



JOSEPH T PURCELL

TEC 5 US ARMY

WORLD WAR II

JAN 1 1908



SEP 19 1960

SERIAL NUMBER 1. NAME (Print) ORDER NUMBER

1848

JOSEPH THOMAS PORCELL

3161

2. ADDRESS (Print)

418 WASHINGTON FRACKVILLE Sch PA

3. TELEPHONE

none

4. AGE IN YEARS

32 YEARS

5. PLACE OF BIRTH

GILBERTON

6. COUNTRY OF
CITIZENSHIP

U.S.A

(Exchange) (Number)

DATE OF BIRTH
JAN. 1. 1908

(Town or county)
Schuylkill

(State)

7. NAME OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS

MR. KYRAN PORCELL

8. RELATIONSHIP OF THAT
PERSON

FATHER

9. ADDRESS OF THAT PERSON

418 WASHINGTON FRACKVILLE PENNA

10. EMPLOYER'S NAME

PHILA. + READING COAL + IRON CO.

11. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS

CENTRAL BREAKER ST. NICHOLAS Sch PA

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

REGISTRATION CARD
D. S. S. Form 1

(over)

16-17105

Joseph T. Purcell
(Registrant's signature)

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)		WEIGHT (Approx.)		COMPLEXION	
White	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5' 9 1/2"	138		Sallow	<input type="checkbox"/>
		EYES		HAIR	Light	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Negro		Blue	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Blonde		Ruddy
		Gray		Red		Dark
Oriental		Hazel		Brown	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Freckled
		Brown		Black		Light brown
Indian		Black		Gray		Dark brown
				Bald		Black
Filipino						

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

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

Registrar for Mr. J. Northey (Signature of registerer)
Mr. Mable Marshall, Jr. (Typed)
 Date of registration 1/6/40 (City or county) (State)

LOCAL BOARD NO. 9
 SCHUYLKILL COUNTY
 5 Legion Place
 ASHLAND, PENNA.
 (STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD)

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

Department of Veterans' Affairs Schuylkill County		Record of Burial of Veteran			
		PURCELL, Joseph T.			
Legal Residence at Time of Death		Date of Birth	Date of Death	Date of Burial	
34 N Balliet St., Frackville, Pa		Mahanoy P ^a ane Jan 1, 1908	Sept 19, 1960	Sept 22, 1960	
Veteran of <u>WW 2</u> War		Served in: Army <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Navy <input type="checkbox"/> Marine Corps <input type="checkbox"/>			
Date of Service July 8, 1942 to Oct 17, 1945		33 234 437 2012 Ord., Maintenance Co	Organization: Air Force		Rank Corp T/5
Place of Burial		Name St Joseph's Cemetery			
		Location Frackville, Sch. o. Pa.			
Location of Grave in Cemetery		Headstone (County)		Date Ordered	
Section	Range			Date Placed	
Lot No.	Grave No.				
Information Given by:		34 N Balliet St.			
Date Mrs Olga Purcell (widow).		Frackville, Pa.			
Payment Made to		Date			
Mrs Olga Purcell				Warrant No.	
Funeral Director		Hoppes Funeral Home, 3rd & Washington Sts. Frackville, Pa			



Olga Purcell

November 23, 2008

Olga Purcell, 91, passed away peacefully Sunday morning in Richmond, Va.

She was a daughter of the late Alexander and Mary Halkowicz Polanchyck, founders of Alexander's 5&10 Store, Frackville, and the wife of the late Joseph T. Purcell.

A lifelong resident of Frackville, Olga moved to Richmond in 1998.

She was retired from North Schuylkill School District, where she was secretary to the assistant superintendent of schools. She was previously employed at A&P Stores, and in her early years was a reporter for the Pottsville Republican.

She was a member of Holy Ascension Orthodox Church and St. Barbara's Auxiliary. Other affiliations included the Frackville Women's Club, Ladies of the Elks, and Senior Citizens, where she played piano and accompanied the chorus.

Her strong faith, positive attitude and outgoing personality inspired everyone who knew her and attracted many friends over the years. She was blessed with good health and remained active until shortly before her death.

She is survived by three children, Joanne McGarraghy, Vienna, Va., Karen Yesolitis, Glen Allen, Va., and James T. Purcell, Santa Barbara, Calif.; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews; a sister-in-law, Helen Polanchyck; and two

brothersinlaw, Dr. Peter Showman and James E. Purcell.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday from Holy Ascension Orthodox Church, 209 S. Lehigh Ave., Frackville, with the Rev. Matthew Cantrell officiating. Friends may call from 9:30 a.m. until the time of services at the church. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Holy Ascension Orthodox Church Memorial Fund, 209 S. Lehigh Ave., Frackville, PA 17931. NiceHart Funeral Home Inc., Frackville, is in charge of arrangements.