

BERTRAND, SAMUEL FRANCIS

Birth

January 29, 1860 in Seraing
Liege, Belgium



Death

June 9, 1946 at Des Moines, Polk Co.,
Iowa in Broadlawns
General Hospital



Cause of Death

Diabetes Mellitus

Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 74
E ½ Lot was purchased by Mr. Cox, a
brother-in-law of Samuel Bertrand on
April 13, 1895.
W ½ Lot was purchased by Sam Bertrand on
September 17, 1892

Father

Francois Bertrand

Mother

Catherine Josephine Raquette

Marriage

Laura M. Tilton, age 19 to Samuel F. Bertrand, age 23 on April 18, 1883 in Polk Co.,
Iowa.

Ref: Book 2, page 16, marriages of 1880 – 1884 in Polk Co., Iowa
The record book made an error and shows it as Laura Fulton.

Return of marriage in the County of Polk for the year ending October 1, 1883
77-949

Samuel Bertrand
Residence: Des Moines, Iowa

Occupation: Coal Miner
Age next birthday: 23
Place of birth: Belgium, W. French
1st marriage
Father: Frank Bertrand
Mother: Catharine Lachet

Married
April 18, 1883
Ds Moines, Iowa

Laura Tilton
Residence: Des Moines, Iowa
Place of birth: Noble Co., Ohio
Age next birthday: 19
1st marriage
Father: Theodore Tilton
Mother: Aphia Ann Wheeler
Witnesses: Henry Bertrand

Census

1860 – Born in Belgium in 1860

1870 – To Brentwood, Illinois in 1871

1880 – To Des Moines, Iowa about 1880

1885 –

1895 – Boone Twp., Dallas Co., IA; Vol. 317
Family 84

Bertrand, Samuel F.	34	farmer	France
Laura M.	29		OH
Nora E.	11		Polk Co., IA
Orrin F.	08		Polk Co., IA
Aphia A.	07		Polk Co., IA
Joseph H.	04		Madison Co., IA
Salina E.	02		Madison Co., IA
Mary E.	01		Dallas Co., IA

1900 – Walnut Twp., Polk Co., IA; ED 110; Page 24; line 21; June 27, 1900
Dwelling 495; Family 509

Bertrand, Samuel	40	coal merchant	Belgium
		Married 17 years	
		Born January 1860	

Laura	35	9 children; 8 living Born June 1865	OH	OH	OH
Nora	16	Born February 1884	IA	BELG	OH
Orrin	14	Born April 1886	IA	BELG	OH
Aphie	12	Born February 1888	IA	BELG	OH
Joseph	09	Born February 1891	IA	BELG	OH
Sylena	07	Born January 1893	IA	BELG	OH
Mary	05	Born November 1894	IA	BELG	OH
Ray	001/2	Born May 1900	IA	BELG	OH
Ralph	001/2	Born May 1900	IA	BELG	OH
Tilton, Lafayette	27	partner Born March 1863	IA	OH	OH

1905 –

1910 – Greenfield Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED206; Page 4B; May 4, 1910
Dwelling 196; Family 197

Bertrand, Samuel	50	farmer To Us in 1869?	BELG	BELG	BELG
Laura	45	12 children; 10 living	OH	OH	OH
Joseph	19		IA	BELG	OH
Sylina	17		IA	BELG	OH
Mary	15		IA	BELG	OH
Ray	09		IA	BELG	OH
Ralph	09		IA	BELG	OH
Naomi	04		IA	BELG	OH
Ruth	02		IA	BELG	OH

1915 – Greenfield Twp., Warren Co., IA;
Card #409

Bertrand, S. F.	54	in US 42 yrs. In Iowa 32 yrs.	BELG	BELG	BELG
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1920 – Greenfield Twp., Warren Co., IA; ED 212; Page 1A; January 2, 1920
Dwelling 4; Family 4

Bertrand, Samuel F.	59	farmer To US in 1872	BELG	BELG	BELG
Laura M.	55		OH	OH	OH

Ray T.	19		IA	BELG	OH
Ralph B.	19		IA	BELG	OH
Naomi M.	15		IA	BELG	OH
Ruth P.	12		IA	BELG	OH
Tilton, Theodore J.	82	Wd; father-in-law	OH	MA	VT

1925 – Greenfield Twp., Warren Co., IA; Book 18; line 129

Bertrand, S. F.	65	head		BELG	BELG	BELG
		Father, Frank Bertrand, born in Belgium				
		Mother, Catherin Rocka, born in Belgium				
Laura	61	wife		OH	OH	OH
		Father, Theodore Tilton, born in Ohio, age 87				
		Mother, F. M. Wheller, born in Ohio, age 67				
Ruth	16	daughter		IA	BELG	OH
		Father, S. F. Bertrand				
		Mother, L. M. Tilton				
Ralph	23	head		IA	BELG	OH
		Father, S. F. Bertrand				
		Mother, L. M. Tilton				
Mildred	24	wife		IA	OH	IA
		Father, V. R. Law				
		Mother, Hattie Bishop				
Ray	23	head		IA	BELG	OH
		Father, S. F. Bertrand				
		Mother, L. M. Tilton				
Luisse	20	wife		IA	—	—
		Adopted Child				
Yvone	01	daughter		IA	IA	—
		Father, Ray Bertrand				
		Mother, _____Banks				

1930 – Bloomfield Twp., Fort Des Moines, Polk Co., IA; ED 77-93; Page 41B; May 2, 1930
Address: 112 Payton St., Fort Des Moines, Iowa
Dwelling 999; Family 999

Bertrand, Samuel	70	head		BELG	BELG	BELG
		Shop mechanic				
		Immigrated to US in 1872				
Laura M.	65	wife		OH	OH	OH
Ray T.	29	son barber shop		IA	BELG	OH
Ralph	29	son barber shop		IA	BELG	OH
Ruth	22	dau stenographer		IA	BELG	OH
Yvonne	06	granddaughter		IA	BELG	OH

1940 – Bloomfield Twp., Fort Des Moines, Polk Co., IA; ED77-6; Page 26A; June 6, 1940
#557 – own home, value \$1200; same house; Address: 120 E. Payton

Bertrand, Samuel F.	80		Belgium
Laura M.	75		OH
Yvonne	16	granddaughter	IA

Dunn's Funeral Home Records

Samuel F. Bertrand, residence 120 Payton Ave.; born January 29, 1860 in Belgium; died June 9, 1946 at Broadlawns General Hospital of Diabetes Mellitus; age 86yr 4mo 10da; father was Francis Bertrand; mother was Catharine J. Raquet; he was a farmer; his wife was Laura M. Bertrand.

Deaths

[The Des Moines Tribune, Tuesday June 11, 1946]

Services for Sam F. Bertrand of 120 Payton Avenue will be held at Dunn's Funeral Home Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. Interment at Orillia. Rev. R. A. Miller officiating.