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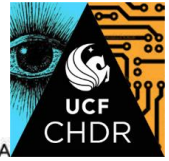
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UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA

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of History



Robert Stevenson Boyd

1924 – 2021

First Lieutenant: US Army Air Forces (USAAF)

Service Number: 33632304

World War II

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SCHEDULE I.—Inhabitants in 11th St. Township, in the County of Warren, State of Virginia, enumerated by me on the 25th day of June, 1870.

Post Office: Hamborough Jennings Miller, Ass't Marshal.

1	2	3	4			7	8		10	11		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		
			4	5	6		8	9		11	12										
Inhabitant		Name of every person whose place of abode on the first day of June, 1870, was in this family.	Age	Sex	Color	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each person, male or female.	Value of Real Estate Owned	Value of Personal Estate	Place of Birth, naming State or Territory of U. S.; or the Country, if of foreign birth.	Father of foreign birth.	Mother of foreign birth.	If born within the year, state month (Date, Day, Mo.)	If married within the year, state month (Date, Day, Mo.)	Attended school within the year	Cannot read.	Cannot write.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane or idiotic.	Males 15 years of age and over	Females 15 years of age and over	Total	
1	15																				13
2			Mary E	18	F	Housewife			Virginia												
3			Lewis L.	22	M	"			Virginia												
4			George L.	18	M	"			Virginia												
5			William James	21	M	"			Virginia												
6			Black James	16	M	School teacher			Maryland												
7	14																				
8	31	11	Grant John L.	18	M	Farmer	2000	300	Virginia												
9			Melita	18	F	Housewife			Virginia												
10			Lillian	20	F	at Home			Virginia												
11			John L.	18	M	"			Virginia												
12			William	16	M	"			Virginia												
13			David	18	M	"			Virginia												
14			Conelia	8	F	"			Virginia												
15			Robert	6	M	"			Virginia												
16			Wesley	2	M	"			Virginia												
17			Lawson Mary	21	F	Housewife			Virginia												
18			Lillian	6	F	"			Virginia												
19			Lillian	2	F	"			Virginia												
20	31	15	W. J. L. Co. 11	17	M	Farmer	2500	1000	Virginia												
21			Rudolph	22	M	Housewife			Virginia												
22			Walter	20	M	at Home			Virginia												
23			Marshall	19	M	"			Virginia												
24			Sarah	17	F	"			Virginia												
25			Mathew	16	M	"			Virginia												
26			George W.	18	M	"			Virginia												
27			Lisa L.	16	F	"			Virginia												
28			Wagner	8	M	"			Virginia												
29	32	16	Boyd James	17	M	Farmer	6000	1800	Virginia												
30			Georgia M.	26	F	Housewife			Virginia												
31			William	11	M	at Home			Virginia												
32			Walter	16	M	"			Virginia												
33			John	11	M	"			Virginia												
34			Ernest M.	1	M	"			Virginia												
35			Stufe Mary	15	F	Housewife			Virginia												
36			Washington	16	M	at Home			Virginia												
37			John Henry	23	M	Farmer			Virginia												
38	23																				
39	51																				
40																					
		X		No. of dwellings, 56		No. of white females, 12		No. of males, foreign born, 1100		3500		No. of families, 1		-		44		5		6	
				" " families, 57		" " colored males, 21		" " females, "		"		"		"		"		"		"	
				" " white males, 12		" " females, 2		" " blind, "		"		"		"		"		"		"	

Robert's Father in the 1870 United States Federal Census

"1870 United States Federal Census," database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Ernest W Boyd, Warren, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/36919773:7163>

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Note A.—The Census Year begins June 1, 1879, and ends May 31, 1880.
Note B.—All persons will be included in the Enumeration who were living on the 1st day of June, 1880. No others will. Children BORN SINCE June 1, 1880, will be OMITTED. Members of Families who have DIED SINCE June 1, 1880, will be INCLUDED.
Note C.—Questions Nos. 13, 14, 22 and 23 are not to be asked in respect to persons under 10 years of age.

SCHEDULE I.—Inhabitants in South Cross District, in the County of Warren, State of Virginia
enumerated by me on the 19th day of June, 1880.

Shadrach Hazlett
Enumerator.

Inhabitants	Name	Sex	Age	Color	Marital Status	Profession, Occupation, or Trade	Place of Birth	Place of Birth of Father	Place of Birth of Mother	Place of Birth of Grandfather	Place of Birth of Grandmother	Education		Literacy	
												Can read and write	Can neither read nor write	Can read	Can write
1	318288	Andrick Susan	W	F	00	Wife	Housekeeper	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia				
2		Boonard	M	M	2	Man	At Home								
3		Boonard	M	M	4	Man	At Home								
4		Mary	W	F	10	Child									
5	388289	James Lloyd	M	M	68	Farmer									
6		Mary	W	F	68	Housekeeper									
7		Robert	M	M	34	Laborer									
8		John	M	M	33										
9		William	M	M	28										
10		Lester	M	M	16										
11		Marcellus	M	M	50	Boarder	At Home								
12	388290	James Andrew	M	M	30	Boarder	Bot Agent								
13		Mary	W	F	23	Wife	Housekeeper								
14		Ellen	W	F	23	Wife	At Home								
15		William	M	M	23	Child	At Home								
16	388291	Samuel	M	M	58	Farmer	At Home								
17		Mary	W	F	45	Wife	Housekeeper								
18		John	M	M	47	Man	Laborer								
19	388292	Boyd James	M	M	65	Farmer									
20		Joe	M	M	46	Farmer									
21		William	M	M	16	Child	At School								
22		John	M	M	13										
23		William	M	M	10										
24		Joe	M	M	7	Child									
25	388293	Whitson	M	M	23	Laborer									
26		Lizzy	W	F	25	Wife	Housekeeper								
27	388294	John	M	M	21	Farmer									
28		Agnes	W	F	22	Wife	Housekeeper								
29		Larkin	M	M	21	Child	Laborer								
30		Henry	M	M	13	Child	At School								
31		Barney	M	M	13	Child	At School								
32	388295	Hamilton	M	M	30	Laborer									
33		William	M	M	27	Man	Housekeeper								
34		Joseph	M	M	13	Child	At Home								
35		George	M	M	10	Child									
36		Joseph	M	M	3	Child									
37	388296	Rich	M	M	76	Farmer									
38		Lacy	W	F	62	Wife	Housekeeper								
39		Franklin	M	M	26	Man	Laborer								
40		Martha	W	F	20	Wife	Laborer								
41	388297	John	M	M	38	Laborer									
42		Ellie	W	F	25	Wife	Housekeeper								
43		Lillie	W	F	1	Child	At Home								
44		Mary	W	F	70	Wife									
45		Amenda	W	F	72	Wife									
46	388298	Emily	W	F	30	Wife	Laborer								
47		Emily	W	F	28	Wife	Housekeeper								
48		Edith	W	F	2	Child	At Home								
49	388299	Anthony	M	M	49	Farmer									
50		Ann	W	F	47	Wife	Housekeeper								

Note D.—In making entries in columns 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 to 21, an affirmative mark only will be used—thus /, except in the case of divorced persons, column 11, when the letter "D" is to be used.
Note E.—Question No. 11 will only be asked in cases where an affirmative answer has been given either in question 10 or in question 11.
Note F.—Question No. 14 will only be asked in cases where a paid occupation has been reported in column 11.
Note G.—In column 7 an abbreviation in the name of the month may be used, as Jan., Apr., Dec.

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SCHEDULE

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Robert's Father in the 1880 United States Federal Census

"1880 United States Federal Census," database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for William E. Boyd, Warren, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/12673522:6742>

Administrative County of <u>Cheshire</u>		The undermentioned Houses are situate within the Boundaries of the										Page 45			
Civil Parish of <u>Harrington</u>		Municipal Borough of <u>Harrington</u>		Municipal Ward of <u>White Cross</u>		Urban Sanitary District of <u>Harrington</u>		Town or Village or Hamlet of _____		Rural Sanitary District of _____		Parliamentary Borough or Division of <u>Harrington</u>	Ecclesiastical Parish or District of <u>St. Barnabas</u>		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
No. of Schedule	ROAD, STREET, &c., and No. or NAME of HOUSE	HOUSES	Number of Inhabitants (U.) or Buildings (B.)	Number of Persons	NAME and Surname of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	CON-DITION as to Marriage	AGE last Birthday of	PROFESSION or OCCUPATION	Employer	Employed	Number of Children	WHERE BORN	(1) Deaf-and-Dumb (2) Blind (3) Lame, Imbecile or idiot	
223	14 Howard Street	1			Mrs Williamson	Head	Wid	22					Lancashire Harrington		
					John	Son	S	21	Wool Furnace man		X		D. D.		
					Mary	Son	S	19	Fusion Cutler		X		D. D.		
					William	Son	S	8	Scholar				D. D.		
					Mrs	Son	S	4					D. D.		
					Mrs	Son	S	2					D. D.		
224	16 D.	1			Henry Woodhouse	Head	M	37	Polyp-down - Mrs mill		X		Staffordshire Bursley Hill		
					Mary	Son	M	11	Dressmaker		X		D. D.		
					Albert H.	Son	S	16	Mrs. Lace maker		X		Lancashire Harrington		
					Mary L.	Son	S	7	Fusion Cutler		X		D. D.		
					Arthur	Son	S	13					D. D.		
					Maria	Son	S	1					D. D.		
225	18 D.	1			Hannah Preston	Head	Wid	32					Cheshire Runcorn		
					Richard	Son	S	22	Mrs Canal labourer		X		D. Latchford		
					Joseph	Son	S	19	Mrs. Horse Wagoner		X		Lancashire Harrington		
226	20 D.	1			Ephraim Stanger	Head	M	33	Forge labourer		X		D. D.		
					Mrs	Wife	M	30					D. D.		
					John A.	Son	S	9	Scholar				D. D.		
					Margaret	Son	S	4					D. D.		
					Caroline	Son	S	9					D. D.		
					Elizabeth	Son	S	4					D. D.		
227	22 D.	1			Henry Wright	Head	M	34	Widow		X		Staffordshire Ledley		
					Elizabeth	Son	M	24					London Bow		
					Mary	Son	S	5	Scholar				Lancashire Harrington		
					Lily	Son	S	4					London Bow		
					Annie	Son	S	2					Lancashire Harrington		
					Fanny	Son	S	3 mo					D. D.		
228	24 D.	1			Verbeck Reynolds	Head	M	24	Forge Furnaceman		X		Staffordshire N. K.		
					Annie	Son	M	17					Lancashire Harrington		
					Gertrude	Son	S	2					D. D.		
					William	Son	S	1 mo					D. D.		
6	Total of Houses and of Tenements with, less than Five Rooms ...	6			Total of Males and Females...			13	18						

NOTE.—Draw the pen through such of the words of the headings as are inappropriate.

Robert's Mother in the 1891 England Census

“1891 England Census,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Annie Wright, Lancashire, England.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/22518127:6598>

TWELFTH CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES.

SCHEDULE No. 1.—POPULATION.

Supervisor's District No. 7 Sheet No. 11
Enumeration District No. 36

State Indiana
County Marion

Township or other division of county Centa Township Name of Institution, X

Name of incorporated city, town, or village, within the above-named division, Indianapolis City Ward of city, 2
Enumerated by me on the 11th day of June, 1900, Harry C. Hudrickson, Enumerator. 7405 7967 35-

Census table with columns: LOCATION, NAME, RELATION, PERSONAL DESCRIPTION, NATIVITY, CITIZENSHIP, OCCUPATION, TRADE, OR PROFESSION, EDUCATION, WORKSHIP OF BIRTH.

Robert's Father in the 1900 United States Federal Census

“1900 United States Federal Census,” database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for William E Boyd, Indianapolis, Indiana.

https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/3967648:7602

TWELFTH CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES.

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State Pennsylvania
County Lancaster

SCHEDULE No. 1.—POPULATION.

Supervisor's District No. 19
Enumeration District No. 105
Sheet No. 7

Township or other division of county: [blank]
Name of incorporated city, town, or village, within the above-named division, City of New Castle 2^d Precinct
Enumerated by me on the Fifth day of June, 1900, John A. Andrews, Enumerator.

Table with columns: LOCATION, NAME, RELATION, PERSONAL DESCRIPTION, NATIVITY, CITIZENSHIP, OCCUPATION, TRADE, OR PROFESSION, EDUCATION, OWNERSHIP OF HOME. Includes handwritten entries for families like McCarty, Callahan, Burns, Bigley, Campbell, and Patton.

Robert's Mother in the 1900 United States Federal Census

"1900 United States Federal Census," database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Anna W Kreimadahl, Lawrence, Pennsylvania.

https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/52525079:7602

I. Write the name of the disease which caused the death. If the patient had pulmonary tuberculosis, parent in their character, yet all are frequently returned as "meningitis" only.

SUGGESTIONS TO PHYSICIANS RELATIVE TO STATEMENT OF CAUSES OF DEATH.

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Indiana State Board of Health.

, CERTIFICATE OF DEATH.

County of Marion

Township of _____

OR
City of Indianapolis (No. 219 N. New Jersey St. _____ Ward) _____

Registered No. 1113

Full Name Jennie May Boyd

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS.

SEX Female COLOR White

DATE OF BIRTH Oct 7 1877

AGE 29 years, 7 months, 25 days

SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED married

NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE Wm. E. Boyd

BIRTHPLACE Indiana, Dec.

NAME OF FATHER Harry E. Smith

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER New York

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Rachel E. Miller

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Logansport, Ind.

OCCUPATION _____

THE ABOVE STATED PERSONAL PARTICULARS ARE TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

(Informant) Wm. E. Boyd

(Address) 219 N. New Jersey St.

Filed MAY 28 1907

Eugene Buchheit
Health Officer of County.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH.

DATE OF DEATH May 27 1907

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Aug. 1906 - March 1906 and May 20 1907 until May 27 1907 that I last saw her alive on May 26 1907 and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 5 a M. The IMMEDIATE CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:
Tubercular meningitis (boiler)

Contributor: Pulmonary tuberculosis (duration 20(9) days)
3 years (duration) _____ days

(Signed) Theodore Potter M. D.
May 27 1907 (Address) Indianapolis

SPECIAL INFORMATION only for Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents.

Former or Usual Residence _____ How long at Place of Death? _____ Days

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Crown Hill DATE OF BURIAL May 27 1907

UNDERTAKER Tatewiler & Son ADDRESS Ind.

Death Certificate for Robert's Father's First Wife

"Indiana, U.S., Death Certificates, 1899-2017," database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Jennie May Boyd, Indianapolis, Indiana.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/2452562:60716>

Engagement of Robert's Parents

“Engagement News Causes Surprise,” *New Castle Herald*, December 31, 1913, 6.

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/75946212/?article>

This article announces the engagement of Anna C. Kreimendahl and William Ernest Boyd, Robert's parents, to be wed in the early spring. It also provides information on their jobs at the time-Anna worked as a stenographer in the office of Gregory & Dickey, attorneys-at-law while William was a manager of the Bauman Ice Cream company.

APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, } SS: No. 13452
COUNTY OF LAWRENCE.

We, the undersigned, in accordance with the statements hereinafter contained, the facts set forth wherein we and each of us do solemnly swear are true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief, do hereby make application to the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, for a license to marry.

STATEMENT OF MALE	STATEMENT OF FEMALE
1. Full name and surname. <u>William E. Boyd</u>	1. Full name and surname. <u>Anna C. Krimmradahl</u>
2. Color. <u>White</u>	2. Color. <u>White</u>
3. Relationship of parties making this application, if any, either by blood or marriage. <u>None</u>	3. Relationship of parties making this application, if any, either by blood or marriage. <u>None</u>
4. Occupation. <u>Office Manager</u> , Birthplace. <u>Barren County, Pa.</u>	4. Occupation. <u>Homemaker</u> , Birthplace. <u>Barren County, Pa.</u>
5. Residence. <u>New Castle, Pa.</u> 7. Age. <u>39</u> Years	5. Residence. <u>New Castle, Pa.</u> 7. Age. <u>35</u> Years
8. Previous marriage or marriage. <u>None</u>	8. Previous marriage or marriage. <u>None</u>
9. Date of death or divorce of former wife or husband. <u>May 20, 1907</u>	9. Date of death or divorce of former husband or husband. <u>None</u>
10. Is applicant afflicted with any transmissible disease? <u>No</u>	10. Is applicant afflicted with any transmissible disease? <u>No</u>
11. Name and surname of father. <u>James M. Boyd</u>	11. Name and surname of father. <u>James M. Krimmradahl</u>
12. Name and surname of mother. <u>Josephine M. Boyd</u>	12. Name and surname of mother. <u>Maudie O. Krimmradahl</u>
13. Residence of father. <u>Barren County, Pa.</u>	13. Residence of father. <u>New Castle, Pa.</u>
14. Residence of mother. <u>Barren County, Pa.</u>	14. Residence of mother. <u>New Castle, Pa.</u>
15. Color of father. <u>White</u> 17. Color of mother. <u>White</u>	15. Color of father. <u>White</u> 17. Color of mother. <u>White</u>
16. Occupation of father. <u>Farmer</u> 19. Occupation of mother. <u>Homemaker</u>	16. Occupation of father. <u>Farmer</u> 19. Occupation of mother. <u>Homemaker</u>
20. Birthplace of father. <u>Barren County, Pa.</u>	20. Birthplace of father. <u>Gilberton, Pa.</u>
21. Birthplace of mother. <u>Machester, Pa.</u>	21. Birthplace of mother. <u>Jacobsville, Pa.</u>
22. Is applicant an idiot, epileptic, of unsound mind, or under guardianship as a person of unsound mind, or under the influence of any intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug? <u>No</u>	22. Is applicant an idiot, epileptic, of unsound mind, or under guardianship as a person of unsound mind, or under the influence of any intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug? <u>No</u>
23. Has applicant within five years been an inmate of any county asylum or home for indigent persons? <u>No</u>	23. Has applicant within five years been an inmate of any county asylum or home for indigent persons? <u>No</u>
24. Is applicant physically able to support a family? <u>Yes</u>	24. Is applicant physically able to support a family? <u>Yes</u>
25. Consent of parent or guardian. <u>Yes</u>	25. Consent of parent or guardian. <u>Yes</u>

Lawrence County, ss:

Personally appeared before me, Clerk of the Orphans' Court of said County of Lawrence William E. Boyd and Anna C. Krimmradahl, who, being duly qualified according to law, did depose and say that the statements above set forth are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1914 J. E. Crawford Clerk O. C.

No. 13452

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } SS: **MARRIAGE LICENSE**
COUNTY OF LAWRENCE.

To any minister of the Gospel, Justice of the Peace, or other officers or persons authorized by law to solemnize marriage:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the holy state of matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your church, society or religious denomination and the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

William E. Boyd of full age and once never heretofore married
Former marriage dissolved by the death of former wife

and Anna C. Krimmradahl of full age and never heretofore married

Given under my hand and the seal of the Orphans' Court of said County of Lawrence, at New Castle, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1914. J. E. Crawford Clerk, O. C.

No. 13452

DUPLICATE CERTIFICATE

I, John H. Glanville, hereby certify that on the 11th day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen at New Castle, Pa.

William E. Boyd and Anna C. Krimmradahl

were by me united in marriage, in accordance with license issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, numbered 13452.

When returned April 20 1914 John H. Glanville Minister of the Gospel or Justice of the Peace.

Robert's Parents' Marriage License Application

“Pennsylvania, U.S., Marriages, 1852-1968,” database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for William E. Boyd, Lawrence, Pennsylvania.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/4008289:61381>

State		Incorporated place		Ward of city		Block No.		Enumeration District No.		Sheet No.	
Virginia		Portsmouth City		Madison		10		114-11		10 A	
County		Township or other division of county		Unincorporated place		Institution		Enumerated by		Date	
Norfolk								George M. Madson		April 12, 1930	
1	475	248	270	Police, Nelson C.	Son						
2				Walter, William	Head						
3	476	271	211	Walter, William	Head						
4				Walter, William	Head						
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11				Walter, William	Head						
12	477	272	223	Walter, William	Head						
13				Walter, William	Head						
14				Walter, William	Head						
15				Walter, William	Head						
16				Walter, William	Head						
17				Walter, William	Head						
18				Walter, William	Head						
19	478	273	234	Walter, William	Head						
20				Walter, William	Head						
21	479	274	245	Walter, William	Head						
22				Walter, William	Head						
23				Walter, William	Head						
24				Walter, William	Head						
25	480	275	256	Walter, William	Head						
26				Walter, William	Head						
27				Walter, William	Head						
28				Walter, William	Head						
29				Walter, William	Head						
30				Walter, William	Head						
31	481	276	267	Walter, William	Head						
32				Walter, William	Head						
33				Walter, William	Head						
34				Walter, William	Head						
35	482	277	278	Walter, William	Head						
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1930 United States Federal Census

“1930 United States Federal Census,” database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert S Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/98684237:6224>

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

N. B.—WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK (WRITING FLUID) THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD. EVERY ITEM OF INFORMATION SHOULD BE CAREFULLY SUPPLIED. AGE SHOULD BE STATED EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS SHOULD STATE THE CAUSE OF DEATH IN PLAIN TERMS, SO THAT IT MAY BE PROPERLY CLASSIFIED, EXACT STATEMENT OF OCCUPATION IS VERY IMPORTANT.

1 PLACE OF DEATH		CERTIFICATE OF DEATH COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS		23790 533
COUNTY OF	Norfolk	REGISTRATION DISTRICT NO.	REGISTERED NO.	
MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT OF		(TO BE INSERTED BY REGISTRAR)	(FOR USE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR)	
OR				
INC. TOWN OF	Portsmouth	CITY OF	(No King's Daughter's Hospital)	WARD
OR				
CITY OF	Portsmouth			
(If death occurred in a hospital or other institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)				
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred. 13 yrs. mos. ds. How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds				
2 FULL NAME William Ernest Boyd				
(A) RESIDENCE No. 310 North Street		ST. WARD		
(Usual place of abode)		(If nonresident give city or town and State)		
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
3. SEX	4. COLOR OR RACE	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)	21. DATE OF DEATH	
Male	White	Married	(month, day, and year) Nov 22, 1939	
5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (or WIFE) Annie K. Boyd			22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, THAT I ATTENDED DECEASED FROM Nov 19, 1939 TO Nov 22, 1939	
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Nov 13, 1875			I LAST SAW HIM ALIVE ON Nov 22, 1939, DEATH IS SAID TO HAVE OCCURRED ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE, AT 11:45 A. M.	
7. AGE	Years	Months	Days	IF LESS THAN 1 DAY, HRS. OR MIN.
64	00	9		
8. TRADE, PROFESSION, OR PARTICULAR KIND OF WORK DONE, AS SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, ETC.			THE PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH AND RELATED CAUSES OF IMPORTANCE IN ORDER OF ONSET WERE AS FOLLOWS:	
9. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH WORK WAS DONE, AS SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, ETC.			Date of onset	
Retired			Coronary Subleum Nov 22	
10. DATE DECEASED LAST WORKED AT THIS OCCUPATION (month and year)			CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES OF IMPORTANCE NOT RELATED TO PRINCIPAL CAUSE:	
11. TOTAL TIME (YEARS) SPENT IN THIS OCCUPATION				
12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Front Royal, Va.			NAME OF OPERATION DATE OF	
13. NAME James E. Boyd			WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? No	
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Va.			23. IF DEATH WAS DUE TO EXTERNAL CAUSES (VIOLENCE) FILL IN ALSO THE FOLLOWING: DATE OF ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE? INJURY	
15. MAIDEN NAME Zorelda Todd			WHERE DID INJURY OCCUR? (Specify city or town, county, and State)	
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) Va.			SPECIFY WHETHER INJURY OCCURRED IN INDUSTRY, IN HOME, OR IN PUBLIC PLACE.	
17. INFORMANT (ADDRESS) Elvin E. Boyd 310 North St., Portsmouth, Va.			MANNER OF INJURY	
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REPOUND Evergreen Memorial Park 11/25/39			NATURE OF INJURY	
19. UNDERTAKER (ADDRESS) Chas. H. Myers Portsmouth, Va.			24. WAS DISEASE OR INJURY IN ANY WAY RELATED TO OCCUPATION OF DECEASED? No	
20. FILED 1			IF SO, SPECIFY (SIGNED) J. G. Meade M. D.	
NOV 21 1939 Registrar			(ADDRESS) 607 Court St	

Death Certificate for Robert's Father

“Virginia, U.S., Death Records, 1912-2014,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for William Ernest Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/210717:9278>

State Virginia Incorporated place Portsmouth City Ward of city Jackson Unincorporated place ... DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - BUREAU OF THE CENSUS SIXTEENTH CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES: 1940 POPULATION SCHEDULE ... HOUSEHOLD DATA ... PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ... EDUCATION ... PLACE OF BIRTH ... RESIDENCE APRIL 1, 1940 ... PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER - EMPLOYMENT STATUS ... SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS ... FOR PERSONS OF ALL AGES ... FOR PERSONS 14 YEARS OLD AND OVER ... FOR OFFICE USE ONLY - DO NOT WRITE IN THESE COLUMNS

1940 United States Federal Census

"1940 United States Federal Census," database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert S Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/18629190:2442>

UCF Veterans Legacy Program



1941 Woodrow Wilson High School Yearbook

“U.S., School Yearbooks, 1900-2016,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert Stevenson Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/354827598:1265>

THE PRESIDENT



1941

ALMA GRAY BOWDEN
Dramatic Club
Tips To The Teens Club
Math Club Senior



BETTY JEAN BOYD
Girls' Monogram and Officials' Club
Intramural Basketball Manager
"Student" Staff

ROBERT STEVENSON BOYD



FREDERICK L. BRITT
Varsity Club

DULAND BROWN



RUFUS ATWELL BROWN
President Home Room

ANTHONY CARPENITO



SHIRLEY VIRGINIA CARTER
President Pan-American Club
Lanier Literary Society
History Club

HARRIET THELMA COGEN
Reporter Math Club Senior
Reporter History Club
Lanier Literary Society



JAMES RAYMOND COMSTOCK
Pan-American Club
Motion Picture Council
Tennis Team

1941 Woodrow Wilson High School Yearbook (Full Page)

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FORM APPROVED
Budget Bureau No. 83-R012-42

REGISTRATION CARD (Men born on or after July 1, 1924, and on or before December 31, 1924)
(Also for the registration of men as they reach the 18th anniversary of the date of their birth on or after January 1, 1943.)

SERIAL NUMBER	1. NAME (Print)			ORDER NUMBER
W 61	ROBERT	STEVENSON	BOYD	14613
	<small>(First)</small>	<small>(Middle)</small>	<small>(Last)</small>	

2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print)
709 Washington St Portsmouth Norfolk Va
(Number and street) (Town, township, village, or city) (County) (State)

[THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON LINE 2 ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]

3. MAILING ADDRESS
(Same as above)
(Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same, insert word same)

4. TELEPHONE	5. AGE IN YEARS 18	6. PLACE OF BIRTH Egyptia
	DATE OF BIRTH	<small>(Town or county)</small>
	July 30 1924	Ohio
<small>(Exchange) (Number)</small>	<small>(Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)</small>	<small>(State or country)</small>

7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS
Mrs. Anna C. Boyd - 709 Washington St.

8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS
None - High St

9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS
High St Portsmouth Norfolk Va
(Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)

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

DSS Form 1 (Rev. 11-16-42) c16-21630-4 (OVER) *Robert Stevenson Boyd*
(Registrant's signature)

Robert Stevenson Boyd World War II Draft Registration Card (Front)

“U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert Stevenson Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/10123029:2238>

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE		HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)		COMPLEXION		
White	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5'9"	150		Sallow		
		EYES		HAIR		Light	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Negro		Blue		Blonde		Ruddy	
Indian		Gray		Red		Dark	
		Hazel		Brown		Freckled	
Filipino		Brown	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Black	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Light brown	
Japanese		Black		Gray		Dark brown	
Other Oriental				Bald		Black	

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification.....

None

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:

Mary S. Fitchell
(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for Local Board *# 2 Portsmouth Portsmouth Va.*
(Number) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration *12-14-42*



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

Portsmouth City # 2 c16-21630-2

Robert Stevenson Boyd World War II Draft Registration Card (Back)

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INDEX RECORD FOR

Robert S Boyd

WWII Army Enlistment Records

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Full Name	Robert S Boyd
Army Serial Number	33632304
Enlistment Place	Richmond Virginia
Enlistment Date	2 Apr 1943
Army Branch	No branch assignment
Service Branch	Army
Race or Ethnicity	White
Enlistment Term	Enlistment for the duration of the War or other emergency, plus six months, subject to the discretion of the President or otherwise according to law
Source of Army Personnel	Civil Life
Army Component	Selectees (Enlisted Men)
Level of Education	4 years of high school
Occupation	Machinists apprentices
Marital Status	Single, without dependents
Birth Date	1924
Birth Place	Ohio
Source Box Number	0687
Source Film Reel Number	1.204
Conflict Period	World War II
Served for	United States of America

Robert Boyd World War II Army Enlistment Records

“WWII Army Enlistment Records,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert S Boyd, Richmond, Virginia.

<https://www.fold3.com/record/87303926/robert-s-boyd-wwii-army-enlistment-records>

No 1102

State of North Carolina, County of Camden

Office of Register of Deeds

To any Ordained Minister of any Religious Denomination or Justice of the Peace of Camden County

Camden, N. C., Feb. 4 1945

Robert S Boyd having applied to me for a LICENSE for the marriage of Geneva Grimes AND Geneva Grimes of Portsmouth 7th R. F. D. of Portsmouth 7th R. F. D. age 20 years; COLOR white the son of W. C. Boyd age 19 years; COLOR white the daughter of M. E. Grimes and Anna C. Boyd and Eula Mae Grimes the father now dead, the mother living the father now living, the mother living resident of Portsmouth 7th resident of Portsmouth 7th

And the written consent of _____, the _____ of the said _____, to the proposed marriage having been filed with me.

And there being no legal impediment to such marriage known to me, you are hereby authorized, at any time within sixty days from the date hereof, to celebrate the proposed marriage at any place within the said County. You are required, within two months after you shall have celebrated such marriage, to return this License to me, at my office, with your signature subscribed to the Certificate under this License, and with the blanks therein filled according to the facts, under penalty of forfeiting \$200.00 to the use of any person who shall sue for the same.

That he knows of his own certain knowledge that the parties applying for License are both of ages as stated above, and, so far as he knows or is informed and believes, there is no lawful cause or impediment forbidding said marriage.

J. Etheridge Register of Deeds

Sworn and subscribed to before me, this

4 day of Feb, 1945 Robert S. Boyd Affiant. Geneva Grimes Affiant. J. Etheridge Register of Deeds.

By _____ Deputy.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—COUNTY OF CAMDEN

I, L. T. Singleton, Minister, united in matrimony Robert S. Boyd and Geneva Grimes the parties licensed above, on the 4th day of Feb, 1945, at South Mills N.C. in South Mills Township in Camden County, according to law.

WITNESSES PRESENT AT MARRIAGE

Mrs. L. T. Singleton of South Mills N. C. Frances Brewster of South Mills N. C. L. T. Singleton OFFICIATING OFFICER

Marriage between Robert Boyd and Geneva Grimes

“North Carolina, U.S., Marriage Records, 1741-2011,” database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert S Boyd, Camden, North Carolina.

https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/2553803:60548

FOR HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD	FOR ALL PERSONS	FOR PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER
1. Name of head of household	2. Name of person	3. Name of person
4. Sex	5. Sex	6. Sex
7. Race	8. Race	9. Race
10. Birth date	11. Birth date	12. Birth date
13. Birth place	14. Birth place	15. Birth place
16. Marital status	17. Marital status	18. Marital status
19. Occupation	20. Occupation	21. Occupation
22. Industry	23. Industry	24. Industry
25. Hours worked	26. Hours worked	27. Hours worked
28. Unemployed	29. Unemployed	30. Unemployed
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THE QUESTIONS BELOW ARE FOR PERSONS LISTED ON SAMPLE LINES

FOR ALL AGES	FOR PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER
1. What country was he living in on your age?	2. What country was his father and mother born in?
3. What is the highest grade of school he has attended?	4. Did he think that grade?
5. Has he been married at any time since February 1st?	6. How many times has he been married?
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1950 United States Federal Census

"1950 United States Federal Census," database, Ancestry (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert S Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/111113671:62308>

State of North Carolina }
 Pasquotank County }
 Office of Register of Deeds }
 May 1 1953 }
 To any Minister of any Religious Denomination or any Justice of the Peace of said County

Robert Stevenson Boyd
 Himself of Portsmouth, Virginia aged 28
 White son of William H. Boyd and Anna Kriemantall Boyd
 the father now Dead Living resident of Norfolk, Virginia
 and Carol Lou Laughbaum of Portsmouth, Virginia aged 19
 White daughter of Charles L. Laughbaum and Helen Kristoff Laughbaum
 the father Living Living resident of Portsmouth, Virginia

A. In the written consent of
 of the said
 in the proposed marriage, actual birth, and
 And there being no legal impediment to such marriage under so and so, you are hereby authorized to issue a license for said marriage to be solemnized at any place within the said County
 You are required, within sixty days of the date hereof, to solemnize the proposed marriage at any place within the said County
 with your signature subscribed in the Certificate under this license; and with the fiancé's signature, not a joking fact, under penalty of forfeiture of two hundred dollars to the use of any person who shall sue for the same.

Lain Foster
 Deputy--

1. Name of person applying for license	8. Living or dead	15. Father's name
2. Residence	9. Living or dead	16. Mother's name
3. Age	10. Residence, if known, if not state unknown	17. Date of death
4. Wife or color	11. Name of person last married, if any	18. Residence, if known, if not state unknown
5. Father of man to be married	12. Birthdate	19. Name of person last married, if any
6. Mother of man to be married	13. Age	20. Residence, if known, if not state unknown
	14. Wife or color	

Robert Stevenson Boyd & Carol Lou Laughbaum
 That the parties applying for license are of lawful age (i. e., each is over 16 years of age) and, so far as he is informed and believes, there is no lawful cause for prohibiting said marriage. I further swear that the answers appended to the questions asked me are correct and true.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on day of *Robert S. Boyd* Plaintiff
 and date above written
Lain Foster Deputy--
Carol L. Laughbaum Plaintiff

State of North Carolina, }
 Pasquotank County }
 I, H. M. Seelye --, a Justice of the Peace
 united in matrimony Robert Stevenson Boyd and Carol Lou Laughbaum
 the parties licensed above, on the 1st day of May 1953
 at Elizabeth City, N. C.
 in Elizabeth City Township, in said County, according to law.

WITNESSES PRESENT AT MARRIAGE
Manuel Grames of Portsmouth, Va.
Walter Boyd of Norfolk
H. M. Seelye Justice of the Peace

Marriage between Robert Stevenson Boyd and Carol Lou Laughbaum

“North Carolina, U.S., Marriage Records, 1741-2011,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert Stevenson Boyd, Pasquotank, North Carolina.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/3680422:60548>

ABSTRACT OF DIVORCE DECREE

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH-BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

Place (city or county) Portsmouth, Va Date of decree Jan. 29, 1954

Plaintiff Robert S. Boyd Age 29 Color White

Residence Portsmouth, Va Birthplace _____

Occupation* _____ Industry or business _____

Defendant Mary G. Boyd Age 27 Color White

Residence Portsmouth, Va Birthplace _____

Occupation* Typist Industry or business _____

Date of marriage Feb. 4, 1945 Place South Mills, N.C.

Duration of marriage 9 yrs Number of minor children affected None

Cause of divorce Desertion

Husband 2 Yes 1 Alimony granted: No 1
Divorce granted to: Wife Was case contested: No Alimony granted: No 1

Kind of divorce Absolute Signature K. G. Blair, Jr.

Date of separation Jan. 14, 1951 Clerk of Circuit Court

Send only Bed and Bd.-Absolute-Annulment
* If wife has no gainful occupation say housewife

All above information
as at time of decree

Divorce from Mary G. Boyd (Mary Geneva Grimes)

“Virginia, U.S., Divorce Records, 1918-2014,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed April 24, 2023), entry for Robert S Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/47079:9280>

Obituary for Robert Stevenson Boyd

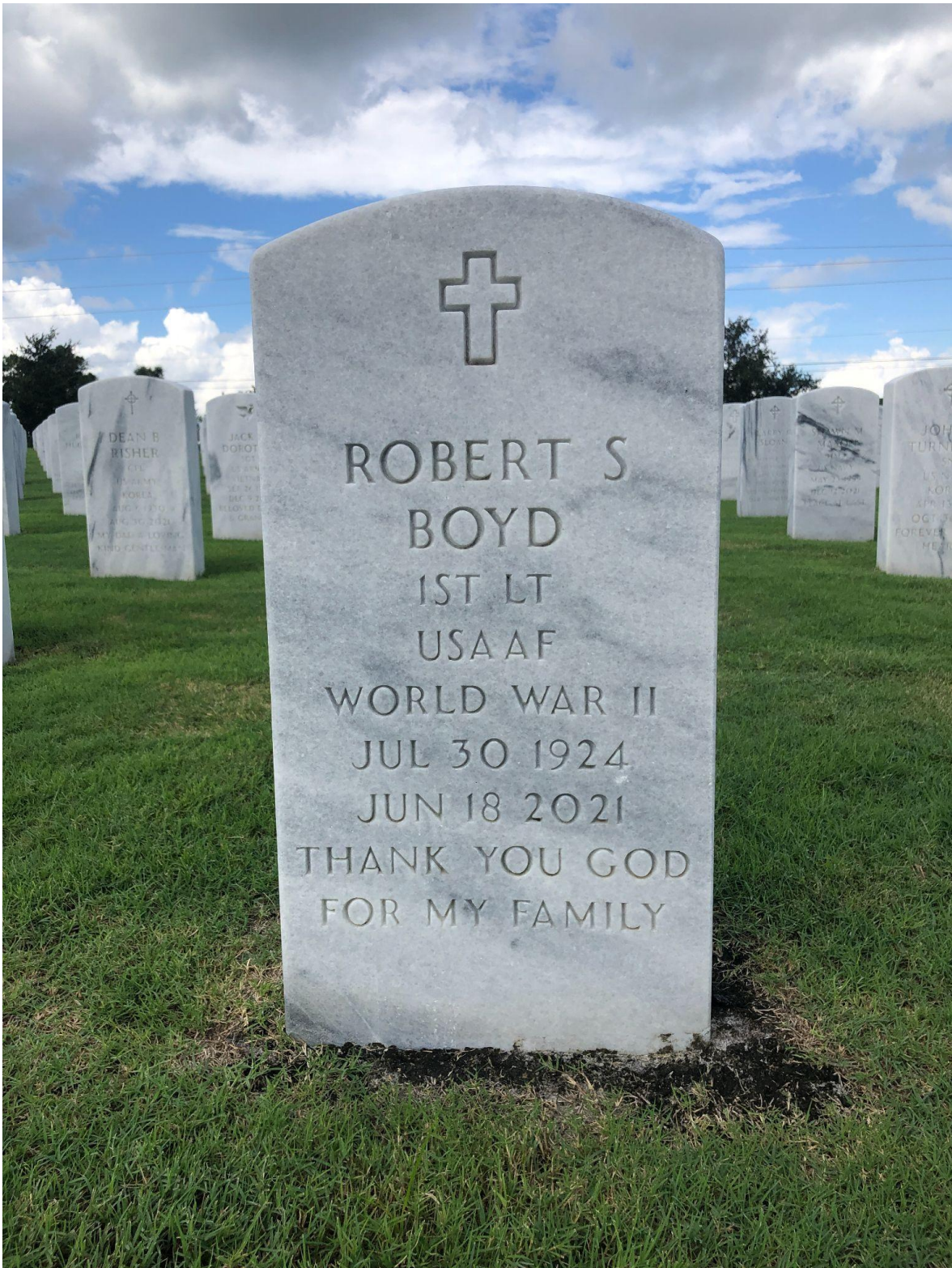
“Obituary for Robert Stevenson Boyd,” *Dignity Memorial*, accessed June 16, 2023.

<https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/miami-fl/robert-boyd-10244778>

The page has a photo of Boyd in the cockpit of his WWII B-24 bomber. It then provides a brief summary of his life which reads:

“Bob was born 1924 in Elyria, Ohio and relocated to Portsmouth, VA as a child. Bob graduated Woodrow Wilson High School in 1941 and went to work for Sears, Roebuck & Co. as department manager, and then the Norfolk/Portsmouth ferry system as Cash Management Manager, while attending William & Mary College.

Drafted during WWII, Bob graduated from the Army Air Corp Aviation Cadet Pilot Program, serving as a 1st pilot flying B-24 bombers until his older brother Todd was killed by flak in one of the initial Ruhland oil refinery sorties which ultimately resulted in the destruction of the Ruhland refinery, one of Germany’s last major refineries. Bob was then transferred as his other brother, Irvin was a B-17 pilot in the Air Corp in the Philippines and his father had long since passed away. Bob began training younger pilots in the U.S. and after the war, volunteered for the Air Force Reserve where he managed a mobilization assignment at Langley Field, Virginia as a multi-engine pilot and air transport group personnel officer. Bob regretted until his last day the fact that he was never able to avenge the death of his brother given his transfer...”



Robert Boyd's Headstone in Cape Canaveral National Cemetery

UCF Veterans Legacy Program, *Headstone for Robert Boyd*, photograph, 2023, Cape Canaveral National Cemetery, Mims, FL.



Headstone for Robert Boyd's Wife in Cape Canaveral National Cemetery

UCF Veterans Legacy Program, *Headstone for Carol Boyd*, photograph, 2023, Cape Canaveral National Cemetery, Mims, FL.

*The following sources cover Robert Boyd's brothers' military service.

OHIO SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND MARINES, WORLD WAR, 1917-18 1701	
BOYD, EARL V., 902411, White, 1305 Pendleton St., Cincinnati, O.	RA Ft Thomas, Ky. July 20/17. Br Hamilton Co. O. 20 9/12 yrs. Co M 10 Inf to disch. Pvt 1cl Nov 1/17; Corp July 26/18. Hon disch Jan 17/19.
BOYD, EBER L., 431130, White, Canal Winchester, O.	RA Columbus Bks, O. Nov 4/13. Br New Straitsville, O. 39 2/12 yrs. 12 Rct Co Gen Serv Inf to Jan 21/19; 26 Rct Co to Mch 16/19; QMC Columbus Bks O to disch. Pvt 1cl Nov 1/16; Pvt Mch 1/18; Pvt 1cl July 7/18; Pvt Oct 8/18. Hon disch Aug 12/19. SCD 100% disabled.
BOYD, ELVIN E., 453798, White, 6704 Wade Park Ave., Cleveland, O.	RA Columbus Bks, O. May 17/18. Br Indianapolis Ind. 20 5/12 yrs. 15 Serv Co Sig C to Aug 16/18; Co C 2 Tng Bn Sig C to Nov 9/18; Co C 222 F Sig Bn to disch. Pvt 1cl Nov 1/18; Corp Nov 1/18; Sgt Dec 1/18; Mr Sig Elec Dec 16/18. Hon disch Jan 18/19.
BOYD, EMANUEL, 3534714, White, 4th and Vine Sts., Ironton, O.	NA Ironton, O. July 25/18. Br Rock Camp, O. July 29/94. 158 Dep Brig to Aug 19/18; Co L 334 Inf to Oct 16/18; Co L 319 Inf to disch. Pvt. Meuse-Argonne. AEF Sept 1/18 to June 2/19. Hon disch June 12/19.
BOYD, ERNEST R., 2477945, White, Star Route, Racine, O.	NA Pomeroy, O. May 27/18. Br Great Bend, O. Aug 18/95. 158 Dep Brig to June 25/18; 8 Co 1 Rd Regt QMC Cp Johnston Fla to Aug 28/18; M Trk Co 491 Cp Devens Mass to disch. Corp Feb 10/19. AEF Sept 14/18 to July 6/19. Hon disch July 15/19.
BOYD, EUGENE C., 1531749, White, Stuebenville, O.	NG Steubenville, O. Aug 8/17. Br New Brighton, Pa. 24 11/12 yrs. Co G 135 MG Bn to Sept 26/17; 112 Btry Trench Arty to disch. Sldr Oct 29/17; Sgt Nov 20/17. Defensive Sector. AEF June 28/18 to Apr 30/19. Hon disch May 6/19.
BOYD, EUGENE F., 1079566, White, R. F. D. 4, Batavia, O.	RA Columbus Bks, O. Dec 11/17. Br Plainville, O. 24 4/12 yrs. 624 Aer Sq Morrison Va to July 6/18; 330 Aer Sq AS Garden City NY to disch. Pvt. AEF July 31/18 to Dec 2/18. Hon disch Dec 21/18.
BOYD, EVERETT M., 4125999, White, 5 E. 9th St., Cincinnati, O.	NA LB 13 Cincinnati, O. July 23/18. Br Dayton, O. 23 11/12 yrs. 156 Dep Brig to Sept 7/18; 4 Btry Sept Aut Repl Draft Cp Jackson SC to May 20/19; Hq Co 77 FA to disch. Corp Aug 29/18; Pvt Sept 5/18. Meuse-Argonne; Defensive Sector. AEF Sept 18/18 to July 29/19. Hon disch Aug 5/19.
BOYD, EVERETT P., 1959190, White, Curtis, O.	NA Toledo, O. Sept 21/17. Br Bloomville, O. 23 yrs. Co A 329 Inf to Jan 21/18; 308 Engrs Tn to disch. Pvt 1cl Apr 24/18; Pvt Sept 15/18. Aisne-Marne; Oise-Aisne; Meuse-Argonne. AEF June 4/18 to June 26/19. Hon disch July 8/19.
BOYD, FOUNTAIN C., 3095822, White, 2409 Norwood Ave., Norwood, O.	NA LB 1 Hamilton Co. O. May 28/18. Br Dykes, Ky. Jan 22/94. 159 Dep Brig to June 17/18; Co A 154 Inf to July 13/18; Sch Bakers & Cooks Cp Beauregard La to disch. Pvt. Hon disch Mch 3/19.
BOYD, FRANK, 2479756, Colored, 468 Charles St., Columbus, O.	NA LB 3 Columbus, O. June 20/18. Br Washington, D. C. 25 9/12 yrs. 158 Dep Brig to July 9/18; Co A 520 Engrs to disch. Pvt. AEF Aug 29/18 to June 26/19. Hon disch July 3/19.

Elvin Boyd's World War I Service

"The Official Roster of Ohio Soldiers, Sailors and Marines in the World War, 1917-18, Volume I," database, *Fold3* (fold3.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Elvin E Boyd.

<https://www.fold3.com/image/713000904?rec=642618592>

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

SERIAL NUMBER T 838	1. NAME (Print) ELVIN ERNEST BOYD (First) (Middle) (Last)			ORDER NUMBER T 11980
2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) ROUTE #1. BOX 506 PORTS NORFOLK VA. (Number and street) (Town, township, village, or city) (County) (State)				
[THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON THE LINE ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]				
3. MAILING ADDRESS POST OFFICE BOX 275 PARTSMOUTH - VA [Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same insert word same]				
4. TELEPHONE Parts. 3384 (Exchange) (Number)	5. AGE IN YEARS 44 DATE OF BIRTH Dec. 23 1897 (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)		6. PLACE OF BIRTH INDIANAPOLIS (Town or county) IND. (State or country)	
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS WALTER H. BOYD 3303 SCOTT ST. PARTSMOUTH VA.				
8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS NORFOLK NAVY YARD				
9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS. PARTSMOUTH NORF. VA. (Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)				
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.				
D. S. S. Form 1 (Revised 1-1-42)	(over)	☆ GPO 16-21630-1	E. E. Boyd (Registrant's signature)	

Elvin Ernest Boyd World War II Draft Registration Card (Front)

“U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Elvin Ernest Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/10770262:2238>

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION	
White	5-8 1/2	220	Sallow	
	EYES		HAIR	
Negro	Blue	Blonde	Light	
	Gray	Red	Ruddy	✓
Oriental	Hazel	Brown	Dark	
	Brown	Black	Freckled	
Indian	Black	Gray	Light brown	
		Bald	Dark brown	
Filipino			Black	

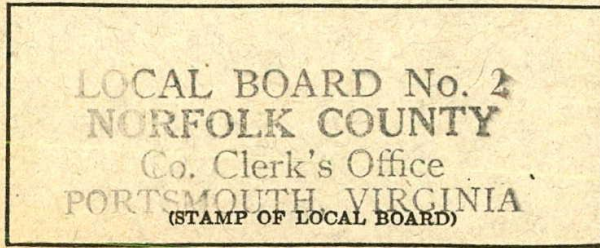
Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification.....

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:

Fessie Emery
(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for Local Board 2 Norfolk VA
(Number) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration Feb. 16 - 1947



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

16-21630-1

Elvin Ernest Boyd World War II Draft Registration Card (Back)

“U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Elvin Ernest Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

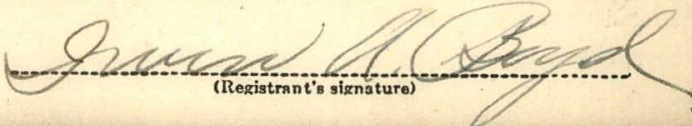
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Funeral Notice for Elvin E. Boyd

“Funeral Notice for Elvin E. Boyd,” *The Atlanta Constitution*, April 14, 1976, 34.

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/398888935/>

This is the funeral notice for Elvin E. Boyd. It lists his surviving relatives including his mother Anna and his brothers Walter, Robert, and Irving.

SERIAL NUMBER 48	1. NAME (Print) IRVIN ALFRED BOYD <small>(First) (Middle) (Last)</small>			ORDER NUMBER 2592
2. ADDRESS (Print) 310 NORTH ST PORTSMOUTH VA <small>(Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)</small>				
3. TELEPHONE PORTS 3384 <small>(Exchange) (Number)</small>	4. AGE IN YEARS 25	5. PLACE OF BIRTH NEWCASTLE PA. <small>(Town or county) (State or country)</small>		6. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP U.S.A.
7. NAME OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS MRS ANNA CORINTH BOYD <small>(Mr., Mrs., Miss) (First) (Middle) (Last)</small>				8. RELATIONSHIP OF THAT PERSON MOTHER
9. ADDRESS OF THAT PERSON 310 NORTH ST PORTSMOUTH VA <small>(Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)</small>				
10. EMPLOYER'S NAME U.S. GOVT. - POST OFFICE DEPT				
11. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS 601 COURT ST. PORTSMOUTH VA <small>(Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)</small>				
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.				
REGISTRATION CARD D. S. S. Form 1 <small>(over)</small>			 <small>(Registrant's signature)</small>	

Irvin Alfred Boyd World War II Draft Registration Card (Front)

“U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Irvin Alfred Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/10821766:2238>

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.) "	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION	
White	✓ 5'10½"	172	Sallow	
			Light	
Negro	EYES	HAIR	Ruddy	
			Dark	
Oriental	Blue	Blonde	Freckled	
	Gray	Red	Light brown	
Indian	Hazel	Brown	Dark brown	
	Brown	Black	Black	
Filipino	Black	Gray		
		Bald		

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification.....

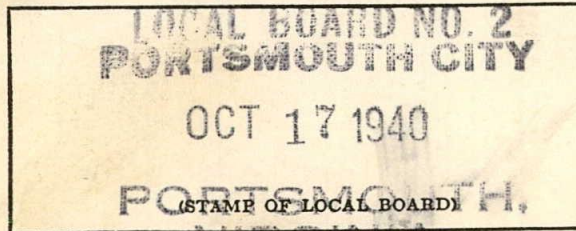
SCAR ON FOREHEAD

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:

Ray Stewart
(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for 1st JACKSON PORTSMOUTH VA
(Precinct) (Ward) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration 10/16/40



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Irvin Alfred Boyd World War II Draft Registration Card (Back)

“U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Irvin Alfred Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/10821766:2238>

Irvin A Boyd

WWII Army Enlistment Records

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Full Name	Irvin A Boyd
Army Serial Number	33124693
Enlistment Place	Richmond Virginia
Enlistment Date	22 May 1942
Army Branch	Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA
Service Branch	Army
Race or Ethnicity	White
Residence	NewKent County, Virginia
Enlistment Term	Enlistment for the duration of the War or other emergency, plus six months, subject to the discretion of the President or otherwise according to law
Source of Army Personnel	National Guard in Federal Service, after 3 months of Discharge
Army Component	Selectees (Enlisted Men)
Level of Education	2 years of college
Occupation	Post office clerks
Marital Status	Single, without dependents
Birth Date	1915
Birth Place	Pennsylvania
Source Box Number	0614
Source Film Reel Number	2.278
Conflict Period	World War II
Served for	United States of America

Irvin Boyd World War II Army Enlistment Records

“WWII Army Enlistment Records,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Irvin A Boyd, Richmond, Virginia.

<https://www.fold3.com/record/86817711/irvin-a-boyd-wwii-army-enlistment-records>

Second Lt. Irvin A. Boyd

“Our Men and Women in Service,” *The Portsmouth Star*, June 6, 1943, 3.

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/907195360/>

This article names Irvin A. Boyd as a Second Lieutenant with the Army Air Corps after training in Miami, FL. It lists his brothers Private Robert Boyd with the Army Air Corps stationed in Atlantic City and Private Todd Boyd stationed in Miami.

First Lt. Irvin A. Boyd

“Men and Women in Service,” *The Portsmouth Star*, August 30, 1945, 20.

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/907162573/>

Article Transcription:

First Lieutenant Irvin A. Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Boyd, of 709 Washington street, reported for duty with the 557th AAF Base Unit, Ferrying Division, Gore Fields, Great Falls, Montana, August 23. He is the husband of Mrs. Loretta A. (Chipman) Boyd, of Sacramento, Calif.

Prior to entering the service, he was employed in the post office. He had recently returned from an overseas assignment in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater of Operations.

Obituary for CPA Irvin Boyd

“CPA Irvin Boyd,” *The Sacramento Bee*, December 28, 2003, 26.

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/630222681/>

This tribute to Irvin Alfred Boyd details his work as a certified public accountant in Sacramento. It also states that he “joined the Army Air Forces in 1943” and “during portions of World War II, he served in the China-Burma-India theater as a cryptographer.”



1938 Woodrow Wilson High School Yearbook

“U.S., School Yearbooks, 1900-2016,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph Todd Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/361119503:1265>

I remember them all!

The President 1938

THEO WALTER BENTON

RUSSELL WALLACE BERRY



ROBERT LEE BOONE

LINWOOD E. BOOTH



ETHEL PHYLLIS BORD
President Lanier Literary Society
Typist, "Student" Staff

ROSSER BOWLES



JOSEPH TODD BOYD

SEARS THOMAS BOYD



MARJORIE LOUISE BRINKLEY

GUSTAF EDWARD BROWN



1938 Woodrow Wilson High School Yearbook (Full Page)

“U.S., School Yearbooks, 1900-2016,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph Todd Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/361119503:1265>

SERIAL NUMBER		1. NAME (Print)			ORDER NUMBER	
		Joseph Todd Boyd			2986	
		(First)	(Middle)	(Last)		
2. ADDRESS (Print)						
388 3 Three Ten Seven St-Portsmouth Va						
		(Number and street or R. F. D. number)	(Town)	(County)	(State)	
3. TELEPHONE		4. AGE IN YEARS		5. PLACE OF BIRTH		6. COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP
		Twenty 22		Cleveland Ohio		
		DATE OF BIRTH		(Town or county)		
		July 4th 1918		(State or country)		
(Exchange)	(Number)	(Mo.)	(Day)	(Yr.)		
7. NAME OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS					8. RELATIONSHIP OF THAT PERSON	
Mrs Hazel Hope Boyd					Wife	
(Mr., Mrs., Miss)	(First)	(Middle)	(Last)			
9. ADDRESS OF THAT PERSON						
310 Seven Street- Portsmouth Va						
		(Number and street or R. F. D. number)	(Town)	(County)	(State)	
10. EMPLOYER'S NAME						
Navy Yard						
11. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS						
Industrial Pipe Shop 51						
		(Number and street or R. F. D. number)	(Town)	(County)	(State)	
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.						
REGISTRATION CARD D. S. S. Form 1			Joseph Todd Boyd			
			(Registrant's signature)			
(over)						

Joseph Todd Boyd World War II Draft Registration Card (Front)

“U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph Todd Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/10222265:2238>

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION	
White	5'10"	175	Sallow	
	EYES	HAIR	Light	
Negro	Blue	Blonde	Ruddy	
	Gray	Red	Dark	
Oriental	Hazel	Brown	Freckled	
	Brown	Black	Light brown	
Indian	Black	Gray	Dark brown	
		Bald	Black	
Filipino				

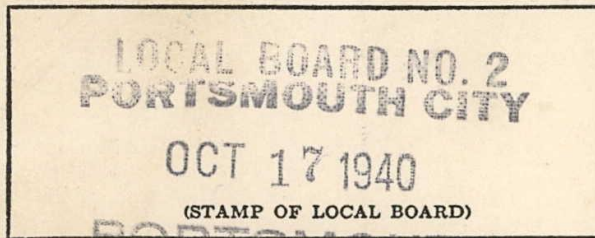
Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification.....

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S. S. [Signature]
(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for Jackson 1st Portsmouth Va
(Precinct) (Ward) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration 10-16-40



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Joseph Todd Boyd World War II Draft Registration Card (Back)

“U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph Todd Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/10222265:2238>

Joseph T Boyd

WWII Army Enlistment Records

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Full Name	Joseph T Boyd
Army Serial Number	33636179
Enlistment Place	Richmond Virginia
Enlistment Date	3 May 1943
Army Branch	No branch assignment
Service Branch	Army
Race or Ethnicity	White
Enlistment Term	Enlistment for the duration of the War or other emergency, plus six months, subject to the discretion of the President or otherwise according to law
Source of Army Personnel	Civil Life
Army Component	Selectees (Enlisted Men)
Level of Education	4 years of high school
Occupation	Electricians
Marital Status	Married
Birth Date	1918
Birth Place	Ohio
Source Box Number	0687
Source Film Reel Number	1.204
Conflict Period	World War II
Served for	United States of America

Joseph Boyd World War II Army Enlistment Records

“WWII Army Enlistment Records,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph T Boyd, Richmond, Virginia.

<https://www.fold3.com/record/87307227/joseph-t-boyd-wwii-army-enlistment-records>

Boyd, Joseph T

U.S. WWII Hospital Admission Card Files, 1942-1954

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Full Name	Boyd, Joseph T
Gender	Male
Race	White (includes Mexican)
Admission Age	27
Admission Date	Mar 1945
Admission Type of Injury	InjuryType: Battle casualty; InjuryType2: All battle casualties, and all battle injuries not intentionally inflicted by self or another person
Military Service Number	33636179
Rank	Enlisted Man (includes Aviation Cadet or Student)
Unit	8
Branch	Air Force, Bombardment Units
Length of Service	2-3 yr.
Medical Diagnosis	Diagnosis: Wound(s), character not stated (includes Wound(s), multiple, Not Elsewhere Classified; Wound(s) unqualified) with no nerve or artery involvement; Location: Abdomen, abdominal wall and pelvis: Back, generally; CausativeAgent: Shell Fragment, Flak
Discharge Date	Mar 1945
Discharge Place	Not in Medical Installation Prior to Death
Notes	None
Description	3460698
Conflict Period	World War II
Served for	United States of America

Joseph Boyd World War II Hospital Admission Card Files

“U.S., WWII Hospital Admission Card Files, 1942-1954,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph T Boyd.

<https://www.fold3.com/record/700898190/boyd-joseph-t-us-wwii-hospital-admission-card-files-1942-1954>

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Joseph Boyd Rosters of WWII Dead

“US, Rosters of World War II Dead, 1939-1945,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph T Boyd.

<https://www.fold3.com/image/712938387?rec=641550928>

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ALLEN ROBERT B	33641867	SGT	KIA
ANDERSON LINDSAY L	33544253	PFC	KIA
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BAILEY ELMER D	33445940	PFC	KIA
BAILEY JOHN E	7023460	PVT	KIA
BAINES EDWARD R	33219956	SGT	KIA
BALDWIN FRANK D	0-702358	2 LT	KIA
BANKS WALTER M	13036263	PVT	DOW
BANTON JOHN A	33156868	PFC	DOW
BARAS EMANUEL	33642601	PFC	KIA
BARNHILL JOSEPH W	33518415	PFC	KIA
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BECKETT ROBERT L	33220116	PFC	DNB
BELL ROBERT C	01015083	1 LT	KIA
BELOTE JAMES R JR	33641785	PVT	KIA
BENN CHARLES H	32948690	PVT	DNB
BENNETT CLYDE R	35759223	PVT	KIA
BENNETT HERMAN J	34174414	PFC	KIA
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BERRYMAN RAYMOND H	20347711	PFC	KIA
BEW FLOYD L	33095866	S SC	KIA
BIRDSONG ISAAC M JR	33541054	SGT	KIA
BLAKE DENVER L	35760901	CPL	KIA
BLANKS JAMES A JR	33842612	PVT	KIA
BLONDO PAUL P	33098696	PFC	KIA
BOGART PERRY S	33537304	TEC5	KIA
BOONE ELLIE J	33630375	PFC	DNB
BOOTH LINWOOD E	33823198	PVT	DOW
BOOTH LLOYD H	33542718	PVT	DNB
BOSS EDWARD F	33227643	SGT	FOD
BOTTOMS CHARLIE L	33628053	S SC	KIA
BOYD JOSEPH T	33636179	T SC	KIA
BRACE JAMES D	6271474	TEC5	DNB
BRACKETT FRED A	T-130132	FL O	DNB
BRINKLEY GEORGE W	33638372	PVT	KIA

Joseph Boyd WWII Army and Army Air Force Casualty List

“WWII Army and Army Air Force Casualty List,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph T Boyd, Norfolk County, Virginia.

<https://www.fold3.com/image/310763686?rec=299446566>

Joseph Todd Dies in Action

“2 Local Men Die in Action,” *The Portsmouth Star*, April 6, 1945, 1.

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/907173137/>

This article announces the deaths of two men local to Portsmouth, VA that were killed in the European Theater of Operations. One of them, Technical Sergeant Joseph Todd Boyd, was killed in Italy while serving with the 15th Air Force as a radio gunner. He was known for playing football and basketball for his high school. It also lists his survivors including his brothers that served in the US Army Air Forces.

Joseph Todd Killed in Action

“Four Killed in Action,” *The Virginian-Pilot*, April 17, 1945, 14.

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/851921513/>

According to this article, Tech Sgt Joseph Boyd was killed in action over Ruhland, Germany “on his forty-third mission as a radio operator-gunner on a B-17 in the Fifteenth Air Force based in Italy, and had been overseas since July.” He also “held the Air Medal with Oak Leaf Clusters and was buried in an American military cemetery in Italy.”

Joseph Todd Ex-Local Athlete Killed in War

“Boyd, Ex-Wilson Star to be Buried Here Tomorrow,” *The Portsmouth Star*, November 30, 1948, 14.

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/907289657/>

An image of Joseph Todd Boyd in his football uniform accompanies this article about the time and location of his funeral services. He was a fullback on the football team and held a guard position on the basketball team.

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CHECK TYPE REQUIRED <i>(See Instructions attached)</i>		APPLICATION FOR HEADSTONE OR MARKER <i>(Please make out and return in duplicate)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> UPRIGHT MARBLE HEADSTONE	ENLISTMENT DATE <i>✓ 10-1943</i>	SERIAL No. <i>33636179 ✓</i>	EMBLEM (Check one)	
<input type="checkbox"/> FLAT MARBLE MARKER	DISCHARGE DATE <i>3/22/1945</i>	PENSION No.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BRONZE MARKER	
<input type="checkbox"/> FLAT GRANITE MARKER			<input type="checkbox"/> HEBREW	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BRONZE MARKER (NOTE RESTRICTIONS)			<input type="checkbox"/> NONE	
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) <i>✓ ✓ ✓</i> BOYD, JOSEPH T.	STATE <i>va ✓</i>	RANK <i>T Sg</i>	COMPANY <i>15th Air Force</i>	
	U. S. REGIMENT, STATE ORGANIZATION, AND DIVISION <i>4th AC 817 Bm Sq. AAF 483 Bn Cp.</i>			
DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year) <i>July 4-1918</i>	DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Year) <i>3-22-45</i>	LOCATION (City and State) <i>Portsmouth va</i>		
NAME OF CEMETERY <i>Evergreen Memorial Park</i>	NEAREST FREIGHT STATION (City and State) <i>Portsmouth va</i>			
SHIP TO (I CERTIFY THE APPLICANT FOR THIS STONE HAS MADE ARRANGEMENTS WITH ME TO TRANSPORT THE STONE FROM THE FREIGHT STATION TO THE CEMETERY)	POST OFFICE ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE <i>1927 High St. Same Portsmouth Va.</i>			
<i>Quelling Funeral Home</i> (SIGNATURE OF CONSIGNEE)		I certify this application is submitted for a stone for the unmarked grave of a veteran. I hereby agree to assume all responsibility for the removal of the stone promptly upon arrival at destination, and properly place it at the decedent's grave at my expense.		
DO NOT WRITE HERE		<i>Hazel N. Boyd</i> APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE		
FOR VERIFICATION <i>JAN 19 1949</i>	DATE OF APPLICATION <i>12/8/48</i>			
ORDERED <i>WILLIAMS BRONZ CO., CINCINNATI, OHIO, FEB 15 1949</i>	ADDRESS (Street, City, State) <i>209 Middle St. Portsmouth Va</i>			
B/L <i>4286</i>				
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IMPORTANT—Complete Reverse Side

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Joseph Boyd Military Headstone Application

“U.S., Headstone Applications for Military Veterans, 1925-1970,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com, accessed May 8, 2023), entry for Joseph T Boyd, Portsmouth, Virginia.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/254052:2375>