

Descendants of John DeMaris, Part 11

Courtesy of Frazier Farmstead Museum

Researcher: Sarah Olsen and Linda Kracke

More About CARL W DEMARIS:

Census 1: 1920, IA Franklin Ross ED 174 Pg 7A(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, IA Chickasaw Utica ED 19 Pg 4A(See Father)

ii. VIOLET MARIE DEMARIS, b. 23 Sep 1919, Iowa; d. 14 Jul 1994, Olympia, Thurston, Washington⁶¹⁷; m. ? PRINCE.

More About VIOLET MARIE DEMARIS:

Census 1: 1920, IA Franklin Ross ED 174 Pg 7A(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, IA Chickasaw Utica ED 19 Pg 4A(See Father)

iii. IRENE DEMARIS, b. 17 Jan 1922, Chapin, Franklin, Iowa; d. 30 May 1992, Olympia, Thurston, WA⁶¹⁸; m. (1) ORVAL L. GULLING; b. 01 Apr 1919; d. 24 Dec 2002, Olympia, Thurston, Washington⁶¹⁹; m. (2) DONALD RALPH HARTSELL, 10 Dec 1938.

More About IRENE DEMARIS:

Census: 1930, IA Chickasaw Utica ED 19 Pg 4A(See Father)

More About DONALD HARTSELL and IRENE DEMARIS:

Marriage: 10 Dec 1938

iv. CLIFFORD DEMARIS, b. Abt. 1926, Iowa.

More About CLIFFORD DEMARIS:

Census: 1930, IA Chickasaw Utica ED 19 Pg 4A(See Father)

v. WALTER GALE DEMARIS, b. 21 Apr 1928, Iowa; d. 10 Jun 2005, Kennewick, Benton, Washington⁶²⁰.

Notes for WALTER GALE DEMARIS:

Tri-City Herald - (June 11th, 2005)

Walter G. DeMaris

This story was published Saturday, June 11th, 2005

Walter Gale DeMaris, 77, of Kennewick, died June 10 in Kennewick.

He was born in Iowa and lived in the Tri-Cities for two years.

He was a retired electrician.

Mueller's Tri-Cities Funeral Home, Kennewick, is in charge of arrangements.

More About WALTER GALE DEMARIS:

Census: 1930, IA Chickasaw Utica ED 19 Pg 4A(See Father)

Generation No. 5

92. JAMES DALLAS⁶ GARRED (*EVA ELIZABETH⁵ DEMARIS, WILLIAM⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 01 Nov 1885 in Oregon, and died 31 Dec 1971 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA⁶²¹. He married GEORGIA GILBERT Jun 1903, daughter of JESSE GILBERT and IRENA WATTS. She was born 24 Apr 1888 in Oregon, and died 19 Apr 1972 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA⁶²².

Notes for JAMES DALLAS GARRED:

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918 Record

about James Dallas Garred

Name: James Dallas Garred

City: Not Stated

County: Walla Walla

State: Washington

Birth Date: 1 Nov 1885

Race: White

Roll: 1992177

DraftBoard: 0

Occupation Druggist

1920 Census WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Thorne Dist 126 Pg 168B (10 January 1920 Virgil Argo)

Line 70 (First St)

416 125 129 Garred Dallas J head MW 34 M Oregon Oregon Washington Proprietor Drug Store

-----, Georgia Wife FW 32 M Washington Oregon Oregon

-----, Robert C Son MW 4 9/12 S Washington Oregon Washington

Prafkey Frieda Lodger FW 28 S Indiana US US Servant Household

126 130 Emrich Lucretia Grandmother FW 80 W OH OH OH

Fisher Emily Lodger FW 64 S IA OH OH Housekeeper

1930 Census WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Strue Pct Dist 23 Pg 145B (12 April 1930 Cora Hackett)

line 92 (S Palouse ST)

516 83 84 Garred James D Head 15,000 MW 43 M 23 Oregon US Washington Owner Drug Store

-----, Georgia Wife FW 42 M 20 Washington Oregon Oregon

-----, Robert C Son MW 15 S Washington Oregon Washington

Arnoldt Bertha Servant FW 20 S ND Russia SD Maid Private Family

More About JAMES DALLAS GARRED:

Burial: Mountain View Abbey, Walla Walla, Washington

Census 1: 1900, OR Umatilla Milton Dist 114 Pg 114A(See Step-father Clayborn Moss)

Census 2: 1920, WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Thorne Dist 126 Pg 168B

Census 3: 1930, WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Strue Pct Dist 23 Pg 145B

More About GEORGIA GILBERT:

Burial: 24 Apr 1972, Mountain View Abbey, Walla Walla, Washington

Census 1: 1930, WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Strue Pct Dist 23 Pg 145B(See Husband)

Census 2: 1920, WA Walla Walla Walla Walla Thorne Dist 126 Pg 168B(See Husband)

More About JAMES GARRED and GEORGIA GILBERT:

Marriage: Jun 1903

Child of JAMES GARRED and GEORGIA GILBERT is:

153. i. ROBERT CLAY⁷ GARRED, b. 01 Nov 1915, Walla Walla,WA; d. 10 Dec 1956, Lake Murray State Park, Carter, Oklahoma.

93. MABEL EUNICE⁶ DEMARIS (*CHARLES ENOCH⁵, WILLIAM⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 19 Sep 1888 in Oregon⁶²³, and died 22 Oct 1977 in Walla Walla, , Washington⁶²⁴. She married JOHN JEFFERSON MERRIFIELD 01 Sep 1907. He was born 21 Oct 1887 in Oklahoma, and died 06 Aug 1983 in Walla Walla, , Washington⁶²⁵.

More About MABEL EUNICE DEMARIS:

Burial: IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR⁶²⁶

Census 1: 1900, OR Umatilla Milton ED 114 Pg 25A(See Father)

Census 2: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 150 Pg 5A(See Husband)

Census 3: 1930, OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 15 Pg 3A(See Husband)

Notes for JOHN JEFFERSON MERRIFIELD:

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918 Record

about John Jefferson Merrifield

Name: John Jefferson Merrifield

City: Not Stated

County: Umatilla

State: Oregon

Birthplace: Oklahoma;United States of America

Birth Date: 21 Oct 1887

Race: Caucasian

Roll: 1852148

DraftBoard: 0

1920 Census OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 150 Pg 5A

Merrifield,John J.,head,MW,32,m,OK,TX,TN,Farmer,Stock Farm

Mabel,wife,FW,32,m,OR,WA,KS

Gilbert,son,MW,11S,OR,OK,OR

Dorothy,daughter,FW,1 11/12S,OR,OK,OR

Bowlus,Lewis,roomer,MW,77D,MD,MD,US

1930 Census OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 15 Pg 3A

Merrifield, John J., head, MW, 42, m19, OK, KY, TN, Farmer, General

Mabel E., wife, FW, 41, m18, OR, OR, KS

Dorothy E., daughter, FW, 12S, OR, OK, OR

More About JOHN JEFFERSON MERRIFIELD:

Burial: IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR⁶²⁷

Census 1: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 150 Pg 5A

Census 2: 1930, OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 15 Pg 3A

Marriage Notes for MABEL DEMARIS and JOHN MERRIFIELD:

Walla Walla Union Bulletin (Walla Walla, Washington) > 1976 > September > 12, page 13

Merrifields note 69th anniversary

MILTON-FREEWATER -- John and Mabel Merrifield, Route 1, celebrated their 69th wedding anniversary Sept 1 with a family dinner at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Howard S and Dorothy Murray, 1845 Rustic Place, Walla Walla.

The Merrifields were married Sept. 1, 1907, at the home of Mrs. Merrifield's parents, Charles and Florence Demaris, who lived at Route 1.

The Merrifields have lived within a half-mile of the Demaris residence as they worked in farming at Milton-Freewater.

They also were associated in the insurance business for 25 years. They are retired.

More About JOHN MERRIFIELD and MABEL DEMARIS:

Marriage: 01 Sep 1907

Children of MABEL DEMARIS and JOHN MERRIFIELD are:

154. i. JOHN GILBERT⁷ MERRIFIELD, b. 05 Aug 1908, Oregon; d. 07 Jan 1967, Walla Walla, , Washington.

ii. DOROTHY MERRIFIELD, b. Abt. 1918, Oregon; m. HOWARD STEEN MURRAY; b. 25 Jul 1912, Walla Walla, Washington; d. 26 Oct 1984, Portland, Oregon⁶²⁸.

More About DOROTHY MERRIFIELD:

Census 1: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 150 Pg 5A(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 15 Pg 3A(See Father)

More About HOWARD STEEN MURRAY:

Census 1: 1920, OR Umatilla Freewater Dist 148 Pg 34A(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, OR Umatilla Freewater Dist 6 Pg 29A(See Father)

94. DORSEY WILLIAM SR⁶ DEMARIS (*CHARLES ENOCH⁵, WILLIAM⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 27 Jul 1898 in Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, Oregon, and died 11 Sep 1949 in Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, Oregon⁶²⁹. He married BLANCHE LUELLE MONEGAN 01 Oct 1918 in Walla Walla, Washington⁶³⁰. She was born in North Dakota.

Notes for DORSEY WILLIAM SR DEMARIS:

Walla Walla Union Bulletin (Walla Walla, Washington) > 1949 > September > 12, page 5

Dorsey Demaris, 51, Dies After Long Illness

MILTON-FREEWATER -- Dorsey Demaris, 51, a life-long resident of this area, died at his home Sunday after an extended illness. He was born near the south fork of the Walla Wall river.

He farmed most of his life. In recent years he helped run the White Birches hotel.

His children, Mrs. Doraldine Pool, Downey, Calif, and William Demaris, Ione, Calif, survive along with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Demaris, Milton, and his sisters, Mrs. Mabel Merrifield and Miss Blanche Demaris, also of Milton.

1930 Census WA Walla Walla Prospect Point ED 51 pg 2A

Demaris,Dorsey W.,head,MW,31,m20,OR,OR,KS,Commercial Sales,Auto Accessories

Blanche L.,wife,32,m20,WI,WI,WI

Doraldine A.,daughter,FW,10S,OR,OR,WI

Dorsey W.,son,MW,6S,OR,OR,WI

More About DORSEY WILLIAM SR DEMARIS:

Burial: 13 Sep 1949, IOOF Cem, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR

Census 1: 1900, OR Umatilla Milton ED 114 Pg 25A(See Father)

Census 2: 1910, OR Umatilla S Milton ED 265 Pg 209b

Census 3: 1930, WA Walla Walla Prospect Point ED 51 pg 2A

More About BLANCHE LUELLA MONEGAN:

Census: 1930, WA Walla Walla Prospect Point ED 51 pg 2A(See Husband)

More About DORSEY DEMARIS and BLANCHE MONEGAN:

Marriage: 01 Oct 1918, Walla Walla, Washington⁶³⁰

Children of DORSEY DEMARIS and BLANCHE MONEGAN are:

i. DORALDINE A⁷ DEMARIS, b. 31 Aug 1919, Oregon; d. 19 Feb 1988, Seattle, King, Washington⁶³¹; m. ? POOLE.

More About DORALDINE A DEMARIS:

Census: 1930, WA Walla Walla Prospect Point ED 51 pg 2A(See Father)

ii. DORSEY WILLIAM DEMARIS, b. 25 Jun 1923, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR; d. 01 Feb 2004, Stockton, San Joaquin, California⁶³²; m. SANDRA ?.

Notes for DORSEY WILLIAM DEMARIS:

Name of Deceased: William "Bill" DeMaris

Age at Death: 80

Newspaper Title: Record, The

Newspaper Location: Stockton, CA, US

Obituary Publication Date: Feb/9/2004

Locations Mentioned in Obituary: OR

Dorsey William "Bill" DeMaris

June 25, 1923 - February 4, 2004

Dorsey William "Bill" DeMaris, 80,

born on Monday, June 25, 1923 in

Milton-Freewater, Oregon, passed

away at home on Wednesday, February 4, 2004 after a long battle with cancer. Bill was a retired Peace Officer with the State of California Department of the Youth Authority. He started his career at Preston School in 1947 after his service in the war. He also worked at the Northern Reception Center in Sacramento. He was a Training Officer for Northern California and he considered that the most personally rewarding aspect of his career. He was awarded special recognition in appreciation for his Concern, Dedication and Professional Guidance to the California Youth Authority Training Academy in July 1981. He was instrumental in the development of the Foster Grandparent Program and was given special recognition for invaluable support in furthering the efforts of the program to provide significant volunteer service to the

community. He served as Assistant Superintendent O.H. Close and he retired as Assistant Superintendent of the Dewitt Nelson Training Center August 1981 after 34 years of service. Bill was an accomplished woodworker, an avid fisherman and he was an excellent photographer which was attested to by his involvement with the Arm Chair Travelers program at Delta College. Bill traveled all over the world and shared his travel through his photos and the Arm Chair Travelers program at Delta College. Bill was a long time dancer and he and Sandra were active in the San Joaquin Valley Square Dance Association. Bill contributed much to the advancement of Square Dancing in San Joaquin County and he was a club member of the Peat Dusters, and Stars and Bars. He just received his Golden Dancer Award on January 18, 2004 by the California Square Dance Council, Inc.

He is survived by his wife, Sandra DeMaris, and 3 stepchildren and 3 grandchildren all residents of San Joaquin County.

At his request no services will be held and inurnment will be at Cherokee Memorial Park, Hwy 99 & E. Harney Ln., Lodi, CA.

Memorial gifts and donations may be made to the Hospice of San Joaquin or to the American Cancer Association.

More About DORSEY WILLIAM DEMARIS:

Burial: Cherokee Memorial Park, Lodi, CA

Census: 1930, WA Walla Walla Prospect Point ED 51 pg 2A(See Father)

95. DOROTHY ALBERTINE⁶ WALTER (*CORA ETTA⁵ DEMARIS, JACOB⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 07 Aug 1908 in Milton, Umatilla, OR, and died 20 Jan 1995 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA⁶³³. She married ERWIN JAMES BEARD 12 Jun 1935 in Spokane, WA⁶³⁴, son of EDGAR BEARD and HELEN WILLIAMS. He was born 23 Dec 1904, and died 22 Apr 1985 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, Washington^{635,636}.

Notes for DOROTHY ALBERTINE WALTER:

OBIT - Valley Times Jan 25, 1995

Dorothy Beard

Dorothy Walter Beard, 86, of 116 E. Maple St., died Jan. 19, 1995, at the Park Manor Rehabilitation Center.

The graveside service was held 11 a.m. Monday at the Milton-Freewater Cemetery.

Mrs. Beard was born Aug 7, 1908, to Ralph and Cora Demaris Walter at the Demaris family homestead, south of Milton-Freewater on the Walla Walla River. Now a Centennial Farm, it was homesteaded in 1863 by her great-grandfather, Enoch Demaris. The Walters were also early settlers in the Walla Walla Valley.

She attended Milton schools and McLoughlin High School. She graduated from Whitman College in 1931 with a degree in mathematics and also attended the University of Oregon. She received a master's in Librarianship from the University of Washington in 1966 when she was 58 years old.

She married Erwin J. Beard in 1935 in Spokane. He died in 1984. They had made their home in Walla Walla since 1936 when he joined the Walla Walla school system.

Mrs. Beard was employed as a librarian at Walla Walla High School for 13 years until her retirement in 1973. She served a term on the city planning commission in the 1960's.

She was a 50-year member of the American Association of University Women. She also belonged to the Historical Architecture Development Corp., Delta Kappa Gamma, the YWCA, Humane Society, Planned Parenthood, Retired Teachers Association, and the Square-D Swingsters.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Dick (Beatrice) Groom of Graham, Wash., and Mrs. Tom (Eleanor) Quick of Oregon City, Ore.; a son, James W. Beard of Walla Walla; a sister, Mrs. Vance (Elva) Morrison of Salem, Ore; four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

More About DOROTHY ALBERTINE WALTER:

Burial: IOOF Cemetery, Milton-Freewater,Umatilla Co.,OR

Census 1: 1910, OR Umatilla Milton ED 265 Pg 8A(See Father)

Census 2: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 12 ED 150 Pg 9B(See Father)

Census 3: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton ED 16 Pg 1B(See Father)

More About ERWIN JAMES BEARD:

Burial: IOOF Cemetery, Milton-Freewater,Umatilla Co.,OR

Census: 1930, ID Nez Perce Lewiston ED 10 Pg 4B(See Father)

More About ERWIN BEARD and DOROTHY WALTER:

Marriage: 12 Jun 1935, Spokane, WA⁶³⁷

Children of DOROTHY WALTER and ERWIN BEARD are:

i. BEATRICE⁷ BEARD, b. 01 Aug 1941; m. (1) FRED BAXTER, 30 Jun 1962; m. (2) DICK GROOM, 28 Sep 1982.

More About FRED BAXTER and BEATRICE BEARD:

Marriage: 30 Jun 1962

More About DICK GROOM and BEATRICE BEARD:

Marriage: 28 Sep 1982

ii. ELEANOR BEARD, b. 30 Oct 1951; m. TOM QUICK, 26 Jun 1976.

More About TOM QUICK and ELEANOR BEARD:

Marriage: 26 Jun 1976

iii. JAMES W BEARD, b. 19 Feb 1948; m. CHRISTY PERRY, 10 Jul 1973.

More About JAMES BEARD and CHRISTY PERRY:

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Marriage: 10 Jul 1973

96. ESTHER DOLPHINE⁶ WALTER (*CORA ETTA⁵ DEMARIS, JACOB⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 10 Aug 1910 in Oregon, and died 13 Sep 1974 in Salem, Polk County, Oregon^{638,639}. She married BURDETTE ELLSWORTH WALKER 11 Feb 1940 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA⁶⁴⁰, son of VINCENT WALKER and FRANCES BATTEY. He was born 14 Dec 1909 in Grandview, Yakima, WA⁶⁴¹, and died 17 Jul 2002 in Lindsay, Tulare, CA⁶⁴².

More About ESTHER DOLPHINE WALTER:

Burial: IOOF Cemetery, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR⁶⁴³

Census 1: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 12 ED 150 Pg 9B(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton ED 16 Pg 1B(See Father)

Notes for BURDETTE ELLSWORTH WALKER:

OBIT - Valley Herald - July 24, 2002

BURDETT WALKER

Burdett Walker, 92 passed away on July 17, 2002 in Sparks, NV. A memorial service will be held at First Presbyterian Church in Lindsay, CA. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Burdett Walker Memorial Fund at the Grace Presbyterian Church in M-F, OR.

Burdett was a member of BPOE, Rotary, Scottish Rite and a lifelong member of the Presbyterian Church. He was a devoted Dixieland Jazz fan.

His wife, Esther, preceded him in death as well as two. brothers, Denton and Howard.

Survivors include son, Neil Walker and wife, Jacquie, of Linday, CA; daughter Lacy Krivanek and husband, Don, of Sparks, NV; as well as 4 grandchildren and 3 great grandsons. He is also survived by sisters Elizabeth and Frances Jane, and 3 brothers, Wallen, Robert and Raymond.

More About BURDETTE ELLSWORTH WALKER:

Burial: IOOF Cemetery, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR⁶⁴⁴

Census 1: 1910, WA Spokane Spokane 4-Wd ED 186 Pg 177A(See Father)

Census 2: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 10 ED 149 Pg 9B(See Father)

Marriage Notes for ESTHER WALTER and BURDETTE WALKER:

WALTER-WALKER WEDDING SUNDAY - 1940

At a simple ceremony performed at 21 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the First Presbyterian Church of Walla Walla, Miss Esther Walter, daughter of Mrs. R.W. WALTER OF Milton, became the bride of Burdett Walker, son of Mr. And Mrs. W.B. Walker of Milton. Dr. W.H. Bleakney read the service in the presence of members of the two families and a few friends. The bride was attractive in a gown of wisteria crepe, with matching hat and corsage formed of an orchid and Lilies of the Valley . She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Erwin J. Beard of Walla Walla, as matron of honor, who wore brown with corsage of Talisman Roses.

Denton Walker, brother of the bridegroom was his best man.

Mr. And Mrs. Walter left by automobile for Portland.

(paraphrased)

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More About BURDETTE WALKER and ESTHER WALTER:

Marriage: 11 Feb 1940, Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA⁶⁴⁵

Children of ESTHER WALTER and BURDETTE WALKER are:

i. NEIL⁷ WALKER, b. 17 Feb 1941; m. JACKLYN PAUL, 18 Dec 1966.

More About NEIL WALKER and JACKLYN PAUL:

Marriage: 18 Dec 1966

ii. LACY DIANE WALKER, b. 03 Jul 1943; m. DONALD KRIVANEK, 16 Mar 1969.

More About DONALD KRIVANEK and LACY WALKER:

Marriage: 16 Mar 1969

97. ELVA JUANITA⁶ WALTER (CORR ETTA⁵ DEMARIS, JACOB⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹) was born 29 Aug 1913, and died 28 Feb 2005 in Corvallis, Benton, Oregon⁶⁴⁶. She married VANCE LESLIE MORRISON 14 Nov 1936, son of SAM MORRISON and STELLA RUSSEL. He was born 03 Jul 1909, and died 08 Oct 1997 in Salem, Marion, OR⁶⁴⁷.

More About ELVA JUANITA WALTER:

Census 1: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 12 ED 150 Pg 9B(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton ED 16 Pg 1B(See Father)

More About VANCE MORRISON and ELVA WALTER:

Marriage: 14 Nov 1936

Child of ELVA WALTER and VANCE MORRISON is:

i. LESLIE CLAIRE⁷ MORRISON, b. 18 Dec 1947; m. NORMAN CASTILLO, 21 Aug 1971.

More About NORMAN CASTILLO and LESLIE MORRISON:

Marriage: 21 Aug 1971

98. EDWIN ALBERT⁶ DEMARIS (*ASA ALBERT⁵, JACOB⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 27 Dec 1921 in Oregon, and died 25 Aug 1985 in Walla Walla, WA^{648,649}. He married CHARLOTTE WRIGHT 19 Dec 1945, daughter of R. A. WRIGHT.

Notes for EDWIN ALBERT DEMARIS:

U.S. World War II Army Enlistment Records, 1938-1946 Record

about Edwin A Demaris

Name: Edwin A Demaris

Birth Year: 1921

Race: White, citizen

Nativity State or Country: Oregon

State: Oregon

County or City: Umatilla

Enlistment Date: 1 Sep 1942

Enlistment State: Washington

Enlistment City: Spokane

Branch: Air Corps

Branch Code: Air Corps

Grade: Private

Grade Code: Private

Term of Enlistment: 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

Component: Army of the United States - includes the following: Voluntary enlistments effective December 8, 1941 and thereafter; One year enlistments of National Guardsman whose State enlistment expires while in the Federal Service; Officers appointed in the Army of

Source: Civil Life

Education: 4 years of high school

Marital Status: Single, without dependents

Height: 66

Weight: 140

More About EDWIN ALBERT DEMARIS:

Burial: Mt. View Cemetery, Walla Walla, Washington

Census: 1930, Oregon Umatilla Prect 1 Dist 1 Pg 4(See Father)

More About EDWIN DEMARIS and CHARLOTTE WRIGHT:

Marriage: 19 Dec 1945

Children of EDWIN DEMARIS and CHARLOTTE WRIGHT are:

i. STEVEN PAUL⁷ DEMARIS, b. 01 Apr 1948; d. 07 Mar 1969, near Preston, WA.

Notes for STEVEN PAUL DEMARIS:

Walla Walla Union Bulletin (Walla Walla, Washington) > 1969 > March > 9, page 5

DEMARIS-- March 7, 1969, near Preston, Wash. Steven Paul Demaris of 531 E. Chestnut, aged 20 years. Son of Mr and Mrs Edwin A. Demaris, of 521 E. Chestnut; brother of Michael and David Demaris, at the home, and Mrs. Bernard (Priscilla) Jullien of St. mihiel, France; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Asa demaris of Milton-Freewter and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wright of Genoa, Neb. born April 1, 1948, in Walla Walla. Member of Trinity Baptist Church and Delta Tau Delta fraternity, Whitman College, Arrangements have been entrusted to the Colonial Funeral Home.

Walla Walla Union Bulletin (Walla Walla, Washington) > 1969 > March > 10,page 5

Steve Demaris

Funeral services for Steve Demaris, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Demaris and University of Washington Student, victim of a two-car headon collision near Seattle Friday, will be at Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Trinity Baptist Church with the Rev. harlan R. Gerlach officiating.

Vault interment will follow in Blue Mt. Memorial Gardens

More About STEVEN PAUL DEMARIS:

Burial: Blue Mountain Cemetery, Walla Walla, WA⁶⁵⁰

ii. MICHAEL DEMARIS, m. FRANCIS AGUILAR.

Marriage Notes for MICHAEL DEMARIS and FRANCIS AGUILAR:

Walla Walla Union Bulletin (Walla Walla, Washington) > 1970 > November > 17, page 5

Marriage Liscense, Michael L. Demaris and Francis Aguilar, both of Walla Walla

iii. DAVID DEMARIS.

iv. PRISCILLA DEMARIS.

99. MERYL CLARK DEMARIS⁶ SR. (*FRANCIS LESLIE⁵ DEMARIS, JACOB⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 04 Apr 1913 in Oregon, and died 06 Aug 1991 in Oregon, Umatilla County^{651,652}. He married GENEVIEVE MILLER 10 Dec 1938 in Dayton, Columbia, Washington⁶⁵³, daughter of FRANK MILLER and ESTELLA DEAN. She was born 17 Jul 1916 in Baker City, Baker, OR, and died 07 May 2005.

More About MERYL CLARK DEMARIS SR.:

Census 1: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 11 Dist 150 Pg 58B

Census 2: 1930, OR Umatilla Pct 11 ED 15 Pg 2A(See Father)

Notes for GENEVIEVE MILLER:

OBIT - Walla Walla Union Bulletin - May 2005

Genevieve Demaris

July 17, 1916 - May 7, 2005

MILTON-FREEWATER -

Genevieve M. Demaris, 88, of 1015 N.E. Third Ave, died May 7, 2005, at St. Mary Medical Center.

The service will be 11 am Thursday at Munselle-Rhodes Funeral Home, 902 S. Main St, Milton-Freewater, with the Rev. Duane Geyer officiating. The concluding service and burial will follow in M-F Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Children's Hospital & Regional Medical Center through the funeral home.

Mrs. Demaris was born July 17, 1916, in Baker City, OR to Frank and Estella Dean Miller. She moved to M-F in 1926, graduated in 1936 from McLoughlin Union High School and attended Walla Walla Business College.

She and Meryl Clark Demaris married Dec. 10, 1938, in Dayton. Mr. Demaris died in 1991.

Mrs. Demaris was a member of First Christian Church, a past representative of Pynthian Sisters Herculena Temple 27 and a past noble grand of Regekah Lodge 175. She also belonged to Elks 2146, a senior citizens club and The Forks Friendship Club. An ardent card player, she was a lively member of her bridge and pinochle clubs.

She was a loving, giving person who always had a cheerful word for others. From card parties and social gatherings to sports events, her full schedule kept her busy but always with time for family and friends.

Survivors include two sons and a daughter-in-law, Meryl Jr. Demaris of M-F and Frank and Sulvia Demaris of Dayton; daughter and son-in-law Cheryl and Charles Kitamura of Nyssa, OR; a brother Maurice Miller of Boise; numerous grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a brother Eugene Miller; and two grandchildren, Scott Demaris Genovese and Mary Kate Demaris.

More About GENEVIEVE MILLER:

Burial: IOOF Cemetery, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR

More About MERYL SR. and GENEVIEVE MILLER:

Marriage: 10 Dec 1938, Dayton, Columbia, Washington⁶⁵³

Children of MERYL SR. and GENEVIEVE MILLER are:

i. MERYL JR.⁷ DEMARIS, b. 17 Aug 1939; m. (1) MARCIA GAYLE FLOYD; m. (2) SHARON DENISE HEWITT, 22 Jul 1965, Walla Walla, Washington⁶⁵⁴; m. (3) MARY A HUNGERFORD, 25 Oct 1975, Walla Walla, Washington⁶⁵⁵.

More About MERYL DEMARIS and SHARON HEWITT:

Marriage: 22 Jul 1965, Walla Walla, Washington⁶⁵⁶

More About MERYL DEMARIS and MARY HUNGERFORD:

Marriage: 25 Oct 1975, Walla Walla, Washington⁶⁵⁷

ii. FRANK DEMARIS, m. SYLVIA ?.

iii. CHERYL DEMARIS, m. CHARLES KITAMURA.

100. ILA JEAN⁶ DEMARIS (*JAMES HARVEY⁵, JACOB⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 04 Oct 1919 in Oregon, and died 07 Jan 1987 in Milton Freewater, Umatilla, Oregon⁶⁵⁸. She married WILBUR LAWRENCE GIBBONS 18 Nov 1947, son of PHILLIP GIBBONS and MARY SHAFFER. He was born 01 Jan 1918, and died 01 Jan 1991 in Gilliam, OR^{659,660}.

Notes for ILA JEAN DEMARIS:

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Mrs. William Clements, Mrs. Nina Norman, Mrs. Jean Miller, Lavern Demaris and Stanley Jacobs went to Pasco for Thanksgiving to the home of Mrs. Clement's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cowart.

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More About ILA JEAN DEMARIS:

Burial: IOOF Cemetery, Milton-Freewater,Umatilla, OR⁶⁶¹

Census 1: 1920, Oregon Umatilla Prect 9 Ed 149 Pg 4B

Census 2: 1930, OR Umatilla Milton Dist 12 Pg 47a

More About WILBUR LAWRENCE GIBBONS:

Burial: IOOF Cemetery, Milton-Freewater,Umatilla Co.,OR⁶⁶²

Census 1: 1920, OR Umatilla Pct 1 ED 146 Pg 8A(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, OR Umatillia Pct 7 ED 9 Pg 3A(See Father)

Marriage Notes for ILA DEMARIS and WILBUR GIBBONS:

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VOWS ARE SAID IN SPOKANE RITES

MILTON-FREEWATER - In a simple ceremony Tuesday afternoon in Spokane, Mrs. Jean Miller was married to Wilbur Gibbons of Freewater. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Bill Clements of Milton and Gibbons the son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gibbons of Freewater. The vows were read by the Rev. Mr. McDonald, Presbyterian minister. For her wedding, the bride chose a two-piece rose wool dress with brown accessories and orchid corsage.

After their marriage they returned to Freewater where they will make their home.

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More About WILBUR GIBBONS and ILA DEMARIS:

Marriage: 18 Nov 1947

Child of ILA DEMARIS and WILBUR GIBBONS is:

i. JAMES SHERIDAN⁷ GIBBONS, b. 20 Dec 1951, Milton-Freewater, OR.

101. CHARLES JESSE⁶ DEMARIS (*JOHN HENRY⁵, ENOCH CHARLES⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 20 Jul 1884 in Crook, OR⁶⁶³, and died 22 Nov 1974 in Prineville, Crook, OR^{664,665}. He married (1) PHYLIS EUDORA TRAVER 10 Nov 1923, daughter of HENRY TRAVER and MAMIE THOMPSON. She was born 19 Jan 1903 in Battle Creek, Michigan, and died 15 Jan 1994 in Prineville, Crook, Oregon^{666,667}. He married (2) EDNA MAE GRIMES 26 May 1933. She was born 16 May 1910, and died 25 May 1983 in Prineville, Crook, OR^{668,669}.

Notes for CHARLES JESSE DEMARIS:

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918 Record

about Charles Jess Demaris

Name: Charles Jess Demaris

City: Not Stated

County: Crook

State: Oregon

Birth Date: 20 Jul 1884

Race: White

Roll: 1852055

DraftBoard: 0

Nearest Relative: Jane Demaris,Prineville,Crook,Ore,

1920 Census OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A

Demaris,Dude,head,MW,27,m,OR,OR,OR,Laborer,Saw Mill

Elsie,wife,FW,22,m,OR,WI,OR

Helen,daughter,FW,4S,OR,OR,OR

Clarence,son,MW,3S,OR,OR,OR

George,son,MW,1 2/12S,OR,OR,OR

Living next door:

Demaris,Charles,head,MW,35S,OR,OR,OR,Farmer & Laborer,Saw Mill

Sylvester,Frank,lodger,29,m,OR,WI,OR

Lela M.,wife,20,m,WI,WI,WI

On the next pasge:

Demaris,John W.,head,MW,34,m,OR,OR,OR,Farmer & Laborer,Saw Mill

Minnie M.,wife,FW,38,m,TX,OR,IL

Charles J.,son,MW,14S,OR,OR,TX

Dorothy M.,daughter,FW,12S,OR,OR,TX

Gale T.,son,MW,10S,OR,OR,TX

Lawrence C.,son,MW,8S,OR,OR,TX

Marjorie,daughter,FW,6S,OR,OR,TX

Mabel L.,daughter,FW,4 2/12S,OR,OR,TX

1930 Census OR Crook McKay ED 4 Pg 2A

Demaris,Dude,head,MW,37,m21,OR,WA,OR,Laborer,Odd jobs

Elsie L.,wife,FW,32,m16,OR,ENG,OH

Helen G.,daughter,FW,14S,OR,OR,OR

Clarence C.,son,MW,13S,OR,OR,OR

Irene L.,daughter,FW,10S,OR,OR,OR

Horace P.,son,MW,3S,OR,OR,OR

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Demaris,Jesse C.,head,MW,45,m39,OR,WA,OR,Laborer,Odd Jobs

Phylis E.,wife,FW,27,m19,MI,MI,MI

Fay C.,daughter,FW,5S,OR,OR,MI

Ray A.,son,MW,4S,OR,OR,MI

Royce E.,son,MW,2S,OR,OR,MI

More About CHARLES JESSE DEMARIS:

Burial: Juniper Haven Cemetery, Prineville, Crook, OR

Census 1: 1900, OR Crook Mill Creek ED 9 Pg 3B(See Father)

Census 2: 1910, OR Crook McKay ED 56 Pg 13A(See Father)

Census 3: 1920, OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A

Census 4: 1930, OR Crook McKay ED 4 Pg 2A

More About PHYLIS EUDORA TRAVER:

Census: 1930, OR Crook McKay ED 4 Pg 2A(See Husband)

More About CHARLES DEMARIS and PHYLIS TRAVER:

Divorce: Abt. 1945

Marriage: 10 Nov 1923

More About EDNA MAE GRIMES:

Burial: Juniper Haven Cemetery, Prineville, Crook, OR

More About CHARLES DEMARIS and EDNA GRIMES:

Marriage: 26 May 1933

Children of CHARLES DEMARIS and PHYLIS TRAVER are:

155. i. FAY CORA⁷ DEMARIS, b. 03 Aug 1924, Prineville, Oregon; d. 21 Apr 2005, Prineville, Crook, Oregon.

ii. RAY ALLEN DEMARIS, b. 14 Feb 1926, Oregon.

More About RAY ALLEN DEMARIS:

Census: 1930, OR Crook McKay ED 4 Pg 2A(See Father)

iii. ROYCE ELDON DEMARIS, b. 29 Jul 1927, Oregon; d. 24 Apr 1956, killed in a logging accident⁶⁷⁰.

More About ROYCE ELDON DEMARIS:

Census: 1930, OR Crook McKay ED 4 Pg 2A(See Father)

iv. JAMES LEROY DEMARIS, b. 22 Apr 1930, Oregon; d. 02 May 1939, Crook, OR⁶⁷¹.

v. PHYLLIS JEAN DEMARIS, b. 09 Feb 1934, Oregon; m. ? HUNTER.

vi. CLIFFORD WAYNE DEMARIS, b. 31 Aug 1936, Oregon.

102. JOHN WALTER⁶ DEMARIS (*JOHN HENRY⁵, ENOCH CHARLES⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 14 Dec 1885 in Crook, OR⁶⁷², and died 27 Jun 1972 in Prineville, Crook, OR⁶⁷³. He married (1) MINNIE MAY BIRDSONG 23 Jun 1904, daughter of WILLIAM BIRDSONG and EMMA FARTHING. She was born 14 Mar 1881 in Texas, and died 26 Feb 1956 in Prineville, Crook, OR⁶⁷⁴. He married (2) GOLDIE HELMS 14 Sep 1957. She was born 23 Apr 1898, and died 13 May 1980 in Crook, OR⁶⁷⁵.

Notes for JOHN WALTER DEMARIS:

1920 Census OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A

Demaris,Dude,head,MW,27,m,OR,OR,OR,Laborer,Saw Mill

Elsie,wife,FW,22,m,OR,WI,OR

Helen,daughter,FW,4S,OR,OR,OR

Clarence,son,MW,3S,OR,OR,OR

George,son,MW,1 2/12S,OR,OR,OR

Living next door:

Demaris,Charles,head,MW,35S,OR,OR,OR,Farmer & Laborer,Saw Mill

Sylvester,Frank,lodger,29,m,OR,WI,OR

Lela M.,wife,20,m,WI,WI,WI

On the next pasge:

Demaris,John W.,head,MW,34,m,OR,OR,OR,Farmer & Laborer,Saw Mill

Minnie M.,wife,FW,38,m,TX,OR,IL

Charles J.,son,MW,14S,OR,OR,TX

Dorothy M.,daughter,FW,12S,OR,OR,TX

Gale T.,son,MW,10S,OR,OR,TX

Lawrence C.,son,MW,8S,OR,OR,TX

Marjorie,daughter,FW,6S,OR,OR,TX

Mabel L.,daughter,FW,4 2/12S,OR,OR,TX

1930 Census OR Crook Prineville ED 2 Pg 2B

Demaris,Walter,head,MW,43,m18,OR,IA,OR,Sawyer,Lumber Mill

Minnie,wife,FW,49,m23,TX,TX,IL

Charlie,son,MW,22224S,OR,OR,TX,Laborer,State Hgwy

Gail,son,MW,20S,OR,OR,TX,Range Rider,Forest Service

Lawrence,son,MW,18S,OR,OR,TX,Farm laborer

Marjorie,daughter,FW,16S,OR,OR,,TX

Mabel,daughter,FW,14S,OR,OR,TX

More About JOHN WALTER DEMARIS:

Burial: 30 Jun 1972, Juniper Haven Cemetery, Prineville, Crook, OR⁶⁷⁶

Census 1: 1900, OR Crook Mill Creek ED 9 Pg 3B(See Father)

Census 2: 1910, OR Crook McKay ED 56 Pg 13A(See Father)

Census 3: 1920, OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A

Census 4: 1930, OR Crook Prineville ED 2 Pg 2B

More About MINNIE MAY BIRDSONG:

Burial: 28 Feb 1956, Prineville Cemetery, Prineville, Crook, OR

Census 1: 1910, OR Crook McKay ED 56 Pg 13A(See Father-in-law John Demaris)

Census 2: 1920, OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A(See Husband)

Census 3: 1930, OR Crook Prineville ED 2 Pg 2B(See Husband)

More About JOHN DEMARIS and MINNIE BIRDSONG:

Marriage: 23 Jun 1904

More About GOLDIE HELMS:

Burial: Juniper Haven Cemetery, Prineville, Crook, OR

More About JOHN DEMARIS and GOLDIE HELMS:

Marriage: 14 Sep 1957

Children of JOHN DEMARIS and MINNIE BIRDSONG are:

i. CHARLES JEFFERSON⁷ DEMARIS, b. 13 Oct 1905, Oregon; d. 27 Jan 1966, Multnomah, OR⁶⁷⁷; m. EDNA M. ?, 26 May 1933; b. 16 May 1910; d. May 1983, Prineville, Crook, Oregon⁶⁷⁸.

More About CHARLES JEFFERSON DEMARIS:

Census 1: 1910, OR Crook McKay ED 56 Pg 13A(See Grandfather John Demaris)

Census 2: 1920, OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A(See Father)

Census 3: 1930, OR Crook Prineville ED 2 Pg 2B(See Father)

More About CHARLES DEMARIS and EDNA ?:

Marriage: 26 May 1933

156. ii. DOROTHY MYRTLE DEMARIS, b. 16 Sep 1907, Oregon; d. 08 Jul 2002, Prineville, Crook, OR.

iii. GAIL FRANKLIN DEMARIS, b. 04 Sep 1909, Oregon; d. 12 Feb 1997, Crook, OR⁶⁷⁹; m. (1) ISABEL BALES; m. (2) DOROTHY CATWILDER; m. (3) DOROTHY THROY.

Notes for GAIL FRANKLIN DEMARIS:

U.S. World War II Army Enlistment Records, 1938-1946 Record

about Gail F Demaris

Name: Gail F Demaris

Birth Year: 1909

Race: White, citizen

Nativity State or Country: Oregon

State: Oregon

Enlistment Date: 24 Oct 1942

Enlistment State: Oregon

Enlistment City: Portland

Branch: Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA

Branch Code: Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA

Grade: Private

Grade Code: Private

Term of Enlistment: 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

Component: Selectees (Enlisted Men)

Source: Civil Life

Education: Grammar school

Civil Occupation: Geographer

Marital Status: Divorced, without dependents

Height: 67

Weight: 137

More About GAIL FRANKLIN DEMARIS:

Census 1: 1910, OR Crook McKay ED 56 Pg 13A(See Grandfather John Demaris)

Census 2: 1920, OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A(See Father)

iv. LAWRENCE CURTIS DEMARIS, b. 31 Jul 1911, Crook, OR; d. 30 Jul 1979, Prineville, Crook, OR⁶⁸⁰; m. (1) PAULINE HINTON; m. (2) GOLDIE CARRIER.

Notes for LAWRENCE CURTIS DEMARIS:

1930 Census OR Crook McKay ED 4 Pg 2A

Elliott, Fred L., head, MW, 36, m24, OR, NE, OR, Farmer

Ruth G., wife, FW, 30, m17, OR, WA, OR

Doris R., daughter, FW, 12S, OR, OR, OR

June I., daughter, FW, 10S, OR, OR, OR

Evelyn E., daughter, FW, 7S, OR, OR, OR

Demaris, Lawrence, hired man, MW, 19S, OR, TX, TX, Farm laborer

More About LAWRENCE CURTIS DEMARIS:

Burial: Juniper Haven Cemetery, Prineville, Crook, OR

Census 1: 1920, OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, OR Crook McKay ED 4 Pg 2A

Census 3: 1930, OR Crook Prineville ED 2 Pg 2B(See Father)

v. MARJORIE DEMARIS, b. Abt. 1914, Oregon.

More About MARJORIE DEMARIS:

Census 1: 1920, OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, OR Crook Prineville ED 2 Pg 2B(See Father)

vi. MABEL L DEMARIS, b. Abt. 1915, Oregon.

More About MABEL L DEMARIS:

Census 1: 1920, OR Crook McKay ED 26 Pg 1A(See Father)

Census 2: 1930, OR Crook Prineville ED 2 Pg 2B(See Father)

103. BERT GEROME⁶ DEMARIS (*JOHN HENRY⁵, ENOCH CHARLES⁴, ENOCH³, JOHN², JOHN¹*) was born 06 Nov 1887 in Mill Creek/Prineville, Crook, OR⁶⁸¹, and died 08 Oct 1973 in Redmond, Deschutes, OR^{682,683}. He married MAGGIE LEE BIRDSONG 18 Jul 1909 in Zevely Home/Crook County, OR^{684,685}, daughter of WILLIAM BIRDSONG and EMMA FARTHING. She was born 29 Oct 1887 in California⁶⁸⁶, and died 29 Aug 1974 in Sisters, Deschutes, Oregon^{687,688}.

Notes for BERT GEROME DEMARIS:

http://www.geocities.com/possumlover3/GENEALOGY/demaris_bert.html

BERT AND MAGGIE DEMARIS

BERT DEMARIS was born on Mill Creek near Steins Pillar in 1887. His father and mother were JOHNIE and JANE DEMARIS. MAGGIE BIRDSONG was with her parents, HENRY and EMMA BIRDSONG, to Prineville, Oregon by wagon train arriving there on Maggie's first birthday.

BERT and MAGGIE were married at the home of BOBBY and MABEL ZEVELY, who were witnesses for them on July 18, 1909. Sixty years later they celebrated their sixtieth anniversary with BOBBY and MABEL both present.

The couple lived around McKay Creek and Maury Mt. sawmill for three years and then settled on a homestead on Camp Creek near Maury Mountain. There were eight children born to them.

BEULAH HAZEL born on McKay creek, April 15, 1910. She has four children-GERLADINE, JOE, DAVID and ALVIN JACOB (JAKE) BECKER. She lives in Sisters, Oregon. she has seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

WARREN LESTER was born on Johnson Creek, February 23, 1912. He and his wife, THELMA TAYLOR WEATHERFORD DEMARIS, have seven children- SHIRLEY, LEE, LOUJANA, JAY and JANET (twins) and also LORAIN and DALE. They also have sixteen grandchildren. They live at Burnt Woods, Oregon where they moved from Cloverdale, Oregon. WARREN has been in the lumber business and is now retired.

ALBERT JOHN was born on the homestead in 1914, February 1st. He and his wife MARGARET HEWITT DEMARIS, have four children- BOBBY, DONNA, ALBERT JOHN, JR. (A.J.) and JAMES (JIM). They lost BOBBY in an accident in 1953. They have nine grandchildren. ALBERT (AB) has been a self-employed logger for many years during which time they have lived at Sisters, Oregon.

ALTA DELPHINE was born on McKay Creek, November 30, 1915. She and her husband, JACK NEEL, have two children KENNETH and PEGGY. They have four grandchildren. Their home is at O'Neil. N.E. of Redmond, Oregon. JACK works in Redmond at Whittier Moulding.

VELDA CLAIRE was born on Camp Creek, April 3, 1919. She and her first husband, NEIL WINKLE had three boys,-WILLIS, RONALD and JACK. JACK was killed in a car accident in 1967. They were divorced and she married COLE ALLEN. VELDA passed away December 26, 1969. NEIL and COLE have both passed away since.

LENORA FAY was born March 23, 1922. She and her first husband, DICK WATROUS, had one son DONALD. She married EARL HOLT and they have two children, VALERIA and EDWARD. They asl have two grandchildren.

EDNA BELLE was born also on the homestead on September 24, 1924. She married HARRY BEDWELL and they have one daughter, PAM, and tow grandchildren. They live on 23rd Street, west of Redmond.

LEONA MAY was born in Prineville on October 27, 1928. She and her husband, ROY DAVIS, have two children, RODNEY (ROCKY) DAVIS and RITA MAY. ROY and LEONA live west of redmond near HARRY and EDNA BEDWELL. BERT and MAGGIE moved to Sisters, Oregon in 1934 and lived there until their death. BERT passed away in 1973 and MAGGIE passed away in 1974. Velma Ammons

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BERT AND MAGGIE DEMARIS

BERT DEMARIS was the son of JOHN and JANE O'KELLY DEMARIS. In 1887, he was born about one mile south of Steen's Pillar on Mill Creek, east of Prineville, Oregon. He married MAGGIE BIRDSONG in 1909.

The homesteaded south of Maury Mountain on Camp Creek and Barnes, Oregon. They cleared the 160 acres for dry land farming. They raised large gardens, bumper lambs from the 96 ranch, cows, pigs, chickens and few horses for farming as they had no power driven machinery. They journeyed by wagon once or twice a year for staple graceries. He worked in sawmills in the area and drove stage from Prineville to Fife, Oregon at the head of the south fork of Crooked River. MAGGIE was postmistress of the barnes postoffice for several years.

They had eight children, four of which were born at the ranch. BERT acted as doctor and midwife. Their children (and the children of her brother, CHARLEY BIRDSONG, as well as, the children of a sister, NORA AMMONS) attended the oldest standing school house in Crook County at that time. Their children were: ---BEULAH (1910), ---WARREN (1912), ---ALBERT (1914), ---ALTA (1915), ---VELDA (1919), ---LENORA (1922), ---EDNA (1924) and ---LEONA (1928).

In 1929, he sold his ranch to Lemuel Houston and his wife, Dorothy Hackleman, for \$800.00 and moved to Prinveille to send his children to high school. BERT ha only a third grade education and wanted his children to have at least a high school education. He was a self educated man, very good in figures and was known to be able to work algebra problems in his head but was unable to put them on paper.

In 1934, he moved his family to Sisters, Oregon, where MAGGIE cared for her uncle, WARREN FARTHING, in his later years. Bert worked as a log scaler there before becoming custodian and school bus driver for the local school for 6 years. He worked for the Oregon State Highway Department for 16 years before he retired. He was appreciative of the fact t\he lived in the horse and buggy days and saw the

landing on the moon on their 60th wedding anniversary. The Zevelys, Bobby and Mabel, who witnessed their wedding were also present at their 60th anniversary.

BERT died October 8, 1973, and MAGGIE died August 29, 1974. They are buried at the Deschutes Memorial Gardens near Bend, Oregon. They had 25 grandchildren, 54 great grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren at the time of their death.

"The History of Crook County, Oregon" published by the Crook County Historical Society in 1981.

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918 Record

about Bert G Demaris

Name: Bert G Demaris

City: Not Stated

County: Crook

State: Oregon

Birthplace: Primeville, Oregon;United States of America

Birth Date: 6 Nov 1887

Race: Caucasian

Roll: 1852055

DraftBoard: 0

1920 Census OR Crook Camp Dist 29 Pg 238B

Line 76

Fm 64 64 Demaris Bert G Head MW 32 M OR OR OR Farmer Stock

-----, Maggie L Wife FW 32 M CA TX IL

-----, Beula H Daughter FW 9 S OR OR CA

-----, Ward L Son MW 7 S OR OR CA

-----, Albert H Son MW 5 S OR OR CA

-----, Alta Daughter FW 4 S OR OR CA

-----, Valta Daughter FW 9/12 S OR OR CA

More About BERT GEROME DEMARIS:

Burial: 12 Oct 1973, Deschutes Memorial Gardens/Deschutes, Bend, OR⁶⁸⁹

Census 1: 1900, OR Crook Mill Creek ED 9 Pg 3B(See Father)

Census 2: 1910, OR Crook McKay ED 56 Pg 13A(See Father)

Census 3: 1920, OR Crook Camp Dist 29 Pg 238B

More About MAGGIE LEE BIRDSONG:

Burial: 03 Sep 1974, Deschutes Memorial Gardens/Deschutes, Bend, OR⁶⁹⁰

Census 1: 1910, OR Crook McKay ED 56 Pg 13A(See Father)

Census 2: 1920, OR Crook Camp Dist 29 Pg 238B(See Husband)

More About BERT DEMARIS and MAGGIE BIRDSONG:

Marriage: 18 Jul 1909, Zevely Home/Crook County, OR^{691,692}

Children of BERT DEMARIS and MAGGIE BIRDSONG are:

157. i. BEULAH HAZEL⁷ DEMARIS, b. 15 Apr 1910, McKay Creek, Oregon; d. 15 Dec 1997, Sisters, Deschutes, OR.

158. ii. WARREN LESTER DEMARIS, b. 23 Feb 1912, Johnson Creek, Oregon; d. 27 Feb 2004.

159. iii. ALBERT JOHN SR DEMARIS, b. 01 Feb 1914, Barnes, Oregon; d. 20 Mar 2004, Redmond, Deschutes, OR.

160. iv. ALTA DELPHINE DEMARIS, b. 30 Nov 1915, Demaris Ranch on McKay Creek, north of Prineville, Oregon; d. 09 Dec 1985, Deschutes, OR.

161. v. VELDA CLAIRE DEMARIS, b. 03 Apr 1919, Oregon; d. 26 Dec 1969, Redmond, Deschutes, OR.

vi. LENORA DEMARIS, b. Abt. 1922, Oregon; m. ? HOLD.

vii. EDNA BELL DEMARIS, b. 23 Sep 1924, Oregon; d. 02 Feb 2000, Redmond, Deschutes, OR; m. HARRY V. BEDWELL, 31 Jan 1948; b. 15 Sep 1926; d. 07 Apr 1998, Terrebonne, Deschutes, OR.

More About HARRY BEDWELL and EDNA DEMARIS:

Marriage: 31 Jan 1948

viii. LEONA MAY DEMARIS, b. 28 Oct 1928, Oregon; d. May 1991⁶⁹³; m. ROY T. DAVIS, 12 Sep 1946.

More About ROY DAVIS and LEONA DEMARIS:

Marriage: 12 Sep 1946