

Wed., Feb. 19, 1986

Local, area deaths

Virgil J. Chaney

FREEPORT — Virgil J. Chaney, 71, of Freeport R.D. 2, died Thursday (Feb. 13, 1986) at Doctors Hospital in Massillon following a short illness.

He was born Aug. 17, 1914, a son of the late Charles and Grace Cox Chaney. Mr. Chaney was a retired crane operator for Republic Steel in Massillon.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mae Hamilton Chaney, on May 26, 1979, and also by two sisters and a granddaughter.

He leaves his companion of 6½-years, Esther Everhart, of the home; four sons, Earl and John, both of San Antonio, Tex., and James and William, both of Massillon; two daughters, Mrs. James (Elsie) Addule and Mrs. Paul (Viola) Singer, both of Massillon; 14 grandchildren; one great-grandson; three brothers, Harold and Raymond, both of Arizona, and Ralph of New Philadelphia; and two sisters, Mrs. Clyde (Helen) Roth of Uhrichsville and Mrs. Karl (Audrey) Ashbaugh of New Philadelphia.

Koch Funeral Home in Freeport handled burial arrangements.

Mary Marhover

Mrs. Donald E. (Mary L.) Marhover, 65, of Okeechobe, Fla., died Monday (Feb. 3, 1986). She was formerly of Newcomerstown.

Mrs. Marhover was cafeteria supervisor in the Newcomerstown school system for many years before moving to Florida.

In addition to her husband, she leaves a son, Donald E. Jr. of West Palm Beach, Fla., a daughter, Norma J. West of North Palm Beach, Fla.; a brother, John Martin of Canton; a sister, Georginna Koner of Okeechobe; and two grandchildren.

Private services and burial were held in North Palm Beach.

Robert Bush

COSHOCTON — Robert E. Bush, 65, of 825 S. Second St., Coshocton, was found dead in his home Tuesday following an apparent heart attack.

He was born in Coshocton, a son of Mary Wilson Bush of Coshocton and the late Zackariah Bush. He graduated from Coshocton High School in 1938 and was a construction worker for Hathaway Inc. for 25 years before retiring in 1980. He was a life member of the Coshocton County Sportsman's Club, the National Rifle Association and was a former member of the Coshocton County REACT team. He was a Navy veteran of World War II, serving in the Pacific.

In addition to his mother, he leaves two daughters, Mrs. Deborah West of Coshocton and Mrs. Russell (Doris) Turner of Fairfield; two sons, David R. and Dale Eugene, both of Coshocton; two sisters, Mrs. Paul (Louise) Jones of Newcomerstown and Mrs. George (Margaret) Waller of West Lafayette; two brothers, Charles and William Bush, both of Coshocton; 13 grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Friday at Given-Dawson Funeral Home with the Rev. Dennis Rinehart officiating. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens.

Ida Reigle

Ida Reigle, 92, died Feb. 9 at Manor Care Nursing Center in Barberton. Born in Coshocton Co. Jan. 15, 1894, Grace and Truth Church in Wadsworth. very active in World Gospel Mission Society. leaves son, Irvin R. of Uniontown; four grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren; and one great-great grandchild. Services were Renner's United Church of Christ, 1 p.m. Thursday. Officiating REv. Wayne LaFollette. Calling hours Wednesday at Stampfle Funeral Home in Akron. Burial will be in Renner's United Church of Christ Cemetery in Bakersville.

Wed., April 9, 1986

Ray Earl Ross

Ray Earl Ross, 82, of State Route 258 (Port Washington R.D. 2) died suddenly Monday (March 24, 1986) at his residence.

He was born May 7, 1903, in Ashland County, a son of the late Morenzo and May Saddler Ross. Mr. Ross was in the farming and pulp wood business most of his adult life and was a member of Ashland County Brethern Church.

He leaves his wife, Gladys Maple Ross, whom he married in 1961; two sons, Dean Ross of the home and Donald Ross of Ashland R.D. 3; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. One daughter and three brothers are deceased.

Graveside services and burial were at 2 p.m. Thursday at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown with William Scott officiating. No visiting hours were scheduled. Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown handled arrangements.

Thelma E. Dakin

Thelma E. Dakin, 68, of Drakesboro R.D. 2, Ky., formerly of Newcomerstown R.D. 3, died Saturday (April 5, 1986) at Muhlenburg Community Hospital in Drakesboro.

She was born Dec. 7, 1917, in Elizabeth, W.Va., daughter of the late Harley and Cora Lott Cline. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Elizabeth, W.Va.

Her husband, Aubrey Dakin, died Jan. 9, 1976. Mrs. Dakin leaves four sons, Charles and Gary Dakin, both of Newcomerstown R.D. 3, Darrell Dakin of Drakesboro, Ky., and Harley Dakin of Newcomerstown R.D. 2; two daughters, Mrs. Frank (Eva) Brandon of Selsbe, Texas, and Mrs. James (Jeanette) Beaber of Edna, Texas; four sisters, Mrs. Clara Sims of Parkersburg, W.Va., Mrs. Virginia Beringer of San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. Donald (Dorothy) Skeen of Hanoverton and Mrs. Doyle (Marie) Lockhart of Palestine, W.Va.; 23 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren. One daughter and one son are deceased.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Full Gospel Temple church in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Roger Bourne officiating. Burial was in Pleasant View Cemetery.

Wed., May 14, 1986

Hazel R. Hawkins

Hazel R. Hawkins, 74, of 70563 Norwalk Road, Kimbolton, died at 8:30 p.m. Sunday (May 3, 1986) in Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Hawkins was born Sept. 7, 1911, in Iowa, the daughter of the late Walter and Nettie Bell Ross Worthing. She was a member of Mt. Herman United Presbyterian Church.

Her husband, Homer J. Hawkins, died in 1984. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Russell (Marie) Kennedy of Senecaville and Mrs. Charles (Betty) Hashman of Kimbolton R.D. 1; a sister, Mrs. George (Lucille) Snoots of New Concord; seven grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Services were May 6 at Bundy-Law Funeral Home with Dr. James Rila officiating. Burial was in Mt. Herman Cemetery.

Willard Clarke

Willard Clarke, 71, a former resident of Newcomerstown, died Jan. 4, 1986 at his home in Little Rock, Ark.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clarke who owned and operated a grocery store on Bridge St., Newcomerstown, for several years.

Surviving are his son, Danny Clarke, Cape Coral, Fla.; his twin brother, Walter of El Cajon, Calif.; another brother, Don of Bonita Springs, Fla., and one sister, Mrs. Red Ferrell, also of Cape Coral.

Wed., April 16, 1986

Charles Frank Cunningham

BRYAN, OH. — Charles Francis Cunningham, 68, of 209 E. Catherine St., West Unity, died Monday (April 7, 1986) in Bryan Community Hospital in Bryan, Ohio.

He was born June 26, 1917, in Tuscarawas County, the son of Anna McCoy and Charles Francis Cunningham. He lived in Newcomerstown before moving to the West Unity area in 1956.

A 1952 graduate of The Ohio State University, Mr. Cunningham had been a vocational agriculture teacher in Oakwood and New Concord. He served as head of the Soil Conservation Services of Williams County for 22 years, retiring in 1983. He was a member of the West Unity United Methodist Church, a Deputy of the Williams County Grange, a member of the Brady Grange 2164, a member of the Soil Conservation Society of America, member and past president of the West Unity Lions Club (voted as Lion of the Year in 1984), Masonic groups including the Twelve High of Bryan, Newcomerstown Lone Star Lodge 175 F&AM, 32nd Degree Mason, Zenobia Shrine AAONMS of Toledo, and the Northwest Shrine Club. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army Air Corps for 3½ years. On May 3, 1941, he married Lethel (Rhoads) Cunningham.

In addition to his wife, he leaves four sons, James of California, Mo., Allen of Hopkins, S.C., and Kerry and Robert of West Unity; one daughter, Mrs. Carol Fisher of Wichita, Kan.; and 12 grandchildren. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother, Walter Cunningham.

Services were Wednesday, April 9, at the West Unity United Methodist Church with the Rev. James A. Groves officiating. Burial was in the Floral Grove Cemetery, West Unity. Preferred memorials were to the Friendly Hills Grange Camp or the Lions Club. Masonic services were conducted in the Hollingshead Funeral Home in West Unity by Superior Lodge 179 F&AM.

Altha B. Johnson

Altha B. Johnson, 90, of 1303 Beckett Ave., Cambridge, died at 1:23 p.m. Saturday (April 12, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born Nov. 10, 1895, in Linton Township, Coshocton County, daughter of the late James R. and Isabell McKaig Carnes. She was a member of the Bird's Run Baptist Church and the Bird's Run Grange.

Her husband, George Walter Johnson, died Nov. 20, 1975. She leaves three sons, J. Harold Johnson of Plainfield, Raymond W. Johnson of Cambridge and Donald W. Johnson of Mount Vernon; one foster daughter, Nancy Rose of Newcomerstown; 30 grandchildren; 50 great-grandchildren; several great-great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Two sons, one daughter, one brother and two sisters are deceased.

Friends were to be able to call Tuesday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge, where services will be Wednesday at 1 p.m. with the Rev. Dwight Lyons officiating. Burial will be in Plainfield Cemetery.

Yulah Grace

Yulah Lindell Grace, 69, of 814 Mill St., Newcomerstown, died Saturday (April 5, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital, Cambridge.

She was born Dec. 4, 1916, at Cambridge, daughter of the late William and Lillian Farnsworth Miller. She attended the Scripture Holiness Church in Newcomerstown.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Joe (Darlene) Pena of Port Washington and Mrs. William (Patricia) Ray of Houston, Texas; and five grandchildren. One grandchild is deceased.

Services were to be Tuesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown, with the Rev. William Gamble officiating. Burial was to be in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wed., Apr. 16, 1986

Barbara McCullough

Services were 11 a.m. Monday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown for Barbara McCullough, 37, of East State Road, Newcomerstown, who died Friday evening (April 11, 1986) at Aultman Hospital in Canton following a six-month illness. The Rev. Carolyn Mann officiated at the services. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

She was born Oct. 5, 1948, in Coshocton County, a daughter of Myrtle Phillabaum Lewis of Keene and the late Ross Lewis. She was a member of the Keene United Methodist Church. In addition to her mother, she leaves her husband, David McCullough, to whom she was married on Nov. 27, 1971; five sisters; and three brothers. One brother is deceased.

Roger B. Gray

Roger B. Gray, 70, of 72631 Broadhead Road, Kimbolton, died at 2:41 p.m. Friday (April 11, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

He was born March 17, 1916, in Guernsey County, a son of Charles and Amanda Whitaker Gray. Mr. Gray was the owner-operator of the Birmingham General Store for nearly 40 years. He was a Baptist by faith.

He leaves his wife, Faye Weekley Gray; three sons, John R. Gray of Shreve, Charles T. Gray of Wooster, and Dan Gray of Guernsey; a daughter, Mrs. Wayne (Judy) Doane of Pasadena, Md.; two brothers, Charles Gray of Arizona and Chester Gray of Plainfield; two sisters, Mrs. James (Goldie) Ross of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Tyressa Hursey of New Philadelphia; 10 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Four brothers are deceased.

Services were Monday at Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Melvin Browning officiating. Burial was in Clearfork Cemetery.

Gerald Eckfield

Gerald (Jerry) Eckfield, 57 of Medina, a former resident of Newcomerstown R.D. 2, died Saturday (April 12, 1986) at his home following a three year illness.

He was born March 19, 1929 in Akron, son of the late Robert Eckfield and Laura Vierheller Jones who survives in Greenville S.C. He was employed at Eckfield Rest Home of Medina and served with U.S. Airforce. A member of VFW post at Richfield.

Besides his mother, he leaves his wife, Doris Williams Eckfield; a son, Robert F. Eckfield of Medina; two daughters, Patricia Samkas of Cleveland and Cynthia Wright of Medina; a step-son, John Perrot of Strongsville; one half-sister, Mary Ann Slattery of Greenville S.C.; eight grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Calling hours were to be from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the services to be Wednesday at 2 p.m. with Rev. William Feldt officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery, Port Washington. Military services will be conducted at the gravesite.

Wed., April 23, 1986

Geneva H. Howard

Mrs. Geneva H. Howard, 95, a resident of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown, a former resident of Newcomerstown and Akron died late Wednesday (April 9, 1986) at the Center after an extended illness.

She was born Oct. 4, 1890, in Kent, daughter of the late George and Emma Mizer Everhart. A housewife and homemaker all her life, she was also employed at the Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. in Akron from 1929 to 1942.

Mrs. Howard was a member of Wolf-Salem United Methodist Church, Daughters of America, the former Pythian Society of Newcomerstown, Blue Star Mothers, Newcomerstown Senior Citizens Club, and a life member of Buckhorn Grange.

Her husband, Robert F. Howard, died in 1973. She leaves one son, Paul Howard, of Akron; two daughters, Mrs. Roberta Watters and Mrs. Mary Ruth Lutes, both of Akron; one brother, Paul Everhart of Dover; 10 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandson. She was preceded in death by three sons, two daughters, two sisters, three brothers, one grandson, and one granddaughter.

Services were Saturday, April 12, at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ethel Reese officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Etta E. Dawson

Etta E. Dawson, 85, of 419 E. State St., Newcomerstown, died Monday (April 14, 1986) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

She was born Dec. 8, 1900, in Tuscarawas County, a daughter of the late Playford Bliss and Mary Jane Touts. Mrs. Dawson was a housewife and homemaker. On July 3, 1918, she married Clarence Dawson, who died June 8, 1968.

She leaves her daughter, Mrs. Robert (Janice) Maxwell of Newcomerstown; a brother, Frank Bliss of Newcomerstown R.D. 2; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. One brother and a sister are deceased.

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

Clifford L. Stahl

Clifford L. Stahl, 57, of 303 Nugent St., Newcomerstown, died late Tuesday morning (April 15, 1986) at University Hospital in Columbus following a six week illness.

He was born July 2, 1928, in Leadmine, W. Va., a son of Ross Stahl of Newcomerstown R.D. 1 and the late Gladys Fansler Stahl. Mr. Stahl was an employee of Simonds Cutting Tool of Newcomerstown, where he worked for over 40 years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army.

His wife, Peggy Wright Stahl, preceded him in death on Feb. 13, 1979. In addition to his father, he leaves two sons, Terry L. Stahl of Middlefield and Steven A. Wright of Dover; a sister, Mrs. Milford (Imogene) Hart of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; two brothers, Vernon Stahl of Port Washington and Gerald Stahl of Canton; and three grandchildren.

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

Chester O. Lehman

Chester O. Lehman, 76, of 432 S. Spaulding Ave., Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (April 16, 1986) at his home.

Services were Saturday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Donald Glasgow officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Masonic services were held Friday.

Mr. Lehman was born Sept. 30, 1909, in Newcomerstown, son of the late William J. Lehman and Sarah Marlatt. He was married May 14, 1934, to Mark Kate Sells, who survives. He retired from Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown and was a member of the First Baptist Church, where he was a deacon and Sunday School teacher. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Newcomerstown and a former member of the Newcomerstown Board of Public Affairs.

He was preceded in death by one grandchild, one brother, and one sister. Besides his wife, he leaves three sons, Cliff of Newcomerstown, Ron of Chagrin Falls, and Bill of the U.S. Army in the Netherlands; two sisters, Mrs. Carl (Eithel) Peoples of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Brooks (Betty) Valls of Houston, Tex.; one brother, Ralph D. Lehman of Uhrichsville; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Contributions could be made to the American Red Cross, the American Cancer Society, or First Baptist Church.

Alberta Tedrick

Mrs. Delbert (Alberta) Tedrick, 87, of West Lafayette Care Center and former resident of 221 Chestnut St., Newcomerstown, died Wednesday evening (March 26, 1986) at the center following a short illness.

She was born Aug. 30, 1898, in Frazeytsburg, daughter of the late Zed and Margaret Spinks Lindell. Mrs. Tedrick was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of Christ and was a housewife and homemaker all her adult life.

Her husband, Delbert C. Tidrick, preceded her in death on Aug. 25, 1969. Two daughters, one great-granddaughter and several brothers and sisters are also deceased. She leaves five sons, George Tidrick, Eugene Tidrick, Delbert Tidrick Jr. of New Philadelphia, Robert Tidrick of LaHarpe, Kan., and Melvin Tidrick of Newcomerstown; four daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Watson and Mrs. Janice Miller, both of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Beverly Perkins of North Olmsted and Doris Tidrick of West Lafayette; 36 grandchildren and 68 great-grandchildren.

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

Editor's note — This obituary was inadvertently omitted from a previous issue of the Newcomerstown News. The News regrets the error.

Wed., May 7, 1986

Former mayor dies here

Dilfred O. Beiter, 78, of 340 East Gate Ave., Newcomerstown, a former mayor of Newcomerstown, died at his residence Sunday morning (May 4, 1986) of complications following lung surgery.

He was born July 24, 1907, in Newcomerstown, son of the late Otto J. and Sylvia Mae Reed Beiter. Mr. Beiter was owner of Beiter Monuments until he sold the business in 1965. He was also employed by Stevenson Memorials Inc. in New Philadelphia. A 1925 graduate of Newcomerstown High School, he was a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown, past president of the Newcomerstown Lions Club, past exalted ruler of BPOE Lodge 1555 in Newcomerstown, a member of the Elks Ohio Championship Degree Team, Lone Star Lodge No. 175 F&AM Lodge in Newcomerstown, Scottish Rite Valley of Cambridge and a former member of the Aladdin Shrine Temple in Columbus.

He served as mayor of Newcomerstown from Jan. 1958 to 1960. He also was a former member of the Newcomerstown Cemetery Board, where he was instrumental in designing "Companion Gardens" and "Babyland" at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown.

Mr. Beiter leaves his wife, Lucille I. Frye Beiter, to whom he was married on Aug. 21, 1929; one son, Jack Dilfred Beiter of New Philadelphia; and one granddaughter. One granddaughter is deceased.

Friends were to be able to call Tuesday from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown and until the time of services on Wednesday. Services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial will be in West Lawn Cemetery. Masonic services were to be 5:45 p.m. Tuesday.

Ida May Ortt

Mrs. Ida May Ortt, 68, of 300 W. Church St., Newcomerstown, died Monday (April 28, 1986) at the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown following a short illness.

She was born Aug. 22, 1917, in Coshocton County, a daughter of the late Herbert and Evelyn D. Hood Salrin. Mrs. Ortt was co-owner and manager of Ortt Furniture Store in Newcomerstown and former manager of the Newcomerstown TV Cable System office. She was a member of Beta Sigma Pi Sorority.

She leaves her husband, Oliver G. Ortt, whom she married Sept. 3, 1940; two daughters, Mrs. Gordon (Dianne) Ames of Coshocton and Mrs. Roger (Sharon) Bradshaw of Avon Park, Fla.; and five grandchildren. One brother and a sister are deceased.

Services were Thursday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Lee Fetters officiating. Burial was in East State Street Cemetery.

Ruth M. Stansbery

Ruth M. Stansbery, 62, of 148 Chapman Ave., Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (April 30, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born Jan. 27, 1924, in Canton, a daughter of the late Charles and Beatrice Young Plastow. A housewife, Mrs. Stansbery was a member of the Church of the Nazarene in Newcomerstown.

She leaves her husband, Max G. Stansbery, whom she married Oct. 16, 1958; her son, Carl A. Boswell of Dover; one daughter Mrs. Randy (Carol) Ford of West Lafayette; three stepchildren, Michael Stansbery of Youngstown, Susan Stansbery of Columbus and Mrs. Mike (Sandra) Buckland of Akron; a sister, Miriam Stalheber of Canton; six grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

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

Wed., May 14, 1986

Ruth Medley

Ruth Medley, 66, of 1122 W. State St., Newcomerstown, died Monday (May 5, 1986) at her home.

She was born May 15, 1919, in Newcomerstown, a daughter of Beulah Pierce Patterson of Newcomerstown and the late Daniel Patterson. Mrs. Medley and her husband operated the Oxford Cleaners and the Medley Insurance Agency.

In addition to her mother, she leaves her husband, William Medley, whom she married Jan. 25, 1945; two sons, Dan Froelich and David Medley, both of Newcomerstown; a daughter, Sue Ann Medley of Newcomerstown; two brothers, Robert of Newcomerstown and David of West Lafayette; four sisters, Mrs. Clarence (June) Miller, Mrs. Ralph (Martha) Tilton and Mrs. Glenn (Barbara) Bricker, all of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Don (Carol) Silverthorn of Jackson and three grandchildren. Two brothers and a sister are deceased.

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

John Barker

John Barker, 86, 473 Heller Drive, Newcomerstown, died Sunday (May 11, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born April 3, 1900, in Elizabeth, W.Va., a son of John and Margaret Watson Barker. He was retired from Simonds Cutting Tool, Newcomerstown, and was a former bus driver for Newcomerstown schools.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ethel Belt, who died Aug 22, 1981, one son, two brothers, six sisters, three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He leaves five daughters, Mrs. Rosalie Hardesty; Mrs. Kenneth (June) Gardner; Mrs. Tom (Eileen) Hall; Mrs. William (Peggy) Greathouse; Mrs. Ralph (Midge) Lewis all of Newcomerstown; six sons, Jack Cunningham, Newcomerstown; Williard Cunningham, West Lafayette; Alfred Cunningham, Newark; Wayne Belt, Newark; Howard Barker, Arizona; Virgil Barker, Clarksburg, W.Va.; 37 grandchildren and 38 great-grandchildren.

Friends were to be able to call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Addy Funeral Home, Newcomerstown, where services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday with Rev. Nelson Miller officiating. Burial will be at Cochocton Memory Gardens.

Sherman infant

NEWCOMERSTOWN — Word has been received of the death of Lacey Nicole Sherman, three-month old daughter of Kenny and Karen Wise Sherman of Austin, Tex., formerly of Newcomerstown.

The infant died May 1 at the home. She was born Jan. 31, 1986 and had been ill since birth.

In addition to her parents, she leaves a brother, Travis, of the home and her grandparents, Bill and Ruth Wise of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Grace Sherman of Coshocton.

Funeral services were held in Texas.

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Reba M. Harrison

Services for Reba M. Harrison, 87, Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, formerly of 434 Heller Drive, were Monday at Addy Funeral Home with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Harrison died Thursday (May 15, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born Dec. 2, 1898, in Newcomerstown, a daughter of the late Alpheus Rogers and Emma Creighton. Mrs. Harrison was a housewife. She married her husband, Charles E. Harrison, in October, 1921. He died April 11, 1942.

She leaves two daughters, Joy Stocker and Mrs. John (Kathryn) Debevec, both of New Philadelphia; a sister, Mrs. Mary Smith of Newcomerstown; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. One son and a brother are deceased.

Dollie L. Carson

Dollie L. Carson, 58, of Sand Fork, W.Va., died May 9 of congestive heart failure.

Born June 29, 1927, at Gilmer County, W.Va., she was a daughter of the late Samuel H. and Sudie Richards Carson.

She resided in Newcomerstown from 1952-1961, teaching typing, business and English at Newcomerstown High School. From 1961-1982 she lived in Bedford, O., and taught business at Bedford High School. She was forced into early retirement in 1982 by an asthma condition.

Survivors include a sister, Emma Carson Cutright, Newcomerstown; a brother, Howard, Clendenin, W.Va.; and a half-brother, Carl Sharps, Terra Alta, W.Va. She also leaves two nieces, Susie Hart, Port Washington, and Nancy Orr, Newcomerstown, and great-nephews, Adam C. Hart and Jonathan M. Orr.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by three brothers, a half-brother and a sister.

Services and burial were in Sand Fork with Spurgeon-Ellyson Funeral Home handling arrangements.

Lyla I. Smith

Services for Lyla I. Smith, 60, of 226 S. River St., Newcomerstown, were Monday at Addy Funeral Home. Burial was in Everal's Cemetery. Mrs. Smith died Thursday (May 15, 1986) at her home.

She was born April 20, 1926, in Tuscarawas County, daughter of Thomas E. Smith and Elizabeth Peebles. She was a housewife and a member of Calvary United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Charles S. Smith, whom she married in November, 1944, died Feb. 20, 1963. She leaves a brother, Carl Smith of Newcomerstown; and two sisters, Mrs. Grace Tuttle of Newark and Mrs. Edward (Barbara) Heimbush of Newcomerstown. A brother and a sister are deceased.

Elmo Clemens

Elmo Clemens, 73, died Wednesday (May 14, 1986) at his home in Dade City, Fla., following a long illness.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Alta Bogart Clemens; two daughters, Margie Anne Monroe of Miami, Fla., and Sharon Fischer of New Lenox, Ill.; two sons, Jack of South Lyon, Mich. and George Clemens of Newcomerstown, Ohio; 12 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. One son, James, is deceased.

Services and interment were held Monday, May 19, at the former home in Michigan. Arrangements and calling hours were handled at the Richardson-Bird Funeral Home, Pontiac Trail, Walled Lake, Mich.

Wed. June 10, 1986

Mrs. Kathryn Jane March

CAMBRIDGE — Mrs. Kathryn Jane March, 62, of 714 Wall Ave., died at 11:10 p.m. Wednesday (June 3, 1987) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born Jan. 22, 1925, in Tiverton Twp., Coshocton County, daughter of the late George L. and Hattie Mildred Strouse Myers. She was a member of East Cambridge Church of God.

On Nov. 1, 1941, she married Glen F. March, who died on April 14, 1977. Besides her parents and husbands, she was preceded in death by one brother.

She leaves two sons, Robert Lee March of Zanesville and Michael A. March of Worcester, Mass.; two daughters, Mrs. Mike (Glenda Kathryn) Pitts of Columbus and Mrs. Robert (Ruth Ann) Cornelius of Cambridge; two brothers, Gene Myers of Newcomerstown and Sam Myers of Coshocton; one sister, Mrs. Mort (Betty) Clonch of Athens; two half-brothers, George Myers of Florida and Louis Myers of California; 11 grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Services were Saturday at Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with Michael L. Vierheller officiating. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens.

A. Vernon Draher

A. Vernon Draher, formerly of this area, died May 30, 1987.

He was born Aug. 27, 1902, son of the late Charles and Ida Schlupp Draher. He worked for Sterling Faucet while it was located in Newcomerstown and then moved with the company when it relocated in Morgantown, W. Va. He retired after 40-years of service.

He first married Mary Scavariello, who died five days after giving birth to their son, Dennis C. Draher, now of San Diego, Calif. Dennis Draher now has four children. Mr. Draher then married Daisy Bolyard and had a son, Arthur, now deceased, and a daughter, Kathryn Hedger, who now has three children in Powhatan Point, Ohio.

In addition to his wife, son and daughter, Mr. Draher leaves one sister, M. Frances Coutts of West Lafayette; one half-brother, Donald, of Somerdale; and several nieces and nephews. Two brothers and one sister preceded him in death.

Matthew Eric Campbell

Matthew Eric Campbell, two-month-old infant son of David Wylie and Stacy Ann Campbell, died at 8:30 a.m. Monday (June 1, 1987) at his home at 74359 Early Road, Guernsey. He had been born April 9, 1987.

In addition to his parents, he leaves maternal grandparents, Penny Campbell of Guernsey and Stanley Campbell of Pleasant City; paternal grandparents, Mrs. Donald (Hariett) Webber of Derwent and Jerry Wylie of Newcomerstown; maternal great-grandmother, Lucille Campbell of Pleasant City; and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Services were Wednesday at the Thorn Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Edward G. Stephenson officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery in Byesville.

Roland Sweitzer

Roland "Tuck" Sweitzer, 71, of 526 Tuscarawas Ave., Newcomerstown, died Saturday, June 14, 1986, at Guernsey Memorial Hospital after a one-year illness.

He was born in Coshocton County, a son of the late Hattie Sweitzer Gadd. He was a member of the Moose Lodge and a retired employee of the Newcomerstown Water Department.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Harold (Betty) Temple of Newcomerstown; two grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and a friend, Lena Balik, of Newcomerstown. A sister is deceased.

Services were Tuesday, June 17, at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William Calvert officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Isaac L. Marlatt

Isaac L. Marlatt, 79, of Coshocton, died Monday (July 21, 1986) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown following a lengthy illness.

He was born Dec. 30, 1906, in Columbus, a son of Isaac H. and Mae McPeek Marlatt. He was a retired employee of the North American Rockwell Corp. in Columbus. A veteran of World War II, he served in the U.S. Army Air Force. He was a member of Lone Star Lodge 175 in Newcomerstown and a member of Scottish Rite, Valley of Cambridge. He was also a member of the Aladdin Temple Shrine, Columbus.

He leaves a brother, Lorin Marlatt of Canton, and several nieces and nephews. Three sisters and a brother are deceased.

Services were Thursday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce Weaver officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette. Masonic services were held Wednesday. Memorial contributions could be made to the American Cancer Society or a favorite charity.

Paul Sullivan

Paul Robert Sullivan, Sr., 58, of Umitilla, Fla., formerly of Newcomerstown, was electrocuted at his job Monday with the Calabron Co. of Lake Mary, Fla., where he had worked for four years.

He was born at Barnesville, a son of Jessie Myers Sullivan of Barnesville and the late John Sullivan. He was a former Port Washington policeman and worked for 13½ years at Kurz-Kasch, Inc., in Newcomerstown. He also worked several years at Dover Molded Products Co. in Dover. He was a member of the Elks Lodge.

He leaves his wife, the former Ann L. Murphy, whom he married in June, 1953; four sons, Jack of Sugarcreek, Dale of Gnadenhutten, Charles and Paul, Jr., of Umitilla; a daughter, Joyce Schwartz of Deland, Fla.; a sister, Nora Martin of Barnesville; a brother, William of Barnesville; and 11 grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at Byer Funeral Home in Umitilla. Burial was in Lakeside Memory Gardens in Eustis, Fla.

Wenesday Allette Burdette

Wenesday Allette Burdette, one-day-old daughter of E. Shawn and Collette Gardner Burdette of 524 Newport Ave., Uhrichsville, died July 8, 1986, at Aultman Hospital in Canton.

In addition to her parents, she leaves a brother, Ethaniel, and a sister, Carly, of the home. She also leaves grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl (Carol) Gardner of Newcomerstown and Everett S. Burdette and Nancy Burdette of Uhrichsville; great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur (Dorothy) Mobley of Newcomerstown, Mr. and Mrs. Carl (Hazel) Gardner of Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Blanche Burdette of Dennison.

Graveside services were Saturday, July 12, with the Rev. Randy Mullens officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wed., June 4, 1986

Clara Stilgenbauer

Services for Clara Stilgenbauer, 93, of Coshocton Health Care Center, who died Thursday (May 29, 1986) at the center, were Monday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Wilber Stell of Baltic officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery in West Lafayette.

She was born Aug. 23, 1892, in Coshocton County, a daughter of the late Jacob and Emma Hothem Huffman. Mrs. Stilgenbauer was a member of Renner's Church.

On Oct 6, 1915, she was married to Jacob Stilgenbauer who died April 9, 1961. Four brothers, a sister and a grandson are also deceased. She leaves her son, Robert Stilgenbauer of Los Angeles, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Willis (Dorothea) Rehard of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Lloyd (Evelyn) Steinebrey of Sugarcreek; four sisters, Mrs. Nettie Warren and Mrs. Lena Thomas, both of West Lafayette, Mrs. Bernard (Edna) Swigert of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Floyd (Emma) Young of Baltic; 11 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Reba M. Harrison

Services for Reba M. Harrison, 87, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, formerly of 434 Heller Drive, Newcomerstown, who died Thursday (May 15, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital, were at 1 p.m. Monday, May 19, at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

She was born Dec. 2, 1898, in Newcomerstown, a daughter of the late Alpheus Rogers and Emma Creighton. Mrs. Harrison was a housewife. Her husband, Charles E. Harrison, whom she married in October, 1921, died April 11, 1942.

She leaves two daughters, Joy Stocker and Mrs. John (Kathryn) Debevec, both of New Philadelphia; a sister, Mrs. Mary Smith of Newcomerstown; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. One son and a brother are deceased.

Forest K. Young

A former Newcomerstown resident, Forest K. Young, 92, died Wednesday (May 28, 1986) in Visalia, Calif.

A daughter of the late Oliver and Lily Curby Kinsey, she was born Jan. 6, 1894, and was preceded in death several years ago by her husband, Joe S. Young.

Services and burial were held in Farmersville, Calif.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Lois Phipps, 401 N. Camelia St., Farmersville; a grandson, James Phipps; and one sister, Mrs. Frederic (Olive) Zimmer of Magnolia.

Wed., Aug., 27, 1986

Ernest Stephenson

Services for Ernest Stephenson, 72, of 109 N. High Street, Port Washington, were Tuesday, Aug. 12, at St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Port Washington with the Rev. William Fledt officiating.

Mr. Stephenson died Saturday (Aug. 9, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital. He was buried at Union Cemetery in Port Washington. Arrangements were handled by Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown.

Mr. Stephenson was born Sept. 7, 1913, in Buffalo, a son of the late Kempt and Mirtie Newman Stephenson. He was a member of St. Paul's United Church of Christ and a member of the Port Washington town council for several years. He was a retired employee of Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown, where he was employed for 35 years.

He leaves his wife, Gladys Moore Stephenson, whom he married June 3, 1938; three daughters, Mrs. Richard (Patsy) Watson of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Robert (Virginia) Thornton of Port Washington, and Mrs. Charles (Sandra) Mayse of Newcomerstown; three brothers, Guy and George of Buffalo, and Carl of Pageland, S.C.; two sisters, Gertrude Tidrick of Miami, Fla., and Della Brown of Pageland, S.C.; 11 grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter. Five brothers are deceased.

Wed., Aug. 27, 1986

Grady C. Woodring, Sr.

Grady C. Woodring, Sr., 42, of 143½ Main St., Newcomerstown, was killed in a single-vehicle accident on County Road 24 in Jefferson Twp. Sunday, Aug. 17, that also injured his two sons.

State patrolmen said Grady Woodring, Jr., 18, was driving a pickup north on County Road 24 when it went off the road on a curve and overturned, rolling into a ditch and striking a fence. All three occupants were thrown from the truck. Woodring, Jr., was treated at Union Hospital for injuries while the other passenger, 12-year-old Tyrone Woodring remained hospitalized in poor condition as a result of his injuries.

The elder Woodring was self-employed and was a member of the American Legion in Newcomerstown and a six-year member of the National Guard.

He was born July 4, 1944, in Watauga, N.C., a son of Thomas C. and Luvine Tribette Woodring, Boone, N.C. In addition to his parents and two sons, he leaves his wife, Carolyn Tester Woodring, whom he married July 10, 1986; two daughters, Peggy Woodring, Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Norman (Tammy) Mattress of Freeport R.D. 1; three step-daughters, Diane Coffey, Susan Coffey, and Crystal Coffey, all of Newcomerstown; four brothers, Paul, Garnie, and Charlie, all of Bakersville, and Donley of Newcomerstown; a sister, Mrs. Gilbert (Virginia) Dunnivan of Madison, Va.; and two granddaughters. Two sisters are deceased.

Services were Thursday at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William Estes officiating. Burial was in Fresno Cemetery.

Roger D. Bernardo

COSHOCTON — Roger D. Bernardo, 23, of 763 S. Sixth St., Coshocton, died Monday (August 11, 1986) at Grant Hospital in Columbus, where he was taken with head injuries received when he fell from the bed of a pickup truck on the night of Aug. 9.

He was born in Coshocton and resided with his father, Russ Bernardo. His mother is deceased. He was a guitarist with a local band, The Grinders.

In addition to his father, he leaves three sisters, Linda VanDusen of Newcomerstown, Martha King of Columbus, and Gloria Cooperider of Florida; a brother, Randall of Coshocton; and two half-brothers, James and Jeffrey Bernardo of Newcomerstown. A sister is also deceased.

Services were Aug. 15 at Given-Dawson Funeral Home with John Gray officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery, Newcomerstown.

Marion E. Green

Marion E. Green, 78, 602 E. Canal St. Newcomerstown, died Monday afternoon (Aug. 18, 1986) at the Bell Nursing Home in Kimbolton following a short illness.

He was born July 17, 1908, in Center Point, Ind., a son of the late John D. and Rebecca Jane Milligan Green. Mr. Green was a retired coal miner.

His wife, Dorothy Varner Green, whom he married May 31, 1927, died in 1976. Four brothers, five daughters and three sons also preceded him in death.

He leaves three daughters, Mrs. Eugene (Rose) Crosby, Reynoldsburg; Mrs. Wendell (Norma) Landis, Newcomerstown and Mrs. Ray (Sally) Griffith, Gnadenuhthen; three sons, Lester Green, Sugar Creek; William Green, New Philadelphia and John Green, Bradenton, Fla.; three sisters, Mrs. Charles (Lillian) Haver, Stone Creek, Mary Ritchey and Bessie Greene, both of Indianapolis; 25 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown, with Pastor Carlan Helgeson officiating. Burial was in Stone Creek Cemetery.

Mrs. M. Elizabeth McCune

Mrs. Logan (M. Elizabeth "Libbie") McCune, 83, formerly of 425 Wood Ave., Newcomerstown, died Monday (Sept. 15, 1986), at 4:55 a.m. at Coshoc-ton Health Care Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born Oct. 28, 1902, in Plainfield, a daughter of the late Albert Johnson "Dick" Ruby and Ruey Myers Ruby. She was employed for 23 years at Heller Tools in Newcomerstown and was married Sept. 21, 1939 to Logan McCune, who died in 1959.

She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Homer (Florence) Dennis of Guernsey R.D. 2 and Mrs. Paul (Myrinda) Hayes of 151 Chestnut St., Newcomerstown; one nephew and two nieces. Two brothers and one sister are deceased.

Services were Thursday at Free Funeral Home in Coshoc-ton with the Rev. Doug Watts officiating. Burial was in Plainfield Cemetery. Family members said contributions can be made to a favorite charity.

Estella C. Wiandt

Estella C. Wiandt, 91, formerly of Neighbor Street, Newcomerstown, died Saturday (Sept. 13, 1986) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born May 12, 1895, in West Virginia, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Bean. A homemaker, she was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, the Lutheran Church Women, and a 50-year member of the Oriental Chapter of Eastern Star.

She was married to L.M. Wiandt on May 17, 1921. He died Dec. 9, 1981. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Fred (Dorothy) Schmidt of Port Richey, Fla.; one brother, Clarence Bean of Port Richey, Fla.; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. One brother and two sisters are deceased.

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

James Robert Wiand

Services for James Robert Wiand, 73, of 1244 W. Main St., Ashland, were Wednesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Emil P. Simon officiating. Burial was at Union Cemetery in Port Washington. Masonic Lodge services were held Tuesday.

Mr. Wiand, a former resident of Port Washington, died Sunday afternoon (Sept. 14, 1986) at Samaritan Hospital in Ashland. He was a member of the Association of Secondary School Principals, and the National Retired Teachers Association. He also was a member of the Port Washington Masonic Lodge 202 and Frys Valley Moravian Church. A veteran of the U.S. Navy, he served in the Pacific Fleet in World War II.

He leaves his wife, Clara A. Scipione Wiand of Ashland; three daughters, Mrs. Beverly Joyce Vitarelli of Kensington, Md., Mrs. Lynne Beth Husted of North Lauderdale, Fla., and Lise Marie Wiand of Plantation, Fla.; a son, James Robert Wiand II of Dublin; and five grandchildren. One brother and one sister preceded him in death.

Walter L. Smith

Walter L. Smith, 88, of 1785 Planters Rd., Jacksonville, Fla. a former resident of Newcomerstown, died last Wednesday night, Sept. 17 in Jacksonville Memorial Hospital following a stroke suffered Sept. 14 at his home.

Born Oct. 10, 1897, in Guernsey County, he was a son of the late John A. and Louisa Cappel Smith. He moved to Florida in 1944 and was employed at the Naval Air Force Base in Jacksonville until his retirement in 1965.

He was a member of Peeler United Methodist Church, Jacksonville, and a 32nd Degree Mason.

On Feb. 14, 1924, he married Lillie Forrest Beall, who survives. Also surviving are a son, Milford, a daughter-in-law, Barbara, and a granddaughter, Kathy, of Orlando, Fla.; several nieces and nephews, and a brother-in-law, Walter Beall, Newcomerstown. Two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services were Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Hewell and Son Funeral Home, and interment was made in Jacksonville.

Local, area deaths

Lydia Bodenheimer

Lydia E. Bodenheimer, 89, Newcomerstown R.D. 3, died early Tuesday (Nov. 4, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge after a long illness.

She was born in Tuscarawas County, a daughter of the late Jacob and Mary Buchler Regula. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Her husband, Charles, died April 5, 1974.

She leaves two sons, Floyd and William, of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Helen McCune, Newcomerstown R.D. 1, and Violet Sorg, Hollendale, Fla.; five sisters, Helen and Gladys Regula and Buelah Smith of Zanesville, Faye Spiker of Dover, and Florence Chaney of Newcomerstown; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild. A sister and brother are deceased.

Graveside services were Thursday at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Binkley and the Rev. John Kroll officiating. Ourant Funeral Home handled arrangements. Memorials could be made to the heart, cancer, or diabetes funds.

Local, area deaths

Bessie O. Farnsworth

COSHOCTON — Bessie O. Farnsworth, 93, formerly of Pine Street and Peartree Apartments, Coshocton, died at 11 a.m. Wednesday (Nov. 12, 1986) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital Extended Care Facility following a lengthy illness.

She was born Aug. 23, 1893, in Wheeling Township, Guernsey County, daughter of the late Wilson E. and Emala Thomas Johnson.

Mrs. Farnsworth was a member of First Baptist Church, Coshocton, First Baptist Church Volunteer Gleaners Class and was an honorary deaconess of the church. She was also a 50-year member of the Birds Run Grange.

She married Clinton Farnsworth on Nov. 18, 1914. He died in 1952.

She leaves her son, Eugene (Gene) Farnsworth of Cambridge; five grandchildren, Robert McFarland of Hillsborough, Larry McFarland of San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. Fred (Barbara) Williams of Roscoe, Mrs. Anthony (Janet) Shuck of West Lafayette, and Mrs. Kent (Linda) Pattison of New Concord; nine great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. W.H. (Hattie) Brower of Canton. One daughter, Mrs. Edgar Helen McFarland, a grandson, three brothers, and one sister are deceased.

Services were Saturday at Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. Stephen Crane and the Rev. Willard Guy officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette.

Clarence O. Morris

Clarence O. Morris, 72, formerly of Kimbolton, died at 11 a.m. Sunday (Nov. 9, 1986) at the Maple Wood Nursing Home in Lincoln, Neb.

He was born Dec. 28, 1913, in Akron, son of the late Frank O. and Hazel E. Alexander Morris. A retired farmer, he was a World War II Army veteran and a member of the Kimbolton United Methodist Church.

Mr. Morris leaves one brother, Curtis T. Morris of Lincoln, Neb.; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Wednesday at the Bundy-Law Funeral Home, Cambridge, with the Rev. James Lee officiating. Burial was in Northwood Cemetery.

Herbert L. Wright

TROTWOOD — Word has been received of the death of Herbert Lytton Wright, formerly of Cooperdale, Coshocton County. Mr. Wright died Oct. 15, 1986.

He was born Nov. 19, 1928, in West Bedford, a son of the late Walter L. and Ethel Stockum Wright. Mr. Wright was an excavating contractor for many years and was a member of Operating Engineers Local 18. He was a veteran of World War II, during which time he was chauffeur for Gen. George S. Patton.

He leaves his wife of 36 years, Helen Olt Wright; two sons, Dennis of West Multon and Donald of Trotwood; two daughters, Debra of Kentucky and Donna of the home; three brothers, Charles and Gerald of Canton and Donnison of Parma; and two sisters, Zella Ikerd of Centerville and Mina Dobson of Cambridge. Two sisters, Hazel Hawthorne and Ruth Amore, and three brothers, Russell, Walter Jr. and Arthur, are deceased.

Burial was in Bear Creek Cemetery, Dayton.

Wed., Dec. 3, 1986

Dorothy June Myers

Services for Mrs. Dorothy June Myers, 60, of 446 Oxford Ave., Newcomerstown, were Friday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Fr. Robert Manning officiating. Burial was at West Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Myers died Tuesday morning (Nov. 25, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born Sept. 2, 1926, in Newcomerstown, a daughter of the late Edward and Josephine Peters Eggleston. She was a housewife and homemaker all her adult life.

She leaves her husband, Eldon Ray Myers; seven daughters, Mildred J. Garretson, Gladys Johnson, Shirley D. Kenny, and Beverly Wilkin, all of Newcomerstown, Janet Huff of Newcomerstown R.D. 2, Cathy McIntire of Byesville, and Pamela McMahon of Port Washington; a son, Roger Coutts of Newcomerstown; two brothers, Robert Eggleston and Bernard Eggleston, both of Newcomerstown; two sisters, Margaret Pugh of Newcomerstown and Alfretta Eggleston of Columbus; 19 grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter. Three brothers and two sisters are deceased.

Mrs. Evelyn Riggle

Mrs. Evelyn Marie Riggle, 67, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, died at 5:12 p.m. Saturday (Nov. 22, 1986) at the Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

She was born Jan. 13, 1919, in Coshocton, a daughter of the late Charles and Marie Metzel Hoyt. Mrs. Riggle was a housewife and homemaker. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown, where she belonged to the Rebekah Circle. She was a former member of the Oriental Chapter of Eastern Star, Newcomerstown.

Her husband, C. Myron Riggle, died June 21, 1970. She leaves four sons, David of Pickerington, Steve of Trenton, Mich., Mike of Wooster, and Richard of Valley City; and six grandchildren. One brother and two sisters are deceased.

Services were Tuesday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in South Lawn Cemetery, Coshocton. Memorial donations can be made to the American Cancer Society.

Marvin W. Johns

Marvin W. Johns, 59, of Absecon Highlands, N.J., died Tuesday (Nov. 25, 1986) in Atlantic City after a short illness.

He was born in Port Washington and was an Atlantic County resident in New Jersey for the past 30 years. He was a custodian at Oak Rest High School for 12 years after retiring from U.S. Navy Seabees with 24 years of service.

He leaves his wife, Florence; daughter, Ellen Newman of Absecon Highlands; two sons, Walter E. Johns of Pinehurst, N.J., and Mark Johns of Absecon Highlands; sister, Ruth Gates of Newcomerstown; and two brothers, Curtis Johns and Harold Johns, both of Newcomerstown; and seven grandchildren.

Services were Saturday, Nov. 29, at Parsels Funeral Home in Absecon, N.J. Burial was in the Atlantic County Veterans Cemetery in Estelle Manor, N.J. Memorial donations in Mr. Johns memory can be made to the Atlantic County Division of Parks, in care of Jeff Curtin, R.D. 20, Box 252A, Mays Landing, N.J. 08330.

Wed., Dec. 3, 1986

Charles C. Myers

Charles C. Myers, 79, of 368 E. Canal St., Newcomerstown, died suddenly Friday afternoon (Nov. 28, 1986) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital after suffering from an apparent heart attack at his residence.

He was born Jan. 17, 1907, in Neffs, a son of the late W.C. and Rose L. Gatten Myers. Mr. Myers was a retired employee of the former Warner and Swassey Co. in New Philadelphia, where he had worked for more than 20 years. He was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of Christ.

On Oct. 18, 1934, he married Ann Merrill Myers, who survives.

In addition to his wife, he leaves three daughters, Mrs. Marvin (Dorothea) Johnson of Chicago, Ill., Mrs. William (Barbara) Hopkins of Gahanna, and Mrs. Warren (Sue) Wilson of Newcomerstown R.D. 1; a son, Robert Beasley of Dover; three sisters, Mrs. Grace McCoy of Shadyside, Mrs. James (Leota) Weston of Fort Myers, Fla., and Mrs. John (Nelva) Foust of Newcomerstown; a brother, William Paul Myers of Inkster, Mich.; 18 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. A daughter and a sister also preceded him in death.

Services were Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown, with Evangelist William Hopkins officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

Wed., Dec. 17, 1986

John Malone

WEST LAFAYETTE — John Malone, 96, of West Lafayette, died at the Coshocton County Nursing Home 8 p.m. Sunday (Dec. 14, 1986), following a seven-month illness.

He was born Jan. 16, 1890 in France and, in 1913, came to the United States where he became a citizen in 1922. Mr. Malone was a coal miner in the Byesville area before he moved in 1931 to West Lafayette, where he was employed at the Moore Enameling Co. from which he retired in 1956. He attended the West Lafayette United Methodist Church and was a 50-year member of the Moose lodge.

Mr. Malone was preceded in death by two wives, Clementine Theret Malone, who died in 1928, and Ollie Mitchell Breedon Malone, whom he married in 1931 and who died in 1957. He leaves two sisters who reside in France and two nephews, Raymond T. King and William T. King, both of Cambridge.

Friends were to be able to call 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday and until the 11 a.m. services Wednesday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette. The Rev. William Norman will officiate the services. Burial will be in Northwood Cemetery.

Wed., Dec. 17, 1986

Charles Doll

STONE CREEK — Charles Edward Doll, 45, of Tuscarawas Co. Road 21, died Thursday (Dec. 11, 1986) from injuries received in a farming accident at his parents' farm on Route 751 south of Stone Creek.

According to reports, Mr. Doll was working under a cornpicker when a support failed and the machine fell on him.

Mr. Doll was born at Oberlin, a son of Harrison and Ruth Witwer Doll of Stone Creek. He was a farmer and an employee of Demuth Reclamation and Landscaping at New Philadelphia. He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, a member of the Tuscarawas County Farm Bureau and a 4-H advisor.

In addition to his parents, he leaves his wife, the former Debbie Ann Mattison, whom he married March 24, 1979; two daughters, Rachel Elaine and Mary Elizabeth Doll, both of the home; and two sisters, Mrs. Wilmer (Phyllis) Bryan of Pataskala and Mrs. Chuck (Judy) Scott of Stone Creek.

Services were Sunday at Zion Lutheran Church with the Rev. Joy Greenwalt officiating. Burial was in Stone Creek Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Naylor Funeral Home in New Philadelphia.

Mrs. Carrie Ford

Mrs. Carrie E. Ford, 81, of 104 Shilling St., Marietta, a former resident of Newcomerstown, died Friday (Dec. 12, 1986) at the Heartland of Marietta Nursing Home following a lengthy illness.

She was born Nov. 18, 1905, in Flushing, a daughter of the late G.B. and Viola Bean Gilham. She was a retired employee of the former Blackwell Baker and the former Egler Bakery, both of Newcomerstown. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown and its Queen Esther Class. She also belonged to the Mothers Club, Beta Circle, Royal Neighbors Lodge and the Senior Citizens Club.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Russell Paul Ford, whom she married Feb. 3, 1927. He died July 29, 1974. Two sisters and three brothers are deceased. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Norma) Hannahs of Marrietta; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday at Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Ray Snyder officiating. Burial was in Guernsey Memory Gardens.

Elva Gierschick

Mrs. L. John (Elva) P. Gierschick, 79, of 75129 Birch Road, Kimbolton, died Tuesday (Dec. 2, 1986) in Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born at Barton, Md., a daughter of the late Samuel and Martha E. McIntire Powers. She was a homemaker, residing in Tuscarawas and Guernsey counties since 1979.

She leaves her husband, whom she married Aug. 18, 1979; three daughters, Mary Bair of Dover, Mrs. Lee (Martha) Gierschick of the Kimbolton area, and Mrs. A. Henry (Joan) Marconi of Baltimore, Md.; 16 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren. Her first husband, Vernon J. Boyd, died Dec. 22, 1969. Seven brothers and sisters are deceased.

Services were Dec. 5 at St. Benedict Catholic Church in Cambridge with Msgr. Patrick Maher officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown. Calling hours were observed at Gowins Funeral Home in Gnadenhutten.

Wed., Dec. 24, 1986

Leda Jo (Haver) Stires

Mrs. Daniel (Leda Jo Haver) Stires, 37, of Farmington, N.M., and formerly of Newcomerstown, died Friday (Dec. 12, 1986) at the University of New Mexico Hospital in Albuquerque following surgery for cancer.

She was born May 11, 1949, in Newcomerstown, a daughter of John Haver and Mary Ellis Haver, now of Tucson, Ariz. She was a graduate of Ridgewood High School and the Canton Business College. She was employed at Suncrest Hospital in Farmington, N.M.

She leaves her husband and parents; two sons, Goeffrey and Eric, both of the home; and two brothers, John W. Haver and Roy E. Haver, of California.

A memorial service was held at Mesa View Baptist Church in Farmington on Wednesday, Dec. 17. Graveside services were to be held at East State Street Cemetery in Newcomerstown at the family's convenience, with the Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handling local arrangements.

Memorial contributions could be made to the Ronald McDonald House, 1011 Vale Ave. NE, Albuquerque, N.M. 87106.

Mrs. Thomas Hicks

WEST LAFAYETTE — Services for Mrs. Thomas (Marie A.) Hicks, 44, Meadow Drive, West Lafayette, were held Saturday, Dec. 20, at Isleta United Methodist Church. The Rev. Robert Stull officiated and burial was in Coshocton Memory Gardens. Given-Dawson Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Mrs. Hicks died Wednesday (Dec. 17, 1986) in Good Samaritan Hospital in Zanesville following a short illness.

Mrs. Hicks was born at Coshocton, a daughter of the late Joseph and Jean Mulford Pash. She was a Sunday School teacher at the Isleta United Methodist Church and a member of the Rachel Circle. She married Thomas Hicks on Aug. 30, 1968.

In addition to her husband, she leaves two daughters, Tammy Jean and Amie Lea of the home; a son, Jamie Hicks; a stepson, Jeffery Hicks of New Philadelphia; a brother, James Pash, of Newburg, Md.; a half-brother, Steven McCurdy; and two grandchildren. A brother is deceased.

Mrs. Mabel B. Porter

Services for Mrs. Mabel B. Porter, 73, of 814 Mill St., Newcomerstown, were Friday, Dec. 19, at the Queen-Lee Funeral Home in Shoals, Ind. Burial was in Spring Hills Cemetery, also in Shoals. Additional calling hours were held at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

Mrs. Porter died at 1 a.m. Tuesday (Dec. 16, 1986) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born Oct. 19, 1913, in Martin County, Indiana, a daughter of the late James and Zella Dixon Survance. She was a housewife and homemaker.

Preceding her in death were her first husband, Willard Rodrick; her second husband, Lawrence Porter; and one daughter, five brothers, and two sisters.

She leaves two sons, Ronald Rodrick of Coshocton and Harvey Rodrick of Newcomerstown; a daughter, Marjorie Hathaway of Atwater; four brothers, Lester Survance of Shoals, Ind., Cecil Survance of Medina, Curtis Survance of Amherst, and John Survance of Sumner, Ill.; three sisters, Wanita Tow of Indianapolis, Ind., Willie Leavens of Mount Carmel, Ill., and Pauline Laurence of Houston, Tex.; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Emmett W. Dyer

Emmett W. Dyer, 64, of 204 E. Main St., Port Washington, died at 2:30 p.m. Saturday (Dec. 20, 1986) in the emergency room of Twin City Hospital in Dennison following a lengthy illness.

He was born Nov. 15, 1922, at Lock Seventeen in Tuscarawas County, a son of Hazel M. Lawver Dyer of Port Washington and the late Clifford R. Dyer.

Mr. Dyer was a retired truck driver for the Dover Chemical Co. and former chief of police of Port Washington. A veteran of the U.S. Navy during World War II, he also served in the U.S. Army during 1956-57. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Port Washington, VFW Post No. 3463 in Dover, the Army-Navy Club in Uhrichsville and was past president of the Safety Council of Tuscarawas County.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, Marguerite E. Boyd Dyer, to whom he was married on Jan. 25, 1941; one daughter, Mrs. Wayne (Vivian) Cansler of Spruce Pines, Ala.; three sons, Raymond W. Dyer of Crestview, Fla., Wayne A. Dyer of Gnadenhutten and Douglas C. Dyer of Cadiz; 12 grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and five step-great-grandchildren.

Services were to be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown, with the Rev. Ben Gillilan officiating. Burial was to be in Union Cemetery in Port Washington. Military graveside services were to be conducted Tuesday at the cemetery.

Rev. Andrew Halko

Word was received this week of the death of the Rev. Andrew Halko, 81, of 376 College Ave., Holland, Mich., on Dec. 7.

Rev. Halko was an interim pastor at the Clear Fork Baptist Church in 1982.

He leaves his wife, Alma Halko; three daughters, Mrs. Stephen (Mary) Sheehan of Chestnut Hill, Mass., Mrs. Tom (Nancy) Driy of Holland, Mich., and Mrs. Guy (Michelle) Descloux of Borculo; five grandchildren; and two brothers, John Halko of Drexel Hill, Pa., and Michael Halko of Massillon.

Services were held Dec. 9 at the Notier-Ver Lee Langeland Chapel in Holland, Mich.

Alice DeVore

Services for Alice DeVore, 89, of Gnadenhutten R.D. 1, who died late Friday night (Dec. 19, 1986) at Twin City Hospital in Dennison, were to be held 1 p.m. Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. O.E. Ghere officiating. Burial was to be in Union Cemetery in Port Washington.

Mrs. DeVore was born Nov. 12, 1897, in Salem Township, Tuscarawas County, daughter of the late Henry and Laura Hart Ellwood. She was a housewife and homemaker all her life.

She leaves one son, Robert M. DeVore of Gnadenhutten R.D. 1; and two grandchildren. Five brothers, two sisters, one son and one grandchild preceded her in death.

Hazel M. Dyer

Mrs. Hazel M. Dyer, 83, of Gnadenhutten R.D. 1, a former resident of Port Washington, died in the emergency room of Twin City Hospital in Dennison Wednesday (Dec. 24, 1986).

She was born April 18, 1903, in Tuscarawas County, daughter of the late Emmett and Sarah E. Fox Lawver.

A housewife and homemaker, Mrs. Dyer was a member of the Senior Citizens Clubs of Newcomerstown, Port Washington, and Tuscarawas County. She was confirmed at St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Port Washington and attended the Four Square Gospel Church in Newcomerstown.

Preceding her in death were her husband, Clifford R. Dyer, who died Sept. 20, 1980, a son, three brothers and two sisters.

She leaves her daughter, Mrs. Charles (Thelma) Glauser of Gnadenhutten R.D. 1; her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Marguerite Dyer of Port Washington; six grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

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

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