MG EDWARD F. DORMAN, III COMMANDING GENERAL

Major General Edward F. Dorman, III is a native of Cookeville, Tennessee and a 1983 Distinguished Military Graduate of Tennessee Technical



University where he received his commission. Prior to his selection as the Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, G-4 (Operations), he was the Army G-4 Director of Operations and Logistics Readiness where he began working the retrograde of equipment and personnel from Afghanistan. MG Dorman also served as the Military assistant to the Commander, International Security Assistance Force (ISAF), Director, APPF Advisory

Group, and the ISAF CJ-4. His other General Officer assignments include the Army's 25th Chief of Transportation and Commandant of the Transportation School.

MG Dorman has commanded at all levels, from platoon through brigade, and served in staff assignments at the battalion through Army and Joint Staff level. He served overseas tours in Germany and operational combat deployments including: Commander, Logistics Task Force 530, Operation Enduring Freedom; Commander, Task Force Spear, JSOTF 20, Operation Iraqi Freedom; Sustainment Brigade Commander (Special Operations) (Airborne), Operation Enduring and Iraqi Freedom; and Assistant Chief of Staff-CJ4, Multi-National Corps-Iraq, Camp Victory, Baghdad, Iraq; and G-4, XVII Airborne Corps, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

MG Dorman is a graduate of the infantry Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, the Army Command and General Staff College, and the industrial College of the Armed Forces. He holds a Master of Language Arts in German Language and Literature from Middlebury College and the Johannes Gutenberg University in Mainz, Germany and a Master of Science in National Resource Strategy from the National Defense University.

MG Dorman's awards and decorations include: the Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit with 2OLC, Bronze Star Medal with 2 OLC, Defense Meritorious Service Medal with 1 OLC, Meritorious Service Medal with 5 OLC, NATO Medal, Joint Meritorious Unit Award, Army Superior Unit Award, the Ranger Tab, the Expert infantryman Badge, the Master Parachutist Badge, the Air Assault Badge, and both the Army and Joint of Staff Identification Badges.



Edward Frank "Eddie" Dorman Jr. & Billy J. Wilhite. Picture taken at Burtonwood Air Force Base in England.

Bobbie Sue Carter

Eddie Cox

Eddie Dorman

Keeble Dunavin

Mary Elmore













Edward Frank "Eddie" Dorman Jr. 1946 Sophomore Baxter Seminary, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN, son of Edward Frank Dorman Sr. (1907-1973) & Lorna Preston (1909-1980). Edward Frank "Eddie" Dorman Jr. md on the 11th of November 1957, Anderson Co., TN to Peggy Jane Bluford, b. 20 March 1935, TN – d. 10 April 2010, Oak Ridge, TN, d/o Newell Sanders Bluford (1894-1961) & Tressa Grace Simpson (1899-1995).

(SS Death Index: Name: **EDWARD F DORMAN** Birth: 25 Aug 1930- Death: 20 May 2007- Last Residence: (Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN) -Last Benefit: (none specified) – SSN: 413-40-5559, TN)

ARMY GENERAL TO VISIT COOKEVILLE

By Megan Trotter

The second highest-ranking general in the Army will be paying a visit to Cookeville this week, along with two Army officials who have ties to Cookeville.



Gen. Daniel B. Allyn, Army vice chief of staff, will arrive in Cookeville on Wednesday.

(Pictured Gen. Daniel B. Allyn)



Maj. Gen. Edward F. Dorman III, a native of Cookeville and a 1983 Tennessee Tech graduate, and Col. Marcus Evans, a 1994 TTU graduate who also played football, will hold a public forum on leadership in TTU's Derryberry Hall at 4 p.m. on Tuesday.

(Pictured: Maj. Gen. Edward F. Dorman III)

"Gen. Allyn is the second highest-ranking general in the Army," said Col. Nickey Philpot, senior Army instructor with the Cookeville High School JROTC. "He controls almost a trillion dollar annual budget and has about a million uniformed individuals who he oversees. Whether you measure it by money or by people, he's got a lot of responsibility."

Allyn will be at Cookeville High School on Wednesday for a 9 a.m. program open to both a number of students and the rest of the community. It will focus on leadership and community support, and will include recognition of community leaders, law enforcement and emergency first responders.

"When Col. Philpot brought this opportunity to me, I saw what an awesome opportunity it is for our students and for our entire school to have the opportunity to host and interact with someone of Gen. Allyn's stature and expertise," Cookeville High School principal Lane Ward said. "What he does is vital to the safety of our country, and any time we get to support that and celebrate that, I think it's a great opportunity for our kids and our community. We're excited to host him, get the opportunity to shake his hand, and tell him "Thank you.""

After the high school event, Allyn will be visiting Tennessee Tech to meet with Dr. Philip Oldham, TTU president; and Dr. Bahman Ghorashi, TTU provost. He will also

spend some time with the TTU Golden Eagle ROTC cadets. Finally, he will meet with Rich Froning, four-time "Fittest on Earth" CrossFit title winner.

"I'm excited about the leadership development of our cadets with the visits of Gen. Allyn, Gen. Dorman and Col. Evans," said Lt. Col. Stephen Peterson, professor of military science and director of TTU's ROTC program. "It's nice to have officers from our ROTC program come back to campus and spe ak to the cadets.

"I want our cadets to get a perspective of what it means to lead in the unknown and unknowable. That's really the future we have to plan for going out in the military. We have to be agile and innovative and be dynamic at the same time."

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 19 February 2017

Adeline (Johnston) Dorman Obt.

b. 4 November 1838 – d. 25 December 1905, IL, md **David Dorman**, b. 22 July 1833- d. 23 April 1898.

- *See David Dorman buried in Cookeville City Cemetery.
- *See Edward Elmer Dorman Obt.

DORMAN, ADALINE: Mrs. Adaline Dorman died suddenly on Christmas day at the home of her son in Chicago, and was brought to this place and laid to rest beside her husband the late David Dorman, in the city cemetery. She was the mother of E. E. Dorman of this city, and Mrs. Carrie Rout of Harriman. [Date: 1/3/1906, Vol. III, No. 47, Page 1] Putnam County Herald newspaper, Cookeville, TN.

David Dorman

b. 22 July 1833 – d. 23 April 1898 md **Adeline (Johnston) Dorman**, b. 4 November 1838 – d. 25 December 1905. Buried next to them is their grandson, **Albert David Dorman**, b. ? – d. 6 June 1900, s/o **Edward Elmer Dorman** (1861-1933) & **Lucy Amelia McCowen** (1861-1948).

- *See Edward Elmer Dorman Obt.
- *See Adeline (Johnston) Dorman Obt.

Edward Elmer Dorman Obt.

b. 22 February 1861, PA – d. 23 May 1933, TN, md Lucy Amelia (McCowen) Dorman, b. 1 December 1861 – d. 18 February 1948, d/o Hayes Lorenzo McCowen (1830-1896) & Sara Marie Manly/Mouley (1830-1893). Edward Elmer Dorman, s/o David Dorman (1833-1898) & Adeline Johnston (1838-1905).

- *See Adeline (Johnston) Dorman Obt.
- *See David Dorman buried in Cookeville City Cemetery.
- *See Edward Frank Dorman buried in Cookeville City Cemetery.

(1920 census 1st Civil Dist., First St., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 415-121-143 - **Edward E. Dorman** is head of household, 54 yrs. old, PA (father born in ME, mother, OH), Occupation: Proprietor Machine Shop, md to **Lucy A.**, 56 yrs. old, TN (father born in

PA, mother OH). Children: Edward F. Dorman, 12 yrs. old, TN. Also living in the household: Marjorie Hendricks, dau., 26 yrs. old, md, Occupation: Stenographer Law Office, Maury Hendricks, grandson, 7 yrs. old, TN).

(1930 census Cookeville Town, west, Cedar St., Civil Dist., 1, Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 217 Family: 236 –is **Edward E. Dorman** head of household, 69 yrs. old, PA, (father born in ME, mother, OH), Occupation: Machinist Shop, (26 yrs. old 1st marriage), md to **Lucy**, 66 yrs.old, OH (father born in PA, mother NY), (23 yrs. old 1st marriage). Children: Edward Dorman, 23 yrs. old, TN (22 yrs. old 1st marriage), md to Lorna, daughter-in-law, 20 yrs. old, TN (father b. in TN, mother, TX). Also living in the household: Margurite Hendrix, dau., 35 yrs. old, TN (18 yrs. old 1st marriage) divorced; Billy Hendrix, grand-son, 17 yrs.old, TN).

Edward E. Dorman b. 22 Feb 1861, PA d. 23 May 1933

Father: David Dorman, MA Mother: Adeline Johnston, PA Spouse: Lucy A. Dorman City Cemetery Putnam Co., TN DC #10397, Putnam Co., TN

E.E. DORMAN AND SISTER DIE SUDDENLY HERE LATE TUESDAY. Prominent Resident Here Had Been in Failing Health for Four Years. Shock Believed to Have Hurried Sister's Death After She Saw Him Die. Services This Afternoon: Herald, Cookeville, TN: 25 May 1933, pg. 1.

Edward E. Dorman, 72, died suddenly at his home in West Cookeville late Tuesday afternoon of a heart attack, and his only sister, Mrs. Carrie W. Walden, 64, of Chicago, visiting in his home, died 20 minutes later of a similar attack, believed to have been instigated at the sight of his death.

Mr. Dorman, long a prominent Cookeville resident, had been in failing health for the past four years. Shortly before his death, however, he had appeared amiable and had chatted freely with friends who had visited him.

Mrs. Dorman and Mrs. Walden had assisted Mr. Dorman from his chair to a bed when he suffered his attack, and immediately Mrs. Walden became faint. She became violently ill a few minutes afterwards, and expired soon after medical aid reached her.

Started When 12: Edward Elmer Dorman was born in Allegheny, Penn., February 22, 1861. At the age of twelve he assisted his father, David Dorman, at the throttle of a railroad locomotive on a Pennsylvania railroad. He began his training at the Pittsburg Locomotive Works and delivered engines for that company to railroad systems throughout the United States.

He was married to Lucy A. McCowen, of Alliance, O., when a young man, and soon thereafter became connected with the old Nashville and Knoxville Railroad as engineer. He followed the road's trail through the unsullied Upper Cumberlands until it reached Cookeville. The road was extended to Monterey, and for many years afterwards his father engineered the train from Cookeville to Monterey, and he ran between Cookeville and Lebanon.

Ran Shop Here: Since his retirement from the Tennessee Central Railway thirty years ago, Mr. Dorman had conducted a machine shop in Cookeville, and was recognized as one of the most expert machinists in the State. His health began failing about four years ago, and he retired from active business connections.

Joint funeral services were conducted at the Dorman home this afternoon by the Rev. Joe Barbee, pastor of the Watertown Cumberland Presbyterian Church, engineer for the Tennessee Central, former fireman for Mr. Dorman, and a life-long friend. His burial will take place in the City Cemetery.

Mrs. Watson will be buried in the grave with her brother. She was the mother of Ralph Rout, of Chicago, and had made her home with him for several years. Mr. Rout was formerly connected with Will Stamps in the storage battery business here.

Besides his widow, Mr. Dorman is survived by two sons, Carl, of Jackson, Miss., and Edward F., of Cookeville, and a daughter, Mrs. Marguerite D. Hendrix, of Cookeville, and three grandchildren. Mrs. Hendrix is private secretary to Federal Judge John J. Gore.

Mr. Dorman was a charter member of the Lions Club, and was a member of the Cookeville Methodist Church, the Knights of Pythias, and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Honorary pallbearers were member of the Lions Club, and Lee Douglas, Geo. Snyder and Bill Smith of Nashville; Lloyd McCluen, of Rockwood; Major Roy DeBerry, of Bloomington, Arthur Pedigo, of Cookeville; H. G. Loftis, of Algood. Active pallbearers were J. Lee Epperson, Dr. J. T. Moore, Willis Dow, S. L. Gipson, James A. Isbell, R. V. Overall, Judge John J. Gore and Leon Bockman.

Mrs. Walden is survived by her only son, Ralph Ront, and two grandchildren, all of Chicago.

Edward Frank Dorman Sr.

b. 2 April 1907, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 30 June 1973 md **Lorna (Preston) Dorman**, b. 20 September 1909, TN- d. 27 June 1980, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **James Robert Preston & Collie Martin**. Edward Frank Dorman Sr., s/o **Edward Elmer Dorman** (1861-1933) & **Lucy Amelia McCowen** (1861-1948).

^{*}See Edward Elmer Dorman Obt.

^{*}See Lorna (Preston) Dorman Obt.

- (SS Death Index: Name: **EDWARD DORMAN** Birth: 02 Apr 1907– Death: Jun 1973 Last Residence: (Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN) -Last Benefit: (none specified) SSN: 411-40-3924, TN)
- (SS Death Index: Name: **LORNA DORMAN** Birth: 20 Sep 1909 Death: Jun 1980 Last Residence: (Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN) -Last Benefit: (none specified) SSN: 415-20-1429 TN)
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(1940 census 1st Civil Dist., Hickory Street, Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 200 – **Edd Dorman** is head of household, 33 yrs. olf, TN, (Occupation: Machinet, Machine Shop), md to **Lorna**, 30 yrs. old, TN. Child **Edd Dorman Jr.**, 9 yrs. old, TN).

Putnam County Herald, Cookeville, TN:

30 July 1936

COOKEVILLE MAN SHOT BY DEPUTY NEAR CLAY COUNTY RESORT: **Edward Dorman** In Nashville Hospital In Serious Condition. Wounded in Abdomen.

Edward Dorman, 28, Cookeville machine shop proprietor is in a serious condition today at St. Thomas Hospital in Nashville with a bullet wound in his abdomen suffered Sunday night when he was shot at Leonard Cave, Clay County resort, by a Clay county deputy sheriff.

According to information from red Boiling Springs in adjoining county, Dorman was shot by deputy sheriff Reecer. Sheriff J. C. Eads at Celina, said he knew nothing of the shooting, which was reported to have occurred about 6 o'clock.

Bob Browning, Red Boiling Springs lumberman, claims to have witnessed the shooting, and attributed it to an argument.

Dr. Henry C. Hesson, of Red Boiling Springs, gave Dorman emergency attention. The wounded man was taken by Lewis Chitwood, of Red Boiling Springs, to Carthage from where he was carried to an ambulance to Nashville.

Lorna (Preston) Dorman Obt.

b. 20 September 1909, TN - d. 27 June 1980, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **Edward Frank Dorman Sr.**, b. 2 April 1907, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 30 June 1973, s/o **Edward Elmer Dorman** (1861-1933) & **Lucy Amelia McCowen** (1861-1948). Lorna (Preston) Dorman, d/o **James Robert Preston** & **Collie Martin**.

*See Edward Frank Dorman Sr. buried in Cookeville City Cemetery.

COOKEVILLE – Funeral services for Mrs. **Lorna Dorman**, 70, will be conducted in the chapel of Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home today, June 29, at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Roy J. West, Rev. Robert H. Case and Rev. Maurice Moore officiating.

Mrs. Dorman died June 27 in the Cookeville General Hospital following an extended illness.

She was the daughter of the late James Robert and Collie Martin Preston and the widow of Edward F. Dorman Sr.

Survivors include a **son, Edward F. Dorman Jr.**, Cookeville; a daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Moyer, Tullahoma; **two grandsons, Edward F. Dorman III and Chad Moyer**; and one brothers, James Preston, Lock Port, New York,

Burial will be in Cookeville City Cemetery.

Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

Peggy Jane (Bluford) Dorman Obt.

b. 20 March 1935, Oak Ridge, TN – d. 10 April 2010, Oak Ridge, TN, md on the 9th of November 1957, Anderson Co., TN to **Edward Frank Dorman Jr.**, b. 25 August 1930, s/o **Edward Frank Dorman Sr.** (1907-1973) & **Lorna Preston** (1909-1980). Peggy Jane (Bluford) Dorman, d/o **Newell Sanders Bluford** (1894-1961) & **Tressa G. Simpson** (1899-1995), both buried in Vonore United Methodist Church Cemetery, Vonore, Monroe Co., TN.

(**Source**: Tennessee State Marriage record, Anderson Co., TN, pg. 387, #4373 – Edward Frank Dorman Jr., age 27, address: 114 Count St., FL married 9 November 1957, Anderson Co., TN to Peggy Jane Bluford, age 22, address: 108 Temple Rd., Oak Ridge, TN).

Peggy Jane Bluford Dorman, 75, of Oak Ridge, passed away Saturday, April 10, 2010, due to complications from heart surgery at Methodist Medical Center of Oak Ridge.

Peggy, who was kind, cheerful, and joyful, was born March 20, 1935, in Oak Ridge. She lived with her parents, Mr. Newell Bluford and Tressa Bluford, successful clothiers and shop owners in Loudon, Tenn., prior to relocating to Oak Ridge in the 1940s. Peggy



graduated from Oak Ridge High School in 1953 and attended Lincoln Memorial University thereafter. Following college, she embraced her lifelong career in banking (her expertise was in document proofing) spanning over 30 years in both Tennessee and Florida until her retirement from Citizen's Bank in Cookeville in 1996, and her subsequent "second retirement" from First Tennessee Bank in Maryville in 2005.

In 1957, she married the late Edward F. Dorman Jr. of Cookeville Tenn., son of Edward and Lorna Dorman. In 1959, she gave birth to her only child, Edward F. Dorman III, of whom she was intensely proud. Edward, whom she

affectionately called "Eddie," is currently the Deputy Commander of the Surface Deployment and Distribution Command, U.S. Army, at Fort Eustis in Newport News, Va.

Peggy's love for people and easy manner in making friendships was known throughout Oak Ridge and was evident in some of her many social activities. Her most notable was her commitment to the Order of the Eastern Star, where in 1976 she rose to the status of Worthy Matron of Lodge No. 152 in Cookeville; her last lodge was Lodge No. 39 in Oak Ridge.

Peggy was a charming, loving, and accepting woman and those who met her often said that she "never met a stranger."

She is survived by her son, Colonel (Promotable) Edward D. Dorman III of Fort Eustis, his wife, Lynn, and their sons, Tyler and Conner Dorman. She will be missed by many cousins and friends.

She enjoyed her life in Cookeville; she regarded highly her life in Coco Beach Fla., but, without question, she loved her life in Oak Ridge.

Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Saturday, April 17, 2010, in the chapel of Martin Oak Ridge Funeral Home with Curtis McClain officiating. The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. before the service.

Martin Oak Ridge Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Oakridger, TN

*Read more about the History of Putnam Co., TN & surrounding areas at: http://www.ajlambert.com