WWI Snapshot: Albert Fowells Reynolds, 1895-1986





Albert Reynolds' niece applied for his military flat marker.

North Carolina service card for Albert Reynolds.

Albert Fowells Reynolds served in World War I and World War II. According to his WWI draft registration, he was born in Winnabow.

His registration in 1917 shows he had served three years in the military with a rank of oiler, second-class. His North Carolina WWI service card shows his progression to machinist, first-class.

Albert's brother, Solomon Creasy Reynolds, also served in WWI. He was ordered to report for duty Aug. 8, 1918, serving with various units overseas from Sept. 7, 1918, until July 9, 1919, and then discharged on July 21, 1919. He was laid to rest in Wilmington National Cemetery after his death on April 1, 1958.

Albert's application for a military headstone on Ancestry shows his Coast Guard service began in 1914 until 1943, retiring with the rank of chief machinist's mate (CMM).

Albert passed away Feb.

11, 1968, in Winnabow at 72. His death certificate indicates he had been sick for a long time. His death was attributed to natural causes. He never married. His niece, Betty Jane Clemmons, applied for his military flat marker.

He was laid to rest in Reynolds Cemetery in Bolivia.

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Headstone for Solomon C. Reynolds in Wilmington National Cemetery.