

SOUTHAMPTON
HISTORY OF WORLD'S WAR WORK
NEW YORK STATE HISTORY

West Hampton N.Y.

Name in full and rank *Louis Edward Ericsson*
Organizations *Battle* Ship *Texas*
Place and date of enlistment *U.S. Naval Academy Annapolis 1912*
Place and date of discharge
Military camps with dates
Date of trip overseas and return
Are you a member of the American Legion? If so give name of Post.....
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If you were awarded medals, citations or certificates of merit please note below; also any battles or engagements in which you saw service.

West Hampton Beach N.Y. Jan. 7th 1929.

Mrs. Edward P. White.

South Hampton N.Y.

Dear Mrs White.

In answer to your letter of yesterday addressed to my son L. E. Ericsson bearing on his service during the war, I will now answer, as he was killed in an airplane crash in Hampton Roads in 1922. He served as lieutenant on the battle ship Texas from his graduation from Annapolis 1916 to after the war (or to 1920) then he entered Naval airservice in which he made a fine record.

Very cordially.

John E. Ericsson.