johnson of Houston MN on Friday morning, 1 Sep 1939, at Zion Lutheran Church, Blair WI. A wedding dinner followed at the bride's home. After 1 Oct 1939 the couple will live in Houston MN where William has insurance & monuments businesses. Blanche is a graduate of Lutheran Hospital Nurses Training School in La Crosse WI. - Graduate of La Crosse WI Lutheran Hospital School of Nursing in 1926. Survived by 2 brothers: Richard & Carl J. Herreid, both of Ettrick WI & 2 sisters, Miss Grace Herreid (Ettrick) & Mrs. Bernice Anderson (Blair WI). - Buried in Silver Creek Cemetery, Houston, Houston Co. MN. F: 39557129
- Berenice Herreid Anderson, 5 Aug 1905 rural Ettrick, Trempealeau WI– 14 Oct 1986 Blair, Trempealeau WI (in the Grandview Care Center). - Twin of Blanche. - Wife of Martin Thomas Anderson (1896-1969, F: 148791638), the son of Anton Christian Anderson & Syvrine Hoern. "Bernice" married Martin Anderson on 15 Nov 1923 in Winona Co. MN- Buried in Zion Lutheran Cemetery, Blair, Trempealeau WI. F: 148799975
- Amy Herreid, 20 Jul 1906 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 9 Oct 1906 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI. - Twin of Abbie. – Her WI death record, like that of her twin Abbie, lists the cause of death as "cholera infantum – artificially fed." – The twins were baptized by North Beaver Congregation Evangelical Lutheran Church on 9 Oct 1906, the day their died. Her name appears as Amey Herreid on her baptismal record. – Cholera infantum, also called "summer diarrhea" or "the disease of the season," was prevalent in the first two decades of the 20th century, and then tapered off. The pathogen that caused it is still unknown. Discussions about its decrease ponder improved water treatment or milk hygiene and food safety as possible reasons, which makes the note "artificially fed" an interesting comment. - The twins share a tombstone in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI. F: 30692353

- Abbie Herreid, 20 Jul 1906 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 9 Oct 1906 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI. Twin of Amy. - Her WI death record, like that of her twin Amy, lists the cause of death as "cholera infantum – artificially fed." – The twins were baptized by North Beaver Congregation Evangelical Lutheran Church on 9 Oct 1906, the day their died. – Cholera infantum, also called "summer diarrhea" or "the disease of the season," was prevalent in the first two decades of the 20th century, and then tapered off. The pathogen that caused it is still unknown. Discussions about its decrease ponder improved water treatment or milk hygiene and food safety as possible reasons, which makes the note "artificially fed" an interesting comment. - The twins share a tombstone in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI. F: 30692360
- Grace Katrina Herreid, 17 Jan 1909 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 22 Mar 2004 Whitehall, Trempealeau WI (in the Tri-County Memorial Nursing Home). – Baptized Grace Katrina on 21 Feb 1909 in North Beaver Creek Congregation Evangelical Lutheran Church. Gave birth to Douglas Garth Herreid on 27 Apr 1931 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI. Douglas died 4 Apr 1992 in La Crosse Co. WI, also buried in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI, F: 30692450.. - In the 1940 census Grace & son Douglas Herreid live in Ettrick, Trempealeau WI with her siblings Leo, Richard, Carl, Gordon& Emma. – In the 1950 census for Ettrick, Trempealeau WI, Grace K. (age 41, sister) & Douglas G. Herreid (age 19, nephew) live with her siblings Leo & Carl. - Buried in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI. F: 30692460
- Richard Donald Herreid, 5 Aug 1911 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – 18 Aug 1987 La Crosse, La Crosse WI. – Baptized 8 Oct 1911 in North Beaver Congregation Evangelical Lutheran Church. - Married widowed Mrs. Viola A. Decker Bleken on 5 Oct 1963 in St. Bridget's Catholic Church, Ettrick, Trempealeau WI. Viola Decker was the daughter of Jacob John Decker & Mathilda Schell, born 29 May 1915 Freemont (Fremont?) MN, died 2 Aug 1986 La Crosse, La Crosse WI. She had married Clarence Milton ("Hooks") Bleken (1904-1957, F: 109091331). Viola is buried in St. Bridget's Catholic Cemetery, Ettrick, Trempealeau WI, F: 109091306. – Richard shares a tombstone with his parents, Ole & Martha. - Buried in Faith Lutheran Cemetery, Hegg, Trempealeau WI. F: 30692580

Notes:

Carl Julian Herreid & his brother Gordon Paine Herreid, both Tuscania survivors, sailed on the ship with their first cousin, John Hellekson. The 3 men were from Trempealeau County WI. The father of Gordon & Carl was Ole Gilbert Herreid.
Ole was the brother of John Hellekson's mother, Sena Herreid Hellekson.
The parents of Ole & Sena Herreid were Gilbert Olson Herreid & Ingeborg Torgesdatter (Twinde) Herreid, Carl, Julian and John's grandparents.

Pre-war:

Baptized in the Beaver Creek Congregation, Evangelical Lutheran Church of America at Whitehall WI on 1 Nov 1896.

Wartime:

"Minneapolis (MN) Star Tribune" 10 Feb 1918 p 2 - in Ettrick, Trempealeau Co. WI (a town of 200 people), farmer Ole Herreid was in the general store talking about the Kaiser when the phone rang

with the news that his 2 sons, "Earl J." & G.H. Herreid were on board the Tuscania. This was the 1st Ole knew about it. They were 2 of 5 Ettrick WI boys aboard, with 17 men from Trempealeau Co. [copied above]

“Wisconsin State Journal” (Madison WI) 10 Feb 1918 p 4 – “Tuscania Survivors – Maybe His Name is Here” – lists Carl J. Herreid of Etterick [sic] & Goron [sic] P. Herreid of Ettrick WI.

Post-war:

“La Crosse (WI) Tribune” 19 Nov 1938 p 6 – news from Ettrick: Gordon & Carl Herreid among those who will hunt deer in northern WI over the next few days. Also hunting: John Hellekson [their cousin & fellow Tuscania survivor]

“Winona (MN) Daily News” 5 Feb 1948 p 3 – the 30th anniversary of the sinking of the Tuscania. Otis E. Hutchins was a casualty; among the other 14 Trempealeau Co. men aboard were Carl J. Herreid & Gordon P. Herreid, both of Ettrick WI.

"La Crosse (WI) Tribune" 7 Feb 1949 p. 2 – photo - at Tuscania reunion, with brother Gordon, both residents of Ettrick WI

Obituary:

"La Crosse [WI] Tribune" 23 Mar 1987 p 10 – Carl Herreid, age 90, Rte 1, Ettrick WI. Born Ettrick WI, the son of Ole G. & Martha (Paine) Herreid. WWI Army veteran. Farmed & was a part-time carpenter in the Ettrick area. Survived by brother Richard Herreid & sister Mrs. Blanche Johnson. Burial in Faith Lutheran Cemetery. Preceded in death by 2 brothers & 5 sisters

Social Security number: 392-32-1289

Censuses:

1900 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – conducted 7 Jun 1900 – Gordon’s twin Gilbert has died
Ole G. Herreid, 37 WI, Apr 1863, parents b. Norway, married 9 years, farming
Mattie, 29 MN, Sep 1870, father b. MA, mother b. Norway, gave birth to 6 children, 5 are living
Emma, 9 WI, May 1891, at school
Willa, 7 WI, Nov 1892, at school
Gordon, 5 WI, Sep 1894
Carl, 3 WI, Sep 1896
Leo, 2 months WI, Apr 1900
& servant Nicholai Bue, 19 Norway, Feb 1881, parents b. Norway, farm laborer

1905 WI state census – Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – as of 1 Jun 1905
Ole G. Herreid, 42 Norway, farmer [he was born in WI]
Matta, 37 WI [she was born in MN]
Emma, 18 WI
Milla, 12 WI
Gordon, 10 WI
Carl, 8 WI
Leo, 6 WI
Rachel, 2 WI
& servant Ole Amundson, 26 WI, parents b. Norway, labor

1910 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – Gilbert, Amy & Abbie have died – conducted 21 Apr 1910
Ole G. Herreid, 47 WI, parents b. Norway, married 19 years, farmer, general farm
Martha P., 39 MN, father b. Norway, mother b. MA [this is reversed], gave birth to 12 children, 9 are living
Emma, 18 WI
Willa, 17 WI
Gordon P., 16 WI
Carl J., 14 WI
Leo, 10 WI
Raichel, 8 WI
Blanch, 4 WI
Berneice, 4 WI
Grace, 1 WI

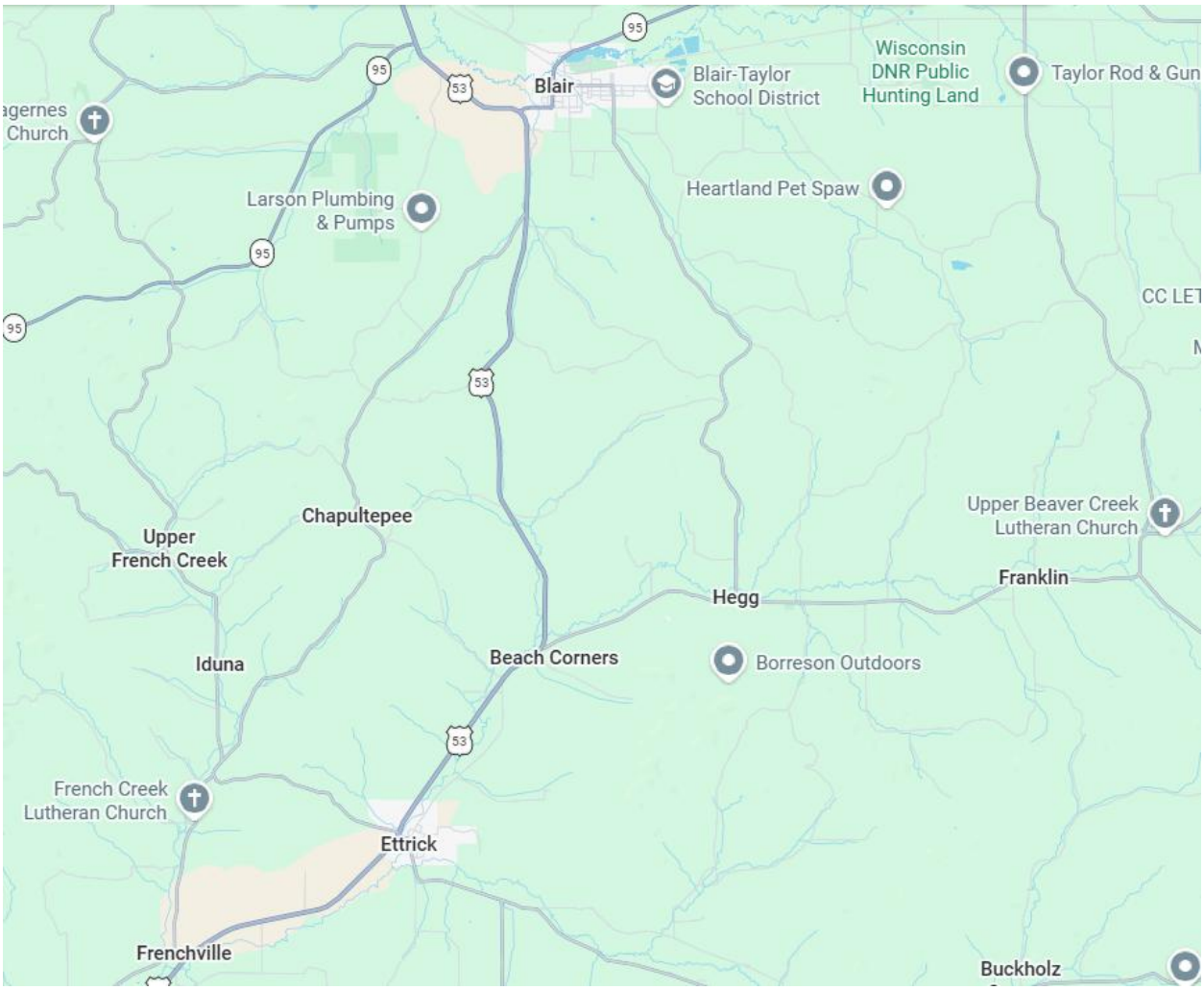
1920 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – Hegg Rd. – conducted 7 Jan 1920
Ole G. Herreid, 57 WI, parents b. Norway, farmer, general farming
Mattie, 47 MN, father b. MA, mother b. Norway
Emma, 28 WI, dressmaker, own home
Gordon, 25 WI, laborer, working out
Carl, 23 WI, laborer, farm, working out
Leo, 19 WI, laborer, home farm
Rachal [sic], 17 WI
Blanch, 14 WI
Burnise, 14 WI
Grace, 10 WI
Richard, 8 WI
[all the children are single]

1930 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – conducted 28 Apr 1930
Ole G. Herreid, 66 WI, parents b. Norway, age 27 at 1st marriage, farmer, general farm
Martha P., 59 MN, father b. MA, mother b. Norway, age 19 at 1st marriage
Emma, 38 WI, dressmaking, own shop
Gordon, 35 WI, carpenter, house, WWI veteran
Carl, 33 WI, engineer, steam, WWI veteran
Leo, 29 WI, farm laborer, general farm
Blanch, 24 WI, R. nurse, special
Grace, 21 WI, servant, private family

Richard, 18 WI, farm laborer, general farm
[all children are single]

1940 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI – lived in rural Trempealeau Co. WI in 1935 – form is undated
Leo Herreid, 40 WI, farmer, farm [head]
Richard D., 28 WI, farm laborer [brother]
Carl J., 43 WI, farm laborer [brother]
Gordon, 45 WI, proprietor, retail grocer store [brother]
Grace K., 31 WI, saleslady, retail grocer store [sister]
Emma, 48 WI, house keeper, farm [sister]
Douglas, 8 WI [nephew]
[everyone is single]

1950 Ettrick, Trempealeau WI - conducted 21 Apr 1950
Leo Herreid, 50 WI, farmer, farm [head of household]
Carl J., 52 WI, farm helper, farm [brother]
Grace K., 41 WI [sister]
Douglas G., 19 WI, farm helper, farm [nephew]



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