

HENSHAW

William A. Henshaw lived for a few short years in Baychester, Bronx, New York, living as a boarder at an unnumbered house on **Boller Avenue** around 1920¹. He was single his entire life, and supported himself at a variety of jobs.

He was born around 1863 in Long Island, Queens, New York of Irish immigrants **James and Della Henshaw**. His father James died in 1875; unknown when his mother Della died, but she is last documented in the 1880 census.² He grew up in Long Island, Queens, New York.

William Henshaw was living as a boarder with **Alfred Johansen** in 1910, when William worked as a bartender in a saloon³. When **Alfred Johansen** moved to Baychester William moved with him and boarded in Alfred's house in Baychester in 1920. William then worked as a house painter.¹

William Henshaw died on December 12, 1934 in the Bronx, New York. He was 73 years old, and in his later life we worked as a laborer. At the time of his death he resided at 64 W. 108th Street in New York City, New York. He was buried at St. Michaels Cemetery.⁴

¹ "United States Census, 1920," database with images, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/MJPZ-8JV> : accessed 26 October 2017), William A Henshaw in household of Alfred Johansen, Bronx Assembly District 6, Bronx, New York, United States; citing ED 357, sheet 3A, line 9, family 43, NARA microfilm publication T625 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 1992), roll 1139; FHL microfilm 1,821,139.

² "United States Census, 1880," database with images, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/MZFW-195> : 8 September 2017), William Henshaw in household of Della Henshaw, Long Island, Queens, New York, United States; citing enumeration district ED 283, sheet 110D, NARA microfilm publication T9 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.), roll 0918; FHL microfilm 1,254,918.

³ "United States Census, 1910," database with images, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/M5MV-BYK> : accessed 26 October 2017), William Henshaw in household of Alfred Johanson, Bronx Assembly District 33, New York, New York, United States; citing enumeration district (ED) ED 1491, sheet 8B, family 139, NARA microfilm publication T624 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 1982), roll 999; FHL microfilm 1,375,012.

⁴ "New York, New York City Municipal Deaths, 1795-1949," database, FamilySearch (<https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/2WG6-7N5> : 20 March 2015), William Henshaw, 09 Dec 1934; citing Death, Bronx, New York, New York, United States, New York Municipal Archives, New York; FHL microfilm 2,156,102.