

Herman B. Glazer

1-6-88

Herman B. Glazer, 62, Port Washington, died in the emergency room of Coshocton Memorial Hospital early Friday evening (Dec. 25, 1987).

Mr. Glazer was born March 11, 1925, in Port Washington, son of the late Clarence Glazer and Elizabeth A. Wolf. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, having served in the Pacific Fleet during World War II. While in the Navy, he earned the Purple Heart and the Victory Medal. He was a member of Thomas Montgomery Post 431 of the American Legion in Newcomerstown and a social member of the New Philadelphia Moose Lodge. He was co-owner and operator of the Lamplighter Inn in Port Washington.

He leaves his wife, Florence Mathias Glazer, whom he married Nov. 20, 1962; two daughters, Judy Glazer of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Keith (Myra) Garrett of Newcomerstown; one son, Keith Glazer, serving with the U.S. Air Force in Alaska; three brothers, Roger E. Glazer of Coshocton, Lewis V. Glazer of Lima and Clyde Richard Glazer of Port Washington; a sister, Mrs. Lee (Erma) Hootman of Newcomerstown; two step-daughters, Barbara Schumacher and Grace Bray, both of Dallas, Texas; one step-son, Thomas Welch of New Philadelphia; six grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Services were Monday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Glenn Cornell officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Port Washington.

Earl R. Postel

Earl R. Postel, 91, of 538 Carroll St., Newcomerstown, died Monday (Dec. 28, 1987) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center following a two-year illness.

He was born June 7, 1896, in Dennison, son of the late John and Margaret Brown Postel. Mr. Postel was a retired employee of Clow's and a member of the Newcomerstown First Baptist Church.

He leaves his wife, Helen C. Postel, whom he married Oct. 22, 1922; a son, John R. Postel of Canton; four grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one brother and one grandchild.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Grace H. Ott

Grace H. Ott, 85, 56954 Coshocton Co. Road 9, West Lafayette, died Tuesday morning (Dec. 29, 1987) at Union Hospital in Dover following a brief illness.

She was born June 20, 1902, a daughter of the late Henry Wyler and Edna Hothem Wyler of Bakersville. She was a retired restaurant employee and a member of the Isleta United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence M. Ott, who died June 30, 1981, and by two brothers and three sisters. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Arthur (Ruth) John of Stone Creek, four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor Bob Stull officiating. Burial was in Bakersville Cemetery.

Golby T. Fisher

Golby T. Fisher, 62, of 403 W. Main St., Port Washington, died at 1:45 p.m. Monday (Dec. 28, 1987) at Twin City Hospital in Dennison.

He was born April 12, 1925, in Guernsey County, son of the late Frank and Margery D. Baker Fisher. He was a past master of Lodge 66 F&AM in Cambridge, a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, and a member of the American Legion Post at Newcomerstown. He was the proprietor of the Dairy Duchess Restaurant at Port Washington and a member of the Irish Ridge United Methodist Church.

He leaves his wife, Patricia Miller Cook; two sons, David Fisher and Dick Fisher, both of Cambridge; a step-son, Bruce Cook of Cambridge; two step-daughters, Toni Poland of Cambridge and Suellen Sicard of Little Rock, Ark.; and five grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Eldon Wilson officiating. Burial was in the Irish Ridge Cemetery. Masonic services were held Wednesday.

Jan. 6, 1988

Mary Ann Parks

Mrs. Paul (Mary Ann) Parks, 65, of 448 E. Canal St., Newcomerstown, died early Saturday morning (Jan. 2, 1987) at The Ohio State University Hospital in Columbus following a brief illness.

Mrs. Parks was born in Harrison County, Ohio, on May 17, 1922, daughter of the late Willis R. Neal and the late Gladys M. Mercer Neal. She was a retired employee of Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown, where she retired in 1984 after working there for 12 years. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church.

She leaves her husband, Paul E. Parks, whom she married Nov. 24, 1947. In addition, she leaves three sons, Eric Parks of Columbus, Whit Parks of Zanesville, and Jay Parks of Los Angeles, Calif.; one granddaughter, Wendi Parks of Zanesville; and two grandsons, Ty Parks and Troy Parks, also of Zanesville.

In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by one brother, Ralph Dean Neal.

Services were Monday, Jan. 4, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. The family requested memorials be made to the Diabetes Foundation or the American Heart Association.

Wed., Jan. 13, 1988

Jack Sulzener

Jack A. Sulzener, 57, of 857 S. Broadway, New Philadelphia, died Tuesday (Jan. 5, 1988) at his home following a two-year illness.

He was former owner and operator of Sulzener Construction Co. at New Philadelphia and was general superintendent of a building program at First Baptist Church in New Philadelphia. He was an active member and former chairman of the board of deacons at the church.

He was born at Newcomerstown, son of Eugene W. Sulzener Sr., of Port Washington and the late Thelma Lehman Sulzener. He was a Navy veteran of the Korean War.

In addition to his father, he leaves his wife, the former Joan Murphy, whom he married May 25, 1952; a daughter, Mrs. Larry (Cynthia Jo) Paynter of Elyria; five sons, Terry and Kim of New Philadelphia, Brett and Samuel of Dover, and Shawn of Columbus; three sisters, Mrs. Gilbert (Sara) Mizer of New Philadelphia, Mrs. Harold (Juanita) Snyder of Baltic and Mrs. Duane (Mary) Kerr of Waukegon, Ill.; one brother, Eugene Sulzener, Jr., of Sharon Center; and 11 grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Ken Harrell officiating. Burial was in Ridgecrest Memory Gardens in Dover. Arrangements were handled by the Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home in New Philadelphia. Memorials could be made to the church building program.

Addie E. VanScyoc

Wed., Jan. 20, 1988

Addie E. VanScyoc, 94, of 246 Goodrich St., Newcomerstown, died Friday (Jan. 8, 1988) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown.

She was born Jan. 8, 1894, in Moundsville, W. Va., daughter of the late Newton and Caroline Crow Magers. Her husband, Wylie A. VanScyoc, died in 1964. She was also preceded in death by three sons and five brothers and sisters. She was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of the Nazarene.

She leaves a son, William VanScyoc of Columbus; three daughters, Mary Evans of Lathrop, Calif, Betty Kiste of Newcomerstown, and Evelyn Berkshire of West Lafayette; five sisters, Lillian Thomas of Newcomerstown, Blanche Southerland and Grace Magers, both of Arizona, and Lucille Hartley and Faye Yoho, both of Moundsville, W. Va.; two brothers, Theodore and Willard Magers, both of Moundsville, W. Va.; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Jan. 11, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Larry Hall officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery, Newcomerstown.

Elizabeth A. Cathan

Elizabeth A. Cathan, 69, of 204 S. Goodrich St., Newcomerstown, died Thursday (Jan. 14, 1988) at Cleveland Clinic.

She was born Dec. 7, 1919, in Chagrin Falls, daughter of Charles and Minnie Stark Arthur. She worked at the Eureka Hardware Store, which her husband owns, in Newcomerstown.

She leaves her husband, Robert E. Cathan, whom she married July 23, 1940; one daughter, Mrs. Charles (Jean) English of Mantua; a son, Thomas A. Cathan of Newcomerstown; and two granddaughters.

Services were Saturday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Glen Shugars officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society.

Mrs. Robert Fales

Mrs. Robert (Ann Heller) Fales of Walterboro, South Carolina, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Jan. 1, 1988 at her home. She leaves her husband, Robert Fales, of Walterboro, S.C.; two sons in Charleston, S.C., and one son in Columbia, Mo.; a brother, John Heller of Newcomerstown; and a sister, Mrs. James (Barbara Heller) Majors of Gresham, Ore. The body was cremated and memorial services were held in Walterboro.

Jan. 27, 1988

Frank M. Oldt

Frank Maxwell Oldt, 78, Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Friday (Jan. 15, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born March 20, 1909, in Canton, China, son of the late Dr. Frank and Mrs. Ora Belle Maxwell Oldt. He retired in 1972 from Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown after 30 years employment. He was a member of Calvary United Methodist Church, Lone Star Lodge 175 F&AM, Nugen Chapter 124 Royal Arch Masons, and Coshocton Council 110 Royal and Select Masons. Mr. Oldt had held several offices in his association with the various Masonic groups. He was also a former member of the Ohio National Guard.

He leaves his wife, Rosa-Lee Allen Oldt, whom he married April 11, 1936; three sons, Frank D. Oldt of Newcomerstown, Maxwell Gerald Oldt of Ravenna, and Terry D. Oldt of Canton, Ga.; two daughters, Mrs. Alan (Naundice) Hart of Newcomerstown and Mrs. James (Mary R.) Meechan of Gahanna; two sisters, Margaret E. Oldt of Cleveland and Mrs. David (Mary R.) French of Cincinnati; eight grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Jan. 18, at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Masonic services were Sunday, Jan. 17, and graveside services were to be held at Black Oak Cemetery near Crooksville. Memorial contributions could be made to Calvary United Methodist Church.

Wed., Jan. 27, 1988

Raymond Shivers

WEST LAFAYETTE — Raymond L. Shivers, 47, of Route 751, West Lafayette, died Friday night (Jan. 22, 1988) in Coshocton County Memorial Hospital's emergency room following a long illness.

He was born in Dennison, a son of Ernest Leroy Shivers and the late Ruth McPeck Shivers. He was a welder for the Conrail System for 20 years and a member of the Newcomerstown Moose Lodge and Newcomerstown Veterans of Foreign Wars.

In addition to his father, he leaves a stepmother, Floretta Jeanne Shivers; two sons, Mike Shivers of Alabama and Andy Shivers of Scio; two daughters, Cyndee Patterson of West Lafayette and Cheryl Cansler of Alabama; three brothers, Don of Pennsylvania, Regis of Fresno, and Kirby of West Lafayette; a grandmother, Auta Shivers of Dennison; three grandsons; and his fiancée, Regina Tocash of Coshocton.

Services were to be Tuesday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Chris Cutshall officiating. Burial was to be in Fairfield Cemetery.

Roy B. Allen

PORT WASHINGTON — Roy B. Allen, 52, of Port Washington R.D. 2, died Friday (Jan. 22, 1988).

He was born in Bradenton, Fla., son of the late Roy B. Allen I and Clara Cooper Hayden. He was a 17-year Navy veteran and a member of the Full Gospel Temple at Newcomerstown.

He leaves four sons, David of Texas and Eric, Roy III, and Darrell, all of Dover; two brothers, Robert of Port Washington R.D. 2 and Michael of San Diego, Calif.; and one sister, Madeline Riddle of Baton Rouge, La.

Services were Monday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Roger Bourne officiating. Burial was in the Peoli Cemetery.

Goldie M. Williams

Mrs. Goldie M. Williams, 415 Dewey Ave., Newcomerstown, died Friday (Jan. 15, 1988) at St. Luke East Convalescent Center in Columbus.

She was born Jan. 20, 1915, in Newcomerstown, daughter of the late Harvey and Ella Kedigh Cramlet. Mrs. Williams was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of the Nazarene.

Her husband, Roy E. Williams, died Jan. 18, 1978. She leaves a son, Clarence Williams of Reynoldsburg; a brother, Frank Cramlet of Newcomerstown; and a sister, Gladys Wilken of Coshocton.

Private family services were to be held at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions could be made to the Newcomerstown Church of the Nazarene.

Ella L. Herberholz

Ella L. (Lindstrom Herberholz, of Northfield, Ohio, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Friday (Jan. 15, 1988).

Mrs. Herberholz and her husband, the late Martin Herberholz, lived in Newcomerstown for several years and maintained friendships here.

She leaves three daughters, Kathryn Richards, Mitzi Greb and Nancy Herberholz; six grandchildren; and a sister, Myrna Ives. Two brothers are deceased.

Services were held Jan. 18 with arrangements by the Johnson-Romito Golden Rule Funeral Home in Northfield Center. Burial was in Crown Hill Cemetery in Twinsburg. The family said memorials could be made to Epiphany Lutheran Church, 10503 Valley View Road, Northfield, Ohio. 44067.

Jan. 27, 1988

Pauline Speer

Mrs. Pauline Speer, 89, 1425 Beatty Ave., Cambridge, died Saturday (Jan. 16, 1988) in Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

Born in Newcomerstown Nov. 1, 1898, she was a daughter of the late DeWitt Clinton and Margaret Hinds Whiting. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Others Sunday School Class and the Royal Neighbors Club.

Her husband, Dwight B. Speer, died June 30, 1965. She leaves a niece, Mrs. Arthur (Beverly) Wilkin of New Philadelphia, and a nephew, Charles Barnhouse of Coshocton, and three other nieces. Five brothers and three sisters are deceased.

Services were Tuesday at Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Neeta Nichols officiating. Burial was in the New Concord Cemetery.

Mary Alice Worthing

Mary Alice Worthing, 79, of Warrinville Heights, Ohio, died Friday (Jan. 15, 1988) at Suburban Hospital in Warrinville Heights.

Formerly from Birds Run, she was the daughter of the late James and Sarah Robinson.

She leaves her husband, Virgil Worthing, who is a resident of the Maple Care Nursing Center Home, 16221 Broadway, Room 126, Maple Heights, OH 44137. She also leaves four children, 15 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren, and one brother, Roy Robinson of Newcomerstown.

She was preceded in death by one grandson, two great-grandchildren, and one brother, Clair Robinson.

Services were Jan. 19 with the Rev. Raynes officiating. Burial was at Crown Hill Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Ferfolia Funeral Home of Maple Heights.

Feb. 3, 1988

Mary A. Miller

Mary A. Miller, 92, a resident of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (Jan. 26, 1988) after an extended illness.

She was born Jan. 10, 1896, in Coshocton County, daughter of the late Jacob and Elizabeth Marhofer Scherer. She was a housewife and member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown.

She married Frank Miller on Sept. 16, 1915. He died April 11, 1973. She was also preceded in death by one daughter, one son, four brothers, three sisters and one great-grandson. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Wayne (Norma) Ross of Kimbolton and Mrs. Gerald (Mary) Lorenz of Deerfield Beach, Fla.; one sister, Mrs. Verna Dreher of Coshocton R.D. 3; five grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William Haggis officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Bernard W. Neiswanger

Bernard W. Neiswanger, 48, of 73367 Birmingham Road, Kimbolton, died Monday (Jan. 25, 1988) at Altman Hospital in Canton.

He was born Dec. 10, 1939, in Belmont County, Pultney Township, son of Charles Leroy and Emma Ponsetti Neiswanger. He was a member of the Old Washington Coon Hunters Club.

He leaves his wife, Rosalind Neiswanger; two sons, Kevin Neiswanger of Bellsville and Matthew Neiswanger of Morgantown, W. Va.; two daughters, Linda Baier of Wheeling, W. Va., and Denise Meyers of Allentown, Pa.; three grandchildren; two brothers, Kenneth Neiswanger of Senecaville and Jerry Neiswanger of Old Washington; and one sister, Bernice Garloch of Neffs.

Services were Friday at Scott Funeral Home in Cambridge with Pastor William Hartfelder officiating. Burial was in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

Edward 'Buss' Warner

Edward "Buss" Warner, 66, of 121 N. Goodrich St., Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Jan. 24, 1988) in the emergency room of Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born Dec. 29, 1921, in Newcomerstown, son of Edward Albert and Ruth Owens Warner. He retired from DiversiTech General in Newcomerstown and was a member of Christ United Methodist Church, the Masonic Lodge and the 32nd Scottish Rite Valley of Cambridge.

He leaves his wife, Hildred Ellis Warner, whom he married April 13, 1947; one daughter, Mrs. Steve (Sharon) Dunn of Columbus; a son, Mark Warner of Willoughby; two sisters, Mrs. Wilburn (Norma) Norman of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Ernest (Pat) Scherban of Lakewood; and four grandchildren. One brother and three sisters are deceased.

Services were Wednesday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bernard Baker officiating. Masonic services were Tuesday. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Harold F. Fink

Harold F. Fink, 75, Port Washington R.D. 2, died Monday (Jan. 25, 1988) at Baltic Country Manor following a three-month illness.

He was born Dec. 3, 1912, in Altoona, Pa., son of the late Harry C. and Bessie Confer Fink. He was a retired dispatcher for the Standard Oil Co. in Canton, where he worked for over 30 years before retiring in 1976. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps, serving in World War II. During the war he flew 76 missions in Europe. He was a life member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and a member of Elks Lodge 2029 in North Canton.

He leaves his wife, Betty J. Seifert Fink, whom he married Sept. 20, 1952; a son, Larry Meyer of North Canton; one daughter, Mrs. Bill (Cynthia) Ramey of Port Washington R.D. 2; one brother, Chester Fink of Anaheim, Calif.; and two grandchildren. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one son and one grandson.

Services were Friday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Richard Michel officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Military graveside services were observed at the cemetery.

G. Harold Peoples

WEST LAFAYETTE — G. Harold Peoples, 69, 21784 Tulip Lane, West Lafayette, died Tuesday (Jan. 26, 1988) at his home following a lengthy illness.

He was born Oct. 29, 1918, in Newcomerstown, son of the late George H. and Laura E. Peoples. He retired in 1978 from Simonds Cutting Tools after 42 years of service. He was also an automobile salesman with Welker Sales and Service of Newcomerstown. A member of Christ United Methodist Church, he was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving in Europe in World War II. He was a member of the Thomas Montgomery Post 431, the Disabled American Veterans and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, all of Newcomerstown.

He leaves his wife, Oleen Henderson Peoples, whom he married March 23, 1940; one daughter, Mrs. Gary (Sandra) King of Newcomerstown; one brother, Russell Peoples of Newcomerstown; five sisters, Mrs. Margaret Smyth of Newcomerstown, Mrs. John (Lucille) Weaver of Uhrichsville, Mrs. LeRoy (Dorothy) Huff of Canton, Mrs. George (Maxine) Erwin of Coshocton and Mrs. Robert (Barbara) Settle of Curtice; two granddaughters, Mrs. Tom (Kristie) Wilkin and Mrs. Jeff (Kelly) Eggleston, both of Newcomerstown; and three great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, four sisters and two brothers are deceased. Services were Saturday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Feb. 17, 1988

Orville A. Silverthorne

Orville A. Silverthorne, 84, of 303 N. Beaver St., Newcomerstown, died Wednesday evening (Feb. 10, 1988) at Bethesda Hospital in Zanesville following a lengthy illness.

He was born April 6, 1903, in Newcomerstown, son of the late Charles C. and Lena Blanche Howell Silverthorne. He was retired machinist with Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown, where he worked for 43 years. He belonged to Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown, and was a member of Lone Star Masonic Lodge 175 of Newcomerstown and the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Hazel M. Vierheller Silverthorne, who died Sept. 29, 1986; one daughter; one granddaughter; one grandson; four brothers; and one sister.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Marie Salrin of Newcomerstown R.D. 1 and Mrs. Patricia Keffer of Port Washington; three sons, Robert Silverthorne of Concord, Calif., William Silverthorne of Clearwater, Fla., and the Rev. Donald Silverthorne of Urbana; three sisters, Mrs. Don (Ruth) Engler and Mrs. Ethel Parr, both of Newcomerstown R.D. 2, and Mrs. Laura Wright of West Lafayette R.D. 1; nine grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

M. Kathleen 'Katie' Opphile

M. Kathleen "Katie" Opphile, 67, 298 N. McKinley Ave., Newcomerstown, was found dead of natural causes at her home late Sunday morning (Feb. 7, 1988).

She was born March 17, 1920, in Barnesville, daughter of the late David P. and Helen Pierce McBurney. She was a housewife and homemaker for all of her adult life, a member of Faith Baptist Church in Port Washington, a member of Newcomerstown Moose Lodge 1337, Newcomerstown of the Moose Chapter 29, and Cambridge VFW Auxiliary.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth L. Opphile, who died Dec. 31, 1980; and one brother.

She leaves four brothers, Roy McBurney of Bethesda and David, Ben and Gene McBurney, all of Massillon; four sisters, Mrs. Wilford (Thelma) Douglass, Ms. Mickey McBurney, Mrs. John (Bonnie) Gallagher and Mrs. Richard (Barbara) Frasher, all of Barnesville; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Wednesday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Randy Murdock officiating. Graveside services were held at the Ebenezer Cemetery in Bethesda.

Doyle Hunt

Doyle Hunt, 56, Port Washington R.D. 2, died Tuesday (Feb. 9, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born Jan. 10, 1932, in Tuscarawas County, son of Mary E. Domer Hunt of Newcomerstown and the late Homer Hunt. He was a retired saw mill worker and served with the U.S. Army during the Korean War.

In addition to his mother, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Don (Sandy) Coykendall of Reynoldsburg; a sister, Mrs. Howard (Mary L.) Stoneman of Canton; a half-brother, Homer E. Hunt of Akron; and two half-sisters, Thelma Korns of Canton and Ruby Harding of West Lafayette. He was preceded in death by one brother and one sister.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gene Miller officiating. Burial was in the Peoli Cemetery.

Feb. 17, 1988

Joseph Leonard Dougherty

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. — Joseph Leonard Dougherty, 80, a Newcomerstown native who spent most of his career in the federal government traveling the world with the U.S. Foreign Service, died Feb. 2 at Santa Barbara, Calif.

Listed in "Who's Who in America," Mr. Dougherty had traveled to Brazil, Haiti, Canada and Australia. Before retiring in 1965, he was an acting Consul general and lived in Johannesburg, South Africa.

Mr. Dougherty was born March 13, 1907, one of six children of the late Robert W. and Amie Dinsmore Dougherty. He was a 1925 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and received a degree in agricultural journalism from The Ohio State University in 1929. Several years ago, he was guest speaker at the Newcomerstown High School commencement exercises, chosen as one of the school's distinguished graduates.

He leaves his wife of 51 years, the former Ruth Bilz; one son, Watson Dougherty of Lancaster, Calif.; two daughters, Stephanie Palomarez of Santa Maria, Calif. and Valerie Reddix of Anaheim, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Carl (Elizabeth) Kaiser of Newcomerstown; one brother, Dr. Robert Watson Dougherty of Ames, Ia.; and six grandchildren.

Services and interment were held Monday, Feb. 8, at Santa Barbara with the Rev. Robert Pryor officiating. Memorial gifts may be sent to the First Presbyterian Church of Newcomerstown.

Relatives present at the service included his brother, Dr. Watson; his sister, Mrs. Kaiser; and a nephew, John D. Schopp of San Diego, Calif., son of the late Mary Dougherty Schopp.

Jean Brown

Jean Brown, 64, Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Friday (Feb. 5, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born May 1, 1923, in Newcomerstown, a daughter of W. Ray Cunningham and the late Leola B. Smith. She was a homemaker and a member of Wolf Salem United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women's Association.

She leaves her husband, Kenneth Brown, whom she married Jan. 11, 1948; a son, Douglas R. Brown of Westerville; a daughter, Mrs. John (Beth J.) Allen of Coshocton; a sister, Mrs. Bessie E. Wolverton of New Philadelphia; and two grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Feb. 8, at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Granger officiating. Burial was in Bethel Cemetery at Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions could be made to the American Cancer Society.

Maxine V. Kenney

Maxine V. Kenney, 67, Gnadenhutten R.D. 1, died Saturday (Feb. 6, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

She was born Sept. 6, 1920, in Akron, daughter of James P. and Ethel Knowlton. She was a housewife and homemaker for all of her adult life and was a member of First United Methodist Church in Gnadenhutten.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kramer King Kenney, who died July 1, 1974; one son and one grandchild.

She leaves three sons, Thomas Rauch of Fairbanks, Alaska, Robert Lacky of Akron, and John Kenney of New Philadelphia; three daughters, Mrs. Donald (Judy) Amore of Newcomerstown, Ms. Artha Kenney of Gnadenhutten and Ms. Katherine Kenney of Newcomerstown R.D. 3; one brother, James Knowlton of Mansfield; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Private memorial services were held at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

Robert Shurtz

Robert Shurtz, 81, a resident at the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown and a former resident of 325 Eastgate Ave. (Newcomerstown R.D. 1), died Friday (Feb. 12, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

Mr. Shurtz was born Sept. 23, 1906, in Newcomerstown, son of the late Alvie M. and Caroline Ley Shurtz. He retired as a machinist with Simonds Cutting Tools after 35 years employment. He was a member of the Tri-County Sportsman's Club, Newcomerstown.

His first wife, Mary J. Graham Shurtz, died July 20, 1964. He was also preceded in death by one daughter, three sisters and four brothers.

He leaves his wife, Josephine M. Hunt Shurtz, whom he married May 8, 1965; a daughter, Betty Shurtz of Newcomerstown; a stepdaughter, Debbie Miller of West Lafayette; two sisters, Regina Fletcher of Mount Vernon and Christina Olson of Tucson, Ariz.; two granddaughters; and one great-grandson.

Services were Saturday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was to be at a later date at the East State Street Cemetery.

Kenneth E. Meek

NEW PHILADELPHIA — Kenneth E. Meek, 71, of 118 Ninth St., SW, New Philadelphia, died Wednesday (Feb. 10, 1988) after suffering an apparent heart attack at his home.

He was born in Newcomerstown, a son of the late Clarence and Pearl Brady Meek. He was a retired employee of Eberhart Coal Co. at Dover and was a member of Faith Cathedral Interdenominational Family Worship Center in New Philadelphia.

He leaves his wife, the former Dorothy M. Jones, whom he married Sept. 21, 1939; three daughters, Rosalie Kloha and Mrs. Melvin (Pam) Reardon of Dover and Mrs. Mel Cole of Strasburg; five sons, Richard, Roland, Willard, Timothy and Robford, all of New Philadelphia; a sister, Mrs. Glen (Iona) Booth of Newcomerstown; 30 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. One daughter, three sons, two brothers and a sister are deceased.

Services were Saturday at Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home in New Philadelphia with the Rev. Russ Rodojev officiating. Burial was in East Avenue Cemetery, New Philadelphia.

Larry D. Maloy

Larry D. Maloy, 48, 901 Cross St., Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (Feb. 10, 1988) at University Hospital in Columbus following a short illness.

He was born June 16, 1939, in Coshocton, son of Beatrice Crawford Maloy of Newcomerstown and the late Clarence E. Maloy. He was a former employee of AlSCO in Gnadenhutten, where he worked for 20 years. He was a former member and honorary lifetime member of the Newcomerstown Fire Department and was a former EMT with the Newcomerstown Emergency Rescue Squad. He was a member of Everal's United Methodist Church near Newcomerstown, was active with local CB radio circles, and was a former member of the U.S. Army Reserve.

He leaves his wife, Rosalie Grewell Maloy, whom he married Dec. 5, 1956; three sons, Keith Maloy and Rick Maloy, both of Newcomerstown, and Michael Maloy of Uhrichsville; and one daughter, Mrs. Everett (Lori) McMahon of Dover.

Services were Saturday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in Canal Lewisville Cemetery in Coshocton County.

Wed., Feb. 24, 1988

Larry Joseph Johnson

Larry Joseph "Joe" Johnson, 40, of Kimbolton, died at 1:18 p.m. Monday (Feb. 15, 1988) at his home.

He was born Jan. 9, 1948, in Zanesville, son of Leonard and Geraldine Hermann Johnson. He was a member of Kimbolton United Methodist Church and was an employee of Eastern Mud Drilling Co. He was a member of Kimbolton village council, the Kimbolton Fire Department, the Kimbolton MYF Association, and was a former Kimbolton mayor.

He leaves his wife, Darlene Elizabeth Durben Johnson, whom he married June 7, 1969; two children, a son, Larry Joe Johnson and a daughter, Krystal Lea Johnson, both of the home; a brother, Daniel Lee Johnson of Kimbolton; six aunts; three uncles; 10 nieces; 11 nephews; and two grand-nephews. One sister is deceased.

Services were Thursday at Thom Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Jim Lee and the Rev. Sturman Moore officiating. Burial was in Kimbolton Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the Hospice of Guernsey.

OBITUARY DEAN MILBURN

Dean Milburn, Dublin, Ohio, passed away on February 17. He was an Account Executive with West-Camp Press, Westerville; BA from The Ohio State University; past President of COIM; Air Force veteran; member of Newcomerstown Methodist Church. Family members are: wife, Christy Jeanne (Byrd); daughter and son-in-law, Tami and Don Morris, Columbus; son, Philip, OSU student; mother, Mabel Milburn; aunt, Iris Milburn; cousins, Gary Marlatt family of Newcomerstown; Deanne Milburn and family of New Philadelphia. Memorial Service was held at Worthington United Methodist Church. In memory gifts may be given to the Newcomerstown Friends of the Library.

Paid for by the Family of Dean Milburn.

Wed., March 2, 1988

Mrs. Orella M. Thornton

Mrs. Orella M. Thornton, 91, of Port Washington R.D. 1, died Saturday (Feb. 20, 1988) at Timkin Mercy Hospital in Canton following a lengthy illness.

She was born Sept. 26, 1896, in Wheeling, W. Va., daughter of the late Henderson and Mary Blake Heston. She was a housewife and homemaker for all her adult life, attended Wheeling Business College and was former postmistress at Blaine in Belmont County. She was a member of the former Port Washington Moravian Church and a member of Blue Star Mothers.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry C. Thornton, who died May 15, 1962; one son, Norval Thornton; one daughter, Mrs. Herbert (Ruth) Moore; one grandson, one granddaughter and three sisters.

She leaves four daughters, Mrs. Edward (Lelah) Highben of Port Washington R.D. 1, Mrs. Walter (Florence) Anderson of Port Washington, Mrs. Brude (Ethel) Norman of West Covina, Calif., and Mrs. Donald (Judy) Jones of Newcomerstown R.D. 3; two sons, Clarence "Jack" Thornton of Port Washington R.D. 1 and Robert A. Thornton of Port Washington; two brothers, Ellsworth Heston of Kimbolton and Eugene Heston of Port Washington; four sisters, Mrs. William (Thelma) Baker of Port Washington R.D. 1, Mrs. Ernest (Grace) Ruth of Canton, Margaret Heston of Port Washington R.D. 1, and Mrs. Harry (Millie) Gibbs of Dover; 28 grandchildren; 42 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Dennis Rohn officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Port Washington.

Mrs. Clara Bradshaw

Mrs. Clara Bradshaw, 73, a resident of 536 Oak St., Newcomerstown, died Monday (Feb. 22, 1988) at West Lafayette Care Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born Sept. 6, 1914, in Flushing Township, Noble County, daughter of Charles and Mente Muhlen Dennis. She was a housewife most of her life.

She leaves her husband, Otis Bradshaw, whom she married Dec. 2, 1933; two sons, Gene Bradshaw of Uhrichsville and Roger Bradshaw of Avon Park, Fla.; one daughter, Sandy Keating of Newcomerstown; three sisters, Margaret Wolf, Hilda Betche and Mary West, all of New Philadelphia; one brother, Floyd Dennis of New Philadelphia; 11 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. Three brothers preceded her in death.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Roger Bourne officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Mar. 2, 1988

Vernon Greathouse, Jr.

Vernon Greathouse, Jr., 66, of 13531 Detroit Ave., Lakewood, died Saturday, Feb. 20, at Holy Family Cancer Home in Parma. Several relatives are from the Newcomerstown area.

He was born Dec. 13, 1921, in Boothsville, W. Va., son of the late Vernon Greathouse, Sr., and the late Myrtle Kenney Greathouse. A retired truck driver, he served during World War II and was a member of St. Ignatius Church in Cleveland.

He leaves his wife, the former Myra Betty Sansbury; four daughters, Rosemary Fischvaugh, Judith Gordon, Connie Reid, and Christine Duhamel; four sons, Vernon III, Edward, Patrick, and James; six sisters, Ruth Chaney, Gertrude Beal, Bettie Parks, Lola Greathouse, Addie Booth, and Jane Burns; three brothers, Federick, Myles, and Wayne; 21 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Two sisters, Madge Dorsey and Clara Grewell, are deceased.

Services were Wednesday at St. Ignatius Church with burial at Holy Cross Cemetery in Brookpark. The family requested memorial contributions be made to the Holy Family Cancer Home. The Corring Funeral Home in Lorain handled arrangements.

Bessie Schumacher

Bessie Schumacher, 97, a resident of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, formerly of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died at 1:56 a.m. Tuesday (Feb. 23, 1988) at the Center following a two week illness.

She was born Nov. 9, 1890, in Coshocton County, daughter of Fred and Samantha Norris Reinhart. She was a housewife, a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown, the Ladies Aid of the church, a member of Buckhorn Grange and was first Matron of the Junior Grange, which she helped start in 1926.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford W. Schumacher, who died Jan. 16, 1971. They were wed March 16, 1910. Three sisters are also deceased.

She leaves three daughters, Mary McCune of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Aaron (Helen) Arth of Redlands, Calif., and Mrs. Edwin (Melvene) Juergens of Springfield; 11 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William Haggis II officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette. Memorial contributions can be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church Memorial Fund and the Arthritis Foundation.

Dale Swegheimer

Dale E. Swegheimer, 71, Oxford Square Apartments, formerly of New Philadelphia, died Tuesday (Feb. 23, 1988) in Union Hospital at Dover following a long illness.

Born at New Philadelphia, he was a son of the late Charles and Maude Kuhn Swegheimer. He was a retired construction worker and a World War II Army veteran, having served in the Phillipines. He attended St. Paul Lutheran Church.

He leaves his wife, the former Mary Erwin; two daughters, Beth Ann Swegheimer of Newcomerstown and Linda Kinsey of Dover; two sons, Terry and Curtis of New Philadelphia; a sister, Mrs. Harold (Lucille) Beaber of New Philadelphia; a brother, Glen, of Dover; 11 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home in New Philadelphia with the Rev. Richard Powell officiating. Burial was in the East Avenue Cemetery in New Philadelphia.

Wed., March 9, 1988

Leman Clark

Leman D. Clark, 65, 588 S. River St., Newcomerstown, died early Saturday evening (March 5, 1988) at the Barberton Citizen's Hospital in Barberton following a one-year illness.

He was born April 30, 1922, in Beverly, son of the late Rev. Walter Clark and the late Blanche Smith Clark.

Mr. Clark was a retired machinist from Simonds Cutting Tools, where he worked for more than 42 years before retiring in 1984.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving in Europe during World War II with the 99th Infantry Division. He also served in Korea during the Korean Conflict.

He was a former member of village council, serving a term as council president. He was a life member of Thomas Montgomery Post 431 American Legion, where he was a past commander.

He was a life member of the Disabled American Veterans, serving as commander, and a member of Christ United Methodist Church. He was also a member of Elks Lodge 1555.

Mr. Clark was a principal organizer of the former Emerald Bowling Lanes in Newcomerstown and assisted his son, Leman Clark II, in the opening of the new Cy Young Lanes.

He is survived by his wife, Freda M. Guy Clark, whom he married Dec. 18, 1948. Also surviving are one son and three daughters, Leman D. Clark II of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Michael (Cheryl) Porcher of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Mike (Pam) McCrone of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mrs. James (Debarah) Kovach, Newcomerstown. There are 10 grandchildren.

Also surviving are five sisters and one brother. They are: Mrs. J.R. (Ethel) Freeland, Chillicothe; Mrs. Edra Hursey, Newcomerstown R.D. 1; Mrs. Arlene Close, Millersburg; Mrs. Merton (Dorothy) Wilson of Vestaburg, Michigan; Mrs. Noah (Ruth) Garris of Huron; and Curtis Clark of Beverly. Two brothers are also deceased, the Rev. Dale Clark



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of Wilmington and Robert Clark of Gnadenhutten.

Friends may call at the Ourant Funeral Home after 2 p.m. Tuesday with the family present from 6-9 p.m. Visiting hours will also be held one hour prior to the services Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Ourant Funeral Home with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial will be in West Lawn Cemetery with military graveside services to also be conducted.

Samuel Ray Glazer

Samuel Ray Glazer, one year old, of 610 Plainfield Road, West Lafayette, died Sunday morning (March 6, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born Feb. 27, 1987, in Union Hospital, Dover.

He leaves his parents, Albert E. and Betty Truex Glazer of the home; a sister, Liza Glazer of the home; paternal grandparents Dale and Martha Glazer of Port Washington; maternal grandparent Virginia Truex of Newcomerstown R.D. 1 and the late Francis L. Truex.

There will be no calling hours. Graveside services will be 11 a.m. Tuesday at Union Cemetery, Port Washington, with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Ourant Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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Caroline Stull

Caroline Stull, 48, Port Washington R.D. 1, died Thursday morning (March 3, 1988) at Twin City Hospital in Dennison following a three-year illness.

She was born Nov. 27, 1939, in Belmont County, daughter of Della Mae Workman Beckett of Uhrichsville R.D. 2 and the late Ernest Beckett.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by one daughter, one brother, and two granddaughters.

In addition to her mother, she leaves her husband, Russell E. Stull; five sons, James A. Stull of Moundsville, W. Va., John A. Stull of Port Washington, Joseph A. Stull of Guernsey R.D. 1, and Jack E. Stull and Russell Stull, Jr., both of the home; five daughters, Carolyn S. Stull of Moundsville, W. Va., Mrs. Dan (Charlotte) Rotruck of Port Washington R.D. 1, Mary K. Stull and Sherry M. Stull, both of New Philadelphia, and Cindy L. Stull of the home; six brothers, Ernest Beckett, Jr., of Newcomerstown R.D. 3, John Beckett of Newcomerstown R.D. 2, Willard Beckett of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, Donald Beckett of Tippecanoe R.D. 2, Raymond Beckett and David Beckett, both of Uhrichsville R.D. 2; and two sisters, Mrs. Shirley Sanders of Uhrichsville and Mrs. Diane Lindon of Newcomerstown.

Services were Sunday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Eldon Wilson officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery at Port Washington.

Alvin L. Groves

FREEPORT — Alvin L. Groves, 77, of Freeport R.D. 2, died Saturday (Feb. 27, 1988) at Carriage Inn Nursing Home in Cadiz.

He was born April 3, 1910, near Newcomerstown, a son of the late Albert and Salenah Wilson Groves. He was a retired self-employed farmer, sawmill and cider press operator and a former member of Freeport Grange.

He was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters.

He leaves his wife of 55 years, Clara E. Miller; one step-daughter; three step-grandsons; three step-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Tuesday at Koch Funeral Home in Freeport with Brother Marion Rogers officiating. Burial was in West Union Cemetery near Peoli.

Herbert Raymond Arman

NORWALK — Herbert Raymond Arman, 82, of Rustic Hills, formerly of Carrollton and Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Feb. 28, 1988) in the Fisher-Titus Medical Center after suffering an apparent heart attack.

Born in Marshall County, W. Va., he was a son of the late Alfred and Lula Elizabeth Gilman Arman. He was a member of Carrollton Church of Christ (Christian), Carroll Masonic Lodge and Zenobia Temple of Shrine and Ancient Scottish Rite of Toledo. He was a former employee of Good Roads Machine at Minerva and had formerly managed the Virginia Theater in Carrollton. A Carrollton resident from 1937 to 1970, he then lived in Newcomerstown until moving to Norwalk in 1985.

On Dec. 3, 1927, he married the former Nora V. Williams, who died May 29, 1987. Two brothers and two sisters are also deceased.

He leaves a son, Paul of Norwalk; a brother, Harry of Houston; 11 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Sweeney-Dodds Funeral Home in Carrollton with Rev. Donald Lautzenheiser officiating. Burial was in Westview Cemetery in Carrollton. Masonic services were held Tuesday.

Mar. 9, 1988

Charles E. Brown

Charles E. "Brownie" Brown, 86, of West Lafayette Care Center, formerly of 130 N. Goodrich St., Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (March 2, 1988) at the Center following an extended illness.

He was born Oct. 25, 1901, in Mantua, son of the late Charles and Mary Ursula Brown. He retired after working 35 years at Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown. He was a life member of Newcomerstown Elks Lodge 1555 and a member of the former Odd Fellows Lodge in Newcomerstown.

He leaves his wife, Helen Warner Brown, also a resident of the West Lafayette Care Center. The couple was married Aug. 1, 1928. He also leaves a brother, August Brown, of Sarasota, Fla., and several nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers and one sister.

Private family services were to be conducted at the convenience of the family at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was to be in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wed., March 16, 1988

Mary Rose Stonebrook

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. — Mary Rose, infant daughter of Bruce A. and Lori (Harrington) Stonebrook, died at birth Saturday (Feb. 20, 1988) at St. Francis Hospital in Colorado Springs, Colo.

In addition to her parents, Mary Rose was survived by two sisters, Rebekah Kathryn and Elizabeth Joan; her grandparents, Harold L. Stonebrook and Sue C. Stonebrook, both of Newcomerstown, and Clyde and Joan Harrington of Denver, Colo.; and by two great-grandmothers, Elizabeth Laramay of Potsdam, N.Y., and Josephine Harrington of Argyle, N.Y.

Graveside services were held Feb. 23 at 2 p.m. at Fairview Cemetery, Fountain, Colo. The Rev. Mark Cowart of Grace Fellowship Church officiated.

Harry Chambers

Harry Chambers, 97, formerly of 518 Heller Drive, Newcomerstown, died at 5:05 a.m. Thursday (March 10, 1988) at the West Lafayette Care Center following a short illness.

He was born Aug. 25, 1890, in Glasgow, a son of the late Rena Stonebrook Barns.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Bessie Kelly Chambers, who died in 1967; one daughter; and one brother. He leaves several nieces and nephews.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Port Washington.

Clara H. Whitis

NEWARK — Clara Helen Whitis, 85, of 79 W. Church St., Newark, died Saturday (March 12, 1988) at Licking Memorial Hospital.

She was born April 9, 1902, in Dover, the daughter of the late Frank and Clara Colvin Whitis.

She was a retired licensed practical nurse and a member of the Community Wesleyan Church. She was also a commissioned deaconess for the Eastern Ohio District of the church's Missionary Society.

She leaves one nephew and several nieces.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the Community Wesleyan Church. The Rev. Billy Allen will officiate. Burial will be in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette.

Memorial donations may be made to the missionary fund of the church.

Mar. 16, 1988

Eunice Lyle Tilton

Eunice Lyle Tilton, 87, a former teacher in Newcomerstown, died Saturday (Feb. 27, 1988) at the Whetstone Convalescent Center.

She was a member of Unity Church of Christianity and founder of Lyle Realty. She was a member of the Columbus Board of Realtors, Zonta Club of Columbus, Clintonville Women's Club and Order of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Tilton leaves a daughter, Eleanor Lyle Aquila of Columbus; two granddaughters, Nancy Henning and Beverly Baxter, both of Columbus; a great-granddaughter, Elizabeth; and a brother, Charles Leech of Newcomerstown.

Services were March 2 at the Unity Church of Christianity with arrangements made by Southwick-Good Funeral Chapel in Columbus.

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Melinda Lou Smart

Melinda Lou Smart, 29, Newcomerstown, was killed Monday (March 7, 1988) when a truck in which she was a passenger crashed coming down a mountain near Hillsville, Va. The crash also killed her fiance, Johnny Gene Wilson, Jr., 32, of Mayflower, Ark.

Ms. Smart died in the emergency room of Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem, N.C., after brakes failed on the flatbed tractor-trailer loaded with steel I-beams. The truck, which was reportedly carrying 36 tons of steel on the road which had an eight-ton load limit, went off old Route 52 on Fancy Gap Mountain.

Ms. Smart was born in Cambridge, daughter of Charles E. and Chrissie F. Clarkston Burris of Kimbolton. She was a cook at the Newcomerstown Truck Stop and a member of North Salem Community Church.

In addition to her parents, she leaves a daughter and son, Jennifer and Kevin, both of the home; a sister, Michelle A. Burris of Kimbolton; four brothers, Charles E. and Michael A. Burris, both of Cambridge, Richard R. of Kimbolton, and Rudy L. of Huntsville, Ala.

Services were March 11 at Bundy-Law Funeral Home in Cambridge with burial at North Salem Community Cemetery.

Jessica Elaine Campbell

Jessica Elaine Campbell, 351 Fair Ave., NW, New Philadelphia, died shortly after birth Sunday (March 13, 1988) at the Ohio Valley Hospital in Steubenville.

She leaves her parents, Mark Anthony Campbell and Jennette Ellen Gump Campbell; grandparents Carl and Virginia Rothacre Campbell of Bamhill, David Gump of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Mrs. Charles (Barbara) Glover of Jewett; great-grandparents Wendell and Norma Green Landis of Newcomerstown, Simon and Dolly Gump of Kimbolton, and John Rothacre of Sardis.

Private family graveside services were at the Stone Creek Cemetery. Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handled arrangements.

Mar. 23, 1988

Chester McKinley Toland

Chester McKinley Toland, 90, of 73743 Freeport Road, Freeport (Smyrna), died Monday (March 14, 1988) at Barnesville Hospital.

He was born Oct. 31, 1897, in Londonderry Twp., son of the late Cornelius Huffman and Mary Evaline Ferrell Toland. A retired farmer and carpenter by occupation, Mr. Toland was a member of the Smyrna United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Wanda Decker, and by a sister, brother, and two nieces. He leaves seven nephews and nieces,

Ronald Toland, Delbert Toland, Dorothy Toland and John Toland, all of Freeport; Dwight Kirk of North Carolina; and Denver Kirk and Alva Kirk, both of Newcomerstown.

Services were Thursday at the Bond Funeral Home in Londonderry with Pastor Bob Merritt officiating. Burial was in Smyrna Cemetery.

John R. King, 114, dies

John R. King, who would have celebrated his 115th birthday on June 2, died Thursday (March 17, 1988), at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown.

Mr. King was born June 2, 1873 in Miseogu, Okla., son of Indian Chief Greyhound King and Katie Fisher. He was formerly employed by the Clows Sewer Pipe Co. and the Heller Tool Co.

His wife, Irene Brown, died in 1941. Five brothers and a sister are also deceased. He leaves a sister, Camilia Meyers of Norwalk, Ohio, and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Monday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with burial in the East State Street Cemetery.

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Hazel Wigfield

Hazel O. Wigfield, 76, of 470 S. River St., Newcomerstown, died at 12:45 p.m. Sunday (March 20, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born Sept. 14, 1911, in Peoli, daughter of the late George Tedrick and Anna Dorsey. Mrs. Wigfield was a nurse for 52 years, employed by Dr. Glen Ebersole and later by Dr. Myron Saturdayski, both of Newcomerstown. She was a member of the Church of Christ in Newcomerstown.

She married R. Dean Wigfield on Sept. 2, 1933. In addition to her husband, she also leaves a daughter, Mrs. James (Carolyn) Lehman of Newcomerstown; a brother, Kenneth Tedrick of Kimbolton; a sister, Mrs. C. W. (Alma) Larntz of Columbus; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

A son, two brothers and one sister are deceased.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Charles Newell officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Obituary

Mary V. Evans

Mary V. Evans, 86, 126 Neighbor St., Newcomerstown, died Saturday (March 26, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital.

She was born in West Lafayette, daughter of the late W.C. and Margaret Bell Wiggins. She was a homemaker for all of her adult life and a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown, where she sang in the choir. She was a charter member and past president of the American Legion Auxiliary, served on the County Council for the Auxiliary, was a member of the Frees Rebekah Lodge, the Blue Star Mothers Club and the Royal Neighbors Club.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Frederick J. Evans, who died April 14, 1952; two brothers and two grandchildren. She leaves two sons, James Evans of Willoughby and Wilfred J. "Bill" Evans of Newcomerstown; one daughter, Mrs. Dominic (Rhea Lou) Cacioppo of Tallmadge; and five grandchildren.

Services were Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wilford Edwards

Wilford Edwards, 69, Guernsey R.D. 1, died at 4:20 p.m. on Saturday (March 26, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

He was born March 12, 1919, in Guernsey County, son of Pearl and Carrie Johnson Edwards. He retired from Simonds Cutting Tools in 1981 after 31 years of service.

He leaves his wife, Inez Albaugh Edwards, whom he married Aug. 21, 1940; one son, James Edwards, Guernsey R.D. 1; one daughter, Mrs. Charles (Joyce) Weaver of Newark; one brother, Elmer Edwards of Cambridge; and three sisters, Kate Lewis of Cambridge, Mrs. Ruby Robinett of Coshocton and Mrs. Violet Willer of West Lafayette.

He was preceded in death by one son, one brother and one sister.

Services were Tuesday, March 29, at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Thomas Clipner officiating. Burial was in Peoples Cemetery.

Carl R. Jackson

Carl R. Jackson, 77, of Cambridge, died at 5:18 a.m. Sunday (March 27, 1988) at Grant Medical Center in Columbus following a brief illness.

He was born Aug. 8, 1910, in Coal Run, son of the late Clyde and Ceola Groves Jackson. He was the founder and owner of the Jackson Tool and Die Co. of Newcomerstown and the co-founder of Slabe Tool Co. in Cambridge.

He leaves his wife, Marie E. Grosz Jackson, whom he married May 2, 1935; a son, Herschel Jackson of Avon Park, Fla.; four daughters, Peggy Slay of West Lafayette; Geri Dennis of Old Washington; Cheryl Jirles of Winterset and Viva Arthurs of Columbus; two brothers, Nelson Jackson of Columbus and Clyde Jackson of Maryland; two sisters, Nelda Schau of Columbus and Gladys Fischer of Florida; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Wednesday, March 30, at the Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge. Burial was in Good Hope Cemetery in Washington County.

Wed., April 13, 1988

Florence B. Chaney

Florence B. Chaney, 85, of 440 Center St., Newcomerstown, died at 4:20 p.m. Sunday (April 3, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born Aug. 6, 1902, at Stone Creek, daughter of Jacob and Mary Buegher Regula. She was a housewife and member of Trinity United Methodist Church.

She married William Earl Chaney on Sept. 25, 1925. He died Oct. 3, 1958. She leaves two daughters, Norma June Kadri of West Lafayette and L. Jane Chaney of Coshocton; one son, Earl Chaney of West Lafayette; four sisters, Helen Regula and Gladys Regula, both of Zanesville, Faye Spiker of Dover and Beulah Smith of Zanesville; six grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were Wednesday at West Lawn Cemetery with the Rev. O.E. Ghere officiating. Memorial contributions could be made to a charity of choice. Addy Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Virginia R. Huff

CAMBRIDGE — Virginia R. Huff, 80, of 1002 Oakland Blvd., died at 8 p.m. Wednesday (April 6, 1988) at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus, where she had been a patient since Sunday.

She was born July 5, 1907, in Barnesville, daughter of the late Wilbur W. and Irene Ewan Corbin. She worked a number of years for the Ohio Fuel Gas Co. and was a member of the First Christian Church. She was also a member of Eastern Star Lodge 211, White Shrine of Jerusalem and Zeta Chapter of Lambda Chi Omega Sorority. She was a 1926 graduate of Cambridge High School and a graduate of Cambridge Business College.

She leaves her husband, Francis D. Huff, whom she married in 1931. She also leaves one sister, Edythe Ellwood of Cambridge; two nephews, Judge David A. Ellwood of Cambridge and Wilbur Corbin of Daytona Beach, Fla.

Services were Saturday at Bundy-Law Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Richard Sweeney officiating. Burial was in Northwood Cemetery.

Dr. Charles E. Sheets

Mrs. Ralph (Ruth) Steinbach of Port Washington received word recently of the death of her brother, Dr. Charles E. Sheets of Manilla, Ind., who died of a heart attack at his home.

He was born in Newcomerstown on June 27, 1919, to the late A.C. and Goldie Sheets. He practiced medicine for 35 years in Manilla. In addition to his sister, he leaves another sister, Mary Kay Ballard of Shelbyville, Ind., and several nieces and nephews. Two sisters and a brother are deceased.

Services were April 2 at Camondy Funeral Home in Shelbyville with Dr. Jewell of the Nazarene Church at Indianapolis officiating. Burial was in Maplewood Cemetery in Anderson, Ind.

Wed., April 20, 1988

Mollie Hughes

MOUNT VERNON — Mrs. Mollie Hughes, 77, 20833 Sycamore Road, formerly of New Castle in Coshocton County, died Wednesday (April 13, 1988) in Knox Community Hospital after a long illness.

She was born in Pendleton County, W.Va., a daughter of the late Solom and Stella Vance Landis. Her husband, Bernard H. Hughes, died Aug. 23, 1977. A daughter and sister are also deceased.

She leaves three sons, Bernard Hughes Jr. of Walhonding, Leslie Hughes of Howard and Larry Hughes of Mount Vernon R.D. 1; six daughters, Mrs. James (Nancy) Steurer of Warsaw, Mrs. James (Nadine) Olson, Joann Moore and Mrs. Ron (Betty) Olson of Mount Vernon, Mrs. Glenn (Margaret) Willey of Newark and Mrs. Robert (Judith) Elliott of Newcomerstown; two brothers, Carl Landis of Utica and Russell Landis of New Guilford; 18 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at Fischer Funeral Home in Warsaw with the Rev. Robert Wells officiating. Burial was in Mount Vernon Memorial Gardens.

Lois Irene Brenneman

WARSAW — Lois Irene Brenneman, 81, of 108 Fourth St., Warsaw, died at 10:05 p.m. Sunday (April 10, 1988) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital's Extended Care Unit after a three-week illness.

She was born July 27, 1906, in Birds Run, daughter of the late Marshall V. and Etta J. Ingram Addy. She was first married to Lee Williams. She was a retired employee of the Senior Nutrition Center in Nellie and Coshocton as a cook. She was a member of the Warsaw Presbyterian Church, Bethlehem Grange and Warsaw Senior Citizens.

She was preceded in death by her second husband, Oscar L. Brenneman, on Nov. 2, 1965.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Betty J. Adams of Coshocton; a son, Leroy A. Williams of Coshocton; one step-daughter, Mrs. Al (Clodaugh) Cline of Rolling Hills Estates, Calif.; five step-sons, Harold D. Brenneman, Blaine E. Brenneman and R. Eugene Brenneman, all of Warsaw, Merle K. Brenneman of Madera, Calif., and Robert L. Brenneman of Coshocton; one brother, M. Vernon Addy of Plainfield; three sisters, Mrs. Gladys Hickman of Grove City, Mrs. Stella Frederick of West Lafayette and Mrs. Chester (Ada) Gray of Plainfield; 12 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Wednesday at the Fischer Funeral Home in Warsaw with the Rev. John Russell officiating. Burial was in Valley View Cemetery, Warsaw.

Mary O. Myers

Mary O. Myers, 89, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (April 13, 1988) at the Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born June 4, 1898, in Guernsey County, a daughter of the late Thomas and Anna Durbin. She was a housewife and a member of the Church of Christ in Newcomerstown.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one son, four brothers, three sisters and one granddaughter.

She leaves one son, Robert Myers of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; one daughter, Mrs. Charles (Bernice) Dakin of Newcomerstown R.D. 3; seven grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the Addy Funeral Home with Evangelist M. Gale Yoho officiating. Burial was in Kimbolton Cemetery.

Apr. 20, 1988

Mrs. Emily Hammersley

Mrs. Emily C. Hammersley, 67, of 486 S. McKinley Ave., Newcomerstown died early Sunday (April 10, 1988) at Guemsey Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

She was born Feb. 4, 1921, in Byesville. She was a retired employee of the AlSCO Aluminum Co. of Gnadenuhthen, where she had worked for over 30 years before retiring in 1983. She was a member of the Women of the Moose Chapter 29 of Newcomerstown, Army-Navy Garrison 1983 of Uhrichsville and the Eagles Lodge of Dennison.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth E. Hammersley, who died Aug. 24, 1968, one son and two brothers.

She leaves four daughters, Mrs. Barbara Parry of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Ron (Sally) Little of Guemsey R.D. 1, Mrs. Raymond (Sandra) Jones of Zanesville and Mrs. Ronald (Sarah) Criss of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; two sisters, Mrs. Jim (Donna) Chapman of Sandusky and Mrs. Mike (Verna) Jennings of Coshocton; 13 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. O.E. Ghere officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Port Washington.

Mrs. Anna Velma Fisher

Mrs. Anna Velma Fisher, 92, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown, formerly a resident of Guemsey County, died late Sunday morning (April 10, 1988) at the Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born Jan. 30, 1896, in Guemsey County, daughter of the late Shelba and Ella Mae Orr Gray. She was a housewife and homemaker all her adult life and a member of the Irish Ridge United Methodist Church in Guemsey County.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Isaac Russell Fisher, who died Feb. 10, 1984, one brother and one sister.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Wilda Faye Winters of Newcomerstown; two grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. O.E. Ghere officiating. Burial was in the Irish Ridge Cemetery.

James 'Budd' Parks

James "Budd" Parks, 59, of State Route 16, Coshocton, died Sunday (April 10, 1988) at his home following a lengthy illness.

He was born May 18, 1928, in Noble County, son of the late William and Minnie Parks. He was a member of VFW Post 1330 in Coshocton.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, a son, and a sister.

He leaves six sons, Sgt. Ray Parks of the U.S. Air Force in Germany, Donald L. Parks of Ft. Pierce, Fla., Mark Parks and James E. Parks of Coshocton, Anthony Parks and Richard Parks of West Lafayette; four daughters, Linda Bush and Patricia Appis of Coshocton, Mrs. Larry (Esther) Dusenberry of Warsaw and Mrs. C.T. (Bobba) Stone of West Lafayette; three brothers, William Virgil Parks of Springfield, Va., Orville Parks and William Elmer Parks of Coshocton; two sisters, Mrs. Ralph (Chloe) Smith and Mrs. Albert (Dellah) Morgan of West Lafayette; and 13 grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Denvil McVay officiating. Burial was in Forest Grove Cemetery in Caldwell.

Apr. 20, 1988

Mrs. Iva Deets

Mrs. Iva Deets, 82, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, died at the Center Monday (April 4, 1988) following a lengthy illness.

She was born Feb. 14, 1906, in Limestone, W. Va., daughter of the late G. Saul Lipscomb and Jenny Dumire Lipscomb. She was a retired employee of the Family and Children's Center in Mishawaka, Ind.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Francis Deets, who died in 1958; four sisters, three brothers, one grandson and one great-granddaughter.

She leaves one son, Bill Deets of Ragersville; four daughters, Mrs. Ruth O'Neal of Marcellus, Mich., Mrs. Waneda Rendsland and Mrs. Elsie Briley, both of Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Wesley (Shirley) McEwen of Lansing, Ill.; four sisters, Anna Shaffer of Camp Hill, Pa., Violet Haught of Terra Alta, W. Va., Nona Wotring of Maryville, Tenn., and Clara Dixon of Orlando, Fla.; 17 grandchildren; and 31 great-grandchildren.

Services were April 7 at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William Ramsey officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wade H. McIntyre

Wade H. McIntyre, 68, of 113 E. Canal St., Newcomerstown, died Friday (April 15, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following an extended illness.

He was born March 5, 1920, in Wirt County, W. Va., son of the late Wade H. and Sarah Harris McIntyre. Mr. McIntyre was a retired antenna tower installer and was a member of the Moose Lodge in New Philadelphia.

He leaves two sisters, Leona M. Watson of Gilmore and Janie Woodring of Loudonville. He was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters.

Services were to be Tuesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. Burial was to be in West Lawn Cemetery.

Florence M. Myers

Florence Mae Myers, 74, of 124 Downs Ave., Newcomerstown, died Friday (April 15, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

She was born Sept. 21, 1913, in Newcomerstown, daughter of the late William and Dessie Friel Hill.

She leaves her husband, Charles L. Myers, whom she married Sept. 22, 1930; two daughters, Mrs. Gary (Donna) Boldman of Fairfield and Nancy Myers of the home; two sons, Jerry Myers of Stone Creek and Garry Myers of Newcomerstown; two sisters, Inez Ferrell of Elyria and Mary Carr of Newcomerstown; 10 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, two brothers and two sisters.

Services were Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Stull officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wed., April 27, 1988

F. Denver Goff

PORT WASHINGTON — F. Denver Goff, 60, of 219 St. Clairsville St., Port Washington, died Friday (April 22, 1988) at Guemsey Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born Dec. 17, 1927, in Pine Twist, W. Va., son of the late Marshall and Lilly Brown Goff. Prior to his retirement, he was employed as a mechanic for 20 years at the W.M. Brode Co. in Newcomerstown. He was a member of Two Ripple Baptist Church, Elizabeth, W. Va.; Moose Lodge 1337 and Thomas Montgomery Post 431 of the American Legion, both in Newcomerstown. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army.

He leaves his wife, Lorraine Edwards Goff, whom he married Nov. 5, 1949; three sons, Larry D. Goff of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, Richard "Hoss" Goff of Newcomerstown and Steven E. Goff of Port Washington; three daughters, Mrs. Craig (Rosa Mary) Moore of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Peter (Geri) Journey of Ft. Bragg, N.C., and Mrs. Steven (Cheryl Ann) Kyle of Uhrichsville; two brothers, Lawrence "Oak" Goff of California and Robert Goff of Pensacola, Fla.; and two sisters, Mrs. Melvin (Zelma) Watson of Port Washington R.D. 1 and Mrs. Phillip (Eloise) Calbough of Elizabeth, W. Va. Four brothers preceded him in death.

Services were Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Jerry P. Hanshaw officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Port Washington.

Celia Conrad

Celia Irene Conrad, 79, of 2531 Graustark Path, Wooster, died Friday (April 15, 1988) at Smithville-Western Care Center.

She was born in Newcomerstown in 1909 to the late Charles and Hattie Johnson Smith. She married Donald W. Conrad on Dec. 25, 1932. She had been employed at Freedlander's and Annat's. She was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church and its Steiner Class.

In addition to her husband, she leaves two daughters, Loretta J. Conrad of Westlake and Mildred Yanta of Port Neches, Texas; and two grandchildren. Three brothers and three sisters are deceased.

Graveside services were Monday, April 18, at the Wooster Cemetery with the Rev. William Pearch officiating. McIntire, Davis and Greene Funeral Home handled arrangements. Memorial contributions could be made to Zion Lutheran Church, 301 N. Market St., Wooster, OH 44691 or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Wed., May 4, 1988

Catherine Ridgeway

FORT WORTH, Texas — Catherine Ridgeway, 64, of Fort Worth, Texas, died Friday (April 22, 1988) in a Fort Worth hospital.

She was born Aug. 21, 1923, in Ohio, the daughter of the late James O. and Etta Ann Wilson.

She leaves two sons, John D. Ridgeway of Canton and Larry W. Ridgeway of Fort Worth; one daughter, Virginia Cunningham of Adena; one brother, John Wilson of Fort Worth; three sisters, Ruth Johnson of Ely, Minn., Mary Huston of West Lafayette and Betty Fries of Newcomerstown; eight grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter.

Services were April 25 at Mount Olivet Funeral Home Chapel in Fort Worth with the Rev. Lloyd Taylor officiating. Burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery in Fort Worth.

Ruth W. Barber

Ruth W. Barber, 63, of 442 Beaver St., Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (May 10, 1988) at Riverside Hospital in Columbus following a brief illness.

She was born Sept. 19, 1924, in Tuscarawas County, daughter of Bessie Hill Casteel and the late Isaac Casteel. Mrs. Barber was a housewife and a member of Christ United Methodist Church.

In addition to her mother, she leaves two daughters, Mrs. Ron (Pam) Rist of Grove City and Mrs. Mike (Linda) Comella of Dover; one brother, Wallace Casteel of Newcomerstown; one sister, Pauline Walkup of Newcomerstown; and four grandchildren. One son is deceased.

Services were Friday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery, Newcomerstown.

Joe C. Rotruck

Joe C. Rotruck, 78, of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Friday (April 29, 1988) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown following an extended illness.

He was born June 23, 1909, in Martin, W.Va., son of the late Adolph and Sussie Smith Rotruck. He was a retired sawyer and a member of the Newcomerstown Church of Christ.

He leaves his wife, Emma Bartlett Rotruck, whom he married July 4, 1935; a daughter, Lynn Rotruck of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; two sons, Eugene Rotruck of Newcomerstown R.D. 3 and Othar Rotruck of Coshoc-ton; three brothers, Dick Rotruck of Martin, W.Va., Bill Rotruck of West Chester, and Ray Rotruck of Midvale; four sisters, Pauline Funkhouser of Maysville, W.Va., Katie Coussner of Mount Storm, W.Va., Ann Gardner and Helen Baker, both of Keyser, W.Va.; eight grandchildren; one step-granddaughter and six great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by three grandchildren.

Services were Monday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Evangelist Gale Yoho officiating. Burial was in the Kings Church Cemetery.

Cheney E. Paisley

Cheney E. Paisley, 76, of 1409 Morton Ave., Cambridge, died at 8:01 a.m. Sunday (May 8, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born June 22, 1911, at Cumberland, son of the late Charles and Estella Winestock Paisley. He was a member of the First Church of God. He was a former employee of Kroger's in West Lafayette and Cambridge, and the Triangle Food Market and Harold's Royal Blue Market in Cambridge. In 1982, he retired from the housekeeping department of the Cambridge Developmental and Rehabilitation Center.

He was preceded in death by one son, four brothers and three sisters. He leaves his wife, Virginia K. Talbert Paisley; four sons, Merlin Paisley and Larry Paisley, both of Cambridge, Jerold Paisley of Connifer, Colo., and David Paisley of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Chere Barton and Carol Dobda, both of Cambridge; two sisters, Ola Lawyer of Cambridge and Leah Kennedy of Huntington Beach, Calif.; 14 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were May 11 at the Scott Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Cyrus Wells and the Rev. Edgar Lawyer officiating. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery in Zanesville.

Willis 'Dill' Rehard

Willis "Dill" Rehard, 74, 485 Spaulding Ave., Cambridge, died Saturday (May 7, 1988) in the emergency room at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born Dec. 17, 1913, in West Lafayette, son of the late Jess and Verna Stiner Rehard. He was a member of Christ United Methodist Church, an Army veteran of World War II, and was retired from the Penn-Michigan Co. in West Lafayette.

He leaves his wife, Dorothea Stilgenbauer Rehard, whom he married Jan. 26, 1951; a daughter, Nancy Rehard of North Royalton; and a brother, Paul Rehard of West Lafayette. Two brothers are deceased.

Services were May 11 at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery in West Lafayette. Memorial contributions could be made to the American Heart Association.

May 18, 1988

Nellie Lee

ZANESVILLE — Nellie K. Lee, 97, of 2470 Adamsville Road, Zanesville, died at 2:12 p.m. Sunday (May 15, 1988) at the Hospice of Southeast Ohio Cancer Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born June 20, 1890, in Zanesville, daughter of George C. and Emma C. Merriam Lawrence. She was a lifetime resident of the Zanesville area, a member of Grace United Methodist Church and a member of Pleasant Grove Grange.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George, who died April 21, 1978.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. John (Julia) Granger of 2470 Adamsville Road, and Mrs. R.D. (Alice) Smith of Newcomerstown; two grandsons; and three great-grandchildren.

Calling hours were to be Tuesday from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at the Bryan Funeral Home in Zanesville, where services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday with the Rev. Dale R. Beittel officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Grove Cemetery in Zanesville.

Bruce W. Welker

Bruce W. Welker, 69, 11780 Welker St., New Concord, died at his home at 10:15 p.m. Saturday (April 30, 1988) after an extended illness.

He was born March 29, 1919, in Muskingum County, son of the late David and Ella Conway Welker. He was a self-employed carpenter in the New Concord area for over 40 years and was a member of the Otsego United Methodist Church.

He leaves his wife, Marie Campton Welker, whom he married March 15, 1941; one son, Dean Welker of West Lafayette; one daughter, Nelda Welker of Caldwell; two grandsons; and two brothers, Lyle Welker of New Concord and Charles Welker of Coshoc-ton. One sister is also deceased.

Services were Wednesday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Rick Burkhardt officiating. Burial was in the Otsego Methodist Cemetery.

Wed., May 25, 1988

Ashton Ridgway

Ashton Ridgway, stillborn infant daughter of Brenda Ridgway, 539 E. State St., Newcomerstown, and Lee Lazette, died at 11:15 a.m. Friday (May 13, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

In addition to her parents, she leaves her grandparents, Jack and Rita Ridgway of Newcomerstown; and her great-grandparents, Ellen Belt of Newcomerstown, Katheryn Ridgway of Newcomerstown and Aretha and Richard Loomis of Millersburg.

Graveside services were to be held Monday, May 23 at West Lawn Cemetery with the Rev. Larry Hall to officiate. Addy Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handled arrangements.

May 25, 1988

Carl E. Casteel

Carl E. Casteel, 39, Tuscarawas Co. Road 10, Gnadenhutten R.D. 1, died at his home Saturday (May 14, 1988) from an apparently self-inflicted gunshot wound.

He was born Dec. 12, 1948, in Dennison, son of Hazel Biddlestone Casteel of Port Washington R.D. 1 and the late Lorin M. Casteel. He was an estimator with the Handy and Harman Co. He was a member of the Gnadenhutten United Methodist Church and was a former member of the Newcomerstown Church of the Nazarene. He received an associate degree in business from the Ohio Institute of Business in Wooster, a divinity degree from the Nazarene Bible College in Colorado Springs, Colo., and a business administration degree from Malone College in Canton. He was a former Nazarene pastor, having served at the Fairmount Nazarene Church in Canton and the Church of the Nazarene in Vanderbilt, Pa.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, Shirley Martin Casteel, whom he married July 25, 1970; one son, Roger Eugene Casteel of the home; one sister, Mrs. David (Carole) Gibson of Cambridge; one brother, John C. Casteel of Dover R.D. 2; and one grandfather, Harvey Fouts of Uhrichsville R.D. 2.

Services were Tuesday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Donald Carrico and the Rev. Paul Farren officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Port Washington.

Janice L. Maxwell

Janice L. Maxwell, 419 E. State St., Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (May 17, 1988) at Union Hospital in Dover.

She was born May 2, 1919, in Newcomerstown, daughter of Clarence H. and Etta Bliss Dawson. She was a housewife.

She leaves her husband, Robert L. Maxwell, whom she married July 20, 1946; two sons, Kim Maxwell of Dallas, Ga., and Kevin Maxwell of Waldorf, Md.; and two grandchildren.

Services were Friday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. O.E. Ghere officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wed., June 1, 1988

Floyd K. Simmerman

Floyd K. Simmerman, 74, Port Washington R.D. 2, died Monday (May 23, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a 10-week illness.

Mr. Simmerman was born Nov. 26, 1913, in Tuscarawas County, son of the late Harry W. and Mary E. Kimble Simmerman. He was a farmer and retired after 36 years as an employee of Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown. He was a member of Peoli United Methodist Church and a member of the board of trustees for the Peoli United Methodist Church Cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Olive Stewart Simmerman, whom he married Jan. 10, 1941; a daughter, Charlotte Osborne in Canton; two sons, Carl E. and Paul E. Simmerman, both of Port Washington R.D. 2; three sisters, Hazel Dyre and Mrs. John (Fannie) Wame, both of Cambridge and Mrs. Harry (Helen) Caldwell of Newcomerstown R.D. 3; and 10 grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at Peoli United Methodist Church with the Rev. Gene Miller and the Rev. James Porter officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home of Newcomerstown.

June 1, 1988

Father E. Eugene Thompson

Father E. Eugene Thompson died Sunday, May 15 in Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center, Palm Beach, Fla., after suffering a heart attack May 13.

Born in Newcomerstown Nov. 17, 1911, Father Thompson was a Methodist lay preacher at the age of 17. He received his bachelor of arts degree from Westminster College and also attended Mount Union College, Alliance, O. His bachelor of divinity degree was granted to him by Drew University in 1938.

He served as a Methodist minister in Ohio until after World War II when he entered the Graduate School of Theology at Oberlin College where he received a master of sacred theology degree in 1949. He was ordained deacon in the Episcopal Church in December of that year and to the priesthood in June 1950 by Bishop Hobson at Trinity Church, Columbus, O. He furthered his graduate work at New York Theological Seminary.

Father Thompson was rector of St. Paul's, Greenville, O., from 1950-55. During a short period that year, he served as rector of St. Mary's, Sioux Lookout, Ontario. He was assistant at Christ Church in Dayton from 1955-57.

In 1958, Father Thompson became canonically resident in the former Diocese of South Florida where he served as vicar at both St. Luke's, Mulberry and Holy Innocents, Valrico. In 1962, he was called to be rector of St. George's, Riviera Beach, from which he retired in 1978. Throughout his ministry he took several study trips to England and the continent.

In 1974, Father Thompson was awarded the doctor of ministry degree from Vanderbilt University. While at St. George's he served a term as Dean of the North Palm Beach Deanery.

During his retirement, he continued to assist at several area parishes including St. Andrew's and Holy Redeemer, both in Lake Worth, and Guardian Angels in Lantana. A Biblical scholar, he also taught several Bible study series.

Father Thompson is survived by a nephew, Paul Clum of Newcomerstown, and several cousins including Rev. Walter Sherman, Priest, of Lawrenceville, Ind., and Lloyd Cunningham of Lake Worth.

Funeral services were to be held May 21 at 10 a.m. at the Church of the Guardian Angels, Lantana, with Rev. David C. Kennedy, rector, officiating. Interment was made in Memory Gardens, Lake Worth. E. Earl Smith and Son Funeral Home, East Chapel, was in charge of arrangements.

A memorial fund has been established in Father Thompson's name and contributions may be sent to the Church of the Guardian Angels.

June 8, 1988

Margaret Tobin

Margaret Tobin, 85, Port Washington R.D. 2, died Tuesday (May 31, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born March 25, 1903, near Birmingham, daughter of the late Mahlon and Elizabeth Hope Combs. She was a member of Birmingham United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence E. Tobin, who died Oct. 18, 1987. They were married July 4, 1924. She was also preceded in death by one grandchild, one brother and three sisters.

She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Kendall (Jo Ann) Lewis of Vermillion; three sons, Floyd Tobin of Gnadenhutzen, Robert E. Tobin of Columbus and Gene Tobin of Birmingham; two brothers, Floyd Combs and Clarence Combs, both of Cambridge; 13 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at Birmingham United Methodist Church with the Rev. Gene Miller and the Rev. Melvin Browning officiating. Burial was in Peoli Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to Birmingham United Methodist Church. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home of Newcomerstown.

Wed., June 8, 1988

Bernice Sergeant

Bernice Sergeant, 90, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, died at 1:05 p.m. Wednesday (June 1, 1988) at the Center following an extended illness.

She was born Dec. 16, 1897, in Isleta, daughter of the late Orville W. and Margaret Calhoun Sergeant. Prior to her retirement, Miss Sergeant was an English teacher for 47 years at Lorain Senior High School.

She was a 1915 graduate of Coshocton High School and a graduate of Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass. She received a masters degree in education from The Ohio State University.

Miss Sergeant was a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown, charter member of the American Association of University Women, the Chautaugua Club of Coshocton, Coshocton County Association of Retired Teachers, Ohio Retired Teachers Association, Pink Ladies of Coshocton Hospital and had held offices on the YWCA board, Coshocton.

She leaves a sister-in-law, Sara Sergeant of Newcomerstown; a niece, Elaine Sergeant of Lakewood; and two nephews, Winston Sergeant of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Quentin Sergeant of Columbus. She was preceded in death by one brother.

Services were Saturday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Mrs. Harold Cutshall

WESTLAFAYETTE — Mrs. Harold (Shirley A.) Cutshall, 51, of Fairview Manor Lot 110, West Lafayette, died at 4:40 a.m. Tuesday (May 31, 1988) following a long illness.

She was born Jan. 9, 1937, in Guemsey County, daughter of Lillian Shipe Gatten and the late Russell Gatten. She was employed at Cummings Market and H.L. Green Co., both in Uhrichsville. She was a nursery attendant at Coshocton Recreation, Inc., and a member of Park Avenue United Methodist Church in Coshocton.

She leaves her husband, Harold L. Cutshall, whom she married Dec. 4, 1961; two sons, Leroy Cutshall of Somerdale and Daniel Cutshall of West Lafayette; three daughters, Mrs. Danny (Jean) McVay, Susan Smith and Cathy Cutshall, all of West Lafayette; seven grandchildren; a grandmother, Mrs. Earl (Martha) Shipe of Uhrichsville; one sister, Mrs. George (Shelby) Carson of Canton; several nieces, nephews, aunts and one uncle.

Services were Thursday at the Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. Denis O. Rinehart officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Uhrichsville. Memorial contributions could be made to the Hospice of Coshocton County.

June 15, 1988

Anola B. Thomas

Anola B. Thomas, 87, 520 Cross St., Newcomerstown, died Saturday (June 4, 1988) at 8:43 p.m. at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

She was born March 12, 1901, in Coshocton County, daughter of the late William and Eliza Porcher Maurer. She was a homemaker and a member of the Bakersville Presbyterian Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Oscar Thomas, who died June 22, 1979. She leaves two sons, Chester Thomas of Newcomerstown R.D. 3 and Melvin Thomas of Newcomerstown; one daughter, Mrs. Lloyd (Mildred) Hothem of Wickenburg, Ariz.; a sister, Mrs. Sylvia Miller of New Philadelphia; nine grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Charles Lee officiating. Burial was in the Bakersville Cemetery.

Wed., June 15, 1988

Mildred F. McNamara

Mildred F. McNamara, 73, of 263 E. Canal St., rear, Newcomerstown, was found dead at her residence of an apparent heart attack on Sunday (June 5, 1988).

She was born Jan. 11, 1915, in Muskingum County, daughter of Cora L. Carr Chapman of Cambridge and the late Frank E. Reddick. She was a retired insurance adjuster with Continental Insurance Co., where she had worked for 35 years. She was a member of the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens.

In addition to her mother, she leaves one son, Lawrence McNamara of 22328 Route 751, West Lafayette. In addition to her father, a step-father preceded her in death.

Services were Wednesday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Charles Lee officiating. Burial was to be held at a later date at the East State Street Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Mrs. Hazel M. Walker

Mrs. Hazel M. Walker, 69, of 134 Cherry St., Tuscarawas, died Thursday (June 9, 1988) at Twin City Hospital in Dennison following a long illness.

She was born June 6, 1919, in Coshocton County, daughter of Carrie N. Tedrick Lindell of Newcomerstown and the late Max Lindell. She was a housewife and homemaker all her adult life and a member of the former College Street Methodist Church in Newcomerstown.

In addition to her mother, she leaves her husband, Jesse W. Walker, whom she married Jan. 31, 1936; two daughters, Mrs. Richard (Sandra) Gatchell of Gnadenuhnen and Mrs. L. Wayne (Barbara) Page of Dover; two sons, Randy L. Walker of New Philadelphia and James D. Walker of Tuscarawas; 13 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by two brothers and one great-granddaughter.

Services were Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Shawn William Dunn officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made to Hillview Baptist Church in Uhrichsville.

Donald Marshall

DALTON — Donald R. "Bob" Marshall, 50, 324 Lake Drive, Dalton, died Tuesday (May 24, 1988) at Dunlap Memorial Hospital in Orrville after an apparent heart attack at his home. His father, Donald N. Marshall, was once a manager of the former J.C. Penney Store in Newcomerstown.

Mr. Marshall was born in 1938 in Grafton, W. Va., a son of Donald and Muriel Lambert Marshall. He married Julia Blanford on June 7, 1959. He had been a resident of the Orrville-Dalton area since 1955 and was a 1958 graduate of Orrville High School. He had attended Ohio State University and was a graduate of Wayne County Police Academy where he served for several years as a firearms instructor. He was employed at the Sunoco Station, Smith Dairy and for the past 26 years as a towmotor operator at Quality Castings Co., where he had established a rescue squad. He had also served on the Dalton Police Department as a sergeant for 12 years on a part-time basis.

He was a member of Dalton United Methodist Church, Chippewa Gun Club, Fraternal Order of Police, a former emergency medical technician and a former member of the Wayne County Sheriff's reserves.

In addition to his parents and wife, he leaves three daughters, Pamela of Orrville, Sheryl of Dalton and Mindee, a student at Southeastern Academy in Kissimmee, Fla.; a brother, Larry of Orrville; and paternal grandmother, Carrie Marshall of Grafton.

Services were May 27 at the Auble Funeral Home in Orrville with burial in Crown Hill Cemetery.

June 15, 1988

Long-time businessman here has heart attack

M.E. Jim Schlarb, 61, of East State Road, Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Monday (June 6, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital's emergency room.

He was born Jan. 26, 1927, in Newcomerstown, son of Walter and Gladys Norris Schlarb. He was a partner of at J&V Coin Machine Co. in Newcomerstown for 24 years, a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown, Elks Lodge 1555, Moose Lodge 1337, Fraternal Order of Eagles in Uhrichsville, the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Newcomerstown, American Legion in Newcomerstown and formerly served as a president of the Newcomerstown Jaycees.

He also served on the Newcomerstown Park Board, was a Sunday School teacher for 19 years and was in the Newcomerstown Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Schlarb was a charter member of the Ohio Coin Machine Association and was the official past secretary. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy during World War II.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Joan Styer Schlarb, who died June 9, 1969. They had been married April 2, 1947. Two brothers are also deceased.

He leaves his wife, Pauline Berkshire, whom he married Jan. 22, 1985; three daughters, Mrs. Jeff (Connie) Funk of Dover, Mrs. Steve (Carol) Swigert of Newcomerstown R.D. 1 and Mrs. John (Brenda) Hurst of Strasburg; two step-sons, Greg Berkshire and Jeff Berkshire of Newcomerstown; one brother, Jack Schlarb of Wooster; two sisters, Mrs. Byron (Pauline) Boose of Dayton and Mrs. Gordon (Dorothy) Collins of Coshocton; seven grandchildren; and two step-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to American Cancer Society.

June 22, 1988

Robert R. Carruthers

Robert R. Carruthers, 53, formerly of Newcomerstown, died earlier this year (May 23, 1988) at San Bernadino, Calif., where he had been a resident for the past 19 years.

Mr. Carruthers was born Dec. 3, 1934, son of the late Robert W. and Mary Woodard Carruthers. He was employed at Richmond Technology of Redlands, Calif., for 13 years.

He leaves his wife, Patricia Keith Carruthers; two sons, Steven of Colton, Calif., and Mark of San Bernadino; three daughters, Susan and Laura of San Bernadino and Kathy of Palmsdale, Calif.; three brothers, Clyde and Albert of Newcomerstown and John of Conway, Ark.; two sisters, Betty Schaar and Shirley Davis of Newcomerstown; and nine grandchildren. He was preceded in death by two sisters and two brothers.

The body was cremated.

Hazel Irene Hunnell

Hazel Irene Hunnell, 78, of 334 S. Seventh St., Cambridge, died at 9 a.m. Saturday (June 11, 1988) at her home.

She was born Oct. 11, 1909, in Guernsey County, daughter of Emmett and Janie Craft Watson.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harvey Hunnell, who died Aug. 1, 1978. They were married June 1, 1929.

She leaves one son, Sherman Hunnell of Taylor Road, Cambridge; six brothers, Earnest Watson, Wilbert Watson, Hershel Watson, Harvey Watson, Alvah Watson and Floyd Watson, all of Cambridge; three sisters, Bernice Dudley of Byesville, Florence Hart of Newcomerstown and Floetta Lawton of Kimbolton; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Scott Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Phillip Gear officiating. Burial was in the Old Washington Cemetery.

June 22, 1988

Laura H. McGuire

Laura M. McGuire, 92, formerly of N. 13th St., Coshocton, died at 6:55 p.m. Thursday (June 9, 1988) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown.

She was born March 11, 1896, in Belmont County, daughter of the late Rev. Luther C. and Sarah Rinehart Kerr.

Mrs. McGuire retired after 40 years of teaching in various school systems in Guernsey, Tuscarawas, Coshocton and Belmont counties. She was a graduate of Muskingum College and a member of Grace United Methodist Church in Coshocton and the Ohio Teachers Association.

Her husband, James H. McGuire, died July 24, 1980. Three brothers are also deceased.

She leaves three stepdaughters, Mrs. Loren (Irene) Andrews of Gallatin, Tenn., Mrs. Herbert (Helen) Bundy of Coshocton and Mrs. Donald (Alice) Sturtz of Bethesda, Md.; 10 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Services were June 13 at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. Dr. William McFadden officiating. Graveside services were held at Evergreen Burial Park in New Philadelphia. Memorial donations can be made to the Methodist Church of Winterset or James H. McGuire Memorial Fund of Grace United Methodist Church.

Harry E. Graham

Harry E. Graham, 77, of Zanesville, died Monday (June 13, 1988) at Cedar Hill Care Center, Zanesville, following a lengthy illness.

Born Feb. 15, 1911, in Pitcairn, Pa., son of Frank and Rose Ebert Graham, he retired after 30 years at the General Electric Co. An active member of Euclid Ave. United Methodist Church in Zanesville, he was a former trustee and teacher of the Mariners Class. He was a member of Amity Lodge No. 5 F&AM of Zanesville.

His wife, Mary Alice Curtis Graham, died Feb. 20, 1987. He leaves one son, Ronald E. Graham of Columbus; three grandchildren, Mrs. Robert (Rose Marie) Greenwalt, Christopher Graham and Daniel Graham, all of Columbus; one great-grandchild, Julianne Greenwalt of Columbus; one sister, Mrs. Nettie Poorman of Newcomerstown; four brothers, Earl Graham of Irvine, Calif., Glenn Graham of York, Pa., Robert Graham of S. Zanesville, and Dale Graham of Dresden.

Services were held at the Bryan Funeral Home of Zanesville Thursday with the Dr. Herbert R. Hicks officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park in Zanesville.

Clarence Bean

Word has been received of the death of Clarence Bean of Port Richey, Fla.

Mr. Bean, formerly of Newcomerstown, had worked at the Baltimore Clothing Store on Main Street in Newcomerstown. He died on Thursday, June 16, the same day as the funeral for his sister-in-law, Marjorie Bean of Newcomerstown.

Mr. Bean and his wife, Frances, had been interviewed earlier this year for an upcoming NBC special on the elderly (tentatively scheduled for July 5). Mrs. Bean was interviewed by Connie Chung of NBC News, who will host the hour-long special, while Mr. Bean was interviewed by another member of the NBC staff.

Mr. Bean had recently been crowned king at the National Healthcare Center in Port Richey. His wife, 80-years-old, lives in Jasmine Hills, New Port Richey. Mr. and Mrs. Bean had been married for 64 years and had spent the last 23 years in Florida after retiring in Ohio. Mr. Bean had been at the National Healthcare Center for nine months.

Wed., June 22, 1988

Marjorie F. Bean

Marjorie F. Bean, 86, of 409 N. College St., Newcomerstown, died at 6:24 a.m. Monday (June 13, 1988) at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus following a brief illness.

She was born March 10, 1902, in Grand Haven, Mich., daughter of the late Jack and Mae Cohen Kaden.

Mrs. Bean was a former partner in the Baltimore Clothing Co., which was once located in Newcomerstown. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church and a member and past president of the Parmi Nous Club. She was a member and past matron of Oriental Chapter 106, Order of Eastern Star, Newcomerstown; past worthy grand matron of the organization's Grand Chapter, Ohio; and has been an officer and committee member of its General Grand Chapter.

Her husband, J. Russell Bean, died Aug. 16, 1979. They were married Dec. 14, 1920. One brother and one grandchild also preceded her in death.

She leaves a son, Dr. William J. Bean of Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.; two daughters, Mrs. Dr. Wayne (Natalie) McFarland of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Frank (Marilyn) Haver of Birmingham, Ala.; a brother, Lester J. Kaden of Hallandale, Fla.; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at Christ United Methodist Church with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery, Newcomerstown. An Order of Eastern Star service was held Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home, Newcomerstown. Memorial donations can be made to the Ohio Eastern Star Home, Mount Vernon, OH 43050.

Cletis Hamilton

WEST LAFAYETTE — Cletis Hamilton, 80, of 535 E. Union Ave., West Lafayette, died Monday (June 13, 1988) at his home.

He was born April 27, 1908, in Guernsey County, son of the late John and Ella Riney Hamilton. He was a former White Eyes Twp. trustee, a retired farmer, member of West Lafayette United Methodist Church and the Fresno Gun Club.

He leaves his wife, Helen Ross Hamilton; two sons, Harold R. Hamilton of Coshocton and Robert C. Hamilton of West Lafayette; one daughter, Mrs. James (Norma Jean) Shroyer of Fresno; one sister, Mary Gaskill of Cambridge; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with Pastor William Norman officiating. Burial was in Plainfield Cemetery.

June 29, 1988

Mrs. Gertrude Schake

Mrs. Gertrude Schake, 79, of Daytona Beach, Florida, died in hr sleep Sunday (June 19, 1988). She was the mother of William Schake, Newcomerstown Postmaster.

Mrs. Schake leaves her husband, A.F. Schake; three other children, Dr. H.L. Schake of Hershey, Pa., Mrs. Tressa Bitto of Scottsdale, Ariz., and Mrs. Pat Moses, of Phoenix, Ariz.; one brother, B. Greer of Tennessee; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were held June 23 in Daytona Beach with burial also in Daytona Beach.

Wed., June 29, 1988

Marvin K. Loader

Marvin K. Loader, 79, of 504 Oak St., Newcomerstown, died at 2:27 p.m. Sunday (June 19, 1988) at the extended care unit of Coshocton Memorial Hospital.

He was born March 13, 1909, in Newcomerstown, son of Lewis G. and Nora B. Smith Loader. He was a retired designer and draftsman at the former Heller Tool Co., where he worked for 43 years. He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown and a member of the Ohio Archaeological Society. He served in the U.S. Air Force during World War II.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, one son and one brother.

He leaves his wife, Lucy Miskimen Loader, whom he married Oct. 11, 1940; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Marva) Hitchcock of Laguna Hills, Calif., and Rebecca Loader of Minneapolis, Minn.; and four grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home with the Rev. William Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church or the American Cancer Society.

William M. Mathers

William M. Mathers, 83, of 201 Lakeside Drive, New Concord, died at 1:30 a.m. Thursday (June 23, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital. A brother, Raymond Mathers, lives in Newcomerstown.

Mr. Mathers was born July 20, 1904, in Liberty Twp., Guernsey County, son of the late William S. and Almeda M. Marlatt Mathers. He was a retired self-employed trucker and a member of Bloomfield Presbyterian Church.

In addition to his brother, he leaves his wife, Ethel Lawrence Mathers, whom he married Sept. 2, 1923; two sons, John W. Mathers and Thomas R. Mathers, both of New Concord; another brother, Paul Mathers of Cambridge; four grandchildren, Michael Alan Mathers and William Scott Mathers, both of New Concord, Cynthia L. Hunt of Grove City and Jacqueline F. Mathers of New Concord; and several nieces and nephews. Three sisters are deceased.

Services were Saturday at Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Thomas Wilson officiating. Burial was in Guernsey Memory Gardens.

Ron Keating

Ronald L. Keating, 46, of rear 212 E. Fourth St., Dover, died of complications from cancer Wednesday (June 22, 1988) at his home.

Born at Ironton, he was a son of Elsie Keating of Ironton and the late Edward Keating. He was owner of the Ron Keating Barber Shop at Dover and was also a press operator at GenCorp Polymer Products in Newcomerstown.

He served two years on Newcomerstown village council, appointed to finish a term in November, 1975, and failing to be elected in November, 1977. He was a member of Jerusalem United Church of Christ near New Philadelphia.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, the former Barbara E. Schupbach, whom he married May 3, 1986; a son, Donald L. Keating of Newcomerstown; a daughter, Jill R. Keating of West Lafayette; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Robert (Peggy) Clark of Cuyahoga Falls; two stepsons, David Beans of Cuyahoga Falls and Tim Beans of Akron; a sister, Mrs. Donald (Joy) Saunders of Baton Rouge, La.; two brothers, Edward and William of Ironton; and three grandchildren. A sister is deceased.

Services were Saturday at Jerusalem United Church of Christ with the Rev. Terry Downin officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home in New Philadelphia. The family requested memorials be made to the Hospice of Tuscarawas County or the Tuscarawas County Chapter of the American Cancer Society.

Robert H. Emerson

Robert H. Emerson, 74, Newcomerstown, died Saturday (June 25, 1988) in the emergency room at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

He was born Aug. 29, 1913, in Coshocton County, son of the late U.S. Grant and Caroline Wolfe Emerson. He retired from Heller Tool Co. after 43 years of service and was a member of the Isleta United Methodist Church.

He leaves his wife, Virginia Bowman Emerson, whom he married July 10, 1984; one step-son, Bob Bowman of Fresno; and three step-grandchildren. Two brothers and a sister are deceased.

Services were Tuesday at the Isleta United Methodist Church with the Rev. Robert Stull to officiate. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home, Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions may be made to the church.

Vernon F. Gray

Vernon Franklin Gray, 51, of 601 Wood Ave., Newcomerstown, died at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday (June 29, 1988) at his home following a three month illness.

He was born Oct. 9, 1936, in Tuscarawas County, son of J. William and Anola Welsch Gray. He was a meat cutter at Buchler's in Coshocton, member of St. John Evangelical Reform Church and Newcomerstown Elks Lodge 1555. He was past president of the Newcomerstown Jaycees, past president of the Band Boosters and past president of the Parent-Teacher Association.

He leaves his wife, Doris Yamell Gray, whom he married Nov. 20, 1958; two daughters, Mrs. David (Debi) Weber of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Eldon (Tina) Hughes of West Lafayette; two sons, Randy Gray and James F. Gray, both of Newcomerstown; three sisters, Mrs. Daniel (Evelyn) Mathias of New Philadelphia, Mrs. Russell (Betty) Groves of Canton and Mrs. Adrian (Janet) Endlich of Port Washington; one brother, Robert Gray of Newcomerstown; and two granddaughters.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Larry Hall officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the Tuscarawas County Chapter of the American Cancer Society.

July 13, 1988

Clarence E. Davis

Clarence E. Davis, 76, of Oxford Twp. Road 115, Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Sunday (July 3, 1988) in the emergency room of Guernsey Memorial Hospital following an apparent heart attack.

He was born Aug. 5, 1911, in Salem Twp., Tuscarawas County, son of the late John and Lillian Haas Davis. He retired in 1979 after 43 years at Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown. He was a member of Kings United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Virginia R. King Davis, who died Feb. 25, 1979; one granddaughter and one brother.

He leaves three sons, Robert E. Davis of Guernsey; John L. Davis of Newcomerstown and Charles W. Davis of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Barbara) Rehard of Newcomerstown R.D. 1 and Mrs. Charles (Ruby) Roahrig of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; one brother, Charles Davis of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; two sisters, Caroline Davis of Port Washington R.D. 1 and Mildred Davis of Port Washington; 10 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery, Newcomerstown.

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Chester O. Shull

Chester O. Shull, 88, of 613 Mulvane St., Newcomerstown, died Thursday (June 30, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a one-year illness.

He was born May 24, 1900, in Strasburg, son of the late Edward and Alverda Stoffer Shull. He was a retired farmer, having farmed in the Peoli area for over 36 years. He was a member of Pleasant Valley Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Wilma A. Murphy Shull, who died Jan. 21, 1936. Also deceased are one son, one grandson, one sister and three brothers. He leaves two sons, Lee Shull of Kimbolton and Edwin Shull of Newcomerstown; 12 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were Sunday, July 3, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Jerry Hanshaw officiating. Burial was at Hartwood Church Cemetery in Washington Twp.

Lester S. Nelson

Lester S. Nelson, 61, of 444 Tuscarawas Ave., Newcomerstown, died Friday (July 1, 1988) at his home.

He was born March 19, 1927, in Guernsey County, son of Samuel C. and Pearl Bartholow Nelson. He was a retired auto mechanic.

He leaves two sons, Lester S. Nelson, Jr., of West Lafayette and Rodney E. Nelson of Newcomerstown; three daughters, Mrs. Leroy (Tanya Sue) Elliott of Newport Richey, Fla., Mrs. Dale (Belinda) Larrick of Newcomerstown and Sandra K. Nelson of Newcomerstown; two brothers, Ira O. Nelson of Cambridge and Raymond L. Nelson of Pataskala; one half-brother, James W. Nelson of Balwin, Mo.; and 12 grandchildren. His parents and one sister are deceased.

Services were July 4 at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Larry Hall officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wed., July 20, 1988

Lucile Wright

Mrs. Lucile (Johns) Wright, 85, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, formerly of 116 Chestnut St., Newcomerstown, died early Monday (July 11, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born Jan. 20, 1903, in Newcomerstown, daughter of the late Leander M. and Lillie Mae (Brown) Johns. She was a housewife and homemaker all her adult life. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church and a former member of Oriental Chapter 106, Order of Eastern Star.

She was preceded in death by her husband, L.M. "Red" Wright, who died May 3, 1975; and three brothers. She leaves a niece, Mrs. Frank (Rosemary) Wagner of Northfield; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Gwen Johns of Newcomerstown; and a niece-in-law, Mrs. Sue Johns of Newcomerstown.

Services were Wednesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

July 27, 1988

Area minister's daughter killed in auto accident

An auto-ambulance crash in Harrison County claimed the life of Jacinda Lou Newell, 19, of 500 Spaulding Ave., Newcomerstown, at 1:45 p.m. on Sunday (July 19, 1988).

According to reports, Ms. Newell was a passenger in a car driven by her father, Evangelist Charles Newell. Evang. Newell was eastbound on Market Street, attempting to turn left onto Harrison Avenue, when his car was struck from the side by an ambulance, also eastbound on Market Street. The accident remained under investigation.

Ms. Newell died at Allegheny General Medical Center in Pittsburgh. Her mother, Peggy Newell, was also a passenger and was transferred from Harrison Community Hospital in Allegheny General where she was listed in fair condition. Her father and her three-month-old son, Seth Charles Nathaniel Newell, were treated at Harrison Community Hospital.

An ambulance attendant, Eddie Pfouts of Lugwid Trailer Court, Cadiz, was treated for injuries. The driver, Richard Rock, Scio R.D. 1, and the patient being transported, Bryan Mickey, 18, Hopedale, were not injured. Another attendant, Robert Arnold of Scio, also escaped injuries.

Ms. Newell was born May 25, 1969, in Ashland, daughter of Evangelist Charles and Peggy Boyer Newell. She participated in basketball and band before graduating from Cadiz High School in 1987. She attended the University of Toledo and was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of Christ.

In addition to her parents and son, she leaves a sister, Casandra Newell, of the home; two brothers, Ryan Newell of Toledo and Wade Newell of Huntington, W.Va.; grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Edward Newell of Lawrenceburg, Tenn., and Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Boyer of Ashland; and one niece and one nephew.

Services were Thursday at the East Warren Street Church of Christ in Cadiz and on Friday at the Newcomerstown Church of Christ. Evangelists Wirt Cook, David Myers, William Renner, Terry Varner and Jack Gladwell were officiants. Burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery in Ashland. Arrangements were handled by Clark-Kirkland Funeral Home in Cadiz.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Seth Charles Nathaniel Newell trust fund, set up at Huntington National Bank, Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

Paul E. Hammersley

Paul Edward Hammersley, 71, of Pershing Avenue, Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Friday (July 22, 1988) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown following a lengthy illness.

He was born May 4, 1917, in Newcomerstown, son of Edward Hammersley and Amise Shryock. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II and retired from Simonds Cutting Tools in 1979 after 43 years of employment.

He was preceded in death by two sisters and one brother.

He leaves his wife, Lena B. Hayes, whom he married July 17, 1937; one daughter, Mrs. Clyde (Joyce) Warren of Cambridge; two sons, Richard Hammersley of Sunnymead, Calif., and Edward H. Hammersley of Byesville; one brother, Walter Hammersley of Tucson, Ariz.; two sisters, Mrs. Leona Harper of San Leandro, Calif., and Mrs. Hazel Roenbaugh of Dover; 12 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. O.E. Ghere officiating. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens.

July 27, 1988

Ralph Duhamel

Ralph Duhamel, 80, Guernsey R.D. 2, died Friday (July 15, 1988) in his home following a lengthy illness.

He was born May 31, 1908, in Indian Camp, Guernsey County, son of John and Etta Emler Duhamel. He was a member of the Flat Ridge Community Church and retired after 40 years as a coal miner.

He is preceded in death by three brothers, two sisters, and his wife, Martha Huston Duhamel, whom he married June 2, 1937. She died Feb. 24, 1983.

He leaves a son, Everett Duhamel, of the home; one daughter, Marie, of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Irene Myers and Mrs. Pauline Green of Coshocton; and two brothers, Sherman Duhamel and James Duhamel of Newcomerstown.

Services were July 18 at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bryon Wootton officiating. Burial was in the Flat Ridge Cemetery.

Wed., Aug. 3, 1988

Ernest E. Huff

Ernest E. Huff, 85, a resident of Brunswick and formerly of Newcomerstown, died Saturday (July 23, 1988) at Medina Hospital following a short illness.

He was born May 17, 1903, in Coshocton County, son of the late Frank E. and Elizabeth Kiste Huff. He retired from the Heller Tool Co. in 1968 after 26 years of service.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Fern Thompson Huff, who died Aug. 27, 1970.

He leaves two sons, Alfred Huff of Brunswick and Charles Huff of Lakeland, Fla.; one daughter, Sara Emslie of Lakeland, Fla.; 13 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery.

Stanley C. Mizer

BAKERSVILLE—Stanley C. Mizer, 81, of Bakersville, died Saturday (July 23, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge following a short illness.

He was born in Bakersville, a son of Clement E. and Emma Bahmer Mizer. A graduate of West Lafayette High School, he was Bakersville Postmaster for many years and also owned and operated the Bakersville General Store. He was also a plumber and farmer.

He was a member of the Bakersville Presbyterian Church, past exalted ruler of Newcomerstown Elks Lodge and a member of the Sons of the American Revolution. His first wife, the former Ione O. Stevenson, died July 20, 1927. His second wife, the former Edna Bevington, died Sept. 21, 1987.

He leaves three sons, Charles S. Mizer of Coshocton, Robert J. Mizer of Columbus and Chester W. Mizer of Newcomerstown; a daughter, Johnalee Cunningham of Gahanna; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. A brother and six sisters are deceased.

Services were Tuesday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Charles Lee officiating. The body was to be cremated with interment at the Bakersville Cemetery. Contributions could be made to the Bakersville Presbyterian Church memorial fund.

Aug. 3, 1988

Benjamin F. Hootman

Benjamin F. Hootman, 88, of 522 Barnett Ave., Newcomerstown, died at 11:20 a.m. Monday (July 25, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born Dec. 18, 1899, in Guernsey County, son of George and Alwilda Eckleberry Hootman. He was an auto mechanic at the former Smalle's Garage in Coshocton.

He leaves his wife, Helen Wilkin Hootman, whom he married in 1946; three daughters, Mrs. Ben (Martha) Johnson of Columbus, Mrs. Kithryn Miller of Sarasota, Fla., and Mrs. Guy (Norma) Jackson of Frazeyburg; three step-daughters, Mrs. Marion (Dorthea) Bluck of West Lafayette, Mrs. Harold (Doris) VanDusen of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Arthur (Jayne) Miller of Reynoldsburg; 17 grandchildren; and 37 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two sons, six brothers and three sisters.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. O.E. Ghere officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wilburn Norman

Wilburn "Wib" Norman, 68, 323 S. River St., Newcomerstown, died at 11:40 p.m. Monday (July 25, 1988) in the emergency room of Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Norman was born Feb. 19, 1920, in Tuscarawas County, son of Guy and Jeanette Mirise Norman. He retired from Simonds Cutting Tools in 1982 after 43 years of service. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

He leaves his wife, Norma Warner Norman, whom he married Jan. 5, 1947; three sons, Roger Norman, Richard Norman and Randy Norman, all of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Mrs. Rick (Cheryl) Hogue of Newcomerstown and Patti Norman of Hartville; six brothers, Charles Norman and Gerald Norman, both of Columbus, Roy Norman of Sunbury, John Norman, Donnie Norman and Willard Norman, all of Newcomerstown; four sisters, Mrs. Marie DeLong of West Lafayette, Mrs. Daniel (Eloise) Kees and Mrs. Madeline Waller, both of Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Max (Bonnie) Hinton of Wooster; and 10 grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Burial was in the East State Street Cemetery.

Robert E. Riley

Robert E. Riley, 60, 530 Mulvane St., Newcomerstown, died at his residence Saturday afternoon (July 30, 1988) following an eight-month illness.

He was born Dec. 17, 1927, in Dennison, son of the late Dalton L. and Pearl Shaw Riley. He was a 29-year employee of GenCorp Polymer Products in Newcomerstown, and a member of the Calvary United Methodist Church, the Christian Homemakers Sunday School Class, the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens and the Early Bird Bowling League.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers.

He leaves his wife, Janice Wiandt Riley, whom he married June 12, 1949; three daughters, Kathy McNutt, Mrs. Gregg (Karen) Shivers and Mrs. John (Bobbi Ann) Ellis, all of Newcomerstown; three brothers, James Riley of Redford, Mich., Jack Riley and Doyle Riley, both of Uhrichsville; two sisters, Mrs. Gene (Norma) Little of New Philadelphia and Mrs. Vernon (Wanda) Barkley of Uhrichsville; three grandchildren; three step-sisters and two step-brothers.

The family suggests donations be made to the Calvary United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown or the Tuscarawas County Hospice in Dover.

Services were to be Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was to be in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Aug. 3, 1988

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He leaves his wife, Norma Warner Norman, whom he married Jan. 5, 1947; three sons, Roger Norman, Richard Norman and Randy Norman, all of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Mrs. Rick (Cheryl) Hogue of Newcomerstown and Patti Norman of Hartville; six brothers, Charles Norman and Gerald Norman, both of Columbus, Roy Norman of Sunbury, John Norman, Donnie Norman and Willard Norman, all of Newcomerstown; four sisters, Mrs. Marie DeLong of West Lafayette, Mrs. Daniel (Eloise) Kees and Mrs. Madeline Waller, both of Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Max (Bonnie) Hinton of Wooster; and 10 grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Burial was in the East State Street Cemetery.

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The family suggests donations be made to the Calvary United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown or the Tuscarawas County Hospice in Dover.

Services were to be Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was to be in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Aug. 3, 1988

Edith I. Rausch

Edith I. Rausch, 94, of 814 Mill St., Newcomerstown, died at her home on Saturday morning (July 30, 1988) following a brief illness.

She was born Oct. 6, 1893, in Dover, daughter of the late William and Martha Harper Aeling.

A former resident of Sugar Creek and West Lafayette, she was a homemaker and a life member of the Sugar Creek United Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert G. Rausch, who died Feb. 23, 1968; and by a sister and a brother.

She leaves a son, Thurman G. Rausch of West Lafayette; two daughters, Thelma M. Immel of Sugar Creek, and Mrs. Donald (Marilyn) A. Fenton of Newcomerstown, R. D. 2; a half-brother, A. Edward Aeling of Clarkston, Wash.; seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren and two step-great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday morning at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Arnold Klaiber officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery in West Lafayette.

The family suggested that memorial contributions be made to the United Church of Christ in Sugar Creek.

Aug. 10, 1988

Stella Monroe

Stella Monroe, 85, formerly of North Adams, Mich., died Monday (Aug. 1, 1988) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown, where she was a resident.

She was born April 8, 1903, in Vermont, daughter of the late Frank E. and Mary Jane Kendall Sawyer. She married William Dudley Monroe on Oct. 31, 1923. He died July 16, 1981. Also deceased are four brothers.

She leaves one daughter, Helen Ott of West Lafayette; two sons, Richard E. Monroe of Hillsdale, Mich., and Edward L. Monroe of Lansing, Mich.; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the Ned M. Towns Funeral Home in North Adams, Mich. Burial was in Northlawn Cemetery in North Adams. Addy Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handled local arrangements.

Wed., Aug. 10, 1988

Edra M. Hursey

Edra M. Hursey, 79, of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Monday (Aug. 1, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born April 13, 1909, in Parkersburg, W. Va., a daughter of the Rev. Walter and Blanche Smith Clark. She was a retired teacher in the Indian Valley School District, a member of West Union United Methodist Church, a member of the Tabitha Club and the United Methodist Women.

She married John R. Hursey on June 11, 1930. He died Oct. 16, 1981. Also preceding her in death were three brothers and two great-grandchildren.

She leaves two sons, Richard M. Hursey of Newcomerstown R.D. 3 and John L. Hursey of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; one brother, Curtiss Clark of Beverly; four sisters, Mrs. Ethel Freeland of Chillicothe, Mrs. Merton (Dorothy) Wilson of Vistaburg, Mich., Arlene Close of Millersburg and Mrs. Noah (Ruth) Garris of Huron; eight grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gene Miller officiating. Burial was in West Union Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association.

Walter T. Beall

Walter T. Beall, 86, of 427 Heller Drive, Newcomerstown, died Tuesday morning (Aug. 2, 1988) at his home following a long illness.

He was born June 23, 1902, in Guernsey County, son of the late Joseph and Emma Mae Groves Beall. He was a retired employee of Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown, where he retired in 1968 after more than 46 years of service. He was a member of Calvary United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown and its M&M Sunday School class, where he served as treasurer for over 50 years.

He leaves his wife, Mary Lucille Addy Beall, whom he married March 30, 1929; one sister, Mrs. Walter (Forrest) Smith of Winter Park, Fla.; two nieces and three nephews. One daughter and four brothers are deceased.

Services were Friday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters and the Rev. Donald Watson officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made to Calvary United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown or the Heart Fund.

Thelma Berkshire

Thelma Berkshire, 71, of 415 S. McKinley Ave., Newcomerstown, died at 5 a.m. Tuesday (Aug. 2, 1988) in North Canton.

She was born May 10, 1917, in Akron, daughter of the late Walter and Cora Edwards Frantz. She was a retired personnel director at K-Mart in Massillon after 16 years and a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown.

She married Lester Berkshire on Sept. 19, 1934. He died March 9, 1965. Two brothers are also deceased.

She leaves three sons, Gary Berkshire of Dover, Ronald Berkshire of Newcomerstown and Dan Berkshire of North Canton; one daughter, Mrs. James (Sue Ann) Rodgers of Newcomerstown; three brothers, Donald Frantz and Robert Frantz, both of Dennison, and George Frantz of Massillon; nine grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wed., Aug. 17, 1988

Evelyn Gerkan

Evelyn Gerkan, 76, a resident of Plainfield Road, Kimbolton, died Sunday (Aug. 7, 1988) at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus following a short illness.

She was born Jan. 16, 1912, in McEwen, Tenn., daughter of Thomas Curtis and Amanda Bateman Curtis. She was a member of the Nazarene Church in Cincinnati.

She married her husband, Jesse, in 1949. He died in 1972. Also preceding her in death were several brothers and sisters.

She leaves a son, Osburn Hooper of Kimbolton; two sisters, Margaret Shockley and Mabel Curtis, both of Nashville, Tenn.; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held Wednesday at Maple Grove Cemetery in Cincinnati. Local arrangements were handled by the Addy Funeral Home.

Aug. 24, 1988

Forest N. Saylor

Forest N. "Frosty" Saylor, 41, of 658-R W. State St., Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Aug. 14, 1988) following a lengthy illness.

He was born July 3, 1947, in Salem Twp., a son of the late George E. Saylor and Norene Lewis Saylor Cunningham. He was a foreman with the Great Lakes Canning Co. in Twinsburg, a U.S. Army veteran, member of Wolf-Salem United Methodist Church and the Army-Navy Garrison in Uhrichsville.

He was preceded in death by one sister, Connie Saylor, and one step-sister, Jean Brown.

He leaves his wife, Linda Wilson Saylor, whom he married July 15, 1988; two sons, Randall J. Saylor and Robert A. Saylor, both of Lancaster; four brothers, George F. Saylor of Chewelah, Wash., Tom E. Saylor of Newcomerstown, Jack C. Saylor of West Lafayette, and James E. Saylor of Lancaster; three sisters, Mrs. Norazella Gunn of Columbus, Moira Tufford and Mrs. Linda Tice, both of Newcomerstown; a step-father, W. Ray Cunningham of Newcomerstown; a step-son, Jeff Swinderman of New Philadelphia; a step-daughter, Misty Swinderman of New Philadelphia; and a step-sister, Mrs. Bessie Wolverton of New Philadelphia.

Services were Thursday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bernard Cutlip officiating. Burial was in Bethel Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the Ireland Cancer Center, in care of University Hospital, Cleveland.

Addis A. Cummings

Addis A. Cummings, 78, of Adam Street, Newcomerstown, died late Friday (Aug. 12, 1988) in the emergency room of Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born June 22, 1910, in Massachusetts, daughter of the late Lynn Jones and Esther Bryant. She was a homemaker all her life and a member of Summit Chapter 212 Order of Eastern Star in Twinsburg.

She leaves her husband, Richard Cummings; a daughter, Mrs. Don (Marilyn) Hershey of Sagamore Hills; a son, Norman Grattan of Monterey Park, Calif.; a sister, Viola Eastman of Waltham, Mass.; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Burial was to be held in New Hampshire. There were no calling hours and the body was to be cremated. Ourant Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Wed., Aug. 24, 1988

Mrs. Georgia Haver

Mrs. Cecil (Georgia Apitz) Haver, 83, a resident of the Arbors Nursing Facility in Fairlawn and a former resident of 323 Walnut St., Newcomerstown, died at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday (Aug. 16, 1988) at the nursing home following a lengthy illness.

She was born April 23, 1905, in Oxford Twp., Coshocton County, daughter of the late John Wesley Smith and Ella Norris Smith. Mrs. Haver was the last member of a family of 11 children.

She was a housewife and homemaker all her adult life. She was a member of the Frees Rebekah Lodge 224 of Newcomerstown, Blue Ridge Grange, Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown and the Missionary Society of Sawyerwood United Methodist Church in Akron.

Her first husband, William Richmond Apitz, died Dec. 1, 1967. Her second husband, Cecil R. Haver, died Feb. 18, 1988.

She leaves three sons, William S. Apitz of Randolph, Gary L. Apitz of Mogadore and James W. Apitz of Akron; a daughter, Jean A. Reinhardt of Miami, Fla.; a stepson, Frank Eugene Haver of Birmingham, Ala.; six grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; and two step-great-grandchildren. A stepson, Willis Haver, is deceased.

Services were Friday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was at Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette. Memorial contributions could be made to Orange United Methodist Church, Newcomerstown R.D. 2.

Paul E. Jackson

Paul E. Jackson, 71, of Pershing Ave., Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Wednesday (Aug. 17, 1988) at the Veterans Hospital in Dayton following a six-year illness.

He was born May 25, 1917, in Kimbolton, son of the late Leonard and Ida Miskimen Jackson. He retired after 20 years as a Roadway truck driver. He served with the U.S. Navy in World War II and was a member of the Disabled American Veterans Post in Cambridge.

He leaves his wife, Margaret Wilson Jackson, whom he married Aug. 2, 1940; a son, Paul Jackson of Olive Branch, Miss.; five daughters, Janet Swanger of the home, Kathy Emery of New Philadelphia, and Donna Jackson, Paula Kirksey and Patricia Swanger, all of Decatur, Ga.; 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Dwight Lyons officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Frank R. Wagner

Frank R. Wagner, 82, of Northfield, died Wednesday (Aug. 10, 1988) at the Bedford Community Hospital.

He was born July 20, 1906, in Cleveland, son of the late Frank and Gertrude Emer Wagner.

Mr. Wagner leaves his wife, Rosemary Johns Wagner, whom he married July 29, 1948; two sons, Jon Wagner of Mentor and Robert Wagner of the U.S. Army Command in Seoul, Korea; two daughters, Mrs. Thomas (Susan) Hogarth, Jr., of Boston Heights and Mrs. Brad (Cherie) White of Northfield; and six grandchildren.

Graveside services were Aug. 15 at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William C. Haggis II officiating. Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown handled arrangements.

Aug. 24, 1988

Margaret Hite

Margaret Hite, 88, of Midvale, formerly of the Newcomerstown area, died late Monday morning (Aug. 15, 1988) at Twin City Hospital in Dennison following a lengthy illness.

She was born Aug. 6, 1900, in McKeesport, Pa., daughter of the late Stephen and Mary Paja Strucker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur C. Hite, who died Sept. 1, 1971, and two brothers. She leaves a brother, George Strucker of Elizabeth, Pa.

Services were Wednesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gilbert Q. Williams officiating. Burial was in Irish Ridge Cemetery in Guernsey County.

Marcella Ruth Wylie

CANTON — Marcella Ruth Wylie, 60, of 1833 Clark Ave., SW, died Wednesday in Aultman Hospital.

She was born at Newcomerstown, a daughter of the late Russell S. and Frances Lease Hammersley. She lived in Canton since 1962. Her husband, James, died Nov. 2, 1983.

She leaves a son, Steve Hammersley of Newcomerstown; a sister, Virginia Hammersley of Newcomerstown; and two brothers, Sonny "Red" Hammersley of Detroit and Cecil M. Hammersley of Halleyville, Ala.

The body was cremated. The Arnold-Lynch-Miller Funeral Home in Massillon was in charge of arrangements.

Wed., Aug. 31, 1988

Delores J. Thornton

Mrs. Delores J. Thornton, 57, of 525 Orchard St. Extension, Tuscarawas, died Saturday afternoon (Aug. 20, 1988) at her home following a long illness.

She was born July 26, 1931, in Newcomerstown, daughter of the late Jesse B. Bassett, Jr., and Helen E. Peoples Bassett. She was a former employee of Quick-Chek Convenient Store in Dennison, a charter member of Midvale VFW Auxiliary Post 9620 and a former member of the Tuscarawas County CB Club with the handle "Little Ghost."

She was preceded in death by her husband, Norvel D. Thornton, who died Feb. 16, 1981; one son; and one son-in-law.

She leaves one son, Dale H. Thornton of Port Washington R.D. 1; three daughters, Mrs. Bill (Darlene) Pursley of Tuscarawas, Mrs. Richard (Melanie) Case of Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Scott (Christal) Feller of Dover R.D. 2; one brother, Richard E. Bassett of Akron; 13 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor King Wynkoop officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Port Washington.

Aug. 31, 1988

Marvin L. Booth

Marvin L. Booth, 72, of Plainfield Road, Kimbolton R.D. 1, died at 12:20 p.m. Tuesday (Aug. 23, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born April 30, 1916, in Wheeling Twp., Guernsey County, son of the late Frank L. and Mary Kennedy Booth. He was a sawmill owner and owner-operator of Booth Gulf Station in Kimbolton, retiring after 25 years. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

He was preceded in death by four brothers and one sister.

He leaves his wife, Bettie Wilt Booth, whom he married Oct. 8, 1941; one son, Ronald Ray Booth of Kimbolton; one daughter, Tina Kennedy of Cambridge; one brother, Richard Booth of Massillon; five sisters, Mary Cathryn Bryant of Coshocton, Betty Lee Fairchild of Lore City, Marjorie Vetter of Elma, Wash., Nancy Clark of New Orleans, La., and Jane Reasoner of Canton; one grandchild, Brad Kennedy of Cambridge; one aunt; and a number of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Services were Friday at Thorn Funeral Home with the Rev. Dwight Lyons and the Rev. Phylip Smith officiating. Burial was in Guernsey Memory Gardens. Military services were conducted by the Guernsey County Veterans Council.

Wed., Sept. 7, 1988

Mrs. Raynell C. Maloy

Mrs. Raynell C. Maloy, 69, of the Manor Care Nursing Home in Canton and a former resident of 814 Mill St., Newcomerstown, died Thursday (Aug. 25, 1988) at the care center following a lengthy illness.

She was born Dec. 13, 1918, in Thomas, W.Va., daughter of the late James and Martha Jane (Burgoyne) Huff. She was a former nurse's aide in Newcomerstown and a member of Faith Baptist Temple in Port Washington.

She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Vernon (Patricia) Arnold of Kent; one son, Dennis Pittson of Canton; two brothers, Leroy Huff and Ronald Huff, both of Canton; one sister, Miss Beverly Louise Huff of New Philadelphia; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Delores Jean Pittson; two grandchildren, four brothers and three sisters.

Services were Monday, Aug. 29, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Shawn W. Dunn officiating. Burial was in North Salem Cemetery.

Wed., Sept. 14, 1988

Allen Louis Hennis

Allen Louis Hennis, 53, of 659 E. Canal St., Newcomerstown, died at 9:40 a.m. Monday (Sept. 5, 1988) at his residence following a brief illness.

He was born Dec. 4, 1934, in Bolivar, son of Celia M. Eibel Hennis and the late Jesse L. Hennis. He was an employee of GenCorp Polymer Products in Newcomerstown, where he had worked for 23 years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, serving during the Korean Conflict. He was a member of Thomas Montgomery Post 431 of the American Legion in Newcomerstown, a member of Newcomerstown Moose Lodge 1337 and a 1952 graduate of Newcomerstown High School.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, Patricia A. Wells Hennis, whom he married Nov. 20, 1958; one son, Mark A. Hennis of Newcomerstown; one daughter, Beverly L. Pooler of New Philadelphia; and one granddaughter.

Services were Thursday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Military graveside services were conducted at the cemetery.

Mrs. R.H. Champlin

Mrs. Lavonne Kees Champlin, 1201 Marshall Dale, Arlington, Texas, died Saturday (Sept. 3, 1988) in an Arlington hospital after suffering a heart attack earlier in her home.

She was born Jan. 6, 1918, the daughter of the late John and Ethel Bond Kees. She was a 1935 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and has been a resident of Texas for 35 years.

She leaves one son, Mark; one granddaughter; two sisters, June Kees of Largo, Fla., and Mrs. George Sechrist of Dayton. Her husband died in June, 1985.

Funeral services were held at the Moore and Son Funeral Home on Sept. 6, with burial in Texas.

Sept. 21, 1988

Alvira Gale McCormick

Mrs. Alvira Gale McCormick, 55, of Washington Twp. Road 127 (Newcomerstown R.D. 3), died early Saturday (Sept. 10, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born Jan. 31, 1933, in Newcomerstown, daughter of the late Stanley and Bessie Reidenbaugh Newell.

She leaves her husband, George L. McCormick, whom she married April 27, 1952; one daughter, Betty A. McCormick of the home; one brother, Ernest Dale Newell of Port Washington; and one sister, Phoebe Ann Gump of Port Washington.

Services were Tuesday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gene Miller officiating. Burial was in Hartwood Cemetery in Washington Twp.

William G. Albaugh

William G. Albaugh, 42, Guernsey R.D. 1, Oxford Twp., died Tuesday (Sept. 13, 1988) at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus.

He was born Nov. 15, 1940, in Senecaville, son of the late James and Eula Parrish Albaugh. He was a timber contractor with Ross Family Logging. He was a member of Peoples Community Church, where he taught Sunday School and led Bible study.

He leaves his wife, Joyce Ross Albaugh, whom he married May 20, 1967; a son, Philip Albaugh, of the home; one daughter, Susan Albaugh, of the home; two brothers, Jerry Albaugh of Guernsey and James Robert Albaugh of Coshocton Co. Road 9, West Lafayette; and one sister, Mrs. William (Barbara) Lallithan of Guernsey R.D. 1.

Services were Thursday at Addy Funeral Home with the Rev. Tom Clipner officiating. Burial was in Peoples Community Church. Memorial contributions could be made to Peoples Community Church.

Wed., Sept. 21, 1988

Joseph J. Maxwell

The death on July 9, 1988, of Joseph J. Maxwell, 76, of Columbus, was recently reported.

He was born in Brooklyn, New York, and spent his early years in Newcomerstown. He was married 55 years ago to the former Mary Foster of Roscoe. He was a veteran of World War II and served in the CBI Theatre of Operation. He was a member of the Northwest United Methodist Church and a retired custodian of Riverside United Methodist Church.

He also leaves two daughters and sons-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. William Hunzicker of Lancaster and Cathie and John McFadden of Palm Harbor, Fla.; five grandchildren, Theresa Evans, Grand Caymen Island, Dr. Tamara Hunzicker, Tuft University, Boston, Deron Dixon, Dunwoody, Ga., Dawn Dixon and Matthew McFadden, both of Palm Harbor, Fla.; four sisters, Mary Miller of Ft. Pierce, Fla., Dorothy North of Lancaster, and Margaret Maxwell and Rita Henry, both of Columbus; and one brother, George Maxwell of Lancaster.

Services were at Schoedinger Northwest Chapel with the Rev. Charles Titko officiating. Burial was at Sunset Cemetery. The family said memorial contributions could be made to any children's organization or charity.

Lori A. Ford

Lori A. Ford, 31, a life-long resident of Dayton, died Thursday (Sept. 1, 1988) at The Dayton Hospital Unit after a lengthy illness.

She leaves her husband, Greg; her parents, James and Donna Puterbaugh of Bradenton, Fla.; her mother and father-in-law, Barbara and John Ford of Washington Twp. (Centerville), formerly of Newcomerstown and Sugarcreek; one daughter, Katie; one son, Justin; sister and brother-in-law, Vicki and Charles Cooper of West Carrollton; and many friends.

She was a registered nurse at Miami Valley Hospital and a volunteer nurse at John Hole Elementary.

Services were Sept. 3 at Tobias Funeral Home Far Hills Chapel with Pastor Jack Dexter officiating. Burial was in David's Cemetery.

Laura Yanai

Laura C. Yanai, 78, of 424 Mulvane St., Newcomerstown, died at 12:07 p.m. Thursday (Sept. 15, 1988) at her home following a short illness.

She was born Aug. 15, 1910, in Newcomerstown, daughter of Walter and Luella Meek Fillman. She was a housewife, a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and the Royal Neighbors of America.

She was preceded in death by one brother and one sister. She leaves her husband, Wendell "Andy" Yanai, whom she married July 7, 1934; two sons, Gregory J. Yanai of the home and Ronald G. Yanai of Columbus; one stepson, Richard Tyler of Columbus; one brother, Walter Fillman, Jr., of Newcomerstown; one sister, Doris Goettge Holdsworth of Coshocton; and two grandchildren.

Services were Monday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to Hospice of Guernsey County.

Howard Boucha

Howard Boucha, 47, of Guernsey R.D. 1 (Johnson Run Road), died at 3:15 p.m. Tuesday (Sept. 20, 1988) at Bethesda Hospital in Zanesville following an illness of several months.

He was born June 19, 1941, in Detroit, Mich., son of Iola Moe Boucha of Dearborn, Mich., and the late Clifford Albert Boucha. He was employed by Shaw-Barton in Coshocton as a special project coordinator, was a member of St. Francis deSales Church in Newcomerstown, Elks Lodge 1555 in Newcomerstown and participated each year in the Newcomerstown Sweet Hearts Follies. He was a U.S. veteran of the Navy Submarines Division.

He leaves his wife, Carol Cisek Boucha, whom he married Sept. 11, 1976; three daughters, Mary Lee Boucha of Rohnert Park, Calif., and Renee Boucha and Nicole Boucha, both of the home; three sons, Clifford Boucha, Matthew Boucha and Howard Boucha, all of Garden City, Mich.; four sisters, Mrs. Dale (Gertrude) Thrasher of Glenville, W.Va., Mrs. Clarence (Maxine) Vliet of Culpeper, Va., Mrs. Shirley Cooper of Dearborn, Mich., and Mrs. Don (Karen) Byroads of Clinton, Md.

Services were Saturday at St. Francis deSales Catholic Church in Newcomerstown with Father Michael Hanrahan as celebrant. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery, with military graveside services. Rosary services were conducted Friday at the Addy Funeral Home, which handled arrangements.

Daniel Brenneman

WEST LAFAYETTE — Daniel W. Brenneman, 81, of 427 E. Russell Ave., died Tuesday at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born at Accident, Md., son of the late Samuel and Sarah Jenkins Brenneman. He worked 28 years at the former Moore Enameling Co. and was a retired farmer and a member of the First Baptist Church.

He leaves his wife, the former Mildred Regula, whom he married Feb. 19, 1938; a son, Kenneth Brenneman of West Lafayette; a daughter, Mrs. Donald (Mary Ann) Slaughter of Pataskala; a sister, Mrs. Earl (Mary) Young of West Lafayette; four grandchildren; and one great-grandson. Two granddaughters, four brothers and three sisters are deceased.

Services were Saturday at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. David Holwick officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery. Given-Dawson Funeral Home handled arrangements. Contributions could be made to the First Baptist Church memorial fund.

Jack Edward Curby

Jack Edward Curby, 76, of 556 Sonny Lane, Cincinnati (Mt. Carmel), and a former resident of Newcomerstown, died at 5:30 a.m. Saturday (Sept. 17, 1988) at the Clermont Mercy Hospital in Batavia, Ohio, following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Curby was born in Cleveland, a son of the late Ralph Curby and Bessie Chancy Curby. He was a retired musician, skilled on several musical instruments. His personal favorite was the saxophone. He was a veteran of the United States Army Air Corps, having served during World War II. While in the service, he became a member of the Air Force Band. He was also a retired member of the Cincinnati Musicians Union. He was a member of the Newcomerstown High School class of 1929 and pitched for the Newcomerstown baseball team that won the Ohio state championship in 1929. He also belonged to the American Legion Post in Montpelier, Ind. While a resident of the Cincinnati area, he also attended the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music. He was a Methodist.

He leaves his wife, Flossie Swoveland Curby, whom he married in 1943; a sister, Mrs. Madeline Hursey of Gratiot, Ohio; and three nephews. In addition to his parents, a brother, Robert L. Stevens, is also deceased.

Graveside services and burial were conducted at the West Lawn Cemetery on Wednesday, Sept. 21, with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handled all arrangements.

Sept. 28, 1988

Anna B. McAllister

Anna B. McAllister, 95, of Heller Drive, Newcomerstown, died at 2:55 p.m. Monday (Sept. 19, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a two-week illness.

She was born Jan. 18, 1893, in Guernsey County, daughter of the late Millard and Margaret McConkey Weaver. She was a housewife and a life-long resident of Newcomerstown.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles W. McAllister, whom she married Dec. 23, 1914, and who died Jan. 5, 1970. Also deceased are two brothers and five sisters.

She leaves two sons, Ronald McAllister of Centerville and Lores McAllister of Xenia; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Corle) Hagan of Newcomerstown R.D. 1 and Mrs. Paul (Mary) Carruthers of Berea; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

James H. Johnson

James H. Johnson, 51, of 136F Meadow Park Drive, Cambridge, died at 6:27 a.m. Wednesday (Sept. 21, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born Aug. 25, 1937, in Cambridge, son of the late Austin and Nellie Mae Cropper Johnson. He was a member of the United Methodist Church in Kimbolton and a member of Eagles Lodge 386.

He was preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters. He leaves one daughter, Jean Woltz of New Concord; one son, James R. Johnson of Cambridge; two brothers, Charles Johnson of Cambridge and Lewis Johnson of Newcomerstown; four sisters, Lucille Clavert, Betty Rose and Bonnie Johnson, all of Kimbolton, and Mary Davis of Cambridge; three grandchildren; a special companion, Mary Slasor of Cambridge; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Thursday at Scott Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. James Lee and Rev. Phil Smith officiating. Burial was in Kimbolton Cemetery.

Wed., Oct. 5, 1988

Ralph E. Smith

Ralph E. Smith, 72, of Co. Road 5, West Lafayette, died at 6:30 a.m. Friday (Sept. 30, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

He was born April 13, 1916, in Guernsey County, son of the late Frank H. and Mary Hunt Smith. He retired from Simonds Cutting Tools in 1979 after 30 years of service. He attended the Assembly of God Church in Newcomerstown and was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II.

He was preceded in death by one brother, four sisters and one grandchild.

He leaves his wife, Chloe Parks Smith, whom he married June 29, 1940; four sons, Ralph J. Smith of Vincent, Robert E. Smith of Port Washington, Elmer E. Smith of Newcomerstown and Harold D. Smith of Kimbolton; three brothers, Harold Smith and Ed Smith, both of Jacksonville, Fla., and John Smith of Cambridge; one sister, Mrs. Milton (Veda) Rickett of Jacksonville, Fla.; and 11 grandchildren.

Services were Monday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. John Kroll and the Rev. O.E. Ghere officiating. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens.

Wed., Oct. 12, 1988

George Franklin Hursey

George Franklin Hursey, 57, of 616 S. Sixth St., Cambridge, died at 7 a.m. Monday (Oct. 3, 1988) at his home.

He was born April 10, 1931, in Newcomerstown, son of Mabel Durben Hursey and the late Arthur Raymond Hursey. He was a farmer and retired from the Cambridge Police Department. He attended Freedom Worship Center, was a U.S. Army veteran during the Korean conflict and was a member of the Coshocton Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and the Cambridge Disabled American Veterans Post.

He leaves his wife, Marjorie Irene McKim Hursey, whom he married March, 27, 1955; two sons, John Hursey of Byesville and Brian Hursey of West Lafayette; two daughters, Mrs. David (Theresa) Heston of Cambridge and Denise Hursey of the home; two brothers, Dave Hursey of Newcomerstown and Lester Hursey of Coshocton; two sisters, Mrs. Nathan (Marjorie) Williams of Gnadenhutten and Mrs. Ronald (Jean) Beall of Newcomerstown; nine grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; and several grandnieces and grand-nephews.

Services were Wednesday at the Thom Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Donald Glass officiating. Burial was in North Salem Cemetery with military graveside services by the Guernsey County Veterans Council.

Edna M. Couts

Edna M. Couts, 73, of 309 Neighbor St., Newcomerstown died Sept. 22, 1988, at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following an apparent heart attack.

She was born Feb. 10, 1915, in Guernsey County, daughter of the late Orville S. and Fredda Hill Black. She was a former secretary of the Newcomerstown Chamber of Commerce, a member of the First Baptist Church and the Alma Noble Circle.

She married Lloyd Couts on Oct. 20, 1934. He died April 20, 1984. Two grandchildren are also deceased.

She leaves three daughters, Shirley Foraker of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, Mrs. Ronald (Mavis) Bonnell of Lima, and Mrs. Carl (Karen) Smith of Newcomerstown; a sister, Mrs. Ambrose (Irene) McDevitt of Coshocton; 10 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Services were Sept. 26 at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the Arthritis Foundation, Stark County Unit, 125 Dartmouth S.W., Canton, OH 44710.

Oct. 19, 1988

Floyd V. Quillin

Floyd V. Quillin, 66, of Guernsey Valley Road, Guernsey, died Monday (Oct. 10, 1988) at his home following a short illness.

He was born March 7, 1922, in Guernsey County, son of the late Craig and Ora Beal Quillin.

He leaves five sons, Floyd Craig Quillin of California, Virgil Quillin and Gary Quillin, both of Kimbolton, Floyd Quillin of Newcomerstown, and Tom Quillin of Guernsey; two daughters, Mrs. Robert E. (Sandra) Totten of Cambridge and Renee Quillin of Newcomerstown; one brother, Foster Quillin of Newcomerstown; and three sisters, Mrs. Raymond (Fern) Herbert of West Lafayette, Doris Jean Quillin of Cambridge and Grace Quillin of Heath; a step-son, Raymond C. Meek, serving in the U.S. Navy; and eight grandchildren and three step-grandchildren. One brother is deceased.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Glen Shugars officiating. Burial was in Irish Ridge Cemetery.

Nelle Alice Palmer

Mrs. Nelle Alice (Philips) Palmer, 101, resident of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, died at the nursing center Monday morning, (Oct. 17, 1988), following a lengthy illness.

She was born July 8, 1887, in Guernsey County, the daughter of the late Henry and Melinda Barrett Mercer. She was a retired Bank employee of the former First National Bank of Newcomerstown, a former employee of Reeves Bank of Newcomerstown, and was an employee of Clow Company in Newcomerstown for several years. Mrs. Palmer was a member of Christ United Methodist Church where she was a member of Queen Esther Sunday School Class. She was Past Mat-

ron of OES, Oriental Chapter 106 of Newcomerstown.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Charles W. Phillips Sr., who died March 7, 1931, and her second husband, Wilburt S. Palmer. In addition to her parents and husbands, one son, a total of six brothers and sisters are deceased.

Mrs. Palmer leaves one granddaughter, Rachel Ann Hickman of Newcomerstown, and one great-grandson, J. Whitney Hickman, a student at West Liberty State College, WVa.

Services were to be Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was to be in East State Street Cemetery.

Cassie T. Renner

Cassie T. Renner, 68, of 634 S. College St., Newcomerstown, died Saturday (Oct. 15, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

She was born Aug. 17, 1920, in Daybrook, W. Va., daughter of the late William and Elsie Bean Tennant. She was retired from Groovfold in Newcomerstown.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert S. Renner, whom she married March 17, 1939, and who died Aug. 29, 1983; four brothers and three sisters.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Russell (Kathrine) Shaw of Newcomerstown; two brothers, Lester Tennant of Guernsey and William Tennant of Warsaw; three sisters, Margaret Duffy of Fresno, Mary Weingarth of Coshocton, and Mrs. George (Helen) Sharrock of West Lafayette; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were to be Tuesday, Oct. 18, at 2 p.m. at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Dwight Lyons officiating. Burial was to be in West Lawn Cemetery.

Mildred E. Ley

Mildred E. Ley, 87, of Columbus (formerly of Newcomerstown), died at 1:05 a.m. Saturday (Oct. 8, 1988) at Mount Carmel East Hospital, Columbus, following a brief illness.

She was born March 31, 1901, in Uhrichsville, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lineberger.

A retired teacher from the New Philadelphia school system, Mrs. Ley was a 1920 graduate of New Philadelphia High School. She attended Battle Creek School of Physical Education in Michigan before earning a degree in physical education at Kent State University. She was confirmed at First Reformed Church in New Philadelphia.

Her husband, Lloyd Ley, whom she married in 1924, died on June 6, 1980. Two sisters are also deceased.

Mrs. Ley leaves one daughter, Marilyn Ley of Columbus; two sons, Keith Ley of Erlanger, Ky. and Gordon Ley of Columbus; and a sister-in-law, Madeline Makepeace of Newcomerstown; and three grandchildren.

Services were Monday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Harold Steindam officiating. Burial was in East State Street Cemetery, Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions could be made to a charity of the donor's preference.

Essie Mae Malone

Oct. 19, 1988

Essie Mae Malone, 70, of 814 Mill St., Newcomerstown, died late Monday evening (Oct. 10, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born June 11, 1918, in Newcomerstown, daughter of the late Louis Dansby and Rhodia Harrington Dansby. She was a homemaker and active in New Genesis Church in Columbus where she attended Sunday School and served on the stewardess board. She was also active at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church in Dennison, a member of the Mission Society, and active in Trinity Baptist Church in Newcomerstown, serving as Sunday School teacher and a member of the usher board and president of the Pastor's Aid Booster Club. One of her favorite activities was walking and she could be frequently be seen walking through Newcomerstown to see and visit friends.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Floreed Elizabeth Malone; four brothers, including Herman W. Dansby, Cloverlee Dansby and Odis Dansby, Sr.; one sister; one grandson; and one great-grandson.

She leaves her husband, Floyd Malone, whom she married in 1951; four sons, Charles N. Scott of Greenville, S.C., Roland A. "Shorty" Scott of Newcomerstown; Vincent Eugene Favors of Zanesville and William L. Dansby of Newark; two daughters, Ruth Ann Moncrief of Columbus and Brenda L. Scott of Newcomerstown; six brothers, Raymond Dansby and Osie Dansby, both of Newcomerstown, Luther Dansby, Robert Dansby and Walter Dansby, all of Zanesville, and Clyde Dansby of Pueblo, Colo.; 25 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at Trinity Baptist Church in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Sherrell officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown.

Alvira F. Ross

Alvira F. Ross, 69, of Oxford Square Apartments, Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (Oct. 11, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital.

She was born Sept. 30, 1919, in Salem Township, daughter of the late James Garfield and Florence A. McDonald Haver. Mrs. Ross was a volunteer at the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens Nutrition Center a member of the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens.

She married Robert E. Ross on Oct. 11, 1940. He died April 17, 1971. One son is also deceased.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Merle (Betty) Rufer of Bellview and Mary Foster of Kimbolton; one son, David R. Ross of Stone Creek R.D. 1; two brothers, Thomas Isaac Haver of New Philadelphia and Charles Franklin Haver of Newcomerstown R.D. 2; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens Nutrition Center.

Susie Mae Cooper

Susie Mae Cooper, 57, of 326 McKinley Ave., died Tuesday (Oct. 11, 1988) at her home following a lengthy illness.

She was born July 14, 1931, in Yukon, W. Va., daughter of the late Frazier Thomas Brown and Anna Leole Davis. She was a nurse's aide at the Coshocton County Home.

On Dec. 3, 1949, she married Elmer Cooper, who died Dec. 12, 1987. One daughter, one son and one brother are also deceased.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Mike (Brenda) Grewell of Newcomerstown; a son, Mike Cooper of Dennison; five sisters, Mrs. Marshall (Louise) Barnes, Mrs. Arch (Thelma Jo) Stevens and Mrs. Catherine Miller, all of Virginia, Mrs. Cecil (Margaret) Baisden of Indiana and Mrs. Mickey (Lorraine) Singel of Kimbolton; three brothers, Frazier Brown, Jr., of Florida, John F. Brown of Florida, and Roger Lee Brown of Cleveland; and eight grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the Hospice of Guernsey, P.O. Box 1537, Cambridge, OH 43725.

Oct. 19, 1988

Etta V. Lawver

Etta V. Lawver, 94, of Newcomerstown, died at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday (Oct. 11, 1988) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown following a brief illness.

Mrs. Lawver was born July 26, 1894, in New Philadelphia, daughter of the late Frank and Alice Reichman Engler. She was a member of Calvary United Methodist Church, Newcomerstown.

She was preceded in death by two husbands, Thomas Bradshaw, who died in 1954, and Charles Bradshaw, who died March 5, 1980. Also deceased are three brothers, one sister, and one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clara Bradshaw.

She leaves two sons, Otis Bradshaw and Glenn Bradshaw, both of Newcomerstown; one sister, Vera Lineberry of New Philadelphia; one brother, Oliver Engler of Canton; three grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; four step-children; and 26 step-grandchildren. She also leaves a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Alice Bradshaw, of Newcomerstown.

Services were Friday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was at Evergreen Burial Park in New Philadelphia.

Earnest Earl 'Bunk' Nicholes

Earnest Earl "Bunk" Nicholes, 74, of 552 Barnett Ave., Newcomerstown, died at his residence early Friday afternoon (Oct. 14, 1988) following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Newcomerstown on Jan. 23, 1914, son of the late Joseph and Maud Diggs Nicholes. He retired as an employee of the Newcomerstown Schools in 1979. He attended the Church of the Nazarene in both West Lafayette and Newcomerstown.

He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, having served as a paratrooper. He was a charter member of the 82nd Airborne Division and a charter member of the 37th Division of the Dover National Guard. He also belonged to Thomas Montgomery American Legion Post 431 in Newcomerstown. He was a member of the Darrell Beiter Post 3303 of the Newcomerstown Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was a retired member of the Ohio Association of Public School Employees.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ruth Ellen McIntyre Nicholes, on April 24, 1986. He leaves a son, Jack S. Nicholes of Coshocton Co. Road 2, Fresno; a daughter-in-law, Victoria Nicholes; a grand-daughter, Tanya J. Nicholes; and a grandson, Foster Joseph Nicholes, all of Fresno. In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by two brothers and a sister.

Funeral services were Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home with the Rev. Paul Cameron officiating. Burial and military graveside services were at West Lawn Cemetery

Oct. 26, 1988

James J. Golden

James J. Golden, 84, of Bryson City, North Carolina, formerly of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Wednesday (Oct. 19, 1988) at Veterans Hospital at Asheville, N.C., following a two-month illness.

He was born June 20, 1904, at North Salem, son of the late Jacob and Kate McKee Golden. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II.

He leaves a daughter, Edith Myers, Newcomerstown R.D. 1, one brother, Harry C. Durben of Cambridge; five grandchildren; and one great-grandson. One brother and one sister are deceased.

Mr. Golden was cremated, with burial to be at North Salem Cemetery.

Wed., Oct. 26, 1988

John W. Fletcher

John W. Fletcher, 70, died at Kettering Memorial Hospital in Dayton on Friday (Oct. 14, 1988).

He was born in Newcomerstown on July 23, 1918, son of William and Beatrice Fletcher. He attended school here and played football, basketball and baseball for Newcomerstown High School. He married Rita Gallagher in June, 1937. He was a veteran of World War II, having served in the Signal Corps in Europe. After the war he worked for several years in Springfield and Dayton. Later, he became associated with the R.L. Polk Co., producing city directories. He retired in 1980 and made his home in West Carrollton, Ohio.

He leaves three daughters, Judy Hennessey of Milwaukee, Wis., Mary Ellen Rain of Centerville, and Peggy Grubb of Lakerville, Minn.; 11 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and a sister, Margaret Fletcher Hotz of Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Private graveside services were held at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Fred Paul Horton

Fred Paul Horton, 82, of 1309 Chestnut St., Cambridge, died at 8:20 a.m. Thursday (Oct. 20, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Horton was born Jan. 13, 1906, in Belle Valley, son of the late C.M. and Fannie White Horton. He was a retired stationary engineer for Ecko Products in Byesville after 24 years of service. He attended First Baptist Church of Cambridge.

He leaves his wife, Beatrice Saltz Horton, whom he married Sept. 20, 1930; two sons, Fred Horton of Columbus and Jerry Horton of Cambridge; four sisters, Mrs. Hazel Grove of New Concord, Stephanie Horton of Cambridge, Mrs. Wanda Lewis and Mrs. Edith Longworth, both of Newcomerstown; seven grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Saturday at the Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge with Pastor Mark Smith officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery in Byesville.

Calvin B. Johnson, Sr.

Calvin B. Johnson, Sr., 75, of 430 N. Bridge St., Newcomerstown, died Friday (Oct. 14, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

He was born Dec. 6, 1912, in Newcomerstown, son of Alonza and Alice Law Johnson. He attended St. Paul Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown and was retired from Simonds Cutting Tools, where he had worked for 41 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his first wife, Hilda Hootman Johnson, who died Sept. 6, 1969, one brother, two sisters and one grandchild.

He leaves his wife, Yolanda Steffen Johnson, whom he married May 30, 1970; two daughters, Mrs. David Joyce Sarchet of Lima and Mrs. Betty Triplet of Wickliffe; one son, Calvin B. Johnson, Jr., of Coshocton; two brothers, Virgil Johnson of Newcomerstown and Eugene Johnson of New Jersey; two sisters, Mae Arnold of Akron and Mildred Stewart of Newcomerstown; 10 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Services were Oct. 17 at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the St. Paul Lutheran Church Memorial Fund.

Oct. 26, 1988

Glenn Leo Huff

Glenn Leo Huff, 50, of Newcomerstown R.D. 2, died Wednesday (Oct. 19, 1988) at 11:15 a.m. in the emergency room of Coshocton Memorial Hospital.

He was born July 9, 1938, in Tuscarawas County, son of Sarah Pope Huff and the late Oliver Huff. He was a 1956 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and a former employee of General Tire, Plastic Division. A dairy farmer, he was a member of the Bakersville Presbyterian Church, Progressive Valley Grange, the Milk Marketing Association, and a former Adams Twp. trustee.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, Mary Summers, whom he married May 11, 1958; on son, James Oliver Huff of Stone Creek; four daughters, Mrs. Robert (Linda Sue) Wilson and Mrs. Bruce (Lori Ann) Childress, both of Keene, Mrs. Edward (Teresa Lynn) Crawford of Fresno and Jennifer Kay Huff of the home; one brother, Harold Huff of Newcomerstown R.D. 2; six grandchildren; and three step-grandchildren. Two sisters are deceased.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Charles Lee officiating. Burial was in Bakersville Cemetery.

Nov. 2, 1988

Sara Asher Fordyce

Sara Asher Fordyce, 55, 908 Fairfield, Newton, Kan., a retired registered nurse, died Friday (Oct. 21, 1988) at St. Francis Regional Medical Center in Wichita, Kan. She had worked in the Friendly Acres retirement complex in Newton.

Services were Tuesday, Oct. 25, at Petersen's Funeral Home Chapel in Newton with the Rev. Galen Dreier officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the St. Francis Regional Medical Center's Dialysis Center.

Born May 8, 1933, in Newcomerstown, she was the daughter of Ernest and Virgel (Moorehead) Asher. She was married to Richard R. Fordyce on June 27, 1958 in Cambridge. He died Jan. 11, 1983.

In 1974, she moved to Newton from Cambridge. She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star and the Social Order of the Beauceant.

Survivors include two sons, Ernest "Kim" Asher of Canton and Richard A. Fordyce of Kansas City, Mo.; two daughters, Amy Wilson and Sheryl Chastain, both of Newton; three step-daughters, Elizabeth Vincent and Victoria Lamb, both of Columbus, and Patricia Frankford of New Providence, Pa.; and 12 grandchildren.

George W. Little

George W. Little, 73, of 261 Walnut St., Newcomerstown, died at 9:10 p.m. Wednesday (Oct. 26, 1988) at Good Samaritan Medical Center, Zanesville, following surgery.

He was born May 15, 1915, in Newcomerstown, son of the late Seth and Nellie McMilen Little. He was retired from Simonds Industries after 42 years of service. He was active in Cub Scouts, a past village council member and past Board of Public Affairs member. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

He leaves his wife, Lee Ferrell Little, whom he married June 11, 1944; two sons, G. Wayne Little of Grove City and Gary A. Little of Warner Robins, Ga.; one daughter, Barbara Little of Columbus; one sister, Edna Walker of Newcomerstown; and five grandchildren. One daughter, one brother, two sisters and two grandsons are deceased.

Services were Saturday at Calvary United Methodist Church with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery with military graveside services conducted by the Newcomerstown American Legion Post. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home of Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions could be made to Calvary United Methodist Church.

Paul Secrest

Paul Secrest, 80, of Sandusky and formerly of Senecaville, died Tuesday (Oct. 25, 1988) at the Ohio Veterans Home in Sandusky.

Mr. Secrest was born Feb. 26, 1908, in Senecaville, son of the late Ralph and Amelia Thompson Secrest. He was a former coal miner and employee of Universal Pottery in Cambridge. He was an Army veteran of World War II and a lifetime member of the Disabled American Veterans unit in Cambridge.

He leaves a son, Michael Secrest of Columbus; three daughters, Mrs. Richard (Shirley) Coombs of New Jersey, Mrs. Jack (Marjory) Cunningham of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Walter (Judy) Jackson of Port Washington; three brothers, Robert T. Secrest of Cambridge, William "Abby" Secrest of Woodsfield and Joe Secrest of Senecaville; one sister, Mrs. Don (Irene) Schweinfurth of Columbus; 11 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one son, one brother and one grandchild.

Services were Thursday at Meek Funeral Home in Senecaville. Burial was in Senecaville Cemetery.

Raymond Dansby

Raymond Dansby, 81, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, and a former resident of both Newcomerstown and Massillon, died Wednesday afternoon (Oct. 26, 1988) at the Center following an apparent heart attack.

He was born July 14, 1907, at Rock Run, Ala., son of the late Louis and Rhodia Harrington Dansby. He was a retired employee of the James B. Clow Co. in Newcomerstown, worked at a foundry in Wadsworth, and was a Navy veteran of World War II, a former member of Newcomerstown's Thomas Montgomery American Legion Post 431 and a life member of St. Paul's AME Church in Newcomerstown, serving as a steward, trustee and Sunday School superintendent. While in Massillon, he was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Elks Lodge.

Mr. Dansby leaves one son, Kenneth Newby of Newcomerstown; one daughter, Marva McCall of Columbus; five brothers, Osie Dansby of Newcomerstown, Luther Dansby, Robert Dansby and Walter Dansby, all of Zanesville, and Clyde Dansby of Pueblo, Colo.; 35 nieces and nephews; and several great-nieces and great-nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Louise Dansby, who died Nov. 27, 1949; four brothers and two sisters, including Herman W. Dansby, Cloverlee Dasnby, Odis Dansby Sr., and Essie Mae Malone.

Services were Saturday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Sherrell officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Joshua Lee Art

Joshua Lee Art, six-month-old son of Gilbert Ernest Art, Jr., and Leslie Shalosky Art of Newcomerstown, died at his home in Newcomerstown Thursday afternoon (Oct. 27, 1988) of Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

Joshua was born April 30, 1988, in Coshocton. His father is a student at Ohio Northern University in Ada, Ohio. Joshua also has a brother, Shane Michael Art, of the home.

His paternal grandfather is G. Ernest Art, Sr., of Newcomerstown. His paternal grandmother is Kristen (Morgan) Art of Newcomerstown. His maternal grandmother is Dixie Dyer of Port Washington and his maternal grandfather is Anthony Shalosky of Port Washington. His paternal great-grandparents include Mrs. Bonnie Morgan of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Leona Baker of Newcomerstown. His maternal great-grandparents include Cora Thornsley of Canton, Buster Woodruff of Spencer and Alice Spencer of Port Washington.

He was preceded in death by his paternal great-grandfather, pharmacist Robert Morgan of Newcomerstown; his paternal great-grandfather, Roland E. Baker of Newcomerstown; and his maternal great-grandfather, Lester Shalosky.

Services were Saturday, Oct. 29, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in the Babyland section of West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Kathryn Hinds

Kathryn Hinds, 76, a resident of Port Washington R.D. 1, died Saturday (Oct. 29, 1988) at her home following a short illness.

She was born Sept. 6, 1912, in Tuscarawas County, daughter of Charles and Caroline Bock Dietrich. She was a member of Wolf-Salem United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Irvin Hinds, who died Nov. 25, 1967, and one brother. She leaves several nieces and nephews.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert F. Hildreth officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Port Washington.

Robert E. Rank

Robert E. Rank, 70, Gnadenhutten R.D. 1, died Friday (Nov. 4, 1988) at Twin City Hospital in Dennison following a short illness.

He was born at Lock Seventeen, a son of the late John and Lillie Shull Rank. He retired in 1976 after 10 years with Alsco in Gnadenhutten, having been employed at Heller Tool Co. in Newcomerstown and Toomey Garage in Dover. He was also a retired farmer.

He was an Army Air Force veteran of World War II and a member of the Pioneer Power Assn. and the Arco Retiree Association. He was a long-time member of Fry's Valley Moravian Church, where he formerly taught Sunday School for 10 years.

On March 12, 1940, he married the former Dorothy E. Johnson. In addition to his wife, he leaves three daughters, Mrs. George (Dottie) Preton of Gnadenhutten R.D. 1, Edna K. Gallion of New Philadelphia and Mrs. Virgil (Linda) Ebersbach of Newcomerstown R.D. 2; one son, Wesley E. Rank of Gnadenhutten R.D. 1; and seven grandchildren. Three brothers and a sister are deceased.

Services were Sunday at Fry's Valley Moravian Church with the Rev. Darrell Johnson and the Rev. Karl Bregenzer officiating. Burial was in Gnadenhutten Cemetery. Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home in New Philadelphia handled arrangements.

Mrs. Ivan Hughes

Mrs. Ivan Hughes, 87, of Port Washington R.D. 2, died Saturday (Oct. 29, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born May 4, 1901, a daughter of Frank and Leona Milligan Shearow. A homemaker, she was a member of the United Methodist Church.

She leaves her husband, Harlon "Ted" Hughes, whom she married in November, 1922; two daughters, Mrs. Harold (Charlene) Oliver of North Canton and Mrs. James (Eileen) Moore of Springfield; two sisters, Louella Ankrum of Cambridge and Ireda Tedrick of Washington State; nine grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Birmingham United Methodist Church with the Rev. Gene Miller and the Rev. Dwight Lyons officiating. Burial was in Peoli Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

Robert E. Dearth

Robert E. Dearth, 61, of 1254 N. 11th St., Cambridge, died Friday (Oct. 28, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Dearth was born June 17, 1927, in Lore City, son of the late Emery Ellsworth Dearth and Ada Anne Siddle Dearth of Lore City. He retired from Champion Spark Plug Co. after 33 years. He was a former member of the official board of the Methodist Church and the Rotary Club. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of both World War II and the Korean War.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, Nina Huntsman Dearth, whom he married Oct. 5, 1947; a son, Bruce Emery Dearth, and daughter-in-law, Kim; a daughter, Mrs. Robert A. (Beverly Jo) Bender of Columbus; two sisters, Mrs. H.K. (Mary Elizabeth) McVicker of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Richard (Anna Lee) Swick of New Concord; a brother, Paul Denny Dearth of Lore City; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Monday, Oct. 31, at First United Methodist Church in Cambridge with Dr. Terry Litton officiating. Burial was in Northwood Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Bundy-Law Funeral Home.

Wed., Nov. 16, 1988

Arthur Wise Oaklief

Arthur Wise Oaklief, 74, Newcomerstown R.D. 2, died at his home Friday (Nov. 4, 1988) at his home following a short illness.

He was born Sept. 10, 1914, in Coshocton County, son of the late Henry Oaklief and Vera Wise Oaklief. He was a farmer and retired real estate broker for Hothem Real Estate in Wooster. He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown. Mr. Oaklief was also a member of the Farm Bureau in both Coshocton and Tuscarawas counties, a former board member of Producers Livestock in Coshocton, a member of Stark County Milk Producers Association, a former Newcomerstown school board member and a 1931 graduate of Newcomerstown High School.

He leaves three daughters, Judy Stowe of Glendale, Ariz., Kathryn Drotos of Cottonwood, Ariz., and Susan Oaklief Mandator, Massillon; two brothers, Waldo Oaklief of Bakersville and Earl Oaklief of Lucas; one sister, Mrs. Harold (Mildred) Preston of Coshocton; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church with the Rev. William Haggis II and the Rev. Richard Powell II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home. Memorial contributions could be made to combat world hunger through Evangelical Lutheran Church of America, Chicago, Ill.

Wed., Nov. 23, 1988

Edwin R. Schweitzer

Edwin R. Schweitzer, 72, of West Lafayette Care Center, formerly of Newcomerstown, died at 6 p.m. Monday (Nov. 14, 1988) at the Center.

He was born Aug. 25, 1916, in Tuscarawas County, son of the late John Robert and Grace Weaver Schweitzer. He was retired from AlSCO Anaconda in Gnadenuhthen, a farmer and a U.S. veteran of World War II.

Mr. Schweitzer leaves two sisters, Mrs. Harry (Elsie) Langell and Mrs. Thomas (Mary) Orr, both of Newcomerstown; two brothers, Dale Schweitzer of Newcomerstown and John Schweitzer of Londonderry; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two brothers and three sisters.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Terry Weirich officiating. Burial was in Pleasant View Cemetery.

Frederick W. Rinehart

LODI — Frederick W. Rinehart, 59, of Lodi, died Monday (Nov. 14, 1988) at his home following a lengthy illness. A sister, Mrs. Charles (Mary) Bridges, lives in West Lafayette.

He was born Aug. 26, 1929, in Bath. He was a resident of Lodi for the past 36 years. He was a former employee of Locke Manufacturing Co. for 30 years and later worked at Bliss Laughlin Steel Co. in Medina.

In addition to Mrs. Bridges, he leaves his wife, Marie Rinehart; one daughter, Nancy Rinehart of Lodi; three other sisters, Mrs. Edward (Emma Jean) Strouse of Lodi, Mrs. Edwin (Eleanor) Drake of Wooster and Mrs. Danny (Betsy) Griffith of Orange Park, N.J.; four brothers, Dale Rinehart of Cambridge, Wilford Rinehart of Waynesville, Doyle Rinehart of Sterling Heights, Mich., and Wesley Rinehart of Millersburg.

Services were Friday at Parker and Son Funeral Home in Lodi with the Rev. Garland Wilson officiating. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery in Lodi. Memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society, 218 E. Washington St., Medina, OH 44256; or to Hospice of Medina County, Box 122, Medina, OH 44258.

Nov. 30, 1988

Charity Violet Olson

Charity Violet Olson, 90, died Tuesday (Nov. 15, 1988) in Glendale, Arizona.

A daughter of the late John and Emily Phillips, she was born Oct. 29, 1898, in the Low Gap area of Ohio, and was a former resident of 204 Park Hill Drive, Newcomerstown. She had moved to Phoenix, Arizona, in 1980. She was a charter member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. L.A. (Emily) Wallentinson of Phoenix and Mrs. L.R. (Martha) Calhoun of Kingman, Arizona; three grandsons, one granddaughter and seven great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Otto, on Aug. 22, 1959; a son, Charles, who died in the U.S. Navy on Dec. 13, 1944, during World War II; one infant daughter, Rose Mary; one grandson; nine brothers; and three sisters.

Memorial services were to be held in Newcomerstown with burial at West Lawn Cemetery.

Jason Lee Stout

Jason Lee Stout, infant son of Mark A. Stout and Laurie Hart Stout, 21601 Linton Twp. Road 410, West Lafayette, died shortly after birth Thursday morning (Nov. 24, 1988) at Union Hospital in Dover.

In addition to his parents, he leaves a brother, Terry Lee Stout, of Massillon. The paternal grandparents are Mrs. Helen Stout of Sugarcreek and the late Lowell Stout. The paternal great-grandparents are the late James and Betsy Stout and the late Farnk and Ada Grossenbaugh. The maternal grandparents are Alan and Naundice (Oldt) Hart of Newcomerstown. The maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Esta Hart of Newcomerstown and the late Robert Hart; and Mrs. Rosa-Lee Oldt of Newcomerstown R.D. 1 and the late Frank Maxwell Oldt.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Nov. 26, at 1 p.m. at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was at West Lawn Cemetery.

Alma Plants

Mrs. James (Alma) Plants, 54, of Ingram, Pa., died Thursday (Nov. 17, 1988). Mr. and Mrs. Ingram were formerly from Newcomerstown. She was born Oct. 20, 1934.

In addition to her husband, she leaves five children, Patricia Prater of Oregon, Vivian Olako of Wheeling, James R. Plants, Susan Sampson and Cynthia Nagel; two brothers; six sisters and 18 grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Nov. 21, at the Hershberger-Stover Funeral Home in Crafton with the Pastor J. Robert Blankenship officiating. Memorial contributions could be made to the Allegheny Heart Institute, in care of Allegheny General Hospital, 320 E. North Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15212.

Wed., Nov. 30, 1988

Marjorie E. Myers

Marjorie E. Myers, 69, 247 E. Canal St., Newcomerstown, died early Saturday morning (Nov. 19, 1988) at Bethesda Hospital in Zanesville following a brief illness.

She was born Aug. 3, 1919, in Birmingham in Guernsey County, a daughter of the late Earl A. and Linnie Merle McNeely Edenburn. She was a housewife and homemaker and a member of the Port Washington Homemakers. She was a Methodist, and was skilled in all forms of needlework and kept an active interest in the hobby throughout her life.

Her husband, Ernest A. Myers, died Dec. 30, 1979. They were married on Nov. 19, 1937. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Sandra Kay (Rev. Robert) Sees of Trinway; one brother, Dwight Edenburn of New Philadelphia; and two grandchildren, Kevin Sees and Nicole Sees, both of Trinway.

Services were Tuesday, Nov. 22, at the Ourant Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Sees and Rev. Robert Stull officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wayne Ross

Wayne Ross, 64, of Broadhead Road, Kimbolton, died at 11:20 p.m. Wednesday (Nov. 23, 1988) at Good Samaritan Medical Center, Zanesville, after an extended illness.

He was born Feb. 4, 1924, in Guernsey County, son of James A. and Goldie B. Gray Ross of Newcomerstown. He was a retired farmer and builder.

In addition to his parents, he leaves his wife, Norma Miller Ross, whom he married March 15, 1947; one daughter, Mrs. Joseph (Susan) Sossa of Columbus; three sons, Randy Ross of Massillon, Rudy Ross of Kimbolton and Roger Ross of West Lafayette; one brother, James Ross Jr., of Newcomerstown; nine grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. One grandson is deceased.

Services were Monday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Dwight Lyons officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions could be made to the Guernsey County Cancer Society.

Charles J. Bever

Charles J. "Chuck" Bever, 17, of 3096 Swan Road, Guernsey, died Tuesday (Nov. 22, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born April 20, 1971, in Akron, son of Jess J. and Delores Gray Bever. He was a student at Coshocton Joint Vocational School, majoring in auto mechanics.

In addition to his parents, he leaves his grandparents, Roger and Bernie Gray of Cambridge and Peter and Mary Fedorczyk of Ashley, Pa.; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Services were Saturday at Flat Ridge Church on Guernsey County Road 658 with Msgr. Patrick Maher officiating. Burial was in Flat Ridge Cemetery.

Wed., Dec. 7, 1988

Virginia E. Little

Virginia E. Little, 63, a resident of Buckhorn Village in Newcomerstown, died late Sunday (Nov. 27, 1988) at Valley Manor Nursing Home, New Philadelphia, following a brief illness.

She was born Dec. 22, 1924, in Newcomerstown, daughter of the late Elmer Burdett and Nettie Nora Loos Burdett. She was a floral designer for many years at the Newcomerstown Floral Co. and also worked at Jones Florist in Cambridge.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clark Raymond Little, who died Dec. 14, 1971. They were married July 11, 1942.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Stephanie McElhaney of Zanesville and Mrs. Jackie Poorman of North Royalton; seven sisters, Mrs. Herbert (Edith) Miller, Mary Burdett, Mrs. Glenn (Margaret Ellen) Shaffer and Mrs. Richard (Ruth) Lower, all of Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Lloyd (Aldora) Cady of Morgantown, W.Va.; a son-in-law, Larry McElhaney of Zanesville; and four grandchildren, John F. McElhaney, Heather Ann McElhaney, Juli-Anne McElhaney, and Michael L. Poorman. In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a sister, Marjorie Burdett.

Services were Wednesday, Nov. 30, at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Charles Lee officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Mabel H. Tufford

Mabel H. Tufford, 83, of 471 Cross St., Newcomerstown, died at 2 a.m. Sunday (Nov. 27, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

She was born March 21, 1905, in Old Washington, daughter of the late William Alva Hannahs and Mary C. Richeson Hannahs. She was a housewife and homemaker for all her adult life. She was a lifelong member of Calvary United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown, where she taught the Christianaies Sunday School Class for many years.

She married Russell E. Tufford on May 23, 1925. He died April 21, 1980. Also deceased are one son, Willis Tufford; one daughter, Mary Joanne Tufford Willer; one son-in-law, Ellis Booth; five grandchildren and five brothers, Charles G. Hannahs, Fred Roy Hannahs, Paul William Hannahs, Elvin John Hannahs and Preston Weaver Hannahs.

Mrs. Tufford leaves one daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mike (Jean) Distaulo of Brecksville; one son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James (Ann) Tufford of Newcomerstown; one brother, Alva K. Hannahs, Newcomerstown; one sister, Mrs. Izola H. Fletcher, Newcomerstown; 14 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday, Nov. 29, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Gideon Society, P.O. Box 531, Coshocton, OH 43812.

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Robert V. Brown

Robert Vernon "Rob" Brown, 34, of Tuscarawas Co. Road 31, Port Washington R.D. 1, died Tuesday morning (Nov. 29, 1988) of a self-inflicted shotgun wound in Newcomerstown.

He was born March 18, 1954, in Coshocton County, son of the late Cecil V. Brown, who died in March of 1967, and Gladys M. Jones Brown, who died in January, 1987. He was an employee of GenCorp Polymer Products in Newcomerstown and had assisted his wife in operating the former Floral Designs Flower Shop in Newcomerstown. He also worked at the Standard Oil Service Station in Stone Creek. He was a member of Newcomerstown Moose Lodge 1337.

Mr. Brown leaves his wife, Diane M. Moore Brown, whom he married Dec. 3, 1971; two sons, Jeffrey Brown and Jason Brown, both of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Dave (Georgina) Meeks of Newcomerstown, Mrs. James (Kathryn) Everhart of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, and Mrs. Robert (Patty) McClure of Newcomerstown; and two brothers, David Brown of State Route 643 in Fresno and Don Brown of Newcomerstown R.D. 1. He also leaves his father-in-law and mother-in-law, Robert and Edna Shoemaker, Newcomerstown R.D. 2; a sister-in-law, Kathy Marlatt of Worthington; and a brother-in-law, Rick Moore, of Newcomerstown.

Services were Friday, Dec. 2, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Pastor Carlan Helgeson officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. The family requested cremation. Memorial contributions could be made to the Diane Brown Family, Tuscarawas County Road 31, Port Washington R.D. 1, OH 43837.

Lester E. John

Lester E. John, 88, of 814 Mill St., Newcomerstown, formerly of 123 Downs Ave., died late Thursday (Dec. 1, 1988) at Union Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born Dec. 18, 1899, in Salem Twp. son of the late George and Emma Riggle John. He was a retired farmer and retired employe of the county highway department. He was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of Christ.

Mr. John leaves his wife, Sarah Alberta Carothers John, whom he married March 8, 1919; one son, Arthur M. John of West Lafayette; one daughter, Mrs. Sanford (Mary Lu) Steed of Newcomerstown R.D. 3; one brother, Charles John and one sister, Justa John, both of Canton; nine grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and one great-grandson. He was preceded in death by one brother and eight sisters.

Services were Sunday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Evang. Charles Newell officiating. Burial was in Bethel Cemetery in Salem Twp. Memorial contributions may be made to the Midwestern Children's Home, P.O. Box 48, Pleasant Plain, OH 45162.

Dec. 14, 1988

Hester Treasure Duff

WEST LAFAYETTE — Hester Treasure Duff, 76, of Country Road 24, West Lafayette, died at 7:47 a.m. Saturday (Dec. 3, 1988) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born Nov. 9, 1912, in Coshocton County, daughter of the late William and Alice Lpos Treasure. She was a member of the Isleta Church of Christ. She was employed in the 1930's at the Moore Enameling Co. in West Lafayette and later assisted her husband, Russell W. Duff, with the Duff Plumbing Co. in Isleta.

In addition to her husband, whom she married Feb. 1, 1936, she leaves a daughter, Mrs. Jack (June) Saylor of Isleta; one sister, Vera Alloway of Coshocton Co. Road 9, West Lafayette; one granddaughter; and two great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one brother and one sister.

Services were Tuesday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with Evang. Gale Yoho and Evang. Charles Grubbs, Jr., officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery in West Lafayette.

Wed., Dec. 14, 1988

Wayne Jacob Stephen

Wayne Jacob Stephen, 63, of 111 N. High St., Port Washington, died late Tuesday afternoon (Dec. 6, 1988) in the emergency room of Twin City Hospital in Dennison following a lengthy illness.

He was born March 4, 1925, in Calais, son of the late Lula Stephen Fitzgerald. He retired in 1987, working over 10 years for Stocker Trucking Co. of Gnadenhutten. He was a U.S. Marine veteran of World War II and a member of VFW Post 2792 in Barnesville. He attended First Baptist Church in Port Washington. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and was a member of Teamsters Local 92 in Canton.

His wife, Betty June Anderson Stephen, died Dec. 15, 1987. They were married May 22, 1948. Mr. Stephen leaves six sons, Jerry Stephen of Newcomerstown, Bruce Stephen of Gnadenhutten, Roger Stephen of Coshocton, David "Mike" Stephen, Paul "Whitey" Stephen and Randy Stephen, all of Port Washington; four daughters, Mrs. Wesley (Brenda) Rank of Gnadenhutten, Barbara J. Stephen, Mrs. Steven (Beverly) McComb and Nicole Stephen, all of Port Washington; three sisters, Mrs. Jess (Elizabeth) Forst of Alliance, Mrs. Melvin (Lucille) Dowdle of Cadiz and Mrs. Howard (Betty) Davis of Bethesda; four half-sisters, including Mrs. Joyce Fitzgerald of Barnesville, Mrs. Jack (Lula) Shaffer of South Carolina, Mrs. Larry (Jean) Clifton and Mrs. Larry (Stella) Webber, both of Ojai, Calif.; and 17 grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Hildreth officiating. Graveside military services were conducted by the Dover VFW Post. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Port Washington.

Lester Taylor Swigert

Lester Taylor Swigert, 62, of 857 Fair Ave. NE, Parma Heights, Ohio, died Nov. 14, 1988, following a long illness. He had been an apartment superintendent of Forest City Management Co. in Parma Heights.

He was born in Newcomerstown on Dec. 18, 1925, a son of Mary Taylor and the late James L. Swigert. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church. An Army veteran of the European theatre in World War II, he was past commander of the Disabled American Veterans, a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion in New Philadelphia.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, Betty Pauline Shearrow Swigert; three sons, Ronald L. Swigert of Dennison, Roger B. Swigert of Uhrichsville and Lloyd A. Swigert of New Philadelphia; a daughter, Carla J. Swigert of Cleveland; two brothers, Lyle Swigert and Wayne Swigert, both of Newcomerstown; one sister, Mrs. John (Sarah Jean) Little of Port Washington; and nine grandchildren. One brother preceded him in death.

Services were Nov. 17 at the Naylor-Kasserman Funeral Home with the Rev. Stuart Barr officiating. Burial was in Ridgecrest Memory Garden.

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Philip J. Zink Jr.

Philip James Zink Jr., 64, of Jackson Township, died Nov. 23, 1988, at his home.

A native of Canton, he was a son of Philip Zink Sr., Fulton Road, NW, and Emma Grace Wilson Zink, Canton.

He served in the U.S. Army in World War II and was owner-operator of the former Carriage House Furniture Store, Canton. He was a member of Mudbrook Trinity Lutheran Church, Canton.

Also surviving are a brother, Paul T. Zink, Canton, and several relatives of the Newcomerstown area.

His maternal grandparents were the late John M. Wilson, a former barber in Newcomerstown, and the late Rose Ella Booth Wilson of Newcomerstown.

Graveside services were conducted at Mudbrook Cemetery Nov. 25. Pastor John F. Bradosky officiated.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Mudbrook Trinity Lutheran Church.

Katherine Lark

Katherine Lark, 83, of Easley, S.C., died Friday, Dec. 16, 1988.

A daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Chapman, she was born Aug. 1, 1905, on a farm north of Newcomerstown. She grew up in Wolf and attended Newcomerstown High School.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry Lark. She leaves one son, Henry Glenn Lark of Easley, and two sisters, Mabelle Thompson of Bedford, O., and Hilda Palmatier, Torrance, Calif.

Services were to be held in Easley.

Chester Johnson

Chester Johnson, 75, formerly of the Guernsey-Newcomerstown area, died Sunday, Dec. 4, 1988, at the Ely Nursing Home in Ely, Minn.

Mr. Johnson leaves his wife, Ruth; three stepsons, James, Dennis and Ronald Tedrick, all of Minnesota; one sister, Dorothy Craigo of Florida; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were Dec. 7 at the Methodist Church in Ely.

Floyd W. Angle

Floyd W. Angle, 85, a resident of the West Lafayette Care Center and formerly of Cambridge Heights, died Monday (Dec. 12, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born Oct. 10, 1903, in Plainfield, son of the late Joseph Crawshaw and Gertrude Welker Angle. He was a farmer for 22 years and a retired mail attendant at Cambridge Developmental Center. He was a member of Westminster United Presbyterian Church.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Beatrice Tacy Baker Angle, whom he married Feb. 20, 1928. She died Dec. 7, 1951. Also deceased are four brothers and two grandchildren.

Mr. Angle leaves his second wife, Elizabeth Logan Angle, whom he married in 1968; on son, Floyd Darrel Angle of Kimbolton; one daughter, Mrs. Craig (Beatrice Faye) Sandberg of San Diego, Calif.; one brother, Harry Wilbur Angle of West Lafayette; six grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and three step-great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Dr. L. Dudley Field officiating. Burial was in Plainfield Cemetery.

Wed., Dec. 28, 1988

Wilbur H. Dayton

Wilbur H. Dayton, 83, died Dec. 7, 1988, at 5:09 a.m. in his home at 1207 Superior Drive, Auburn, Ind.

He was born Sept. 11, 1907, in Newcomerstown, the son of the late George I. and Wilmina Eckleberry Dayton. He was a member of the 1923 graduating class at Newcomerstown High School and retired in 1968 as a divisional sales manager for the National Drug Co. He had lived in Auburn since 1976. He was a member of St. Alban's Episcopal Church in Fort Wayne and the Free and Accepted Masons of Ohio.

He leaves his wife, Carolyn E. Whitnall, whom he married in Carson City, Nev., in 1951; three sons, Thomas W. Dayton of Birmingham, Mich., Theodore E. Dayton of North Canton, and Michael S. Dayton of Indianapolis; three granddaughters; and three great-grandchildren. Two brothers, William and Lawrence, preceded him in death.

Services were Dec. 9 at St. Alban's Episcopal Church in Fort Wayne with Father Harold Comer officiating. Burial was in Covington Memorial Gardens in Fort Wayne. Memorial contributions could be made to the church. Arrangements were handled by McComb, Dilgard and Cline Funeral Home in Auburn.

Wed., Dec. 21, 1988

Mabel E. Gross

Mabel E. Gross, 89, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, formerly of 331 Beaver St., Newcomerstown, died Thursday (Dec. 15, 1988) following a brief illness.

She was born April 20, 1899, in Tuscarawas County, daughter of the late George and Sarah Crook Fenton. She was a homemaker, a member of Christ United Methodist Church and an honorary member of Buckhorn Grange.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harley B. Gross, who died in 1945, one grandson and five brothers.

Mrs. Gross leaves two daughters, Mrs. Frank (Thelma) Long of Gnadenhutzen and Mrs. Harold (Gean) Marlatt of Newcomerstown; three sons, Chester Gross of Stone Creek, Charles Gross of New Philadelphia and Earl Gross of Clear Lake, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Gladys Bargar of Cadiz; 18 grandchildren; 41 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-granddaughter.

Ourant Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Charles E. Scarberry

Charles E. Scarberry, 65, of 1039 N. Main St., Jamestown, N.Y., died Wednesday (Dec. 7, 1988) in Veterans Administration Hospital in Buffalo, N.Y. A sister, Ellen Belt, lives in Newcomerstown.

A resident of Jamestown for the past 20 years, Mr. Scarberry was born Sept. 26, 1923, in Toronto, a son of the late Charles and Mary McGorick Scarberry. A self-employed painter, he retired in 1970. During World War II, he served in the European Theatre with the U.S. Army and was awarded the Purple Heart, Oak Leaf Cluster and a Bronze Star.

In addition to his sister, he leaves his wife, the former Leafah Wood, whom he married Feb. 11, 1949, in Ravenna; a daughter, Sonja Chase Saxton of Jamestown; two sons, Bruce T. Scarberry of Cheyenne, Okla., and Blair E. Scarberry of Jamestown; four grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; two brothers, William Scarberry of Ripley, W.Va., and Elsworth "Joe" Scarberry of Doylestown; and another sister, Louise Yoder of Tornado, W.Va. In addition, Mr. Scarberry had many friends in the Newcomerstown area.

Military services were Dec. 10 at the Lind Funeral Home with the Rev. Donald Erickson of the Light House Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Soldier's Circle in the Lakeview Cemetery in Jamestown, N.Y.

Dec, 28, 1988

Neilan N. Landis

Neilan N. Landis, Sr., 68, of North Canton, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Monday (Dec. 19, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Landis was born April 27, 1920, in Greentown, son of the late Willard and Goldie Wendell Landis. He was a retired truck driver with Shaffer Trucking in Dover and a retired Teamster of Union Local 92. He was a member of the North Canton Church of Christ, a member of the National Rifle Association and a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

He leaves his second wife, Nora Allen Landis, whom he married June 7, 1985; three sons, Neil Landis, Jr., of Newcomerstown, Rick Landis of Tiro and Roni Landis of Baltimore, Md.; three daughters, Mrs. Richard (Jean) Cantor of Cambridge, Mrs. Vernon (Teresa) Elliott and Debbie Landis, both of Newcomerstown; five brothers, Wendell Landis of Newcomerstown, Ernie Landis and Donald Landis, both of West Lafayette, Paul Landis of Arizona and Loren Landis of Oregon; one sister, Mrs. August (Dorothy) Kunstmann of Arizona; and eight grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Maria Sherban Landis, whom he married April 19, 1944, and who died Nov. 25, 1983; two brothers; two sisters; and one grandchild.

Services were Thursday at the North Canton Church of Christ with Evang. Ted Blackwood officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Massillon. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

Lawrence C. Howell

Lawrence C. Howell, 68, 1023 Clark St., Cambridge, died Saturday (Dec. 17, 1988) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born Feb. 18, 1920, the son of the late William Howell and Mary Stevens Howell. He was a retired employee of Simonds Tool Co., a member of the Birmingham United Methodist Church, a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and a member of American Legion Post 84.

Mr. Howell leaves his wife, Frances Casterline Howell; a daughter, Mrs. Daniel (Linda Sue) Knowlton of Cambridge; one son, Larry S. Howell of Cambridge; one sister, Mrs. Donald (Susan) Johnson of Lore City R.D.; two step-sisters, Mrs. Hazel Hess of Lakeview and Mrs. Marcella Croley of Akron; one step-brother, Clifford Ford of Canton; and one grandchild, Chad Rowe of Cambridge. He was preceded in death by a step-father, William Ford; two brothers; and one step-brother.

Services were Dec. 20 at Bundy-Law Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Arthur Williams officiating. Military graveside services were conducted by the Guernsey County Veterans Council at Northwood Cemetery.

F. Rebecca Endlich

Mrs. Timothy A. (Florence Rebecca "Becky") Endlich, 35, of New Philadelphia R.D. 7, died Wednesday (Dec. 21, 1988) at Timken Mercy Medical Center in Canton as a result of a cerebral aneurysm.

She was born in Coshocton, daughter of Charles and Lillian Bontrager Haver of Newcomerstown R.D. 2. The Haver family was just recently chosen as the Tuscarawas County Homemaker's "Great American Family" for 1988. Mrs. Endlich was a member of Grace United Church of Christ and Jefferson Grange.

In addition to her husband, whom she married Nov. 25, 1977, and her parents, Mrs. Endlich leaves a son, Alan Todd of the home; three brothers, Donald Haver and Paul Haver of New Philadelphia and Larry Haver of Port Washington; and two sisters, Gladys Harrison of New Philadelphia and Mrs. Norman (Pauline A.) Lanzer of Waynesboro, Pa. A son and a brother are deceased.

Services were Saturday at Grace United Church of Christ with the Rev. John Bruce officiating. Burial was in Stone Creek Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Naylor Funeral Home in New Philadelphia, where memorial services were conducted by Jefferson Grange. Memorial contributions could be made to Grace United Church of Christ and Evans Creek Lutheran Church, Stone Creek R.D. 1.