

PARTIES TO BE POOLED AND LAST KNOWN ADDRESSES

Billau Estates

SUBJECT INTEREST: An undivided one-half (1/2) interest in and to all oil, gas and other minerals in, under, and that may be produced from the SW/4NW/4 of Section 19, T-19-N, R-33-E, Harding County, New Mexico.

ACTUAL 1939 RECORD TITLE OWNERS:

A) P.J. Billau, also known as Philip J. Billau (husband of Anna Billau shown below) died testate on the 13th day of October, 1939. His last Will & Testament was probated in Harvey County, Kansas. All residue of his estate was devised to his wife, Anna Billau for life with remainder to their 4 children

B) Anna Billau (wife of P.J. Billau shown above) died intestate on the 22nd day of January 1951 in Harvey County, Kansas. Her heirs are as follows:

NAME AND LAST KNOWN ADDRESSES OF HEIRS:

- 1. Walter P. Billau, son, Box 608, Dalhart, TX**
- 2. Frances Thomas, daughter, 506 Olive, Lamar CO**
- 3. Grace L. Bayles, 1442 South Clarkson, Denver CO**
- 4. *Lynn C. Billau, 5248 East Funston, Wichita KS (*Grandson, being the only child of Albert J. Billau who predeceased Anna Billau.)**

EFFORTS TO LOCATE AND CURRENT STATUS:

Walter P. Billau, deceased

Have located 1 son, Phillip Billau, 5851 Anderson SE Apt. 7, Albuquerque NM 87108. (505) 268-6656. He is 78 years old and the only surviving son of Walter P. Billau. Says that his father lived on the place in New Mexico for a short period but the dust bowl "scattered our family like the wind." He does not know any of his aunts, uncles or his cousins. He had one brother & one sister (both deceased) and is gathering addresses and phone numbers of their 8 children. He says that they are claiming no interest in any surface in Harding County but might be willing to help "clean-up" any title problems.

Frances Thomas

No party with the name of Thomas appears to currently reside in Lamar, Colorado, and in conversations with all other parties contacted, no leads have been developed for Frances Thomas.

Grace L. Billau Bayles

Last known to be living in Denver, Colorado and married to an Edgar Bayles. Found a Grace L. Bayles to have been living at 585 S. Alton

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Santa Fe, New Mexico

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Way, Apt 12A, Denver, CO until 1990. Probate search done in Denver County, Colorado - could find no probate. Have called numerous Bayles in the Denver, CO area with no one being related to Grace Bayles. Searched internet phone sites, genealogical sites, and state license sites. Searched various business, county and find people sites. Searched law enforcement and attorney sites locating people for criminal and litigation matters. Talked with distant family members who could not give me a connection of this person with the family. No estate history found to connect this person with present day Billau members.

Edgar Bayles
(husband of Grace Bayles)

Last known to be living in Denver, Colorado and married to an Grace Bayles. Probate search done in Denver County, Colorado - could find no probate. Have called numerous Bayles in the Denver, CO area with no one being related to Edgar Bayles. Searched internet phone sites, genealogical sites, and state license sites. Searched various business, county and find people sites. Searched law enforcement and attorney sites locating people for criminal and litigation matters. Talked with distant family members who could not give me a connection of this person with the family. No estate history found to connect this person with present day Billau members.

Albert J. Billau, deceased

Last known to be living in Elk City, Beckham County, OK. Found that Albert J. Billau is buried in Fairlawn Cemetery in, Beckham County, OK. Probate search in Beckham County, OK - no probate found. Searched internet phone sites, genealogical sites, and state license sites. Searched various business, county and find people sites, and burial and cemetery sites. Searched law enforcement and attorney sites locating people for criminal and litigation matters. Talked with Charles Edward Billau, of Topeka, KS who is the son of Preston Charles Billau, deceased and cousin to Donald Billau. He does recall meeting Albert J. Billau many years ago at a family function in Newton, KS. However, he does not know how they are related. He recalls that Albert was at one time living in Albuquerque, twenty plus years ago. Searched the probates in Albuquerque, Bernalillo, NM - no probate was found. No other distant family members could give me a connection of this person to their family. No estate history found to connect this person with present day Billau members.

Lynn Conley Billau, deceased

Last known to be living in Elk City, Beckham County, OK. Found that Lynn Conley Billau is buried in Calvary Cemetery in Beckham County. Probate search in Beckham County, OK - no probate found. Searched internet phone sites, genealogical sites, and state license sites. Searched various business, county and find people sites, and burial and cemetery sites. Searched law enforcement and attorney sites locating people for criminal and litigation matters. Talked with distant family members who could not give me a connection of this person with the family. No estate history found to connect this person with present day Billau members.

Neva La Verne Billau, deceased

Last known to be living in Elk City, Beckham County, OK. Found that

(wife of Lynn Billau)

Neva La Verne Billau is buried in Calvary Cemetery in Beckham County. Probate search in Beckham County, OK – no probate found. Searched internet phone sites, genealogical sites, and state license sites. Searched various business, county and find people sites, and burial and cemetery sites. Searched law enforcement and attorney sites locating people for criminal and litigation matters. Talked with distant family members who could not give me a connection of this person with the family. No estate history found to connect this person with present day Billau members.

GENERAL NOTE:

Much information regarding the last whereabouts of the above parties was provided by Donald Billau of Leavenworth Kansas. He was located by calling "Billaus" at random in the state of Kansas. He indicated that his father (from whom he was estranged at an early age) was possibly a sibling of Philip J. Billau. In the hope that this side of the family might include a family genologist we searched for other heirs of the predecessors of Donald Billau:

Floyd Henry Billau, deceased

This person is the father of Donald Billau of Leavenworth, KS. Donald Billau is age 74 and he has had no contact with his father after his father and mother divorced when he was a child. Donald Billau is aware that his father was at one time living in Tucson, AZ with his second wife, Aileen Billau. Given the age of Floyd Billau it is likely that he is deceased. Probate search in Tucson, Pima County, AZ –no probate found. Searched internet phone sites, genealogical sites, and state license sites. Searched various business, county and find people sites, and burial and cemetery sites. Searched law enforcement and attorney sites locating people for criminal and litigation matters. Talked with other distant family members who could not give me a connection of this person with the family. No estate history found to connect this person with present day Billau members.

Aileen Billau, deceased
(second wife of Floyd Henry Billau)

This is the step-mother of Donald Billau of Leavenworth, KS. Donald Billau is age 74 and he has had no contact with this woman. Donald Billau is aware that she was at one time living with Donald's father in Tucson, AZ. Probate search in Tucson, Pima County, AZ –no probate found. Searched internet phone sites, genealogical sites, and state license sites. Searched various business, county and find people sites, and burial and cemetery sites. Searched law enforcement and attorney sites locating people for criminal and litigation matters. Talked with other distant family members who could not give me a connection of this person with the family. No estate history found to connect this person with present day Billau members.

Gladys R. Billau, deceased

This is the first wife of Floyd Henry Billau and the mother of Donald Billau of Leavenworth, KS. Her probate was found in Newton, Harvey County, KS. Her only heir is Donald Billau. I spoke with Donald several times. He could not give me any details of the Billau heirs that we could connect with present day heirs. Donald Billau has no brothers or sisters, has never been married, nor does he have any children. He referred me to other Billau relatives that he did not know how to reach. Once they were found, their knowledge did not produce information to connect the heirs with present day Billau. No estate history found to connect this person with present day Billau members.

General Note:

The Billau family is from Newton, KS which is located in Harvey County, KS. Probate search in Harvey County, KS revealed no probates with Billau name (other than those listed above.)

General Note:

Did address search on Powerfinder phone disks. Most of the addresses listed at the time of the death of Anna Billau no longer exist as of this date. Calls to neighbors proved fruitless.